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Dr. Katherine Dettwyler, Asst. Prof. of Anthropology
3:00pm Rudder 502

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Rethinking the Myths of America's Dream Girl

Ann Simonton, former model and current
Director of Media Watch

8:00pm MSC 224, Wednesday, February 19

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A&M makes run at track title

UA's departure
leaves door open
for SWC crown

By Richard Bucknor
The Battalion

The Texas A&M track and field team, led by national hurdle champion Greg Williams, will be competing this weekend at the Southwest Conference Indoor Championships.

The meet will be held February 14 and 15 at the Will Rogers Coliseum in Ft. Worth, Texas.

The SWC indoor meet began in 1973 and features the best athletes from the conference's eight universities.

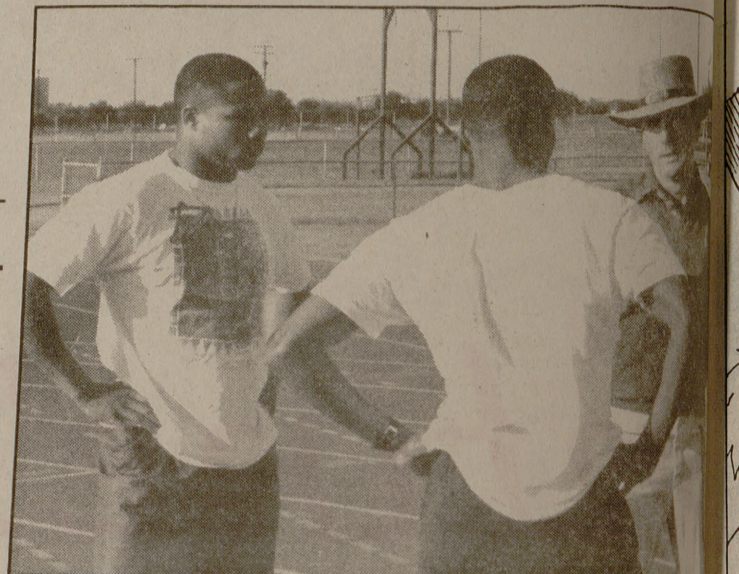
The Aggies have won the SWC meet four times in the last 19 years. The last time the A&M track team took first place was 1981.

This year's competition should gain a lot of attention with the loss of Arkansas to the Southeast Conference. Arkansas has dominated the SWC Indoor meet with outstanding distance runners and jumpers, winning the meet ten times since 1981.

"We are normally an outdoor oriented team," A&M head track coach Ted Nelson said. "We use the indoors to prepare for the outdoors, even though we have won a few indoor championships."

The Aggies have been a sprint factory for the past 25 years, producing great athletes such as Curtis Dickey and Andre Cason.

Dickey is the only athlete to have ever won the 60-meter dash



Greg Hill (left) and Dante Bolden (middle) listen to A&M track coach Ted Nelson explain the importance of a good start during practice at Anderson Track and Field Complex.

three times at a national indoor meet. Cason is a national collegiate 55-meter dash champion and the current world record holder in the 60-meter dash.

"To win this weekend we have to do good in both the distance races and the throws," Nelson said. "We have a young team competing at a high level, so how well they do will depend on how well they adapt."

The athletes to watch this weekend are the A&M hurdlers.

Greg Williams, a senior from Kingston, Jamaica, leads the hurdle crew of Richard Murphy, Ricky Barker, Nick Pollard and fifth man Rick Smith should provide an interesting race.

Sandra Hines and Vicky Galt are also expected to score points. Calen Madden and Rosa Barber are the Lady Aggies top jumpers.

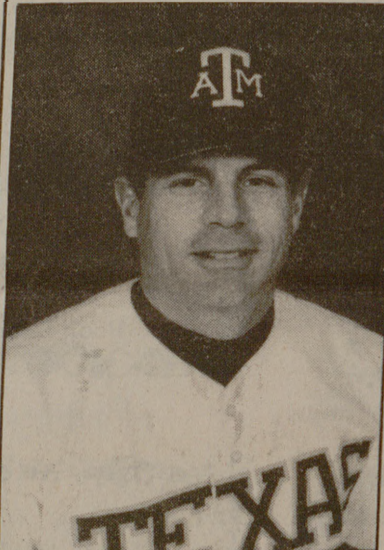
High jumpers Gwen Barber and Sandra Hines and Vicky Galt are also expected to score points.

Teams expected to provide the most competition for the Lady Aggies are the University of Houston, the University of Texas at Baylor University.

For the men's team, Longhorns and Texas Christian University will challenge A&M in the competition.

Aggies face Arizona in three-game series

By Doug Foster
The Battalion



A&M baseball coach Mark Johnson and the Aggies are in Tucson, Ariz., for a three-game series with the Wildcats.

The Texas A&M baseball team will open a three game series today at 3:30 p.m. against the University of Arizona Wildcats. The Aggies will continue the series tomorrow and Sunday at 1 p.m.

A&M head coach Mark Johnson, who was an assistant coach at Arizona under coach Jerry Kindall from 1972-76, said he was excited about going back and playing against a school where he once coached.

"That was one of the places I got started, and I have a lot of close friends there," Johnson said. "It's going to be fun to go back and see some people I haven't seen in a while."

"I don't always cherish the idea of playing against my close friends, but I'm looking forward to it."

During his time at Tucson, Johnson helped the team to the

1976 National Championship.

The Aggies head to Arizona after sweeping a doubleheader from Southwest Texas State Wednesday, moving their record to 3-2.

Johnson said it was important for the A&M team to get in the doubleheader with the Bobcats before going to Tucson to take on the Wildcats.

"The most critical thing was for us play because I felt like we didn't get to play before going to Arizona, we would be back to square one," he said.

True freshman Trey Moore is scheduled to start the opening game of the series for the Aggies. Johnson said he was going to let sophomore Jeff Granger pitch on Sunday give him some rest.

"We used this game (SWT) to get Jeff some innings in, so we're going to back him up to the Sunday game. I think they are going to use their ace on Sunday as well, so the last game should be an interesting match-up."

Aggies try to upset streaking Longhorns

The Battalion News Services

Tomorrow, the Lady Aggie basketball team will have a chance to get out of their current slump when they take on longtime rival, Texas.

The game starts at 7:30 p.m. in G. Rollie White Coliseum. A&M enters the game with a 13-9 record, 5-5 in Southwest Conference play. The Lady Longhorns are 14-7, 6-3 in SWC play.

Wednesday, the Lady Aggies were defeated by Southern Methodist, 62-49. In the game, the Lady Aggies committed a season-high 27 turnovers and scored a season-low 49 points.

The SMU game continued a recent trend for the Lady Aggies. After starting conference play with a 4-0 record, the best start in team history, the Lady Aggies have fallen on hard times.

A&M has lost four of its last five SWC games, and coach Lynn Hickey said the Texas game will be crucial for the Lady Aggies.

"We look at Texas as an opportunity to get our season back in gear," Hickey said. "We need to get our heads up and play with more confidence. Our confidence can be improved if we play well and win and get our season back where we wanted it."

"We need to start playing well and more aggressively and prove that our win over Texas earlier in the season was not a fluke."



Darren Hill/The Battalion

Sheri Dillard and the rest of the Lady Aggies will try to upset Texas for the second time this season Saturday at G. Rollie White Coliseum.

On Jan. 20, the Lady Aggies defeated the Lady Longhorns for only the third time in history. A&M won 74-73 when Dena Russo made a layup as time expired. It was the Lady Aggies only win ever in Austin.

Since then, Texas has won seven straight games, so Hickey knows Saturday's game will be tough.

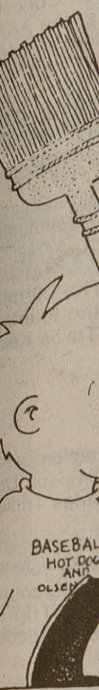
"It is an awesome challenge," she said. "They are playing well and are on a roll. They are also playing with a lot of confidence."

Senior forward Russo leads the Aggies, averaging 14.2 points a game and 7.2 rebounds a contest. Junior forward Yolanda Brown

averages 11 points a game and also contributes seven boards a contest.

For the Longhorns, junior center Cinietra Henderson is the player to watch. Henderson averages 19 points a game and 10 rebounds a game. Last week, Henderson was named the SWC Player of the Week for the second consecutive week after averaging 25 points in a two-game stretch.

The Lady Aggies' loss to SMU dropped them out of a three-way tie for second place and into a tie for fourth place with the Lady Mustangs. The Lady Longhorns are tied for second in the SWC with the Houston Cougars.



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