by kalley deunger $\begin{array}{ll}\text { staff Reporter } & \begin{array}{l}\text { been } 14 \text { instances where } \\ \text { valuables have been stolen Abster being questioned }\end{array} \\ \text { A student }\end{array}$ A student, caught in the University Recreation at the dmitted to 14 prior Center, dmitted to 14 prior thefts the building since Aug. 23, TCU Potice said. CU Police said.
Since the begin. 23 , Ham said a group of crime until charges are filed,
people in the weight room Ham said. Since the beginning of the caught the suspect stealing Ham said. academic year, there have items from a compartment at ments at the south end
 FEATURES

## Student caught stealing, admits to Rec Center thefts

SERIES
Former SGA chief of staff's actions questioned

By ERICK MOEN
Staff Reporter Staff Reporter
The student fee is $\$ 4$ higher than it was in 2005 because
of one man, an adviser to SGA said. said none of former SGA member Sebastian Moleski's actions
were illegal or against the SGA constitution, but Markley said constutution, but Markey said them.
The SGA approved the bills
written by Moleski because "he written by Moleski because "he
was a strong force," Markley was a strong force, Markley
said.
Some of these actions included the wording of the bill that raised the student fee and locked Student Activities Funding Board.
Markley said Moleski worked closely with then SGA President Dave Watson on several
initiatives, one being the bill in initiatives, one being the bill in
November 2005 that raised the student fee $\$ 4$.
Watson appointed Moleski as Watson appointed Moleski as
chief of staff after Watson defeated him in the 2004 SGA presidential race, Markley said. called the chief of staff for Sebastian to take political pressure off himself," Markley said. Markley said this wasn't
against any SGA rules, but there against any SGA rules, but there was no appro precedent.
there was no
"He wasn't approved by the "He wasn't approved by the
House," Markley said. Watson, who graduated in
2006 with a bachelor's degree 2006 with a bachelor's degree ing for Gallup Polling in South Korea and was not available for comment. Moleski, who graduated in
2006 with a 2006 with a bachelor's degree pleting a master's degree at a university in Berlin, gave an email response. "The position was created in discussion between Dave and
myself," Moleski said in the mail. See SGA, page 2
 been 14 instances where about $12: 15$ p.m. Monday, person who reported hav- than $\$ 2,020$ worth of items, decause the suspect was $\begin{aligned} & \text { detained before beeng able to } \\ & \text { valuables have been stolen } \\ & \text { After being questioned, }\end{aligned}$
 he weight room in the of to each of the 14 thefts in basis whether to file crimibasis whether to file criminal charges or let the uni-
versity handle disciplinary versity handle disciplinary
action for the suspect. During the six months that the student said he has been
stealing items from the Rec stealing items from the Re
Center, he has accrued mor sought cash in each case. At said, the su
imes, cash was taken and the anything.
nan who answered the he storage compartment, Ham phone Tuesday at the Rec Center purses werer cases, wallets or said Rec Center officials would purses were taken with the cash not comment on the incide was later left behind. Police

Students can appreciate, learn during weeklong CelloFest

## By MICHELLE EUPERIO Staff Reporter

$\qquad$ Music-lovers will be able to
indulge in the first on-campu festival to feed their musical appetites during TCU Cel
lopest today through Friday lofest today through Friday The music department will host TCU Cellofest, a three-
day event that celebrates the day event that celebrates the
cello.
"I love the cello," said Belin-
da Viesca, a graduate student
and a teaching assistant who and a teaching assistant who
has played the cello for 17 has played the cello for 17 mation." Castro-Balbi said. "t years. "Its tone is closest to will be a world-class event touching t'sice, and it's very and an opportunity to hear of communication with no great artists right at home."
CelloFest will feature panet language barrier - just emo- discussions, book present tions and feelings." tions, workshops and master Jesus Castro-Balbi said he
has been preparibg has been preparing for Cel-
loFest since Fall 2005 .

Rise in minority applicants could usher in more diversity

By ERICK MOEN
Staf Reporter TCU has received more applications from minorities
this year than any other in this year than any other in
the history of the university, the chancellor universiing a staff assembly meeting ing a staff assembly meeting Tuesday.
Chancellor Victor Boschini said the university is hoping to translate this application pool into faces in the class-
room and increase the diverroom and increase the diver-
sity on campus.

Boschini also said appli- vice chancellor for Student
cants' SAT scores and class Affairs and head of IncluAffairs and head of Inclu-
siveness and Intercultural Affairs and head of Inclu- and need money," Boschini
siveness and Intercultural $\begin{aligned} & \text { said. } \\ & \text { Services. }\end{aligned}$ Boschini said the compreTurner said it's good to have a large applicant pool and to have more minorities making
it up, but said he hopes it will it up, but said he hopes it will
also bring more students from all over, not just different ethnic groups.
Boschini also mentioned Boschini also mentioned
some of the university's othsome of the university's oth-
er priorities during the meet-
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ing.

We have plenty of ideas
nd need money," Boschini Boschini said the comprehensive campaign to raise money for TCU has already Monday, $\$ 1$ million was donated to the Harris School Nursing. Turner said all of the donaions are helping people learn
ifferent complex fields and lifferent complex fields and
donors are helping to ensure dhat.

Mary Ruth Jones, administrative support assistant for
Residential Life, said the fundraising is helping with tuition payments.
Jones said tuition is high Jones said tuition is high,
but without these donations, it would be higher. John Householder, Staff Assembly chair, said TCU has an incredible opportunity for "It is the right place, right time for this university,"
Householder said Householder said.

Sorority honored by Commission for Women for volunteering, community service efforts

By DIA WALL
Staff Reporter The Fort Worth Commission for Women honored Alpha Chi Omega last night with the Out-
standing Young Women Who Volunteer Award.
Alpha Chi was selected because they're an example
who voluntere, said Dorothy mally the Wing, city staff liaison to
Commission for Women Ommission for Women.
"Alpha Chi made a commi nent for not just a single occasion but an extended period of time," Wing said.
This is the first This is the first time in the
$\begin{aligned} & \text { mally the committee honors } \\ & \text { individuals. }\end{aligned}$
with the award for servin its organization. within its organization.
Alpha Chi partnered with Alpha Chi partnered with
the Women's Center in 1999 the Women's Center in 1999
and is represented in numerous facets of the center. ous facets of the center,
Paula Fultz, Iota Lambda
chapter adviser, said members chapter adviser, said members
walk/run, do a diaper drive press release, Alpha Chi hosts and donate thousands of dia- a fashion show each year to
pers, wrap gifts at Christmas raise money for the Women's and work the rape hotline. She Center. also said all of the chapter's This year, the March 4 fash144 members volunteer at the ion show raised more than Women's Center and collec- $\$ 40,000$, of which more than tively accumulate more than $\$ 20,000$ will be donated to the $\begin{array}{ll}\text { According to a February } & \text { center, Fultz said. } \\ \text { See AXO, page 2 }\end{array}$
SGA
From page 1
In the e-mail, Moleski said
it was true the position was
created specifically for him
but did not elaborate fur-
ther.
These actions, which
occurred in spring 2005,
included rewriting the consti-
tution and altering the strue-
ture of the offices so there
would only be a president, vice
president and treasurer, doing
away with the vice president of
the House and secretary.

CELLO
Students had to audition for Students had to aditan
the master classes by performing two different pieces of cel-
lo music. lo music.
"This is a great opportunity to be taught by "masters of the art," "Viesca said. "I am
so excited to spend that much time with the artist and to learn by watching others play." The Wednesday evening concert, "TCU Strings," will
howease the TCU String showease the TCU String
Orchestra and Cello Ensemble composed of 12 students. Paculty will also perform. CelloFest will also inte-
grate the new Texas Cello

## AXO

The Alpha Chi Foundation or Educational Programs pri narily focused on the preven the Alliance for Children will also receive donations of more also receive do.
The Fort Worth Commis- o a newly created position,
the speaker of the House of Representatives, while the Recretary's duties were given
ser to the vice president, Moleski
said in e-mail. Moleski was named the on Oct. 25, 2005, when a majority two-thirds vote
was in favor of him but said was in favor of him but said he resig
office. office.
"When I applied for (posi-
tions in SGA) I did so tions in SGA), I did so because
I thought that I could make

Society onto campus and premiere the new release
of the Lin/Castro-Balbi Duo of the Lin/Castro-Balbi Duo
compact disc, Castro-Balhi said.
CelloFest will conclude with
CelloFest will conclude with a concert by the Grammy-nominated "The Yale Cellos" who
have performed in France England, Korea and twice at Earnegie Hall in New York. Casey Carruth, a junior music education major, said he wishes the festival would
last throughout the week last throughout the week
end. "I love music, it's my passion," Carruth said. "Cello music is beautiful, and any
way to get involved with music way to get involved with music
is just wonderful." sion for Women was estab-
lished by the City Council in 1983 to act as an adviser to the Council, and to study
important women's issues in important women's issues in
the community. the community.
Yesterday's took place at the city council chambers, where a proclamation and the award were
presented.

The duties of the vice presi- a difference for the student e-mail, "I wouldn't be sur-
dent of the House were given body," Moleski said "There prised if most of all (SGNs
dent of the House were given body," Moleski said. "There prised if most of all (SGA's)
to a newly created position, were almost always other rules and regulations were
were " Moleski said. "There prised if most of all (SGA's) ad
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love having power;' I loved ly opposed Moleski on a bill love having power;'; I loved ly opposed Moleski on a bill
proposing ideas to problems altering the way elections proposing ideas to problems alering the way elections
SGA and the student body were held but was unable to
faced, supporting them with block him. aced, supporting them with good preparation and sound arguments, deliberating and on what defined acceptable changing them when others legislation, I basically had no
found flaws, and seeing them ground to stand on except found flaws, and seeing them
happen." ground to stand on except
Thood moral backing." Guidry Thomas Guidry, a former good moral backing in the e-mail.
were discouraged by isers, Markley said.

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esign wis asked to resign his post as director
of finance for Programming Markley said Moleski of finance for Programming
Council in fall 2005 because frequently scheduled meet- of managing SGA funds in ing so they could not be his personal account for in attendance to offer their matters pertaining to Famguidance. ily Weekend. Moleski responded in an e-
mail saying he did not resent ly with watson during his mail saying he did not resent ly with Watson during his
he advisers or hold meetings time in office, and Watson without their input. originally campaigned fo "I've valued advisers being raising the student fee. at meetings because they
possess a great deal of expe- more about why Watso
wanted the increase and how possess a great deal of expe- wonted the increase and how hir
rience that they can bring iried to persuade tudents to oote rience that they can bring
into the discussion," MolesInied to persuade suadents to vowe
yes to Molestis bill tomorrow in the
third part of this four part series.

## Atkins diet proven best in yearlong study

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$\qquad$ FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla. - Forget the carbs, and go for the steak, chicken a yearlong study of four popular diet programs found that the Atkins diet - a low-carbohydrate, high-protein,
high-fat plan - had the best overall high-fat plan - had the best overall
results. Women on the diet lost more weight, had lower blood pressure and improved their cholesterol profiles more than the women using any of the other three
diet programs, according to research diet programs, according to research
published in Wednesday's issue of the published in Wednesday's issue of the
Journal of the American Medical Association.

Researchers said that they tackled
diter the comparison study because of the
obesity epidemic in this country, its obesity epidemic in this country, its
health consequences and costs, and because not enough evidence was available to help consumers evaluate the different approaches to los-
ing weight. ate the differ
ing weight.
Christophe
Christopher Gardner, assistant pro-
fessor of medicine at Stanford ressor of medicine at Stanford Uni-
versity's Prevention Research Center, who led the study, said many health professionals have been skeptical of
low-carb diets, "But it (the Atkins diet)
seems to be a vable antrnative for pounds a weel, said Susan Burke, of Boca Raton, Fla., a registered dieti-
The 311 women who participated in The 311 women who participated in tian and spokeswoman for the Florida
the study were mostly in their 40 s and
Dietetic Association. overweight, and none were experienc- "But all diets work. It doesn't really ing any other major heatth problem. matter which program you're using.
They were randomly assigned to one. When you reduce your calories and They were randomly assigned to one When you reduce your calories and of the plans: the Ornish diet based on get more exercise, you lose weight,"
the best-selling book Eat More, Weigh Burke said. "Atkins might have had he best-selling book Eat More, Weigh Burke said. "Atkins might have had
Less, by California cardiologist Dean the best results, but I'd like to see Ornish; the Barry Sears Zone diet, what would happen a year from now, which prescribes a blend of carbohy- or two years from now. drates, proteins and fats; the LEARN Those in the Atkins group lost the Lifestyle, Exercise, Attitudes, Rela- most during the first six months, with tionships and Nutrition) diet based on an average loss of 13 pounds, but they
national dietary guidelines; and the also gained back more weight in the Atkins plan, based on Dr. Robert C. second half of the study, ending the Atkins book, New Diet Revolution. All the plans included increased physical activity of some kind.
At the end of the year, the 77 women At the end of the year, the 77 women
assigned to the Atkins group had lost an average of 10.4 pounds. Women on LEARN lost 5.7 pounds; Ornish, 4.8
pounds; and the Zone, 3.5 pounds. Some women in each of the groups lost as much as 30 pounds while on the diets.
"I don't know why they lost more on Atkins, but it could be that you have low-carb diets. "But it (the Atkins diet) Atkins, and then continue at about two
year at an average loss of 10.4 . Critics of the Atkins plan and other low-carb diets have worried that the high-fat, high-protein diet empha-
sized through the plan might lead to sized through the plan might lead to
health problems, but no such prob ems developed during the one-yea study. The researchers said the study was not long enough to identify any
potential long-term health problems potential long-term health problems may not get certain vitamins and min erals because they're not eating as much fruit and vegetables as allowed on the other diets.


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## ( Opinion

THE SKIFF VIEW
by brendan kiefer
Christian school curriculum needs more scrutiny

The NCAA prides itself on creating
scholar athletes and preparing the top standouts for careers in professional sports.
Schol
Scholar athletes. Let those words sink
in for a moment. Those elite few stu in for a moment. Those elite few stu-
dents who have been given the privile dents who have been given the privilege
to compete at the level of competition beyond high school have a gift, an honor and sense of integrity to uphold for their hometowns and colleges. In Tuesday's issue of The New York pointed out as not meeting "model" or "quality" status by the Accelerated Chrisian Education program. These schools, Lutheran Christian Academy in Philadelphia and Prince Avenue Prep in Pickens, pliance with NCAA by not meeting the specific curriculum requirements of the ACE.
These two prep schools were not giving an actual workload for the student

Popular knowledge of eating disorders should also encompass binge-eating

d gastrointestinal problems, according to the Mayo Foundation. These health concerns can be treated not
only on a physical level but also a mental level as these new studies show. The official diagnosis fo
binge eating is consumption of an excessive amou of food over a two-hour period that occurs as frequently (or more frequent1y) than twice a week for a period of six months,
according to D.S.M-IV. These people withdraw from social situations to hide their uncontrollable
eating habits. Along with eating habits. Along with
this eating spree comes feeling of guilt and a loss of control over eating. In the survey conducted by Harvard researchers, 79
percent of binge-eaters percent of binge-eaters
suffered from some other psychiatric diagnosis such as depression, substance abuse or phobias. Recognizing binge-eating
as a disorder will allow ple to get the kind of help ple to get the kind of help
they deserve. Psychological distress is what causes these people to overeat. People
with eating disorders could benefit from weight-maintenance programs, psycho-
therapy and drugs that the FDA has approved for mental disorders. These treat-
ments are available, but they
are not cheap. Classifying
binge-eating as a disorder binge-eating as a disorder
rather than a topic of interrather than a topic of inter-
est would allow for coverage est would allow for coverage
of such treatments on insur-
ance plans. This will make ance plans. This will make
significant changes in health significant changes in health
policy. Also, it would encourpolicy. Also, it would encour-
age the health community to age the health community to
find more solutions to combat this eating disorder. According to research done by the APA, eating disorders are the least treate
problems.
problems.
Eating disorders are a growing issue for those col-lege-aged individuals. A
poll sponsored by Global poll sponsored by Global
Market Insite measured Market Insite measured
eating disorders on col. lege campuses all over the country and found that a whopping 20 percent of students admit to having
an eating disorder of some an eating disorder of some
kind. Nearly 75 percent of those who had admitted to an eating disorder never received any treatment of any kind. Here is
some food for thought for some food for thought for
the APA: studies show sig. the ApA: studies show sig
nificant numbers of people with a problem with binge eating and the guilt
involved after overeating. involved after overeating.
So, binge eating should no So, binge eating should no
be considered a provisional $\frac{\text { category in the D.S.M. }}{\text { Haven Preman is merman }}$

SAT poor example of students' true talent

Every spring, hundreds
of thousands of high schoo seniors anxiously await the arrival of their college
acceptance letters. How. acceptance letters. How-
ever, if one did not receive COMMENTARY a favorable
piece of
 piece of
paper in the
mail, he or mail, he or
she might she might
be more apt to refer
to it as the dovichal soul-crush-
ing, spir-it-breaking,
kick-the-cat-i nto-the-far-thest-reaches-of-the-cos-mos-because-l-am-so-angry, my-life-is-over-and-now-ril-
have-to-work-inder have-to-work-in-a-McDon-
alds-o-gram." Ah, the sweet smell of teen angst. As the seniors destroy pub
lic property in ioy/des lic property in joy/despair over their admissions dec
sions, many high school sions, many high school
juniors are hard at work prejuniors are hard at work pre-
paring for the SAT. Just the mere mention of those three letters is enough to arouse a collective look of lemon-suck ing disgust about a test th
should be eliminated. Based on which college chooses, the SAT can either be a nonissue or a huge part of the admissions score. For
example. Allegheny College example, Allegheny College,
in Meadville, Pa, ranks SAT in Meadvile, Pa, ranks SAT
scores third on the list of mos important admissions factors. It's situated right behind the rigor of high school classes
and class rank. Interesting
enough, the off-touted extralifth, while the admission ssay and teacher recions dation rank seventh. SATs were supposed to be hue icing on the cake, not a huge chunk of the admissions filet. I guess Allegheny College would rather have a lity standardized test masers than people who are actively involved or who are well-loved by their peers and superiors. The SAT is just a
numeric value, not a gauge of numeric value, not a gauge of
someone's value to an institution. People who are involved and well-liked will go much further in life than someone
who can bubble in the right who can bubble in the righ
answer on a Scantron. People think that if they don't get into Smartypants Tech, their lives will be tat-
tered to shreds and they'll tered to shreds and they'II
be panhandling in Chicago e panhandling in Chicago dying unloved in a card-
board box behind a Denny So, they sign up for expensive test prep classes. A Kaplan review course costs
$\$ 1,899$ for a couple hundred 1,899 for a couple hundred
points higher on the test and points higher on the lest and a counselor. Just buy a prep Wook for $\$ 30$.
While the SAT is neither While the SAT is neither an
accurate barometer of some one's worth to a university nor deserving of all of the
monetary hoopla associated with it, it is not even an accu rate judgment of someone's
mental acuity. Sure, the point mental acuity. Sure, the point
a college is to nurture clev er young minds so they can go on to do something great. However, when trying to est
mate someone's potential for academic success, the four-
year high school-track record year high school-track record
is the only way to go. is the SAT is based on three hours of one's life. Maybe he had some bad tacos the nigh
before. Maybe those pesky neighbor kids kept him up all night with their hippie
pot party. Maybe brain slugs from Jupiter infested his certheir bidding, which didn't
include math problems and inctude math problems and
reating comprehension. Whatever it is, one's perfor-
mance on the SAT may not mance on the SAT may not
accurately reflect intelligence Whether a good student
who did below average on who did below average on
the test, or a poor student the test, or a poor student
that pulled off a good score, the SAT can really present a
false image of the applicant it is supposed to represent.
The SAT is undeserving of its high status in admissions circles. In the end, it is no
more than a representation of a student's talents at one
point in time. Basing any sorts of assumptions about a student off of it is ludicrous.
The SAT's position in college admissions barads should be
lowered significantly, if not altogether eliminated.

## Philadelphia ban on trans fat not precautionary enough


health. Moreover, removing
trans fat from the food sup-
ply could help reduce the
risk of heart disease.
Yet the current effort
threatens to overshatow the
bigger dietary picture.
Focusing on this single
ingredient misses the fact
that most of the items pre-
pared with trans fat are
junk foods to begin with.
Fried chicken, french fries,
chips, cookies and cakes are
unhealthy no matter what
type f fat is used. What
good is a trans-fatfree donut?
This reductionist
approach to nutrition has
encouraged such assurd
marketing hype as "zero
trans fat" Cheetos. Replac-
ing one ingredient does
not magically create health
food. Even without trans
fat, these highly processed
products remain devoid of
nutrition, high in calories
and fat, and chock full of
chemical additives.

| Ironically, some restau- | centerpiece of every meal. |
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| rants are substituting saturat- |  |
| ed fat, which highlights the problem isn't |  |


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in junk food sales.
But what if heal departments health departments and legisla-
tures began educating the public about the dangers of meat and dairy products, or processed food more gen-
erally? Then we would have to confront the sad truth eateries in New York City and thousands more in
Philly are still cloge Philly are still clogging
their patrons' arteries with king-size steaks, buckets of chicken, and tubs of ice
cream. The politics would be much more challeng. ing, of course. But if health
officials and politicians are officials and politicians are
serious about reducing our nation's epidemic of obe-
sity and diet-related dissity and diet-related dis-
eases, they won't stop with eases, the
trans fat. $\qquad$ trans fat.

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## 备Features

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Bonnie Frederick still teaches a Latin American Cuitures class after contracting a virus that left her with diabetes and Addison＇s disease．Frederick will resign as Spanish department chairwoman at the end of the school year．

# A Balancing Act 

Professor takes illness in stride，not held back by potential roadblocks

By Jenny robertson On Of Re first day，she
whirls into the classroom whiris into lec chassroon bright smile，her magnet－ ic personality summoning the students＇full attention． She enthusiastically reviews Ame syliabus with her Latin
Amere class． ＂One last thing，＂she says， the whimsical tone melting from her voice．＂If you get sick this semester，don＇t eve
think about showing up．＂ hink about showing up．＂
Bonnie Frederick is pushover．She gives the same matter－of－fact speech every first day of class，not because she is lax about attendance，but because it
could mean the difference between life and death－ hers．
SICK FOR LIFE
During a time when her father was severely ill， Frederick contracted an
aggressive virus while tak－ ing several flights home Arlington from Pullman， Wash．，where she served as
chair of Washington Stat University＇s foreign lan guage department．As her
father＇s body lost the bat father＇s body lost the bat tee against his iilness，Fred against itself，becoming its against itsetf，beco

The virus caused her once loyally steadfas organs as foreign，giving he message to attack
nd destroy．First， attacked her thyroid，and she gained 40 pounds in a few months．Then，th irus claimed her pan
creas，leaving her with diabetes．The virus＇final and most debilitating conquest was over her adr nal glands，causing her to ＂With Addison＇s disease
＂ my body doesn＇t naturally produce cortisol，which is a hormone that helps me deal
with stress properly，she with stress properly，＂she Any physical stress，includ－
ing catching a cold from ing catching a cold from a into crisis mode．Without immediate treatment，she
could die． could die． ＂Having a chronic medical
condition has done nothing for me spiritually，＂Frederick says，rolling her eyes．＂I＇m
the most independent per－ the most independent per son you＇ll ever meet，and
hate having to ask my moth－ er，who is 83 years old，to take care of me－I＇m sup－ posed to be the one taking care of her：＂
Frederick： Frederick＇s mother，Kitty
said it takes an awful illness before any help is requested before any help is requested．of this year．
＂We all know she＇s sick，but she makes you forget－none of us see her as a delicate person．

## Karla O＇Donald

TCU Professor

## 1 couple of years ago，Preder  Nu sho during a shortage of vaccinations Atera fruiless search，she caught the flu． ＂I called to see how she was doing，and she sounded terrible，＂Kitty recalls．＂She didn＇t want to ask for help didn＇t want to ask for help but，knowing her，I immedi－ ately said I＇d be right there； I didn＇t even stop to pick up pajamas．＂ Kitty admits that she Kitty admits that she still worries about her daughter especially when she travels abroad．With a chuckle，she adds，＂Bonnie made up her mind to live the way she wants，while still handling wants，while still handling her problems．I＇m so proud her problems．I＇m so proud <br> BALANCING ACT <br> After six years as chair of the Spanish department， rederick will step down from her position at the end of this year．

， huge latte and a sub－ plastic SMTWTFS Her of morning pills is in kitchen drawer along with her blood sugar monitor．Her insulin is in a bottle on a shelf in
the fridge． the fridge． Her second floor

Reed Hall office over looking a monster magnolia tree gives | evic |
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| ity | ＂We all know she＇s sick， but she makes you forget

－none of us see her as a delicate person，＂Professor Karla O＇Donald says．
As tears fill her eyes，she adds，＂Dr．Frederick deserves the break，but I can＇t help
but wonder：Who could pos sibly take her place？＂ ＂Work is only part of my identity，＂Frederick says． Maintaining balance in my
life is crucial，and it would life is crucial，and it would
be stupid of me not to give my illness its due atten． tion．＂
Balance means honoring a strict schedule of medi－ cation and taking extra
care to stay healthy，Yet care to stay healthy．Yet tasks，Frederick adds per－ tasks，Frederick adds per－
sonal flare．Every morning， she wakes up at $4: 30 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$ ． with no alarm and begins a
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ing when her blood sugar is ing when her blood sugar is
low．Underneath her mouse pad is a note explaining her medical condition and steps on how to take care of her if she is incapacitated by
an attack．Since her purse contains all of her medical necessities，it always sits near her feet． ＂These are my magic pills，＂she states，reach－
ing into the orange bottle abeled Hydrocortisone． This tiny littlecortisone． me from dying．＂ A fair chunk of Frederick＇s day is taken up by caring for herself．In addition to and checking medication
sugar levels，she exercises
nearly every day．Her per－ nearly every day．Her per－
sonal trainer at the Uni－ versity Recreation Center， Jeff Reader，works with her wice a week．
＂The trick is to make sure she doesn＇t get tired，＂ he says．＂It isn＇t a workout people，but for Bonnie，it takes a lot of effort．＂
He pauses for a momen and then adds，＂She gets frus trated sometimes because It is obvious that she doesn like being sick．
POSITIVE PERSPECTIVE Minimizing the emotional stant struggle．
＂Because I have to be self involved to stay healthy， is so tempting to give in to self－pity and depression，
she says solemnly．To com bat her deepest fear of＂liv－ ing a half－life in a teeny，tiny world，＂Frederick teaches travels，spends time with friends and family，gardens
writes and volunteers writes and volunteers at the
local food bank to keep her world big．
With a graceful wave of her hand and an air of deter mination，she declares；＂ things in life，but Im here


## BRING ON THE 'STANGS

Women to defend streak on SMU court

| Staff Writer | Mustangs tonight. |
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| The No. 26 women's ten- |  |
| These matches will be |  |
| nis team is riding a two- |  |
| game winning streak and |  |
| hotly contested as the SMUU, |  |
| TCU rivalry continues. |  |



Anna Sydorska serves in her doubles match against ole M.
No. 26 women's tennis team will visit No. 52 SMU today.

 Men to face strong rival
By MARCUS MURPHREE
Sports Eutor
 Following a shutout last
weekend at the hands of the No. 4 Baylor Bears in Waco, the men's tennis team will
face local rivals the No. 42 face local rivals the No. 42
SMU Mustangs this evening at they Bayard H. Friedman Tennis Center. Sophomore Kriegler Brink
managed managed to win the only set
against the Bears, but his against the Bears, but his
effort was to no avail as the No. 56 Horned Frogs were quickly outed.

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$$ courts, TCU has a chance to closer to drawing even in the closer to drawing even in the

season standings. The team is season standings. The team
currently $1-4$ this spring. On paper, the teams have a relatively close ranking, but head coach Dave Borelli said he thin
ter squad.

Golf team faces top-10 opponents
By AMBER PARCCHER
Features Editor
After coming off of a 10th-place finish this week at the USC Ashworth Intercollegiate, the men's golf team will face two top-10 conference opponents in an upcoming tourna ment in Austin.
The No. 28 Horned Frogs will take on the No. 8 University of Nevada-Las Young Cows and the No. 9 Brigham Young Cougars at the Morris Williams Intercollegiate on March 26.
Following the touney in Following the touney in Los
Angeles the Frogs are currently in third place in the Mountain West Conference.
BYU finished fifth in the same tournament. Top Cougar players
Nick Killpack and Daniel SumNick Killpack and Daniel Sum-
merhays placed sixth and 1 1th mernays placed sixth nad only
respectively, while TCU had one player finish in the top 20. Sophomore Jesse Speirs, who took the highest finish for the Horned
Frogs at 15th with an even-par in Progs at 15th with an even-par in
the final round, said the entire team the final round, said the entire team
needs to start placing higher in the tournaments.
Head coach
Head coach Bill Montigel agreed that for the team to be competitive all five players need to finish in the "That's why UNLV and BYU are ranked eighth and ninth - they play well," Montigel said.
The next highest placement came from sophomore Jon McLean,
who finished tied for 33 rd out 81 golfers.
But the Horned Frogs still have their sights set on a run at the conference title.
Montigel said BYU and UNLV will be tough, but not insur-
mountable competition for the conference title.
"They're awesome," Montigel said "For us to beat any one of those teams, we
lute best."


