

Tech museum names executive director
Johnson is 39-year tenured faculty member, has served 1 year as interim

By KASSIDY KETRON Staff Writer
Texas Tech officials named a 39-year tenured faculty member he newest director of the Museum of Texas Tech University on Thursday.
Eileen Johnson, a Horm professor in museum science and senior curator, was named the executive director after serving as the interim director for the past year.
executive director was composed of staff from the museum, fac-
uly members from the university and members of the museum association. Out of the dozen applications and the final three candidates, Smith and President Guy Bailey agreed on Johnson.
Smith said what set Johnson was not only her time working with the museum and the Lubbock Lake Landmark, but also her ability to keep the museum integrated with the mission of the university and encouraging input from the community.

with all these people, and I also really appreciate the con munity's support.' Instead of halting any ongoing research because of her new position, Johnson said as H Horn professor her research is not an hing she has put on hold and it has increased within the last yea
Johnson said her current research pertains to Jerion, the last geologice era. Her research spans from as recenntly as the 1880 s to as old as 2.6 million years ago.
"I work with a team, and I work here and on the Southern Plains, but I also work in Mexico and Argentina," Johnson said Johnson said her hopes for the accredited museum are to continue to set standards and push boundaries because it is teaching institution.
Johnson said she believes her Long-term experience in the museum, her administrative ex-
perience in directing Lubbock Lake Landmark and her strong perience in directing Lubbock Lake Landmark and her strong for the job.
"I greatly appreciate all the support that I have received

MUSEUM continued on Page $2>$
Body, soul week deals with eating disorders at Tech
Student Counseling Center to sponsor events next week
















 Eating Disorders Awareness Week,

 said the week features many
















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Univ. releases third volume of web-based Tech journal 1st issue of 'All Things Tech' published
By BRIAN HOWARD
STAFF Wrrier
Texas Tech officials recently
released the first issue of the third
volume of the journal of higher
education at Texas Tech, or "All
Thing Sexas Tech," a web-based,
multimedia communication vehicle
found on the Tech website.
The e ournal serves as a com-
munication tool for the Tech com-
munity, allowing students, teachers
and whomever else it may concerm
to read about what actions are being
taken to promote higher education
 from the staff and the museum throughout campus and the


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## Museum

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## cause we ere very much family", Johson said. "We are ever yupportive of each

other and we're a team.'
Robert Baker, a Horm professor of
 sciences reearch laboratory at the mur
seum, sid hes known lohnson since she came to workat Tech.
Baker said he encourged Johson
to apply for the position of executive to apply for the position of execuive
director beeause he believed the museum neded someone with her skills

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"Ithink she will continue to build on our strengths, and
make hard decisions even though they may not be popular," Baker said.

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Grammy-nominated quintet to perform

By HALLIE DAVIS

STaff Writer
Imani Winds, a Grammy- nominated quintet, performs
at 7 p.m. Friday in the Allen Theatre to open the Presidential Lecture and Performance Series for the spring.
Since 1997, the e Since 1997, the ensemble
has played in Carnegie Hall,
was featured on NPR's "All was featured on NPR's "All the World," and has received coverage in many music mag-
azines and The New York
Times.
The group has performed and Wayne Shorter. Their mu and Wayne Shorter. Their mu
sic is called "chamber music," though the administrator o
the Lecture and Performance the Lecture and Performance
Series, Jo Moore, said the group can easily be considered 11 types of music, from class "Imani W
citement to the genre," she said via e-mail. "Frankly, they are genre-breaking in their versa-
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## Surf $\downarrow$

## CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 Once an individual signs up, they must answer a series

 of questions about their couchif they have one for traveler if they have one for travelers
to sleep on, or if they are just open to meeting up with trav
elers to show them the West
Texas sites.
To ensure safety for its users, the site offers a verification process that includes a
small fee to have the site verify users' identities through mail. References also are posted on
profile pages from travelers profile pages from travelers
who have interacted with to gauge whether or not they have an environment that is exactly what a particular traveler is looking for.
"I found out about it from my old roommate who was my old roommate who was a
couch suffer here at the house, couch surfer here at the house,
so we would have couch surf ers here a lot," said Daniel Knox, a junior mechanical engineering major from Mesa Ariz. "At first, I wasn't really
$\qquad$ mani Winds
 the ensemble
apart from tradition is what makes them appealing,
said Benita said Benita
Dix, a graduate student
from Lubbock. Having been in band for
much of her
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ested in the ested in the the see what nation of in
struments $\qquad$
flute, oboe, clarinet, French horn
and bassoon - would sound like "This is going to be something new and interesting," said Dix,
who is working on an interdisiplinary master's degree. "I wa mmediately like, 'T'm going.'" some creepers might try to get
into our house, but after getting
on the site and using it, you see
it's really legit."
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different people
The Couch The CouchS $\qquad$ he felt about we e coming
strangers into his home and in the past
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mance, Imani Winds will give
a lecture and demonstration a lecture and demonstration
at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. during which the at 10 a.m. during which the
group will discuss emphasis on
African-American spirituals African-American spirituals
and similarities to world music and their effect on classical and contemporary music, and they
will have a question and answer will have a question and answer
session open to all Tech faculty session open to all Tech faculty
and students. At 11 a.m., they will be part
of a master class with the Tech woodwind quintet. The Lecture and Performance
Series is planned two years in Series is planned two years in
advance, and Moore said even advance, and Moore said even
then there was a lot of support from the School of Music to bring Imani .inds to Tech.
Dix said she attended as many performances in the series as
she could and had enjoyed all of them, so she is sure tonight's "They keep bringing great "They keep bringing great
acts," she said. "I've never been disappointed." ID or $\$ 12$ at the Student Union Building ticket booth.
much more individual level. "When you're traveling
abroad and staying at someone's abroad and staying at someone's
home, it's a much more culturalenriching experience than it would be if you where staying
at a hotel." Aside from opening up free accommodations, the website promotes community as well as
welcomes individuals who have just moved to a new city. "It's a really good way to situated in a new area," said Wes Anderson, a graduate student
studying wildlife science from studying wildlife science from
Lancaster, Pa. "Not only is it a good way to travel around, but have started getting together since last semester."
Any couch surfer will agree travel is an important part of
their life, and Anderson said all students should give it a go.
II "I spent a semester abroad
when I was an undergrad, and when I was an undergrad, and
I just really think every student should study abroad and use CouchSurfing(.com) while
they're there because it just they re there because it just
brings a whole other dimension to travel."

## Soul OM PAGE <br> Kathryn Brown, a Ph.D. staffpsychologistar the counseling center, rneal istic body ime contributes to the "There are a lot of social pressures for both men and women. A big part and being attractive in our culture is being thin," she said. <br> Brown said many people incor- <br> problems. <br> omplex. Theyhave ageneetic element, <br> they have a cultural element and they <br> have family elements," she said. <br> start out being well intended, and <br> Brown said men who fear having a

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Journal $\downarrow$
Tech President Guy Bailey and Smith co-authored the first addition to volume three of the journal, apaper
titled "Undergraduate Research: A titled "Undergraduate Research: A
Core Element of Texas Tech's Move. ment to tier one."
$\qquad$ paper is the president's and provost's belief Tech has not integrated its undergraduate research resources and services as effectively as it might to take full advantage of opportunities
and ensure expanded responsiveness and ensure expanded responsiveness
asour undergiaduate population rows during the current decade.
The paper lays out the framework for the future of undergraduate research at Tech, which is divided into three sections, including building on the past, affrming the power of
undergraduate research and the last undergraduate research and the last
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audio broadcasts from Taylor Eighmy, vice president for tesearch.

Iran asks for warships to pass Suez Canal CAIRO (AP) - Two Iranian
naval vessels have submitted a request to transit the Suez Canal, Egypt's Foreign Ministry said
Thursday. Israel has expressed ${ }^{-\mathrm{ELCHCO}}$

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all three of the previously mentioned areas. Noted in the paper are assessment
tests already available and widely used, including the Collegiate Learning Assessment (CLA), the Collegiate Assessment of Academic Proficiency (CAAP) and
the Measure of Academic Proficiency the Measure of Acade
and Progress (MAPP).
Oher notable papers in the first issue Factors Should Inform our Judgment" by Smith, "Inside ATTT: Illuminating Academic Life at Texas Tech" by Smith and Katie Allen and "Commencement
December '10: Dream Big, but Have a December '10: Dream Big, but Have
Back Up Plan" by Ginger Kerrick. Anyone interested can read all these papers a th htp:///www.depts.tul.edu/
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them a "provocation. Ministry spokesman Hossam Zaki said Egyptian authorities have vessels passage, while a Suez Canal essels passage, while a Suez Canal
official said the Defense Ministry would process the application.
In Tehran, Iran's offcial Englishlanguage Press TV cited an Iranian naval official saying the two warships
are to pass through the canal. The are to pass through the canal. The
official said Tehran was in contact with Egypt about the ships. Earlier, a canal official had said the Iranians had withdrawn a request giving an explanation for the ap-
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spoke on condition of anonymity spoke on condition of anonymity
because he was not authorized to because he was
brief the media. It was not immediately clear why
there were contradictory reports here were contradictory
over the transit request.

## Tech softball starts 25 -game home stand

 RAVEN RICHARDSON FIELDS a ball during practice Tuesday at Rocky Johnson Field.

## Y THORN COMPTON Staff Writer

 team starts its school-record 25 -game home stretch today at 1p.m. at Rock
Johnson Field ohnson Field.
history, the Red Raiders are confident hey will continue their winning ways in front of their home fans this weekend Ouffielder Mikey Kenney said she is excited to playa a home, especially in fron: of friendly fans.
ome," Kenney said "WWe pre ready a start playing other teams on our field, not just against ourselves."
The Texas Tech invitational this weekend features Bryant and Utah Valley. Kenney said it is fun to bring in other teams outside of their conference, and
helps the team in the long run. Pitching coach Aly Sartini said tis team has a good chance at being success ful this weekend. She said one of the big differences between this team and last year's NCAA tournament squad is the depth in theirp pitching. out there and intimidate people", Sartini said. "We are defnititly going to have to help us later on and into the posts season."
Sartini said one of the early surises Startini said one of the early surprises has gotten out of their two new freshma pitchers. Bittany Talley, in particiclar, has had a great start to the season, leading
Tech to two wins against top 20 teans last week as the starting pitcher. Sartini said Talley's best quality is $h$ love for the game, and she has worked extremely hard since joining the team in the fall.
"That's a girl who just loves to play" Sartini said with a smile "When I gave her the ball befor
was just ecstatic.
was justecs saidic. she also is looking forward
Tal to playing at home, though she does not want to underestimade leircompetid his week.
She said if the Appalachian State game Sunday, a game the Red Raiders
won off of a walk-off two-run home run by Emily Bledsoe, taught the team anything it's anyone can play well on any given night.


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## Tech basketball looks to avoid another Big 12 losing season



PHOTO BY RIANNON RंOWLEY/The Dail Toreador
TECH COACH PAT Knight talks with Jaye Crockett during Tech's 70 -67 loss against the Aggies last Saturday in United Spirit Arena.

 | $\begin{array}{c}\text { We're playing better, but at } \\ \text { he same time we're not into moral }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { minutes. } \\ \text { Beard said he believes the se- }\end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l}\text { in practice - that's why they've } \\ \text { been able to get the opportunity }\end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | victories," Tech assistant coach nior forward will play Saturday, to get more minutes as of late." Chris Beard said. "The name of the but it depends on how Singletary Freshman forward Jaye

game is to try to get the win, and feels running up and down the Crockett was on the court for game is to try to get the win, and feels running up and down the Crockett was on the court for
we're looking forward to another court on game day. $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { we're looking forward to another } \\ \text { opportunity Saturday." }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { court on game day. } \\ \text { Despite the loss of Singletary, }\end{array}\end{array} \begin{aligned} & \text { the most time Tuesday against } \\ & \text { Mizou since the Jan. } 8 \text { loss to }\end{aligned}$ Tech's single-digit losses to some younger faces started to
Texas A\&M and Missouri in scoring his second-highTexas A\&M and Missouri in
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of Tech basketball once seven $\begin{gathered}\text { est point total this season, } 11 \\ \text { "I feel I've got a lot bette }\end{gathered}$ $\begin{array}{lll}\text { the last two games came without } \\ \text { having leading scorer Mike Sin- } & \text { of Tech basketball once seven } & \text { seniors depart in May. }\end{array}$ having leading scorer Mike Sin- seniors depart in May. Crockett said. "I feel I learn gletary at 100 percent. Against "It's good for those younger
the Aggies, Singletary played $\begin{array}{llll}\text { the Aggies, Singletary played } & \text { guys to get minutes in this type } & \text { going in and watching film after } \\ \text { only four minutes and notched } & \text { of competition," Beard said. } & \text { the game with coach and just }\end{array}$


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## Where to begin with immigration debate, policies

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'Love' more than just overused word

| t seems some people jump into relationships before they can get an adequate | ค19 | because most people are not sure of all the things that word means. A simple four-letter word has the power to do so many things. I have | dependant upon the other person doing anything. <br> If we get mad at out parents, do we cut them out of our lives? Most |
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| Just like the swiftness seen with people who rush into relationships, there are also those who fall quickly in what they perceive to be love. |  | even centered my whole life on this one word. Is this word in fact just a word? Or is this word a symbol of something bigger? | of us don't. If our parents say or do something we don't like, do we stop loving them? For most of us, the answer is no. For most of us, the |
| I say perceive because this feeling that is being felt is not, in actuality, love. | is what we are feeling is a multitude of emotions. | Is love an emotion or an action? It is both. We can't just verbalize our feeling without showing it as well. | love we have for our parents isn't dependent on them behaving the way we want them to. |
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LETTER TO THE EDITOR
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of one of the best col umns I have read in The Daily
Toreador since attending Tech Normally the Opinions
etion is filled with poorly
written political diatribe - nor- provided very good economic
mally left-leaning, but sometimes analysis, which invoked thought
right-leaning but still just as in the reader. But most of all his ininformed. However, Chris Leal's article conveyed a great deal of undern page four of the Feb. 17 issue standing of his subject matter.

Students should be aware of conflict in Sudan

| By ANUSREE GARG he Lantern (Ohio State U.) | deliberation that will need to be addressed during the six-month wait until South Sudan is permanently established. | on Southern secession and the decision of Abyei to stay with the North or join the new South. Yet, since voter eligibil- | militia and they systematically killed all the African descendents in Darfur." As South Sudan's secession moves |
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| week, thousands of Southern | The most obviously basic of these |  | forward, a changing paradigm may take |
| Sudanese, eagerly anticipating the final results of January's referendum on South | concerns is the creation of a new government. South Sudan will need a president | Abyei's referendum is attached to an undetermined date. | hold in Africa. Sudan has redrawn its own borders - the first to do so in a continent |
| Sudan's secession from its northern | - and he will come in the form of the | The latest wave of violence that chal- | cumbered with the arbitrarily defined |
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| the remaining votes. | proponent of Southerm secession. | between Southerm Sudan army and | with similar tensions, may look |
| te the population having gers | A second, more dramatic isuere | rebel group has left 211 people dead, | ng a precedent; secession could |
| erally surmised the overall outcome of | to the North and South's heavy depen- | many of whom were civilians ensnared in | to solution. However, |
| the vote to be in favor of the secessio | dence onoil revenues. However, itis only | the fighting, according to an Associated | ion is no panacea: Itdoes notensure |
| the announcement generated a sense |  |  | homogeneity, fair resource distri- |
| mong the anxious crowd | of the oil fields. The Comprehensive | Nevertheless, nowhere is the conflict | bution or transparent |
| it signaled al Bashir's almost unchara teristically cooperative acceptance | Peace Agreement (CPA) of 2005, that engendered the recent referendum, also | more pervasive than in Darfur. The paramount reason for the insurrection in | Last week, The UNSecurity Council met to discuss the ongoing situation in |
| these results. | calls for equal oil distribution between | Daffur involves ethnic clashes between the government-backed Arab militia | Sudan. In the presidential statement released, the Security Council encouraged |
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| ted | and | comprised of Christian and tradit | Il Sudanese people as they |
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| world's newest country in July, accordi | in the North becomes more apparent | Stephanie Sobek, a third-year in po- | Outlining a primary goal of STAND, |
| The New York Tmes. | ers on precariousness. | a science and Middle Eastern sudies | Sobek says "we educate ourselves about |
| Though the announcement of the fu- | his friction is | and president of the Ohio State chapter | different areas and spread thateducatio |
|  | flected in the currently conte | of STAND, an anti-genocide coalition, | Though, as Sobek advises, a good starting |
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"We just going to play them like a regular game," she said Monday. "We'r gonna have our energy, just play ile we div
can normally play." can normally play.'
milarly to the way they played at the start of the conference schedule, winning their first three Big 12 games $\qquad$ The team looks a bit different than it did after the hot start. Curry went with new lineup after dropping six games in
row, and it has worked to perfection the
last two games.
Tech sophomore guard Christine Hyde earned a spot in the starting lineup prior to the Colorado game. After her

## Tennis

 $\longleftarrow$CONTINUED FROM PAGE 6 Another advantage for Ohio
State is the fact the tournamen is played indoors. Siegel said the Buckeyes play indoors "pretty much the whole season."
Regardless of the outcome of are guaranteed three matches. are guaranteed three matches.
In the second round, Tech faces either No. 13 Kentucky or a No.
5 Texas squad that could prepare the scarlet and black for when the two face off in Big 12 Conference
play April 10 .

Iowa State on Wednesday, she has solidified her spot in the starting five. Lady Raiders, since Tech has faced the entire Big 12 South without Hyde as a starter; Tech is 0.5 against its own Fellow sophomore guard Casey Morfis said the team is treating the second leg against Big 12 South squads as a new season and another chance to prove themselves in the Big 12 . Ider ourbelt good to get those games under our belt and see how good the compeition is," she said Monday. "I think we knew that from the beginning, how good
it would be. We've had some good games and played some tough games. We know that we're capable of beating everybody in the Big 12 , so we never question it."
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top three players for Tech - Esco-
bar, Carvalho and Garcia bar, Carvalho and Garcia - are a
combined 17-3. If the Red Raiders want to win against the elite competition, they will need production from the bottom three players in But that's something Garcia said he's not concerned about heading into this weekend, as a
result of the bottom of the lineup performing so well thus far. "They've been playing so well and just putting so much heart think it just mathes," Garcia said. "I We're all ready to their hard work. We' re all ready to
have some fun."

## Baseball $\downarrow$

 but the Red Raiders do not take the field until 6 p.m. for their Tech has the luxury of playing against a Broncos team that begins the tournament with a doubleheader, Tech being its second opponent.
While McGruder While McGruder is anxious to rid himself of the memories from last season's ending, junior
left-handed pitcher Daniel Coulombe may just want to get his career at Tech going. Coulombe, a Scottsdale, Ariz., native began his collegiate career at Southern Cal before Spending his sophomore year at College. The collegiate experi College. The collegiate experi-

TEXAS TECH CATCHER Bo Altobelli, pitcher Robbie Kilcrease and coach Dan Spencer confer on the mound during a practice in January.
into production - Coulombe went I'm pretty sure he'll go out there outfield when I'm not pitching,"

SMCC because oust 0.2 innings at But Coulombe is one of just a Spencer expects to just utilize Mec because of injury problems, hand full of Red Raiders to get their Paiz's pitching only during a midlogging two strikeouts.
The statistics made no differThe statistics made no differ- David Paiz, a freshman from rotation goes with Coulombe, Robwho named Coulombe as the Red will be another new contributor at that order. Spencer's disposal. Paiz, though, Paiz's role in today's game has Spencer's disposal. Paiz, though, Pair's role in today's game has
will have the opportunity to make yet to be determined, but he said his impact on the field both as a he is ready to begin his adaptation week.
Sophomore McGruder said he his impact on the field both as a he is ready to begin his
隹 pleased to see Coulombe get the pitcher and an outfielder depend- to collegiate baseball. od, considering the work he put ing on the game and time of the "Of course I'm nervous a lit in during the fall.
"Danny has worked hard all fall week. "(Spencer) expects me to, of Paiz said. "A lot more fans a little, or his position, and I'm glad that course, pitch a lot, probably in the more pressure, but I'm ready for it." ence, however, has not translated he's got it," McGruder said, "and midweek (game), then play in the »jrodriguezedailytoreador.com

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Tech begins 2011 season against Western Michigan
 TEXAS TECH CENTERFIELDER Barret Barnes makes a catch durin
the Texas Tech Alumni Game last Saturday at Dan Law Field.

By JOSE RODRIGUEZ
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nating in a $7-3$ win for Mizzou,
effectively ending Tech's 2010 Two outs, bottom of the seventh inning - the game is tied, $3-3$. Missouri's Eric Garcia hits what seems like a routine groundball Raiders begin their and the Red when Texas Tech's Jamodrick Mc Raiders begin their 2011 season in Gruder, then a freshman, commits earning an NCAA Tournament bid. an error on the throw, resulting in
the Tigers' go-ahead run to score BASEBALL continued on Page 5

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Tall order ahead for Tech men's tennis in form of No. 4 Ohio St.

## By EVAN JANSA <br> Staff Writer

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| :--- | :--- | The Red Raiders should be able Indoor Championship in Seattle. to accurately gauge their progress


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howeal match play. Tech will, however, be tested in the opening round of the 16 -team tournament against No. 4 Ohio State.
In their only In their only other match
against a top 10 team this season, the Red Raiders were defeated 5-2, by then-No. 8 Stanford. Since the loss, Tech has rebounded, rat-
tling off two consecutive victories against San Diego State and Fresno With 15 of the 16 teams in the
Win draw being ranked in the top 20 ,
this tournament will serve as a this tournament will serve as
litmus test for the Red Raiders on a national scale. Luckily for Tech, it has some experience with Ohio State's top three players. "We know them pretty well," No. 116 Rafael Garcia said,
"They're solid players. Honestl I don't see any of those guys be ing better than Ra (Carvalho) or Gonzalo (Escobar).
Last fall cemented Garcia's
At the USTA/ITA Nationa Intercollegiate Championships
No. 18 Escobar defeated No, Chase Buchanan, 6-3, 6-4. Chase Buchanan, $6-3,6-4$.
No. 22 Carvalho said the vic Cory proves even though Ohio
State is talented, the Red Raiders can still match up.
"That just shows us that it doesn't matter if they are in the top
five and we are No. 14 " " Carvalho five and we are No. 14 ," Carvalh
said. "They have good players from said. "They have good players from
No. 1 to No. 6, but we also have good players in our whole lineup we are at the same level." Coach Tim Siegel said other than the Escobar match, the two teams have not played each other
recently. guys in doubles three years ago," guys in doubles three years ago,"
Siegel said. "I have a lot of respect for their coach, and they have a great program."
Ohio State
Ohio State was ranked in the top five in each of the past five
seasons. In 2009, the Buckeves seasons. In 2009, the Buckeyes
reached the NCAA Championship match but were defeated by USC.

