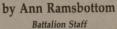


Down-home fun without the long-distance drive

Bryan-College Station



For many Aggies, spring break has become synonomous with sandy beaches, snowy slopes and trips to far off places. For a few less fortunate students, spring break will just be a class-free week in Bryan-College Station.

And there is life-afterstudents-leave in Bryan-College Station. As a matter of fact, with a little creativity and imagination, a week in town can be an

enjoyable and relaxing experi-

For starters, you can put your books away and take advantage of the various night spots in town that you haven't had time to patronize this semester. This would be an excellent opportunity to take in a movie or sample the local eating establishments. This may be the one time that eating out seems cheap when you can consider the money you've saved by not taking a trip to sunny California to catch

some rays.

Beat the crowd and build your wardrobe by shopping in the convenience of near-empty department stores and shops.

For those who have been suffering from cabin fever, take an advantage of spring break to get physical. A number of recrea-tional facilities are available in the area. For those who prefer not to leave campus, the East Kyle complex will be open regular hours during the weekends, Monday and Tuesday. Raquet-

ball, basketball and weightlifting will be available from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Wednesday through Friday. The A&M golf course will be open regular hours; 7:30 a.m. 'til dusk.

And if you're into whimsy, try Pooh's Park. From miniature golf to giant waterslides, to rol-

golf to giant waterslides, to rol-lerskating, Pooh's Park provides something for everyone. It doesn't really matter how old or

young you are.
For those who enjoy picnicking, fishing, swimming, water skiing, boating and camping, Lake Somerville state recreation area, located off state highway 36 is only 25 miles away.

And for those people who want to stay within city limits, there are parks of almost every size and variety to choose from. Central Park, located on Krenek Tap Road and the East Highway 6 Bypass is the largest park in College Station. Also, there is Thomas Park which is located on Francis Drive and James

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