

# THE BATTALION DEBRIEFING



Ryan Rogers, THE BATTALION

**Posers** Paul Reininger, a senior outdoor education major, takes the Squadron 1 picture for A.R. Photography Sunday afternoon.

### ► This day in history

(AP) — Today is Monday, Nov. 18, the 323rd day of 1996. There are 43 days left in the year.

On this date:  
In 1820, U.S. Navy Capt. Nathaniel B. Palmer discovered the frozen continent of Antarctica.

In 1928, the first successful sound-synchronized animated cartoon, Walt Disney's "Steamboat Willie," starring Mickey Mouse, premiered at the Colony Theater in New York City.

In 1949, Jackie Robinson of the Brooklyn Dodgers was named the National League's Most Valuable Player.

In 1966, U.S. Roman Catholic bishops did away with the rule against eating meat on Fridays.

In 1976, Spain's parliament approved a bill to establish a democracy after 37 years of dictatorship.

In 1978, California Congressman Leo J. Ryan and four other people were killed in Jonestown, Guyana, by members of the Peoples Temple; the killings were fol-

lowed by a night of mass murder and suicide by 912 cult members.

Ten years ago: The Internal Revenue Service unveiled its new, longer and more complicated W-4 income tax withholding form.

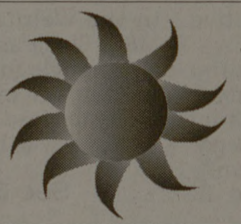
Five years ago: Shiite Muslim kidnappers in Lebanon freed Anglican Church envoy Terry Waite and Thomas Sutherland, the American dean of agriculture at the American University of Beirut.

### ► Today's Birthdays

Former astronaut Alan Shepard is 73. Actress Linda Evans is 54. Rock musician Herman Rarebell (The Scorpions) is 47. Comedian Kevin Nealon is 43. Actress Elizabeth Perkins is 36. Singer Kim Wilde is 36. Rock musician Kirk Hammett (Metallica) is 34. Rock singer Tim DeLaughter (Tripping Daisy) is 31.

### ► Weather

#### Today



Sunny and seasonable with winds light out of the east.

#### Tonight



Clear and cool with light and variable winds.

#### Tomorrow



Partly sunny and warmer with south winds at 5-10 mph.

### Highs & Lows

Today's Expected: 70°F  
Tonight's Expected: 53°F  
Tomorrow's Expected: 78°F  
Tomorrow's Expected: 56°F

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November 21 4:00 pm  
November 22 4:00 pm  
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**Dax S. Cowart**  
Associate Attorney at the Law Firm of Hillard & Munoz  
and Writer and Consultant on Rights of Medical Patients.

**Monday, November 18th 7:30 p.m.**  
**Rudder 601**

Persons with disabilities please call 845-1515 to inform us of your special needs. We request notification three (3) working days prior to the event to enable us to assist you to the best of our abilities.

**Golden Key National  
Honor Society**

**ATTENTION INDUCTEES!!**

Just a reminder. Our Fall Induction will be held  
on Monday, November 18 in Rudder Theatre.  
We hope to see all of you there.

**THE BATTALION**

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NEW YORK (AP) — President Dole, who was traumatized by the... cy, he's sure... ing it. The failed...

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**unfair, students**

HOUSTON — The Rocky Mountain Black Law Students Assn, a division of the National Law Students Association, will hold a conference today at the University of Houston Law Center to discuss a complaint filed with the Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights. The complaint is in response to the changes within the Texas education system as a result of the Hopwood decision. The Texas Aggie Band received more votes than the Dartmouth College Marching Band to win its first contest in the Battle of the Bands competition on the Internet. The Aggie Band received 74.4 percent of the 13,897 votes cast in the competition, part of ESPN-ET's virtual reality single-elimination tournament.

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