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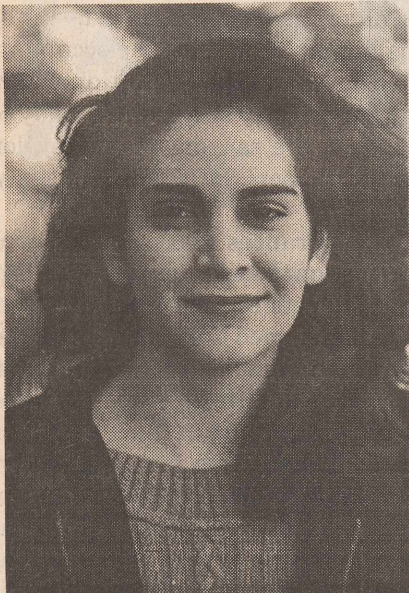


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Sagit Shlezinger

## From Israeli military to WTC campus

### Student notes cultural differences

By Jonathan Carroll  
Texan Staffer

"Most people think its always war," said Sagit Shlezinger about her native country of Israel.

"I lived in Israel for 20 years and never saw fighting, even as a soldier." She noted the only way she knew about the fighting was through reading the newspapers.

Sagit is a freshman at Western Texas this fall and a staff photographer for the Texan.

Her new beginning in the United States began in earnest approximately one year ago although she had previously visited America twice and had lived briefly as a teenager in Los Angeles.

She was born in Rishon-Le-Zion, a large city located about 10 miles from Tel-Aviv.

She graduated from Meckif Hey High School in 1993.

After graduation, Israeli citizens are given six months off before their man-

datory military serve begins. Sagit worked at an airport, selling cosmetics and electronics.

She then went for one month to Julis Military Base for basic training. She describes basic training as "strict", noting that their day began at 5 a.m. with running and calisthenics.

Following basic training, she was transferred to a Kyria Naval Base in Tel-Aviv.

The details of her duties in the military are vague because Sagit is not

allowed to talk about it. Regarding her military service she said "Even in 20 years I can't talk about it," adding, "My parents don't even know some of the things I did or saw."

She served at Kyria for one year working in an office, dealing with officer transfers.

Sagit was then transferred to a naval base in the city of Eilat.

In Eilat, she was a team leader of

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## Career Day set for SHS

By Mark Harrington  
Texan Staffer

Eighteen WTC professors will be resource speakers at Career Day activities Nov. 21 at Snyder High School.

Career Day, sponsored by the Snyder Rotary Club, is held every other year and is planned to provide career information for freshman, sophomore, junior and senior students at Snyder, Hermleigh and Ira High Schools.

Students can choose to attend up to three sessions, selecting from some 52 different career fields.

These sessions will be held during the morning and students are excused from class. A luncheon is planned also for all career day speakers.

WTC professors and their planned topics during these sessions are:

—Donny Brown, communications and TV/radio journalism.  
—Ty Brunson and Ben Sum, art.

—Don Buckland and Steve Tate, landscape and golf course.

—Britt Canada, computer programmer robotics.

—Mike Endy, drama, theater, actor and movie making.

—Bill Halbert, business administration management.

—Mike Harrison and Lee Burke, health and physical ed., coaching and recreation and fitness.

—Jim Judah, Todd Danley and David Kattes, agriculture.

—Dan Osborn and Carolyn Osborn, psychologist, counselor and social worker.

—Tammy Wesson and Joann Snider, secretary and word processing.

—Sam Walker, welding/machinist.



### Play at Odessa

The WTC production "The Life of King Henry the Fifth" includes 23 characters and cast members will often appear in double roles. The players, who performed this past weekend at the Globe Theatre in Odessa, are, from left, Michael

McQuerry, Tonya Tiday, Ian Fleming, Burzin Unwalla, Cody Cummings (seated), Michael Endy, Gavin Jackson, Melissa Shatney (foreground), J.E. Tydlaska, Krista Tydlaska and Steven Drgac. (Texan Photo)

## Drama department opens Henry V next month

The WTC Drama Department's production of "The Life of King Henry the Fifth" opens on campus the first week in December in the Fine Arts Theater.

WTC students, faculty and staff will be admitted free with their college I.D. Evening performances at 8 p.m. will be held Dec. 5-7 with a 2 p.m. matinee Sunday, Dec. 8.

For the general public, ticket prices are \$5 and \$3 for students

and senior citizens.

The local appearance will follow performances of the play this past weekend at the Globe Theater in Odessa.

The WTC troupe will return to the Globe this coming weekend for another series of performances Friday and Saturday.

Directing the play is Michael Endy, head of the drama department. WTC's play version has 23 characters with many actors performing double roles.

Cast list for the production includes:

—Michael Endy as the Chorus and Fluellen.

—Cody Cummings of Garden City as King Henry the Fifth.

—Burzin Unwalla of Houston as the Duke of Exeter.

—Tonya Tiday of Graham as Katherine and the Duke of York.

—Alan Jeter of Odessa as the Archbishop of Canterbury and Michael Williams.

—Gavin Jackson of Abilene

as the Earl of Westmoreland.

—Steven Drgac of Garden City as Sir Thomas Grey and the Constable of France.

—Krista Tydlaska of Tow as the Earl of Cambridge and the Duke of Burgundy.

—Melissa Shatney of Snyder as Lord Scroop, John Bates and Alice.

—J.E. Tydlaska of Tow as Macmorris and Lewis.

—Michael McQuerry of Snyder as Jamy and Montjoy.

## WTC to offer study abroad

By Joyce May  
Texan Staffer

Students who have dreamed of studying abroad will now have a chance to make the dream a reality as a summer study abroad program for British Literature (ENGL-2322) credit has been approved by the WTC curriculum committee.

The program, which will be co-taught by Jana Wesson-Martin, English instructor here, and Beth Bowen, an English teacher at Snyder High School, entails a week of morning study on the WTC campus followed by a two-week trip to Europe.

Wesson-Martin, who herself studied abroad in Mexico and Europe while attending Abilene Christian University, said she is excited the program was approved.

"A lot of colleges are offering studying abroad, and I'm really glad to get it through the curriculum committee. This is something I've wanted to do for a couple of years," she said. "I strongly contend that a study abroad program is a highlight to one's educational experience."

According to Wesson-Martin, the course will cover the British literature curriculum with required readings that will represent both the major authors and the dominant literary modes of the period.

The only pre-requisite for the course is for students to have completed or tested out of Freshman English (ENGL 1301).

Orientations will be held in the spring with the readings being assigned then.

"These will be brief initial meetings where we will present the reading assignments and explain course requirements in preparation for the week-long course on campus," Wesson-Martin said.

During the two weeks in Europe, students will have the chance to visit various locations associated with the English writers studied. These will include guided tours to Dickens House Museum, the Keats House, the Carlyle House, Poets' Corner at Westminster Abbey and various churches and other public buildings associated with the writers' lives and careers.

Students will be required to write several papers as well as keep a travel journal. According to Wesson-Martin, the majority of the reading will be done prior to the course and trip.

Interested students may contact either her or Bowen at Snyder High School. According to Wesson-Martin, at least 10 students are needed to make the class. "I'm really excited about it and hope we can find enough students to go," she said.

## Museum exhibits 'Toys Through the Years'

By April Montez  
Texan Staffer

Anyone who ever had a favorite toy will want to visit the latest exhibit at the Scurry County Museum called "Toys Through the Years."

As part of the Christmas tree lighting ceremony Dec. 2, the museum will be open that Monday night at 7 p.m.

The exhibit features toys that have been donated from various individuals. Most of the toys date back several decades.

According to Charlene Akers, museum director, the idea for the exhibit developed from a previous display of photographs of rural mailboxes.

She explained that before

modern Wal-Marts and other department stores, children in rural parts of the country normally only received toys once a year during the Christmas season.

These toys came from catalogs like Sears and Montgomery Wards and were delivered through the mail. Toys in the exhibit range from the early 1980's to 1899.

The oldest toy is a linen book called "Baby's Own."

The most recent toys include an extensive collection of Star Wars figures, space ships and an Ewok village. Also featured are

Spiderman and Batman action figures from the 70's and 80's

A large collection of dolls are featured, including a 'Florodora' doll from 1901 made in Germany by Armand Marseille.

This particular doll was a set of twins and the owner received this doll while her sister got the twin.

Other exhibits include a Scarlett O'Hara doll by Madame Alexander from the 1940's; two Shirley Temple dolls, one from the 30's and the other from the 40's; a tin-headed doll made in two parts, and a wicker doll chair from the 30's.

The popular children's game of cowboys and Indians is represented also. The museum display includes a complete collection of these toys, featuring a cast iron gun from the 1920's.

Science fiction fans will want to view two Buck Rogers sonic ray guns from the 50's.

And for the sports fan, there is a Maximus brand football from the 30's; two baseball bats; and a glove made by Nokona, also from the 30's.

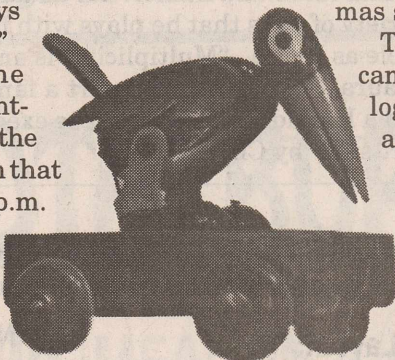
One unusual toy is an Indian doll made out of tin cans back during World War II when metal was scarce.

No child's collection would be complete without a few toy cars. At the museum are a

toy Model-T car dating back to the 20's made by Arcade Mfg. Co. and a rubber car made by Firestone Texas Centennial in 1936.

Paper dolls are also represented. There are dolls of such entertainment figures as Elizabeth Taylor, Donna Reed, Roy Rogers, Sandra Dee and others. Most of these were manufactured by the Whitman company.

Other exhibits include wind-up toys from the 40's; an electric toy stove from the 30's which still works; and a wooden toy train made in Germany in 1955 painted in red, green and blue.



Texan photos by Sagit Shlezinger

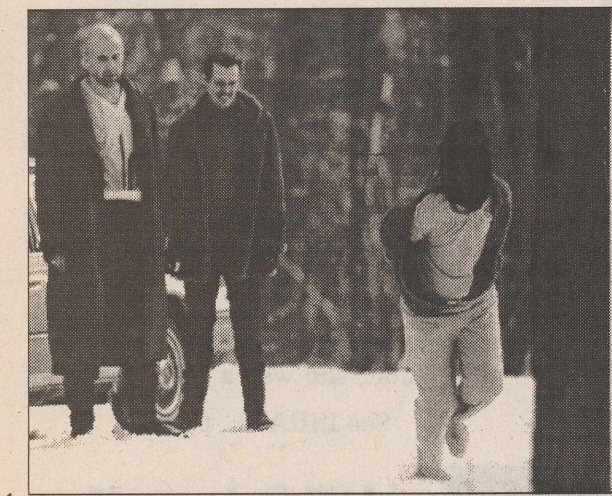


# 'Fargo' is a mixture of human violence and virtue

By Pamela Foster  
Texan Staffer

Bizarre, humorous, grossly violent, endearing, grizzly, these are all descriptions of the images that went through my mind while watching "Fargo". At times, "Fargo" is like an horrific accident, where you really don't want to look but you just can't help yourself, but in the next scene, you're rolling in the floor laughing! "Fargo" is one of the most unusual movies I have watched in some time. I should also tell you that this movie is based on a true story. This might explain why it produces all of these emotions. In my opinion, the Coen brothers are trying to distinguish between the swinging pendulum of good and evil within everyday life. "Fargo" is representative of the depravity in human nature which coexists alongside the virtuous.

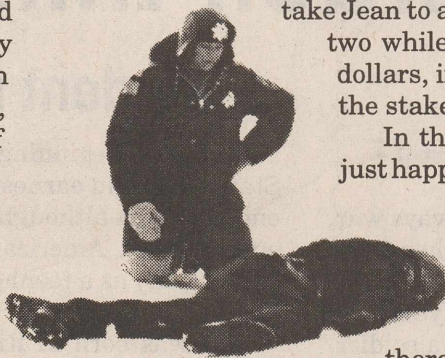
The opening scene is a Minnesota blizzard where the viewer sees nothing but black specks of people, cars, and light poles, and miles of nothing but white snow. These images of black and white are used throughout the movie as the stark comparison of the characters involved in this story. Jerry Lundegaard (William H. Macy) is a car salesman in Minneapolis, Minnesota. His father-in-law, Wade Gustafson (Harve Presnell) is the owner of the dealership. Jerry trailers a new car to Fargo, North Dakota to meet with two men, Carl Showalter (Steve Buscemi) and Gare Grinsrud (Peter Stormare). In exchange of the car plus \$40,000, Jerry is buying Carl and Gare's services to kidnap his wife. Jerry is in horrible financial trouble, and he thinks his only way out is to get his wealthy father-in-law to fork over the money to bail him out. The deal made, Jerry heads home to his wife Jean (Kristin Rudrod) and their teenage son where they seem to live a typically normal life of sharing meals, stories, and love.



Prior to making the deal with Carl and Gare, Jerry had presented his father-in-law with a business proposal that Wade later decided was a good investment, but not for his son-in-law, Jerry. Wade and a friend decided they wanted the deal, and cut Jerry out of it. This pushed Jerry over the edge. We are never sure exactly why Jerry is in financial trouble, other than he has applied and received a loan from GMAC for \$350,000 in which he put up for collateral, cars that do not exist. Auditors from GMAC continually call requesting that Jerry send over identifications numbers for the vehicles for their loan

# FARGO

forgot to put the dealer tags in the window of the car, and the patrolman is shot and killed. While disposing of the body of the trooper, a car drives by and sees what is happening. Since the occupants of the car can identify the murderers, they are chased down and shot. The kidnapers take Jean to a lake cabin that is also furnished by Jerry. They stay low for a day or two while Jerry arranges, with his father-in-law, the ransom of one-million dollars, in which Jerry only plans to pay the kidnapers \$40,000. Obviously, the stakes have risen.



In the meantime, sheriff Marge Gunderson (Frances McDormand), who just happens to be seven months pregnant, arrives on the murder scene. Marge is the Columbo of Minnesota. Nothing gets by her. She is a sweet woman with a sharp mind, and she has earned the respect of all her deputies. Jean's husband, Norm (John Carroll Lynch), is an artist and homemaker. They live a very pleasant life together, centered around eating. Food plays a very important part in their lives, and there are some humorous scenes centered around this fact. As Marge begins to put the pieces together of the triple murders, Wade Gustafson is busy gathering up money for his daughters ransom. But Wade throws a monkey wrench in Jerry's plans. He demands to deliver the money himself to Carl, thus cutting Jerry out of the picture leaving him unable to take the money he needs so desperately. As Jerry begins to panic, Carl is losing control of the kidnapping, and Wade is like a madman on the loose. The picture begins to build to the finale with horrific scenes of killing and butchering. This movie is difficult enough to watch as it stands, but just when you convince yourself that it's only a movie, you remember that this is based on a true story!

"Fargo" is loaded with symbolism. The cinematography is excellent, the writing is superb, and the acting is perfection. But this movie is NOT for everyone. It is for those of you who crave the bizarre. If you watch "Fargo", and you like what you see, you might try some of the Coen brothers other productions, "Blood Simple", "Raising Arizona", "Miller's Crossing", "Barton Fink", and "The Hudsucker Proxy".

This movie is violent, and contains adult language and nudity. This is a Joel and Ethan Coen film which was directed, produced, and written by the Coen brothers.

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I SEE YOU ATTENDED AN ALL WOMEN'S COLLEGE. DOES THAT EXPERIENCE REALLY MAKE YOU MORE CONFIDENT AND ASSERTIVE?

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CATBERT: EVIL H.R. DIRECTOR

SO TELL ME... BRIAN... WHY DO YOU WANT TO WORK FOR THIS COMPANY?

WELL, TO BE HONEST, I DON'T. I'M USING THIS AS A PRACTICE INTERVIEW.

I GUESS WE'RE DONE HERE. HELLO-O-O!!! IT'S LUNCH TIME AND I DON'T SEE SANDWICHES.

# 'Multiplicity' is a light comedy

"Multiplicity" is a light hearted comedy based on an average 90's couple with two kids. Doug Kennsey (Michael Keaton) works for a building contractor in which he holds a supervisory position over several major contracts. His wife, Laura (Andie McDowell) stays home with the children, but she is hoping to join the work-force selling real estate. Doug is so spread-out with his responsibilities at work, that he has little time to contribute to his family. When he misses his daughter's graduation in camp fire girls, he realizes just how much he is missing in his life. He promises his wife that she can return to work assuring her that he will take on more of the household chores, including running the kids to ballet and baseball practice, preparing evening meals, and picking the kids up after school when necessary. It doesn't take long before this situation is explosive.

One of the building contracts that Doug's firm is working on involves renovating a section of Gemini Institution, located in Malibu, California. Some of the work done in Gemini Institution involves genetic cloning, and while Doug is working one day, he is approached by a scientist involved in these studies. Asked

Number 4 is like a little boy. As a matter of fact, he gets into everything, eats like a pig, and generally makes a mess.



if he would like to have a double to help manage his life, Doug readily agrees when he discovers that he will not be the first human to be cloned. It seems that the Doctor involved has already cloned himself, and has found time to enjoy all of the finer things in life. Convinced of the success of the Doctor, Doug climbs on the table and the experiment begins. And then there were two.

Number 2, as they refer to the second "Doug" takes over the original Doug's responsibilities at work, leaving him time to enjoy basketball games, golf, boating, and anything else he can dream up. But that still doesn't leave him enough time to take on the added labor of housework, cooking, and seeing after the children. Laura's career has taken off, and she is busy selling real estate and making money. So, along comes Number 3. Number 3 takes care of all the duties that Laura used to take care of. But Number 2 and Number 3 are so busy taking care of the original Doug's duties, that they decided that they need someone to take care of their garage apartment, cook, and clean up after them, so along comes Number 4. Unfortunately, every time you make a copy, the next one isn't quite as good as the original, and Number 4 is like a little boy. As a matter of fact, he gets into everything, eats like a pig, and generally makes a mess.

Since 2, 3, and 4 all live in an apartment above the garage, Laura begins seeing "Dougs" everywhere. Each copy has its own distinct personality, and before long, Laura suspicions that Doug is a multiple personality. Life starts getting a little crazy at the Kennsey household, and the original Doug leaves town for a few days. And, as the old saying goes, while the cat's away, the mice will play, and play they did with Laura.

This is a really amusing movie with some original ideas and humor. As usual, Michael Keaton is outstanding. I am always amazed at the wide variety of roles that he plays with flawlessness. Andie McDowell is funny, sexy, and impressive in her role as Laura. "Multiplicity" is an adult comedy with a few adult situations involving the clones and Laura, but for the most part a family movie.

This movie was a Trevor Albert production, and a Harold Ramis Film. The executive producer was Lee R. Mayes. "Multiplicity" is based on the short story by Chris Miller.

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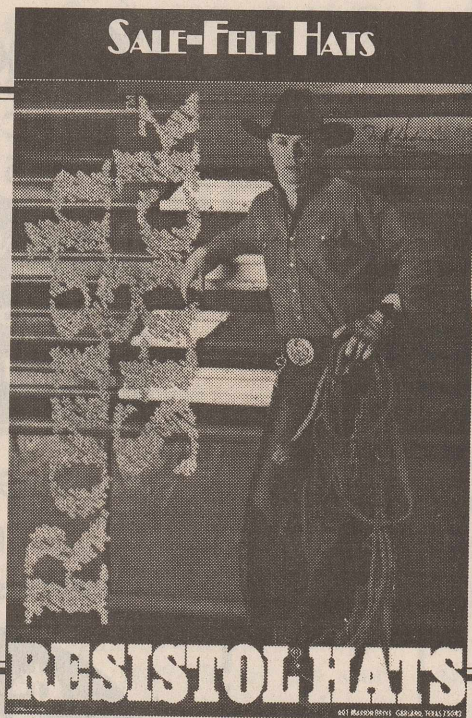
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# Lady Westerners will host Midland

By Christina Wagner  
Texan Staffer

The Lady Westerners start off conference play against nationally ranked Midland College in the Scurry County Coliseum at 7:30 tonight.

"Midland has a lot of returning players, they play up tempo and like shooting three pointers, they are picked to win the conference," said Coach Anthony Portley.

Thursday night, the Westerners play again against a conference opponent, this time at Odessa against Odessa College at 7:30 p.m.

"Odessa has a new coach and will probably be pretty talented," said Portley.

Next Monday night they are back home playing against South Plains College at 7:30 p.m. in the coliseum.

"This year South Plains has probably got the most talented team it has ever had," said Portley.

Also ahead is the annual Thanksgiving Classic, scheduled in the coliseum Nov. 28-30.

The team has competed in two pre-conference tournaments, the Seminole Classic and the South Plains Classic. This puts the Westerners at a 1-3 record going into conference play.

The single win was Nov. 9 over Northland Pioneer at the South Plains Classic. Shanna Gathright led with 15 points, Angelica Brooks scored 12 points and Celestine Otuoro scored 8 points and had 11 rebounds.

At half time, the score was 14-13 and the Westerners led at the closing buzzer 44-43.

At the same tournament, WTC lost to Clarendon College—which will again be a conference opponent in 1997-98—by the score 70-61. The first half was close as Clarendon led 34-29.

Celestine Otuoro was top scorer with 16 points, Shanna Gathright scored 9 and three players—Angelica Brooks, Caitlin Behrens and Dionna Russel—each scored 8.

The Westerners dropped the first two games of the season at the Seminole Classic Nov. 1-2, losing to host Seminole 92-37 and St. Gregory 66-46. At this tournament, Shanna Gathright was out with a fractured hand.

Against Seminole, two players were in double figures, Dionna Russel and Caitlin Behrens with 10 each.

In the game against St. Gregory, Caitlin Behrens was top scorer again with 12 points, while Celestine Otuoro had 11 and Dionna Russel scored 10.

# Israeli student tells how she came to WTC

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four other soldiers. Her unit guarded the Israeli border touching the Red Sea from terrorist attack.

"You get more responsible," she said about her job. "One mistake can cost people's lives."

After her military service, she worked as a waitress at the Hard Rock Cafe in Tel-Aviv and lived with her two sisters.

Her parents and two of her other sisters had already left for America, arriving here approximately a year ago.

She said her parents left Israel and went to America for "the adventure."

Sagit decided to leave Israel for America and joined her parents in Abilene.

The move to America wasn't as difficult thanks to her previous experiences in the U.S.

She had visited America on vacation when she was 14-years-old and had lived in Los Angeles for six months when she was 15.

Sagit's father worked for an accounting firm and was later transferred to Los Angeles, where the family lived for six months. During this time Sagit attended high school.

"Israel is safer than Los Angeles," she said. In comparing West Texas to Israel, Sagit noted one big difference is the clothing.

"In Israel the clothing is very provocative, but [here] it is different, much more conservative."

From Abilene, Sagit's family moved to Snyder and now operate a small business.



Sagit Shlezinger

Sagit decided to attend Western Texas because it looked "interesting."

"Here in America everybody has a chance to get an education, but in Israel it's higher level," she said. "Getting accepted to college [in Israel] is very hard. If you can't pass the test you can't go to school."

About WTC, she said, "I like the fact that it is a small college. All my teachers are very supportive and the people are too. 'I like the people.'"

Sagit's wants to major in photojournalism. Her dream is to travel and photograph the world.

"I want to take my camera and go," she said.

# Golfers compete at NMJC

By John Baez  
Texan Staffer

WTC's Morten Vildhøj from Denmark won 2nd place in the medalist race last week at the NMJC Invitational Tournament in Hobbs, N.M. Vildhøj managed twin rounds of 72-70 for a total 142. As a team, WTC's Green Team placed 3rd while the White Team took 6th place.

The Green Team's total was 297-305 for a total of 602. Other individual scores were: Harry Hernandez of Venezuela, 78-72 for a total 150; Jake McCullough of Big Spring, 76-77 for 153; Bryan Hawkins of Lamesa, 78-77 for a total of 155; Andreas Ljunggren of Sweden, 84-81 for a total of 165; and Marcus Olvestad of Sweden, 86-81 for a total of 167.

The WTC White Team took 6th place with scores of 471-391 for a total of 862. Individual scores were: Jason Darby of Abilene, 76-77 for a total 153; Page Patterson of Snyder, 75-79 for a total 154; Daniel Moates of Duncanville, 80-75 for a total of 155; Donald DeMasters of San Antonio, 80-77 for a total 157; and Kevin Taylor of Lamesa, 78-83 for a total of 161. Ole Fuglsang of Denmark scored an 82 in the first round and withdrew the next round due to illness.

Coach Milton Ham said the team will gain a new member in the spring, Fredrik Widmark from Stockholm, Sweden.

# Rodeo teams place 3rd at Texas Tech

The Texas Tech College rodeo Oct. 31-Nov. 2 went well for both the men's and women's teams who finished in 3rd place.

Winning the men's division was Cisco Junior College with 220 points, 2nd was New Mexico Junior College with 200 points, and 3rd was WTC with 170 points.

The win in the women's division was split between Tarleton State University and Vernon Regional Junior College who both had 280 points and 3rd place was WTC with 145.

In the bareback riding, Chad Maynard of Eastland won 2nd in the average after placing 4th in the first round with a 71 score and splitting 2/3 in the short round with a 71 score.

Also in the bareback riding, Kyle Bowers of Brooks Alberta Canada placed 4th in the average after receiving a 70 score in the first round and 67 in the short round.

In the calf roping, Rusty Henard of Tatum, N.M. placed 3rd in the average after winning

the short round with a time of 10.5 sec.

Also in the calf roping, Kevin Johnson of Elkhorn, NE won the first round with a time 9.9 sec.

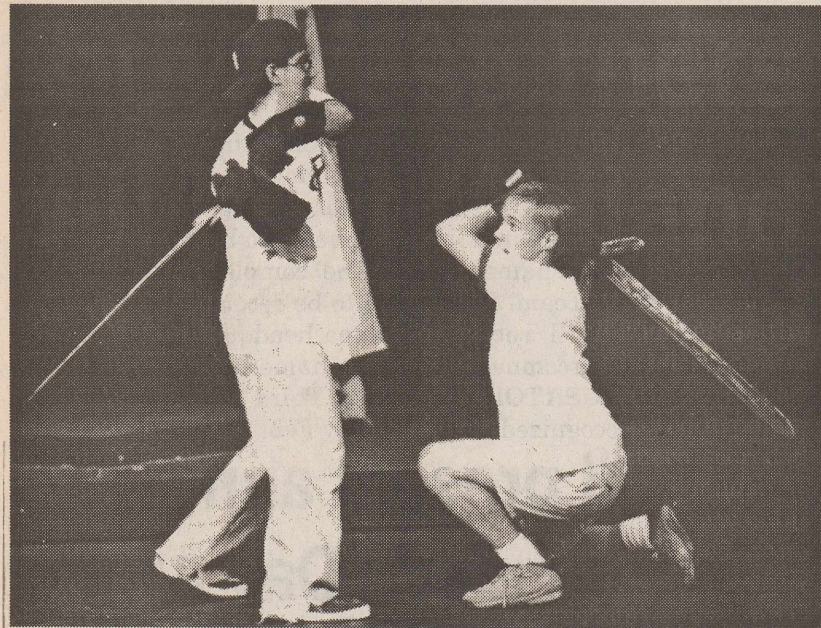
In the saddle bronc riding, Jeff Decker of Perryton placed 2nd in the average after splitting 4/5 in the first round with a 65 score and splitting 1/2 in the short round with a 66 score.

In the steer wrestling, Kyle Bowers placed 4th in the average after placing 4th in the short round with a time of 7.2 sec.

Ryan Weaver of Calhoun, GA won the first round in the steer wrestling with a time of 5.6 sec.

In the goat tying, Amanda Wallin of Moriarty, N.M. won the average after splitting 2/3 in the first round with a time of 8.4 sec. and winning the short round with a time 7.5 sec.

Shahala McCloy of Morse placed 3rd in the average in the goat tying after splitting 3/4 in the short round with a time of 8.6 sec. Also in the goat tying, Tona Wright of Moriarty, N.M. won the first round with a time of 8.3.



Exeter and Montjoy

Herny V cast members Burzin Unwalla (left) and Michael McQuerry (right) practice sword fighting techniques for the upcoming production. (Texan Photo)

# New art exhibit features Texas Tech professor Andrew Martin

A new art exhibit was hung Friday in the Fine Arts Theatre gallery on campus and will remain through the end of the semester.

The exhibit is by artist Andrew Martin, an assistant art professor at Texas Tech University.



# Lady Westerners

## 1996-1997 Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
NOV. 1-2	SEMINOLE CLASSIC	SEMINOLE, OK	TBA
18	*MIDLAND COLLEGE	SNYDER	7:30
21	*ODESSA COLLEGE	ODESSA	7:30
25	*SOUTH PLAINS	SNYDER	TBA
THANKSGIVING CLASSIC			
28	ODESSA US RANGER	SNYDER	5:15
	WTC US PARIS	SNYDER	7:30
29	RANGER US PARIS	SNYDER	5:15
	*WTC US ODESSA	SNYDER	7:30
30	PARIS US RANGER	SNYDER	5:15
	WTC US RANGER	SNYDER	7:30
DEC 5-7	TYLER CLASSIC	TYLER	TBA
10	FRANK PHILLIPS	SNYDER	7:30
JAN			
WTC HOLIDAY CLASSIC			
2	WTC US CLARENDON	SNYDER	7:30
3	CLARENDON US PARIS	SNYDER	7:30
4	WTC US PARIS	SNYDER	7:30
11	*HOWARD	BIG SPRING	7:30
13	*MIDLAND	MIDLAND	6:00
20	*SOUTH PLAINS	LEVELLAND	6:00
27	*HOWARD	SNYDER	7:30
30	FRANK PHILLIPS	BORGER	6:00
FEB			
3	*NEW MEXICO	SNYDER	7:30
6	*MIDLAND	SNYDER	7:30
8	*NEW MEXICO	HOBBS,NM	7:30MST
10	*ODESSA	ODESSA	6:00
13	*SOUTH PLAINS	SNYDER	7:30
15	CLARENDON	CLARENDON	6:00
20	*HOWARD	BIGSPRINGS	6:00
24	*FRANK PHILLIPS	SNYDER	7:30
27	*NEW MEXICO	HOBBS,NM	6:00MST
MAR			
TBA	REGION U TOURN	CISCO	TBA
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## Submissions sought for 7th WTC 'Aquifer'

By Paul Rucker  
Texan Staffer

The 1996-97 school year will mark the seventh issue of the literary magazine "Aquifer" here at WTC and submissions are now being accepted. The publication

## Who's Who Nominations submitted

Western Texas College faculty members have submitted their nominations for Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges.

Faculty members were asked to nominate second-year students based upon grades, participation, leadership in academic and extracurricular activities, citizenship, service and potential for future achievement.

The nominations now go to a committee headed by Carolyn Osborn. This committee will decide which nominations will be submitted.

Overall GPA, student involvement and community involvement are taken into consideration to determine which nominations are submitted.

WTC may chose up to 37 sophomore students. The names of those chosen are released by representatives of the Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges publication each spring semester.

consists of entries from WTC students of written essays, poems or prose pieces and artwork.

This past year, the Aquifer won recognition from the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association (TIPA), winning two 1st place awards, for best short story and essay, and a 2nd place award for best poem.

The publication has won several awards since 1991. These include:

—In the spring of 1991, a 3rd place for the best overall literary magazine, a 1st place in poetry and two 3rd place awards for essay and opinion.

—In the spring of 1992, two 3rd place awards in essay and opinion.

—In the spring of 1994, a 2nd place prize for illustrations.

—In the spring of 1995, a 3rd place in the overall competition plus 1st in essay and an honorable mention in poetry.

Guidelines for entry include two typed copies of the submission which should be double spaced, one sided and have numbered pages.

Also, a plagiarism waiver is required to be filled out at the time of submission to protect any violations that might occur.

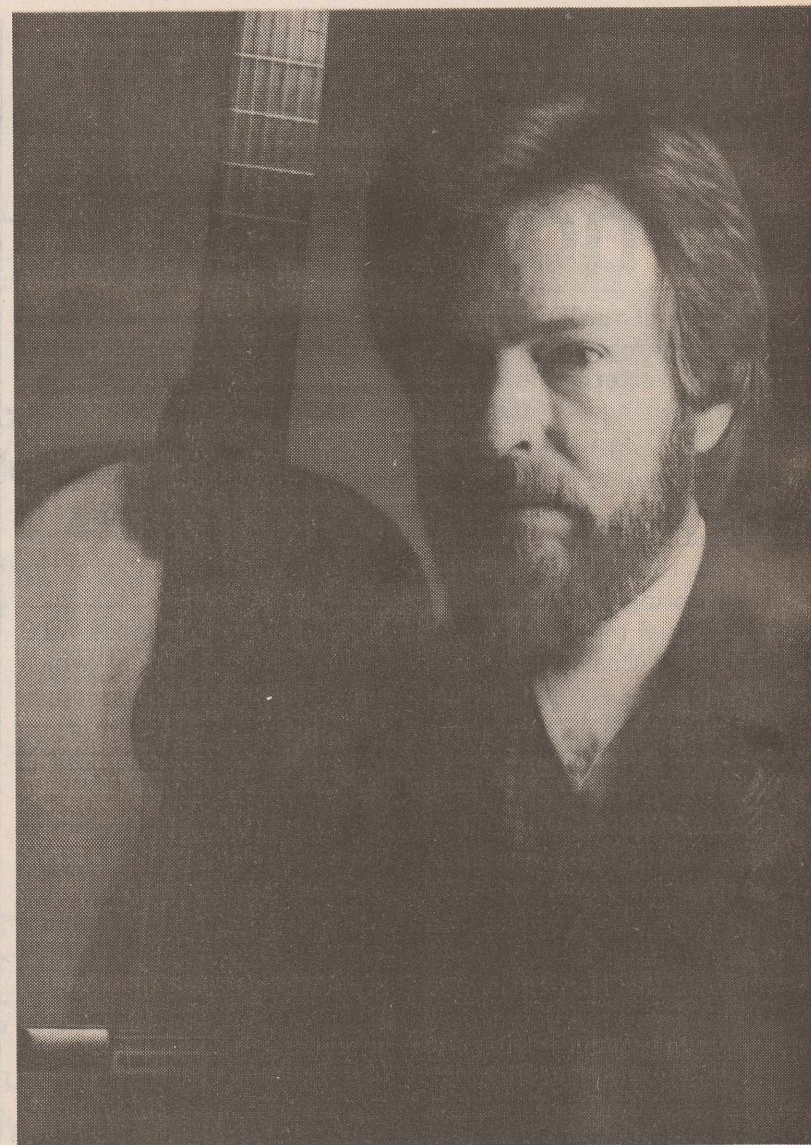
The deadline to submit material for students not returning for the spring semester, will be the second week in December.

Editors of the magazine include: Bill McGlothing, Jana Wesson-Martin, Donny Brown, Janet Halbert and Ben Sum.

Students with questions may contact any of the editors.



Toby McWilliams



James Bogle

## Guitarists to perform on campus Thursday

By Cindy Goates  
Texan Staffer

Two internationally known guitarists will play in the Fine Arts Theatre this Thursday at 8 p.m., a performance free to all WTC students as well as the general public.

Appearing here will be James Bogle and Toby McWilliams, both associated with the Texas Tech University School of Music. They began performing as a guitar duo

in 1994.

They will play six guitar selections, both using instruments made by Ricardo Sanchis of Valencia, Spain.

Bogle has performed professionally since 1960 and has made several previous appearances in Snyder. He has won first prize in a variety of performance and composition competitions and since 1976 has been director of the guitar program at Texas Tech

University.

His current and former students perform, teach, and have won top prizes in competitions in Russia, Europe, the Far East and the United States.

In the summer of 1995, he and five of his students recorded a compact disc in Paris, performing the duets of Fernando Sor composed while Sor resided at the Hotel Favart in Paris.

Bogle's doctoral dissertation was the first to deal with playing the music of J.S. Bach on guitar.

He has performed, taught master classes, lectured, judged competitions and had his compositions performed in France, Germany, Hungary, Yugoslavia, Macedonia, Bulgaria, Russia, Italy, Canada, Mexico and the United States.

In 1995, he became chairman of the String Division of the Texas

Tech University School of Music. He was Festival Director of the Guitar Foundation of America Festival '89 and has held the positions of symposium director, national chairman, and advisory board member with the American String Teachers Association Guitar Division.

Toby McWilliams has performed throughout Texas and New Mexico, including concerts with the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra in January of 1995.

He won the Texas Tech University Concerto Competition in 1994 and performed Joaquin Rodrigo's "Concerto de Aranjuez" with the Texas Tech orchestra.

Along with Bogle, he recorded the guitar duets of Fernando Sor in Paris in July of 1995. He is currently in the doctoral program at Texas Tech University where he is also a teaching assistant.

## Nominations solicited for All Academic Team

Nominations have been solicited from the WTC faculty for two students for the All U.S.A. Community and Junior College Academic Team 1997.

The honor is jointly sponsored by Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society, the national newspaper USA TODAY and the American Association of Community Colleges.

To be eligible, the nominee must be currently enrolled, will graduate between September, 1996 and Aug. 31, 1997, and possess a GPA of no less than 3.25. The student's leadership abilities, involvement in college, community and service activities are also taken into consideration.

The highest ranked nominated students will be named to a 20-member First Team. First Team members will receive \$2,500 stipends and a commemorative obelisk from USA TODAY.

They will be recognized dur-

ing the Phi Theta Kappa Presidents Breakfast in Anaheim, Calif., and will be featured in USA TODAY on April 14, 1997.

There will be 20-member Second Teams and Third Teams also. These members will each receive a medallion and be listed in USA TODAY. All nominees will be named to the All-State Academic Team in their respective state and will be honored at state banquets in the spring.

The two nominees selected from WTC will be required to complete a biographical questionnaire and write an essay not to exceed 500 words. They must also submit three letters of recommendation, with at least one of those being from a faculty member who has taught them.

The completed nominations are to be received at Phi Theta Kappa headquarters by Dec. 6. Those named to either First, Second or Third Teams will be notified by Feb. 24, 1997.

## PTK will present annual WTC Founder's Day Award

The annual Founder's Day Award will be presented Tuesday by the WTC chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, Psi Zeta.

The award presentation, traditionally a surprise announcement, will be in the Student Center at 10:45 a.m. during activity period. A reception will follow honoring the recipient.

This year's winner was selected under new criteria developed by the executive board and advisers for Phi Theta Kappa, which includes:

"The recipient of the Phi Theta Kappa Founder's Day Award should be a member of the faculty, staff, or administration who as an employee of Western Texas College represents to an outstanding degree one or more of the Phi Theta Kappa ideals of Scholarship, Leadership, Service and Fellowship."

Founder's Day marks the 1918 founding of Phi Theta Kappa at Stephens College in Missouri. The award has been given at WTC since 1983.

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