

A&M vs. Tech

Here's some facts about this weekend's game between Texas Tech and Texas A&M University, to be played at Kyle Field in College Station:

KICKOFF — 2 p.m.
CROWD — Early estimate, 67,000 (capacity 70,016).

SERIES — This is the 39th meeting. A&M has won 21, Tech has won 16 and there has been one tie.

LAST YEAR — Tech overcame a 20-9 deficit with two fourth-quarter touchdowns for a 21-20 win in Lubbock. A&M missed a 30-yard field goal with 5:19 left in the game. Tech QB Ron Reeves ran for 84 yards and completed 7-of-10 passes for 57 yards and one touchdown. A&M QB Mike Mosley ran for 96 yards and one touchdown and hit 11-of-17 passes for 132 yards and one touchdown.

THIS YEAR — Texas A&M (1-2); A&M 23, Ole Miss 20; A&M 0, Georgia 42; A&M 9, Penn State 25.

Texas Tech (2-2); Tech 35, UT-El Paso 7; Tech 3, North Carolina 9; Tech 28, New Mexico 17; Tech 3, Baylor 11.

LAST WEEK — A&M had an open date. Tech lost an 11-3 decision to Baylor in Lubbock.

NEXT WEEK — Aggies play Houston in the Astrodome. Tech has an open date.

COACHES — A&M's Tom Wilson is in his second full season

as head coach, having taken over midway in 1978 season. Overall record now is 11-9. He is 0-1 vs. Tech. Rex Dockery is in third season as Tech coach. His overall record is 12-12-2. He is 1-1 vs. A&M.

MUTUAL RADIO — Bill Mercer and Steve Fallon will be at mikeside on a network of 19 Texas stations: Abilene (KEAN-FM); Amarillo (KACV-FM); Austin (KOKE); Beaumont (KAYC); Bryan (KORA-FM); Corpus Christi (KSIX); Dallas (KRLD); El Paso (KKOL); Houston (KQUE-FM); Longview-Marshall (KOCA); Lubbock (KLL); McAllen (KURV); Midland-Odessa (KWEL); San Angelo (KWLV-FM); San Antonio (WOAI); Temple-Killeen (KTEM); Tyler (KTRL); Waco (KWTV-FM); Wichita Falls (KWVC-FM).

OTHER SWC GAMES — In addition to the Aggie-Tech contest, other Saturday games involving SWC teams: TCU at Arkansas (2 p.m.), Houston at Baylor (7:30), Texas at Rice (7:30), SMU at Tulane (7:30).

LAST WEEK IN THE SWC — Baylor beat Tech, 11-3; Rice upset LSU, 17-7; Texas slammed Oregon State, 35-0; Houston defeated North Texas State, 24-20; Arkansas nipped Tulsa, 13-10; SMU topped UT-Arlington, 52-16; Georgia creamed TCU, 34-3.

Tennis team to go to Austin

Battalion Staff
Texas A&M's women's tennis team travels to Austin Friday to compete in the University Team Tournament at Westwood Country Club. "It will be a real test of this team's ability," said coach Jan Cannon.

Trinity, SMU, TCU and Texas are class opposition, she said. The Ags will be taking a full team to Austin to compete. "In fact, we will take the girls who don't compete to see what the competition will be like," Cannon said.

"It will be tough," she said, "but

tough competition makes any team better." The players competing will be Liliana Fernandez, Pam Hill, Maylen Hooten, Terri Nuetze, Amy Closs and Sonja Hutcherson for singles. The doubles teams are Nuetze-Hooten, Hill-Fernandez and Judy Willard-Ferol Hinkle.

All the teams competing were ranked in the top 20 in May. The new rankings will not be out until March. "The competition will be the best we have faced this season," Cannon said. "It is the kind of test that I think will make this team very good."

Major League Standings

American League					National League				
East	West	L	Pct.	GB	East	West	L	Pct.	GB
New York	100	58	.631		Montreal	89	70	.560	½
Baltimore	98	61	.614	2½	Philadelph	88	70	.557	½
Milwaukee	85	75	.529	16	Pittsbur	81	78	.509	8
Boston	82	74	.528	16	St. Lo.	72	87	.453	17
Detroit	83	75	.522	17	New York	66	93	.415	23
Cleveland	78	79	.500	20½	Chicago	63	95	.401	25½
Toronto	64	94	.408	35	West	W	L	Pct.	GB
West	W	L	Pct.	GB	Houston	91	67	.573	
Kan City	94	64	.592		LA	89	68	.561	2
Oakland	82	77	.513	12½	Cincinnati	87	72	.544	4½
Minn	74	82	.474	18½	Atlanta	80	77	.513	9½
Texas	73	83	.468	19½	San Fran	73	84	.468	16½
Chicago	66	90	.426	26	San Diego	71	88	.449	19½
Calif	65	92	.417	27½					
Seattle	59	99	.376	34					

Astros triumph, 5-2; magic number is 3

HOUSTON (UPI) — Terry Puhl blooped a double off the glove of second baseman Glenn Hubbard to drive in three runs in the second inning and Vern Rühle pitched a six-hitter Wednesday night to lift the first-place Houston Astros to a 5-2 victory over the Atlanta Braves.

The Astros maintained at least a two-game lead in the National League West, with four games to play.

Rühle, 12-4, who pitched a three-hitter and a four-hitter in his previous two starts, gave up RBI hits by Hubbard and Bruce Benedict to fall behind 2-0 in the second inning. Over the final seven innings, however, he faced 22 batters, giving up two singles and a walk.

Rühle was backed by two double plays in the middle innings as he

struggled. In the fifth, after Benedict singled, first baseman Art Howe fielded Phil Niekro's bunt and threw to second base to start a double play and ignite a rhubarb which brought three Braves coaches on the field.

Umpire Ed Montague at first signaled Benedict safe at second, but then reversed his call.

Rühle walked Dale Murphy on four pitches to start the seventh inning, but after going 2-and-0 on Hubbard he struck him out and got a double play when catcher Alan Ashby threw the stealing Murphy out at second base.

Ashby's double led off the Astros' four-run second inning. Atlanta starter and loser Niekro, 15-17, walked Joe Morgan and Enos Cabell after getting two out. Then Puhl's double cleared the bases.

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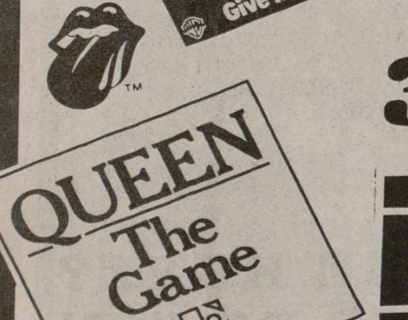
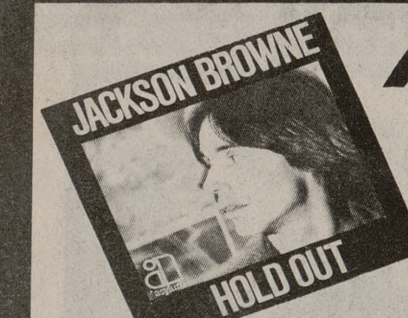
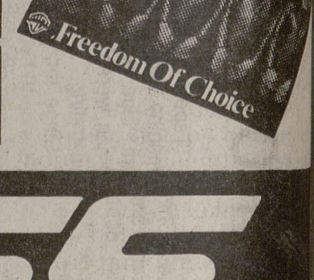
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