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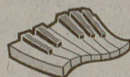
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Oh my, what a wreck

Car accidents cause grief, are preventable

By RACHEL LANDRY

The Battalion

Car accidents cause problems after the tires stop rolling and the wreckage has been cleared off the road. However, many accidents could be avoided if people would drive more cautiously.

Amanda Peevy, a sophomore biomedical science major, was driving with her roommate to the medical school library last semester when some-

is distraction.

Matthews cited cell phones, dropping lit cigarettes, eating and drinking, putting on makeup and shaving as some things people do that distract them while driving.

Clif Otts, owner of Ag Defensive Driving, said most wrecks are caused by human error.



ADRIAN CALCANELO/THE BATTALION

one ran a red light and hit her Ford Explorer.

"We were on Olsen, turning left onto University Drive," Peevy said. "I had a protected left, and I hesitated before I went. Before I knew it, he hit me."

The car hit the left front corner of Peevy's car, causing \$2,500 worth of damage.

Peevy said she was lucky that she and her roommate were not hurt in the accident, but she had to deal with problems because of the accident.

Peevy, who is from Crockett, said she had to make the drive back to College Station two times before her car was properly fixed.

"She said she does not worry too much about getting into another accident.

"I kind of keep thinking 'I hope nobody hits me' when I make a left turn, but I did not get hurt, so it has not affected me (psychologically)," Peevy said.

In 2000, there were 1,925 automobile accidents in Bryan, and eight were fatal.

Bryan Police Department (BPD) Sgt. Ben Smith said some of the main causes of accidents are speeding and inattentive driving.

Speed was a factor in 28 percent of the wrecks and driving while intoxicated was a factor in 6 percent of the wrecks in Bryan last year.

College Station Police Department (CSPD) Lt. Mike Matthews said there are many contributing factors for wrecks, but said the main one

is about to hit someone, he will also swerve the right, which could prevent the accident.

He said drivers should yield the right of way to an aggressive driver because 90 percent of fatal accidents are caused by road rage.

Otts said the best way to prevent being a victim of road rage is not to feed the aggressor's tension. He said this includes refraining from cutting someone off, stomping on the breaks when an aggressive driver is tailgating and using obscene gestures.

Otts said nobody should drive after drinking, because it is hard for someone to tell if he has had too much to drink.

"It is virtually impossible to determine for yourself whether you are capable of driving," he said.

Otts said the best thing to do after a car accident is to stay calm. Otts said one should always be prepared to handle a car accident.

He said a driver who realizes he is about to be in a head-on collision should swerve to the right, not the left.

He said that when the other driver realizes that

he is about to hit someone, he will also swerve the right, which could prevent the accident.

Otts said if people witness an accident, they must stop to give help if they are medical officers. He said to help keep people with head and neck injuries immobilized. He said to spend as little time in the car as possible, and try to safely get the car away from the car.

If the accident does not look serious, the driver should exchange information and call the police to report the accident.

Otts said it is important to drive carefully, always wear a seatbelt. It is better to take a few extra seconds to be careful than to be involved in a wreck.

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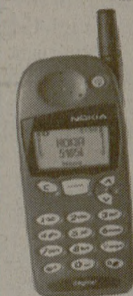
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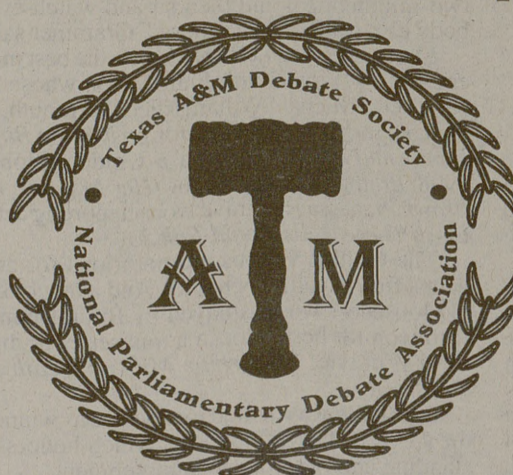
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