

## Around town

### Entries now accepted for annual run

Epsilon Kappa Fraternity and the Department of Health and Physical Education will sponsor the **Eighth Annual Texas A&M Quarter** (6.55 miles), and **Half** (13.1 miles) **Marathons, and Fun** (3 miles) **Run** March 24 at Texas A&M. Registration fees are \$1 for Fun Run participants and \$5 for Quarter and Half marathon participants. Entry forms are available in the Health and Physical Education Department, 158 and 158K East Kyle. For more information contact Dr. Emma Gibbons, 845-3730 or Dr. Carl Gabbard, 845-1277.

### English department sponsors film

The English Department will sponsor a showing of **The Iceman Cometh**, by Eugene O'Neill starring Lee Marvin, Jeff Bridges, Fredric March and Robert Ryan today at 5 and 8:30 p.m. in 102 Zachry. The film is the third in a nine-part series of plays on film sponsored by the English Department. Admission is \$1.50 for students and \$2 for non-students or \$10 for a series subscription.

### Department offers tennis lessons

College Station Parks and Recreation Department is having registration for **tennis lessons**. Registration is from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at the Lincoln Center every night until Thursday. Private or group lessons are open to any age or skill level. Lessons will be taught by Lynette Turek, a 10-year registered professional.

### OCA to host program about moving

The Off Campus Center and Off Campus Aggies will sponsor a program titled **"Moving Off Campus"** today at 6:30 p.m. in the Commons conference room and Wednesday at 9 p.m. in the A-1 Lounge. The program will feature general concerns of off-campus living and is intended to ease the transition for on-campus to off-campus living.

### Workshops offered to students

The College of Science will hold a series of workshops for students interested in careers in **biology, chemistry, mathematics and statistics**. Speakers from business, industry, research and education will discuss career opportunities. The meeting for students interested in math and statistics is today at 6:30 p.m. in 100 Heldenfels and the meeting for students interested in careers in chemistry will be Wednesday at 6:30 also in 100 Heldenfels. The meeting for students interested in physics will be March 27 in 105 Heldenfels and the biology meeting will be March 28 in 100 Heldenfels.

### Red Cross Club to host CPR class

The Aggie Red Cross Club will be sponsoring a **CPR certification class** today and Thursday from 6 to 9:45 p.m. in the cafeteria of the Buettel Health Center. The class will combine lecture and practice so students can receive their certifications. For more information or registration contact Sherri Lewis 696-6738.

## A&M, Texas ranked in top 10 for enrollment

### University News Service

Texas is the only state to have two universities that rank among the top 10 in enrollment, reveals a survey by the National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges.

The University of Texas ranks third, with 47,631 students, and Texas A&M has moved up to eighth, with 46,846 students.

More students are enrolled at the University of Minnesota (Twin Cities) — 64,179 — than any other institution holding membership in NASULGC, the major nationwide organization

for public institutions. NASULGC does not include all public institutions, but no other single-campus public or private universities rank among the nation's largest.

Ohio State University (53,757) ranks second, with the University of Wisconsin-Madison (43,075) fourth, followed by Michigan State University (41,765), Arizona State University (40,223) and the University of Maryland at College Park (37,413). The top 10 is rounded out by Pennsylvania State University (35,757) and the University of Florida (35,286).

## Democrats want stricter curb on spending hikes

### United Press International

WASHINGTON — House Democratic leader Jim Wright said Monday Democrats plan to hold defense spending growth to no more than 4 percent in fiscal 1985, far less than the Republican compromise hike of 7.5 percent.

President Reagan and Senate GOP leaders agreed last week on what they said is a \$150 billion three-year plan to cut the federal deficit.

That plan, which came under increased criticism from Senate Democrats Monday, chops the president's request for a 13 percent hike in military spending to 7.5 percent, makes social spending cuts and raises money

by closing tax "loopholes."

But Wright told reporters, "I think there is a consensus that the growth in defense spending should be no more than 4 percent." Sen. Lawton Chiles of Florida, the ranking Democrat on the Senate Budget Committee, Monday stepped up his attack on the GOP plan, saying the Republicans are "trying to bamboozle us with the numbers."

Chiles, who questions the economic assumptions the president used to arrive at his figures, said estimates from the independent Congressional Budget Office show the plan would trim only \$100 billion off the debt, not \$150 billion.

The Democratic-led House Budget Committee has been meeting privately for the past several weeks to put together a budget, including items to cut the debt, estimated at a total of about \$1.5 trillion.

House Budget Committee Chairman James Jones of Oklahoma said last week the Democratic debt reduction plan will cut \$200 billion over three years.

Wright, of Texas, said the

Democratic budget probably will be ready Tuesday or Wednesday.

Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis., urged his colleagues in a Senate floor speech to reject the "teeny-weeny yellow polka-dot bikini of a deficit cut" proposed by Reagan and the GOP.

Wright said the Democrats also are in general agreement on some reductions in social programs, but with an eye to "salvaging the programs that

are the real safety net" such as disability payments, Medicare, student loans, veterans benefits, welfare, and child nutrition programs.

Last week Chiles asked Senate Budget Committee chairman Pete Domenici, R-N.M., to hold hearings on Reagan's debt reduction plan. But a Chiles spokesman said Monday there had been no word from Domenici, one of the architects of the GOP-Reagan proposal.

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**"Ooooooooooooooooooooooh!"**

**"And don't sign up with Kinkley for Psych. Any guy who wears a Tinkerbell Costume to class is in Big Trouble!"**

**"No Kidding!"**

**"And don't get old Snuffmeyer. About every three minutes, she sticks her hand in her blouse, fishes up this ratty old handkerchief, gives you a big honk, then stuffs it back down again!"**

**"Gross me out!"**

**"And she even gives pop quizzes!"**

**"Eeeeeeeeeeeeyoooooooooo!"**

**"Hello?"**

**"Ooooooooooooooooooooooh!"**

**"No Kidding!"**

**"Gross me out!"**

**"Eeeeeeeeeeeeyoooooooooo!"**

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