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What's Up

Agricultural Career Exposition: all agricultural and life sciences majors welcome in Kleberg Atrium on Oct. 6 from 9-11 a.m. and 1:30-4 p.m.

Women's Lacrosse: practice 4-6 p.m. Monday-Friday at the field behind the Zachry parking lot. No experience necessary. For more information, call Holly at 764-6582.

Black Graduate Students Assoc.: general meeting in 504 Rudder at 7 p.m. For more information call Janice at 693-0868 or 847-9272.

SPIC-MACAY: Classical Dance drama in Rudder Theater at 8 p.m. For more information call 846-6838 or 845-9599.

Texas Environmental Action Coalition (TEAC): Matagorda Beach Clean Up/Camping Trip, meet at 6 p.m. at Mr. Gatti's on College Main. For more information call Marci at 847-5081.

MSC Nova: Novacon 9 in MSC on second floor.

Alpha Phi Omega: Parent's Night Out (free babysitting) from 6:30-10 p.m. in SSB 110 and 111. For more information call Shaida at

Korean American Student Assoc.: general meeting in 501 Rudder at 7 p.m. For more information call Eugene at 847-6050.

Chinese Student Assoc.: out-door barbecue at Hensel Park and Lutheran Student Center from 5-9 p.m.

Catholic Student Assoc.: weekly foodfest gathering at 6 p.m. at St. Mary's Student Center and Holy Hour in St. Mary's Upstairs Chapel. For more information call Kelly at 693-7974.

Aggie Counseling Center: interviews for student volunteer program in YMCA on the 3rd floor. for more information call Kerry Hope or Betty Milburn at 845-

Students for the Exploration and Development of Space: trip to TAMU Observatory at 7:30 p.m. meeting in Zachary lobby. For more info call Robb at 696-0725.

College Station Chinese Church: the Cantonese group fellowship will host an evangelical meeting in 402 Rudder from 7:30-9:30 p.m. For more info call Bryan at 846-3828 or Vincent at 361-4758.

Saturday

Aggie Anglers: will have a memership drive and fishing trip at Bryan Utilities Lake at 6:00 a.m. For more info call Luke at 696-4920 or leff at 847-2535.

Alpha Phi Alpha: will be sponsoring a workshop encouraging high school students to go to college in Rudder Tower from 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. For more info call

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Christopher S. Whitley (same as above)

Omega Psi Phi: is having its 1st Annual Apollo Night with the Ques in Rudder Theater at 7:00 p.m. There will be an after party. For more info call Jacques at 846-

Off Campus Aggies: will meet in the Zachry parking lot for Bonfire cut at 8:00 a.m. For any info call Paul at 696-5408.

UACTA(Married Student Housing Council): is having a Full Moon Festival Celebration at 7:30 p.m. in the council room, at the back of the main office. For any info call Lau at 846-1245.

BCS-Waldorf School Assoc.: will be having a Michaelmas Festival at the Unitarian Fellowship Hall, 305 Wellborn Rd. from 4:00-8:00 p.m. For any info call Amanda at 776-8501.

MSC NOVA: will present Novacon: A Gaming Convention. For any info call 845-7281.

MSC Hospitality: will meet at the Clayton Williams Alumni Center for a 5K run & 1.5 mile walk at 8:00 a.m. For any info call Hospitality at 845-1515.

TAMU Microbiology Society: will have a shish-ka-bob picnic at Oaks Park, Harvey Rd., in the covered area from 2-5 p.m.

Sunday

TAMU Sports Car Club: Autocross II at the Riverside Annex at 9 a.m. For more information call Chris at 764-7996.

Southwestern Black Student Leadership Conference: meeting hosts/hostesses in 292 MSC from 4-6 p.m. For more information call Sharon Gilmore at 845-4565.

Habitat for Humanity: presentation about Habitat in Rumors Cafe (MSC) at 3 p.m. For more information call Hettie Monnig at

TAMU Gymnastics Club: Tues. and Wed. workouts from 5-7 p.m. and Fri. from 12:30-2 p.m. For more information call Delayne Meyer at 764-8948.

Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.: Kappa Social from 6-10 p.m. in 224 MSC.

TAMU Tennis Club: tennis practice from 2-6 p.m. and meeting at 4 p.m. at the University Tennis Courts. For more information call Sabrina Phillips at 846-2121.

Aggie Lutherans: student lunch at Peace Lutheran Church at 12 .m. For more information call Heather Anderson at 847-0631.

What's Up is a Battalion service that lists non-profit events and activities. Items for What's Up should be submitted no later than three days before the desired run date. Application deadlines and notices are not events and will not run Colon at 847-2785 or Reginald at in What's Up. If you have questions, call the newsroom

Athletics

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The debate at UH is led by UH Faculty Senate President George Reiter. Reiter's concerns stem from his belief that a college is an educational institution rather than

place for sports. "Faculty wonder why we're supporting a piece of the entertainment industry and a training camp for the pros," George Reiter said in an article appearing in the Houston Chronicle. "What's it doing here? What's it got to do with education? The faculty's sense is that it is a

misplaced priority. Texas A&M faculty members, however, do not share the critical view of their UH colleagues.

Kaisor said, "I think what has happened up to this point in the faculty's perception is that the athletic department has brought favorable perceptions about the University. The most significant factor in the evaluation of the department would be if the objectives of intercollegiate athletics were complimentary with those of Texas A&M.

Penny King, assistant athletic director for business, said, "We have a very good relationship with our faculty. Many of them buy season tickets for our football

games even though they still have to pay full price. I think that says a lot for the support our faculty gives the athletic program.

Some members urged caution in regards to the emphasis on the athletic program.

Smith said, "I think we should just be careful not to overemphasize the athletic program. But athletics provides us with a window to the public and to our former students that would be closed otherwise.

"Many former students identify with the athletic program, but end up supporting the academic side. It's a good way to portray the image of the university."

The UH debate comes a year

after the faculties at Rice University and Southern Methodist University voted to move down one division in competition or remove athletics altogether. The boards of directors at both schools, however, decided to keep the schools at their current levels of competition.

The debates at the other schools around the Southwest Conference stem from their departments running deficits in the range of \$2 to \$4 million. Athletics at A&M, however, does not run a budget deficit.

"We've been very successful over the last few years with our budget," King said.

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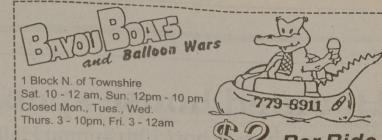
Rouse said the tobacco company RJ Reynolds also began the advertising campaign "Don't Throw Your Butt On The Beach" after the center concluded cigarette butts were littering Texas beaches

Traylor said TEAC usually participates in the Coastal Clean Up Program and the Great Texas Trash Off. However, due to scheduling conflicts, TEAC wasn't

able to attend the trash off this

Rouse said 35 states and 50 countries participated in the 1993 Coastal Clean Up program. In Texas, over 11,060 volunteers gathered 198 tons of trash from 183 miles of beach. Items such as bags of cocaine and a pregnancy test were found on the beaches.

Volunteers picked up 12 tons of trash from five miles of beach surrounding Matagorda Bay Rouse said most of the trash is left by commercial fisherman fishing along the Gulf Coast.



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