

Aggie Results

Suzanne Sheffield wins fourth 1500meter run at Texas Relays in Austin

by Tracey Taylor

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Texas A&M's Suzanne Sheffield won the 1500-meter run at the Texas Relays this weekend to capture the only Aggie first place in a meet attended by both the men's and women's teams.

Sheffield's winning time of 4:18.82 was 10 seconds under her previous best and six seconds under the NCAA qualifying mark. She also set an Tara Arnold in t Aggie school record with her meters of the race.

winning performance. Texas Relays is an annual invitational that features college, junior college, high men in the 1500-meters, Andy school and open club divisions. Elliott ran four seconds under

Some 750 athletes representing 64 universities and colleges competed in the meet - hosted by the University of Texas and held in Memorial Stadium on the UT campus.

Capturing her fourth 1500-meter title of the outdoor season Saturday, Sheffield wowed the Memorial Stadium crowd of more that 9,000 by sprinting past Texas long distance runner Tara Arnold in the final 25

But Sheffield wasn't the only Aggie who placed this weekend.

Competing for the Aggie men in the 1500-meters, Andy

his season best and captured third place with a 3:48.67. William Johnson of TCU won the race in 3:47.41

Texas A&M's Chuck Perry qualified for the NCAA championships and finished fourth overall by clearing 7-3 on his third attempt in the high jump. Brian Tietjens of Iowa State won the high jump in 7-6, the eighth best jump ever by an American. The 1600-meter relay, con-

sisting of Clif Chatham, Bill Shelton, Bart Daniel and Chappelle Henderson continued the record-setting trend by running a season best of 3:07.35 in their



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Billy Martin of Fort Worth as the overall winner Saturday

at the second annual Texas Triathlon, which included a field of 900 entrants from all over Texas and 11 other states.

Martin, 26, completed the ming around the Rock course, which included a 1- tar and running a ma kilometer swim, a 10 kilometer run and 30 kilometer bike race, in 1.48:00. Despite the victory, the time was 10 minutes off the pace set last year by John Hovard, the 1981 winner of the scheduled to famed Hawaiian Iron Man another triathlon Triathlon. Howard did not enter Texas Triathlon Two.

The woman with the best time this year was Jann Girard, 23, of Austin, with a time of 1:53.00. — good enough to cut three minutes off last year's winning time. Jacquie Phelan of San Francisco, last year's winner, did not compete this year:

Adventurer-athlete Smith, who gained national and international attention in recent able because of a years with such feats as swim- programming error

the Sahara, compo Texas Triathlon, ately left for Califor was to participate in Saturday evening. announced, but he

was not a threat to The Texas T sponsored by the B Station Athletic Texas A&M's recreational sports the Bryan-College Chamber of Com Schlitz brewery.

Other results

Bench's 3 RBI's aid Reds in win over Cul

United Press International Johnny Bench played so poorlast season it was felt by many he should step aside and let a younger man take his place at at the plate. I know

third base Well, Bench seems determined to show everyone he can give them any runs still contribute. Sunday he went 3-for-4 to raise his batting average to .476, and knocked in three runs to help the Cincinnati Reds defeat the Chicago Cubs,

On two occasions the Cubs walked the batter ahead of Bench intentionally to fill the

They walked to get to him twice today and he came through twice," said Reds' Manager Russ Nixon. "That word

might get around." Cub Manager Lee Elia said he

Bench? Pick one, the

double play, with as great hitter. I response much. But we could with the percentage

Elsewhere in the League, Atlanta Diego, 4-3, Philadel San Francisco, 10 Angeles blanked Mo A scheduled double-Louis at New York,

In American League Chicago topped De New York blanked O, Baltimore crushed 13-2, Milwaukee def Seattle, 6-3, and Oak



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