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Social clubs punished at Abilene Christian U.

ABILENE (AP) — Three Abilene Christian University social clubs have been disciplined for inappropriate pledging activities, including one accused of hazing.

The social clubs are similar to Greek fraternities and sororities but are not nationally affiliated with chapters at other college campuses.

ACU Police Chief Jimmy Ellison said Wednesday his department is investigating outside reports of hazing at Sub T-16 men's social club, but no pledges have made specific allegations or expressed an interest in filing criminal charges. Hazing is a Class B misdemeanor in Texas.

The university has suspended all Sub T-16 pledging activities, said Wayne Barnard, associate provost for student

Delta Theta women's social club is inactive for the rest of the semester after its advisers resigned over conflicts with officers about how physical the pledging activities should be, Barnard said.

Pledging also was suspended for Galaxy men's social club after it held an event that was not approved by the college.

NATION

Atlanta drug bust nets 28 suspects

WASHINGTON (AP) — Federal agents arrested 28 suspects and seized 592 kilograms of cocaine during an overnight raid in Atlanta that dismantled one of the largest drug trafficking cells on the East Coast, the Drug Enforcement Administration said Thursday.

The raid, known as Operation Long Whine, also netted 40 pounds of methamphetamines and \$8 million in cash. It was the second major seizure in the agency's four-month-old "Money Trail" initiative to monitor drug money that passes between the United States and Mexico; The first came through arrests made in Denver and Detroit.

Among those arrested late Wednesday and early Thursday was the suspected leader of the Atlanta organization, known to law enforcement officials only as "Gotti." DEA accuses him of orchestrating shipments from major East Coast cities to Atlanta, then back to Mexico.

Nearly \$5 million in cocaine was believed to have changed hands each week, usually in small containers to avoid detection.

WORLD

EU: Bird flu found in Turkey is deadly strain

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — The European Union on Thursday said the bird flu virus found in Turkish poultry was the H5N1 strain that scientists worry might mutate into a human virus and spark a pandemic. Turkey's health minister said the outbreak had been contained.

"We have received now confirmation that the virus found in Turkey is an avian flu H5N1 virus," said EU Health Commissioner Markos Kyprianou. "There is a direct relationship with viruses found in Russia, Mongolia and China.

The birds were found dead in a village outside of Balikesir, western Turkey, which has been under a two-mile quarantine for the past week.

Turkish Health Minister Recep Akdag said the outbreak had been contained and urged the public to remain calm, saying the country was well-prepared.

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Tech fraternity has charter suspended

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Kappa Alpha Order under investigation by national office for major infraction

By BETH AARON SENIOR STAFF WRITER

The Kappa Alpha Order fraternity at infractions, Rowson said. Texas Tech has had its charter suspended as early as Tuesday and is under investigation by ment that makes a chapter, or branch The National Administrative Office of Kappa of the all-male social organization, an

Scott Rowson, director of communications level, Rowson said. for The National Administrative Office of Kappa Alpha Order, said he could not confirm chapter of the fraternity does not the investigation was triggered by an incident exist in an official sense, Rowson

"All I can say right now is that the chapter charter pulled may attempt to get it back, has been suspended pending investigation," but the process is a lengthy one.

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A charter's suspensions and terminations, however, are not handed out for minor

In a fraternity, a charter is a docuofficial part of the group on a national

When a charter is pulled, the said. Fraternities who have their

Mike Gunn, assistant director for the

NCAA HISTORY.

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informed him that Tech's KA investigation. chapter's status with nationals had

arise, Gunn said Tech will begin information will be released. its own investigation into the matter in addition to The

"At this time, we are not aware of any alle-

"It's a multi-year process at least," he said. gations facing Kappa Alpha Order," he said.

Standard operating procedure states active Center for Campus Life at Tech, serves as members of KA are prohibited from speaking the Interfraternity Council adviser. about the matter with media, Gunn said, He said The National KA Office because their comments could corrupt the

KA had 12 pledges this fall.

Once more details about the KA investiga-If allegations related to hazing tion come to light, Gunn said more specific

"Nothing is definite right now," he said. Also, The National Administrative Office National KA Office's inves- of Kappa Alpha Order was not necessarily

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Forever Red Raiders



RICHARD VERRONE, PRESIDENT of staff senate, speaks to students, faculty and family at the Techsan Memorial in Memorial Circle Thursday

Memorial honors members of Texas Tech family who died in past year

By BRYAN WENDELL MANAGING EDITOR

omecoming had a new meaning for dozens of fam-Texas Tech home.

The Techsan Memorial, held late Thursday afternoon, hon-stories with her daughter's friends after the event. ored 28 Red Raiders who have in the past year.

Kelsey Lauren Kidd, a journalism major from Dallas, was one of the 14 students recognized at the event. Kidd died in a car

accident in June, but her memory lived on for the students who called her their friend.

"Kelsey sparkled," said Leslie Markey, a junior interior deily and friends who gathered at Memorial Circle to sign major from Bedford. "I thought (the ceremony) was very celebrate the lives of loved ones who once called beautiful and a great way to honor those that were lost."

Kelsey Kidd's mother, Ella Kidd, laughed and recounted

Markey reminded Ella Kidd of a phone conversation in

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Texas Tech a finalist for Bush library

By JAY LANGLEY SENIOR STAFF WRITER

Texas Tech has made the final four and it has nothing to do with Bob Knight, hardwood or basketball nets.

Tech is one of four finalists for the site of the George W. Bush Presidential Library. The other possible library sights are Baylor University, Southern Methodist University and the University of Dallas.

David Miller, chairman of the West Texas Coalition for the George W. Bush Presidential Library, said he is excited to be a finalist.

"It is humbling and gratifying," he said. "We are more than happy to be included as a final candidate.'

The next step for the four finalists is to make oral presentations of their proposals in Washington, D.C., next

Miller said the West Texas Coalition is ready to make its presentation.

"We are very prepared," he said. "There will be some tweaking to get some of the wrinkles out before we present or plan."

In September, the Lubbock City Council approved a plan to dedicate \$3.6 million a year to the library project. The money will come from future growth and property taxes and will not require an increase in the tax rate.

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The council's plan is contingent

Soldiers chat with Bush — after rehearsal

By DEB RIECHMANN ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON (AP) — It was billed as a conversation with U.S. troops, but the questions President Bush asked on a teleconference call Thursday were choreographed to match his goals for the war in Iraq and Saturday's vote on a new Iraqi constitution.

"This is an important time," Allison Barber, deputy assistant defense secretary, said, coaching the soldiers before Bush arrived. "The president is looking forward to to whom?" she asked. having just a conversation with you." Barber said the president was interested in three topics:

the overall security situation in Iraq, security preparations for the weekend vote and efforts to train Iraqi troops.

As she spoke in Washington, a live shot of 10 soldiers go to?" Barber asked. from the Army's 42nd Infantry Division and one Iraqi soldier was beamed into the Eisenhower Executive Office Building from Tikrit — the birthplace of former Iraqi

leader Saddam Hussein.

"I'm going to ask somebody to grab those two water bottles against the wall and move them out of the camera shot for me," Barber said.

A brief rehearsal ensued.

"OK, so let's just walk through this," Barber said. "Captain Kennedy, you answer the first question and you hand the mike to whom?"

"Captain Smith," Kennedy said.

"Captain. Smith? You take the mike and you hand it

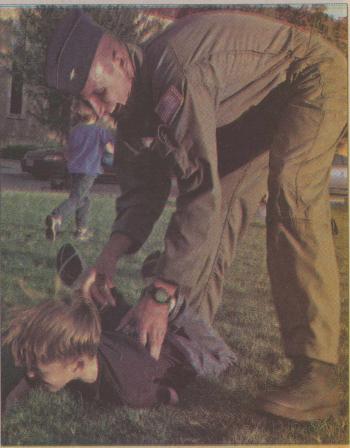
"Captain Kennedy," the soldier replied.

And so it went. "If the question comes up about partnering - how often do we train with the Iraqi military — who does he

"That's going to go to Captain Pratt," one of the

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SOLDIER AT EASE



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CADET MAJ. PHILIP Yarborough, a senior math major from Cypress, takes a break from practice to tickle 7-year-old Connor

Wrapping, walking and ringing in Homecoming festivities

Saddle Tramps: keepers of Tech traditions

By ANNE GEPFORD SENIOR STAFF WRITER

Lights. The Bell Circle. The Victory to Tech, but that the biggest time of or Texas A&M, he said the Saddle Bells. The Homecoming bonfire.

All these and more are a large part of Texas Tech tradition, as is an who wrap the Will Rogers and vandalism. organization that participates in all Soapsuds statue in red crepe paper of them — the Saddle Tramps.

"I kind of see us as the unofficial sure that the traditions are upheld importance of the Saddle Tramps. and are done correctly and with

students is tradition.

"Tech has obviously changed a

from Weatherford studying account- group, he said. ing, said the reason he joined Saddle Tramps was because of their emphasis to playing," Schultz said. "That's very touchdown, you could've heard a pin on spirit and tradition.

"I enjoy that kind of stuff," he

a game this season.

of Texas Tech."

the year is football season.

before home games. He said it often in 1936 to support men's athletics and more than a mile of crepe paper

keepers of tradition on campus," said Tramps might know where all the freshman, and when Tech won 49-Chad Greenfield, a senior pre-med time goes, Schultz said the student 48 in overtime, the sight was worth major from Monahans. "We make body often does not understand the seeing.

into it," he said. "This is almost like said. Greenfield said the one common another job. I just don't think they bond that unites alumni with current know everything that goes behind every college student can experience,

whole lot. Tradition is something game, but the Saddle Tramps begin memorable for him. that ties everyone together," he preparing for the game four or five said. "It's what makes them a Red hours before it starts, Schultz said. very similar to the A&M game from Being able to go down onto the field 2002, he said. Matt Schultz, a graduate student is a major advantage to being in the

important to me."

The Saddle Tramps also are for the Texas Tech section."

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said. "I've become an integral part responsible for making sure the Victory Bells are rung after the Schultz said the Saddle Tramps game for 30 minutes, and during the Wrapping Will Rogers. Carol of dedicate a lot of their time each week weekends where Tech plays Texas Tramps spend all night out by specific The Saddle Tramps are the ones monuments on campus to prevent

Greenfield said the organization is not all work, however, as many of The all-male organization began takes five hours or more to complete, his favorite memories are with the Saddle Tramps.

> He said he traveled with several While those closest to the Saddle others to the 2002 A&M game as a

> "I've never seen a stadium that "It's a lot of work. You put a lot large clear out that fast," Greenfield

> Road trips to games are something but Greenfield said going with this Not only do they work before the specific organization was extremely

The 2005 Nebraska game was

"It was almost the exact same thing," he said. "It was absolutely "That's probably the closest thing deafening, and when we scored that drop anywhere in the stadium, except High Riders partake in Spirit Walk, gameday activities



THE TECH HIGH Riders yell and cheer as the Lady Raiders come onto the court last basketball season.

By ANGELA PAYNE STAFF WRITER

Decked out in red Homecoming T-shirts with the logo from the Spirit Board on the back, the High Riders will be one of many organizations to the High Riders take part in. participate in the annual spirit walk. scheduled to start at 8 p.m. today.

Spirit Walk and bonfire.

spirit and tradition at Texas Tech through service, honor and integrity, Felicia Michael, a junior public

"We're the ones here to promote chance to be recognized," she said. "There are more female sports, and so we are easily visible at games

nization besides the Saddle Tramps Rider.

that is allowed to ring the victory bell weekends.

That's not the only Tech tradition

as Raider Red," said Joyce Arterburn, The women will go around cam- the first sponsor of High Riders and in a variety of ways, she said. pus, including in the residence halls, a retired physical education teacher and two Saddle Tramps who suite out The purpose of the High Riders as Raider Red. There four Raider Red different athletic games going on at the same time."

Michaels said the High Riders are big sister." relations and Spanish major from a similar to the Saddle Tramps, but Grants, N.M., and president of High they work together and not as opposing forces.

We do so much that our service Texas Tech and give women a is for the Texas Tech athletic department," she said. "We are the unofficial part of the team."

Kendall Todd, an early childhood to bring spirit to the team so they education member from Lubbock and The High Riders is the only orgathere are requirements to be a High

"Pledges are required to go to all after winning games, Michael said. The woman's athletic functions and let bells are rung for 15 minutes during them know about traditions," she the week, and for 30 minutes on the said. "We decorate the locker rooms in preparation for big games."

Each pledge has a big sister so that they are not so intimidated, and they "We also have two girls who suit out can get to know that person, Todd said. The big sister is unveiled to the little

"For one event, had the pledges encouraging people to come to the at Tech. "There are two High Riders dress up as movie characters, such as Batman or a character from the Wizard of Oz, and they received a clue," she is to promote woman's athletics, costumes just in case there are four said. "When they found the clue, they got the next one, and eventually they were blindfolded and revealed to their

> Other activities the pledges do to get to know each other, are getting signatures from High Rider alums, Tech coaches and the Masked Rider,

> Arterburn said the High Riders help get students get acquainted with campus and act as a friendly face.

"We've had a lot of success," she the High Rider's pledge trainer, said said. "It is so much more fun to root for a team if you know who they are personally."

When it comes to sex, Princeton group advocates waiting ... waiting

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP) cause every single character had abstinence. in the minority: while watching wood, N.J. a play called "Sex on a Saturday

much talk about sex.

feeling really uncomfortable be- Tenn.-based group that promotes

The students who started one either engaged in premarital sex or

formed a group promoting chastity. The play is put on for incoming While similar groups exist at other freshmen to inform them about universities, it is a first for the Ivy sexual health and safety. But to League. The groups first sprung up in some students, there was just too the South, but the idea is catching on nationwide, said Iimmy Hester

"In the early days I would have of Princeton University's newest was talking about having engaged said it was a Southern, Southeast clubs remember the awkward mo- in premarital sex," said Christian movement; that's where it caught ment when they realized they were Sahner, 20, a junior from Maple- on the quickest," Hester said. "Now we hear from folks in Washington, So about a year ago, the students Oregon, all over the place.' The Princeton group is named

after Elizabeth Anscombe, an English philosopher and staunch Roman Catholic who defended the church's teachings on sex, and died in 2001.

People who want to take part in "I remember sitting there and from "True Love Waits," a Nashville, the society's activities don't have to sign a pledge or take an oath.



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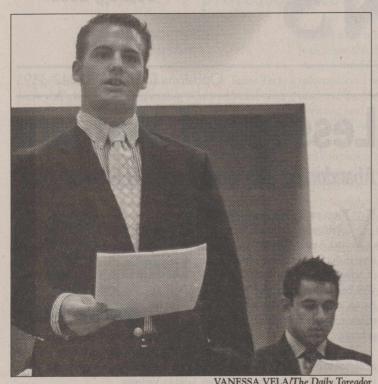
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Leisure pool makes splash at SGA meeting



SGA SENATOR MARC Orgass, of the College of Business, presents the new SGA election code to the senate during the student senate meeting and said the outdoor aquatic center Thursday evening in the Animal Sciences building.

By ANDREW WOOD STAFF WRITER

The Student Government Association student senators found themselves swimming in a deep discussion ulty, we will look good in the eyes of during the senate's fifth meeting of the the state," Pettingell said. 41st session, Thursday night.

pool to the Robert H. Ewalt Student the students were seniors. Recreation Center.

without a debate.

As soon as the idea for the leisure pool was open for discussion, senators ous opinions about the leisure pool.

go off the diving board with leisure and medical students. pool talk, when he kicked off the tation, which supported the proposal would build a community. He also in what we call a 'snow ball' process, we have been elected."

said the pool would be a proper tool and it's not statistically accurate," Tech, because he believed they would take their children to use the pool.

"If we attract more research fac-

The power point presentation also The student senate meeting turned included figures from a survey of 307 into a water polo match concerning students. More than 170 students let (Tech) academically compete?," Hanson said. the addition of a \$7.3 million leisure voted in favor of the pool and 152 of Phillips asked.

SGA Senator Ryan Wolf was one Senate Resolution 41.11 concern- of the first ones to speak out against ing the leisure pool was passed, but not the proposal. He said he could not approve the idea until a legitimate survey is taken.

splashed one another with their variit's skewed. The upperclassmen had double representation," said Wolf, Ralph Pettingell, SGA senate who also wanted more representation it was important for senators to talk to journal clerk, was the first senator to from graduate students, law students the student body, because it was what

SGA Graduate Senator Seth discussion with a power point presen- Phillips also believed the surveys were we are not doing our job," Alexander inaccurate.

in bringing more research faculty to Phillips said. "I would say honestly, it does not look at graduate students at all. We cannot expect to use this and build for all of the freshman class."

to focus more on the academic aspect one. to become a Tier 1 institution.

she favored the leisure pool because a 'red-out' for Saturday's game encourthe money used will be from the recreational center's budget.

get the leisure pool, we can use it "I believe with a poll like that, every day and use it as much as we wanted to," Mayo said.

SGA Senator Zeb Alexander said they were elected to do.

"If we don't ask students, ourselves, said, "If you can't ask the students "Though the survey was conducted yourself, that is your fault. That is why

John Hanson, SGA graduate vice president, was the keynote speaker at the senate meeting. Hanson updated the senate on several initiatives, with the return of an on-campus recycling Phillips said the university needs program being the most important

"There will be a place on campus, "If we want to compete, why not where recyclables can be taken,"

The senate unanimously passed SGA Senator Jennifer Mayo said Senate Resolution 41.15, concerning aging fans to come in red apparel, because the game will be nationally "There's money right now. If we televised on the ABC network.



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Piracy problem continues to grow nationally

By CARLOS BERGFELD

glamorous lives than their pillaging federal law enforcement agencies. predecessors.

conspiracy, according to the U.S. pirated goods into the market. Department of Justice.

Zhai allegedly planned to use media the capability to manufacture be- and the other two men were than 325,000 pieces of copyrighted music and software.

"Occasionally, there are some situations like this, but I think the real in other countries," said Wesley Co- of America estimates the potential

Cochran said the main problem proximately \$25,000. the U.S. usually has with pirating

goods from other countries.

Oct. 6 as part of "Operation Remas-Copyright laws have led to mod- ter," a government sting operation warning labels found on newer CDs. seeing a substantial amount of money, it worked exactly like the legitimate ern day pirates leading decidedly less led by a task force of local, state and

The U.S. Attorney's Office for equipment necessary to replicate digi- in pirating software fro the Northern District of California tal media in bulk, are only one part Symantec and other announced the indictment of three of large-scale piracy schemes. They companies, according to Bay Area men by a federal grand jury work with illegal packagers, distributhe justice department's Wednesday for a large-scale piracy tors, retailers and others to get their release.

Ye Teng Wen, Hao He and Yaobin a mold of a CD or DVD, they have \$150,000 secured bond versions of these items, according to \$75,000 bonds. the justice department.

chran a professor of copyright law. damage of each stamper to be ap-

The three men were arrested on them seem genuine, the men alleg- protected software and video games. he would be hard-pressed to take any edly even duplicated the anti-piracy

pirating music from Latin artists, said. Replicators, businesses with the and Wen and He were involved

Zhai was released If a replicator obtains a "stamper," Wednesday on a replication equipment to pirate more tween 50,000 and 80,000 counterfeit released on the day of their arrest with

According to the justice depart-The three men were charged with ment, the greatest penalties the three ment and a \$250,000 fine.

In another recent case, a Texas The three individuals were months in jail and pay \$1.54 million ranged from \$30 to \$26,000. deals with the importation of pirated charged with putting counterfeit in restitution for illegally selling

labels on illegitimate CDs to make more than \$1 million of copyright advertising major from Dallas said

All three men were involved in the odds are against it," Cochran version.

In cases like this one, the deal," Whitlock said. urt wants to send a mes-

less of whether or not release. the person can pay back

Dashiell Ponce de Leon, a resident software. of Richmond, used his Web sites, possessing more than 2,000 stampers; first-time offenders can each receive softworks.com, to advertise and sell

man received a sentence to serve 46 less than their retail prices, which unknowingly bought it.

Alexander Whitlock, a freshman it back," he said.

"In terms of copyright owners action on receiving pirated software if

"I'd be like 'cool I got a good

An FBI agent purchased illegal sage to potential pirates copies of software and video games discouraging copyright from Ponce de Leon to gain evidence infringement, regard- of the scheme, according to an ICE

The software pirate gained apthe amount, Cochran proximately \$192,000 from the illegal sales, less than 17 percent of According to U.S. Immithe amount he will have to pay back gration and Customs Enforcement, in full for the total retail value of the

Tim Spence, a sophomore electriwww.powerbackups.com and www. cal engineering major from New York City, said a copyright infringer should major operations like this are located the Recording Industry Association if sentenced are five years imprison- more than 200 copyright protected only have to pay back the money they gained from pirating, though he Ponce de Leon sold the titles for would not keep pirated software if he

"I'd do my best to find a way to get

Tradition Reigns

Fight, Raiders, Fight! Fight, Raiders, Fight! Fight for the school we love so dearly. We'll hit 'em high, we'll hit 'em low. We'll push the ball across the goal, Tech, Fight! Fight! We'll praise your name, boost you to fame. **Fight for the Scarlet and Black.** We will hit 'em, we will wreck 'em. Hit 'em! Wreck 'em, Texas Tech! And the Victory Bells will ring out!



President doesn't dislike black people; he wants to be a ganster rapper

a gangster rapper.

You all may wonder what my reasoning is for this assumption, but I have several pieces of evidence that have led me to this discovery. We all know our Commander-in-Chief is not the brightest crayon in the box. I believe he might not even know many minorities, aside from the ones in his only people he knows are the ones in his Cabinet, so he might be susceptible to common stereotypes.

First of all, Bush has taken on an the infamous G-Dub or Dub-a-yuh. encompasses the true American way

ast month, during a telethon have a phat (that means cool) ride. hosted by a major television While others sport Lexuses, BMWs network, rapper Kanye West and Hummers, G-Dub has the sweetaccused George W. Bush of not caring est ride of all: a freaking airplane. about black people. I've spent the last What ride is better than Air Force month mulling it over in my cranium, One? Hands down, no one else can and I have come to one simple con- compete with that, except Donald clusion: it's not that Bush doesn't care Trump (but that's another column). about minorities — it's that he wants In a world that counts unique "bling to be "down" with the people. He the "Bushonics" should be added to to be a minority, or more specifically bling" as the ultimate accessory, Air also visited the evacuees of hurricane school curriculum; after all, it only is Force One is one-of-a-kind.

Coast, West Coast and Dirty South factions of hip-hop, Bush has created a posse that has his back in times of trouble. His appointment of Harriet Miers solidifies his crew. You could think of her as Little Kim of Bad Boy Records — her only duty is to talk Cabinet. Actually, it seems that the about how great Bush is, just like Little Kim raps about the late Notorious B.I.G. And, much like most of the rappers on any of those labels, Miers doesn't have to have any experience are late to an event. Granted, this alias, one that we all know and love, or actually be good at what she does. phrase soley is based on a stereotype

The first step to becoming made himself with, not just black people ing a minority, but since Bush is a in the hip-hop world is creating a but minorities in general. First it was handle. Not only does it strengthen Colin Powell and Condoleezza Rice, his street credibility, but it's easier then he appointed Carlos Gutierrez, eloquence needed to be president, heard it's entitled "Weapons of Mass on the mandible than George W. Alberto Gonzales, Elaine Chao, Nor-especially when it comes to public Destruction." Bush. I think it's a smart move that man Mineta and Alphonso Jackson. speaking. I believe that he has in-Bush even invited Diddy (formally P. vented his own slang, however. I Diddy a.k.a. Sean "Puffy" Combs) to affectionately call it "Bush Speak." We all know to have utmost the White House for a private tour. You can hear it when he addresses respect in the rap world, you have to It seems to me he is making an effort the nation, or makes negotiations



that's not street credibility, I don't a multicultural credit?

Katrina, Bush has been criticized for his slow response to send help to the victims. His unpunctuality, however, can be explained by a simple phrase: CP Time. For those of you who don't know what that is, let me explain it for you; CP Time is an expression that minorities use when other minorities Old G-Dub has begun to surround and should not be used when describ-

white guy, that makes it OK. Some may say Bush lacks the

with ambassadors and rulers of other nations. Mostly, it's entertaining, but occasionally it gets him into trouble, like calling a war with a predominantly Islamic nation a "crusade." People may look at this as a blemish on his presidency, but I for one, find it entertaining. In fact, we should argue Katrina, making sure to hug and kiss the Yale version of "Ebonics." Does Much like G-Unit or the East as many black people as possible. If that count for a foreign language or

> But whether it's riding in a tricked-And speaking of Hurricane out plane or rolling through his 'hood' with his homies, I think it's clear that we've got a certified gangster president.

> > Though I may have exploited the stereotypes associated with minorities, non-minorities and the hip-hop community to illustrate my point, I've stated the evidence and my

> > Regardless of your political party association, you can decide for yourself if you believe our president is gangster. As for me, I'm waiting for his album to drop next spring; I

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Lessons of Vietnam

Abandoning Iraq would make U.S. look weak

ietnam. The mere mention of it brings back horrible memories to Americans. It was a dark time in our history. Tens of thousands of American lives were lost in the Cold War battle for the small Southeast Asian country and our nation was nearly torn apart by the social unrest at home.

D.C., giving into the pressure from did in Vietnam. the hippies and pulling out of South under pressure.

Vietnam, we won the Cold War thanks with any sense can understand how sigto the great leadership of Ronald Reanificant Iraq has become to the stability gan. Freedom pressed on.

our current situation in Iraq? It has not those who are trying to win it. even been three years since the fall of Baghdad and Americans are already getting restless. At first it was only those in the far left that opposed the war, mainly because they either did not a long ways off from the "Greatest Genbelieve in any war or they just wanted eration." But even if you look at history any reason to oppose President Bush before World War II, Americans did not and the Republicans.

the bad news while ignoring the good that has been done to bring freedom to the Iraqi people. John Kerry while running for president, as well as many other Democrats vying for important seats in Congress, tried to use the war and put them in their place.

Fortunately, Americans could see past their rhetoric and President Bush was re-elected while the Republican Party gained seats in both the House and more Americans are starting to all the time. question the war.

spread these doubts. Every day, Americans are being told of another bombing or another death of an American soldier. While I firmly believe we the good the soldier gave his life for.

The sad thing is, Americans just do not care about good news. Violence and death continually have better ratings than any good news story. So it is apparent it is not Americans who have learned from Vietnam, but rather the terrorists. According to The Associated Press, al-Musab al-Zargawii, said the U.S. "ran and left their agents" in Vietnam.

The jihadists must have a plan ready to fill the void if the Americans suddenly leave Iraq. The terrorists believe



the American people will grow tired of The massive anti-war protests even- the war and we will run away with our tually led to politicians in Washington, tails tucked between our legs like we

Well I assure you this is something Vietnam, leaving it to be overrun by that we cannot let happen. If we allow the Communist North. It destroyed our country to be consumed again by the credibility of the United States the anti-war hippies and pull out of Iraq and gave those plotting against us new before the job is done, we will certainly hope because we had shown weakness lose the war on terror. Regardless of whether you believe in the reasons for While the U.S. lost the battle in the pre-emptive war in Iraq, anyone in the Middle East and to the safety of So what lessons have been learned Americans. It is time to stop whining from Vietnam that can be applied to about why we went to war and support

Some say America changed after Vietnam. They say that we no longer have the resolve we did during World War II. They say today's Americans are want war. There is one trend that can-Prominent Democrats who once not be disputed about every American supported the war have grabbed hold of in our history: When America and its people are attacked we will unite and do everything in our power to punish those responsible.

In the words of Gen. George S. Patton, or rather George C. Scott playing Patton in one of the greatest movies as an excuse to vote Republicans out of all time, "all this stuff you've heard about America not wanting to fight wanting to stay out of the war, is a lot of horse dung. Americans traditionally love to fight. All real Americans love the sting of battle. When you were and Senate. But time can change kids, you all admired the champion things, and Democrats know this. marble shooter, the fastest runner, big With the continual bombardment league ball players, the toughest boxers. from liberals, who control most of the Americans love a winner and will not news Americans get every day, more tolerate a loser. Americans play to win

"I wouldn't give a hoot in hell for a The news media has helped to man who lost and laughed. That's why Americans have never lost and never will lose a war, because the very thought of losing is hateful to Americans."

We must not forget the attacks of should never discount the death of an Sept. 11 and other terrorist attacks American solder who gave his life for against our people. We must never his country, we should also not forget forget that we are Americans, not Canadians. We cannot sit back and hide from the rest of the world. America is supposed to be a beacon for freedom and justice. America is supposed to help spread that freedom to other parts of the world. We are supposed to free the oppressed and protect the attacked.

If we forget who we are then we Qaida's No. 2 leader, Ayman al-Zawahr will be giving in to those that want in a letter to his top deputy in Iraq, Abu to destroy us. The United States of America cannot afford for its citizens to be sunshine patriots.

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VIEW FROM THE BIG 12

Insulting white people shouldn't be considered politically correct

OKLAHOMA DAILY (U. OKLAHOMA)

are just not a whole lot of things that white guys are good at these days.

flirt; we can't play sports. It's just part of the territory, I guess. But

the media love to remind us.

In director Peter Segel's remake of the 1974 film "The Longest Yard," Adam Coles were featured on the cover with the Sandler plays an ex-NFL quarterback turned prison inmate. As the story goes, Sandler's character is put in charge of assembling an all-convict football team to play against the prison guards.

When he asks Chris Rock's character if I suck so bad, they used to pick me after the does it feel to be a red guy that can drive a white guys. white kids."

And it's true. If one of us gets picked before you, then you must really suck. But every once in a while, a white guy would be looking for a new job. with talent will sneak in there.

The cover of last March's Sports Illustrated on Campus featured a picture of Eastern Michigan basketball player Henry Bekkering with a caption that read, "How does it feel to be a white guy with hops?"

(U-WIRE) NORMAN, Okla. — There any expectations. They're like, 'Oh, it's just a white kid," he told Sports Illustrated.

And what else would you expect? Every-We can't jump; we can't dance; we can't one knows white kids can't play. But imagine if the cover had featured

another race. What if MAAC Diver of the Year Chris

that can swim?" Or Dallas Cowboys linebacker Dat

yellow guy that can tackle?" Or what if PGA star Vijay Singh were he ever played football, Rock replies, "Nah, on the cover and the caption read, "How the only place where it's in style to bash

> golf ball 300 yards?" training course, the editor of the magazine

> But it's all fun and games as long as it's white guys we are talking about.

Sometimes, the blind eye we turn to racist comments about white people isn't quite so innocent, however.

Bekkering, whose dunks can be seen all Mike Tyson-Lennox Lewis boxing match cratic Party and then blamed it on their and Hispanic.

over the Internet, apparently has bought that broke out in a brawl, freelance sports "black-boy" attitudes. writer Mark Malinowski yelled out about "When people see me, they don't have Iron Mike, "Put him in a strait jacket!"

In front of a room full of reporters, Tyson then accused Malinowski of being "scared like a little white p----" when he didn't take Mike up on his offer to fight.

As Sports Illustrated's Rick Reilly later something equally as stereotypical about commented, "In American trash talk today, that's three put-downs in a row. Little. White. And p----.

But there was no demand for Tyson to caption, "How does it feel to be a black guy apologize for his comments. Why would there be?

Nguyen asking, "How does it feel to be a a bunch of white guys, and what were they denying membership to a black legislator

After his mandatory racial-sensitivity manager Donna Brazile, a black woman, accused Republicans of excluding and denigrating other people because of their "white-boy attitudes.

With such a sophisticated argument, it's hard to see why her comments weren't taken seriously.

But imagine if Karl Rove made a After the press conference for the 2002 negative comment about the Demo-changed two of the men's identities to black

It would have been on the front page of every newspaper in the country, and Rove would have been vilified on Capitol Hill.

Last week, white Tennessee state legislator Stacey Campfield tried to join the state's Black Legislative Caucus but was turned down because his skin wasn't dark enough.

Campfield claims that he wants to better represent his minority constituents, but Black Caucus member Larry Miller said he has no idea why Campfield wants to join "other than he is crazy and a racist."

Which may be the case. But it's hard to The only people Tyson offended were imagine an all-white political organization and then calling him the racist - even if it Unfortunately, the sports arena isn't were Louis Farrakhan who wanted to join

And even if white guys manage to do A few years back, Al Gore's campaign something notable, it gets passed over and downplayed by our modern PC society.

The famous photograph of three white firefighters - Dan McWilliams, George Johnson and Billy Eisengrein - hoisting the American flag at the World Trade Center Ground Zero was commissioned as the model for a \$180,000 memorial statue. But when it came time for its creation, the artist

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Podcasting lectures could be latest classroom tool

With UT professors testing iPod limits, Tech students and professors discuss the pros, cons

By MARK NORTWICH CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Some students and faculty members at Texas Tech information I would have if I did have differing views over a new way to obtain class lectures.

According to an article from the University of Texas newspaper, The Daily Texan, the university is in the process of implementing a plan allowing students said the thought of podcasting to download class lectures onto an iPod.

According to The Texan, podcasting, the name of the service, is being worked on in order to get some of the kinks out, but many students are taking advantage but I doubt Tech would ever do of the service.

Katie Welcing, a freshman business major from Keller, said a system like the one at UT would be good for students at Tech.

"I think it would be awesome to have the lectures on my iPod," Welcing said. "I could listen to the lecture again while I am studying."

missed a class, because she would not get too far said. behind.

"If I ever missed a class, I would at least have the day's lecture to listen to, so I would not miss all of the not have the lecture on my iPod," Welcing said.

Kate Levell, a freshman advertising major from Keller, sounds good, but she wonders if it would ever come to Tech.

"It sounds like a good idea, such a thing," she said.

Levell said the professors she has for classes this semester are strict when it comes to attendance, so they might not like a service such as podcasting.

students should be in class to listen to the lectures instead of abuse it. She said podcasting would ease her mind if she in case a student raises an interesting topic," Levell

podcasting is good in theory, but he fears there would Welcing said. be a decrease in classroom attendance.

in my class, but I can see more students staying home instead he said.

would take away from the experience.

"I think it would be a short-

lecture experience.' Welcing said she believes students, for the most every year." "Most of the professors I have stress the fact that part, would use the service to further their education

"Some people might take advantage of it, but for David Larmour, a classics professor at Tech, said ing as a way to study even better for tests and quizzes," lem I have with the idea."

Test grades would probably decrease instead of "Attendance is not required increase if podcasting were available to Tech students Larmour said.

"So much is learned within the lecture itself beof coming to class if podcast- cause you have spur-of-the-moment questions and ing were available at Tech," related topics," Larmour said. "Students who use podcasting would not get to hear the questions and topics Larmour said podcasting which could really hurt them during the test."

Larmour said it might not only be students who importance of the classroom would suffer from podcasting, but it would be a strain on many of the professors as well.

"I probably would not do podcasting because my term convenience for a long-term lectures change each semester. I always come up with lack of depth," he said. "Students new ways of presenting my information," he said. "I would only get a small portion of the do think it would work for the professors who have a set lecture that they use every semester or even

> Larmour said his biggest concern is having his own material out there for everyone to get.

"I would not want my own precious material out the most part I think that students would use podcast- there for everybody," he said. "That is the main prob-

Committee hopes to raise 'the whole enchilada' with Enchilada Fiesta

By DANIELLE NOVY STAFF WRITER

Center Building Fund Committee is the kids.' hosting the Enchilada Fiesta today children and seniors alike.

today from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the gym at St. Joseph's Church at 102 N. Ave. P. For \$5, participants can get a plate piled high with two enchiladas, beans, rice, salad, dessert and a beverage.

Veronica Lujan, an event volunteer, said the all proceeds from the event will go to the Guadalupe Building Fund.

"People are welcome to make the money."

Josie Sulaica, an event volunteer, said a new community center would Guadalupe Elementary School.

"We had a Guadalupe Center here for years and years," Sulaica the enchilada fundraiser would acsaid. "They were using World War cumulate at least \$5,000 to go toward always played an integral role in the The Guadalupe Neighborhood II barracks, and they weren't safe for the building fund.

to raise money for a new community was condemned, a temporary building nephews that grew up in that area," center that would offer programs for has been used to house the community she said. center, and said the construction of a The Enchilada Fiesta will be held new Guadalupe Center would be a haven for children while their parents pivotal step for the neighborhood.

"The center would have computers, help with homework, and work until five," she said. entertainment," she said.

> to the goal of a raising months. a brand-new community

donations," Lujan said. "The com- and had people call in for deliveries," munity is doing their part to raise Sulacia said. "Of course, we'd love to raise as much as possible."

Mary Garcia, an event volunteer, said she was expecting to see a good ture the center that has been calling be helpful for children attending turnout at the fiesta thanks to fliers home for the last several years is too ing for someone to play with them," and publicity.

Thursdays

Fridays

Garcia said she was hoping that who want to use it.

She said since the former location we have children, and nieces and the after-school program.

The center has always been a are working, Garcia said.

"Sometimes, the parents are at

Besides providing childcare, Garhoped to be a substantial where kids can enjoy swimming it," she said. fundraiser to move closer and cookouts during the summer

families can take advantage of the everyone could be involved, Lujan "We've sold quite a few tickets after-school care as well as the variety said. of activities the center offers.

"It's fun and we feed them too," she said. "You can't beat that." allo asid

Garcia said the temporary strucsmall to host the number of people Sulaica said.

Saturdays

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She said Texas Tech students have functions of the center. Tech volun-"We grew up in that area and teers offer their time and assistance for

"They help us and we help them," Garcia said.

Lujan said the projected cost for the new center is roughly \$700,000, a figure she would like to approach with the Guadalupe Neighborhood Center Building Fund Committee.

"We want to make half of the The Enchilada Fiesta is cia said the center provides a place total, and then ask the city to match

> The new center would balance activities for kids with programs for Garcia said for \$20 per year, senior citizens and adults so that

Sulaica said Tech students are always welcome to spend time with the children in the after-school programs.

"Basically they are just kids look-

With parade cancellation, bonfire slated to be largest Homecoming event

Despite a change in game time coming King and Queen will be

Texas Tech will not be deterred. In place of the parade, the Homecoming Committee decided to em-

of the week. "It's the last thing before the begins at 11:00 a.m. Saturday. game," said Heath Bowman, the director of the Homecoming Committee. tradition, Bowman said. "I think that's what makes it the most important event for the week."

committee came up with the idea of a Texas Tech great," Bowman said. Spirit Walk. He said the event, which like a parade without floats.

The Spirit Walk will start in the Tech band parking lot and will travel time of the year many alumni return down 18th Street, around the Student to Lubbock. Union and Administration buildings toward Urbanovsky Park.

The bonfire will feature live entertainment and guest speakers, including Miss Texas 2005 Morgan Matlock, according to the Homecoming Web

The Top 10 candidates for Home-

and cancellation of the parade, the narrowed down further to the top five tradition and spirit of Homecoming at candidates for each. After the top five are selected on the basis of interviews, voting will begin for Homecoming King and Queen. The results will be phasize the bonfire as the main event announced at halftime of the football game against Kansas State, which

Homecoming is a large part of Tech

"Homecoming is the most import Tech tradition that we have because it Bowman, a junior restaurant, is a week completely dedicated to celhotel and institutional management ebrating all the student groups, student major from Stillwater, Okla., said the athletes ... all the students that make

While Homecoming is an imporbegins at 8 p.m today, basically will be tant event for students, Bowman said it also is an important tradition for Tech graduates, because this is the one

"You don't have this at any other time in the year where Tech comes together to celebrate itself," he said. "It's the one week where Tech can showcase itself to the alumni."

> -Anne Gepford/ Senior Staff Writer

Library

8-12p.m. CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 \$1.50 drafts \$2.00 wells

on whether Lubbock is selected by the president as the sight of the library. Miller said Lubbock would receive an

estimated \$218 million economic boost in the next five years if Bush decides to ·locate the library at Tech. "That is a conservative figure," Miller

said. "There is no way to measure the true economic impact that could possibly be felt by getting the library." Casey Harmon, SGA internal vice

president, said the SGA favors the presidential library coming to Lubbock. "Last month the student senate unanimously passed resolution to support the

library coming to Lubbock," she said. The benefits of a presidential library in Lubbock would not just be financial,

"It would bring a lot of recognition to Tech," Harmon said. "There could also possibly be institutes within the library that could be educational."

Harmon said the school of public service at the George Bush Presidential Library at A&M is an example of an educational institution within a presidential library.

All of the universities still in the running, other than Tech are private institutions with Christian religious affiliations.

SMU is the alma mater of Laura Bush, and Baylor is about 20 miles from Crawford, where the Bushes own a ranch.

Chet Stewart, a senior agricultural communications major from Ozona, said he believes Lubbock would be a good place for the library.

"It is not just because I go to school here," he said. "I think Lubbock is the best city out of the four to have the library."

Stewart said he believes the location and size of the city should give Lubbock a good chance of getting the library.

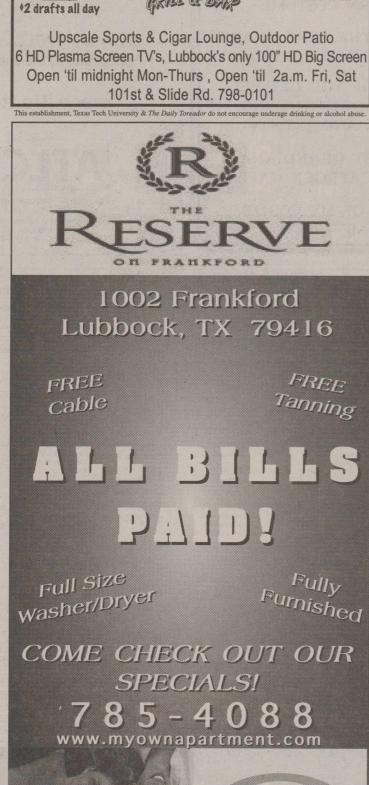
"You wouldn't want it in a place like Austin because it is too big of a city," he said. "And in Midland there is nothing

Stewart said he has visited the Lyndon B. Johnson library in Austin.

"I liked it a lot," he said. "There was a lot of interesting information at the

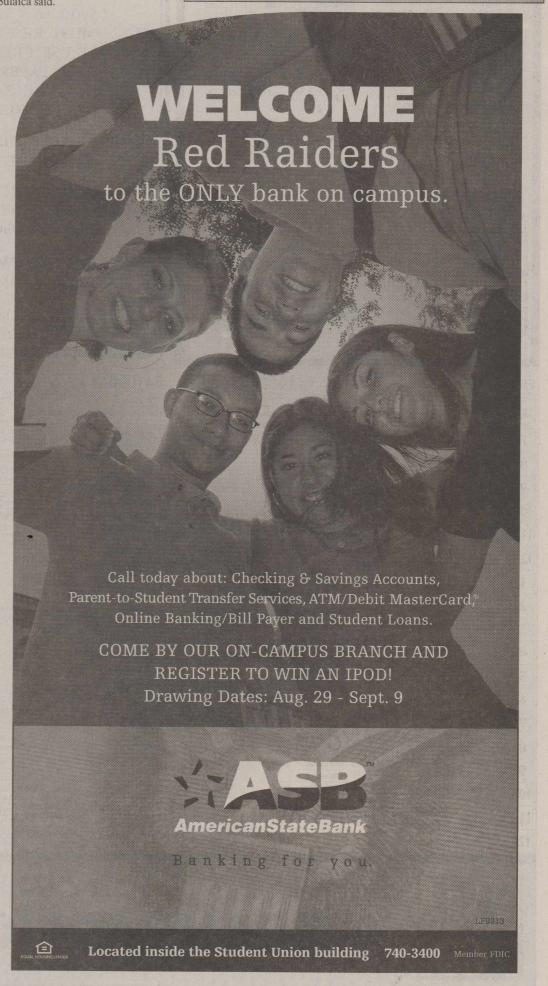
Miller said Lubbock has a lot to offer the president and first lady.

"This is where they grew up," Miller said. "This is where they call home. They have long-time friends here in Lubbock.'



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soldiers said.

"And then if we're going to talk a little bit about the folks in Tikrit — the hometown — and how they're thing," he gushed. "I like you." handling the political process, who are we going to give that to?" she asked.

Before he took questions, Bush thanked the soldiers for serving and reassured them that the U.S. would not pull out of Iraq until the mission we were preparing for that election, was complete.

we're never going to back down, we're never going to give in, we'll never accept anything less than total victory," Bush said.

the American people were behind

here at home," Bush said.

poll taken in October said they ap- Over the next month, we anticipate proved of the way Bush was handling seeing at least one-third of those Iraq. Just over half of the public now Iraqi forces conducting independent say the Iraq war was a mistake.

White House press secretary Scott McClellan said Thursday's event was New York-based Operation Truth, coordinated with the Defense Depart- an advocacy group for U.S. veterans ment but that the troops were express- of Iraq and Afghanistan, denounced ing their own thoughts. With satellite the event as a "carefully scripted feeds, coordination often is needed to publicity stunt." Five of the 10 overcome technological challenges, U.S. troops involved were officers, such as delays, he said.

"I think all they were doing was talking to the troops and letting of the troops, he can't do it in a them know what to expect," he said, nationally televised teleconference," adding that the president wanted to Rieckhoff said. "He needs to be talktalk with troops on the ground who ing to the boots on the ground and have firsthand knowledge about the that's not a bunch of captains."

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The soldiers all gave Bush an upbeat view of the situation.

The president also got praise from the Iraqi soldier who was part

"Thank you very much for every-

On preparations for the vote, 1st Lt. Gregg Murphy of Tennessee said: "Sir, we are prepared to do whatever it takes to make this thing a success. ... Back in January, when we had to lead the way. We set up "So long as I'm the president, the coordination, we made the plan. We're really happy to see, during the preparation for this one, sir, they're doing everything.'

On the training of Iraqi security The president told them twice that forces, Master Sgt. Corine Lombardo from Scotia, N.Y., said to Bush: "I can tell you over the past 10 months, "You've got tremendous support we've seen a tremendous increase in the capabilities and the confidences Less than 40 percent in an AP-Ipsos of our Iraqi security force partners. ... operations."

Paul Rieckhoff, director of the

he said. "If he wants the real opinions

THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

Memorial

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movie "Steel Magnolias," which was Kelsey and Ella Kidd's favorite movie.

A graduate of Oklahoma University, Ella Kidd said though it was difficult for her to admit it, she was impressed with the way Tech honored her daughter.

"She was glorious, and she was way too much fun," Ella Kidd said. "She honor and making us a part of this loved Texas Tech.'

"So much so she didn't want to leave," added Bob Hough, a friend of the Kidd family. "It's nice that all her friends showed up, and it makes it very special for her mom to know that her friends still think about her."

friends wasn't impressed with the

"I'm a little upset about the publicity of the event," said Amy Wroble, a senior advertising major from Bedford. "Kelsey's mom told us about it. I tried everyone that knew her."

She said she used the social networking Web site facebook.com to spread the after the ceremony and said he appreciword about the memorial.

The ceremony opened with comments from Tech President Jon Whit-institutions.

strength and we ask for courage," he

A 10-second moment of silence followed his opening remarks, and then hopes attendees took home with them the Tech Men's Chorus sang "Amazing

As the verses resonated through the service, heads lowered and consoling arms embraced mourning loved ones.

Nathan Nash, Tech Student Government Association president, said the song was appropriate for the setting.

"I believe it is grace that brings us always there."

Nash then read the names of each

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Nicole Turner, a junior general studies without them. major who enjoyed the Japanese culture which the two traded quotes from the and wanted to become an international

Turner's mother, father and grandmother were in attendance and dabbing tears as they expressed gratitude to the event's organizers.

"We're very grateful to Texas Tech University and staff for extending this ceremony," said Larry Turner, Jennifer Turner's father.

Joy Van Keuren, Jennifer Turner's grandmother, said the Aug. 18, 2004, car accident that killed Jennifer Turner was especially harrowing for the family. graduate student from Quito, Ecua-Jennifer Turner's sister and her sister's However, one of Kelsey Kidd's husband, Sabrina and Adam Coffman, both died in the collision.

> Turner, said the memory of her two daughters and son-in-law never will

"You don't want to let the memory to get the word out, but I don't know of your loved ones be forgotten," she

> Whitmore echoed those sentiments ates Tech's hosting the memorial each year — something not done at other

"It's a wonderful event," he said. "It car accident. "We ask for healing, we ask for helps bring closure and respect to an individual who was part of the Tech community."

Whitmore said the message he was that their loved one is "forever a student, died Sept. 28, 2004, of Red Raider."

Nash took it one step further.

that they're more than just Red Raiders," he said. "They're family."

Also honored at the ceremony were four faculty members and 10 Tech staff members. The numbers included through everything," he said. "Grace is members of the El Paso, Midland and Amarillo campuses.

Gene Wilde, last year's president of student who died in the past year, adding the faculty senate, read the names of

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some interesting facts about each one. the four faculty members and took He told the audience about Jennifer the opportunity to talk about life

> "We can teach their courses and pick up their day-to-day responsibilities," he said, "but we cannot replace these persons. We cannot replace friends, mentors and colleagues."

Fourteen students died in the past year and were honored the

 Joshua Luke Carrell, a senior psychology major, committed suicide Oct. 4, 2004.

— Charles Christopher Chilcoat, a sophomore public relations major, died of a drug overdose July 12.

- Rene Marcelo Fonseca, a dor, died saving his brother's life in Ecuador Aug. 22, 2004.

— Kedric Cofax Hobbs, a sopho-Jennifer Turner's mother, Alesia more, died Feb. 7 when he was hit by a car while riding his bicycle.

> - Cody J. Hughes, a junior in the college of arts and sciences, died April 17 when he was hit riding his motorcycle.

> - John Gordon Jenkinson, an incoming freshman, died Aug. 22, 2004, in a car accident while driving to Lubbock.

- Kelsey Lauren Kidd, a senior journalism major, died June 18 in a

— Cleveland Kirkland

- Lewis William Lightfoot, a freshman environmental engineering major, committed suicide Jan. 19.

— Jo Beth Shelley, a graduate natural causes.

- Jennifer Nicole Turner, a "(This ceremony) is telling them junior general studies major, died in a car accident Aug. 18, 2004.

— Justin (Jud) Thorne, an undergraduate chemistry major, died July 29 from internal bleeding. - Dell Wayne Watson Jr., a

sophomore business major, died Nov. 19 in a car accident. — Brian Douglas Willis, a senior

business major, died April 9 in a fourwheeler accident. After the recitation of names,

Whitmore gave a closing statement. Then the crowd sang the Matador Song and a dinner was held in the Student Union for the families of the dead.

"Today we celebrate the contributions of these Red Raiders to the life of Texas Tech University," Whitmore said. "Today, we add their names to the list of people who have touched this university in the past 82 years."

Charter

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sarily called to Tech to check up on the fraternity because of a specific incident, Rowson said.

"There's an ongoing presence at chapters across the country," he said.

The National Administrative Office of Kappa Alpha Order has a strict policy against hazing, Rowson said. The point of inducting men into the fraternity is to welcome them in as brothers, not to subject to anything they would be uncomfortable doing in front of their parents or professors.

"In short, hazing is strictly prohibited," he said. "There's really not gray area there."

Sometimes though, it is difficult to get the anti-hazing message across to undergraduates, Rowson

"Unfortunately, the message doesn't always get taken to heart," he said.

Tech also has a policy prohibiting any type of hazing, whether it pertains to fraternities, sororities or other social organizations, Gunn said. This policy can be found in the Code of Student Conduct in the Student Handbook.

Hazing is defined in the Tech Student Handbook as "any intentional, knowing or reckless act directed against a student occurring on or off campus by one person alone or acting with others that endangers the mental or physical health or safety of a student for the purpose of pledging or being initiated into, affiliating with or holding office in . . . any organization whose members are or include students," and is strictly prohibited.

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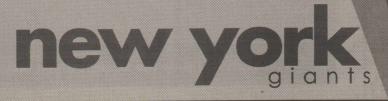
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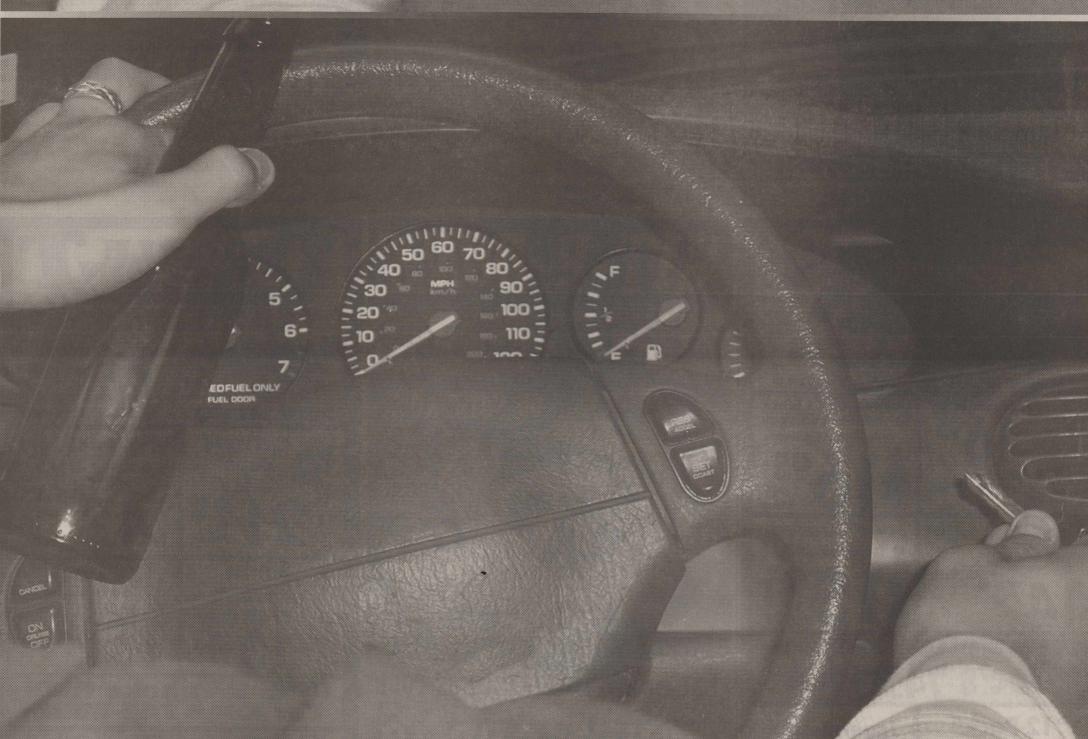






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"I value my relationship with Texas Tech and my education I got from Texas Tech." - David Kneupper, Music Producer

Tech graduates returning to perform

By ANNE GEPFORD SENIOR STAFF WRITER

Years ago, two Texas Tech what it took to make it big.

Now, they know the answer. Kneupper will both return to Lubbock for a concert tonight.

Gaschen, who performs in Andrew Lloyd Webber's "Phantom of the Opera" on Broadway, graduated from Tech in August 1993. After graduating, he moved you hear that," Gaschen said. to Chicago.

there to start auditioning."

After Chicago, Gaschen moved ning show. to Basel, Switzerland, after being of the Opera." He and his wife a star-studded evening." moved after they got married, and in Hamburg, Germany.

"We were doing stuff that their 25th wedding anniversary,"

Gaschen was offered a job on

cal theater."

Gaschen said about 1,200 acat any given time, which accounts for about 2 percent of the Actors' Equity Association, the union of sound designer for themed enter-American theatrical actors and stage managers.

"It was a nice stepping stone, I been on Broadway for almost in Japan. thought, in between Lubbock and 18 years, and Gaschen said the New York City," he said. "I went musical is expected to break the about Kneupper. "He's one of the 'Cats" record for the longest run-

"I'm lucky. It's going to be a offered a job there in "Phantom fun party," Gaschen said. "It'll be blast doing this."

spent two years in Switzerland be- ning will be in New York, Gaschen business anymore, but he has been involved. fore Gaschen was asked to perform said he is just as excited for his doing work with the Abraham Lubbock concert.

According to a press release

After two years in Germany, produced by Kneupper.

"This guy's got a fantastic ing success." voice," Kneupper said. "David is "It's living a dream, I tell you," an amazing singer — one of the ferent life experiences since leavgraduates wondered if they had he said. "It's the best role in musi- strongest singers to come out of the department."

Kneupper said the first time he David Gaschen and David tors are performing on Broadway heard Gaschen sing was at Texas Te Tech's 75th anniversary gala.

> tainment and feature films. He said he left Lubbock for Florida "You count your blessings when and composed music for about four attractions in Florida, two "Phantom of the Opera" has in Hollywood, Calif., and two

"He is brilliant," Gaschen said most brilliant musicians — arrangers and composers — I've ever known. We've had an absolute be that type of 'homeboy comes

Kneupper said the theme park While that star-studded eve- business is not a high-growth be an amazing experience for all Lincoln Presidential Library.

his new self-titled CD, which was is incredible. I've never seen them.'

By JEREMY REYNOLDS

STAFF WRITER

football coach Mike Leach always

anything like it. It's been a roar-

While both men have had difing Lubbock, both said they value their education from Tech.

"I value my relationship with got from Texas Tech," Kneupper Kneupper is an award-winning said. "I use it every day; I maintain excellent ties to Lubbock."

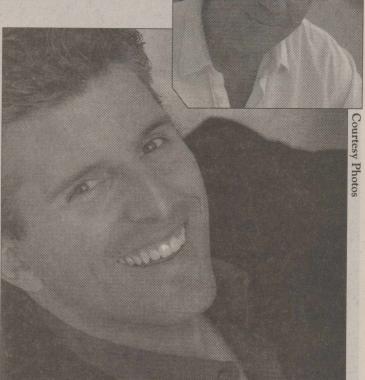
> Kneupper said the interdisciplinary courses offered in the Tech programs helped to prepare him for his life after graduation.

> Gaschen said he is extremely excited to return to Lubbock and his old stomping ground.

"It's really going to be one of the highlights of what I've done in my career," Gaschen said. "It'll home."

Kneupper said the concert will

and attend this concert," Kneup-"The presidential libraries per said. "Lubbock has produced people didn't usually do until from the Lubbock Symphony have been very successful," Kne- an inordinate amount of talent, Orchestra, Gaschen will release upper said. "The Lincoln museum and David's certainly one of



DAVID GASCHEN, A former Texas Tech student and now Broadway actor, is returning to Lubbock for a performance alongside David "I really urge students to try Kneupper, another Tech graduate, at 7:30 p.m. today at the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium.

> The concert begins at 7:30 bocksymphony.com. For more purchased online at www.lub- 762-1688.

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celebrations. Earlier in life, the 5-0 coach found himself at the center of attention during the festivities. it was Ted Bullock, an unknown

have voted for," Leach said.

Thinking back on his days of win and off we went." almost-homecoming glory, Leach

for the crown.

"I was shocked I was even nomi-Homecoming for Texas Tech nated," Leach said. In school, where the homecom-

wasn't about football, bonfires and ing race has been described as a popularity contest, Leach said he believed dif-"I was nominated for homecom- ferent groups within ing king," Leach said. "No, I didn't the school were the win, but I didn't campaign for it ones who nominated the

candidates. He said he With a confused look on his face, cannot remember which Leach said he couldn't remember group or individual person who beat him out for that elusive was the source of his nomititle of 'the King,' but he suspects nation.

"I know Mrs. Webster had something to do with "He's probably the guy I would it," Leach said. "I got nominated and win the football game, it's really not weekend for its Homecoming game

then just cruised along, and didn't a happy Homecoming."

thing about the way he campaigned Raider players try to remember all of recall his most favorite tradition. the fun they've had in the past.

Leach, football team share all about Homecoming

"I really don't know," fifth-year se- really enjoyed that bonfire they had nior quarterback Cody Hodges said. out there Friday," he said. "I haven't really gotten much into

past four years." The events, he

doesn't win.

team, we're trying to congoing to be a lot of outside stuff in the community, and

that's great, but if we don't

"I know when I was redshirted, I

But playing for the Raiders now,

Homecoming my Naziruddin said that is only a distant "Now that I can't go to that,

said, are fun, but Homecoming is really just a football what is Homecom- game," he said. "You know, coach ing if the team Leach doesn't want us to get all involved with those activities. No "Really as a football distractions is his model."

Whether the parade is cancelled centrate on the game," he or not, the Tech players will not be said. "Obviously there's concerned with floats, fires or fun associated with Homecoming. The Raiders just want to win.

Tech takes on Kansas State this at 11 a.m. in Jones SBC Stadium. Other than being on the field dur- Last year on Homecoming, Tech But once again the tradition overing Homecoming, senior cornerback embarrassed the Nebraska Cornhusk-

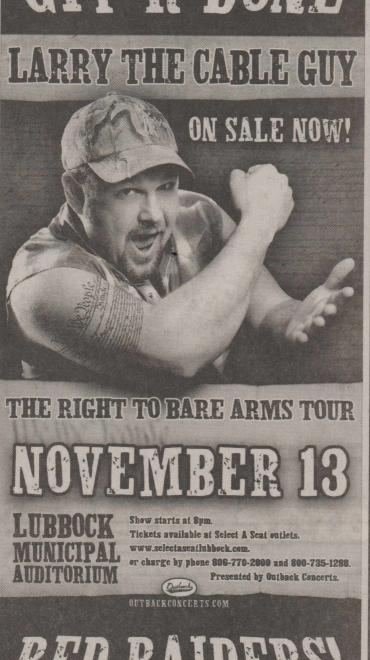


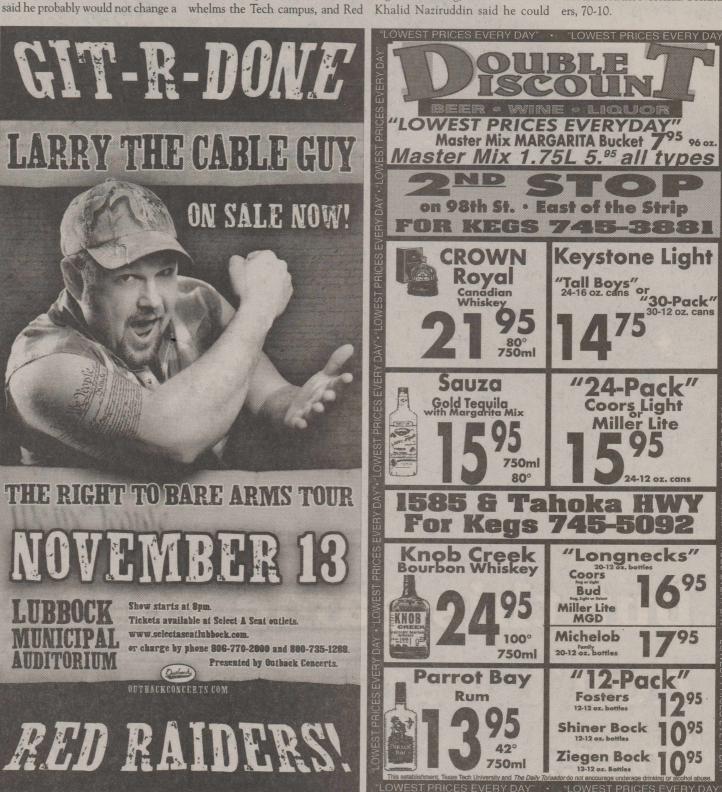
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TV: ABC, Cox Channel 8 Line: Texas Tech by 15 Last meeting: Texas Tech 35, Kansas State 25; Oct. 30, 2004 Series History: Tech leads 5-3

PLAYERS TO WATCH

TEXAS TECH



TAUREAN HENDERSON SENIOR RUNNING BACK

Henderson is one reception away from breaking the NCAA record for receptions by a running back set by Long Beach State's Mark Templeton with 262. Henderson is averaging nearly 8 yards a carry on 50 attempts this season.

KANSAS STATE



ALLAN EVRIDGE REDSHIRT FRESHMAN QUARTERBACK

K-State has proven it can play defense, ranking 13th in the nation against the pass, but the Wildcats have yet to face an offense as capable as the Raiders. For K-State to stay with Tech on the scoreboard, the redshirt freshman Evridge will have to turn in a solid outing

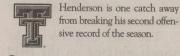
THE MATCHUP

QUARTERBACKS



Hodges averages 363 passing yards per game which more than triples Allan Evridge's

RUNNING BACKS



from breaking his second offensive record of the season.



Each week Tech has had a different reciever step up with stand out. Last week was Joel Filani, who's up next?

OFFENSIVE LINE The Wildcats average more rush-



ing yards per game, have given up one less sack and committed fewer penalties.

DEFENSIVE LINE Tech has outsacked the K-State



D-line and has allowed two fewer touchdowns on the ground.

K-States Brandon Archer stats



match up with the top backers in the conference. Injuries have hurt the Raider group.

SECONDARY



Dwayne Slay has emerged as a threat to any opposing ball carrier His play alone give the Raiders

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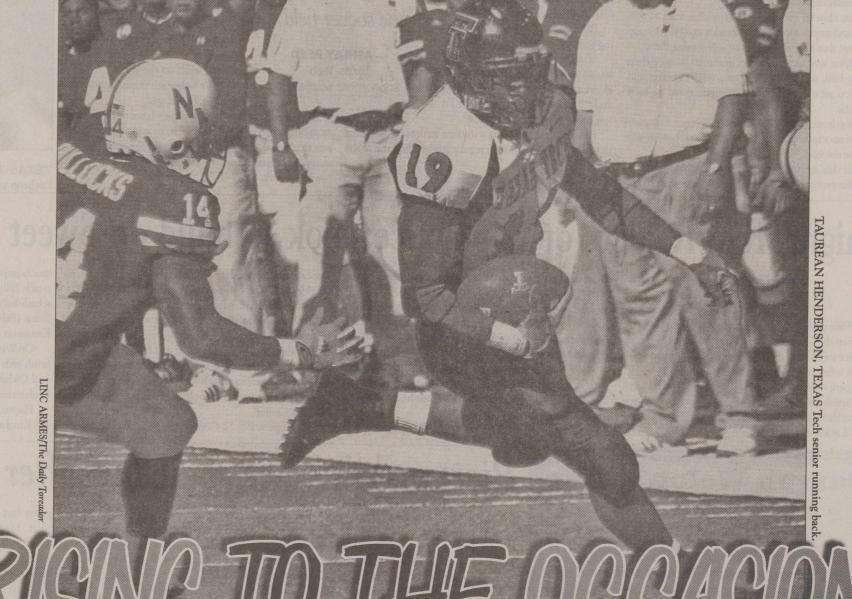












Raiders' breakfast to include large helping of Wildcat as they prepare for 11a.m. kickoff

toughest challenge of the season.

No, it's not the Kansas State defense. It goes

much further than that. "My class schedule isn't very hard; I have class

on Monday nights," he said.

The Texas Tech fifth-year senior quarterback

wasn't referring to exams or quizzes either.

up and trying to get in that mindset.' With ABC picking up the Red Raiders' Home-

11 a.m. timeslot, Hodges and his team now has to rise to the occasion —literally, earlier than ever.

It's something new to Tech coach Mike Leach as well this season. Walking into Monday's press conference, coffee in hand, Leach looked as though he had just woken up. It already was noon.

"No...no I'm not," Leach said when asked if he was a so-called morning person.

Having to get up around 7 a.m. Saturday to prepare for this week's matchup, Leach said nothing didn't have many plays." will change, except for the obvious.

"The routine won't change, the times will change," he said. "Obviously, we'll get up significantly earlier. It's not going to change a ton

plagued with slow starts in these early games. This year should be different.

"Last year, the TCU game was pretty early, and grips, the senior came up big for the Raiders — and "He needs to be well rested for practice."

we came out pretty sluggish," he said. Last week now, Henderson will come up big for himself. against Nebraska, the Raiders took a 21-0 lead to "Whether he's catching or running the ball out of drive to get it going.

Hodges said no matter what time the game starts, begins the game against K-State.

"Sleeping until 10 or 11 a.m., I can't do that this pass, made like three people miss then got in the shy away from this game. week," Hodges said. "I started (Monday) by getting endzone," he said. "Just as a team, we need to come out ready to start out fast."

Catching six passes for 51 yards against the Corncoming game against the Wildcats Saturday for the huskers in Lincoln, Neb., Henderson tied former the NCAA with 262.

Henderson didn't even get a look his way during the second half, and Leach said he'll be sure to get him the ball as long as he's wide awake.

"After the fact, I think he should have got the ball more," he said. "It goes back to play calling, usual team meal, which are eggs, before the game. and it also goes back to the third quarter where we

There were many factors that went into Henderson only getting three rushes during the second half as well, Leach said.

"Part of it is we had short field, part of it is we didn't convert third downs," he said. "The more In the past, Hodges said the team has been plays, the more likelihood he would have got the beat up," he said.

Hodges said when Henderson had the ball in his

Cody Hodges has been preparing all week for his start the game — that game started at 3:00 p.m. the backfield, he's a pretty big threat," he said. "Like Senior running back Taurean Henderson notched you said, he's got a chance to break the record. Obvia 23-yard touchdown reception on Tech's opening ously, he's going to do that, and that's just a testament to his success over the last four years.'

Records or not, Leach said Tech (5-0, 2-0 Big 12) has that play should be a direct reflection of how Tech to focus on K-State (4-1, 1-1) rather than numbers or other teams. With the game against No. 2 Texas next "Taurean, you know, caught that first touchdown week, Hodges said the Raiders can't show up late or

"Coach Leach preaches one game a week," he said. "If we don't take care of business this week, next week doesn't even matter."

Leaving thoughts and dreams of playing Texas out of Long Beach State running back Mark Templeton's their minds tonight, senior cornerback Khalid Nazirudrecord for most career receptions by a tailback in din said the Raiders have to get ready for K-State earlier than usual — and the morning will not cut it.

'We'll have to get prepared mentally like the night before, because we won't have time in the morning," he said. "We eat breakfast, and then we're out of there." Naziruddin, however, said he will not be eating the

"Really in the morning, my stomach's in knots, so

I don't eat anything like that," he said. "I eat as much as I can to get by, give me a lot of energy." After using all of his energy Saturday against the

Wildcats, Hodges said he will go back to his normal routine beginning Monday. "It's like my one day to sleep in, just because I'm so

And Leach doesn't have a problem with it.

"No, I generally, I'd encourage that usually," he said.

Searching for the perfect game a lot like searching for a date — kind of

was flipping through a newspaper this week and I came across something that in all honesty I've never really read through - the personal

Go ahead, laugh at the lonely sports writer that has to fill his weekends by playing eenie, meanie, miney moe in the personals. Not really, but I'll never live this one down. I came across an ad that said 'Random female, not afraid to be blunt. Must enjoy skating, people-watching and the Beatles. Australian accent a plus.' Yeah, I wrote the number down. Who wouldn't? Sure the date may get a little crazy, but there's no way she'll lose my

attention. It's kind of funny how Saturdays in the fall workout the same way. This week is no exception considering we could see a 27-game winning streak



come to an end, another loss in The Horseshoe and a former perennial powerhouse come even closer to its return to glory.

But if you see someone roller blading through memorial circle, singing the 'na, na, na' part of Hey Jude, and referring to people as trip. 'mate' — be happy for me. Sports writers need lovin' too.

No. 15 Ohio State (3-2) vs. No. 16 Michigan State (4-1)

The Buckeyes certainly didn't plan on having two loses entering their sixth game of the season, but deal with it. Another loss and was looking pretty good for the Texas and Colorado. Well because shipman@ttu.edu.

defense something's got to give.

State 28

No. 1 USC (5-0) at No. 9 Notre Dame (4-1)

A couple weeks ago I thought Michigan I'd get cute and pick Arizona

Ohio Sate can forget about an ap- Sun Devils, but that's why they don't look now, but the Nittany pearance in the Big 10 title game play two. Notre Dame's No. 9 Lions have forced their way into and probably the BCS. Michigan ranking is probably a little high, the BCS picture. Watching their State can't be happy after losing but Charlie Weis has done an inspired performance over Ohio a 34-31 thriller to in-state rival excellent job of regaining the pro- State last weekend, Joe Paterno Michigan two weeks ago. Also if grams credibility. But have they has made me a believer in his 40th you scan the list of the nation's improved enough to take down team at the university that's off to top offenses, you wouldn't expect a battle-tested Trojan team that its best start since 1999. Michigan to see the Spartans averaging arguably has three, count them, is reeling and is looking to avoid 575 yards a contest — good for three Heisman trophy candidates? falling to 3-4 for the first time No. 2 in the country. With the Odds are probably not. The Irish since 1967, but they're still talent-Buckeye's ranking fourth in total will put points on the board and ed and won't want to get embar-Michigan State is 2-0 away from they can handle, but just as it has The Nittany Lions are looking for Lansing this year, but playing in against Oregon, Arizona State a return to prominence, and the Columbus isn't your average road and Arizona, in the end USC will Wolverines are trying to salvage Ohio State 30, Michigan they've lost only once in their last to budge. It'll be entertaining, 40 games...

USC 48, Notre Dame 31

No. 8 Penn State (6-0) at

give the nations No. 1 team all rassed in front of a home crowd. once again show everyone why their season - neither will want but Michigan can forget about what could have been, and start thinking 'next year.'.

Penn State 20, Michigan 17

I know, I know, why preview **Shipman** is a junior public State to slip past an unsuspecting this game instead of something relations major from Bellville. Eit happened - now they have to USC squad. In the first half it like LSU and Florida, or even mail him your comments at trey.

Balancing act: Managing athletics, classes is tough task

I walk into class,

and I'm wearing

sweats and a T-shirt

give me these looks.

I just wish they knew

the soccer field.

- ASHLEY REED

Texas Tech

Sophomore Midfielder

STAFF WRITER

Lauren Lothrop goes to school one day a week. No, she is not attending college on the Van Wilder plan — she is to make up for the days I missed," a student-athlete, and traveling for games does not leave Lothrop said. her time to attend class more than that.

Texas Tech soccer player Lothrop said a successful student-athlete is one who can balance school and sports Some will go as far as e-mailing her and succeed in both. Currently, she is balancing a 1-11 soccer team with a 15-hour schedule.

Practice begins at 7:30 a.m. for the soccer team and what the assignment is for the next lasts two hours. Lothrop arrives for practice a little early to prepare herself mentally.

"On Tuesdays and Thursdays, I always eat a light breakfast," Lothrop said. "But we do so much running anyway that it usually comes up."

She has class on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and spends Monday, Wednesday and Friday studying, at least that's how she plans to spend those days.

"Studying was a lot easier as a freshman because there was study hall, and they made you study," Lothrop said. sweats and a T-shirt and these girls "When you get older and live off campus, there are more in skirts give me these looks," Reed

Lothrop is an early childhood development major and just come from the soccer field." said she wants to become a fourth-grade teacher because of the one she had.

"I had this amazing fourth-grade teacher," Lothrop work that is involved. said. ""She pretty much helped me discover myself, you

man semesters, she said.

"I have to do double the work

Most of Lothrop's teachers have understood her situation, she said. the notes on what she missed that day. The hardest part for her is knowing and these girls in skirts day, because, she said, the syllabus will say one thing, but the professors typically say something else.

Another soccer player who is team is sophomore Ashley Reed.

Reed said it could become frustrating going from practices to school.

"I walk into class, and I'm wearing said. "I just wish they knew that I'd

that is harder than being a regular student because of the

"People don't know how much running we have to her homework.

do," Reed said. "I call home and tell my mom what we This year has been harder for Lothrop than her fresh- did that day, and she's like 'oh my gosh.' But it's common

for me.

All the classes the soccer team misses have to be made up on their own time, Reed said.

"Freshmen year, we had to go to the academic center for study hall, and I thought I'd never go back after that, but I go all the time now to get help with stuff," Reed said.

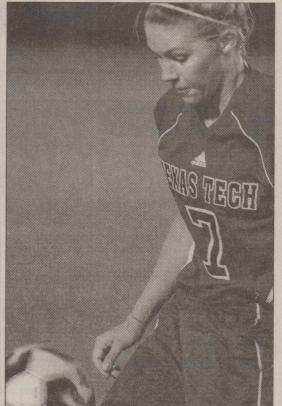
As a freshman, and even some this year, Reed said she has had thoughts that everything she does gets too overwhelming at times.

Another soccer player who is balancing school and her job on the that I'd just come from where I've thought about quitting the "I've never gotten to the point team," Reed said.

> To balance school and soccer, Reed said she and many of the other players on the team would try to read a book while on the bus.

"We help each other out a lot on the bus," Reed said.

Both Reed and Lothrop said they have to go to sleep Reed said she felt being a student-athlete is something at midnight every night to be able to stay awake for the practice in the morning, but Reed said she stays up later at times because it usually takes that long to finish all of



STEVE LEWIS/ The Daily Toreado TEXAS TECH SOPHOMORE midfielder Lauren Lothrop warms up before a game this season.

Knight, Red Raiders open practice; look to build on Sweet 16 appearance

By MATT MUENCH SENIOR SPORTS WRITER

for practice for the first time this season at the United Spirit Arena. It is free to Tech students with a valid ID.

One perk — if students choose to attend — The General will speak 15 minutes before the first practice whistle

that saw Tech reach the Sweet 16 and become runner up of the Big 12 Conference Tournament.

Last season, the Raiders had to deal with the loss of The fifth year of the Bob Knight era begins at 7 p.m all-time leading scorer Andre Emmett. This season, Tech today when the Texas Tech men's basketball team suits up faces two voids to fill with the departures of guard Ronald Ross and center Devonne Giles.

> Most likely to step into the spotlight as leaders is guard Jarrius Jackson, arguably the best point guard in the Big 12, and forward Martin Zeno, who some have compared

The Raiders open the season against the Spartans of San

Jose State in Game 2 of the first round of the 2K Sports Col-much-improved Texas A&M squad under second-year lege Hoops Classic benefiting Coaches vs. Cancer. Tip off is coach Billy Gillespie. Tech has three Big Monday games scheduled for 7 p.m. Nov. 10 at the United Spirit Arena.

Tech's non-conference schedule is much like the previous four under Knight, as he continues to try and build area rivalries against UTEP, TCU and New Mexico State. Maybe the biggest game on Tech's nonconference slate finish fifth in the league behind Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas is against former Southwest Conference foe Arkansas on and Oklahoma State. The Cowboys are the defending Dec. 21. That game will tip off in Dallas at the American conference champions. Airlines Center.

scheduled on ESPN this season. Two are at home against Texas (Feb. 6) and Oklahoma (Feb. 20). The other is at Kansas on Jan. 30.

On Wednesday the Big 12 coaches picked the Raiders to

Players were not available for comment and Tech coach Tech opens Big 12 Conference play Jan. 7 against a Pat Knight did not return phone calls as of deadline.

blows and the first 100 to arrive will receive free T-shirts. The Raiders enter this season after a 2004-05 season Tonight 10pm - 2am at the Spoon Skratch Saturday Night IOpm - 2am at the Spoon Enjoy happy hour all day every day! CADE & BAR \$1 Drafts & \$1 Wells Friday and Saturday Night - ALL NIGHT LONG **\$5 Cherry Bomb Pitchers** Saturday Night Homecoming Special - ALL NIGHT LONG Try our new hotwings and come watch the game!

Pierzynski's voice mail full after disputed play

(AP)— A.J. Pierzynski's voice hours after the Chicago catcher the ninth inning of Wednesday's Kelvim Escobar. 2-1 victory by the White Sox.

messages, too.

The first one was most amusing - a text from buddy Doug Mientkiewicz, a longtime teammate of Pierzynski's in Minnesota. locker as soon as he saw it.

It read: "Headlines - contropunch out of your career."

Pierzynski, who has become double to left. known around the league as an agitator and was even called a clubhouse "cancer" by a San on him. Francisco pitcher last year, said he received "a million" messages and was trying to return as many

Saturday

The ball was gloved by catcher important going on than this." He received his share of text Josh Paul -- replays appeared to show he caught it cleanly just praise for his heads-up play. before it would have hit the dirt umpire Doug Eddings clearly Greg Walker said. Pierzynski was laughing by his raised his right arm and closed his fist, signaling strike three.

versial Pierzynski play on ESPN!! to the dugout, Pierzynski ran game against the Red Sox at SBC Even when you strike out you toward first and was allowed to Park. cause problems!! UNCLE - best stay. Moments later, Joe Crede

why all the attention focused

Pierzynski appeared to strike anything in that game last night.

But Pierzynski was earning throw to first.

and he tossed it back toward waited 'til he flipped the ball

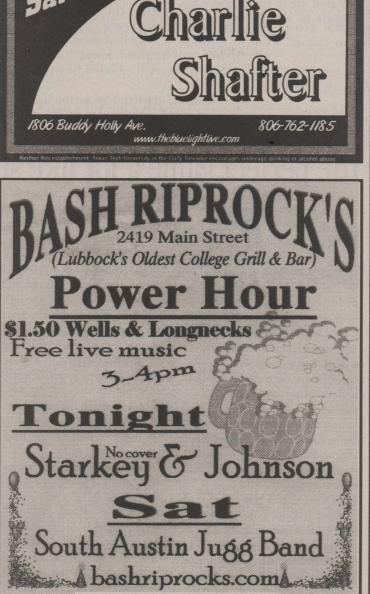
Pierzynski was puzzled as to over, but missed on the third strike and walked toward the "That's what I did. ... I didn't do first to reach on the passed ball. base lines.

mailbox filled up quickly in the out to end the ninth inning I don't understand it. Heck, ev- the mound to talk about the Wednesday night, missing on a erywhere I turn on the TV, it's cross-up with Jason Schmidt, reached base in wild fashion in low pitch from Angels reliever all everyone wants to talk about. who figured there must be some There's got to be something more rule he didn't know about that kept Pierzynski from needing to

> "That was a bonehead play by "It was almost brilliant he me," Pierzynski said at the time. lanin Thursday, Los Angeles the mound. Behind him, plate back," White Sox hitting coach players weren't around to talk about how Game 2 ended, getting Pierzynski was on the other the day off to recover from three side of such a play last season long flights. The Angels returned After turning briefly to head with the Giants in an interleague from New York early Monday before beating the Yankees in Game 5 of the ALDS, then im-After Kevin Youkilis' sixth- mediately left for Chicago for drove in the winning run with a inning double, pitcher Bronson Tuesday's Game 1, then it was Arroyo tried to bunt the runner back to Southern California after Wednesday's game.

> The only members of the dugout. But Pierzynski, crossed up Angels working on the field "Just run, that's what you're on the play, dropped the ball and were paint crews, still putting taught," Pierzynski said Thursday someone in the Boston dugout the final touches on the ALCS before the White Sox worked out. alerted Arroyo, who scampered to logos along the first- and third-







Baseball

n spite of being a portly plumber, Mario has managed to have an Lextremely active lifestyle: rescuing princesses, racing in karts and even having time to play sports with his pals.

"Mario Superstar Baseball," the latest Mario-themed sports title from Nintendo for the GameCube, is pretty much what you would expect from a Mario baseball game — which is a good thing for the most part. Just like the Mario Kart series has offered a less-technical and more-lighthearted racing experience than traditional racing games, the Mario sports games have simplified their respective forms and allowed even non-sports fans to enjoy these titles. The lack of complex pitching or batting mechanics, or intensive team management allows the game to be more accessible to fans of all genres, and it adds some fun twists action on the diamond.

While not having much to offer story-wise (as is common with sports titles), the game at least attempts to explain why Mario's friends and enemies have stopped fighting, and picked up bats and gloves. Apparently, Bowser has stopped kidnapping people Donkey Kong and Peach to a baseball team members. tournament. In order to play against

rated:

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to determine which team has what it takes to face the Koopa King.

The one-player Challenge mode follows the story of the game, and after captains available at the beginning all

Among captains, Mario has equal direction of the ball as it flies toward

throw custom curveballs.

strengths in batting, running, etc., while Donkey Kong has almost excluto hit the ball to send it flying. sively batting and pitching powers.

you can only go up against Bowser's or get out if left alone. team after defeating all of the other

a star pitch. The ability to change the knowing it.

the batter is great, allowing you to

Lining up the batter with the ball when batting can take some practice, and a more powerful hit will often rectly. After playing the game for a designed after each character's respecwhile, you'll be able to gauge where tive gaming universe. The stadiums

The fielding and running me-You begin the game in an over- chanics fail miserably though. Your world that looks kind of like a free- outfielders and base runners are roaming "Mario Party" board. From computer controlled to an extent, this screen, you can run around to and will almost play by themselves if the other teams' stadiums to chal- the player doesn't touch any buttons. lenge them or play some of the various Unfortunately, they have horrible mini-games scattered on the map, but judgment, and will often miss catches

There is a way to control each base runner, but it's so unintuitive you will There are really only a few dif- probably end up controlling them as ferent ways to bat and pitch, but a group. I also can guarantee you will these are the best executed and most throw the ball to the wrong base at to spice up the sometimes-repetitive Bowser, the teams must first slug it out enjoyable parts of the game. You least a few times per game because of can either bunt or do three types of the poor fielding controls. The camera ceeds overall in providing some solid mail comments and questions to swings: normal hits, charge hits or causes some additional outfielding arcade-styled entertainment. Probably Carlos. Bergfeld@ttu.edu. star hits. The star hits are specific to trouble by switching your control to the team captains and sub-captains, a random "closest" character when choosing your team captain, you begin and allow you to turn the baseball the opposing team gets a hit. The your trek to Bowser's stadium. The five into things like fireballs or curving backracter it gives you control of will nanas. There are similarly few types of not always be the closest or fastest, have different skills and an assortment pitches in the game: a normal throw, a and you may actually be running and challenged Mario, Wario, Yoshi, of familiar Nintendo characters as charged throw, a change-up throw and away from the ball at first without

The game has some really nice

result in a pop fly if executed incorgraphics, and all of the stadiums are also have special characteristics that make them easier or more difficult to play in, like huge barrels rolling across the outfield in DK's stadium.

I'm not sure if the stadiums can justify why the game has so many loading and round out the somewhat standard to a close. video game music.

an annoyance at times, though it suc- video game expert-scholar. E-

1 – Digital feces

4 - Severely flawed

2 - Broken

3 - Painful

5 – Bearable

screens before the action starts, though more fun with a friend than against the screens do somewhat atone for the computer, "Mario Superstar their existence with nostalgia-induc- Baseball" can bridge the gap between ing graphics from the original "Super" non-sports fans and enthusiasts. For Mario Bros." Some tunes based on the the fans, they'll have something to classic Mario themes also come up, play well after the World Series comes

A few flaws can make this game Bergfeld is The DT's senior

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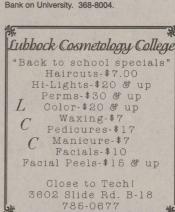
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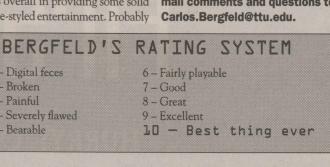


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