## Albright pledges response to Iraq

■ U.S. secretary of state promises to defend region

## KUWAIT (AP) - Secretary of State

 Madeleine Albright assured Israel and its Arab neighbors Sunday the United Stateswould have a "swift and resounding" would have a "swift and resounding"
response to any Iraqi attack in the region. "The United States stands with you in the face of Saddam's latest threat," Albright told the Israeli people in a televised Jerusalem news conference. She then flew to the Persian Gulf and gave the same message to leaders of Kuwait. She intends to repeat it Monday to government leaders in Saudi Arabia as part of a swing through the region to line up Arab support for possible military ac-

## During the current impasse between said his government realizes "how seri- The official Iraq and the United Nations over weap- ous the present situation is and <br> This time Irael is wowing quit.

 ons inspections, Baghdad has uttered neapsecific public, threat of atack. In Kuwait State Department negative consequences that may result man James P. Rubin said Albright told failure to comply with international resoofficials: "The United States stood with lutions" on U.N. weapons inspections you when Saddam Hussein attacked yo seven years ago; the United States stand with you in the face of Saddam's threa today."".She support of the she has the 100 percen Rubin said atter talks inent of Kuwait," In a statement, Kuwait's acting foreig
lutions" on U.N. weapons inspections.
In 1990, most Arab countries - Jo
dan was noticeably in dissent - sup-
to liberate Kuwait. This time, the Arabs'
tance is difficult to evaluate.
State Department officials said Kuwait
and Jordan, whose King Hussein met Fri-
day night in London with Albright, are
e as well
In 1991, as planes of the U.S.-led coa lition blasted Iraq, both Israel and Soud Arabia were hit by Iraqi missiles before Iraqi President Saddam Hussein's annexFar Kuwait was reversed.
Faced with the growing likelihood of a U.S. bombardment of suspects arms
sites, Israel is worried that Saddam may be inclined to strike again.
During the gulf war, the Bush administration pressured Israel not to retaliate for the 39 Scud missiles that hit its territory. The worry was that if Israe! joined
to any attack. At a news conference after inconclu ive back-to-back talks with Prime Min- Benjamin Netanyahu and Palestin an leader Yasser Arahu and Palestin dressed the Israeli people. The United States stands with you in the face of Saddam's latest threat toIn Jerusalem, the Haaretz newspape eported that the United States has agree o supply Israel with hundreds of thou ands of doses of antidotes against bi

Texas political contests heat up

BY JAMES WALKER The University Daily

The race for lieutenant governor
is rapidly eclipsing the governor's is rapidly eclipsing the governor's politics.
While Democrat Garry Mauro trails incumbent Gov George W. Bush by a wide margin in most polls, the race for lieutenant governor is inn closer. State Comptroller John Sharp, a Democrat, has a slight lead
over Republican Agriculture Comover Republican Agriculture Commissio
Perry polls this early usually only show name rec-
ognition, Democrats have reason
from those num-
bers, said Kelly
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 election, and if independents win publicans are willing to cross party lines to vote for Sharp, they might cross over onBush's presidential aspirations are ${ }^{\text {in }}$ "Texas is a big state, and it requires also entering into the politics of the a big message," Sullivan said. race, he said. If Bush were to win, and "It is important to have a conser-
step down in 2000 to run for the presi-
vative lieutenant governor who can dency as many suspect, the lieuten- work with Gov. Bush and legislators ant governor would take over the

Parole board set to announce clemency decision for Tucker demned killer Karla Faye Tucker learns Monday if Texas parole officials believe she is a woman of God
who should be spared a trip to the death chamber this week. The Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles sad 1 word Ping in boul 32 hours before Tucker was be betted to a gurney inside the Huntsville Unit of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice and have inserted into her arms two needles carrying poison to kill her.
She would be the first woman ex ecuted in Texas since 1863 and only he second in the United States since the Supreme Court in 1976 allowed capital punishment to resume. The 38 -year-old former teen-age prostupe, drug user and rock band ion for her part in a pickax attack that left two people dead at a Houston apartment in 1983.
 gornor's're Gov. Bush, you've got
"If you're
to hope the lieutenant governor is
Rick Perry," Fero said. "The voters
are probably considering who is most
qualified to move up."
Sharp's platorm includes cracking
down on gang violence, putting in-
mates to work, more money for edu-
cation and a tax cut for small busi-
nesses, he said.
Retiring Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock has
signed on as Sharp's honorary cam-
paign coordinator. $\quad$ Rick Perry is


Red Raider Pride: Texas Tech cheerleaders root for The team lost to the No. 9-ranked Stanfor

## Third

week of Oprah trial starts

AMARILLO (AP) - A vegetar ian activist being sued along with

Oprah Winfrey for slandering U S beef in an April 1996 talk show about mad cow disease was still to be on the witness stand when the defam tion trial resumed Monday. Howard Lyman endured difficult questioning on Friday by attorneys for Texas cattlemen who are suing him, for $\$ 10.3$ million, contending that an Oprah" show on mad cow disease on April 16, 1996, pushed already slumping beef prices to 10 -year lows
Lyman, who has yet to face que Lyman, who has yet to face ques-
tioning by his own attorneys, aptioning by his own attorneys, ap-
peared to hurt Winfrey's case when peared to hurt Winfrey's case when
he said that reassuring pro-beef comments that were edited out of the show would have been relevant to viewers
as long as the statements were true. The former cattle rancher turned vegetarian seemed to hurt his own
case when he was asked what acts he case when he was asked what acts he that mad cow disease could mak AIDS seem like the common cold.
Assistant dean leaves for local group

BY CAREN CARNEFIX

The University Daily
After paving the way as the first assistant dean of students for Greek
life almost four years ago, Patricia Honacki will leave Texas Tech today to play a more active role in the Lubbock community
Broadway Festivative director of Broadway Festivals Inc., Honacki
finds herself in an ideal position "I've been involved with Broad way Festivals, and I've always wanted this position," said Honacki, a Joliet, III., native.
"That job had all that involvement
in the arts - it had to be me.
Chris Wallace, the former executive director, left the position at the fied the Dean of Students Office Jan2 of her decision to leave. "I think it's harder to le that you love to do," she said "Tech is a great place. If I could do both, I would."
Honacki said the skills she gained in her position at Tech will transfer to her new job as executive director of Broadway Festivals Inc. "I $m$ the poster child for transfer able skills," she said.
"The organizational skills are simi-
lar, and I've had to deal with the media. It all applies."
Duties that Honacki busied herself with as assistant dean of students were advising and disciplining members of events such as Rush and Bid panning managing several and Bid
Feb. 3, Honacki will begin to oversee operations of the Broadway Festivals Inc. and coordinate volunteer efforts to produce community events tion, Fourth Corps, Lights on Broadway Holiday Festival and the Buddy Holly Music Festival.
Honacki participated as a community volunteer for the organization in recent years, and now looks forward to her new position.
"Broadway Festiv business of promotingls is in the sole business of promoting Lubbock," she

## "People come in from all over

Texas and New Mexico to see Fourth on Broadway, to see our fireworks show. I see so much potential in Lubbock. I believe in Lubbock." Although she will not be employed by Tech, Honacki said she will not give up her ties to the university community.


## The lure of Broadway: Patricia Honacki, assistant dean of students,

 leaves Texas Tech today to work at a Lubbock community organization.
## "I will volunteer on a community <br> able to just take off from where I left

 level maybe acting as a community of adviser to a sorority," she said. " want to be involved as much as university will let me. Honacki doesn't expect her positil June, because of the application and interviewing processes. "I'm excited about the new ader," Honacki said."I had to come here and learn ev erything. It took me a couple of se mesters to get my feet wet. "The new person will have at leas
off:"
Asso
Elkins Elkinsociate Dean of Students Greg Elkins and graduate assistant Doug
Palmquist will split Honacki's responPalmquist will split Hona
Honacki's position will be difficult to fill, said Dean of Students Michael Shonrock.
"I really think a lot of Patti," Shonrock said.
"The Greek system was fortunate to have someone of her expertise, energy and true passion. She will be missed. Fortunately, she 'll continue to
be a part of the Lubbock community."

## UT in violation of lab safety codes

AUSTIN (AP) - The University
of Texas is still in violation of safety codes more than a year after a sixlabs on campus, a state audit con. cluded.
Despite pledges from UT adminrepeated violations were never shut down.
"While management has strengthened safety procedures governing

## dures without penalty," the repore

 leased Friday said. In October of 1996, Welch Hal caught fire during a postdoctoral reearch project Austin's fire no department threatene to limit their response to future cam pus fires unless the university improved safety. While combing through the build ing firefighters found two tanks ofSchlumberger Wireline \& Testing, an oilfield services company. is currently seeking highly motivated individuals for Field Engineering Positions.

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dicted could have caused a "devaslating" loss of life if released into the tatir.
Because it is a state institution, the university is not bound by the City of Austin's fire codes.
Charles Franklin, vice president for business affairs, said though he had not read the report yet, UT offi cials will take the recommendations seriously.
"We will follow up and we will make correctio
Franklin said. Franklin said
en statement, UT In a written statement, UT official said they plan to hire a director for the Office of Environmental Health
and Safety by Aprill 1 .
tudies.
The university has committed
$\$ 30.2$ million to renovate Welch and issued a revised safety manual, among
other safety initiatives.
But state auditors found that the mplof and students have ained in safety precautions. Faculty members who fail to corand some are assigned to evaluate the condition of their own laboratories,
he report said.
State auditor's found 47 violations of safety policies in 20 labs during the last two years, including improperly storing and labeling chemicals. The state audit recommended that rants, issuing negative werfolding reviews and closing live performance


Chémistry labs are inherently
risky, said Jeff Rubin, who was re cently hired dean of environmental health and safety for the College of
"We work to manage those risk
more effectively," Rubin said. "But
any time you're in a lab, you are tak-



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Agritech partnership hosts planning meeting
The Texas Agritech Corridor Partnership will host a strategic planning meeting at $8: 15 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Tuesday at Texas Tech's International Cultural Center. The ing is open to the public Partnership includes public and Parnersip icludes public and private interests that have com-
bined to attract capital investments for the formation of valueadded based industries and accelerated research initiatives.
The partnership is a collaborative endeavor involving the Texas Department of Economic Development, Tech, the International Agritech Center in San Antonio
and the Agribusiness Institute at and the Agribusiness Institute at
Palo Alto College in San Antonio. The strategic planning meeting The strategic planning meeting grant from the U.S. Department of Commerce. The meeting will focus on an area between Lubbock and San Antonio.
Director of Strategic Initiatives for the Texas Department of Eco-

> will present a general orientation. After Inman's presentation. John Abernathy, dean of the Col lege of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources, and Gene Tee Ner, a member of the board of diter, a member of he internationa Agritech Center will speak on th agritech center.
The day-long meeting will fea ture a presentation on a variety topics such as "Review Surve Results," "Planning Process," "Form Area Oversight/ Leader ship/ Communication Teams" an "Review/Defin

During the noon luncheon, During the no bency briefings by representa tives of the Texas Department of Agriculture and the Texas Wate Development Board will be pre Developm
sented.
For mo
For more information, contac Kary Mathis, director of the Inter national Center for Arid and Semiarid Land Studies and professor o agricultural and ap
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# A Classy Air 

KOHM-89.1 celebrates 10 years of broadcasting in ribbon-cutting ceremony


Out With The Old: Sylvia Jones, left, director of development for KOHM shows Robert Anderson, director of South Plains Foundation, and Iris Anderso the new equipment the station received to replace the old equipment.

Collection gives new name to absurd NEW YORK (AP) - Larry The artist who collects inane celeb Hagman has a jewel of a gallstone. rity objects also has a surgical staple
After having several gallstones re-
from Hagman's transplant ant the $\begin{array}{cl}\text { After having several galistones re-- } & \text { from Hagman's transplant ant the keys } \\ \text { moved during his liver transplant in } & \text { to his dressing room from "Dallas." }\end{array}$ 1995, Hagman sent them to artist Benes also has a throat lozenge that Barton Benes who made one into a President Clinton threw out in an ashring. "He has a great sense of humor," pencil chewed by Geraldo Rivera and Benes says in the Feb. 7-13 TV Guide. a lock of Mary Martin's hair.
 STUDENTS
The student yearbook, La Ventana, was one of four college yearbooks in the country to be awarded the 1997 Gold Crown Yearbook Award from Columbia Scholastic Press Association. Melissa Toombs, served as editor.
The Lambda Tau Chapter of Phi Gamima Delta was awarded the 1997 Chaney Cup, the fraternity's national award for best overall
shapter in the U.S. and Canada. This is the first award to a chapter hapter in the U.S. and Canada. This is the first award to a chapter
Texas.
Blayn Barnard-Henry, received an Honorable Mention Award from
he National Order of Omega. She is one of 50 recipients in the
hation chosen for outstanding leadership, service and scholarship. hation chosen for outstanding leadership, service and schola Festival, hosted by Texas Tech University Department of Theatre and Dance, She Stands On Her Head, a new play dealing with AIDS ethics, and mortality, was honored for Meritorious Achievement in Playwriting and Directing. It was written by Tech doctoral stu
James Bush and directed by Tech doctoral student Robert James Bush
Wernsman.
Six fashion design majors received outstanding achievement awards at the 1997 Texas natural Fibers Fashion Design Competition. The students are Lalon Alexander. Celyna Flores,
Disa Horton, Shane Riley, Tanya Schumacher and Heidi Xiong The Texas Tech Livestock Judging Team won High Team Overall The Texas Tech Livestock Jugiging eam won
at the 1998 National Western Livestock Show and Rodeo. A total of at the 1998 National Western Livestock Show and Rodeo. At otal of
32 teams competed from across the nation. Members of the team are Jason Behrends, Kacey Bessler, Chris Bishop, Jaime Bobinmyer, Jason Byrd, Dustin Dean, Health Hornecker, Misti Pilster, Matt Schertz, Chad Thomas, and Joe Wolfe.

The Epilson Omega chapter of Pi Kappa Phi sponsored a clothing drive among campus Greek organizations during the week after Thanksgiving. The drive resulted in two thousand articles of clothin being donated to Hearlline, a non-profit organization
Members of fraternities and sororities at Texas Tech donated more than 15,589 hours of volunteer service and raised more than $\$ 36,823$
for charitable enterprises during the Fall 1997 semester. for charitable enterprises during the fall 1997 semester
Information for the monthiy notice should be directed to the Office of
the Vice-President for Student Aftairs ( $e$-mail a5kha@ 1 tuym1 tlu ed the Vice-President for Student Af
fax: $742-2137$, Phone: 742-2131.

## BY MELISSA WILLIA

The University Daily
KOHM-89.1 FM celebrated 10 years of broadcasting classical mu sic Sunday with a special ribbon-cutling ceremony to ded
The event took place in R
The event took place in Room 210 of the journalism building and hon-
ored members of the CH and South Plains Foundations for their donations they made recently that helped replaced the station's aging equipment.
Derri
.
Derrick Ginter, operations direc tor for KOHM, said he spent the ma
jority of the Chrismas ority of the Christmas holiday intalling the new audio console. H ties of the new machinery.
"The difference in our signal is noticeable," Ginter said. "It has sig Ginter said the system is uniqu
Gimproved our sound any of Lubbock's radio stations. To. our knowledge, no other radio station in town has a sound or setup like we do. That's one of the reasons we're having this open house is to
say that we are something special ay that we are something special nd this is why.
ment, said all of the equipmene


KOHM station used to have was held to-
gether with scotch tape, wire and paper clips.
"The audio console had been used or so long, and we were really havng problems with it," Jones said.
parts to replace things with.
Jones, Jones, originally from Yorkshire, England, has spent the last five years rodiostation the two-room classical radio station. The main studio, where the new audio console now resides, is the size of a bathroom. It is lined with bookshelves full of cultural compact discs.
She said station's format is classical, while the remainder is jazz, new age, folk, remainder is jazz, new age, folk,
Celtic and medical programs. KOHM also broadcasts the National Public Radio news program.
Jones is not the only English woman who works at the station. Jo Hayes, special program director, is
from Oxford, England. She has been
in 1989 and is in charge of health programs. "What we try to do is inform the public in what is out there and what heir options are," Hayes said.
Hayes said once a week she Hayes said once a week she does
a program on different topics, such as psychiatry, drug abuse, ophthal mology and venereal diseases. Hayes said Sundays used to terrible days because she would always end her shows in her English accent by saying, "The Patriots are coming, the Patriots are coming!" Jones said laughing "bery careful, Jones said, laughing, "because by the end of the show you'd end up with a

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## STUDENT ARENA SEATING

As you know, there has been confusion on the number of seats that will be available for students when the doors open at the United Spirit Arena. The seating arrangements below depict the seating for women's games and the seating for men's games. On behalf of the Student Arena Advisory Board and the Athletic Department we hope this clears up any confusion.
The students of Texas Tech can expect to have outstanding seating in the future Arena. Please come and be a part of the official signing of the Arena agreement that will be held on Tuesday, February 3, at 2:00pm in the University Center courtyard. This agreement will insure that the promises made to the student body are not soon forgotten or compromised.

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## Opinions

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## STATE EDITORIAL ROUNDUP

Lubbock Avalanche-Journal on Russia and its oil:
A new reason bubbles up for our being pals with erstwhile enemies, the Russians. The old Soviet Union is gone, the Cold War has ended and oil enters the picture.
The Russians have oil - lots - and the United States might find it worthwhile to pull up at their pump. Perhaps we might wean ourselves away from dependency on uncertain Mideast oil.
giants, Yukos and Sibneft, are merging into a conglomerate with the greatest proven reserves in the world.
One report said the merger positions the two firms to buy up "the last attractive oil assets" as Russia nears the end of its process of privatizing stateowned companies.
The deal also was said to represent a pooling of the clout of two of Russia's biggest industrialists, Mikhail B. Khodorkovsky of the banking group that holds Yukos, and former deputy national security chief Boris A. Berezovsky who has vast interests will
Khodorkon the $\$ 9$ billid is conglomerate, which is to be called Yuksi. He says that
five years.
With suc
ter Viktor S. Chernomyrdin calls it is no surprise that Russia's Prime Miniseconomic development. The prime minister said the deal is in keeping with the government's aim of consolidating the country's oil-producing prowess in a handful of powerful conglomerates better able to compete on the international scene.
Yukos and Sibneft, with combined proven reserves of 16.5 billion barrels, last year produced about 1.3 million barrels a day. In proven reserves, the merger creates the world's biggest oil company, followed by Royal Dutch Shell of Britain, Exxon, Russia s Lukoil, and British Petroleum.
Lately the price of crude oil has dipped below $\$ 18$ a barrel for the first time
in two years. With heightened Russian activity on the production and sales in two years. Whne, the downward pressure on the price of fuel could be a continuing and, for U.S. consumers - a welcome development.

Amarillo Globe-News on expansion of Medicare:
U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm does have a way with words. Why, he asked the other day, would someone want to "put more people on the Titanic when the Titanic is sinking?
The Texas Republican's question came in the wake of President Clin-ton's proposal to expand Medicare. From a purely political standpoint, Clinton's proposal is likely to have wide appeal. It helps provi
millions of Americans who don't have any coverage.
But what about the fiscal impact of extending a federal
according to experts, already is dangerously overextended? revenue by about $\$ 26$ billion. Part B (doctor visits) is in exeeds payroll tax The combined shortfall last year was $\$ 80$ billion.
Why put more stress on a financially shaky government insurance system by expanding it to encompass recipients as young as 55 ?
The president says his plan would be self-financing, since those who choose to participate would be required to pay a monthly premium of $\$ 300$ to $\$ 400$. But would those premiums be enough to stem the flow of red ink? Would they increase as time goes by to keep pace with steadily rising health costs?
A bipartisan commission created this past summer already is pondering the future of Medicare and is looking for way to keep it solvent. It stretches credulity to believe the commission would conclude that adding to the program's financial burden will keep it in the black.
Gramm is right. You don't add more people to a sinking program.

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> University Daily online at www.ttu.edu/~TheUD.

## Equal punishment?

Gender should not be issue in Tucker's upcoming execution


Finally, the inequity of capital punishment has been unveiled, but sadly another life probably will be the price. For as ong as f can remember, the s punishment for unspeaked no crimes, but as a way to attain vengeance for the family of the victim in the name of law and the state.
The uproar about the execution of pick-ax murderer Karla Tucker, which is scheduled for Tuesday, has arisen not because she has found God and is a changed person, but because she is
a she.
This double standard outraged me cause she is a human being. It should be noted that the fami-o-called punish- share the notion so-called punish-
ment, to the point that I actually believed she should be executed. I wanted an- clare I have come to other human be- my senses and hope ing to be put to death, just to illustrate that this penance could
not be adminisnot be adminis-
tered equitably. If she is granted a reprieve, this
point will be
point will be
proven. 1 am happy to declare I have come to my senses and hope she is not executed, not because she has found God - like so many death-row inmates do-and
not because she is a woman, but be-
share the notion
that so many of the religious people, speaking in Tucker's behalf, share. They want the execution to follow through, as so many of th
families do. families do.
What Tuesday prove to - Texas and the Texas and the
rest of the coun-
try?
Regardless of what happens, the flaw in the very nature of this punishment - emotion has been illuminated. The emotion of Tucker's support
-and
If this punishment is capable of
In eliciting such emotion, how can a jury be expected to remain unswayed by this almost universal human charac teristic.
This might explain the fact that Texas has not executed a women sinc the Civil War
The mental burden of capital pun ishment falls not only on the jury that public also public also.
ny longer, but luck bear this burde onscience by writing my grievance in the paper.
How will you relieve yours?
Call or fax Victor Rodriquez, chairman of the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles: phone: (512)463679; fax: (512)463-8120 ajor from Borger.


## SGA Spotlight

The SGA Spotlight is a tool used to inform students about university issues dealing directly with the students. If you have any comments or
suggestions about the SGA Spotlight, please feel free to contact any student senator, executive officer or myself at 742-3631, or come by the SGA office located upstairs in the University

> Center.
-Chris Wright, Public Relations
Committee
Public Relations Committee There have been a lot of question during the past few weeks regarding the expansion of the Student Recreation Center. We would like to clarify the proposed plans for the renovation
the Rec Center.

1. The fee being voted on will be for a $\$ 25$ Rec Center fee to be added 2. This fee increase will ffect until the fall semester of the year 2000.

The
project was endorsed by the Student
in order to better our recreational facilities and to compete in recruiting in the state of Texas.
4. The final decision will be up to cide during body at Texas Tech to deMarch 4 . SGA spring elections - Chris Wright, chairman of Public Relations Committe

## University Life Committee

The committee on university is focusing its efforts this semester ing at tech issue of drinking and drivto us that several universities around the nation control their own desig. nated driver program. Our committee is looking into the feasibility of cre-
ating a student-run designated driver ating a student-run designated driver service here at Tech. Another issue
that has been raised is the issue of the number of teaching assistants of the pared to the number of professors at Tech. The University Life Commit tee will be looking into this issue to - see how Tech compares to other lead-
ing schools. If you have a comment or suggestion regarding any these is sues, please contact the SGA office. the University Life Committee

Intergov Committee
The Inter Cornernmental Relations tion inviting faculty, administration
and student leaders to the Merket and student leaders to the Merke
Alumni Center from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 19. Your attendance Thursday, Feb. 19. Your attendance
will be greatly appreciated. This will be a great chance to get to know your student senators. If you have any questions call Blythe Harrell at 795

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- Blythe Harrell, chairwoman of the Intergovernmental Relations Committee

Budget and Finance Committe
The budget process aready ittee full swing. By nows argady is in should have signed up for an inter view and submitted their budget pack
ets to the SGA office. Interviews are currently in progress, so don't forget about your interview time. There will be more funds to distribute to organizations this year. Last year's budge of $\$ 140,000$ was increased to 155,000 for the upcoming year. This s good news. Some important dates remember for the next couple o months are:

- Today - interviews begin in the SGA office conference room -Thursday, Feb. 26 - First reading of the $1998-99$ budget bill at $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. - Thursday Soom.
- Thursday, March 12 - Second p.m. in the UC Seas budget bill at p.m. in the UC Senate Room. The -Thursday, March 26 -Third read of the $1998-99$ be - Third read p.m. in the UC Senate Room. The bill will be open for debate.
If you have any questions or com ments please contact the SGA office Mat
Matt Foster, chairman of the Budget and Finance Committee

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## Red Raiders bomb alumni baseball team

BY HEATH ROBINSON

The University Daily The 1998 Texas Tech baseball team flexed its muscle Saturday, deteam fexed is muscle Saturday, de-
feating the Tech alumni team 16-6. In the process, the Red Raiders may have emented their status as favorites to win the Big 12 Conference for a second consecutive season.
Home runs from Jason Huth, Junior Rodriguez, Keith Ginter and Jaon Landreth paced the offensive atlack, while eight different pitchers held down the alumni effort. I thought it was good for our young guys to get a chance to play against some of hese players," Tech
coach Larry Hays said.
"It's always fun to welcome some of the older guys back. I think they really enjoy it, and it's good experience for our team. Plus, we played well today, so it was a great thing." The Red Raiders played more than well. In some spots, the Tech team already looked brilliant.
Ryan Brewer started strong for the
alumni team, alumni team, tossing a scoreless first inning and retiring the first two batters in the second. Then the bats came 0 life.
Tech scored 11 runs with two outs and chased Br
the process.
Next came pitcher Rodney Steph, who played at Tech from 1988-1991, and now is laboring in the Kansas City

Roys minorleagues.
Steph gave up the final six runs in booming home run to dead center to the second before striking out Ryan Saul Bustos.
"These guys can really hit the The alumni were on top of baseball," Steph can really hit the Cornejo's offspeed pitches, but he still "I truly believe there are no limits on
where coach where coach
Hays can take this squad. They killed our pitching and played great defense as well." But perhaps
the best sign for the best sign for
Tech was the Tech was the performance of
 Hays can take this because they squad. $9 \begin{aligned} & \text { were all good, } \\ & \text { Kastelic, } 3 \text {-for-3 }\end{aligned}$ Rodney Steph, alumni on the day, said. Rodney Steph, alumni pitcher - $\begin{aligned} & \text { every once in a } \\ & \text { while, but it wa }\end{aligned}$
 clean first inning.
Ralston then forced Trey
Forkerway to fly out and then picked Forkerway to fly out and then picked
Matt Kastelic off at first base after yielding a single to left. He then forced Joe Dillon to ground to third base to end the inning.
Junior transfer Jess nothing solid. Ralston had some re ally good stuff, and
looked solid, too."
All of Tech's pitchers saw action
which Hays thought was important. "One of our goals today was to see where our pitching was," Hays said about the game.
"I thought we looked really good There's still an awful lot of question to be answered. We're all a little ner-

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bout opening up the season But not according to hitting star Jason Huth, who stroked a secondinning home run, singled, scored twice and drove in three runs. Five players drove in two runs, and the eight, nine and one hitters in its lineup hit homers.
ineup," Huth said.
"The way we played today, I think we're all excited about getting up to New Mexico on Tuesday and showing what we are all about."
The Red Raiders officially will open their season at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Albuquerque, N.M., when they face the New Mexico Lobos for a twogame series before opening their
home schedule Friday against West Texas A\&M.

Rain delays Watson's bid
PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. (AP) - Tom Watson was poised to make golf history. Tim Herron was shooting for the biggest paycheck
of his career. Torrential rain washed both out Sunday at the AT\&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am.
Sheet-like rain driven by heavy winds wiped out play after three holes of the third round Sunday, forcing organizers to extend the tournament to today - and per haps even Tuesday. The tourna ment has been reduced to 54 holes. today, but the weather forecast was ominous. Heavy rain was expected, with $20-30 \mathrm{mph}$ winds and stronger gusts.

Watson, trying to win the title a record 20 years after his previous victory at the Pebble Beach
tournament, looked to the dark tournament, looked to the dark
skies and invoked the spirit of tourskies and invoked the spirit of tou
nament founder Bing Crosby. nament founder Bing Crosby. are. Stop the rain," Watson said. The AT\&T tournament was washed out after two rounds in 1996, making it the first PGA Tour event that could not be completed since 1949,
It is the first PGA Tour event extended to Monday since the
Memorial Tournament in Dublin, Memorias Tournament in Dublin,
Ohio, last June. If it goes beyond Ohio, last June. If it goes beyond
that, it would be the first tourney extended to Tuesday since the 1980 Tucson Open.

## The University Daily <br> Reader's ChOICE Awards

The Readers Choice Awards are a fun spring promotion sponsored by The University Daily.
The most popular answers will be tabulated and published in a special section on Friday, April 24. The rules are easy...Follow them and your vote will count!
Entries must be clearly printed or typed. To be counted, ballots must include name, address, phone \& student ID number (SSN) or the person submitting the ballot.
Entries become property of The UD which reserves the right to publish ballot answers \& comments.
Final decisions on ballots, categories \& winning entries will be made by The UD.

- Ballots must be filled out completely.

BEST FOOD \& RESTAURANT category BEST SIGHTS \& SOUNDS category



## Pacific Sweep

## Lady Raiders fail to ax Stanford 'Cats beat Kansas

## BY JASON BERNSTEIN

The University Daily
For the Texas Tech Lady Raiders,
he Big $12 /$ Pac 10 Challenge turned the Big 12/Pac 10 Challenge turned out to be a Big 12 disaster as they fell
to the No. 9 -ranked Stanford Cardinal 80-71 Saturday night in the sold"I am really dispal Coliseum. 'T am really disappointed that we Sharp after the loss. "We should have won, but we just didn't make th plays."

The first half contained a see-saw loughest heavyweights as the No. ranked Lady Raiders held Stanford to 40 percent shooting while forcing 13
Cardinal turnovers.
The first 10 minutes of the half contained five lead changes and some ough inside baskets by senior for ard Alicia Thompson. sompson chipped in with eigh 9 minutes of play. The Lady Raid rs went on a 19-13 run to take a 36 30 halftime lead into the locker room. Stanford's largest first half lead was two points, which occurred at the 1:00 mark.
The Lady Raiders shot just over 53 percent in the first frame largely in 12 points on 6 -of- 9 shooting fromers
12 points on 6 -of-9 shooting from the
field.



Mt. Olympia: Cardinal center Olympia Scott drives past Lady Raider post Angie Braziel in Stanford's $80-71$ upset of Tech Saturday.

## BY BRENT DIRKS

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The University Daily,
The No. 10 -ranked Arizona
women's basketball team withstood
a alate Kansas surge to hold off the
Jayhawks $67-62$ in the first game of
the Big 12 PPac 10 Challenge Satur-
day at the Lubbock Municipal Coli-
seum.
With the Wildcats (14-4 overall, 7 -
2 Pac 10) up by as many as 17 points
early in the second haff, the Jayhawks
(13-5 overall, $5-3$ Big 12 ) began their
comeback, which has become all to

## familiar for Kansas.

"Tm pleased with our effort and sas coach Marian Washington said after the game.
"Im certainly pleased with the way we fought."
With strong inside play from
Jayhawk forwards Jacyld Jayhawk forwards Jacyln Johnson and
Lynn Pride, combined with Lynn Pride, combined with three-
point accuracy from the Kansas guards, the lead shrank to $52-49$ with $4: 53 \mathrm{left}$ in the contest.
Arizona then fought back and increased the lead to seven with $3: 17$ left. The Wildcats kept a strong grasp of their lead until late in the game.
A free throw by Johnson, who finA free throw by Johnson, who fin-
ished with 16 points, cut the lead to
$64-62$ with $0: 25$ left.
Arizona guard Felecity Willis
Arizona guard Felecity Willis
made the back end of a double-bonus made the back end of a double-bonu


Jump Ball: Kansas guard Suzi Raymant and Arizona guard Reshea Brigtol battle for the ball in Saturday's Big 12 /Pac 10 Challenge.
with 0:20 left.
The Jayhawks then ran down the pointer by Pride was but a threetially, and the Wildcats took hod par"We were in a position, I felt, to have a shot at pulling the game off;"
Washington said "That's all you can ask for from your ball club," Wildcat coach Joan Bonvicini said Arizona was prepared to see a taiented Jayhawk team.
"Obviously, we were very pleased We knew going in Bonvicini said. extremely athletic team, extremely extremely athletic team, extremely

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# Growing up 'Different' <br> <br> Dates to Know <br> <br> Dates to Know <br> <br>  

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Dael Orlandersmith shines a new light on racism
Imagine thinking everyday that you don't belong.
Imagine feeling everyday the
Imagine feeling everyday the constraints-social, economical and historical-of your ethnicity, as they keep you from attaining what you strive to reach.

Imagine being ridiculed and outcast everyday by "your own people."

These are some of the images Dael Orlandersmith portrays in her one-woman play titled Monster.

Orlandersmith tells the story of young Theresa, an East Harlem girl shunned by other black children for being "too white"designation given her because she dreams of one day escaping the poverty-stricken fate of the ghetto.

Orlandersmith, an East Harlem native herself, tells the story of a different kind of racism, an ugly racism that teaches black children they are destined to remain trapped by poverty, illiteracy and depravation. In a world where reading a book is deemed "different" and "wrong," young Theresa wrestles with her desire for a better life and her community's expectations.

Orlandersmith has performed all across the United States, Europe and Australia and won an OBIE Award for her performance in Beauty's Daughter.

She will perform Monster Tuesday, Feb. 10, at 8 p.m. in the UC Allen Theatre. A short reception will follow Orlandersmith's lecture.

The performance, part of the 1998 Nightlife Series and the UC Programs Women's Issues Series, is sponsored by UC Programs and UC Cultural Events.

Tickets cost $\$ 4$ for Tech students and $\$ 8$ for the general public.
For more information about Dael Orlandersmith or other Nightlife events, contact Carrie Kilman or Angie Dunlap at the UC

1998 Women's Issues Series


Valentine's Day contest inspires creativity

Valentine's Day conjures up images of cartoon character cards handed out in classrooms and, of course, the red heart and lace doily valentine's you made in class for your mother. Well, that time you put in trying to be creative with grade school materials could really pay off this Valentine's Day
ing a Create A- Venter Programs and UC Cultural Events are having a Create-A-Valentine contest, and we have some great prizes from some great sponsors
There are two winning categories; individual and group. The winner in the group category will have a blast with their Pizza Party Prize.

The creator of the unique valentine that wins in the individual category will receive four tickets to the Ramsey Lewis/Billy Taylor concert, dinner for four from County Line Barbeque, dinner for four
from Hub City Brewery, dinner for four from the Great Wall Restaufrom Hub City Brewery, dinner for four from the Great Wall Restaurant, IMAX movie tickets for four at Omnimax/Science Spectrum, min-
iature golf for four at PuttPutt, lasertag for four from Laserport, an iature golf for four at PuttPutt, lasertag for four from Laserport, an evening of comedy for four at Froggy Bottoms, two candy assortments and two roses to be delivered on Valentine's Day from Aunt Norie's Confections and two balloon bouquets delivered on Valentine's Day from Balloons by the Bunch.

## This could keep you double-dating or just hanging out with 3

 friends for several weekends and still have cash in your pocket. All you have to do is be creative!ware the do make people aware that two of the great legends of jazz will be performing in the UC Allen Theatre on February 14th. However, we also want to help you to have a lot of fun preparing for Valentine's Day and help you to celebrate really big if you win!
Entering is easy
Entering is easy. All you have to do is pick up an entry packet
from the UC Activities Office (Room 228 of the University Center), from the UC Activities Office (Room 228 of the University Center). These packets are available now. Inside this packet will be an entry
form for individuals, an entry form for groups, the Create-A-Valentine form for individuals, an entry form for groups, the Create-A-Valentine
Contest Official Rules Sheet and the basic elements that must be used in your ofsign. Rules Sheet and the basic elements that must be used materials provided.)

Entries will be accepted until 4:30 p.m. on February 9th and will be displayed in the UC Courtyard from February 9-14. The winners will be announced on February

Make this Valentine's a reaily good one. Enter UC Activities' Create-A-Valentine Contest! (Oh, and don't forget that card for Mom
too. She still looks forward to it!)

## Student volunteers help Tech employees learn how to read through adult education

## UC-Briefs

- Leadership Tech Awards applications are available in Student Organization Services, 210 UC. Nominate your adviser, organization or student leaders for leadership awards to recognize them for their outstanding contributions to Texas Tech. Award packets are due to Student Organizations Services by 5 p.m. Feb 27 . For more information call Kim at 742-3621.
- Mark your calendar and join the Leadership Tech Advisory Committee, Student Organizations Services and Provost John Burns at the annual Student Organization Advisor Appreciation Reception. The reception will be in the UC Matador Room, Feb 11 at 4 p.m. All student organization advisers and officers are invited to attend. Call Kim at 742-3621 for more information.
- Creating a Community of Learning national teleconference program will be shown live in the UC Matador Room from noon to 1:30 p.m. Feb.10. Nationally recognized community building experts will discuss issues of a community of learning, student leadership, student development and involvement, and diversity. Faculty, staff and students are invited to bring their lunch and learn from this informative discussion.
- The Tech Chapter of Habitat for Humanity is sponsoring a Polar Bear 5K Run Saturday to help raise $\$ 35,000$ for the construction of affordable housing for a Lubbock family in need. Registration/Check-In will begin at 8:45 a.m. Saturday, and the run/walk will begin at 9:45 a.m. Medals will be awarded to winners in a variety of age categories for men and women, and team prizes also will be given out. A table for preregistration will be set up in the UC today and Wednesday.
almost two years ago because she wanted to be able to read a book to almost two years ago because she wanted to be able to read a book to her youngest child. The others were older and could read for themNow that she has learned to read books like Aladdin and The Jungle Book, she is looking forward to reading for herself and maybe even getting her GED.

There are many stories like this. More than 50,000 people in


The T'ech Pom Pon Squad Presents: Performance Dance Clinic for Childaren for Kindergarten through 8 th graders

Clinic 1: Sunday, February 22 Falf-time performance: Wednesday, February 25 Lady Raiders vs Nebraska

Registration fee: $\$ 25$ per child
includes clinics, $t$-shirt, child's access to game Registration deadline: Monday, February 16

For more information, contact 742-3621
the Lubbock Area have literacy problems, and some of them work on
the Texas Tech campus. Tech students help them reach their goals with the Texas Tech campus. Tech students help them reach their goals with help with this project and anyone who has the time can get involved About 15 Tech employees gather with their books and papers in a conference room in the Physical Plant to work on their reading, math and other skills. Some need help in learning the very basics etter sounds and how they make words, addition and subtraction, etc.


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Others are very close to taking the test for the GED and just need help with their algebra, social studies and some motivation. They have the materials and a great teacher from the Adult Learning Center. The teacher provides direction, materials and encouragement. All that is needed is more one on one attention

The class occurs from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday and Friday evenings. Anyone interested in being a part of this rewarding experience can call Mary Donahue at $742-3621$


Starting a new student organization? Still need to register your existing organization for this school year?

| Friday, February 6 | Wednesday, February 18 |
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| 2:00 pm | 3:00 pm |
| UC Room 210 | UC Room 210 | UC Room 2 Attend one of these information seminars to find out about the new registration procedures and Leadership Tech. This session wile the last seminars for the sen. Thes

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