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SPORTS
THE BATTALION

A&M opens road swing with match against OSU

By Dallas Shipp
THE BATTALION

The No. 21 Aggie women's tennis team begins its six-match stretch on the road this weekend as it travels to Oklahoma State on Thursday and the University of Oklahoma on Friday for a weekend series north of the Red River.

The Aggies are coming off a 5-2 win against Tulsa in which the entire team played hard to get the win.

Sophomore Jessica Roland, who struggled in a loss to Tulsa's Alicia Pillay, said the match served as a wake-up call.

"I would like to play a lot better this week," Roland said. "I don't think I played very well last week, but I practiced a lot harder this week in practice. I am looking forward to getting back out on the court to redeem myself."

Junior Ashley Hedberg will try to extend her team-best winning streak to 10 matches on Thursday after she was named the Big 12 Player of the Week.

Hedberg and Roland are also leading the team in doubles as they moved into the No. 16 spot in the Omni Hotel women's tennis rankings last week.

The duo serves as a strong foundation for the doubles matches that have been impor-

tant to the Aggies' success this season. A&M owns a 14-0 record when winning the doubles point and is 12-1 when Roland and Hedberg win on the No. 1 court.

Thursday will be an opportunity the Aggies have been waiting for since last year after losing to OSU, which proved to be

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— Bobby Kleinecke
women's tennis coach
on last season's match with OSU

the match that kept A&M from winning the Big 12 regular season championship.

"The match last year was the difference in the season," said A&M head coach Bobby Kleinecke. "It was early in the season, and looking back on the loss, it kept us out of the championship at the end of the season. The girls know the importance of the conference

race and are looking forward to the match."

The all-time series is tied 7-7 with A&M winning seven of the last eight matches between the two schools. The Cowgirls will try to win their second consecutive match over the Aggies.

The Aggies have won six straight matches and improved their school-best start to 14-2. The Aggies are undefeated in Big 12 play.

Friday's match up against the Oklahoma Sooners will be the Aggies' first trip to OU's tennis facilities, which opened this season.

"It will be exciting to see their new facilities," Kleinecke said. "They are a much better team this year, and should have a new look."

A&M leads the all-time series with Oklahoma, 7-4, and has won the last two contests and six of the last seven.

The Aggies will try to improve to 16-2 and 5-0 in the Big 12 with wins over both Oklahoma Big 12 schools.

The Aggies' next match will be at the University of Houston on Wednesday. The Aggies do not play in College Station until April 13 against Kansas State.

Rivalry

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He has pushed aside every opponent except one, Longhorn sophomore Ian Crocker.

The rivalry between Rose and Crocker has been brewing for some time. On Jan. 25 during the teams' annual dual meet, Rose out-touched Crocker in the 50-yard freestyle by .05 seconds. It was Crocker's first loss of the season.

One month later at the Big 12 championships, Crocker bit back as he took the 50-yard sprint by .03 seconds. The loss was Rose's first loss of the season in the event.

"Ian is one of the great racers in our country," said Texas head coach Eddie Reese. "Eighty percent of good athletes like to win; 20 percent of them hate to lose. Ninety-five percent of the Olympic team is made up of that 20 percent, and [Crocker] is one of those."

Two days later, Rose came back by pounding Crocker in the 100-yard freestyle, winning by .30 seconds in front of a nationally-televised audience.

Both Rose and Crocker are Olympic hopefuls. Crocker represented the United States in Sydney by swimming the 100-yard butterfly and hopes to

go back again in two years. Rose hopes to represent Canada in Athens, Greece, in 2004.

"For the last Olympics I was third in Canada, so I just missed that one, and it got the fire burning," Rose said. "It's a long ways away, but it's in the back of my mind."

At this week's NCAA Championships in Athens, Georgia, the Longhorns will try to raise another national championship banner. Even if the Aggies do not have a chance to catch Texas, Rose plans on putting a large dent in the Longhorns' armor.

"He's just a name," Rose said about Crocker. "I'm not out there strictly to beat Ian Crocker."

In Georgia, both men have a chance to win either race. In the 50-yard, Rose is ranked No. 20 while Crocker is ranked No. 14. The leader board is tight — the top 25 are separated by only .2 seconds. In the 100-yard, Rose is ranked No. 15, and Crocker is No. 24. The two are separated in the rankings by only .3 seconds.

This rivalry is just starting to heat up. Both swimmers have two more years ahead of them, and they will meet each other several times in those seasons. It looks like the beginning of a Texas classic.

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