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Lubbock police search for homicide suspect

CRIME WATCH: Suspect described as black male in early-to-mid 20s and 5 feet 10 inches tall

By Sally Gunter/Staff Reporter

The Lubbock Police Department is still looking for a suspect connected to the death of a Lubbock resident who died early Thursday morning after being robbed in his home.

The suspect is described as a black male in his early- to mid-20s. He is 5 feet 10 inches tall, said Lt. Victor Quintana of the LPD.

LPD officers arrived at the 2600 block of Baylor

Street where they found Benson A. Hullan, 71, lying on the floor covered in blood, according to the police report.

A witness told police she was in the house on the couch when a black female entered the house, bought a beer and left, according to the report.

Police are looking for the black female as a potential witness, Quintana said.

"The victim was a bootlegger," Quintana said. "He sold (alcoholic) beverages after hours and kept his business in his house 24-7."

Shortly after the woman left, the witness said a black man wearing a mask ran inside the house with a shotgun. He held the barrel to Hullan's face and demanded money, according to the

Hullan handed the suspect an undetermined amount of money, after which the suspect left the house, according to the report.

The witness told police Hullan fell on the

floor and she noticed a lot of blood coming from his face.

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The witness did not hear any gunshots, and the victim did not die of a gunshot wound, Quintana said.

"The cause of death is undetermined," he said. "The man sustained a puncture wound to the inner mouth/throat area, causing severe injury and a great amount of blood."

An autopsy and toxicology report will be performed,

Quintana said. The bootlegging business Hullan was operating made him more likely to get robbed, Quintana said.

"Bootleggers usually hoard large amounts of cash in their house and on-hand," he said. "People know this, and that's why he was more susceptible to crime."

Quintana said he believes the incident was premeditated.

"It wasn't a random robbery," he said. "He knew what this guy was doing and that he had cash on him."

The Lubbock homicide rate for this year is below average, and the addition of this one does not make it a record year for the number of homicides reported, Quintana said.

"We're a safe city still," he said.

MACHINERY ME



ANDREW WEATHERL/Staff Photographer MATT JASPER, A graduate student studying Architecture, shows Aaron Boucher, a graduate student studying Architecture from Marshall, the proper way to use a chop saw.

Campus to light up for tradition

By Nikki Siegriest/Staff Reporter

Children do not often have fond memories of being sick, but Craig Alexander said the Carol of Lights made him forget his fever.

"I liked the lights," the junior public relations major from Levelland said. "It was

neat seeing all the buildings all lit up. I remember it so well because I got sick that night." That night, about 13 years ago, is still a vivid memory in his mind.

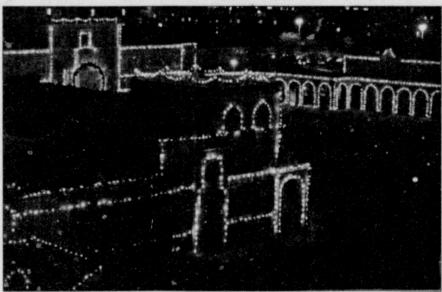
This year, he will not be able to attend the ceremony because of work obligation but

said he is upset he will not be there for the ceremony because it is one of Texas Tech's longest standing traditions.

"I don't know what other schools have the Carol of Lights," Alexander said. "It's neat to know the university is involved as much as they are with the holiday. Not only are the students involved, but the community is involved too."

The 45th annual Carol of Lights ceremony will take place at 7 p.m. today in front of

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FILE PHOTO/The University Daily

California federal appeals court overturns 1996 anti-terrorism law

THE 45TH ANNUAL Carol of Lights tradition begins at 7 p.m. today.

By David Kravets/Associated Press

the Bush administration's legal strategy in the war on terror, a federal appeals court overturned part of a sweeping law the government has in-

creasingly used to arrest or prosecute suspected terrorists. The decision Wednesday by the 9th

U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals involves a 1996 terrorism law that outlaws financial assistance or "material support" to organizations classified as terrorist by the State De-

The San Francisco-based appeals court struck down displaced Kurdish refugees to find new homes could be part of the law, ruling that it is unconstitutional to punish people — sometimes with life in prison — for providing held liable," Judge Harry Pregerson wrote in the 2-1 deci-

"training" or "personnel" to a terror group.

Increasingly, the charge of choice for prosecutors in SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — In a potential blow to the war on terrorism is that someone provided some form of material support to terror groups. The decision Wednesday means that for the first time, part of

that strategy has been declared unconstitutional by a federal appeals court.

The ruling also requires the government to prove that defendants knew their activities, such as donating money to outlawed groups, were actually con-

tributing to acts of terror. "According to the government's interpretation... a woman who buys cookies from a bake sale outside of her grocery store to support

In addition, the court wrote that it is unconstitutional to criminalize donations of personnel or training, which fall under the "material support" section of the law, because that "blurs the line between protected expression and unprotected expression."

The court ruled in a case involving a civil liberties organization's efforts to lobby Congress on behalf of groups on the terrorist watch list. The court ruled that the Humanitarian Law Project could legally lobby Congress and provide other non-financial assistance to the Kurdistan Workers Party in Turkey.

The Bush administration had argued that donating "personnel" on behalf of the Kurdistan Workers Party violated the 1996 law and amounted to aiding terrorism.

The 1996 law has been used to prosecute some at this

Whitmore meets Big 12 presidents

By Adam Boedeker Staff Reporter

Officials from the Big 12 Conference and member universities will meet today in Kansas City, Kan. to discuss various issues involving the conference.

There will be meetings of various types of officials, most notably a Big 12 presidents' meeting and a meeting of each university's faculty athletic

representative. Tech President Jon Whitmore will be attending his first of such meetings, which occur four times a year in general. Those meeting times coincide with the Big 12 football championship game, the Big 12 basketball tournament, a meeting in the summer and another meeting some time during the year.

Whitmore

Whitmore said the meeting is an opportunity for the presidents to discuss important issues.

"They review conference rules," he said. "This is my first one but I know the main thing this year was to try and keep students off the field after the games. All of the schools did advertising at games to keep students off the field.

The agenda for the presidents meeting of the presidents is set by the Big 12 Conference, and Whitmore said it is followed tightly.

"I don't have any particular things I plan on bringing up," he said. "You usually follow a pretty strict agenda, and many of us fly in and fly out that day so there's not a lot of time for extra discussion."

Baylor President Robert Sloan said the issues discussed at the presidents meeting range from improving the academic requirements for student athletes to television contracts and revenue issues.

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Identity theft big concern for SGA

By Joey Kirk Staff Reporter

A concern arose in the minds of students and Student Government Association



members after learning of the windblown Scantrons from the communication studies department scattered around campus Tuesday. The SGA may proceed to change another aspect dealing with test.

Last year the SGA approved a resolution prohibiting professors to post grades by students' Social Security numbers.

Students are required to put their Social Security numbers on the Scantrons to distinguish them from each other. With missing or lost test answer sheets, some students fear their identity may be in the hands

SGA President Jeremy Brown said a change could prevent this situation from becoming a problem.

"Most people's life is connected to their Social Security number," he said. "With that number, a person can get easy access to anything of their life."

The SGA created the personal test number system to prevent Social Security numbers from being posted. Brown said those numbers could be used on the Scantrons in the future, along with other ideas.

"If we find a problem with it, we could look at changing it to either the personal test number or even their eRaider account name possibly," he said.

John Billington, a sophomore pre-law major from Plainview, said Scantrons are not the only thing he is worried about putting his Social Security number on.

"I think there are just too many things we use our Social Security numbers for," he said. "The other day an evaluation asked us to put it on there, and I didn't because I'm paranoid at what can happen."

Although only a few Scantrons are still unac-

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time," said Charles Miller, a department spokesman. FAX: 806-742-2434

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Scholarships to be given to staff members who work, go to school

By Jennifer Prieto/Staff Reporter

The Texas Tech Staff Senate will award qualified staff members who are getting a degree at Tech. The first scholarship will be awarded during the 2004 spring semester.

This scholarship will be given to three staff members each fall and spring semester.

The main purpose of the scholarbooks and fee expenditures. To qualify, staff members must be benefit-eligible, have continuously worked for a minimum of four months and are enrolled at Tech.

Staff members must maintain a cumulative GPA of at least 2.25 for an undergraduate degree and 3.0 for a graduate degree.

Robin Cooper, department safety

coordinator, said this scholarship is something the Staff Senate has been planning for a long time, but this is the first year they got the resources.

"We have a lot of staff members who are working to finish their first degree or are trying to get a second one," she said. "This scholarship will help them with some of the costs that come from getting a degree."

She said there are many scholar- anything possible to ship is to give staff members \$200 for ships available for students, but there are not the same opportunities for staff members who also are students.

> The main goal is to make it easier for staff members to get a degree, she said. It is not a great deal of money, but it will cover some of the fees.

Cooper said Tech's staff used to get fee waivers about five years ago, but this is not done anymore, and they are not getting any financial help.

Applications will be mailed to staff member can tell the Senate if the the program," she said. those staff members who qualify for scholarship helps and what the Senthe scholarship before the winter ate can do to improve it. break. Applications will be available on the Web site and posted on Tech out an application and mail it to Sen-Announce.

"Staff members need to be aware of this opportunity," she said. "We are going to do make them aware of what is going on." She said this is the

first year to award the scholarship, and she is not sure on how they will be presented to the staff, but they

want to have a ceremony.

The Staff Senate wants to keep in touch with people who receive the scholarship, she said. This way, the fees because staff members are part of

Qualified staff members should fill ate mailbox 5054.

> Judy Edwards, account processor for the biology department, said she is getting her management information systems degree and has been working for three years at Tech.

She said the scholarship is a good idea, but \$200 will not be enough to make

an impact on a person's finances for

"You should get a break on your

Tech will benefit from staff members who are trying to increase their education, she said. The scholarship should provide more money for those who are employed full time and are trying to get a degree.

She said more than three people should be awarded the scholarship because there are many staff members at

Staff Senate President-elect Brent Guinn said reducing the cost of education for students at Tech has been a major point of discussion among Tech administrators because tuition increase affects staff members as well.

He said helping staff improve their educationis in Tech's best interest because Tech will have better employ-

scholarship amount increase because \$200 is not enoughto cover all expenses. But it is a starting point.

He also said the scholarship should be awarded to more than three staff members, but the issue is still being discussed.

"Businesses pay about 80 to 100 percent of their employees' education so they can improve their knowledge." he said. "Businesses don't do it for their employees; they do it because at the end they will benefit from it."

Guinn said Tech promotes higher education for students, but little attention is given to helping improve the staff's education.

"I would like to see more consideration given to help staff members," he said. "That is very important for the Staff Senate, and we are always Guinn said he would like to see the looking for ways to help Tech's staff."

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counted for, Billington, who is also a student in the class in which the incident occurred, said the problem is not as bad as it could have been.

"If all 450 had blown away, it would have been a big problem," he said. "But I know the professor was very distraught about the whole situation, and I think that it isn't that bad."

Billington said he was glad the student who turned them in did not just throw them away.

"It's an honest mistake, and you know how this West Texas wind can be," he said. "Now they just need to look into different ways so our identities are not in jeopardy if it happens again."

Senator-At-Large Chris Carr said the issue has been brought to the SGA in the past but was not a major issue.

"When we decided to stop posting grades by Social Security numbers, we discussed whether or not tests were an issue," he said. "We thought about it and we noticed that professors were the only ones who saw the numbers."

Carr added there is a possibility of writing legislation to make sure this problem does not occur in the future.

"We may look into changing that and it could possibly happen," he said. "Identity theft is a bigger issue, and with the Social Security number attached to a name, it is compromising privacy."

If either the student's name or Social Security number was on the test, Carr said, the situation would be different.

"It would be understandable if only the Social Security number appeared on the Scantron," he said. "Or if it was only their name. Not together."

Brown said he encourages any students with concerns about this issue to talk with the SGA.

"Students should let us know if they have any problems with this," he said. "So far, we haven't had that much concern, but if we do have a lot, then we could meet with the administration and find another way to go about this."

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the Physics building. The choir will sing, with the trombone choir also participating in the performance.

Alexander said the ceremony has something for everyone to enjoy. It puts him in a cheerful mood, and he notices others are in a happy mood.

"It signifies that it's the end of the semester," he said. He said he enjoys seeing the Lub-

bock community participate ir. events 20,000 and 30,000 students and Lubbock residents attended the event.

"It's good to see the community is as involved with Tech as Tech is with the community," he said.

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"It benefits us enormously because

we get to build relationships among

the institutions," he said. "That in turn

helps you to deal with other issues that

may come up. Say Texas Tech and

Baylor want to work together on tech-

nology issues or grant sharing; it helps

to have working relationships. I've al-

ways felt like I've had a particularly

Meeting

The tradition started in the 1950s when the choir would sing carols in Memorial Circle and drink hot chocolate. It was officially organized in 1958 but was not called the Carol of Lights until 1961. In its first few years, the program used about 16,000 lights.

Mike Hurlow, mechanical superintendent of building maintenance and construction, said there will be about 25,000 red, orange and white lights this year. The tree in Memorial Circle will also have about 2,500 lights.

This year, there also will be fireworks inside Pfluger Fountain. They will be ig-Tech sponsors. Last year, between nited before the Saddle Tramps walk down Broadway with their torches.

> Alice Scott, an adviser for the Carol of Lights committee, said this year the students will be able to see the fireworks. In years past, they had been mounted on

the roofs of the buildings around the science quadrangle.

She said she had several alumni calling her to ask when the ceremony is so they can attend.

"People will come in from all over," she said. "It's a wonderful thing."

Women's Service Organization decorated the wreath on the front entrance

President Jon Whitmore has never attended a Carol of Lights before. He will be flying in Friday night to see the dis-

"I understand that the Carol of Lights is one of Texas Tech's most enduring traditions," he said. "It signals the beginning of the holiday season for our students and many West Texas families. My family is excited about experiencing the celebra-

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tions for the first time this year."

ting those conferences to have a meeting together to talk about reform issues," he said. "These relate to academic standards for both (eligibility for incoming student athletes) and (eligibility for current student athletes), graduation rates, student athlete welfare and what is the quality of the experiences student ath-

The most important thing about the meetings, Sloan said, is the chance to exchange ideas with his counterparts.

"The relationships we have in this conference are very stable," he said. "The various universities have a great deal of trust. I believe we have one of the best all-around conferences in the country. We are very successful both athletically and academically for only being in existence for seven years.'

Robert Baker is a Tech Horn Professor and the faculty athletic representative to the Big 12 from Tech. Each university has one representative who attends these meetings.

the Big 12 presidents meetings. good relationship with Tech presidents." "The Big 12 was instrumental in get-

The Big 12 wants to be more than an athletic conference, Sloan said.

"There's more than 30 Big 12 groups that meet throughout the year and have established associations," he said. "It's really good to have working relationships with all facets of the university."

Sloan said the Big 12 was the most instrumental conference in creating the "Group of Six," a meeting of officials from all of the Bowl Championship Series conferences. The idea for this came out of

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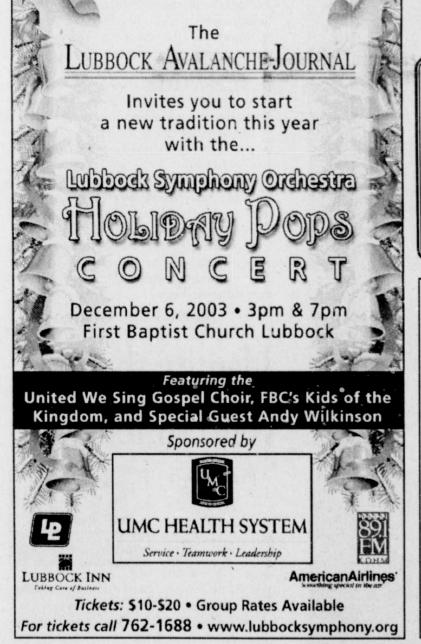
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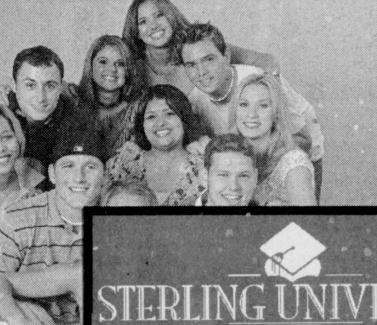
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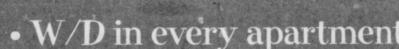
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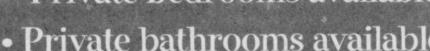
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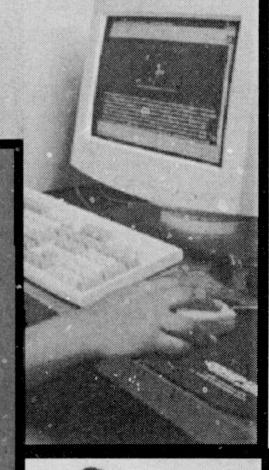














Start spreading Christmas cheer

time of year. Even my friends think I'm a bit over the edge. If there were a Christmas Olympics, I would bring home the gold medal.

I do not just put up a tree, I light the sucker up, usually, before Thanksgiving. I have all the classic carols, memorized and I can shop for presents like it's going out

I know the sizes of all my family members. My mom can buy three towel sets in different colors, and I can tell her exactly which relative will want which color without thinking twice.

I wrap presents faster than my mom and oldest sister working together. My youngest sister (there are many) was until this year, my "tape monkey."

Her only job was to sit, watch me wrap and supply me with tape as I wrapped. It was good experience for her.

She, at the age of seven, can now match wrapping paper with ribbon and bows better than my friends and knows what cards should go with what size boxes all according to the gifts and the snootiness of the relative. It brings a tear to my eye just thinking about it.

This year is no different. I'm one of those people who begins singing carols in October and starts looking for present ideas right after Halloween. I can't help but bring joy to the world through lights, happy music and gifts. Sad?

Maybe.

But I am OK with knowing I am special.

I realized just how special I was when I caught myself voluntarily wrapping myself in ribbon

while waiting on my mom to decide what she wanted to wrap that day.

As I stood there, tangled in tinsel, I realized why I get so festive.

The holiday season is all about giving giving of yourself to help another. My first reaction was to shrug off so em-

phatic a thought.

"I help my family, and I give to them. I'm really giving because I'm a poor college kid and while this money could go to Ramen, I'm buying them a present," I thought.

But as my mother, whom I love, took her time with the gifts, the thought kept

creeping into my mind, "I should give more." What does giving more mean though? I had no idea. Giving food to the hungry? Money to the poor? Shelter to the homeless? Hope to the downtrodden?

The answer to my question is yes, all of the above.

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I also became very aware of how much I loved and appreciated my family.

> I realized the soldiers in Iraq, some my friends, may not be home for Christmas. I realized the many prejudices still existing in America and all over the world.

I couldn't help but want so much to go hold the hand of someone and give him or her a glimmer of love and holiday cheer.

Cheesy? Maybe. But I am OK

My goal, for the remainder of this year, is to be nice to everyone with whom I come into contact, add a little something special to their day, to spread holiday warmth and glow and to show the world what Christmas means to me.

Will I still go crazy and wrap myself in wrapping paper with a big bow on my head? Will I wrap more presents than I can remember family members? Will I put eight strands of lights on a mere 7-foot tree?

I already did.

with that as well.

I wish everyone would add a little something special to this season and give everyone a little something of holiday cheer.

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What women want: One good bad boy

he age-old question "why" seemingly has only one answer: "Because." That is the extent of it. Just because - because that is just the way it is.

But, I'm going to take a different angle by asking, "how?"

How is it that time after time after time, so many intelligent, beautiful women keep going after the same James Dean bad boy types.

And then many of us keep chasing these corrupting Casanovas even though we KNOW it is going to end up in a dramatic, destructive and dead-end relationship?

I don't know the answer, and for each of us the key to our self-destructive behavior might be different

But, it doesn't hurt to try to speculate. Perhaps it's because we love a challenge, and how else to challenge ourselves than to attempt to reform someone from the dark side.

This I can sort of understand; I'm always up for a good healthy challenge. But is it really healthy? Not hardly.

As women we are caretakers by nature, and we have this strong desire to be hot guy on a red-hot Harley with an attineeded that can flare out of control, often into co-dependent relationships.

The rule to follow should be: Don't date a man who needs you to be his therapist. Couches are for making-out and hanging out watching TV, they are not meant to be symbolic of you trying to change him by entering counseling coupledom.

It's not your role. When you enter the dark side seeking to be a light, often your light gets taken away as well, and you are left with nothing but regret.

When you seek to save someone from drowning in drama, you most always get pulled down instead into dangerous waters. Always save yourself first.

Some of us think we have all the time in the world to find that nice guy, but what if we found him and we blew him off for the

Celeste Delley

Isn't it time for us to find a happy medium?

I'm confident that he exists. That "Good Bad Boy" that every woman dreams about is probably just waiting for us to notice that he's right under our

noses.

tude to match?

What if our guy was his equally hot brother who was sweet and caring?

Perhaps sweet and caring isn't all we are looking for? It's true, more often than not, bad boys have a more outgoing personality because they are less reserved than their counterparts. Therefore, because of this we are naturally drawn to them and their wild

Maybe, if wild ways are what we are searching for then we need to stop crying in our pint of ice cream every time Mr. Personality isn't such a prince to us.

We might be getting exactly what we are asking for. If you know he's a frog, and you kiss him anyway, should you expect to be treated like royalty from someone who showed you who he was from the beginning?

boy themselves and just got tired of finish-

It has happened to so many good men. I always hear them saying, "Women don't like nice guys, so why should I be one and get walked all over.'

But the reality is: Women do like nice guys. Girls don't. It's often all about maturity.

Isn't it time for us to find a happy medium? I'm confident that he exists. That "Good Bad Boy" that every woman dreams about is probably just waiting for us to notice he's right under our noses.

I think Tim McGraw put it best when he said in one of his songs:

"I take all the good times I can get, I'm too young for growing up just yet. Ain't much I can promise you except to do the best I can. I may be a real bad boy. But baby, I'm a real good man."

Like I've said before, chances are we have already come across the guy that fits this description, but we've blown him off.

Ladies, when you find that good man think about it and don't push him away or toy with him like you did with all the

If you do, you might one day be sitting alone with sipping your margarita wondering why you can't meet any nice men. And the answer will be staring back at you in the mirror across the bar — You pushed them all out of your life.

The bottom line is we might be picking all the wrong men because we haven't learned to love ourselves. Once we understand we do have worth, we can find someone who is worthy of our affection.

Gentlemen, if you are that good boy, just be yourself and you'll meet your match. But be careful not to turn the tables. If you always put up with crap, you may just be the good boy who's always after the bad girl.

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By Ben Hawken Daily Evergreen

(U-WIRE) PULLMAN, Wash. - Despite all my street cred, I, personally, do not pack any heat.

With this said, I now have to be wary of all the "haters" and "suckas" that will come looking to shake me down since I am unarmed and therefore, apparently, defenseless.

Even though I do not have a "glock" safely tucked into the waistband of my Dickies, I do recognize the constitutional right for the rest of us to not have to look at fat gangsters in heinously sagging

I also, and more passionately, support the right for everyone to own a firearm if they choose.

Last Monday, the Supreme Court did little to defend this right against future attacks from radical special interest groups. The court announced that it would not render a decision on whether or not the Constitution guarantees people a personal right to own a gun.

Much to my embarrassment, I had in my mind a pipe-dreamed memory of a passage in some archaic document that my constitutional law professor kept calling the "Second Amendment." It was there that I had dreamt these words: "The right of the people to keep and bear arms shall

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not be infringed."

Boy, was I surprised when I found out that I hadn't dreamt it.

The Ninth Circuit Court, however, concluded that the wording used in the Second Amendment was "not entirely illuminating.'

I gave the lower court the benefit of the doubt and decided to revisit the 14 words that were causing so much confusion.

After careful re-evaluation, I can only wonder if the finest legal minds in America were hung up on "the right of the people" or "shall not be infringed."

I have read many confusing things in my life, but the Second Amendment seems simple.

This decision by the Supreme Court is a step in a dangerous direction. The ambivalence of the Court leaves the idea of ban-

ning firearms open for debate. I do not believe that Uzis should be readily available at your local sporting goods store or that we need automatic assault rifles in order to hunt geese, but I have studied

enough history to know what disarming a country can lead to.

The mass exterminations carried out by Pol Pot, Stalin and Hitler were all preceded by a systematic collection of the victims' firearms.

This was a very pragmatic decision because it left those about to be slaughtered completely defenseless.

If those examples seem a little outdated, consider the genocide in Rwanda in 1994. It was then that the U.N. "peacekeepers" implemented the U.N.'s strict anti gun laws as part of its self-appointed management of the growing hostilities between the government and an ethnic minority.

After the United Nations had collected all the weapons from the minority Tutsi tribe, it turned over the confiscated weapons to the safe keeping of the government. The government then promptly carried out nationwide extermination efforts against the suddenly vulnerable minority. Amnesty International stated the "massacres were systematic, planned and condoned at the highest level."

By the time the killing was over two weeks later, an estimated one million people were dead.

The lesson we all should learn from this is that a populace left defenseless is, at times, too tempting a target for those who have both firepower and an agenda.

That is a chilling thought.

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A country Christmas carols to Tech this weekend

By Justin Vallejo/Staff Reporter

Saturday Texas Tech will host a country Christmas music event with two special guests.

Popular country recording artists Bruce Robison and wife Kelly Willis will be on campus at 8 p.m. Saturday to give a performance at the Student Union Allen Theatre.

The performance is an effort to spread holiday cheer and perform songs from their Christmas album, "Happy Holidays."

While the two have worked on each other's albums in the past, "Happy Holidays" marks the first al-

bum the couple has released as a duo. she first knew about Robison's contrigiving Christmas performances in exciting. Tech students are excited to have

the opportunity to see a performance that features both artists, as they usually have separate tours and shows.

Keely Tucker, a junior communications studies major from Dripping McGraw. Springs, is a fan of Robison and predicts the concert will be a fun and put on an entertaining show. exciting event.

"He is great in concert; I saw him perform in Austin in 2001," Tucker said. "I think it would be fun. I like that they are performing together."

A big fan of both artists, Katie Van Huss, a sophomore agricultural communications major from Stinnett, said brother, Charlie, the couple began mance, which makes the show more Robison said. "It was just something Center for Campus Life.

butions to other country artist's music.

Robison has become popular in the world of country music for writing numerous songs for the likes of George Strait, the Dixie Chicks and Tim

Van Huss expects the couple will

"I would really like to go to the show; I think it's gonna be a lot of fun. They're probably really good together," Van Huss said.

A Christmas tour is not a new thing for Robison and Willis.

Christmas tour was not what it has become today, but it made the couple want to continue with the tour in the following years.

"The first time we just did two shows; it was just so fun. It's just a different kind of feeling," she said. Willis especially enjoys the oppor-

tunity to perform. "I think it's unique that we get to work together," Willis said.

She feels they both bring differ-In conjunction with Robison's ent strengths to the overall perfor-

Willis said the Christmas tour is Willis said the first year of the different from a regular tour in the way that it is a more relaxed and less stressful atmosphere — she sees each concert of the Christmas tour as more of a party than anything.

> "We feel like it's a nice little thing for our fans," Willis said.

> Robison described the album, which was entirely created in their home, and tour as a fun family experience he really enjoys, and he is glad to have the opportunity to share his passion with his family.

> "It's just a fun thing for us to do,"

I could do as a labor of love. It's just a little something extra."

The show features special guests The Greencards.

Tickets are available at Select-A-Seat and the Student Union ticket

Ticket prices are \$5 for the general public and free for students with

a Tech I.D. In order to guarantee a seat, students must redeem tickets in advance at the Student Union ticket office.

As of Thursday afternoon there were 400 tickets left available, said Jennifer Henley, coordinator for The

Lubbock's loud cars hold world records at championships

By Megan LaVoie/Staff Reporter

Lubbock is known as the home of Buddy Holly, dust storms and the Hub City of Texas. Lubbock is also the home of the world champions in Car Audio Competition. The championship was held the weekend of Nov. 21 in Kansas City, Kan.

Adam Snell, a freshman biochemistry and pre-dental major from Lubbock, holds the world record in his class, extreme zero to 1,000 watts of power for the loudest car stereo, boasting a volume of 171.3 decibels.

To an average person that does not mean much, but in comparison, a shot gun blast measures 140 decibels, a 747 jet at take off has a volume of 147 decibels and a rock concert has an average decibel level of 135.

If one were to sit in Snell's 1986 Mitsubishi Cordia for 10 seconds, he said the effects would be harmful to one's health.

"The magnitude of the sound would suck air out of your lungs, you would throw up and it would leave you disoriented and sick for days. This is the kind of loudness that causes a heart murmur," he said.

Snell first showed interest in car audio when he visited Lubbock's Cus-

"I went to the shop, and it just in- only competed in the Car Audio said.

trigued me, so I went back every day," he said.

Snell was so intrigued, he would save \$20 out of the weekly \$25 he was allotted for lunch money and give it to Michael Jones, the owner of Custom Sound Works, to put toward a stereo on layaway.

"I only had \$5 for lunch every week, so I had to scrounge from my friends to get lunch money and food,"

For his senior gift, Snell's parents bought him Jones' old competitive car, the 1986 Mitsubishi Cordia, and Snell worked on it for months before he entered the competition.

Cory Robertson, a freshman premed major from Lubbock has known Snell since elementary school and said Snell is just like every other teenager, stand out in a crowd.

"Building and finding a car that is acoustically perfect takes a lot of work, a lot of thinking and a lot of math; his talent kind of knocked me back because he really knows what he is doing," he said.

Jones, the owner of Custom Sound for the loudest score in his class, extreme 5,000 plus, recorded at 178.7 tom Sound Works in Lubbock at the decibels. Jones said Snell has made significant strides for someone who has

Competition for two years.

"It is really extraordinary that Adam reached 171.3 decibels because he competed with the top 100 vehicles in the world," he said.

Jones has been competing in audio car competitions since 1997 and has broken and held the world record for the loudest score ever recorded since 1999.

Jones describes the Car Audio Competition as a science of air pressure tied in with the fun of a car stereo.

"It is very self rewarding to hold the loudest sound ever recorded -NASA and the U.S. government can't even understand it," he said.

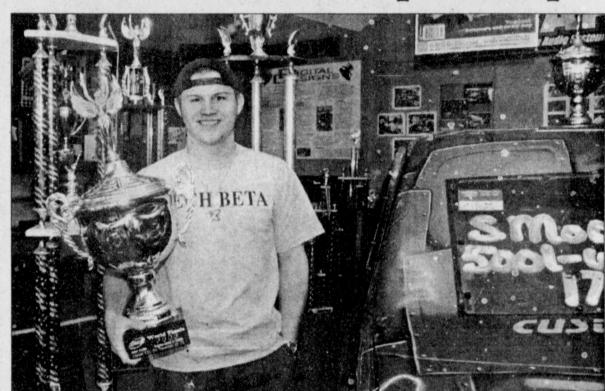
Snell said he aspires to own his own car audio shop someday as Jones

"I wouldn't call this a hobby, it is but Snell's talent and drive make him more of an obsession. It's the best alternative to physical sports," he said. Jones said Snell could keep Car Audio Competitions as a hobby, or he

> could take it to the next level. "There is not a lot of money in it, but it is very self rewarding from a personal and scientific aspect," he said.

Robertson said he believes Snell Works, holds the overall world record has the brains and drive to become the

> "He has the brains to do it. He has the dedication - I could definitely see him making a career out of this," he



JENNA HANSEN/Photography Editor

ADAM SNELL, A freshman pre-dental major from Lubbock, stands next to the loudest car in the world. The vehicle, owned by Michael Jones, is a 1989 Dodge Caravan and won the title by reaching 178.9 decibals. Snell's car, a 1986 Mitsubishi Cordia, won loudest car in its class, reaching a record 171.3 decibals.

'And the award goes to...' all the awards

awards show but a documentary, wants you to know there are 565 show-biz awards competitions each year, of which 100 are televised. That's more than one broadcast every four days.

Consider: On the heels of "The First Annual Spike TV Video Game Trio is airing 9 p.m. EST Sunday.

NEW YORK (AP) - "The Award Awards," which aired Thursday, the Show Awards Show," which isn't an coming week brings "The 14th Annual Billboard Music Awards" on Fox, "The Third Annual DVD Exclusive Awards" (whatever that is) on FX and the inaugural Commie awards on Comedy Central going head-to-head with "The Award Show Awards Show," which

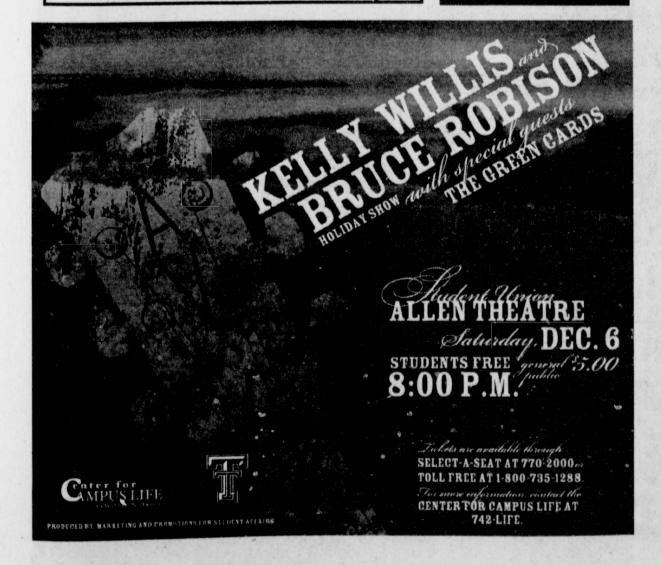
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'Samurai' engaging but flawed epic

he Last Samurai" is like a gift you were given 10 years ago, only it has been slightly upgraded, wrapped in gorgeous wrapping paper and given to you by different people. While the film is reminiscent of things we have seen before, it is still difficult to deny that it is superior in form, even if not in theme.

Tom Cruise stars as Nathan Algren, a Captain in the U.S. Army circa the late 1870s. He has become disillusioned with his role in the military, and their campaign against the western Indians has left him reliving his sins in nightmares that he squelches with booze.

He is soon asked to travel to Japan to help train the Emperor's army, who wishes to upgrade itself with American war tactics to help wipe out the "savage Samurai" that infest their lands.

Algren is forced by his superior, Col. Bagley (Tony Goldwyn), to lead the army into the woods for a battle against these savages. Algren insists they are not ready but must adhere to his superior. Of course, the army is wiped out by the cunning Samurai, and Algren is taken

But the Samurai leader, Katsumoto (Ken Watanabe), decides not to kill his

James Eppler

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Native Americans is glaringly obvious. For that matter, the film could be called 'Dances with

Samurai' for its unquestionable similarities to Kevin Costner's 1990 film.

captive, despite the fact that Algren killed his brother-in-law in battle. He is fascinated by his prisoner and wishes to learn what he can from him. Conversely, Algren becomes enamored with the Samurai culture. He and Katsumoto develop a friendship, largely due to the fact that Katsumoto speaks English.

Meanwhile, Algren is cared for by Taka (Koyuki), who is Katsumoto's sister and the widow of the man he slew in battle. The fact that the two develop a relationship may seem preposterous to us, but the film makes it very clear that we simply do not understand this culture.

But the film desperately wants to give us a taste of this culture and the values by which they govern themselves. Honor, duty and the ways of old are valued above any human life. So, that the film itself prefers a culture study above character development makes sense.

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has made a handsome epic with gor- to examine a culture. I thoroughly engeously filmed scenery and a huge climactic battle that is expertly staged.

Cruise is solid as Algren and is continuing to prove that he is more than nitely not the last we will see. "Kill Bill just a pretty face.

He makes his character's transformation believable because he plays Algren with a strong sense of conviction.

But Watanabe is superb and turns in the film's finest performance. His character is to whom the title of the film refers - not Cruise's. Watanabe's performance is bold, convincing and heartbreaking. He is this film's anchor.

The film, however, does not seem to always be confident in itself. It feels the need to incorporate action sequences to keep its audience's attention. These action sequences are entertaining and well done, but they sometimes

There's also an unimpressive score by Hans Zimmer that just sounds like material he's written before — this time with an Asian twist.

But Zwick's film is always engaging, even if the material is not original. It was the same way with Ron Howard's But "Samurai" is not without its merit. "The Missing" in that it is an epic film

Director Edward Zwick ("Glory") that deals with old material and serves joyed and highly recommend both films, even if they had their problems.

> However, this "Samurai" film is defi-Vol. 2" opens in February and many movie nerds leaving Cruise's film will be asking one question: "Tom Cruise and Uma Thurman in a sword fight — who would win?"

My money is on Uma.

EPPLER'S RATING:

**** - Flawless ★★★ - Excellent *** - Good

** - Mediocre

- Awful

SUNDAY

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NEW YORK (AP) — Rap and R&B have been consistent charttoppers for the last few years, but in 2003 they took over pop music and the Grammy nominations on Thursday. The year's top-selling artist: rap-

per 50 Cent. Two of the year's biggest hits came from R&B singer Beyonce. In October, every spot on Billboard's top 10 singles chart was held by a rap or R&B artist.

Grammy voters took notice, doling out six nominations each to Beyonce, Jay-Z, OutKast and Pharrell Williams.

"Hip-hop is at its most commercial point," Andre 3000 of the rap duo OutKast told The Associated Press. "It's pretty poppy, and it's popular this year."

Five nominations apiece went to Missy Elliott, Eminem, Evanescence, 50 Cent, Chad Hugo, Ricky Skaggs, Justin Timberlake, the ailing Luther Vandross and the late Warren Zevon.

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Pit noise could distract road weary Raiders

By Matt Muench/Managing Editor

Ask Texas Tech coach Bob Knight how to succeed on the basketball court, and he will give you a 13-letter word. It's one of his favorite words: concentration. If you do that, Knight says, it leads to another one of his favorite words. Three letters only: win.

"There is no word that is more symbolic for good play than the word concentration," he said. "It has to be there. That is why (Jack) Nicklaus was the best golfer. He concentrated better than anyone body else. Anything that has to be improved from our game is absolute sheer concentration."

That improvement is something the Raiders will need Saturday when they play New Mexico at 2 p.m. in one of the loudest arenas in the country - The Pit in Albuquerque, N.M.,

where the atmosphere is one of college basketball's best.

"(The Pit) has always been a great place to play," Knight said. "It's a great place for the home team."

Tech (5-2) will be a big target in New Mexico. The Raiders always are when they are in someone else's home. That was the case Monday when they lost at SMU.

Open the history book. Tech is 11-

11 on another visitor's hardwood and 28-6 at the United Spirit Arena with Knight pacing the sidelines.

They will need Tech forward Andre Emmett to play well again to win on the road. He will need help, also.

Unlike the last two seasons, Tech does not have another scoring threat. That is a problem for Knight.

"I think we're trying to find ourselves with scoring from another source right now," Knight said. "We had scoring spread out a little bit, and we just need to get somebody with some more consistency in scoring."

Tech guard Ronald Ross said the Raiders have been gun shy.

"We know Andre can score," Ross said. "But I don't think anybody else on the team has been ready to step up and hit that shot."

Emmett agreed, but he said this prob-

lem doesn't involve everyone's role.

"I'm a scorer. But it's not everybody's job to score," Emmett said. "We have to play a role, I guess."

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The Lobos (2-2) are on a two-game losing streak. Knight said they will be another test. He wants that challenge.

ence, these teams we're playing," he said. "We are trying to play people that can beat us. That has happened."

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Dec. 5, 2003

Cal defensive strategy shapes Lady Raiders

By David Wiechmann/Staff Reporter

Every game is a learning experience, and the Lady Raiders are hoping to take what they learned about their offense against the press defense and into their next battle with United Spirit Arena.

TEXAS TECH: JIA PERKINS

STATS: Averaging 17 points, 6.8 re-

NOTES: Is No. 3 in the Big 12 Confer-

ence in scoring and is No. 14 in the Big 12

bounds and 2.7 assists per game.

in field goal percentage.

PLAYER SPOTLIGHT

flow. But Tech recovered from the pressure to pull out a 76-69 win, and the Lady Raiders want to take that experience with them when they take on the Cowgirls.

"We had a lot of turnovers heels or traveling." Wyoming at 2 p.m. Saturday at the against a really good pressure defense, and we have to work on it on In Texas Tech's last game, Cali- Saturday against Wyoming," said fornia pressured the Lady Raider of- center Jolee Ayers-Curry. "There's

TEXAS TECH: CASEY JACKSON

STATS: Averaging 7.6 points, 7.9 re-

NOTES: Is No. 9 in the Big 12 in total

rebounds and is No. 3 in the conference

bounds and 1.5 assists per game.

in offensive rebounds.

fense, causing some problems with always a lot of things to fix. One thing we need to do is tone it down on our turnovers. I think a lot of our turnovers are from us being aggressive. I think those are better than turnovers when you're back on your

> Knowing what went wrong is the first step to correcting it, and Ayers-Curry said therealways is something on which to improve. She believes how the pressure defense initially slowed Tech's offense and it showed signs of weakness, but the Lady Raiders will do what it takes to overcome that.

> "I think it is a little bit of a weakness, but it kinda is for everybody," she said. "It disrupts your offense a little bit. I think us working on it in practice has helped us, and we've improved a lot against it."

> would naturally make Tech's offense run more efficiently, but the unit has been efficient regardless. The Lady Raiders shot 51.7 percent from the field in their last game, and Ayers-Curry said that is one of the strong points of this year's squad.

"I definitely think our shot selection has improved as we've gone through the games, and we definitely as a team have started making that extra pass to get the wide open shot as opposed to the contested one," she said. "I think that's what won the game for us against California."

Tech coach Marsha Sharp said how California's defense approached her team Monday night was not a surprise. It is a common idea that coaching staffs have to put a kink in the Lady Raider offense and try to take advantage of it.

"People think they need to disrupt our offensive patterns and think we want to pass the basketball and create shots for each other and set pick and find some gaps," she said. "And if they can really pressure us, Cutting down on turnovers I think they feel they have a chance to beat us."

Wyoming enters the game without a win. Tech comes into the game without a loss, but the game could be a challenge for the Lady Raiders nonetheless. Last year's game, though, would not indicate a close matchup between the two squads.

Last year Tech traveled to Wyoming and showed the Cowgirls up on their home court 84-44. Tech has the home court this season to try and recreate the victory.

The Lady Raiders have the players to do it, too.

On Monday guard Jia Perkins scored 29 points as she took the team on her shoulders as Sharp continued to run the offense through her. Knowing the Lady Raiders have

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enough players capable of doing such themselves to get it done. So, I think anyone would be able to do what she did if they had to.

ways, and I think anybody's ready to take the challenge," she said. "If their trying to maintain it; that comes number's called, I think the whole down to playing hard-nosed defense," team has confidence in whoever she said. "I think we really need to (Sharp) is going to call to do that, learn how to put teams away where

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a thing gives Perkins confidence that it's great for us not to be just one- or two-dimensional."

That multi-dimensional player "We have a lot of different scor- would like to see Tech put Wyoming ers and different threats in different away if the Lady Raiders build a lead.

"The key is if we get a lead and and they have the confidence in if we get a lead we build on it."

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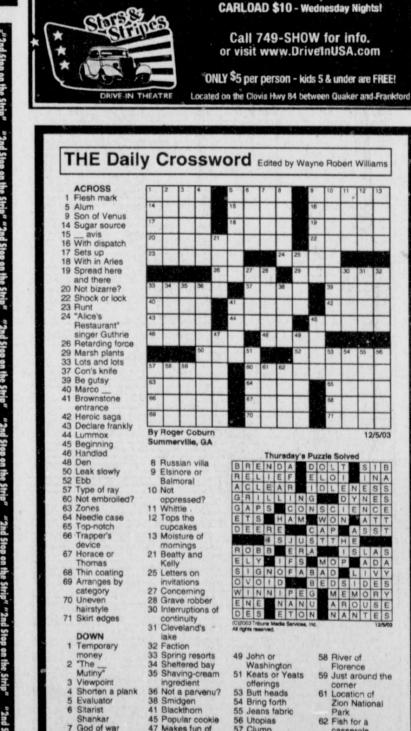
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