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**THE BATTALION**  
**SPORTS**

**Harriers finish fourth**

By DENNIS RAMIREZ  
THE BATTALION

In a meet that ran as smoothly as the runners, the Texas A&M Cross Country Team finished in fourth place in both the men's and women's brackets at the A&M Invitational Saturday at the A&M Golf Course.

Thirty-five universities competed in this weekend's invitational, including the University of Texas at San Antonio, which finished first in the women's division, and the University of Texas, which finished first in the men's field.

Led by A&M sophomore Scott Lengefeld, who finished second in the men's five-mile race, the men's cross country team made a strong showing.

Senior Jerry Snider finished fifth and sophomore Stephen Erath finished 16th.

A&M Head Coach Greg Hinze, while expecting a better finish, said he was pleased with the overall performances.

"It was a bittersweet day for us," Hinze said. "On each team (men's and women's), we had two of our better runners — for whatever reasons — not have a good day. With the number of freshmen that I'm running this year, we don't have the depth to be able to overcome that."

Despite that lack of depth, Hinze said he was impressed with the freshmen runners.

"There is a pain threshold that everybody's got to get through, and today the freshman really got through it," Hinze said. "They ran really well and this is going to be a good stepping stone for us for the rest of the season and also into next year."

Sophomore Amy Stanberry, who finished a disappointing 33rd in the women's 3.1-mile race, said she was impressed by the women who performed well at the meet.

"Four girls stepped up this week and really established themselves," Stanberry said. "Because of this, I am really excited for the rest of the season, and I think that this was a breakthrough meet as far as the team standpoint."

Lengefeld said he was happy



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Sophomore **Scott Lengefeld** finished second this weekend.

with his improvement over his third place finish at the North Texas Invitational Oct. 4.

"I was very pleased with my performance today," Lengefeld said. "Last week, I finished third, but I beat the guy who won today. In the first three miles, he made a move by me and got a six-to-seven second lead. If I could have covered the move, I felt like I had a good chance to win today."

"Right now, I'm feeling comfortable with myself and with regionals coming around next month, I feel really confident."

As far as regionals are concerned, Hinze said he is excited and looking for the team to make a good showing.

"Scott has a good chance to qualify for nationals and become the first sophomore to accomplish that for A&M," Hinze said. "As for the teams, the hard part of our training for the year is over, now it's just getting sharpened up and getting ready to race. If we do that we will go into the meet and end up in the top ten in the region, which is what we strive for each year."

**Lady Golfers travel to Kansas for Invitational**

By SARA DUESING  
THE BATTALION

After finishing behind the University of Nebraska at the Big 12 Preview last week at Pebble Creek Country Club, the Texas A&M Women's Golf Team is hitting the pavement.

The Lady Aggies have taken their show on the road as they travel to Lawrence, Kansas, to compete in the Marilyn Smith/Sunflower Invitational, hosted by the University of Kansas today and Tuesday.

A&M junior Jamie Hullett, who is coming off an individual second-place finish last week, said the team is keeping an open mind in Kansas, after the success it experienced at the Big 12 Preview.

"I was looking to finish in the top three (last week), so I was very satisfied with my place," Hullett said. "Since it was at my home course, I knew I had a good chance to do well. We haven't seen this course, but it is going to be tight and long, so we need to go in and work on keeping our balls in play."

A&M Head Coach Jeanne Sutherland said she was pleased

with the performance of her team at the Preview and looks to the Invitational to gain experience.

"We look really good so far," Sutherland said. "We aren't as confident as we should be though, so I'd like to see the other players step up to their potential."

"For this tournament, we're going to prepare for when we play the Big 12 Championship, which will be held on the same course later in the season."

After getting a peek at the 12 competition, Hullett said she was surprised that past winners like the University of Texas were not playing better.

"[The competition] wasn't as high as we expected it to be," Hullett said. "It is still early in the season, despite that there were only a few ranked teams there."

The Lady Cornhuskers captured the first Big 12 title as A&M fronted a low score of 305 on the final 18.

Sutherland said Nebraska was the team to beat.

"It would be nice to beat Nebraska," Sutherland said. "But we are always playing against the course."

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**Yankees advance to World Series with 6-4 win**  
BALTIMORE (AP) — Absent for 15 years, the Yankees are returning to what was once their traditional October stage.  
Powered by a three-homer third inning and eight strong innings from pitcher Andy Pettite, New York won its 34th American League pennant Sunday with a 6-4 victory over the Baltimore Orioles. The Yankees took the ALCS 4-1 and head to the World Series for the first time since 1981.  
New York closed out the best-of-7 series with a dominating performance reminiscent of the great Yankees teams of the 1950s and 60s featuring DiMaggio, Berra, Ford, Mantle and Maris.  
This group, with names like Jeter, Williams, Pettite, Fielder and Strawberry, will get a chance to make their own mark in the franchise's storied history when the World Series opens Saturday night at Yankee Stadium.  
The National League entrant, the St. Louis Cardinals, will have their hands full, because the Yankees are playing their best ball of the season.  
When Cal Ripken grounded out for the final out, the Yankees celebrated in a mob scene in the middle of the infield at Camden Yards where they went 9-0 this season.  
After winning Game 1, New York with the help of a 22-year-old fan from New Jersey and taking Game 3 at Camden Yards with a shocking fourth-inning home run, the Yankees wrapped up the series with two conventional wins.

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Electronic Biathlon	Oct. 14-22	Free
Eight Ball Singles	Oct. 21-29	\$2
Halloween Fun Run	Oct. 21-29	Free
Weightlifting	Oct. 28-Nov. 5	Free
Sports Trivia	Nov. 4-12	Free

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**TAMU Outdoor Fall Schedule**

Event	Date	Rating	Register	Fee**/***
*Kayak Roll Clinic	Oct. 15	B	Sept. 30-Oct. 14	\$12/15
*Backpacking Trip	Oct. 18-20	B	Sept. 30-Oct. 14	\$45/54
*Advanced SCUBA Course	Oct. 24, 29	A	Oct. 7-22	\$75/90
*Women's Rock Climbing Trip	Oct. 25-27	B	Oct. 7-21	\$59/70
*Canoe Trip	Oct. 26-27	B	Oct. 7-21	\$45/54
*Kayak Roll Clinic	Oct. 29	B	Oct. 14-28	\$12/15
*Caving Day Trip	Nov. 2	B	Oct. 14-28	\$26/31
*Horseback Day Trip	Nov. 2	B	Oct. 14-28	\$36/43
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*SCUBA Cozumel Mexico	Jan 5-9	B	Oct. 7-Dec 2	\$475/559

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**Adult Learn To Swim**  
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October 16 Nutrition, the Food Guide Pyramid, and Calorie Calculation  
Debra Shipley Graduate Student, and Dr. Jane Cohen, PhD, RD C.H.E.S., Health Education Coordinator discuss various methods of weight management and healthy eating.  
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