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## What's up at Texas A&M

Wednesday

**TRADITIONS COUNCIL:** To hold first general meeting and organize committees at 7 p.m. in 607 Rudder Tower.

**INNERTUBE WATER BASKETBALL TEAM CAPTAINS:** Schedules will be distributed and rules explained at 5 p.m. in 267 G. Rollie White.

**INTRAMURAL SOCCER TEAM CAPTAINS:** Schedules will be distributed and rules explained at 5 p.m. in 267 G. Rollie White.

**DANCE ARTS SOCIETY:** Aerobic dance class from 8:30-9:30 p.m. in 266 G. Rollie White.

**MSC BASEMENT & KANM:** Will co-sponsor a dance "Rock your Socks off" at 8 p.m. in 201 MSC. Admission 75¢ at door, no I.D. required.

**CAMPUS CRUSADE for CHRIST:** Leadership Training class begins at 8:15 in Room 105 Harrington.

**UNITED CAMPUS MINISTRIES:** Women's Bible Study at 7 p.m. in 1002 Pershing.

**TAMU EMERGENCY CARE TEAM:** Will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Room 308 Rudder.

**ALPHA PHI OMEGA:** Mums for the Louisiana Tech game will be on sale all week in the MSC, Commons and Sbisas from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS SOCIETY:** General meeting in room 305 Fermier at 6:30 p.m.

**TEXAS A&M FENCING CLUB:** Business meeting & women's team ladder in room 257 E. Kyle at 7 p.m.

**SOCIOLOGY CLUB:** Meet Dean Lutes in room 225 Academic Building at 7 p.m.

**NATIONAL SOCIETY OF BLACK ENGINEERS:** Important meeting in room 127-B Zachry Engineering Center at 7 p.m.

**WOMEN'S BONFIRE CUTTING CREW:** Any woman interested in cutting for Bonfire is encouraged to attend meeting in room 110 Military Science Building from 7:30-9:00 p.m.

**CATHOLIC STUDENT ASSOCIATION:** Work committee meets at 7:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Student Center. Reflective Bible Study at 7:30 p.m. in Fr. Bill's office. Night Prayer at 10:00 p.m. at St. Mary's church.

**TAMU SURF & SKATEBOARD CLUB:** Possible surf film (Bali High), show & tell (Bring pictures) and election of officers in 510 Rudder Tower at 7:30 p.m.

**MSC GREAT ISSUES:** General meeting in Room 600 Rudder Tower.

**TAMU MICROCOMPUTER CLUB:** Will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Room 104B Zachary.

**OFF CAMPUS AGGIES:** Will meet in S.W. Village party room at 7 p.m.

Thursday

**OLD and new members, Burroughs Corp. recruiter speaking at 7 p.m. in room 502 Rudder.**

**DRPS PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE:** Meet in Lounge B at 7:30 p.m.

**AGGIE SPELEOLOGICAL SOCIETY:** Arrange first caveing trip at 7 p.m. in 140 MSC. Everyone welcomed.

**ISRAELI JEWISH STUDENT CENTER:** Play touch football at 7:30 p.m. Marvin Heffler directing.

**KAPPA LAMBDA DELTA AND PHI ETA SIGMA:** Ice cream social at 6:30 in 230 MSC.

**STUDENT WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION:** Officer elections and Dean Candida Lutes, College of Liberal Arts to speak at 7:30 p.m. in 204C Library.

**SOCIAL DANCE CLUB:** Organizational meeting 7 p.m. in 268 E. Kyle.

**UNITED CAMPUS MINISTRIES:** Aggie supper, all denominations welcome at A&M Presbyterian Church at 6:15 p.m.

**FREE UNIVERSITY:** Free U Fall Registration on 2nd floor MSC from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

**TEXAS A&M SPORTSCAR CLUB:** Meeting in Rudder 607 at 7:30 p.m.

**ALPHA PHI OMEGA:** Mums for the Louisiana Tech game will be on sale all week in the MSC, Commons and Sbisas from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

**DANCE ARTS SOCIETY:** Beginning Ballet class from 7:00-8:30p.m. Intermediate-Advanced Ballet class from 8:30-10:00 p.m.

**CANADIAN CLUB:** Will hold meeting to schedule and update semester's activities at 6:30 p.m. in 350 MSC.

**THE MBA ASSOCIATION & TAMU PLACEMENT CENTER:** Will present "Dress for Today's Career" Fashion show and discussion at 7 p.m. in Room 504 Rudder Tower.

**MEGA PHI ALPHA:** Last open pledge meeting in Room 302 Rudder Tower at 7:30 p.m.

**CATHOLIC STUDENT ORGANIZATION:** Newman Club will meet at St. Mary's Student center at 7:30 p.m.

**MARRIED STUDENT APARTMENT COUNCIL:** Council Apartment elections filing all this week in the housing office. Last day to file is Friday Sept. 25. Elections are held during rent payment Sept. 29-Oct. 5. Vote when you pay your rent.

**OFF CAMPUS AGGIES:** Will meet in Duxchane Apartments party room at 7 p.m. and at Old College Main party room at 8:30 p.m.

**EUROPE CLUB:** Meet at Mr. Gatti's to discuss this semester's agenda at 9:00 p.m.

## 4 verdicts reversed in fair trial dispute

**United Press International**  
**NEW ORLEANS** — Four of six men accused of running a "Cowboy Mafia" drug smuggling operation from Columbia to Texas were deprived of fair trials because of prejudicial publicity, a federal appeals court ruled Monday.

The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals reversed the convictions of Raymond Hawkins, James Holland, Martin Sneed Jr. and Clyde Sneed. The court upheld guilty verdicts on Carlos Gerdes and Clifford Swiere.

The smuggling, carried out in shrimp boats, was described in the media as the "Texas Conspiracy" and was reported on numerous occasions to be one of the largest

illegal drug operations in the history of the state.

Although conceding the indictment and trial "attracted a significant amount of local coverage," the government argued the news stories did not raise the "significant possibility of prejudice."

Judge Sam D. Johnson of the 5th Circuit agreed with the defendants.

"The drug-related nature of the charges against appellants commanded prominence in the vast majority of the local coverage, as did the government's allegations of a large, ongoing conspiracy involving over 20 individuals," Johnson wrote.

"Many of the articles repeated

the allegation that the operation was responsible for smuggling over 170 tons of marijuana over a several month period. Moreover, the local media referred to the case, with some hyperbole, as the "Texas Conspiracy."

The judge said greater care should have been taken by the trial judge in guiding the seating of a jury.

He wrote: "This court is compelled to conclude that, in light of the nature and extent of pretrial publicity surrounding the case, the district court's abbreviated treatment of this issue simple does not afford a reasonable assurance that prejudice would have been discovered if present."



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### Vietnamese shoots down robbers

**United Press International**  
**HOUSTON** — A Vietnamese immigrant, who would not let his work alone at a convenience store and killed two would-be robbers who demanded money at gunpoint.

The robbers entered the U-M store where Loan Pham, 24, was the clerk Monday. After grabbing a handful of cash from her, they demanded money and threatened with a gun.

When customers came into the store, one of the robbers cocked his gun and waited for them. That's when the clerk's brother, whose name has not been revealed, shot two of the robbers in the chest. The third man fled. Police said one of the robbery victims' body was found nearby, 400 in his hand.



Jane Kroll

Lisa Logan

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KENNETH NOLAND, *Curious Course*, 1975, acrylic on canvas, 70x70 inches.

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### OPENING PREVIEW

7:00-8:00 pm, Wednesday, September 23, 1981  
(immediately prior to Houston Ballet performance)

J. Earl Rudder Exhibit Hall

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