

# The Aggie Players

Department of Speech Communication & Theatre Arts  
Texas A&M University  
Present



## King Lear

Shakespeare's great tragedy!

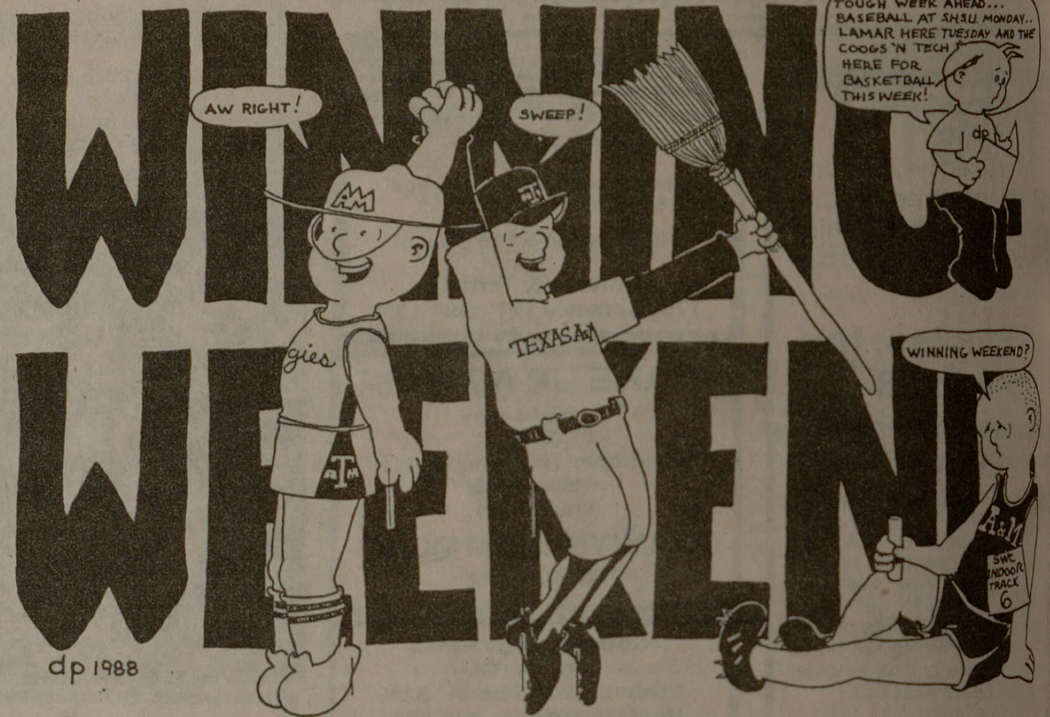
Featuring **Jeffrey Dench**, a twenty-two year veteran of Great Britain's **Royal Shakespeare Company** in the title role, and **Charles Gordone**, Aggie Player's own award winning actor/playwright, as Gloucester, this promises to be an exciting production of one of Shakespeare's most moving tragedies. This masterpiece of family greed and political intrigue, by itself a marvelous play, will be enhanced by the Aggie Players use of cross-cultural casting. The production will be directed by six time Edinburgh Theatre Festival winner **Faynia Williams**, currently Director of Theatre, Essex University.

February 26, 27 and March 3, 4, 5  
8:00 PM

Rudder Theater  
Texas A&M University

General Public \$7.50 Students \$5.50  
Tickets available at the Rudder Box Office  
For reservations phone 845-1234

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## Tennis

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O'Donovan defeated Chris Toomey 7-5, 6-0 and Kennedy defeated Mark Fentriss 6-4, 6-2. Whitteker defeated J.J. Ganz 6-3, 6-1.

"O'Donovan played great and Steve (Kennedy) made a great comeback from 1-4 to win," Drain said. "O'Donovan just dominated his match."

A&M scored an overall 5-4 victory against Oklahoma by winning two of three doubles matches.

"The doubles carried us again," Drain said.

In the doubles, Kennedy and O'Donovan defeated Lorin and Chris Leap 6-3, 6-2 and Whitteker and Johnson won 6-3, 6-3.

A&M's Green and Chambers lost 7-6 (12-10), 4-6, 7-5.

"It was a good team effort today," Kent said. "We have to fight for everything we get this year."

A&M's record stands at 3-2.

The team will take on Texas-San Antonio Tuesday at the Omar Smith Tennis Center.

## UT's Gustafson hits 1,000 win milestone

AUSTIN (AP) — Coach Cliff Gustafson of Texas became the third college baseball coach in history to record 1,000 victories as the Longhorns defeated Texas-Arlington 9-3 Sunday.

The victory in the first game of a double-header raised Texas' season record to 9-3.

Only former baseball coach Rod Dedeaux of Southern California and Miami coach Ron Fraser have won more games than Gustafson, who is in his 21st season at Texas.

The Gustafson years include national championships in 1975 and 1983 and 18 Southwest Conference titles.

"I was a little bit more excited than I usually am for a game this early in the year," Gustafson said after he was presented with a cake and a refrigerator.

"It wasn't just another game. It's been in my mind since the

season began. Is it a relief? I think so," Gustafson said.

In winning his third straight game against Texas-Arlington, Texas erupted for six runs in the fourth inning — three on a home run by third baseman Craig Newkirk, a .167 hitter.

Texas trailed 2-0, and right hander Ed LeBoeuf had a no-hitter when Brian Cisarik lined a double to center to score Steve Bethea, who had walked.

After two popups, designated hitter Mike Patrick singled. Brian Johnson walked, Thomas McInerney doubled and Newkirk drove a pitch over the leftfield fence near the 375-foot sign.

Walks to Patrick and Johnson were followed by McGee's second run-batted-in double, an RBI single by Newkirk and an RBI groundout by Joel Chimella for Texas' final three runs in the sixth.



# McDONALD'S® INTRAMURAL HIGHLIGHTS



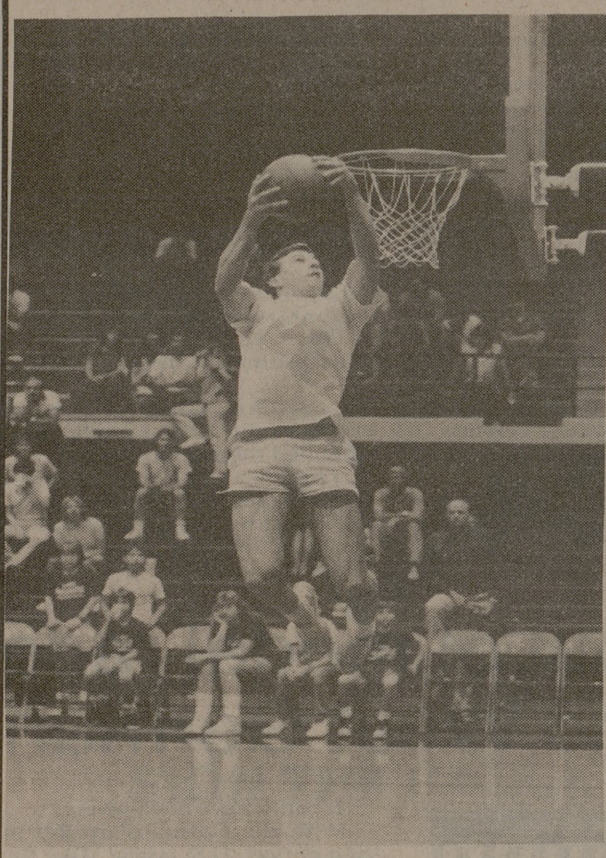
At University Drive

Post Oak Mall

Hwy 21

Texas and S.W. Parkway

At Manor East Mall



### FOOTNOTES

-Basketball play-offs will be posted Feb 23, and will begin Feb 25.

-There will be a softball team captains meeting on Feb 25, at 5:00 PM, in 224 MSC. League play begins on Feb 27.

-Horseshoe Doubles play begins on Feb 23.

-Preseason Softball tournament schedules will be posted in the IM-Rec Sports Office on Wed, Feb 24.

-A Youth Soccer Tournament will be held Feb 27-Feb 28 at East Campus.

-The last home Men's Rugby game against the Austin Huns will be on Sat, Feb 27, at 1:00 PM at East Campus.

### TAMU OUTDOORS

#### SPRING BREAK CANOE/KAYAK TRIP

**The Canyons of Big Bend** **March 12-20**

REGISTRATION DATES: Feb 8-Mar 4. The \$225 fee for the spring break adventure includes transportation, food rental of canoes/kayaks, camping equipment, shuttle costs and experienced guides. Swimming ability is a prerequisite and canoeing experience is helpful. Kayakers should be competent in the eskimo roll and white water paddling. Sign up in the IM-Rec Sports Office, 159 Read. This trip is limited to 11 participants. For more info, call Patsy at 845-7826.

#### CANOEING TRIP

**San Marcos River** **Sat, March 5**

REGISTRATION: Feb 15-29. The \$15 fee for this outing includes rental of canoes, shuttle costs, instruction while on the river and experienced guides. This trip is geared to the beginning canoeist. Sign-up in the IM-Rec Sports Office, 159 Read. The trip is limited to 14 participants. For more information, call Patsy at 845-7826.

#### MOUNTAIN BIKING TRIP

**Lake Somerville State Recreation Area** **Sun, March 6**

REGISTRATION: Feb 15- Mar 2. We will explore the trail between Birch Creek Unit and Nails Creek Unit on Lake Somerville. The \$8 fee for this adventure includes park permits and trip leaders. You must provide your own mountain bike. Sign-up in the IM-Rec Sports Office, 159 Read. The trip is limited to 10 participants. For more info, call Patsy at 845-7826.



Brad Limmer exchanges a laugh with teammates while discussing strategy during first week bowling competition.

#### TEAM BOWLING: JUST FOR FUN

"We're just psyching out the competition," said Beta Theta Pi team member Brad Limmer after a 40 point loss to the Squadron 6 Falcons during first-week bowling competition. Teammates Bruce Baring, Bill Thomas and Jason Peeler shared Limmer's sentiments. Formed under the guidance of BTII president, the team seems to be for the fun. "It's good competition," Peeler said. "It's a good study break."

### ALL U CHAMPS

The All University Champion of the Slam Dunk Contest have been determined with the completion of the finals that were held at half-time of the A&M Baylor game on Sat, Feb 13. Congratulations to John Vandermeer who has won the Slam Dunk Contest for the fifth year in a row. The other two finalists were Andre Taylor and Jay Hoage.

### DRIVING RANGE

The Driving Range located at the Intramural Sports Center is now open for operation Mon-Thu, 4 PM - Dark, Fri - Sat, 12 PM - 6 PM and Sun 3 PM - Dark. Individuals with student ID or TAMU Recreational ID may purchase a large bucket of balls for \$3.00 and a small bucket of balls for \$1.50. Without an ID individuals may purchase a large bucket of balls for \$4.00 and a small bucket for \$2.00. Club rental is also available. For more information, contact the IM-Rec Sports Office, 159 Read, or call 845-7826.

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### IM GAMEPLAN

ENTRIES CLOSE: TUE, FEB 23

**SLOWPITCH SOFTBALL:** ENTRY FEE: \$30.00 Per Team. PLAY BEGINS: Sat, Feb 27. DIVISIONS: Corps, Fish, Men's & Women's Residence Hall, Men's & Women's Independent, Fraternity, OCA, & Corec. RULES: Rules are available in the IM-Rec Office. COMPETITION: Round Robin Play with single elimination playoffs in Classes A, B and C.

**PRESEASON SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT:** ENTRIES LIMITED: Entries will be limited to the first 128 teams. DIVISIONS: Men's, Women's, & Corec in classes A & B. ENTRY FEE: \$10.00 per team. COMPETITION: The tournament will use all Intramural rules, policies, and procedures. TOURNAMENT DATE: Feb 24-Feb 27.

**TENNIS DOUBLES:** PLAY BEGINS: Tues, Mar 1. ENTRY FEE: FREE! DIVISIONS: Men's & Women's Residence Hall, Men's & Women's Independent, Faculty/Staff/Grad, & Corec. COMPETITION: All Classes will play single elimination tournaments. Class A All-University Champion will receive a T-Shirt; Class-B All-University Champion will receive a certificate. RULES: Available in the IM-Rec Office.

ENTRIES CLOSE: TUE, MAR 1

**TABLE TENNIS DOUBLES:** PLAY BEGINS: Tues, Mar 8. ENTRY FEE: FREE!!! SCHEDULES: Posted outside the IM-Rec Sports Office, Thurs, Mar 3, after 3:00 PM. LOCATION: 304 Read Bldg. DIVISIONS: Men's, Women's, & Corec will be offered in classes A & C. All classes will play single elimination tournaments. Full Intramural rules are available in the IM-Rec Sports Office, 159 Read Bldg. EQUIPMENT: Paddles and balls may be checked out from the IM-Rec supervisor.

ENTRIES CLOSE: FRI, MAR 4

**WRESTLING:** ENTRY FEE: FREE!!! MATCHES BEGIN: Tues, Mar 8. CLASSES: A- Highly skilled; B- Moderately skilled. WEIGH-IN: Everyone must weigh-in on Mon, March 7 at 4:30 PM in the locker room, 173 Read Bldg. Mandatory!!! MATCH TIMES: Posted in the IM-Rec Sports Office the day following the weigh-in. RULES: NCAA. WEIGHT CLASSES: Upper limit-118, 126, 136, 158, 167, 177, 190, & unlimited. Classes A & B will be offered in a single elimination tournament.