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**Fish**  
by R. DeLuna

DUDE, LARRY, WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN? I'VE GOT A HOUSE FULL OF WOMEN WAITING FOR LAST NIGHT'S "DAWSON'S CREEK" EPISODE!!  
YEAH, YEAH.

BOOTLEG COPY. IMPORTED ALL THE WAY FROM HOUSTON.  
SWEET! MAN, YOU REALLY CAME THROUGH THIS TIME!

HERE WE GO, THE MOMENT YOU'VE ALL BEEN WAITING FOR!  
WHY DOES THAT SOUND LIKE PORN MUSIC?

"DAWSON'S CREEKY BEDPOST"??  
I AM SO GONNA START WATCHIN' THIS SHOW!!

**funny side up ↑**  
by Josh Darwin

WELL, WELL, SLEEPYHEAD! WHILE YOU'VE BEEN DOZING I'VE BEEN UP SINCE FIVE!  
ZZZZZ

FIRST I TOOK A BRISK JOG IN THE PARK, THEN I HAD A NICE BOWL OF GUMMY OATMEAL AND DID MY TAX RETURNS.

LATER I REORGANIZED MY STAMP COLLECTION AND WATCHED ALL OF MY FAVORITE CARTOONS AND THEN I... I...

OH GOD, I NEED A WOMAN!!!  
DARN TOOTIN'.

**the Wuss Cookie**  
by Adrian

HEY KEATON, HERE IT SAYS THAT STUDENTS CAN ALREADY FILL OUT THE BONFIRE SURVEY...

YEAH, I'VE HEARD. IT IS THE LAST CHANCE FOR THE STUDENT BODY TO SHOW DR. BOWEN THAT BONFIRE SHOULD GO ON...

I GUESS THE FATE OF BONFIRE IS NOW IN OUR HANDS MORE THAN EVER BEFORE.

SO PLEASE VOICE YOUR OPINION. THE FUTURE OF BONFIRE IS UP TO US.

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The assessment team looked at the resources and capabilities within the city departments and put together a list of needs to handle terrorist threats, he said. Equipment delivery is expected to begin in May.

Despite "sensitive targets," Humphreys said the area scored very low on its amount of potentially

**Islamic**  
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classes come and go, their est in teaching those classes comes and goes and the departments that those classes change over, Alexander said.

Another key deficiency Texas A&M's lack of a Middle Eastern language program which hinders the development of a broad set of courses in the region, Alexander said.

Alexander and Dr. L. Walters, director of international studies at Texas A&M, encountered students in taking three types of Middle Eastern and Islamic courses in the region and Middle Eastern language classes.

Alexander said he has student interest in Middle Eastern studies during his five years at the University, but the response after the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11 was unprecedented.

"We've had a set of over the last six months have ... made students interested in the Middle East in the Muslim world as a than they've probably been," Alexander said.

Walters said he has interest in those kinds of classes "completely new, but definitely increased exposure since Sept. 11."

Walters has also witnessed growing interest from students but adds that it is a peaceful, positive curiosity.

"Most Americans know little about the region before Sept. 11, and now we realize are interconnected," Walters said.

Alexander sympathizes administrators under pressure to create new courses but said making that kind of change requires time, money and faculty members with expertise on the subject. He added one knows how long the terrorism or interest in the Middle East will last.

"We need to see whether resurgence in interest in the region is going to have time to it," Alexander said.

"You can't have University curricula that are driven by current events."

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