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Sports

Runners identify youthful new coach

BY TOM KENNEDY
 The Battalion

This year, as the Texas A&M Cross Country Team prepared to return to Aggieland for training, they were welcomed by the news that coach Greg Hinze had accepted the head track and field coaching position at Sam Houston State University.

With the season due to start in less than a month and no coach in sight, the '98 campaign was already in a state of turmoil.

On Aug. 25, the athletic department announced the hiring of coach Dave Hartman, who left his program at the University of Texas-San Antonio to lead the Aggies.

After meeting Hartman, sophomore Brooke Edwards said she had a positive feeling about her new coach.

"He makes us a lot more motivating toward each other," Edwards said.

Not only can he motivate, but he can relate to his runners. Hartman is a young coach; he graduated from the University of Texas-San Antonio in 1996.

Edwards said the reason Hartman relates well is because he is a runner and was recently in the same situation as the team.

"He ran long distance at the college level," Edwards said. "He's been there, and he was there just a couple of years ago."

Indeed, Hartman has been there. His running resumé is long and impressive. As a high school senior in Santa Clarita, Calif., Hartman posted a mile time of 4 minutes and 13 seconds. Even more impressive was his two-mile time of 8:58, putting him on an elite list of high school students to break the nine-minute mark. On top of that, he placed third at the Kinney (now Foot Locker) National Cross Country Championships.

His modesty in admitting to his nationally-ranked times is slightly amusing.

"I had a pretty good high school career, I guess," Hartman said.

His accomplishments earned him a spot on the cross country and track team at Villanova University, a school known for excellent distance running.

"We were always one of the top five programs in cross country [in the nation]," Hartman said.

Despite the success and All-American honors, Hartman said he felt alone during the track season, which concentrated mainly on the middle distances of 800- and 1,500-meters. Since the 5,000-meters was

his main event, he had to train by himself.

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Johnson, McGwire rematch tonight

ST. LOUIS (AP) — When Randy Johnson faces Mark McGwire for the second time in 11 days Wednesday night, he'll have a tough time duplicating the conditions.

This time he'll face baseball's newest home run king on the road and outdoors. And, Johnson is healthy.

"If I knew I was going to get the same results, I would do something to get the flu," Johnson said Tuesday. "Obviously I'm healthy now and I don't know if that's going to be a plus or a minus."

"I was pretty happy with the results the last time we faced him in Houston."

Johnson felt so lousy he nearly skipped his Sept. 12 start against the St. Louis Cardinals in the Astrodome. He beat them anyway without his A material and 98-mph fastballs, holding McGwire to 0-for-2 with a walk in Houston's 3-2 victory.

"It was a situation where I had to go out there and pitch more than trying to overpower everybody," Johnson said.

The matchup between Johnson, an 18-game winner with six shutouts and more than 300 strikeouts, and the all-or-nothing McGwire is a baseball classic. Johnson relishes such confrontations.

"It's kind of a clash of two powers, a guy that throws hard and a guy that hits the ball far," Johnson said. "That's what the fans want to see."

"They want to see Mark McGwire hit home runs and I guess they want to see me throw fastballs and strike people out. They surely don't want to see me walk

him, that's for sure."

Cardinals manager Tony La Russa discounted the suggestion that the Astrodome was the darker place that it helps Johnson with a 1.28 ERA since joining Houston.

"You could have a shine and this guy La Russa said, 'He's the Little League park and he makes home run.'"

McGwire is 6-for-6 in his last three home runs over his last three home runs.

Johnson, a former Southern California pitcher, was chosen for the longest home run in the history of the game.

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