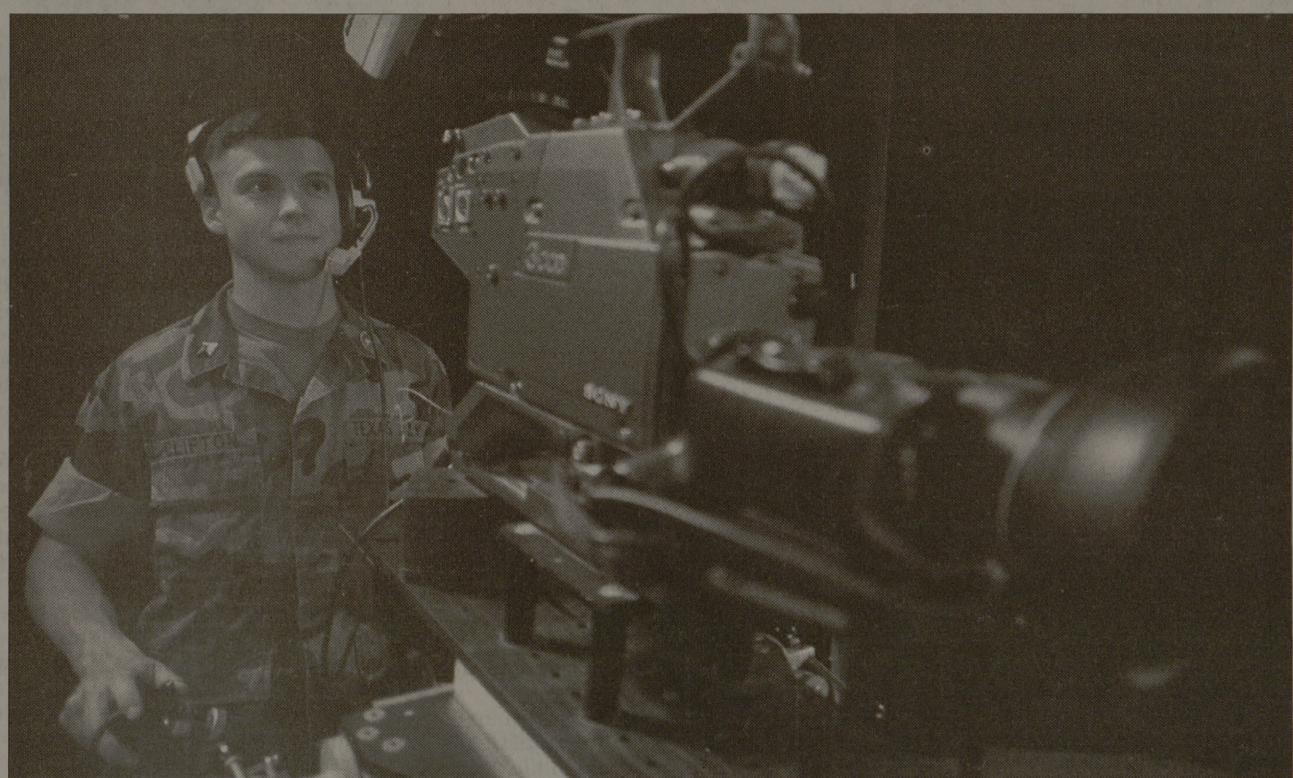


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Ryan Rogers, THE BATTALION

## Say Cheese

**Bryan Clifton**, a junior journalism major, adjusts one of the cameras at KAMU as volunteers from the Journalism 225 class prepare the set for a Campus Crusade for Christ broadcast that will be filmed today.

## BAND

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The preliminary round of the selection process narrowed the number of candidates from 18 to nine.

In the final round, candidates led the band in the Band Hall and on the drill field.

A selections committee consisting of the current drum majors and representatives from the individual classes in the band judged the final candidates.

The finalists were judged for baton (mace) control, whistle accuracy, stride (foot) placement, music beat and uniform march. Candidates also were judged on their ability to communicate instructions to the band.

Maj. Jay O. Brewer, associate director of the Aggie Band, said the drum majors chosen will lead next year's expected 450-member band well.

"You have to have someone the band will listen to," he said. "They have to work well with directors and commanders."

Brewer added that Fugitt, Pluff and Sullivan are all well-qualified, with a 3.0 or higher grade point ratio.

"Fugitt will do an excellent job," he said. "He is a hard worker and very much involved."



Dave House, THE BATTALION

Top: **John Pluff** will serve as artillery band side drum major. Bottom: **Chris Sullivan** will serve as infantry band side drum major.

## FESTIVAL

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Face-painting, bead-selling, sports activities and sidewalk chalk drawings are among the activities offered to Whoopstock participants. Over 50 campus organizations will attend, and 13 concession stands will be set up.

Going said the biggest problem Whoopstock organizers encounter each year is the time limitations on the event.

"It's too attractive of an event and we only have six hours," Going said. "It's hard to pack in everything that we want and everything that everybody

else wants."

Collymore said there are misconceptions about Whoopstock's intentions.

"Black people think it's a white thing and white people think it's a black thing," Collymore said.

Collymore said African-Americans probably associate Whoopstock with images of Woodstock, while whites think the event is geared toward minorities because it is coordinated through the Department of Multicultural Services.

"Everyone is wrong," Collymore said. "It's basically for everybody, because when it started, everyone was a part of it."

At the first Whoopstock festival, such campus organizations as the Corps of Cadets, the yell lead-

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Karen Collymore  
chair of Whoopstock committee

ers, the College Republicans, Aggie Democrats, the Greek community and Student Government helped make preparations.

Collymore said the Department of Multicultural Services did not put on the first Whoopstock just for

minorities. She said it was a joint effort on the part of many people.

"The other people who were involved, like the Corps of Cadets, did not just put this on for a certain segment of the student population," Collymore said.

Collymore said a person should not feel like a minority, because there will be something for everybody.

"No one will feel left out at this festival," Collymore said. "No one will feel like a minority."

In case of rainy weather, the festival will be located to G. Rollie White Coliseum.

"That's something we've stepped up after looking at the forecast this week," Going said. "Rain shine, we'll be there."

## This day in history

Today is Friday, April 11, the 101st day of 1997. There are 264 days left in the year.

In 1814, Napoleon Bonaparte abdicated as emperor of France and was banished to the island of Elba.

In 1899, the treaty ending the Spanish-American War was declared in effect.

In 1945, during World War II, American soldiers liberated the Nazi concentration camp of Buchenwald in Germany.

In 1951, President Truman relieved Gen. Douglas MacArthur of his commands in the Far East.

In 1953, Oveta Culp Hobby became the first Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare.

In 1970, Apollo 13 blasted off on a mission to the moon that was disrupted when an explosion crippled the spacecraft; the astronauts managed to return safely.

In 1980, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission issued regulations specifically prohibiting sex-

ual harassment of workers by supervisors.

Ten years ago: Invoking emergency powers, the government of South Africa outlawed any action, word or written document protesting the practice of detention without trials or calling for the release of detainees.

One year ago: 7-year-old Jessica Dubroff, who'd hoped to become the youngest person to fly cross-country, was killed with her father and flight instructor when her plane crashed after takeoff from Cheyenne, Wyo.

## Today's birthdays

Today's Birthdays: Former New York Gov. Hugh Carey is 78. Ethel Kennedy is 69. Actress Louise Lasser is 58. Syndicated columnist Ellen Goodman is 56. Actor Peter Riegert is 50. Country singer-songwriter Jim Lauderdale is 40. Country singer Steve Azar is 33. Rock musician Nigel Pulsford (Bush) is 32. Singer Lisa Stansfield is 31.

## Weather

Today	Tonight	Tomorrow	Highs & Lows
			Today's Expected High: 80°F
Mostly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorms, some possibly severe.	Mostly cloudy and cooler with a slight chance of showers.	Mostly cloudy and cool with a slight chance of rain.	Tonight's Expected Low: 58°F
			Tomorrow's Expected High: 70°F
			Tomorrow Night's Expected Low: 50°F

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