

Sports

Ag — Bulldog facts

Kickoff: 7:30 p.m.
Stadium: Kyle Field (cap. 70,016)
Crowd: about 55,000
Series: First meeting
Records: Texas A&M 1-1, defeating California 29-28 and losing to Boston College 13-12. Louisiana Tech, defeating West Texas State 17-10 and East Tennessee State 31-3, losing to Baylor 28-21
Last year: Texas A&M 4-7, Louisiana Tech 5-6
Offenses: Texas A&M runs a pro-set with split backs, while Louisiana Tech runs I-formation
Defenses: Texas A&M 4-3, Louisiana Tech 5-4
Coaches: Tom Wilson in third full season at Texas A&M, with overall record of 15-15. Billy Brewer in second year at Louisiana Tech, has 43-31-2 overall record in seven seasons of coaching
Radio: KEAN, Abilene; KACV, Amarillo; KORA, Bryan; KRLD, Dallas; KNUZ, Houston; KMHT, Marshall; KURV, Edinburg; KBAT, Midland-Odessa; WOAI, San Antonio; KWTX, Waco; KWVC, Wichita Falls
Other SWC games: SMU at TCU, Texas Tech at Baylor, Utah State at Houston, Rice at LSU, Arkansas at Mississippi, Miami at Texas

Ag softball team in action at SFA

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The first two weeks of the season have brought the Texas A&M University women's softball team 14 wins, and two losses. Thus far, the University of Texas at Arlington and Oklahoma State University are the only teams to beat the Aggies, something head coach Bob Brock feels won't happen again.

After losing 2-0 to UTA in the first game of the Texas A&M Invitational two weeks ago, the Aggies bounced back with a 7-0 defeat of the Mavericks in last weekend's UTA Invitational. OSU had beaten the Aggies 3-0 in the first game the tournament, but Brock said that loss resulted from mistakes.

Although several freshmen dot the roster, the Aggies have found that this year's team doesn't rely only on experience and upper-classmen. Freshmen Iva Jackson, Josie Carter, Lisa Martinez and Gay McNutt have played vital roles in the Aggies early-season success.

Jackson's .389 average leads Texas A&M hitters, while team-

mate Carter has 20 RBI to lead the team in that category. Other top hitters on the team are Eya Resendez at .340, Linda Lancaster at .323, Martinez at .305 and Patti Holthaus at .298. The Aggies' team batting average is .272.

Defensively, Texas A&M has a fielding percentage of .963, with first baseman Lancaster's .987 leading the way. Martinez, who as a pitcher has won six games against no losses, has played first base as well. Martinez hasn't made an error at either position while recording 37 putouts and 83 assists.

The team travels this weekend to Nacogdoches to play in the Stephen F. Austin Invitational tournament. The tourney will be played on a pool basis, with nine teams split into two groups.

The Aggies' pool includes Sam Houston State, Louisiana Tech, Pan American and Nicholls State, while the other group contains UTA, SFA, Northeast Louisiana and North Texas State.

The first- and second-place winners after pool play will play for a spot in the tournament championship, to be played Saturday evening at 6:30.

Soccer teams to play

Both the Texas A&M University men's and women's extramural soccer teams are in action this weekend, with the women's squad playing its initial match of the 1981 season.

The Aggie women's team travels today to San Marcos to play Southwest Texas State University, while the men host the University of Texas in an important opening Southwest Conference Soccer League game. The men's home match starts Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Texas A&M drill field. So far,

the men have won one of their first four matches, but they've played well against tough competition.

The women's squad, which placed fifth in the nation last year, starts the 1981 season under new coach Jim Butts. After this weekend's match, the team will host Stephen F. Austin University Oct. 3 in Kyle Field, and Louisiana State University Oct. 10 at the drill field. The squad then travels to Waco Oct. 17 to play Baylor University.

Battalion football forecast



Louisiana Tech at A&M
Arkansas at Mississippi
SMU at TCU
Texas Tech at Baylor
Miami at Texas
Notre Dame at Purdue
Oklahoma at USC
Nebraska at Penn State
New York at Dallas
Houston at New York
Season Records:

Ritchie Priddy	Frank L. Christlieb	Rick Stolle	Gaye Denley	dp	This week's guest Melvin Roberts
A&M by 14	A&M by 7	A&M by 3	A&M by 6	A&M by 20	A&M by 12
Mississippi by 8	Mississippi by 1	Arkansas by 10	Arkansas by 3	Arkansas by 7	Arkansas by 3
SMU by 10	SMU by 17	SMU by 6	SMU by 13	SMU by 14	SMU by 10
Tech by 1	Baylor by 10	Tech by 1	Baylor by 7	Baylor by 7	Baylor by 7
Texas by 7	Texas by 13	Texas by 2	Texas by 3	Texas by 7	Texas by 3
Notre Dame by 6	Notre Dame by 6	Notre Dame by 15	Notre Dame by 10	Purdue by 7	Notre Dame by 1
Oklahoma by 3	USC by 3	USC by 1	USC by 7	USC by 7	USC by 6
Penn State by 3	Penn State by 7	Penn State by 8	Nebraska by 6	Penn State by 7	Nebraska by 3
Dallas by 11	Dallas by 17	Dallas by 7	Dallas by 14	Dallas by 10	Dallas by 10
Houston by 3	Houston by 7	Houston by 5	Houston by 7	Houston by 3	Houston by 14
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