



# Beat the Heat

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For Off-Campus Residents:	101 YMCA
Housing Office	

# Cycling Team takes Tour del Oso

## A&M leads pack, shoots for nationals

By Steve O'Brien  
The Battalion

After years of being an also-ran, the Texas A&M cycling team seems to have broken away from the pack.

Last weekend in Waco, the Aggie cyclists solidified their lead in the South Central Collegiate Cycling Conference with a command performance at the Tour del Oso.

The South Central conference is made up of teams from Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Arkansas.

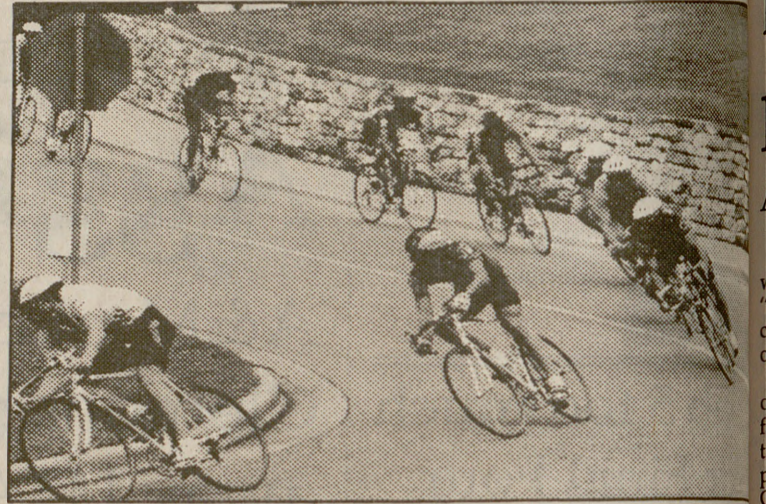
The Aggies were 200 points ahead of the Texas Longhorns in overall conference standings before the weekend staggerace and will probably extend that lead when the results become official.

A&M cycling team president John Pommier said the Aggies dominated all aspects of the race.

"We were the aggressors," Pommier said. "The other teams were fighting to just keep up with us. We had seven guys in the lead all the time and just controlled the race. We were just wearing them out."

The riders were divided into A, B and C categories, with A being the most difficult and C the easiest. Each rider was required to compete in three separate events: a 2.2 mile time trial, a road race and a criterium.

The rider with the lowest combined time in his respective category was the winner.



Special to the Battalion

A&M's Cycling Team raced in the Tour del Oso in Waco last weekend.

A&M cyclist Rich Keener was the men's category A winner and Rodney Bowden finished second. In category C, Aggie cyclist Jeff Hopewell was the overall winner.

"It hasn't been 'Look what I've done this year,'" Pommier said. "(The riders) don't look at themselves after a race. They want to help the team do well."

Julie Barter, who finished fifth in the women's division, said the Aggies controlled the race.

"We placed in every category and just completely ran off with all the points," Barter said.

James Schroeder said the A&M team is having a successful season because it has young riders have been improving and moving up.

"The C's had a good showing (in Waco)," Schroeder said. "That's what the club (success) comes from. The C's have moved up to A's and B's."

There are three races left in the Cycling Team's season, including the Southwest Texas Criterium this weekend. If the Aggies finish the season as conference champions, they qualify for nationals, which will be held in Rome, Ga. this next month.

"We haven't done that well in the past," Schroeder said. "That's why it's pretty nice. A few of the better riders have really helped the other riders along."

The cycling team meets in front of the Academic Building every day at 3:30 p.m. for training rides.

# ADVICE FROM AN OLD SOLDIER



ALEXANDER THE GREAT

They say I was the most brilliant general in history.

Before my thirtieth birthday, I conquered virtually all the ancient world. I led one hundred battalions into battle, and the loyalty of my troops was legendary.

But if I were alive today, the U.S. Army I wouldn't even let me enlist, just because I was gay.

Before they lose more good soldiers, someone should tell them they're fighting the wrong war.

**Stop Anti-Gay Discrimination in the Military.**

A message from  
Gay and Lesbian Student Services of  
Texas A&M

# Lady Aggies face SWTSU

The Battalion News Services

The Texas A&M softball team finally has returned to Texas but won't see Lady Aggie Field for another two weeks. The Aggies remain on a road trip that takes them to San Marcos tonight and San Antonio on Friday.

The Lady Aggies (24-16) face Southwest Texas State University (15-12) today in a twinbill at 5 p.m. A&M takes on the University of Texas-San Antonio on Friday at 2 p.m.

The Aggies returned to Texas after a weather-plagued 11-day stay in California. A&M was only able to play eight games and finished with a 4-4 record.

Lady Aggie Jennifer McFalls is batting .336 for the season, followed by senior Stephanie Schulte (.295) and freshman Tammie Demchuk (.291).

Freshman pitcher Jennifer Mortensen, 17-9, has taken over most of the pitching duties with the injury to All-American Missi Young.

The A&M softball team will play its next game in College Station on April 14. The Lady Aggies host SWTSU in a doubleheader beginning at 4 p.m.

The only other home game remaining on the Aggies' schedule is an April 24 date with UTSA at Lady Aggie field.

# Lakers spoil Olajuwon's return, 107-101

HOUSTON (AP) — A.C. Green got 16 rebounds and scored 22 points, including a game-breaker with five seconds to play, helping Los Angeles win their fifth-straight game with a 107-101 victory over Houston Tuesday night. The Rockets lost despite the return of Hakeem Olajuwon from a three-game suspension. It was their sixth straight loss and they fell three games behind the Lakers in the race for the No. 8 and final Western Division playoff spot.

After the Rockets scored seven points, cutting Los Angeles' lead to 103-101, Green tipped in his final points with five seconds to go and Terry Teagle added two free throws with one second remaining.

Olajuwon scored 20 points and got 16 rebounds. Otis Thorpe scored 30 points and got 12 rebounds in the Rockets' loss.

# NBA won't punish Bulls' Jordan

NEW YORK (AP) — Michael Jordan won't be punished by the NBA following an investigation of published reports about gambling by the Chicago Bulls star.

NBA commissioner David Stern said Tuesday that the league found no cause for disciplinary action against Jordan, who reportedly

gambling on golf and cards with a convicted cocaine dealer and another North Carolina man who later was killed in an unrelated robbery.

The NBA concluded its probe with an interview of Jordan in New York, where the Bulls played the New York Tuesday night.

# Wanted : The Battalion Fall Editorial Board

The following positions are available:

- Managing editor
- City editor
- Sports editor
- Lifestyles editor
- Opinion editor
- Photo editor
- News editor (2)

Applications available at the front desk in room 013 Reed McDonald

## All majors encouraged to apply Due date: Monday, April 6 at 5 p.m.

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