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Afghan earthquake kills, injures thousands

By Nicole Winfield/Associated Press

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP) — A powerful earthquake rocked Afghanistan and northwestern Pakistan, killing about 1,800 people and injuring 2,000, Afghan officials said Tuesday. The Afghan Defense Ministry said 600 bodies were recovered from villages still shaking from aftershocks.

ACTED, a private aid organization, estimated 10,000 people had been left homeless, basing its numbers on reports from staff in the devastated area near Nahrin, 90 miles north of Kabul on the slopes of the Hindu Kush mountains, in a region already hard-hit by drought, war and food shortages. At the scene, regional commander Gen. Aider Khan said as many as 1,500 to 2,000 people were missing. Many of Nahrin's residents spent the night without food or shelter because nearly all of their homes were destroyed.

Officials said many people were at home when the quake struck at 7:26 p.m. Monday and during the frequent strong aftershocks overnight, accounting for the high death toll.

"People were caught in their homes," said Nigel Fisher, a senior U.N. official in Afghanistan.

Yusuf Nuristani, a spokesman for the interim Afghan administration, said the quake measured magnitude at 6.2, though the U.S. Geological Survey in Golden, Colo., said it was magnitude 5.9 and centered 105 miles north of Kabul. The quake was relatively shallow, just 40 miles below the surface and likely to cause heavy damage.

Nuristani said about 1,800 people were killed in Monday's quake. Earlier, in Geneva, U.N. spokeswoman Elisabeth Byrs said Afghan authorities had initially told them the death toll could reach 4,800. No Americans or foreigners were known to be among the missing or dead.

By early afternoon, 600 bodies had been pulled from the wreckage of collapsed homes, said Defense Ministry official Mira Jan.

"I can say that 90 percent of Nahrin has been destroyed," Jan said. "We asked (peacekeepers)

and all other humanitarian non-governmental organizations to help the people there because they lost everything. They need tents, medicines, everything."

By late afternoon, about 400 people had been wrapped in white cotton shrouds and buried in and around Nahrin — some of them in mass graves, said Nurullah, secretary of commander Haider Khan, speaking from Nahrin.

About 200 wounded were taken to Pul-e-Kumri and Baglan by helicopter, bus and trucks, while some 70 people were treated in Nahrin. Gen. Khalil, a military commander from Pul-e-Kumri, said rescuers didn't have enough helicopters to transport all the wounded. Roads in the area were blocked by rubble and impassable.

"The condition is very terrible," Nurullah told The Associated Press by satellite telephone. "The people are in a very bad condition.

"Everyone is trying to find the members of their families to bring them out of the destroyed walls or collapsed areas," he said. "The earthquake is going on, and each time, the people are very afraid."

Interim Prime Minister Hamid Karzai canceled a trip to Turkey scheduled Wednesday to manage the disaster, Nuristani said, adding that officials had allocated \$600,000 for immediate aid.

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State reps welcome university officials

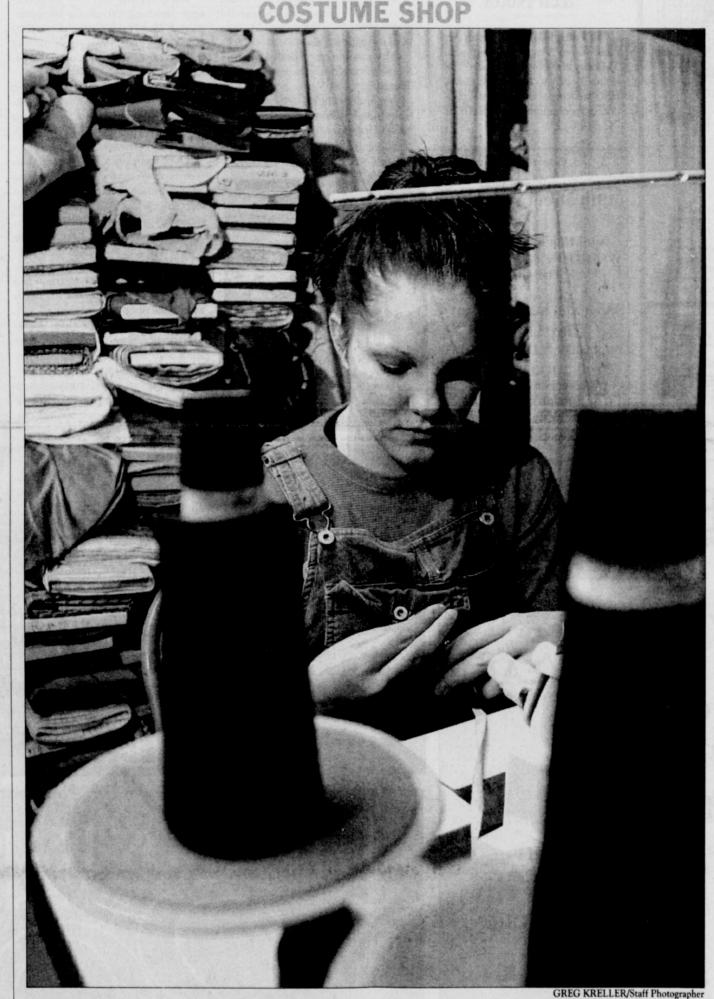
By Justin Matthews/Staff Reporter

Members of the Texas Tech administration returned from their annual trip to Washington, D.C., Friday after meeting with government officials to discuss Tech's goals and programs.

The trip is designed to allow university officials to interact with representatives of the U.S. government in an attempt to receive additional funding, as well as make Tech's programs and goals known to government officials.

Dr. David Smith, Tech's interim chancellor, said Tech received a warm welcome.

"While there, we met with virtually the entire Texas delegation," Smith said.



Groups to practice attack safety today at Reese Center BEING PREPARED: Former air force

base site of city's terrorist simulation.

By Jenny Klein/Staff Reporter

Reese Technology Center will become the site of a simulated terrorist attack today.

The city, in conjunction with the medical community, state agency representatives and local nonprofit organizations, is completing a three-phase federal program on the education, training and exercise for preparedness against weapons of mass destruction, which include biological and chemical agents.

The program, called Project Impact, began more than two years ago, Lt. Mark Ethridge, public information officer for the Lubbock Fire Department, said. The federal government provided grants to the largest 122 cities in the country, including Lubbock, to conduct this program.

The scene is set with a music festival taking place in Lubbock. Suddenly, there is an explosion releasing an unknown substance. Several victims are killed, and the agent used, whether it is biological or chemical, affects many others. Responding emergency personnel must treat these victims, determine what caused the injuries and protect themselves from

"We were very well received; there was a lot of bipartisan support for Tech and a lot of good questions about the university."

The group that made the trip to Capitol Hill included Smith, Tech President David Schmidly, Regents Robert Brown and Brian Newby, Deputy Chancellor Bess Haley, Vice President of Policy and Federal Relations Glen Provost, and Vice Chancellor of News and Information Cindy Rugeley.

While in Washington, the group distributed the university's "red book," which includes federal initiatives as well as program prospects for the fiscal year 2003.

The book also contains 16 projects that the university hopes to attain federal funding for. Some of the projects include funding for the Wind Engineering Research Center, cooperation with the Department of Defense for the research of bioterrorism threats and development of a center, headquartered at Texas A&M, to promote stronger relationships with Mexico and Canada.

"By presenting our priorities from the red book, we are trying to continue the momentum at Texas Tech," Smith said. On the back of the red book is a black cover, which contains the goals of Tech's

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CHARITY BEYER, A sophomore theater major from Houston, works Tuesday morning on sewing a costume for "The Tempest" in the costume shop of the Texas Tech University Theatre.

WILL BRASWELL, a junior computer science major from Hobbs, N.M. and cofounder of Students for Free Thought, assists Elizabeth Phillips, a senior biology major from Coppers Cove, Tuesday afternoon as she fills out her voter registration card. HEATHER DOUGHERTY/Staff Photographer



ROCKING THE VOTE

Cancer claims life of former Tech student, Delta Gamma member

By Natalie Worthen/Staff Reporter

Former Texas Tech student Stephanie Arno died Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at the Baylor University Medical Center at age 22 after suffering from leukemia. Her memorial service is today and will be held in McKinney at the First United Methodist Church.

Arno, a sophomore agricultural business major from McKinney, was a member of the Delta Gamma sorority.

In March of 1999, Arno was diagnosed with leukemia. She returned home July 1999 for a bone marrow transplant. She came back to Tech in January 2000 and attended a mission trip for Cornerstone Family Church in Richardson and later attended the second summer session in 2000. After the summer session, Arno suffered a relapse and returned to the Baylor UMC in Dallas.

Bill Arno, Stephanie Arno's father, said Stephanie Arno was a unique girl.

"Stephanie was involved in showing goats, pigs and chickens for Future Farmers during high school and enjoyed participating in mission trips to Jamaica with her church," he said. "She wanted to do anything for anyone."

Bill Arno said he would like to thank the Delta Gamma sorority for their prayers, thoughts and care of Stephanie Arno on behalf of the family.

Adrienne Gaviglio, Delta Gamma presi-

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the agent and the possibility of additional devices.

"Should we have a large incident, this allows us to evaluate our preparedness," Ethridge said. "It's to make sure we can work together as a city."

The exercise will simulate the event as closely as possible, Ken Olson, emergency manager coordinator for the city, said. All those involved and all the equipment used will be contained at Reese.

The exercise is being used as a training incident to observe the city's response capabilities, Olson said.

"We hope this is the closest to an attack as we'll ever get," Olson said. "It's an opportunity to bring active players together."

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New Masked Rider chosen, not named UNDER WRAPS: Mascot's identity will be announced at April ceremony.

By April Tamplen/Staff Reporter

The new Texas Tech Masked Rider for 2002-2003 was announced secretly Friday.

The identity of the new Masked Rider will be announced to the public at the transfer of the reins ceremony at 3 p.m. April 19 at the Frazier Alumni Pavilion.

The auditions began in early March and consisted of 10 students competing for the position.

On Thursday, a riding test eliminated four people and a driving test eliminated one person, Kassidi Andrews, publicist for the Masked Rider, said. On Friday, five students were left, four females and one male.

Auditions consisted of horse riding practice, equestrian tryouts and the final interview.

The committee who selects the Masked Rider includes Sam Jackson, assistant professor of animal science and food technology, an animal science alumnus, a representative from News and Publications and a representative from the Athletics Department.

The reason the identity of the new Masked Rider is being kept a secret, Andrews said, is because the Masked Rider selection committee thought it would be a bigger deal to the students if the rider is revealed at the ceremony.

"We thought it would be more mysterious if it was a kept a secret," she said. "We thought the Tech community would like it a whole lot better."

Michael Shonrock, vice president of Student Affairs, said he will not even know who the new Masked Rider is until the

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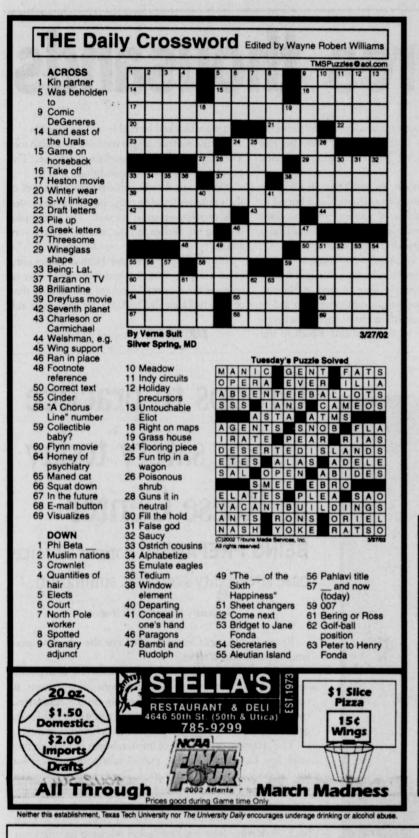
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N.M. fire chief dies days after being shot

ROSWELL, N.M. (AP) - Fire Chief Louis Jones, shot March 16 after an explosion in a home, died Tuesday at a hospital in Lubbock.

Jones died at 11 a.m. at Covenant Hospital, said city public relations officer Clarissa Gonzalez Vaughn.

Jones and three other people, including a 3-year-old boy, were shot after a man with a history of mental problems set fire to his girlfriend's home, police have said. Paul Freeman killed a next-door neighbor and an emergency medical technician who came to help him, shot Jones and the neighbor's son, then killed himself, police have said.

Tech Notes

Air Force ROTC will host an Air Force Career Day from 3 to 6 p.m. Thursday in the Student Union. The event is open to all Tech students, HSC students and the general public. For more information, call (806) 742-2143.

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"We gave it away. All we can do is scare them to death. They don't have the desire at times to win."

- VIRGINIA BROWN, Tech women's tennis coach, on Tech's loss to Oklahoma. Please see RAIDERS, page 7.

Man faces life in prison for stabbing

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - A man convicted of killing his 73-year-old grandmother by stabbing her 73 times faces up to life in prison.

The punishment phase of Michael Morris Jr.'s trial was scheduled to begin Tuesday.

Jurors deliberated more than five hours Monday before finding Morris, 24, guilty of stabbing Mildred Morris in July.

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Sen. Clinton visits Ireland to build ties

DUBLIN, Ireland (AP) - Sen. Hillary Rodham Clinton began a two-day visit to Ireland Tuesday that was designed to build business ties between Ireland and New York and shore up support among Irish Catholic voters back home.

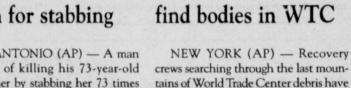
The Dublin Chamber of Commerce invited the New York Democrat and was paying for her trip, which was postponed from November because of the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

On Tuesday, in a sign of the high status the Clinton name retains in Ireland, she was meeting separately with Irish President Mary McAleese, Prime Minister Bertie Ahern and Foreign Minister Brian Cowen - an itinerary normally reserved for visiting premiers and presidents.

"The ties between us are only getting stronger," Clinton said beside the prime minister, whom she thanked "for the extraordinary support that Ireland gave to New York and America following Sept. 11."

She noted Ireland ordered government offices and businesses to close on Sept. 14 as a national day of mourning. This act, she said, "demonstrated to all of us the deep ties between our countries and particularly between New York and Ireland."

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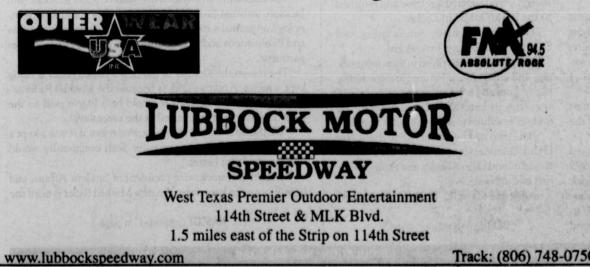
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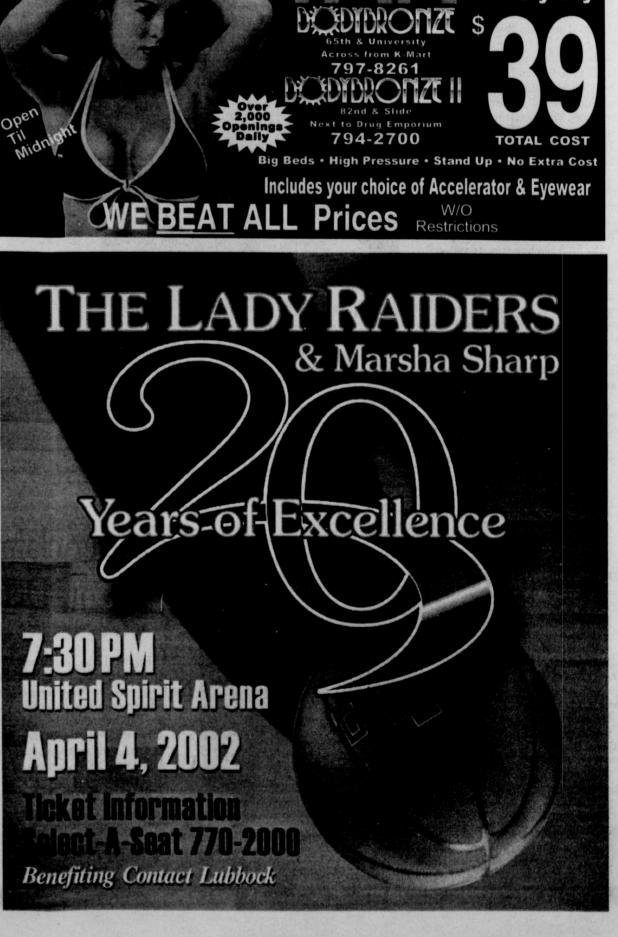
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By Preston Files/Staff Reporter

Ron Sosebee, professor of plant ecophysiology and range improvements in the Department of Range, Wildlife and Fisheries Management, was recently presented with the W.R. Chapline Research Award for his lifelong career achievements.

The Society for Range Management presented the award at its 55th annual meeting Feb. 13 to 19 in Kansas City, Mo.

Texas Tech President David Schmidly included the award in his regular report on the accomplishments of Tech, which he presents to the Board of Regents.

The research award Sosebee was honored with is available only to Society for Range Management members and is given for exceptional and sustained research accomplishments related to rangelands. The honor includes a monetary award.

Ernest Fish, chairman and professor of aerial photo interpretation and watershed in the Department of Range, Wildlife, and Fisheries Management, said the award is great for

Sosebee as well as the department. "It is a very significant honor and recognizes Sosebee's lifetime accomplishments," he said.

The award is the highest research award the Society of Range Management presents.

"It has brought outstanding recognition," Sosebee said. "I am proud to be a part of the award and the recognition it has brought to our department as well as our university."

Sosebee has been with the department for 32 and one-half years. The award was based on his lifelong career in achievement in research concerning the broad area of plant ecophysiology.

"This is really a prestige award and honor," he said. "Being selected by one's own peers is always an honor itself." Sosebee said he had a couple of ma-

jor achievements in his research. The control of harmful brush and

weeds, particularly mesquite, was one such research project.

Sosebee said the mesquite is "the nemesis of the Southwest."

He said the work in water relations and its use in native range plants as well as water yield from rangelands have both

talked through scenarios and problems,

discussing what they would do in the

event of a chemical or biological at-

tack, Tom Mann, assistant police chief,

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been major contributions in their particular areas.

In more recent research, Sosebee is the project leader and member of the research in biosolids applied to rangelands.

He said the research from the project is the most detailed from anywhere in the United States.

In the future, Sosebee said he would like to wrap up most of the projects going on.

"Over the next few years, I would like to bring the research that we have conducted in the 30 plus years here and try to tie it all together in some kind of fashion," he said.

Sosebee is involved in the growth and development of the range, wildlife and fisheries degree programs, and besides teaching, he has done research in plant ecophysiology. Sosebee has taught several classes, including range plant ecology, vegetation inventory and analysis, advanced range ecology, plant ecophysiology and seminar.

Some of his research is related to mesquite, semiarid plants and herbicides

Practice

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Though Lubbock began the program well before the Sept. 11 attacks, the terrorist attacks that day made an even clearer impression on city officials of the importance of the Project Impact program, Olson said.

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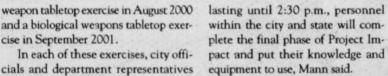
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"The purpose of this exercise is to prepare our response to terrorism," Mann said.

Law enforcement personnel have attended training sessions to add to Lubbock's preparedness, he said.

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- APRIL CHAVEZ, junior business major, Lubbock

Mascot

transfer of reins.

"I do not know, and I am the vice president," he said. "I enjoy the secrecy though, I think it is kind of neat."

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At the transfer of the reins, Katie Carruth, current Masked Rider, will mask the new Masked Rider in the ceremony.

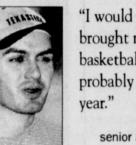
Andrews said the ceremony also will honor businesses that provide services to the Masked Rider program.

cited about the individual who was selected as Masked Rider.

dates," she said. "We are very proud of who we chose."

The new Masked Rider will be the

- JOHN CHUKA, senior management information systems major, Nigeria



"I would say Bob Knight. He brought more students to basketball games, but that's probably because it's his first

> - ALFONSO ZAVALA, senior architecture major, Plano

tradition that is well recognized.

Andrews said the committee is ex-

"There were several qualified candi-

41st Masked Rider in Tech history. Andrews said the Masked Rider is a

"Everyone recognizes the secret man on the black horse," she said. "We think

that is a neat thing that so many people want to be involved with the tradition." Shonrock said the Masked Rider program is still using Jake as the backup horse.

"The Masked Rider program is a huge success and pride of the university," he said.

Wells Fargo Bank of Texas, who started an endowment fund in 1994, funds the Masked Rider program.

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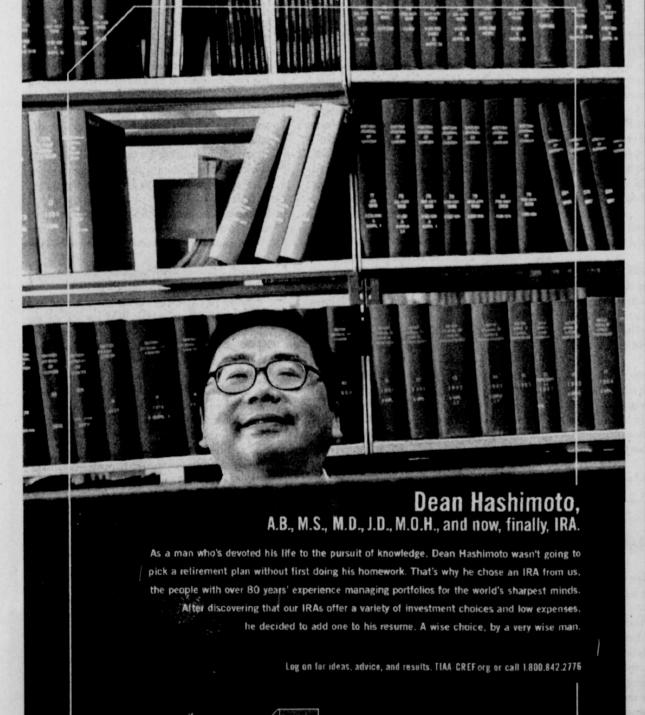
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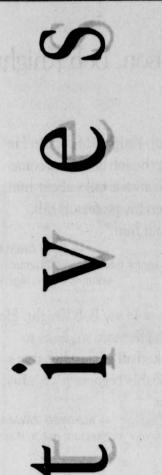
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OPINION





The only thing worse than the weather is the forecaster





Take up the kids, batten down the hatches and head for the storm shelter folks because it's severe weather season out here in West Texas, and we all know what that means -Doppler radars, storm chasers and out-of-control weather forecasters plastering their faces all over our televisions. I know, I know, about 30 years ago there was a

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tornado in Lubbock; so, forever more, we must live in fear of the rain.

It happens every spring about this time. After a long day at school you curl up on the couch with your Ramen noodles and an adult beverage to view the latest installment of your favorite television show but not tonight. Just as the climax of your program is unfolding, it happens - a weather break-in. It's none other then run-for-the-hills Ron or regional-radar Robison trying to make a living by scaring little children and newcomers to West Texas with exaggerated weather reports.

Armed with the most annoying weather devices known to man, these individuals scour the skies in search of droplets of moisture so they can analyze them on Doppler radars and devise horrific scenarios whereby every person within viewing range is going to die. Severity of a wouldbe storm is insignificant in these matters; anything a Doppler radar can detect is automatically elevated to an Armageddon status in West Texas. That's not rain falling from the sky; it's explosive bullets of hydrogen and oxygen poised to destroy mankind.

The weather forecaster zooms into street level on his super Doppler radar 25,000, but the resolution is exactly the same as the regional radar picture so the only data it reveals is blurry colors that no human can decode. The weather forecaster attempts an explanation anyway, completely oblivious to the fact that we all have windows and sensory organs that can more accurately detect the intensity of the moisture mercilessly bombing us from the heavens above.

Realizing that we're all overwhelmed with the fear and stress of this situation, he begins to offer life-saving advice such as: "If you're outside, come in." And "If you don't have to go outside right now, don't." The lives he has saved with his incredible insight can never be measured or even athomed. If you were to venture outside of you

Jewish faith faces misperceptions

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hen asked if she

has ever been

"picked on"

Jesus was brought up. Proud



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of who she was, she explained to her friend, "I don't believe in Jesus; I am Jewish." At that moment, a relationship was torn and a heart broken because her "best friend's" rapid rejecting response was, "Well then, we can't be friends." This is just a conversation among first graders, right? Why consider it as relevant enough to be repeated to an "educated" body of college students?

ancestors and the covenant God made with them.

In light of this holiday, I interviewed Jewish students and community members. Knowing little about their beliefs, I was full of questions seeking

to understand beyond my original frame of

reference. My experience went hand in hand with an old joke that says, "If you ask 12 rabbis a question, you will get 14 different answers, and half of them will answer the question with another question."

Anne Epstein often leads services at the only synagogue in Lubbock, the Congregation Shaareth Israel.

She said, "There is universal agreement on very little, but there is great agreement on the importance of critical thinking and the value of divergent opinion. Questioning is a part of

from being Christians. Both faiths trace their tradition back to Abraham, as does Islam. And they both use the Hebrew Bible. The most significant to Jews is the Torah, which is the first five books of the Bible, regarded as having been revealed by God to Moses. Christians, however, place the cornerstone of their faith in what they call the New Testament, which Jews reject for multiple reasons.

While the majority of Jews warmly accept converts, they are not out trying to win souls for Judaism. They do not proselytize, and the consensus among every Jew I spoke to was that they are "always offended by proselytizing." They are open to friendships and even shared services with the Christian community, but they want to be accepted for who they are.

When speaking with two male members of



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Because, despite our unlimited access to information and our extended mind capability, we all have the tendency to respond like first graders to that which we do not fully understand.

Anti-Semantic attitudes did not start or end with the Holocaust. And they don't just thrive in the Middle East. They are alive in pluralist America today. On March 16, even the Rev. Billy Graham found himself once again apologizing for derogatory remarks he made about the Jews in the recently released Nixon tapes.

From playgrounds to the oval office, are these attitudes the exception? Most will say they are. But, have we not learned through Sept. 11 the exception in any religious or political group can be disastrous? The only way to extinguish ignorant "exceptions" is through education.

Today at sundown Jews around the world will begin their annual weeklong celebration of Passover, one of the most important and widely observed holidays on the Jewish calendar. It historically and emotionally symbolizes their escape from Egyptian slavery as told in Exodus. Many traditional foods and practices are observed in order to tie the Jewish people of today to their

Headd unfairly critical

To the editor: I totally disagree with the

column that was written by Brendan Headd in

The UD on March 20. Before one can criticize

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She explained it is possible to be Jewish without being religious. The term Jew refers to an ethnically distinct group as well as to those who follow Jewish laws and teaching. Beyond that, there are three forms of contemporary Judaism thriving in America: orthodoxy, conservative and reform.

Most American Jews practice Reform Judaism because it is a more modernized version of the faith. Most scholars under this non-traditional movement do not take the Bible literal, are not waiting for a messiah, do not place profound significance on the afterlife and do not adhere strictly to dietary kosher laws.

One thing I did find agreement on is the idea expressed in the book "Jews in the time of Jesus," by Stephen M. Wylen.

When referring to what we call Judeo-Christian thought he said, "Jews of today, like 4th century Christians, wish to be acknowledged as believers in a separate and distinct religion that is complete in itself. Every religion has its own integrity. The ultimate goal is not merger but mutual respect."

To find the commonality between the two is fine, but the differences must be recognized and celebrated. With 86 percent of Americas claiming Christianity and only 1.8 percent being Jewish, the rich history, faith and tradition of a Jewish people needs to be protected from being gathered in a nice, big "Easter basket."

Jews are not just a prayer and a messiah away

Hillel, the Jewish student organization on campus, they agreed the biggest misconception about Jews is "that we killed Jesus."

Both students said they were beat up when in grade school because of the false idea that the Jews are the ones who killed Jesus.

That isn't just an isolated experience, and the persecution doesn't end when kids become old enough to put down their fists; the fight persists with words. Even last year, New York Knicks basketball star Charlie Ward received much press for hatefully saying during a Bible study that the Jews executed Jesus.

During this holiday season, as the Jewish renew their dedication to "freeing the oppressed" and "repairing the world," we can celebrate their existence by refusing to allow any form of persecution or anti-Semitism to enter any segment of this tolerant and diverse land. As the oldest people on earth still around with their national identity and culture intact, they are the ultimate symbol of survival. What is more American than survival?

Kristen Gilbreth can be contacted at Kristengilbreth@aol.com. She would like to invite you to attend the Friday service at Congregation Shaareth Israel, 6923 83rd Street, at 8pm. For directions, call the synagogue at 794-7517. For information on getting involved with Hillel, contact President Isack Kohn at ikohnx@yahoo.com.

home at this moment, you could get wet or even worse, struck dead by a fiery bolt of lightening!

The weather forecaster, a highly proficient weather instrument himself, quickly switches from the Doppler radar to the all-important lightening detection system. Before you, on the television screen, is a graphic displaying all of the lightening strikes that have already occurred across a twentycounty area. If only you could make it to one of these sacred locations, you could be safe because you know that lightening never strikes in the same place twice. But it's all just a tease; the weather forecaster won't let you look at it long enough to determine the exact location because he can't afford to allow you to leave your television.

Anticipating your overwhelming need to know more information he goes "live" to the heart of darkness where one of his storm chasers is doing exactly what he just told you not to do.

As the picture focuses in on this first-year reporter standing in an open field, we find out in excruciatingly graphic detail what is taking place outside of the confines of our \$500-a-month storm shelters: "It is raining!"

You think to yourself, that was anti-climatic, but there is no time to reflect on the situation. It's back to the Doppler radar so the weather forecaster can inform his storm chaser of the biblical torment headed his way. You're beside yourself. Will the storm chaser stand out in the open and brave the punishment headed toward him or will he climb back in the truck and cowardly drive away?

Before you can find out, the weather forecaster switches to the climax of his unsolicited break-in - hail tracker. No human can withstand this hellish bombardment from the sky. Your television screen lights up with a map revealing to you your worst fear - it is hailing on you right now! What do you do? After untold minutes of dispensing the latest life-saving weather advice, the weather forecaster just falls silent; he can't help you anymore; no one can. You don't have covered parking, and your car insurance only covers liability. You can't go outside and move your car or you'll die. You run over to the window and glance out into the depths of hell to discover to your shock that it's not hailing at all; in fact, it's barely even raining!

But, but ... that's right you missed your favorite television program for a publicity stunt.

This is a severe weather warning statement for Lubbock County --- if you don't have cable you better obtain it or you will have to endure the weather forecaster who cried "Tornado!" for the next three months.

E Brendan Headd is a geosciences graduate ident from Richardson. He can be e-mailed at dd@ttacs.ttu.edu.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

athletes, coaches and staff, and providing first-rate availabilities to athletes is what is driving the expanded facilities.

On the described issue of PlayStations, table soccer, televisions and VCRs, these were donated gifts from numerous individuals and organizations. Donations were made to the athletics department and specifically designated for the baseball program. Many people donate these gifts so that the teams and departments can better utilize their resources in other areas, such as recruiting, equipment and travel. The hot tub provided to baseball was also a donation. This hot tub is exclusively used for treatments and not a leisure pool. It is not used for lounging or relaxation.

Athletics within an institution gives tremendous exposure to the school. No other department within a school gets as much recognition outside of the campus as athletics. Ask an average individual what Duke is good at and that person will respond "basketball." Did you know that Duke also has five Nobel Prize winners on their staff and the average SAT score for admission is 1420?

I would like to take this time to thank the students for your continued support of the athletes, teams and department. Your support is present and greatly appreciated.

> Cory Driskill junior exercise and sports sciences

Have an opinion? Let everyone hear it! Send letters to the editor to opinions@universitydaily.net and share your perspective with the campus.

Bush makes several appointments

WASHINGTON (AP) --- President Bush on Tuesday selected an Arizona trauma surgeon and sheriff's deputy to be surgeon general and a top administrator at Johns Hopkins University to direct the National Institutes of Health.

Dr. Richard Carmona of Tucson and Hopkins' Dr. Elias Zerhouni must be confirmed by the Senate before filling the two top health positions.

"These are distinguished physicians who have worked tirelessly to save lives and to improve lives," the president said in an East Room ceremony at the White House.

"They bring exceptional knowledge and skills to these critical jobs, and they are absolutely dedicated to improving the health and well-being of all Americans."

The two doctors and their families were at the White House for the ceremony announcing the long-awaited nominations.

Zerhouni said he never dreamt of such a privilege when he and his wife immigrated here from Algeria 27 years ago. Carmona, his voice breaking as he alternated between speaking Spanish and English, called his own nomination the American dream for "a high-school dropout and poor Hispanic kid."

Bush joked that he almost nixed Carmona's nomination after hearing how the doctor once dangled from a moving helicopter as part of a rescue mission.

"I worried that maybe he wasn't the best guy to educate our Americans about his four-year term ended last month.

reducing health risks," Bush teased.

"Army Green Beret, a decorated police officer, a SWAT team member, a nurse and a physician - Dr. Carmona has redefined the term hands-on medicine.

Zerhouni, who will administer the massive biomedical research programs at NIH, "shares my view that human life is precious and should not be exploited or destroyed for the benefits of others," Bush said.

Asked if both nominees share Bush's ethical opposition to human cloning and embryonic stem cell research, White House press secretary Ari Fleischer told reporters in advance of the announcement:

"Suffice it to say that these are administration appointees. They serve the president; they serve his policies and I don't think you would expect the president to appoint people who hold wildly different views than he does."

Sen. Edward Kennedy, the Massachusetts Democrat whose committee oversees health nominees, pledged to hold hearings promptly. He called Zerhouni "a distinguished scientist" and said he looked forward to learning more about Carmona, a surprise pick.

At NIH, the nation's premier biomedical research agency, the top post has been vacant for more than two years.

Bush has been looking for a surgeon general ever since David Satcher, President Clinton's appointee, announced last year that he would step down when

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Health Sciences Center.

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Smith, who is also president of the HSC, presented delegates with four main objectives. They included a request for \$500,000 for joint research with the University of Texas at El Paso, \$10 million over five years for research in the Southwest Center for Agriculture Medicine, \$5.7 million for a multidisciplinary regional forensic sciences institute and \$2 million for research involving the prevention and control of diabetes, a request that Smith said drew the most attention.

'(Texas delegates) were very excited about the work we're doing with diabetes," Smith said. "They were very complimentary on what we had as targeted areas."

Before the Tech administrators went to Washington, D.C., Rugeley and others spoke with the Chronicle of Higher Education, a national news publication, as well as the U.S. News and World Report, which ranks the nation's top 200 universities.

the phone often; by meeting with them in person, we can put a face to a name, which is important," Rugeley said. "We give information to the Chronicle to send a message to our peers on what we're doing. (Tech) goes to speak to the U.S. News and World Report to inform them as well. President Schmidly speaks with them, as does (Interim) Chancellor Smith. They pretty much came to Dr. Smith and said, 'We want to talk to you now so that you can help us find a better way to rank (medical) schools." Smith said the university was well

represented in Washington, D.C.

"Everywhere we turned, somebody was wearing a Double T," Smith said. "In a lot of the offices there were Tech students working or interning and in offices of high stature; that is very impressive to

During the trip, administrators hosted a Red Raider Reception, honoring the Texas delegation and sena-

Smith said U.S Representative

Death

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dent for 2001 and a 2001 graduate of Tech, said Stephanie Arno will be dearly missed.

"She was an exceptional member and contributed, showed up and helped out even when she was very sick," she said. "We were definitely blessed to know her as an individual."

Shayna Marshall, Delta Gamma president for 2000 and a recent Tech graduate, said Stephanie Arno fought till the bitter end.

"She was a fighter, and I just can't say enough good things about her," she said. "She was the sweetest and most genuine person."

Dinah Hays, vice president of finance for the Delta Gamma sorority, said it was unfair for Stephanie Arno to die.

"She was a very sweet girl," she said. "It's hard for me to talk about this because my own daughter is 23 years old and was an active in the sorority with Stephanie."

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area soon, a government minister told

sent a small assessment team to the af-

fected area to decide if American troops

could play a role in rescue and recovery

efforts, said spokesman Maj. Bryan

pledged assistance to the interim gov-

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with the tragedy, said U.S. special

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Ministry had reached the quake area.

Interior Minister Yunus Qanooni also

said five villages in the quake area

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has been hard-hit by drought and

food shortages, is home to an esti-

Hassan said aid groups were try-

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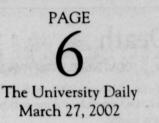
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MOVIE REVIEWS

'Life as a House' not many people who saw this film in theaters.

JAMES **EPPLER**

& Out," gives some of his best work to date as a dying man who has alienated himself from his wife and son and now wants to make amends in his last days.

Fish

He quits a job that he hates and decides to build a house.

reluctant to spend the summer with his father. The focal point of the story is how a man can change people around him, even people that hate him, by demonstrating love for them.

Kristen Scott Thomas also stars as Kline's ex-wife who is feeling trapped in a loveless marriage.

The house being built signifies the bonding of a broken family. The script sometimes hits close to home, and Kline is nothing short of excellent.

Rumor has it that Chirstensen just barely missed the Oscar nomination for his role as Kline's druggie fume-huffing

ship is one of the film's best attributes.

'Original Sin'

Antonio Banderas and Angelina Jolie star in this erotic thriller about a man being betrayed by a woman he loves. Banderas is a wealthy Spanish man

who sends off for a mail-order bride. She arrives in the form of Jolie, who is not a bad investment.

He falls in love with her, and they are soon married. It is not long until he finds her gone and all of his money stripped from him like a banana peel.

He begins to discover the mysteries behind this woman and what drove her to deceive him.

Is she alone, or is she in cahoots with someone else? Is she even the bride that he sent for?

While pondering all of these questions, he still can't help but be in love with her.

Love is not a light switch to be turned off and on at will.

Big E B Grillin

Banderas is solid, and Jolie is seductively good in this film filled with sur-

It's "back to basics" at ... "A Tech Tradition Since 1985" featuring ... Larry Spoon Fed Tribe l'icket's Zion Cuttin The Grass Outdoors Sgt. Steve Monday

prises, betrayals and twists. Of course, not meets "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's everything works. The film is needlessly Nest." The reliable Kevin Spacey who narrated by Jolie's character, and direc- is a tw- time Academy award winner, tor Michael Chistofer seems to be ob- once for supporting actor and once for sessed with Jolie's

There are many The ending is also a little on the weak side, but getting there is a sur-

leading actor, stars

moments to admire (in "K-Pax"), and the storytelling is certainly enthralling, but the resolution in the film's final moments may leave some viewers unsatisfied.

'K-PAX'

This film has been called "Starman"

as a man called "Prot" claiming to be an alien from another planet called K-PAX. He is committed to a mental institution, where he meets a therapist played by Jeff Bridges. It's almost a

Bridges becomes consumed with the possibilities of Prot's story. Meanwhile, Prot is busy convincing members of the hospital into believing that one of them will be allowed to travel back to K-PAX with him when his time on Earth ends.

There are many moments to admire, and the storytelling is certainly enthralling, but the resolution in the film's final moments may leave some viewers unsatisfied.

Spacey and Bridges deliver strong performances **EPPLER'S RATING:**

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SCORING SYSTEM **** --- Flawless **** -- Excellent *** - Good ** - Mediocre * - Awful

gins when Prot starts to show signs that there may be more to his story than meets the human eye.

Berry propels box office earnings

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Halle Berry's triumphant run toward an Academy Award already has brought big commercial success to "Monster's Ball," a low-budget, gritty film that's anything but a feel-good crowd-pleaser.

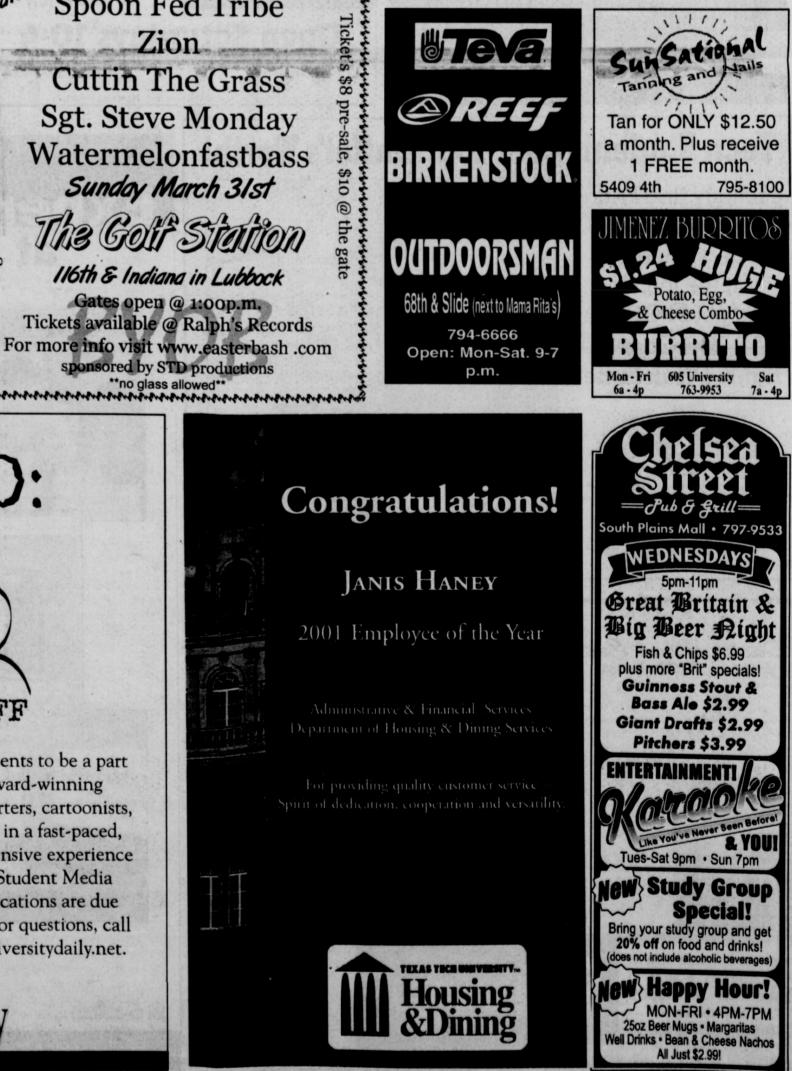
With Berry's emotional best-actress win Sunday, the film now is positioned to take in millions more at the box office

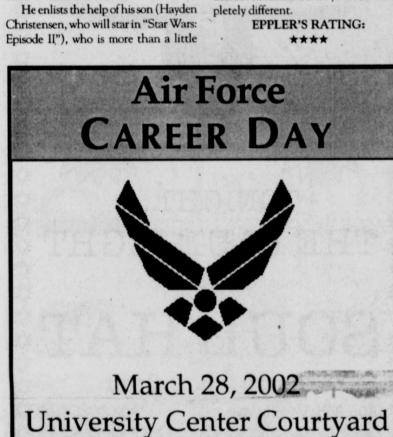
Typically, only best-picture winners capitalize in a big way after the Oscars as the awards attention draws in new viewers and repeat customers.

But wins by Berry and Denzel Washington of "Training Day" - the first time black actors took both lead-performance Oscars - overshadowed the best-picture victory of "A Beautiful Mind."

The first black actress ever to win for a lead role, Berry also piqued moviegoers' interest with her weepy, joyful acceptance speech.

Shot for about \$4.5 million, "Monster's Ball" has grossed just under \$20 million domestically.







That's a real shame. Kevin Kline, who was previously seen in "A

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It's a touching and endearing story that demonstrates the importance of life's smallest aspects. It's a film that speaks that change can be so small that you don't even realize it until your life is com-

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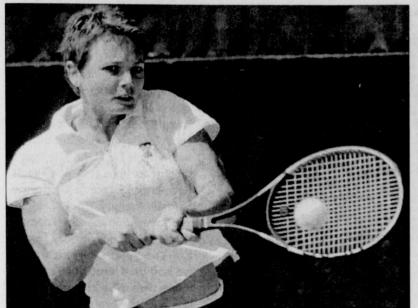


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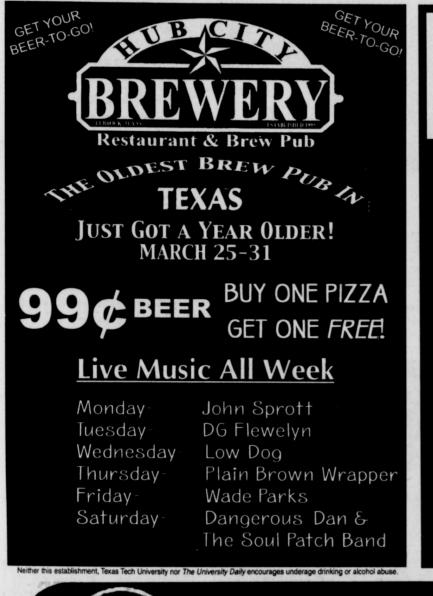




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JAIME TOMAS AGUILAR/Photo Editor TEXAS TECH SENIOR Alenka Ovin returns a backhand during the Red Raiders' 4-3 loss against Oklahoma at the McLeod Tennis Center.



Raiders lose upset bid against ranked OU

By David Wiechmann/Staff Writer

The win was there, but the Texas Tech women's tennis team let it slip away

Playing for the first time in its new home, the McLeod Tennis Center, the Red Raiders lost to the Oklahoma Sooners 4-3 Tuesday afternoon.

Tech (5-11 overall, 1-3 Big 12 Conference) lost two matches in the third set to make the match tight down to the end, and Tech coach Virginia Brown said her team lost the match on its own.

"We gave it away," Brown said. "All we can do is scare them to death. They don't have the desire at times to win. They find a reason not to do it instead of doing it."

Co-captain Noel Ruiz said earlier in the week if Tech could win the doubles point against OU (11-3 overall, 1-2 Big

12), it would be easier to win. Things did not go as thought when Tech won the doubles point but lost four of the singles matches.

Kendall Brooks said the loss was a another tough letdown mentally considering the Raiders were close to pulling off the upset.

"It's definitely a tough loss because we were right there," Brooks said. "Winning the doubles (point), we knew we only needed three more points. We just couldn't do it. All the matches were close so that makes it even harder to lose."

Brown said the team's problem lies in the players not anticipating their opponents' moves

"They don't look to see where (their

opponent) is going to hit it," Brown said. They have to retrieve the ball, and if you're retrieving balls instead of hitting them, that's a problem. They hit it and go chase it."

Tech has had trouble closing matches and capitalizing on opportunities.

"This is our fifth 4-3 match. That's better than last year, but it's still not good enough," Brown said. "We're one point

short in every match; someone's got to step up."

Brooks said the team has played well, but it just has not had the fuel to finish.

"We're playing how we want to play," Brooks said. "We just need that extra step to pull it out in the clutch matches. We're over that hump, but we're still going to lose some."

Brooks said the loss could provide what the team needs to take the step forward and upset more teams.

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| NEED SOMEONE to take over lease by May 30 Comes with | th free |

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TECH TERRACE 1 bedroom, 2514 28th, \$450/month, 797-6358.

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| Monday - Thursday | 6 a.m midnight |
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| Friday | 6 a.m 10:30 p.m. |
| Saturday | 9 a.m 9 p.m. |
| Sunday | noon - 11 p.m. |

Children 16 and younger may use the rec center any time it is open if accompanied by an adult. Area use restrictions apply. The Aquatic Center has separate family hours.

RECREATIONAL SPORTS INFORMATION

Information may be obtained 24 hours a day, seven days a week at www.ttu.edu/recsports, or call the 24-hour information line at (806) 742-4832.

COMING SOON TO THE REC CENTER

| Intramurals | Entries Due | Special Events | Entries Due |
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| Track and Field | April 4 | Easter Hours SRC | March 29-31 |
| Tennis | April 8 | Glucose Screening | April 4 |

NOW HIRING AT THE AQUATIC CENTER:

• The Aquatic Center is taking applications for summer jobs. Want to teach swim lesson, lifeguard, get tan, make money and meet new people? This is the job for you. Stop by and pick up an application at the pool. More questions? Give us a call 742 3896

BOUNDARY WATERS CANOE TRIP:

• The Outdoor Pursuits Center has started taking sign-ups for this year's summer trip. We will be visiting the Boundary Waters Canoe Area of Northern Minnesota June 30 to July 9. This area is known for great wilderness travel, fishing, wildlife viewing and camping. If you want to experience first hand the modern life of a voyager for six days, then here is your chance. This trip falls between the two summer school sessions. The cost of this trip is \$395 and includes: transportation, food at the activity site, canoeing and camping equipment and instruction. To register or get more information on this trip or other workshops scheduled for this summer, stop by our office located outside the north entrance of the Student Recreation Center or call 742-2949 or 742-3351.

FITNESS POSITIONS AVAILABLE:

PECOS BACKPACKING TRIP SIGN UPS

Here is chance to get out of town and enjoy the alpine mountains of New Mexico. This trip is scheduled for April 19 to 21 and is our last backpacking trip of the semester.We will be backpacking to the summit of Hermits Peak in the Pecos Wilderness. This trip will provide great vista views from the summit and provide a great introduction to backpacking. To sign up for this trip you must sign-up early. Stop by our office and fill out a trip application and pay the trip cost. The cost of this trip is \$70 and includes transportation, both backpacking and camping equipment, food at the activity site and instruction. Please call 742-3351/742-2949 or stop by our The Outdoor Pursuits Center located at the north entrance of the SRC for more information or to reserve a spot.

INTRAMURAL SPORTS WINNERS



WINNERS OF THE Men's basketball championship, Last Run, are pictured above. Front row, left to right: Field Scovell, Marc Lochbaum and Lance Hughes. Back row, left to right: Cole Roberts, Kliff Kingsbury, Sonny Cumbie and Ricky Mourning.



WINNERS OF THE Women's basketball championship, Pi Beta Silver, are pictured above. Front row, left to right: Farron Yowell, Ashley Maines, Emily Stanford and Blandi Sargent. Back row, left to right: Whitney Brinkley, Rainnie Hull, Sara Mergele, Jennifer Tollett and Clay Whithead, coach.



COURTESY PHOTO/Rec Sports CO REC BASKETBALL champions, the Apaches, are pictured above. Front row, left to right: Stormie Schumacher, Janda Ibbetson and Amber Kile. Back row, left to right: Duane Youngberg, Nathan Francis, Jantzen Louder and Toni Torres.

EASTER FITNESS CLASS

SUMMER CAMP

Applications are being accepted for students interested in becoming instructors for Recreational Sports Summer Camp.The camp is designed to improve the sport skills of children, but the emphasis is on FUN! The sports taught during camp are Tennis, Racquetball, Basketball, Volleyball, Softball, Archery, Rock Climbing and Soccer. Summer Sports camp is offered Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. - noon. The current stipend is \$6.50/hr. If hired, your appointment would be the months of June and July. If you are interested in working as a camp instructor, drop by the Rec Sports office in Room 203 of the Student Recreation Center and fill out an application. Applications are due by April 5. The contact person for this job opportunity is Jared McCauley at 742-2945.

SOFTBALL RAINOUTS RESCHEDULED

Here are the rescheduled dates for the rain out cancellations: March 19 rescheduled to Thursday

March 20 rescheduled to Tuesday March 21 rescheduled to April 3 All games are played at the same time and field just different day and date.

Because of these delays, softball playoff schedules will come out April 3 in the Student Rec Center room 203 after 2 p.m. The playoffs will begin on April 7 if weather permits.

LIFEGUARDING CLASSES AVAILABLE

Don't be left waiting! Spots are limited and filling fast. Register at the Aquatic Center during open hours.

Become a certified American Red Cross lifeguard. The course includes Lifeguarding, Standard First Aid, and CPR for the Professional Rescuer. Cost is \$120 and it includes the book.

Session I already started, Session 2 April 6 - 14 AT 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Session 3 April 20 -28 at 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

• The Fitness/Wellness Center is currently taken applications for two positions: Fitness/Wellness Assistant and Personal Trainer. The applicants should possess good interpersonal skills and communication skills, knowledge in exercise physiology, kinesiology, nutrition, and/or anatomy/physiology, and experience in muscular conditioning and cardiovascular conditioning. Applications are available in the Fitness/ Wellness Center through April 12. For questions, please call 742-3828.

• The Fitness/Wellness Center is currently taking applications for Fitness Instructors to teach group exercise classes such as step, funk, shape & tone, indoor cycling, tennis, and other types of dance, sport or fitness type classes. Applications are available in the Fitness/Wellness Center and the Recreational Sports office room 202 of the Student Recreation Center. After completing an application, please sign up for an audition/tryout time. Auditions will be April 15 and 17 2:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. and April 16 at 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. in the LLMP. The application and audition sign up deadline is April 12. For more information, call 742-3828.



CO-REC INTERTUBE Water Polo champions, CHI, pose in the water after their victory Sunday at the Texas Tech Aquatic Center. Members of the team are Richard Bright, Timothy Kirby, Russel Prichard, Scott Shavrien, Philip Yarborough, Michelle Ball, Kristen Eyer, Katie Osterhaus and Sara Shirazi.

SCHEDULE

•Friday- 12:10 p.m. Step Express, 5:30 p.m. Cardio Step and Abs & Back, 5:30 p.m. Shape & Tone

•Saturday- 3 p.m. Step'n Sculpt

•Monday- 12:10 p.m. Step Express, 4:30 p.m. Step Express, 5:30 p.m. Water Fitness, 5:30 p.m. Cardio Step and Abs & Back, 8 p.m. Rock Bottoms

•All specialty classes will continue except Boxing Techniques on Sunday.

NEED INFORMATION! CALL 742-4832

