

waits for president's approval

BY JAMES WALKER

The University Daily

Wind research at Texas Tech may be picking up speed next year with the help of \$3.8 million from the federal government.

With the support of U.S. Rep. Larry Combest, a bill directing the U.S. Commerce Department to fund Tech's Wind Engineering Research Center has sailed through the House and Senate and is awaiting the president's signature.

The center studies the damage caused by hurricanes and tornadoes in an effort to reduce their toll on human lives and property damage, said Kishor Mehta, director of the center.

The center itself began out of a tragedy, said Mehta, a Horn professor of civil engineering. One of the worst tornadoes this area has ever seen hit Lubbock May 11, 1970, carving a swathe of destruction through the downtown area. Several Tech professors examined and documented the damage, and the idea of an institute devoted to the study of severe winds was born.

The center is a cooperative venture between

WASHINGTON (AP) -Strengthening his hand in the standoff with Iraq, President Clinton ordered a fresh buildup of U.S. firepower in the Persian Gulf Tuesday even as signs

dispatch emerged of an accelerated push 16 types for a diplomatic solution. Clinton told the Air Force to dispatch six of its F-117 stealth aircraft fighters, six B-52 long-range

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bombers and four refueling planes. Pentagon officials said the decision was based in part on a heightened state of alert by Iraq's air defenses.

A U-2 surveillance plane flew over Iraq without incident despite Iraqi threats - and the Pentagon said at least one more mission would be flown this week.

The fresh warplanes are to arrive in the region by the end of the week, officials said.

Pentagon spokesman Kenneth Bacon said the president also authorized Gen. Anthony Zinni, commander of U.S. forces in the Middle East, to send up to 30 other warplanes - including F-15 and F-16

fighters and B-1 bombers - if he deemed it necessary.

The president's national security adviser, Sandy Berger, said the addition of U.S. aircraft, pushing the total to more than 300 in the Gulf region, was a precautionary step - not a signal that Clinton had concluded a military clash was inevitable.

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any contingency that may arise

in the region," Berger said at the

White House.

1,700 combat aircraft in the Gulf during the 1991 war against Iraq. Berger said the buildup was

The United States had about

not related to a U-2 surveillance flight over Iraq Tuesday morning. The spy plane, operating in support of U.N. efforts to monitor Iraq's weapons program, completed its mission without "This is part of our effort to incident, he said.

Iraq had threatened to shoot down the U-2, but U.S. officials said it did not try.

about one hour just west of Baghdad, and he added that at least one more surveillance mission would be flown by the end of the week.

Berger confirmed that the Clinton administration was prepared to consider altering a U.N. "oil-for-food" program under which Iraq currently is allowed to buy \$4 billion a year in food and medicine from U.N.-supervised Iraqi oil export revenue. One possibility is that Iraq would be allowed to buy

Bacon said the U-2 flew for more goods.



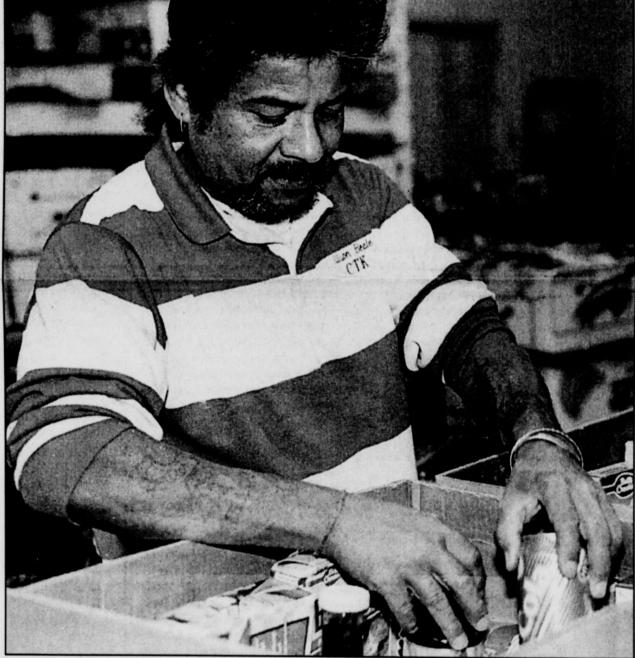
Food bank gives area more than meals

BY LAURA HENSLEY The University Daily

The 40,000-square-foot warehouse is hidden on the east side of Lubbock past shopping centers and grocery stores, but inside anyone can find a sea of boxes filled to the brim with food. Daily shipments of bread, fresh produce, meat, dairy products and just about anything you can imagine is inside, usually being sorted through by volunteers who put the food into boxes. The food boxes are prepared by people who care and then given to people in need. Sometimes pumpkins, Christmas trees and even poinsettias are donated to make people's holidays a little brighter. The South Plains Food Bank, 4610 Locust Ave., not only provides food for the body, but also food for the soul.

enough food to feed 16,000 people per day. It serves a 40county area and provides food to 270 different agencies such as churches or social agencies.

"There are a lot of hungry people in Lubbock," said David Weaver, executive director of



Tech's civil engineering, meteorology, architecture and economics departments, Mehta said. It studies wind conditions, documents damages from major storms across the country and tries to devise ways to limit the damages to people and property.

One of the center's on-going projects is studying the ability of doppler radar to detect where tornadoes will appear and how intense they will be, he said. Another is developing ways to retrofit old homes so they will be more resistant to storms without rebuilding the entire home.

With the help of federal funding, Mehta hopes to expand several of the center's programs, he said. Researchers are hoping to expand their research into the construction of storm shelters inside buildings

Engineers often call the center with questions about designing wind-resistant structures, and part of the federal money would go to a wind science and engineering information center to handle calls and requests for information, he said.

The money also would fund research into the economic impact of wind storms on communities and the state, Mehta said.

Keith Williams, press secretary for Combest, said the center is important to West Texas with its history of severe wind problems, and it brings recognition to the area.

"Tech is just about world renowned in the area of wind research," Williams said.

The combination of the program's recognition, its track record of success and the community interest in severe wind research makes a powerful case in favor of the funding, Williams said.

The funding measure is part of the bill which funds the Commerce Department, Justice Department and State Department. Although the president is not expected to veto the bill, certain provisions still could be struck with the line-item veto.

Jennifer Galvan/The University Daily

Helping the Hungry: Volunteer Lupe Sepeda sorts food into boxes at the South Plains Food Bank. The bank provides enough food to feed 16,000 people per day. It was established in 1983.

Since its beginning in 1983, the South Plains Food Bank has grown enormously. Each year the organization provides

the food bank. "There are a lot of people who receive help from the food bank; it makes all the difference in the world in those people's lives."

The food bank has three types of agencies that serve the needy and homeless in Lubbock and the surrounding area. One agency that is unique to any of the other 185 food banks in the country is the voucher program, which allows people to come and receive prepared boxes of food.

The other two programs are the pantry agency, which provides food in bulk, and the onsite feeding agency, which provides food to different shelters around the area such as churches and Women's Protec-See BANK, page 3

Militants claim liability for Egyptian massacre

LUXOR, Egypt (AP) — Tourists Militants blamed for most of the violence in Egypt's five-year Islamic rebellion claimed responsibility Tuesday for the revolt's deadliest attack: the massacre of 62 people at an ancient temple crowded with tour-

> ists. The al-Gamaa al-Islamiya, or the Islamic Group, said in a faxed statement that Monday's attack was a failed attempt to

take hostages to trade for the freedom of their spiritual leader, a blind Egyptian cleric jailed in the United States for plotting to bomb New York landmarks.

The sandstone terraces of the Temple of Hatshepsut were bloodstained Tuesday, but dozens of tourists warily returned. Many others were fleeing the country, however, and agencies were scrapping tours - spelling trouble for Egypt's important tourism industry.

President Hosni Mubarak visited the temple on the Nile River's West Bank across from Luxur to reassure tourists and replaced his interior minister, blaming him for lax security. Thirty-one of the dead were

Swiss, police said. The others included eight Japanese, five Germans, four

Britons - including a child a Bulgarian, a Colombian and a target of police battling a vio-

French citizen.

Seven of the dead were still unidentified.

There were 24 people wounded.

Police shot the six attackers as they tried to escape.

Authorities said one was a member of al-Gamaa, the group that claimed responsibility for the attack.

Al-Gamaa has been a main

Governor announces

lent campaign aimed at overthrowing Mubarak's secular government and turning Egypt into a strict Islamic state.

The government has arrested and jailed thousands of suspected radicals, put hundreds on trial and executed 63 people in the past five years.

But al-Gamaa and similar radical groups are difficult to fight because of their small, loosely connected cells.

Student groups choose Tech's top professors

BY CAREN CARNEFIX

The University Daily

Five Texas Tech faculty members will be recognized today for outstanding teaching abilities.

A committee of Texas Tech's Omicron Delta Kappa and Mortar Board members selected the five student-nominated faculty members, who will learn of their recognition upon arriving at school today when they find their office doors decorated.

The esteemed faculty mem-

bers also will receive a plaque at a reception Friday and will be honored at the Tech football game Saturday.

ODK and Mortar Board members distributed nomination forms to Tech student organizations in October giving

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students the opportunity to nominate a favorite instructor. Students submitted nomina-

tions explaining how a specific faculty member positively impacted the educational lives of students.

Last week, committee mem-

bers reviewed about 35 nominations and selected the faculty honorees based on the students' descriptions, said Jarrett Mortar Board.

Andrews, president of Mortar Board and a senior political science major from Cameron.

"In the first years of a student's career, whether or not they get interested in school depends largely on the teachers they have," Andrews said. "We select teachers who help

students to develop a passion to acquire knowledge." The two organizations have

hosted Faculty Recognition ored each of the five faculty Week for about 20 years, said Ben Trotter, faculty adviser for

"It's been a long-standing project of Mortar Board and ODK," Trotter said.

"It gives the students the opportunity to recognize faculty that they believe made significant contributions. It's different from other things that (are) university recognized. This is student recognized."

In recent years, members of Mortar Board and ODK honmembers on a different day of the week.

For efficiency purposes, this year is the first year for all of the faculty honorees to be recognized on the same day, said Tim McCavit, faculty recognition chair for Mortar Board.

"I just think that faculty don't get positive responses from students enough," McCavit said. "That's why I think this is a worthwhile thing. It's a good honor because it is totally student-nominated."

pollution-reduction plan HOUSTON (AP) - Gov. George W. Bush gathered with industry officials at the Port of Houston Tuesday to announce an effort to reduce pollution from older plants while Bush's new Democratic opponent criti-

cized the plan. "We can have both clean air and jobs in the state of Texas," Bush said while standing in a warehouse at the port, which includes the largest petrochemical complex in the world.

Ten companies, including Valero Energy Corp., Houston Lighting & Power Co. and Marathon Oil Co., have pledged to reduce emissions from "grandfathered" facilities plants that either were in existence or under construction when Texas adopted the Clean Air Act in 1971. The plants were exempted from having to get permits because it was believed they either would be modernized or closed over time.

NEWS

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Cheerleading not 'sissy sport' to one Tech student

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BY JONATHAN CARROLL

The University Daily

Peter Smith is 6 feet tall and has the build of a linebacker. He walks like he was born in cowboy boots and speaks with a thick Texas accent.

And, he's a Texas Tech cheerleader.

"It's not a sissy sport," said Smith, a junior animal science and agricultural economics major from Lubbock.

A misconception some people have about cheerleading is they think it's not a sport, said Susie Turner, coach of the Tech cheerleaders and a third-year law student at Tech from Bullard.

"They think these kids are not athletes," Turner said. "To that I would say: 'I challenge any person to come into our practice and do what they do.''

Cheerleaders must practice three times a week and work out three times a week by lifting weights or doing aerobics.

"They have to continue to keep their bodies physically fit to maintain what they need in order to do a good

The Texas Republican Party and

the Texas Tech College Republi-

cans are sponsoring a leadership

summit at Tech's International

Cultural Center Thursday from 1

The summit is open to the pub-

lic and costs \$25 a person, and sev-

eral Republican candidates and

elected officials will be on hand.

p.m. to 4 p.m.

Watching the cheerleaders practice, their physical fitness and athletic ability is obvious. For example, Smith grabs his

job," Turner said.

stunt partner and lifts her above his head by her right foot

Standing high above his head, she smiles and lifts her fists above her head, making the Tech hand sign, "Guns Up." He then throws her high into the air and catches her.

His stunt partner, Sondra Smith, describes him as a "cowboy cheerleader."

"If our coaches would let him cheer in his cowboy hat, he would," said Sondra Smith, a senior elementary education major from San Saba.

The cheerleaders tease Peter Smith and his partner about having thick Texas accents, Sondra Smith said.

During practice, cheerleader Thomas Sneed, a junior broadcast jour-

If our coaches would let him cheer in his cowboy hat, he would. Sondra Smith, Tech senior and cheerleader

> and Peter Smith doesn't even notice.

"I've really enjoyed the relationships I've made. I've made some really good friends over the years as a cheerleader," he said.

Peter Smith grew up on a cotton farm near Lubbock. His family moved to Lubbock when he was 10. His background in agriculture led him to his future.

He transferred to Lubbock Monterey High School when he was a sophomore. This created a problem because transfer students are ineligible to compete in high school sports for one year.

"Pretty much, in a 5A school, if

nalism major you are out for a year they won't even from Lubbock, look at you," he said.

Peter Smith was not able to comthickest Texas pete in sports, but he could particiaccent he can and pate in cheerleading.

So Peter Smith stepped up to the name's Peter, challenge and became a Monterey High School cheerleader. He was a member of the squad for two years. During his senior year, he and his stunt partner placed fourth in the National Cheerleading Competition.

After graduation, Peter Smith did not participate in cheerleading at Tech.

"It (the cheerleading program) was in slump for a while, and it's really come back," he said.

He decided to try out for the cheerleading squad his sophomore year because of the program's improvements.

Tech Cheerleaders, 12 males and 12 females, cheer at volleyball, football and basketball games.

"There's nothing like being right there. You're on the floor of a basketball game or you're on the field at the football game," Peter Smith said. "There's nothing like it. I love it."



Ves Underwood/The University Daily Rah, Rah, Sis, Boom Bah: Peter Smith, a junior animal science and agricultural economics major from Lubbock, cheers at a Tech football game.

CNN show's co-host speaks to Tech class

BY JASON BERNSTEIN The University Daily

James Novak, the co-host of the CNN program "Crossfire," attended a breakfast and lectured to a graduate-level marketing class

sponsored by the Texas Tech Chief Executives Roundtable.

"I really enjoy going to coland

leges universities," Novak said. "This isn't my first time campus and the in Lubbock, but it is my town during this first visit to the campus. I trip.

and the town during this trip," Novak said.

Novak addressed questions from the graduate class pertaining to political issues affecting Texas and America as a whole.

"They certainly asked some challenging and intelligent questions," he said.

Novak will be moving on to a visit with Sen.

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Combest and Mac Thornberry, state representatives Delwin Jones and Carl Isett, and state Sen. Robert Duncan. After the event, a Texas Republican Party fund-raiser will begin at 6 p.m. at Stubb's Bar-B-Q, 19th

Street and Interstate 27.

Among those attending will be

U.S. representatives Larry

State Rep. Carl Isett, R-Lubbock, was named Most Conservative Freshman in the Texas House at an awards ceremony Saturday. Isett shares the title with Rep. Tommy Williams. Isett also received the Texas Ten Award, an award presented to the 10 percent of legislators who are rated most conservatively. Both awards were presented by U.S. House Majority Whip Tom DeLay.

Republicans host summit

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NEW DELHI, India (AP) -Divers and fishermen used nets to pull children dressed in blue-and-white school uniforms from a New Delhi river Tuesday after an overcrowded bus plunged into the shallow, murky

School bus falls into river,

at least 30 children killed

water. At least 30 children died and about

20 were missing.

Witnesses said the driver was racing another bus when his vehicle skidded off a bridge, plunging 50 feet into the Yamuna River.

Some students told a local TV network they had asked the driver to slow down, but he did not.

More than 60 people were injured. Sahib Singh Verma, New Delhi's chief minister, said 28 children were confirmed dead and at least 20 were missing hours after the morning acsweaters, boys in white pants and shirts

Rescuers draped the children over their shoulders and ran to waiting ambulances.

School officials checked homes to see whether some children may have swum to shore and walked home

Most of the injured were treated for minor injuries and released.

mained hospitalized Tuesday afternoon.

The narrow hospital corridors were crowded with wailing parents trying to find copies of the casualty list.

The school had no list of the students traveling on the bus.

Outside, about 100 children gath-

Four, including the driver, re-

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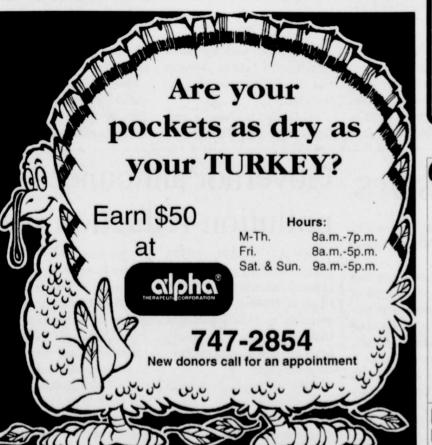
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Later, Press Trust of India news agency said two more bodies had been recovered, raising the death toll to 30.

The bus had a capacity of 60. Verma said, but was carrying 112 children from primary- to highschool age, a driver, a custodian and three teachers.

Divers, police and volunteers in boats searched the slow-moving river to retrieve the dead and injured girls in their white tunics and blue

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ered, yelling out criticisms of the principal for allowing the bus to be overcrowded.

"We have complained a lot of times (about overloading), but nothing was done," Ravi Kumar, who lost his daughter, told the Press Trust of India.

The accident was under investigation, and Verma ordered the suspension of the principal and the police officer in charge of traffic in the area.

"If negligence is proven, strict action will be taken against those involved," the chief minister said.

He also announced a two-day mourning period and said the government would pay about \$2,800 to the families of the dead and \$280 to the families of the injured.

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Novak is a political con-

sultant for CNN and has been giving lectures nationwide.

"We are very pleased to have speakers such as Mr. Novak come to Tech," said John Creek, a representative from the roundtable and a Lubbock businessman.

"Our goal is to bring in speakers to Tech that normally wouldn't come to Lubbock."

Novak last visited Lubbock in 1990 to help campaign for gubernatorial candidate Clayton Williams.

"It's nice to see the campus

"We have been bringing speakers of the highest caliber to Tech for (more than) eight years now," Creek said.

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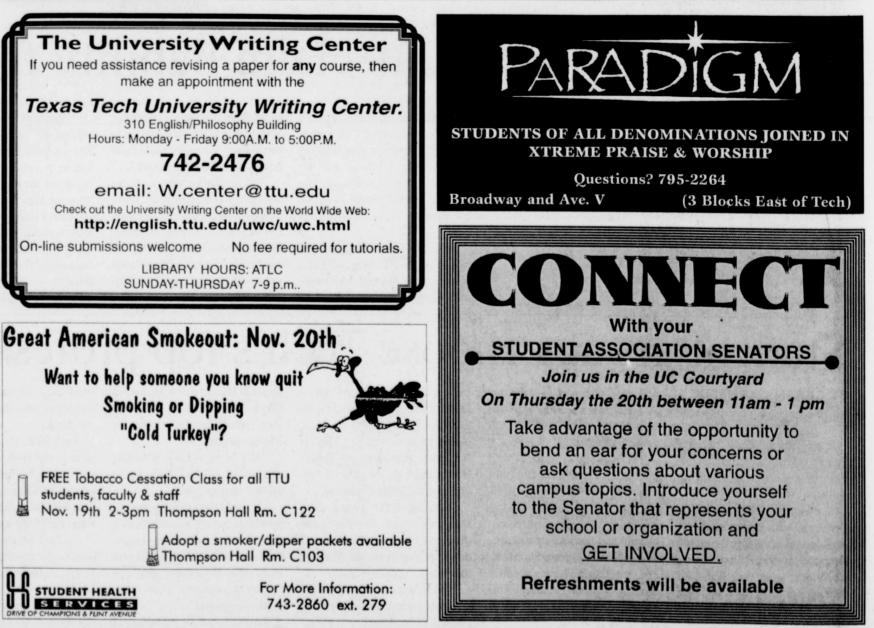
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The Chief Executives Roundtable has sponsored or helped sponsor speakers such as George Stephanopoulos, prominent business leaders and other successful Tech graduates, Creek said.

Novak has been widely recognized for his work on the CNN program "Evans & Novak" before moving to "Crossfire".

Class instructor Dale Duhan said he was pleased with the outcome of the lecture.



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Entertainment Arts and Galleries undergo renovations, name change

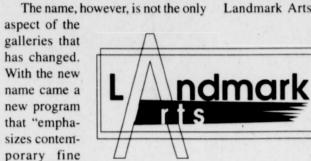
BY JONATHAN BILES

The University Daily

This past year, the Forum on the Visual Arts Galleries has undergone many renovations to advance its quality and accessibility to further serve Tech students and the Lubbock community.

The latest of these renovations came when the FOVA Galleries name was changed to Landmark Arts: The Galleries of Texas Tech University.

"One of the reasons we changed the name was that the old name did not give a good description of what we wanted to get through to the com-



arts exhibitions and education and plans to project fine arts programming into the forefront of university and Lubbock community interests," Bloom said.

munity," said Ken Bloom, gallery di-

rector.

Bloom said there are four galleries which will be represented at the Landmark Arts. The main gallery,

> Landmark Gallery, will be used specifically for high-quality art and exhibitions.

"The Landmark Gallery gives us a

place to show professional art and expose students to high-quality contemporary art," Bloom said.

Any student who pursues a

to have a show exhibiting his or her artwork. At Landmark Arts, the Studio Gallery is specifically set aside for students who are fulfilling their requirements.

The Photo Gallery and the Sculpture Alternative Gallery will be used for professional and amateur artists to display their artwork.

Bloom said not only do the galleries offer a chance for the artist to be seen, but also they open a cultural experience to those who attend any part of the galleries.

"All four of the new galleries are part of a larger plan to present a di-

master's degree in fine arts is required versity of programs to demonstrate a wide variety of many different forms of art," Bloom said.

> With the new galleries, Bloom said exhibitions, symposia and workshops, publications and hands-on experience with professional artists will be offered at Landmark Arts. Through these programs, Landmark Arts hopes to reach out to Lubbock residents, as well as Tech students, and involve them in the art department at Tech.

> Linda Billings, a third-year master of fine arts student from Brownfield and a part-time worker with the galleries, finds these new programs to be a great asset to the changes the art gal

leries are undergoing.

"The programs will include a wide diversity of art for the students to enjoy," Billings said. "We will have something for everyone, and the new galleries are user-friendly."

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The official unveiling of the new name will be Dec. 5 when the Landmark Galleries presents "New Works.'

Throughout all the changes that FOVA/Landmark Arts is going through, Billings said the purpose is still the same.

"We hope to make it more accessible to those who want to come and view high-quality artwork," Billings said.

Food bank offers students chance to volunteer services

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Plains Food Bank

are volunteers.

BY LAURA HENSLEY

The University Daily

The South Plains Food Bank offers a plethora of services and volunteer opportunities under its huge umbrella of programs.

Because 90 percent of the work force at the food bank are volunteers, the agency relies heavily upon volunteer workers from the community and Texas Tech.

Everything from sorting food, answering phones or loading trucks are some of the many volunteer opportunities the foundation offers.

"It is rewarding to volunteer here," said volunteer Dorine Harbin.

Harbin has volunteered at the food bank since its opening in 1983.

"We used to have a little room where we used to sit on the floor and sort things out," she said. "Now it has grown into a huge operation."

Harbin, a retired school teacher and a Tech graduate, volunteers her time by answering phones each Tuesday morning and then helps sort food in the afternoons. She goes to pick up the boxes themselves. She is called the "Angel of Mercy" around the bank.

"I think we (volunteers) definitely make a difference," Harbin said. "It's rewarding to see so many people who need help and offer it to them."

Each holiday season, the food bank provides about 5,000 families with holiday food boxes. The boxes contain 150 of work force pounds of food, which

> includes a turkey. Last Saturday, about 100 Tech stu-

> > dents volunteered

their time to help prepare the Christmas food boxes. Tech students can volunteer through the Community Action Network on campus.

Sellie Shine, director of external relations, said the food bank relies heavily on volunteers from Tech.

"Tech plays a large role in what we do," Shine said. "We couldn't serve the agencies or we couldn't function period without the help of the volunteers."

Accident proves theory about local drivers



A & E REPORTER

Although some people were excited about the winter wonderland that covered the city of Lubbock with beautiful snow and ice Friday, I hated it.

I am so quick to criticize the wonders of Mother Nature because I had a bad experience once, and it included me, my car and a light pole.

Of course, when Old Man Winter rears his ugly head, the entire town totally freaks out, including drivers. There are freeze alerts, and the news warns everyone to stay off the roads. But no one listens, including me. I'm not going to lie. I'm not the greatest driver when weather conditions are perfect, so when ice is thrown into the equation I should have known better.

I'm that person that cut you off and didn't use my blinker on the loop last week. Yep, that's me. Of course I'm not the only horrible driver in Lubbock; there seems to be quite a few of us out there.

sorts of drivers. There are the road warriors from Houston or the Dallas-Fort Worth area who drive 90 mph everywhere they go. Then there are the grandmas who come into town to spend a day at the mall and KK's. Put them all together, and you have chaos. I was part of the chaotic mess Friday when I was headed home. I was

on Fourth Street, and I had already slid on the icy road once before my little incident happened.

I was approaching a light when two cars in front of me hit each other, and me being me (remember I'm a bad driver), I hit the brakes. This did not provide the response I had desired. Instead of my car stopping - it went spinning out of control. I was not going very fast, so everything went very slow. Then I saw the pole. There was nothing I could do. I turned my wheel, and nothing happened. I was going to hit the pole.

Since I was not going very fast, I had time to actually think about what was going to happen. "OK, I'm going to hit this pole. This is going to screw up my already sad car. I'm going to be on foot until my parents can fix it, and of course, I'm going to be late to wherever I am going."

Then my long slide ended with a ·big crunch. I sat there for a minute

skills, I had never been in a wreck, thankful it was not any worse. I except for that one time I ran over a deer and that other time I backed into my friend's car. But I really didn't know what to do. I got out and examined my crushed passenger side's bumper, grill, light and hood. It was bad. My car is driveable but still is pretty smashed up. I'm OK, and I'm

learned the hard way you can't step on your brakes abruptly on the ice. It just doesn't work.

So everyone be careful out there next time it gets icy. Just be careful period, and watch out for me.

Laura Hensley is a sophomore journalism major from Gail.

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9:00	Tugboat Barney	M. Stewart Gayle King	Sally Jesse Raphael	K. Copeland Paid Program	Regis & Kathie Lee	Home Team
10:00	Wimzie Mr. Rogers	Sunset Beach	Price Is Right	Paid Program Pictionary	View	Judge Judy Judge Judy
11 :00 :30	Arthur Magic Bus	Leeza	Young And Restless	Beverty Hills 90210	All My Children	People Court
12:00	Graham Kerr Joy/Paint	News Days of Our	News Beautiful	Jenny Jones	News Port Charles	Heat of the Night
1 :00	Tony Brown Barney	Lives Another	As The World Turns	Jerry Springer	One Life to Live	Dr. Quinn
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7 :00	Sci. Amer. Frontiers	Tickle Me Bloopers	Nanny M. Brown	Voyager	Spin City Dharma/Greg	Beverly Hills 90210
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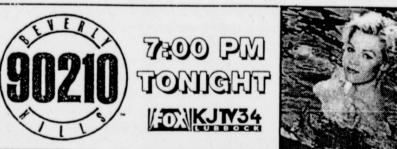
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To volunteer, call the CAN office at 742-2631.

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Bank

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tive Services.

"Our mission at the food bank is to feed the needy with food that would normally be wasted," said Sellie Shine, director of external relations

part the food bank's mission and is the way it is able to provide and obtain food. The food bank receives no government funding and is supported locally only through donations.

The food bank has 22 community gardens, an apple orchard and even a herd of emu. Each day the food bank goes on bread runs to local bakeries Recycling and reusing is a big and receives bread donations. Other

ways the bank receives food are Shine said. "Nothing goes to through donations or buying wholesale products.

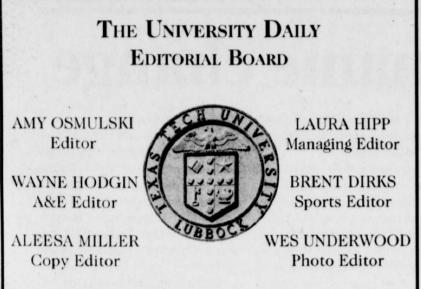
Shine said contaminated or spoiled food is put into the "pig box." Area pig farmers then can come get the food, and in return, they donate a whole pork, which is distributed to the ery night completely exhausted, needy, every three months.

"We recycle everything out here,"

waste." Shine said she feels good about the job she does.

"There is always something going on out here," Shine said. "It's a very exciting job. I go home evbut I feel good knowing I've helped somebody out."





Financially, world caters to students



Everywhere I go I can pay for anything with my credit cards. Charge it up, and live with all the nice things I can't afford. Charge it up, and pay for it later, when all the interest would allow me to pay for a car or a house or a whole case of squeezable pudding.

This led me to a simple conclusion - this world is set up to cater to the poor (i.e.: college students). Now I

know this sounds like a big conspiracy theory, that the rich prey upon the poor with evil eyes and black tooth grins. I'm not offering a conspiracy theory in which you should hate the rich and go kill your next-door neighbor, doctor or lawyer.

All I'm doing is pointing out something which may be all too obvious and subsequently has been overlooked.

The root of all this lies within the concept of time. We simply have no time for anything. As college students, we go to class, and then we head to work so we can make money to pay our bills. We go to school on loans in the hopes that once out we'll have better jobs so we can get more money to pull ourselves out of the under class and into the middle or even higher (the most respected "upper-middle"). Since we spend our time collecting bills and loans, studying or working, we have no time for anything else. If we get hungry, we grab a burger for which we can use our credit cards. If your car breaks down, if you even have a car, you have to take it to the mechanic and pay for it with your credit cards, again.

OPINIONS

Wednesday, November 19, 1997

Operators: Please be nicer!



HOLLYE HODGES COLUMNIST

As I was reading through our campus news rag the other day, a headline on the front page caught my eye. As I read the details of the news espouse, my boredom was transformed into disbelief of the issues that all know that sto-

weren't being addressed in the story. It's a little tale that went something like this:

Once upon a time, a woman called a Tech operator requesting the number of a professor named Perez.

She initially said the name in Spanish and was asked by the Tech operator to repeat and spell the name.

Once the caller spelled the name, the operator said, "Oh, you mean 'pur-hez.'"

The caller explained that the professor is from Argentina, and the name is pronounced "Perez" in Spanish.

The operator then explained to the caller that she was in America now and should pronounce the name in English.

The End.

rude people, so I see it as practice in The small talk took an abrupt nosedive. real world of rude-But wait, we ness.

ries of this nature never end so peaceably or simply.

Now, the caller claims she has had more than one confrontation with the same operator.

offender.

The caller also is confident that she could identify the operator in a voice line up.

Her charge would be racial insensitivity.

The "you're in America now" remark was preachy and uncalled for, and it does show racial insensitivity, but the racial part of the comment is

only a sign of a The world is full of rude. dealing with the 742-2011, I ex-

much bigger, more dangerous problem.

The Tech operators are so

When I call pect to talk to a cordial, loving, sensitive woman who is concerned with my prob-

lems. It should almost be like calling my

mom, who just happens to be an alphabetizing whiz with a Tech directory in each hand.

I expect them to ask how my classes are going, ask me if I need some money and tell me they love me and can't wait to see me at Thanksgiving.

That's not so much to ask. Right? She's not trying to be rude.

The simple fact is that the operators are rude to everyone, and when you try to complicate the information exchange, they get testy.

It doesn't matter if you're speaking in Spanish, Russian or if you just sound like a hick.

I bet the operator gets calls all the time from rednecks asking for "Jow Bawb Jownes'" number, and she probably tells them to get off the pig farm and learn how to talk.

Tech information is a service to us. The world is full of rude people, so I see it as practice in dealing with the real world of rudeness.

If anyone still can't handle it, I'll see if I can talk my mom into getting her own Tech information number -1-800-742-2011.

She will ask about your day, but I don't think she'll offer you money, and you probably can't come eat Thanksgiving dinner at my house either.

Sorry, I don't mean to be rude. Hollye Hodges is a sophomore broadcast journalism from Amarillo.



HAVE AN OPINION!

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So, what we have here is a repeat

Keep in mind that when doing this, you most likely have to skip class and/ or give up a shift at work. All the while spending money you don't have, not learning and ruining your chances at earning an extra couple of bucks (which is little since we work for minimum wage or slightly better).

Can we really blame the rich — the evil villains of capitalism? Of course not, if there is a demand it is their job to supply; they're the only ones that can. Of course, they could find better ways to provide that supply more affordably, but they are under no constraints to do so. None of this is fair to us, but it seems like it can be helped.

The world that's been created is a framework of constant work and stress, and we have no choice, right? Well, that seems quite pessimistic, and frankly it seems way too defeating. There should be something we can do, after all, that's why we go through this whole process.

We learn from it, and when we're in a position to change the system, we should.

Sure, society is fast-paced, and everything can be bought by credit, but is there really a demand for squeezable pudding? Do we seek the luxury of eating pudding through a tube so as not to dirty a spoon? I think we don't, and I think it is things like that and other major issues that need to be changed as well as myths that need to be dispelled.

This is why we're here, to rectify such problems and change views that we're dependent on others and not ourselves; as an ever-growing, knowledge-seeking college demographic that wants to have what is best, a good world for our future that we help mold. Hope is not lost, it's maybe been pushed to the bottom where it has long been covered by the detritus of generalization and helplessness.

Whose fault is it that it's way down there? The rich ... NO ... the fault is our own

Dwayne Mamo is a junior philosophy/creative writing major from Malta.

SGA supports university improvements for retention



SGA PRESIDENT

The Texas Tech Board of Regents recently proposed a significant increase in admissions standards. This proposal would drastically change admissions standards at Texas Tech University.

The Student Government Association presented a response to the Board of Regents' proposal on admission standards at the Nov. 7 board meeting. The SGA's response addressed tween entering freshman and graduseveral ideas listed in the regents' proposal. According to the statistics compiled by the regents, Texas Tech graduates only 35 percent of all entering freshman within five years. Also, Tech ranks dead last among other Big 12 Universities in retention and graduation rates.

Retention of students is the driving theme throughout the regents' proposal, and the solution for solving the retention problem is questionable.

In order to increase retention rates, the regents suggest that the university focus on admitting students with higher SAT scores and better high school class rankings.

This proposal does not address the issue of how we bridge the gap beating students. Increasing the quality of students is admirable so long as Tech has the facilities in place and the guidance necessary to graduate these students.

There are many areas on this campus that need improvement. I hear students constantly complaining about problems they experience with different departments on campus.

Of course you cannot expect every department to be perfect, but if we intend to be competitive, there are many things we should do to ensure that every student at Tech is receiving the highest caliber of service.

An example of a problem area on campus is registration. I think it's a shame that students, after waiting in line for sometimes two hours, find

with someone telling them, "I'm sorry you will have to get your card signed again by our adviser, or I'm sorry the classes are full." Then the student stands in another line to see an adviser, and the frustrating cycle continues

The process needs to be reorganized so students are not continuously left running in circles. The university should use whatever means necessary to bring required services to the student. Among other areas, academic advising needs improvement. Some of the advisers at this university are not equipped with the knowledge and skills necessary to advise students. We must focus on personalizing service so students can make reasonable choices. In the discussion of retention

themselves in front of a computer rates, the question is asked, "Why do students become frustrated and sometimes leave Texas Tech?"

> They leave because they refuse to accept the inadequacies found on the Tech campus. We can recruit great students and limit admission to only the scholarly, but until we begin to improve the services offered on campus, scholarly and not so scholarly students will seek an education elsewhere.

> Our academic standards have steadily increased throughout the last 10 years, and it seems appropriate to place emphasis on improving the campus structure for facilitating the educational process. I would encourage the Board of Regents to consider these suggestions. Retention rates will increase when Texas Tech begins to

cater to the needs of individuals and when Tech begins to cultivate a more learning environment. This is an objective that will require the full support of students, staff and faculty.

Let me not forget to mention we have a great university and great people working for the students. If the regents believe there are improvements needed, then we must focus on making improvements that truly will have an impact.

I welcome any input on this issue and encourage everyone to get involved. Web page: http:// www.sga.ttu.edu, room 230 of the University Center, 742-3631.

Russell Thomasson is Student Government Association president and a senior accounting major from Lubbock.

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Sports

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Switzer says Blake should launch option

homa coach John Blake should have launched the option offense he wanted from the start instead of catering to a highly-recruited quarterback, Dallas Cowboys coach Barry Switzer said.

he supports Blake as solidly as he did two years ago when he recommended him for the job. But Switzer said Blake should have decided immediately on the option, even at the risk of losing quarterback Justin Fuente.

"John got caught in a situation like a lot of young coaches do," Switzer told the Tulsa World for a story Tuesday. "They had a quarterback there who was highly-recruited. Well, John was told, 'He's going to leave. He's going to transfer if they change (offenses)."

"He should've said, 'I'm going to run what I want. Those who want to stay, stay. Those who want to go, go.'

Fuente, a former Union High School quarterback, was a unani-

ACROSS 1 Deciduous

TULSA, Okla. (AP) - Okla- mous pick for Offensive Player of the Year in Oklahoma. He set the state season record for 2,934 passing yards, threw 6,119 carrier yards and 68 touchdowns while operating out of a no-huddle attack.

Fuente continues to be The former Sooners coach said Oklahoma's best passer, but he is its worst runner. Fuente and Eric Moore have alternated as starter the past two seasons. But in recent games, Blake has started option quarterback Brandon Daniels.

> Switzer said the Sooners are two years behind because Blake didn't make the decision to go with the option until midway through his second season.

> "John should've done it the first day he was there and hired those people who can do it," he said. "He should've told the personnel, too, instead of placating everybody."

The Sooners are 3-8 this year with one more game to play at Big 12 South Division co-leader Texas Tech. Oklahoma finished 3-8 last season, the worst record in school history

Lethridge prepared for end

BY HEATH ROBINSON

The University Daily

When the scoreboard runs out of time Saturday in the Texas Tech-Oklahoma football game, it will mark more than just the end of the football season for both teams. It will mark the end of senior quarterback Zebbie Lethridge's career.

Red Raiders to

28 victories, one conference championship and three bowl criticism if you are games in his going to be the four-year starting career. Yet he requarterback. mains unappreciated by many Tech fans.

Tech quarterback Zebbie "I don't guess Lethridge Zebbie will ever

said. "Maybe several years from now people will see that Zebbie wasn't bad at all."

the Big 12 leaders in passing. The senior from Lubbock's Estacado High School will miss leading Tech (6-4 overall, 5-2 Big 12) to a fourth-consecutive bowl game only because school administrators removed the team from eligibility for postseason consideration.

in the Big 12 Championship with a win over the Sooners.

Lethridge said he is disappointed about not being able to participate.

"Bowl games are a lot of fun to go to," Lethridge said.

"They are kind of like a reward for a long season of work. It's disappointing to know we have a capable team, but we're going to be left out."

Lethridge said playing for the Big 12 South title is motivation enough. What baffles most observers is the

in school history to lead Tech to four consecutive winning seasons, Lethridge is constantly heckled at home games. Second-string quarterback Rob Peters seems to be the fan favorite

"You have to take criticism if you are going to be the quarterback," Lethridge said.

"Fans are either totally behind you Lethridge is the winningest quar- or totally against you. I know my terback in Tech history, leading the teammates are always believing in me. That's what matters the

> most." You have to take Lethridge likely will go down, statistically speaking, as the best quarterback in school

> > history. He is second

in school history with 42 touchdowns and 508

completions going into Saturday's game. He joins Robert Hall and Billy Joe Tolliver in the top three of all major passing categories, including pass completions, touchdowns, attempts and yards.

Lethridge credits some of the lack of respect to the surrounding talent. For three years, All-American I-back Byron Hanspard was the focal point of Tech's offense. Hanspard left after his junior season to enter the NFL draft, and suddenly Lethridge was the lone offensive leader.

After Hanspard left, many critics picked Tech as a four- or five-win team.

"Most everybody underestimated us," Lethridge said. "We were picked behind almost everyone. I don't remember seeing anyone pick us to win this many games."

For Dykes' part, he refers to Lethridge as "the most fierce competitor I have ever been around."

"He is also a difficult player to prepare for," Dykes said. "You ask the coaches of the teams we play, and they'll tell you how dangerous Zebbie



John Woelke/The University Daily

I'll pass, thank you: Texas Tech quarterback Zebbie Lethridge passes the ball during the Tech-USL game Sept. 13. Lethridge will play his final collegiate game Saturday against Oklahoma. He is the second best quarterback in school history with 42 touchdowns and 508 completions going into Saturday's game.

"A lot of times, fans get to booing when they see one of his passes hit in front of a receiver," Dykes said. "But he plays a great game every week. He's only thrown a couple of interceptions all season. That's because he only throws the ball where our guys can catch it."

respect is to ask players like linebacker Eric Butler, who has been with Lethridge all four years.

"Man, Zebbie is a great quarterback," Butler said.

"We've had a really good offense the whole time he has been here. He's led us to winning seasons and bowl

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get the respect he deserves," Tech coach Spike Dykes On the contrary.

This season, Lethridge is among

Otherwise, Tech would be headed for a showdown with No. 3 Nebraska



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Rockets giving their best to halt early season limp

HOUSTON (AP) - The Hous- November in 1993. ton Rockets have lost to the worst and to the best.

The Philadelphia 76ers earned their first victory against the Rockets last Wednesday and the Los Angeles Lakers extended their winning streak to seven in a row Friday night.

The Rockets have feuded openly and made up privately. And while trying to search for the right mix, Charles Barkley is on the injury list. Again.

What's wrong here?

"We've forgotten how to win," guard Mario Elie said. "We've been in all the games except Seattle. In my five years here we used to win those close games and this year we're not. It's a matter of execution here and there and we win the games."

The Rockets have been accused of being an old team with 30something super stars Hakeem Olajuwon, Clyde Drexler and Barkley. Now they're playing like they're old, but coach Rudy Tomjanovich sees only a lack of execution.

November is usually kinder to the Rockets. They have a 50-8 record for November from 1993 through last season. They started last season 15-1 and had a 14-0

The Rockets started Tuesday night's game against the New York Knicks 3-5.

"You can't get spoiled," Tomjanovich said. "What we did (in previous Novembers) was the result of hard work not just because it was November. We haven't put the ball in the basket and we haven't stopped it from going in on the other end.

"That's what it's all about, not because it's the llth month, or I'm a Sagittarius, that makes it work."

Olajuwon, Barkley and Drexler quarreled after a one-point loss to the Portland Trail Blazers Nov. 7 when Olajuwon complained he wasn't a part of the game plan.

Then, with the Rockets rallying in the fourth quarter against the Lakers, Olajuwon didn't want to return to the game because he felt the chemistry was working better with Kevin Willis teaming with Barkley.

But Tomjanovich assures there's no problem with Olajuwon.

"He's had a couple of down games when he hasn't scored but we've also had situations where somebody else had a big game," Tomjanovich said. "But I have tremendous confidence in him. Everybody has periods like that."

Plans under way for Tech tennis facility

BY CHARLIE RAPIER

The University Daily

During the Texas Tech's Board of Regents Nov. 7 meeting, the regents approved plans to construct a new Athletic Tennis Complex for Tech's tennis program.

Tech Director of Tennis Tim Siegel said the Red Raiders are in serious need of a facility they can use for play, practice and recruitment of tennis players.

"Every coach would love to upgrade their facilities," Siegel said. "I came here in the spring of 1993, and besides trying to build the tennis program, my immediate concern was to

bring Texas Tech a quality tennis facility that is appealing to any school in the conference, region or nation."

To help with funding, Siegel said he formed a committee three years ago in Lubbock to help raise money and awareness of the goal.

"This approval could not have happened without the help of the local community, (Athletic Director) Gerald Myers, Chancellor (John) Montford, and Dub Rushing," Siegel said. "These strides I think will improve our program in many ways, but to be a Top 20 team and to bring in top recruits, we have to provide a quality facility."

Siegel said the quality of the ten-

Cavan leads SMU to first winning season since death penalty

DALLAS (AP) - Ever since the hatchet fell on Southern Methodist football a decade ago, the Mustangs have been trying to overcome the stigma of being the only program shut down by the NCAA.

This year - with a winning record secured, a bowl berth likely and a conference title possible - first-year coach Mike Cavan may have finally done it.

"I think we've hit some milestones in that direction," athletic director Jim Copeland said Tuesday.

SMU has won five straight games for the first time since 1984 and clinched its first winning season since '86. A victory Thursday night over

chance of receiving a bowl bid. I think we've hit but nothing means anything unless we some milestones in that direction.

SMU athletic director Jim Copeland

winless Texas Christian coupled with a Tulsa victory over New Mexico Saturday would give the Mustangs the Western Athletic Conference's Mountain Division title and a spot in the league's championship game.

nis facility. "The men's team has done very

nis teams also have helped gain a ten-

well by going to the NCAA Tournament three out of four times (in the last four years) and has been in the Top 30," he said. "The women's team has also improved drastically."

To make room for the new facility, current tennis courts at Eighth Street and Akron Avenue would be demolished along with part of a Z-1 Residence Hall parking lot.

The building of the complex also would force the permanent closing of Eighth Street.

Regardless of what happens this

"There's a lot of things out there,

weekend, SMU (6-4, 5-2) has a good

win (Thursday)," Cavan said. "Let's

win this game, if at all possible, then

we can all sit around and have fun

duced Doak Walker, Don Meredith

and Eric Dickerson was banned from

speculating about what's next."

The plans for the new facility consist of 12 tennis courts, which include two stadium competition courts, athlete dressing rooms, restrooms and concessions.

Parking will be moved south of the facility and would provide closer parking for students living in the Gordon/Bledsoe Residence Hall Complex.

Funding for the new facility is entirely from private donations, Montford said.

"I want to stress that this project cannot surpass any other academic projects on campus," Montford said. "I do feel that for Tech to compete in the Big 12, it is important that we have a quality tennis facility here at Texas Tech."

1987 and chose to skip 1988. The Mustangs then won only 18 games from 1989-96.

Tom Rossley, who coached all but the first two years, was fired last November and replaced a month later by Cavan, who had kick-started moribund programs at Division II Valdosta State and, more recently, Division I-AA East Tennessee State.





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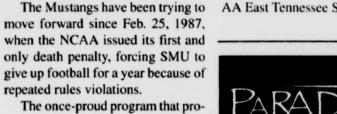
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Fall Softball Season **Comes to** Close

Last Wednesday, the fall intramural softball season came to a chilly, damp close. Teams braved the weather to compete in the seasons' finals. For the first time in playoffs, teams were divided into two different divisions ("Star" and "Raider") depending on their regular season records.

The first game of the night featured the Diamond Divas versus the Little Sluggers. The game went only four innings, with the Divas dominating the contest 21-8.

Trouble defeated Bustas in the Co-Rec Star division championship.

In the men's Star bracket, Mangled Baby Ducks faced off with the Unknowns. Down by one run going their half of the second inning, Unknown blew the game wide open with an impressive 11 run outburst. The surge proved to be to much for the Ducks to come back from as they lost the contest to the Unknown 19-7.

The Men's Raider final was played between Bohica and Poco Loco. The two teams combined for only one victory in the regular season, and yet met in the championship game for the Raider division. Again, in a game decided by a couple of big innings, Bohica came out victorious, winning 20-12.

The final game of the evening had MPT 3 up against Playground Legends for the Co-Rec Raider Crown. In a very well played game by both teams, it was MPT 3 who came on top with a win 10-3.



Winners of the fall Co-Rec All-U Championship, Trouble, are pictured above. Front row, left to right, Sjanna Ritter, Robin Stehman, Delicia Cuevas, Heather Beasley and Kelly Doss. Back row, Brian Ritter, Michael Stehman, Brandon Roy, Danny Ayala and Mark Seidenberger



The Diamond Divas, women's All-U Softball Champions, are pictured above. Front Row, left to right, Kelly Thurman, Ashley Cox, Delicia Cuevas, Heather Beasley and Kim Black. Back row, Shelly Tomliin, Kim Rodriguez, Sjanna Ritter, Jaycie Brown and Mari Martinez.

Upcoming Special Events	
Ski Maintenance Workshop	
Backpacking Workshop	
Canned Food Drive	
Stroke Mechanics	
Rock Climbing Workshop	
Long Course Swim	

Entries Due Today Nov. 20 Nov. 21-25 Dec. 2 Dec. 3 Dec. 6

Racquetball Doubles Champions Crowned

The intramural fall racquetball doubles championship was held this past weekend at the Student Recreation Center. The team of Eric Fleischer and Brian Enzler proved to be too strong for their competition in the men's division. A victory over Jason Bryan and Kerry Adams in the finals (15-10, 15-12) put a cap on a tournament in which they did not lose a single game. In the co-rec division, Maria Heredia teamed up with

Joaquin Fonseca to take first place honors, defeating Ping Song and Sherly Schake. Heredia also played in the women's finals with Rocia Ramirez. In a 3-game match, they outlasted Kelly Airhart and Sheila Hoffman (7-15, 15-12, 11-5.) All winning team members earned intramural championship t-shirts for their effort this weekend. The next racquetball tournament is scheduled for the spring semester.

sions facing off in the Student Recre-

6:30 p.m. between Lambda Chi, U.P.,

Ghetto Boys and the Greek Black

8:30 p.m. between KSOMA and Al-

pha Chi Omega, and the Co-Rec,

which also is at 8:30 p.m., between

ment would like to thank all of this

year's participants and look forward

to watching you play next fall.

Exercise a Little

The Recreational Sports Depart-

Exercise a little charity when you

come to work out at the Rec and bring

some canned food to help the South

Plains Food Bank. This is part of the

university-wide canned food drive.

Boxes will be available throughout

winner (which played last night.)

The Men's All-U which begins at

The women's final, which plays at

ation Center this evening.

Gimps and ISA.

Charity

Rec Center Briefs

Backpacking Clinic Tomorrow

Prepare yourself for hiking and backpacking trips by attending tomorrow's backpacking clinic at 7 p.m. in room 205 of the Student Rec Center. The clinic is sponsored by the Outdoor Program of the Recreational Sports Department.

Items to be discussed will be how to prepare for a wilderness backpacking trip, how to pack a backpack, what equipment to bring, what to cook, safety procedures and minimum impact camping techniques.

There is no fee for this clinic, just show up tomorrow at 7 p.m. at the Rec Center.

Volleyball All-University Tonight

The intramural volleyball season will come to an end this evening. The season will conclude with the

Men's, Women's and Co-Rec divi- the SRC and Aquatic Center.

Great American Smokeout

Smokeout.

For all smokers and others interested, here are a few facts to consider smoke cigars are more likely to inwith the Great American Smokeout hale than non-cigarette smokers approaching. Approximately 3000 adolescents start the habit of smoking every day in the U.S. · Nearly all of these will be sicker than the rest of the non-smoking population

· Cigarette smokers who currently

Winning Star champions are eligible for intramural champion t-shirts. The intramural department would like to thank all competitors who made this fall's season a success. All teams are encouraged to play again in the spring season. See ya' next semester!

Fighting Banana Slugs Win Whiffle Ball

A strong offense that yielded 27 runs in 3 games gave Fighting Banana Slugs the championship title of the Natural High Whiffleball tournament which was played Friday night on Court 5. They defeated Athlete's Foot 9-7 in the Final game. Team members were Taylor Condrey, Johnny Moss, Tom Sawyer, Tyler Ince, David Gooch, Cody McCravy, Ryan Dodley and Matt Allison.



The Unknowns won the men's championship. Front row, left to right, limmy Studzinski, Courtney Cowart, Todd Treadaway, Blair Geismar. Second Row, Brandon Roy, Brian Ritter, Michael Stehman, Danny Ayala and Mark Seidenberger

· Most of those who start will never quit

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breast cancer as the #1 cancer killer of women.

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There is a Smoking Cessation class in Thompson Hall Room C122 from 2 p.m. until 3 p.m.

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