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Student Senate passes extra Dead Day

By Melody Ragland and Gretchen Verry Staff Writer

Texas Tech Student Senators passed a resolution Thursday to include an extra dead day into the calendar year for both fall and spring semesters and discussed the possibility of restructuring the Senate seats.

Senate resolution 33.06, proposing the additional day, passed in a 33 to 10 vote.

"The bill will be sent to Provost John Burns who will then present it to the Academic Council," said Ryan Lunsford, internal vice president of the Student Government Association. "They will go over it, see that the students want it and make a recommendation to the president (Haragan)."

At the earliest, the bill could take effect in fall 2000, Lunsford said. This is due to the fact that the course catalogs for 1999-2000 have already begun printing.

The bill suggests the extra day be taken away from students during summer sessions. The ultimate decision on the placement of the two dead days would be at the discretion of the committee in charge of set- ation of six new positions.

ting the calendar.

"They may have our best interest at mind, but I don't want to trust them for that. That's why we wanted to add the suggestion that the days be added to the summer," said Tim Wright, a senator from the College of Business Administration as quoted in the Oct. 16 edition of The University Daily.

Senators also discussed the possible restructuring of the Senate. The restructuring would allow for representation by special interests groups on campus through the cre-

Representatives of honorary, recreational, residence halls, social fraternities and sororities, service and international/multicultural organizations would be represented with one seat each under the proposal.

According to the proposal, the number of senators would not change, and senatorial ratios would be refigured to allow for the change.

"All of our ideas are in the rough right now, and we definitely need input from both senators and the student body at-large," said Senator-at-Large Stefani Williams.

Lunsford suggested students offer their opinions on the issue through the SGA website at www.sga.ttu.edu.

Senators also passed a resolution in support of a bill seeking to reduce fatigue-related accidents of students by offering discounts at participating hotels. This would be available to students traveling late at night on weekends and during Winter and Spring Break.

The Tech Student Senate will join with the Texas A&M Student Senate in publicizing the program and expanding the number of motels involved.

Council discusses faculty enrollment

Minority figures, course changes on list of topics **By Jonathan Biles** Staff Writer

Texas Tech Graduate Council met Thursday and decided to devote more research to improve minority faculty enrollment, discussed graduate course changes and approved the support of the closure of the Clothing Texs and Merchantship Graduate Programs.



Death toll lowers for Mitch victims

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras (AP) - Health workers began a vaccination campaign Thursday in crowded Honduran shelters and slums ravaged by Hurricane Mitch, while the country's president said the storm's fury had set back development by decades.

Officials estimated more than 10,000 people were killed in the storm that pummeled the Central American coast for days last week.

Honduran officials revised the country's confirmed death toll down to 6,076 on Thursday after getting better information from the ravaged countryside. Another 4,621 people were missing. Earlier estimates had put the number of dead at 7,000.

Nicaragua, meanwhile, raised its death toll to an estimated 4.000. The bodies of victims from a massive mudslide on the flanks of the Casitas volcano have been turning up in fields and along rivers and shorelines, Nicaraguan President Arnoldo Aleman said. "More than 200 victims appeared yesterday along the shore and fishermen in the area between Leon and Chinandega tell us that the stench along the ocean shore is unbearable," Aleman said in an interview with the Mexican television network Televisa.

The numbers of minority graduate faculty members is not as high as the graduate council would like, Provost John Burns said.

"We're not doing near what we could be doing," Burns said.

The main reason there is not a high number of minorities in the graduate school has to do with the amount of money the school has to devote to the recruitment of such individuals, said David Schmidly, vice president of research and graduate studies and dean of the graduate school

One of the programs the school is trying to model itself after is the system once in place at Texas A&M University, Burns said.

Texas A&M's program gave 20 percent of the budget to recruitment if at the end of the year projected minority enrollment figures were not met.

The main concern is to get money into the provost's office to allow for such research, Schmidly said.

"Until we get a pool of money in the hands of the provost, we will continue to struggle with this," Schmidly said.

The council voted to support further studies to determine the best way to improve the number of minority graduate faculty.

Due to the inadequate number of students enrolled in the Clothing Textiles and Merchantship Graduate Programs, it was suggested the programs be closed. When the proposal was suggested to the Coordinating Board of Higher Education, not all questions were answered. The council voted to continue to support the attempts of closure.

In an effort to improve the education of graduate students, the graduate school has made some degree changes as well as adding and deleting courses to colleges. The changes were approved by the council in an anonymous vote.

In an unwelcome surprise by the graduate council, Monty Strauss, senior associate academic dean of the graduate school, resigned from his office in order to return as a full-time teaching position in the Department of Mathematics, Schmidly said.

"In my two years, this has been the most supportive person to work around," Schmidly said.

Strauss said he will remain in his current position until Burns and Schmidly have found an adequate replacement.

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Accept: John Abernathy, dean of the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources, gives Jerry Harris an award for agricultural production at the 71 st annual Pig Roast sponsored by the college.

Hyde asks Clinton to either admit or deny allegations

WASHINGTON (AP) — Judiciary Committee Chairman Henry Hyde asked President Clinton on Thursday to answer 81 questions for the House impeachment inquiry, including whether he made "false and mislead-

ing" statements under oath. In a letter to Clinton, Hyde, R-Ill., said the questions should be answered under oath and the answers would be used only for the impeachment inquiry, not in other legal matters.

It was unclear how the president would respond.

The detailed questions delve beyond the grand jury questioning of Clinton by Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr's prosecutors Aug. 17, which was limited to four hours by agreement with Clinton's lawyers.

Hyde's questions focused on allegations of perjury or obstruction of justice by the president. None sought details of his sexual encounters with former White House intern Monica Lewinsky.

At a news conference in Chicago,

Hyde said the purpose of the questions was to "narrow the issues and bring this matter to a close more quickly.

"The president is free to dispute, of course, whatever he wants. But by agreeing to those facts that he does not dispute, he will allow us to narrow the issues and bring this matter to a close more quickly," said Hyde, who reiterated that he hoped to finish the inquiry by the end of the year.

He said Starr would be the only major witness in the committee's proceedings, scheduled for Nov. 19, and acknowledged the prosecutor might be asked to discuss other facets of his probe, such as the firing of White House travel office employees or the alleged misuse of FBI files.

White House press secretary Joe Lockhart said it was too soon to say how Clinton would respond to the request, but "we plan to cooperate with this committee.'

Clinton's lawyers were reviewing Hyde's letter, and "I expect they'll respond," he said.

Among the questions for Clinton:

-- "Do you admit or deny that you gave false and misleading testimony under oath in your deposition in the case of Jones vs. Clinton when you responded 'once or twice' to the question, 'Has Monica Lewinsky ever given you any gifts?"

- "Do you admit or deny you had knowledge that any facts or assertions contained in the affidavit executed by Monica Lewinsky on Jan. 7, 1998, in the case of Jones vs. Clinton were not true?" That question refers to Ms. Lewinsky's affidavit for Paula Jones' sexual harassment against Clinton. In the affidavit, Lewinsky falsely denied having a sexual relationship with the president.

Clinton also was asked about his public statements.

One question asked about the truthfulness of his assertion in January that "I never told anybody to lie, not a single time, never.

The questions weave through the testimony of key figures in the impeachment investigation, including Lewinsky, presidential friend Vernon Jordan, Oval Office secretary Betty Currie and others.

El Salvador reported 239 dead and Guatemala said 194 of its people had been killed. Six people died in southern Mexico and seven in Costa Rica.

Honduran President Carlos Flores urged the more than 1.5 million Hondurans who lost loved ones, homes and property to help in the recovery effort.

'The county is semi-destroyed and awaits the maximum effort, and most fervent and constant work of every one of its children," Flores said.

He said Mitch destroyed more than 60 percent of the country's infrastructure, setting back development by 50 years.

In the Honduran capital, Tegucigalpa, Mexican rescue teams began searching for avalanche victims, and decomposed bodies were being buried in common graves. About 100 victims had been buried around Tegucigalpa, Mayor Nahum Valladeres said.

In the flood-ravaged neighborhood of Nueva Esperanza, Mexican military rescuers carrying search dogs on their backs crossed a muddy river to look for people believed buried in a 200-foot avalanche last Friday, when dozens of homes were swept into the river

"This is the first place we've been" with the dogs, Honduran army Maj. Freddy Diaz Celaya said. "From here we'll continue searching downriver."

The Health Ministry, concerned that crowded shelter conditions could produce outbreaks of hepatitis, respiratory infections and other ailments, announced an inoculation campaign, especially for children.

In Washington, President Clinton ordered \$30 million in Defense Department equipment and services and \$36 million in food, fuel and other aid sent to Honduras, Nicaragua, El Salvador and Guatemala

The White House said Clinton was sending Vice President Al Gore's wife, Tipper, on a mission to the region to show the U.S. commitment to providing humanitarian relief.

Council demands Iraq resume cooperation with inspectors

U.N. Security Council unanimously demanded Thursday that Iraq resume cooperation with U.N. weapons inspectors immediately. Baghdad has already announced it won't comply.

The Security Council made no explicit threats to use force if Iraq doesn't obey, but the United States and Britain say they already have authorization to take military action from previous council resolutions.

The resolution didn't include a timetable for lifting crippling economic sanctions, which Iraq has de-

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — The manded as the price for reversing its on Iraq resuming cooperation with Baghdad on Saturday banned indecision to cut all dealings with the inspectors

> The resolution puts into international law the council's statement Saturday that condemned Iraq's decision to halt cooperation with inspectors as a "flagrant violation" of U.N. demands.

> But council members reaffirmed their readiness to hold "a comprehensive review" of Iraq's compliance with U.N. resolutions, which could lead to the lifting of the oil embargo if U.N. inspectors declare Iraq has disarmed. But this offer is contingent

weapons inspectors.

The council agreed to conduct the review in September, in an attempt to get Baghdad to allow U.N. weapons inspectors to resume spot inspections, which it banned on Aug.

But Iraq reacted angrily when the council sent a letter to U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan last Friday with the broad outlines of a review that didn't explicitly mention the possibility of easing or lifting sanctions.

Blaming the Americans for cutting all references to ending sanctions,

spectors from monitoring previously searched facilities — leaving them with little to do but change film and videocassettes on stationary cameras

Iraq said Thursday it would reject any Security Council resolution unless it calls for the end of sanctions, imposed after the Iraqi invasion of Kuwait in 1990.

"Iraq's response is that it will not deal positively with the members of the council unless there is a clear stand that the sanctions on Iraq will be lifted," Iraq's vice president, Taha Yassin Ramadan, told Associated Press Television News at the Baghdad International Fair.

Ramadan's remarks echoed a front-page editorial in the ruling Baath party newspaper al-Thawra. which said Iraq would not abide by any measure without an explicit timetable for lifting economic sanctions

Russian Ambassador Sergey Lavrov, whose country has been sympathetic to Iraq's demand for an end to sanctions, said: "The way out of the crisis, the only way, is for Iraq to rescind.

He said the resolution had two goals: to reiterate the council's universal view that Iraq's decision was unacceptable, and reiterate the council's "willingness and readiness" to conduct a comprehensive review of Iraq's compliance with U.N. resolutions that could allow for the lifting of sanctions.

Lavrov has noted that the resolution by no means gives the United States or anyone else a green light for military action. Russia, traditionally more sympathetic to Baghdad, has opposed using force.

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Washington internship gives hands-on experience

By Apu Naik Staff Writer

In an effort to provide first-hand experience for students interested in pursuing a career in public policy, Texas Tech President Donald Haragan has established a scholarship fund to offer a congressional internship in the nation's capitol.

The internship, which will be available every fall and spring semester, is unique in that most university's intern-

months, Haragan said.

"There are all sorts of internships offered in the summer, but during the long terms of the fall and spring, there are not that many available," Haragan said. "So I decided to setup this pool of scholarship funds to start encouraging more of our students to be interested in going to Washington and work in whatever field interests them."

Undergraduate students who have completed a minimum of 60 credit

ships are offered in the summer hours with a minimum cumulative sity in offering this internship to stu-GPA of 3.0, or graduate students who have completed a minimum of 15 semester hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25 are eligible to participate.

> office, said the beginning of the new scholarship fund will open the doors of opportunity to all Tech students whom are interested and qualified.

"The president has begun a wonderful program for Texas Tech Univerdents," Waggoner said. "There is no substitution for the experiences, which can be learned with hands-on knowledge.

Each semester, five interns will be David Waggoner, of the president's selected, beginning with the 1999 spring semester. Each intern will receive a \$4,000 scholarship to help pay for the cost of living in Washington, D.C., and will be eligible to receive six semester hours of pass/fail credits.

"We are going to provide students

with \$1,000 a month for a four-month period, and students will be able to use that money toward whatever living expenses they may need," Haragan said. "And we anticipate that it's going to be a highly competitive program, beginning this spring.

The president said all who are interested should apply and undergo the selection process, which will begin next month, and will involve several different stages of application.

Students who are interested in ap-

plying can pick up an application packet in the Office of the President. Room 150 of the administration building, or to contact Waggoner in the president's office. For additional information, call 742-2121.

The deadline to apply for next spring semester is Dec. 1.

Finalists will be interviewed by a selection committee during the first week of December.

Applications for next fall are also available.

Student government has website for information and feedback

By Gretchen Verry aff Write

Texas Tech students now have a new resource to contact their Student Government Association.

Through the SGA website, students provides links to more information issues facing the SGA," said Kelly cially the proposed addition of a sec- be very helpful." now can obtain their senators' e-mail addresses and provide feedback on issues the SGA is looking into.

The home page of the website can be accessed at www.sga.ttu.edu and

about the organization and its members

"The most important thing about the website is an area where students can provide feedback about current

Price, computer assistant for the SGA.

Senator-at-Large Douglas Jeffery said it is important that senators receive student input on issues, espe-

ond dead day.

'Right now, it's very important for us to know what the student body wants," Jeffery said. "If students could e-mail us with their opinions, it would

Price said online voting is being considered for future SGA elections and asked students provide input as to whether this would be a popular option for students.



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'Waterboy' lands in Lubbock with Tech connection

By Sebastian Kitchen Staff Writer

> dam Sandler's movies may be random and out there, but for people who are fans of his work, if you can call it that, he can do no wrong.

Tuesday night, at the advanced trol his life and keeps Bobby from any screening of "The Waterboy," Sandler and his fellow actors kept the college crowd laughing.

"The Waterboy." is the story of Bobby Boucher, a 31-year-old mama's boy from the swamps of Louisiana. He has been the "team's water distribution engineer" for 18 years. He still sleeps in cartoon pajamas, lives with and is pampered by his mother and loves to watch his favorite sport — wrestling — and his favorite wrestler Captain Insano. Bobby also has stinky feet and pees on himself at night. His mother, played by Kathy Bates, wants to con-

type of social life.

Bobby is socially retarded. He is 31 and has never been kissed, has never had any friends or a girlfriend — all because his mother is overprotective. She tries to keep him from doing anything else so she can have him to herself. To try to keep him from doing anything else, she tells him these things and these people are the "devil." It seems Bobby will never leave the swamps of Louisiana and be anything but a waterboy. As the waterboy for the University of Louisiana, the coach thinks Bobby is a distraction and fires him. The players

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had always harassed him and picked on him. Bobby's mother is happy, but he isn't. He wants to be a waterboy and offers his services to several different people, including Captain Insano and to the sorriest football team in the nation, the SCLSU Mud Dogs. His new coach, played by Henry Winkler, lets Bobby fight back. That he does and becomes the most destructive tackler in college football. "So that's what opening up a can of whoop ass feels like," Boucher says after releasing all of his built up anger. He wants to play football, go to college and keep it from his mother, who does not want him to play. Bobby becomes a hero and makes a name for himself, even being featured on ESPN.

when Bobby speaks at a football camp hosted by Lawrence Taylor. After Bobby rambles, Taylor says "That brings me to my next point, don't smoke crack." Funny, considering Taylor was arrested for drug use since the movie was filmed.

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\Unlike Taylor, things start to brighten up for Bobby. A young woman befriends him and other people start to like him. His woman friend is Vicki Vallencourt, played by Fairuza Balk, a tough motorcycle babe who just got out of jail.

Another highlight of the movie for Texas Tech students appears when Miami Dolphins' coach Jimmy Johnson and Pittsburgh Steelers' coach Bill Cowher are scouting at foot-The movie even has an ironic point ball game. During the course of their

Waterboy: Henry Winkler plays a college football coach to Adam Sandler in 'Waterboy' Courtesy Photo

conversation, former Texas Tech football standout and Dolphin linebacker Zach Thomas is mentioned. The crowd applauded. The crowd applauded often as Bobby goes from zero to hero. Everyone at the advanced screening seemed to enjoy themselves and people clapped and laughed often as they watched Sandler and his former



Even though the plot is very unbelievable and the stereotypes of the people living in the Louisiana bayou are taken to the edge, the cast was quite humorous.

The humor is not for everybody, but anybody who likes Sandler will certainly enjoy the movie.





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John Glenn: 'bona fide' **USA** hero

You know folks, if I had a dollar for every time one of my critics tell me that I hate all Democrats, then I wouldn't have to work after school.

I mean lets face it, I am not a champion of Democrat dogma. I am not a fan of the First Fibber or his wife. But folks. I don't hate anybody. I really don't.

We just had an election, and I, to tell you the truth, am happy because my party still is in control and Texas turned out to be a complete Republican sweep. Pretty darn groovy, if you ask me.

But just to show that I am not someone who hates all Democrats, I am going to sing the praises of one Democrat in particular.



cans and conservatives have been raking this person over the coals lately and I am a little tired of it. Right now John Glenn, former senator from Ohio and Democrat, is

Now a few prominent Republi-

whizzing above our heads on the Space Shuttle Discovery. He is the oldest man to go into orbit. No matter what you think of his

Cameron Graham Columnist

political record, John Glenn is a bona fide, American hero. Picture it, if you will, fellow students. 1962. The Cold War was at a

fever pitch. There were definite good

guys (the United States) and bad guys (the Soviet Union), and we all knew what was what. And at a time when this country needed heroes the most, John Glenn and six other men stepped up to the plate.

Now what was it that Glenn and these six other men did? They volunteered to sit on top of a time bomb, squeezed into a spacecraft the size of a Yugo, and get shot into Earth's orbit.

Keep in mind this had never been done before, and there were so many unknowns involved that bookies in Vegas were taking bets on which of them would buy the farm first.

Their names should be known. Virgil I. "Gus" Grissom, Leroy G. "Gordo" Cooper, Donald K. "Deke" Slavton, Malcolm Scott Carpenter, Alan B, Shepard Ir. and Walter M. Schirra Jr. Along with Glenn, they were America's Mercury Astronauts.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Those who are premed for the money should get out

To the editor: Before I begin my actual letter of opinion, allow me to explain the situation that has sparked such intense emotion. Recently in my psychology class, we covered the topic of motivation and what motivates people to do the things they do. The discussion began with the

simple question "What motivated you to go to college?" The basic consensus of the entire class, with the exception of a few people, including myself, was "money" and "prestige." Unfortunately, at the time, I was too timid to speak up and express my point of view on the subject. The TA seemed a little disturbed by such a cynical response this semester, is a rare exception.

I think it is incredibly frightening and sad that the future of health care in this country may be in the hands of money-hungry, lazy physicians. However, being the optimist that I am, I still believe that most doctors are good caring people. If the only motivation of pre-med students and doctors is money, then why did they choose to enter one of the most competitive fields that requires so much hard work?

Surely these people are motivated by more than just money. I am quite confident that those who are interested only in money will find it difficult to stay motivated to complete the difficult pre-med curriculum and move on to a field that will be much easier and more suited to them.

The only good that came out of the discussion in my psychology class is now I am more for used what I want to do with my life.

students, they would not have a job.

Here's my situation: I have attempted to have a grade replaced for more than two months in the registrar's office. I've filled out the proper paperwork (three times as a matter of fact), and I've waited. Each time I filled out a grade replacement form, I was told that it would be entered into the system within two days, and the grade change should be made on my transcript at that time.

Over the past two months, I have spent more than \$10 (which may not seem like much to some, but let's remember I'm on a college kid's budget) in transcript fees only to find that the grade has not been changed. And Thursday, when I went to the office where grade replacement forms are turned in (to find out why the change has not been made) I was helped by a less Friday, November 6, 1998

Another Tech inquiry — What are we going to do?

was just shocked and amazed to read in Wednesday's paper that some students from Tech ... it's hard for me to write this, it's so embarrassing ... threw a football around the football stadium and then (this is the devastating part) they threw the football out of the stadium.

How could they tarnish the perfect reputation of the Tech athletic department like that?

I'm sure the Missouri fans are calling us "Football Throwers," and "Throwers of the Football Out of the Stadium," or "That School Whose Band Members Throw Things Like Footballs at Football Games," and other terrible names like that. I shudder to think that someone might think of Tech students in such

a negative manner.

Damn right athletic officials should investigate the incident. If it's true that a professor encouraged students to play with another team's ball, then that professor ought to be fired.

Tech faculty should encourage students to play with their own balls and leave everyone else's alone.

So what if there is no law regarding returning another team's ball if it ends up in our hands? If the athletic department thinks those students should have returned the ball that was kicked at their heads, then the students should have returned the ball.

But since not everyone is as courteous as they ought to be, I am going to make it my mission to get an amendment to the Constitution of the United States passed, which says that all opposing teams must return any and all balls that don't belong to them.

But all kidding aside, I think the officials investigating the incident are focusing too much on the criminal's rights and not enough on the victim's rights.

The real tragedy here goes much deeper than who kicked the ball at whom or who threw the ball where. The real tragedy here is the story of the ball itself. Just think about that poor, innocent football. That little football who wanted nothing more in life than to be in a football game. That little football suddenly found himself all alone outside those stadium walls.



Julie Mitchell

columnist

Each of these men, and those who followed their pioneering footsteps, have broaden the scope of the Human race and our knowledge of the world around us.

And right now, John Glenn is getting that chance to do it again.

He is also doing something else. He is proving that elderly people are just as vital to the productivity of our country than those of us who are still in our late teens and 20s. Now what is wrong with that? Could someone please tell me?

John Glenn getting a second chance to go into space reminds me of Capt. James T. Kirk being given back command of the Starship Enterprise. And like science fiction's most recognizable space hero, Glenn is returning to the final frontier not only for mankind, but for the elderly as well.

Now what is making me mad is that several of my Republican companions have ridiculed Glenn's role in the Discovery mission.

They see it as a political bone thrown to him by our commander-in-heat. I would like to ask these critics if they have the guts to climb on top of a ton of explosives and let someone light a match to it. I doubt if most of them would.

But 30 years ago, and again eight days ago, John Glenn did. He didn't do it then for fame, fortune or political gain. Nor did he do it now.

John Glenn went up into space in 1962 because he had the right stuff. He is up there now to prove, that even in his 70s, he hasn't lost that right stuff.

And for those of you who think that space travel is safe and routine, then here are some people you should remember: Ed White and Roger Chaffee who died with Gus Grissom in the Apollo 1 fire, at least four Russian Cosmonauts who died in space flight, the crew of Apollo 13 who came within a hair of dying and, most recently, the crew of the Space Shuttle Challenger.

Space is a risky business.

All of these men and women had the fabled right stuff. And John Glenn is at the vanguard right now along with his crew mates on the Discovery. The vanguard of the human race.

So to all my Republican fellows who like to criticize John Glenn, I say get off the man's back.

And if you readers will permit me to use the quote that we have heard time and time again these past few days, I would like to add one final thought:

"May the good Lord ride all the way. Godspeed, John Glenn!'

> Cameron Graham is a senior history major from Lubbock.

and tried to probe some different answers by suggesting that students who are pre-med may be motivated by the desire to help others.

Being interested in a health career myself (though I have been struggling with the decision of which one). I had to agree with the TA. However, one young man explained that he is pre-med simply because of the money and believes that other pre-med students are the same way.

The main purpose of my letter is to greatly encourage this student, along with the others who are interested in medicine simply for the money, to PLEASE consider a different profession. Perhaps I am old fashioned, or simply naive of the world around me, but I have always thought that doctors have a genuine concern for the well-being of others and that money was just one of the perks of the profession.

I strongly hope the opinion of my classmate, who I overheard before class telling another student that he was "too lazy" to take Chemistry 1307

I have been considering medicine myself for quite some time now, but have been very unsure of my own abilities. However, now I realize that I have a much greater chance of succeeding simply because I have the right motivation. So, in addition to the attack on my twisted classmate, I would also like to say thank you.

> Whitney Johnson freshman pre-medical

Registrar employees should treat students like customers

To the editor: After 3 1/2 years of sitting back and reading everyone else's problems with this university, I've finally found the gumption to share my atrocities with your readers. I would just like to remind the people who work in the university's administrative offices that without

than eager Tech employee.

Not only was the lady rude, but she made it known to me rather quickly that she really didn't know, or care, if it was lost.

One of the reasons why I chose this university was because the faculty and staff were so eager to meet me and help me as a high school senior. And everything is still that way in my department and college, but it seems when I move over to the "business" side of the university, I'm always in contact with people who seem to resent the fact that I am a student asking a question or two. Now, don't get me wrong, I will always be proud to be a Red Raider. It's just that I'd like the Tech employees in the registrar's office to feel the same pride in their job and treat Tech students like customers, which is exactly what we are.

Derek Racca

senior

agricultural communications

He must have been so confused. He could hear the crowd, yes, but he could no longer see them.

"What happened?" he cries. "Oh no! Oh, God, please nooooo!

No more will he feel the cool breeze whipping through his laces as he sails across the field. No more will he feel the suffocating embrace of a football player's arms. No more will he find himself at the bottom of a pile of 20, 200-pound players. No more will he fulfill his purpose in life.

Yet another victim of foul play.

You know it makes me sick that these band members think of themselves as the victims. "But the football was kicked at my head!" So what? Was it that football's fault that he was kicked in the wrong direction?

I think not.

Then there is the Missouri kicker who was selfish enough to use that helpless ball as a pawn in his game of "Take out the Tech Band." He ought to be ashamed.

It just makes me sick. It makes me sick I tell you ... to think that I pay to go to a school with a reputation for playing with other people's balls with a reckless disregard of the ball's feelings. It just makes me sick.

> Julie Mitchell is a senior theatre arts major from Corsicana.

Americans sent clear-cut message Tuesday

are finally over, the aftermath of what happened Tuesday showed more signs of change and development within our government than what anyone had expected, and proved to be one of the most historic elections we may ever see.

After covering the political beat for the past five months, it seems like I Apu know every Texan candidate on the Naik ballot like an old buddy.

At an election rally last week, Gov. George W. Bush pinched my cheeks and had a conversation with my photographer about fly fishing. I have never seen a candidate so relaxed about campaigning, but he had good

ow that the 1998 elections reason to be. Bush defeated his opponent Garry Mauro with a landslide victory for his second term, while his little brother Jed won the governorship in Florida.

> Newly-elected Lt. Gov. Rick Perry showed me his huge silver and gold rodeo belt buckle and boots last June, which made me doubt that he could ever become the first Republican lieutenant governor the state has ever elected. But sure enough, he managed to squeeze a tight victory over former state comptroller John Sharp, whose old position will now be filled by Republican Carole Keeton Rylander.

Even though the past couple of months have been tiring and extremely time consuming, (I'd like to

take this time to apologize to my French professor Dr. Hopkins, whose class I've missed six times in the past two weeks), I have to admit that Tuesday's elections were worth the effort, considering the record breaking voter turnout.

Before Tuesday, most of the media had predicted huge Democratic losses in the House because of the scandal surrounding a certain politician currently holding a high executive office. But the entire country was in shock Wednesday morning when we learned that instead of losing seats, the Democrats actually gained five seats in the house, trimming the GOP controlled majority from 22 seats to what is now a slim 12 seat advantage

For the first time in 64 years, a party with the same affiliation as the president won gains instead of losing them, a statistic which I think clearly shows that people are sick and tired of the partisan politics being played by those in Washington right now.

The message sent by Americans Tuesday was abundantly clear: "Give us a more balanced Congress so we can begin to move forward with real issues and initiatives, and leave the bickering and fighting to professional wrestlers." Oh, except the new governor of Minnesota, Jesse "The Body" Ventura.

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LIFESTYLES

'Beloved' gives audience mixed emotions

By John Davis Staff Writer

eloved." It's an enigma, wrapped in a mystery and served piping hot with a side of fried confusion.

That's how I felt throughout the movie. However, though the story is shrouded from the complete view of the audience, it is a story told on film like no other film currently out. It is also a film well worth seeing.

This film is a movie that makes audience members try to figure out

what is happening on screen. Nothing is quickly spoon-fed, but rather the facts are held back until the last few moments of the movie.

It begins in a farmhouse on the outskirts of Cincinnati in 1865. Inside an old clapboard farmhouse in the dead of winter, the action is swift and unexplained. A dog is being slammed up against a wall, dishes are breaking and a cake is being moved across the kitchen table by itself.

Two young boys run out of the house, and the woman, apparently unshaken by the strange occurrences, calmly puts the dog's eye back

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in its socket. She doesn't seem to be bothered that a poltergeist is wreaking havoc on her home.

We find out the woman is an escaped, and now freed slave named Sethe, played by Oprah Winfrey.

She is working in the yard when old friend and fellow ex-slave, Paul D. walks up the path.

Paul D., played by Danny Glover, is invited inside by WInfrey.

This is where the supernatural element is somewhat explained. As Glover enters the house, the hallway glows red.

"Good God! What kind of evil you got in there, girl," Glover says. "It ain't evil, just sad," Winfrey says. As Glover walks through the

front hall, a series of montages flash on the screen, which explains that the spirit in the house is that of a child.

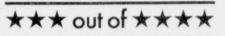
From here, the plot does nothing but get more convoluted, as a strange girl shows up in Winfrey's yard.

This show will definitely blow anyone's mind as it intermingles a supernatural element Poe could

have thought of, with a story about the gritty rural life of a family fresh out of slavery. The acting and the cinematography are breathtaking.

Some of the things that happen in the film are uncomfortable and earthy, which adds to its reality side.

This movie is three hours long, so be prepared to sit for a while. However, the story is compelling enough to pull off the length. It's a perfectly haunting tale to watch on a cold fall evening.



Buyers snap up Titanic memorabilia

from the doomed Titanic sold for \$32,275 at Christie's auctioneers Thursday, exceeding pre-sale estimates by sixfold.

The pre-voyage menus, bought by an undisclosed American buyer, were

LONDON (AP) — A pair of menus just one lot in a sale of maritime memorabilia. A total of 17 items

> fetched \$120,035. The Titanic sank in 1912 after striking an iceberg on its maiden voyage from Southampton, England, to New York. More than 1,500 people died.

Beanie Baby expo this weekend

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Curly, Princess, Garcia and Peace will be there, along with many more, including eager Beanie Baby enthusiasts. The third Beanie Baby Expo of the year is scheduled for this weekend. From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the community exhibit building on the South Plains Fair Grounds, 4th and Avenue A, local bean fiends will be able to buy, sell and trade the collectable stuffed animals. Admission is \$3 for adults, \$1 for children six to 11 and free for children under 6 years old.

Dealers will be set up during the day with over 20,000 of the old and new releases and most popular Beanie Babies. There also will be door prizes and concessions.

'Pagliacci' singer accidentally stabbed during rehearsal

MILWAUKEE (AP) — In "I Opera Company production Pagliacci," Leoncavallo's one-act opera about a traveling troupe of actors, Canio proclaims he is "no longer acting" when he fatally stabs his unfaithful wife, Nedda, and her lover. Silvio.

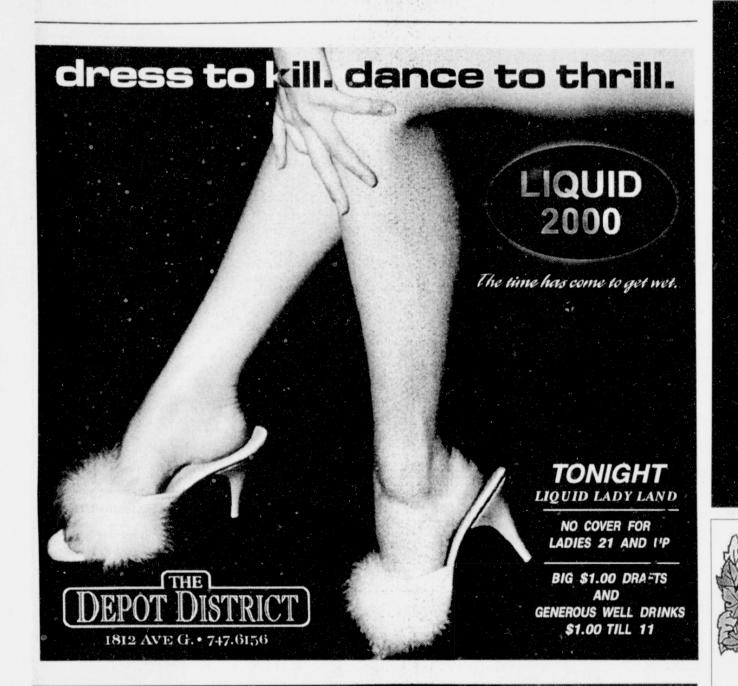
In a rehearsal of a Florentine

Wednesday, a baritone playing Silvio was accidentally stabbed when the blade of the knife used as a prop failed to retract during the scene. Kimm Julian, 48, of Brooklyn Park,

Minn., was listed in satisfactory condition Thursday after emergency sur-

gerv at Froedert Memorial Lutheran Hospital.

Dennis Hanthorn, the opera company's general director, said performances were expected to go on as planned next week, but he did not know whether Julian would be able to perform.





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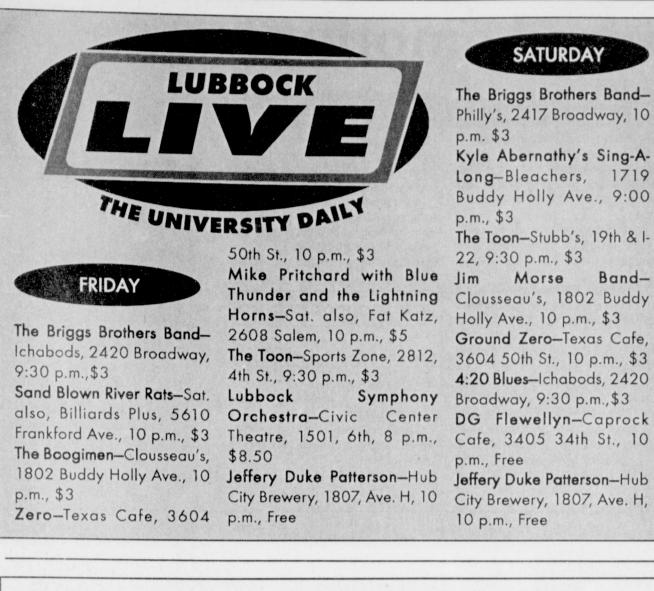


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Red Raiders battle Oklahoma, Kansas see p. 8

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Tech still has work to do during bye week



ubbock always has kind of been a bassackwards sports town, but in the last week, I think they played the trump card.

Texas Tech fans are masters at deflecting attention away from bad play by their beloved sports teams. This week the hot topic is not how can we put an end to an embarrassing threegame losing skid, but how will Jones Stadium go about honoring Texas' Ricky Williams if he breaks the NCAA all-time rushing mark in two weeks?

Columnist

Heath

Robinson

Williams needs 294 yards to break one of the most cherished marks in the history of college

football. He averages 204 yards-per-ballgame. Texas plays Oklahoma State Saturday before venturing to Jones Stadium Nov. 14. Get the picture? It is likely Williams will break the record here in front of our very eves

So here is one man's opinion on it. Stop the game long enough to hand Williams the ball, let him trot to the sidelines with it and get congratulated, and maybe throw a blip on the big screen honoring the accomplishment. Then get on with the game.

Tech fans need not be happy Williams breaks it against their heroes, just recognize that it is an incredible accomplishment, and get on with the football.

Now, let's get on to something that matters. Like a three-game losing streak. Tech's season is currently sprinting downhill, with seemingly no stopping it in sight. When the season started, the Longhorns looked like just another bump in the road on the way to a stellar 9-2 or 10-1 season. Now, Texas is playing like gangbusters, halting Nebraska's 47-game home winning streak by dealing the 'Huskers a 20-16 loss in Lincoln.

Mack Brown and defensive coordinator Carl Reese have apparently done the impossible, teaching the Texas defense how to tackle. Everyone knew the Longhorns would be explosive, but to say they could hold Nebraska to 16 points? Blasphemy.

And what about the Red Raiders? In three weeks, they have gone from Big 12 South favorites to being relegated to the role of upset specialists. If the Longhorns shoo away Oklahoma State this weekend as expected, they will need only a win in Lubbock to set up a South title tilt with Texas A&M.

But this is all masking the real problem.

What in the world happened to Tech? In losses to Colorado and Missouri, the Red Raiders nearly doubled the opposition in offensive production. Hate to keep harping on a well-known point, but these turnovers are murdering the red and black.

Tech is tied with Kansas for the most turnovers in the Big 12 with 22. The punting is horrendous, and Rob Peters can't seem to stay in the game for more than 30 minutes. Minor breakdowns have caused the landslide.

At Colorado, Darwin Brown continually was smoked by burner. Marcus Stiggers.

Raiders ready for time off

By Jason Bernstein Assistant Sports Editor

For most Texas Tech students, the weekend is just a break from the rigors of the academic hustle and bustle during the week.

But for many members of the Red Raider football squad, this weekend will be the first weekend off since the semester started in August.

"I'm getting out of here," said running back Ricky Williams of his first weekend off all semester. "I'm going to go home and be with some of my family. I think the team needs to get away from the game right now. We've played nine straight games and that's a lot of games."

Tech sprinted out to a perfect 6-0 record to open the season, but has fallen on hard times during the last three weeks, as the Red Raiders now find themselves fighting for a bowl berth with a 6-3 overall mark.

"My thing is that I want to go back home to my hometown and see some people that I haven't seen in awhile," said defensive end Taurus Rucker. "I'm going to try to get my mind off some things. I'm going to go home, see some family. And when I come back, I can get ready and start to work on the plan for Texas.'

Tech will battle the Longhorns at 6 p.m. Nov. 14 at Jones Stadium. The Texas contest marks the fourth consecutive-ranked opponent lining up opposite the Red Raiders this season.

With that said, many players are anxious to get out of the football player mode and into the spectator mode.

'This team is still the best team I've been on." Rucker said. "But that doesn't mean that we don't need a break. It should be a nice weekend for us. I think a lot of the guys will go home and get their minds off of footframe of mind."

Some players have only not been wins after the week off.



Scratched: Red Raider Cody Patton sacks Missouri quarterback Corby Jones last week. Tech has this week off before battling Texas at 6 p.m. Nov. 14 at Jones Stadium.

playing for nine consecutive weeks, but have been in Lubbock since midsummer in preparation for the regular season.

"A lot of guys have been up here the whole summer and haven't had a chance to go home since May or July," Rucker said.

"Everyone needs to go home every now and then to relax and see their families and get their minds off of football.'

After the break, the Red Raiders enter the final two weeks of the season with an even 3-3 mark in Big 12 play. Despite having a number of players rank in key statistical categoball and will come back in the right ries, the Red Raiders are only concerned with their total number of

"We just have to look at the reasons we've lost and what we can do to correct that," said defensive end Montae Reagor. "No one likes to lose. We've come up on the short end these past few weeks. We can't get down because we know that we've been in every ballgame this year and we know we'll come out strong after the break.

Reagor, who has anchored the nation's 10th-best defense, will playing his final two contests as a Red Raider after the off week.

But in the meantime, Reagor and the rest of the Red Raiders are going to enjoy their time away from football

"I'm just going to go home and visit mom, visit family and try to have

a good time," Reagor said.

"When I get back on Sunday and start practice Monday, it's all business again. I'm going to try to enjoy this whole week and have a little fun. It'll be nice to have mom's cooking again."

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NO. 1 DEVILS

basketball poll

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Duke gets top nod in

Not only are players going to get some home-cooked meals, but they also will be able to nurse their injuries as they prepare for Texas and a season-ending battle Nov. 21 in Norman, Okla. against Oklahoma.

"I know I'm going to take care of myself this weekend," Williams said. "With the ankle being sore, the off week couldn't have come at a better time. The rest will be wonderful for me — not to mention mom's home cooking."

At Texas A&M, the quarterbacks forgot Donnie Hart played for them, and didn't find him until the fourth quarter, when it was too late. And last week, a penalty brought back a touchdown return by John Norman. All of this plus the turnovers, and it's not hard to figure out why the Red Raiders are tumbling toward disaster.

So, the off week comes at a perfect time. Peters can heal all his little wounds, Spike Dykes can go back to teaching the fundamentals of special teams, and a winded defense can catch its breath. If the Red Raiders can get back on track against the hated 'Horns, then an 8-3 finish and a good bowl appearance can still make for a successful season.

But unlike other off weeks, this one cannot be considered a break. Tech has work to do. Otherwise, they will be done in.

Heath Robinson is a senior broadcast journalism major from Hurst.

Hamm, Frantz named to All-Big 12 team

There is one new and one old face for Texas Tech on the All-Big 12 Soccer Team announced Wednesday by the Big 12 Conference office.

Red Raider sophomore midfielder Jennifer Hamm was named to the first-team conference squad, marking the first time any Tech soccer player has been named to the first team in three years of Big 12 play.

Hamm, a transfer from Hawaii, finished the season for Tech with 11 points off three goals and five assists. Hamm had a team-high 56 shots on goal this season.

garnered second-team honors for the second year in a row. Frantz finished with 21 points this season, good for second best on the squad.

Her six goals and nine assists this Engesser led the Big 12 with 54 season helped vault Frantz to Tech's all-time leading scorer.

The team, voted on by Big 12 coaches, was dominated by Ne-Tech junior forward Kristy Frantz braska and Baylor players. The Bears and 'Huskers finished first and second in the conference this season.

> Nebraska forward Kim Engesser was named Big 12 Player of the Year.

points. She finished the regular season third in the nation with an average of 3.00 points-per-game.

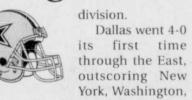
Iowa State forward Erica Florez was named as the Big 12 Rookie of the Year. Florez led the Cyclones with 24 points.

Baylor coach Randy Waldrum was tabbed as Big 12 Coach of the Year.

Dallas looks to go undefeated against NFC East foes for first time ever

IRVING (AP) — This year's Dallas Cowboys don't measure up in many categories to the best in franchise history, squads that won 14 NFC East titles and reached eight Super Bowls.

But halfway through this season, they do have a good chance to do something those teams never accomplished: Go undefeated in the



Arizona and Philadelphia 134-27 along the way.

The Cowboys open the second

half of the season Sunday at home against the Giants. A victory over New York followed by another over the Cardinals in Arizona the following weekend would clinch at least a tie for the division title and the playoff spot that comes with it.

Should that happen, the Cowboys - who went 3-5 against the East last from the season sweep, with those games at home against the Redskins just once so far.

Michael Irvin admits he's caught himself daydreaming along those lines, but every times he snaps himself back to reality by realizing the

year — would be only two victories Cowboys are still just 5-3 overall — standings sheet." or, 1-3 outside the division.

"We really haven't put a whole lot and Eagles, each of which has won of games together, back-to-back. Until we do that, we can't say we have a cushion," Irvin said.

> "There's a doubt we'll be in (the playoffs) until they start putting those Xs and Ys by your name in the

Fullback Daryl Johnston also said it's too early to be thinking about going 8-0 in the East, even if the other teams seem to be rolling over and playing dead.

Arizona is 4-4, but has been outscored 170-125. New York is 3-5 and lost last Sunday to Washington.



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Ownby Stadium meets wrecking ball

DALLAS (AP) - Before they played in "the House That Doak Built," the SMU Mustangs made their name in college football at Ownby Stadium, right at the campus' tree-lined front entrance in the heart of University Park.

Ownby's red bricks and metal bleachers are coming down to make way for a new, high-tech sports complex.

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Groundbreaking took place in September, and work on the 32,000-seat, horseshoe-shaped stadium is expected to be finished in time for the start of the football season in September 2000.

A big chunk of the money for the project - \$20 million came from Ford, chairman of the board and principal shareholder of California Federal Bank.

Ford, a Southern Methodist University graduate, is a member of the school's board of trustees.

Tech looks to continue streak

By Jeff Keller Staff Writer

The Texas Tech volleyball team will be in action this weekend when the Red Raiders battle Oklahoma at 7 p.m. today and Kansas at 7 p.m. Saturday. Both games will be at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

The Red Raiders (17-8 overall, 6-6 Big 12) are ranked No. 24 in the nation and are coming off a nationally televised defeat of then No. 19 Texas A&M.

Tech holds the lead in the all-time series with Oklahoma with a 19-13 record against the Sooners.

However, Tech has not beaten the Sooners since the last match of the 1996 campaign, losing twice to Oklahoma last season.

This season, the Sooners are 8-16 overall and 2-10 in the Big 12 conference

Oklahoma beat No. 21 Kansas State last week, and Tech coach Jeff Nelson said Tech needs to be aware of the Sooners.

"They have been playing very good the last few weeks," Nelson said of the Sooners.

"They've only won two matches in conference. But they beat Kansas State last week, who is one of the stronger teams in the conference. I think that it was a significant win for them. It's certainly something that our players had better beware of. They have the capability to win a big match against a nationally ranked opponent.'

Though the Sooners have only won two conference games, Nelson said Tech still needs to play well to pull off the victory.

The Red Raiders beat the Jayhawks (14-10 overall, 4-8 Big 12) in straight games in both meetings last season and have never lost to Kansas in a Big 12 match.

The Jayhawks are playing under first-year coach Ray Bechard, whom has already led them to five more wins than they posted last season. Kansas is an experienced team,

Nelson said. "They've got three seniors and are

a fairly experienced team," Nelson said. "They've got experience. They're playing juniors and seniors. A team like that, I think always has a potential to have a big game because they've all played a lot and they're all experienced."

The Red Raiders have been focus- ponent, and I think we've played bet-

Duke gets top nod in preseason poll

(AP) — Duke, which returns three starters from the team that fell one game shy of the Final Four last season, was voted No. 1 in The Associated Press college basketball poll Thursday. It's the fourth time the Blue Devils have held the top spot in the preseason rankings.

This is the first preseason No. 1 ranking for Duke since 1991-92, when it stayed on top all season on the way to a second straight national championship. The other preseason No. 1 rankings were in 1978-79 and 1988-89. The Blue Devils, who were No. 1 for seven weeks last season and finished 32-4, received 34 first-place votes and 1,747 points from the 72member national media panel. "I'm very comfortable with high expectations," Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski said of the upcoming season.

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net in the last few matches and that

has improved their play, Nelson said.

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weeks, but on playing well on our

side of the net," Nelson said. "We've

been trying to see how good of a team

we can be and making other teams

adapt to us. I think we've been focus-

ing more on ourselves than our op-

"Our focus has not been so much

Connecticut, which has five starters back from its regional final team that went 32-5 last season, was second with 25 first-place votes and 1,734 points, 82 more than Stanford, which has all its starters back from the team that went 30-5 and reached the Final Four.

The Cardinal received 12 firstplace votes

The defending national chamfourth with the only other No. 1 votes Mexico and Syracuse tied for 20th and 1,509 points and was followed in and the rest of the Top 25 was Indithe top 10 by Michigan State, Maryland, Temple, Kansas, Tennessee and Utah.

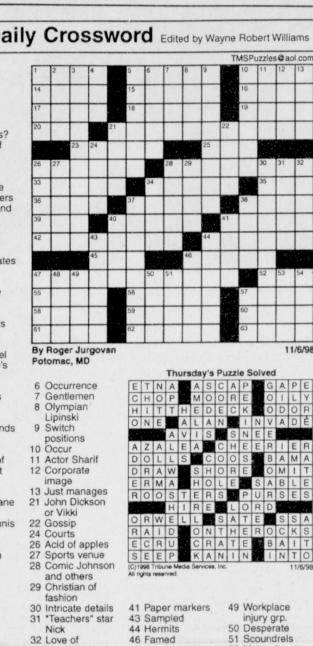
"It's always an honor to be considered among the top teams in the country," Krzyzewski said of the Blue Devils

'We have high expectations for our program every year and hope people's high opinions of us in November are the same in March."

North Carolina, which was No. 1 in the final poll last season, was 11th followed by UCLA, Oklahoma State, Washington, Cincinnati, Purdue, pion Kentucky Wildcats (35-4) was Xavier, Arizona and Arkansas. New ana, Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Texas Christian. All but six of the teams in the preseason poll were ranked in the final poll of last season, with No. 9 Tennessee being the highest of this year's newcomers. Only 15 of the teams in last year's preseason poll finished ranked in the final Top 25. Last year's preseason No. 1 was Arizona, which went on to the regional finals.

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Wes Underwood/The University Daily Over the Top: Tech outside hitter Kristen Holmes lofts the ball past two defenders earlier this season. The Red Raiders play Kansas and Oklahoma this weekend.

ing on improving on their side of the ter because of it."

The Red Raiders are playing well right now and should continue that this weekend, said senior outside hitter Kristen Holmes.

"We need to win them both," Holmes said of the weekend matches. "Both the teams are good. We need to just come out and play our game and if we play like we've been playing we will be alright."



Pampas

"I have very high expectations for myself and my team all the time. It is when you can't achieve high expec-

Duke has five players back who averaged at least 7.6 points per game last season, led by senior guard Trajan Langdon, a two-time all-Atlantic Coast Conference selection, and sophomore forward Elton Brand, who impressed a lot of people despite missing 15 games with a foot injury.



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SPORTS

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BIG XII WEEK IN REVIEW

FOOTBALL STATISTICS AND STANDINGS

PLAYER AWARDS

OFFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE WEEK:

Ricky Williams; RB; Texas Williams ran for 150 yards against a Nebraska defense that allows just under 110 yards-per-game on the ground. He helped put the Longhorns back in the top 25 polls for the first time since early this season. · Helped make the Longhorns the

first team to win in Lincoln since 1991 · Has 5,789 career rushing yards.

He needs only 98 yards-per-game to break Tony Dorsett's all-time career rushing record (6,082).

DEFENSIVE PLAYERS OF THE WEEK:

Dat Nguyen; LB; Texas A&M Nguyen became the Aggies alltime leading tackler with a 12-tackle performance against Oklahoma State last Saturday, giving him 460 tackles as an Aggie.

He broke the school record of 455 career tackles set by Johnny Holland from 1983-86. Nguyen has helped the Aggies to their eighth straight win and a No. 7 ranking in the AP poll.

Kris Brown; PK; Nebraska Brown connected on three field goals during last week's 20-16 loss to Texas. He hit on attempts from 27, 47 and 42 yards, marking the seventh time in his career that he has hit at least three field goals in a game.

HONOR ROLL:

- · Michael Bishop, QB, K St
- Rickey Hunter, RB, Tech
- · Mike Brown, FS, Nebraska
- Devin West, RB, Missouri
- · Major Applewhite, QB, Texas • Willie Grissom, WR, Okla St
- Branndon Stewart, QB, A&M
- Martin Gramatica, PK, K St
- · Todd Bandhauer, QB, Iowa St
- Lindsay Sherrer, LB, Okla St

WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME...

Tech shut out an opponent: --- North Texas (30-0), 9/12/98 at Texas Stadium

Opponent won by going for two: win, 10/18/61 in Dallas.

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Kansas St		6-2		143
Missouri	4-1		223	143
Nebraska	3-2	7-2	295	
Colorado	3-2	6-2	186	
Kansas	1-6	3-6	237	304
Iowa St	0-5	. 2-6	183	229
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Texas	4-1	6-2	301	246
Texas Tech	3-3	6-3	238	165
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Oklahoma	1-4	3-5	136	168
Baylor	1-4	2-6	163	222
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BIG XII CONFERENCE STATISTICS

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NET PUNTING

SCHOOL	PUNTS	AVG	YDS/RET	N/AV
Kansas St	20	45.5	53	42.8
Nebraska	40	44.4	129	41.2
Baylor	50	43.9	150	40.9
Oklahoma	45	42.0	56	40.7
A&M	57	44.9	284	39.9
Okla St	52	41.0	233	36.5
Iowa St	42	39.0	108	36.5
Colorado	44	40.8	201	36.2
Missouri	39	41.0	234	35.0
Kansas	52	37.4	189	33.8
Tech	45	36.7	243	31.3
Texas	40	36.8	264	30.3

♦ JASON BERNSTEIN'S

"INSIDE THE NUMBERS"

• 45

The number of career tackles for a loss by senior defensive end Montae Reagor.

• 10

The Red Raider defense is ranked 10th nationally in total defense allowing just over 283 yards-pergame.

• 7

The number of Big 12 teams that are either ranked or are receiving votes in the latest AP poll.

• 2

The number of passing touchdowns Missouri had given up before Tech connected on three passing scores last week.

• Too many

The number of Tech injuries heading into the bye week.

•72

Tech's longest run from scrimmage this season (Rick, Williams vs. Fresno St).

On day of no movement, key questions linger in basketball lockout

NEW YORK (AP) — Is David Stern bluffing when he says he'll cancel the season?

Is Billy Hunter being held back by David Falk?

What is the final date for saving the 1998-99 season?

NBA lockout, and none of the answers was clear Thursday. Of course, the biggest question — When will it end? --- was the grandest mystery of all.

Although there have been no con-

Those are the big questions in the ciliatory signs from either side, the lion per game," commissioner David league expects to hear from Hunter on Friday. A negotiating session could be scheduled for Monday if the sides think it will lead to progress.

> "We're just worlds apart, and NBA players are losing on average \$14 mil-

"When the owners show some deal to our players," union director

the framework for a deal and the percentage of revenue owners will be devoting to salaries. The players, who received 57 percent last season, are asking for 60 percent. The owners, who wanted to pay no more than 51.8

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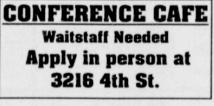
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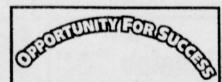
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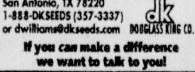
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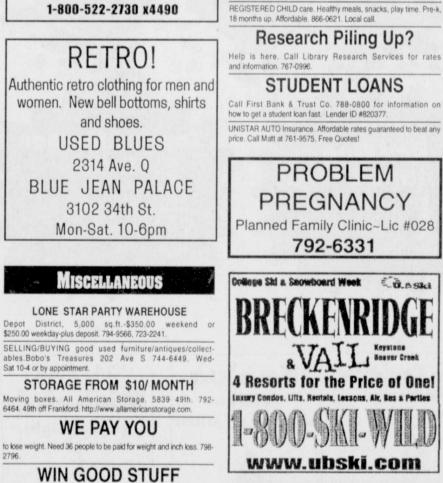
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