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## U.S. launches attack on Afghanistan

**MISSILE MAYHEM:** The first wave of America's campaign against terrorism may last days.

By David Espo/Associated Press

WASHINGTON (AP) — American and British forces unleashed missile attacks Sunday against military targets and Osama bin Laden's training camps inside Afghanistan, broadening the war against terrorists blamed for the attacks that murdered thousands in New York and Washington.

"We will not waver, we will not tire," said President Bush, speaking from the White House as Tomahawk cruise missiles found tar-

gets halfway around the globe. "We will not falter and we will not fail."

In a chilling response released less than two hours later, bin Laden vowed that Americans "will never dream of security or see it before we live it and see it in Palestine, and not before the infidel's armies leave the land of Muhammad." He spoke in a videotaped statement prepared before the attacks. A spokesman said both bin Laden and the leader of the Taliban ruling council of Afghanistan had survived the missile attacks.

Bush ordered the strike less than four weeks after Terrorists flew hijacked airplanes into the World Trade Center twin towers and the Pentagon. Besides the death toll — estimated at more than 5,000 — those attacks dealt a severe blow to an American economy that had been sputtering even beforehand.

At the Pentagon on Sunday, the nation's top uniformed military officer said the initial strike involved 50 Tomahawk cruise missiles, launched from ships. Gen. Richard Myers said 15 bombers and 25 strike aircraft, both sea and land-based, were also involved in the military operation. The strike came at 12:30 p.m. EDT — nighttime in Afghanistan.

Myers, sworn into office less than a week ago, termed the strike "the early stages of ongoing combat operations" against the Taliban regime in Afghanistan and bin Laden's al-Qaida network. He said the attacks included B-1, B-2 and B-52 bombers as well as ships and submarines that have been deployed in the region in the days since Sept. 11.

Bush spoke less than an hour after the first explosion could be heard in Kabul, followed by the sounds of anti-aircraft fire. Power went

off throughout the city almost immediately after the first of five thunderous blasts.

Bush said the military strike would be accompanied by the delivery of food, medicine and other supplies needed to sustain the people of Afghanistan. That was expected to start soon.

The president announced the assault in a nationally televised appearance from the White House Treaty Room, and readily acknowledged that in the wake of the attacks on New York and Washington, "I know many Americans feel fear today."

He said the government was working "around the world and around the clock" to provide security.

Within a few hours of Sunday's attack, officials said Vice President Dick Cheney had been taken to an undisclosed secure site and the State Department issued a worldwide caution

to Americans warning of the possibility of "strong anti-American sentiment and retaliatory actions against U.S. citizens and interests throughout the world."

Washington, D.C., police shut down the street in front of the State Department as a precaution.

Bush said the military effort was only part of a campaign against terrorism, "another front in a war that has already been joined through diplomacy, intelligence, the freezing of financial assets and arrests of known terrorists by law enforcement agents in 38 countries."

"We did not ask for this mission, but we will fulfill it," he said.

The administration has labored to build an international coalition of support for its offen-

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## Police respond to altercation between frats

**SIGMA SUPREMACY:** Sigma Chi and Kappa Sigma get into a fight early Friday on Greek Circle.

By Pam Smith/Staff Reporter

Two Texas Tech fraternities may face a temporary suspension following an incident in Greek Circle early Friday morning.

"I was notified at about 2:51 a.m. that there was an altercation between two fraternities," said Ethan Logan, director of judicial affairs for the Student Mediation Center. "I haven't compiled all of the information. The university is still waiting on the police report."

Logan said from the information he has received, university officials have confirmed that an altercation took place between Sigma Chi and Kappa Sigma in front of the Kappa Sigma lodge Friday morning. While Logan had not received specific numbers, he estimated



that between 20 and 50 fraternities' members were involved in the incident.

"I have heard from different sources that there were approximately 20 to 50 members involved," Logan said. "That might include members from one side or both, but I am currently estimating that about 40-50 people were involved."

At press time Sunday, Logan had not determined what the cause of the fight was, although he said he did not believe it was related to the fraternities' involvement in Homecoming. At one point, Logan said, he believed he knew who might have been respon-

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## Bill for boosting agriculture relief passes in House

By Joseph Balderas/Staff Reporter

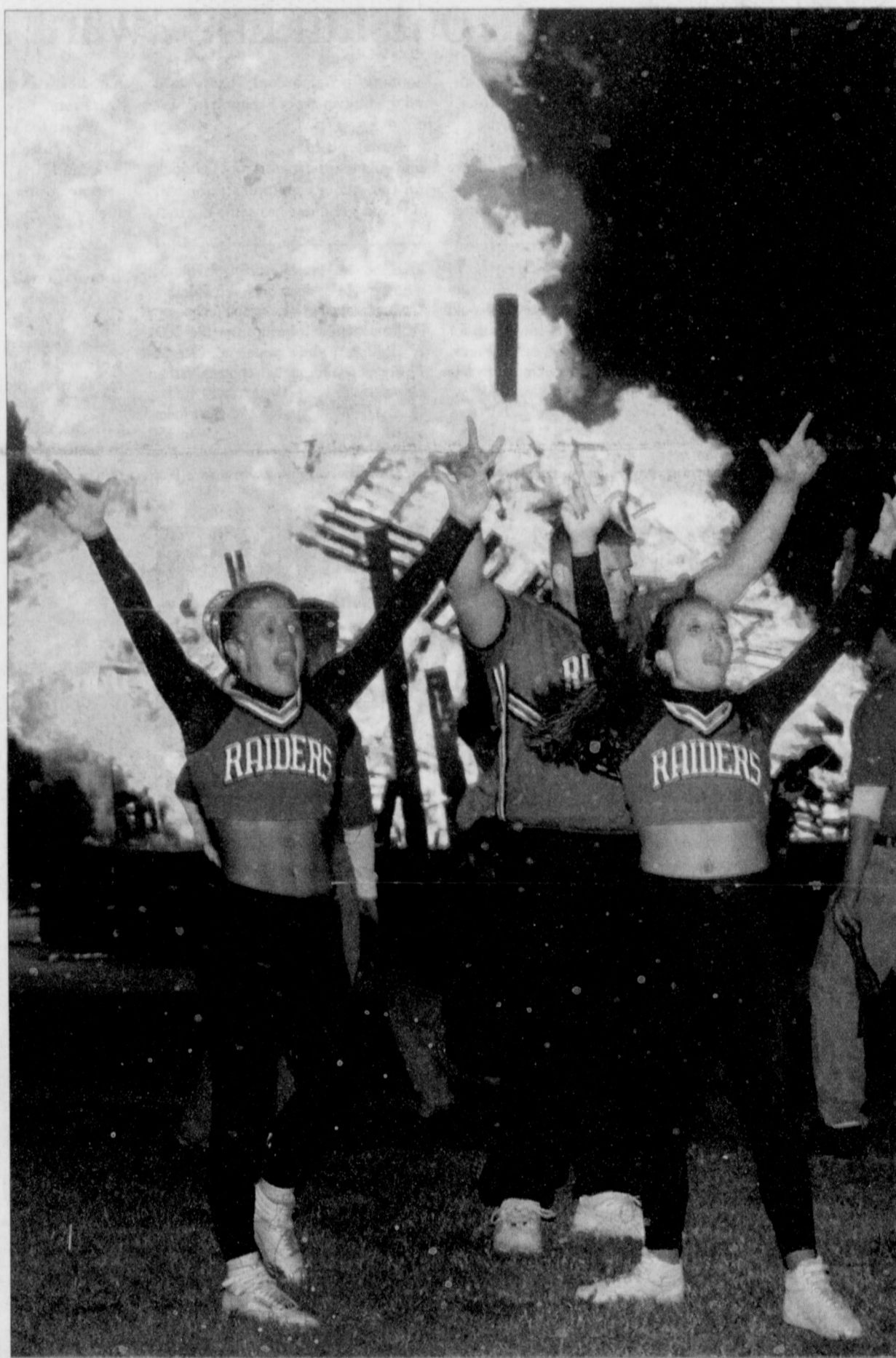
The U.S. House of Representatives on Friday passed a new farm bill by a vote of 291-120. Proponents of the Farm Security Act of 2001, also known as House Resolution 2646, were pleased no amendments were added that would have significantly altered the contents of the bill.

U.S. Rep. Larry Combest, R-Lubbock, and House Agriculture Committee chairman, said in a statement that the bill "provides both the flexibility and predictability that most producers, commodity and farm groups have called for in the next farm bill."

Rob Lehman, Combest's chief of staff, said a lot of pressure has been put on the U.S. Senate to continue work on its farm bill with the recent passage of the bill through the House.

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## LIGHTING A FIRE WITHIN



DAVID JOHNSON/Staff Photographer

MEMBERS OF THE Texas Tech Spirit Squad try to increase crowd participation as they engage in a cheer Friday evening during the Homecoming bonfire in the recreation field south of the Robert H. Ewalt Student Recreation Center. Prior to the bonfire, several Tech student organizations participated in the annual Homecoming parade. For related story, see **TECH SPIRIT** on page 8.

## Council adds new line of airport security

**GUARDING THE GATES:** The National Guard will provide extra measures in safety areas at the facility.

By Jenny Klein/Staff Reporter

The Lubbock City Council passed a memorandum of agreement Friday con-

cerning the new line of security established at Lubbock International Airport.

The Texas Army National Guard is the newest addition to the number of safety measures being established at LIA since the Sept. 11 attacks.

The agreement between the Texas Army National Guard, the city of Lubbock and the Federal Aviation Administration was discussed in an executive session before it was passed unanimously.

Mark Earle, director of aviation at Lubbock International Airport, said the pur-

pose of the National Guard is to supplement the screening process at the airports.

According to the memorandum, the Texas Army National Guard will provide a highly visible armed military presence in order to enhance and support airport security operations and increase public confidence in airline safety. The guard also will monitor security procedures and assist local law enforcement and airport security. Mayor Windy Sitton said this was just

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## Military strike forces Techsans to leave school

**WAR RELIEF:** University policy gives students ordered to report for active duty three options.

By Melissa Guest/Staff Reporter

Texas Tech students, faculty and staff enlisted in the National Guard have been activated to serve as part of the nation's war on terrorism.

The university, according to Tech's operating policies and procedures, gives students who officially are ordered to report for active military duty three choices: They could formally withdraw from the university to receive a full refund. They could receive an incomplete in one or more courses to be completed upon return. And, for students being called near the end of the semester, they could receive a grade in the course with the agreement of the instructor.

Tech Provost John Burns said the university drafted the policy to accommodate those students fulfilling their duty to their country.

"This is a situation beyond the control of the student," he said. "They have an obligation for the military, and as a student, and when the nation calls on them they have to go. I think we're obligated to do everything we can for them, and we're glad to do it, because it's the right thing to do."

Units of the National Guard have been notified to report to Fort Hood in central Texas. The National Guard said in a statement.

Rivera said there are about 30 students from Tech enlisted in the National Guard. Although, he said, he could not divulge any particular duties, the students would not necessarily be leaving the country to answer the nation's call.

According to the National Guard Web site, more than 7,500 Army Reserve force soldiers have been called to active duty to date since the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

President George W. Bush announced that National Guard troops would reinforce security crews at 422 of the country's largest civilian airports for the next four to six months to boost the country's confidence in the aviation industry.

Guard troops, many of them civilian police officers, will report for airport duty after completing Federal Aviation Administration security training and after being sure they can all safely and properly handle their

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**RED RAIDER CAMP 2001:** Read the story about Tech's inaugural freshman camp and view a slide show of pictures from Junction.

**HOMECOMING 2001:** View pictures from the weekend's festivities.

## Chancellor search seeks Tech input

Members of the Texas Tech community will be able to voice their comments concerning the search for a new chancellor today in the University Center Matador Room.

Today's meeting of the chancellor search advisory committee is the first of a series of meetings it will host.

Members of the Board of Regents will serve on the committee and will be present to speak one-on-one with students, faculty and the community.

The committee will report to the Board of Regents at its meeting Nov. 2.

The special advisory committee comprises four Regents, who will listen to input and feedback about the chancellor's position and the Tech system.

Members of the search advisory committee will be seeking input from the public and the community throughout their process.

The sessions will start at 8:30 a.m. with Texas Tech staff, then faculty are encouraged to attend from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Students are invited to attend from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., and members of the community from 2 to 3 p.m. The committee will then meet from 6 to 8 p.m. in Amarillo and will move to Odessa and El Paso on Oct. 9.

# Campus service to RAP up alcoholism

**HELPING HAND:**  
Several groups will join to promote responsible drinking at Tech.

By Jeff Stoughton/Staff Reporter

Not all Texas Tech students are alcoholics.

At least that's the message a new campus service is trying to promote. The Raider Assistance Program, in addition to promoting responsible drinking among students, offers counseling services for those in need of help.

Tech's Student Health Services will bring several alcohol-related campus and community organizations together.

SHS Director Dee Jackson said the program has launched a campaign to

promote responsible drinking among students. The "majority rules" campaign states 58 percent of Tech students consume fewer than four drinks at parties.

"We want to change the perception that Tech students are all heavy drinkers," Jackson said.

The program will include input from all areas of the campus and community, including Rec Sports, the Student Government Association, Texas Tech Police Department, the Faculty Senate, the Lubbock Police Department and the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

Eric Stegemoeller, a junior accounting major from Waco and one of the program's co-directors, said the purpose of RAP is to give students a "central place where they can come for referrals or counseling."

The program will consist of peer educators, mentors and a judicial review pro-



## RAIDER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

gram. The peer educators will focus on telling students how to drink responsibly.

"We're not like the police," Stegemoeller said. "We're not out to tell students what to do. We want to tell them that if they do drink, to drink responsibly."

The program will include peer mentors, who serve as counselors for students who believe they may have an alcohol problem. RAP also is working on the Centralized Assessment Center, an area with computers students can use to determine if they have an alcohol problem. Counselors will be available at the site.

Jackson said the center is unique concerning alcohol-counseling services on college campuses.

The judicial board will mediate alcohol violations on campus and refer students to counseling if needed.

Megan Brock, a sophomore advertising major from Sugar Land, said the program will sponsor a presentation by Carolyn Spencer at 7 p.m. Oct. 18 in the United Spirit Arena. Cornelison, a

representative from the Anheuser-Busch Company, will speak about her past experiences with alcohol and the problems it can cause for students.

Heidi Nagy, a sophomore advertising major from Brenham, said workers from RAP are planning on distributing cards for students to sign, pledging to drink responsibly. The signed cards will be displayed in the University Center and will contain a portion for students to keep that displays telephone numbers for RAP, the Safe Ride program and tips on how to drink responsibly.

Stegemoeller said the program will sponsor a game-show type event for students. The event will be similar to the MTV game show "Singled Out." He also said RAP will distribute buttons with its slogan on them for students to place on their backpacks. RAP workers will look for students wearing the buttons on campus and give them a prize if the students can answer a question.

# Tech SPE chapter gets outstanding award second year in row

By Kristina Thomas/Staff Reporter

The Texas Tech chapter of the Society of Petroleum Engineers was named the international award-winning student chapter of the year last week for the second year in a row.

Thirty-five students from the Tech chapter recently left for the SPE international convention in New Orleans, not knowing that for a second year they were one of five finalists for student chapter of the year.

Among the other finalists were

Montana Tech, Stanford, Texas A&M and The University of Lebanon in Austria.

Daniel Bearden, a senior petroleum engineering major from Lubbock and the student chapter's publicist, said Tech's chapter has some distinct

characteristics that make it a top organization.

"We are really close here," he said. "Other schools like University of Texas and Texas A&M kind of do their own thing. We are really a close knit group, and I think that helps a lot."

SPE is home to 96 student chapters internationally and has more than 51,000 members in more than 58 countries.

Each summer, student chapters must write and submit a report describing its membership, projects and other aspects of the chapter for the previous year. These are submitted in June and are used to name five outstanding chapter finalists.

Bearden said it is somewhat common for the same chapter to be named the outstanding chapter more than one year in a row.

"It is based on excellence, and if there is one chapter who is really doing what they need to and beating everyone else,

they will keep getting recognized," he said.

The award is given in recognition of technical and educational activities, membership development, extra-curricular activities, university and community activities and communication.

The Tech chapter comprises about 120 students. Last year, it hosted 33 technical meetings and dinners sponsored by different major and independent oil companies.

The chapter hosts field trips, cookouts, paintball tournaments and the annual Tech SPE golf tournament fundraiser in Midland. Last year, 275 industry professionals attended the fundraiser, which raised more than \$14,000.

Bearden said the chapter's recognition influences its activities and goals for the upcoming year.

"We have a goal set to get this again next year," he said. "We are going to do things the right way and hit the same marks at the same level so we can do it again."

Bearden said when the group received the award, every member felt a sense of pride.

"We were really excited," he said. "It is neat to get that again. We were all just proud."

## TECH NOTES

Phi Theta Kappa will have a meeting at 6 p.m. Tuesday in the West Hall Conference

Room. For more information, call Jay Vaden at (806) 780-3242.

The American Society of Interior Designers will have its Design Expo Day from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Market Alumni Center. For more information, call Amber Thomas at (806) 239-0094.

Sources needed for a series on rape, sexual harassment and crime on campus. For more information, contact Mara McCoy at (806) 742-3383 or by e-mail at MaraEMcCoy@netscape.net. Sources may

remain anonymous.

Attention all students: Today is University Day and Traffic and Parking Services would like to remind students to leave early for class that day. There will be potential Texas Tech students parked in the commuter lots and students might have difficulty finding a space. In case of rain, the unpaved overflow parking areas will be closed and students will be directed to park in the museum lots, where they can catch an express shuttle to Memorial Circle. Students can

log on to [www.ttu.edu/parking](http://www.ttu.edu/parking) to find out if the lot will be open or closed Monday.

The Association of Information Technology Professionals will be hosting the 2001 AITP Region Three conference Oct. 26-27. For more information, contact Nathan Hess at [Nathan.hess@home.com](mailto:Nathan.hess@home.com).

Gamma Beta Phi will have its next member meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday in 150 Holden Hall. For more information, contact Diana Loveless by e-mail at [giggie22girl@hotmail.com](mailto:giggie22girl@hotmail.com).

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## Security

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another level of security to ensure the safety of the public, adding that Lubbock is doing its part to help America's security by making people feel secure about flying again.

"I have flown four times in the past month," she said. "I've never felt safer. I think it is safer to fly now, more than any other time."

Earle said the new situation will concern people, but it is something he is sure they will get accustomed to overtime.

"It isn't normal, but it's being done in response to an abnormal situation," he said.

The Texas Army National Guard is expected to be at the screening checkpoints during regular hours of operation for the next four to six months.

There are two major points of which people should be aware, he said. One is that a multitude of changes to security already has taken place. The National Guard is a more visible aspect of those changes.

Secondly, these new measures are not permanent.

"This is an interim measure being used until permanent and more effective screening measures can be put into place," Earle said.

Individual airlines and Lubbock's own law enforcement currently administer airport security, both of which are overseen by the FAA.

The general duties of the local law enforcement include securing the perimeter of the airport and providing assistance to the airline security if requested to do so, Earle said.

Each individual is responsible for having its own security to screen passengers and to check baggage.

The memorandum is an agreement that specifies the guidelines of operation for the Texas Army National Guard.

According to the agreement, the actual command and control of assigned soldiers will remain with the Texas Army National Guard. However, it is the responsibility of the FAA and airport authorities to determine where they are to provide assistance. Military personnel only will be used for security.

## Retaliation

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sive, and Bush declared, "We are supported by the collective will of the world."

British Prime Minister Tony Blair seconded that a short while later. In a speech to his own nation he said of the Taliban, "They were given the choice of siding with justice or siding with terror. They chose to side with terror."

German Chancellor Gerhard Schroeder also expressed his support,

## Fight

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sible for the incident, but after receiving more information, he decided not to release the identities of those responsible.

An official at the Lubbock Police Department said a report on the incident was not available Friday afternoon. However, the official said he did not have any record of arrests due to the incident.

Vice President for Student Affairs Michael Shonrock said depending on what the university discovers, the fraternities could be placed on temporary suspension during the length of the investigation.

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weapons.

Guard forces already are present at Lubbock International Airport, stationed at security checkpoints and gates throughout the airport.

Tech President David Schmidly said

## Farm bill

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"The Farm Security Act passed through the House with an obvious amount of support," he said. "The most important thing for the Senate to do now is move."

It is uncertain whether the Senate will support a bill comparable to the House, Lehman said, or take a stronger

and the Russian foreign ministry said all means must be used to fight terrorism. Russian President Vladimir Putin has become an important supporter of the U.S.-led campaign against terrorism, opening Russia's airspace to U.S. deliveries of humanitarian aid and helping lobby Central Asian nations to lend their backing to the operation.

Administration officials said that Bush had telephoned Putin, and that Bush, Cheney and Secretary of State Colin Powell had placed calls to more than a dozen foreign leaders in all.

Congressional leaders, told in advance of the strike, issued a joint

tigation.

According to the Student Affairs handbook, "the registration of a student organization may be temporarily suspended while an investigation is pending involving an alleged violation of registered student organization policies and procedures."

Shonrock said the investigation of the incident still is in the preliminary stages.

"We are trying to determine what occurred in the incident," he said. "We are also looking into what interim steps need to be taken in the meantime."

Logan said his primary concern is to prevent retaliatory action from either

the university supports all those who are being activated for military duty in the nation's war against terrorism.

"I think it's an obligation, we have to support them," he said. "We want to assist them in every way we can. Hopefully it's given them a range of options to where they can leave the country and come back to school with smooth transition."

Although the university does not

stand toward conservation. The Bush administration already has shown opposition to the bill and asked the House to defer action on the bill last Wednesday.

Lehman said the government spent too much money on emergency relief for farmers. He said it was a sign that the current farm bill was not working and that a change in policy is obvious.

"In some ways it will make the USDA (United States Department of Agriculture) act; spending \$30 billion in relief

statement of support. "We stand united with the president and with our troops, and will continue to work together to do what is necessary to bring justice to these terrorists and those who harbor them," said the statement by House Speaker Dennis Hastert and Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle, Senate Democratic Leader Dick Gephardt and Senate Republican Leader Trent Lott.

At the White House, spokesman Ari Fleischer said Bush was receiving regular updates about the military operation, and shuttling between the White House residence and the Oval Office.

As the hour for the missile strikes

fraternity stemming from the incident. He said while he doesn't anticipate any further action, he also doesn't want to take any chances.

"Our main concern is to stop any continuing retaliation from this," he said. "I don't believe that these two groups handled their differences very maturely in this incident."

He said during his experience with Tech, he has not come across any previous tensions between these two fraternities in the past.

"There hasn't been any conflict between these groups to my knowledge," he said. "As long as I have been with Tech, I haven't seen any disciplinary

keep information regarding the number of students who have been called to active duty, Burns said, but last report, 15 students had notified the registrar of their intention to fulfill their nation's call.

"I expect before the semester is over we may have some staff and even some faculty called," he said.

The policy regarding military withdrawal was enacted during the Gulf War,

over four years is too much," he said. "It is a really important bill, and obviously it is going to be very important to the South Plains."

A spokesman for the Institute for Agriculture and Trade Policy thinks the Farm Security Act is the same policy that has failed in the past. Communications Coordinator Neil Richey said the policy is aimed at the corporate level and farmers with large lands.

"The family farmers are getting a very

approached, Fleischer said Bush had remarked, "I gave them fair warning and they chose not to heed it."

He said the strike was aimed at the Taliban, the ruling regime that harbors bin Laden, long identified by administration officials as the mastermind behind last month's attacks in the United States.

The president had issued a series of demands in the days following the strikes at the World Trade Center and Pentagon — all of them ignored.

"Now the Taliban will pay a price," he vowed.

"Today we focus on Afghanistan," Bush said, "but the battle is broader."

hearings dealing with conflicts between these two groups."

A disciplinary hearing for one or both of the fraternities could be possible, depending on what is found while investigating the incident, Logan said, noting that he usually decides whether to call a disciplinary hearing after a referral is made to his office to look into an incident.

"We work on a referral basis," he said. "In this incident, we will probably get something from the police department stating that one of our organizations may have been in violation of the Code of Student Conduct. If there is enough information, then we will call a disciplinary hearing."

Burns said.

"We had a policy for a long time," he said. "We realized it needed to be modified during Desert Storm."

The current policy, Burns said, is about 10 years old.

"There are advantages both ways," he said. "The advantage to the university is that it gets its money back, same as the student."

small percentage of subsidies in the current system," he said. "The new bill is creating a dependency for large farmers on the government. We want subsidies for the government that need it the most, not the ones who don't. That's why the Bush administration didn't like it."

The \$170-billion, 10-year plan must now wait on the passage of a bill by the Senate and approval by the president. The current farm bill expires Sept. 30.

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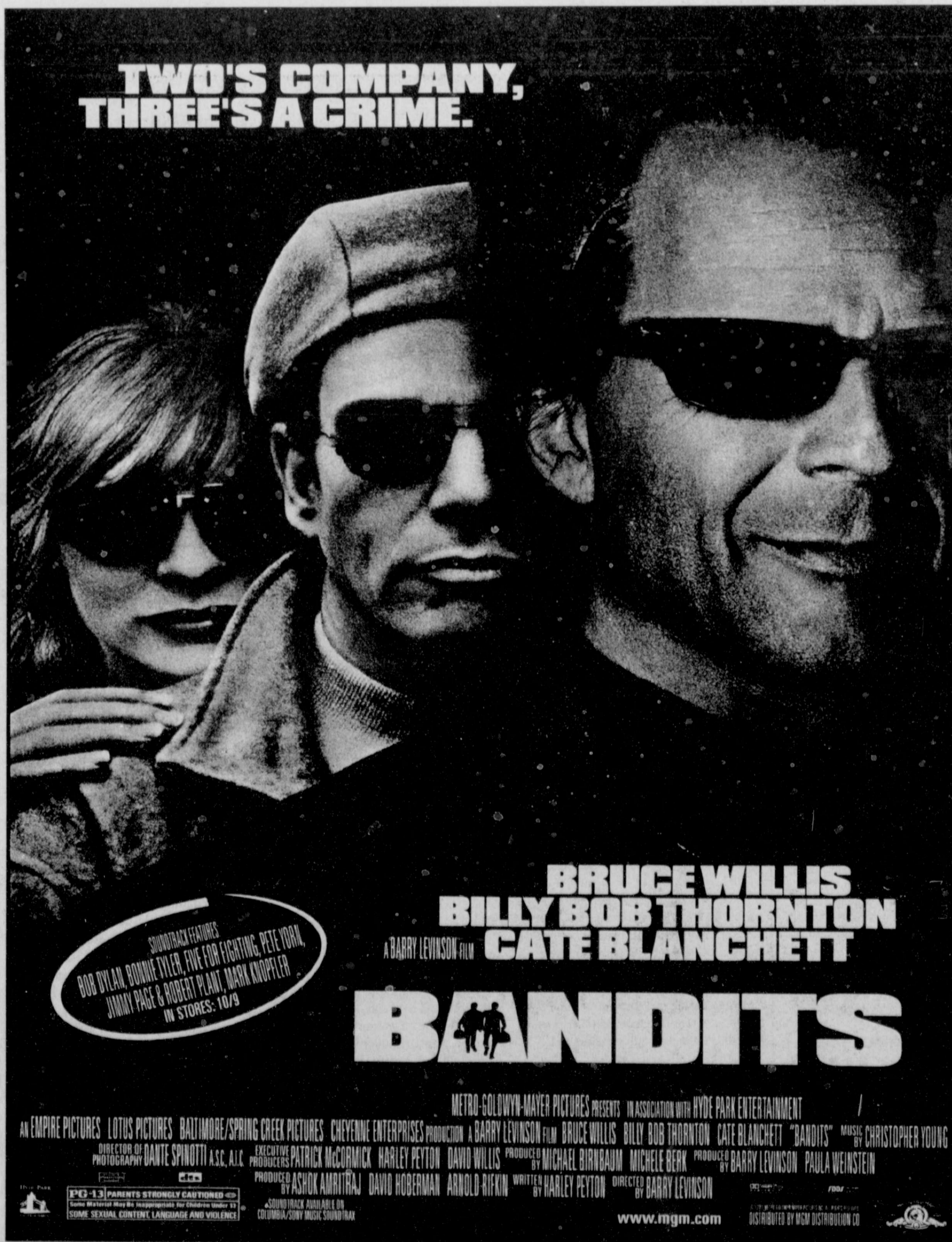
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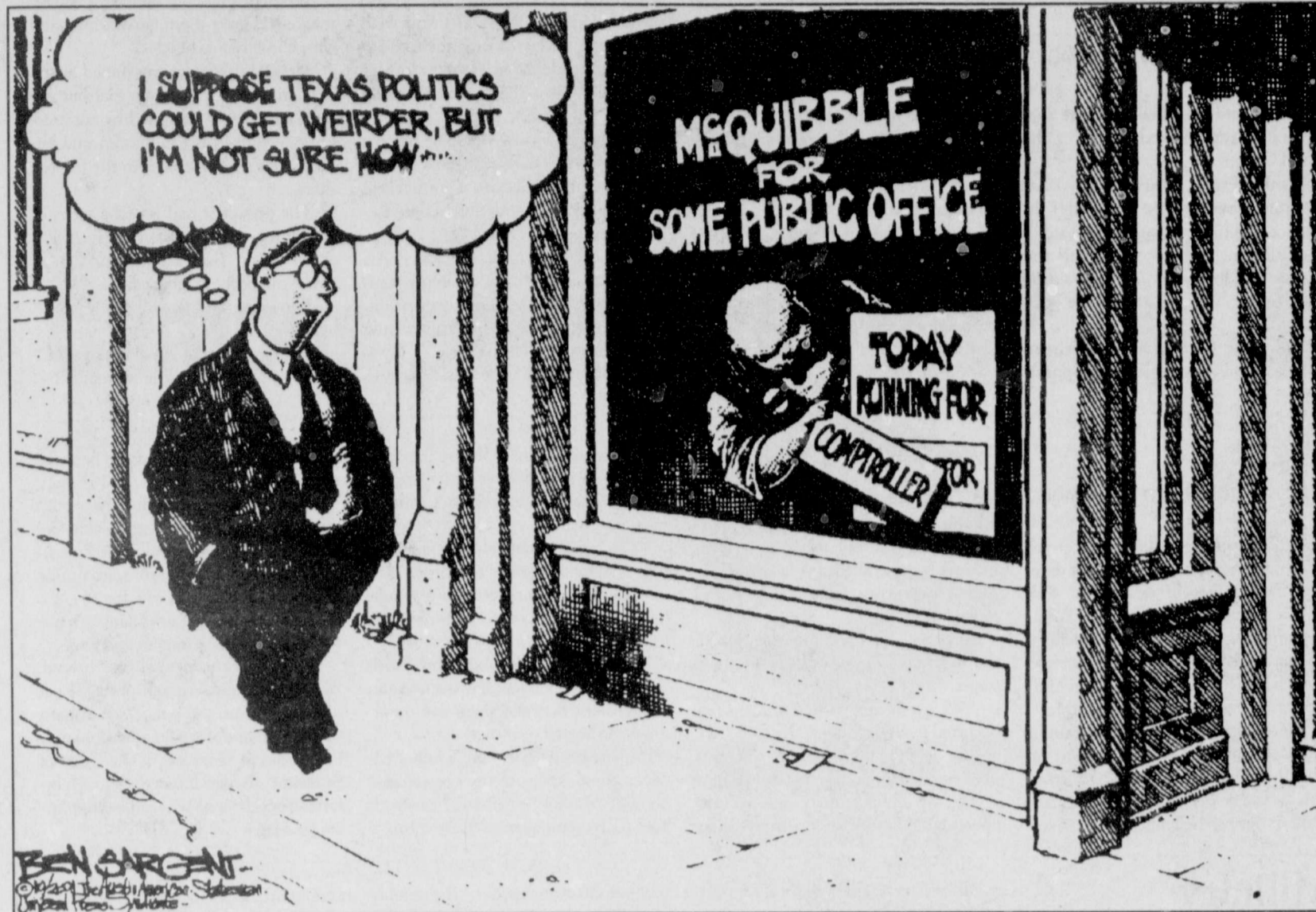
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# Heroes not hard to find if you just look

COLUMN



BRANDON FORMBY

I have the coolest thing for you to try. It's fairly simple, for all it takes is just opening your eyes and looking around you.

It's been nearly one month since the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center and the Pentagon. The United States and Britain have launched air attacks against Afghanistan. And while the motives behind last month's attacks have been speculated and debated, guessed at and analyzed, we have yet to hear a solid answer.

The most widely accepted assumption is the terrorists chose the World Trade Center and the Pentagon because they were symbols of our power and our economy. It also has been said that the United States is hated by some countries because of our attitudes about ourselves and our role in the world.

In retrospect, things were getting pretty bad. Let's face it, we've been wrapped up in the wrong things for quite some time now. As Jay Leno pointed out during the first airing of "The Tonight Show" after the attacks, Anne Heche being crazy was the biggest story in the country prior to Sept. 11.

You see, a month ago, heroes made \$20 million a film. They wore jerseys and walked on red carpets. That has changed. We are a different nation. We now realize what heroes really are. They make minimum wage. They wear

badges and fire suits and dig through rubble. Heroes are not people whose lives we wish we had. Heroes are people whose qualities we hope we possess. Realizing this got me to thinking.

Heroes are everyday people, just like you and me. The policemen, firemen and emergency workers at ground zero in New York and Washington, D.C., proved that.

Even now, when we're supposed to be continuing life as normal and getting back to work, we're changed. The images and stories that have poured across the country have not left our consciousness, no matter how much we try and continue life as it was before.

Hell, I've had more than one bad run in with policemen, yet now I can't help but give them a nod or a smile whenever I see them — just as some sort of way to let them know that I do admire and appreciate everything they do.

I never thought I had a hero, but I've been watching people closer and you know what I'm finding? I do have heroes — tons of them. I've had them all along — I just didn't know it.

There's the Razorback who never tells me what I want to hear. Instead, she hands out reality in large doses, mentally preparing me for my future. She carries herself with the grace and confidence I hope to one day have.

There's the magazine editor who

always will tell me what she thinks of me. And although she works with a generation who has been labeled worthless and apathetic, she refuses to lower her standards. She always stands by her guns and refuses to stop fighting for what she believes in. Thankfully, she's starting to rub off on me.

There's the old roommate who, although we all tell him he is too nice, is willing to do anything to help anyone. There's the waitress who always roots for the underdog and sticks up for everyone because she won't let go of the notion that deep down, all people are inherently good.

And there's the girl who doesn't know what she wants to major in, but doesn't really care right now because she's too busy looking at the world through the eyes of a 6-year-old, reminding those around her that fun is terribly underrated.

There's the ex-Raider who has failed out of school twice, but is so strong-willed and determined, she refuses to use that as an excuse to not build a respectable life for herself.

There's the schoolteacher who made it through the minefield known as paying for college yourself with her dignity, hope and sense of humor fully intact.

There's the Canadian who has weathered more storms than I could imagine without letting them make her bitter. And there's the guy with that dirty Tech hat who will never apologize

for his opinion — even when threatened because of it — because he knows we're all entitled to our own views.

There's the Permian princess who is never too afraid to put people in their place, and never too self-absorbed to help out her friends.

There's the Buckeye who won't let anyone skip out on the adventures life offers, even if they get in the way of daily responsibilities. And there's the copy girl whose independence is admirable and whose kindness is done on the down low.

There's the old professor who never lets me forget that, like Thomas Jefferson once said, "the price for freedom is eternal vigilance." There's the former newspaper editor who holds her head high when many people would fall to their knees. There's the sorority president who has a full calendar of events, but isn't too busy to call. And there's the apartment leaser who shows no patience for self-pity and dishes out whoop ass until you start smiling again.

So where do you fit in to all of this? Well, look around you. Look hard. Look near. Look far. Just look. And if you do, you'll start to realize heroes aren't on television.

They're in your classes, on the bus, at the University Center and all over the campus. Heroes are everywhere, we just haven't been paying attention.

And when you watch them work, it will do wonders for your soul, for it will completely reaffirm your faith in the human race. Trust me.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Clearing things up

To the editor: I would like to clear up a few inaccuracies in Brendan Headd's editorial (UD, 10-03-01) on airline security.

With regard to the National Guard, let me assure your readers that members of the Reserve component (National Guard and Reserve) are indeed professional soldiers and airmen, many of who serve full-time, year-round as Active Guard Reserve (AGR) members and Air Reserve Technicians (ARTs).

Those who do serve in a part-time capacity are no less professionals. Additionally, the vast majority of Reserve component members began their military service on active duty. They attend the same training and meet the same qualification standards as their active-duty counterparts. They are also subject to mobilization and deployment. In fact, the Air National Guard's 147th Fighter Wing from Houston was mobilized two weeks ago.

I assure you those are professional airmen flying and maintaining state-of-the-art fighter aircraft. When Guardsmen from the 149th Fighter Wing fly their F-16 Fighting Falcons over Jones SBC Stadium on Nov. 17, Brendan will witness first-hand professionals in action.

Obviously, guardsmen do not attain this level of professionalism and readiness to answer our nation's call by spending their weekends "eating donuts and watching football games." They make great personal and family sacrifices to serve their country in addition to working full-time civilian jobs.

I, for one, will sleep better at night knowing guardsmen are helping with security at our nation's airports.

Major Lester Ball  
Commandant of Cadets Air Force ROTC

Gilbreth a nice change

To the editor: It is so refreshing to turn to the editorial page of The UD and actually read original, intelligent editorials from Kristen Gilbreth (as opposed to the other ignorant drivel about beer runs, drunken stupidity, and Tech / Lubbock bashing). We may not always agree with her stance on specific issues, but she is at least well informed, and her opinions are respectable, positive, and are presented in a very articulate manner. Thank you Kristen for the bright spot in the sometimes dim pages of The UD.

Bryan Bockmon and Matt Jackson  
graduate students  
mechanical engineering

Muench needs help

To the editor: I graduated from Tech last May, and I continue to follow the sports programs at the school and read The University Daily quite often just to see what is going on with the school and to get different perspectives.

Well, I read Matt Muench's column published Oct. 2, and I must say I was a bit shocked by his lack of knowledge. First of all, Mike Leach is playing games that have been scheduled for a while now that he has nothing to do with. Most non-conference games were scheduled under Spike Dykes. And, if I remember correctly, we did play teams like North Texas and Louisiana Lafayette back then.

Now, in the next couple of years we will be playing quality opponents before we enter Big 12 Conference play. Next year we face New Mexico, which may be weak, but they are improving, and we play quality opponents like North Carolina State, Fresno State and Mississippi.

If I am correct, doesn't Mississippi have a young quarterback named Eli Manning that is just amazing?

Then, the following year, we play Louisville also. Just do some research before you write another column like this again, Muench. And, where in the world did you hear about Mike Leach

trying to get out of the Fresno State game? You must have some great source since no major newspapers have covered this story.

Ryan Burns  
Class of 2001  
broadcast journalism

[EDITOR'S NOTE: Matt Muench did have a reliable source who informed him Leach was trying to get out of the Fresno State game.]

Rare kindness great

To the editor: While riding one of the local campus buses, I witnessed a shocking and rare act of kindness: a man giving his seat to a lady. I have too often seen men on the bus continually proving that chivalry is dead, so to see this was an uplifting moment.

I have also, sadly, witnessed a woman rejecting this kind offer. Ladies, this is a respectful, kind gesture, which is neither degrading nor suppressive. To reject this gesture is an insult to every mother and father who tried to instill common courtesies into their children.

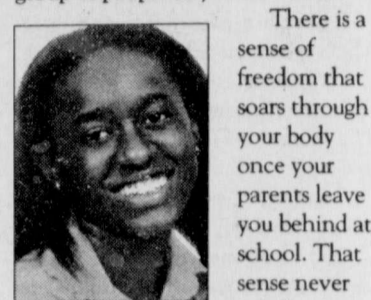
Hats off to all the men at Tech who put the word "gentle" into gentleman.

Kimberly Kelton  
sophomore  
education

# Sex is tricky business in college

COLUMN

The mating habits of college students are very unique. Nowhere else would you see the things that go on between this group of people anywhere else.



KELLIE TOLBERT

There is a sense of freedom that soars through your body once your parents leave you behind at school. That sense never goes away once realization hits. But while you are at college you feel so free that you go a little crazy in the sexual department.

I know some of you are saying "I am a virgin, and I will be until I am married" and that's OK because you don't know what you are missing. I have a few friends who feel this way, and I really do respect that decision. I don't understand it, but I respect it.

But for you others, the world is set right at your feet, and many of you will do your best to make your way through as quickly as possible.

One of my guy friends has made it his goal to sleep with 12 girls before the semester is out. He also wants to get a sexually transmitted disease and give it to as many girls as he can. Sure not all guys think like this, but the majority does. So girls, be on the look out when you meet that special someone. Always make sure to leave the lights on when you get down and dirty, you never know what's down there. And always learn his last name just in case you have to search him out later.

You really shouldn't be "getting it on" with a guy you don't know, but I know it happens. Circumstances arise where you just can't keep those animal urges abate and you have to have him then and there. This tends to happen on the dance floor at a fraternity party or a bar.

There have been many girls who make out with a guy for no reason; and it doesn't matter if they have a boyfriend or not. Yet, later the same girl will cry her eyes out because she finds out her boyfriend cheated on her — a little unfair to the males, I know, but this is how girls act. Girls, here is a little hint about guys — if they cheat once they will cheat again. They may claim to love you but they didn't love you while they were "getting freaky" with that other girl. But no matter what they do, we will always love boys, or at least most of us will anyway.

Guys, you should also be watching out for girls, too. We are a calculating group that sets out to get what we want, when we want it. If we want you in bed then we will have you in bed. Guys tend to think they have it all planned out when they meet a girl but really the girl is leading you around by your nether regions.

There is not a single guy that, when sex is offered, would turn it down. Well, I am sure there are a couple of special guys, but we won't go there. There may also be a guy who is having too much sex and is too tired to have sex so they turn it down. If I ever turned down sex that's what I would use as an excuse — it's a good one.

I am sure you have noticed that when a guy sleeps around his peers consider him manly, but when a girl sleeps around everyone considers her a slut. It has been this way since the beginning of time, and it is never going to change.

So girls, be who you are and live your sexual life the way you want to, forget about what everyone thinks and enjoy yourselves.

Guys, don't change anything except your underwear every now and then, because no matter what you do girls will still love you.

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## Friday's Show-Out shows off student's talents and traditions

By Damion Davis/Staff Reporter

Friday night at the University Center's Allen Theatre, National Pan-Hellenic Council organizations were asked to show-out.

The Greek Show-Out was a competition between four organizations of the council.

It consisted of step, a form of dance that uses rhythmic steps to create a routine.

Kamesha Bolden, a sophomore microbiology major from Lubbock, said that it was a fun event, and she was glad she could attend.

"I liked this show. It showed originality in the groups and showed what they could do," she said. "I think that it was a good show, and I enjoyed everyone that participated."

The National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC) organizes all events that the black Greek organizations participate in and host. The council was founded in order to increase brotherhood and awareness in the community.

Mike Gunn, coordinator of activities in the University Center and council advisor, said this step show is more than just an event for the black organizations—it is community-wide.

"Every year we get a lot of people from the community to come out and be a part of this event. We also wanted to let people know that this is not just for the black community—we want it to be for all," he said.



PARTICIPANTS IN FRIDAY'S Show-Out strike a pose on the Allen Theatre stage. Four organizations competed for over \$4,000 in prizes at the step show.

The Show-Out prizes totaled over \$4,000. The first prize for the sororities went to Delta Sigma Theta.

Tameka Boyd, a senior management

information systems major from Lubbock and a member of Delta Sigma Theta, said this was a satisfying win for them because of all the hard work that they put into

preparing for it.

"We worked hard to win. We spent a lot of time practicing, and we were very

pleased at the show that we did for the crowd, and we think that they liked it also," she said.

The first place for the fraternities went to Iota Phi Theta who made a nine-hour trip from Prairie View A&M University to attend the event.

Howard Gibbs, an A&M junior civil engineering major from Lubbock and a member of Iota Phi Theta, said they wanted to let people know more about their organization.

"It was important that we won so we could show people that we are around. We have not yet proceeded to have a chapter on campus yet, but hopefully this win will assist us in doing so," he said.

The Greek Show-Out was attended

by people from Lubbock and the surrounding communities.

Michelle Brown, a West Texas A&M graduate from Lubbock, said they did not have these events at her old college, so it was a treat to come and see one.

"They have these events every year, and it never fails that I attend one every time I get a chance, too. It shows that the organizations work hard and do more than just community service events," she said.

The NPHC will host events throughout the year.

For information regarding these events contact the University Center Student Activities office at 742-3621.

## Philo performs their unique sound in Lubbock

By Trent Johnson/Staff Reporter

Philo brought their one-of-a-kind style of music back to Lubbock Friday night at Klusoz.

The Austin-based trio took the stage around 11 p.m., following the opening band THC.

Philo uses examples of all kinds of music to produce their sound, including elements of rock, jazz and reggae.

The combination of music makes for a different style of music, said Erik Tomlinson, a senior marketing major from Garland.

"I came here tonight to get some extra credit points for a jazz class I'm taking," he said. "It turns out that the band plays more than jazz, and includes just about every element of music into their songs."

Billy Fadel (singer, songwriter, guitarist), Junior Scott (singer, songwriter, bassist) and Jason Boling (drummer) formed the band in June 1999.

Scott and Fadel switch off singing lead in the songs, but both do put in their voices on every song to create a good melody, said Adam Etter, a sophomore business major from Dallas.

"There is not much of a constant theme in their music," he said. "But both the guitarist and the bass player seem to fit their voices together perfectly somewhere in all of their songs."

The band played with the crowd all night long, asking them what they wanted to hear, and even sharing a few drinks with the spectators.

"They had real good chemistry with the audience," Tomlinson said. "I realize this is a laid-back bar, but they kept the crowd into what they were playing."

Tisha Coleman, a spectator from Lubbock, also enjoyed the band's attitude during their time on stage.

"This is my second time to see them, and both times they have played a really good show in front of many people who probably are just in here to get a few drinks," she said. "I think they surprise some people each time they play."

The crowd chemistry was there for some audience members, but others seemed not to have any interest in the band.

Emily Denson, a sophomore from Richardson, did not care much for the different style of music that Philo played.

"I think it could have been better," she said. "Just when I started to like a song and actually get in to it, they changed everything up, and I became disinterested."

Philo has released a self-titled EP that contains eight of their songs.

The EP is getting good reviews from critics around the country.

The band will be back at Klusoz

soon after tour stops in San Marcos and Austin.

For more information on Philo,

including tour dates and merchandise, visit their website at

[www.philomusic.com](http://www.philomusic.com).



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## Kansas stuns Tech in double overtime

**SPOILERS:** Jayhawks ruin Tech homecoming with late fourth quarter burst en route to win.

By Phil Riddle/Staff Reporter

Kansas made the plays. The Jayhawks scored 11 points in the final four minutes to force overtime, then scored 10 points in two extra sessions, and intercepted a pass.

Kansas' late game execution was the difference in Saturday's 34-31 Big 12 Conference win over Texas Tech at Jones SBC Stadium.

The Raiders, in spite of rolling for 358 yards of offense Saturday, fell to 2-2 on the season and 0-2 within the conference. Kansas, with the upset victory, improves to 2-2 and 1-1 in Big 12 play.

Tech coach Mike Leach said his Raiders got better over the course of the week since a 42-7 loss to Texas, but still has ground to make up in the mental aspects of the game.

"I thought we played pretty hard, and I thought we made a few good plays," Leach said. "The fact of the matter is, and I've said this from the beginning, Kansas is a good football team. This whole conference is good. We were in a position to win it, and we came up short. Physically, we're doing a lot of great

things. Mentally, we've got to feel like we deserve to be successful."

Leach said the confidence level has to rise.

"We did a lot of good things throughout the game," Leach said. "The biggest thing we need to do is raise our self-esteem. I think, as a team, we've got to think more of ourselves. Our expectation level has got to be higher. Part of it is, we go out there and work real hard in practice. We do a lot of good things, but ultimately the self-esteem has got to raise in order for you to believe that you deserve it. I think we have to believe we deserve it."

Backup quarterback B.J. Symons, in the game due to a thumb injury to starter Kliff Kingsbury, was intercepted on the game's final play in double-overtime looking for Wes Welker at the 13-yard line.

Kansas had scored on its first possession in OT when QB Mario Kinsey scampered 23 yards to put the Jayhawks on top, 31-24.

Symons answered with a 9-yard TD run on Tech's first overtime possession, but was picked off by KU linebacker Marcus Rogers as the Raiders tried to answer a 37-yard Kansas field goal in the last extra session.

The lasting effects of the loss will still have to be sorted out as Kingsbury and linebacker Lawrence Flugence, the team's leading tackler, each missed playing time with injuries.

Kingsbury left in the third period with an injury to his right thumb. Flugence left the field in the first quarter after straining his right knee.

Tech, facing KU in its 2001 Homecoming game, came back from a 10-0 first-quarter deficit.

The Jayhawks took the early advantage on a 1-yard TD pass from sophomore Zach Dyer to Austine Nwabuisi. The score was set up by running back Reggie Duncan's 45-yard run to the Tech 25.

Duncan, who finished the night with 227 yards on 38 rushes, carried the ball for 64 yards in the first quarter alone and KU kicker Johnny Beck, who hit three field goals in the contest, added a 42-yarder with just more than eight minutes gone from the game clock.

The Raiders climbed back into the fray with 30 seconds left in the first quarter as Kingsbury rifled a 3-yard scoring strike to tight end Cole Roberts. Roberts collected five receptions in the game, including a 33-yard catch and run in the second, for 69 yards on the night.



GREG KRELLER/Staff Photographer

KANSAS LINEBACKER MARCUS ROGERS falls to the ground after making the game clinching interception in double overtime at Jones SBC Stadium on Saturday. The 34-31 loss gave Texas Tech its second consecutive loss. Tech drops to 2-2 on the season and 0-2 within the Big 12 Conference. The Red Raiders will try and regroup for Kansas State at 7 p.m. Saturday in Lubbock.

Tech went ahead 17-13 as Kingsbury found Welker for a 35-yard touchdown and Robert Treece booted a 27-yard field goal. Ricky Williams turned a third-quarter screen pass from Kingsbury into a 24-yard touchdown to give Tech an 11-point lead, 24-13.

However, the Tech offense sputtered with Kingsbury on the sideline and did not find the end zone again until the first extra period.

Kinsey engineered an 11-play, 63-yard drive for the Jayhawks and added the 2-yard conversion to knot the tally at 24 with a half-minute left in regulation.

The drive was highlighted by a hook-and-lateral play on third and 16 that netted 41 yards to the Tech 15 by Derrick Mills. Kinsey then found wide receiver Termaine Fulton for five yards and the TD. Duncan looped around the right

side of the Raider defense to tie the score with the 2-pointer, setting up overtime and Kansas' first-ever win against the Red Raiders.

Symons, who finished the game with two completions on nine attempts for 15 yards passing, was obviously frustrated after the game-ending pick.

"I know my role on this team," he said. "Tonight I just had to come in and try to help the offense. I made a mistake, I'm still learning. That's just making me better as a player. I'm confident that next time I get into the game, I'll be all right."

Symons, a sophomore from Houston Cypress Creek High School, said the Raiders wasted several chances to put the game away.

"We stayed positive the whole time," he said. "But it was frustrating at times. We had the lead and we had our chances

to put them away. A couple of key plays and we could have won the game easy."

Teammate Williams, who finished the game with 71 yards rushing and 37 receiving yards, was complimentary of Symons' leadership in the starter's absence.

"He gave us a chance to keep fighting," Williams said. "He scored a touchdown, he calmed the team down, and he got into the end zone. He did a good job just keeping us in the game."

Welker, a sophomore from Oklahoma City, voiced a concern about opportunities in the game.

"We had all the chances in the world. We just didn't execute. When it comes to third or fourth down, we've got to rise up. That's something we're going to work on and something we've got to get better at if we're going to win football games."

## Men's cross country places second

The Texas Tech cross-country teams ran in the Texas Tech Open Saturday at Mae Simmons Park. Tech's top runners rested while the remainder of the teams competed.

The men's team finished with three runners in the top ten and placed second as a team behind South Plains. Scott

Morrell, Chris Ramirez and Rob Kalescky placed third, seventh and tenth respectively. Megan Beatty led the women's team with a 15th place time of 22:48 in the 5K race. Kelly Birke ran the course in 22:58, which was good enough for 20th. The women's team combined for a fourth place finish in the field of five.

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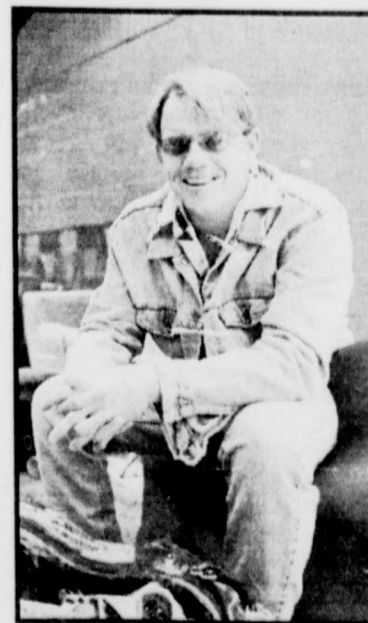
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# HOMECOMING 2001

## Tech spirit burns bright despite cold weather



JAIME TOMAS AGUILAR/Staff Photographer  
AFTER FORMING AN archway out of their torches for Homecoming participants to walk from Urbanovsky Park to the new Bonfire Pit, members of the Saddle Tramps head toward the fire's site to light it.

By Whitney Wyatt/Staff Reporter

The cold weather did not affect this year's Homecoming changes that were warmly accepted by the thousands of Texas Tech students who attended Friday's Homecoming parade, concert, pep rally and bonfire at Urbanovsky Park.

Homecoming coordinator Carole Bryant said an estimated 6,000 Tech students, parents and Lubbockites attended Friday's Homecoming festivities.

"I could not have asked for anything to have gone better," Bryant said. "It's great to see so many students come out."

Friday night's events started with the parade, which began at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

Travis Garner, a freshman broadcast journalism major from Sarasota, Fla., participated in the parade. He helped build the Phi Delta Theta and Kappa Kappa Gamma float.

"It was a long week (of building the float), but it paid off by placing third," he said. "I liked the fact that the parade ended up at the concert."

The Epstein's Mother concert was successful, even though it was a cold night, said Kent Berry, entertainment chairman.

"I'm so amazed at the turnout," he said. "Parents were even enjoying the concert."

Brian Glidden, a sophomore business major from Garland, said he had fun dancing during the concert.

"It's a blast," he said. "(The concert) gets the crowd going and gets everyone pumped up for the game."

Shawn Eiferman of Epstein's Mother said the band received hundreds of e-mails from excited Tech students weeks before the group arrived in Lubbock.

"We love it here," said Eiferman, referring to the spirited response the band received from Tech students.

Friday's concert was the last performance for Epstein's Mother.

The Homecoming pep rally, which included the spirit squads, the twirlers and the Goin' Band from Raiderland, the Gunfire Kickline, and the High Riders, followed the concert.

Tech cheerleader Chad DeArman said the cheerleaders enjoy the pep rally and bonfire because they build school spirit, as well as, make sure the alumni have a good time coming back to Tech.

"The pep rally and bonfire, to me, is a good chance to reflect on the good times I've had the past three years (at Tech)," said DeArman, a third year law student from Dallas. "It also brings you together as Tech students. It's a great feeling."

Feature twirler Megan Shawn entertained the crowd while she twirled three fire batons during the pep rally.

"(The twirlers) add excitement (to the pep rally)," said Shawn, a freshman pre-med major from Monahans. "Homecoming is awesome. I love it."

Steve Knight, who plays the trombone in the Goin' Band from Raiderland, said this was the best pep rally and bonfire he has ever participated in.

"There is lots of spirit in general," said Knight, a junior music education major from Longview. "There's lots of excitement. I think (the band) provides a driving tone for the spirit of this weekend."

Besides the performances of the spirit squads and twirlers, the winners of the different Homecoming events were announced at the pep rally.

Summer Dean was crowned 2001 Homecoming Queen. Kristopher Liptak was crowned the 2001 Homecoming King, making him the second king in Tech history.

Dean, a senior agricultural communications major from Jacksboro, said she was shocked, but excited to be the crowned Tech's Homecoming Queen. She was nominated by Kappa Kappa Gamma.

"I don't think I've ever felt so much love for Tech," she said. "I'm so proud to be a Red Raider."

Both of Dean's parents graduated from Tech, as well as her brother, Dustin, who currently is pursuing his master's degree at Tech.

Liptak, a senior marketing major from Kingwood, said Homecoming was excitement, honor and nervousness all rolled up into one.

"It's overwhelming, yet an honor at the same time," said Liptak, who was sponsored by Phi Gamma Delta.

"I have big steps to fill being the second Homecoming King," he said. Liptak said it was an honor to receive the crown from Ryan Huie, last year's Homecoming King and one of his fraternity brothers.

After the pep rally, students walked over to the new Raider Red Bonfire Pit to see the Saddle Tramps light the bonfire.

Bryan Cole, a senior agricultural communications major from Arlington, said students who do not attend the bonfire miss out on a great Tech tradition.

"I think bonfire is an opportunity everybody needs to take advantage of," he said. "It makes you feel the pageantry of Texas Tech."

Leah Hay, a junior child development major from Longview, agreed with Cole. She said she has always been proud to call herself a Tech student, but during the bonfire she was even more proud.

"You could feel the spirit and pride of everyone there by just standing and watching the bonfire," she said. "The bonfire puts an end to a great night."



DAVID JOHNSON/Staff Photographer  
TEXAS TECH CHEERLEADERS perform stunts for the crowd in front of the Bonfire after the Saddle Tramps lit the structure. This year's Bonfire was built in a new Bonfire pit just west of Urbanovsky Park.

### HOMECOMING CONTEST WINNERS

**Banner:** Kappa Alpha

**Karaoke:** Kappa Alpha Theta and Pi Kappa Phi

**Student Organization:** High Riders

**Float:** High Riders

**Greek Organization Float (tie):** Kappa Sigma & Delta Delta Delta

**Delta Sigma Phi & Fashion Board**

**Residence Hall Board:** Residence Halls Association

**Community and Business Organization Float:** American Heart Association



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ABOVE LEFT: JUST moments after being named as the second Homecoming King in Tech history, Kristopher Liptak, a senior marketing major from Kingwood, smiles as Janet Schmidly, the wife of Tech's president, crowns him.

ABOVE MIDDLE: SUMMER Dean, a senior agricultural communications major, gets her guns up just after she is announced as the 2001 Homecoming Queen. The king and queen were crowned at the pep rally Friday, instead of at the game Saturday.

ABOVE RIGHT: RESIDENTS of Weymouth Hall were instructed to either leave their room lights on or off, so a Double-T could be illuminated on the building.

LEFT: MEMBERS OF the Goin' Band from Raiderland perform during the parade Friday. The parade started at Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, went west on Broadway, onto campus and ended up at Urbanovsky Park.

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HOMECOMING 2001: For a recap of the weekend's events, including a feature story on the crowning of the Homecoming King and Queen, see our online coverage of the festivities, which includes a slide show of pictures from this weekend.