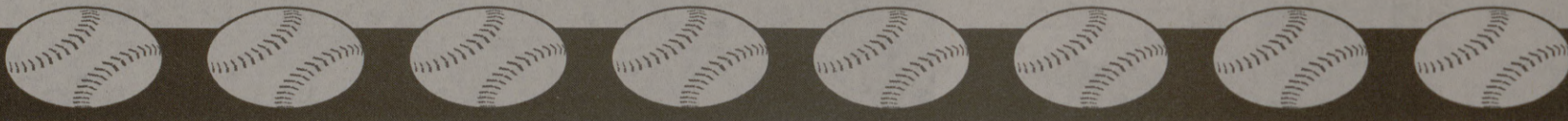


# Corps vs. IFC Baseball Game

This year's annual Corps/Fraternity baseball game which took place on Friday April 11<sup>th</sup> was a huge success. More than 2,500 students and parents attended the exciting game and over \$6,000 was raised for a local charity. The "Frat-Daddies" had an early lead, but were overtaken by the Corps of Cadets toward the end of the game in an 11-6 Corps victory.



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## Suitcase explodes at Jordan airport

By Jamal Halaby  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

AMMAN, Jordan — An explosive device in a suitcase exploded in the hands of a security guard who was inspecting it at Jordan's international airport Thursday, killing the guard instantly, authorities said.

Police detained the suspected owner of the suitcase, a Japanese journalist, who authorities he did not have knowledge that he had an explosive device in his possession, said officials involved in the investigation.

The explosion wounded three other people, said Information Minister Mohammad Affash Adwan. Two of the wounded were guards, one in critical condition, Adwan said.

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— Mohammad Affash Adwan, Information Minister

The journalist, identified as Hiroki Gomi of the Mainichi newspaper, told authorities he picked up the metal device as a "souvenir from the remnants of war on Iraq," Adwan said.

Adwan later told the official Petra news agency that the journalist said he bought the metal device from an Iraqi citizen in Baghdad and that he crossed Jordan's eastern desert border over the border from Iraq on Monday.

"He told authorities he didn't know that it was an explosive device which hadn't detonated," Adwan told The Associated Press. He said the journalist would stand trial in Amman.

Security officials said the airport guard saw the metal device during the X-ray screening and asked the man to open his suitcase for a manual search.

The device exploded in the hands, killing him instantly, Adwan said.

Adwan said the bag was checked on an EgyptAir flight to Cairo, Egypt, where the journalist was heading after his assignment to Iraq.

The Japanese journalist also had some other souvenirs from Iraq, such as antiques, rugs and paintings, a security official said on condition of anonymity.

## Robin Hood plan to be replaced

By Kelley Shannon  
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

AUSTIN — Though the Texas Senate is moving forward fast with a school finance plan led by Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst, House leaders said Thursday they want to take a careful approach that could take longer than the current legislative session.

The Senate is meeting Friday to consider its school funding proposal. All 31 senators have signed on to the plan that would replace the existing share-the-wealth system with one that would cut property taxes in half and expand and increase the sales tax.

House Speaker Tom Craddick, a fellow Republican, questioned whether the Dewhurst proposal takes a complete view of funding public schools.

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