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MAIL CALL

Drunkenness: an Aggie tradition?

Since when has it become an Aggie tradition to be so drunk at a football game that you can't stand up?

My husband and I attended the A&M game last weekend and sat in the Aggie section. Right behind us was a young man so drunk he literally could not stand up.

He fell down on an older lady standing next to me and knocked her down almost as soon as the game started. After that incident, he proceeded to down yet another drink and while doing so, he dropped the drink and spilled it all over my back.

Still later in the game he fell down again, this time on me. I was more fortunate than the lady beside me and was able to keep from falling down.

This person was a disgrace to himself. I do not like to see A&M's reputation demolished.

I have some advice for this young man's friends, too. You should have done your friend a favor by taking him back to his room, or at least cutting him off. He was in no condition to keep drinking, and you all knew it.

Melanie Heldt Moritz
Class of '89

Mixed sentiments over Adams' visit

The Battalion definitely needs more columnists like Lydia Percival. She has shown that her proverbial finger is

placed firmly on the pulse of Aggieland. I agree with her 100 percent about Gerry Adams.

We don't need murderers like him tarnishing A&M's reputation. Just who is Wiley Lecture Series accountable to? Other than the communists in the Student Programs Office, no one!

I propose that a committee be formed to check on all programs approved by the SPO to make sure that their content is morally acceptable to the student body.

I think that all students would agree with me that no one cares anything about listening to the views of someone who is responsible for the death of thousands of innocent people.

Of course, it would be different if the person was a patriot upholding his countrymen's highest ideals or "following orders," like Oliver North, but Gerry Adams is no Ollie.

The only thing good thing to be said about Adams is that he is not a homosexual.

Until we can end this assault of depravity waged on us by the Student Programs Office and set up some semblance of a moral standard governing what students should and should not be exposed to, we must rally around people such as Percival, so that we may avoid the rocky and treacherous shores of liberalism and sail toward are more perfect world order.

Keith Stubbs
Class of '96

This is in response to Lydia Percival's article about Gerry Adams.

As usual, this article was filled with incorrect information. There is absolutely no

proof that Gerry Adams is a terrorist.

He is the head of Sinn Féin, the political wing of the Irish Nationalist movement.

Throughout the years, he has been working to establish peaceful separation of Ireland from British rule.

The British government occupies Northern Ireland and constantly subjects the people to martial law. Gerry Adams is simply trying to end this conflict.

The British government, which bears more resemblance to Hitler than Adams does, doesn't want to give up its colonies. Even the American revolutionaries were likened to "terrorists" when they fought the British with unconventional tactics.

Gerry Adams has never been proven to be a terrorist. When he visited the United States in spring, President Clinton hosted a lunch in his honor, which was attended by Newt Gingrich.

The students at Texas A&M have a lot to learn from the man who has been involved in a conflict that most of the world chooses to ignore.

Sameer Shah
Class of '95

Calling all fish: get involved in FLIP

I am writing in response to an article on organizations that are designed for freshmen. I want to remind everyone that there is an organization exclusively for freshmen living on-campus: Residence Hall Association's Freshman Leaders In Progress (FLIP).

This program is designed to promote involvement with RHA, as well as organizations such as MSC Council and Student Government. FLIP is a great way to come involved and make friends. If you are interested, come by Koldus, the RHA office.

Amy Wabnitz
Class of '96
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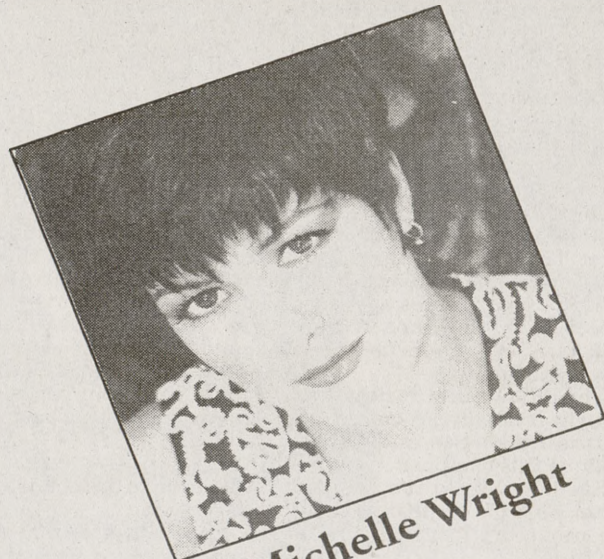
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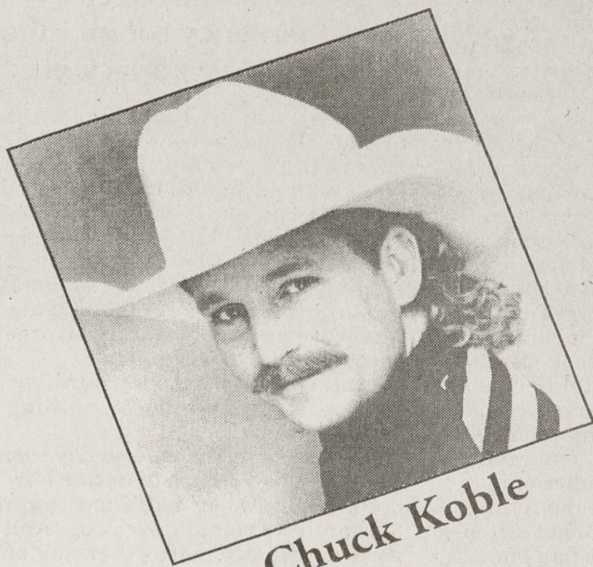
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