

Kickers

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threw today; today was not a

good day for throwing the foot-ball."

(affects) the kicking game," Slocum said. "It was very hard to kick field goals going to the

Venetoulias said he quickly discovered that the forces were against him on his initial field goal attempt in the first quarter.

What would have been an undisputed 37yard field goal became a close call as the ball rose through the goal post, hanged for several seconds and then suddenly dropped like a dead duck, clearing the posts by a few feet.

said. ⁹What scared me the most was the ball had already (gone) through and I was about to raise my hands up, then I saw that sucker start coming back."

crowd and breathed a sigh of relief. Although the weather was cause to wor-

ry, the kicking statistics were untainted. Venetoulias made three of four field goals and all of his extra points while Bennett

throughout the game and he never knew exactly what to expect from each kick.

sive touchdown at Kyle Field in 17

A&M defensive coordinator other teams' offenses.

right now, jumping up and down and slapping each other on the back," Davie said. "Any time

you've been number one in the conference in every category for two straight years, you look at things a little bit differently

anytime you can hold a team to 13 points and win the football game then you've had a successful game.

After posting a 5-0 record for October, Slocum said the real tests would begin in the next three games against the 13th-ranked Louisville Cardinals, Texas Christian and the University of Texas.

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"I got kind of scared at first," Venetoulias

Afterwards, Venetoulias took a bow to the

ball.

maintained a 38.8 punting average. Bennett said the wind never let up

"Throughout the course of the game, you

quarters, dating back to last year's contest against Texas Christian. only ten points with 13 minutes left in the fourth quarter until Hill

Bob Davie said his biggest concern was at the depleted inside linebacker slots, but said that the disappointment his team felt was indicative of the pride his defenders take in completely taking apart

"There is a lot of people in the country that would be in there

maybe than some other teams. "But being realistic as a coach,

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A&M could not pull away from the Mustangs who were down by

and McElroy scored touchdowns

but you can't always get what you want," Hill said. "We're not up to

the caliber we're supposed to be

Defensively, A&M surrendered 306 yards as the Mustangs nickel-and-dimed the Aggie defense

with short, quick strikes. The de-fense also allowed its first offen-

You always want a blowout,

to put it out of reach.

right now.'

"Sometimes it (kicking into the wind) af-fects you worse because try to kill it and you get this ugly looking, low, line-drive (kick)," Venetoulias said.

kind of test it to figure out what you have to do," he said. "A lot of it was luck, I'm sure. Because with the wind like that, it doesn't matter if you do everything perfect, the wind will still catch it and all you can do is just

hope that it gets off." Bennett said kicking with the wind was just as adventurous as kicking into it.

"No matter which direction you're going, Bennett said, "the wind is going to affect the Venetoulias agreed.

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Week At A Glance

Mon., Nov. 1

- * Entries Open:
 - * Archery Singles
 - * Weightlifting
- Entries Close:
- ★ Backpacking Trip
- Mountain Biking Trip

Tues., Nov. 2

- * Entries Close: * Bowling Singles
- * Last day for early registration for Kyle Field Ramp Romp IV
- * Sport Club Mtg.: 6 p.m., 164 Read

Thurs., Nov. 4

* Kyle Field Ramp Romp IV packet pickup available 5:30 p.m.-7 p.m., 159 Read

Fri., Nov. 5

* Kyle Field Ramp Romp IV packet pickup available 8 a.m.-6 p.m., 159 Read

Sat., Nov. 6

- ★ KyleFieldRampRompIV,9a.m.
- ★ Fall Lacrosse Classic: 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Polo Field
- ★ College Volleyball Classic: 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Read gyms

Sun., Nov. 7

★ Fall Lacrosse Classic: 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Polo Field



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Kyle Field Ramp Romp IV

Saturday, November 6, 9:00 a.m. Nov. 2 is the last day for early registration

The 5K course begins at Kyle Field, winds its way through the A&M campus, and culminates at Kyle Field where runners tackle the ramps of the football stadium, not the stairs.

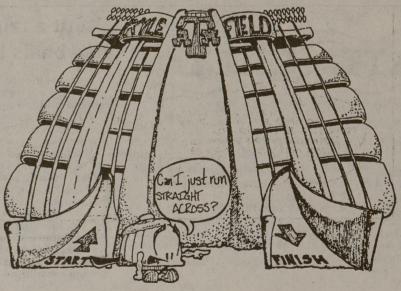
Divisions: Male/Female: 17 & under, 18-19, 20-21, 22-24, 25-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60+.

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Awards: Fastest male and female runners will each receive a \$250 travel voucher from Continental Airlines, a pair of Reebok athletic shoes, courtesy of Campus Sports, and trophies from Awards & More. The first three males/females in each age group will receive medals.

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