

Campus activities

Tuesday
Sigma Delta Chi, Pam Johnson, staff writer for the Dallas Morning News, 6 p.m., 350 MSC
Texas Student Education Association, Callie Smith, TSTA executive secretary, 7 p.m., 206 MSC
Venezuelan Student Association, Venezuelan consul from Houston on Functions of the Venezuelan Consulate, 7 p.m., 308 Rudder
Recreation and Parks, slide presentation on "Miles and Miles of Texas," 7:30 p.m., 404 Rudder
Class of '79, 7:30 p.m., 137A J/Automotive Help Session for Girls, sponsored by the Society of Women Engineers, 7:30 p.m., 121 Civil Engineering Building
El Paso Hometown Club, AggieLand pictures, 7:45 p.m., MSC lounge

Wednesday
Brazos County A&M Club, reservation deadline for 12 noon meeting at Ramada Inn Ballroom, refreshments available at 6:30 p.m., Coach Shelby Metcalf is the speaker
Venezuelan Student Association, competition on the soccer field between Venezuela vs. Hong Kong, Alianza Panamericana vs. SADAmerica, 5 p.m.
Sigma Delta Chi, AggieLand pictures, 7 p.m., Zachry
Texas A&M Microcomputer, 7 p.m., 203 Zachry
Bridge Committee, 7:15 p.m., MSC
Student Senate, 7:30 p.m., 214 Harrington
Pre Veterinary Society, 7:30 p.m., 601 Rudder
California Cities Hometown Club, 8 p.m., 139 MSC
Student Y Annual Thanksgiving Service, 8 p.m., All Faiths Chapel.

Utility and tiny fish clash before court

WASHINGTON—The Supreme Court Monday agreed to settle a dispute between environmentalists and a big public utility over the snail darter, a tiny fish which halted a \$116 million hydroelectric project in Tennessee.

The justices will hear arguments later this term on the case—the first of its kind to reach the high court—which is actually a clash between two acts of Congress.

Acceptance of the appeal came in a batch of orders the court issued before recessing for two weeks. In other action the justices:

- Rejected the appeals of John Spenklink, who has been fighting for months to escape Florida's electric chair, and Joseph James Blake, who received the death sentence in Georgia for throwing his girl friend's two-year-old daughter to her death from a bridge.
- Rejected the appeal of a former county judge in Alabama, Thomas

McDonald, who was convicted of accepting promises of sexual favors from a woman defendant while he was on the bench.

— Agreed to review Iowa's system of taxing the income of a corporation which sells its products in the state, but manufactures them elsewhere.

— Let stand a ruling that prison officials must prove they were not arbitrary in denying an inmate's request to call witnesses for disciplinary proceedings.

The dam project, for which Congress appropriated funds, started in 1966. In 1973, a University of Tennessee professor discovered the snail darter, a bottom-feeding member of the perch family.

Scientists now say the fish may become extinct if the river is impounded.

The snail darter case is a classic confrontation between forces seeking to develop the nation's resources and those trying to preserve the environment and its inhabitants.



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Feminists, Klan at odds

WASHINGTON—Feminists say women are entitled to full equality with men, including equal pay for equal work. Opponents, such as the Ku Klux Klan, say equality would destroy the American family.

The National Women's Conference opening in Houston Friday was not planned as a confrontation between the two viewpoints—but it could turn into one.

About 20,000 women delegates will witness the showdown at the \$5-million federally sponsored meeting—the first such gathering of its kind.

Only 2,000 will be official delegates eligible to vote on a sweeping platform of women's issues including abortion, lesbian rights and the Equal Rights Amendment.

But many—ranging from conference leader Bella Abzug to Klan Imperial Wizard Robert Shelton—expect a confrontation during the four-day meeting, perhaps among the non-delegates outside the hall.

Some fear violence.

Women's rights advocates will nominate the delegation about 4 to 1

and are expected to enact a strong feminist platform, later to be submitted to Congress and the president.

But either side knows who will win an equally important battle for sympathetic media coverage. Some 750 print and broadcast reporters will cover the meeting.

Ruth Clusen, League of Women Voters president, believes American women will be on trial at the meeting in the eyes of the world, the press and the politicians.

"If we blow it," she said, "we may never get another chance."

Fredi Weschler of the National Women's Political Caucus said the meeting will provide feminist ideas "a platform, legitimacy and an appearance of being in the mainstream."

But Phyllis Schlafly, a leading opponent of women's rights, said the meeting will expose unpopular feminist ideas, such as lesbian rights, and predicts the meeting will be the "death knell" of the women's movement.



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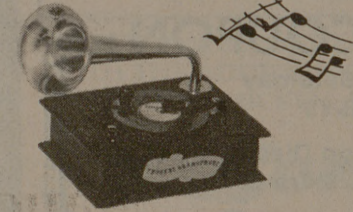
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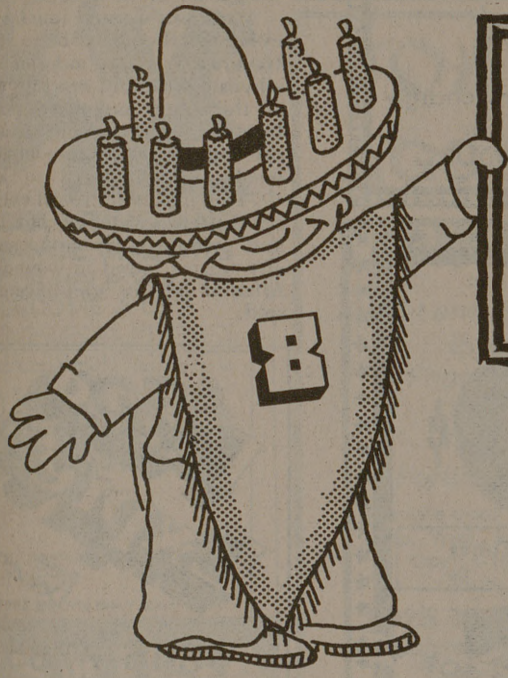
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To celebrate our 8th year in Bryan-College Station we're going to stage "The Great Taco Eat Off" right here at our Pepe's Mexican Food on Dominik Drive in College Station.

The festivities will begin at 3:00 P.M. on Sunday, November 20th. There will be a ten minute limit on taco eating. In case of a "Mexican Stand-Off" the winner will be decided by drawing.

To enter, just drop by the Pepe's location in College Station on Dominik. Entries will be limited to the first 50 contestants. The entry fee is \$5.00 per person and entries will close at 2:00 P.M. on Sunday, November 20th. All entry fees will be matched dollar for dollar by Pepe's Mexican Food and donated to the Bryan-College Station United Fund — along with an additional contribution of one dollar for each taco eaten during the contest. Each winner will be photographed and immortalized in Pepe's Hall of Fame.



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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19

Birthday party (with cake!) begins at 11:00 a.m. at both Pepe's locations. WTAW's "Good Time Machine" will be in Bryan 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. to give out fantastic prizes, albums, t-shirts and much more!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20

The "Great Taco Eat Off" contest begins at 3:00 p.m. in College Station. Come watch the fun and listen to the music provided by WTAW's "Good Time Machine."