



# McDONALD'S® INTRAMURAL HIGHLIGHTS



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## IM Game Plan

**SLAM DUNK ENTRIES OPEN:** Today, March 1, is the first day to sign up for this year's Slam Dunk Contest to be held Wednesday, March 10 at 7 p.m. on the G. Rollie White main floor. Each contestant will be allowed five dunk attempts and receive two points for each successful attempt. Up to 10 points will be awarded for style in each attempt, and the male and female winners will be given Intramural Champion T-shirts. Enter the IM-REC Sports Office.

**ENTRIES OPEN:** For Innertube Water Polo and Water Polo today and close Tuesday, March 9. Play begins after spring break. Innertube Water Polo will be CoRec only, while there will be men's, women's, and corec divisions in Water Polo. The entry fee is \$20 per team. Equipment is provided. **BADMINTON ENTRIES OPEN:** Today is the first day of registration for this year's Badminton Doubles tourney. Men's, Women's, and CoRec divisions in Classes A, B, and C. Awards will be given to Class A and B winners in each division.

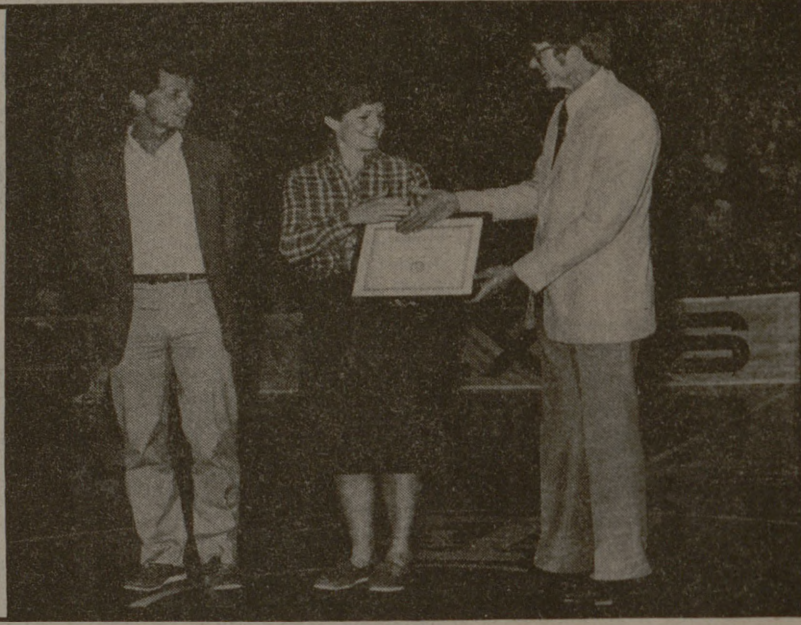
**HORSESHOE ENTRIES CLOSE:** Tomorrow is the last day to enter this year's doubles tournament. The entry fee is \$1 per person for each division: men's, women's, and corec. Schedules will be ready after 2:00 Thursday, March 4 and play begins at the horseshoe pits adjacent to the TAMU police station on Monday, March 8.

**FRISBEE TOURNAMENT:** Entries close Tuesday, March 2 for the tournament which will be held Sunday, March 7. Contestants must bring their own frisbees to the ski slope at noon. Rules and entry forms are available in the IM-REC Sports Office. Awards will be given to top male and female winners in each of the four events.

**OFFICIALS MEETING:** Men and women interested in officiating Intramural Water Polo and/or Innertube Water Polo should attend the meeting tonight at 7 p.m. in Room 162 East Kyle. No experience is necessary, as training is provided. Contact Lynette Ginn (845-7826) if you have questions or cannot attend the meeting.

**RECREATION FOR DISABLED STUDENTS:** A wheelchair obstacle course will be set up in Room 304 East Kyle today at 3:00 p.m. for skill instruction and practice. On Wednesday, March 3, at 3:00, Coach Joe DiBella will speak on weight training in the G.R.W. Free Weight Room.

Phil Springer, owner of the Bryan-College Station area McDonald's® Restaurants, presents Carol Smith with the McDonald's® All-American Soccer Player Award. A&M soccer coach Jim Butts, left, looks on.



## Penberthy Celebration of Sports

Today is the first day of sign-ups for the third annual Penberthy Celebration of Sports. This is a 48-hour continuous softball tournament beginning noon Friday, March 26 and ending Sunday, March 28.

All Texas A&M students, faculty, staff, and spouses are eligible and encouraged to enter teams in the Men's, Women's, and/or CoRec divisions. The entry fee, \$40 per team, is the same as last year.

In honor of the founder of Texas A&M Intramurals, Walter L. "Penny" Penberthy, this annual event promises to be a true celebration of sports. On Saturday morning, March 27, the Texas A&M Phi Epsilon Kappa Marathon begins and ends at G.

Rollie White Coliseum. At 1:00 p.m. the men's lacrosse team is scheduled to play Sam Houston State, a conference opponent, while men's rugby goes against a Dallas club. Both games will be played at the Penberthy Intramural Complex in conjunction with the softball tournament.

This year a fast pitch double elimination tournament will be included in Penberthy. Fast pitch will be limited to eight teams, so anyone interested should register early. A variety of additional special events (e.g. Tug-of-War) are now being planned.

For more information or to register a team, come by the Intramural-Recreational Sports Office (159 East Kyle) before March 23. Don't miss this annual event!

## Sports Club Corner

**CYCLING:** This Saturday and Sunday, March 6 and 7, the cycling club will be in Austin competing in the Primavera and Criterium.

**GYMNASTICS:** This Saturday the TAMU club competes against Texas Tech and Lamar University. The meet will be in the gymnastics room on the third floor of East Kyle.

**HANDBALL:** Several members of the TAMU club will be competing in Memphis, Tennessee this Friday, Saturday and Sunday at the National Intercollegiate Handball Championships. Good luck to Jeff Davison, Bill Moore and Raymond Walkup!

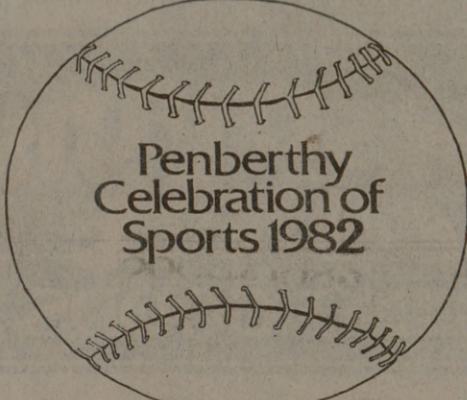
**JUDO:** Club members will be in Ft. Worth Saturday at the Judo Clinic.

**LACROSSE:** The men's team is at home again this weekend. Dallas on Saturday and Houston Bayou on Sunday. Both games will be played at the Drill Field.

**RUGBY:** The men's team will be in Houston Saturday for a game with Houston R.F.C., while the women will be in Dallas, Dallas and Oklahoma on Saturday and Sunday.

**VOLLEYBALL:** The men's A team travels to Texas Tech for a tournament Saturday.

**FENCING:** The TAMU Club is hosting the Texas Collegiate Fencing Tournament Saturday and Sunday on the third floor of East Kyle. The Ags expect to win the team award this year.



MARCH 26, 27, 28

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT  
48 Hours of Continuous Play

Divisions for Men, Women, & CoRec

ENTRIES OPEN: March 1 ENTRIES CLOSE: March 23  
Awards for Members of the Top Two Teams in Each Division  
TAMU Students, Faculty, Staff, and Spouses are Eligible.



Basketball coach Warren "Spider" Simpson teaches Hal Spiegel (shooting) and Jeff Scott

some basketball skills as part of the spring recreation program for disabled students.

## Super League Basketball

Southwest Conference Basketball teams are not the only teams that play on G. Rollie White Coliseum main court. Men's and women's Intramural Super League basketball teams are enjoying the same court privileges as college players. Super League players are Class A or better competitors, so Super League rules are special and not used for other intramural basketball games.

Rick Hall, Assistant Director for Intramural Team Sports, says Super League players prefer to play by regular High School rules. The games are longer because regulation timeouts are permitted. In addition, Hall said, the Super League players get the best referees resulting in better games and better competition.

Many of the players expressed liking other aspects of Super League play, such as the open dunking rule, fiberglass backboards, wider court space, and the lack of nearby courts to distract the game with buzzers and whistles from another game.

A minimum of four entries in either men's or women's Super League divisions is usually necessary for the league to be offered. This year, however, the men and women both had only three teams each in their divisions and were allowed to compete anyway. This is the first year men have played Super League.

Currently, the first place men's team is "Banished Forever", and "In Your Eye" is winning the women's division. Bret

Kruse, the coach of undefeated "Banished Forever", says his team likes the rules, especially the one allowing open dunking.

He says the problem with super league is that not enough teams sign up, so they don't play as many games as they would like to.

Kruse said he knows there are teams that could play Super League, but decided to play Class A so they would play more games. Some of them are teams that have played together in city

league basketball tournaments. The Intramural-Recreational Sports Department is thinking of eliminating Super League next year due to lack of interest, but would rather continue offering it, so that very highly skilled players have an opportunity for better competition.

If you have any suggestions, stop by the IM-REC Sports Office. They are always welcome regarding Super League or any other aspect of the program.



The Frisbee Tournament is Sunday, March 7. Jeff Milliken, left, and Brent Breaud show how it's done. Jeff and Brent are our McDonald's®, "Be Our Guest" winners this week. They can pick up their free meal coupons in the Intramural Office.



Walter L. "Penny" Penberthy throws out the first pitch for the 1981 Penberthy Celebration of Sports. Sarnin, released today for this year's tournament.

## Fencing Club Hosts Texas Tourney

The Texas Collegiate Fencing Championships are being held at Texas A&M this year on Saturday and Sunday, March 6 and 7.

This is an invitational tournament providing competition strictly for undergraduate fencers. The club is expecting about 150 fencers to compete, including close to 20 Aggies.

There will be four different events. On Saturday, Men's foil will be at 10:00 a.m. and epee will be at 3:00 p.m. On Sunday, women's foil will be at 10:00 a.m. and sabre will be at 1:00 p.m. The tournament is being held on

the third floor gyms in G. Rollie White.

Both individual and awards will be given out. In the past five years Southwest State has won the team award but A&M plans on winning team award this year.

So if you've never been to a fencing tournament before, you would like to see how it's done, this tournament will be one to see. And at the time, you can support our Aggie sport club. Stop by the Rollie White Saturday and Sunday.

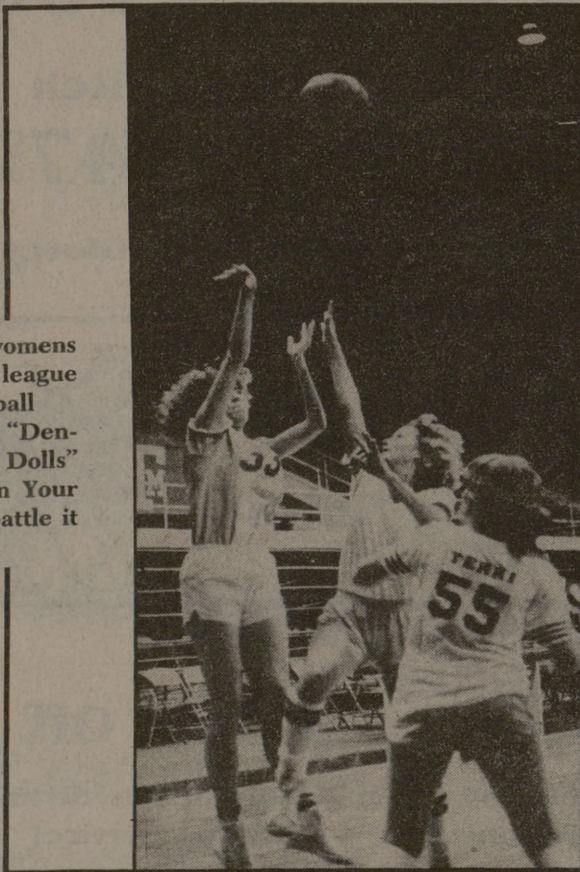


On Guard!... for the Intramural Fencing Tournament Saturday and Sunday.

## Acknowledgements

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Two womens super league basketball teams, "Dennis' Dolls" and "In Your Eye" battle it out.



## Foot Notes

THE INDOOR POOL will close one hour earlier than usual on Tuesday, March 2 and Thursday, March 4. For those two days, recreational swim hours will be 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. WHEN IT RAINS the Intramural Department will not make decisions regarding softball games until 4:00 p.m. DO NOT CALL BEFORE 4:00

to see if your softball game has been called due to rain. THE TEAM HANDBALL CLUB is looking for new members. Anyone interested, regardless of experience can contact Karen Laberman (846-7430) or come to practice Tuesday night at 8:00 p.m. in Dewey Fieldhouse.