# (1)Serious subject $\bar{\square}$ "Patient A" rounds out <br> theatre season. <br> <br> \section*{Hit the road <br> <br> \section*{Hit the road Texas Tech softball Texas Tech softball on travels to on travels to xas A\&M. xas A\&M. P. 14} P. 14} <br>  

# Mixed views follow athlete jobs Officials 

- Part- by Jason bernstein


## time

 work may not be good coaches sayThe University Daily
With the recent ruling of the NCAA allowing student-athletes th people in and around Texas Tech any letics have been left to ponder the "I think
Ithink that this is going to be ough situation for the NCAA to nitor and keep straight," said Tech Brat men's basketball coach Rob ert Brashear. "I don't see how an ath ete can find the time to work with a full load of classes while playing a level. That's what the the collegiat

Beginning in August, all Division I athletes who have been enrolled for one year will be able to earn up to
$\$ 2,000$ a year. Additional terms of the $\$ 2,000$ a year. Additional terms of the board of directors Wednesday, include working while the athlete's sport is in season as well as having jobs arranged for students by the athletic department. "I really have mixed feelings about coach Jeff Nelson. "It's important that schools are careful about where their athletes work. Every now and then alumni can get carried away in their
support of their school. It really needs
$\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { support of their school. It really needs } \\ \text { to be monitored very closely." }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { plished." } \\ \text { Despite the implications of pos- }\end{array}\end{array}$


Holding it Steady: Texas Tech student aso Laws a senior glass blowing major from Arlington, works on bowl for class in the art building Thursday.

Some critics of the newly passed measure are quick to point out that jobs can be with the school's recrerent budget remains separate from the athletic departans separate from the Also, some coaches feel the deci sion may encourage beot the decision may encourage booster groups
to pay athletes for work that was never done.
"Eliminating student part-time work was done years ago because of the instances of abuse," Brashear said. "It really opens a can of worms in giving people the opportunity to stray from what is trying to be accom-
sible wrongdoing, some student-ath letes have welcomed the opportunity or work with open arms. "It's something that a lot of stu-dent-athletes can look into as far a earning extra money to help with thei
necessities," said senior foothall de necessities", said senior football de-
fensive end Montae Reagor "As $f$ fensive end Montae Reagor. "As far
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Other fears pertaining to the soft ening of the job rule include that of highly touted recruits expecting job as part of their recruiting package. See JOBS, page 1

## Ray dies in Nashville hospital

## NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - James Earl Ray, the petty

 criminal who confessed to assassinating the Rev. MartinLuther King Jr. and then issisted he was framed died Luther King Jr. and then insisted he was framed, died Thursday, frustrating civil rights 70
may never learn the truth. He was 70
may never learn the truth. He was 70 .
Ray died at a hospital of kidney failure and complications from liver disease while serving a 99 -year prison sentence for the 1968 slaying.
"America will never have the benefit of Mr. Ray's trial, which would have produced new revelations about the assassination," said King's widow, Coretta.
King and her son Dexter have said they believe Ray was innocent.
Some other civil rights leaders, including the Rev. Jesse Jackson, have not gone that far, instead saying that they
believe Ray took part in the assassination but that he did believe Ray to
not act alone.
not act alone.
The Rev. Hosea Williams, a former King lieutenant, called Ray's death "the epitome of an American crucifixcalled "Anyone with an ounce of brains who has done any
studying or research on this case knows James Earl Ray was used by the federal government," he said. The King family is pressing Attorney General Janet Reno to create a federal investigative commission with the power to subpoena witnesses, grant in
charges against suspected conspirators. charges against suspected conspirators.

But as far as Ray and the courts are concerned, it's
Prosecutors in Memphis, where King was shot on a motel balcony, said Ray's 30 -year battle to take back his guilty plea died with him
"About the only thing I can say is I believe the history ooks will accurately record that James Earl Ray was the killer of Dr. King," said
prosecutor in Memphis.
It was 30 years ago this mon by a sniper at the go mine month when King was killed port striking sanitation workers. The April 4,1968 , assasination touched off race riots in more than 100 cities and set off one of the biggest manhunts in U.S. history.
Ray, a fugitive from a Missouri prison where he serving time for robbery, was staying in a flophouse nearby. He was captured in London two months later. By pleading guilty in March 1969, he avoided the possibility of a death sentence. But Ray recanted three days ater and argued for years that he was coerced into making the plea.
Week recognizes archaeological contributions

- Local site yields many findings


## bY ANJELA ANAYA

The University Daily
Lubbock Lake Landmark is hosting its 1998 Archaeology Awareness
The site is operated by Texas Tech and the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.
Sue Shore, museum educator, said the purpose of the week is to enlighten the public about archaeology. "What we try and do during Ar-

## chaeology Awareness Week

 Awareness Weekis provide a visiis provide a visi-
tor with a sense of what it takes to be an archeoloogy works and the knowledge we gain our dirt."
from that."

deal during the last 12,000 years, she said. The material found through excavation helps them find out a about the environment in add
humans used this area Shore said students from many dif ferent backgrounds can participate. "Students in archaeology, history, education, biology and geology can gain something," Shore said, "Our Any student interested in learning Any studo WEEK, page 2

## will speak to NCAA

## BY GINGER POPE

The University Daily
Members of the Texas Tech athletic department are in Cleveland, Ohio, today, not for a sport competition, bu for an NCAA Infractions Committee Hearing. to begin at 8:30 a.m., and administrators were told to set aside two full days for proceedings.
"I expect to be able to prese to allegations," Montford said. "I'm ready to bring this to
The hearing will take
place in a downtown hotel
and will begin with openin
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Tech's opportunity to respond followed by closing state-
Bob Burton, associate athletic director for compliance, has said he believes the changes in Tech athletic personnel and self-imposed sanctions could be a factor in the decisions made by Infraction Committee members. Tech will not know what type of sanctions they migh receive until June.
"It's the Comm
said. "They have a lot of analyzing to do"
Last week, Tech officials released their 1,200 -page response to NCAA charges issued in November. In their response, Tech admitted to some charges of giving stu-dent-athletes benefits, a lack of institutional control and some violations with the improper rransfer and payments
of courses.
viduals from Tech will be present at the hearing, and some will be asked to testify.
Throughout the NCAA investigation Tech has used the legal services of Mike Glazier with Bond, Shoeneck and King, and recently acquired the services of Kirk Watson, who is Austin's mayor and an attorney.
Both attorneys will represent Tech and both specialize in NCAA cases.
Tech's list of recent self-imposed sanctions include a program-wide, three-year probation period on its athletic program.
biggest reductions in visits.
Sanctions Tech issued previously to their NCAA response include withdrawal from consideration from a Big 12 football championship and a bowl game as well as withdrawal from NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament consideration during the 1996-97 season and a forfeiture of Big 12 games that ineligible athletes played in
Dad accused of injecting son with AIDS virus

ST. CHARLES, Mo. (AP) - For years, doctors were
puzzled by the constant illnesses of a young St. Louis puzzled by the constant illnesses of a young St. Louis
area boy. Finally, two years ago, a worst-case diagnosis: AIDS. Doctors were mystified about the source of the disease. There were no signs of sexual abuse. The child was not a hemophiliac. He was not born with the disease. An investigation yielded an "unimaginable" cause for
the boy's illness, according to police. They say the boy's father intentionally injected a syringe full of HIV-tainted blood into his son.
The father, Brian T. Stewart, was arraigned on charges of first-degree assault Thursday. He pleaded innocent; prosecutors say the charge will be upgraded to murder if the child dies.
Authorities believe he stole the blood from a St. Louis
hospital, where he worked hospital, where he worked as a lab aide.
Greed was the alleged motive. Stewart, 31, wanted to kill his son to avoid paying child support, police said.
"It's unimaginable to me that somebody could do this to their own child," St. Charles County Sheriff Douglas to their own ch
Saulters said.
"It's something that's monstrous.
Stewart was being held on $\$ 500,000$ bond. A lawyer is expected to be appointed for his next court appearance on April 30.
Because of the notoriety of the case, Saulters said ex
Ira precautions were being taken to protect Stewart at the
county jail.
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## Week

continued from page about the area can have the opportunity to participate during the from mid-June to mid-Augus," The site is unique for its contents, Shore said.
"We are the only site in North America that has a complete 12,000 year history of human oc cupation," Shore said. "It's a world-renowned site." People also should be aware of the consequences of picking up
artifacts they might find, she said. artifacts they might find, she said.
"There are a lot of people who "There are a lot of people who
go arrowhead hunting," Shore said. go arrowhead hunting," Shore said.
"When they see a cool arrow"When they see a cool arrowhead, they pick it up. When once is all it is, just a cool object. Any information you might have gained by any other artifacts that might have been associated with it are gone. What we're trying to get people to do is consult an chaeologist or a museum." Wendy Willems, education in
tern at Lubbock Lake Landmark, tern at Lubbock Lake Landmark said the purpose of the week is to
dispel popular myths.

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It's to let kids know that we're not just digging up dirt.

Wendy Willems Lubbock Lake Landmark educational intern


## not just digging up ditt" sid willem

 "The oldest dirt ,", said Willem "The oldest dirt we have here i 12,000 years old, and dinosaurs ar65 million years old So what we have 65 million years old. So what we have
here is not dinosaurs, but animat here is not dinosaurs, but animal
bones, spear points and arrow points bones, spear points and arrow points lt's very meticulous and very pains taking."
Most of the excavation is con ducted during the summer when Tech students, the community and people from around the world volunteer. A one square meter area worked on the entire summer by a single per son will not be completed by the end of a summer, Willems said.
The large animals found on the site, such as camels, stout-legged horses, Columbian mammoths, gian horses, Columbian mammoths, gian

## bear, became extinct about 11,000

 years ago.The rest of the animals on the
te are much smaller.
There will be school tours at 9 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m. and
$1: 30$ p.m. Friday. There also is a 1:30 p.m. Friday. There also is a
film festival in the auditorium at film festival in the auditorium al
$10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m} ., 11: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m} ., 2 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. and
3:30 p.m.
Saturday there will be spinning/ weaving demonstrations from 10 a.m. to noon and 2 to $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. and from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday. Saturday here will be films at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and
$11: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and a flintknapping 1:30 a.m. and a fli
workshop 1 to 4 p.m.
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There also will be three differnt family workshops Saturday ent family wo
and Sunday.

## "To Dig or Not to Dig" is 10 to

 1:30 a.m. Saturday and 1:30 to 3 p.m. Sunday. "What IS That Thing" is 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday and 2 to 3 p.m. Sunday. "Woolen Webs" is 3 to $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Saturday and Sunday.All AAW activities, including tours, are free. Pre-registration equired for all workshops.
For more information workshop registration, call 742 1116. For group tour scheduling, call $742-2456$

Seniors gather one last time

Texas Tech seniors graduating in May and August have their last opportunity to experience college life at The Great Texas Tech Senior Exit Dinner sponsored by the Ex-Students
Association. Association.
There is no cost for the outside dinner, which will be from p . Sunday at the Merket Alumni Center, 17th Street and University Avenue.
Students wishing to attend need to pick up their tickets by 5 p.m. Friday at the Merket Alumni Center. Entertainment will be provided by Kyle Abernathie, and seniors will have the opportunity to have a picure made with the Masked Rider. function will be inside the alumni function
center. center.
Curt Langford, marketing director for the Ex-Students Association, said at the dinner, students will be in-
formed about how they can remain involved with Tech even after they leave.
The traditional event gives every student an opportunity to leave with an ex-student license plate.

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ROTC cadets receive honors

BY DANIEL KERR The University Daily
Both Texas Tech's Army and Air
Force ROTC units wir Force ROTC units were honored with
25 awards Thursday at their awards ceremony. Awards came frong organizations such as the separate Defense Preparedness Association, the Retired Officers Association and
the Armed Forces Communications the Armed Forces Communications
and Electronics Association. The Texas Tech University President's Leadership Award was included in the national award presentation. Capt. Chris Frankenberger, an
ROTC instructor, said the President's ROTC instructor, said the President's
Leadership Award is included because
"It goes to the most nior cadet - one from Air Force and one from Army. That award is entirely sponsored by President Haragan's
office." Cadet Jay Schroder of the Army ROTC and Cadet Jerry Reeves of the Air Force ROTC won the award. This year's number of awards compares favorably with last year's.
Frankenberger said. Frankenberger said.
"We have a couple of new awards this year - luckily, there are instituawards," he said. "I would expect this trend to continue."
The ROTC has some of the university's best leaders, Frankenberger said. "We've got some fine kids who
compete at the national compete at the national level," Frankenberger said. "We are recog-
nizing some outstanding nizing some outstanding academic performers with superior leadership
skills who will be superior leaders in

McCartney's spokesman admits misleading media $\begin{array}{cccc}\text { LONDON (AP) - Though he } & \text { Geoff Baker, acknowledged mislead- } & \text { suicide as "rubbish." } \\ \text { knew the real story eventually would } & \text { ing the media into believing Linda } & \text { Carla Lane, a close friend, stated }\end{array}$ knew the real story eventually would ing the media into believing Linda
be unmasked, Paul McCartney al- McCartney had succumbed to breast flatly Thursday a close triend, stated

finda McCartney lowed a "tiny untruth" to flourish cancer in Santa Barbara, Calif. $\quad$ died in Arizona. $\begin{array}{ll}\text { about where his wife, Linda, died so } \\ \text { Beaker all but confirmed that the } & \text { "When the illness became more }\end{array}$ he could buy private time to grieve, a wife of the former Beatle died Friday serious, she went there because she $\begin{array}{ll}\text { close friend said Thursday. } \\ \text { Paul McCartney asked } & \text { on a } 150 \text {-acre ranch the family owns } \\ \text { loved it above all places, and that's }\end{array}$ | Paul McCartney asked to be left east of Tucson, Ariz. He dismissed |
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| why she went and that's where she |
| Filane ander the family's spokesman, speculation her death was assisted |

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these awards are highly regarded. scholasticwise. It improves your atti-
"These are some of the best cadets


Congrats: Lt. Col. Joseph Ulans, Commander of Army ROTC, presents Todd Daniels, a senior Army ROTC cadet, the American Defense Preparednes Association Award for outstanding academic and leadership qualities.
this nation's military." around, and they work hard, and this Some ROTC members were is the one time we have to honor that awarded prestigious awards that are work," Lillis said. "They are some of
good resume builders. Frankenberger the best we have to offer the nation" good resume builders, Frankenberger the best we have to offer the nation.
said.

Cadet fourth class Greg "For example, we have a young $\begin{gathered}\text { Cadet fourth class Greg } \\ \text { Nollkamper, a mechanical engineer- }\end{gathered}$ | an who won The Society of Ameri- | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Nolikamper, a mechanical engineer- } \\ \text { ing major from New Braunfels, }\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | can Military Engineers Award," he

said. "He is one of 20 nationwide to
agres.
"It says that scholastically, they aid, "He is one of 20 nationwide to $\begin{aligned} & \text { "It says that scholastically, they } \\ & \text { receive this honor." } \\ & \text { have overcame other cadets, and their }\end{aligned}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Inceive this honor." } & \text { have overcame other cadets, and their } \\ \text { Incoming Wing Commander Matt } & \text { leadership skills are superior," }\end{array}$ Lillis, a junior design communica- Nollkamper said. "It's a good protions major from Garland, said a lot gram leadershipwise and tude for your education and country",

Couple opens fire on each other at church during marriage counseling
FRESNO, Calif. (AP) - A husband in the shoulder. $\quad$ was in serious condition Thursday. husband and wife pulled guns on
each other and shot it out at church $\begin{gathered}\text { The two took the gun battie out- } \\ \text { side, where Bonnie Martin collapsed }\end{gathered} \begin{gathered}\text { Police said they will seek at- } \\ \text { tempted murder charges against }\end{gathered}$ during a marriage counseling session after he arrived late drinking a beer.
Both were wounded.
Both were wounded.
With a beer in one hand and a With a beer in one hand and a gun in the other, Michael Martin
shot his wife Wednesday as she shot his wife Wednesday as she
tried to walk out of the meeting at St. James Episcopal Cathedral, their counselor said Thursday. A bleeding Bonnie Martin pulled a
pistol from her purse and shot her pistol from her purse and shot her and was fired on again. Michael Martin allegedly hit his wife at least once more before he ran out of bullets. "It's a good thing that he had been drinking because he could have hit her
more," said the Rev. Bud Searcy, head more," said the Rev. Bud Searcy, head

of the New Creation Ministries, which runs the counseling sessions. | Hev. Russell Willingham, the Mar- |
| :--- | :--- | "He was a lousy shot." tins' counselor. Michael Martin was treated at a $\begin{aligned} & \text { "It was your typical domestic } \\ & \text { dispute. Then the fireworks }\end{aligned}$ hospital and released; Bonnie Martin started."



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## Future minister

 bids farewell to writing

In the words of an old wildcatter out in the middle of nowhere watching yet another oil well run dry, "Well,
darlin', looks like this one's run out It's time to move on.
Yes, folks that's right, and no you don't need check your eyes, this is the last time you'll ever gaze in horror on a Friday morning as you look at page
four in The University Daily and see a homely mug of a redneck spouting forth whatever's on his mind If you haven't guessed by now ey ever will write, because in 15 days he'll be a proud alumnus of Texas -Summing up my over the hills, through the hog lot, splash through the creek, climb a tree and fall on your head but still keep your sanity five years at this wonderful institution of higher learning is about like the favorite winning We Kentucky Derby, which is in about a week, so I won't.
has pounded the final gavel, the only things left in Mother Hubbactioneer has pounded the final gavel, the only things left in Mother Hubbard's bare $\underset{\sim}{\sim}$ cupboard are memories.
wearing a black cowboy hat, holding two beers in one hand and one in the whirg and smoking a cigarette with a luscious wad of Copenhagen in his the whenever koskble ingead of being asegg jifte koy And hiuthe dhesbooks
instead of the bars. instead of the bars.
It hasn't been the institutional organization that's made my stay here a bed of roses, but it's been the people.

- People like Rip Phillips, who broadened my horizons to life's lessons in he insect world and Tech President Donald Haragan, who always was available when an aspiring reporter needed some information, and all the oth
whose names I am unable to mention because of a lack of space. Those names 1 am unable to mention because of a lack of space.
able as it may seem, my place is not in a newsroom but in full-time Christian ministry.
So if you think a little hell, fire and brimstone sermon's coming in the next few lines, I hate to disappoint you.
All the sermons already have been preached in previous columns, so y'all
ought to know where I stand and whose I am, because I'm not siving for ought to know where I stand and whose I am, because I'm not living for temporary things I'm living intentionally for eternity, and you can, too. 1 guess this is finally the end, so take care, God bless and thanks for the
memories. emories.

Charles Melton is a senior journalism major from Salina, Kan.
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TheUniversityDaily@utu.edh.


## Older, wiser Brooks says bye <br> Texas



Ihave a third nipple and a lazy eye. Tve always wanted to open a cola book, that's gonna be its title. Well, this is my last column So I feel I should let you know some important things about me. That way maybe you
bit better.

## bit better.

Maybe you'll understand why I write the interesting, thought-provoking columns that I do. To start out, I must tell you that yes, indeed, I do have a third nipple and a lazy eye. Now, my third nipple isn't actually some grotesque, mutant, normalsized third nipple. It really looks more like a mole.
However, it is a third nipple. My doctor tells me they're pretty com-
mon. Unfortunately, we third nipple mon. Unfortunately, we third nipple
bearers have suffered great persecution over the years. A recent example
is the television show "Friends." They But my childhood trauma doesn't
really poked fun at Chandler because stop there. I didn't hit puberty until I
of his third nipple.
Sadly, the writer didn't make a I had a driver's license before my point of showing that Chandler still voice had changed. This was pretty was normal because of the ex-
tra feature. No, tra feature. No,
they took the they took the
easy, less-coneasy, less-con-
troversial apWe bearers of the and everything,
We bearers of the $\begin{aligned} & \text { and everything, } \\ & \text { but } I \text { just grew }\end{aligned}$ third nipple are $\begin{aligned} & \text { but } 1 \text { just grew } \\ & \text { sick and tired of }\end{aligned}$ proach and had the character go to the doctor to get it removed. This is a copout. I mean, what
are the young te people, too. are the young teen-agers with third nipples going to think? We bearers of
the third nipple are people, too. That's the third mipple are people,
why I'm going to keep mine.
$I$ also have a lazy eye. My left eye Yalso have a lazy eye. My left eye
st doesn't work all the time. As a result, I only can use one eye, for the most part. This brought me to great trauma as a young child. In kindergarten, I had to wear a patch over my right eye in order to teach my left eye how to work. This was pretty embarrassing. Add to that the fact that the
left lens of my glasses weighed about left lens of my glasses weighed about
five pounds, causing my glasses to be five pounds, causing my glasses to be pretty goofy looking kid.
people arguing with me about

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 Me: No, I'm 16. I swear $\begin{array}{r}\text { only } 16 .\end{array}$Me: No, I'm 16. I swear. Man: Hey Marge, get over here
and look at this. It's a 16-year-old whose voice hasn't changed. I can't believe it.
Me: Well how old are you? Me: Well how
Man: I'm 30 .
Me: Really?
Me: Really? You're so bald I hought you were a lot older than that This usually would get the person quiet.
You see, when you have three nipples, a lazy eye and the body of a 12 -year-old, you have to develop a sense of humor. So I did. (Hopefully you are feeling sorry for me and are starting to cry.)

Tech. I saw an ad in The UD saying it was looking for some columnists. hought to myself "Maybe at me, an hat, and people will
"Then ' 'll no longer feel the pain
"Then I'll no longer feel the painful scars of growing up with a thir nipple, a lazy eye and the voice of a 8 -year-old girl."
So I became a columnist and wrote bunch of columns. Some wer funny. Some were stupid. Two were controversial enough to spark letter writing campaigns. And my grandma hought they all were "just wonderful."

And I ve loved every minute of it. Nothing beats the exhilaration you feel when seeing a fellow student reading one of your columns, staring blank-faced at the product you thought was absolutely
it just makes you smile. It
But that's all over now. It's time for me to graduate. Yeah, I know look like a junior in high school. Bu
really am 22. And I really am ol enough to graduate from college. So back off.
That's all for now. Good night. Brooks Boyette is a senior adver ising major from Amarilo - bind man, bird man.


## Exit Dinner set for Sunday



It is easy to tell that graduation is just around the corner. All the hotels just around the corner. All the hotels
are booked from May 8 through 19, students are leaving the doors of the Tech Bookstore with their caps and gowns in hand, and class attendance is unusually high.
As the class of 1998 prepares for their final days at Texas Tech, there is an opportunity for soon-to-be gradua
time.
time.
The Tech Senior Exit Dinner,
sponsored by the Ex Sx ciation, will be from 6 to 9.30 pm Sunday on the east lawn of the Merket Alumni Center.

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Tech tradition The Studen The Studen
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Summer Reps enters 31st year， takes Tech theatre to new level BY LAURA HENSLEY The University Daily
The Texas Tech Department of Theatre and Dance will be taking theatre to a new level this summer during the 31st season of Summer Reps．
＂Summer Reps is like theater on steroids，＂said Fred Christoffel，di－ rector of theater at Tech．＂Every－
body is involved every night，in every play．＂
Four plays will be performed for 19 days straight by a 24 member cast and crew．The plays will be produced in what is called＂rolling repertory＂fashion．The produc－
tions will rotate tions will rotate each night w
different play every time ifferent play every time．
This grueling task not only is
time consuming but is a require－ time consuming but is a require
ment to receive a bachelor of fine arts and master of fine arts degree． ＂Basically students will be busy from 8：30 in the morning to 11 a night，for three weeks，＂Christoffel said．＂Although it＇s hard，this is the nature of the business．It really helps students get a taste of wha their life will be like after gradua－
three－week program causes stress， he tries to make it as calming
possible．One way he does this is by having weekly dinners for the
cast．
money．The don＇t do this for the oney．They do it because they can＇t imagine doing anything
ase，＂he said＂We try to ase，＂he said．＂We try to make ners really seem to help．＂ The 1998 Tech Summer eason will open June 18 and clos July 5 ．The plays included in the Summer Reps are＂Help Wanted： A Comedy That Works for a Liv ing，＂，＂Nunsense，＂＂All in the Tim ing，＂and＂A Separate Peace and Another Moon Called Earth．＂All plays will be performed in the Tobyn Leigh，promotions or of TTUT will be directing ＂Help Wanted：A Comedy That Works for a Living．＂She said she is looking forward to the experi－ ence of Summer Reps．
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basketball
2nd Place-Volleyball, 3rd-Soccer

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wrestling match, a charge the show denies.
de NBC a charge the show And the NBC station that brought by
Springer to the big leagues has scraped the show off the bottom of a its corporate shoes amid rising criticism that it has degenerated into a pornographic slugfest.
Springer has a history of profiting daily
from sleaze. And as media from sleaze. And as media watchers doubted that his top-rated daytime
talk show will suffer from the allegatikns, Chicagoans braced for a double tions, Chicagoans braced for a double
dose of "The Jerry Springer Show" on a new station.
Show spokesman Jim Benson denied the allegations and said the show

Suzanne Muir, a Canadian restau rant owner who helped staged a high-
profile hoax on the Springer show three years ago, said reports of staged shows are hardly shocking and she bted that viewers care. You can tell who his audience is These people have just come from The Springer or a tractor pull." The Springer show, which featured such topics as "I Strip With My Famdaily from WMAQ-TV's downtow sudios, but has been dropped from he station's lineup.
Larry Wert, WMAQ's new presithat he determined the show did not fit with his station's goals of making the strongest connection with the community.


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## Red Raiders look to rebound with OU

by heath robinson
he University Daily
am will look to rebound from los ing it first Big 12 series in more than month when the Red Raiders play ost to the No． 18 Oklahoma Soon－ Th at Dan Law Field this weekend． The series begins at 7 p．m．today
ame two starts at 2 p．m．Saturday ame two starts at 2 p．m．Saturday
hile the final game will be at 1 pm
Unday．
The Red Raiders are coming －game splititina roads series again owa State and Nebraska．The Cornhuskers handed Tech two losses， ncluding an $8-3$ loss in Wednesday nbber match．
The series against the Sooners pre－
ents a chance for Tech to ijmp ents a chance for Tech to jump back The Sooners $(31-13$ overall, $11-8$. git 12 ）and Red Raiders are bos bree games behind first－place Baylor but Tech trails Oklahoma and Okla－ oma State by 14 percentage points Nissouri trails the trio by one－halt

Tech（33－16 overall，13－10 Big 12） play is sast six conterence game the comfort of Dan Law Field where the Red Raiders are a cozy 22 － on the year．Oklahoma，meanwhile， Heokch which saw the soonersg wept by Nebraska last weekend be Ore winning 2 －of－ 3 against Miscouri ＂We＇ve kind of been struggling thle bit，＂Oklahoma coach Larry Cochell said．＂Our piching has been

## Jobs

continued from page drop in grades and athletic perfor mance may ensue due to the time and participating in athletics． ＂The kids that need the mone are the ones that will have the jobs Tech assistant fastpitch softball coach Bobby Reeves said of the
stiuation ＂Idon＇treally think that this will benefit college ahletics，but the op－ portunity is there for those thal
need it．All of the rules are up necd it．All of the rules are up to
interperation，and that＇s where the problem occurs，＂ As for all the rules in the NCAA Andbook，rule interpretations are

Anytime you get three coaches


Safe：Red Raider／ason Landrech slides in safely at third earlier this season against Ablen Chriew

## little spotty．＂

The Sooners have allowed an av－ crage of 9.5 runs in their last six games，four of which were losses． the national rankings at one poin Oklahoma is just $6-6$ in its last 12 utings．
The Red Raiders come into the series in good shape as far as pitch－ pitchers in the three－game set against the＇Huskers，and Monty Ward and

Jesse Cornejo have not pitched since the lowa State series． Cornejo has emerged as a reliable he mid－6＇s into its current spot at the mid－6 s into its current spot at
4．56．He likely will start the opener tonight．Ward should pitch Saturday． Cornejo said becoming acclimated with Division I baseball has helped him recently．
ing and pitching at this level，＂ Cornej－ ing and pitching at this level，＂Cornejo
said． said．
during the season
Even though coaches were not rep－ resented on the committee that worked with the NCAA to reach the final decision in allowing student－ath－ letes to work，some remain optimi
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said Tech assistant women＇s kiske ball coach Linden Weese．＂They will have the opportunity to pick up some extra money for some hard workJ＇m sure it willbemonitored very elosely， and I know that the NCAA will take it away if is isnt conduct propery． Regardless of what side of the i mains constant．
Student－athletes have to balance their time accordingly in order to per form on the court and inside the class－ room．
together and read them a rule，you
probably will have three different in－
erpretations，＂Reeves said．
Unity among the students for the
measure is as apparent as the opposi－ measure is as apparent as the opposi－ ＂Every little bit counts，＂said Tech ootball offensive tackle Jonathan Gray．＂Every situation is different，bu see how working can conflict dur－ ing the season．It will probably be gore common in the off－season be school and your sport＂ school and your sport：＇ Other student－athletes concur，pre－ erring not to work during their ＂It＇s too much of a hassle to during the season，＂said Tech softball outfielder Sandy Butler． son，but it＇s too hard to study as it is
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Orıma its opener against Missouri to claim $9-7$ win．
The Sooners lay claim to a .344 cam average and have crushed a Big 2 －leading 93 home runs．Leading the charge is first baseman Case Bookout．
Bookou Bookout leads the team with 20
home runs and is one of three Sooner starters with an average above ． 400 ， Brian Shackelford is hitting just ．299， low by their standards．But he is a constant threat to go deep with 17 round－trippers． The Sooners＇downfall is pitching． Their staff ERA is 6.16 ，compared to
46 for the Red Raider
sporting a $5-2$ record and a 4.18 ERA sporting a5－2 record and a4． 18 ERA ．
But like Wright for the Red Raiders， he pitched the first game of Tuesday＇s doubleheader，and likely will not be seen until Sunday．
Geoff Geary may start Saturday． Geary is $8-1$ tnd be trouble for Tech． batters in just $831 / 3$ sirnuck out 10. On offense，Tech will counter with Josh Bard，Keith Ginter and Kevin Jordan．Ginter，the leadoff hitter is Jordan．Ginter，the leadoff hitter，is
hitting． 366 with 11 homers and 45 RBIs．

He also has drawn 61 walks and Bard and Jordan have combined for 28 home runs and 112 RBIs． But in the end，pitching will be the
key． Tech has three good starters，all of which show different style

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The kids that need the money are the ones who will have the jobs． 99
Tech assistant fastpitch coach Bobby Reeves
＂It would take a fairly focused athletics，but coaches and students player to balance academics，sports
ind alike will have a transition to to When it comes down to it，we are＂＂I don＇rtuink that you can ef－ paying the athletes to play a sport
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sports are fairly consistent in that the
go on in various situations，＂said $\begin{array}{lll}\begin{array}{l}\text { sports are fairly consistent in that the } \\ \text { athlete puts in } 15 \text { to } 20 \text { hours a week }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { go on in various situations，＂said } \\ \text { Tech softball coach Renee Luers－}\end{array}\end{array}$ of practice before another 15 to 20 Gillispie hours of class and studying．That＇s a full－time job in itself．＂ It remains to be seen how the new $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { tor．If the students can effectively } \\ & \text { make the time }\end{aligned}$ measure directly will affect collegiate make the time，then it can be an

Tennis teams beat＇Huskers The Texas Tech men＇s and
women＇s tennis teams had suc－ women＇s tennis teams had suc－
cessful outings agains cessful outings against Ne－
braska during the first day of the Big 12 Toushen Thus day in Lincoln，Neb．
After handing Nebraska sound defeat Wednesday，the men continued their dominance over the Cornhuskers with a 4 0 victory． Tech will play Texas at 1：30 p．m．today in the
of the tournament of the tournament． The women＇s squad had a squeaking by the Cornhask squeaking by the Cornhuskers， The Red Raiders won all three of the doubles matche While pulling out enough The women will next battle Texas at 1：30 p．m．today．

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## Hatchell announces

 plans to leave Big 12missioner Ste Thursday he plans to leave said league he helped form shortly after the 3 -year-old conference's spring meetings next month first of July," Hatchell June or the radio station KLIF-AM "I've radio station KLIF-AM. "T've got
my foot in the door with several different opportunities.'
Hatchell later told The Associated Press a personnel change is
best for him and the conference. best for him and the conference. "I hink the league is in great shape and the league just goes
onward and upward from here," onward he said.
"It has been three long years and I think the change would be Although Hatchell said he feels
close to the situation told The AP that pressure was being applied for Hatchell to step aside because of management and staff prob-
lems at Big 12 headquarters. lems at Big 12 headquarters "I don't know that I'm a par-
ticularly easy person to work for," ticularly easy person to work for,"
Hatchell said, adding that some Hatchell said, adding that some
employees in the Dallas-based employees in the Dallas-based
conference office are probably justified in their beliefs he was tough on them.
Big 12 chairman Ray Bowen, the Texas A\&M president, said Thursday he was aware of some concern about internal issues, but that no one had specifically brought those concerns to him.
"It's a high stress, high pres "It's a high stress, high presconference call with reporters.

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## Dallas will regret passing up Moss



In the NFL draft, the Dallas Cow-
boys had their chance.
There it, or should it be said he,
was, staring them right in the face. Randy Moss. A 6 -foot-5-inch, 200 pound lynx who can run up and down the football field like nobody's business. If Dan Patrick and his ESPN cohorts could say one phrase about Moss, it would be this: "You can't
stop him, you can only hope to con-

## tain him."

Well, on the field, you can't even
hope to do that.
Moss is an impeccable athlete.
He's big, he's strong, he's fast and all he does, with excuses to Chris Carter, is score touchdowns.
But off the field, man, can he ever
But off the field, man, can he ever
be contained?
He was not selected by the Cow-
boys, despite their need to improve a boys, despite their need to improve a
1997 offense that looked like an elementary school fire drill. The Cowementary school fire drill. The Cow-
boys couldn't spell touchdown last year if you spotted them "touch." And that's where Moss comes in. He can spell touchdown. He can even score them.
But why, oh why, would the best athlete in recent memory (at least
eight years) slip to the No. 21 pick in
the first round? Why would Dallas pass up Moss lems, which were a handful. Moss has for a defensive end in Greg Ellis that been convicted of battery, and was desome said could be had at No. 15? nied a scholarship at Notre Dame for Yes, Dallas
needed to upgrade their
defensive

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In the NFL In the NFL draft, $\begin{aligned} & \text { mestic abuse, al- } \\ & \text { though his girlfriend } \\ & \text { dine. They } \\ & \text { were pushed }\end{aligned}$ the Dallas Cowboys denied to press around sobad last year the
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had their chance.

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nied a scholarship at Notre Dame for testing positive for
marijuana. He also marijuana. He also
was arrested for dodenied
charges.
So the man who Bobby Bowden called the best athlete he has ever seen, including Deion Sanders, dropped to
Vikings No No. 21 .

But defen-
sive end was not Dallas' biggest need
Despite their deficiencies indefensive
Despite their deficiencies in defensive line, the Cowboys finished N
the league in total defence
The league in total defense.
They lost countless games over the
last two years because their offense
last two years because their offense
couldn't sustain drives. And when they could, they broke down like a hey could, they broke down like a
young girl who lost her favorite doll when they were faced with, gasp, actually scoring.
The Cowboy
The Cowboys needed two things. First, offensive line help. They got that when they drafted Flozell Adams in the second round. Second, they
needed another offensive weapon Meeded another offensive weapon. Michael Irvin's production droppe
off last year because he was surrounded by a group of unpolished rounded by a group of unpolished
deckhands.
Put Randy Moss in the silver and Plue and see what happens. The field opens up, as do Troy Aikman's eyes. Suddenly, a scoring machine is back in "Big D.
But the Cowboys balked at draft-
he Minnesota Vikings at No. 21 .
Now I don't pretend to be an ex Now I don't pretend to be an ex-
pert on morals. I also don't make expert on morals. I also don't make ex-
cuses for what Moss did. But look at cuses for what Moss did. But look at
the charges.
First anybody that has ever been

First, anybody that has ever been a fight, no matter how minor, can
charged with battery. The incident developed because a white person aimed a racial slur a Moss, a black man. Moss suffered the indignity of being arrested and lost a cholarship because he beat up an idiot. A moron that deserved to be at tacked
mouth.
mouth.
Second, Moss lost his Notre Dame Second, Moss lost his Notre Dame
scholarship because he tested positive for marijuana. Well, I'm not saying testing positive for weed is a good hing, but we elected a man as the president of our country after he ad mitted to smoking, although not inhaling.
Catching passes is not running

Laicule If Mos did so was a terrible incident. But he was never charged. Warren Moon is still idolized, and he was arrested for domestic abuse. All we can go on is that
the incident was reported but never pursued.
So there is Moss' rap sheet. These hings cost what should have been the No. 1 pick to drop 20 spots. And boy, did the Vikings snatch him up. They did so with a smile and didn't even grant a reach-around to the rest of the league.
The Cowboys obviously had concerns because of their past problems with off-field incidents. You remember, when they were winning. Now
they are $6-10$. They are in danger of finishing last in the NFC East next season, and Greg Ellis won't be able to stop that.
People, this is football. It's a game. And don't cry about giving millions of dollars to a person with a checkered past, because it happens all the me in all walks of life. Nice guys don't win in the NFL.
Brett Favre was an alcoholic. Reggie White aimed racial slurs at all ethnic White aimed racial slurs at all ethnic ron, and rolled a joint
Way to go Cowboys and the oth 19 teams that took a flier on Moss. Here's hoping every team in the league goes to church every Sunday next year with their groups of choir boys. Because anyone who faces Moss' wrath on the field is going to need to say a prayer. Heath Robinson is a senior broad
cast journalism major from Hurst.

Kelly, Tampa Bay home way past Rangers, 12-5 ARLINGTON(AP)-The Tampa Tampa Bay improved to 11-8, appearance, blanked the Rangers on appearances.
Bay Devil Rays became the beating the old record of 10 by the
three singles untill leaving in the sixth. Bobby Smith homered, doubled
 son Johnson earned his first major league victory Thursday in a $12-5$ vic have seven games left in April. Johnson, making his first big
league start and his initial Tampa Bay
his major league debut with Pittsurgh lasi year.

He had no decisions in three relief | He had no decisions in three relief | $\begin{array}{c}\text { Miguel Cairo } \\ \text { the Devil Ray }\end{array}$ |
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## Raiders begin Big 12 tourney play

INSON
The University Daily
The No. 23 Texas Tech women's goif team heads to Norman, Okla., this weekend to compete in the 1998
Big 12 Conference Women's Golf Championship.
Teams tee off Friday with tournaday at the Jimminuing through Sundat the Jimmie Austin University 72, 6,013-yard golf course. It is a par"This is a good course for us," Tech coach Jeff Mitchell said. "Length and good course management are a plus
I feel like those are our strengths." Five Tech representatives."
make the trip, led by senior Brooke
Oilers finalize agreement to play in Vanderbilt Stadium

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - The the final agreement Wednesday, al-
ennessee Oilers officially have a place to play home games for the 998 season.
Oilers owner Bud Adams signed


Also making the trip will be
freshman freshman Hunt,
sopho. more transfer Jamie Vannoy, junior Beth Covington and senior Kristin "Our chances ride on having four of the five players playing well each day," Mitchell said of Tech's chances at the event. "Being able to throw out good round is the best situation possble. We are capable of winning th The Red Raiders can make the tip

The Red Raiders have ry Big Raiders have defeated seag 12 team at least twice dur ers are ranked and three Red Raidplayers in the among the top 100 MasterCard rankings.
Tech is led by Lowrance, a senior with a stroke average of 75.0 in seve rounds of play, and is currently ranked Hunt is ranked No. 60, and Vannoy is ranked No. 100.
Lowrance boasts a team-best round of 69 set at the Diet Coke Roadrunner Invitational held Nov. 2-4, In the Red Raiders' last tourna-
ment, Tech finished first as Lowrance
fired a two-round total of 149. Vannoy tied for medalist honors in the tourney with a total score of 147. Lowrance finished fifth. Vannoy is ranked seventh in the
latest Big 12 standings, latest Big 12 standings, and Hunt is
ranked eighth. anked eighth.
Tech with the the spring season for scoring an average of 75.7 in seven tournaments.
all, seven Big 12 schools are ranked among the nation's top 50 . Oklahoma State leads the pack at No. 10, followed by Texas A\&M at No. 11 and Texas at No. 13. Missouri is
ranked 29th, Nebraska is No. ranked 29th, Nebraska is No. 33 and

Ripken reaches another milestone in long career

BALTIMORE (AP) - Every twinge in his lower back, a reminder that he's a mere
not really an Iron Man.

## not really an Iron Man.

Not literally, anyway.
Ripken, who is expected to
make his 2,500 ith make his 2,500 th consecutive start
Saturday night isn't Saturday night, isn't impervious to
pain. During his incredible streak pain. During his incredible streak
he has endured a sprained left ankle, a twisted right ankle, a twisted right knee and severe lower back spasms.
Ripken's uncanny threshold for
pain is not the only reason he hasn't missed a game for the Baltimore Orioles since May 29,
1982. His tireless work ethic and unwavering consistency have made it easy for the eight managers he's
played for to write his name on the
since Ripken passed Lou Gehrig's seemingly unbreakable major games. When he takes the field at third base Saturday night against the Oakland Athletics, Ripken's the next 22 rum be larger than bined.
"Twenty-five hundred? J's round number and I'm proud of it," go out and play every day. The loughest thing is to keep a fresh approach."
ill soon , Ripken knows there have to fight to hold onto the startThat, and the Orioles' quest to get into the World Series for the
first time since 1983, keep him first time since 1983, keep him

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Sports agent to plead

## Softball hits road to end season

no contest about Enis

HARRISBURG, Pa. (AP) Jeff Nalley is no Jerry Maguire. Not in the minds of two Pennsylvania prosecutors, anyway.
When sports agent Nalle showed Curtis Enis the money by buying the former Penn State football star more than $\$ 1,000$ worth of clothing last year, he sub sequently brought Enis
Angered that the agent hel Angered that the agent helped prosecutors went after Nalley and charged him Thursday with breaking a state law that bars sports agents from buying gifts for college athletes.
Prosecutors s.

Prosecutors said Nalley ha
agreed to accept a plea bargain in the case and will plead no conlest to misdemeanor charges. He could be sentenced to pay
$\$ 10,000$ fine and probation. His attorney, Jerry Russo, said his client accepted the plea bargain so he could begin to put his life back together. "These inquiries and the resulting proceedings have ex-
tracted from Mr. Nalley and his rracted from Mr. Nalley and his
family an enormous emotional family an enormous emotional
and fiscal toll," Russo said. "Further, Mr. Nalley does not want his friend, Curtis Enis, and Curtis' devoted and supportive family, to be put through any further disparagement or grief."

## BY JASON BERNSTEIN

 The University DailyThe Texas Tech fastpitch softball team will take the road this weekend as the Red Raiders close out regular season and conference play
against Texas A\&M and Texas. against Texas A\&M and Texas.
The Red Raiders travel to The Red Raiders travel to Col-
lege Station to take on the Aggies lege Station to take on the Aggies
in a doubleheader starting at noon in a doubleheader slarting at noon
Saturday before heading to Austin to battle the Longhorns in a twinbill starting at noon Sunday at McCombs Field.
"This will definitely be a big weekend for us," said
Renee Luers-Gillispie. Renee Luers-Gillispie.
"I think we are really
"I think we are really looking for-
ward to it because we found ward to it because we found out that
UT has already sold out their brand UT has already sold out their brand
new stadium and we are really new stadium and

## pumped about it. Tech ( $42-16$ overall, 8-6 Big 12)

 recently moved up to No. 17 in thenational rankings and will look to national rankings and will look to
finish the regular season as one of the top six finishers in the Big 12 The top six finishers in regular sea-
son play are given byes in next son play are given byes in next
week's Big 12 Conference Tournament in Oklahoma City "In's going to be a battle to the
end," Luers-Gillispie said of Big 12 play.
"We are ready to go on the road and win this weekend. We play so well away from home. Our record really reflects that." The Red Raiders have performed much better on the road than in the
friendly confines of the Berl Iriendly confines of the Ber
Huffman Complex, where they have Huffman Complex, where they hav
posted a marginal $12-9$ record. posted a marginal $12-9$ record.
On the road, Tech has won $14-$ or
19 contests and 16 -of- 18 at neutral
sites.

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Strike 'em up and set 'em down: Tech pitcher Amanda Renfro winds up for a pitch against Baylor. The freshman is $20-10$ on the season.
"Our goal is to play flawless de- Aggie offense
ense while having some good of- "You really have to go in and exfense to get us some runs," said Tech pect to win," Workman said of the infielder Paula Workman. "Both A\&M and UT have good programs regardless of records."
Texas A\&M (32-22 overall, 6 - $\begin{aligned} & \text { Tech to the Aggies, which took place }\end{aligned}$ Big 12) heads into weekend action during the inaugural season of softin sixth place in the Big 12. The Aggies are Big 12 . Pitching for the Aggies has been The Aggies are led by freshman productive as the staff has produced the team with a 316 batting aver- led by Lewis' $12-8$ record and 1.90 he team with a .316 batting aver-
 Esters and freshman pitcher/in-
The Longhorns (41-12 overall, 8-
fielder Ashley Lewis have hit a team-
5 Big 12) currently are enjoying a high four home runs apiece for the half-game lead on Tech in Big 12
"This is one of the toughest conferences from top to bottom," Luers ferences from top to botom,
Gillispie said of the Big 12. "What we have going for our selves is that we aren't intimidated by anyone."
Texas, the nation's No. 8 -ranked squad, has compiled a $14-2$ record at home behind strong offensive and defensive individual performances. Sophomore pitcher Christa Will iams has been the main force on the pitching staff as she compiled a 22 Her 0.62 ERA and 265 strikeout in 168.2 innings have helped limit opposing offenses to a combined .163 batting average.
"They definitely have the talent," Luers-Gillispie said of Texas. "I know that Amanda (Renfro) beat Christa in high school, so it's not out of the question. Renfro has the fourth best ERA in the Big 12 going into the final weekend of competition. Tech will need a strong overall team effort in order to overtake the
Longhorns for third place going into Longhorns for third place going int postseason play, Luers-Gillispie
said. the Big 12 in team hitting with a 292 team batting average and a 402 slugging percentage.
Freshman outfielder Sandy Bulter leads the conference with 57 hits and 45 runs in 57 games this season. Junior infielder Jenny Kohler is second in the Big 12 with 15 doubles,
averaging .26 doubles per contest. averaging .26 doubles per contest.
"No team scares us," Luers Gillispie said. "Look for us to come out with four wins."



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