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### **Prosecutor: Ex-TSU** employee misused funds

HOUSTON (AP) - Texas Southern University's former chief financial officer was a "partner in crime" with the school's ex-president in a scheme that used hundreds of thousands of dollars of public funds to lavishly furnish and landscape the ousted leader's home, prosecutors said Tuesday.

Quintin Wiggins is accused of misspending more than \$200,000 to purchase furniture, landscaping and a high-tech home security system for former president Priscilla Slade. His trial began Tuesday and is expected to last up to a month.

### NATION

### Panel subpoenas **Gonzales for documents**

WASHINGTON (AP) - Democrats subpoenaed Attorney General Alberto Gonzales on Tuesday for more documents, escalating their fight with the Bush administration over the firings of eight U.S. attorneys. The subpoena, issued a week before Gonzales is to testify under

# **Bush invites Dems for meeting on war**

### **By DEB RIECHMANN** Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Bush offered to talk with Democrats about the standoff over war funding, but he made it clear Tuesday he will not embrace any timetable for a U.S. troop withdrawal. Democrats said there was no point in talking if Bush refused to negotiate.

"We can discuss the way forward

on a bill that is a clean bill — a bill don't send him a bill he will sign their loved ones headed back to without any preconditions," they that funds our troops without artificial timetables for withdrawal, and without handcuffing our generals on the ground," Bush said in a speech to an American Legion audience in nearby Fairfax, Va.

On the one hand, Bush extended an offer to meet with lawmakers Tuesday. On the other, the White House bluntly said it would not be a negotiating session.

- one that does not include timetables or money for pet projects in their home districts — it would be Congress, not the White House, that will have to answer to troops.

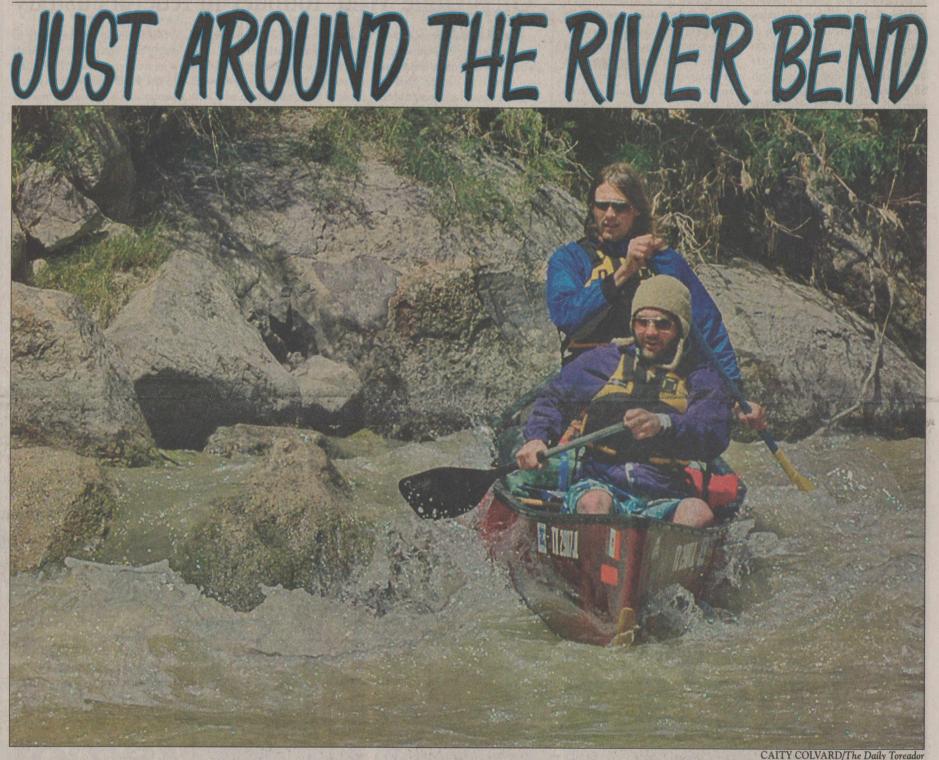
"The bottom line is this: Congress' failure to fund our troops will mean that some of our military families could wait longer for their loved ones to return from the front lines," Bush said at American Le-The president said if lawmakers gion Post 177. "Others could see war sooner than anticipated. This is unacceptable."

Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid and House Speaker Nancy Pelosi rejected the terms set by the White House.

"Congressional Democrats are willing to meet with the president at any time, but we believe that any discussion of an issue as critical as Iraq must be accomplished by conducting serious negotiations. said in a joint statement.

"With his threat to veto such a plan for change in Iraq, President Bush is ignoring the clear message of the American people: We must protect our troops, hold the Iraqi government accountable, rebuild our military, provide for our veterans and bring our troops home. The president is demanding that

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oath before Congress about the dismissals, seeks hundreds of documents either withheld or heavily blacked out by his department. The subpoena sets a Monday deadline for Gonzales to produce the documents.

### WORLD

### U.S. forces battle gunmen in Baghdad

BAGHDAD (AP) - A raging, daylong battle erupted in central Baghdad on Tuesday and four Iraqi soldiers were killed, 16 U.S. soldiers were wounded and a U.S. helicopter was hit by ground fire at the close of the second month of the massive security crackdown on the capital. Sixty miles to the north, in the mostly Sunni city of Muqdadiyah, a woman with a suicide vest strapped beneath her black Muslim robe blew herself up in the midst of 200 Iraqi police recruits.







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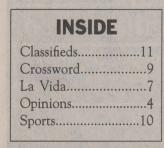
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### Thursday



OUTDOOR PURSUITS LEADERS Richard Carroll, a sophomore personal financial planning from San Antonio, and Clint Peters, a senior natural history and humanities major from Lubbock, steer their way around rapids on the Rio Grande during the Easter Canoeing trip in Big Bend National Park, Sunday afternoon.

# Former insurance provider responds to Lubbock lawsuit

**By NAOMI KASKELA** STAFF WRITER

In the lawsuit filed by the City of Lubbock against American Administrative Group, the city's former health insurance company, recent developments include a response filed by AAG, and a presentation by the auditor to the city's audit committee on Monday.

Robert Frcek, the founder and chief executive officer of Benefit Plan Audit Services, presented information concerning the audit of

AAG in a closed meeting, said Linda DeLeon, councilwoman for District 1.

Because of ongoing litigation, she said she could not comment on what Frcek said during the meeting.

However, she said information has still been withheld from Frcek by AAG.

"He finished all that he could with the information he has," DeLeon said.

Some of the things stated during the meeting were alarming, she said.

"I think it was in the best interest to the

citizens of this community to have this audit from the beginning of the audit by skewing done," she said. "I think we need to move forward and resolve this issue."

On March 27, AAG filed a response to the lawsuit and audit.

According to court documents, AAG claimed "Lubbock is demanding ... documents to which it has no right, information to which it has not right, and money which it did not pay, and is not owed." AAG also claimed in the documents that Benefit Plan Audit Services targeted AAG

samples.

AAG claimed the business agreed to provide access to "plan-related" information only, but not to any information beyond that.

According to the documents, Lubbock is requesting the Lubbock County Court order AAG to preserve information.

"Lubbock's Application is merely a guise to inflame, prejudice and try AAG in the

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# Female body found in East Lubbock

#### **By MICHELLE CASADY** MANAGING EDITOR

A body was found by a Lubbock resident Tuesday night a formal statement. sometime around 8 p.m. near east Municipal Drive and north Olive Street.

Lubbock police responded to the call at around 8:10 p.m., Assistant Police Chief Thomas Esparza said

"Right now we're treating this as a homicide case," he said.

Esparza said the only information being released about the body was that it was female. The age and race of the body are not being released until further investigation of the crime scene can be conducted.

The resident who made the call, Esparza said, is a man who is staying with relatives in a nearby mobile home park. The man was taken by officers to the police station to give

Esparza said the body was found off of the roadway in the area of a nearby cell tower. Though no one had, as of press time, conducted an up-close investigation of the body, Esparza said there were visible injuries to the female. Police said they would remain on the scene for the remainder of the night to conduct an in-depth investigation.

"Hopefully when the sun comes up, we'll know something," Esparza said, "and if we have a murder then hopefully we'll have someone in jail." ▶ michelle.casadv@ttu.edu

### ASU-Tech merger proposal goes to House committee By BEN MAKI STAFF WRITER

Members of the Texas State House of Representatives Committee on Higher Education listened to arguments both for and against moving Angelo State from the Texas State University System to the Texas Tech University System Tuesday.

Rep. Drew Darby, R-San Angelo, said he had 10 witnesses testify in favor of moving Angelo State to the Tech system.

"There was no testimony given today that would indicate this is bad for Angelo State or Texas Tech," he said. "I think it showed that this is a good move for the students of both institutions and for

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# Lubbock police battle trespassing, shoplifting

### **By PAUL ROBERTS** STAFF WRITER

### March 29

Lubbock police arrested two suspects for criminal trespassing after a police officer claimed he heard the suspects shooting airsoft simulated pistols on private property. According to reports, claimed an unknown suspect stole police found the suspects inside a the dog from the victim's front yard fenced area in the 6300 block of while the victim was briefly inside Brownfield Road. Police said both the residence. suspects were in possession of the pistols.

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Justice Center.

to a shoplifter. Police said the the residence. female suspect was caught attemptworth \$2, two pairs of sandals for cash. worth \$10 and a pair of capri pants >>>> paul.j.roberts@ttu.edu

worth \$10. When police arrived, they transported the suspect to the Lubbock Police Department Holding Facility.

### April 4

Lubbock police investigated a theft of a dog in the 1400 block of 78th Street. Police said the victim

Lubbock police investigated a terroristic threat to two victims at a residence in the 1700 block Lubbock police arrested a suspect of 44th Street. According to refor possession of marijuana while ports, a mother and her daughter at school in the 3300 block of were involved in an ongoing dis-Vicksburg Avenue. According to agreement with a suspect and his reports, the suspect was arrested mother. Police said the suspect after police discovered a green first called the victim and her leafy substance on the suspect. mother and informed them the Police transported the suspect suspect was going to blow up the to the Lubbock County Juvenile victim's house. According to reports, the victim's mother claimed Lubbock police were dispatched the suspect's mother told them to the Wal-Mart store in the 1900 that she was going to destroy the block of Fourth Street in reference victim's residence by shooting at

Lubbock police investigated a ing to steal a package of Jimmy theft of a victim's Microsoft Xbox Dean sausage biscuits, a carton of 360 video game console. Accordorange juice, one pair of Bermuda ing to reports, a man currently in pants worth \$10, three T-shirts jail allowed for the suspect to rent worth \$18, two wash cloths worth the game console. However, the \$8, a pair of women's underwear suspect pawned the game console

# Tech to take part in textile conference in India

way in advancements in the technology and research. textile industry.

will co-host the International Textiles, Machinery, Nonwo- nology and globalization. ven and Technical Textiles June 18 through June 20.

nizing secretary and assistant kumar said he hopes this year's professor with IEHH, said conference will have close to

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According to the confer-The Tech Institute of Envi- ence Web site, http://www. ronmental and Human Health, atnt2007.com, potential topin collaboration with the ics include advances in spin-Kumaraguru College of Tech- ning, weaving and knitting, nology in Coimbatore, India, medical and technical textiles, advances in natural and syn-Conference on Advances in thetic polymers, nano tech-

Previous conference attendance levels were around Seshadri Ramkumar, orga- 200 to 250 people, but Ram-Tech is becoming interna- 400 attendees. Combatore the conference is to provide international companies.

# **Bill barring HPV vaccine mandate** approved by Senate committee

health officials from following transmitted disease.

The bill was overwhelmingly approved by the Texas House last month and could be considered by the full Senate as early as next week.

Perry made national headlines in February when he issued an executive order directing state health officials to require 2008.

Merck & Co.'s Gardasil, the vaccine. only HPV vaccine on the market, most cases of cervical cancer and Hegar said. genital warts.

of his social conservative base,

the Bay County Jail in Panama

City, said Ruth Sasser, a spokes-

\$29 million a year from videos

breasts and in other sexually pro-

before federal Magistrate Larry A.

vocative situations.

a federal judge.

Press.

committee signed off on a bill and efficacy and said the mandate and other advocates for and on Tuesday that would bar state intrudes too far into families' lives. against the vaccine mandate.

The bill approved by the House Gov. Rick Perry's order requir- would permanently prohibit the great-grandmother from Abilene, ing schoolgirls to be vaccinated state from adding the HPV vaccine said she believes all girls and against a cancer-causing sexually to the list of shots required for school women between 9 and 26 should attendance. The Senate's version of be required to get the vaccine. the ban would expire in 2011 under Gardasil is approved for females the bill the committee approved in that age range Tuesday.

> lican who is sponsoring the bill in said she vividly remembers the the Senate, said he believes parents young women she helped treat for should be able to decide whether to cervical cancer. vaccinate the daughters.

the HPV vaccine for girls start- revisit the issue down the road, could strike someone you love," ing sixth grade as of September when they have more information McAdams told the committee. about the risks and benefits of the

protects girls and women against have that discussion and we as leg- about vaccinating her 11-year-old strains of the virus that cause islators try and make that decision,"

Perry's order outraged lawmak- who sponsored the bill in the House, problem, you cannot take it back," ers from both parties and much said he supports Hegar's change. Before the vote, lawmakers heard that worries me."

AUSTIN (AP) — A Senate who questioned the vaccine's safety testimony from parents, doctors

Nan McAdams, a 70-year-old

McAdams, who worked as a Sen. Glenn Hegar, a Katy Repub- radiation therapist for 14 years,

"Please help us stop these trag-But he said the Legislature should edies, for you never know when it

But Caroline Davis, of Round Rock, said she should have the "I think it's appropriate that we freedom to make her own decision daughter.

"If you administer this vaccine Republican Rep. Dennis Bonnen, to my daughter and then we find a she said. "It is in her system and

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San Angelo and Lubbock. This is only detrimental to Texas State."

Darby said the regents representing Texas State had some issues with the separation, but he believes their claims are invalid.

"They claim the existing tuition would need to be refinanced," he said. "That is just not right. The income stream is paid by the State of Texas already — the state is going to pay the bonds whether Angelo State is with Texas Tech or Texas State."

He said the regents claimed the move would create higher administrative costs per student in the Texas State system.

In a statement to The Daily Toreador, Texas State Chancellor Charles Matthews said he anticipates working with Angelo State in the future.

"Although the bill has been touted as simplistic and routine, in reality it is quite complex and has serious statewide policy implications for higher education in Texas," Matthews said. "By hearing from both sides on the issue, the legislature can now make an informed decision about what is in the best interests of the ASU students and the taxpayers of the State of Texas."

Darby said he is confident the bill soon will be put before the entire House for a vote.

Attempts to contact several regents of the Texas State system went unreturned, and Rep. Geanie Morrison, R-Victoria and chairperson of the Higher Education Committee, was not available for comment.

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### Democrats

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we renew his blank check for a war without end."

Jim Manley, a spokesman for Reid, said Bush must drop his conditions on the meeting before Reid would attend. Pelosi agreed.

"What the president invited us to do was come to his office so that we could accept without any discussion the bill that he wants," Pelosi said at a news conference in San Francisco. "That's not worthy of the concerns of the American people, and I join with Senator Reid in rejecting an invitation of that kind.'

Bush said the Defense Department will soon send Congress a request to transfer \$1.6 billion from other military accounts to cover funding for troops - a move needed, he said, because lawmakers have delayed his emergency spending request. He warned that continued delays would undermine troop training, slow the repair of equipment and force soldiers to serve longer tours of duty. Bush got an assist for his argument on Tuesday from Iraqi Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki, who said he saw no need to set a timetable for the withdrawal of U.S. troops. His comments in Japan came a day after tens of thousands of Iraqis took to the streets of two Shiite holy cities, demanding that U.S. forces leave the country. Meanwhile, House Armed Services Committee Chairman Ike Skelton wrote to Defense Secretary Robert Gates questioning whether additional National Guard units named Monday for possible deployment to Iraq will be properly trained and equipped before they leave.

#### PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — Richard Smoak, the judge who issued The founder of the "Girls Gone the contempt citation. He drew the contempt citation a monetary sanction. It is alien Wild" video empire was taken

'Girls Gone Wild' founder in federal custody

early Tuesday to face a contempt of brought by seven women who were person who is not willing to settle court citation after initially defying underage when they were filmed by a civil case that they should go to his company on Panama City Beach Joe Francis was booked into during spring break in 2003.

Lawyers for the women told Smoak that Francis became enraged woman for the sheriff's office. "His during the settlement talks, shoutattorneys continue to work toward ing obscenities at the lawyers and a settlement," Ronn Torossian, a threatening to "bury them." Smoak Francis spokesman, said in a state- ordered Francis to settle the case or airport and were tipped to Francis' ment e-mailed to The Associated go to jail for his behavior.

He appeared Tuesday afternoon gone wild."

The 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Bodiford, who ordered him held Appeals in Atlanta refused to let him would settle the case to avoid jail without bail. Torossian said Francis remain free pending an appeal. Jan would likely be held until at least Handzlik, Francis' Los Angeles-based Thursday, when he is scheduled to attorney, said the court is considering said, arguing that any money given appear before U.S. District Judge another appeal.

Negotiations continued with the Francis, 34, makes an estimated help of a mediator, but broke down would be flying in in the morning. Thursday, and Smoak issued a conof young women exposing their tempt of court warrant. Francis initially refused to surrender and called Smoak "a judge turn himself in, he was a day late

"If someone behaves badly in a civil case, you punish them with into custody by federal marshals during negotiations in a civil lawsuit to the justice system to say to a jail. You take the case to trial," Handzlik said.

Torossian told the AP that Francis "surrendered on his own 100 percent." But U.S. Marshals spokesman Dominic Guadagnoli said marshals were monitoring the arrival.

"We were not aware that he He stepped off the jet, and he was immediately arrested," he said. "If he was coming to Panama City to and a dollar short."

Francis had said Thursday he time. "I'll give up a billion dollars, but it will be under duress," he would be voided in an appeal.

tionally known as a leader in was chosen as the location textile-industry research. He for the conference because of said many of Tech's graduate India's high level of growth students are coming from in the textile industry. The China and India, nations that conference provides opportuquickly are emerging as textile nities for interactions among powerhouses. The focus of members of academia and

## Romney says new Iraq strategy "deserves chance to succeed"

U.S. military expansion.

(AP) - GOP presidential candidate our country," Romney said in remarks time of war." Mitt Romney urged renewed support prepared for delivery Tuesday night at Tuesday for the war in Iraq and a major the George Bush Presidential Library. "In governor of Massachusetts and a leadthis difficult time, some in Congress are ing candidate for his party's presidential "Running away from Iraq now trying to deny our troops the resources nomination, also proposed a major would embolden our enemies, giv- they need. This is a grave error. We need military buildup to offset what he called ing them the sanctuary they need to to rally behind the effort, and support our

COLLEGE STATION, Texas plan more devastating attacks against men and women in uniform in this

Romney, the 60-year-old former a "dangerous decline" under the Clinton administration, and the strains of wars in Afghanistan and Iraq.

Romney proposed in his speech an increase of 100,000 troops and the dedication of at least 4 percent of the U.S. gross domestic product to defense spending.

Romney's speech comes just weeks after he emerged as the leading fundraiser among Republican presidential candidates, pulling in \$23 million between Jan. 1 and March 31. Former New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani raised Arizona raised \$12.5 million.



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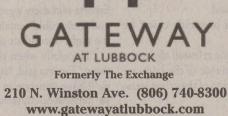


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# Three professors receive Tech's highest honor

#### **By GLENYS BOLLS** STAFF WRITER

Texas Tech's three new Horn professors were recognized at the annual Faculty Honors Convocation Tuesday afternoon.

three faculty members Horn profesreceive from the university — March National Geographic Society. 30 in recognition of their scholastic reputations and research efforts in fessor, Casto was already the Alvin R. their respective fields.

are Eileen Johnson, William Casto attorney who helped to establish and David Nes.

At the ceremony, each professor crowd of faculty members who had filled the seats in Room 169 of the Human Sciences building.

science, the curator of anthropology at the Museum of Texas Tech University and director of the Lubbock Lake with in the past. Landmark archeological site. She has been working at Tech since 1978.

of the national and international into the discussion of foreign affairs work in the quaternary period, the that were still on the books." last 2.6 million years. Within that like extinct animals and ancient try, Tech Provost William Marcy said peoples.'

The Lubbock Lake Landmark,

which Johnson has been director excellence in the legal profession and of since 1980, is an internationally among legal scholars as individuals," significant site that traces human Marcy said. occupation back about 12,000 years; according to a press release from biochemistry, has been at Tech since the Office of Communications and 1993. He has served as the chairman Marketing. Because of her work, of the Division of Biochemistry with-The Tech Board of Regents named Johnson has received research grants in Tech's Department of Chemistry from organizations including the Na- and Biochemistry and as program disors — the highest honor they could tional Science Foundation and the rector in the Molecular and Cellular

Before being named a Horn pro-Allison Professor of Law, a professor- areas," Nes said. "I work in rational The three new Horn professors ship named after the late Levelland drug design with antifungal drugs Tech's School of Law.

"I feel very happy and very gratireceived an engraved Tech medallion fied," Casto said. "To get this recogand a round of applause from the nition, you have to have a national reputation that's good.'

ences outside of Tech during the ment and outstanding service to Johnson is a professor of museum selection process. His references included people in positions like the Since then, 69 faculty members have U.S. Supreme Court, which he dealt

opted my research on some issues," he were honored at the ceremony by "Among the criteria (for choos- said." They were about foreign affairs standing and receiving a round of ing Horn Professors) are evaluations and how the U.S. Constitution fits applause. impact of your research," she said. "I and also my analysis of old statutes

Casto is recognized as a legal broad time period, I look at things scholar at Tech and around the counat the ceremony.

"He has a national reputation for being accepted into the group.

Nes, a professor of chemistry and Biosciences Division at the National Science Foundation.

"I have research programs in two. and also in mechanistic entomology where I study the enzymes in plants and animals."

The Horn Professorship is named for Tech's first president, Paul Whitfield Horn, and was established in Casto said he needed 20 refer- 1966 to recognize scholarly achieve-Tech, according to the press release. been named Horn professors, 30 of whom are current faculty members. "The U.S. Supreme Court has ad- The 30 current faculty members also

> "I'm very proud to be considered in this way by the university," Nes said. "It's a very prestigious group, and to be part of that group is just. wonderful.'

The new Horn professors all expressed gratitude and pleasure at



NEWLY INDUCTED HORN Professor Eileen Johnson stands onstage with President Jon Whitmore and Chancellor Kent Hance during the Faculty Honors Convocation in the Human Sciences Building Tuesday.

"I feel very honored to be recog-

preciate his work and his efforts. "The nice thing is the recognition the highest honor I can receive." of the work I've done for Tech," Casto De glenys.bolls@ttu.edu

Casto said he is glad his peers ap- said. "It's very gratifying to receive this kind of recognition. I mean, it's

### **Final Rankings**

First place University of Louisville Second place Oklahoma State University Third place North Carolina State University Fourth place Clemson University Fifth place Texas Tech University Sixth place Purdue University Seventh place. University of South Carolina Eighth place Kansas State University Ninth place University of North Carolina Chapel Hill Challenge Cup. Winner Tenth place Brigham Young University Challenge Cup Winner

# Texas Tech cheerleaders finish fifth in national competition

### **By RICHARD CAMPANARO** STAFF WRITER

Texas Tech's cheerleading team national title. placed fifth at the National Cheerleading Association's Collegiate Cheer and Dance Championship, which was hosted April 4 through April 8 in Daytona Beach, Fla.

Joshua Anderson, spirit coordinator and Tech's head cheerleadicing on the cake" was placing in

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year with hopes of winning the

David Massoth, a senior advertising major from Albuquerque N. M., already had won two national titles with Hawaii-Pacific University in 2004 and 2005 before joining Tech's team. Massoth said placing fifth was a great accomplish-

team to remain in the top five title this year. He said one of his and routines used in competition Clemson University in fourth and and increase its standing each goals for the upcoming year is to have more team cohesiveness and

> better.' Stephanie Rhode, assistant direc- the University of Louisville squad of talent on the Tech cheerleading tor of the Center for Campus Life, said reaching the NCAA Finals University in second, North accomplishment. after a full season of cheering is a Carolina State University in third, prichard.j.companaro@ttu.edu great reward for the team.



— it's not easy."

According to the National

Tech in fifth.

Anderson said Tech's compe-"doing the same thing, accept Cheerleaders Association's Web tition invitation was based on site, www.varsity.com, the final a video application. He said he According to a press release, rankings of the competition had believes there is a good amount in first place, Oklahoma State squad, and placing fifth is a great



nized like this," Johnson said. "I'm humbled and just very pleased by all this."

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# The pulpit's politics

eople of faith are often told to be in the world, but not of the world. Unfortunately, no one ever specifies which world.

For me, there have always been two. The Christian world and the political world seem ever in conflict, and I've lived caught between them. I fight to inhabit both worlds to The Dallas Morning News. "They without being defined by either.

Every pore in my body loves have to find another place." political affairs. But for heaven's sake, the bombardment of it at cil approved fines for landlords and church must stop.

or wickedness does not belong in screen suspects in custody to see if a house of worship. The search for they are in the country illegally. a church home is difficult enough without the stigma of being a moderate in a society laced with Bush worshippers.

spouts. I lost count of how often of the rule. this occurred.

a spinal column," and push the dividual political ideals. Anytime a "seculars and the jihadists ... into person is judged to be a Christian or the dust bin of history," Pastor Rus- not solely based on political affiliasell Johnson told a full sanctuary at tions or beliefs, the entire teaching First Christian Church of Canton, of Christ is distorted. Ohio, in USA Today.

vative churches across Ohio.

In their eyes, a Christian always support politicos who wear their a person become a Christian. religion on their sleeves.

correctly modified: For ever conser- tain it through your personal walk vative action, there is an equal and with Christ. opposite liberal reaction.

presidency with a university bearing not at the cost of condemning those the Methodist name is utterly inappropriate," 10,000 Methodist ministers and church members signed a petition recommending SMU remove its bid to host the George independent. W. Bush Presidential Library.

been, in his presidency, so inconsis- interjected with religious teachings. tent with fundamental Christianity Let's keep God in the churches that he should not be associated and temples and focus on His with a Methodist university," said teachings. the Rev. Andrew J. Weaver, a Let's let political views be Methodist minister, to The Dallas



would probably be told they would

The Farmers Branch City Counbusinesses that deal with illegal Talk of presidential infallibility immigrants, allowing for police to

At my hometown church, specific political points by the preacher are never discussed and Christ United Methodist Church It's been a fruitless six-semester is strongly a Christian church endeavor for me. I put on a phony from top to bottom. Sadly, this is smile and cringe as the preacher becoming the exception instead

Church is a place to share and "It's time for the church to get grow in your faith, not debate in-

Christ taught us to not judge Johnson leads the Ohio Restora- others, for we will be judged by our tion Project, a growing network of heavenly Father. Just like those who 1,000 "Patriot Pastors" from conser- say we are unpatriotic if we don't support the war in Iraq.

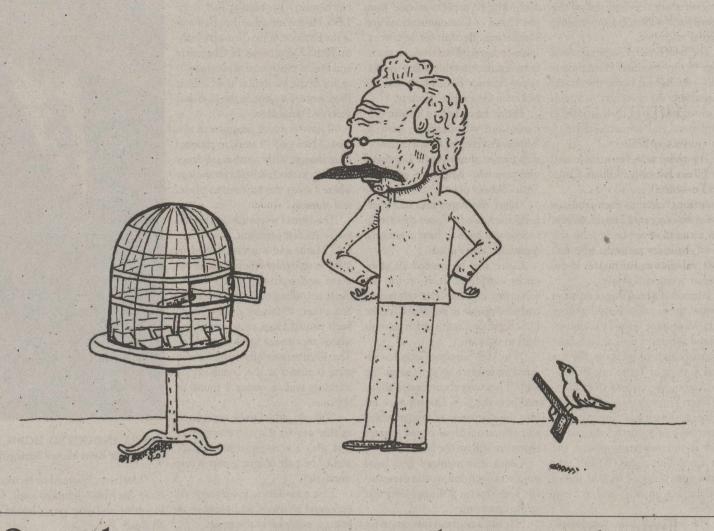
Man cannot put limits on besupports the president and never liefs. Only through his personal questions our leaders. They only relationship with Jesus Christ can

This is not something someone Newton's third law could be bestows on you; only you can at-

Churches should continue to Claiming "the linking of his teach morals, values and ethics, but who choose not to accept their particular brand of beliefs. Only God can do that; no one has the sole ear of God. He is the ultimate

Numerous churches have inter-"I think that George Bush has nal conflicts over political opinions

voiced in open forums, town halls,



# Over-the-top comments nothing new for Imus

n the April 4 edition of the radio talk show "Imus in the Morning," a conversation with the show's executive producer over the women's national basketball championship game led to Don Imus calling the Rutgers women's basketball players, "some nappy-headed hos." Certainly nothing out of the ordinary for the New York City radio host whose over-the-top comments ensure him listeners.

This time was different though. The Rev. Jesse Jackson and The fire storm. Overnight it seems Don objectification of women? Imus became a household name.



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overtones in his words. Yet, the true outrage about this entire incident should not focus on the word "nappyheaded." Rather, it should be on the use of the word "hos" and its demeaning nature toward women.

Rev. Al Sharpton got involved. hos" comment, Imus referenced because he has the ability to outrage The Web site www.drudgereport. players of the University of Tennes- people with his comments. The same com fueled the fire. Fox News hosts see basketball team saying they "all applies to anyone required to drub-up have spent years fighting oppression defended Imus. A panel discussed look cute." Now, I'll admit to being a interest based on shocking statethe topic on NBC's "The Today fan of a few Lady Raiders because of ments. You don't think Ann Coulter own people to stop using supposed de-Show." His comments now place looks, but to call out an entire team received a spike to her book sales and him in the center of a free speech for being cute - how is that not Web site hits when she called John Yet, the Tennessee basketball Yet for all the debate and con- . team hasn't complained. Neither have members of the National Organization of Women, although they have demanded Imus be fired for the use of the word "ho." Moreover, you have not heard any condemnation of the Tennessee remarks by the good

"jigaboos" and the "wannabes" — an These terms have almost become movie, "School Daze." Does referring not — in the eyes of outsiders. to the Tennessee basketball team Rutgers — not imply the racist belief that whites cannot play basketball as well as blacks?

That is a double standard. If people are going to attack a person's comments, they need to apply their criticism equally, not just to the comments that offend them.

You need to consider two things. In addition to the "nappy-haired . First, Imus is a so-called shock jock

obvious reference to the Spike Lee endearing - whether intended or

I can't remember the last time -which has more white players than I called any white girl I know a "straight-haired ho," and I've certainly never called my best friend a "cracker." Homosexual men don't call each other "faggot" and Mexicans don't call each other "wetback." Yet, all of those terms are demeaning. So why do some segments of the black community seem so intent on degrading themselves?

Jackson and Sharpton - who have been so adamant about Imus' firing -should relinquish their duties. They and racism, yet they cannot get their rogatory terms toward themselves.

Imus apologized to the women's

Morning News. "Methodist means small groups, the living rooms decency, and this man has not been and kitchens of everyday citizens decent.'

Methodism is a big tent. We pride ourselves on our diversity and acceptance of a wide range of views. I am humiliated when a fringe group skews our theology.

I look to that old-time religion in troubling times. Billy Graham of Scripture." But it continues.

Dallas' Catholic Bishop Charles Grahmann denigrated the city of Farmers Branch at a recent Mass.

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demnation of Imus, the Rutgers basketball team didn't officially make a statement until Tuesday, almost a week after the incident.

It took the good Revs. - Jackson and Sharpton — getting involved in order for this "story" to become a story. Could it be because

reverends. In essence, the image of "nappythese girls didn't care? Nevermind headed hos" walking the streets of the content of Imus' statement; Newark, N.J., is supposed to offend they're probably more hurt by the us, but the image of "cute" little girls

Edwards a "faggot.' Thousands of people, who last

week did not know who Imus was, suddenly do. In this respect, he has fulfilled his job.

the name-calling to stop, maybe him and the type of job he holds. they need to stop calling themselves names. When someone hears black people referring to each other as having nappy hair or calling each other as the N-word, it just gives non-

basketball team at Rutgers over the air, and he now needs to do so in person. He also must apologize to the players of Tennessee, but he should not be fired for his comments. He is Secondly, if black people want just the product of the culture around The critics of Don Imus only have themselves to blame.

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**NEWS** 

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# **WORLD EVENTS IN BRIEF**

## Police say 2 students shot inside Chicago high school

public high school on the city's South or gender. Side, police said.

Two people were taken to hospitalized in "critical/serious" condition, the Chicago Fire Department said. Vocational Career Academy at about the scene.

CHICAGO (AP) — Two students Spokeswoman Eve Rodriguez did not 2:30.p.m., police spokeswoman Mowere shot Tuesday inside a Chicago have information on the victims' ages nique Bond said. A student with a hand-

> were in good condition. The shots were fired at the Chicago

gun shot an unarmed student in the leg, Police had initially said the students and a bullet apparently ricocheted and struck the shooter in the leg.

She said a gun was recovered at

# Rutgers coach calls Imus' comments 'deplorable'

her team "racist and sexist remarks led to a two-week suspension of that are deplorable, despicable and his show. unconscionable."

PISCATAWAY, N.J. (AP) - musical prodigies," coach C. Vivian with Imus. They stopped short of Rutgers women's basketball coach Stringer told a nationally publi- saying whether they thought he on Tuesday called the comments cized news conference a day after should be fired for calling the team radio host Don Imus made about the uproar over Imus' comments "nappy-headed hos."

Team member Essence Carson deserve his controversy." "These young ladies before you said she and the other players were

"We are students first," Carson said. "We did not do anything to

But she said, "We all agreed the are valedictorians, future doctors, angry and disgusted but would meet meeting with Mr. Imus will help."

launch pad in February. The space

shuttle was rolled off the launch

pad and sent back for repairs to the

Vehicle Assembly Building, forcing

The foam is used to prevent

### NASA aims for June space shuttle launch

on the first space shuttle mission another tank. of the year in early June, almost three months later than originally finish repairing its hail-damaged fuel tank, officials said Tuesday.

for no earlier than June 8.

NASA managers had been studying for weeks whether to finish

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) repairing the tank and use it for of dings on the foam insulation on -NASA will try to launch Atlantis Atlantis' mission or swap it out with Atlantis' fuel tank as it sat on the

But NASA managers said they were pleased with the progress of replanned, so that technicians can pairs that already have been made.

"We don't see any showstoppers NASA to miss the original March in front of us ... but there is still a 15 launch date. The new launch date now was set lot of work to be done," said Bill Gerstenmaier, NASA's associate dangerous ice from building up administrator for space operations. on the tank during fueling on the Golfball-sized hail left thousands launch pad.

### Climate changes to impact food and water supplies

out Africa's wheat crop, according to a could be lost by 2080. U.N. report released Tuesday.

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Rising hundreds of scientists, outlined dramatic details of the report in news conferences global temperatures could melt Latin effects of climate change including rising around the world Tuesday, four days America's glaciers within 15 years, cause sea levels, the disappearance of species after they released a written summary

first dealt with the physical science of Scientists with the Intergovernmen- climate change and the third will deal

## Stocks edge higher as investors await word on earnings

of first-quarter earnings reports of the overall economy. that began with Alcoa Inc.'s results such streak since 2003.

Street was looking for results from three months of the year.

NEW YORK (AP) - Stocks the Dow component to not only

after the closing bell. A modest row that stocks showed little overall tive of Knott Capital. "I think that increase in the Dow Jones industri- movement as investors awaited news will be crucial." als marked the eighth-straight win of how companies fared during the tors who bid the company's stock Wall Street expects profit growth to

"A lot of people are going to be edged higher Tuesday as investors gauge the pace of earnings for the watching earnings very closely and refrained from major moves ahead quarter but as a proxy for the health not just the numbers, but the guidance that they give going forward," Tuesday was the second day in a said J. Michael Barron, chief execu-

With no major economic data for the blue chip index, its longest first quarter, and also their expecta- scheduled, investors looked to tions for the coming quarters. In the speeches by Federal Reserve officials Aluminum producer Alcoa fourth quarter, Standard & Poor's 500 to get a better idea of where the reported a better-than-expected companies snapped an 18-quarter central bank stands on inflation and first-quarter profit, pleasing inves- streak of double-digit profit gains, and interest rates. A stronger-than-expected jobs report Friday dashed some up in after-hours trading. Wall' remain in the single digits for the first investors' hopes that the central bank will soon lower interest rates.

House plans hearings surrounding Tillman, Lynch cases

Tuesday it would hold hearings on the rescue of Pfc. Jessica Lynch killed. in Iraq.

### The committee has been quietly man family will probably testify, the The House Committee on Over- investigating the case since then and committee said. Tillman's mother and sight and Government Reform said decided to add Lynch to the scope of its father did not immediately return calls

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - A of its investigation into whether there accounts of these two incidents were

misleading military statements that the Pentagon released the findings of the appropriate administration officials followed the friendly fire death of its own investigations into Tillman's have been held accountable," the Pat Tillman in Afghanistan and death, and three years after he was panel said on its Web site.

an April 24 hearing would be part probe. It will "examine why inaccurate for comment Tuesday.

U.S. House committee announced was a strategy to mislead the public. disseminated, the sources and motiva-The plan comes two weeks after tions for the accounts, and whether

One or more members of the Till-

# 3 suspected terrorists blow themselves up in Morocco

CASABLANCA, Morocco police surrounded a building where four terrorism suspects were holed up Tuesday, causing three to flee and blow themselves up with explosives. The fourth was shot dead by a police sharpshooter as he apparently tried to detonate his bomb.

10 people, including a young child and a policeman, suffered injuries.

explosions revived memories of five abroad. near-simultaneous suicide bombings that killed 45 people in the country's biggest city in May 2003 — this North African kingdom's first brush with Islamic terrorism.

Police have since pursued an A police officer was killed and unprecedented crackdown on sus- targeted four suspects with alleged pected militants, arresting thousands links to the bomber who killed himself of people, including some accused of in the March 11 cybercafe blast.

Coming just weeks after a bomb- working with al-Qaida and its affili-(AP) - Acting on a tip, Moroccan ing at an Internet cafe, the series of ates to plot attacks in Morocco and

The latest blasts came as Morocco prepares for parliamentary elections in September. The opposition Justice and Development Party, an Islamic group, is expected to lead the voting.

Officials said Tuesday's police raid



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food shortages affecting 130 million and intensifying natural disasters. It of their findings. The report is the secpeople across Asia by 2050 and wipe said 30 percent of the world's coastlines ond of three being issued this year; the



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# Army flight simulator comes to Tech

### **By ADAM YOUNG** STAFF WRITER

The Texas Tech Army ROTC will host an interactive flight exhibit complete with a simulator turnout at the simulator Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. today in the was not as high as he expected regular cockpit in here because commuter parking lot between because of student's initial fear a lot of technology that's there Jones AT&T Stadium and the of the Army. Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

Lubbock, said everyone is invited to participate in several interac- to sign up or anything." tive flight simulators in an Army van in the parking lot.

actually sit down in the cockpit said. to get in a little flying and some pilots actually go through."

two flight simulators virtually one day. replicating an Apache helicopter and a Black Hawk helicopter complete with a rumbling seat, wind and computer-generated smells.

is a little more realistic," Bell across the nation. said.

taining, Bell said.

"We want people to know that

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the Army has aviation because their input," Quinn said. a lot of people think it's just infantry," Bell said. "There are different sides of the Army."

Bell said he believes student real Army helicopters.

Tim Bell, an Army recruiter in come in and take a look at it," Bell said. "We're not asking them as we can so that they at least get

Students participating in the flight simulator are asked to sign dents a good idea of what the "We want to let them come a release form in case a problem pilots go through, including up and see for themselves and occurs while in the trailer, Bell

"Here in West Texas, a lot of experience," Bell said. "It gives people want to be a pilot," Bell and let (students) follow through you a really good idea of what the said. "Hopefully it will draw some with something later on down interest from people because the road," Quinn said. "As far as The van is equipped with they might want to be a pilot

Walter Quinn, Sgt. first class ing tool." in the Army, said the van is an interactive, multi-media advertising tool that travels to events works with the Army ROTC and like NASCAR races, National "I haven't played a flight Football League games, high the simulator was scheduled a copters, said the simulator shows simulator lately, but I think this schools and college campuses year in advance.

The activities are designed to Army Recruiting Command, Ca- and show people a little bit about

Because of national security issues, Quinn said the design of the simulators is not identical to

"Technically, we can't put a is confidential and not for public "What we want them to do is viewing," Quinn said, "but we try to give something as interactive a feel for it."

The simulators can give stumaneuvering and fighting in a combat zone, Quinn said.

"We're here to spur interest generating interest is concerned, the simulator has been an amaz-

James Vanarsdall, a lieutenant in the National Guard, said he recruiters at Tech and he knew

"We request these every now Quinn said the van serves the and then just to get the word out



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JOEL THOMAS (LEFT), a senior anthropology major from Whiteface, shoots the Apache helicopter guns while Lieutenant Vanarsdall, a Texas Tech Graduate student, flies the Apache helicopter simulator Tuesday afternoon in the Jones AT&T stadium parking lot.

what we do," Vanarsdall said.

Vanarsdall, who flew as a passenger in two Black Hawk heli- other way, so you've got to have the necessity of teamwork and communication required when flying in a combat zone.

"It's a lot harder than it looks,"

one target and you're flying an- away for further training. that communication to make the whole vehicle work as one. " Vanarsdall joined the Air

Force ROTC when he was a freshman at Tech, graduated in Madam.young@ttu.edu

Vanarsdall said. "He's looking at 2006 and is preparing to be sent

"You serve your country, get great opportunities afterwards and you'll get great friendships," Vanarsdall said. "It challenges you physically and mentally."

# DNA test identifies baby but mother remains missing

proved that an abandoned infant care of social workers in Mexico, The found Feb. 25 in a Mexican border town is a Dallas girl who disappeared. with her mother, authorities said Tuesday.

trying to place 9-month-old Dafne Morales with family members in Pachuco, Mexico, said Lt. Vernon Hale, a spokesman for the Dallas Police Department.

Her mother, Norma Morales, 33, remains missing. Dallas police still consider her disappearance to be a missing person case, Hale said.

The baby was discovered in Matamoros, Mexico, the day after she and her mother were last seen in Dallas.

DALLAS (AP) — A DNA test police said. She has since been in the Brownsville Herald reported in a story for its Wednesday edition.

Norma Morales left behind most of her belongings, including her car, Mexican authorities are now leading investigators to believe the woman and her baby may have been the victims of foul play, police said. No suspects have been named.

> Hale said it's possible Norma Morales left Dallas voluntarily, although police don't know why she has disappeared.

Norma Morales was an undocumented immigrant working in Dallas, police said. Her parents told the newspaper Tuesday they were glad their granddaughter had been found.





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# Tech student sheds light on Uzbekistan, culture

### **By JEREMY REYNOLDS** STAFF WRITER

Uzbekistan is not the power source of evil for all of Central Asia as Sacha Baron Cohen would have audiences believe in his film "Borat: Cultural Learnings of America for Make Benefit Glorious Nation of Kazakhstan."

Alime Sadikova, a graduate student at Texas Tech from Uzbekistan, said the film "Borat" gave her country a bad image.

"Our country is not filled with ass holes," she said with a laugh. "We are very hospitable people."

Scholars selected to come to the United States from Uzbekistan. The other three students went to a bus stop for a long time." Columbia, Indiana University and Washington University.

Tuesday afternoon, Sadikova brought a little bit of her home country to the Hub City. She delivered year starts in August. an hour-long presentation in the Foreign Language building about the culture, art, politics and recreation of Uzbekistan's citizens.

"We do not all ride camels to school," she said with a laugh, dressed in traditional Uzbekistan clothing. "It's a developed country. It's not the desert. We have cars. It's not Africa.'

Sadikova said she misses her home country. The winds in Lubbock as well as the limited public-transportation system were a big change for

"In Uzbekistan, you can walk out Sadikova is one of four Full Bright onto the street and hold up a hand and get on a bus," she said. "It's not like Lubbock where you have to stand

Sadikova will return to her home country in the middle of May, but she said she will come back to the Hub City before the new school

"There're mountains in Uzbekistan," she said. "That's what I miss the most."

She said she longed to smell the fresh air of her home country again. "The air is so different, here," she

said. "You can't breath in deeply."

During her presentation, Sadikova spoke at lengths about the wedding process in her country compared to what people in the United States are used to.

She said weddings in Uzbekistan are long affairs in which the bride and groom will invite people they went to school with 15 years ago but haven't spoke to in years.

"Food is important at the wedding," she said. "We eat and drink a lot."

She said food tables in Uzbekistan have little-to-no white space showing. Dishes of all kind pack the table, and almost nothing goes to waste.

Sadikova has spoken with people who are timid about visiting her country when they see it borders Afghanistan, but Sadikova said there is nothing to fear.

"My family lives in Uzbekistan, but I'm not afraid for them," she said. "Only a small part of the country borders Afghanistan."

Collin Alexander, a senior landscape architecture major from Fort Worth, said he attended the presentation because he wanted to learn. something about the country.

"I saw it in Tech Announce," he said. "I wanted to just learn a little more. I like to inform myself."

Kyle West, a senior Russian language and area studies major from Abilene, said he was at the event to earn extra credit for a class.

"I think it will be interesting," he said. "I know a very little about Central Asian countries." ▶ jeremy.n.reynolds@ttu.edu



ASLI BAGISLAYICI, AN applied linguistics graduate student from Turkey, tries some "somsa," which is a traditional Uzbek dish, prepared by Alime Sadikova, a teaching assistant from Uzbekistan. Alime gave a presentation about Uzbekistan Tuesday afternoon in the Qualia room of the Foreign Language building. Those in attendance learned about weddings, social gatherings and the scenery in Uzbekistan, among other cultural issues at the presentation.

**COLEMAN MOREFIELD**/ The Daily Toreador

# Tech Abortion Debate to offer many views to students

### **By ALLISON LOWE** STAFF WRITER

Texas Tech students from all walks of life can attend the Tech 'Abortion Debate at 7:30 p.m. tonight to decide where they stand on the controversial issue.

The debate, which is sponsored by Tech Students for Life, will be hosted in Room 202 of the Business Administration building.

Brian Kinney, president of TSL, said the debate will feature a variety of speakers, such as Jim Sedlak, the vice president of the American Life League. Kinney said Sedlak's

specialty is learning about Planned Parenthood, and Sedlak will provide the counterpoint to Tony Thornton, the CEO of Lubbock Planned Parenthood, who also will be speaking at the debate.

Kinney said other speakers, such as Clayton Trotter, a pro-life general counsel with The Justice Foundation, and Susan Barrick, a political and social activist, will present their opinions and other useful information at the debate.

Additionally, a woman with real-life abortion experience will be speaking, Kinney said. Students will have a chance at the end of the

debate to ask questions of any of the and the group cannot succeed until participants.

'We have been working hard to make this a fair debate," said Kinney, a senior construction engineering technology major from Austin. "We tried very hard obviously to make whoever is on either side be very strong in their opinions so that it's a good debate."

Kinney said he believes TSL is the only registered student organization that is pro-life, and TSL cares about the issues in either direction. He said the goal of the group, which is comprised of approximately 30 members, is to educate the campus, the campus is educated.

"Our intent is simply to educate everyone by having a balanced debate because so many people don't really know what they believe in," Kinney said. "I believe it's something that we really can't afford not to know what's going on."

Tim Garbett, a senior exercise and sports sciences major from Plano, said he got involved when the organization started about three years ago. Garbett, who was in charge or recruiting speakers for the debate, said he feels it is important to educate people on the facts.

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"I think our target audience is (people) who feel in the middle of the issue and are not on the extremes," Garbett said. "I think it is one of the biggest events TSL has put on, and I'm hoping a secondary outcome will be to help the organization grow because it is still so new."

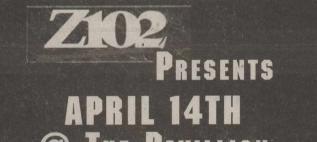
Kelsey Matchen, a junior philosophy major from Sweetwater, said the main objective of the debate is to get the students on campus talking about the issue of abortion.

"We dedicate a lot of our time to life issues, and so we felt it was very important for people or age to be aware," said Matchen, a TSL officer.

Abortion is an issue that constantly confronts Tech students, Matchen said. A lot of people know someone who has had to face an abortion in some aspect, and it affects many people personally.

Matchen said the members of TSL promote life with everything they do, but they are presenting the debate unbiased, with both sides represented equally. He said the truth will speak to those who attend the debate with an open mind and an open heart.

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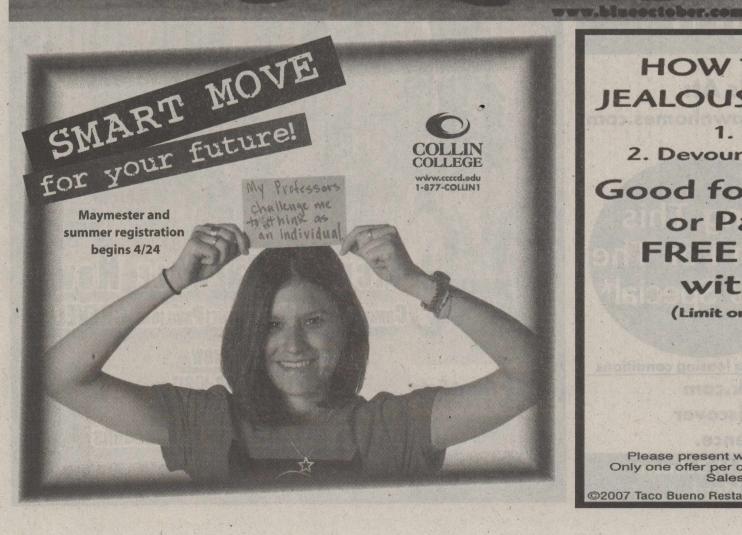


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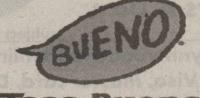


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# **DNA shows Birkhead is father of Smith's daughter**

NASSAU, Bahamas (AP) -DNA tests prove it: Larry Birkhead is the father of Anna Nicole Smith's million-dollar baby.

"I told you so!" the late Playboy Playmate's former boyfriend said Tuesday upon emerging from a closed court hearing. He added: "My baby's going to be coming home pretty soon."

Birkhead, a 34-year-old California photographer, then hugged his rival, Howard K. Stern, who has been caring for baby Dannielynn since Smith's sudden death in February.

The hearing was a pivotal mo-

ment in the battle over who gets custody of the girl, who could inherit a fortune from the estate of Smith's late husband, J. Howard Marshall II. Although Birkhead is the father, Stern's name is on the birth certificate. Another custody hearing was scheduled for Friday.

Stern, who was Smith's lawyer and later became her companion, said he wouldn't fight for custody, but a lawyer for Smith's mother, Virgie Arthur, indicated she might. The judge scheduled another hearing for Friday in the pink colonial courthouse to discuss who will raise the girl, who could inherit hundreds

of millions of dollars.

Stern said he loved the baby despite the DNA results and would support Birkhead.

"I'm obviously very disappointed, but my feelings for Dannielynn have not changed," he said, adding of Birkhead: "I'm going to do whatever I can to make sure he gets sole custody."

Birkhead had been fighting for custody of Dannielynn even before Smith's death.

"Nothing's been determined except parentage and I'm the father," Birkhead said. "It's been a long road and I'm just happy to have this behind me."

A crowd of about 250 people, many of them tourists, cheered from behind police barricades when Birkhead, clutching a piece of paper, announced the DNA test results. The court's DNA expert, Dr. Michael Baird, confirmed it.

"Essentially, he's the biological father," Baird said.

This tropical capital has been transfixed by the Anna Nicole saga since she moved here last year. Smith gave birth to Dannielynn in September, only to see her 20-yearold son Daniel die days later at her bedside from a lethal combination of

drugs. Smith died in February at age 39 in Florida.

Many in the crowd took pictures of the impromptu news conference with cameras and cell phones. One man in the crowd wore a T-shirt emblazoned with the handwritten message: "I'm the baby's daddy."

Arthur, who had been estranged from Smith for years, said she wanted to be present in her granddaughter's life, but seemed appeased by the DNA results.

"I'm happy that Dannielynn will know who her real father is," she said.

The baby, whose full name is daughter might get.

'Entourage' returns with

the same deviant charm

Dannielynn Hope Marshall Stern, could inherit millions from Marshall's estate. Smith, a former model, had been fighting the Texas oil tycoon's family over his estimated \$500 million fortune since his death in 1995.

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The question of who inherits Smith's estate remains unresolved. A 2001 will released after her death in February said her fortune should be held in trust for her son, who died last year. The 19-page will named Stern as her executor but did not say how much Smith was worth. It remains a mystery how much her

# New student organization has high hopes of bringing veterans together

### **By ALLISON LOWE** STAFF WRITER

There is a new student organization on the Texas Tech campus. overseas from 2000 to 2003 working same situation he was in when he Students with backgrounds in the as a firefighter, said he did not know came to Tech. military as well as those who are anyone when he came to Tech, and thinking of joining the military, he wanted to be a part of a group for veterans will ease the transition or who have family and friends with which he could associate. in the military, may want to get involved.

The Veterans' Association at Tech, which was formed in March, will host its inaugural meeting at 6:00 p.m. today in Room 268 of the Business Administration building. Students who are interested can learn about what the association provides and be introduced to the group's officers.

Jason Rogers, president and founder of the association, said he decided to start the group after transferring to Tech from the University of North Texas. Rogers said at North Texas he was involved in a veterans' association, and when after being stationed in both Gerhe found out there are more than ' many and the Kadena Air Base in in activities and spend time in an that are alike and to provide aca-300 Tech students using the GI Bill Okinawa, Japan. His military ser- environment where they will be demic support," Rogers said. in some form or fashion at Tech, he vice also took him to Afghanistan, surrounded by people who are of pallison.lowe@ttu.edu

tion on campus.

Rogers, who joined the military when he was 19 years old and lived

I think establishing this group will ease the transition from military life to civilian life

### **— JASON ROGERS** PRESIDENT, FOUNDER OF TECH VETERANS' ASSOC.

Rogers came to the Hub City

main focus this semester is to help those individuals who are coming

"I think establishing this group from military life to civilian life," Rogers said.

has gained 30 members in its first two weeks, to be a serious organization on campus. He wants the group to be involved in philanthropy programs and volunteer programs on campus and in the Lubbock community, Rogers said.

Devon Bartholomew, a senior portrayed on TV. finance major from Lake Dallas and stressful transition to college available. life. He said being involved in

decided to start a veterans' associa- South Korea and Iraq. He said his the same background and maturity level.

> Military veterans have a tough from the military and are in the time building relationships with college students upon arrival because many of them are older than the average college student, Bartholomew said.

"(The organization) helps (veterans) to make friends who are in He wants the association, which the same place in life," he said.

> The organization helps veterans and those interested in the military to broaden their horizons, he said. The organization is beneficial to anyone going into the military because it will expose them to something different than what is

Rogers said the group is welcomand co-founder of the association, ing everyone interested to come said the group was set up to help to the meeting tonight, and there veterans adjust after their difficult are still some officer positions

"The purpose of the organization the association will give members is to mainly provide fellowship and the opportunity to get involved camaraderie amongst individuals

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watching "Entourage."

Like its feminine forebear, damnedest to get laid regardless younger, more famous, brother. of the consequences. What makes that it smacks of realism.

While "Sex and the City" would feed a Third World coun- market. try (not the shoes themselves - their cost) or, for that matter, the role he wants. how an attorney could spend aphanging out with her friends, "Entourage" avoids these lapses in to the breaks between seasons.

his roles.

This doesn't soothe a guilty conscience, however. This season, we may get to see the premiere of Johnny "Drama" Chase's (Kevin more of him on screen.

(U-WIRE) MEDFORD, Mass. Dillon) TV show "Five Towns," - There has always been a solid and there is definitely hope in the reason to feel sort of guilty about hearts of "Entourage"s fans for its success.

How does that make us look? We "Sex and the City," it concerns are deeply emotionally invested in the lives of four privileged, the triumph of a spoiled pretty boy spoiled white people doing their who, when not acting, cooks for his

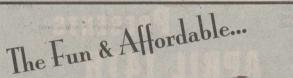
Vince, meanwhile, has to make "Entourage" a far better show (in a tough decision. His new agent is terms of quality, not ethics), is very attentive and caring, but out of the blue his old agent, Ari Gold (Jeremy Piven), sends a script his never asked how a newspaper way that Vince has wanted for a columnist could afford shoes that while, but had thought was off the

We, of course, want Vince to get

Ari, of course, wants desperately proximately 20 hours a day just to get Vince back. Ari is a low down, no good, rotten, conniving weasel who had Vince act as guest of honor logic by keeping the movie shoots at his daughter's Bat Mitzvah. He also strings along a Robert Evans What we're seeing, in terms of clone for hours just to get credit for Vince Chase's (Adrian Grenier) a script that wasn't his, continually down time, is fairly realistic for degrades all those around him, and an actor who can pick and choose isn't above insulting gays, women and racial minorities.

> But the audience, needless to say, feels emotionally invested in this slimeball's success and wants to see

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# **COLLEGE EVENTS**

# Turgeon introduced as A&M coach

(AP) — Mark Turgeon was introcoach Tuesday, just five days after Billy 6-foot-9 Joseph Jones, top defender Gillispie left for Kentucky.

Shockers to a 17-14 record in the Missouri Valley Conference in 2007.

He takes over a team that Gillispie took from an 0-16 Big 12 record to one point in the regional semifinals its first trip to the NCAA tourna- by Memphis in their second straight ment round of 16 since 1980 in three appearance in the tournament. It was seasons. Texas A&M finished with a their school-record third straight 20school-record 27 wins and was ranked win season and marked the first timein the top 10 for most of the season.

Turgeon was 128-90 in seven tournament appearances. seasons at Wichita State. He led the Shockers to three consecutive 20-plus coach will likely be persuading A&M's win seasons from 2004-2006, culmi- top recruits to remain committed to nating with a trip to the round of 16 the team. in the 2006 NCAA tournament.

at Jacksonville State, where he led recruiting Web site Rivals.com calls 1998-2000. Turgeon also served as an The 7-footer is also considered the assistant coach at Kansas under Larry top recruit in the state. Also on the Brown and Roy Williams, and was priority list will be keeping Derrek an assistant at Oregon and with the Lewis of Tulsa, who is one of the top Philadelphia 76ers.

As a player at Kansas, Turgeon became the first player in Jayhawk his- agree to a new contract with the Agtory to appear in four straight NCAA gies that increased his salary \$500,000 tournaments and was part of the 1986 to \$1.75 million. School officials team that reached the Final Four. He said he'd sign the contract when he led Hayden High in Topeka, Kan., to returned from the Final Four, but he

### COLLEGE STATION, Texas a player in 1982 and 1983.

Turgeon inherits a team that duced as Texas A&M's basketball returns several starters, including Dominique Kirk and three-point Turgeon comes to Texas A&M shooting ace Josh Carter. Promising from Wichita State, where he led the freshman Donald Sloan and Bryan Davis, who both got significant playing time in 2007, will also be back.

The Aggies were eliminated by Texas A&M had made back-to-back

Atop the list of tasks for the new

The biggest name among the list is His first head coaching job came Houston's DeAndre Jordan, who the the team to a 25-29 record from the eighth-best recruit in the country. five recruits in Oklahoma.

Gillispie turned down Arkansas to

# Tech scores 17 for win over Cowboys

### **By WES SKIPWITH** STAFF WRITER

The Texas Tech baseball team 16 different position players. exploded for 17 runs on 21 hits Tuesday at Dan Law Field.

schedule last Sunday in order to can build on." make up the two games Tech has weather conditions.

Tech coach Larry Hays said the hits and tossing three strikeouts. This went 3-for-5 with two RBIs.

ferent pitchers to the mound and used

to topple Hardin-Simmons 17-6 said. "We got everybody out there we were definitely going to see how it wanted. We had a couple guys show The game was added to the us some pretty good things that we

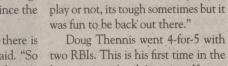
missed this season due to adverse up the win after going 2 2/3 innings start this season, went 4-for-5 with to be back in the lineup," he said. allowing three earned runs on three two RBIs and Baker, making his 10th, team's main goal for the game was was Large's second appearance on the

getting a lot off looks from a lot of mound this year as he has been strug- said. "I didn't know if I was going to different players. Tech sent seven dif- gling with a shoulder injury since the play or not, its tough sometimes but it beginning of the season.

"It feels better right now, there is "It worked perfect for us," Hays not much soreness," Large said. "So feels tomorrow."

Tech's Ben Baker and Chris Richburg both capitalized on rare starts Tech starter Cory Large picked Tuesday. Richburg, making his third

"I was surprised tonight," Baker worked out."



lineup since April 1 against Kansas State. Thennis said he missed last weekend's Texas A&M series in order to take care of his academics.

"Without a doubt it feels good "I had to take care of some school business and now I got everything

The first hit of the game was also the first run of the game as Matt Smith took HSU starting pitcher James Sweatman deep over the leftfield wall for a solo home run to lead off the bottom of the second inning. The home run sparked a Red Raider rally where Tech batted through the lineup, scoring eight runs on eight hits in the inning.

The win comes at a crucial time for the Red Raiders as they travel to Austin this weekend to take on No. 6 Texas in a three-game series.

"Going into Texas, we need to put up some runs like we did tonight," Baker said. "They have a good staff and we need to get on top of them early and take care of business." wesley.a.skipwith@ttu.edu

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TEXAS TECH'S JOSH Scofield throws a pitch during last week's game agsinst Texas A&M at Dan Law Field. The Red Raiders defeated Hardin-Simmons 17-6 Tuesday night for their 22nd win of

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# Indiana spokesman says Knight friendship put him in tough spot

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) — Indiana University's chief media spokesman during the firing of Bob Knight writes in a new book that his friendship with the basketball coach left him in a tough spot at the time.

Christopher Simpson said in "Weathering the Storm: Protecting Your Brand in the Worst of Times" that when he had first come to IU in 1994 as an aide to then president Myles Brand, he was frustrated that Knight was synonymous with the university and that the coach's reputation overshadowed highly ranked academic programs.

But Simpson eventually found himself enjoying Knight's company and considered the coach a friend, even after Brand in 2000 had imposed on the coach a."zero tolerance" policy for inappropriate behavior.

"My fatal misstep was to become buddies and swap stories and inside trustees and other administrators," wrote Simpson, who was IU's vice ernment relations.

2000 for violating the zero-tolerance ous guy I've ever been around." policy and a "pattern of unaccept-Knight grabbing a student by the disloyalty to him personally." arm, cursing and lecturing him about



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TEXAS TECH COACH Bob Knight captured win No. 880 Jan. 1. The Red Raiders' 21 wins this season brings his total to 890.

him, "Hey, Knight, what's up?"

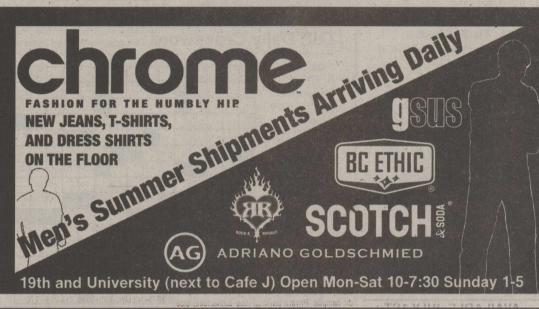
Simpson was the university's liaipresident of public affairs and gov- son to the news media, and Knight referred to Simpson in an interview Brand fired Knight in September as "the most treacherous and danger-

Simpson said Knight viewed able behavior" that culminated with Simpson's role as "some kind of

Some of the threats Simpson tions firm.

information about the president, manners after the student had said to received from Knight supporters after the firing were turned over to police, he wrote.

> With Simpson himself having become controversial, it undercut his effectiveness as a university spokesman, and he left IU in July 2001. He's now the chief executive officer of SimpsonScarborough, a Washington, D.C., communica-



# **NBA bound: Durant** entering 2007 draft

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Kevin Durant is done with college.

Durant, an 18-year-old Texas freshman and The Associated Press Player of the Year, said Tuesday he's leaving the Longhorns to enter the NBA draft.

"I enjoyed my year here at Texas," Durant said in a statement released before his news conference. "All the fans and everyone here at Texas made me feel right at home, considering I was so far from home. I will always be a Longhorn and never forget what the people of Texas have done for me."

After an All-American season in which he swept the major player of the year awards, few expected Durant to play another season in college.

Now the question is whether he'll be the first pick of the June 28 draft. Durant and Ohio State's freshman center Greg Oden who has not yet said if he'll leave college — are considered the likely first two picks.

"He's made history," Texas coach Rick Barnes said Monday night at the team banquet. "No one's done what he did this year. He swept every major award as a freshman. It's a year we may not ever see again by anybody. It's remarkable."

Players have until April 29 to declare for the June 28 draft in New York.

Durant, the Big 12 player and freshman of the year, shot 47 percent from the field, 40 percent from 3-point range and 82 percent 11 times.



FILE PHOTO/The Daily Tore

TEXAS FRESHMAN FORWARD Kevin Durant will enter the NBA Draft after playing one season as a Longhorn.

than 20 points and 10 rebounds.

He led Texas, which started four Final Four. from the foul line. He averaged freshmen, to a third-place finish in 36 minutes and also led the Long- the Big 12 and to the second round horns in steals and blocks. He of the NCAA tournament, where the had 20 double-doubles and scored Longhorns lost to Southern Califorat least 30 points a Big 12-record nia. The Longhorns finished 25-10. Durant is the fourth Longhorn in

He averaged 25.8 points and two years to leave early. P.J. Tucker,

ers in the country to average more son all entered the 2006 draft after leading Texas within a game of the

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# Senate passes steroid testing bill for Texas public school athletes

random steroids tests as early as next fall under a Senate bill approved Tues- the House. day that would create the largest high

The program would test at least a vote later Tuesday. 22,000, about 3 percent, public school athletes. Students who test positive the two chambers is how to pay for it. would have to sit out of competition for The Senate would have the state bear 30 days, and repeat positive tests could lead to a permanent ban.

"I think this will make high school figure is too low.

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas public athletics safer," said Sen. Kyle Janek, school athletes would face mandatory R-Houston, the sponsor of the measure. The bill passed 28-2 and now goes to

The House is considering a similar tickets to pay for the tests. school testing program in the country. but less specific measure and could take

The biggest difference between said. the cost of about \$4 million per year, although some experts have said that

The House measure would require version. the University Interscholastic League, the state's governing body for high school sports, to assess a fee on sports

"I think if we're going to mandate it, the state should pay for it," Janek

The Texas High School Coaches Association, the Texas Medical Association, and groups representing public school districts and administrators all have testified in support of the Senate

Texas has about 733,000 athletes at

about 1,300 public schools. The Senate bill requires all students agree before the season to be tested if selected in order to be eligible to play. Proposed penalties for positive tests include:

- Refusal to take a test will be considered a positive test.

— A first positive test would bring a suspension of at least 30 days. A second would bring a one-year suspension,

followed by the permanent ban for include dramatic mood swings, heart a third.

Only a ban on playing football, basketball or any other sport will discourage athletes from taking performanceenhancing drugs, Janek said.

The bill does not include sanctions for schools whose athletes test positive.

The Senate would also require middle school and high school coaches to complete a training program on the dangers of steroid use, which can

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disease and cancer.

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A state study among 141,000 Texas students in grades 7-12 conducted by Texas A&M University found that steroid use fell from 2 percent in 2004 to 1.5 percent in 2006. Among 12th graders, it went down from 2.4 percent to 1.8 percent.

New Jersey was the first state to implement a testing program last year, but it tests only athletes who make the postseason

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### Heartbeats A quick pulse around the Rec Sports World...

Last Call for Summer Camp **Counselors!** Applications are being accepted for students interested in becoming a camp counselor for the Rec Summer Sports Camp. Camp is structured around children ages 7-13 and three counselors are assigned 28-30 children. Camp is Mon-Fri from 8 am - noon; however a counselor's day is 7:45 am to 12:15 pm. Pay is \$6.50/hr and should be available from May 30<sup>th</sup> – July 20<sup>th</sup>. Drop by the Intramural Office of the Rec Center and fill out an application. Applications are due by Friday, April 13th.

### **Bench Press Competition** Monday, April 16th!

Come test your strength at the Intramural Department's Bench Press Competition on Monday, April 16 at 7 pm in the SRC Free Weight Room. This event is absolutely FREE! Check-in and weigh-in will begin promptly at 6:30 pm. Register in the Intramural Office. For more information, please visit our web site at www.recsports.ttu.edu.

#### Sports Ticker ..... **Recent Sport Club Scores** & News

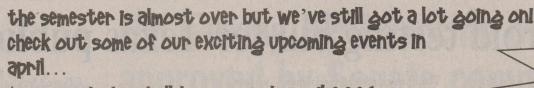
### **Gymnastics** @ NAIGC State **Competition**

Sarah Gummelt - 4th Vault Amber Robbins - 3rd Beam Tomas Berdoza - 3rd Rings, 5th All-Around Bubba Huval - 5th Floor Larry Warren - 6th Parallel Bars Allison Eudy - 8th Beam

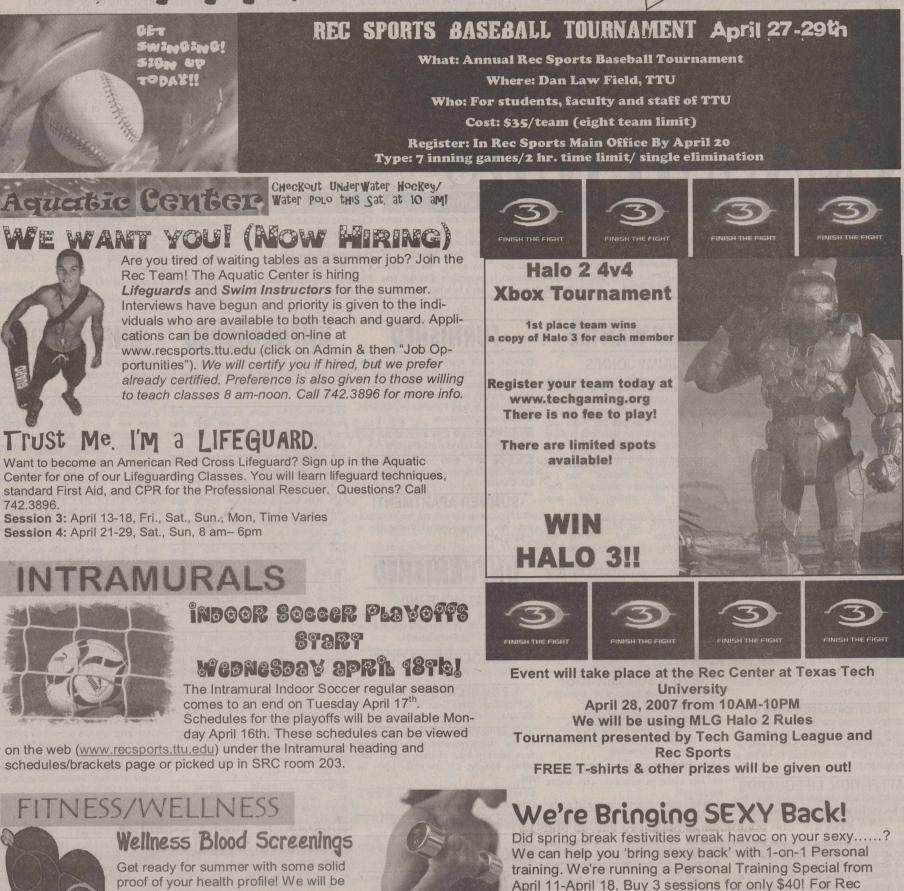
Women's Volleyball: Finished 2nd @ SIVA **Conference** Finals

Cricket: Raider Cricket Club defeated Midland Cricket Club

The Sport Clubs Banquet will be held at the 50th St. Caboose on Monday, April 30th 2007 from 7-9 pm. The nominees for different awards will be published in the DT every Wednesday leading up to the Banquet. Be sure to check out the DT next Wednesday, April 18th for the Sport Club Officers of the Semester Nominees!



\*rec sports baseball tournament. april 27-29 \*halo 2 x box tournament sponsored by rec sports and the tech gaming league, april 28



'06-'07 Most Improved Sport **Club Award** And the Nominees Are ..... Gymnastics Red Raider Cricket Club Tennis Cycling Women's Rugby Iron Raiders Powerlifiting



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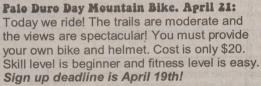
### WANTED Personal Trainers. Massage Therapists & Front Desk Assistants

Want to be a Personal Trainer, Massage Therapist or a Front Desk Assistant in the Fit/Well? We're Hiring! Attend an info session TODAY at 7 pm in Room 206 of the Rec Center! Questions? Contact Anna Sterling at 742.3828.

OUTDOOR PURSUITS CONTOR Did you know that our climbing wall is open daily? Why not try a climb? It's FREE!

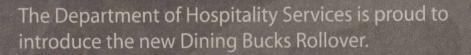
Center members only. Hurry and get YOUR SEXY back!

### Take a trip to Palo Duro!



Palo Duro Day Hike, April 28: Palo Duro

State Park is located in the second largest canyon in the U.S. After a short drive into the heart of the Panhandle, we will spend the day hiking and enjoy lunch in the beautiful area. Cost: \$20. Sign up deadline is April 26th!



For the first time, Dining Plan holders have the option to rollover their unused Dining Bucks.

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