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# Students, faculty organize diversity walk

By Michael Castellon/Staff Reporter

Texas Tech students and faculty will take part in a March for Diversity at 10:30 a.m. today at the School of Law in an effort to promote diversity and speak out against alleged discrimination at the university.

Kara Altenbaumer, a third-year law student from Sulfur Springs, said the march will serve as a message to university administrators.

"This is to say you can't get away with discrimination against a single professor or member of this university," she said. "The main thing we want to point out here is this is not about quotas, this is not about affirmative ac-

tion, this is about making sure women and professor's claims of gender-based discriminaminorities have a fair chance at this univer- tion against the university.

Walk For

Diversity

sity. The goal is to make sure everyone qualified gets a fair shake."

Altenbaumer said she helped organize the event in conjunction with other students to form the Silver Ribbon Committee.

The committee, which distributes silver ribbons and fliers to question the university's

weeks ago in part as a response to a Tech law leadership come out and say something," she

In a formal federal complaint of discrimination, Tech law professor and former associate dean of law Daisy Floyd cites system-wide discrimination against women and other

hopes the walk will send a message

"We'd like to see anyone

commitment to diversity, was formed several who has a problem with this administration's

Schmidly and the rest of the administrators know that we are not going to take this lying

However, Schmidly said his record of administrative appointments champions diversity and has not seen evidence of discrimination at the university.

"I can tell you I don't get a substantial num-Altenbaumer said she ber of complaints raised that there's a discriminatory environment on this campus," he said.

The committee began researching data on faculty demographics and was disturbed by the findings, Altenbaumer said.

"What we found was of 1,188 faculty mem-

said. "We hope (Tech) President (David) bers at this university, there are 21 blacks and 46 Hispanics," she said. "Seventy-Five percent of all faculty are male. It's silly to think 75 percent of all applicants are male.'

> The statistics obtained by the committee was provided by 2001 data from the Department of Institutional Research and Manage-

Altenbaumer said administrative appointments at the university also represent dismal

"The fact that there are 12 deans on this campus and all are white is appalling," she said.

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### Local parties vie for opening seat

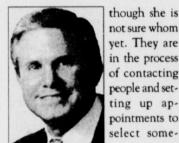
By Heidi Toth/Staff Reporter

U.S. Rep. Larry Combest's surprise resignation leaves his seat up for grabs, and the Democrats, Republicans and Libertarians all want

Dan Isett, the Republican Party chairman for Lubbock County, said the party will be working hard to retain Combest's congressional seat. There are several possible Republican candidates he is aware of, but he is not sure who will run or when it will be decided.

District 19 is solidly Republican, and with hard work Isett said he expects to elect another one to fill the

Irma Guerrero, the Democratic Party chairwoman for the county, said the party will definitely run someone for Combest's seat, al-



yet. They are in the process of contacting people and setting up appointments to select some-

"I feel good about it," she said of the possibility of a Democrat being elected. "The people I'm thinking of are very popular in Lubbock. Lubbock knows

The Lubbock County Libertarian Party sent out a news release Thursday saying there will be a Libertarian candidate on the ballot for this election. The state party chairman,

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# Awakening



HEATHER DOUGHERTY/Staff Photographer

STUDENTS SIGN TO pledge Wednesday in the Student Union that they will not drive drowsy. To add awareness, students, administration and faculty gave their personal experiences of fellow students who were fatally injured because of drowsy driving.

#### Iraq accepts new . resolu By Edith Lederer/ But the letter was laced with anti-

Associated Press

UNITED NATIONS - Saddam Hussein's government agreed to a tough U.N. resolution on weapons day. inspections Wednesday, declaring it wants to save the Iraqi people from war. But the harsh tone of Iraq's acceptance letter raised questions about how it would treat the arms inspec-

new terms, President Bush warned he to U.N. Secretary-General Kofi had "zero tolerance" for any Iraqi at- Annan, which included warnings tempts to hide weapons of mass destruction and said a coalition of nations is ready to force Saddam to dis-

In a nine-page letter arriving two days ahead of a deadline, Iraq said it wants to prove to the world that it has no weapons of mass destruction.

American and anti-Israeli statements as well as stern warnings for U.N. weapons inspectors, whose advance team is to arrive in Baghdad on Mon-

In contrast, Iraq's U.N. ambassador, Mohammed Al-Douri, said his government had chosen "the path of peace" and its acceptance had "no conditions, no reservations."

Still, the strident tone of Iraqi Although Iraq agreed to stringent Foreign Minister Naji Sabri's letter about how Baghdad expects inspectors to behave, raised concern about Iraq's plans to cooperate with the

> After meeting with Bush in Washington, Annan said he would

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#### Tech administrator, faculty speak on behalf of Drowsy Driving Week

The last event of Drowsy Driving Week took place Wednesday at the Student Union Courtyard, where Texas Tech President David Schmidly helped wrap up the week with a speech.

"I doubt I'll speak at any event as important as this all year," Schmidly

driving accidents in the past two years. "They lost their lives before hav-

ing a chance to live their lives," Schimdly said.

Schmidly promised those present that he would personally ask every student he sees throughout campus before the Thanksgiving break to not drive drowsy.

"I want all of you to do the same," Monday night was a memorial at he requested of the students. "I want

By Angela Timmons/Staff Reporter students who lost their lives in drowsy low students, those of you that are from the wheel."

Schmidly also set a goal for Tech, which is to not lose one single student this year.

Schmidly said he was most worried about his own children when they were freshly out of school from taking exams and driving home for the holidays, exhausted.

"I remember the all-nighters and the stress of the exams, and going Greek Circle in honor of five Tech to thank you for caring about your fel-home exhausted," he said. "Get away

Jo Henderson, health education coordinator for Student Health Services, said college students are among one of the high-risk groups when it comes to drowsy driving accidents.

"Think about it — you're going 60 miles per hour and you close your eyes," she said. "In that time, you travel 88 feet."

Henderson encouraged students to

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ISAAC ALBARADO, CENTER, a senior political science and English major from Ballinger, opens the Student Regent Task Force committee meeting Wednesday evening in the Merket Alumni Center.

AGUILAR/Staff

Photographer



### Task force takes campaign statewide

By Angela Timmons/Staff Reporter

The Student Regent Task Force met Wednesday night to discuss statewide plans to lobby for the appointment of students to the Board of Regents.

Although the Governor appoints members of the Board to every state school in Texas, the task force has undertaken a statewide campaign citing a lack of voting student Regents equates taxation without representation.

One student from each public university system in the state would be appointed to their respective Board if all goes as planned, Task Force Chairman Isaac

The University of Texas has been attempting to appoint a student to their Board of Regents for the past 30 years without luck, Albarado said.

"UT is still going alone on this," Albarado said. "They're issue is, if everything goes well for them, then they'll help everyone else out."

Albarado said much of UT's student government legislation is already done in terms of the possible appointment. Albarado speculated UT might join Tech's statewide push if they are successful in placing a student regent to their Board this year.

"Once we get other public schools on board, they'll (UT) probably jump on," Albarado said. "Tech will do its own thing,

and pull everyone else in."

The Task Force proposed a three-term limit for student regent members.

"We will decide something statewide for this as well," Albarado said. Task force member Elizabeth Canon said

the student regents will gain more respect for that position with more time on the The task force also decided upon crite-

ria for applicants: 3.0 grade point average, 60 undergraduate hours, or for transfer students, two full-time semesters at Tech. The task force discussed the Health Sci-

ences Center Student Government's wishes

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TECH CELEBRATES **TOLERANCE DAY** WITH SPEAKERS



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#### Lawyers could forfeit Two more arrested U.S., India agree to \$3.3 billion to state for charity defraud boost technology trade

AUSTIN (AP) - Former Attorney General Dan Morales told the state's newly elected Republican leadwage the state's tobacco lawsuit could be forced to forfeit up to \$3.3 billion in legal fees.

That would help the state cope with its impending budget deficit, estimated to be at least \$5 billion, Morales wrote in a letter to Attorney General-elect Greg Abbott.

"It is my clear sense that the Legislature, facing the prospect of a multibillion dollar deficit, would look with great favor upon any and all efforts which may substantially improve the state's fiscal situation," Morales wrote

A copy of the letter was obtained Wednesday by The Associated Press.

Morales wrote that "certain outside counsel" may have breached their fiduciary duty to the state and that a recent Texas Supreme Court ruling allows for forfeiture of attorneys fees in such cases.

The legal fees for the five private lawyers in the state's tobacco litigation totals \$3.3 billion.

Morales does not specify what any of the five private lawyers may have done to breach their duty to the state during the tobacco litigation in the 1990s. Morales wrote that he would provide a sworn statement that could form the basis for a legal claim by the state.

Michael Tigar, an attorney representing the five lawyers, disputed Morales' statements. If Texas were to pursue Morales' suggested course of action it could jeopardize the \$17.3 billion tobacco settlement, he said.

Big tobacco companies are paying the attorneys' fees to the private lawyers over time. Under legal agreements, additional money paid to Texas would trigger more payments to other states, Tigar said.

### NEW YORK (AP) - A lawyer

and a hospital morgue manager were among 26 people arrested Wednesday ers that private lawyers he hired to on charges of stealing a total \$508,000 from Sept. 11-related charities.

> The charges bring to more than 200 the number of people arrested for allegedly defrauding agencies trying to help victims of the terrorist attacks, District Attorney Robert Morgenthau

The latest charges, including grand larceny, carry maximum prison terms that range from four years to 15 years.

The lawyer who was arrested, Matthew Weissman, 46, and his girlfriend, Evelyn Wellens, 42, both of Edgewater, N.I., were accused of stealing \$78,000 from several agencies, Morgenthau said.

Morgenthau said Wellens, who works in a New Jersey real estate office, applied for emergency funds, claiming that she had lost her job in Weissman's lower Manhattan law office near the World Trade Center and was being evicted from her home.

Weissman gave Wellens a bogus job verification letter and a false eviction notice, and she got \$130,000. Weissman also applied for assistance and received \$8,000, Morgenthau

Weissman's lawyer, Michael Hardy, said, "A very serious mistake has been made. There has been no criminal conduct."

Velazquez, 55, was accused of stealing coffins and reselling them.

Nine people were arrested for allegedly using bogus employment verification letters to collect assistance, technology to about 200 Indian comalong with business owners who wrote

The defendants were awaiting arraignment Wednesday evening.

There were no listed telephone numbers for Wellens or Velazquez.

NEW DELHI, India (AP) - The United States and India agreed Wednesday to increase trade of hightech goods including nuclear and military equipment, a senior U.S. official

The agreement comes after months of improved trade ties between the two countries since the Sept. 11 attacks. After the attacks, President Bush withdrew sanctions on India and Pakistan to help the U.S. war on terrorism.

After two days of meetings with Indian officials, Under Secretary of Commerce Kenneth I. Juster said increased high-technology trade would reflect their closer ties and common strategic interest.

India and the United States also agreed to create the India-U.S. High Technology Cooperation Group, which will identify ways to increase trade in dual-use goods and technologies. It is first scheduled to meet early

'We discussed cooperative steps in the civilian space and nuclear sectors. We are takings steps to ease legal and obligatory regulations on high technology trade in these areas," Juster said.

After India, and then Pakistan, conducted nuclear weapons tests in 1998, the United States suspended military contacts and banned all sales of dualpurpose equipment and technology.

Under President Bush's order last The morgue manager, Felix year, the export policy reverted to previous rules that demand exports be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

The 1998 sanctions banned the United States from providing dual-use panies and government entities.

That number dropped sharply after Sept. 11, and Juster told journalists Wednesday that most of the remaining companies had been taken off

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#### SPLASH LANDING



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CANADIAN GEESE RETURNING to the Lubbock area for winter, land at the pond in Mackenzie state Park.

### Morris puts smoking booklet in newspapers

bacco giant Philip Morris this week is putting 17-page booklets with its positions on smoking risks and will reach 16 million readers.

The company said the campaign in The Washington Post, The New York Times, USA Today and other papers is a way to encourage people to visit its recently redesigned Internet site to learn more about tobacco's health risks, discouraging teen smoking and other

elected lawmakers to Philip Morris' side in some lingering controversies, including Food and Drug Adminispolicies into U.S. newspapers that tration regulation of tobacco. Philip Morris has long said it supports certain FDA regulation; health groups argue the company's proposals are too weak to protect the public.

"We have a new Congress, new elected officials around the country, and they intend to push an aggressive agenda," said Matthew Myers of the Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids, noting that Philip Morris is a major Anti-smoking advocates called player in Washington. The company amount."

WASHINGTON (AP) - To- the move an effort to sway newly contributed \$3.1 million to federal candidates and the political parties for the 2002 elections. by virtue of millions in campaign donations.

> By discussing FDA legislation and tobacco risks, the company is "trying to make it socially acceptable to be on their side ... even while their core marketing practices haven't changed," Myers said.

Philip Morris Vice President Ellen Merlo said the ad campaign had no connection to the election. She would say only that the campaign cost "a substantial



Registration for spring

semester Freshmen with last names Wb-Fe register today, last names Ff-Mh register Friday and

last names Mi-Wa register Monday. The Spirit of Sharing program

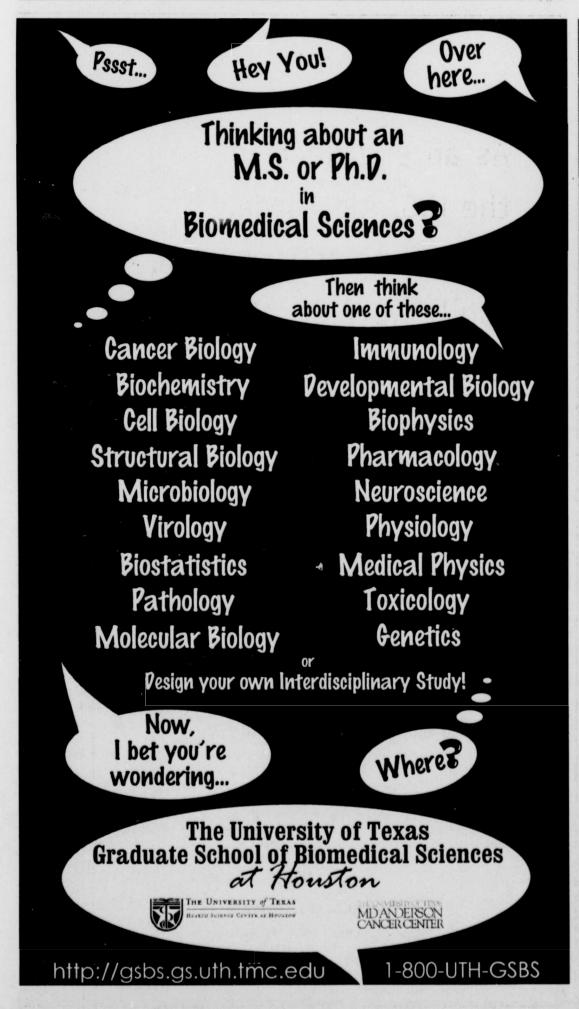
to assist Lubbock area families in need during the holidays has begun. For ways to donate and volunteer opportunities, visit or contact the Center for Campus Life in 228 Student Union or (806) 742-3621. The program ends Dec. 12.

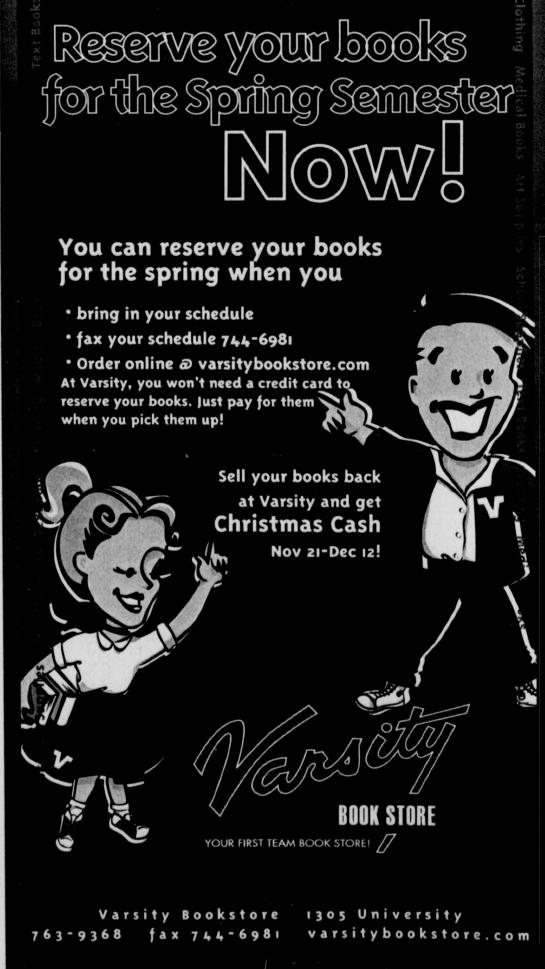
Raider Gate Schedule: Gates will open at 10:30 a.m. This week's band plays at 11:30 a.m. The gate to the student section of Jones SBC Stadium will open at 12:30 p.m. for the game. Kickoff is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. For more information on Raider

Gate, call the SGA office at (806) 742-

Rowdy Raiders coming soon: Students who think they have what it takes to be a dedicated and rowdy fan can apply to be part of a new student organization.

Rowdy Raiders are looking for students who are outgoing, energetic and willing to show Tech spirit. Thirty members will be selected, and the spirit group will have special seating at home basketball games. For more information pick up an application in 230 Student





### Senate discusses ombudsman, Athletics Dept.

By Michael Castellon/Staff Reporter

The Texas Tech Faculty Senate met Wednesday afternoon to discuss the progress of the university's implementation of a faculty ombudsman and to examine the current state of student-athlete programs.

Faculty Senate President Shane Blum said there has been a positive response to the Senate's solicitation of candidates for the position of faculty ombudsman.

"As I understand it, we're still working out ideas of authority," Blum said. "But the salary will probably be in the \$80,000 to \$90,000 range for a 12-month appoint-

Blum said he is working with Tech Provost William Marcy to finalize a job description and to define a level of authority for the position.

Marcy said he hopes to continue to gather input from the Senate as how to formulate the position and to whom the ombudsman will report to.

"That's the unique character of the om-

to finish the election.

input."

The nature of his race also made it more normal that he waited, Cochran said. Combest had only one Libertarian opponent, and he has been in office for several years and is well known, so his campaign required very little effort to win the seat with ease.

ministration disputes.

budsman," Marcy said. "They're not with

the administration, but they're empow-

ered to give advice to the administration,

and they're also able to call on the admin-

issue to determine what type of candidates

tion of independence and authority to

make independent reports to the president

and the provost and others," Marcy said.

"I'm going to be very open to all kinds of

mediative services in relation to faculty-

to-faculty disputes, faculty-to-administra-

tion disputes and administration-to-ad-

Faculty Athletics Representative Rob-

ert Baker addressed the Senate on

Wednesday afternoon, outlining the state

of the Athletics Department, still reeling

from a series of NCAA violations in re-

"During the 1996-1997 season we were

The faculty ombudsman would offer

should be considered for the position.

Marcy said he is still working on the

"There are a lot of issues like percep-

istration for support."

If it had been a hard-fought race, "I do feel our candidates will have it would be more unusual for Combest to have resigned immediately after,

> State Rep. Carl Isett, R-Lubbock, is one of the possible Republican can-

> He has not committed yet, Isett said. He is still thinking about it and praying about it, as well as discussing with his friends, family and support-

legislative session, Isett said, which will begin in January. His main concern is preparing for the issues the Texas House will deal with.

"I feel the loss of a friend in Washington," Isett said, adding that 50th day from the date of the Combest did good work for the region,

violations," Baker said. "Now we are recognized as a leader in compliance." Baker said while Tech has committed

the leader in the nation for most NCAA

secondary NCAA violations in the past year, the university still serves as a model for its compliance with regulations.

"Secondary violations would include someone from the university calling (recruits) twice a week when they were only supposed to call once, or instances of someone receiving a meal," he said. "I don't know of any university that can avoid secondary violations, but at this stage, we're probably as clean as any other university in the nation."

Baker, who reports immediately to Tech President David Schmidly, said his responsibilities include certifying eligibility of all athletes and reporting all NCAA violations the university may commit.

Tech has fared well in managing its student athlete programs, considering the university ranks 11 in the amount of money spent on student athletes in the Big 12 Conference, Baker said.



CRAIG SWANSON/Staff Photographer

ROBERT BAKER SPEAKS, to Texas Tech's Faculty Senate about maintaining NCAA regulations Wednesday afternoon in the Senate Room of the Student Union building.

#### Seat

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David DeLamar, said several local Libertarians have expressed interest, including Marshall Phillips, the justice of the peace candidate for Precinct 2 in the Nov. 5 election.

significant impact on this election," he said.

Russell King, the Libertarian Party county chairman, expressed dissatisfaction with Combest's timing.

"He really should have done this before the November election, not seven days after," he said in the release.

Clarke Cochran, a professor of political science at Texas Tech, said ers.

Combest's timing was not unethical. "It's not usual, but it's also not unprecedented," he said.

The only factor that could have made Combest's act possibly unethical is when he made the decision to not complete this term.

If he decided two years ago or several months ago it could be considered unethical, Cochran said. However, if he decided after he had already filed his candidacy for the Nov. 5 election it is not abnormal that he chose

Conran said.

didates for the congressional seat.

He is primarily focused on the next

and he was sorry to see him leave.

Susan Weddington, the Republican Party chairwoman for the state, released a statement calling Combest Theoretically, several candidates a tremendous leader and a powerful could run under each party label.

advocate for Texas farmers and

According to state election code, there is no primary election before a special election, so there can be more than one candidate per party.

There is an issue of ballot status; the Libertarian and Green parties' status is in jeopardy after the last election, but DeLamar said party affiliation does not matter in this election and both parties can run candidates.

Shannon Cantrell, the communications director for the Texas Secretary of State, who is in charge of elections, said Gov. Rick Perry will call an election to replace Combest once he has received Combest's formal letter of resignation.

He can either call a special election, which can take place only on specific days, or he can call an emergency election, which can take place any Tuesday or Saturday on or after the 36th day but before the governor's order.

Cantrell said because this election will be open, there is no limit on the number of candidates in the election.

#### Regent

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to place three of its members on the task force. Albarado told the force that the HSC is in its recommendation

"I don't know where they stand,"

Albarado said the task force is willing to comply with the HSC student government and allow them more than one representative on the task force. However, he said he has heard the HSC's Senate may not support placing a member on the task force at all, for reasons unknown to or

task force.

Albarado said HSC students might still apply for appointment to the Board, as they are still part of the university system. From this point, Albarado said, they are going to communicate mainly via e-mail with the other university systems.

"We're going to get suggestions from other schools and put it in bill form," Albarado said. "We're going to on e-mail to review and make additions, deletions or comments."

The student regent task force may be reached by anyone for comments suggestions

him and other members of the present ttu\_studentregenttaskforce@yahoo.com. The task force also has plans for a student forum during Wednesday's SGA Day, during which students may voice questions and concerns.

> The task force needs to schedule meetings with the state legislature to discuss their initiative to place students on the Board, and also need to meet with Tech administration and local officials

The legislature is meeting in Austin draft legislation and send it to them on Jan. 14, Albarado said. The task force and SGA will travel to Austin to lobby the legislators. The task force also is planning to schedule a statewide conference so willing university systems may conat verge to discuss legislation and plans.

#### Walk

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"In no way are these statistics representative of the population of Lubbock, of Texas or of this university."

Katy Merrill, a third-year law student from Austin, said she plans to attend the march.

ing process," she said. "As law stu- diversity at this institution," she said.

dents, we're paying Texas Tech a lot of money to teach us about justice, equality and leadership. The administration needs to be accountable for what they're doing."

Merrill said while the demonstration is in part to show support for Floyd, she hopes members of the Tech community see a larger issue.

"I really think our goal is to pro-"I think this walk is promoting mote this cause and ask the univereducation and should encourage the sity to recognize that this is a huge isuniversity to look closely at their hir, sue and that we're concerned about

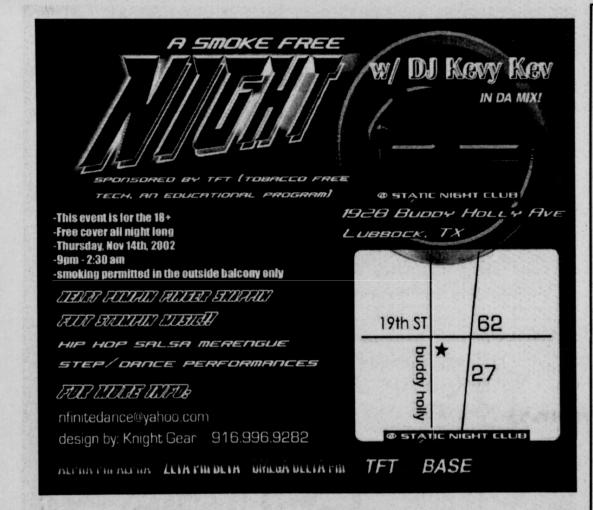
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sleep adequately and drive with someone to keep you awake.

Henderson also said if sleep is needed, then take a 15 to 20 minute power nap so you can drive safer on the road.

"That will buy you another four hours of energy, according to the (AAA)," Henderson said.



The Spirit Committee of the Student Government Association is in the process of recruiting students into a spirit group that is aimed at promoting school spirit at all home basketball games, and promoting good sportsmanship among all Tech fans and visitors.

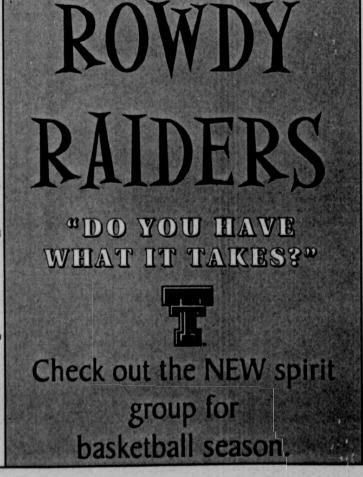
We are currently looking for outgoing. energetic, and Tech loving students who would go beyond the average fan to show their Tech spirit.

This includes all members dressing up for games in funny or outrageous costumes that may include wigs, masks, and or face & body painting.

A selection committee has been formed and will select 30 of the most enthusiastic candidates in the application process, to be a part of this group. Those selected will ave group seating at the home basketball

I you believe you have what it takes to be a "ROWDY RAIDER", please pick up application from the SGA office or download application@www.sga.ttu.edu or call 742-3631.

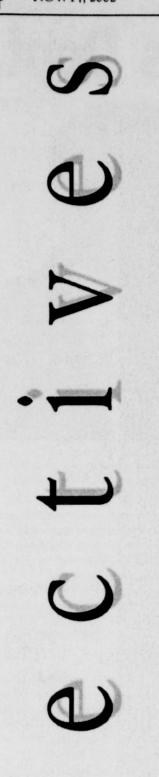
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# Ideology

t's a brave new world out there a brave Republican world and Democrats are still stinging from the slap.

They cannot decide how it happened. Did Bush win the day with a last-minute charm offensive? Did fear of terrorists turn everybody into a xenophobic Republican? Is Karl Rove a political genius? Are the Democrats so clueless that they principles. couldn't lead their way out of a pa-

All these things are true, to some degree. The real key was voter turnout, low voter turnout, where only the most ideologically committed voters showed up. Democrats don't really have an ideology anymore, so naturally, they lost. I was frankly stunned by the results. Elizabeth Dole ran on Social Security reform and won handily in North Carolina, essentially dancing on the third rail of American politics. Mondale blew a sure thing in Minnesota. He should have been able to coast in on a wave of sympathy and support from the old guard, but interviews made him look arrogant, and blowback from the Wellstone funeral sealed his fate.

Jeb Bush faced the full wrath of the Democratic National Committee and emerged victorious in

So now we live in interesting times. How will the Republicans handle this sudden surge of influence? So far, they're doing well. Ari Fleisher is enforcing a strict "no gloating" rule, to try and avoid the mistakes they made in '94.

Republicans took the House back in 1994 and misread the mood of the country. They thought the electorate was leaning to the right when all it really wanted was some new blood. The GOP has majorities in the House and Senate, but they are slim majorities. Expect a record number of Democratic filibusters next year, and look for Republican moderates to cross the line and vote with Democrats on key legislation. Republicans have a chance to change the country, but they cannot afford to get carried away. Majority rule lets them set the agenda, but they cannot just go crazy and pass everything they want. There are too many moderates in the GOP, and there is too much solidarity on the est common denominator, cynically Democratic side. It's easy to stick together when you're in the minority. So how are Democrats coping with the shock? The initial round of recriminations has died down, National Committee) is a focusleading to a sudden change in House leadership.

The Democrats are poised to elect Nancy Pelosi as the House Minority Leader. This indicates a dramatic ideological shift for the Democratic Party. The electorate is full of angry Democrats. They think they lost because they weren't true to their



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They think they lost because they went too far trying to accommodate Bush. They should have opposed the tax cut. They should have opposed the war on Iraq.

Pelosi is a classic California liberal, and she may be the best thing that ever happened to the Republican Party. GOP strategists were crowing about her last week on the front page of The New York Times.

"I want to know where I send the flowers," said Nelson Warfield, a conservative Republican political consultant. "I am ecstatic. She'll be a working poster-board for what's wrong with the Democratic Party. Across the board, she is a plus for Republicans."

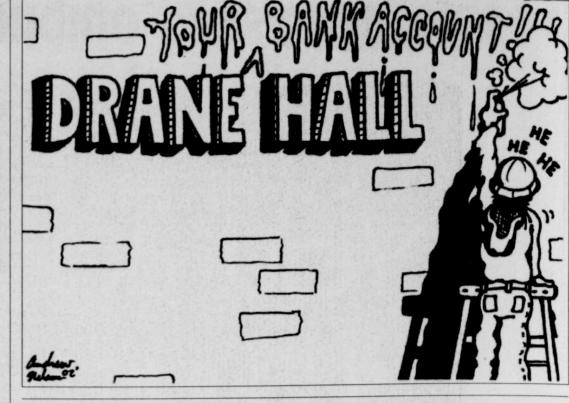
The Republicans have learned something since 1994. Americans are scared of ideology. They're repulsed by it. The electorate is in a very pragmatic mood. Ideologues like Newt Gingrich and Pelosi scare them to death. Anybody with a firm political philosophy is seen as a "dangerous extremist."

Bill Clinton owes his career to this phenomenon. Clinton didn't just run against the Republicans, he ran against the whole concept of ideology. He ran as the ultimate pragmatic politician, consistently putting "the good of the country" above political principle.

To politicians like Pelosi, there is no distinction between principle and policy. She's the Democratic equivalent of Gingrich - an idealistic True Believer, willing to stand up for what she believes in, no matter how it plays at the polls. I'm not a Democrat, but I love principled politics. I love it when people stick their neck out and stand up for what they believe in, even when I think they're wrong. I'm tired of government by focus group. I'm tired of watching politicians who pander to the lowtelling voters what they want to hear.

Congressman Richard Gephardt was a focus-group politician. Terry McAuliffe (head of the Democratic group politician. Focus-group politics leads to mercurial, incoherent policy, as opportunistic politicos shift their positions to comply with the whims of the electorate.

Pelosi's selection marks a significant change in strategy, a welcome dose of authenticity in American



### Battling birth control woes

have begun to notice there is a vast amount of birth-control advertisements lately. They seem to be everywhere, all over the papers and TV.

The increase in advertising has made me wonder if there has been a decrease in the birth rate of our country. I really don't think there is because I have seen articles about how the sexually transmitted disease rate has gone down but nothing about preg-

I am a user of birth control, and I can honestly say an advertisement did not help me decide to use it. I have medical reasons that helped me decide which one to use. I use Depo-Provera, a shot you only have to get every three months; I believe this is the easiest form of birth control. You do not have to remember to take a pill every day at the same time or worry about it coming off or breaking while you use

I will admit, I am not a health care professional, but I am a user, and I figure I can give you a better understanding of it from a personal point of view. This is where guys should stop reading unless you want to learn about this and tell you girlfriend.

There are many things the doctor does not explain to you very well. They never tell you the shot comes with mood swings that at times can scare people away. These mood swings can come at any time; you may be walking down the street feeling happy as ever and then suddenly you are crying for no reason. If this should happen to you, just explain to the people around you that you are on birth control, and everything will be all right.

They also do not tell you, sorry guys, that you can bleed for more than



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If your guy should protest against using birth control, then this is the time to walk away. You should always use a condom of course, to be protected against other things, because a baby is not the only thing you can get.

a year. It is not a heavy flow but just some spotting that can happen constantly. It is the most bothersome thing ever, but you have to deal with it because it has to be better than having a

baby when you do not want one. me to be the most important thing of all, the loss of your sex drive. My mom helped me to choose my birth control, and I believe this is one of the leading factors in her decision.

No one had ever told me this, but smart enough to do it safely.

I began to realize I didn't wanting sex as much as I used to. I decided to read the little pamphlet they give you when you get your shot. There was a long list of side effects, as there is with any birth control, and down near the bottom was the loss of sex drive. It was a vast disappointment to me, but I deal with it. I figure the loss of your sex drive is the best form of birth control there is. If you don't want to, then there is no chance of getting pregnant.

I am not sure the percentage of the effectiveness of all birth controls, but when used correctly, Depo-Provera is 99.7 percent effective. If you are scared of shots, then I would recommend some other form of birth control like the pill, the patch or an IUD. From what I hear, these also work well. It just depends on the person.

They also warn you that when on the shot you must wait a year until you can have kids because apparently that is how long it takes to get out of your system. Now that I have talked about birth control I am going to tell you a little about safe sex.

Girls if you do not want a baby just use birth control. I know it is not 100 percent effective, but it works a lot better than the "pulling out" method. Sorry if this seems a little crass, but never trust a guy to know what's better for you during sex — just think about what they are thinking with.

If your guy should protest against using birth control, then this is the There also is a side effect that is time to walk away. You should always not greatly discussed, and it seems to use a condom of course, to be protected against other things, because a baby is not the only thing that you can get. But that is a whole other column. lust remember that if you think you are smart enough to have sex, then be

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### Tech offers telepharmacy to Turkey patients

Texas Tech Health Sciences Center School of Pharmacy started the first telepharmacy project in the state of Texas. The project is being conducted between the Tech Medical Center Southwest and the town of Turkey said Patti Patterson, vice president of rural and community health at the HSC.

Patterson said the purpose of this project is to provide better health services and benefits to patients in Turkey, who live within a 100-mile prescription to the pharmacist in the patient's first round-trip drive away from a pharmacy. The first prescription filled was Sept. 18.

Pat Carson, mayor of Turkey, said he has had prescriptions filled with the new telepharmacy project. He said it benefited him and his family.

By Jacqueline Marshall/Staff Reporter He said driving to Plainview, where age he used to receive his prescriptions, is a half a day's trip away and this new service is convenient.

> Diane Kretschmer, pharmacist in charge at the Tech Medical Center, scan the bar demonstrated the process of telepharmacy. In the room at the the prescription Tech Medical Center, there is a computer with a video camera and microphone that allows a pharmacist to interact with Turkey's Dr. Sydney Ontai and his patients.

Kretschmer said Ontai will fax a age. If it is a Tech Medical Center. The pharmacist will run screenings of the patient's health history as they would in a regular walk-in situation. The pharmacist will enter the prescription as normal, only the labels will print in Turkey, where the medicine is kept in stor-

Ontai said when he receives the

label, he will scan the pre-packed medication sent from the Tech Medical Center and

code on top of package to ensure the pharmacist and doctor have the correct packtime with a particular medica-

tion, the pharmacist will consult the patient via telepharmacy. "I think the system is really great,"

Ontai said.

Ontai determines what medica-

tion, the pharmacist will pre-

tions are the most common in the

town of Turkey. However, there is a

limited supply, Kretschmer said, and

if a patient needs a special prescrip-

pack medication and send it in the mail. The patient can receive the medication the next day without having to drive to the nearest town with a phar-

Kretschmer said the connection

used for the telepharmacy is highly secure to ensure patient confidenti-

She said for verification that the patient has received the correct medication, a final picture of the prepacked prescription is sent to the Tech Medical Center shown through the computer. The picture will show the bar code and medication with a label. The prescriptions are on sheets

with clear tops instead of bottles, to

make verification easier. Charles Seifert, regional dean of the HSC School of Pharmacy, said the purpose of the project also is to create a teaching component. He said a goal of the School of Pharmacy is to be a demonstration school where other pharmacy schools can come to learn about telepharmacy.

He said Tech is one in three schools that have rural training. He said this program is an incentive for students who are interested in rural pharmacy to come to Tech.

Patricia Llanes, a fourth-year pharmacy student from Knippa, said telepharmacy is an advantage because not all universities offer it.

"The fact that Texas Tech is the first to use telepharmacy; it is great potential for the school," said Llanes.

Llanes said the people who ben-

efit the most are the people in rural "Being from a small town, I can relate to the people in Turkey," Llanes

Llanes said with the technology, it allows pharmacists to help people who are removed from health resources. Telepharmacy allows patients from rural areas to get the faceto-face counseling they need, rather

than from mail orders that do not give

them that option.

#### Resolution

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wait to see whether the letter's language "is an indication that they are going to play games. ... I think the issue is not their acceptance, but per- and British Prime Minister Tony Blair formance on the ground."

Under the resolution, the inspectors have until Dec. 23 to begin their duties. Following the advance team, a small group of inspectors are scheduled to start work Nov. 25, said Ewen Buchanan, spokesman for U.N. chief inspector Hans Blix.

The resolution calls for inspectors to report to the council 60 days after they are officially on the job. But if Iraq fails to cooperate, the resolution orders inspectors to immediately notify the council, which will discuss a

chemical, biological and nuclear programs, according to the terms of the

Al-Douri said his government has nothing to fear from inspections because "Iraq is clean."

In the letter, Sabri accused Bush of fabricating evidence that Iraq possessed or was on its way to producing nuclear weapons - and had already stockpiled biological and chemical

"The lies and manipulations of the American administration and British government will be exposed," Sabri said.

He also warned that Iraq plans to closely monitor the inspectors while they are in the country. In 1998, Baghdad accused inspectors of spying for the United States and Israel.

Under Security Council resolutions adopted after Iraq's 1990 inva-

certify that Iraq's nuclear, chemical and biological weapons programs have been eliminated along with the longrange missiles to deliver them. Only then can sanctions against Iraq be

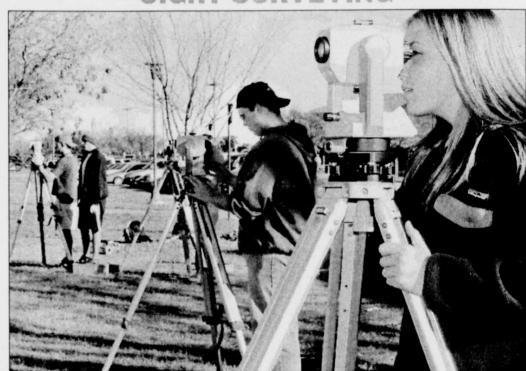
Irag's acceptance culminates a two-month campaign that began with Bush's Sept. 12 speech to the U.N. General Assembly challenging world leaders to deal with Iraq's failure to comply with the international demands to disarm.

On Tuesday, Iraq's parliament rejected the resolution, but it has no power and Annan and others said they would wait for the official government

Bush declined to discuss the letter, though he thanked the U.N. Security Council for unanimously adopting the U.S.-backed resolution last Friday.

White House spokesman Scott By Dec. 8, Iraq must declare all its sion of Kuwait, U.N. inspectors must McClellan said the test of Iraq's compliance would come in Baghdad's ac-

> 'We've heard this before from Saddam Hussein and the Iraqi regime," he said. "The U.N. resolution is binding on Iraq, and the Iraqi regime. Saddam Hussein had no choice but to accept the resolution."



JILL BUSBY, A sophomore landscape architecture major from Greenville, and other members of an engineering surveying class practice for their lab final exam using surveying instruments called Theodolites and Total Stations, behind the Civil Engineering building Tuesday afternoon.

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This product is intended to prevent pregnancy. It does not protect against HIV infection (AIDS) and other sexually transmitted diseases. What is DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

What is DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection is a form of birth control that is given as an intramuscular injection (a shot) in the buttock or upper arm once every 3 months (13 weeks). To continue your contraceptive protection, you must return for your next injection promptly at the end of 3 months (13 weeks). DEPO-PROVERA contains medroxyprogesterone acetate, a chemical similar to (but not the same as) the natural hormone progesterone, which is produced by your ovaries during the second half of your menstrual cycle. DEPO-PROVERA acts by preventing your egg cells from ripening. If an egg is not released from the ovaries during your menstrual cycle, it cannot become fertilized by sperm and result in pregnancy, DEPO-PROVERA acts by also causes changes in the lining of your uterus that make it less likely for pregnancy to occur. How effective is DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

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The efficacy of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection depends on following the recommended dosage schedule exactly (see "How often do I get my shot of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?"). To make sure you are not pregnant when you first get DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection, your first injection must be given ONLY during the first 5 days of a normal menstrual period. ONLY within the first 5 days after childbirth if not breast-feeding and, if exclusively breast-feeding. ONLY at the sixth week after childbirth. It is a long-term injectable contraceptive when administered at 3-month (13-week) intervals. DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive injection is over 99% effective, making it one of the most reliable methods of birth control available. This means that the average annual pregnancy rate is less than one for every 100 women who use DEPO-PROVERA. The effectiveness of most contraceptive methods depends in part on how reliably each woman uses the method. The effectiveness of DEPO-PROVERA depends only on the patient returning every 3 months (13 weeks) for her next injection. Your health-care provider will help you compare DEPO-PROVERA with other contraceptive methods and give you the information you need in order to decide which contraceptive method is the right choice for you.

The following table shows the percent of women who got pregnant while using different kinds of contraceptive methods. It gives both the lowest expected rate of pregnancy (the rate expected in women who use each method exactly as it should be used) and the typical rate of pregnancy (which includes women who became pregnant because they forgot to use their birth control or because they did not follow the directions exactly).

| Method                      | Lowest<br>Expected | Typical |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|---------|
| DEPO-PROVERA                | 0.3                | 0.3     |
| Implants (Norplant)         | 0.2*               | 0.2*    |
| Female stenlization         | 0.2                | 0.4     |
| Male sterilization          | 0.1                | 0.15    |
| Oral contraceptive (pill)   |                    | 3       |
| Combined                    | 0.1                |         |
| Progestogen only            | 0.5                |         |
| IUD                         |                    | 3       |
| Progestasert                | 2.0                |         |
| Copper T 380A               | 0.8                |         |
| Condom (without spermicide) | 2                  | 12      |
| Diaphragm (with spermicide) | 6                  | 18      |
| Cervical cap                | 6                  | 18      |
| Withdrawal                  | 4                  | 18      |
| Periodic abstinence         | 1-9                | 20      |
| Spermicide alone            | 3                  | 21      |
| Vaginal Sponge              |                    |         |
| used before childbirth      | 6                  | 18      |
| used after childbirth       | 9                  | 28      |
| No mathead                  | QE.                | 95      |

\*From Norplant package insert.

Who should not use DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

Not all women should use DEPO-PROVERA. You should not use DEPO-PROVERA if you have any of the following conditions:

If you think you might be pregnant

If you have any vaginal bleeding without a known reason

if you have had cancer of the breast
if you have had a stroke
if you have or have had blood clots (phlebitis) in your legs
if you have problems with your liver or liver disease
if you are allergic to DEPO-PROVERA (medroxyprogesterone acetate or any of its other ingredients).

other things should I consider before using DEPO-PROVERA aceptive Injection?

Contraceptive Injection?

You will have a physical examination before your doctor prescribes DEPO-PROVERA. It is important to tell your health-care provider if you have any of the following:

a family history of breast cancer

a nahoromal mammogram (breast x-ray), fibrocystic breast disease, breast nodules or lumps, or bleeding from your nipples

kidney disease

irregular or scartly menstrual periods

high blood pressure

migraine headaches

asthma

e pilepsy (convulsions or seizurge)

What if I want to become pregnant after using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

Because DEPO-PROVERA is a long-acting birth control method, it takes some time after your last injection for its effect to wear off. Based on the results from a large study done in the United States, for women who stop using DEPO-PROVERA in order to become pregnant, it is expected that about half of those who become pregnant will do so in about 10 months after their last injection; about two thirds of those who become pregnant will do so in about 12 months, about 83% of those who become pregnant will do so in about 15 months; and about 93% of those who become pregnant will do so in about 18 months after their last injection. The length of time you use DEPO-PROVERA has no effect on how long it takes you to become pregnant after you stop using it. What are the risks of using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

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What are the risks of using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

I Irregular Menstrual Bleeding
The side effect reported most frequently by women who use DEPO-PROVERA for contraception is a change in their normal menstrual cycle. During the first year of using DEPO-PROVERA, you might have one or more of the following changes: irregular or unpredictable bleeding or spotting, an increase or decrease in menstrual bleeding, or no bleeding at all. Unusually heavy or continuous bleeding however, is not a usual effect of DEPO-PROVERA, and if this happens, you should see your health-care provider right away. With continued use of DEPO-PROVERA bleeding usually decreases, and many women studied reported no menstrual bleeding (amenormea) after I year of use, and 68% of the women studied reported no menstrual bleeding after 2 years of use. The reason that your periods stop is because DEPO-PROVERA causes a resting state in your ovanes. When your ovanes do not release an egg monthly, the regular monthly growth of the lining of your uterus does not occur and, therefore, the bleeding that comes with your normal menstruation does not take place. When you stop using DEPO-PROVERA your menstrual period will usually, in time, return to its normal cycle.

2 Bone Mineral Changes

DEPU-PROVERN your measure, person and 28 and Mercrasse in the amount of mineral stored in Use of DEPO-PROVERA may be associated with a docrease in the amount of mineral stored in your bones. This could increase your risk of developing bone fractures. The rate of bone mineral loss is greatest in the early years of DEPO-PROVERA use, but after that, it begins to resemble the normal rate of age-related bone mineral loss.

3.Grixer
Studies of women who have used different forms of contraception found that women who used DEPO-PROVERA for contraception had no increased overall risk of developing cancer of the breast, owar, uterus, cervix, or liver. However, women under 35 years of age whose first exposure to DEPO-PROVERA was within the previous 4 to 5 years may have a slightly increased risk of developing breast cancer similar to that seen with oral contraceptives. You should discuss this with your health-care provider.

4.Unexpected Presnotor
Because DEPO-PROVERA is such an effective contraceptive method, the risk of accidental pregnancy for women who get their shots regularly (every 3 months [13 weeks]) is very low. While there have been reports of an increased risk of low birth weight and neonatal infant death or other health problems in infants conceived close to the time of injection, such pregnancies are uncommon. If you think you may have become pregnant while using DEPO-PROVERA for contraception, see your health-care provider as soon as possible.

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5.OF women using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection have reported severe and potentially life-threatening allergic reactions known as anaphylaxis and anaphylactoid reactions. Symptoms include the sudden onset of hives or swelling and itching of the skin, breathing difficulties, and a drop in blood pressure.

6.0ther Risks
Women who use hormone-based contraceptives may have an increased risk of blood clots or stroke. Also, if a contraceptive method falls, there is a possibility that the fertilized egg will begin to develop outside of the uterus (ectopic pregnancy). While these events are rare, you should tell your health-care provider if you have any of the problems listed in the next section.

What symptoms may signal problems while using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
Call your health-care provider immediately if any of these problems occur following an injection of DEPO-PROVERA:

sharp chest pain, coughing up of blood, or sudden shortness of breath (indicating a possible clot

in the lung)

sudden severe headache or vomiting dizziness or fainting, problems with your eyesight or speech, weakness, or numbness in an arm or leg (indicating a possible stroke)

severe pain or swelling in the calf (indicating a possible clot in the leg)

unusually heavy vaginal bleeding

severe pain or tenderness in the lower abdominal area

persistent pain, pus, or bleeding at the injection site

What are the possible side effects of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

• persistent pain, pus, or bleeding at the injection site What are the possible side effects of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection? I Weight Gain You may experience a weight gain while you are using DEPO-PROVERA. About two thirds of the women who used DEPO-PROVERA in clinical trials reported a weight gain of about 5 pounds during the first year of use. You may continue to gain weight after the first year. Women in one large study who used DEPO-PROVERA for 2 years gained an average total of 81, pounds over those 2 years, or approximately 4 pounds per year. Women who continued for 4 years gained an average total of 13.8 pounds over those 2 years, or approximately 2.75 pounds over those 6 years, or approximately 2.75 pounds per year.
2 Other Side Effects
In a clinical study of over 3.900 women who used DEPO-PROVERA for up to 7 years, some women reported the following effects that may or may not have been related to their use of DEPO-PROVERA: irregular menstrual bleeding, amenorrhea, headache, nervousness, abdominal cramps, dizziness, weakness or fatigue, decreased sexual desire, leg cramps, nausea, vaginal discharge or irritation, breast swelling and tenderness, bloating, swelling of the hands or feet, backache, depresson, insomnia, acne, pelvic pain, no hair growth or excessive hair loss, rash, to flashes, and joint pain. Other problems were reported by very few of the women in the clinical trials, but some of these could be serious. These include convulsions, jaundice, uninary trains intentions, allergic reactions, fainting, paralysis, osteoporosis, lack of return to fertility deep vein thromboots, pulmonary embolus breast cancer or cervical cancer. If these or any orther problems occur during your use of DEPO-PROVERA discuss them with your health-care provider.
Should any precautions be followed during use of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
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Contraceptive injection?

// Missed Periods

During the time you are using DEPO-PROVERA for contraception, you may skip a period, or your periods may stop completely. If you have been receiving your DEPO-PROVERA injections regularly every 3 months (13 weeks), then you are probably not pregnant. However, if you think that you may be pregnant, see your health-care provider.

2.Lobordory Test interoctions

If you are scheduled for any laboratory tests, tell your health-care provider that you are using DEPO-PROVERA for contraception. Certain blood tests are affected by hormones such as DEPO-PROVERA.

effectiveness of DEPO-PROVERA if the two drugs are given during the same time.

4 Nursing Mothers
Although DEPO-PROVERA can be passed to the nursing infant in the breast milk, no harmful effects have been found in these children. DEPO-PROVERA does not prevent the breasts from producing milk, so it can be used by nursing mothers. However, to minimize the amount of DEPO-PROVERA that is passed to the infant in the first weeks after birth, you should wait until 6 weeks after childbirth before you start using DEPO-PROVERA for contraceptive Injection?

How often do I get my shot of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?

The recommended dose of DEPO-PROVERA is Din geyery 3 months (13 weeks) given in a single intramuscular injection in the buttock or upper arm. To make sure that you are not pregnant at the time of the first injection it is essential that the injection be given ONLY during the first 5 days of a normal menstrual period. If used following the delivery of a child, the first injection of DEPO-PROVERA HUST be given within 5 days after childbirth if you are not breast-feeding or 6 weeks after childbirth if you are exclusively breast-feeding. If you wait longer than 3 months (13 weeks) between injections, or longer than 6 weeks after delivery, your health-care provider should determine that you are not pregnant before giving you your injection of DEPO-PROVERA.

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## Aguilera's album stripped down and dirty

v original intention in reviewing Christina Aguilera's new CD was to totally make fun of it, in a music-snob kind of way, just to get a few laughs. But that would be too easy and way too predictable. So I decided I would do the opposite instead.

After giving each polarity its due consideration, I decided I should just listen to the album and give it a honest straightforward review.

I started listening to the CD late Sunday night as I was going to bed. I got through the first seven tracks, and lent of sitting there smiling, being easy I am sorry to say - they are pretty bad. The second track, "Can't Hold Us Down" (featuring Lil' Kim) was an introduction as to what I was to expect.

The song actually pissed me off quite a lot. It is a classic female-pop tipof-the-hat to sexual equality. That's all fine and great, but the hypocrisy is just a little too much for me to swallow. Aguilera sings, "So - what am I not s'pposed to have an opinion / should I keep quiet because I'm a woman / call me a bitch cause I speak my mind/guess it's easier for you to swallow if I sat and smiled." OK, if anyone else was singing these lyrics I wouldn't say a word. But Christina Aguilera? Come on!

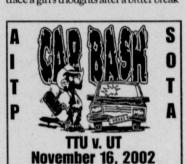
I realize what she is singing about has nothing to do with women being objectified. However, don't you think being half naked on the cover and calling your album, Stripped, is the equivaCD REVIEW

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to swallow and doing exactly what women have come to be expected to do in pop music?

However, there are some hopeful tracks on the first half of the album. Tracks three and four are not terrible. The songs, "Walk Away" and "Fighter," trace a girl's thoughts after a bitter break



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up with her boyfriend. The only rea- what I heard. The best track on the son they are OK is because of the way the songs work together to show the shift in the girl's thinking as she moves by Alicia Keys. from believing it was her fault, to realizing the guy is to blame.

The song writing on the other hand words and rhymes in the book. From the cringingly bad, "Oh I'm about to break / I can't stand this ache" to the do / my heart has been bruised / so sad but it's true / each beat reminds me of

After waking up the next morning, bum and was a little more receptive of rather than showing off.

whole album is number nine, "Impossible," which is written and composed

This is what Aguilera is best at and should stick to. The song starts off with an upbeat little jazz back beat, and then is very hokey, using all the clichéd love moves into a full-on blues/jazz number. I can actually go so far as to say this song is pretty good.

There is no doubt Aguilera is an exseventh grade poetry of "now what to cellent singer, it's when she goes off on her pretentious shows of skill that she steers wrong. For the most part on this song, Aguilera keeps her vocals minimal, which means when she does go listened to the second half of the al- off, it comes across as real emotion

example of how powerful her voice can be if she keeps it minimal and has decent music behind her. On "Impossible," Keys kept the quality of music where it should be, and on "Beautiful," Aguilera is backed by a nice string section giving her voice a great gospel quality.

"Dirrty" features the ever-present Redman. The song is terrible and plays off of every hip-pop production technique in the book: From the raunchy bass-line stolen straight from No Doubt's "Hella Good," to the Michael Jackson rip-off chorus, to the trendy misspelling of "Dirrty," to the stale collaboration with Redman. This song

Track No. 11, "Beautiful" is another completely sucks. If you like it, it's just because you like the way she sounds like Michael Jackson in the chorus so just listen to Michael Jackson. Aguilera's verses are about as flat as Redman's career, and the only saving grace of the song is that, well there isn't

Bottom line, the CD has a couple of dim glints of light, but for the most part, it is more of the same. It's a shame Aguilera doesn't use her incredible voice for more of what she does on tracks 11 and nine. If you are into pop music, my suggestion to you is to download those tracks and don't give RCA any more money to exploit the female body further.

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### Concert offers country legend, calf fries

Willie Nelson and Canadian Ragweed to perform at annual fund raiser

By Erica Gonzales/Staff Reporter

Country music singer Willie Nelson is coming to the Hub City for an annual fund raising event. He will be part of the country line-up at the 22nd Annual Kalf Fry hosted by Kappa Alpha Order and Phi Delta Theta fraternities.

The event will take place beginning at 8 p.m. on Friday at the Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

Floor seats and the reserved section are sold out. General Admission tickets are available. Tickets are \$20 at Student Union and if tickets do not sell out, they also will be sold at the

Kalf Fry Tshirts and hats are \$15 at the Student to Flood, they taste great. Union and at the event.

Tanner Flood, a senior accounting major from Spring and Kappa attracts many people from surround-

'We usually sell out every year," he

said. "It's the biggest fraternity party

The event is a fund raiser benefiting the Muscular Dystrophy Association, and Flood said the fraternity members hope to raise \$10,000.

"It's a good way to give back to the community," he said.

> The music line-up includes Luke Olson at 8 p.m., Cross-Canadian Ragweed at 9 p.m and country legend Willie Nelson 11:30 p.m.

The main source of revenue for the event is the ever-famous calf fries, which are fried calf

testicles.

"It tastes like chicken," he said. "I encourage everybody to try them."

Flood said the fraternity members Alpha Order president, said the event began getting ready for the event a few weeks ago by preparing 2,700 pounds of calf fries.

He said the calf fries are frozen and



FILE PHOTO/The Univ

WILLIE NELSON PERFORMS at the 2000 Kalf Fry event. He will perform at this year's Kalf Fry along with Cross-Canadian Ragweed and

they fry them at the event.

The fraternity members also have been setting up the stage for the bands and rolled out the carpet at the coli-

"It's really fun to do," he said. "Helping out makes you feel like you are part of the show."

Brant Dawson, a senior business management major from Crockett and Phi Delta Theta Kalf Fry chairman, said

he believes the show will be successful. "I think this is going to be the best show," he said. "We've got a good line-

He said he believes tickets are selling faster this year because of Willie Nelson and Cross-Canadian Ragweed.

"Girls are a big fan of Cross-Canadian, and they are becoming popular among students," Dawson said.

Nelson is touring to promote his own brand of whiskey, Whiskey River,

Brad Ward, a senior finance major from Odessa, said students should expect to enjoy the event.

"Students should come for a good time, good fun and a good show," he

### Surviving members of Grateful Dead on tour again

ROANOKE, Va. (AP) — The last time the Grateful Dead rolled into this sleepy Southern city 15 years ago thousands of merrymakers followed with their tie-dyed shirts and veggie burritos and sunny indifference to pub-

The civic center parking lot became a camp site and the city's new fountain was used as a shower. There were drugs and there was free love. And, of course, there was Jerry Garcia.

Thursday, the four remaining original members will begin again, touring together for the first time since Garcia's death in 1995. But this time will be different in many ways.

The parking lot will be chained shut until a few hours before the concert, and police are beefing up patrols standard precautions, concert officials say, in this post-Sept. 11 world.

The band also shows little resemce to the gang that first entranced a generation 40 years ago.

Phil Lesh, Bob Weir, Bill been played live.

Kreutzman and Mickey Hart are all over 55 now. Each has his own band and they've moved in different artistic directions. Hart continues to produce records like Kodo's new Mondo Head album. Lesh started the Unbroken Chain Foundation, a charity, with

The decision to tour together came gradually, band members say, as each began to play the old tunes. One by one, they realized how much the music had adhered to their souls.

"The muse is telling us what to do," Hart says. "We're not really directing traffic here.

This latest incarnation of the Dead - which plays under the moniker "The Other Ones" — will shuffle about 130 songs during a 14-city tour, thing different. including a number of Dead standards Morning Comes," that have never ferent," Herring said.

"Everybody's grown and expanded their horizons," Lesh says. "It's exhilarating ... this music demands to be played, and differently every time."

To get back into tour shape, The Other Ones met back at the Dead's ful, but police issued 411 citations for California studios for three weeks, singing around a piano at first to remember everyone's part.

"I don't ever remember rehearsing like that, except for in the '60s when and small amounts of other drugs. we'd play all day everyday," Hart says. "My callous is back."

Jimmy Herring, a journeyman who's sat in with the Allman Brothers and Jazz is Dead, was brought in to handle Garcia's guitar part. He said he'll try to stick to how Garcia played, but fans will most likely hear some-

and some from their own bands. sound the way they sounded in 1962, ing director Robyn Schon. "We are They've pulled out several songs from but the equipment they used to make aware that the Grateful Dead have a the early 1960s, such as "Till the recordings back then were totally dif-following that likes to partake in ille-

While the band may have grown rity. But that's the only change."

up, the fans are expected to be as earthy and raucous as ever.

At a warmup concert in August, thousands of Deadheads converged on East Troy, Wis. The crowd was peacedrug violations and seized more than 51 pounds of marijuana, 7,300 doses of LSD, 10 pounds of hallucinogenic mushrooms, a tank of nitrous oxide

In Roanoke, no camping is allowed on the civic center premises, and ticket holders can't enter until three hours before the concert begins. Incense and cigarettes have been banned except in one designated area, as has the sale of any merchandise not officially sanctioned by the band.

"Those are the rules for every con-"It bothers me, too. I wish I could cert now," said civic center marketgal drugs, so we've beefed up our secu-





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# Day of Tolerance brings people together

By Harvey A. Mireles/ Staff Reporter

Though the official International Day of Tolerance is not until Nov. 16, members of the Intercultural Dialog Association will celebrate early with a gathering of Texas Tech students and the Lubbock community at 7 p.m. today in the Student Union Matador Room. The United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization is sponsoring the event.

Ibrahin Somnez, a graduate student studying atmospheric science from Istanbul, Turkey, is the president of the Intercultural Dialog Association at Tech. He said the idea behind the Day of Tolerance is to gather and as- an issue all over the world," he said. sociate with different people of different cultures.

"We need to learn about other people," he said. "The main focus of the panel will be to discuss why we need tolerance, how we can use it in our everyday lives and finding solu-

Somnez said the panel is open to Tech students and Lubbock community.

'We believe that the necessity of tolerance and mutual understanding among members of the community has become an essential issue to address," he said. "It is not only crucial to maintain the harmony in our community but also necessary to and owner of a phostrengthen the bonds in the society."

He said he believes this program will be helpful to promote tolerance among individuals and raise awareness of and demonstrate support for diversity in our society.

"Tolerance is not a local issue, but Each panel speaker will make a presentation for about five minutes. After all the speakers have presented, they will engage in a question and Act.

answer session with the audience.

speakers. The speakers selected range from different occu-

Harvey Madison, a local businessman tography studio, believes his presentation will educate people on the effects of fear and intolerance in the United

"I feel privileged," Madison said.

"I feel this is a worthwhile cause." recent passing of the U.S.A. Patriot

"We used to scare ourselves from to share their views on the issues," secret police would come arrest some-

one and make them disappear," he is in a period of real challenges. He said he has been working for said. "Now, (the government) decided

> executions as they see fit."

Madison said he believes the act's passing centrally legalizes disappearances. 'We used to

free country. It's a

tale of losing free-

doms to become a more secure country," Madison said. "I believe Thomas Jefferson said it best when he said 'Those who are willing He said his main concern is the to sacrifice a little freedom for a little security will lose both and deserve

Professor Gary Bell, Dean of the "The audience will have a chance stories about the Soviet Union, where Honors College and associate professor of history, said the United States ing other cultures in time of tragedy,"

about two weeks looking for the right they could have secret arrests, secret stance," Bell said. "Now it's created a great." trials and secret climate of lack of tolerance."

alienate European allies.

"I plan on making a plea in my speech that we encourage our government to focus on international sensitivity," he said.

Bell said he said the government is intolerant of others' points of view be a proud and in the international community.

"Since George W., the U.S. has become very isolate," he said. "I hope to inform the audience of what's happening. I hope to encourage activism and support for nationalism."

a private practice, is president of the Jewish Congregation in Lubbock. She said she hopes to introduce the Jewish view of tolerance.

she said. "Especially in the post Sept. "The U.S. has taken a unilateral 11, the diversity amongst us is very

Epstein said she believes tolerance He said the nation is doing things to is a minimal concept that people do not respond with violence against other people's beliefs.

"People of diverse religious backgrounds and diverse convictions can learn to tolerate, though we may not agree," she said. "We hope to accept, understand and respect."

The panel discussion will end with a coffee hour, during which those in attendance will have the opportunity to discuss other cultures and "to know each other as people," Somnez said

"We would like many different Anne Epstein, a local physician in cultures represented there," he said. "This will be a good chance to see what other people think and get to know each other.

Traditional Irish music will be per-"This has been a time of recogniz- formed by the band Last Night's Fun to begin the event.

### Curtis on the road in 'Some Like It Hot'

enters center-stage near the end of the the audiences have been so affectionies, one-time estrangement from first act, dapper in a yachting jacket, ate," he says. "I do 18 or 20 minutes daughter Jamie Lee Curtis, plus addicsmiling widely, eyes glittering, still handsome after all these years. And the matinee audience at the Golden Gate theater goes wild.

and Tony Curtis had been the screen their 20s or early 30s, take off for dinidol of the cheering women when they ner dates before the evening perforwere teenagers. And here he was at 77, singing, dancing and cutting up in a musical version of "Some Like It Hot."

Curtis is not playing the role he created in Billy Wilder's 1959 comedy classic, in which he and Jack Lemmon insists on visiting the bus to thank dressed as female musicians to hide from mobsters who had caught them witnessing a gangland massacre. In the musical he's Osgood Fielding III, the ditsy millionaire portrayed by Joe E. Brown in the movie — which tops the American Film Institute's list of alltime funniest films.

"Some Like It Hot" has been touring the United States since June. After the San Francisco run, the company was bound for 20 other cities, ending in Las Vegas in June 2003.

Unlike other movie stars who chafe at playing the same role night after night, Curtis is thriving.

"I'm having a really good time onstage, I'm making a lot of dough, tion to narcotics and alcohol. people love me doing it.'

After the final curtain, backstage at the Golden Gate is bustling with Matinees have always attracted a activity. Stagehands shove the scenmance. Curtis is greeting visitors, including a woman who had played a chorus girl in the movie "Some Like It Hot." She had come to see the show with a busload of seniors, and Tony them for coming.

He returns to his dressing room, compact quarters decorated with snapshots of friends and family and two of his Matisse-like paintings. By the actor's side is his statuesque wife of five years, 32-year-old Jill Ann VanderBerg, whom he then urges to dom of his agent, Lew Wasserman, return to the hotel and nurse a devel-

His bushy hair now silver, Curtis exudes the same boyish fervor that he showed as a young man at Universal Studio. His exuberance is remarkable, considering that his saga includes five marriages and four divorces, a drop

Bernie Schwartz, his name before the studios changed it, learned survival at an early age. A younger brother was killed by a truck when Bernie was 12. preponderance of white and blue hair, ery aside. The actors, most of them in His mother was "very difficult," his father was a Hungarian tailor "who hardly learned any English." So Bernie took to the Bronx streets.

"I was always on the outside," he recalls. "I was always in a foreign neighborhood. Being a Hungarian Jew made it tough for me as a kid. I had to accommodate those stresses."

Universal first cast him in bit parts as a juvenile delinquent. His barechested photos in movie magazines helped build a teen following, and he was elevated to starring in swashbuckling roles. He could have been stuck in action quickies except for the wiswho went on to become head of Uni-

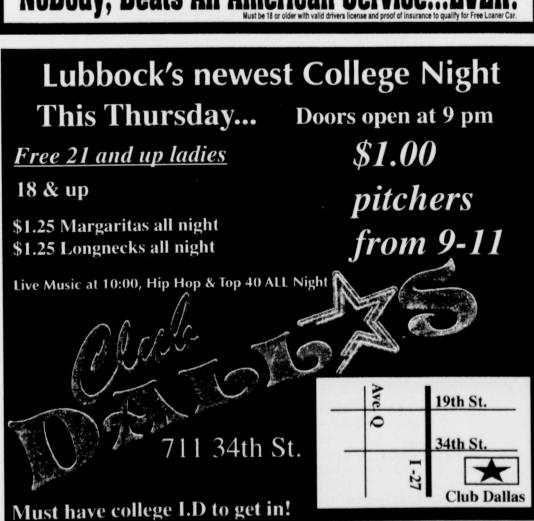
Curtis says that the new production follows the film script more closely. He started preparing late last year, learning techniques from singing and dancing coaches in Las Vegas, where he and Jill live.



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### Two Longhorn stars come home to West Texas

By Kyle Clark/Staff Reporter

Most people in West Texas are not quick to forget their names. They were possibly the two highest profile players to ever leave West Texas, and now they are coming back to the stage where their show began.

Texas receiver Roy Williams and running back Cedric Benson grew up only 20 miles from each other in the West Texas towns of Odessa and Midland. As their careers matured, they both received national fame for their exploits. Williams was a high school All-American in his junior season at Permian High in Odessa, and Benson shattered the 5A career rushing mark during his stint at Midland Lee, which also included three state championship victories.

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in burnt orange, but only a few short liams to Tech after leaving Oklahoma years removed from their move to to become the head coach, but Will-Austin, the two will return to the West Texas area where they began their assault on opposing defenses.

Hill is Tech's career leader in receiving yards and touchdowns, actually talked of growing up as a Red Raider fan and said Lubbock provides a great atmosphere for a game.

"I was a Tech fan my whole life until I got to Texas," Williams said. "My favorite colors growing up were red and black. I remember my brother playing and all the games I went to. It was just a fun environment to watch a game."

Williams had 100 receptions for 2,364 yards and 30 touchdowns in his high school career, while breaking 20 school records at Permian. Tech coach to snag the top recruits and robe them Mike Leach said he tried to bring Wil-

THE Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

iams had his mind made up.

"When I first stepped in the door here, we went to Odessa to visit with Williams, whose brother Lloyd him," Leach said. "By that time though, his heart was set on Texas."

Williams said he is happy that family and friends from Odessa who are not able to come to Austin, will be able to see him play and was excited about being back in Lubbock as well.

"This game will be fun," Williams said. "I'll be close to home and have a lot of family and friends there. There's probably a lot of Texas Tech alumni who remember me from when I was little, and it's just going to be fun to be able to play in front of everyone."

Not only do Tech alumni remember Williams, as there are a few players on this year's Tech squad who faced the receiver in high school.

Tech's Joe Norman, who played at Midland Lee with Benson, played on the defense that faced Williams annually and had much to say about the abilities of the receiver.

"He's just a pure athlete," Norman said. "He can make great catches. He has great speed. We just have to contain him.'

Another former Midland Leee Rebel and current Raider Tim Norman, who is not related to Joe Norman, remembers playing against Williams in high school and had just as much to say of the receiver's abilities.

"There's nothing you can't say about Roy," Tim Norman said. "He finds ways to get open. He finds ways stellar performance. to catch the ball. He's been like that ever since high school.'

As for the other half of the Texas connection, Benson has not been on a field in West Texas since his last playoff game in the region as a member of the Midland Lee Rebels. Benson ended his career at Lee a three-time Texas 5A Offensive Player of the Year with 8,423 career yards and 127 touch-

Benson's coach at Lee, John Parchman, is excited about the game in Lubbock this weekend and said he expects Benson will want to have a ing down tickets, Benson said it makes



TEXAS RUNNING BACK Cedric Benson runs past the Nebraska defense during the Longhorns' win against the Cornhuskers earlier this season in Lincoln, Neb. Benson and the Longhorns face Texas Tech at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Jones SBC Stadium.

him feel good to have people from his

"I know what kind of player Cedric is, and I'm sure he'll want to put on a good show," Parchman said.

Parchman also said many people from Midland have been keeping his

phone busy inquiring about tickets. Benson downplayed the idea of wanting to put on a better show be-

cause he was back near home. "It'll be nice to be back in West Texas and smell that breeze of cowhide and feel that breeze of dust," Benson

said. "It'll be nice to be back home." As for the rabid Midlanders track-

hometown there rooting him on.

Benson will have some other Midlanders in the area, but these likely will not be rooting him on. Four of Tech's current players donned the same maroon and white as Benson in high school and having them back on the same field was enough to bring their former coach Parchman from Midland to root both sides on.

Aside from Joe and Tim Norman, Tech also has former Rebels in offensive lineman Rex Richards and defensive lineman Fred Threweatt.

responsible for Benson's 1998 playoff running tear that totaled 1,200 yards. The lineman said he is excited to see his former teammate but hoped the runner will not get too comfortable.

"I was a good friend of Cedric's," Richards said. "I hope he does well, but not too well. I hope my teammates can get a good shot on him."

Joe Norman remembered the days of practices at Lee where he and Threweatt would go one on one with Benson.

"We haven't played against each other since a scrimmage at Lee," Joe Norman said. "It's going to be a little Richards was one of the men up front reunion from that scrimmage."

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ticing some of these things should ing one game at these sites. result in a punishment suitable to the

Deadly Sins of Sports.

Americans are proud of who they ing world and its culture?

The first deadly sin is The next deadly sin tearing down would be not wearing your important, historical stadicap properly. Hats were made to wear one way. consider doing this. Some sta-Not backwards, not sideways, not cocked at a 45the most impordegree angle. Wear it right. tant thing. His-

tory was made there. People cheered because they loved the team. Fans came to the game because it was what they were supposed to do. Places like Soldiers Field, Lambeau Field, Yankee Stadium, Fenway Park, Wrigley Field, Tiger Stadium, Metropolitan Stadium and Ebbetts Field all come to mind. The unforgivable has already been committed in the case of the last three. These venues are staples in American culture. People have cheered, cried, sweat and bled on the fields of these great structures. Many lives have been changed by attend-

Whoever thinks any of these stadiums should come down should I am talking about the Seven spend an eternity in the fiery depths

are, and even more proud of the How can someone not love this of golf, and they should all be folsports they love so much. Why do so game? It matches two teams against lowed. Before you take up the game, many of them disrespect the sport- each other, fighting for the same goal, find out what it means to fix your ball to score one more run than the other

team. It is the ultimate combination of strategy, strength and opportunity. Baseball is a t r u e strategist's game. There are so many options with every pitch. The tension

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Baseball is not called America's Pastime for no reason. It changed society and helped it get through troubling times. Baseball was there during the Great Depression. Baseball was there during World War II. Baseball was there after Sept. 11. To quote "Field of Dreams, "the greatest baseball movie ever,: "Throughout all of time there has been one constant, Ray, and that has been baseball." Baseball affects society more than any

Third on the list, is not knowing golf etiquette. If you play this wonderful game that is the most stressful way to relieve stress, you volunteer to respect its aura, prestige and class. Sin No. 2 is not liking baseball. There is a long list of unspoken rules mark, let faster groups play through, respecting the course and its property (i.e. the carts). Knowing this will result in more enjoyable golf for yourself and others.

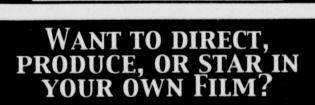
The next deadly sin would be not wearing your cap properly. Hats were made to wear one way. Not backwards, not sideways or not cocked at a 45-degree angle. Wear it right. Also, wearing a new, trendy hat of your favorite team that is an alternate color falls under this category as well. The man who thought it would be a good idea to make red Yankee caps should

The plethora of corporate names on stadiums is an insult as well. That makes corporate sponsorship the fifth deadly sin. What happened to naming stadiums after important people? "Hey, let's go to PacBell Park this weekend? Or Reliant Stadium. How about Tropicana Field?" (Which is a dome) It is present at Texas Tech. The United Spirit Arena is acceptable because it doesn't really sound corporate, but Jones SBC Stadium does. Insertion is not an attractive way to name a stadium.

Sin No. 6 is Bandwagon fans should be done away with. How many St. Louis Rams jerseys and hats flew off the racks when they finally became a respectable team? Half of those people probably thought the Rams still played in Los Angeles. You're not a fan if you cheer for "your" team because they are the flavor of the year.

Last, and most importantly, is the National Anthem. If you don't know the words, don't sing it. Pop stars all too often butcher the National Anthem at sporting events. It is meant to be sung the way it is written. When "singers" take liberties with the Anthem and put their own flare to it, it actually ruins the sacredness of the song. Nick Carter of the Backstreet Boys is a prime example. He added notes in places they should not have been. Plus, the flag waves "o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave" not for!

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### **Red Raiders host Athletes First**

TECH **FORWARD** Kasib Powell gets ready to go back up for the shot after grabbing a rebound during Tech's exhibition win last week at the United Spirit Arena. CRAIG SWANSON/

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Arena.

The game will be televised on the Fox Accuweather Channel (UHF Channel 32).

Tech enters the game coming off of a 92-81 win against the EA Sports All-Stars, who are another traveling

The win was last week, and the Raiders were led by

both teams with 26 points and 11 rebounds, including 19 points and five rebounds after halftime.

Tech forward Kasib Powell and Raider guard Will Chavis added 13 points apiece to complement Emmett on the offensive end. In the win, Tech closed the game on a 17-6 run to clinch the win.

Athletes First is a touring team based out of Oklahoma City. The squad comprised of former Big 12

The Texas Tech basketball team Conference players Joe Adkins will compete in its second and final (OSU), Eric Martin (Oklahoma) and exhibition game of the season when Bryan Sallier (Oklahoma). This seathe Red Raiders host Athletes First at son, the traveling squad is 0-3 after 8:15 p.m. today in the United Spirit losing to Tulsa and Southwest Texas last week.

68 after taking a

one-point lead

into the locker

room at halftime.

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Raiders will have

a week to prepare

for their opening

game of the sea-

Following the

Last season, **GAMEDAY BASKETBALL** Tech defeated WHAT: Texas Tech Red Raiders Athletes First 83-

bition game. WHEN: 8:15 p.m. today

WHERE: The United Spirit Arena LAST YEAR: Tech defeated the Athletes First 83-68 in a exhibition game in Lubbock.

against Athletes First in an exhi-

UP NEXT: Tech opens the regular season against UNC Wilmington on Nov. 22 at the United Spirit Arena.

son, when the wins and losses Tech guard Andre Emmett, who led count. They will face UNC Wilmington at 8:15 p.m. Nov. 22 at the United Spirit Arena. It will be the first of two consecutive home games before they go on the road for the first time this season to face UTEP on Nov. 30 in El Paso.

### Miami assistants suspended

OXFORD, Ohio (AP) - Two Miami University assistant football coaches were suspended Wednesday after one was charged with assaulting a fan and another acknowledged Marshall.

Coach Terry Hoeppner apoloout of control when fans rushed the field following Marshall's last-second, 36-34 win over its Mid-American Conference rival.

Hoeppner took two university police officers with him for extra protection on the field, anticipating a volatile situation.

"It's scary," said Hoeppner, who hadn't slept following the bus ride back from West Virginia. "I had more police protection around me last night, and that shouldn't be necessary. We've lost a little bit of our perspective."

Defensive coordinator Jon Wauford and linebacker's coach Taver Johnson were suspended with pay while the southwest Ohio school investigates.

Wauford was led off the field in handcuffs and charged with battery, a misdemeanor, for allegedly shoving a fan who ran on the field after the game. Johnson acknowledged damaging a coaches' box at damaging the visiting coaches' box, Hoeppner said.

The post-game problems were gized Wednesday, saying things got uncharacteristic for a school that prides itself as the "Cradle of Coaches."

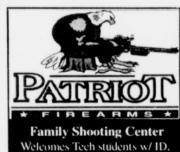
"I don't want to prejudge our investigation of the facts. But I have to tell you, as president, to see one of my coaches led away in handcuffs was one of the most difficult things I've seen since I've been here," school president James Garland said in a phone interview.

"We justify our support of athletics because of the message that it sends about character," Garland said. "These events of yesterday suggest that we've fallen short of our goal."

Interim athletic director Steve Snyder said Miami will pay to repair the coaches' box. A shelf and chairs were damaged, and holes were knocked in the wall, Snyder said.

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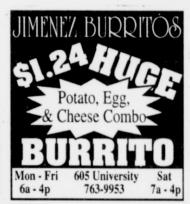
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Status of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center

At approximately 5:00 p.m., or at the conclusion of Executive

board may continue with the Agenda and recess into meet

recess the meeting until Friday, November 15, at 9:00 a.m.

in the Board Room, Second Floor, Room 201, Administration Building, at Akron and Broadway Avenues,

Lubbook, Texas. Friday, November 15, 2002, 9:00 a.m.: First order of business will be Call to Order; Convene into Open

Session of the Board; Introductions and Recognitions

Executive Session: At approximately 9:15 a.m., the board

may convene into Executive Session to continue the

Executive Session agenda described above. At the conclu-

sion of Executive Session, the board will convene into Open

Session for the purpose of recessing into meetings of its

Standing Committees to develop reports to the board

Facilities Committee (TTU-Approve construction of the Park

Regents' Rules: TTU-Approve planning budget for the

Natural Science Research Laboratory Expansion Project

TTUS-Approve exception to Section 08.01.3.d., Regents

Rules; TTUS-Approve exception to Section 08.01.3.d., Regents' Rules; TTUHSC-Approve construction of the

Health Sciences Center Lubbook campus infrastructure

Third Floor Expansion Renovation: TTUHSC-Approve

TTUHSC-Approve budget increase for the El Paso Clinic

amendment to land lease agreement with University Medical

Center: TTUS-Report on deferred renewal; TTUS-Report on

Office of Facilities Planning and Construction projects)

Academic, Clinical and Student Affairs Committee (TTUH

SC-Approve appointment with tenure; TTUHSC-Approve new doctoral degree in Communication Disorders: TTUH-

SC-Approve addition of delivery at a distance for the Master of Science in Nursing program to Texas Tech Hill Country

University Center and surrounding sites; TTU-Scheduled

reports on the status of academic units: a. TTU-Report on

the College of Visual and Performing Arts); and Finance and

Administration Committee (TTU-Authorize consulting agree-

ment to evaluate the university's financial aid program; TTU

Authorize consulting agreement to evaluate the university's scholarship program; TTU-Report on use of Kenneth Keith

The board will then convene into the Committee of the

Whole and Meeting of the Board of Regents to consider and act on: Approve minutes of the board meeting held on

August 8, 2002; Approve Consent Agenda and acknowledge review of Information Agenda; TTUS-Report of the

Investment Advisory Committee and approve appointment

Lubbock; February 19-20, 2004, Amarillo; The President's

Report, TTU; The President's Report, TTUHSC; The

Chancellor's Report; Chairman's Announcements; and

Adjournment.

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under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, includ-Section 551,071. General litigation update, pending and contemplated litigation, complaints, settlement negotiations,

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of small cap investment managers; TTUS-Approve amendment to Section 07.09, Regents' Rules; TTUS-Approve amendment to Section 07.11.8, Regents' Rules, concerning Agency Code: 264. Board of Regents. Date and official travel by Texas Tech University System employees in personally owned or leased aircraft. Consideration of appro-priate action, if any, on items discussed in Executive Session: Report of the Facilities Committee: Report of the Academic, Clinical and Student Affairs Committee, Report of the Finance and Administration Committee: Schedule for Board meetings: December 12-13, 2002, Lubbock; February 27-28, 2003, Junction; May 15-16, 2003, Lubbock; August 7-8, 2003, Lubbock (at TTUHSC); October 2 (work-shop/retreat)-3, 2003, Lubbock; December 18-19, 2003,

he meeting will begin no earlier than 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, November 14, at the Canyon House, County Line and contractual negotiations.

Restaurant, FM2641 one-half mile west of I-27, Lubbook TX. The meeting may continue until completed or, if needed, the meeting may recess at approximately 5:00 p.m. and resume at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, November 15, in the Board Room, Second Floor, Room 201, Administration Building, Akron and Broadway Avenues, Lubbock, TX. The meeting is then expected to recess or adjourn at approximately 12:00 noon; however, if needed, the meeting may continue beyond 12:00 noon or reconvene after a lunch recess and continue until completed. The full board agenda is detailed on pages iii through viii. The agenda for each session of the board meeting or a meeting of a committee of the board is detailed

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# Raiders bury Bears in four games



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TEXAS TECH LIBERO Jessy Herrera digs the ball during Tech's 3-1 win Wednesday at the United Spirit Arena. Tech lost game one but won the next three games to avenge its loss to the Bears earlier this season in Waco. In the win, Tech outside hitter Kelly Johnson led the Raiders with 21 kills. Tech's next match is Saturday against Texas in Austin.

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By David Wiechmann/Staff Reporter

Revenge is a sweet thing, and the Texas Tech volleyball team got some against the Baylor Bears on Wednesday night at the United Spirit Arena.

on Oct. 9, the Red Raiders returned the favor with a 3-1 victory against their Big 12 Conference rivals.

Despite the victory, Tech has aspects of the game to work on before Saturday's match in Austin, Tech outside hitter Melissa McGehee said.

"The win is good," she said. "But we know what we need to work on so we can correct it for the Texas match."

McGehee said the area of focus in Tech's next practice will be defense, and Tech coach Jeff Nelson said his team came out of the gates followed with 16 and Poole had 10. slow but responded when it got the momentum back on its side.

"I was disappointed in our defense early on," he said. "But I believe the last five, six points of the first game is where we grabbed the momentum and we kept it going."

Tech did not look back after losing game one, 32-30 as it claimed the rest of the games 30-21, 30-20, 30-19. Baylor's win in game one was its first in eight conference matches. The Bears had been swept in all eight Big 12 matches they played since defeating Tech.

The adjustment necessary to take was stopping their setter, Jillian Mazzarella, who sneak-attacked Tech when it was not expecting it.

the setter hit it over the net)," McGehee said. "After the first game was gone, we got her under control. We finally got on their setter."

The key to Tech's victory was once again its solid passing, which the team prides itself in.

"Passing was key," McGehee said. "It opened a lot of the hitters up."

Tech hitter Stacey Poole said pass-After losing 3-0 to Baylor in Waco ing is important every night because it keeps the opposition guessing and allows Tech to have a number of op-

> "If our passing is on, the hitters have so many different holes. It makes it difficult to stop them," Poole said. "The other team doesn't know who to go to so it freezes their block

Because the passing was on target. Tech went to three different options for its attack as Kelly Johnson led the way in kills with 21. McGehee

Nelson said another way his team took it to Baylor was at the service line. Tech tallied six more aces than the Bears.

"Overall we served very well," Nelson said. "We had nine aces and 11 errors, and that's a good match when they're balanced like that."

He also praised the effort put out by Poole, McGehee and Johnson.

"I think Stacey, Melissa and Kelly had great matches for us at the net," Nelson said. "They all had significant hitting percentages, and they did a nice job of getting up and banging balls."

The win is Tech's third consecuthe momentum away from the Bears tive victory and provides the Raiders with more confidence entering its match with Texas, McGehee said.

"With each win you get more con-"We didn't ingest to the dump (let fidence," she said. "A win in the Big 12 is an accomplishment any night, and we want to keep going up with our confidence level. We know what we need to work on."

#### Alou hired as new Giants manager

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) -Felipe Alou never envisioned it would happen this way, finishing up his baseball career right back where it all started nearly a halfcentury ago.

Alou was hired Wednesday to manage the National League champion San Francisco Giants, returning to the team he played for in the 1950s and '60s. He calls himself a "soldier of this game."

"I'm going back home to where I started and, hopefully, I'm going to end it right there," Alou

The former manager of the Montreal Expos takes over for Dusty Baker and inherits a team that came within six outs of a World Series title.

The 67-year-old Alou, the bench coach for Detroit last season, agreed to a three-year contract and becomes the oldest manager in the major leagues. He was 691-717 in 10 seasons managing the Expos.

The popular Baker did not have his contract renewed by the Giants. Baker is talking with the Chicago Cubs about becoming their manager. Alou's son Moises plays for the Cubs.

"I was happily surprised," Moises Alou said. "For him to get a job with a team like the Giants is awesome."

Felipe Alou played for the Giants from 1958-63 as part of a 17-season major league career in which he hit .286 with 206 homers and 852 RBIs. He also spent 1970 and part of 1971 in the Bay area playing for the Oakland Athletics.

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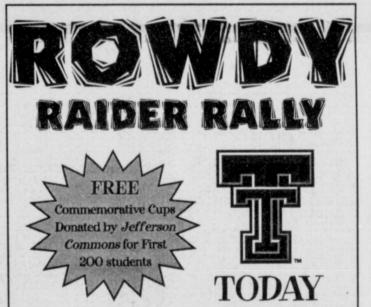


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