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### DNA samples taken from polygamists' kids

SAN ANGELO (AP) Using cotton swabs and cameras, lab technicians began taking DNA samples Monday from hundreds of children and mothers — many in long, pioneer-style dresses — in hopes of sorting out the tangled family relationships within the West Texas polygamist sect.

A judge ordered last week that the genetic material be taken to help determine which children belong to which parents.

#### NATION

#### **Supreme Court rejects** appeals for 3 inmates

HOUSTON (AP) - Prosecutors moved quickly Monday to set new execution dates for three death-row inmates, hours after the Supreme Court lifted a reprieve it granted last fall so it could consider the constitutionality of lethal

The court blocked the executions of Thomas Arthur of Alabama, Earl Wesley Berry of Mississippi and Carlton Turner of Texas last fall while it considered a challenge to Kentucky's lethal injection procedures.

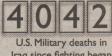
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### At least 20 Haitians drown near the Bahamas

NASSAU, Bahamas (AP) -Haitians fleeing their impoverished homeland met tragedy when their boat went down off the Bahamas, killing at least 20 people and leaving only three known survivors, including an alleged migrant smuggler, authorities said Monday.

Survivors said the boat was carrying 24 people when it capsized Saturday night, according to U.S. Coast Guard spokesman Luis Diaz in Miami. Just before dawn Sunday, fishermen heard screams.

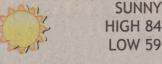
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# Iraqi leader calls for Arab support

By ROBERT H. REID ASSOCIATED PRESS

BAGHDAD (AP) — Iraq's prime minister appealed Monday for support from his Arab neighbors, urging them to open embassies and forgive Iraqi debts as his government tries to crack down on Shiite militias in a crucial power struggle.

But the government plea came as militia leaders warned more violence

Followers of Shiite cleric Muqtada al-Sadr, leader of the biggest militia, from Iraq's \$67 billion foreign debt

said they could widen the battles with the government - even asking supporters for blood donations to aid fighters injured during weeks of urban clashes.

With tension rising, Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki flew to Kuwait for a meeting Tuesday of Iraq's neighbors to discuss ways they can help Iraq's Shiite-led government as it confronts both Shiite militias and Sunni extremists including al-Qaida in Iraq.

Al-Maliki said he will be looking for tangible support, including relief

Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates and Oatar.

"There are countries that support the political process and are opening embassies here. We need the others to open embassies here, too," al-Maliki told reporters.

The direct appeal to Arab heavyweights highlights the regional dilemma posed by Iraq.

Sunni Arabs have a strong stake in keeping Iraq — which is majority Shifte — firmly in the Arab orbit as a buffer against expanding influence

- most of it owed to Saudi Arabia, by Iran, the largest Shiite nation. But Arab neighbors are still leery of al-Maliki's government and the deep Iranian ties of its main backers.

> Al-Maliki is hoping that the ongoing crackdown against Shiite militants will allay their fears of Iranian leanings and a bias against his own Sunni population — which long held a privileged position under Saddam Hussein.

But he also pointed the finger at porting extremist groups and "inciting strife through the media" — an

apparent reference to Arab satellite TV stations based in the Gulf which the leadership here considers hostile to the government.

"I am a bewildered by the position of these nations," al-Maliki added, without specifically naming a country. "Do they want to support Iraq? Iraq has emerged from a crisis and needs to be supported."

U.S. officials have accused Iran - which will attend the Kuwait "some nations" he claimed were sup- conference — of supporting Shiite extremists in Iraq, an allegation the

## Local musician releases second album of poetry

By MATT MCGOWAN STAFF WRITER

lways wearing his trusty black beanie, local musician Andy Eppler embodies a new breed of West Texas artists. Beneath his beanie lies a mind teeming with unrestricted creativity as it sizzles through the processes of independent art — writing, performing, publishing and

And most of this, the 23-year-old said, he does solely on his laptop computer.

After the success of "There is No Underground," his first album — which he released than 500 copies, not including sales on his something completely different going Web site and iTunes — Eppler wanted to do on, and, being an independent artist, I something different, something experimental can put out anything I want," he said. and something uncommon.

In a manner true to Lubbock's Bohemian subculture, he hung up his guitar, picked up a "departure" from music for his second his pen and created his second album.

Other than a handful of background guitar Internet sometime during the next two strums and subtle voice effects, Eppler's words months. While writing and compiling stand alone throughout his yet-unreleased sec- the poetry and prose for the album, he ond album, "Dark Places." The album consists drew from personal experience. of eight poems, two grim short stories and a startlingly unabashed self-awareness.

"If I knew a local artist that was already

in 2007 and of which he said he sold more doing music, I'd like to hear if they had "I decided to exercise that."

Also, Eppler said he wanted to have album, which he plans to release on the

"Like anything I do, there's prob-

EPPLER continued on page 5



PHOTO BY RUBEN CASTILLO/The Daily Toreador

ANDY EPPLER PERFORMS at Jazz Restaurant and Bar Saturday night.

# Retail gas hits record \$3.50 a gallon as oil marches higher

By ADAM SCHRECK ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK (AP) — Rising gasoline prices tightened the squeeze on drivers Monday, jumping for the first time to an average \$3.50 a gallon at filling stations across the country with no sign

Crude oil set a record for the sixth day in a row — this time closing above \$117 a barrel — after an attack on a Japanese oil tanker in the Middle East rattled investors.

"It's killing us," said Jean Beuns, a New York cab driver who estimated he now makes \$125 to \$150 less per month than in the fall because of costlier gas. "And it was so quick. Every day you see the price go up 5, 6, 10 cents more."

Diesel prices at the pump also struck a record high of \$4.20 a gallon, according to AAA and the Oil Price Information Service. That's sure to add to truckers' costs and drive up the price of food, clothing and other goods shipped by truck.

"You and I are going to pay more," said Bob Costello, chief economist of American Trucking Associations. "Exactly how much ... I can't tell you, but it's got to show up.'

Gasoline and diesel prices are expected to keep climbing as they trace the path of crude. Oil prices are charging ahead along with a host of commodities that are enticing speculators seeking hedges against a weakening dollar.

Light, sweet crude for May delivery rose to a record \$117.76 a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange before settling at \$117.48, up 79 cents from Friday's close.

Gas jumped more than a nickel over the weekend and is up 23 percent from a year ago. Drivers in New Jersey are paying the least, while drivers in California pay the most, \$3.86 a gallon for regular

The Energy Department predicted earlier this month that monthly average gasoline price will peak at more than \$3.60 per gallon in June and could even reach \$4.

# Tech School of Law opens new facility, hosts Texas Supreme Court cases

By JON VANDERLAAN STAFF WRITER

EPPLER'S SECOND ALBUM, Dark Places

COURTESY OF ANDY EPPLER

The Texas Tech School of Law will open the Mark and Becky Lanier Professional Development Center with a bang, hosting two Texas Supreme Court cases beginning at 10 a.m. today. The new facility consists of two state-of-the-

art courtrooms, as well as a 300-seat auditorium classroom.

affairs and an associate professor of law at the Tech law school, said the school has tried to use classrooms as a substitute for courtrooms in the past, but believes they are not as functional and cannot replace the courtroom experience.

"A large part of teaching law students is to of the highest court in the state and hear teach them trial advocacy as well as what we call appellate advocacy, which is handling cases on appeal," Lewis said. "To do that and do it well, court in your state come and share their they actually have to practice, which means having the space for them to practice in."

Because there are 700 students in the law school, Lewis said the two new courtrooms greatly increase the school's ability to allow more students to learn in the court environ-

Though the school receives close to 10 times as many applications as it can accommodate, Lewis said, this is not an attempt to increase the size of classes.

"This is not so much about recruitment as Calvin Lewis, the associate dean for student it is about taking care of students when they get here," he said, "and that's in part what bringing the Supreme Court here is about." He said giving students an in-court experience is something there is no substitute for because they are able to observe the workings

"It's very exciting to have the highest

SCHOOL OF LAW continued on page 5 the School of Law.



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**By GLENYS BOLLS** COPY EDITOR

APRIL 22, 2008

in its April issue, "U.S. News & World Report" listed four Texas 100 of their respective disciplines.

Three graduate programs from from the Department of Psychology made this year's list after the magazine reviewed more than 12,000 graduate programs around the coun-ried about the price of energy, so I at when they're choosing a program.

try, according to a university news release.

"It shows the quality of our program," said Lloyd Heinze, chairman of the

ing. "I think it will make it more being recognized." attractive to students. I think it will cause more students to apply, and partment of Electrical and Computwe only have a limited number of er Engineering, said he anticipates spots, so that allows us the pleasure the College of Engineering using of picking the best candidates."

From the College of Engineer- forts, both for students and faculty ing, the Department of Petroleum members. Engineering was ranked 10th in the Petroleum category, the De- cation of the quality of a program, partment of Industrial Engineering so a lot of prospective students look was ranked 30th in the Industrial/ at these," Rao said. "Also, people rankings were calculated based on Manufacturing category and the looking for jobs like to go to places a weighted average that came from Department of Electrical and Com- that are ranked." puter Engineering was ranked 65th in the Electrical/Electronic/Communications category, according to the release.

Heinze said he believes recent psychology programs, coming in at world events have played a role No. 92 out of the Top 100 programs in the level of recognition the in the country, according to the In the annual rankings released petroleum engineering field is release.

Tech graduate programs in the Top not list petroleum because it's a students and faculty members," said small discipline," Heinze said. David Rudd, chairman of the De-"Sometimes we're so small that partment of Psychology. "There are the College of Engineering and one we get ignored. But that makes more than 400 psychology programs us very appreciative when we are in the country, so this puts us in the recognized. Currently, the energy top quartile, nationally. These kinds prices are up and the world is wor- of rankings are what students look

Vittal Rao, chairman of the De-

the rankings in its recruitment ef-

"These rankings will be an indi-

From the Department of Psy-

"This improves our visibility and "Sometimes the magazine does helps in recruiting for both grad

Things like this can make a difference between someone applying and not applying to your program. This helps the quality of the department."

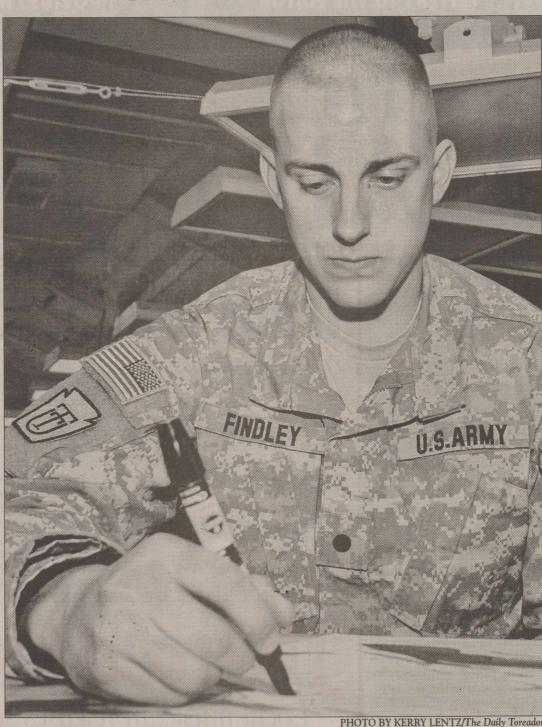
The psychology Department of Petroleum Engineer- think that has a lot to do with us department has moved up 22 positions in the rankings during the past five years, according to the release.

"It's primarily a function of our faculty." Rudd said. "We have a lot of publications and grant work; we have a very productive department. These are things other faculty become aware of nationally, and that's one of the things the rankings are

According to the release, the 10 indicators, including student selectivity, research activity, faculty chology, the doctoral program in resources and assessments by peers and recruiters.

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## SHADING LANDSCAPE



JONATHAN FINDLEY, A sophomore landscape architecture major from Lubbock, works on shading an assessment overlay as part of a final project in a Landscape Architecture Site Analysis class.

## School of Law

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wisdom, thoughts, experience and judicial and legal knowledge with our students," Lewis said. "Huge educational benefit and well trained." for them."

Law alumnus, said he always hears good hopes to meet some law school students things about the Tech law school and its to talk in a relaxed setting.

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graduates from different parts of the state. "Well, I think everything you can do to

clinical psychology was ranked in

the top tier of the nation's clinical

enhance the experience out there is going to be beneficial," Johnson said. "The law school has a great reputation for turning functions. We want to take it out to people out lawyers that are ready to go to work

Johnson said he visited a high school Justice Phil Johnson, a Tech School of Monday to speak with students and also

"That's part of why the court goes out and sits places outside Austin," Johnson said. "We want people to see the court, we want people to see us, see how the court who don't get a chance to come down here

The ribbon cutting for the new facility will begin at noon, and the cases as well as the ribbon cutting are open to the public. ▶ glenys.bolls@ttu.edu

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## Bush defends free-trade agreement with Mexico, Canada

Felipe Calderon strongly defended today it's prospering. free trade across North America working class voters.

Calderon and Canadian Prime Min-countries." ister Stephen Harper, Bush hailed

ident Bush and Mexican President growing up, the border was poor, but and Canada.

"Our trade has tripled, and our on Monday, fending off anti-trade economies have grown," said Bush, the Mexican president said. "And I remarks that Democrats running for who decided to host the summit in do not believe that people are realthe White House are using to lure New Orleans to showcase its rebirth Opening a two-day summit with been a very positive aspect for both our to Mexico."

the benefits of cross-border trade the North American Free Trade Agree- thousands of jobs on both sides of the despite a rising protectionist sentiment is misunderstood. Launched in border, has offered more choices to

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NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Pressaid that when he and Calderon were riers among the United States, Mexico

"I stress this issue because recently NAFTA has come under criticism,' izing how many benefits NAFTA has following Hurricane Katrina. "This has brought, both to the United States and

He said the far-reaching trade deal Calderon was more specific, saying has led to the creation of hundreds of ment on Capitol Hill. The president 1994, the accord eliminated trade bar-consumers and has raised the quality of products.

> Sens. Barack Obama and Hillary Rodham Clinton, rivals for the Democratic presidential nomination, both have threatened to pull the U.S. out of NAFTA if elected as a means to pressure Canada and Mexico to negotiate more protections for workers and the environment. Bush calls the idea isolationist and reckless.

> Clinton, D-N.Y., has made opposition to new trade deals a centerpiece of her campaign and has vowed to at least re-negotiate NAFTA, which has been blamed for moving blue collar jobs to Mexico and elsewhere. Obama, D-Ill., has chided Clinton about NAFTA, saying it was passed while her husband, former President

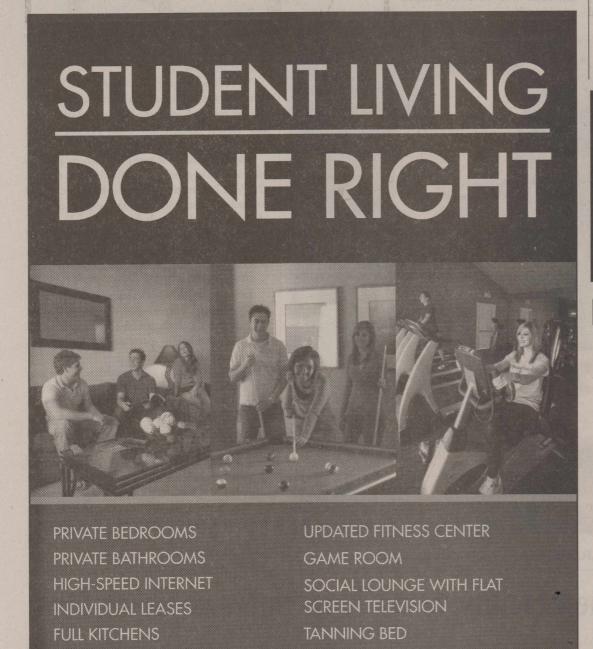
> Clinton, was in office. Recently in Pittsburgh, Clinton told manufacturers and union workers that her husband made mistakes related to NAFTA that she plans to fix. She said she would correct problems that have led to job losses, or would tell Canada and Mexico the United States is pulling out of the agreement.

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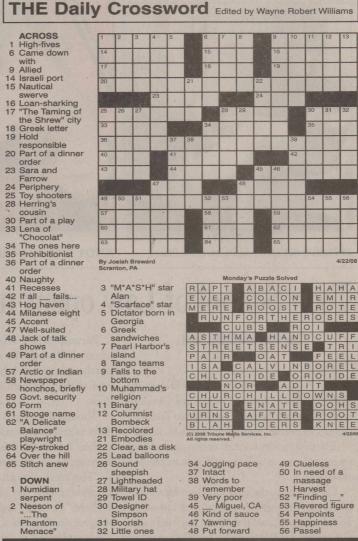
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After an investigation of Sun-Marshal concluded the blaze began after a child's improper use of a microwave.

approximately 7 p.m. Sunday. By light of the day." 8 p.m., they had the fire under control.

There were no injuries.

An investigation later deter- said he feared mined the cause of the fire to be a damage to his child who put a cup of dehydrated apartment and noodles in a microwave without possessions. He first adding water, said Lubbock considered pur-Fire Department Chief Rhea Coo- chasing renter's per on Monday.

The child's mother retrieved week before the the flaming cup of noodles and blaze placed it on the back porch, he said. After turning her back briefly, she turned around to find that the flames already had begun to spread to deem his to the building's structure.

"It was kind of unusual," Cooper said. "All the things about he feared for the safety of his dog, it were unusual. He didn't even iguana and fish, all of which were Cross aid after the fire Sunday know to put water in the cup of in the apartment during the fire. noodles before you heat it up, and heated it for two minutes or four minutes or whatever. He just fried those noodles. Like a burned bag gone, but, like I said (Sunday), of popcorn or something, it gets it's just some materialistic stuff. extremely hot."

ments, Cooper said Sunday.

Kurtis Parker, a Lubbock resion 70th Street, the Lubbock Fire home from an afternoon soccer game to find emergency personnel at his apartment.

More than 45 Lubbock fire- said Sunday. "Our team pulled out supportive," he said. "I had lots fighters responded to the fire at a win today. That was the high- of friends and connections here

> Without renter's insurance, Parker insurance one

While Parker waited for personnel apartment safe Sunday, he said

so he just plugged it in there and unharmed in the apartment and lege who "lost everything." After

returned it to Parker. "Half of (my possessions are) It's all always replaceable," he in local hotels for three nights," The fire burned through three said Monday. "There was a lot of Curnow said. "We also offered

water and smoke damage to several any of the clothes are salvageable sistance that we do, we've got more of the building's 16 apart- or not. We'll find out after we standardized things that we do, but wash them."

day's three-alarm fire at the Wa- dent whose apartment was dam- vived the fire, and he moved into that person." terside Village apartment complex aged by the fire, said he returned a different apartment Monday within the same complex.

"I have several friends here in town, and they've been very in town, so they helped me out

This was the

greatest potential

for disaster that we

have seen in several

years here at the

chapter.

**— KURTIS PARKER** 

WATERSIDE VILLAGE

RESIDENT

through this minor incident."

selves homeless Sunday evening, nine volunteers from the South Plains chapter to offer assistance, said Bill Curnow, disas-

the chapter. Eight individuals utilized Red Firefighters later found the dog ing a student at South Plains Colanticipated.

"We did place several people apartment units and resulted in smoke damage. We don't know if clothing assistance. Each as-

the different things that we offer Parker said all of his pets sur- depends on the unique needs of

> Like Parker, Curnow said most people found shelter and assistance through local friendships.

Sunday's fire was particularly "Things were going great," he generous and very helpful and very severe, Cooper said Sunday, and there have been very few apartment-complex fires recently in

> "This was the greatest potential for disaster that we have seen in For those several years here at the chapter," Parker said Monday. "Fourteen found them- units could have been affected by this severely, and so the potential was there for this to be one of the worst ones in a long time."

> As a non-government, nonprofit organization, Curnow said of the Red Cross the Red Cross would not have arrived at the been able to assist any of those scene of the fire who were affected by the fire without donations from the region's

> Curnow said Sunday evening's ter chairman for fire reminded him of a phrase he heard during a conversation last

"It's 'Give and forget; receive evening, he said Monday, includ- and remember," he said. "We're not going to remember the names and the faces of the people we the blaze, fewer people needed helped. In a year or so, we're just assistance than the organization not going to remember them, but you had better believe that they are going to remember (Sunday) night and that the Red Cross was there to help them out."

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PHOTO BY KERRY LENTZ/The Daily Toreado

A Lubbock county firefighter climbs off his truck after helping to put out the fire in one of the apartments of the Waterside Village apartment complex Sunday evening.



PHOTO BY KERRY LENTZ/The Daily Toreado

A Lubbock county firetruck parks outside the Waterside Village apartment complex office Sunday evening after responding to a call for a three alarm fire in one of the apartments.

## More convicted felons allowed to enlist in Army, Marines

sex crime convictions.

Data released by a congressional committee shows the number of sol- were burglaries, other thefts, and drug for crimes or other bad conduct has be undermining military readiness." diers admitted to the Army with felony offenses, but nine involved sex crimes grown in recent years, as well as those records jumped from 249 in 2006 to 511 and six involved manslaughter or veneeding medical or aptitude waivers. in 2007. And the number of Marines hicular homicide convictions. Several with felonies rose from 208 to 350.

Those numbers represent a frac- aggravated assault or robbery convic-

pressure to meet combat needs, the brought in by the active duty Army, weapons. Army and Marine Corps brought in Navy, Air Force and Marines during the significantly more recruits with felony fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 2007. But convictions last year than in 2006, they highlight a trend that has raised including some with manslaughter and concerns both within the military and meet the combat needs of a military on Capitol Hill.

The bulk of the crimes involved dozen Army and Marine recruits had

Both the Army and Marine Corps have been struggling to increase their numbers as part of a broader effort to fighting wars on two fronts. As a result, nal records is a result of the strain put the number of recruits needing waivers on the military by the Iraq war and may

Reform Committee Chairman Henry Waxman, who released the data, noted

WASHINGTON (AP) — Under tion of the more than 180,000 recruits tions, including incidents involving that there may be valid reasons for granting the waivers and giving individuals a second chance.

> But he added, "Concerns have been raised that the significant increase in the recruitment of persons with crimi-

The services use a waiver process to let in recruits with felony convic-House Oversight and Government tions, and many of the crimes were committed when the service members were juveniles.

# Truck collides with post, overturns near cam

By ADAM YOUNG NEWS EDITOR

A truck flipped over after col-Street and University Avenue,

Officer Brad Hopper with the south-bound lane of Univer- pursue damages from the driver. sity Avenue, colliding with the side of the street.

The post, which was not in

and thrown several yards into the lawn of a residential complex near

the truck. Hopper did not disclose the liding with a wooden post Mon- condition of the driver, but said day near the intersection of 19th no other vehicles were involved in the accident.

Inspectors from Lubbock Power the Lubbock Police Department and Light responded to the scene, said an elderly man was driving Hopper said, but determined no a white 1999 GMC truck west serious damage was done to the in the east-bound lane of 19th power line or supporting wire, Street, when he turned south in and the company does not plan to

The truck, which received support wire of an electric line extensive damage in the front and a wooden post on the west and had its roof nearly peeled off, was towed away by a wrecker service.

use, was uprooted from the ground adam.young@ttu.edu

moving boxes or

lock and trailer use.



PHOTO BY DARREL THOMAS/The Daily Toreador A Lubbock police officer heads back to his patrol car after wrecker service finishes loading a vehicle that wrecked Monday afternoon at 19th and University.

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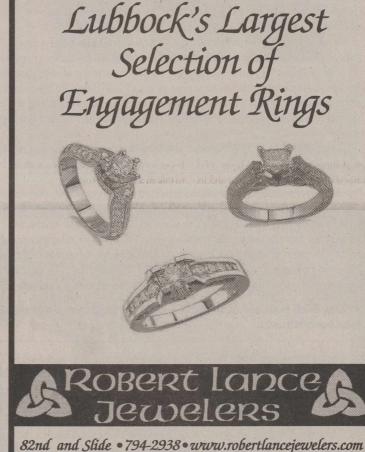
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# Crazy diamonds shine on in West Texas

tay with me here. It was April 12, 2002, and a much anticipated night was upon us. I was in a crowd of thousands in Austin, being addressed by Lance Armstrong, who strangely was thanking a smoky and flashback-prone crowd for contributing to the cause of cancer research.

Pink Floyd ... at the hands of the Stone hands of gods. Temple Pilots.

song to hear live. The crowd was full of over the floor.

A hum began to turn into a whisper;

Michael

We had just heard the band Cake a whisper into a chant; a chant into a and eagerly were anticipating the yell. Fists in air, we were unstoppable. Stone Temple Pilots taking the stage. We sang like no one was watching,

But no matter, they infused the where the rolling hills turn to into iconic music with a rock-star grandeur mounds. Where trees turn to shrubs and that brings tears to the hardest eyes. where you shed your collective identity Shine on you Crazy Diamond, Part like a snake sheds its skin, and pull the One. The undisputed best Pink Floyd mold out of the jello and let it spill all

homes where we once pledged our altime to take the ride. legiance, but that wouldn't be very West graduation, you either have to take the easy road of considering your situation as temporary and insignificant, or travel that dimly lit, uncertain path of adaptation to uncommon circumstances and new experiences.

Change often is forced upon us, and To our amazement, something strange with child-like enthusiasm, bathing in the flat and unforgiving landscape of began to unfold. We started to hear the unlimited possibility of music at the West Texas is a cold reminder that we need to wipe our slates clean and create So here I am. Austin to Lubbock, something unique from the ground up.

> As the hills fade away and the faint signals of faraway radio stations crackle over the radio, people from far and wide involve themselves in our experience. New cultures find their place in our disposition and ideas from a diverse set It would be easy to concede that of educators coalesce into our identity. Lubbock isn't as fun or fulfilling as the We've bought the ticket, and now it's

We are unique in our quest and

Stirring in restless anticipation, we prepare ourselves for the grandest stage of them all, in front of the merciless crowd of 'the real world.'

ships upon landing in Africa, we must succeed or die. We don't compete with of the largest footprints.

our peers, but with the world.

Texas. With change comes opportunity, make no mistake: we are alone in the prepare ourselves for the grandest stage and see two things: limitless possibility and somewhere on that flat, long road to most beautiful way. Like the warrior of them all, in front of the merciless or endless hope. A life of recalibration crowd of "the real world."

> The landscape is stripped of its ornathat go by like tumbleweeds. ments like we are stripped of our protective, immature selves. It is up to us to the lyrics to your song. This will be an a make something happen, to change the capella act with many people watching status quo. There is something strangely West Texas about this.

There is a popular adage that "colis almost completely inapplicable to us. who we are, not who we want to be.

tity to subscribe to here. During the years be had easily. to come, we will write the soundtracks of our own lives. We will play to the drum Agathocles of Syracuse, who burned his of purpose and ambition for something larger than ourselves, and fill the shoes

With the right kind of eyes, someone Stirring in restless anticipation, we can look into the West Texas horizon and determination, or a life of dreams

> Sure, the audience never will chant from the sidelines. If done right, your song will be one worth remembering.

The audience will whisper, will lege is where you find yourself," and it chant, will scream with fists in air: "Come on you stranger, you martyr, We must forge our identity, and become you legend — and shine!" Yes, there are many things we would like to do in For most of us, there will be no identhis lifetime. Nothing truly worth it will

> ■ Randell is a junior finance and economics major from Austin. E-mail him at michael.randell@ttu.edu.

I love college football. When I was 13, my father took me to see the Georgia Bulldogs play. Later, in the late '90s, I was in grad school at the University of Florida, and I went to every home game the year the Gators won the National Championship and Danny Wuerffel Heisman.

Once, I even painted my face orange and blue. I've grown up, and I still love college football, and I even wrote a Pindaric sestina last year about Michael Crabtree, despite the fact that these elite "scholar/athletes" get special

treatment above the rest of the common students. Of course, not every one of them is a Reggie Bush. Yet, are they special enough that Texas Tech University should wink at a \$200,000 loss after the Red Raiders Gator Bowl trip? Texas Tech deputy athletic director Bobby Gleason puts a spin on

the deficit, calling it "this advertising dollar." What exactly are we advertising? A botched economics department? I know it's not a popular stance to take, criticizing anything football in Texas, but I didn't choose popularity when I decided I'd be a poet.

Like it or not — and some do seem to like it — we're all affected negatively by the waste perpetrated by the football program on this past year's Gator Bowl, and we ought to hold Mike Leach's staff and certain administrators accountable for this negligence. Is this just the cost of doing business? What kind of business model is this? Apparently, Texas Tech sent 750 Red Raiders to Jacksonville to watch or play

I know. Is that all? No wonder the stands were so empty. Yes, we're the red and the black, but why not find a way to end up in the black? To travel light? Maybe even by bus, to a closer bowl? I guess I live

At poetry readings, we're always troubled when it comes to the reception afterwards: United brand soft drinks or real Cokes? Generic chips or Tostitos? I'm certainly not doubting Leach's genius for the game.

I love his nutty ways: doing the weather, talking smack to the refs, acting like he reads lots of books on pirates. But next time, maybe send only 300 people to the game and they all eat sack lunches like the rest of us, then athletics could give a \$200,000 endowment for scholarships to the English department.

Maybe that wouldn't generate much press, but it might generate an education.

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First, I let me say that I do not agree with, nor am I associated with, The Young Conservatives Chapter at Texas Tech. They should have found a classier way of expressing their views on illegal immigration. I understand the reasoning behind it because illegal immigration is choking this country to death.

I also understand why those immigrants come to this country, to live out their own American dream, but they could do it legally, like all the rest of the American citizens have done and are still doing. That same reason is why Canadian people come to America, because the Canadian "public" system

of health care is well terminally cancerous to the really ill or pregnant patient that actually need care because the tax-paid insurance companies won't cover those expenses, Mr. Borshuk. So let's talk about the shameful displays of freedom of speech, Mr. Borshuk. You don't like the

YCT for expressing their views, but you write for a paper that disgustingly displays the "Death Toll" of American Military in Iraq. Then, when that paper is questioned on that "Death Toll," it tucks its tail and hides behind the First Amendment.

Never displaying how many Iraqi lives were saved from mass graves or chemical genocide, how many schools and hospitals were built, or how many free elections were successfully conducted for the Iraqi people by the American Service men and women.

Those same servicemen and women, back in 1776, gave all of us the freedom of speech and many other freedoms, which, oh by the way, Iraqis never had till now. Write something about that shameful display, Mr. Borshuk, rather than about some misguided Republicans trying to making a point.

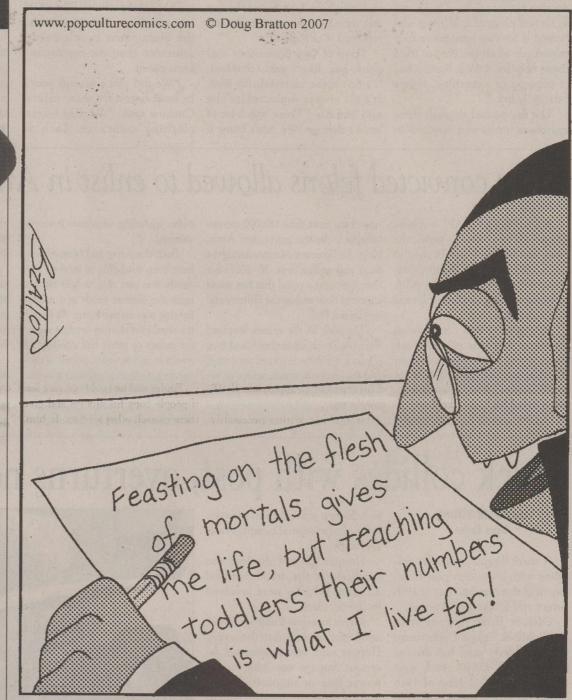
So let me make my freedom of speech movie analogy and paraphrase: Freedom of speech is like the piece of paper that Matt Damon slaps on a Waffle House-like window to prove to a Harvard smartass that Matt is the better man and got the coveted lady's phone number but, the lady in this argument is what the American people think.

So Mr. Borshuk, do you like apples? "I got the 'lady's' number!"

How you like them apples?

God Bless America

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## The Count writes his personal mission statement.

I, frankly, am tired of reading articles bashing the Young Conservatives of Texas. As a member, I feel that all of the articles written, including the latest by Professor Michael Borshuk, are entirely uninformed and hypocritical.

First and foremost, the event hosted almost a month ago was not a "racial vendetta." There are illegal immigrants in this country of every race and nationality. Secondly, the event was not solely based on this large issue. More recently, two pieces of legislation have passed through Congress allowing college students illegally in this country to pay in-state

This allows these students lower tuition costs than those who hail from any other U.S. state. That is what the protest was concerning. As far as the general allegations presented by the articles, YCT is a multi-racial group, both on campus and as a state whole.

Conservative is not synonymous with racist, nor does it automatically mean "white." As far as the "hundreds of students who have been offended by this debacle," I believe that the complaint submitted to administration was the responsibility of two students. And lastly, I apologize if Dr. Borshuk has to be submitted to any more sub-par, "boorish" demonstrations of free speech.

If he anticipates being offended by utilization of free speech that he encounters, I suggest he steer clear of the SUB Free Speech Zone. Although I have never met the professor or taken one of his courses, may I propose that he may be the exact type of teacher that we are trying to raise awareness about with the Professor Watch List.

And if continues to believe that the only allowed type of free speech should be those topics that he approves of, I suggest Mr. Borshuk run for president and try to get that fixed. Oh wait, he can't ... he's Canadian.

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# **MOVIE REVIEW**

# 'Forgetting Sarah Marshall' proves worthwhile

By EMILY FLETCHER CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Hilarity ensues in the newest Jason Segal cinematic endeavor, however the "best comedic film of the decade," as Richard Roper claims, it is not. The movie succeeds in carrying the Judd Apatow torch, combining romantic appeal with raunchy comedy.

We open with the laid back, slightly pathetic couch potato Peter Bretter (Segal) being dumped by longtime girlfriend Sarah Marshall (Kristin Bell), while completely in the nude - according to Segal, a semi-autobiographical scenario. Marshall provided some of the cleverest moments in the movie here with satirical quips at the crime television genre, of which she was a rising star. The scenes, I suspect, are

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Eppler

significant."

"CSI Miami," unless he can laugh at his own career choices as Bell does in this film, where a direct reference is made to her performance in the Japanese remake, box office flop "Pulse."

ter retreats to Hawaii to forget Marshall, only to discover her vacationing with her new boyfriend Aldous Snow (Russell Brand) at the same resort. Mila Kunis, known to many as Jackie Burkhart of "That '70s Show" and Meg Griffin of "Family Guy," was a ray of sunshine as the flawed but passionate Rachel Jansen, an employee of the resort that sets the scene. Genre collaborative favorites Jonah Hill ("Superbad") and Paul Rudd ("Knocked Up") make appearances as an Aldous Snow-obsessed

surf instructor, respectively.

Group interaction of the four main characters provided some of the best scenes, complemented by slightly odd cameos that help Bretter and Marshall gain much needed perspective on the pitfalls of their relationship. An unexpected mutual understanding, even appreciation, burgeons between Snow and Bretter, and both characters developed sufficiently to embrace their weaknesses and love them anyway.

About the time the characters finally figured out who they were supposed to end up with, I'd predicted the straightforward ending from the get-go and "wrap it up" signs started flashing in my head. Fortunately, I didn't give up altogether, as one of the biggest laughs of the movie is held to the end. Segal draws from his self-proclaimed identification with the classic "Dracula" and love for puppets, culminating in Bretter performing a "Gothic Neil Diamond" rendition of a musical inspired by the Bram Stoker literary classic.

Overall, the movie was thoroughly enjoyable and certainly targeted to an audience with a collegiate mentality, but the film is likely to achieve a wider fan base than "Superbad" simply because it is slightly more mature. If it hadn't been for the dwindling energy during some of Bretter's grieving and again toward the end when the audience had figured it all out, it may have indeed been one of the best comedies of the decade. However, as with the characters, the flaws are forgivable and "Forgetting Sarah Marshall" won't soon be forgotten.

ing a series of planned performances

soon try to publish a graphic novel

that he has been working on. The

graphic novel's premise is "Andy

Eppler versus the pop-music ma-

is another radical shift in his creative

creative person, and he just channels

sion, Andy Eppler has one goal when

affecting anybody at the end of the

it out in a lot of different ways.'

he writes, sings, plays or designs.

other form of expression.

Agreeing that the graphic novel

"He's obviously very different,"

Regardless of his medium of expres-

"To me," he said, "if you're not

Also, Andy Eppler said he will

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# cringe-worthy for David Caruso of

Unfortunately for the pair, Bret-

aspiring musician and a burnt-out experiment more with his creativity and release a recording of his other passion: writing. During the album's seventh track, "Paper and Pen,"

said. "That's the great thing about between paper and pen.' Too much of today's music holds Without meaning to, you write about little artistic expression, he said. something that, later on, you find Most musicians of his generation write formulaic lyrics and produce Growing up in Lubbock may have albums infused with artificial effects. played a role in his choice to become Such music offers little in the way of a musician, Eppler said, though it is musical progress.

"If you're going to make art," life in Lubbock drives people to play he said, "you might as well make it music, even if they are not embraced legitimate.'

For instance, the album's first short story, "The Abernathys," ex-"Lubbock is so musically — if plores the emotional desperation you're an artist or if you have an that accompanies a loved one's death. Eppler said he wrote it not plays the guitar so they apply it to long after his wedding and the death music," he said. "If you're an artistic of his grandfather, approximately 18 person in Lubbock, the likelihood of months ago.

lower than of you becoming a musi- does not mirror his life directly, but cian, just because that's considered ... it does mirror his thoughts and his his live performances.

success for a musician, Eppler said. He preacher — a trait he finds remarkspends a great deal of time perform- ably common among Lubbock's ing. During what little free time he musicians — he said he has had his does have, Eppler works diligently struggles with his own spirituality and to promote himself. "Drive" is a wanted to delve into those struggles a Sweetwater native whom he met key component in the success of a through the album's second short while attending South Plains Col-

As the album's 11-minute final Since he was 16 years old, he said he has performed his music at coffee track, "The Surgeons of Shadow" shops and eventually bars, where he is a graphic account of sacrifice and had to "sneak into his own shows" suffering, good and evil.

because he was not vet 21 years old. Now, years later, Eppler earns Eppler said he also gives listeners does his thing, and usually it turns enough money with his music to a glimpse into how he feels about support himself. He said he wanted to certain issues, ranging anywhere from

the unsightly curtains in his living- said he will record a live album durroom to his apathy toward politics. During the album's second poem,

"Political Man," he gives a sarcastic ably a piece of me in there," he Eppler defines himself as "the point" and somewhat-scathing critique of politicians.

> "You fascinate me political man, how your miraculous mind in all its infinite capacity could hold so chine." much truth and reason," Eppler's voice reads. "By what treachery and foolishness has it come to be that the energies, he said it will just be anworld has not recognized you for the fountain of wisdom that you are?"

> The motivation behind "Dark Jessica Eppler said. "I think he's just a Places" was not money, he said. He created the album to merely expand his horizons. Because he does not intend to sell the second album as much as he sold the first, he will not offer it in a hard copy. He will, however, sell it on iTunes.

Eppler said he could not care less day, what are you doing?" if people copy his albums and give He said his writing necessarily them to each other for free. To him, a free exchange of his music promotes

"If I didn't sell any more CDs of Growing up as the son of a local ("There is No Underground"), and everyone just burned it, that would be totally fine with me," he said. "For me, it's a free commercial."

Jessica Eppler, Andy's wife and lege, said she encouraged his decision to produce the spoken-word album, "Dark Places."

"He has always written short stories and poetry and stuff, so I thought Through the album's poetry, it was pretty cool," she said. "He just out pretty cool."

For a third album, Andy Eppler

## Art school hosts exhibition of grad student Jimena Marín

By BRIDGET DE STEFANO STAFF WRITER

The Studio Gallery of the hibition of Texas Tech graduate student Jimena Marín, which runs from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. every Monday through Saturday in the Art building.

student is one of a few students to display her art in the MFA thesis exhibition.

According to a press release, "as a child growing up in Puebla, Mexico, Marín learned tasks, she was able to travel mentally to a place that was different from her reality."

described as a sample of what the hands and body are doing during the mental journey.

She builds and paints structures that connect with her ideas and

"I create visual metaphors School of Art is hosting an ex- and, by repeating shapes with a rhythm, I get a material evidence of my thoughts and learning processes," Marín said.

Art professor Terri Morrow described Marín's work as "poetic The painting and drawing and extremely thoughtful.

Morrow has walked through Marín's current exhibition of mixed media and is very impressed by the aesthetics the graduate student has used.

"Jimena really gets in and that by engaging in repetitive thinks about stuff when she creates art," Morrow said.

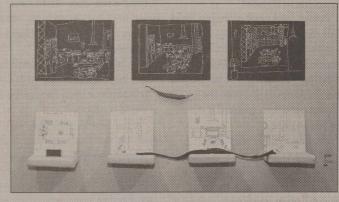
A reception with Marín will take place from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Marín's artwork has been Friday in the Art building. The exhibition is free and open to the public.

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**EXHIBITONS OF** JIMENA Marín's work is held in the School of Art Studio Gallery.



## 'Harold & Kumar' delivers few scattered laughs

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The poster for "Harold & Kumar Escape From Guantanamo Bay" is the best thing about the movie, depicting the brainy potheads in orange prison jumpsuits staring in disbelief from behind a wire-mesh fence.

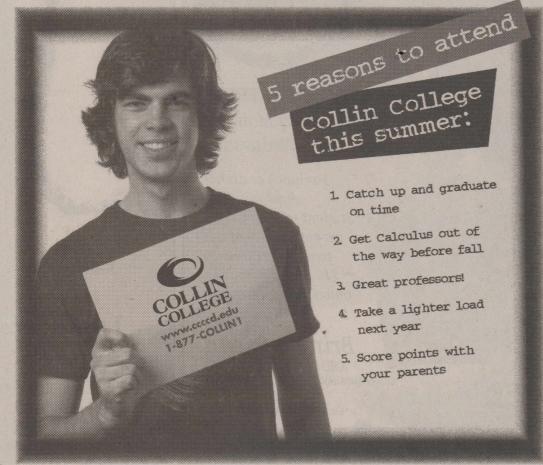
That one still image captures all the inherent humor of two wily-as-Bugs-Bunny guys who are about to bust out of the U.S. military's main boarding house for terrorism suspects.

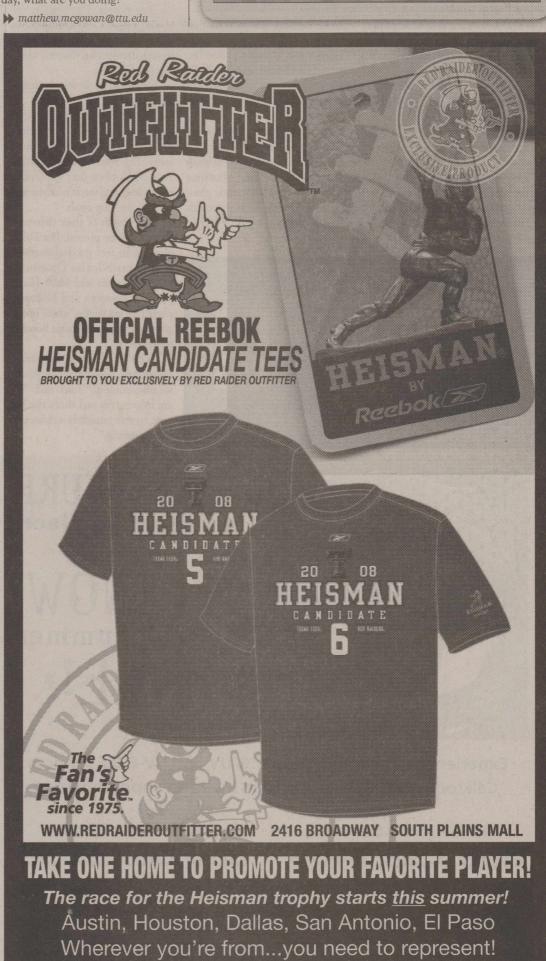
Actually seeing them in motion is mostly an anticlimactic affair as the sequel follows the fitfully funny, fitfully too-stupid-to-live pattern of 2004's "Harold & Kumar Go to White Castle."

That first movie fizzled in its theatrical release but found an audience on DVD, leading to Chapter 2 in the adventures of best buds Harold (John Cho) and Kumar (Kal Penn).

The movie picks up exactly where the first one ended, with the two washing away (and in more disgusting fashion, otherwise expunging) the effects of their successful munchie run

Now, they're off to Amsterdam so Harold can woo his dream girl (Paula Garces), and he and Kumar can openly smoke all the weed they want in the land of legalized marijuana.





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# Softball begins 6-game homestand Tech baseball prepares for midweek with doubleheader against UTA

**By ALEX YBARRA** STAFF WRITER

road losing streak with a sweep of Baylor Sunday in Waco, the Texas in Lubbock.

The Red Raiders will face the Big 12 Championship game. UTA in a doubleheader at 2 p.m. consecutive games.

Tech (17-32, 5-9 in Big 12 Conference play) swept Baylor in Waco for the first time since 1998, handing 2003. Tech now has five wins in Big 12 play, which is the most under been accomplished since 2001.

Under Wilson, the Red Raiders' three in 2005 to four in the past two Conference.

seasons. With its last two Big 12 series at home, Tech has a chance Hulme (11-5, 2.03 ERA) has to put the most conference wins up After snapping an eight-game since Bobby Reeves led Tech to 10 only giving up 38 walks with 133

Tech softball team returns home ing for a late-season charge similar to Jones (5-10, 1.61 ERA), has conlooking to continue its stellar play last year, when they went 6-2 during ducted a strong performance this the last eight games en route to the

UTA (20-19) was four games and 4 p.m. today at Rocky Johnson under .500 before the it won eight-Field, where they have won eight straight games, but the Mavericks have dropped three consecutive (8-13, 2.27 ERA) picked up the games and are in jeopardy of falling wins at Baylor, and will most back under .500.

Offensively, senior shortstop the Lady Bears their first sweep in Amanda Swofford paces UTA with a conference series at home since a .336 average, 25 RBIs and 10 home runs, while Samantha Chumchal is hitting .333. Brittany Washington coach Teresa Wilson and had not and Rebecca Collom have combined for 17 home runs and 33 RBIs, adding a balanced attack to a lineup conference wins have increased from that has done well in the Southland

In the circle, sophomore Cara pitched 113.2 innings this season, strikeouts. UTA's other main The Red Raiders could be prepar- starting pitcher, senior Laura season, but whenever she steps in the circle, her team leaves the bats at home.

> Tech pitchers Tye Coats (6-12, 4.03 ERA) and Ashly Jacobs likely see action against UTA. However, in Tech's last outing at Rocky Johnson Field, junior Alex Watkins pitched a one-hitter for her first career shutout in a win against UTSA, so she could see some time as well.

> UTA will be the fourth Southland Conference opponent Tech has faced at home this season.

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# series with New Mexico State In the first game, Tech is sched- over Texas A&M-Corpus Christi

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for a midweek series with New Mexico State.

beat Kansas State 19-4 Sunday and six hits and four walks. will look to keep the offense going when they host the Aggies (18-23) at 6:05 p.m. today at Dan Law Field and then travel to Roswell, N.M., at 6 p.m. at Coca-Cola Field.

— two earned — on four hits while striking out two. His last start came After losing eight-straight on April 9, where he pitched 2.2 games, the Red Raiders (18-23) innings, and gave up six runs on

Dillon Smith (1-2) is scheduled to get the start for NMSU.

The Red Raiders' 19-run explosion Sunday is the second Wednesday to complete the series most in one game all season, the most coming in Tech's 21-8 win

uled to put Russ Fornea (3-3, 6.28 March 18. Infielders Willie Rueda ERA) on the mound. In his last and Joey Kenworthy continue to Fresh off breaking its longest appearance, he came out of the be the most consistent offensive losing streak since 1987, the Texas bullpen April 15 at UNLV, throw-presences for Tech as Rueda has an Tech baseball team is gearing up ing 2.2 innings giving up four runs on-base percentage of .449 and has 20 stolen bases in 22 attempts, and Kenworthy has reached base safely in 34 of 41 games this season.

> Roger Kieschnick might be breaking out of his slump that began around the beginning of the Big 12 Conference season as he had seven RBIs and his first home run in conference since March 16 against Texas A&M.

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## Robidas' toughness just what the Stars needed

DALLAS (AP) — Sergei Zubov Philippe Boucher went down, too. So the Dallas Stars cringed when Stephane Robidas, another reliable defenseman, took a puck off his face and rushed straight to the dress-Anaheim Ducks.

The Stars already had three rookie that to him, that's gratifying to me." defensemen suited up. What were they going to do now?

Before co-general managers Brett Hull and Les Armstrong could go over their contingency list, Robidas returned to the bench. With cotton a power play, then toughed it out the of arena conflicts. rest of the game.

And he was just warming up.

Playing Game 6 with a cage pro- probably Thursday. tecting his face, all Robidas did was score his first career playoff goal to Zubov (sports hernia) will be re-evalutie it at 1, then set up what proved to be the game-winning goal 52 seconds later. Dallas won 4-1 Sunday night, is whether he'll keep the cage. sending the Stars into the second eliminating the defending Stanley the appreciation of his teammates \_ that's good enough. and even his foes.

Morrow said.

often," goaltender Marty Turco said.

ing the post-series handshake.

"I was last in line and Robi was was already out with an injury. Then right in front of me," Dallas coach Dave Tippett said. "It's interesting to hear the comments he was getting from the Anaheim players about what kind of player he is. ... He's one of the best teammates you'll ever find. He ing room during Game 5 of their will go through a wall to help the team good smarts or good fortune, Rofirst-round playoff series against the win. ... We all recognize it in our room, bidas was in the right place when but to hear those Anaheim players say

> Robidas, Boucher and Zubov are getting a few days off to heal. The Stars' next foe depends on whether Calgary or San Jose wins Game 7 of their series Tuesday night.

stuffed up the nostrils of his broken home against Colorado, with Game came right on my blade. I wanted nose, he jumped right onto the ice for 1 probably not until Sunday because to shoot it on net; Giguere was out

open on the road against San Jose, that it went in."

round for the first time since 2003, what the Stars are all about: Not the just lost his man. biggest, strongest or most talented, but Cup champions and earning Robidas always giving his all and, quite often,

"He's a warrior," captain Brenden blocked shots and second in hits this lenge is winning a second-round season. He set a career high in goals "He's one of those heart-and-soul with a modest nine, tied his career players who don't come along very high in assists with 17 and, obviously, set his career high in points. back to the Cup finals. The Ducks paid their tributes dur- So he's certainly a valuable guy to

"He's a much better player than he gets credit for," said veteran Stu Barnes, who scored the game-winner off Robidas' perfect feed in front of the crease. "He's a good skater; he's smart out there."

Whether it was good skating, Mike Modano's smash went wide of Anaheim goalie Jean-Sebastien Giguere, banging off the end boards and caroming back out. He turned it into the tying goal and his first in 25 career playoff games.

"I was just going for a rebound," If Calgary wins, Dallas will be at Robidas said. "It hit the boards, of place. I wasn't really aiming at If the Sharks win, the Stars will any spot in particular. I was lucky

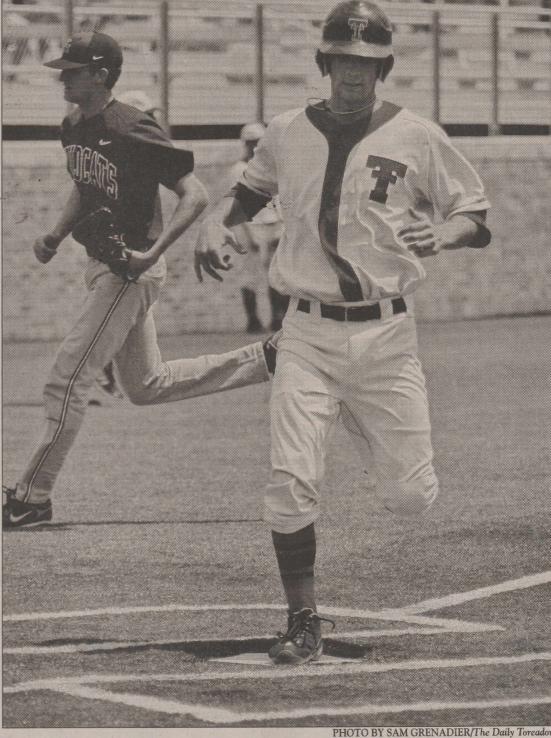
There was no luck on his next Tippett said Boucher (hip) and shift. It was pure skill that sent him barreling past his defender on the side boards. Then he cruised As for Robidas, the only question toward Giguere. When the goalie committed to stopping Robidas, he Tippett said Robidas epitomizes shoveled the puck to Barnes, who'd

> "All I had to do was put it in," Barnes said.

Now that Dallas has gotten over Robidas was first on the team in its first-round hump, the next chalseries. The Stars haven't done that since 2000, when they were reigning champs and made it all the way

> The health of their defensive corps could be pivotal. But Dallas also has to feel good about how youngsters Nicklas Grossman, Matt Niskanen and Mark Fistric played. Grossman and Niskanen played all six games, while Fistric got into the last three after Boucher

> "The whole group has stayed committed and doing everything we are capable of," Turco said. "We are moving on and that's the fun part, to give ourselves a chance to keep winning."



TEXAS TECH'S FIRST baseman Jason Seefeld tags home plate in the game against Kansas State Sunday afternoon to help them beat the Wildcats 19-4.

## Tech starting pitcher Ramos out for season

be back in time for the beginning start up again next year." of the 2009 season.

notch competitor," said Tech Asso- walked 40 batters in 45 innings benjamin.maki@ttu.edu

According to a press release, he he desperately wanted to help our innings pitched. will require surgery and will be out club. He will get through this sur-

"A.J. is a very tough kid and top find the strike zone as he has season.

Texas Tech starting pitcher ciate Head Coach Dan Spencer in pitched. He was 1-4 with an ERA A.J. Ramos has suffered a tear in a press release. "He has been pitch- of 7.40 this season. In 2007, he his ulnar collateral ligament in his ing hurt all season long and didn't went 8-5 with a 4.70 ERA where want any of us (to) know because he walked just 35 batters in 85

According to the release, the for the rest of the season, and if his gery, and I have no doubt that he rotation had not been set yet but rehab goes as planned, he should will be back at full force when we will be determined by the middle of the week. Ramos had pitched He has struggled this year to on Fridays and Saturdays this

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# Tennis teams falter in final weekend of Big 12 play

By KEVIN CULLEN STAFF WRITER

The weekend brought disappointment for Tech men's and women's tennis teams.

Neither team was able to capi- named person to talize on important matches to write a letter to close their seasons.

The No. 73 Lady Raiders (11- about conduct in the 11, 4-7 in Big 12 Conference play) match. lost to No. 32 Texas A&M (15-7, 9-2) 6-1 Friday at the McLeod na keep pressing for-Tennis Center and then lost to No. ward," Groce said. 21 Texas (16-5, 10-1) 6-1 Sunday in Austin at the Penick-Allison us a return address Tennis Center.

In both matches, Tech's sole them back and say point came from winning doubles, that we are gonna which the Lady Raiders have won continue chasing 12 times this season.

The struggles in singles continued however, as the team went winless for the weekend.

"It's always disappointing when you have all this momentum when and tell us how you you win the doubles point," said Tech senior Janet Durham, who played her final match at home to redeem themselves in the Big 12 proved to be a big advantage for No. 6, we had chances to win all against A&M. "We always come Tournament when they face Okla- the Red Raiders this year as they four matches. Unfortunately, we out fighting hard, and we never just homa Thursday give anybody anything. You have in College Stato give credit when credit is due to tion. the other team. They came out and they fired against us in singles and we fought back as hard as we could, 4-2) entered the we just couldn't pull it out."

Against A&M, there was no- Baylor (19-8, 5ticeable hostility among the play- 1) with a chance ers that seemed to extend to the to win the Big coaches as they argued throughout 12 regular seathe match about calls and whether son championor not the officials should be ship for the first removed.

"I think we beat them in dou- history. bles and shocked them," Tech coach Cari Groce said. "Their opportunity to coaches immediately started mak- win the confering waves and talking about trying ence, but we lost to pull officials out of chairs. 'If you to a very good don't pull this official out of this team," Tech coach Tim Siegel said. in the doubles, the No. 2 and No. 3 chair and that, then we're going to "Baylor is a Top 10-level team. We doubles," he said. "I thought they protest this match.' I thought that played well in most spots."

was a little premature on the Aggies' end, but then again, they're Aggies.'

The fiery match prompted an un-Groce complaining

"We are still gon-"They didn't leave to be able to write y'all until we pass you. Don't be anonymous. Come on in and sit down and have a coke with us feel face to face."

The Lady Raiders will attempt

The No. 16 Tech men (19-4, match at No. 13 time in school

"We had an



FILE PHOTO/The Daily Toreado

SENIOR JANET DURHAM hits the ball across the court back to Texas A&M's Chrsti Lilies. This was Durham's last match in her college career.

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Aggies' end, but

then again, they're

Aggies.

- CARI GROCE

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TENNIS COACH

have not lost a match in which they won the doubles point.

Saturday though, Tech fell behind early able to win the 19-1. doubles point. Siegel said his players battled throughout the match, but stave off the Station. Bears' powerful lineup.

"They just played too good

were extremely good at No. 1 and

Winning the doubles point has No. 2 singles. At No. 3 through just got two of them.'

> Lenoir Ramos and Michael Breler accounted for the two points Tech earned from the No. 3 and No. 6 spots, respectively.

Breler ends the regular season undefeated in Big 12 singles play when it was un- at 6-0 and an overall record of

The loss ended the Red Raiders' season in the No. 2 spot in the Big 12, which means Tech's first match in the conference tournament will be against No. 23 were unable to A&M at 3 p.m. Friday in College

"We know have a very tough match," Siegel said. "But we believe that if we win this match, we'll be one of the Top 16 teams. So, we would be able to host (the first round of the NCAA Tournament) if we win this match. We believe we control our own destiny as far as that is concerned."

Baylor and Texas end the season tied for the Big 12 regular season title.

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## Buchholz, Ortiz lead Bosox to 4th straight win, beat Texas

with a pair of doubles and the Boston Red Sox completed a fourwith an 8-3 win Monday.

scored at least five runs for the the fourth. ninth straight game. They finished with 12 hits and 11 walks.

Paul Revere's ride and the battles of Lexington and Concord in 1775 on the same day as the Boston him up, allowing Lowrie to score. Marathon. Runners passed by Fenway Park starting in the third — just like the Red Sox offense.

guing a third strike in the second fifth run. inning Sunday, is batting .338 and Casey, with a .349 average, rested against lefty Kason Gabbard.

Boston rallied late to win its previous two games but didn't need a comeback this time as it scored five runs in a wild fourth inning

BOSTON (AP) — Clay Buch- hits and two walks with six strikeouts, holz pitched six shutout innings, one in each of his innings, as Boston David Ortiz drove in three runs won for the ninth time in 10 games. Texas is 2-9 in its last 11.

Gabbard left the game with a stiff game sweep of the Texas Rangers back after throwing two shutouts innings. Nippert came in and got out Julio Lugo went 4-for-4 with a of a first-and-third jam in the third, walk and an RBI as the Red Sox then gave up five runs on five hits in

J.D. Drew led off with a walk, took second on a balk and third on a bunt The annual game on Patriots single by Jed Lowrie. Lugo followed Day \_ a holiday commemorating with an RBI single. Then Kevin Cash hit a soft line out to second baseman Ian Kinsler. Lugo strayed off first but \_began at 11:06 a.m. It takes place Kinsler threw wildly trying to double

Jacoby Ellsbury singled and Dustin Pedroia hit a two-run double. Ortiz inning and kept going for hours hit what looked like a routine fly out to left fielder Milton Bradley. But And they did it without two Bradley lost a battle with the earlyof their leading hitters. Manny afternoon sun and the ball dropped Ramirez, who was ejected for ar- behind him as Pedroia scored the

There was nothing odd about got the day off. Lefty hitter Sean Boston's next three runs in the fifth. Lugo led off with a double, took third on Cash's single and scored on

Ellsbury's single. Then Ortiz hit the ball off the left-field wall for a two-run double and an 8-0 lead.

Texas scored two runs in the and three in the fifth, all off Dustin seventh on two RBI doubles - by Gerald Laird off David Aardsma and Buchholz (1-1) allowed five by Josh Hamliton off Javier Lopez.

## Spurs' Ginobili wins sixth man award

San Antonio Spurs guard Manu ship," Ginobili said. Ginobili good enough to be. on Monday.

Ginobili led the Spurs in came in second. scoring, averaging a career-high 19.5 points to go with 4.8 re-74 games he played this season.

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — helps the team to win a champion-

The Spurs have a 1-0 lead over a starter on about any team \_ the Phoenix Suns in their bestwon the NBA's sixth man award of-seven first-round playoff series. given to the league's best reserve Suns guard Leandro Barbosa won the award last year and Ginobili

"He's one of the better players in the NBA, who just happens to bounds and 4.5 assists. Ginobili come off the bench," said Spurs came off the bench in 51 of the starting guard Michael Finley. "Any other team in the league, "I really don't care about he'd probably be starting, but for coming from the bench if that him to come off the bench and put his ego aside it just shows what kind of team we have, and more importantly what kind of player and All-Star he is."

> Ginobili got 123 of 124 firstplace votes for 615 points. Barbosa came in second with 283 points and the Dallas Mavericks' Jason Terry was third with 44.

"It was no race. Just like, when (is it) going to happen," said Spurs point guard Tony Parker. "He was our best player all year long."

The 6-foot-6 guard who gives the team a boost of energy off the bench. He was drafted by the Spurs in 1999 in the second round with the 57th overall pick. The Argentinian has been with the team for three of its four title runs.

That is what I'm going to remember when I retire, the rings I have," Ginobili said. "Not the fact I played 28 minutes or 33 or my name being called in the starting lineup. That's not going to make the difference in 10 to 15 years."

Ginobili enters the game, usually about midway through the first quarter, to huge roars from the crowd when the Spurs announcer yells "Here comes Manu!"

"I just consider myself a player, a team player," Ginobili said. "So this year he (Spurs coach Gregg Popovich) thought it was more important for me to come from the bench, so I just try to do it the best way I can."

Popovich gave all the credit to Ginobili, who is the first Spurs player to win the award.



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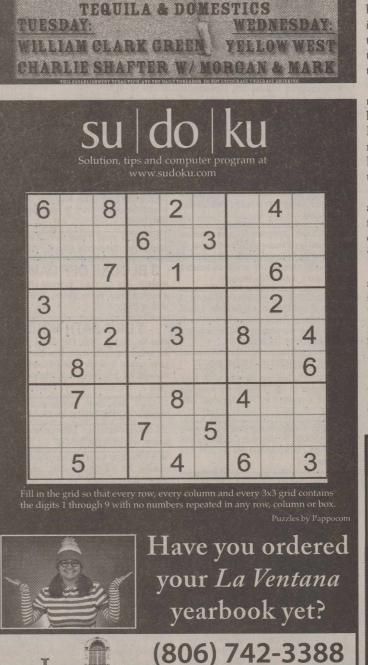
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