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## Building For Physical Fitness Now Opens



SEVERAL PRACTICE GOALS—Basketball isn't always played according to **UIL rules!** 



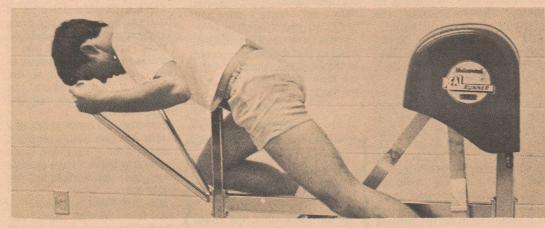
HARD WORK—This machine can be changed for performing several different exercises.



WET TOWELS?—Students in HPE classes were assigned lockers early last week.



LEG PRESS—Weights can be added to or taken from the same machine to control the amount of pull needed to complete the exercise.



HARD WORK—This machine can be changed for performing several different

(Photo's by Pete Canales)

Classes officially began in the new HPE building early last

The building is open each Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Monday through Thursday from 6:30 until 9 p.m. The evening hours are also class and community service times.

In addition, the building is open Saturday and Sunday afternoons from 3 until 5 p.m. The swimming pool is not open any afternoon except Saturday and Sunday, because life

guards are not available except checked in. during swimming classes and on The handball court must be

According to Sid Simpson, HPE division chairman, even students who are not enrolled in any HPE classes may use the facilities by showing their activity cards. The only condition is that students may not use any part of the facilities where classes are being held.

Students may check out equipment by leaving their activity cards, which will be returned when equipment is

reserved on the day it is needed by contacting Mr. Simpson's office in the HPE building.

Community service family memberships may be purchased in the registrar's office by signing up for HPE 111. The first family member is charged \$40, and each additional member is charged \$10.

Families of students with activity cards may use the building at the same time the student is there.

## **'Look Back' Tryouts Held This Week**

Tryouts for roles in "Look Back In Anger," WTC Drama Department's second production of the season, were held Tuesday and Wednesday in the Fine Arts Theatre.

Results of tryouts will be forthcoming, and rehearsals for the three-act play will begin immediately.

"Look Back In Anger" by John Osborne is totally different from any other play previously done by the theatre arts department. It is a serious drama, set in England in 1957.

While it will not present the technical problems in lighting and costuming that the season's opener, "Charley's Aunt" did, it will present the challenge of portraying the intense emotional conflict of the five characters in

"Look Back in Anger" is considered a classic example of the literature produced by writers in the 'Fifties.

Termed "The Angry Young Men," they chose literature as the vehicle for expressing their anger aganist society and against the emotional war that man fights with himself and those around hem.

#### PLAY CAST

The play unfolds Jimmy Porter's rage at a society he does not fit into; at a wife whose apparent passivity he does not understand. Other characters in the play, Alison, his wife; Cliff Lewis, his best friend; Helena Charles, and Alison's father, Colonel Redfern, alternately serve as the objects of Jimmy's frustration.

The play presents a strong and intense conflict. Though it gives its message in a serious tone, it will strike chords of understanding and response in the minds of many viewers.

"Look Back in Anger" is slated for production in mid-December.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

# Black Organization Suggested For WTC

Dear Editor:

. With only 25 Black students on campus, the interest and participation of these students are lacking somewhat! There are many reasons for this particular problem, and the opinions of each student seem to be centered around the same thoughts and ideas.

Among the interesting comments is that of Clara Mae Taylor who stated, "I think we need more Black females on campus to accompany our Black Brothers. I also think it's only fair that the college hire a Black instructor so that we'll have a sense of equal representation."

.WTC is a newly-built school with its main purpose to provide a better education for its students. It is still in the process of growing, and I feel that within the near future the thought of employing Black instructors will be no more than a sense of qualification.

. "Dancing! That's what we need. I wish it were possible to have a dance after each home basketball game or 'something' to get everyone together." Those were the remarks of Sharron Johnson, another Black student who is concerned about the lack of interest among the Black students.

. The town of Snyder itself is not known for its belief in dancing, at least not "soul dancing." Maybe this is the reason for the lack of dances on campus. However, one must consider the fact that country and western dances are held publically in Snyder, even though there is a slight difference in the style of dancing between the two. But then, the issue should be observed from both sides with an equal respect for each.

."I like the campus. The dormitory is very nice and modern, but I'm still bored from the lack of things to do," commented Norman Barnes, a freshman basketball player from Richmond, Virginia.

.. It was also brought to my attention that a Black organization would be the ideal place to start planning. The students seemed to be highly interested in such an organization and have even begun considering activities on which the organization would be sponsored. The type of organization and it's purpose was not permanently settled due to the many ideas of the students.

.Whether or not such an organization or interest group will develop is not known. It would seem to be an exciting and welldeserving activity to build up, not only for the spirit and interest of Blacks but for WTC itself!

HACK WILLIAMS

. I undersand you and several others have talked to Mrs. Mickey Baird, director of student activities, concerning the procedures in achieving this type of organization. What action have you and the group gone through?

.. After you have checked the recommended procedure, which you may pick up in Mrs. Baird's office, take it to the Senate. The Senate will decide on the situation. All organizations and clubs at WTC are required to do so, and this one is no exception. Good luck!!!-

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## College Newspaper NewspaperWoe Invites Responses

How many times have you picked up the school newspaper, glanced over the front page, looked at the cartoon on page two, hit some of the lead stories pictures in the rest of the paper, and then forgotten it until the next issue.

Probably a hundred times, including this time right now. It seems that the two main purposes is to fill a trash can and also to decorate a bulletin board.

A lack of student interest can destroy the real purpose of a college newspaper before it has a chance to get started.

The newspaper is written for the student body, expressing its views and informing the students of WTC's activities. And yet few students, or faculty members, realize the importance of the newspaper to a college system.

Like the Student Senate, the newspaper can be a link between the student body and the administration. When a student has an observation on how WTC could be run better, the newspaper supplies the quickest and most complete coverage that the problem can get.

The Senate is a body of students, elected for the purpose of representing the student body in matters dealing with the administration.

What better way to let the Student Senate know the opinions of the student body than through the newspaper?

WESTERN TEXAN not only gives students the chance to express their opinions directly to the Senate, administration, and the Student body, but it also keeps the students informed on what's going on in the Senate and administration that will affect them.

Without student participation, the newspaper can only perform one of its main duties informing the student about what's going on. But what about the other half? How is the administration or faculty members going to know how the student body feels about certain issues on campus?

Students can participate with response. Students can write letters with your signature in response to an editorial in the WESTERN TEXAN either giving proof to back up the article, or expressing a different opinion. Students can respond to something that's happening on campus that effects them.

Last week, I was talking to an English instructor who explained to me that he hears a lot of gripes about the last editorial. Why not write a letter and 'get it off your chest."

If you think there is something going on that should be reported, let the newspaper know. Maybe you know something about WTC we don't!!

PAM BLOCK,

**EDITOR-IN-CHIEF** 

It used to cost \$17 to fly the 120 miles between Lubbock and Amarillo. That was the coach class rate.

At the same time, the coach rate for the 548 miles between Lubbock and Houston was \$17.54 on the Santa Fe Railway.

If you think that impressive, take in some more: For \$4.99 more you could have a private room with lounge chair, bed, and washroom facilities. This first class accomodation (Pullman) cost \$40.60 on a round trip. Coach class by air, one way was \$42.

Of course, meals on a train, were not free, but they were not defrosted. You ate at a genuine table, too.

Those were the days...

With the energy crisis as it is, Jack Benny is now buying only one half gallon of gas at a time.

BY MIKE BURTON

It is Friday afternoon at last. Beside my typewriter is a can of chicken noodle soup which is bit by bit trickling down my throat. This is the only time this week that I've had more than one meal a day.

There have been many things to worry about this week besides hunger: the time change has upset my natural clock, I have a cold, the PE Building has opened, and then the tests.

There has also been the newspaper, but I let it ride until now, with the deadline only a short time away.

The editor is pacing the floor. Now and again, she stops and glares at the copy basket, then at me, then kicks a chair and resumes pacing.

She's a likeable girl most of the time, so to keep her from getting bent too far out of shape, I have amassed a great pile of pure knowledge from which to draw ideas. There it is on the table: a huge stack of timetables, rate books, consists, maps, and rosters.

However, the combination of a blonde and Campbell's soup has reminded me of my niece. Since I'm overly tense, I have taken a break from my work to tell you about her.

But first about my niece:

A few months ago, she climbed into my lap and started flirting. This was rather annoying since we were related, there were others in the room, I wanted to watch the John Wayne movie on the other side of her blonde head, and she was two years old.

Everyone else got a kick out of

"Do you like your uncle?" asked her mother.

"Yeth. said the little girl. "Uncle Bob is

mmmm mmmmm good!" I wonder what she'll be like years from now.

Anyway, the reminded me of another girl but my introduction has been so long that I've forgotten the story.

Maybe later.



EMT major, checks gears in a drives experiment.

#### Free Tutoring **Program Begins**

WTC Counselors, Jerry Baird and Dr. Mary Hood are sponsoring a Tutorial Program for the benefit of all WTC students.

Mrs. Marsha Krenek, coordinator, and students who are advanced in various subject areas, are available to give their time and knowledge to help any student who may be willing or wanting to receive help.

This program is designed to aid any student who may be having trouble with his courses.

Mr. Baird explained, "Any student needing help or extra help in his courses may come by the guidance and counseling offices on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 1-4 p.m. in the Student Center."

This program is also free of

## LIBERATED LADY—Debbie Clark, freshman

## (Photo by Pete Canales)

### **Rigby Attends JC Meeting**

assistant Van Rigby, professor of agriculture, attended the fourth annual Junior College Conference sponsored by the Texas Tech College of Agricultural Sciences in Lubbock Friday.

The conference was designed to create better understanding between junior and four-year colleges. Discussions of degree programs in agriculture at Tech and a symposium on "Counseling for Career Opportunities in the Agricultural Sciences' were on the agenda.

Ten two-year colleges were represented at the conference.

#### KRENEK: 'WTC'S AHEAD'

### **Delivery System Topic** Of Recent Convention

Harry Krenek, associate professor of history and geography, recently attended a meeting of the Association for Higher Education held at Tarrant County Community College in Fort Worth.

"College students-a buyer's market,' was the theme of the attended representatives of two and fouryear colleges and universities dedicated to promoting higher

Topics of discussion covered ideas for "delivery systems," or how to use different forms of media to get information to the students. According to Mr. Krenek, this means that education is a commodity purchased by college students, whose educational needs must

be met. As an example of a new delivery system, Mr. Krenek explained that Southern Methodist University plans to coordinate slides and tapes into instructional programs students may check out.

"They are moving in the direction we have been moving for two years," said Mr. Krenek. He added that SMU, Texas Christian University, North Texas State University, and others attending the meeting, are not using individualized instruction or self-paced learning. Association members do "increased interest in meeting students' needs'' by employing innovative methods, according to Mr. Krenek.

Bill Halbert, assistant professor of business administration, and James Palmer, associate professor of history and geography, also attended the meeting. Mr. Krenek said they were "impressed with the fact that we, here at WTC, already offer what other colleges are only talking

ONE OF FIFTY-ONE

### EMT Woman's World? Well, Almost Maybe!

BY CAROLYN WOOLSEY

"I love to watch football and wish I could play!"

Anything unusual about that? Debbie Clark, a petite, darkhaired freshman, made that statement.

She also happens to be the ONLY girl majoring in electromechanical technology. Randy Mosley, EMT instructor, says that Debbie is "plugging right along, holding her own' with 50 boys in the department.

Debbie graduated from Snyder High School in 1970 with no plans for college. She worked for about a year as a typesetter at the Snyder Daily News. After talking with Dr. Mary Hood and Mr. Mosley, Debbie enrolled in WTC this fall.

"I love it here," Debbie says. Her schedule, which includes

calculus, mechanical drives, computer programming, physics, and electronics, allows no electives. She is working toward the two-year Associate in Applied Science Degree.

Debbie says that she decided to major in EMT because she has always been interested in physics. computers. 'anything to do with math." She can also look forward to earning about \$700 to \$800 per month after graduation-considerably more than a secretary!

Working part time in local dentist Dr. R. H. Hargrove's office takes a lot of Debbie's time. The job is necessary to put herself through college and to support her two-year-old son, Carley. Debbie believes that individuals follow their interests. That's why she decided to major in EMT-not just to prove it can be done!

### Holland, Black **Elected Reps**

At the Southwest Theatre Conference, held in New Orleans La., Nov. 1-3 Charles Holland, assistant professor of speech and drama, was elected state representative for all community theatres and junior colleges in the state of Texas.

Holland was accompanied by Clayton Black of Abilene who was elected as the Western Representative of Region Texas for the student organization of the Theatre Conference.

Holland and Black studied for three days under Jo Mielziner scenic designer for such famous Broadway shows as Streetcar Named Desire" and 'Death of a Salesman."

"The importance of the Southwest Theatre Conference to Western Texas College," says Holland, "is the influence we will have on a state-wide level in legislative matters concerning education, especially in the performing arts fields.'

#### NO WTC RARITY

# Quartet Of Faculty Twins May Be College Record!

Kerri Carter Kristi Carter



BY BOB BURTON

Twin offspring of college faculties are fairly rare, so it is really something when there are four sets, as there are at WTC this year.

The Drs. Hood, Dean of Student Services and Director of Testing, lay claim to girls, Deanne and Denice, age 4½. Wilma Crawford, Financial Aids Officer, has a pair of 31/2 yearold boys, Chris and Craig.

Occupational-Technological Education Gene Robertson's five-year-old boys are Darrin William and Darrell

And (pant, pant) two-yearolds Kristi and Kerri belong to new faculty member Joe Carter, botany instructor.



Darrin William Robertson

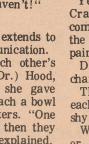


**COMPATIBLE DUOS** 

The young ones are compatible with each other. "When we take them to church and put them in the nursery," said Mrs. Crawford, "there's no problem because they've learned to share their toys, while most children their age haven't!"

This compatability extends to a non-verbal communication. "They anticipate each other's needs," said Mrs. (Dr.) Hood, describing the time she gave Deanne and Denice each a bowl of cheese and crackers. "One ate all her crackers, then they traded bowls!" she explained.

All the parents agreed that two are more trouble than one, especially when they're young!





Darrell Ray Robertson



Deanne Hood

Dean Robertson said his sons are still troublesome on occasion-his "set" has reached the age where they object to being mistaken for each other. He also commented that they have common experiences, citing stomach ulcers in particular.

definitely," Crawford said, concerning common experiences, which all the twins have, adding that her pair thinks and acts alike.

Dean Robertson's duo exchanges personalities.

The Hood and Carter twins each have one outgoing and one shy member.

Whether or not they are bold or shy makes no difference. though. We are glad to have them indirectly related to WTC. Now that's a relationship!



Craig a n d Chris Crawford

## New English Course Offered This Sp

This spring, WTC will add a new course in the English department. It is called English 233: Masterpieces of Literature: Film Literature and will be conducted by Mrs. Janet Halbert and Mr. Richard Lancaster, English professors.

The new course fills the requirement for three hours of Sophomore English (literature) and is welcome to freshmen as well to sophomores. It will transfer as a sophomore-level literature course, appearing on the transcript as Masterpieces of Literature.



Mrs. Halbert

Asked what the purpose of this film class is, Mrs. Halbert explained, "Film is the dominant narrative form of today. This

will help develop critical skills and perception with regard to films viewed. The course consists of film history, film aesthetics, and film produc-

"It is an expensive course to offer because it costs around \$800 to \$900 beyond the usual cost of an English course. The Administration of WTC has been extremely helpful and cooperative in backing the program. Since it cost a heavy amount of money, each student enrolled must pay a \$5 lab fee."

What are the qualifications? One must have a successful completion of English 131. For the second semester freshman, permission of the instructor is required. No previous film background is necessary. The class will meet each Tuesday and Thursday at 10:30 in room 203 of the Learning Resource

Film employs many of the same devices as literary works of art----symbol, metaphor, theme, tone, and point of view among others. It has form and structure that yield profitably to analysis. It is concerned with ethics, values, and truth. But the "secret union" between film and class which we will have two literature is more than apparent sections of twenty-five students similarity among many of its

devices. Literature is usually defined by its verbal nature, a definition which would seem to exclude an essentially visual medium. Literature, however, is distinguished not by the fact that



Mr. Lancaster

many of the same devices of communication as the traditional process of composition: A topic must be selected, limited, an idea developed, and material chosen and arranged to support that

It is apparent that film demands an expanded place in the educational curriculum. Evidence indicates that it belongs in an English program dedicated to serving the wideranging needs of its students, not as a sweeping substitute for traditional English studies but

it employs language but by the uses it makes of language. Film exploits the capacities of the image in the same way that literature exploits the capacities of language. In short, film is a form of aesthetic expression, similar both in its nature and its methods to literature, which

seeks, like literature, to understand man's universe and his place in it. Further, the process of film-making itself parallels as an important supplement to

The larger junior colleges and universities are using this type of film course.

#### WHAT'S NEW?

# New Programs Begun At WTC

BY CAROLYN WOOLSEY Times are changing so fast it's hard for most of us to keep track of what's new!

Believe it or not, even college curricula changes!

One popular new addition to WTC's schedule of classes is listed as HPE 111-211, Jerry Baird, instructor.

Mr. Baird takes time out from his regular job as director of guidance-counseling at noon every Tuesday and Thursday to cope with teaching the fine art of fly casting. He doesn't have to cope alone, however--he is helped by a member of RSVP, also new to our campus.

RSVP is the Retired Senior Volunteer Program, a national organization placing volunteer workers in jobs where their talents can best serve their fellow humans.

Some of these retired workers are actually doing work they pursued as hobbies, and some are doing much the same work they did as paid employees. The performing up to potential. It local chapter is directed through an office on WTC's campus.

WTC extends learning opportunities to 68 part-time students in Haskell through five classes held Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings at 6:30, in Haskell Indepent School District facilities.

Dr. Duane Hood, registrar, says, "No Scurry county tax money is used to support these classes."

He explained that tuition and fees paid by the extension students, and state appropriations based on the number of students enrolled are used to finance the classes. Most of the teachers are WTC staff who commute to Haskell.

A new way of getting more information to both parents and students has just recently begun.

Teachers filled out another kind of triplicate report at midsemester, to be sent out with regular grade reports. This one shows WHY a student isn't could even be sent to an 'A' student making 'B' or 'C' grades.

Counselors get a copy also.

#### MOVIE SCENE

## 'Cleopatra Jones' Special 'Now' Film

point of a recent dash of motion pictures dealing variously with the smuggling, the profits, the pushers and the victims.

"The French Connection," for example, dealt with drugs at the point of entry into this country, while "Superfly" was about the possible influence of films about drugs on youthful audiences.

Now along comes "Cleopatra Jones", which deals with the subject in special ways. The Warner Brothers action thriller, opening November 7-13 at the Cinema Theatre, tackles the problem at its source.

#### FLICK STAR

the title role, is a special agent who works with anti-drug forces from community leaders up to Interpol agents in Turkey, supervising the destruction of a field of opium poppies.

The picture also shows her activity back home at the Brothers & Sisters House, a drug rehabilitation center in the

BY KENNETH PARKER Drugs have been the focal 2,500 hopefuls, is the perfect choice for the heroine, who moves with style and grace between the glamour world of the jet set, and the twilight world of the ghetto, and the un-

> One moment Cleopatra Jones is lounging in her apartment, dressed in a flowing outfit that is part of the special wardrobe by

derworld of drugs.

Giorgio di Sant' Angelo, and the next moment she is stalking the rithless hoodlums who are members of Moomy's gang.

#### TALL TAMARA

Because of her regal heigth. 6'2", and her demeanor she Tamara Dobson, starring in makes the transitions with unquestioned credibility.

> The character Tamara Dobson plays is a distinct departure from the trend set by current films. She is a special kine of heroine, a woman who is

agile enough to drop an opponent with a well-placed karate chop, yet feminine enough to demonstrate a deep and tender love for her man.

ThreeDay Olympics Now Completed

Western Texas College's student organizations competed in a three-day Olympic Fair Tuesday through yesterday on campus.

Points were awarded for first, second and third places and the points were tallied in the same way as a track meet would be The object of the Olympic Fair events was to make the competition between the Clubs and organizations on campus stronger

The winner of the Olympic games was announced at 5:30 yesterday afternoon in the The name of the winning club will be engraved on a permanent plaque to hang in Physical Education

Events scheduled Tuesday were a "Mr. Legs" contest, of student activities.

sponsored by T.S.E.A.; the "Flour Treasure Hunt" sponsored by Los Vaqueros; and a Volkswagen sponsored by Baptist Student Union.

Wednesday, there were a "Partner's Egg Throw" contest which was sponsored by Kappa Chi, a "Rope Jumping" contest, sponsored by Phi Theta Kappa and a swimming race in the pool the Health-Physical Education Building sponsored by the Rodeo Club.

Yesterday the events were tricycle races by Beta Mu Sigma and "Wheel Chair Races" sponsored by Eta Mu Theta.

Carnival booths was set up in the central courtyard.

Mrs. Mickey Baird, isdirector

#### 'Spook Dance' Draws Crowd

The dining area of the Student Union building came alive October 30 as students doned Alexander has been the their spook clothes.

Approximately 200 persons (or rather spirits) attended the Halloween Dance sponsored by the Residence Hall Council.

Everyone from the Hunchback of Notre Dame to Captain AMerica was present! Even Santa Claus paid an early visit!

Music was provided on tape by Clayton Black, who was offical emcee for the evening.

The dance was dedicated to the Paul Alexander family. Mr. residence hall advisor for the past year and one-half. November 1, Mrs. Vonda Bennington assumed that

position. Alexanders The presented an appreciation by the Residence Hall Council.

Contests to pick the best costume were held, with Sonja Daivs, Scotty Hoyle and Mrs. Mickey Baird taking top honors in the student and faculty divisions, respectively.

Fuller proudly displays his

winning form after the TSEA Mr. Olympic Legs Photo by contest Tuesday. Burton



AH, BEAUTY!-Jim

Tamara, who was picked from

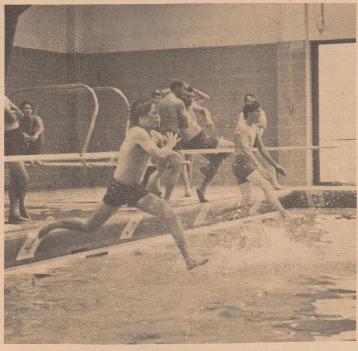
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## College, Community In Action

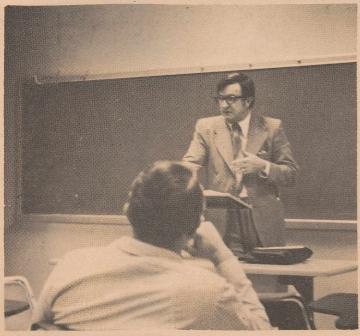
Photos by Pete Canales)



Mr. Kayser Aids Interested Class Member



New HPE Pool Open To All Age-Groups



On, Off Campus Involvement In Lecture Classes

#### Golfers Whip Angelo State

Playing in strong south winds, the Western Texas College golf team garnered its sixth dual match win Oct. 23 as the linksters defeated the Angelo State Junior Varsity 295 to 311 at the Snyder Country Club.

Each school entered six players and counted the four low scores.

WTC golfers Danny Walters, Mark McCraney, and Ricky Hopper tied for medalist honors, carding 73 s.

The other linksters, Mark Hargrove, Randy Mann, and Marty Pate each fired a 76.

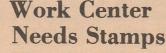
WTC has recorded six victories, plus one loss and one tie in dual match competition this fall.



Members of Phi Theta Kappa, scholarship society at WTC, are tentatively planning to release student directories Friday in the Student Center. Directories will sell for 75 cents each.

The directories include names, phone numbers, addresses and a faculty section. The project is intended to raise funds to finance the group's April trip to the national convention in Kansas City.

Sponsors are professor Ed Barkowsky and Dr. Mary Hood.



Mrs. Billy Huddleston, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Scurry County Work Center, is asking WTC students' help in collecting trading stamps to purchase a van for the center, as soon as possible.

All kinds of trading stamps, loose or whole books, cigarette coupons, gift stars, and bonus coupons may be turned in at collection boxes to be set up in the student center and the dorm.

Mrs. J. W. Everts, director of the work center for retarded adults, says the van is needed to take workers to their jobs, and to help them pick up newspapers for recycling.

Becky Rasco, freshman, of Snyder is in charge of the trading stamp drive on WTC's campus, and anyone wishing more information may call her at 573-7971. Becky said, "We need all the help we can get!" If anyone wants to start a door-to-door stamp drive, call Becky.

More information about the work of the center or the use of the van may be obtained by calling Mrs. Everts at the center, phone 573-9232, or Mrs. Huddleston at 573-3601.



Sign Language Group Goes Through Motions



'Charley's Aunt' Tickets Go On Sale



Staff, Community Enjoy Luncheon Together

## Netters Garner Third Place In Amarillo College Tourney

Western Texas College's tennis team captured third place Nov. 1-3 in a round robin team tournament at Amarillo College.

Along with WTC participants were Amarillo, Howard County Junior College, and Seward College of Liberal, Kansas.

Amarillo easily captured the first place trophy. HCJC placed second.

Against Seward, the Westerners won four of five singles matches, and both doubles.

Jon Moore, seeded No. 2, downed Steve Rinehart, 6-0, 6-2. Bob Christian, No. 3 singles player at WTC, defeated Alan Keller, 6-2, 6-2.

Winning by a 6-3, 6-4 score over Mike Weaver was the No. 4 seeded player, David Martin. The No. 5 singles player, Mike Milner, also won, beating An-

Eta Mu Theta defeated the

Mudville Maulers 12-8, and

Beata Mu Sigma edged Kappa

Chi 8-6 in intramural football

In Tuesday's game, Eta Mu

Theta picked up its first victory

of the year, which was also the

first time this season for the

EMT crew to put any points on

when quarterback Bill Jersey

hit Mark Morris with a 10-yard

scoring strike. The try for the

extra points was unsuccessful.

came by the way of the pass

once again, as Jersey this time

hit Jay Cromeens with a 15-yard

scoring toss. Once again the try

scored by Pete Canales on a 11-

QB Bryant Lewis passed to

Bobby Cobb for the extra points.

In the Thursday contest, Beta

for the bonus points failed.

The Maulers' touchdown was

yard run around end. Mauler

Eta Mu Theta's final score

The victors' first score came

action held last week.

the board.

'Mural Teams Win

thony Brown, 6-0, 6-0.

The No. 1 doubles team, Brian Otterness and Moore, defeated Paul LeeLum and Rinehart, 3-6, 7-6, 6-3. In the second set, a tiebreaker had to be played and WTC came out on top, 5-2.

A tie-breaker occurs when a set in a tennis match is tied, 6-6. Nine points are then played, and the individual or team which garners five points first is awarded the game, thus getting the set, 7-6.

Christian and Milner, the No. 2 doubles team, whipped Keller and Weaver, 6-2, 7-5.

Otterness, the No. 1 seeded singles player, fell, 6-0, 2-6, 6-7, to outstanding netter from the West Indies attending Seward, LeeLum.

The WTC netters found the going a little rougher against Howard County, claiming only one singles match and one

fourth victory of the season.

Beta Mu Sigma's first points

came when Joe Dale Price

crossed the goal line from 12

yards out. The try for the bonus

The other score came when

Dwyane Riggs tackled one of the

This proved to be the margin of

Kappa Chi's points came by

way of the pass, asTTommy

Vineyard hit Danny Lawrence

with a 25-yard scoring toss.

Lawrence had earlier in-

tercepted a pass to set up the

score. The attempt for the bonus

Intramural Football

Standings

point was unsuccessful.

Beta Mu Sigma

Eta Mu Theta

Kappa Chi backs for a safety.

difference.

doubles match.

Otterness was theonly victor in singles, winning, 4-6, 6-3, 6-1.

Otterness and Moore took their doubles match easily, 6-0, 6-4 from Jay Box and Johnson.

In singles, Moore was defeated, 6-0, 6-4 by Bill Alcocer.Ray Villareal whipped Christian, 6-0, 6-3. Martin fell to Terry Woods, 0-6, 2-6. In the other singles match, Box downed Milner, 6-2, 6-2.

Against AC the Westerners failed to pick up any victories, but were involved in one of the most exciting matches of the tournament.

The No. 1 doubles team, Otterness and Moore, played two tie-breakers in their match before eventually falling, 3-6, 7-6, 6-7 to Terry Daniels and Gary Marable.

The first tie-breaker in the second set was won 5-4 by WTC. The Western netters lost the second tie-breaker 5-3 in the final set.

In singles action, Daniels defeated Otterness, 6-4, 6-2. Marable whipped Moore, 6-1, 6-0. WTC netter Christian fell, 1-6, 3-6 to Fred Scott. Dennis Merlino captured a victory from Martin, 6-3, 6-3. Milner fell to Joe Don Bates, 1-6, 1-6.

The No. 2 doubles team, Christian and Milner, made a strong showing like the No. 1 team, but were beaten, 2-6, 7-6, 3-6 by Scott and Merlino. A tiebreaker had to be played on the second set, which the WTC duo won, 5-2.

Oct. 23 the WTC netters were involved in a dual match with HCJC, but no results were recorded.

Next action for the WTC tennis team will be Nov. 13 when they challenge Odessa College in a dual match at the Permian Basin city.

Coach of the team is Miss Leslie Loyd.



PREPARES TO DRIVE—Danny Walters, cocaptain of the '73-'74 golf team, gets ready to tee-off at the WTC driving range. Walters has the best average of any linkster in competition this year. (Photo by Pete Canales)

## Linksters Grab Tie In Abilene Tourney

Western Texas College and Hardin-Simmons University tied for first place in an 18-hole golf tournament Friday, Nov. 2 at the Abilene Country Club.

Playing in a cold northerly breeze, each school shot a 6-over par 290.

over par 290.

The WTC linksters could muster only an 8-over par on the front nine holes, but came back on the back nine, firing a

2-under par.
Danny Walters fired a 3-under par and Robert McFaul shot a 1-under on the back nine to lead the Westerners. For 18 holes, each carded a 71.

Other WTC scores were Ricky Hopper 73, Mark McCraney 75, and Kyle Howard 79.

H-SU's Hamilton was medalist

with a 70. Walters and McFaul tied for runnerup medalist honors.

Abilene Christian College shot a 301, 17-over par, and Mc-Murry College carded a 322, 38over par

over par.
The WTC linksters played the Angelo St. JV last Tuesday in a dual match at San Angelo.

today the Westerners will be at Odessa for their final conference tourney of the fall. Odessa College is currently in first place, leading WTC by one point.





Nov. 1-3. The players are bottom row (L to R) David Martin, Bob Christian, and Jon Moore. Top row (L to R) Brian Otterness, Steve Witte, Mike Milner, and Coach Loyd.

(Photo by Pete Canales)

WTC PICKED LOW

## Pre-Season Poll Favors HCJC, Clarendon

BY BENNY ELLINGTON

In a recent pre-season poll, Howard County, Clarendon, Amarillo, and New Mexico were picked to finish as the top four teams in the race for the Western Junior College Athletic Conference basketball title this

South Plains, Odessa, Western Texas, New Mexico Military Institute, and Frank Phillips were predicted to finish in the bottom half of the loop.

A couple of the main reasons that HCJC has nabbed the favorite's role is 6-8 Taylor Williams and 6-7 forward Thomas Bledsoe. Both cagers were starters for the Jayhawks last year, and garnered All-Conference honors.

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**HCJC CAGERS** 

Also returning for the Howard are County squad starters Leroy Lumzy, guard who averaged 15 points per contest last season, and 6-6 forward Mike Randell.

Four starters back from a team that finished second in the WJCAC last year is a good reason to place the Jayhawks at the top.

Clarendon should also field a strong team this year, led by 6-5 postman Joe Pride, the nation's leading JC rebounder last season, who was an All-Conference member.

Three other starters are back from last season's team, including 6-5 guard Herman Brown, 6-4 guard Brent Sherrod, and 5-11 guard Keith Embry. Another cager who should help

Clarendon this year is 6-10 sophomore transfer from Vernon.

CJC did not finish high in the standing last season, but should make a strong bid this year.

#### **AC FOR THIRD**

Amarillo, one of the stronger teams in the past, has been tabbed as the third place finisher. 6-1 guard Harold Rhodes will be counted upon to provide most of the AC punch. The 6-1 guard was the leading junior college scorer in the nation last season, until a fired up squad from WTC shut him down to a mere 18 points.

Darrell Peterson, 6-8 postman, will also be available to render aid for the Amarillo

NMJC of Hobbs, N.M., is led postman Junior Siegeler, a by three returning starters, 6-0 guard Donny Jackson, 6-3 forward John Monitt, and 6-5 forward Ricky Gibson. The New Mexico squad will also be helped on the boards by 6-7 postman Milton Daniels, a letterman.

#### **TEXANS LOWER**

Coach Buddy Travis has always seemed to put togehter a winning combination, and this year will probably be no different. He has only two lettermen returning, 6-6 forward Val Stevens and 6-0 guard Robert Herrera.

Odessa College is another team, 6-3 forward Johnny Brooks, 6-2 forward Claude Jenkins, and 6-2 forward Darrell Cox.

Another cager, 6-5 forward Darrell Mitchell, should also be a big help to OC. Mitchell was a high school sensation at Odessa Ector, and was a member of the Ector squad which claimed the AAA State title in 1972.

The Texans of SPC have been picked to hold down the fifth place spot. South Plains is the defending WJCAC champ. They finished last season without a blemish on their league record.

squad loaded with returning personnel, including four starters from last season's Giddens, 6-3 forward Ernest

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How does a team with this kind of personnel get picked so close to the bottom?

#### **CELLAR SQUAD**

Frank Phillips, the team picked to hold down the cellar, returns four lettermen, 6-0 guard Terry Zink, 6-4 forward Lindin Weese, 6-4 forward Johnny Royal, and 6-0 guard Jimmy George.

Little is known of NMMI, but it has not fielded strong teams in the past.

The Westerners were picked to finish seventh, above only NMMI and Frank Phillips. WTC has more tested personnel available than SPC and Amarillo, but were still picked beneath. Here is how this corner sees they'll finish:

- (2) Odessa (3) Clarendon
- (4) SPC
- (5) WTC (6) Amarillo
- (7) NMJC (8) Frank Phillips

#### **Rodeo Team Stands** Third In NIRA Action

Western Texas College now stands third in the Southwestern Region of the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association, according to Van Rigby, faculty sponsor.

John Gass won the saddle bronc riding at the Sul Ross Rodeo November 2-6. He won with a mark of 68 on his second horse. He also won the short go-round and took second place in the second go with a mark of

The Sul Ross Rodeo was the final rodeo for the semester, Rigby said. The first rodeo of the spring term will be hosted by

Sul Ross Feb. 21-23. The Fort Stockton arena will be the site of that indoor event.

WTC will host their own rodeo April 4-6 at the Scurry County Arena.

The WTC team will enter rodeos at Angelo State University March 28-30, Southwest State College April 11-13, Texas Tech April 18-20, Hardin-Simmons University April 25-27, and the New Mexico State University May 2-4.

Dates have not been set for rodeos planned at West Texas State, Tarleton, Cisco and New Mexico Junior College.



### WTC Golf Team Rips Schreiner Institute

WTC's golf team picked up two more dual match victories Friday, Oct. 26 and Saturday, Oct. 27 at the Snyder Country Club. On Friday, the linksters whipped Schreiner Institute 277, 7-under par to 297, 13-over par.

PRIDE OF THE WEST—Members of the '73-'74 WTC basketball team are

bottom row (L to R) Eric Grant, Kenny Fowler, Gary Brooks, Jerry Brooks,

Danny McDaniel, Luis Blanco, and E.T. Thomas. Top row (L to R) Greg Hill,

Brian Minor, Eugene Harris, Kent Horsley, Norman Barnes, Harold Ward,

Western Texas downed the same Kerrville team 294, 10-over par to 297, 13-over par the next day.

Each school played six men and counted the four low scores each day. Friday's round was the best

(Photo by Pete Canales)

team score this fall by WTC. It was the fifth time for the Westerners to score under

Ricky Hopper won medalist honors with a 68, 3-under par. Danny Walters and Randy Mann tied for runnerup medalist with 69's, 2-under par.

Other Westerner scores were Mark McCraney 71, Marty Pate 76, and Mark Hargrove 77.

Saturday's round was played in inclement weather, and WTC's margin of victory was only three strokes.

Dan Isenhower was medalist with an even par 71. WTC linksters Mann and Kyle Howard tied for runnerup medalist honors with 72's.

Other WTC scores were Pate 73. Robert McFaul 77, Larry Hall 80, and Ronnie Wilson 85.

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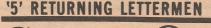
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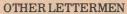
Western Texas College's basketball team will open its 1973-74 season Nov. 15 as the cagers entertain the Lubbock Christian College Junior Varsity at the Scurry County Coliseum.

around five returning lettermen, two of which were starters on

Returning starters are 6-6

Ward pulled down 203 rebounds for a seven per contest average. The 6-6 forward hit 51 per cent from the floor and came up with 27 blocked shots to lead the team.

the 29 games, scoring 295 points for a 12.8 average. He shot 46 per cent from the floor and 71 per cent at the free throw line.



Other lettermen back are 5-11 guard Eric Grant of Hondo, 6-0 Luis Blanco of Ft. Stockton, and 6-8 center Kent Horsley of Snyder.

Horsley played in 16 games, scoring 37 points for a 2.3 average. Grant participated in 10 games and scored 19 points for a 1.9 average. The other letterman, Blanco, played in for a 2.6 average.

Besides the lettermen nine freshmen are also on the squad, including 6-7 forward Eugene Harris of Hattiesburg, Miss., 6-3 forward Greg Hill of Midland, Pa., and 6-8 center Norman Barnes of Richmond, Va.

6-2 guard Kenny Fowler of Austin, 6-3 guard Jerry Brooks, 6-3 guard Gary Brooks, 6-5 forward Kevin Jones, all of Snyder, 6-5 forward Brian Minor of Richmond, Va., and 5-9 guard E.T. Thomas of Anton are the other freshmen.

#### ALLSTATE

Harris was All-State his senior year in high school. His high school team, Hattiesburg Blair, claimed the State championship. Hill was All-Sectional his senior year, and his high school took the state championship in

Barnes was a member of the Eastern All-Stars in the Virginia All-State game. Fowler garnered All-District honors at

This year's squad is built

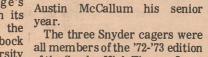
last season's team.

forward Harold Ward of Passaic, N.J. and 6-2 guard Danny McDaniel of Little Rock, Ark. Ward played in every game last season for the Westerners, scoring 359 points for a 12.4 average per game.

McDaniel participated in 23 of

seven games, scoring 19 points

Pennsylvania.



all members of the '72-'73 edition of the Snyder High Tigers. Jerry Brooks was All-District, Player of the Year in Dist. 4-AAAA, and All-South Plains. Jones captured All-Dsitrict honors, and was Honorable Mention All-South Plains. Gary Brooks was Honorable to both the district and south plains teams.

#### LAST YEAR STATS

WTC's cagers scored 2,616 points last year, for a 90.2 Howard Payne College.

average. They shot 50 per cent from the floor. Opponents hit an 85 points-per-game average.

Last season the Westerners posted an 18-11 record, claiming third place in the conference behind South Plains College and Howard County Junior College.

The final game of the year saw the Westerners fall, 78-77, at the regional tournament, to Mc-Lennan County of Waco, the eventual champion.

Several cagers on this team are now playing for four-year schools. Walter Hannibal, a JC All-American, is playing for





RETURNING STARTERS—Harold Ward (left) and Danny McDaniel (right) are the returning starters from last season's team. Ward averaged 12.4 pts. per contest, and McDaniel 12.8.
(Photo by Pete Canales)

## Snyder Sound Center

TEES OFF—Ronnie Wilson, WTC linkster, tees off

Westerners have won eight dual matches this fall

**Undefeated Teams Win** 

In Intramural Action

23, and the Tigers whipped the on matters concerning in-

teams in the intramural football authority to repremand any

(Photo by Gary Wages)

Each team will have one vote

player whose attitude or conduct

during a game was not in the

best interest of intramurals at

Kappa Chi and Eta Mu Theta

were not represented at the

meeting and were fined fifty

Wayland Trims

Westerner '5'

Western Texas College's

basketball team tested Wayland

Baptist College last Thursday in

Four ten-minute quarers were

played, with WBC coming out on

top in three of them. The scores

were 23-18, 16-14, 19-18, and 9-10.

Ranger

College was the opposition in a

scrimmage at Abilene.

a scrimmage at Plainview.

cents each.

Nov. 7

council requested

at the Western Texas driving range.

Beta Mu Sigma edged the secretary.

same team 22-6 Thursday Oct. 25 tramurals.

Faculty team 6-0 Tuesday Oct.

to remain as the only undefeated

Beta Mu Sigma's points came

when quarterback Scott

Dickerson hit Joe Dale Price with a scoring toss. The try for

the bonus points failed.

Tigers and the Faculty, the

information on who scored was

unavailable. Even though the

Faculty came out on the short

end of the score, it led in

nington, a Faculty player, the

Faculty seemed to move the ball

well in between the ten yard

lines, but just could not move

when they got inside the ten.

On Monday Oct. 22 the In-

Officers elected

Huffaker,

tramural Council met and was

were Travis Bunch, president,

Joe Dale Price, vice-president,

Dennis

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