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Aggie, Raider feud fuels controversy

McKinney accuses Tech administrators of cover up; Aggie threw punch at him

By Phil Riddle/Staff Reporter

Dr. Mike McKinney, chief of staff for Texas Gov. Rick Perry, accused the Texas Tech administration of a cover-up following a melee in which McKinney was injured after Saturday's Tech-Texas A&M football game at Jones SBC Sta-

McKinney, father of Aggie center Seth McKinney, blamed Tech officials for letting a post-game celebration get out of hand.

A&M's student newspaper, The Battalion, reported in Monday's edition Tech fans had caused McKinney's injuries. However, investigators have ascertained that it was actually a Texas A&M fan that landed the punch.

McKinney was made aware Monday his attacker was a fellow Aggie.

"I am not going to scapegoat that young man," McKinney said. "It would have made no difference if it had been a Tech fan. The administration and security failed. The administration calling for punishment of those responsible is a cover-up for their lack of institutional control.

Tech President David Schmidly disagreed with McKinney's allegation.

"I don't feel that way," Schmidly said in a Monday afternoon press conference. "We had more than normal security. "If you look at the tapes you'll see police officers in place doing their job. That's all I can say."

Schmidly added the administration cannot be responsible for the action of policy.

25,000 students. According to the story in The Battalion, McKinney was attempting to keep rowdy Tech fans from getting into the

"I pushed two of them down and grabbed my binoculars and said, 'The next one that comes up gets it,'

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DR. MIKE MCKINNEY, top center, the chief of staff for Texas Gov. Rick Perry, holds a T-shirt over his eye to stop bleeding from a cut he received over his right eye after being punched by a Texas A&M student following Saturday's game. Nick Beihl, shirtless, a senior electrical engineering major from Aledo, gave his shirt to McKinney to aid the wound.

Schmidly encourages students to surrender; game security policy under evaluation

By Melissa Guest/Staff Reporter

Texas Tech President David Schmidly said Monday the university was identifying students involved in Saturday's post-football game disturbance and disciplinary action would be rendered according to university

Additionally, security and operating policies are being reviewed to prevent Saturday's events from being

Schmidly said he encourages students who were involved to come forward.

"Students willing to do that and stand up like a man or a woman will be treated differently than those who have to be hauled in as result of investigation," he said. After Tech defeated the Aggies 12-0 Saturday, fans proceeded to tear down the goal post, carrying it to-

ward the visitors' stands. Fans from both sides were involved in several skirmishes, one of which resulted in the injury of Dr. Mike McKinney, Gov. Rick Perry's chief of staff. McKinney, who was punched over the right eye, required eight stitches. He is the father of A&M center Seth McKinney.

Tech's interim Chancellor Dr. David Smith said he and McKinney spoke on the phone late Saturday night. "We're old friends," Smith said. "The tone was my dismay and embarrassment of what had happened. His

was 'we all regret things like this." During the conversation, Smith said, McKinney did not identify who attacked him.

"He never said it was a Texas Tech student," Smith

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TEXAS TECH PRESIDENT David Schmidly speaks at a press conference Monday afternoon to address issues surrounding the following Saturday's Tech-Texas A&M football game. **GREG KRELLER** Staff Photographer

Tech students show variety of emotions in wake of weekend celebration, brawls

By Pam Smith/Staff Reporter

Two days later, in the shadow of the goalpost falling after Saturday's football game, several Texas Tech students expressed mixed feelings about the brawl that erupted in the stands of Jones SBC

"I feel the same way as every student on this campus," said Student Government Association President John Steinmetz, who also is president of the Student Red Raider Club. "This is an embarrassment to the university and the students who were involved should be even more embarrassed."

Steinmetz said the students involved in the incident should cooperate completely and turn themselves in to the university before the administration finds them. He said the university has already identified 12 students involved, while urging others to come forward.

"These students need to come forward because if they are part of the 12 and they don't, then their punishment is going to be even worse," he said. "Students should just come forward in case they are part of that group."

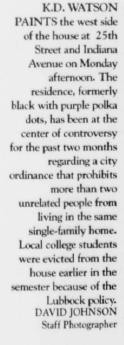
Since the incident, Steinmetz said, the university has had to apologize to Texas A&M because of the tasteless actions taken by a few students after the football game. However, he said this has become a sad trend after football games.

"Sometimes it gets really old having to write letters to the other school's paper apologizing for the acts of a few students who attend Tech," he said. "After the Kansas State game, we were apologizing for a few vandalized cars, and after the UT game we were apologizing for spray painting Double-T's, now there is

Stacey Pollard, a freshman psychology major from Las Cruces, N.M., said she thinks the students involved in the

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Voting on tap to decide laws' fate

By Jeff Stoughton/Staff Reporter

Residents of Texas again will have a chance to visit the polls today to decide the fate of 19 Texas constitutional amendments.

Texas Tech students living on campus will be able to vote in the University Center, provided they have been registered to vote in Lubbock County for at least

Martha White, an assistant election clerk for Lubbock County, said there would be about 60 polling sites throughout the county. A list of sites can be found at www.co.lubbock.tx.us/CClerk/polling.htm.

The election will give Texans a chance to vote on

several amendments to the Texas constitution. Issues covered by the amendments include land title disputes, highway projects, taxation of agricultural goods, compensation for teachers who serve on school district boards, appointment of presidential electors and streamlining the state constitution. More detailed information about these amendments can be found at www.sos.state.tx.us.

White said Tech students who are registered voters should attend the elections because the amendments deal with issues that affect all Texans.

"It is important that they know what their govern-

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Decline in oil prices worries OPEC

LESS OF A LOAD: Oil production is likely to decrease in order to force prices up.

By Bruce Stanley/Associated Press

LONDON — Alarmed by a relentless slide in oil prices, OPEC members are likely to agree to cut production by as much as 1.4million barrels a day when the cartel's delegates meet next week, an OPEC official said

Such a cut would be up to 400,000 barrels a day larger than the potential reduction called for in recent weeks by members

of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries

OPEC members are considering cutting output by 1.2-million to 1.4-million barrels a day, or 5 percent to 6 percent of their official production, said the OPEC official, speaking on condition of anonymity from the group's headquarters in Vienna, Austria.

Earlier, OPEC Secretary-general Ali Rodriguez earlier told reporters that cuts of more than 1 million barrels a day were a "possibility." Rodriguez, speaking in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, did not give the size of the possible cuts.

World crude prices have continued to weaken because of a sharp decrease in global economic activity, a slump compounded by the terror attacks on the United States.

On Friday, the price for OPEC's bench-

mark blend of seven crudes was \$17.81 a barrel, down 30 percent from \$25.56 a barrel on Sept. 10 — the day before the attacks. OPEC had not yet compiled its benchmark price for Monday.

The price for December contracts of North Sea Brent crude slipped 39 cents to \$19.38 a barrel on Monday on the International Petroleum Exchange in London. December contracts of light sweet crude slipped 2 cents to \$20.16 a barrel on the New York Mercantile Exchange.

Representatives of OPEC's 11 member nations plan to meet Nov. 14 to assess market conditions and set production policy. OPEC, which produces about 40 percent of the world's crude, has announced cuts in

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Airport security fired for negligence

CHICAGO (AP) - Seven private security workers at O'Hare International Airport were fired for allegedly allowing a man to pass through a security checkpoint with several knives and a stun gun in his carry-on luggage.

Subash Gurung, 27, of Chicago, was charged after he was arrested trying to board a United Airlines flight to Omaha, Neb., on Saturday night, said police spokesman Thomas Donegan.

He was charged with unlawful use of a weapon and attempting to board an aircraft with weapons, both state misdemeanor

After being released on bond on those charges early Sunday, he was rearrested late in the day by FBI agents and charged with a federal felony count of attempting to carry a weapon on an aircraft, said Randall Samborn, a spokesman for the U.S. attorney's office in Chicago.

The seven security workers, including one supervisor, were fired Sunday for failing to detain Gurung after two folding knives were discovered in his pocket when he passed through a metal detector.

Seven other knives, a stun gun and a can of mace were not noticed by the workers when Gurung's bag went through an X-ray machine, according to Chicago Department of Aviation spokeswoman Monique Bond.

The Nepal-born Gurung had made it past the security checkpoint at O'Hare, but airline employees in the gate area searched his carry-on bag and found the knives and the

Taser gun, Donegan said. "Something obviously went seriously wrong here, and we're trying to find out if it's the employees' fault," Bond said. "If weapons were confiscated, he should never have been let through security."

United spokesman Joe Hopkins said Gurung was searched at the terminal gate as part of the airline's regular security procedures.

The fired workers worked for Atlantabased Argenbright Security Inc., which operates the screening operations at United's terminal. The Federal Aviation Administration is investigating the incident.

Last month, the FAA and the Transportation Department announced an audit of the screeners employed by Argenbright, which operates at 14 airports. Officials alleged Argenbright has failed to adequately check employees' backgrounds.

Gurung is to appear in court Dec. 19.

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Plant and soil sciences tops in grant money

By Joseph Balderas/Staff Reporter

Texas Tech's department of plant and soil science won the university's inaugural Departmental Excellence in Teaching Award in 2000.

For the 2001 fiscal year, the department garnered the most external research support, narrowly surpassing the department of chemistry and biochemistry by \$3,993.

Dick Auld, plant and soil science department chairman, said considering the relatively small number of faculty in the department, the award is an amazing accomplishment.

"We do a great job in the classroom," he said. "Mainly it's our faculty. Our department is fairly small so each professor really has to work hard."

According to the Office of Research Services, the department produced \$2,852,185 in research grant money from Sept. 1, 2000 to Aug. 31, 2001. The amount was almost \$1 million more than the department's previous fiscal year.

Auld said the president's investment in faculty is paying off and enhancing the image of Tech. Two years ago the administration created new positions in

The Tech CAN Share food drive is accepting

canned foods until Thursday in the Univer-

sity Center Courtyard. For more information,

Avi Lipkin, a lewish speaker and author, will

be in Lubbock at 8 p.m. Nov. 24 to speak

about the fanaticism of Islam and how it is

the No. 1 threat to world peace today.

There is no charge to attend. For more in-

formation and the event's location, call

call Carrie Evans at (806) 742-3621.

some departments with funds from the plains," he said Texas Legislature.

Stephen Moss, who filled the new position within the department, has been at Tech for about one year. Moss, a professor of agricultural microclimatology, worked with the U.S. Department of Agriculture in California before coming

Moss recently secured an \$800,000 grant from the USDA for research in remote sensing in agriculture.

"The project is called Yieldtracker and is used to design a system for remote sensing to predict crop yields in the high

Poetry By Heart, a fund-raiser for the Lub-

bock Public Library, will be at 8 p.m. Thurs-

day at J&B Coffee Company, located at

26th Street and Boston Avenue. The event

is sponsored in part by the Tech English

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Moss said graduate students are the beneficiaries of the faculty's efforts. The grants provide assistanceships to almost every graduate student in the department.

"The department has really aggressive faculty that really go after grant proposals that really catch people's interest," he said. "Our research is totally funded through competitive grants, so we spend some time filling out proposals."

Carleton Phillips, biological sciences department chairman, said it is extremely difficult to find a balance between research and excellent teaching

and is happy for the plant and soil science department's success.

He said faculty members are expected to support financially a lab and business meetings, manage and maintain a lab and pay students to help in the research.

"A faculty member has to maintain and run a lab," he said. "It's almost like running a business. The faculty member needs to generate the financial support."

The department of biological sciences had the fifth highest amount of external research support, generating \$1,977,515. There are 45 academic departments at Tech.

Trisha Hinnen at (806) 798-0491.

Kohn at (806) 773-8372.

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Thursday in the University Center Court-

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The Public Relations Student Society of America

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drinks, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Nov. 12 in 223

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National Chemistry Week events on hot plate

FORMULA FOR FUN:

The week will feature many science activities on the Tech campus.

By Laura Sepeda/Staff Reporter

The South Plains section of The American Chemical Society began National Chemistry Week on Monday at the University Center with a trivia contest.

Those who answered questions correctly received a prize. Those who didn't had their pick from the "Periodic Table" of cupcakes.

The society promotes interest in chemical sciences in general. Dominick Casadonte, counselor of the local section of the society and coordinator of the local National Chemistry Week, said the society is the largest professional organization in the world.

"We have approximately 100,000 members," he said. "We routinely have 20,000 people show up for the annual conferences."

The ACS is open only to those with a degree in a chemical or related science. However the student affiliate branch is open to all undergraduate students regardless of major.

"We even have a few English majors who happen to have an interest in chemistry," Casadonte said. "I believe that students should join only a few organizations and activities that they will enjoy in order to be the most productive. That is better than doing 15 to 20 things and not actually getting anything done."

Last year the local members received a Chemluminary Award for best National Chemistry Week contest.

Greg Gellene, chairman and faculty adviser for the student affiliates, said the local chapter received an outstanding rating.

"They were in the top 20 out of around 600," he said.

In addition to the trivia table, which is scheduled again for Wednesday and Friday afternoon, Casadonte has a "colorful" chemical presentation planned for noon Wednesday in the University Center Courtyard.

Student members will have a meeting for those interested in joining at 6 p.m. Wednesday in 101 Chemistry building. Food and drinks will be provided. Fees for student members are \$10 a year.

On Friday, Casadonte will give a triboluminescence demonstration for prospective Honors College students. On Saturday, he and other members will have a treasure hunt for the Buckner Children's Home in the Texas Tech Museum's Klein Room.

"On this hunt, four Xs will mark a spot," Casadonte said. "The kids will use chemistry to find out which X really marks the spot. Chemistry is the central science. It's everywhere you look."

National Chemistry Week, which started 25 years ago, generally is held the first week of November. Starting next year it will be held the last week of October.



DOMINICK CASADONTE, CENTER back row, an associate professor of chemistry science?" Casadonte is the local coordinator of National Chemistry Week, which began and biochemistry, poses the question with the help of his students, "Chemistry: Is it art or Monday and features a trivia game in the University Center and other science activities.

Leadership Tech to lead development seminars for student organizations

By April Tamplen/Staff Reporter

Over the next few weeks, Leadership Tech has lined up a series of seminars for Texas Tech student organizations and other members of the student body.

The mission of Leadership Tech is to provide students with a diversity of interactive leadership experiences.

Me Inc. starts the series off with "Reality Check, A Real Life Preparation" at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the University Center Red Raider Lounge.

Me Inc. is a component program of Leadership Tech designed to address the fundamental leadership and personal development needs of students.

"The objective of this program series is to provide a forum for students to get a better grasp on their own leadership and personal development," said Will Kayatin, a Student Activities sponsor. "For example, if you do not have a solid

grasp on your identity, skills, abilities, and goals, how can you possibly provide greater leadership for others?"

This seminar helps students realize life after graduation is not sugar coated, Kayatin said. Students do not realize the actual cost of living and salary differences, he said, when they are forced to actually live out on their own.

Double-T Room.

There will be testimonies of personal experiences from members of Leadership

Following Me Inc., the Women's Leadership Program will present the first presentation of a "Toolbox Series" from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Thursday, in the UC

The first presentation in the series of

educational and interactive sessions will be "Write your own mission statement." This seminar will help students define their own goals and priorities before and after graduation. This session will be used as a doorway to discover a person's unique leadership abilities and how to

apply them to life goals. The WLP is part of the larger Leadership Tech program that will address the needs and issues of women on the Tech

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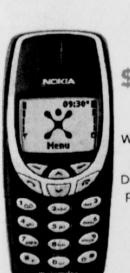
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Raiders, Aggies need to end bickering, allow investigation to go forward

EDITORIAL

he altercations between Texas Tech and Texas A&M fans following Saturday's football game between the Red Raiders and the Aggies have landed Tech, its fans, students and administrators in the media spotlight.

Understandably, several people associated with Tech and A&M are upset with what happened after the game. Accusations fly from both sides as Tech administrators continue to investigate what happened, how it happened and who was involved.

Several Aggie fans have expressed their disgust with the post-game brawl in the stands of Jones SBC Stadium, saying this shows the lack of class Tech has for itself, its stadium and its opponents. Some are even calling for Tech to be kicked out of the Big 12 Conference.

Several Tech fans have expressed their embarrassment for what happened and how some Red Raiders chose to represent themselves.

Several other Tech fans have expressed their disgust for the treatment they have received when traveling to College Station when the Raiders play the Aggies at Kyle Field, saying A&M fans have been known to taunt, harass and provoke fights just as much as Tech fans.

Gov. Rick Perry's Chief of Staff Dr. Mike McKinney's face has now been splashed across newspaper pages and broadcasts, as he was involved in the brawl. In Monday's edition of The Battalion, A&M's student-run newspaper, he said he saw the person who hit him was wearing a red shirt.

Monday, however, The University Daily broke the news that an A&M student, not a Texas Tech student, hit McKinney. His initial accounts of the incident and those of Tech eyewitnesses now differ greatly.

Not all Tech students should be grouped into the small number of fans who embarrassingly tore down the goal post and escalated the altercation. Nick Beihl, a Tech senior electrical engineering major from Aledo, should be applauded for refusing to join in the mob mentality of the crowd. Instead, Beihl helped break up the fight between McKinney and the A&M student, and afterwards literally gave McKinney the shirt off his back to stop the bleeding from the cut above his

Tech administrators are now faced with the task of investigating everything that occurred after the goalpost was torn down and taken to the Aggies' section of the stadium Saturday.

As accusations continue to fly, The UD feels it is very important for everyone to keep in mind these actions were committed by a cross section of Tech and A&M fans. Yet, in no way do we condone any of the actions by fans of either university.

So that Tech President David Schmidly and Tech officials can sort out what went on after the game, we urge anyone involved or any witnesses to come forward. Tech is taking a blow to its reputation and it is important for everyone to offer any information they have - even if it means they must implicate themselves. Tech is much bigger than any group of individuals; for the truth about the post-game events to come to light, people must be willing to speak up and share any and all information they have.

The UD also urges Schmidly and his fellow administrators to conduct the investigation at hand with an open mind. It is vital not to jump to preconceived notions while sorting out this mess. While McKinney is the governor's chief of staff, he should be viewed and treated with the same skepticism, fairness and balance as any Tech or A&M student. As we already have seen with the revelation that a fellow Aggie, not a Raider, struck McKinney, it is important not to jump to conclusions and talk to both sides before making judgments. We urge Schmidly to keep this in mind.

As for the students of Tech and A&M, we urge you to remember everyone has a story about how poorly they were treated when visiting either Lubbock or College Station for an away game. Even still, Tech and A&M are not the only two universities in the nation with horror stories about meanspirited opposing fans at football games. Arguing about who threw full beer cans at whom or who yelled what to whom is childless and pointless. Everyone should remember students from both schools have been disrespectful and immature to the other. It is the hope of The UD that these acts will now cease, as everyone now sees where they can lead.

While The UD finds the actions of the Tech fans Saturday to be inexcusable and embarrassing, we also find the actions of A&M fans to be the same. A fight takes two sides, and two sides definitely participated in the fight at Jones SBC this weekend. Furthermore, McKinney's statements that the administrators at Tech are involved in a cover up is brash, and so far without finding.

McKinney's ability to make false accusations in haste and anger are already apparent. Still angry after the post-game altercation, McKinney led the media to believe the student who struck him was a Tech student, and that

has already been proven wrong. This makes a big blow toward his credibility.

Not only should the governor of the State of Texas' chief of staff conduct himself more professionally and cool headed he never should have taken it upon himself to get involved by preventing the students from entering the visitors' section of the stadium. Just as the Tech students who participated should have held themselves to higher regards, so, too, should such a highranking state official.

Again, The UD in no way condones the behavior of Tech's fans Saturday. But McKinney did not deal with the situation in a classy, mature manner,

In fact, McKinney's initial dissemination of false information, whether intended or not, and continuous unfounded accusations are best described by a word The Battalion used as its front page, dominant headline Monday in describing Tech fans' actions - SHAMEFUL.

The UD feels both sides need to cooperate with the pending investigation fully without further muddying it with accusations, arguments and finger pointing.

It is time to step aside and let administrators investigate. And when the time comes, The UD hopes all parties who are found to have acted irresponsibly and immaturely will admit responsibility for their actions so we can move past these unfortunate

The UD also applauds Schmidly for being decorous enough to apologize on behalf of the university for the actions of a few rowdy individuals, but urges him not to allow anyone to lay blame on the administration or the student body as a whole before all facts are brought to light.

Schmidly issues open letter to Tech students

GUEST COLUMN



SCHMIDLY

elsey Walter's editorial and letters to the editor in University Daily sum up the sad

situation we find ourselves in at Tech. Several hundred students with a very misguided definition of school spirit have blemished the reputation of this university. All alumni, current students, faculty and staff have been affected. Throughout the country, citizens will remember little about our victory over a school we were favored to beat, but they will long associate

Texas Tech with video of a mob attacking fans from another university. While the actions of these students in no way represent the way the vast majority of our students feel about sportsmanship, school loyalty, or adult behavior, all of us will have to pay for their stupidity.

I want the students involved in the melee on Saturday afternoon to know several things. First, we will identify and handle appropriately all of those who vandalized our stadium, destroyed the south goal post and attacked fans from Texas A&M. We have excellent video of the entire situation as well as clear photographs from our staff and from photojournalists on the field that clearly identify those involved. Second, if you were involved in the post game brawl, I strongly suggest that you come forward, identify yourself and apologize for your behavior before the Dean of Students Office contacts you. Those involved who do so will be dealt with differently than those who chose to hide. Third, I never imagined I would deliver such a message to students of the university I love so dearly. However, mob rule will not be tolerated on this campus in any form, and I will now take swift action to stop it.

I have been very proud of the strides in pride and pageantry we have made this season at our home football games. The crowds have been wonderful as has the atmosphere surrounding the games. However, I have read hundreds of letters from Kansas State fans about the abhorrent behavior of some of our students and now I have read hundreds more about even worse behavior on Saturday aimed at the fans of Texas A&M. The Pride and Pageantry Committee has been renamed the Pride, Pageantry and Sportsmanship Committee and will begin a campaign today to teach the definition of that word to those who have misinterpreted it.

Texas Tech is a fine university where young adults learn the leadership skills that will carry them through life. It is not a haven for thugs and vandals who mock all that we stand for by low class, illegal shenanigans portrayed as school spirit or the innocent indiscretions of youth. Those responsible for sullying the image of this university on Saturday are now going to experience the consequences of their actions. Now and in the future, this university will not tolerate behavior by its students that violates the policies set forth in our Code of

Our team acted honorably in its victory on Saturday; sadly, all our students did not.

■ David J. Schmidly is the president of Texas Tech Univer-

Actions inexcusable

To the editor: What happened Saturday afternoon after the football game was not pretty; furthermore, a common theme in discussions concerning those events is to justify the actions of our students. But there is a bigger issue here, and that issue is "Who is Texas Tech University and how do we want the world to perceive us?"

For a moment, try to view the actions of the students with the goal post as an unbiased observer, someone who is neither for Texas Tech or Texas A&M. How would such a person judge an act of hundreds of people carrying a large metal object toward a group of people from the opposing university? I believe that nearly everybody would judge that as a serious act of aggression that is unacceptable for normal human behavior. Of course a fight broke out. If reciprocal behavior had occurred at Kyle Field, loyal Red Raiders would have been up there slugging it out just like the Aggies were.

Justifying aggressive and classless behavior by saying the Aggies interrupted the Matador Song or they have treated us badly when we have been to Kyle Field in the past is ridiculous. Texas Tech should strive to be the best and to set a high standard of behavior. This should include sports and academics as well as sportsmanship.

The actions of those students cheapened the image of the university and all of the things that Tech stands for. Building a positive image is a slow process and requires many positive actions; whereas, a single negative action, such as the one on Saturday, can have long-lasting negative effects.

Come on, Tech, don't justify classless behavior by using actions from part of the Aggie student body as a standard. Let us enthusiastically support athletics and academics, and build a positive image for Tech. In the long run, building a positive image is in the best interest of us all. Congratulations to the football team on their defeat of the Aggies. Go Tech!

Robert J. Baker Faculty Athletic Representative

Post-game events no big deal

To the editor: Will someone please explain to me why Saturday's events were so embarrassing to Texas Tech? I think I can speak for the majority of Red Raiders and say that I'm not the least bit ashamed about what happened. Sure, resorting to violence by carrying the goalpost into the Aggie fans' seats may not have been the smartest thing to do, but rather than labeling it as a huge embarrassment to the school, just call it what it is, and that's spirit for our team.

There's not a year that goes by when I don't read a column in The University Daily that says Red Raider fans aren't supportive

enough; we don't show up for games or cheer

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

as loudly as Longhorn or Aggie fans do. Make up your minds, people. Do you want us to show our spirit or not? Concentrating on this fanatical post-game brawl does nothing but detract from what happened on Saturday. We dominated an Aggie team like we never have before. So what if a few students got caught up in the moment?

I would think my fellow students, alumni and administration would be happy for our team that destroyed Texas A&M. It's a joke to think Longhorn or Aggie fans wouldn't have done the exact same thing. Maybe this is what our school needed—to finally find an actual rival that isn't North Texas. So I say congratulations to the students who agree with me and thanks to those who fought for our school. We're finally realizing what it takes to lift Texas Tech to the next level.

> Brandon Hernsberger English major

Time to grow up

To the editor: Congratulations Red Raiders! Coach Leach and our football team deserve a pat on the back for once again defeating a very good Texas A&M team on our home turf. I have been a student at this school going on seven years, and I have yet to see A&M beat us here in Lubbock. What concerns me is the clear lack of class that some Tech fans put on display after our win.

Over the years, I have seen Tech students pelt players, band members and visitors with ice and tortillas, verbally harass visiting fans, vandalize property and generally act like second graders. Saturday's rampage tops all of

Taunting the Aggies after the game with the goalpost was an embarrassment to this school and our team. We were 3 1/2 point favorites, after all. It's an over-used cliche, but we need to act like we've been there before. Texas Tech will continually be viewed as a second-rate institution as long as the general public views our fans as raving lunatics. Grow up. Yell for Tech as loud as you can, then applaud both teams for their efforts. It's called sportsmanship. Please give it a try.

Russell Dennis third-year law student Tech School of Law

Game great; tans awful

To the editor: Yes, Texas Tech had the better football team Saturday. I easily admit that. We did not play as well as Tech this weekend. I honestly would like to congratulate you on your victory.

The actions taken by the fans, however, were disgusting. Maybe someone can explain to me why you would choose to deface your

own school's stadium because I don't understand it. Do you really have that little of respect for yourselves and your school? Oh well, those are the foolish actions of a mob. If they would like to celebrate their victory, let them be. But let me say this - to tear down the goalpost when you are favored to win is both stupid and wholly unnecessary.

Then to see the students fight with Aggies, both young and old, is truly childish and uncalled for. I don't agree with any of the Texas A&M students who chose to fight, unless it was for their own self-defense. Your students even attacked the chief of staff for Gov. Rick Perry. I'm sure you made a wonderful statement to both the state of Texas and the governor.

I will agree there is a great rivalry between Tech and A&M. It also may be true that when Tech fans visit A&M we somewhat harass them. You will, however, never see Aggies behave this way toward fans that visit our stadium. We have more class than that. So, yes, be proud of your victory (I would be). You deserve it. But be ashamed of your

> Lauren Perkins freshman Texas A&M University

Participants idiotic

To the editor: To the idiots that tore down the goal post: You are a black eye on this university. Your childish and asinine actions took away from a great effort by our football team. You tarnished the name of Texas Tech University. We all need to learn how to win, and expect to win!

To the administration: Thank you for your quick response to these actions. You must now follow up on your words. Keep all fans off the field after games. I honestly think the whole situation would have been avoided if the kids sitting in the southwest corner weren't allowed on the field. In '99, the initial surge of fans onto the field came from the student section; Saturday it seemed the students were content to enjoy the victory from the stands. It wasn't until 2 to 3 minutes after the final horn that students made their way onto the field.

Place security in front of the student section to keep us off the field. But don't allow the children to continue to rush the field after every game the way it has occurred the last couple of years.

To the Texas A&M community: I apologize for the actions of a few bad seeds. It's unacceptable, and I, for one, am ashamed to be associated with these actions. Your fans, team, and students deserve to be treated with respect. In the end we are all Texans, we are all Americans, we should act like it.

Joe-Michael Wright senior economics

seeking public view on victims' funding

RELATIVE RELIEF: A

government program will give money to aid attack victims' families.

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Justice Department is seeking public comment on a government program that will provide money to the relatives of those who died or were injured in the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

The victims' compensation program, established by Congress in September, is to begin Dec. 21 and will dispense money — the amounts have not been determined — to cover lost wages and victims' pain and suffering.

The amount of the awards will depend on "the harm to the claimant, the facts of the claim, and the individual circumstances of the claimant," the department said.

The Justice Department is in charge of setting up rules for the program and is seeking comment beginning Monday on many complex issues that must be ironed out.

Among the issues: how people should apply for compensation. whether the program should pay for victims' lawyers and whether people who are not satisfied with their payment can appeal.

One of the most contentious issues is whether government compensation should be reduced by the amount victims' families receive from pensions, insurance payments or gifts from charities.

The law creating the program says awards should take into account the amount of "collateral source compensation" applicants have or will receive but does not specify what sources should be included in determining reductions in awards, department officials said.

The program was set up to serve as an alternative to filing lawsuits against the airlines and other entities. Those who receive awards will forfeit their right to sue.

A special master, similar to a judge, will be appointed by Attorney General John Ashcroft to oversee the program. Payments are to be awarded within 120 days.

Oil

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output three times this year already. OPEC members Iraq, Venezuela and Oatar have taken the lead in calling for the group to curtail production further in hopes of buttressing prices. All three have called recently for an additional cut of 1 million barrels, or 4 percent of OPEC's official daily output of 23.2 million barrels.

For such a strategy to have the desired impact, however, non-OPEC suppliers such as Norway, Russia and Mexico would have to cut their output in a parallel fashion. So far, most have refused, meaning that they would gain market share at OPEC's expense if the cartel's members were to cut production on their own.

With demand softening, OPEC finds itself in "a nightmare scenario," said Leo Drollas, chief economist at the London Center for Global Energy Studies.

Drollas noted that inventories of some oil products might even increase during the last quarter of this year — a period that normally sees stocks decrease because of higher seasonal demand for heating oil and the crude oil used to produce it. He said a cut by OPEC members is almost

It was not clear if such a cut would be made from OPEC's official output level or from its actual production. OPEC is currently pumping 700,000-800,000 barrels a day above its official quota, according to some energy

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Justice Department How can Sept. 11 be remembered?

WASHINGTON (AP) — Tragedy cannot be erased, but it can be remembered. Marble and bronze do not enhance valor and victory and sacrifice, but monuments can tell the story, generation after generation.

As the search begins for ways to remember the events of Sept. 11, a new exhibit exploring the language and nature of monuments may provide a starting place. An examination of real and imagined national memorials, it opened at the National Building Museum in downtown Washington days after the attacks on the Pentagon and the World

Howard Decker, the museum's chief curator, said the plans and models submitted by members of the Washington chapter of the American Institute of Architects have acquired an unanticipated significance.

"There has already been an enormous amount of conversation around the country about what ought to be an appropriate monument to the victims of Sept. 11," Decker said in an interview last week. "In their diversity these earlier proposals offer ... a place to begin asking questions."

The making of monuments is a process that evolves over time. In its two centuries, the capital has become an open-air retrospective of a wide range of

Civil War generals ride into action, Andrew Jackson straddles his horse in front of the White House, the mast of the battleship Maine rises at Arlington National Cemetery and the heavily shrouded figure of "Grief" by Augustus Saint Gaudens keeps vigil in a Washington cemetery.

"It is the human soul face to face with the greatest of all mysteries," wrote Henry Adams, who commissioned it after the death of his wife, Clover.

Decker noted that Washington memorials range from the classical marble temples erected to Thomas Jefferson and Abraham Lincoln to the story-telling monument that describes Franklin D. Roosevelt's service to the nation in four outdoor rooms.

He pointed to architect Maya Lin's Vietnam Veterans Memorial as "the prime example" of the monument as metaphor. It employs a polished black stone chevron jutting from the earth to honor the 55,000 war dead whose names are carved row on row.

The exhibit room at the Building Museum is filled with the sound of pealing bells, symbolizing those rung to celebrate victory at the end of World War II. The bells are a concept from one of five proposed World War II memorials

One entry, entitled "Liberty," is composed of three tall metal supports which, like a long arm, hold a golden ball on which light would shimmer and bounce.

Another concept, whimsically entitled "Monument to Things Forgotten," includes a sunken cube, which Decker described as "a metaphor for an enclosure of all of our forgotten history."

"I think that ... by virtue of their diversity they do offer an opportunity to reflect on what an appropriate monument to Sept. 11 might be," he said. "They show the enormous range of possibility.'

Decker cited three proposals for Sept. 11 monuments, especially at ground zero in New York:

-Recreate the dimensions of one of the 110-story World Trade Center towers and dig down as far in the ground as it was tall "so visitors could go down to look back up and see a square of sky."

tural footprint, the ground-level dimensions, of the two fallen towers. -Erect twin towers of laser light

aimed into the night sky. There are hundreds more: Rebuild

the towers exactly as they were; build a 200 years.

ring of four 50-story buildings and a memorial park; use part of the skeletal remains of the lower reaches of one tower

as a centerpiece. Architects are also beginning to think of a memorial at the Pentagon and at the field in Pennsylvania where United Airlines Flight 93 crashed after being hijacked.

"The questions in all three places are what would be most meaningful, most resonant design," Decker said. "We will all watch this unfold. We will all express our thoughts.'

A temporary but touching memorial to the tragedy in New York already exists just steps away from the red-brick bulk of the Building Museum.

It is a small, laminated, cardboard sign attached to one of the two curving commemorative stone walls of the national Law Enforcement Memorial.

On it are photographs of 37 members of the New York Police Department, —Plant grass to cover the architeckilled on Sept. 11.

Their names will join the more than 15,000 permanently carved names of American police officers killed in the line of duty over the last

Elections

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ment can or can't do," she said. "It is very important that they get out and vote."

She said about 10 percent of the registered voters in Lubbock County attended the last election of this na-

Kelli Stumbo, internal vice-president of the Student Government Association, said students should vote because it voice in what should go on."

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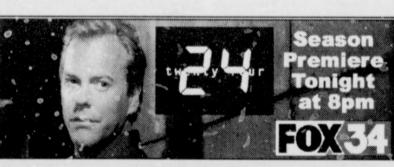
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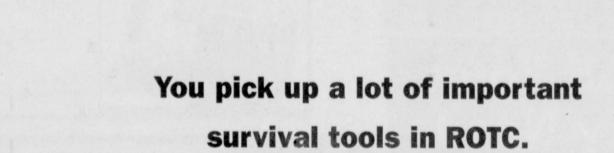
She said the SGA is planning a campaign called Raider Reforms that will encourage Tech students to vote. She said 10 students have been deputized as voter registrars, allowing them to register fellow students to vote. The campaign will begin Wednesday.

"By taking an active interest, Tech students can show they are a part of the community," she said. "It gives them a









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Faculty jazz group performs today

By Damion Davis/Staff Reporter

The faculty jazz group from the School of Music will perform from noon to 1 p.m. today in the University Center

Mary Donahue, an assistant director in the UC, said Texas Tech has been trying to have different functions in the UC Courtyard since it first opened.

"We have been continually trying to get events in the courtyard since it's construction. We feel there is need to give the students some free entertainment throughout the year," she said.

Today's performance showcases the faculty jazz group from the School of

David Dees, a professor of saxophone and jazz studies, said people can expect a variety of jazz music played in a nice and pleasant way.

"We are going to play tunes like Autumn Leaves, Miles Davis and Tad enjoying music," he said.

Donahue said this would be a wonderful performance people will thoroughly

"This is a group of faculty that love to come together and play their instruments. And they're good, too, which makes this a plus," she said.

The group has been together for about two years. They play at different places around town throughout the year.

"You will get a chance to hear live jazz music with a lot of different solos," Dees said. The group comprises five people and

he said there might be a special guest to play the trombone. "We are continually trying to get a variety of things into the courtyard for the

students. We want as much free entertainment at Tech as possible," Donahue said.

That Thing in the Courtyard is usually an event that occurs on Tuesday but this week there will be performances on

People will get to see us playing and Wednesday and Thursday as well, she said. Wednesday, the Chemistry Wizard will showcase what science can do.

Dominick Casadente, an associate professor in the department of chemistry, said he will show real chemistry at its best.

"This should be a lot of fun. There will be a lot of audience participation and will teach them a little about science," he said.

This week is National Chemistry Week and the purpose of the show is to inform people how important science is.

"I will be doing a chemical magic show with boiling color tubes and showing people how to build a house with a banana," he said.

The demonstration will be from noon

Thursday, Kyle Abernathy will perform. Abernathy plays jazz and is an artist that frequents the club scene in Lubbock.

For more information on That Thing in the Courtyard call the office of Student Activities at (806) 742-3621.

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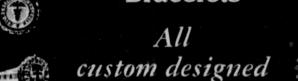
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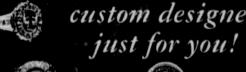
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The Sopranos

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Fans of the Emmy Award winning HBO series "The Sopranos," a charge to which I gladly plead guilty, will be thrilled to know that the second season of the series is now sitting on the shelf next to the first season.

The show, now in its third season, has

acquired many new fans by releasing the episodes on video for those of us who do not have the luxury of HBO. One can see by viewing the second season the writers have stayed true to their original characters and continue to write intelli-

The show's protagonist, Tony Soprano, played by the astonishing James Gandolfini, is both despicable and loveable. He keeps us watching his misadventures as the head of his household and the head of a thriving crime family in New Jersey.

Critics have been raving about the show from the get-go, and for good reason. The writing and the acting are both top-notch. HBO allows its series to boldly go where network TV series are

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ous seasons, or they want to see what all Sopranos" allows people to experience one of the best shows on television.

GRADE: A+

SHREK The year's biggest film finally comes to video and special edition DVD.

It boasts the voice talents of Mike Myers, Eddie Murphy, Cameron Diaz and John Lithgow in a story about an ogre and his donkey rescuing a strange princess and keeping her out of the hands of an evil ruler.

What makes "SHREK" so great is it is secretly an adult film, but kids will enjoy it too. Many of the jokes and sight gags are aimed at the mature audience, which makes the film more fun for adults than for tikes.

Dreamworks thumb their noses at Disney here with the incorporation of fairy tale characters easily recognizable from Disney movies of old.

I dare you not to laugh. GRADE: A

Swordfish

Berry and Don Cheadle star in this action film directed by Dominic Sena.

Travolta reverts back to his cunning villain persona as a film theorizing master criminal. He's practically a ghost to the FBI and CIA. With the help of his

assistant, Halle Berry, who has some sethe fuss is about, the video release of "The crets of her own, they hire an ex-con computer hacker played by Hugh Jackman to help them steal about \$9 billion. FBI detective Don Cheadle is hot on their trail.

> The opening 15 minutes of this film alone makes this worth watching, and the fast pace and excellent special effects throughout the film keeps the audience'

> One may feel confused by the film's ending, which is to be expected seeing as the film doesn't feel the need to explain itself. It doesn't play fair with us in the final act, but the action and decibel levels are enough to make a very cool movie. GRADE: B-

Legally Blonde

Reese Witherspoon takes on the role of a blonde sorority ditz who decides to go to Harvard Law School in order to get back her boyfriend who recently dumped her.

It's definitely a cute movie, but the jokes begin to get old and predictable as the film goes on. This is obviously a film targeted at girls with Witherspoon's charion to work her way through law school and to help win murder trials.

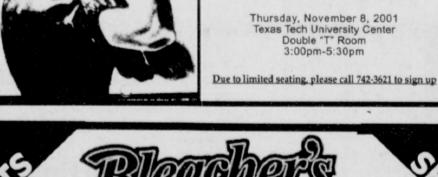
It's highly implausible, especially in the final act, and as good as Witherspoon is, the dumb blonde act gets really old really fast. I'm not expecting Oscar nomi-

I will make it a point to say that the females out there will enjoy this film because they are the targeted demographic here.

Unfortunately, guys will find that they have to slowly trudge through it. GRADE: C-









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Witnesses

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McKinney told The Battalion. "Then somebody who was already in the stands, I guess, came up and knocked the fool out of me. I saw him hit me - a kid in a red shirt."

Eyewitness accounts differ from McKinney's version of the story.

Andrea Luhm, a freshman international business major from Houston. said she and her boyfriend, Nick Beihl, a senior electrical engineering major from Aledo, saw an altercation between Mike McKinney and an unidentified Texas A&M student.

"There were all these brawls going on," she said. "The main one was between that guy and McKinney."

Luhm said the student, a black male whom she recognized from a photo published in The University Daily on Monday, was either pushed or jumped down to the field and was trying to get back into the visitor's stands when the altercation started.

She said McKinney was pushing him down, prying his fingers off of the metal guardrails separating the stands from the field.

"The black guy finally got up there and punched him on his right eyebrow," Luhm said. "My boyfriend got between them and then took off his white undershirt so he could put pressure on the cut to stop the bleeding."

Luhm said it appeared McKinney did not realize the student was from A&M.

"(McKinney) wouldn't let him in, not recognizing he's an Aggie student," she said. "(McKinney) thought he was a Tech student.'

However, Luhm said after the incithe student they saw attack McKinney.

"Not only was his shirt maroon, but we went and talked to him to clarify he was an A&M student," Luhm said, adding she wanted to set the record straight about what happened after the game.

"It wasn't a Tech student," she said. "That's going to hurt our reputation." Luhm said she and Beihl were sit-

ting in the student section of the stadium during the game and did storm

the field after it ended. Although she thought tearing down the goal posts was a good way to celebrate the 12-0 victory over the Aggies, taking the fallen goal post toward the opposing stands was a bad idea.

"It just broke out from there," she said. "A woman said we were acting like animals and that's when I just started standing there in awe I couldn't believe what was happening."

Luhm said she felt it was important to come forward to clear up the incorrect assumption that it was a Tech student who attacked McKinney.

"That was none of our doing," she

Not only was his shirt maroon, but we went and talked to him to clarify he was an A&M student. It wasn't a Tech student. That's going to ruin our reputation.

> - ANDREA LUHM Texas Tech Student

said. "That was an A&M student and it's an A&M problem. They'll have to deal with that.'

Beihl said he was part of the crowd that took down the goal post and claims to have seen the fight from start

We pulled down the pole and marched it around the inside of the stadium," he said. "We got to the end of dent she and Beihl went and talked to the stadium where the Aggies were sitting and were chanting, 'you suck, you

> At this point, Beihl said, agitated A&M fans began throwing ice at the Tech fans carrying the goal post.

The front right section of the guys holding the goal post tried to take it into the stands," he said. "One guy got up and went a couple of steps into the stands and he got broad-sided. Other students let go of the pole to help him."

The A&M fans, Beihl said, were re-

sisting and fights broke out on at least two fronts in the seating area.

"A black gentleman had been fighting on the left side and was moving over to the fight on the right side when he got hit by Mr. McKinney's binoculars," he said. "He was swinging them over his head. They started yelling bac and forth at each other and the black guy, an Aggie, popped McKinney in the right eve.

"I got between them and took off my T-shirt for McKinney to mop his face. He was bleeding bad. But it was an Aggie that hit him, not a Tech fan," Beihl said.

McKinney claimed Tech security personnel were doing nothing to stop the alleged attack.

Free-lance photographer and Tech instructor Sean Meyers, who was working at the game, said there were very few officers visible to him at the time of the incident and added there wasn't much the officers could do because of the chaos that was occuring on the field and in the stands.

"There weren't that many security people around the goal post," he said. "I only saw a couple of people, and you know how many kids there were out there. There wasn't much they could do. They could only back away and let them go at it. That's what happened."

Cindy Rugeley, vice chancellor for News and Information, said Tech security handled the incident well.

"The truth is that they kept their heads," she said. "They kept their cool. Had they been ham-handed or overreacted, I think a bad situation would have been much worse. I think our security managed the situation."

Schmidly agreed with Rugeley's assessment of the performance of the



A TEXAS A&M fan, center, clinches his fist in retaliation as Texas Tech students attempt to the bring the goalpost into the stands where Aggie fans were sitting. Tech student eyewitnesses say Texas A&M fans started the brawl between the two schools by throwing ice.

You can see where the police actually were able to get people to calm down, back off and get it stopped," he said. "Had we kept people off the field, we had plenty of security to handle the

"We have some things we need to improve on, and we will," Schmidly said. "But Monday morning quarterbacking isn't going to change what happened on Saturday afternoon."



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Tech in must-win situation

DO OR DIE: Nelson puts weight on Raiders shoulders - win and make NCAA's or lose.

By David Wiechmann/Staff Reporter

With the season's end approaching, Texas Tech volleyball player Angela Mooney said the Red Raiders have to bear the weight on their own.

After a four game loss on Wednesday to Colorado, Tech coach Jeff Nelson was disgusted and didn't want to talk to his

Mooney said Nelson is giving the squad the choice to decide how the season will finish.

"(Nelson) pretty much put it on our shoulders to decide what we want to do," Mooney said. "We can either bite down, go after it and win games or go out and have fun.'

Nelson said whether the team reaches the post season is up to those who make the decision.

"We're going to go out there, play hard and do our best, and just have fun," Nelson said. "It's out of our control now. We have to do our best and hope for the

Nelson commented that the new more losses than normal and strength of usual in selecting teams for the NCAA

The Red Raiders travel to UTEP and New Mexico State on Tuesday and Wednesday for a break from Big 12 competition. Tech defeated UTEP earlier in the season 3-0. The Raiders take a 13-10 (6-8) record in to El Paso on Tuesday. The Miners are 8-11 on the year while the NMSU Aggies are 16-8 and clinched the Sun Belt Conference championship Saturday.

Despite playing some weaker opponents this week, the Mooney said the

team knows it cannot overlook any one. "We can't underestimate them," Mooney said. "We have to expect them to come out and want to beat us because

Nelson said this week could be a chance for Tech to build confidence for the tough conference matches coming

we are in the Big 12.'

"This week holds a lot for us," Nelson said. "We could gain a lot of confidence to finish strong the next two

Outside hitter Heather Hughes-Justice said the Raiders have to stay out of the loss column to guarantee a bid in the NCAA tournament.

"We have to win from here on out if we want to reach the NCAA's," Hughes-Justice said.

Mooney agreed winning will be mandatory, but the team can't afford to focus solely on an NCAA bid. "We have to focus on each game,"

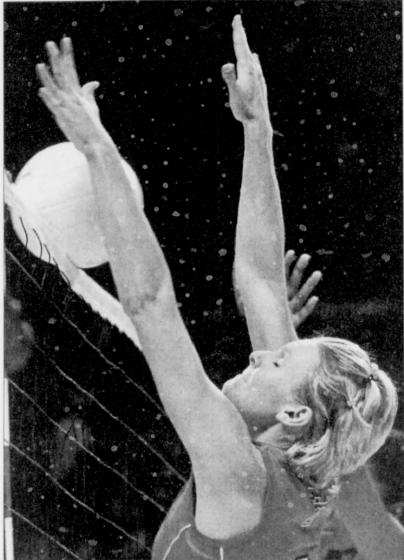
Mooney said, "rather than just getting the bid. If we do that then we may let a match slip away.'

In the tight position Tech is in, Nelson said every match is key to reaching the post season.

They are all big matches now," scoring system has caused teams to have Nelson said. "We got to have more push to close out. It's so close right now that schedule may play a bigger part than it doesn't take a lot (to get in the NCAA tournament).'

Mooney said the team must play strong against the Miners and Aggies this week and listen to advise from its

'We have to play hard, play tough and play together as a team," Mooney said. "We have to make a change by listening to the advice we get on the bench and apply it to the game."



FILE PHOTO/Staff Photographer

TEXAS TECH OUTSIDE hitter Heather Hughes-Justice makes a blind block during the Red Raiders' 3-1 loss to Colorado on Saturday. The loss puts Tech in the corner as it tries to reach the postseason for the second consecutive season. The Raiders have eight matches left on their schedule that players say are must wins in order to reach the postseason.

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McKinney has since acknowledged it was, in fact, a fellow Aggie who threw the punch. Smith said he heard rumors that the person who punched McKinney was actually an A&M student.

"The police are going to have to confirm that," he said.

Smith said his objective is to prevent things like this from happening in the future. He said he and Schmidly spoke several times over the weekend to discuss future safety and security measures.

"Through his leadership we'll pull together a full evaluation to identify points where we can intervene," he said, "how we can deliver messages, what the message

how to work

- DR. DAVID SMITH Texas Tech Interim Chancellor should be and

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of responsibility and also the spirit of sportsmanship."

with student groups to build a sense

is to ensure this does not happen "We're going to do everything we

can to make this right," he said.

In addition, Saturday's events will force the university to address issues of sportsmanship, Schmidly said.

"My hope is going to get about the business of a whole new attitude of sportsmanship led by those Red Raiders coming forward and saying 'I'm sorry, I shouldn't have done it, I regret it,' and making restitution," he

Smith said he realizes, however, the problem lies with a select group of students and does not reflect the sentiment of all Red Raider fans.

"We have to be careful we don't paint with a broad brush," he said. "We have to put it in perspective."

Cindy Rugeley, vice chancellor for News and Information, said the university accepts full responsibility for the incidents following the Tech-A&M game.

"There's no excusing what we did,"

Rugeley said campus police will be reviewing videotape and consulting student representatives and administrators to identify instigators of the event.

"It was such a swarm I don't think you can kick every kid out that was down on the field," she said. "I think they're

going to be punished."

> Smith said he is embarrassed by the conduct of the students.

"We are going to have to look at who's responsible," he said. "We take this seriously."

The most important thing to remember in these instances is the safety of the fans and students, Smith

"These kinds of things in other set-Schmidly said his biggest concern tings hurt hundreds of people. We've got to make sure, from my view as a doctor,

that we keep people from getting hurt,

besides doing the right thing.'

After winning the game, Rugeley said, Tech students should have behaved in a more gracious manner.

"The bottom line truth is we're better than that," she said.

Although students began the tradition of tearing down the Tech goalposts after the 1999 win against the Aggies, Rugeley said it would no longer be toler-"We've been lucky twice that goal

post came down to the ground without hurting somebody bad," she said. "It was out of control. Football games are family events and there are little kids there.'

"The whole incident was overboard," he

Miller, who was at the game Saturday,

"I think it was just because it was the

said. "It was definitely overboard that stu-

dents took the goal post across the field and

said he believes the incident may have got-

ten out of hand because of the rivalry Tech

Aggies, and the rivalry we have with them,"

he said. "The whole incident was really upsetting. We have to be the only school in

Division 1 play that would tear down our

own goal post after a game we are favored

heard about the way Tech has been por-

trayed in the media following the game and has been upset about the reputation Tech

Since the incident, Dennis said, he has

"Right now, Lubbock is being seen across

the nation as having the worst fans in the

Big 12," he said. "There is such a thing as a

bad winner and these people were definitely

Steinmetz, who in his platform advo-

"This is our city and our home and West Texas hospitality is one of our greatest

cated school spirit, said these few students

do not reflect the overall hospitality of this

strengths," he said. "That is not just extended

to people visiting our campus, but to fans

were enjoying the pre-game festivities to-

from both schools were interacting with each other," he said. "We welcomed them

to RaiderGate like any other student."

an increase in security at the stadium.

Steinmetz said during RaiderGate prior to Saturday's game, Raider and Aggie fans

"Before the game, thousands of students

Dennis said he believed the only course of

"The only thing that could stop some-

thing like this would be to heighten secu-

rity," he said. "They also need to be more

selective about who they allow on the field

action he believes will deter an incident such as this from happening in the future would be

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incident were irresponsible and she doesn't believe they will turn themselves in.

"I don't think they will come forward and admit they were involved," she said. "In the end, the fact that they won't come forward will only cause them more embarrass-

Pollard said the entire incident has made her question the safety of the stadium during football games.

"When the governor's chief of staff got



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hurt attending a football game, where someone would think they would be safe, it really makes one question the safety of the area," she said.

Pollard said she was not at the game Sat-

urday, but the incident would not deter her from attending other Tech games. She said if something like this were to occur again, she would leave the game immediately.

"I could not imagine participating in something like that," she said. "If it were to happen again, I would leave the game at the start of it."

Some members of the Saddle Tramps also are frustrated with the image an incident like this has reflected upon the university and its students.

"I think on behalf of the entire Saddle Tramp organization, that we appreciate the students who were willing to turn out and support the team in a positive manner," Saddle Tramps President Rick Dennis said. "However, trying to march the goal post to the other side of the field is not right."

Zac Miller, a freshman business major from Iowa Park, said he believed the entire incident was an extreme response to a Tech

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