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Men's, Women's Basketball Hosting UTPB, ASU

The Texas A&M-Kingsville men's and women's basketball teams will be at home this week to

host Texas-Permian Basin and Angelo State in the Steinke Center.

Indoor Track & Field To Have Entries in Pittsburg State Meet

Eight members of the Texas A&M-Kingsville indoor track and field team will open the season Friday and Saturday at Pittsburg State meets in Pittsburg, Kan.

The Boo Rogers Combined Events Meet is Friday and Saturday and the Crimson and Gold Invitational is Saturday.

Javelinas participating this weekend are:

...Bianca Cardenas, sophomore pole vaulter from Elsa (Edcouch-Elsa).

- ...Shaun Gill, junior sprinter from Belize City, Belize.
- ...Johnathan Harper, senior heptathlete from Lorena.
- ...Nathan Melton, freshman thrower from Lorena.
- ...Kim Ortolon, junior pole vaulter from Edna.

...Jezell Shows, sophomore pentathlete athlete from San Antonio (Smithson Valley).

...Dean Wallace, senior heptathlete athlete from Geronimo (Navarro).

...Shammawi Wellington, senior jumper from Portmore, Jamaica. The entire indoor team is expected to take part in the FasTrak

Collegiate Open Dec. 11 in Houston.

The post-holiday schedule begins Jan. 14 with the Texas A&M Ted Nelson Invitational in College Station.

First Javelina Football Title Came in 1931

This fall marks the 90th anniversary of a Javelina football team winning a conference championship.

Marcus Jones, 6-3 freshman

15 points to lead the Javelina

guard from Cheneyville, La., had

scoring in a win over Arkansas

Jones had four rebounds and two

steals while hitting five of eight (.625) from the field, three of four

(.750) from the three-point arch

and two of two (1,000) at the free-

throw line.

Tech last week in San Angelo.

The 1931 Javelinas won the Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Association title, compiling an 8-1 record.

The lone setback was to Rice. Javelina victories were over East Texas State (now Texas A&M-Commerce), Sam Houston State, Schreiner, Southwest Texas State (now Texas State), S.F. Page 1 Austin State, Sul Ross, Texas Lutheran and Victoria Junior College.

Bud McCallum was head coach of the team and his assistants were Cal Jewett and Frank Warner.

Albert Cox and W.L. Harbin were captains of the team.

The Javelinas dominated the All-TIAA first team with center Lawrence Allen, halfback Cox, halfback Harbin, tackle Martin Hodgkiss, end Robert Rich and guard M.A. Smith on the first unit. On the second team were fullback Vernon Couch, guard Eggleston Ramee and end Harmon Teel.

The Javelinas repeated as champions in 1932 and the league, which had been formed in 1920, dissolved after the 1932 campaign.

League football champions, along with the Javelinas, were TCU, Rice, Austin College, Howard Payne, Southwestern, (Continued on Page 7) UTPB and ASU are in the Lone Star Conference but the games will not count in the league standings.

The women's game with UTPB is Thursday and the tipoff is at 5:30 p.m. The men play at 7:30.

Saturday's games with Angelo State will see the women starting at 2 p.m. and the men playing at 4.

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The Javelina men are 5-1 after sweeping two games with Arkansas Tech and Missouri Baptist in San Angelo.

Derek Luna, 6-2 freshman guard from Palmview (Pioneer), leads the scoring with a 14.8 average. (*Continued on Page 2*)

Season's Greetings



From Santa Claus... Obviously a Javelina Fan

By Fred Nuesch, Coordinator of Athletic External Affairs

THE LONE STAR Conference men's and women's basketball schedules are somewhat confusing this year.

The Javelinas, and other Lone Star Conference schools, will play five conference games that won't count in the LSC standings.

The first of these will come this week when the Javelinas host Texas-Permian Basin and Angelo State.

The others are Dec. 18 with St. Edward's, Dec. 20 against St. Mary's and Jan. 13 with Texas A&M International.

The first conference game for the Javelinas will be Dec. 31 when Lubbock Christian comes to the Steinke Center.

THE TEXAS-PERMIAN Basin men's basketball team has seven transfers from Arkansas-Monticello.

Kyle Tolin, the new Falcon coach, was at Arkansas-Monticello for seven years before taking the UTPB job in August.

MISSOURI BAPTIST JOINED the ranks of NCAA Division II and NAIA basketball teams to defeat Division I opponents when it downed Southeastern Missouri last week.

The Redhawks won by a 71-63 score.

The Javelinas played Missouri Baptist, an NAIA school, Saturday in San Angelo and downed the Redhawks, 75-55.

EIGHT MEMBERS OF the Javelina indoor track and field team will open the season this weekend in Pittsburg, Kan.

Pittsburg State has a new indoor facility and it has become a popular site for meets throughout the winter.

It will host six meets this season and will be the site of the NCAA Division II national meet March 11-12.

ONE LONE STAR Conference player was among the eight from NCAA Division II Super Region 4 that is a nominee for the Harlon Hill Award this year.

The Harlon Hill Award goes to the NCAA Division II football player of the year.

The LSC nominee is Dillon Sterling-Cole, quarterback at Midwestern State.

Two candidates from each region will be named as finalists and the sports information directors will select the winner.

The award recipient will be announced Dec. 17, the night before the Division II national championship game. The award winner will be honored at the Little Rock Touchdown Club awards banquet Jan. 13 in Little Rock, Ark.

Javelina running back Johnny Bailey was the Harlon Hill Award recipient three times, and no other player has been so honored. He was runnerup the other season of his career.

Four of the eight from Super Region 4 are from the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference and one is from each of the remaining leagues in the region: the Lone Star Conference, Great Northwest Athletic Conference and Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference.

Basketball Teams Hosting UTPB, ASU

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C.J. Smith, 5-9 sophomore guard from Mansfield (Timberview), averages 13.2 points a game and he has 24 assists and nine steals.

Dayante McClellan, 6-6 senior forward from Austin (Del Valle), is the top rebounder with a 6.8 pergame average.

UTPB is 3-2.

Jordan Horn, 6-2 senior guard from St. Paul, Minn., leads the team's scoring with a 17.0 average.

Miles Daniels, 6-3 senior guard from Gulfport, Miss., averages 14.8 points a game and Dajuan Jones, 5-11 grad guard from Killeen (Ellison), averages 12.3. Jones has 29 assists.

Lemmie Howard, 6-8 senior forward from Belzoni, Miss., averages 7.8 rebounds for the Falcons.

Angelo State has a Thursday night game at Texas A&M International and enters that matchup with a 6-0 record.

Six of the Rams are averaging in double figures.

Andi Vrapeani, 6-3 senior guard from Pristina, Kosova, averages 15.0; DeVaughn Thomas, 6-7 junior guard from New Orleans, La., averages 14.5; Tyrell Carroll, 5-11 junior guard from Omaha, Neb., and Paul Williams, 5-11 grad guard from Southhaven, Miss., hit 13.3 a game; Dante Moses, 6-5 junior forward from Riviera Beach, Fla., has a 12.0 average, and Lathaniel Bastian, 6-8 sophomore guard from Nassau, Bahamas, averages 11.3.

Carroll has 30 assists and 15 steals in six games.

Bastian leads the Ram rebounding with an 11.0 average.

The Javelina women are 4-2 for the year.

Breanna Pena, 5-9 junior guard from Weslaco, leads the scoring with a 10.5 average.

Anastacia Mickens, 6-0 senior forward from Beaumont (Central), is the top rebounder with a 5.5 average.

Mia Rivers, 5-6 freshman guard from College Station, has 20 assists and Kryslyn Jones, 5-7

sophomore guard from Edmond. Okla., has 14 steals. UTPB is 1-5.

Alexus Wykoff, 6-0 senior forward from Magnolia, is the top Falcon scorer with 12.3 points a game.

Alexus Quaadman, 6-1 sophomore center from Las Vegas, Nev., leads the rebounding with a 6.0 average.

Angelo is 0-6 and has a Thursday night game with Texas A&M International in Laredo. Payton Brown, 5-6 junior

guard from Lubbock (Roosevelt), averages 11.0 points a game and Tayjanna McGhee-Pleasant, 6-3 sophomore forward from Amarillo, averages 10.0.

Madeline Stephens, 6-0 freshman guard from Lubbock (Monterey), leads the Rambelle rebounding with a 6.8 average.

The Javelinas will close out their pre-holiday schedules Dec. 18-20 with St. Edward's in Austin and St. Mary's in San Antonio. These games will also be nonconference.



Mia Cherry, 5-8 Javelina junior guard from Brock, drives past a defender for a layup in last week's win over Western Oregon in the Steinke Center.

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By Fred Nuesch, Coordinator of Athletic External Affairs

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The seven other candidates from the region are Jaylin Parnell, linebacker at Western Oregon, from the Great Northwest Athletic Conference; Michael Zeman, running back at Colorado Mines, from the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference, and Brandon Alt, quarterback at Bemidji (Minn.) State; Danny Kittner, wide receiver at Mary (N.D.); Thuro Reisdorder, running back at Sioux Falls, S.D., and Ali Mohamed, running back at Minot (N.D.) State, from the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

Western Oregon will become a member of the Lone Star Conference in football beginning in 2022.

The Javelinas saw Parnell when they hosted, and defeated, Western Oregon this fall.

THERE ARE FIVE postseason bowl games for NCAA Division II football teams.

Two are in Texas and a third is almost in Texas.

The Heart of Texas Bowl is in Commerce and the Heritage Bowl is in Corsicana.

The Live United Bowl is in Texarkana, Ark., on the Texas border.

The other two are the Mineral Water Bowl in Excelsior Springs, Mo., and the American Crossroads Bowl in Hobart, Ind.

The Heritage Bowl has Texas-Permian Basin and Oklahoma Baptist meeting Saturday.

The Live United Bowl will see Southeastern Oklahoma and Emporia (Kan.) State playing Saturday.

The American Crossroads Bowl will pit Truman (Mo.) State and Hillsdale (Mich.), and is also Saturday.

There hasn't been a listing for the participants in the Heart of Texas Bowl.

The Mineral Water Bowl has been cancelled this season.

LONE STAR CONFERENCE notes:

...Midwestern State head indoor volleyball coach Valerie Armstrong has resigned after four years in her position.

...There were no Lone Star Conference players on the NCAA Division II All-American volleyball team named by the Division 2 Conference Commissioners Association last week.

This included first, second and third teams and the honorable mention list.

...The Dallas Baptist athletes granted a Make-A-Wish trip to a young man recently.

During treatments, his wish was to take a trip to Disney World with his family during the Christmas season.

The DBU Student-Athletic Advisory Committee raised more than \$10,000 to make the child's wish become a reality.

He took part in DBU's homecoming parade on a float that included his favorite things: Spiderman, Captain America and his favorite colors.

The DBU SAA is now working on a campaign to grant another wish next year. Page 3 (Continued on Page 4) Lone Star Conference Basketball Standings (Games Through Saturday)

Men's

Men's			
Team	W	L	Pct.
Lubbock Christian	7	0	1.000
A&M International	6	0	1.000
Angelo State	6	0	1.000
Texas-Tyler	5	0	1.000
Western New Mexico	•4	0	1.000
A&M-Commerce	3	0	1.000
West Texas A&M	8	1	.889
A&M-Kingsville	5	1	.833
St. Edward's	4	2	.667
Texas-Permian Basin	3	2	.600
Dallas Baptist	3	2	.600
Arkansas-Fort Smith	3	2	.600
E. New Mexico	3	3	.500
Cameron	1	2	.333
Midwestern State	1	2	.333
St. Mary's	1	2	.333
Oklahoma Christian	1	4	.200
Women'	S		
Team	W	L	Pct.
A&M-Commerce	5	0	1.000
A&M International	4	0	1.000
W. New Mexico	3	0	1.000
Lubbock Christian	8	1	.889
E. New Mexico	3	1	.750
Texas-Tyler	3	1	.750
A&M-Kingsville	4	2	.667
Texas Woman's	4	2	.667
St. Edward's	3	2	.600
Cameron	4	4	.500
Midwestern State	2	2	.500
West Texas A&M	4	5	.444
Arkansas-Fort Smith	1	3	.250
Alkalisas-Folt Silliul		5	.167
Texas-Permian Basin	1	С	.107
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Texas-Permian Basin	-		



Javelina Alums Make Javelina Pride Justified!

Upcoming Javelina Events

Dec. 2 – Men's, Women's Basketball: Texas-Permian Basin in
Kingsville, 5:30 & 7:30 p.m.
Dec. 3-4 – Men's, Women's Indoor Track & Field: Boo Rogers
Invitational in Pittsburg, Kan.
Dec. 4 – Men's, Women's Basketball: Angelo State in Kingsville, 2
& 4 p.m.
Dec. 2-4 – Indoor Volleyball: NCAA Division II South Central Region
playoffs at No. 1 seed.
Dec. 9 - Indoor Volleyball: NCAA Division II Elite Eight in Tampa, Fla.
Dec 10 – Indoor Volleyball: NCAA Division II Elite Eight in Tampa, Fla.
Dec. 11 – Men's, Women's Indoor Track & Field: FasTrak Collegiate
Opener in Houston
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Indoor Volleyball: NCAA Division II Elite Eight in Tampa, Fla
Dec. 18 – Women's, Men's Basketball: St. Edward's in Austin, 2 and 4 p.m.
Football: NCAA Division II championship in McKinney.
Dec. 20 – Women's', Men's Basketball: St. Mary's in San Antonio, 2
and 4 p.m.
Dec. 31 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Lubbock Christian in
Kingsville, 2 & 4 p.m.
Jan. 2 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Eastern New Mexico in
Kingsville, 2 & 4 p.m.
Jan. 5 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Texas A&M International in
Kingsville, 2 & 4 p.m.
Jan. 7 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Western New Mexico in Silver
City, N.M., 6:30 & 8:30 p.m.
Jan. 13 – Women's, Men's Basketball: Mia CherryTexas A&M
International in Laredo, 5:30 &
7:30 p.m.
Jan. 14 – Men's, Women's Indoor Track & Field: Texas A&M Ted
Nelson Invitational in College Station.
Jan. 20 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Arkansas-Fort Smith in
Kingsville, 5:30 & 7:30 p.m.
Jan. 22 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Oklahoma Christian in
Kingsville, 2 & 4 p.m.
Jan. 27 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Texas A&M-Commerce in
Commerce, 5:30 & 7:30 p.m.
Jan. 28-29 – Men's, Women's Indoor Track & Field: Washburn Open in
Topeka, Kan.
Jan. 29 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Texas-Tyler in Tyler, 2 & 4 p.m.
Feb. 1 – Women's Tennis: Texas A&M-Corpus Christi in Corpus Christi
Feb. 3 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *St. Edward's in Kingsville, 5:30
& 7:30 p.m.
Feb. 4 – Baseball: *Cameron in Kingsville, TBA.
Softball: Arkansas Tech Invitational in Houston.
vs. Harding (Ark.), 11 a.m.
vs. Colorado Mines, 1:15 p.m.
Feb. 5 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *St. Mary's in Kingsville, 2 & 4 p.m.
Baseball: *Cameron in Kingsville (dh), TBA
Softball: Arkansas Tech Invitational in Houston.
vs. Rogers (Okla.) State, 1:15 p.m.
vs. Southern Nazarene (Okla.), 3:30 p.m.
Women's Tennis: Weatherford College in Arlington.
Feb. 6 – Baseball: *Cameron in Kingsville, TBA
Softball: Arkansas Tech Invitational in Houston.
vs. Central Missouri, 1:15 p.m.
vs. Southeastern Oklahoma, 3:30 p.m.
Feb. 10 – Women's, Men's Basketball: *Angelo State in San Angelo,
5:30 & 7:30 p.m.
5:30 & 7:30 p.m. Feb. 11 – Softball: Portland Tournament in Portland. vs. Ouachita Baptist (Ark.), 4:30 p.m.

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... The Lubbock Christian men's and women's basketball teams spent the Thanksgiving holiday in Hawaii.

The men played games with Hawaii-Hilo and Hawaii Pacific in the Shark Tank in Honolulu and took on Chaminade (Hawaii) on Chaminade's court in Honolulu.

The women met Minnesota-Crookston and Hawaii Pacific on the trip. The games were at the Shark Tank.

... The Dallas Baptist men's basketball team has been invited to take part in the 2022 Small College Basketball Tipoff Classic in Lakeland, Fla.

Ten teams will play in the two-day meet.

DBU will take on Hillsdale (Mich.) and Nova Southeastern (Fla.).

Other teams, each NCAA Division II clubs, are Alabama-Huntsville, Minnesota State-Moorhead, Valdosta (Ga.) State, Flagler (Fla.), Florida Southern, Queens (N.C.) and Northwest Missouri State.

...St. Mary's athletes collected food donations for the St. Stephen's CARE Center in San Antonio during the holiday season.

The Rattlers collected more than 446 pounds of canned goods for the Catholic Charities food bank.

The teams spent two weeks collecting their donations.

The St. Stephen's CARE center is a local food bank that provides the basic necessities for families in need.

...Simon Fraser, which becomes a football-playing member of the Lone Star Conference in 2022, has made Mike Rigell the head football coach. He has served as the interim head coach the past two seasons.

He served as SFU's offensive coordinator, receivers coach and special teams coach in 2018 and 2019.

In September, the school opened its new football stadium at Fox Field that has covered theater-style seating. The capacity is 1,800.

An official 2022 conference schedule has been released by the Lone Star Conference but the Javelinas are expected to host Simon Fraser next fall and play in Burnaby, British Columbia, in 2023.

NCAA DIVISION II notes:

...Mel Tjeerdsma, former head football coach at Northwest Missouri State, will receive the American Football Coaches' Association 2022 Amos Alonzo Stagg Award.

It goes to someone whose services have been outstanding in the advancement of the best interests in football.

It will be presented at the AFRCA convention in San Antonio. Tjeerdsma had a 242-82-4 record in his 27 seasons as head coach.

The Javelinas met Northwest in the 1998 NCAA Division II semifinals in Maryville, Mo., and dropped a 49-34 decision. Northwest won the national title.

The teams met again in 2004 in the second round of the playoffs in Maryville and the Bearcats took a 34-14 victory. Page 4 (Continued on Page 5)



Javelina head women's basketball coach Michael Madrid gives instructions during a timeout of the Javelinas' game with Western Oregon last week in the Steinke Center. The Javelinas will be at home Thursday for a non-conference game with Texas-Permian Basin and a Saturday non-league matchup with Angelo State.



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The squads played a regular-season game in 2010 in Maryville and the Javelinas took a 16-7 win.

ATHLETIC NEWS FROM other Texas colleges:

... The University of Houston is expected to announce the building of a state-of-the-art football building on campus.

It will include a plush locker room, team meeting areas, academic facilities, office space and more. It will be bigger than the \$25 million, 53,000-square-football Guy V. Lewis Center.

... The University of Texas and Dell Technologies have announced a multi-year relationship that establishes Dell as the official technology sponsor.

Dell will have promotional rights to co-brand with the Texas Longhorns logo at the Texas football stadium, the new Moody Center and through official digital and social media platforms.

... There are many rumors circulating about conference realignments. Two leagues in need of football-playing schools are the

Southland Conference and the Ohio Valley Conference. Several schools have bailed out of both conferences.

Apparently, the Southland and OVC have plans for a football scheduling alliance in 2022 and 2023.

One report said the two conferences may merge.

The Southland has seven football-playing schools in 2022. The OVC isn't settled as to which football schools will still be in the league at the start of 2022.

One website said that OVC is talking with Northwestern Louisiana and McNeese (La.) State as well as NCAA Division II schools Grand Valley (Mich.) State, Southern Indiana, West Florida and West Georgia.

Officials from Grand Valley have said numerous times that it wants to remain in Division II where all of its teams can compete for a national championship each year.

Three LSC Teams in D2SIDA Poll

Three Lone Star Conference teams are ranked in the NCAA **Division II South Central Region** men's basketball poll released by D2 Sports Information Directors of America.

> NCAA Division II Men's Basketball Poll Released by **D2** Sports Information **Directors of America**

Team Rank

- Lubbock Christian 1.
- 2. Northwest Missouri
- 3. Indiana (Pa.)
- 4. Queens (N.C.)
- 5.
- West Texas A&M
- California State-Chico 6. 7.
- Ferris (Mich.) State

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- 8. Embry-Riddle (Fla.)
- 9. Mercyhurst (Pa.)
- 10. Fairmont (W. Va.) State
- 11. Nova Southeastern (Fla.)
- 12. Cal State-San Bernardino 13.
 - Dominican (N.Y.) West Liberty (W. Va.)
- 14. 15. Hillsdale (Mich.)
- 16. Lincoln Memorial (Tenn.)
- 17. Minnesota-Duluth
- Union (Tenn.) 18.
- Augustana (S.D.) 19.
- 20. Grand Valley (Mich.) State
- 21. Angelo State
- 22. Cal State-San Marcos
- 23. Augusta (Ga.)
- 24. Stonehill (Mass.)
- 25. Minnesota State
- (Bold-faced teams are in the Lone Star Conference)

19 To Receive for Volleyball Letters

Nineteen members of the Texas A&M-Kingsville indoor volleyball team have been recommended for letters by head coach Tanya Allen.

Three are receiving fourth letters:

...Kailey Estrada, 6-0 senior middle blocker from San Antonio (Reagan).

...Nicole Murff, 5-7 junior defensive specialist from San Antonio (Antonian Prep).

... Alexa Ruiz, 5-3 senior defensive specialist from San Antonio (Clemens).

Lettering for a third time are: ... Tammy Jo Grohman, 6-0 junior middle blocker from San

Antonio (St. Anthony). ...Kelsi Luckenbach, 5-8

senior outside hitter from Corpus Christi (Tuloso-Midway).

... Meghan Merlino, 5-10 senior outside hitter from Sacramento, Calif.

...Jordan Schenkel, 5-6 junior defensive specialist from San Antonio (O'Connor).

Receiving second letters are: ...Julianna Chavez, 5-10 sophomore right side from San

D2 Volleyball Playoffs Open

The NCAA Division II South Central Region volleyball playoffs are this weekend in Denver, Colo.

Three Lone Star Conference teams are in the field of eight.

Angelo State meets Regis (Colo.) in the quarterfinals Thursday, West Texas A&M plays Colorado Mines and Texas-Tyler takes on Colorado-Mesa.

The semifinals are Friday and the championship Saturday.

Metro (Colo.) State is the top regional seed and host of the tournament.

The regional winner advances into the NCAA Division II Elite Eight Dec. 9-11 in Tampa, Fla.



Antonio (Johnson). ...Bryce Earl, 6-0 sophomore middle blocker from Houston (Cypress Ridge).

... Ayanna Jackson, 5-9 sophomore middle blocker from San Antonio (Harlan).

...Allison Stachowiak, 5-11 sophomore middle blocker from Brownsville (St. Joseph).

... Madeleine Stolzer, 5-6 sophomore setter from San Antonio (Reagan).

... Emily Witt, 6-0 senior setter from Rose Hill, Kan.

Lettering for the first time are:

...Jackie Alanis, 5-9 sophomore outside hitter from McAllen (Rowe).

...Mia Delgado, 5-4 freshman defensive specialist from Corpus Christi (Carroll).

...Ryann Eli, 6-0 freshman outside hitter from Tomball (Concordia Lutheran).

... Samantha Hensley, 5-7 freshman defensive specialist from La Vernia.

...Kapri Pelle, 5-11 senior right side from Auburn, Calif.Sydney Whitmire, 5-8 freshman setter from Tarkington.

Darrell Green is one of the all-time best Javelina athletes, and NAIA and NCAA Division II athletes, in football and track & field. Green is a member of the Pro Football Hall of Fame, NCAA Division II Football Hall of Fame, College Football Hall of Fame, Texas Sports Hall of Fame, Javelina Hall of Fame, Houston Independent School District Sports Hall of Fame and is in the Washington Ring of Fame. His times in the sprints rank among the all-time best in the NAIA, NCAA Division II and Lone Star Conference.

Jones, Mickens IBC Athletes of the Week

Texas A&M-Kingsville basketball players Marcus Jones and Anastacia Mickens are the IBC Bank athletes of the week.

They are recognized for their performances in last week's games.

Jones, 6-3 freshman guard from Cheneyville, La., had two steals and a blocked shot in a win over Arkansas Tech.

He scored 15 points, had four rebounds and two steals in a win over Missouri Baptist.

Mickens, 6-0 senior forward from Beaumont (Central), had 24 points, eight rebounds, four steals and a block in a win over Western Oregon.

She had five rebounds and

two blocked shots in a game with Minnesota State and capped off the week's play with eight points and seven rebounds in a win over East Central Oklahoma.

Jones and Mickens are recognized for the first time this year.

IBC Bank Athletes of the Week *Aug. 30-Sept. 5*

Kirkland Joseph, football Nicole Murff, indoor volleyball Sept. 6-12

Cameron Cauthen, football Milou Ter Morsche, tennis Sept. 13-19 Jacob Clarkson, football Jackie Alanis, indoor volleyball



Tre Flowers, 6-2 senior guard from Bryan (A&M Consolidated), received recognition from the Lone Star Conference this week for his performances in the Javelinas' two victories last week. Page 6

Sept. 20-26 Christian Anderson, football Nicole Murff, indoor volleyball Sept. 27-Oct. 5 No male honoree Fahtima Avila, golf Oct. 6-11 Cody Fountain, cross country Emily Witt, indoor volleyball Oct. 12-16 Shane Johnson Jr., football Ayanna Jackson, indoor volleyball Oct. 17-23 Zadock Dinkelmann, football Odette Fernandez, cross country Oct. 24-30 Ryan Martinez, football Ayanna Jackson, indoor volleyball Oct. 31-Nov. 6 Gilbert Garza, football Emily Witt, indoor volleyball Nov. 7 – 13 Derek Luna, basketball Ayanna Jackson, indoor volleyball Nov. 14-20 C.J. Smith, basketball

Georgia Ohiaeri, basketball Nov. 21-29 Marcus Jones, basketball

Anastacia Mickens, basketball

Mickens Gets LSC Recognition

Texas A&M-Kingsville basketball player Anastacia Mickens was recognized by the Lone Star Conference for her performances last week.

Mickens, 6-0 senior forward from Beaumont (Central), had 24 points, eight rebounds, four steals and a block in a win over Western Oregon.

She had five rebounds and two blocked shots in a game with Minnesota State and capped off the week's play with eight points and seven rebounds in a win over East Central Oklahoma.

Javelinas



Georgia Ohiaeri, 6-0 sophomore forward from Las Vegas, Nev., puts up a layup against Western Oregon last week in the Steinke Center.



LONE STAR CONFERENCE 90TH ANNIVERSARY



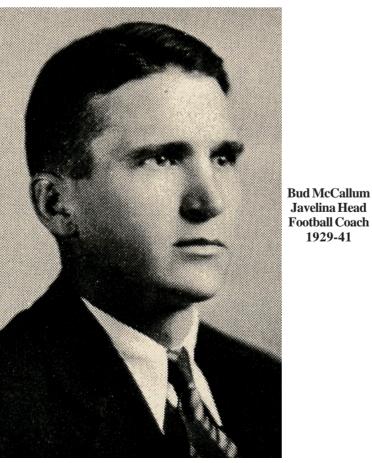
1929-41

The 1931 football team won the first conference championship for the Javelinas, taking the Texas Intercollegiate Athletic Association title. Left to right are, front row, Albert Cox, Lawrence Allen, Vernon Couch, Morris Roper, Walter Reed, M.A. Smith, Lloyd Lee, Martin Hodgkiss and W.L. Harbin; second row, Gerald Fry, Dick Kercheville, Joe D. McCauley, Frank Allen, Calvin Hibler, William Morris, Eggleston Ramee, Guy Grissom, Robert Rich and Harbin Harrison, and top row, assistant coach Cal Jewett, Harlan, T.W. Moon, Roy Kneip, Harman Teel, Reed Parker, Basil Philliber, Earl Hutchison, John Rogers, Ike Smith and head coach Bud McCallum.

1931 Football Team Won First League Title

(Continued from Page 1) Daniel Baker, McMurry, Southwest Texas, Sam Houston State and North Texas State Teachers (now the University of North Texas).

> 1931 Javelina Varsity Football Team Frank Allen, halfback Lawrence Allen, center Vernon Couch, fullback Albert Cox, halfback Gerald Fry, guard Guy Grissom, fullback W.L. Harbin, halfback Calvin Hibler, tackle Martin Hodgkiss, tackle Dick Kercheville, quarterback Roy Kneip, end Lloyd Lee, tackle Joe D. McCauley, guard William Morris, end Basil Philliber, halfback Eggleston Ramee, guard Walter Reed, quarterback Robert Rich, end Morris Roper, tackle M.A. Smith, guard Harmon Teel, end



Javelina Highlights Presented By



Javelina Battalion Army ROTC

Three Women's Tennis Players Ranked

The Texas A&M-Kingsville doubles team of Alessa Maier and Raina Zaffar are ranked No. 5 in the NCAA Division II South Central Region listings released by the Intercollegiate Tennis Association last week.

Maier is a sophomore from Hechingen, Germany, and Zaffar is a sophomore from Guwahati, India.

In singles, Milou Ter Morsche, sophomore from Goor, Netherlands, is ranked No. 13 and Maier is No. 16.

The rankings are based on the showings of the players in the regional tournaments this fall.

NCAA Division II Women's **Tennis Rankings**

Released by the Intercollegiate Tennis Association

- Singles Individual, school Rank
 - Maria Garcia, St. Mary's
- 1. 2. Taylor Leslie, Dallas Baptist
- 3. Dianela Rodriguez, Angelo State
- 4. Valentina Gonzalez, Angelo State
- 5. Ashley Penshorn, St. Mary's
- 6. Marina Vigil, St. Mary's
- 7. Hannah Yip, Midwestern State
- 8. Julianna Garcia, Cameron 9. Anda Ghinga, Midwestern State
- 10. Grace Gaskins, Dallas Baptist Caroline Hudson, Dallas

- 12. Brooklyn Ross, Texas-Tyler 13. Milou Ter Morsche, Texas A&M-Kingsville
- 14. Ena Ovcina, Angelo State
- 15. Leony Deutschmann, Texas-Tyler

16. Alessa Maier, Texas A&M-Kingsville

- Ramitha Irrinki, Angelo State 17
- 18. Magda Wawrowska, Cameron
- 19. Kyndall Quiroz, Midwestern
- State
 - 20. Emilija Visic, Midwestern State

Doubles

Individuals, school Rank Ena Ovcina/Valentine 1.

Gonzalez, Angelo State

2. Ayda Guler/Ramitha Irrinki, Angelo State

- 3. Chloe Dix/Gaini Ibrasheva, Texas-Tyler
- 4. Karolina Glowinska/Vasilisa Polunova, Cameron

Alessa Maier/Raina Zaffar, 5. Texas A&M-Kingsville

6. Taylor Leslie/Caroline

Hudson, Dallas Baptist Ashley Penshorn/Marina 7.

Vigil, St. Mary's

- Maria Garcia/Angela Vargas, 8. St. Mary's
- 9. Anda Ghinga/Kyndall Quiroz, Midwestern State 10. Brooklyn Ross/Tanvikhaa

Saravanan, Texas-Tyler

NCAA Division II Women's **Basketball Poll** Released by the Women's

Rank Team

- 2. Lubbock Christian
- 3. Drury (Mo.)
- 4. North Georgia
- 5. Texas A&M-Commerce
- 6. Lander (Fla.)
- 7. Gannon (Pa.)
- 8. Alaska-Anchorage
- 9. Glenville (W. Va.) State
- 10. Indiana (Pa.)
- 11. Ashland (Ohio)
- 12. Azusa Pacific (Calif.)
- 13. Grand Valley (Mich.) State
- 14. Western Washington
- 15. Tampa (Fla.)
- 16. Lee (Tenn.) (Bold-faced teams are in the Lone Star Conference)



Anastacia Mickens, 6-0 senior forward from Beaumont (Central), gets fouled by a Western Oregon defender in a game last week in the Steinke Center.

2021-22 Javelina Men's & Women's **Indoor Track & Field Schedule**

Dec. 3-4 - Boo Rogers Invitational in Pittsburg, Kan. (Pittsburg State host).

Dec. 11 - FasTrak Collegiate Opener in Houston.

Jan. 14 - Texas A&M Ted Nelson Invitational in College Station (Texas A&M host).

- Jan. 21-22 FasTrak Collegiate Challenge in Houston.
- Jan. 28-29 Washburn Open in Topeka, Kan. (Washburn host).
- Feb. 19 FasTrak College Open Qualifier in Houston.

Feb. 26-27 - Lone Star Conference Championships in Lubbock (Texas Tech host).

March 11-12 – NCAA Division II Championships in Pittsburg, Kan. (Pittsburg State host).

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Central Washington Wildcats Midwestern State Mustangs Simon Fraser Clan **Texas-Permian Basin Falcons**

Western New Mexico Mustangs Western Oregon Wolves

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- 11. **Baptist** 2022 Lone Star

Conference Football Lineup

Angelo State Rams Eastern New Mexico Greyhounds Texas A&M-Kingsville Javelinas West Texas A&M Buffaloes

Basketball Coaches Association

1. Fort Hays (Kan.) State



Brianna Pena, 5-9 junior guard from Weslaco, leads the Javelina women's scoring with a 10.5 per-game average. She played in her first games of the season last week in San Antonio.

Three LSC Teams in NABC Men's Basketball Rankings

Three Lone Star Conference teams are ranked in the NCAA Division II men's basketball poll released by the National Association of Basketball Coaches this week.

The three are in the top 12. Lubbock Christian is No. 1, West Texas A&M No. 5 and Angelo State No. 12.

Dallas Baptist received votes but didn't make the top 25.

NCAA Division II Men's **Basketball Poll Released by the National** Association of Basketball Coaches

Team Rank

- Lubbock Christian 1.
- Northwest Missouri 2.
- 3. Mercyhurst (Pa.)
- Queens (N.C.) 4.
- 5. West Texas A&M
- 6. Nova Southeastern (Fla.)

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- 7. Indiana (Pa.)
- 8. California State (Chico
- Fairmont (W. Va.) State 9.
- 10. Augusta (Fla.)
- 11. Cal State-San Bernardino
- 12. Angelo State
- 13. Grand Valley (Mich.) State
- West Liberty (W. Va.) 14.
- 15. Lincoln Memorial (Tenn.)
- 16. Hillsdale (Mich.)
- 17. Minnesota State
- 18. Embry-Riddle (Fla.)
- 19. Upper Iowa
- 20. Truman (Mo.) State
- 21. California Poly-Pomona
- 22. Barry (Fla.)
- 23. Ferris (Mich.) State
- 24. Dominican (III.
- Miles (Ala.) 25.
- Other teams receiving votes includes Texas A&M

International.

(Bold-faced teams are in the Lone Star Conference)

Men's Basketball No. 8 in Region Poll Colorado-Colorado Springs

West Texas A&M

Metro (Colo.) State

Texas A&M International

Angelo State

Colorado-Mesa

Texas-Tyler

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The Texas A&M-Kingsville men's basketball team is ranked No. 8 in this week's NCAA **Division II South Central Region** poll released by D2 Sports Information Directors of America.

The Javelinas are one of seven Lone Star Conference teams in the regional top 10.

Lubbock Christian is No. 1, West Texas A&M No. 2, Angelo State No. 3, Texas A&M International No. 6, Texas-Tyler No. 7, the Javelinas No. 8 and Dallas Baptist No. 10.

Texas A&M-Commerce and St. Edward's received votes but didn't make the top 10.

NCAA Division II South Central **Region Men's Basketball Poll** Released by **D2** Sports Information

Directors of America Team Rank

1. Lubbock Christian

Flowers, Jones **Receive LSC** Recognition

Texas A&M-Kingsville basketball players Tre Flowers and Marcus Jones were recognized by the Lone Star Conference for their performances last week.

Flowers, 6-2 senior guard from Bryan (A&M Consolidated), averaged 10 points a game in two Javelina victories.

Jones, 6-3 freshman guard from Cheneyville, La., had two steals and a blocked shot in a win over Arkansas Tech.

He scored 15 points, had four rebounds and two steals in a win over Missouri Baptist.



Lone Star Conference) Texas A&M-Kingsville

2022 Javelina Softball Schedule

10. Dallas Baptist

and St. Edward's.

Other teams receiving votes

(Bold-faced teams are in the

includes Texas A&M-Commerce

- Feb. 4 Arkansas Tech Invitational in Houston. vs. Harding (Ark.), 11 a.m. vs. Colorado Mines, 1:15 a.m.
- Feb. 5 Arkansas Tech Invitational in Houston. vs. Rogers (Okla.) State, 1:15 p.m. vs. Southern Nazarene (Okla.), 3:30 p.m.
- Feb. 6 Arkansas Tech Invitational in Houston. vs. Central Missouri, 1:15 p.m.
 - vs. Southeastern Oklahoma, 3:30 p.m.
- Feb. 11 Portland Tournament in Portland. vs. Ouachita Baptist (Ark.), 4:30 p.m.
- Feb. 12 Portland Tournament in Portland vs. Hillsdale (Mich.), 3 p.m.
- Feb. 13 Portland Tournament in Portland. vs. Hillsdale, 10 a.m.
 - vs. Henderson (Ark.) State, 12:30 p.m.
- Feb. 19 Henderson State Tournament in Arkadelphia, Ark. vs. Drury (Mo.), 11 a.m.
 - vs. Henderson (Ark.) State, 1 p.m.
- Feb. 20 Henderson State Tournament in Arkadelphia, Ark. vs. Christian Brothers (Tenn.), 11 a.m.
- vs. Ouachita Baptist (Ark.), 1 p.m.
- Feb. 21 Henderson State Tournament in Arkadelphia, Ark. vs. Henderson State, 2 p.m.
- Feb. 22 Southern Arkansas in Magnolia (dh), 2 p.m.
- Feb. 26 Texas A&M International in Kingsville (dh), 2 p.m.
- March 4 *St. Edward's in Austin (dh), noon.
- March 5 St. Edward's in Austin, noon.
- March 6 *St. Mary's in San Antonia (dh), 1 p.m.
- March 11 *Cameron in Kingsville (dh), 4 p.m.
- March 13 *Oklahoma Christian in Kingsville (dh), noon.
- March 18 *Eastern New Mexico in Portales, N.M. (dh), TBA.
- March 20 *West Texas A&M in Canyon (dh), TBA.
- March 25 *Texas-Permian Basin in Kingsville (dh), 4 p.m.
- March 27 *Western New Mexico in Kingsville (dh), noon.

March 29 – Texas A&M-San Antonio in Kingsville (dh), 4 p.m.

- April 1 *Texas-Tyler in Tyler (dh), TBA.
- April 3 *Texas A&M-Commerce in Commerce (dh), TBA.
- April 8 *Lubbock Christian in Kingsville (dh), 4 p.m.
- April 10 *Angelo State in Kingsville (dh), noon.
- April 14 St. Mary's in Kingsville (dh), 4 p.m.
- April 22 *Midwestern State in Wichita Falls (dh), 3 p.m.
- April 24 *Texas Woman's in Denton (dh), TBA.
- April 30 *Texas A&M International in Laredo (dh), 1 p.m.

May 5-7 - Lone Star Conference Championships at site of No. 1

May 26-30 - NCAA Division II Championships in Denver, Colo. *Lone Star Conference games. (dh) doubleheaders.

Javelina Hall of Fame Tickets on Sale

Ticket sales for the 2021 Javelina Hall of Fame banquet go on sale today.

The banquet is Feb. 18 in the Memorial Student Union Building ballrooms.

Tickets will be sold until Feb. 4 and no walk-up tickets will be available at the event.

Tickets can be purchased at javelinaathletics.com/HOF and are \$50 per tickets. Tables of eight are available for \$350.

The 2021 induction class is Don Pittman, Kassie Rezza, Al Harris, Vivian Scholz and the 1995 baseball team.

Pittman was assistant coach under Javelina Hall of Famer member Ron Harms before he later coached at Albany State and Fort Valley State.

Rezza became the first Javelina softball player to be named first team All-America by the National Fastpitch Coaches Association in 2006 after she set a variety of school records.

She was named the Lone Star Conference South Division Player of the Year.

Harris was All-LSC for the football team and was drafted by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

He was traded to Green Bay where he had a 62-yard interception return for a touchdown to give the Packers a playoff win over Seattle.

Harris, now secondary coach for the Dallas Cowboys, was inducted into the Packers' Hall of Fame in 2020.

Scholz was a long-time athletic secretary and served as the Javelina Booster Club secretary.

She was with the athletic department from 1970 until her

passing in 2013. The 1995 baseball team

claimed the school's first-ever LSC title in the third year of the intercollegiate program.

The squad was nationally ranked.

The first Javelina Hall of Fame induction was in 1972 and is has been a model for many other college halls of fame in the years since.

11 Meets Scheduled for 2022 Men's, Women's Outdoor Track & Field Teams

The Texas A&M-Kingsville outdoor track and field schedule will have 11 meets this spring, and two of the events will be in Javelina Stadium.

The Javelinas will host the Cactus Cup meet April 15-16 and the Lone Star Conference Championships May 5-7.

The first meet will be the Trinity Invitational March 5 in San Antonio. 2022 Javelina Outdoor Track & Field Schedule

March 5 – Trinity Invitational in San Antonio. March 17-19 – Abilene Christian Invitational in Abilene. March 23-26 – Texas Relays in Austin. March 31-April 1 – Angelo State Multi-Event in San Angelo. April 2 – Angelo State Relays in San Angelo. April 8-9 – Miami Invitational in Miami, Fla.

April 15-16 – Cactus Cup in Kingsville.
April 23 – Rice Twilight in Houston.
April 30 – Texas A&M Alumni Muster in College Station.
May 5-7 – Lone Star Conference Championship in Kingsville.
May 14-15 – Last Chance Meet, TBA.
May 26-28 – NCAA Division II Championship in Allendale, Mich.



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Javelina Hall of Fame Weekend

Feb. 18-19, 2022 Induction Banquet 6 p.m. Feb. 18 Student Union Building Ballrooms

Inductees: Al Harris, Football Don Pittman, Football Coach Kassie Rezza, Softball Vivian Scholz, Meritorious 1995 Javelina Baseball Team

Tickets available Dec. 1 at www.javelinaathletics.com \$50 per person \$350 table of eight Banquet ticket sales close Feb. 4, 2022 No walk-up tickets will be available

Other Feb. 18-19 Weekend Events Saturday, Feb. 19 1 p.m. - Javelina baseball doubleheader vs. Texas-Tyler Nolan Ryan Field 2 p.m. - Javelina women's basketball vs. Texas Woman's, SPEC 4 p.m. - Javelina men's basketball vs. Dallas Baptist, SPEC



The Javelina cheerleaders carry banners to welcome the women's basketball team to the floor prior to a home game in the Steinke Center.

Angelo State Advances in Playoffs

Angelo State advanced into the quarterfinal round of the NCAA Division II football playoffs with a second round win over Nebraska-Kearney last weekend in San Angelo.

The Rams had beaten Minnesota-Duluth in the opening round. The Rams will play Colorado Mines in Golden, Colo., Saturday. The other quarterfinal pairings will have Northwest Missouri at Ferris (Mich.) State, Shepherd (W. Va.) at Kutztown (Pa.) and Bowie (Md.) State at Valdosta (Ga.) State.

All are on Saturday.

The semifinals will be Dec. 11 at the highest seeded teams and the championship game is Dec. 18 in McKinney.

2021-22 Javelina Women's Basketball Schedule

Dec. 2 - Texas-Permian Basin in Kingsville, 5:30 p.m. Dec. 4 - Angelo State in Kingsville, 2 p.m. Dec. 18 - St. Edward's in Austin, 2 p.m. Dec. 20 - St. Mary's in San Antonio, 2 p.m Dec. 31 - *Lubbock Christian in Kingsville, 2 p.m. Jan. 2 - *Eastern New Mexico in Kingsville, 2 p.m. Jan. 5 - *Texas A&M International in Kingsville, 2 p.m. Jan. 7 - *Western New Mexico in Silver City, N.M., 6:30 p.m. Jan. 13 - Texas A&M International in Laredo, 5:30 p.m. Jan. 20 - *Arkansas-Fort Smith in Kingsville, 5:30 p.m. Jan. 22 - *Oklahoma Christian in Kingsville, 2 p.m. Jan. 27 - *Texas A&M-Commerce in Commerce, 5:30 p.m. Jan. 29 - *Texas-Tyler in Tyler, 2 p.m. Feb. 3 - *St. Edward's in Kingsville, 5:30 p.m. Feb. 5 - *St. Mary's in Kingsville, 2 p.m. Feb. 10 - *Angelo State in San Angelo, 5:30 p.m. Feb. 12 - *Texas-Permian Basin in Odessa, 2 p.m. Feb. 17 - *Midwestern State in Kingsville, 5:30 p.m. Feb. 19 - *Texas Woman's in Kingsville, 2 p.m. Feb. 24 - *West Texas A&M in Canyon, 5:30 p.m. Feb. 26 - *Cameron in Lawton, Okla., 2 p.m. March 3-6 - Lone Star Conference Tournament a site of No. 1 seed. March 11-14 - NCAA Division II South Central Region Tournament at site of No. 1 seed.

March 22-25 – NCAA Division II Elite Eight in Birmingham, Ala.



Dayante McClellan, 6-6 senior forward from Austin (Del Valle), leads the Javelina rebounding with 6.8 a game.

2020-21 Javelina Men's Basketball Schedule

Dec. 2 - Texas-Permian Basin in Kingsville, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 4 - Angelo State in Kingsville, 4 p.m. Dec. 18 - St. Edward's in Austin, 4 p.m. Dec. 20 - St. Mary's in San Antonio, 4 p.m. Dec. 31 - *Lubbock Christian in Kingsville, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 2 - *Eastern New Mexico in Kingsville, 4 p.m. Jan. 5 - *Texas A&M International in Kingsville, 3 p.m. Jan. 7 - *Western New Mexico in Silver City, N.M., 8 p.m. Jan. 13 - Texas A&M International in Laredo, 7 p.m. Jan. 20 - *Arkansas-Fort Smith in Kingsville, 7:30 p.m. Jan. 22 - *Oklahoma Christian in Kingsville, 4 p.m. Jan. 27 - *Texas A&M-Commerce in Commerce, 7 p.m. Jan. 29 - *Texas-Tyler in Tyler, 4 p.m. Feb. 3 - *St. Edward's in Kingsville, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 5 - *St. Mary's in Kingsville, 4 p.m. Feb. 10 - *Angelo State in San Angelo, 7 p.m. Feb. 12 - *Texas-Permian Basin in Odessa, 4 p.m. Feb. 17 - *Midwestern State in Kingsville, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 19 - *Dallas Baptist in Kingsville, 4 p.m. Feb. 24 - *West Texas A&M in Canyon, 7 p.m. Feb. 26 - *Cameron in Lawton, Okla. 4 p.m. March 3-6 - Lone Star Conference Tournament at No. 1 seed. March 12-15 - NCAA Division II South Central Region playoffs at

No. 1 seed.

March 23-26 – NCAA Division II Elite Eight in Evansville, Ind. *Lone Star Conference games.

