THE BATTALION EBRIEFING

Page Thursday • April 10,1

Seafood swimmin

in from overseas

► Campus

The Battalion brings in numerous awards

Battalion staff members earned 23 awards in Southwestern Journalism Congress and Texas Intercollegiate Press Association 1996 newspaper competitions in Austin.

Winning first-place SWJC awards were Kristina Buffin for best sports column; Sara Duesing for best sports feature story, and Michael Landauer for best editori-

al page layout. Earning second-place honors were Matt Mitchell for best sports feature story, and Tom Day for best sports headline. Michael Landauer and Heather

Pace won a first-place award in the TIPA Division 1 opinion page design competition. Second-place honors went to Stew Milne for sports feature photo; John LeBas for feature writing, and John LeBas and Libe Goad for news feature writing.

Batt staffers also brought home three third-place and four honorable mention SWJC awards, and seven third-place TIPA awards.

► State

Using fake IDs may lead to raking leaves

AUSTIN (AP) — Young Texans who try to use or sell fake identification cards could face community service under a bill pending in the House.

Rep. Burt Solomons, R-Carrollton, sponsor of the bill, said he hopes his bill will reduce the use and sale of fake IDs, normally used to buy alcohol and to enter bars.

"Maybe it will make them hesitate before using them," he said of his bill. The measure, which needs a final House vote, would require people 20 versity of Texas Law School has invited > Nation and younger to serve up to eight hours of community service if convicted of using or selling a fake ID. The law currently allows for a \$500 fine.

enough punishment because many people simply mail a check.

This way they have to come in and at least talk to someone," he said.

UT law school invites fewer minorities

AUSTIN (AP) — With nearly all of its admission offers completed, the Uni-

► Weather

Today

The law school was at the center

slots for the fall semester.

As of Tuesday, the school had offered 791 enrollments. That amounts to 85 percent white, 2 percent Hispanic and 0.6 percent black. "It's no surprise," said Mike Shar-

lot, dean of the law school. "It's just a tragic fulfillment of our bad

23 blacks and Hispanics to enroll, according to admission records.

of a federal lawsuit that resulted in Solomons said the fine isn't the ban of the use of race in admissions and financial aid decisions. It expects to offer 1,000 enrollment

a seafood trade deficit

BOSTON (AP) - Even in the of the American fishing industry, ordering seafood are more like a shrimp from Thailand or a scal China than the local catch oft

Highs & Low

73°F

63°F

75°F

57°F

Today's Expecte

The United States imported much seafood as it exported running up a \$3.7 billion trac Last year was at least the? secutive year the United Sta

► This day in history

Today is Thursday, April 10, the 100th day of 1997. duced by Warner Bros. and starring Vincent Price, pre-There are 265 days left in the year.

On this date:

In 1847, American newspaperman Joseph Pulitzer was born in Mako, Hungary.

In 1866, the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was incorporated.

In 1912, the luxury liner Titanic set sail from Southampton, England, on its ill-fated maiden voyage. In 1925, the novel The Great Gatsby, by F. Scott Fitzgerald, was first published by Scribner's of New

York In' 1932, German president Paul von Hindenburg was re-elected, with Adolf Hitler coming in second.

In 1947, Brooklyn Dodgers president Branch Rickey announced he had purchased the contract of Jackie Robinson from the Montreal Royals.

In 1953, the 3-D horror movie House of Wax, pro-

miered in New York City. In 1959, Japan's Crown Prince Akihito married a

commoner, Michiko Shoda. In 1963, the nuclear-powered submarine USS Thresher failed to surface off Cape Cod, Mass., in a dis-

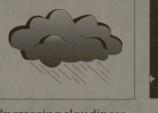
aster that claimed 129 lives. In 1972, the United States and the Soviet Union joined some 70 nations in signing an agreement banning biological warfare.

Today's birthdays

Actor Harry Morgan is 82. Country singer Sheb Wooley is 76. Actor Max von Sydow is 68. Actor Omar Sharif is 65. Sportscaster John Madden is 61. Rhythm-andblues singer Bobbie Smith (The Spinners) is 61. Sportscaster Don Meredith is 59. Reggae artist Bunny Wailer is 50. Actor Steven Seagal is 46.

Vollayball

Basketball



Increasing cloudiness with a 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms.

Cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms.

Cloudy with a 50 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms.

Tomorrow

Tomorrow Ni Expected L

Don't miss the calendar

Information courtesy of TAN

ESL Teaching in Korea

Ministry of Education seeks ESL teachers for Korean Students. Min. required qualification: B.A. degree, native speaker of English under the age of 45. TESOL/TEFL Certificate & Teaching experience preferred. Employment period: 48-50 wks. plus 2 weeks orientation. Salary ranges from 1,200,000 to 2,000.000/m (U.S. \$1 equivalent to 890 as of March 31, 1997). Housing, medical insurance, one-way air fare, settlement allowance provided. Deadline: April 24, 1997. Please contact (713) 961-4104. Korean Education Center, 1900 Post Oak Blvd. #750, Houston, TX 77056

ATTENTION All Members of THE CLASS OF '98!!

1997-1998 Class Council **Committee Chair Applications** are now available in the **MSC Student Programs Office.**

Committees include



Fish BEACH Ball

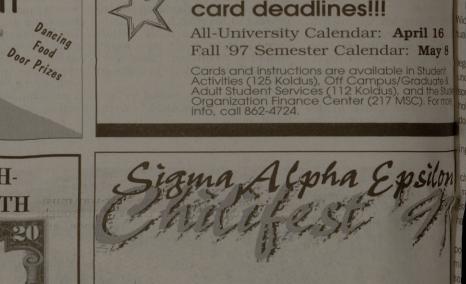
Open to the entire campus

April 11, 8 p.m. to midnight

Outdoor REC Center

\$5 per person

Here are 81 good reasons to become a plasma donor at Westgate Plasma Center: \$80 dollars in your first two weeks, and you save lives. If you have any questions hout donating Plasma or wish to set up an appointment



FEATURING

THE BELLAMY BROTHER SATURDAY, APRIL 12TH, 1997 STARLIGHT BALLROOM IN SNOOK, TEXAS

DOORS OPEN AT 11:00 AM

Tonight

E-Walk, Ring Dance, Class Gift, Social/Service, and PR. Applications are due on Apr. 18, so don't delay. If you have any questions, please call Nolan at 847-3168.	about donating Plasma or Wish to set up an appointment please call us at 846-8855 or 268-6050.***VALUABLE COUPONS***NEW DONORS: Receive an extra \$5 on your first donation.OLD DONORS: Receive an extra \$10 when you bring in a friend and they donate four times in their first 2 weeks.OLD DONORS: Receive an extra \$5 on your next donation if you haven't donated in 2 or more months.	TICKETS \$10 ADVANCE • \$15 AT THE GATE AVAILABLE AT CAVENDAR'S • MSC TEXAS AGGIE BOOKSTORE FREE PARK & RIDE FROM ZACHRY PARKING LOT 11 AM - 6 PM
FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 14 - 17 TICKETS GO ON SALE MONDAY AT 2PM	THEATER ARTS PROGRAM PRESENTS	THE BATTALION Rachel Barry, Editor in Chief Tiffany Moore, Managing Editor
SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING MON / Apr 14 TUES / Apr 15 PHYS 3-5 PRAC Dr. PRAC Dr.Chin 201 PM TEST Jarich TEST Dr.Ross	THE	KRISTINA BUFFIN, SPORTS EDITOR WESLEY POSTON, CITY EDITOR STEW MILNE, VISUAL ARTS EDITOR ALEX WALTERS, OPINION EDITOR JOHN LEBAS, AGGIELIFE EDITOR CHRIS STEVENS, WEB EDITOR JODY HOLLEY, NIGHT NEWS EDITOR TIM MOOG, PHOTO EDITOR Helen Clancy, Night News EDITOR BRAD GRAEBER, CARTOON EDITOR
MON / Apr 14 TUES / Apr 15 PHYS 5-7 PRAC Dr. Ford PRAC Dr.Kamon 202 PM TEST Dr.Akram TEST Kattawar	CHERRY	STAFF MEMBERS Cmy Desk - Assistant Editor: Melissa Nunnery: Reporters: Rebecca Torrellas, Brandon Hausenfluck, Laura Olivia. ⁵⁰ Roy, Graham Harvey, Jackie Vratil, Benjamin Cheng, Shikonya Cureton, Joey Schlueter, Kathleen Strickland, ¹⁸⁶⁹ Alanis & Shea Wiggins
MONTUESWEDTHURDr. SoriagaMONTUESWEDTHURApr 14Apr 15Apr 16Apr 17CHEM9-11CHCHCHPrac Test102PM19,2021A21B& NewsorrageMon19,2021A21B	ORCHARD by anton chekhov	Additional de division regions and the service of t
MON TUES WED WED Dr. Haw Apr 14 Apr 15 Apr 16 Apr 16 CHEM Dr. 7 - 9 PM 7 - 9 PM 5 - 7 PM 7 - 9 PM 107 HAW CH. 10,11 CH. 12,13 CH. 14,15 PRAC TESTS	RUDDER FORUM APRIL 10-12, 16-19 8pm	
MON TUES WED THUR THUR Hughbank Apr 14 Apr 15 Apr 16 Apr 17 Apr 17 CHEM 11PM-1A 11PM-1A 11PM-1A 5 - 7PM 7 - 9 PM 107 CH. 10,11 CH. 12 CH. 13 CH. 14 PRAC	\$6 FOR STUDENTS \$7 FOR ADULTS	 Cations, a unit of the Department of Journalism. News offices are in 01.3 Keed McDonaid Building, Newsour 845-3313; Fax: 845-2647; E-mail: Batt@tamwill.tamu.edu; Internet Address: http://bat-web.tamu.edu. Aovernsine: Publication of advertising does not imply sponsorship or endorsement by The Battalion, for campa cal and national display advertising, call 845-2696. For classified advertising, call 845-0569. Advertising of are in 015 Reed McDonald, and office hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, Fax: 845-2678. Susscentrions: A part of the Student Services Fee entities each Texas A&M student to pick up a single copy of The Student Services Fee entities each Texas A&M student to pick up a single copy visa, NSS Card, Discover or American Express, call 845-2611. The Batration (ISSN #1055-4726) is published daily, Monday through Friday during the fall and spring semesters stars are stars and stars and stars and stars and stars and semesters are stars and stars and
BUSINESSTUEApr 15WEDApr 16ACCT5-7PracPartPracPart229PMProbIProbII	TICKETS AT MSC DOX OFFICE 845-1234	Monday through Thursday during the summer session (except University holidays and exam periods) at Teas M University. Second class postage paid at College Station, TX 77840, Postmaster: Send address charges to The S talion, 015 Reed McDonald Building, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843-1111.