**Sports**

Up and away

Baylor baseball dominates Texas State University 5-1 in Round Robin.

**News**

Layoffs off the table

American Airlines avoids hundreds of layoffs through job sharing and voluntary leave.

**A&E**

Snapshot of a great game

Fleury made 30 saves and the Rangers beat the Islanders 3-0 in their season opener.

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The place to go to know the places to go

Religion center stage

“American Religion: Love in a Time of Anger” by John F. Corrigan will be held in the Cox Lecture Hall at 8 a.m., 11 a.m., and 3 p.m. on Sept. 12. The event is free.

**MIT looks to Baylor**

By Linda Wilkins Solver Staff writer

A sports research paper will be written by Baylor junior Kyle Wakefield and Anna Rivers, associate vice president of Brandeis University's Division of Education, has been named one of the top 10 research papers selected by judges at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Sloan Sports Analytics Conference.

Wakefield said the paper focuses on the impact of sponsors in the sports world and describes how sponsoring a league affects a company.

Using data from more than 500 professional and college teams, Wakefield studied the impact of being an NFL sponsor by comparing the attitudes of fans versus nonfans. He found that being a sponsor of a league is beneficial for a company.

Rivers said the importance of this study is what brand companies know and how they benefit from being a sponsor of a professional sports team.

“The most important finding that we have is that the impact of being a sponsor of a league is beneficial to a company,” Rivers said.

**Carneval in Dallas**

A dancer of Uniao da Ilha samba school parades on a float during carnival celebrations Monday at the Sambadrome in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

**New Twitter account launched for Waco PD**

“We’re there when you can’t be.”

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By Daniel C. Houston

Army ROTC awarded coveted trophy

Army ROTC defeated Air Force ROTC Wednesday to win the President’s Cup, a highly coveted trophy awarded to the winner of a series of grading competitions.

President Ken Starr announced the victory at the event at the Hart-Patton Track and Field Complex. He presented the cup to Army lieutenant Cindi Brian Crossrock, senior from Hackettstown, N.J.

“Last year Air Force won,” Crossrock said. “So this year we came out with a 4-3 game and we won the trophy. I do want to thank my coach, he did very well in all the competitions. I do want to thank my teammates and friends. I am glad we won it,” she said. “We got our best.”

Army vans walked away with overall victory in tug-of-war, wave games, egg and spoon, and the sand crawl. Air Force won the paper throw and hula-hoop races. The final score was Army 101, Air Force 61.

Starr told the Lariat after the award ceremony that he is well known, can count all the Army cadets, Army ROTC cadets, and Air Force ROTC cadets who have come to his offices and they made me proud,” Starr said. “The discipline, the focus – all those things should be proud. And I am very proud of them for their efforts and their contributions to our country. So this is both Baylor and the Army – America proud.”

Although the event was called the President’s Cup, a year past, Starr’s appearance prompted the organizers to think of next year’s competition’s President’s Cup, according to Army Cadet Staff Sgt. Lauren Amaro.

“It’s really a big deal. President’s Cup is on the line, especially this late in the coming, to be a part of our events,” Amaro said. “A President, from Fisher to Ford, after the graduating class is a big support of the conference.”

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By Anahtara Tavolar Reporter

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Struggling to get stuff done? Just think about Mr. Miyagi.

"A student should never be subjected to such humiliation in front of his peers, especially when it is absolutely avoidable." — D.H.

When is a strip search ever OK in school? Never.

Every day, students enter their school buildings ready to learn. Between classes, many spend time talking with fellow students or eating lunch. Other times, students might be sufficiently distracted by their cell phones, not paying attention in class or looking for excuses to avoid academic work.
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Pokémon Snap takes shot into giant video game landscape

By Craig Bratcher

It’s Rockify TV versus Pokémon TV. Both are formats that have sold millions of dollars and captured the hearts and minds of millions of fans. Both have been the subject of much criticism and both are highly recommended to anyone who likes video games.

Rockify TV

Rockify TV is the first Pokémon TV series. It was created by the Pokémon Company and released in 2001. The series follows the story of a young Pokémon trainer named Todd Snap, who travels around the world capturing and trading Pokémon. The series was a hit with fans and is still watched today.

Pokémon Snap

Pokémon Snap is a video game developed by Pokémon Studio and published by Nintendo. The game was released for the Nintendo 64 in 1999 and allows players to capture and trade Pokémon from the games. The game is highly recommended to anyone who likes video games.

In summary, both Rockify TV and Pokémon Snap are highly recommended to anyone who likes video games. They are both highly entertaining and entertaining in their own way.

Pokémon Snap Trivia

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Fun Times

- 1. The Arctic Fox Award for Album of the Year was won by The Arctic Foxes.
- 2. The Delaunay Award for Best Video Game was won by The Delaunay Awards.
- 3. The Art of Tomorrow Award for Best Video Game was won by The Art of Tomorrow Awards.

THE KANROCKAS MUSICAL FESTIVAL

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### Mailed threats to Congress resemble post-9/11 terror

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A district office of House Majority Leader Tom Daschle, D- S.D., received one of the letters, spokes persons said.

"The threats raised memories of post-9/11 incidents that rattled Washington. In mid-November, 2001, authorities closed two Senate office buildings after anthrax attacks on Congress. These attacks came after four people — two postal workers in Washington, a New York City hos pital worker and a Florida photo editor — died from exposure to anthrax."

Also at that time, an unopened envelope sent to Sen. Patrick Leahy, D-Vt., resembled one of the earlier anthrax letters. "The author of these letters has indicated that additional letters containing a powdery substance will be arriving at more Senate offices and that some of these let ters may contain an actual harmful material," Gainer’s memo to Senate offici es.

The letters bore a return address of Portland, Ore, the same address that was used to send letters to the president, president-elect and the previous month to then-Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D.

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