

## dgs look for 1st state title Tournament begins today

By RICHARD OLIVER

Sports Editor or the A&M women's softball , this weekend will either nulit the most memorable in its

Aggies field perhaps the most sistent team ever to bless the M campus, finishing third in the

year, A&M is bigger and betn ever, with essentially the team that missed a national titwo runs last year.
is weekend, the Aggie women

be in Amarillo for the State pionships, against such teams med two home runs. as Womans University, Uniy of Texas-Arlington, and .961 fielding mark.

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club will begin its season to-

ith perhaps its best game of the

e 1979-80 regional champs will

last year's runner-up Texas Rollie Coliseum at

d more than just exciting vol-

ate in a serving contest. The

ors will serve at five laundry

which will be set up on the ide of the court in a cross for-

three parallel to the net and

way, and over 35 individual

will walk home happier.

spectators are eligible for the teams.

lour family away from

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graduates and faculty. There ting in free.

will be seven prizes in that

worth \$25 each

l action awaits the fans.

Ien's volleyball

iends nderway at 7:30

Texas A&M University men's will actually be three matches played

\$500 worth of prizes will be tus at A&M, several schools across

A&M team is made up of stu- \$1, with children 12-or-under get-

Westminster Presbyterian

gathered a 13-0 mark with 105 strike- third in the nationals last year, with the exception of Patti Holthaus in

outs in 91 innings while giving up a scant four runs for an ERA of 0.30. Fellow hurler Shan McDonald is Galloway most successful fall ever, or right behind her with a 10-1 season record with 50 strikeouts in 87 innings while compiling a 0.45 ERA.

On offense, the Ags are paced by four hitters over .300: Maris Resendez at .350, Rhonda Reese at .324 ion last spring in a very competi-field at the national tournament Norman, Okla.

Karen Guerrero at .319 and Melody Pritchard at .304. Pritchard and Reese pace the teams in RBIs with 17 each. On the base paths, Carrie Austgen with nine steals leads the team while Rose Ruffino and Guerrero have eight each. The team has set a school record with 48 thefts so far. In addition, Pritchard has slam-

On defense, the Aggies have a

The awesome Aggies have drawn a pect, the ut, the Aggies, who have com-first round bye in the tournament, on urging d a 23-1 record thus far this fall, which begins this morning, and will play the winner of Stephen F. Au-

ed by All-America pitcher candi-Lori Stoll, the team has blanked onents 13 times. Stoll has lineup player for player that finished

between A&M and Texas: the two

best teams, a graduates-only game

pit the Aggies against a Longhorn team which they beat out last year for

the regional title in the tournament

middle blockers; John Kelley and

Rick Fiske, setting positions; and Tim Friedlander and John Thorton,

spiking.
Schakel said Thursday although

the team has not tried for varsity sta-

the state are gradually being granted varsity status. He added the Aggies

will someday try to get varsity status when the state has more recognized

Meeting temporarily at College Hills School

Admission fee for the event will be

Starting for A&M tonight will be Dave Schakel and Mark Piwonka

The main matchup, however, will

and a faculty-only game.

held in Austin last spring.

## Lots of sports slated today and tomorrow

Here's a look at some of what's happening this weekend in Aggie

FOOTBALL - The 2-3 Texas Aggies take on the surprising 5-0 Baylor Bears in action Saturday at 2 p.m. at Kyle Field.

A standing room only crowd of over 71,000 is expected, with 8,000 or more Bears fans in attendance.

SOFTBALL - The biggest tournament of the fall begins today for the women's softball team in Amaril-- the Texas State Championships. The Ags have compiled a 23-1 record thus far, and are seeded No. 1

MEN'S VOLLEYBALL - The Aggies will host Texas tonight in G. Rollie White Coliseum at 7:30 p.m. The attendance fee is \$1, and chil-

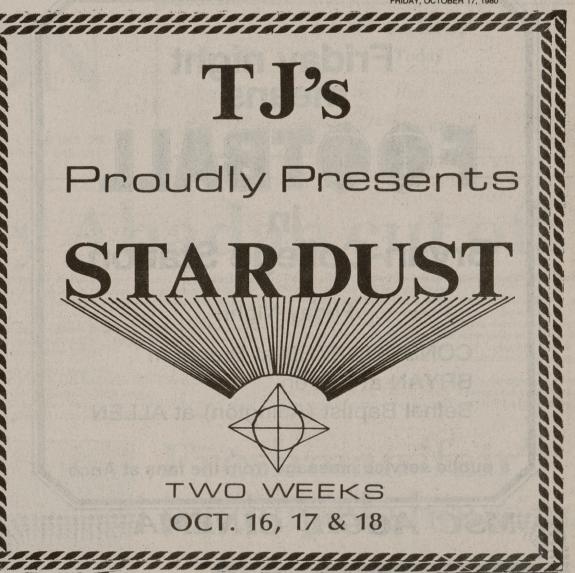
dren under 12 get in free.

SOCCER—The men's team has a full slate of action on the road this weekend. Saturday the Ags take on Arkansas in Fayetteville, and Sunday they travel to Tulsa to play Oral

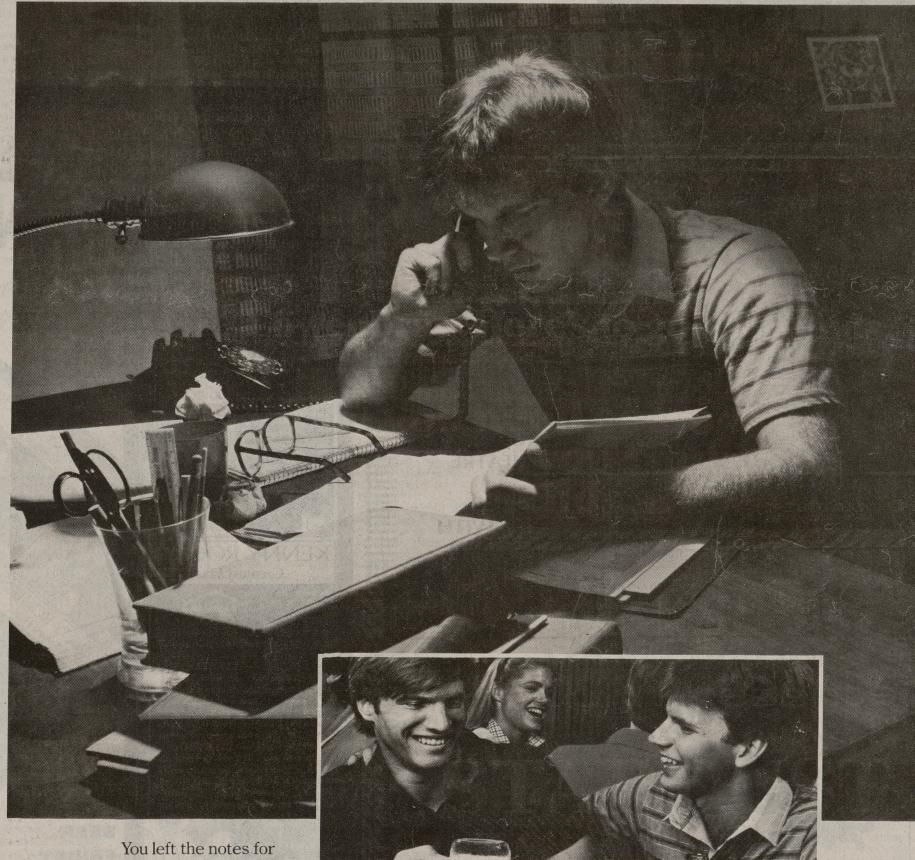
AUTOCROSS - The A&M Sports Car Club will sponsor an auto-cross Sunday in the Zachry parking lot. Registration for the races will begin at 9 a.m. Call 693-8381 for further information.

LACROSSE - The 1-0 Aggies will play Baylor at 10 a.m. Saturday on the drill field, and all fans in town for the football game are welcome to come by and watch on their way to

Sunday the team will travel to San Antonio for a game against the San Antonio Lacrosse Club.



Galloway said Thursday he sees UT-A and TWU as the co-favorites for the state title along with A&M. When you need some notes at 3:00 a.m., you find out who your friends are.



Löwenbräu. Here's to good friends.

chapter 6 in the library. A sure sign that tomorrow's test will be heavy with questions from chapter 6. Someone you know is about to get a phone call. He's not going to like it, but he's going to come through. When this is over, do something special for him. Tonight, let it

be Löwenbräu.

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