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In men's basketball, scores throughout the league and standings are updated as games are final. Big 12 conference and team statistics are updated the following morning, with weekly award winners posted each Monday.

Media can access Acrobat PDF files of the weekly release, statistics, team-by-team statistics and the conference media guide on the web site.

Big 12 Release

The Big 12 will update a media release, including team notes, results and more each morning after games are played during the season. Complete league statistics, in addition to team-by-team stats for all 12 league squads will be updated via the conference web site as well.

Phillips 66 Weekly Awards

A Big 12 Player and Rookie of the Week will be chosen each Monday, beginning November 21. Nominations are submitted by the school sports information offices and the winners are selected by a panel of media voters who cover the league on a regular basis. This year marks the 10th year for Phillips 66 as a sponsor of the Big 12 Conference.

Big 12 Coaches' Teleconference

The Big 12 Conference men's basketball coaches will participate in a weekly media-only teleconference during the 2005-06 season. The calls begin with one call in December, followed by weekly teleconferences beginning in January. The schedule is as follows:

Monday, December 12	Monday, February 6
Thursday, January 5	Monday, February 13
Monday, January 9	Monday, February 20
Monday, January 16	Monday, February 27
Monday, January 23	Monday, March 6
Monday, January 30	Monday, March 13*

* - For those coaches advancing to postseason (NCAA or NIT) play

The teleconference begins at 10:00 a.m. Central Time. The call can also be heard live and on replay via the Internet by visiting the Big 12 web site at www.big12sports.com.

Listed below is the tentative schedule for the 2005-06 season. Please contact the Big 12 communications staff for the call-in and replay phone numbers.

- 10:00 a.m. - Bill Self, Kansas
- 10:10 a.m. - Billy Gillispie, Texas A&M
- 10:20 a.m. - Eddie Sutton, Oklahoma State
- 10:30 a.m. - Scott Drew, Baylor
- 10:40 a.m. - Quin Snyder, Missouri
- 10:50 a.m. - Bob Knight, Texas Tech
- 11:00 a.m. - Ricardo Patton, Colorado
- 11:10 a.m. - Jim Wooldridge, Kansas State
- 11:20 a.m. - Kelvin Sampson, Oklahoma
- 11:30 a.m. - Barry Collier, Nebraska
- 11:40 a.m. - Rick Barnes, Texas
- 11:50 a.m. - Wayne Morgan, Iowa State

The Big 12 Showcase

The Big 12 Showcase is a 30-minute promotion of the league with features on student-athletes, coaches, teams and conference championships. The show is shot on location each week at a different Big 12 campus or conference championship venue. For the 10th year, the show will be hosted by Bill Land and produced by Keith Fletcher of FSN Southwest. Airing of the Big 12 Showcase is syndicated throughout the Big 12 markets.



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Postseason Awards

The Big 12 presents the official all-conference awards at the end of the regular season. Major award winners are chosen, along with the All-Big 12 teams. Each Big 12 head coach votes on the squads and is not permitted to vote for his own players. The awards will be announced the first week of March prior to the Phillips 66 Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship.

Academic All-Big 12 teams are also chosen in men's basketball and will be announced prior to the postseason. Further information on academic honors presented by the conference is available on page 8.

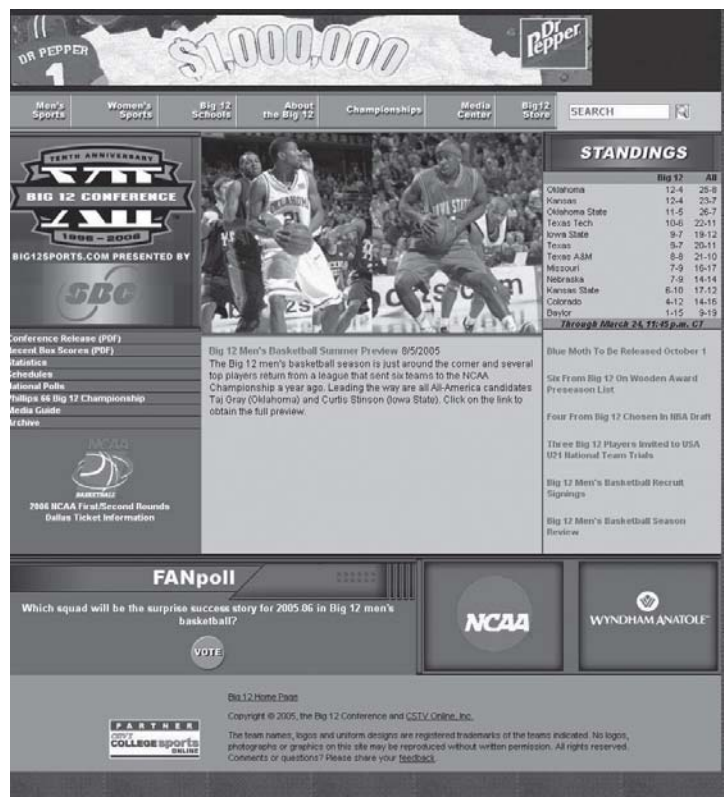
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Big 12 Conference

The following should NOT be used when referencing the Big 12:

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The Big 12 celebrates its 10th anniversary season of competition in 2005-06. While there have been many proud accomplishments in the first nine years of the conference, the league and its members are also excited and poised for a bright future.

Over the past nine years, 24 different teams and over 200 individuals have won NCAA Championships. This past year marked the most successful in conference history. Baylor won the crown for women's basketball, becoming the first Big 12 squad to win in that sport. Colorado won both the men's and women's cross country trophies, just the fourth school in NCAA annals to win both in the same year. Oklahoma State regained the top spot in wrestling, winning the national title for the 33rd time. Texas captured its fourth women's outdoor track & field crown, along with its sixth national championship in baseball. A total of 23 individual event titles were also claimed by the Big 12.

Eight football squads have played in BCS bowls in the last six seasons. The Big 12 leads all conferences with four appearances in the National Championship game. In basketball, an unprecedented eight men's and women's basketball teams have advanced to their respective Final Fours in the past four seasons as the Big 12 continues its place among the elite intercollegiate athletic conferences.

The Big 12 and its member institutions are committed to a competitive environment where sportsmanship and fair play take center stage. Whether on the field, in the classroom, or within the community the student-athletes, administrators, coaches and game officials of the Big 12 support the highest ideals in sportsmanship.

Competitive excellence, scholarships and sportsmanship are all equal components of the Big 12's philosophy. All-Big 12 teams and All-Big 12 Academic squads are recognized for each sport at the end of their respective seasons.

At the end of each academic year, the Conference honors its top male and female student-athletes with the Big 12 Athlete of the Year and Big 12 Sportsperson of the Year awards.

Institutions can also nominate student-athletes for the prestigious Dr. Prentice Gautt Postgraduate Scholarships at the end of each academic year. A total of 129 scholars have received more than \$680,000 in postgraduate financial aid through the first eight years of the program.

The Big 12 sponsors 21 sports. Men's squads include baseball, basketball, cross country, football, golf, indoor track & field, outdoor track & field, swimming & diving, tennis and wrestling. Women's teams are fielded in basketball, cross country, golf, gymnastics, indoor track & field, outdoor track & field, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis and volleyball.

The conference is made up of 12 institutions that have shared many traditional rivalries throughout their histories. Member schools include - Baylor University, University of Colorado, Iowa State University, University of Kansas, Kansas State University, University of Missouri, University of Nebraska, University of Oklahoma, Oklahoma State University, University of Texas, Texas A&M University and Texas Tech University.

The institutions created a league that encompasses seven states, over 42 million people and more than 18 million television households within its geographic footprint.

The conference conducts championships for 20 of its 21 sports. Each championship helps to determine teams and/or individuals that will represent the Conference in national postseason competition. The winner of the Big 12 football championship game earns the league's berth into the prestigious Bowl Championship Series.

The Big 12 is under the direction of its second commissioner, Kevin L. Weiberg, who took over the reins in December 1998. Under Weiberg's guidance, the league distributed over \$105 million to its member institutions for the 2004-05 academic year, nearly doubling the first allocation of \$54 million in the conference's inaugural 1996-97 campaign.

Weiberg has also helped lead the Big 12 into additional football bowl agreements and expanded television opportunities for all sports through contracts with ABC/ESPN, FSN, TBS and CSTV.

The Big 12 has its headquarters in Dallas, Texas, where Weiberg and his staff administer to over 4,600 student-athletes in 21 sports.



Baylor captured the Big 12's first National Championship in basketball last season.

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BIG 12 QUICK FACTS

(All statistics from 1996 to June 2005 unless otherwise noted)

Founded: February 25, 1994

Area: Seven states with combined populations of more than 42 million people.

Television Markets: 18 of the Top 100 nationally

Commissioner's Honor Roll Students (1996-2005):

48,000-plus named in first 18 semesters

Academic All-Big 12 First Team Members:

Approximately 7,200

Student-Athletes with a 4.0 grade-point average on Academic All-Big 12 Teams: 441

Dr. Prentice Gautt Scholarships:

129 with over \$680,000 in financial aid

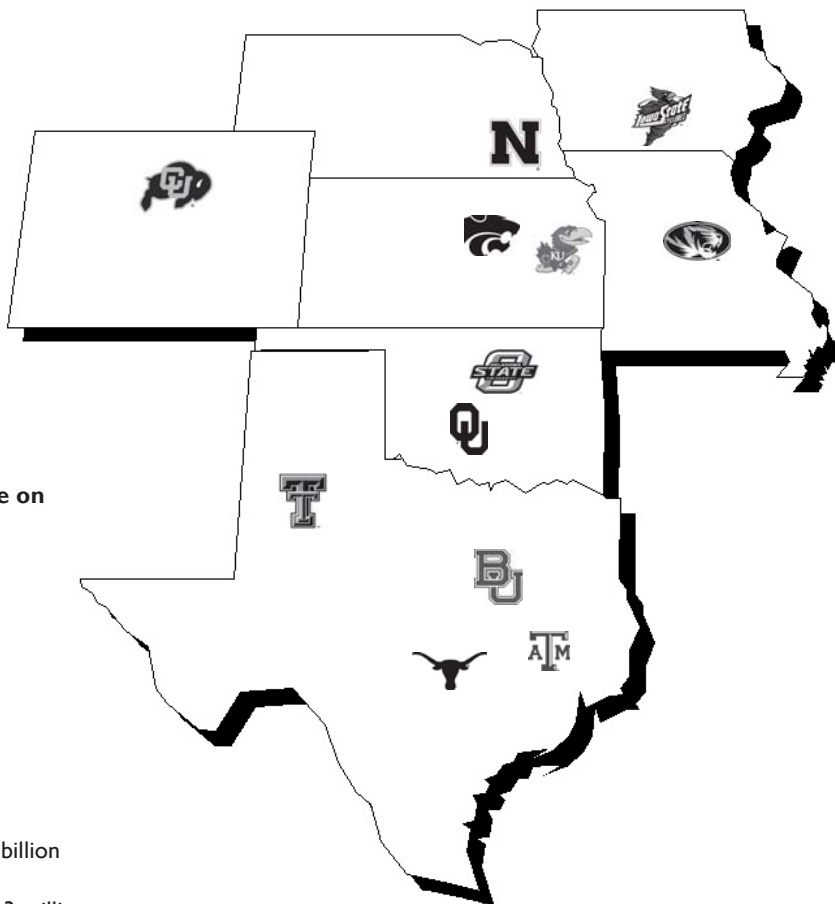
Team National Championships: 24

Individual National Championships: 203

First Team All-America Selections: 1,883

Improvements to Big 12 Athletic Facilities: \$1.4 billion

Big 12 Postseason Championship Attendance: 6.3 million



BIG 12 CONFERENCE 10TH ANNIVERSARY

The Big 12 is celebrating its 10th Anniversary of athletic competition during the 2005-06 season. In an effort to recognize this significant milestone, the conference and its member schools will participate in numerous activities to commemorate the special teams, student-athletes, moments and accomplishments of the past 10 years.

- A 10th Anniversary logo (right) has been created and will be utilized by the conference and its member schools in promotional activities, on retail merchandise, uniforms, playing fields and more.
- To celebrate the history of the Big 12, the league and its schools will select special 10th anniversary teams for all sports.
- In certain sports, including men's basketball, fans will be allowed to vote via the league web site for players they feel should be honored on anniversary teams as part of the 10th anniversary celebration.
- The Big 12 will work in conjunction with its member schools to stage special events and recognition during the first weekend of conference play in men's & women's basketball, football, baseball and softball.



Be sure to check the newly-designed Big 12 web site at:

www.big12sports.com

for the latest information and activities surrounding the 10th Anniversary!

Gautt's strides reached beyond the football field

By Berry Tramel, *The Oklahoman*
March 18, 2005, Reprinted with permission

He played drums in the Douglass band. Studied hard and played drums and minded his own business.

When football coaches saw him in the hallway, saw the size of his body and the regalness of his character, they tried to entice him into shoulder pads. At first he said no.

But Prentice Gautt could not avoid his destiny. He eventually said yes to football. Yes to history.

Gautt died Thursday at the age of 67. A giant of Oklahoma sport. A giant of Oklahoma.

Not that he ever once acted like it.

"When you said the word 'Prentice,' the next word you said was 'humble,'" said Bill Hancock, who officed next to Gautt for 10 years in the old Big Eight Conference.

Gautt was our Jackie Robinson. He broke a barrier and changed a society. He did so not with fire but with elegance, not with venom but with eloquence. Pure class, that was Prentice Gautt. Pure class and a gentle spirit and a thirst for excellence.

Fifty years ago, a group of Oklahoma City black professionals carefully selected Gautt to integrate the Sooner football team. They believed, like Branch Rickey with Robinson, that the content of character was just as important as athletic ability in breaking OU's color line.

Gautt never stopped proving right those doctors and pharmacists.



Dr. Prentice Gautt and OU Associate Athletics Director/Student Services Gerald Gurney

"You can't find anyone to say anything bad about Prentice," said Charlie Greene, who had known Gautt since summer days in the 1950s. "He was an astute person. Always polite. Professional, even back then."

Gautt's contribution to Oklahoma is not small. He has membership in an exclusive club. Gautt changed our culture.

He showed white Oklahomans that black players would only enhance, not harm, the Sooners' football tradition. Better yet, Gautt shined a path for young black boys, that the limits placed on their lives were not permanent.

The success of Gautt — a two-time All-Big Eight running back, 1958-59 — was a watershed moment for Oklahoma.

"Really, really important," said Russell Perry, who graduated a year behind Gautt at Douglass High School and now operates an OKC media company that includes the Black Chronicle newspaper.

"It changed so many other young African Americans. They stressed in school, you can do the same things as Prentice."

Just as black fans graced major league stadiums before Jackie Robinson, black Oklahomans watched the Sooners at Owen Field before 1957.

"That was OU's prime," Perry said. "OU was at the apex. We saw them on television. We would even go down to some of their games."

But Oklahoma's black youths knew their place. In 1955, when Gautt was a senior tailback at Douglass and Perry a junior quarterback, both were old enough to remember the Johnny Bright incident.

In a 1951 game at Stillwater, Drake's Bright — the first black to play on Lewis Field — suffered a fractured jaw on a vicious elbow by Oklahoma A&M's Wilbanks Smith. Drake officials claimed the blow was intentional, and a series of Des Moines Register photos, which eventually won a Pulitzer Prize, seemed to support the charge.

"We were products of segregation," Perry said. But when Gautt went to OU and became a star, the stain started to fade.

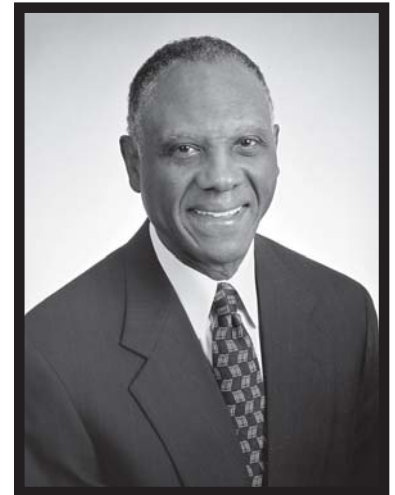
"It was kind of a reprieve for the state of Oklahoma," Perry said.

The integration of OU football came more than a decade before Texas or Arkansas did likewise. By the time the Longhorns and Razorbacks fully opened their doors, the Sooners had a black captain and a black quarterback.

It is reasonable to think that had Gautt not been such an ambassador, such a delightful pioneer, the racial walls would have crumbled much more slowly. Reasonable to think that Gautt sped up the process that gave every boy in Oklahoma, regardless of color, a reason to dream.

Said Perry, "It changed all our hopes." And to think, the drummer boy wanted no part of football.

But legendary Douglass coach Moses Miller finally convinced Gautt to give the sport a try. Soon enough, Bud Wilkinson was convinced to give Gautt a scholarship after those black professionals paid for Gautt's first semester at OU. Eventually, a state became convinced that segregation was not the way to go.



The Big 12 Conference family lost a dear friend and co-worker when Dr. Prentice Gautt passed away on March 17, 2005. Included on this page is a story that appeared in *The Daily Oklahoman* on his life.

Remembering Prentice....

"We have lost a wonderful friend, mentor and colleague. Prentice contributed so much to our conference and to college athletics as a whole. He was a true pioneer in college sports. His compassion and genuine caring spirit will always be remembered. I feel very fortunate to have worked with him."

- Kevin Weiberg, Big 12 commissioner

"He was classy. He was a role model for me. He was one of those people you never heard anybody say anything bad about."

- Kelvin Sampson, OU basketball coach

"There wasn't anybody who didn't like Prentice. He made us all better. Every day it was a pleasure to see Prentice Gautt. When you said the word Prentice, the next word you said was 'humble.'"

- Bill Hancock, NCAA Basketball Tournament media coordinator

"Prentice was one of the finest gentlemen I've met in my lifetime, and he was a great player, too. He was the kind of person who set the example that all of us needed to follow because he was bright, a perfect gentleman, a team player and just a delight to be around."

- Brewster Hobby, former OU player

"He was a great player and a great guy. He was just a really fine human being. I was privileged to be his teammate."

- Clendon Thomas, former OU player

"Prentice was really exceptionally bright, and I knew he would do well in whatever he wound up doing. And he was a very, very good football player. Prentice was a good guy, and he did a lot with his life."

- Bobby Boyd, former OU player

"Everybody respected him truly. I always said that if he hadn't been black he would have been All-American his sophomore year. And he was just a great person. There are a lot of good things you could say about him, and there are no bad things you could say about him. He was a great one."

- Joe Rector, former OU player

"He's one of the great men I've ever known. He was a great Christian guy. He's done so many things for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes over the years. He was just a cut above."

- Chuck Bowman, former OU player

"Prentice was a very humble guy, and he was probably the best student on the team. He was just a class guy in every way. He was just very much of a gentleman and very academic oriented."

- Jackie Sandefer, former OU player

"You just always got a warm feeling being around Prentice. He's a guy who has incredible qualities."

- Joe Castiglione, OU athletic director

"That's a tragic loss for our conference. He's one of the classiest guys that I've ever been around."

- Eddie Sutton, OSU basketball coach

"You never saw him without a smile on his face — that smile; that duck of the head with the handshake. This conference has lost a real giant."

- Steve Buzzard, OSU associate athletic director

"We know what he did for his race and for Oklahoma football, not only as a player but as a great citizen, a great leader."

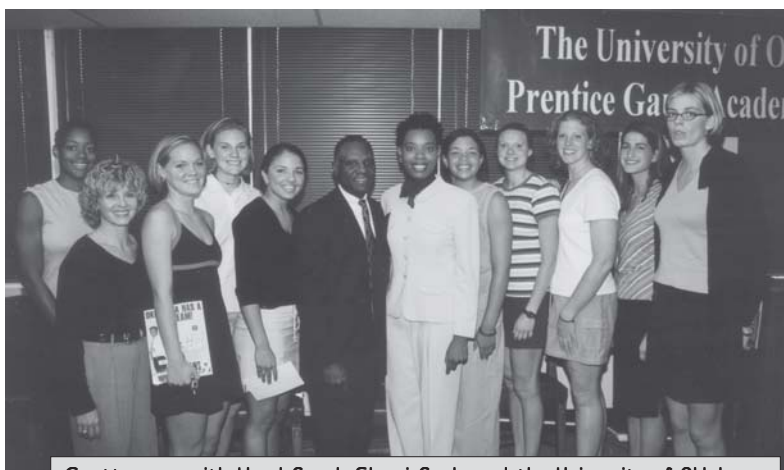
- Barry Switzer, former OU football coach

"He was just a super guy. Being the first black player, he took a lot of kidding, but he was so well-liked and such a damn good athlete. Nobody ever questioned him, and he certainly was never cocky at all."

- Jimmy Harris, former OU football player and coach

"Prentice was a gentle man and a gentleman. I don't think I've come across anybody who genuinely cared more about the student-athlete than Prentice. He had a disdain for people who did not want to play by the rules. He wanted to teach them how to play by the rules. He was the epitome of doing things the right way."

- Tim Allen, Big 12 Associate Commissioner



Gautt poses with Head Coach Sherri Coale and the University of Oklahoma women's basketball team after the dedication of the Dr. Prentice Gautt Academic Center



ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Performance in the classroom is just as important as accolades on the field when looking at the student-athlete. The Big 12 Conference recognizes student-athletes in four areas for academic achievement. Those areas include the Academic All-Big 12 Teams, Commissioner's Honor Roll, Phillips 66 Big 12 Classroom Champions, and the Big 12 Dr. Prentice Gautt Postgraduate Scholarship.

ACADEMIC ALL-BIG 12 TEAMS

Recognizing those student-athletes who excel in the classroom and on the field and court, the Big 12 has academic all-conference teams for all sports.

Nominated by the Directors of Student-Athlete Support Services and the Athletic Media Relations Directors, members of the all-academic teams have posted at least a 3.00 grade point average either cumulative or the previous two semesters and are regulars (i.e. letterwinners) on his or her respective team. First-team honorees are regulars who have at least a 3.20 GPA.

Last year, a few academic teams in the Big 12 exceeded 100 student-athletes recognized by the conference. In addition, student-athletes have gained recognition by being named to ESPN The Magazine/CoSIDA Academic All-America teams.

COMMISSIONER'S HONOR ROLL

Acknowledging all participants, the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll is an inclusive honor for all sports sponsored by the membership of the league. The Honor Roll is recorded and released each semester and recognizes those student-athletes who registered a 3.0 or better grade point average the previous semester.

Submitted through the Directors of Student-Athlete Support Services at each institution, those honored are not necessarily the stars on the field and court but those who participate on the team. They include the letterwinners and non-letterwinners and recognize every student-athlete who has excelled in the classroom.

More than 2,000 Big 12 student-athletes are named to the Commissioner's Honor Rolls at the end of each of semester.

PHILLIPS 66 CLASSROOM CHAMPION

As Phillips 66 Big 12 Classroom Champions, the conference recognizes 30 student-athletes per school who have excelled on the court and in the classroom. Chosen through the Big 12 membership, those honored are recognized throughout the year on the Big 12 telecasts, FSN and ESPN Regional Television.

DR. PRENTICE GAUTT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

With 72 student-athletes from all Big 12 schools honored over the last three years, the Dr. Prentice Gautt Postgraduate Scholarships' list has grown to 129 recipients since the 1996-97 academic year.

Additional funding prior to the 2002-03 selection process allowed each school to name two outstanding scholars to the annual list of honorees. Conference officers also voted to name the postgraduate scholarship program awards after longtime Big 12 and Big Eight Conference Associate Commissioner and student services' pioneer Dr. Prentice Gautt in 2004. Dr. Gautt passed away on March 17, 2005.

The all-time group has solid representation of scholars throughout the 21 sponsored Big 12 sports and has provided just under \$700,000 through the 2004-05 academic year for much-needed financial aid. Three faculty representatives, one senior woman administrator and one director of athletics form the selection group for the prestigious awards, which help the youngsters to continue their formal education. Since its inception the Dr. Prentice Gautt Postgraduate Scholarship program has produced over a dozen physicians, several attorneys for the underprivileged, college professors, Peace Corps volunteers and positions of national prominence.

Criteria for these awards include a cumulative grade point average of 3.500 on a 4.0 scale, participation in at least two years of intercollegiate athletics at the scholar-athlete's respective institution, and completion of athletics' eligibility. The scholar-athletes also must graduate from their respective member institutions within 15 months of their selection as postgraduate scholarship recipients and are expected to enroll in graduate/professional schools within 15 months after they graduate.

The \$2,500 individual annual grants began in 1996-97, were raised to \$5,000 in 1999 and climbed to \$6,900 after the 2003-04 term. Most honorees in recent years have also been named to Academic All-Big 12 Conference teams as well as the Big 12 Commissioner's Honor Roll.

2004-05 RECIPIENTS

DR. PRENTICE GAUTT BIG 12 POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Stephen Sepulveda	Baylor	Football	Daniel Bruce	Nebraska	Baseball
Lori Viggiano	Baylor	Soccer	Richelle Simpson	Nebraska	Gymnastics
Andrew Miller	Colorado	Track & Field	Joshua Gore	Oklahoma	Gymnastics
Liza Negriff	Colorado	Track & Field	Emily Milberger	Oklahoma	Golf
Daniel Zelik	Iowa State	Track & Field	James Lake	Oklahoma State	Track & Field
Kelly Burke	Iowa State	Soccer	Megan Carey	Oklahoma State	Softball
John Nielsen	Kansas	Football	Trey Bates	Texas	Football
Kimberlee Clark	Kansas	Track & Field	Jamie Carey	Texas	Basketball
Erik Sproll	Kansas State	Track & Field	Anthony Alfier	Texas A&M	Track & Field
Stephanie Limoges	Kansas State	Golf	Lauren Walker	Texas A&M	Tennis
Jacob Thomas	Missouri	Swimming & Diving	Michael Innerebner	Texas Tech	Tennis
Karen Bauer	Missouri	Soccer	Daneen Grisham	Texas Tech	Volleyball

LIFE SKILLS & SPECIAL OLYMPICS



Two key aspects in the "Total Person" education of Big 12 Conference student-athletes are the life skills programs and key assistance for Special Olympics.

Both areas have been integral parts of the Big 12 Conference mission since its inception and continue to be significant and were augmented in 1996 by Dr. Prentice Gautt, a trendsetter in college athletics, life skills, student services, and community action as well as the first African-American football student-athlete at the University of Oklahoma.

With the assistance of conference staff, directors of student services and other key agencies, this group of talented youngsters has provided feedback for Big 12 administrators. The Student-Athletes Advisory Committee has been proactive in promoting NCAA legislation, providing feedback to the Conference Office, and conference representatives in guidelines for Big 12 academic honor teams, the Commissioner's Honor Roll and other areas of recognition for classroom accomplishments.

Recent SAAC meetings also have included visits to children at area medical facilities as well as input for service projects for student-athletes throughout the league.

Besides such life skills' and athletics' areas as eligibility concerns, time spent between studies, events and practice sessions, placement in the business world, or graduate school opportunities, the program emphasizes "Stay in School" motivational speeches, anti-violence messages, anti-drug/addictive behavior, "YES," and other community-designed programs.

Both life skills and Special Olympics receive ample coverage in the Big 12 through such areas as the Community Champions Awards often featured on the Big 12 Showcase telecasts. They also are given pregame and halftime scoreboard recognition slots at all conference schools, scholarship programs, and a series of free clinics in such sports as youth football, soccer, volleyball, men's and women's basketball, softball and baseball, among others. A conference-wide printed and electronically-distributed newsletter for life skills also has been produced, and several schools promote similar publications or on-line information.

Special Olympics, the Big 12's charity of choice since May 1996, has held a special place in the hearts of many in the conference for years before the current association.

The Big 12 works closely with the statewide Special Olympics' organizations in Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Texas to coordinate projects, provide information, and invite Olympians to attend events such as media or fan appreciation days for various Big 12 sports.

For five decades current Big 12 members have provided facilities with a combined capacity of just over one million fans for Special Olympics' competition in the always-popular sports of track and field, softball, swimming and diving, weightlifting and wrestling. The national program, which was founded by members of the extended family of late President John F. Kennedy and which receives financial support from worldwide charitable sources, has earned the title "Most Credible Charity in America"

in a survey by Chronicle of Philanthropy and "Top Charity" among Time Magazine subscribers.

Specifically, some cooperative highlights of the Big 12 and Special Olympics have been public service announcements appearing on most league telecasts, donations to the charity by Big 12 student-athletes and fans, clinics with league coaches, student-athletes and interaction with the Olympians, and special seasonal camps in several sports. Both regionally and nationally, there has been Big 12 involvement in Special Olympics' meetings. Conference schools and the league office also have helped to arrange for Big 12 head coaches, student-athletes, and administrators to meet with their Special Olympics' counterparts. Many Big 12 school dignitaries also have devoted their talents to opening ceremonies and awards' events.

The chances to create dialogue, friendship and hugs among the Special Olympians and interested groups from Big 12 schools have brought both groups ample satisfaction.



Special Olympics
Training for Life



Coaches and student-athletes throughout the Big 12 Conference take pride in working with Special Olympics on many different occasions.

The Big 12 annually recognizes its top male and female athlete and sportsperson. The Athlete of the Year Awards are selected based on athletic performance, academic achievement and citizenship within the academic year of nomination. The Sportspersons of the Year Award was started prior to the 2000-01 academic year to recognize student-athletes who displayed an extraordinary degree of sportsmanship and/or community service from within the conference. Honorees are selected by a media panel.

In 2004-05, the Big 12 Athletes of the Year were Cat Osterman and Derrick Johnson. Both compete for the University of Texas. The Sportsperson of the Year winners were Richelle Simpson from Nebraska and Ahmard Hall from Texas.

Osterman, who will be a senior on the Texas softball squad this season, was named the USA Softball Collegiate Player of the Year in 2005 for the second time (2003). Johnson completed his collegiate football career at UT in 2004. He was honored with the Nagurski Trophy as the nation's top defensive player and the Butkus Award as college football's top linebacker.

Simpson recently completed a stellar career at NU, winning honors as the nation's top gymnast in 2005. A nine-time All-America selection, she responded strongly to adversity after multiple knee injuries, including one that ended her career. She was very active in the community, with extensive leadership activities. Hall is a veteran who served four years of active duty in the Marines, including tours in Kosovo and Operation Enduring Freedom. He has participated in many community projects and has been known for his unselfishness. After joining the Texas football team as a walk-on in 2003, the senior enters this fall as UT's starting fullback.

BIG 12 ATHLETES & SPORTSPERSONS OF THE YEAR

Athletes of the Year

2004-05	Cat Osterman, Texas Softball (Female) Derrick Johnson, Texas Football (Male)
2003-04	Nicole Ohlde, Kansas State Basketball (Female) Jason White, Oklahoma Football (Male)
2002-03	Cat Osterman, Texas Softball (Female) Nick Collison, Kansas Basketball (Male)
2001-02	Stacey Dales-Schuman, Oklahoma Basketball (Female) Cael Sanderson, Iowa State Wrestling (Male)
2000-01	Greichaly Cepero, Nebraska Volleyball/Basketball (Female) Josh Heupel, Oklahoma Football (Male)
1999-00	Erin Aldrich, Texas Volleyball/Track & Field (Female) Charles Howell, Oklahoma State Golf (Male)
1998-99	Suziann Reid, Texas Track (Female) Ricky Williams, Texas Football (Male)
1997-98	Vera Ilyina, Texas Diving (Female) Grant Wistrom, Nebraska Football (Male)
1996-97	Nanceen Perry, Texas Track (Female) Jacque Vaughn, Kansas Basketball (Male)

Sportspersons of the Year

Richelle Simpson, Nebraska Gymnastics (Female)
Ahmard Hall, Texas Football (Male)
Jessika Stratton, Baylor Basketball (Female)
Mark Clayton, Lynn McGruder, Oklahoma Football (Male)
Laura Pilakowski, Nebraska Volleyball (Female)
Jeff Leise, Nebraska Baseball (Male)
Natalie Ritchie, Texas Tech Basketball (Female)
Cael Sanderson, Iowa State Wrestling (Male)
Kim Woodlee, Kansas State Basketball (Female)
Dan Alexander, Nebraska Football (Male)



Ahmard Hall
University of Texas



Richelle Simpson
University of Nebraska



Cat Osterman
University of Texas



Derrick Johnson
University of Texas

BIG 12 CONFERENCE SPORTSMANSHIP STATEMENT

The member institutions of the Big 12 Conference are committed to competition in an arena where sportsmanship and the sense of fair play take center stage. Whether on the field, within the community or in the classroom, those who make up the Big 12—its administrators, coaches, game officials and student-athletes—support the highest ideals in sportsmanship.

At the heart of sportsmanship is the commitment of the institutions towards respect for the opposition and those officiating contests in the 21 sports sponsored by the Big 12. It is with a sense of fair play that a true sporting demeanor in the spirit of intercollegiate competition can be created and maintained with a total regard for the welfare of student-athletes, coaches, support personnel and spectators.

Sportsmanship on the field of play is governed by Conference rules and guidelines, as well as those established under the NCAA and amateur organizations. It is the responsibility of game officials and administrators to see to strict adherence to these guidelines.

The behavior of spectators is managed by event personnel, who are encouraged to deal with interference or abuse of appropriate sporting behavior in the strictest of methods.

The Big 12 Conference and its member institutions appreciate the support of the majority of fans who wish to create an atmosphere of competition that allows the participants to showcase the game and their respective skills.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONS



BIG 12 TEAM NATIONAL CHAMPIONS (24)

Baseball (2)

2005 Texas
2002 Texas

Women's Basketball (1)

2005 Baylor

Men's Cross Country (2)

2004 Colorado
2001 Colorado

Women's Cross Country (2)

2004 Colorado
2000 Colorado

Football (2)

2000 Oklahoma
1997 Nebraska

Men's Golf (1)

2000 Oklahoma State

Women's Indoor Track & Field (2)

1999 Texas
1998 Texas

Women's Outdoor Track & Field (3)

2005 Texas
1999 Texas
1998 Texas

Softball (1)

2000 Oklahoma

Men's Swimming (3)

2002 Texas
2001 Texas
2000 Texas

Men's Tennis (1)

2004 Baylor

Women's Volleyball (1)

2000 Nebraska

Wrestling (3)

2005 Oklahoma State
2004 Oklahoma State
2003 Oklahoma State

Only championships won as members of the Big 12 (since 1996-97) in conference-sponsored sports are included

BIG 12 INDIVIDUAL NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

(2004-05 Only)

Men's Indoor Track & Field

DaBryan Blanton, Oklahoma (60m)

Women's Indoor Track & Field

Anne Shadle, Nebraska (1-mile run)
Renee Metivier, Colorado (3000m)
Amy Linnen, Kansas (Pole Vault)
Ashley Selig, Nebraska (Pentathlon)

Men's Outdoor Track & Field

Fabrice Lapierre, Texas A&M (Long Jump)
Darold Williamson, Baylor (400m)
Dmitrijs Mikevics, Nebraska (800m)
Leonel Manzano, Texas (1500m)
Trey Hardee, Texas (Decathlon)

Women's Outdoor Track & Field

Marshevet Hooker, Texas (100m)
Anne Shadle, Nebraska (1500m)
Sara Slattery, Colorado (10,000m)
Texas, 4x100 Relay
Texas, 4x400 Relay

Men's Tennis

Benedikt Dorsch, Baylor

Women's Tennis

Zuzana Zemenova, Baylor

Wrestling

Teyon Ware, Oklahoma
Zack Esposito, Oklahoma State
Johny Hendricks, Oklahoma State
Chris Pendleton, Oklahoma State
Jake Rosholt, Oklahoma State
Steve Mocco, Oklahoma State

ALL-TIME TEAM NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS BY BIG 12 INSTITUTIONS

(All Sports Played)

Oklahoma State	46
Texas	43
Oklahoma	23
Colorado	21
Nebraska	19
Iowa State	13
Kansas	9
Texas A&M	4
Baylor	2
Missouri	2
Texas Tech	1
Total	183



In 2004, Colorado became only the third school in NCAA history to win the men's and women's cross country national championships in the same season.













BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIPS

2005-06 POSTSEASON SCHEDULE













Date	Sport	Site	Location
October 28, 2005	Cross Country	Bear Run Cross Country Course	Waco, Texas
November 2, 4, 6	Women's Soccer	Blossom Stadium	San Antonio, Texas
December 3	Football	Reliant Stadium	Houston, Texas
February 22-25, 2006	Swimming & Diving	Mizzou Aquatics Center	Columbia, Mo.
February 24-25	Indoor Track & Field	Devaney Sports Center	Lincoln, Neb.
March 4	Wrestling	Hilton Coliseum	Ames, Iowa
March 7-9, 11	Women's Basketball	Reunion Arena	Dallas, Texas
March 9-12	Men's Basketball	American Airlines Center	Dallas, Texas
March 25	Women's Gymnastics	Devaney Sports Center	Lincoln, Neb.
April 17-19	Women's Golf	Country Club of Lincoln	Lincoln, Neb.
April 24-25	Men's Golf	Southern Hills Country Club	Tulsa, Okla.
April 27-30	Tennis	Baylor Tennis Center	Waco, Texas
May 10-13	Softball	ASA Hall of Fame Stadium	Oklahoma City, Okla.
May 12-14	Outdoor Track & Field	Hart-Patterson Track & Field Complex	Waco, Texas
May 24-28	Baseball	SBC Bricktown Ballpark	Oklahoma City, Okla.

For additional event and ticket information, visit the Big 12 web site at www.big12sports.com

ALL-TIME CHAMPIONSHIPS

												
MEN'S SPORTS												
Baseball	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	2	2	1
Basketball	0	0	2	5	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0
Cross Country	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Football	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	1	1	0
Golf	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0
Indoor Track & Field	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	1	0	0
Outdoor Track & Field	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	3	1	1
Swimming & Diving	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0
Tennis	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0
Wrestling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	0
TOTALS	8	10	2	6	1	0	17	6	12	23	5	2

Co- and multi-championships are included. Men's basketball: 2004-05—Kansas, Oklahoma; Baseball: 2005—Baylor, Nebraska. Football divisional champions are: 1996-North: Nebraska, South-Texas; 1997-North: Nebraska, South: Texas A&M; 1998-North: Kansas State, South: Texas A&M; 1999-North: Nebraska, South: Texas; 2000-North: Kansas State, South-Oklahoma; 2001-North: Colorado, South: Texas; 2002-North: Colorado, South: Oklahoma, Texas; 2003-North: Kansas State, South: Oklahoma; 2004-North: Colorado, South: Oklahoma.

												
WOMEN'S SPORTS												
Basketball	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	3
Cross Country	0	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Golf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	2	1	0
Gymnastics	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0
Indoor Track & Field	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	0
Outdoor Track & Field	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	5	0	0
Soccer	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	1	3	0
Softball	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	3	0	2	1	0
Swimming & Diving	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	7	0	0
Tennis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	1	0
Volleyball	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0	1	0	0
TOTALS	4	9	2	2	5	1	29	8	6	31	6	3

Co- and multi-championships are included. Basketball: 1999-00—Iowa State, Oklahoma, Texas Tech; 2003-04—Kansas State, Texas; Tennis: 2001—Oklahoma State, Texas; 2003—Baylor, Texas A&M; Soccer: 2004—Kansas, Texas A&M. Oklahoma won the 1996 Big 12 softball title prior to the start of conference competition in the 1996-97 academic year.

SIX FROM BIG 12 ON PRESEASON WOODEN LIST

Six standouts from the Big 12 have been named to the preseason watch list for the 2005-06 Wooden Award All-America team. The following players have been recognized - Curtis Stinson (Iowa State), Taj Gray (Oklahoma), JamesOn Curry (Oklahoma State), Daniel Gibson (Texas), P.J. Tucker (Texas) and Jarrius Jackson (Texas Tech).



OU'S SAMPSON EARNS FREQUENT FLYER MILES

Oklahoma head coach Kelvin Sampson logged some serious frequent flyer miles this summer, as he traveled to Kuwait with several other top NCAA coaches to coach U.S. military basketball teams in "Operation Hardwood - Hoops With The Troops". The event, organized by the Department of Defense, showcases America's support for men and women in the armed forces. Sampson's team - American troops from Camp Ali Al Salem in Kuwait - finished third out of eight squads. The team barely missed

the finals after a 56-49 double-overtime loss.

Joining Sampson as coaches in the event were Tom Izzo (Michigan State), Mark Gottfried (Alabama), Dave Odom (South Carolina), Bobby Lutz (Charlotte), Mike Jarvis, Bobby Cremins and ESPN analyst Jay Bilas.

YOUNG GUNS BACK IN TOWN

Last season, the Big 12 boasted arguably the best freshman class in conference history. Five of the top 11 all-time freshman scoring totals in league annals were posted in 2004-05, led by Baylor's Aaron Bruce with 509 points. In fact, the top freshman scorer of all-time is still in the Big 12, as Iowa State's Curtis Stinson takes the court for his junior campaign.

All-Time Big 12 Freshman Scoring Records

Player, School	Year	Total Points
Curtis Stinson, ISU	2003-04	534
Aaron Bruce, BU	2004-05	509
Lawrence Roberts, BU	2001-02	498
Richard Roby, CU	2004-05	480
Bernard King, TAMU	1999-00	474
Marcus Fizer, ISU	1997-98	447
Daniel Gibson, UT	2004-05	439
Joe McCray, NU	2004-05	433
Antoine Wright, TAMU	2002-03	406
John Lucas, BU	2001-02	395
Joseph Jones, TAMU	2004-05	394

(Active players in bold type)

WE'LL BE BUSY IN MARCH AGAIN

The Big 12 will once again host NCAA basketball action as first & second round games will be played at the American Airlines Center in Dallas on March 17 and 19. The league has hosted each year since 2001 in either Kansas City, Oklahoma City or Dallas.

Tickets for the games are on sale through the American Airlines Center box office at or online via the men's basketball page at www.big12sports.com.

BIG 12 GOES INTERNATIONAL

The Big 12 was well-represented at the FIBA U21 World Championships for Young Men, as three standouts from last season competed in the event. The games took place from August 5-14 in Mar del Plata, Argentina.

Player	School	Country
Taj Gray	Oklahoma	United States
Aaron Bruce	Baylor	Australia
Aleks Maric	Nebraska	Australia

In addition to the three players above, incoming Texas A&M junior Antanas Kalaliskas was part of the gold medal-winning Lithuanian team. He had nine points and five rebounds in the finals, a 65-63 victory over Greece.

WINNING AGAINST OTHERS

The Big 12 had a .763 winning percentage in non-conference play last season, the highest in league history. The Big 12 has had the top four non-conference victory totals in league annals over the past four seasons.

2005-06 Non-Conference Records

ACC	122-34 (.782)
Big East	118-36 (.766)
Big 12	119-37 (.763)
Pac-10	85-31 (.733)
SEC	119-46 (.721)
Big Ten	108-47 (.697)
Conference USA	130-66 (.663)

TOP COACHES MENTOR IN THE BIG 12

If you are looking for some of the top men's basketball coaches in the United States, look no further than the Big 12. The nation's two winningest coaches - Bob Knight and Eddie Sutton - both patrol the sidelines in the league. Knight ranks first all-time with 854 victories, while Sutton is second with 781 wins. Ten of the league's 12 head coaches boast more than 100 career victories.

BIG 12 SEES SUCCESS ON HARDWOOD AND GRIDIRON

The Big 12 is the only conference in America that has three teams that won postseason bowl games and had both their men's and women's basketball teams invited to the NCAA Championship. Iowa State, Texas and Texas Tech pulled off the unique trifecta. The other schools to accomplish the feat were Boston College, Connecticut, Louisville, Minnesota and Utah. A fourth Big 12 squad (Oklahoma) had both its teams in NCAA play, but dropped a decision in its bowl appearance this past season.



JAYHAWKS LEAD LOADED FIELD IN MAUI

Kansas will travel to Maui, Hawaii from Nov. 21-23 to compete in the EA Sports Maui Invitational. The tournament will boast one of the best in-season fields of all-time, with six former national champions taking the court - Kansas, Arizona, Arkansas, Connecticut, Maryland and Michigan State. Gonzaga and host Chaminade round out the field. The Jayhawks will face Arizona in the opening round.



MISSOURI IS BIG 12 SQUAD IN PRESEASON NIT

Missouri is slated to be the Big 12 squad competing in the annual Preseason NIT. The Tigers will host Sam Houston State in the opening round. A victory would

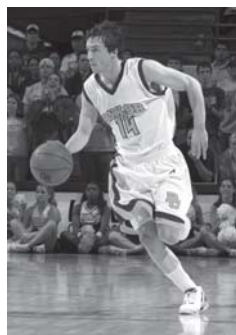
advance MU to a second-round matchup with Drexel or Princeton at a site to be determined.

SCORERS SET TO SHOOT AGAIN

Ten of the top 20 overall Big 12 scoring leaders will be back for 2005-06. All but one of the 10 players was a freshman or a sophomore last year.

Big 12 Top Returning Scorers

Player, School	Avg.
Aaron Bruce, Baylor	18.2
Curtis Stinson, Iowa State	17.2
Richard Roby, Colorado	16.0
Joe McCray, Nebraska	15.5
Jarrius Jackson, Texas Tech	15.3
Taj Gray, Oklahoma	14.6
Daniel Gibson, Texas	14.2
Joseph Jones, Texas A&M	12.7
Tim Bush, Baylor	12.7
Martin Zeno, Texas Tech	12.5



Aaron Bruce, Baylor

BIG 12 LEADS NATION IN RECENT FINAL FOURS

Over the last four years, the Big 12 has had five teams advance to the Final Four. The league is one of only five to have a school participate in the Final Four during that time. The five squads is more than any conference in the country.

Final Four Teams (2002-05)

1. Big 12	5
2. ACC	4
3. Big Ten	3
4. Big East	2
Conference USA	2

BIG 12 HAS MULTIPLE REPRESENTATIVES IN REGIONAL SEMIFINALS (AGAIN)

For the fourth straight season, the Big 12 had at least two teams in NCAA Regional Semifinals. Oklahoma State played Arizona in the Chicago Regional in 2005, while Texas Tech faced West Virginia in the Albuquerque Regional. The league is one of only three (Big East, ACC) that can boast the feat over the last four seasons.

BIG 12 LED NATION WITH SIX IN '05 DANCE

The Big 12 had six teams earn bids to the NCAA Championship in 2005, tied with the Big East for the most entries of any conference in the country. It is the fifth time in Big 12 history (2000, '01, '02, '03) that the league has placed six squads in the "Big Dance."

BIG 12 IS SWEET OVER THE PAST FOUR YEARS

Since the 2002 season, the Big 12 leads the nation in the number of regional semifinalists. The conference has had 12 squads qualify for the "Sweet 16" during that time.

Regional Semifinalists Since 2002

Big 12	12
Big East	11
Atlantic Coast	10
Big Ten	8
Pacific-10	6
Southeastern	6

BIG 12 BOASTS STRONG POSTSEASON RECORD

The Big 12 has 30 NCAA victories since the 2003 season, second among all conferences.

Most NCAA Wins ~ Last Three Seasons (2003-05)

Big East	31-14 (.688)
Big 12	30-16 (.652)
Atlantic Coast	28-13 (.683)
Big Ten	22-13 (.629)
Southeastern	18-17 (.514)
Conference USA	16-14 (.533)

WE'RE USED TO THE POSTSEASON

Big 12 teams are used to seeing postseason play. Three squads - Kansas, Oklahoma State and Texas - rank among the top 12 in the nation in most consecutive NCAA appearances. In fact, the Big 12 is the only league in America with three teams on the list.

Consecutive NCAA Appearances

1. Arizona	21
2. KANSAS	16
3. Kentucky	14
Cincinnati	14
5. Stanford	11
6. Duke	10
7. OKLAHOMA STATE	8
Michigan State	8
9. TEXAS	7
Gonzaga	7
Wisconsin	7
Florida	7

SIXTEEN BIG 12 TEAMS EARN POSTSEASON BIDS

The success of the Big 12 wasn't limited to the men's side, as the conference also placed eight women's teams in postseason play. Six teams qualified for the NCAAs (including National Champion Baylor), while Nebraska and Texas A&M were chosen for the WNIT. The 16 total bids was second among all conferences in the country. In the first nine years of the Big 12, league men's and women's teams have combined to earn 134 postseason invitations (101 NCAA, 33 NIT).



KU RADIO LEGEND TAKES FAREWELL TOUR

Kansas Hall-of-Fame radio broadcaster Max Falkenstein has announced he will retire as color commentator on the Jayhawk radio networks after the last game of the 2005-06 season - his 60th covering KU athletics.

Falkenstein broadcast his first basketball game - an NCAA Tournament contest between Kansas and Oklahoma A&M - on March 18, 1946. He was play-by-play voice for KU for 39 years, before switching to color commentary in 1984. In addition to being honored by the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame, Falkenstein has also been recognized by the College Football Hall of Fame.



TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME!

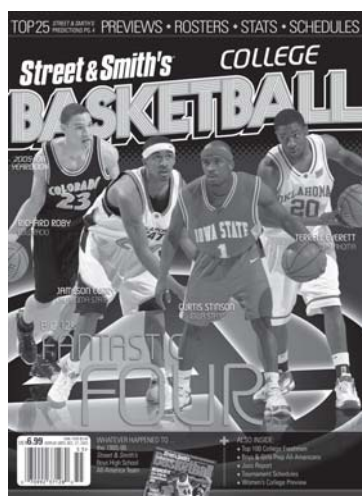
Big 12 head coaches have made appearances in other places besides the hardwood - namely Wrigley Field in Chicago, home of the Cubs. This past season, Oklahoma State head coach Eddie Sutton sang "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" on September 12 during the seventh-inning stretch of the Cubs' game against Cincinnati. He becomes the third active Big 12 head coach to lead the singing since broadcaster Harry Caray passed away. In addition to Sutton, KU's Bill Self and OU's Kelvin Sampson have tried their hand at the well-known baseball tradition.

PRESEASON MAGAZINES LIKE BIG 12

The preseason national magazines have begun to hit the newsstands and as usual, the Big 12 is receiving plenty of publicity.

Street & Smith's has three Big 12 teams in its top 12 nationally. Texas checks in at No. 5, followed by Oklahoma at No. 6. Iowa State earned a No. 12 preseason ranking. The three teams in the top 12 ties for the most of any conference in the country (Big East).

Athlon Magazine does not select a top 25 poll, but does have two conference teams in the final 16 of the NCAA's. Texas and Oklahoma were predicted to reach the regional semifinal round. In fact, Athlon has UT advancing all the way to the NCAA Championship game.



BY THE NUMBERS

- 1 - Opponents that shot more than 48 percent from the field against Texas A&M last season. The Aggies finished tied for second in the Big 12 in field goal percentage defense, holding foes to 39.4 percent - a mark that was 17th nationally.
- 4 - Consecutive 20-win seasons for Texas Tech under head coach Bob Knight. Prior to the current streak, the Red Raiders had posted eight 20-win campaigns in 76 years.
- 5 - Categories in which Aaron Bruce of Baylor placed among the top 11 league statistical leaders. He was second in the Big 12 in scoring (18.2 ppg), third in free throw percentage (82.8) and field goals made (2.46), seventh in field goal percentage (47.1) and 11th in assists (3.75).
- 5 - Wins by Iowa State over nationally-ranked opponents last season. The total was more than any other Big 12 squad.
- 5 - Nebraska players who were named to the Academic All-Big 12 First Team a year ago, more than any team in the conference. Three of those players - Jason Dourisseau, Bronsen Schliep and Tony Wilbrand - are on the roster again in 2005-06.
- 6 - The number of 20 win teams in the Big 12 last season, the sixth time in nine seasons the conference has had at least six 20-win squads. The most in one year is seven, posted during the 2002-03 season.
- 6 - Games won by Oklahoma State at the Phillips 66 Big 12 Championship over the past two seasons. Prior to the current winning streak, the Cowboys had won six total games in the event over the first seven years of the conference.
- 9 - Years in which Kansas has led the Big 12 in home attendance. The Jayhawks have ranked first in the league in the category every season since the conference was formed in 1996-97.
- 12 - Double-doubles by Oklahoma's Taj Gray last season. The total was tied for second in the conference and is the most among returning players.
- 21 - Rebounds by Brad Buckman of Texas at Colorado last season. The total was the most in the Big 12 in 2004-05. He also had 27 points, the seventh player in league history to post 20 or more points and rebounds in the same contest.
- 60 - Number of games it took Iowa State's Curtis Stinson to reach 1,000 career points. The junior guard was the third-fastest player in Cyclone history to reach the mark when he did so last season.
- 100 - Percent of scoring that Colorado returns from last season. The Buffaloes are the only team in the Big 12 that returns all five starters.
- 116 - Assists by Kansas State's Clint Stewart last season, a KSU freshman record. He finished with 4.00 per game, the best average by a Big 12 freshman and a mark that ranked eighth in the league overall.



BIG 12 ON THE AIRWAVES

Since the first year of the league, the Big 12 has always assured its teams of extensive national television coverage. This season, the Big 12 Conference continues its long-standing relationship with the ESPN family of networks, including ESPN, ESPN2, ESPN Regional and ABC.

In addition, Conference games are provided to CBS through the partnership with ESPN. The current Big 12 agreement runs through the 2007-08 academic year.

Several Big 12 contests will be shown on each network during the 2005-06 season. The following telecasts were known at press time.



Sat., January 21	Texas Tech at Oklahoma	Noon
Sat., February 11	Oklahoma State at Texas A&M	2:30 p.m.
Sat., February 18	Iowa State at Oklahoma	Noon
Sun., February 19	Texas at Oklahoma State	12:30 p.m.
Sat., February 25	Texas Tech at Oklahoma State	Noon



Sat., December 10	Texas vs. Duke	12:30 p.m.
	Oklahoma State vs. Gonzaga	3:00 p.m.
Sat., January 14	Villanova at Texas	Noon
Sun., February 5	Oklahoma at Kansas	Noon
Sat., February 18	Missouri at Kansas	2:45 p.m.
Sun., March 5	Oklahoma at Texas	3:00 p.m.



Mon., November 21	Kansas vs. Arizona	8:00 p.m.
Tue., November 22	Kansas vs. Arkansas or Connecticut	3:00 or 8:30 p.m.
Wed., November 23	Kansas vs. To Be Determined	TBA
Sat., December 3	Oklahoma at Villanova	4:00 p.m.
Tue., December 6	Kansas vs. Saint Joseph's	6:00 p.m.
Sat., December 10	Kansas vs. California	11:00 a.m.
Sat., December 17	Tennessee at Texas	1:00 p.m.
	Texas Tech at UNLV	9:00 p.m.
Wed., December 21	Missouri vs. Illinois	7:00 p.m.
Wed., December 28	Oklahoma State at UAB	6:30 p.m.
Sat., December 31	Alabama at Oklahoma	3:30 p.m.
Mon., January 2	Texas at Memphis	1:30 p.m.
Sat., January 7	Kentucky at Kansas	11:00 a.m.
Mon., January 9	Texas at Iowa State	8:00 p.m.
Sat., January 14	Iowa State at Texas Tech	11:00 a.m.
Mon., January 16	Kansas at Missouri	6:00 p.m.
Sat., January 21	Nebraska at Kansas	3:00 p.m.
Mon., January 23	Oklahoma State at Texas	8:00 p.m.
Sat., January 28	Kansas at Iowa State	11:00 a.m.
Sat., February 4	Texas A&M at Texas	1:00 p.m.
Sat., February 11	Nebraska at Texas	3:00 p.m.
Mon., February 13	Kansas at Oklahoma State	8:00 p.m.
Mon., February 20	Oklahoma at Texas Tech	8:00 p.m.
Sat., February 25	Kansas at Texas	8:00 p.m.
Mon., February 27	Oklahoma State at Oklahoma	8:00 p.m.



Fri., November 11	Portland or Georgia Southern at Texas Tech	5:30 or 7:30 p.m.
Wed., November 16	Samford or Sacramento State at Texas	TBA

All times Central
Schedule, times and networks subject to change
Local institutional package games not included



Thu., December 1	Nevada at Kansas	8:00 p.m.
Fri., December 16	Iowa State vs. Ohio State	7:00 p.m.
Mon., December 19	Pepperdine at Kansas	6:00 p.m.
Wed., December 21	Texas Tech vs. Arkansas	9:00 p.m.
Thu., December 22	Oklahoma State vs. Tennessee	5:00 p.m.
	Oklahoma vs. West Virginia	7:30 p.m.
	New Orleans at Kansas	6:30 p.m.
Thu., December 29	Texas A&M at Oklahoma State	8:00 p.m.
Wed., January 11	Oklahoma at Texas A&M	1:00 p.m.
Sat., January 14	Texas at Oklahoma	8:00 p.m.
Sat., January 28	Texas Tech at Kansas	8:00 p.m.
Mon., January 30	Texas at Missouri	8:00 p.m.
Wed., February 1	Texas at Texas Tech	8:00 p.m.
Mon., February 6	Oklahoma at Colorado	8:30 p.m.
Wed., February 15	Texas at Kansas State	7:00 p.m.
Wed., February 22	Texas at Texas A&M	7:00 p.m.
Wed., March 1		



Sat., January 7	Oklahoma at Nebraska	12:30 p.m.
	Colorado at Texas	3:00 p.m.
	Kansas State at Iowa State	7:00 p.m.
Tue., January 10	Missouri at Oklahoma	7:00 p.m.
Sat., January 14	Kansas State at Kansas	12:45 p.m.
	Oklahoma State at Baylor	3:00 p.m.
	Colorado at Missouri	5:00 p.m.
Tue., January 17	Texas Tech at Texas	8:00 p.m.
Sat., January 21	Texas A&M at Iowa State	12:30 p.m.
	Colorado at Oklahoma State	3:00 p.m.
	Texas at Baylor	3:00 p.m.
	Missouri at Kansas State	7:00 p.m.
Sat., January 28	Oklahoma State at Texas Tech	12:30 p.m.
	Missouri at Nebraska	3:00 p.m.
Tue., January 31	Nebraska at Oklahoma State	7:00 p.m.
Wed., February 1	Texas A&M at Oklahoma	7:00 p.m.
Sat., February 4	Missouri at Texas Tech	12:30 p.m.
	Oklahoma State at Kansas State	3:00 p.m.
	Baylor at Nebraska	8:00 p.m.
Sun., February 5	Colorado at Iowa State	1:00 p.m.
Wed., February 8	Oklahoma at Oklahoma State	8:00 p.m.
Sat., February 11	Baylor at Oklahoma	12:30 p.m.
	Iowa State at Kansas	3:00 p.m.
	Texas Tech at Colorado	3:00 p.m.
Sat., February 18	Texas A&M at Baylor	12:30 p.m.
	Colorado at Kansas State	12:30 p.m.
	Texas Tech at Nebraska	3:00 p.m.
Wed., February 22	Oklahoma State at Iowa State	8:00 p.m.
Sat., February 25	Missouri at Colorado	12:30 p.m.
	Iowa State at Baylor	12:30 p.m.
	Nebraska at Texas A&M	3:00 p.m.
	Kansas State at Oklahoma	3:00 p.m.
Sat., March 4	Texas A&M at Texas Tech	12:30 p.m.
	Kansas at Kansas State	12:30 p.m.
Sun., March 5	Nebraska at Missouri	1:00 p.m.

Big 12/ESPN Plus+ Television Package

In addition to the numerous nationally-televised games involving Big 12 teams, a number of games will be broadcast throughout the Big 12 footprint as part of the conference's partnership with ESPN Plus+.

Most of the ESPN Plus+ games will also be available as part of ESPN FullCourt, the pay subscription college basketball outer-market service.

A partial list of stations carrying the Big 12/ESPN Plus+ package is included below. Several stations will likely be added after press time, so be sure to check the Big 12 web site at www.big12sports.com for the latest information and updates.

City, State	Station
Abilene, Texas	KIDZ
Albuquerque-Santa Fe, New Mexico	KASY
Amarillo, Texas	KCIT
Austin, Texas	KBEJ
Cedar Rapids-Waterloo, Iowa	KCRG
Colorado Springs, Colorado	Altitude
Columbia-Jefferson City, Missouri	KMIZ
Corpus Christi, Texas	KTOV
Dallas-Ft. Worth, Texas	KFWD
Denver, Colorado	Altitude
Des Moines, Iowa	WOI
Ft. Smith-Fayetteville, Arkansas	KDFD
Houston, Texas	KNWS
Joplin, Missouri-Pittsburg, Kansas	KOAM
Kansas City, Missouri	KSHB
Kansas City, Missouri	KMCI
Lincoln-Hastings, Nebraska	KLKN
Little Rock-Pine Bluff, Arkansas	KWBF
Lubbock, Texas	KJTV
North Platte, Nebraska	KNOP/KIIT
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma	KOCB
Omaha, Nebraska	Cox Cable
Ottumwa-Kirksville, Missouri	KYOU
Paducah, Texas	KBSI/WDKA
San Angelo, Texas	KIDZ
San Antonio, Texas	KBEJ
Springfield, Missouri	KWBM
St. Louis, Missouri	KDNL
Topeka, Kansas	WIBW
Tulsa, Oklahoma	KJRH
Tyler-Longview, Texas	KLPN
Waco-Bryan, Texas	KCEN
Wichita-Hutchinson, Kansas	KSAS



Ron Franklin, ESPN



Fran Fraschilla, ESPN

The Big 12 On The Radio

In addition to its extensive television coverage, Big 12 basketball games are broadcast by major commercial stations, wide-ranging radio networks and satellite radio.

School	Flagship Station(s)	Frequency	Satellite Radio
Baylor	KRZI (ESPN Radio)	1660 AM	
Colorado	KKZN	760 AM	Sirius
Iowa State	KASI	1430 AM	Sirius
	KCCQ	105.1 FM	
Kansas	KLWN	1320 AM	Sirius
	KLZR	105.9 FM	
Kansas State	KMAN	1350 AM	
Missouri	KFRU	1400 AM	Sirius
Nebraska	KLIN	1400 AM	Sirius
	KFAB	1110 AM	
Oklahoma	KOKC (OKC)	1520 AM	Sirius
	KFAQ (Tulsa)	1170 AM	
Oklahoma State	KXXY (OKC)	96.1 FM	Sirius
	KSPI	93.7 FM	
	KSPI	780 AM	
Texas	KVET	1300 AM	Sirius
	KVET	98.1 FM	
Texas A&M	KAGG	96.1 FM	Sirius
Texas Tech	KKAM	1340 AM	Sirius

Several Big 12 schools have their games broadcast on far-reaching radio networks. The networks include (affiliates): Baylor-ISP Sports Network (2), Cyclone Radio Network (35), Jayhawk Radio Network (27), K-State Sports Network (31), Tiger Network (51), Pinnacle Sports Radio Network -Nebraska (26), Sooner Sports Radio Network (26), Cowboy Sports Network (24), Longhorn Sports Network (24), Texas A&M Sports Network (22), All Sports Radio Network - Texas Tech (11).



PHILLIPS 66 BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP

The 2006 Phillips 66 Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship will take place in Dallas this season for the third time in four years. The American Airlines Center will host the first of two straight weekends of "March Madness", beginning March 9.

The format will continue as it was last season, with all 12 member institutions participating and seeding based on regular season finish. The top four squads in the conference standings earn first-round byes. The Big 12 Tournament Champion earns the league's automatic bid to the 65-team NCAA Championship field. The entire Big 12 Championship will be televised on ESPN, ESPN2, ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU.



Mileage Chart to Dallas, Texas

Ames, Iowa	782	Lincoln, Neb.	640
Austin, Texas	197	Lubbock, Texas	346
Boulder, Colo.	900	Manhattan, Kan.	518
College Station, Texas	188	Norman, Okla.	190
Columbia, Mo.	677	Stillwater, Okla.	269
Lawrence, Kan.	519	Waco, Texas	96

American Airlines Center

Opening Date July 28, 2001

Address 2500 Victory Avenue
Dallas, Texas

Ticket Information www.big12sports.com

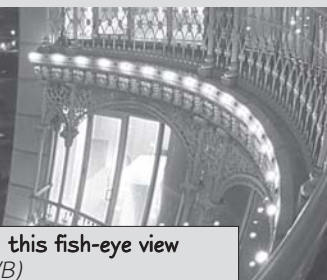
All Sessions Championship Ticket Prices \$330, \$300, \$210

Single-Session Ticket Prices \$55, \$50, \$35



Dallas, Texas ~ Did You Know?

- Dallas boasts more restaurants per capita than New York City.
- Dallas has more shopping centers per capita than any other major U.S. city.
- The Dallas area has more than 100 area golf courses.
- Dallas' Farmers Market is one of the largest open-air markets in the country.
- The Dallas World Aquarium is home to a 200,000 gallon freshwater aquarium tank, the largest in the world.
- The frozen margarita, a cocktail made of tequila, lime juice, sugar and salt, was invented in Dallas.
- Dallas has the largest concentrated urban arts district in the nation.
- There are more than 160 museums, galleries and artistic attractions in Dallas.
- The Dallas Arboretum features the largest publicly maintained collection of azaleas in the United States.
- The historic McKinney Avenue Trolley, which operates daily, is one of the largest volunteer-run systems in the world.
- The State Fair of Texas is held annually in Dallas and is the largest exposition in North America with over 3 million people in attendance. The Fair runs for 24 days each fall and has been in the same location since 1886.
- Highland Park Village Shopping Center, developed in 1931, holds the distinction of being the first shopping center in America.
- NorthPark Center was the first covered shopping mall in the United States.



Dallas, one of the nation's fastest growing cities, displays its bright skyline view in this fish-eye view from The Crescent Court Hotel. (Credit: Jack Hollingsworth/Stock Studios/Dallas CVB)

PHILLIPS 66 BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP



Thursday-Sunday, March 9-12
American Airlines Center -- Dallas, Texas

First Round
 Thursday, March 9

Quarterfinals
 Friday, March 10

Semifinals
 Saturday, March 11

Championship
 Sunday, March 12

No. 8 Seed

Game 1
 11:30 a.m.
 ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU

No. 9 Seed

Game 5
 11:30 a.m.
 ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU

No. 1 Seed

No. 5 Seed

Game 2
 2:00 p.m.
 ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU

No. 12 Seed

Game 6
 2:00 p.m.
 ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU

No. 4 Seed

No. 7 Seed

Game 3
 6:00 p.m.
 ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU

No. 10 Seed

Game 7
 6:00 p.m.
 ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU

No. 2 Seed

No. 6 Seed

Game 4
 8:30 p.m.
 ESPN2 and ESPNU

No. 11 Seed

Game 8
 8:30 p.m.
 ESPN Plus+ and ESPNU

No. 3 Seed

Game 9
 1:00 p.m.
 ESPN Plus+ or ESPN2*



Game 11
 2:00 p.m.
 ESPN

Big 12 Champion

Game 10
 3:20 p.m.
 ESPN Plus+ or ESPN2*

Future Championship Dates

2007: March 8-11
 2008: March 13-16
 2009: March 12-15
 2010: March 11-14

All times Central Standard
 *-Telecast shown on ESPN Plus+ stations in Big 12 markets, on ESPN2 nationally



2006 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP

CHAMPIONSHIP DATES & SITES

OPENING ROUND

March 14

University of Dayton Arena - Dayton, Ohio.
University of Dayton - host

FIRST/SECOND ROUNDS

March 16 & 18

Greensboro Coliseum - Greensboro, N.C.
Atlantic Coast Conference - host
Jacksonville Veterans Memorial Arena - Jacksonville, Fla.
Jacksonville University - host
Jon M. Huntsman Center - Salt Lake City, Utah
University of Utah - host
Cox Arena - San Diego, Calif.
San Diego State University - host

March 17 & 19

American Airlines Center - Dallas, Texas
Big 12 Conference - host
University of Dayton Arena - Dayton, Ohio
University of Dayton - host
Wachovia Center - Philadelphia, Pa.
Atlantic 10 Conference - host
Palace of Auburn Hills - Detroit, Mich.
Oakland University - host

REGIONALS

March 23 & 25

Georgia Dome - Atlanta, Ga.
Georgia Tech - host
Oakland Arena - Oakland, Calif.
University of San Francisco - host

March 24 & 26

MCI Center - Washington, D.C.
Georgetown University - host
Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome - Minneapolis, Minn.
University of Minnesota - host

FINALS

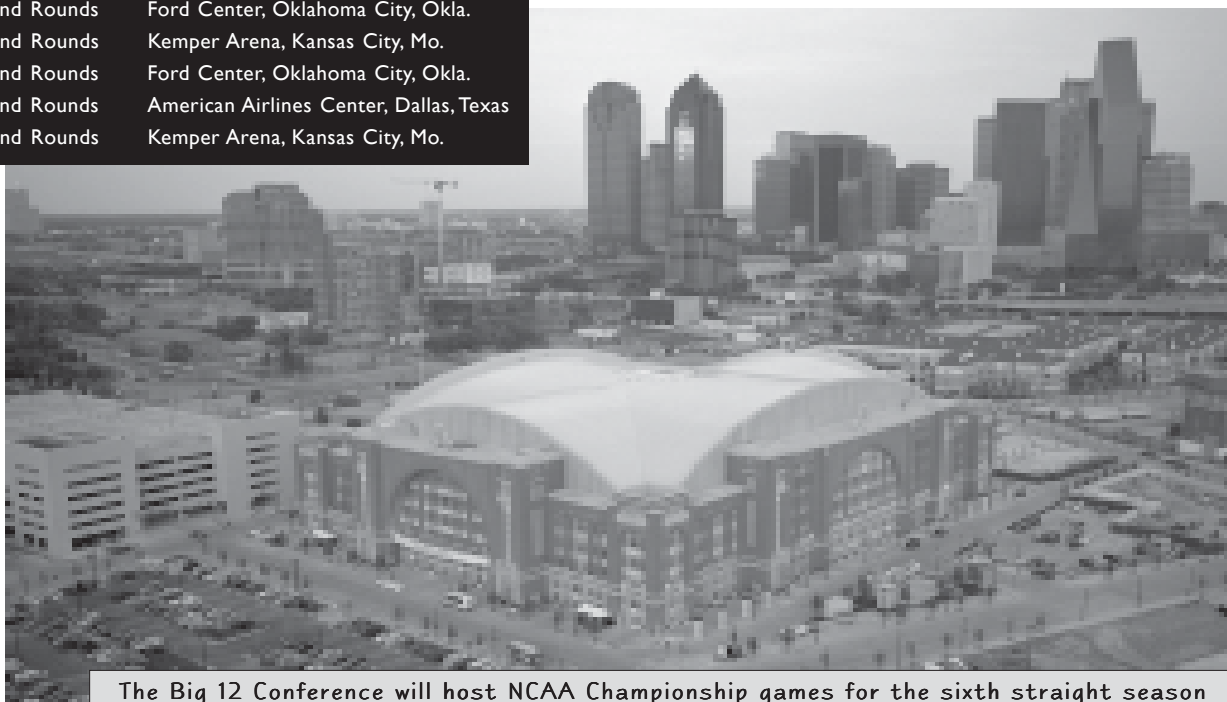
April 1 & 3

RCA Dome - Indianapolis, Ind.
Butler University & Horizon League - hosts



BIG 12 CONFERENCE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP HOSTING (Since 1997)

2006	First/Second Rounds	American Airlines Center, Dallas, Texas
2005	First/Second Rounds	Ford Center, Oklahoma City, Okla.
2004	First/Second Rounds	Kemper Arena, Kansas City, Mo.
2003	First/Second Rounds	Ford Center, Oklahoma City, Okla.
2002	First/Second Rounds	American Airlines Center, Dallas, Texas
2001	First/Second Rounds	Kemper Arena, Kansas City, Mo.



The Big 12 Conference will host NCAA Championship games for the sixth straight season when it brings the First/Second Rounds to Dallas on March 17 & 19.

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE



Day	Date	Game	Arena	Time	National TV	Big 12/ESPN Regional TV	Local TV
Thu.	Nov. 10	<i>Coaches vs. Cancer Classic</i> San Jose State at Texas Tech	USA	7:00 p.m.			TTTN
Fri.	Nov. 11	<i>Coaches vs. Cancer Classic</i> Portland or Georgia Southern at Texas Tech	USA	5/7:30 p.m.	ESPNU		
Mon.	Nov. 14	<i>Preseason NIT</i> Sam Houston State at Missouri	MA	7:00 p.m.			
Tue.	Nov. 15	<i>Guardians Classic</i> Southern at Texas	EC				
Wed.	Nov. 16	<i>Guardians Classic</i> Samford or Sacramento State at Texas	EC		ESPNU		
Fri.	Nov. 18	Idaho State at Kansas UT-Arlington at Oklahoma State UNC Wilmington at Colorado Georgia Southern at Kansas State <i>John Thompson Classic</i> Longwood at Nebraska	AF GIA CEC BC BD	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m. 8:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			JTV FSNMW
Sat.	Nov. 19	Samford at Oklahoma <i>John Thompson Classic</i> Yale at Nebraska	LNC BD	3:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m.			SSN
Sun.	Nov. 20	Northwestern State at Missouri Mountain State at Iowa State Southern at Texas A&M <i>John Thompson Classic</i> Louisiana Tech at Nebraska <i>Las Vegas Holiday Invitational</i> To Be Determined at Oklahoma State	MA HC RA BD GIA	2:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m.			
Mon.	Nov. 21	Colorado at Colorado State <i>Maui Invitational</i> Kansas vs. Arizona <i>Guardians Classic</i> Texas vs. To Be Determined	MBA LCC MAU	8:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ESPN ESPN2/ESPNU		FSNRM
Tue.	Nov. 22	Mississippi Valley State at Texas A&M <i>Maui Invitational</i> Kansas vs. Arkansas/Connecticut <i>Las Vegas Holiday Invitational</i> To Be Determined at Oklahoma State <i>Guardians Classic</i> Texas vs. To Be Determined	RA LCC GIA MAU	7:00 p.m. 3/8:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN ESPN2/ESPNU		
Wed.	Nov. 23	Binghamton at Oklahoma Furman at Texas Tech New Mexico at Kansas State <i>Cyclone Challenge</i> Portland State at Iowa State <i>Maui Invitational</i> Kansas vs. To Be Determined	LNC USA BC HC LCC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.			SSN TTTN FSNMW MC
Fri.	Nov. 25	<i>Cyclone Challenge</i> Howard at Iowa State <i>Las Vegas Holiday Invitational, Las Vegas, Nev.</i> To Be Determined vs. Oklahoma State	HC CSHS	8:00 p.m.			CTN



COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Game	Arena	Time	National TV	Big 12/ESPN Regional TV	Local TV
Sat.	Nov. 26	Morehead State at Texas Tech UL Monroe at Texas Tulane at Texas A&M Colorado vs. Saint Mary's Stephen F. Austin at Kansas State Belmont at Oklahoma <i>Cyclone Challenge</i> Iona at Iowa State <i>Las Vegas Holiday Invitational, Las Vegas, Nev.</i> To Be Determined vs. Oklahoma State	USA EC RA PC BC LNC HC CSHS	1:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.			TTTN LSN FSNRM SSN CTN
Mon.	Nov. 27	Southeast Missouri State at Nebraska	BD	2:00 p.m.			
Tue.	Nov. 29	Colorado at Pennsylvania UMKC at Missouri UT-Pan American at Texas	TP MA EC	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			LSN
Wed.	Nov. 30	Northern Iowa at Iowa State Marquette at Nebraska Oklahoma at Tulsa UNLV at Oklahoma State TCU at Texas Tech Cal State Fullerton at Kansas State	HC BD RC GIA USA BC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.			CTN FSNMW CSN TTTN FSNMW
Thu.	Dec. 1	Nevada at Kansas	AF	8:00 p.m.	ESPN2		
Fri.	Dec. 2	Missouri at Arkansas	BWA	7:05 p.m.			
Sat.	Dec. 3	Kansas State at Washington State Oklahoma at Villanova UT-Arlington at Texas Cal Poly at Colorado Fresno State at Iowa State Western Illinois at Kansas UAB at Nebraska SMU at Oklahoma State Penn State at Texas A&M Texas Tech at San Francisco	FCBC PAV EC CEC HC AF BD GIA RA WMG	4:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m.	ESPN		FSNMW LSN CTN JTV CSN TTTN
Mon.	Dec. 5	Longwood at Kansas State Northwestern State at Oklahoma State Rice vs. Texas	BC GIA TC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			
Tue.	Dec. 6	Kansas vs. Saint Joseph's Iowa State at Drake South Dakota State at Nebraska North Texas at Texas A&M	MSG KC BD RA	6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN		
Wed.	Dec. 7	Utah at Colorado Colorado State at Kansas State Louisiana Tech at Texas Tech North Texas at Texas A&M Missouri at Davidson	CEC BC USA RA JMB	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			FSNRM FSNMW TTTN
Fri.	Dec. 9	Iowa at Iowa State	HC	7:00 p.m.			CTN
Sat.	Dec. 10	Kansas vs. California Texas vs. Duke Texas A&M-Corpus Christi at Missouri UT-Pan American at Texas Tech Grambling State at Texas A&M Coppin State at Oklahoma Oklahoma State vs. Gonzaga	KA CA MA USA RA LNC KYA	11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.	ESPN CBS CBS		TTTN SSN

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE



Day Sun.	Date Dec. 11	Game Nebraska at Creighton	Arena QC	Time	National TV	Big 12/ESPN Regional TV	Local TV
Sat.	Dec. 17	Tennessee at Texas Southern University at Oklahoma UC Irvine at Colorado Chicago State at Nebraska Savannah State at Texas A&M Texas Tech at UNLV Bethune-Cookman at Kansas State <i>Mediacom Cyclone Capital Classic</i> Iowa State vs. Ohio State	EC LNC CEC BD RA TMC BC WFA	1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN ESPN ESPN2	 SSN CSN	
Sun.	Dec. 18	Furman at Missouri Mercer at Oklahoma State	MA GIA	2:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.			
Mon.	Dec. 19	Pepperdine at Kansas North Carolina A&T at Nebraska	AF BD	6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN2		FSNMW
Tue.	Dec. 20	Colorado at TCU Kansas State at Northern Illinois	DMC NCC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			FSNRM FSNMW
Wed.	Dec. 21	Alabama A&M at Nebraska Missouri vs. Illinois Texas Tech vs. Arkansas <i>Rainbow Classic</i> Iowa State vs. South Florida	BD SC AAC HSEA	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m. 11:30 p.m.	ESPN ESPN2		
Thu.	Dec. 22	Mercer at Colorado Northern Colorado at Kansas Texas State at Texas Auburn at Texas A&M <i>All College Classic</i> Oklahoma State vs. Tennessee Oklahoma vs. West Virginia <i>Rainbow Classic</i> Iowa State vs. Oregon St./Northwestern St.	CEC AF EC RA FDC FDC HSEA	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	 ESPN2 ESPN2	 JTV LSN	
Fri.	Dec. 23	<i>Rainbow Classic</i> Iowa State vs. To Be Determined	HSEA				
Tue.	Dec. 27	Texas Southern at Texas A&M	RA	7:00 p.m.			
Wed.	Dec. 28	Oklahoma State at UAB Tennessee State at Iowa State Eastern Illinois at Missouri Oral Roberts at Oklahoma	BA HC MA LNC	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN		CTN SSN
Thu.	Dec. 29	New Orleans at Kansas Belmont at Kansas State Texas Tech at New Mexico State	AF BC PAC	6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ESPN2		
Fri.	Dec. 30	Oakland at Missouri Prairie View A&M at Texas	MA EC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			LSN
Sat.	Dec. 31	Dartmouth at Colorado Northwestern State at Texas A&M Arkansas State at Oklahoma State Alabama at Oklahoma <i>Orange Bowl Classic</i> Nebraska vs. Florida State	CEC RA GIA LNC ODC	1:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 3:30 p.m. 12:30 p.m.	 ESPN	 CSN FSNMW	



COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

Day Sun.	Date Jan. 1	Game UTEP at Texas Tech	Arena USA	Time 1:00 p.m.	National TV	Big 12/ESPN Regional TV	Local TV TTTN
Mon.	Jan. 2	Texas at Memphis UL Monroe at Missouri North Dakota State at Kansas State	FEF MA BC	1:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN		
Tue.	Jan. 3	Savannah State at Colorado Northern Colorado at Nebraska Texas A&M at Pacific Pepperdine at Oklahoma State	CEC BD ASC GIA	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 9:00 p.m. 9:30 p.m.			FSN
Wed.	Jan. 4	Yale at Kansas Oklahoma at SMU	AF MC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			JTV SSN
Sat.	Jan. 7	Kentucky at Kansas Oklahoma at Nebraska* Colorado at Texas* Oklahoma State at Missouri* Kansas State at Iowa State* Texas Tech at Texas A&M*	AF BD EC MA HC RA	11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN	ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+	CSN FSNSW
Mon.	Jan. 9	Texas at Iowa State*	HC	8:00 p.m.	ESPN		
Tue.	Jan. 10	Missouri at Oklahoma*	LNC	7:00 p.m.		ESPN+	
Wed.	Jan. 11	Baylor at Texas Tech* Kansas at Colorado* Nebraska at Kansas State* Texas A&M at Oklahoma State*	FC CEC BC GIA	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ESPN2		TTTN JTV/FSNRM FSNMW
Sat.	Jan. 14	Iowa State at Texas Tech* Villanova at Texas Kansas State at Kansas* Oklahoma at Texas A&M* Oklahoma State at Baylor* Colorado at Missouri*	USA EC AF RA FC MA	11:00 a.m. Noon 12:45 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	ESPN CBS ESPN2	ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+	
Mon.	Jan. 16	Kansas at Missouri*	BD	6:00 p.m.	ESPN		
Tue.	Jan. 17	Iowa State at Nebraska* Texas Tech at Texas*	BD EC	6:30 p.m. 8:00 p.m.		ESPN+	CTN/FSNMW
Wed.	Jan. 18	Baylor at Colorado* Texas A&M at Kansas State*	CEC BC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			FSNMW
Sat.	Jan. 21	Texas Tech at Oklahoma* Texas A&M at Iowa State* Colorado at Oklahoma State* Texas at Baylor* Nebraska at Kansas* Missouri at Kansas State*	LNC HC GIA FC AF BC	Noon 12:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ABC ESPN	ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+	
Mon.	Jan. 23	Oklahoma State at Texas*	EC	8:00 p.m.	ESPN		
Wed.	Jan. 25	Iowa State at Missouri* Nebraska at Colorado* Kansas at Texas A&M* Oklahoma at Baylor*	MA CEC RA FC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			CTN FSNMW/FSNRM JTV/FSNSW SSN
Sat.	Jan. 28	Kansas at Iowa State* Oklahoma State at Texas Tech* Missouri at Nebraska* Baylor at Texas A&M* Kansas State at Colorado* Texas at Oklahoma*	HC USA BD RA CEC LNC	11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ESPN ESPN2	ESPN+ ESPN+	FSNSW FSNRM/FSNMW

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE



Day Mon.	Date Jan. 30	Game Texas Tech at Kansas*	Arena AF	Time 8:00 p.m.	National TV ESPN2	Big 12/ESPN Regional TV	Local TV
Tue.	Jan. 31	Nebraska at Oklahoma State*	GIA	7:00 p.m.		ESPN+	
Wed.	Feb. 1	Texas A&M at Oklahoma* Kansas State at Baylor* Texas at Missouri*	LNC FC MA	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ESPN2	ESPN+	
Sat.	Feb. 4	Missouri at Texas Tech* Texas A&M at Texas* Oklahoma State at Kansas State* Baylor at Nebraska*	USA EC BC BD	12:30 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ESPN	ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+	
Sun.	Feb. 5	Oklahoma at Kansas* Colorado at Iowa State*	AF HC	Noon 1:00 p.m.	CBS	ESPN+	
Mon.	Feb. 6	Texas at Texas Tech*	USA	8:00 p.m.	ESPN2		
Tue.	Feb. 7	Missouri at Baylor*	FC	7:00 p.m.			FSNSW
Wed.	Feb. 8	Colorado at Texas A&M* Kansas at Nebraska* Iowa State at Kansas State* Oklahoma at Oklahoma State*	RA BD BC GIA	6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 8:00 p.m.		ESPN+	FSNRM/FSNSW JTV/FSNMW CTN/FSNMW
Sat.	Feb. 11	Baylor at Oklahoma* Oklahoma State at Texas A&M* Iowa State at Kansas* Texas Tech at Colorado* Nebraska at Texas*	LNC RA AF CEC EC	12:30 p.m. 2:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.	ABC ESPN	ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+	
Sun.	Feb. 12	Kansas State at Missouri*	MA	12:30 p.m.			FSNMW
Mon.	Feb. 13	Kansas at Oklahoma State*	GIA	8:00 p.m.	ESPN		
Tue.	Feb. 14	Baylor at Texas*	EC	7:00 p.m.			FSNSW/LSN
Wed.	Feb. 15	Kansas State at Texas Tech* Nebraska at Iowa State* Oklahoma at Colorado*	USA HC CEC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	ESPN2		FSNMW/TTTN FSNMW/CTN
Sat.	Feb. 18	Iowa State at Oklahoma* Texas A&M at Baylor* Colorado at Kansas State* Missouri at Kansas* Texas Tech at Nebraska*	LNC FC BC AF BD	Noon 12:30 p.m. 12:30 p.m. 2:45 p.m. 3:00 p.m.	ABC CBS	ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+	
Sun.	Feb. 19	Texas at Oklahoma State*	GIA	12:30 p.m.	ABC		
Mon.	Feb. 20	Oklahoma at Texas Tech*	USA	8:00 p.m.	ESPN		
Tue.	Feb. 21	Texas A&M at Missouri* Baylor at Kansas*	MA AF	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.			JTV
Wed.	Feb. 22	Colorado at Nebraska* Texas at Kansas State* Oklahoma State at Iowa State*	BD BC HC	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ESPN2	ESPN+	
Sat.	Feb. 25	Missouri at Colorado* Texas Tech at Oklahoma State* Iowa State at Baylor* Nebraska at Texas A&M* Kansas State at Oklahoma* Kansas at Texas*	CEC GIA FC RA LNC EC	11:30 a.m. Noon 12:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	ABC ESPN	ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+ ESPN+	



COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

Day Mon.	Date Feb. 27	Game Oklahoma State at Oklahoma*	Arena LNC	Time 8:00 p.m.	National TV ESPN	Big 12/ESPN Regional TV	Local TV
Wed.	Mar. 1	Texas at Texas A&M* Kansas State at Nebraska* Texas Tech at Baylor* Missouri at Iowa State* Colorado at Kansas*	RA BD FC HC AF	7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	ESPN2		FSNMW TTTN CTN JTV
Sat.	Mar. 4	Texas A&M at Texas Tech* Kansas at Kansas State* Baylor at Oklahoma State* Iowa State at Colorado*	USA BC GIA CEC	12:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.		ESPN+ ESPN+	CSN CTN
Sun.	Mar. 5	Nebraska at Missouri* Oklahoma at Texas*	MA EC	1:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m.	CBS	ESPN+	

All times Central except Colorado non-conference and Big 12 home games, which are Mountain Time.

Schedule, times and television listings are subject to change

* - Big 12 Conference game

ARENA KEY

AAC - American Airlines Center, Dallas, Texas
 AF - Allen Fieldhouse, Lawrence, Kan.
 AMC - Alexander Memorial Coliseum, Atlanta, Ga.
 ASC - Alex G. Spanos Center, Stockton, Calif.
 BA - Bartow Arena, Birmingham, Ala.
 BD - Bob Devaney Sports Center, Lincoln, Neb.
 BC - Bramlage Coliseum, Manhattan, Kan.
 BWA - Bud Walton Arena, Fayetteville, Ark.
 CA - Continental Airlines Arena, East Rutherford, N.J.
 CEC - Coors Events Center, Boulder, Colo.
 CSHS - Canyon-Springs High School Arena, Las Vegas, Nev.
 DMC - Daniel-Meyer Coliseum, Fort Worth, Texas
 EC - Frank C. Erwin, Jr. Special Events Center, Austin, Texas
 FC - Ferrell Center, Waco, Texas
 FCBC - Friel Court at Beasley Coliseum, Pullman, Wash.
 FDC - Ford Center, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 FEF - FedExForum, Memphis, Tenn.
 GIA - Gallagher-Iba Arena, Stillwater, Okla.
 HC - Hilton Coliseum, Ames, Iowa
 HSEA - Hawaii Special Events Arena, Honolulu, Hawaii
 JMB - John M. Belk Arena, Davidson, N.C.
 KYA - Key Arena, Seattle, Wash.
 KC - The Knapp Center, Des Moines, Iowa
 LCC - Lahaina Civic Center, Maui, Hawaii
 LNC - Lloyd Noble Center, Norman, Okla.
 MA - Mizzou Arena, Columbia, Mo.
 MAU - Municipal Auditorium, Kansas City, Mo.
 MBA - Moby Arena, Fort Collins, Colo.
 MC - Moody Coliseum, Dallas, Texas
 NCC - NIU Convocation Center, Dekalb, Ill.
 ODC - Office Depot Center, Sunrise, Fla.
 PAC - Pan American Center, Las Cruces, N.M.
 PAV - The Pavilion, Villanova, Pa.
 PC - Pepsi Center, Denver, Colo.
 QC - Qwest Center, Omaha, Neb.
 RA - Reed Arena, College Station, Texas
 RC - Reynolds Center, Tulsa, Okla.
 SC - Savvis Center, St. Louis, Mo.
 TC - Toyota Center, Houston, Texas
 TMC - Thomas & Mack Center, Las Vegas, Nev.
 TP - The Palestra, Philadelphia, Pa.
 UD - UNI-Dome, Cedar Falls, Iowa
 USA - United Spirit Arena, Lubbock, Texas
 WFA - Wells Fargo Arena, Des Moines, Iowa
 WMG - War Memorial Gym, San Francisco, Calif.

LOCAL TELEVISION KEY

FSN - FSN Regional Telecast
 FSNMW - FSN Midwest
 FSNRM - FSN Rocky Mountain
 FSNWSW - FSN Southwest
 CSN - Cowboy Sports Network
 CTN - Cyclone Television
 MC - Mediacom Cyclone Television
 JTV - Jayhawk Television
 LSN - Longhorn Sports Network
 SSN - Sooner Sports Network
 TTTN - Texas Tech Television Network

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BAYLOR — Ferrell Center

From the North: Drive south on I-35, take the University Parks Drive exit and turn east (left) to the intersection of University Parks Drive and LaSalle Avenue.

From the South: Drive north on I-35, take the University Parks Drive exit and turn east (right) to the intersection of University Parks Drive and LaSalle Avenue.

From the West: Drive east on Hwy. 84 to Hwy. 6/Loop 340. Turn east (right) and take Hwy. 6/Loop 340 to I-35. Turn north (left) on I-35, take the University Parks Drive exit and turn east (right) to the intersection of University Parks Drive and LaSalle Avenue.

From the East: Drive west on Hwy. 84 to I-35. Turn south on I-35 (left), take the University Parks Drive exit and turn east (left) to the intersection of University Parks Drive and LaSalle Avenue.

From the Northwest: Take Hwy. 6 to I-35. Turn north (left), take the University Parks Drive exit and turn east (right) to the intersection of University Parks Drive and LaSalle Avenue.

From the Southwest: Take Hwy. 6 to Bus. 77 exit. Bus 77 become LaSalle Avenue and leads directly to the Ferrell Center.



COLORADO — Coors Events Center

Directions from Denver International Airport (DIA): Driving time between DIA and Boulder is approximately 60 to 90 minutes. Follow Peña Boulevard (10 miles) south to I-70, and exit onto I-70 west. Follow I-70 west to I-270

west. I-270 merges into U.S. 36 west and takes you west into Boulder (about 23 miles). Once you're in Boulder, take a left (west) on Colorado Avenue. Heading west on Colorado Avenue, take a left on Regent Drive (it is the first stop light west of U.S. 36 (28th Street)). The Events Center will appear ahead to your left and there is meter parking along the street or in lot 436, (the metered parking lot is your second left after turning onto Regent Drive). Parking for basketball games is free in lot 436.

Directions from the Denver Area and South: To get to Boulder from the Denver area, go west on U.S. 36 (from I-25 or I-270). Once you're in Boulder from U.S. 36, take a left (west) on Colorado Avenue (first stop light). Heading west on Colorado Avenue, take a left on Regent Drive (it is the first stop light west of U.S. 36 (28th Street)). The Events Center will appear ahead to your left.

Directions from the North: From the north, take U.S. 287 south to Highway 119 (Diagonal Highway). Highway 119 becomes Highway 157 (Foothills Parkway) just north of Boulder. Turn right (west) from Foothills Parkway onto Colorado Avenue. Once on Colorado Avenue, just past 28th Street (U.S. 36) campus is both to the left and straight ahead. Heading west on Colorado Avenue, take a left on Regent Drive (it is the first stop light west of U.S. 36 (28th Street)). The Events Center will appear ahead to your left.

Directions from the West: Take I-70 east to U.S. 6. Go east on U.S. 6 to CO. 58. Turn right (east) on CO. 58 to CO. 93. Make a left (north) onto CO. 93 towards Boulder. CO. 93 will turn into Broadway once in Boulder. Continue on Broadway west until you see the campus on your right. To get to Colorado Avenue from the west, turn right on Regent Drive off of Broadway. Follow Regent Drive until it dead ends, turn left (west) on Colorado Avenue. Heading west on Colorado Avenue, take a left on Regent Drive (it is the first stop light west of U.S. 36 (28th Street)). The Events Center will appear ahead to your left.



IOWA STATE — Hilton Coliseum

From I-35 South: Once you get to Ames, turn off on the Highway 30 West exit (#111B). Follow Highway 30 West until the Elwood Drive/ISU Exit. Take the Exit and drive north (right) on Elwood Drive. To get to Hilton Coliseum, simply continue driving north on Elwood Drive and the coliseum will be on the West side of the road. Parking for Hilton Coliseum is in lots on the south end of the arena.

From I-35 North: Once you get to Ames, turn off on the Highway 30 West exit (#111B). Follow Highway 30 West until the Elwood Drive/ISU Exit. Take the Exit and drive north (right) on Elwood Drive. To get to Hilton Coliseum, simply continue driving north on Elwood Drive, the coliseum will be on the West side of the road. Public parking for Hilton Coliseum is located in specified lots on the south end of the arena.

From Highway 30 West: Follow Highway 30 West until the Elwood Drive/ISU Exit. Take the Exit and drive north (left) on Elwood Drive. To get to Hilton Coliseum, simply continue driving north on Elwood Drive and the coliseum will be on the West side of the road. Public parking for Hilton Coliseum is located in specified lots on the south end of the arena.

From Highway 30 East: Follow Highway 30 East until the Elwood Drive/ISU Exit. Take the Exit and drive north (right) on Elwood Drive. To get to Hilton Coliseum, simply continue driving north on Elwood Drive and the coliseum will be on the West side of the road. Public parking for Hilton Coliseum is located in specified lots on the south end of the arena.



KANSAS — Allen Fieldhouse

From the East (Kansas City International Airport): Kansas City International Airport is 60 miles to the northeast and is served by most national airline carriers. As you exit the airport, turn left onto I-29 North. Continue on I-29 for several miles to I-435 South. Continue on I-435 South to the junction of I-70 West. Take I-70 West to Lawrence. Exit I-70 at exit #202 (West Lawrence). Follow Iowa Street to 19th Street, turn left on 19th Street, to Naismith Drive, turn left on Naismith Drive, leading to Fieldhouse Drive, South of Allen Fieldhouse. Allow one and a half hours driving time from KCI to Lawrence.

From the West (Forbes Field): Forbes Field is located in Topeka, Kansas, approximately 30 miles west of Lawrence. Travel on Highway 75 North to I-70 East to the West Lawrence Kansas Turnpike exit #202, which will lead to Iowa Street. Follow Iowa Street to 19th Street, turn left on 19th Street, to Naismith Drive, turn left on Naismith Drive, leading to Fieldhouse Drive, South of Allen Fieldhouse. Allow one and a half hours driving time from KCI to Lawrence.



KANSAS STATE — Bramlage Coliseum

From the West (Manhattan Airport): Take Kansas Highway 18 East into Manhattan. Exit at Kansas 113 (Seth Childs Road), heading North. Stay on Seth Childs Road until reaching the Kimball Ave., exit. Turn right onto Kimball and follow it one mile to College Ave., and turn right. Go one block and turn left into the Bramlage Coliseum parking lot.

From the East (Kansas City): Exit I-70 at Highway 177 (exit 313) and head North on 177 until reaching Manhattan. Turn left on 3rd street, proceed to the first light and turn left again on Tuttle Creek Blvd. Head North on Tuttle Creek until reaching Kimball Ave. Turn left on Kimball and go two miles to College Avenue. Bramlage Coliseum will be on your left-hand side.

ARENA DRIVING DIRECTIONS



MISSOURI — Mizzou Arena

Champions Drive.

From St. Louis (East): Take Interstate 70 West. Take Exit 128A to Highway 63 South. Go South on Highway 63 for one mile. Take the Stadium Boulevard Exit. Go West on Stadium Boulevard for 1.5 miles. Turn Left on Mick Deaver Drive. Take Mick Deaver Drive to Champions Drive.

From Columbia Regional Airport (South): Take Highway 63 North for 15 miles. Take Stadium Boulevard Exit. Go West on Stadium Boulevard for 1.5 miles. Turn Left on Mick Deaver Drive. Take Mick Deaver Drive to Champions Drive.



NEBRASKA — Bob Devaney Sports Center

From Lincoln Municipal Airport: Turn right on Northwest 12th Street as you drive out of the airport. Northwest 12th Street becomes Cornhusker Highway, which intersects with 14th Street. Exit south (right) on 14th Street off Cornhusker Highway. Travel to West Entrance Road, turn left and go two blocks East to arena.

From Omaha's Eppley Airfield: Follow signs to downtown Omaha and I-480. Take I-480 west to I-80, then take I-80 west approximately 60 miles to I-180. Exit South on I-180, then exit east to Cornhusker Highway and follow the instructions above.



OKLAHOMA — Lloyd Noble Coliseum

From Will Rogers Airport (Oklahoma City): Exit the airport and travel west on I-44. Move to I-240. Next exit is south on I-35 (Exit 4A). Norman is 17 miles south of the airport. To reach Lloyd Noble Center, take the Hwy. 9 East exit in Norman. Proceed approximately three miles and take a left on Jenkins Ave. Lloyd Noble Center is just ahead on the left. Use the first entrance to access media parking (park near the practice courts on the south end of the arena).

From the South: Travel north on I-35. To reach Lloyd Noble Center, take the Hwy. 9 East exit in Norman. Proceed approximately three miles and take a left on Jenkins Ave. Lloyd Noble Center is just ahead on the left. Use the first entrance to access media parking (park near the practice courts on the south end of the arena).



OKLAHOMA STATE — Gallagher-Iba Arena

From the South: Go north on Interstate 35 until you reach the exit for Highway 51. Go east on Highway 51 for approximately 15 miles until you reach Stillwater.

From the North: Go south on Interstate 35 until you reach the exit for Highway 51. Go east on Highway 51 for approximately 15 miles until you reach Stillwater.

From the East: Go west on the Cimarron Turnpike (Highway 412) until you see the signs for the "Stillwater Y." Take that exit and go south for approximately 10 miles. Take the exit for Highway 177, and go south on that road until you reach Stillwater.

From the West: Go east on the Cimarron Turnpike (Highway 412) until you see the signs for the "Stillwater Y." Take that exit and go south for approximately 10 miles. Take the exit for Highway 177, and go south on that road until you reach Stillwater.

The Athletics Center & Gallagher-Iba Arena is located at the intersection of Hall of Fame Avenue and Knoblock Street.



TEXAS — Frank C. Erwin, Jr. Special Events Center

From Austin-Bergstrom International Airport: Take 290/71 East out of the airport. Follow 71 East until it connects with I-35. Take I-35 North into the city. Take the 15th Street/MLK exit. Stay in the lane second from the left. Turn left at the first light (15th Street). After you go under I-35, get in your right lane. Take 15th Street past Brackenridge Hospital (left) and make a right at the first light (Red River Street). Erwin Center is on your right. For media will call, pull into loading-zone area by the box office. Media parking is directly across Red River Street from media will call.



TEXAS A&M — Reed Arena

From Dallas: South on I-35 to Waco. Take Exit #339 in Waco (Loop 340). Make a left (east) on Loop 340. Continue on Loop 340 until intersection with Texas 6. Make a left (east) on Texas 6 to Bryan/College Station. At College Station, Right (west) at University Drive [F.M. 60] exit. Continue on University Drive past campus, follow signs for F.M. 2154 exit (right exit). Left (south) at first light (Wellborn Road). Continue south on Wellborn Road, past Kyle Field (on the left) and Olsen Field (on the right). Right (west) at next light past Kyle Field, F.M. 2347 (George Bush Drive). Right (north) at first light (Olsen Blvd). Reed Arena will be just past the first stop sign (Tom Chandler Dr.) on the left.

From Austin: East on U.S. 290 towards Houston. Exit Texas 21 and turn left. Near Bryan, right exit on Texas 47 [College Station/Texas A&M University exit]. Continue south on Texas 47 until you reach F.M. 60 [University Drive]. Left (east) on F.M. 60 past Easterwood Airport (on the right). Right (south) exit on F.M. 2818 [Harvey Mitchell Pkwy.]. Continue south on F.M. 2818 until you reach George Bush Drive [F.M. 2347, first light]. Left (east) on George Bush Drive to first light (Olsen Blvd). Right (north) at first light (Olsen Blvd). Reed Arena will be just past the first stop sign (Tom Chandler Dr.) on the left.

From Houston (Hobby Airport): North on I-45 for approximately 15 minutes through downtown Houston. Take Exit #51 - I-610 West. Right (west) on U.S. 290 (Austin exit). Right (north) on Texas 6 (College Station/Bryan exit). Left Exit on Business 6 [College Station/Texas A&M University exit]. Left (west) at second light [Harvey Mitchell Pkwy./F.M. 2818]. Continue west on Harvey Mitchell Pkwy. approximately 2 miles to F.M. 2154 exit. Right (north) on F.M. 2154 (Wellborn Road) approximately 1 mile. Left (west) on F.M. 2347 (George Bush Drive). Right (north) at first light (Olsen Blvd). Reed Arena will be just past the first stop sign (Tom Chandler Dr.) on the left.



TEXAS TECH — United Spirit Arena

Take Interstate 27 South to the 4th Street Exit. Turn right (west) onto 4th Street and continue to Indiana Avenue. Turn left (south) onto Indiana Avenue. The address of the United Spirit Arena is 1701 Indiana Avenue.

Phillips 66 Big 12 Championship Tiebreaking Procedures

Seeding for the Championship will be based upon regular-season competition. The winner of the postseason basketball championship shall be declared the Big 12 automatic qualifier to the NCAA Championship. A team ineligible under NCAA or Big 12 rules for postseason competition shall not compete in the championship.

The four teams with the best records (based upon winning percentage) in 16 Conference games shall earn first-round byes. After the four teams have been awarded first-round byes and ranked as the No. 1 through No. 4 seeds, all remaining teams will be ranked in order No. 5 through No. 12 for seeding in the championship.

Tiebreakers - The first criteria in the breaking of ties in the standings shall be head-to-head competition of tied teams. The following procedure will be used to establish the championship seeds if ties exist. (For tiebreaking procedures teams will be grouped in two divisions based upon established guidelines. Colorado, Iowa State, Kansas, Kansas State, Missouri and Nebraska are in one division and Baylor, Oklahoma, Oklahoma State, Texas, Texas A&M and Texas Tech are in the other division.)

- If two teams are tied and they are from different divisions, the winner of the game between the two tied teams shall be the higher seed.
- If two teams are tied and they are from the same division, the team with an advantage in head-to-head competition shall be the higher seed.
- If two teams remain tied, there will be a comparison of overall record against division teams only (10 divisional games).
- If two teams remain tied, there will be a comparison of record against the highest ranked team(s) (based upon Conference winning percentage) in the division and proceeding through in order of divisional record.
- If two teams remain tied, there will be a *comparison of record against the highest ranked team(s) (based upon Conference winning percentage) in the opposite division and proceeding through in order of divisional record.
- If two teams remain tied, the higher seed will be chosen by draw.
- If three or more teams are tied, ties among divisional opponents will be broken first by using steps (b) through (f) and the head-to-head results will be used to break ties between non-divisional teams. When three or more teams from the same division are tied step (b) will consist of a mini-round robin among the tied teams. At any point during the process of breaking ties among three or more teams that the number of tied teams are reduced to two, head-to-head competition would be used as the primary tie-breaker; followed by steps (c) through (f).

Note: When comparing against the "highest ranked team(s)" in either division, the comparison will be based upon how tied teams did against all teams in a given placement, rather than a team that wins a tiebreaker at another position. For example, if two teams are tied for fifth and two teams are tied for first, the head-to-head comparison would be how the fifth place teams did against the first place teams combined, and vice-versa.

Draw - In the event tiebreaking procedures are unsuccessful and a draw is necessary in determining seeding, the following procedure will be used:

- The drawing will be conducted in public or with media attendance
- Institutions involved in the drawing have the right to have a local representative in attendance at the drawing
- A single slip of paper with names representing each of the tied institutions will be placed into a container and will be drawn in order of seeding from highest (#1) to lowest (#12)

DALE KELLEY Men's Basketball Coordinator of Officials



Dale Kelley serves the Big 12 Conference as Coordinator of Men's Basketball Officials with more than 22 years of officiating experience. He oversees the officials coalition formed by the Big 12 Conference, Conference USA, Sun Belt and Southland Conferences. He administers the selection and assignment of officials, while observing and evaluating referees.

As an on-court official, Kelley worked 14 years in the Southeastern Conference, including nine consecutive NCAA Tournaments and three Final Fours.

Outside his athletic involvement, he is owner of Kelley Enterprises Rental and Real Estate Firm in his hometown of Huntingdon, Tenn. He is also in his third four-year term as Mayor of Huntingdon.

Kelley attended Bethel College in McKenzie, Tenn. and was inducted into the Bethel College Hall of Fame in 1981. In 1985, he received Bethel College's outstanding Alumni Achievement Award.

Kelley and his wife Carlene have three children - Amanada, Meredith and Cliff - and four grandchildren.

2005-06 Men's Basketball Major Rules Changes

(Rule and page references are from the 2005 NCAA Rules Book.)

Rule 2-5 (Page 40) - Officials will be allowed to use the courtside television monitor to determine whether a foul committed near the expiration of time in the first half or second half (when it affects the outcome) occurred before the reading of 0:00 on the game clock.

Rule 2-5 (Page 40) - After using the official courtside television monitor to determine if a foul or try for goal occurred before the reading of 0.00 on the game clock, the official shall be permitted to put the exact time back on the clock when it is determined that time remained when the foul was committed or the ball passed through the net.

Rule 2-12.8, 4-17.5 (Pages 51, 72) - Twenty seconds will be allowed to replace a disqualified player. The warning signal will be sounded five seconds before the expiration the time limit.

Rule 2-12.15, 2-5.3 (Pages 41, 52) - A courtside television monitor may be used when in the judgment of the official a timer's mistake has occurred. Such a mistake may be corrected only during the first dead ball and before the ball is touched inbounds after the game clock should have been started or stopped or once the ball is in play before the second live ball, is touched inbounds when the game clock should have been running.

Rule 2-13.6 and 7, 4-43, 9-6 (Pages 53, 84, 129) - Violations when the ball has been intentionally kicked will no longer result in the reset of the shot clock to either 30 seconds (women) or 35 seconds (men). When the violation occurs with 15 or fewer seconds remaining, the shot clock will be reset to 15 seconds. Otherwise, when the violation occurs with more than 15 seconds remaining, there shall be no reset of the shot clock.

Rule 3-5 (Page 62) - Head bands and wrist bands shall be uniform in color (similar to the dominant color of the game jersey) and logo on each player and for entire team. Only one logo, the team logo or the manufacturers' logo may be on the head bands and wrist bands.

Men's Experimental Rules - During certified games, exhibition games and scrimmages, the three-point line will be extended to 20 feet, 9 inches, the lane will be widened to 14 feet, and a 3 foot restricted-area arc.

The 2005-06 athletic season marks the eighth year the Big 12 Conference has been led by Commissioner Kevin Weiberg. Under his direction the Big 12 has continued to be regarded as one of the nation's premier conferences, with an unwavering dedication to success both on and off the field.

Weiberg continues to play a prominent role nationally in collegiate athletics. He supported the academic reform effort that introduced Academic Progress Reports for NCAA member institutions and the approval of 12-game regular seasons in I-A football. He has also previously served a three-year term on the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Committee and completed a two-year tenure as chair of the Division I-A Collegiate Commissioners' Association.

This season marks his second and final as coordinator of the Bowl Championship Series. As BCS coordinator Weiberg led the negotiation of a new four-year television contract with Fox Sports for the rights to Bowl Championship Series games, exclusive of the Rose Bowl, through the 2009 season. His term as coordinator has also seen the implementation of qualification standards for conferences, greater access for conferences and teams previously outside the system, renewed contracts with the BCS bowls, the realization of a simplified standings formula, the advent of a college football Top 25 poll, and introduction of transparency into the voting process.

This past spring he announced enhancements in regulatory spending by the Conference, introducing an expanded drug testing program to include a wider array of performance enhancing drugs; a three-year cycle of compliance audits by an outside firm of member institution's athletic departments; and a gambling awareness initiative.

Weiberg is working with the Conference's Board of Directors in establishing an economic development consortium to provide benefits to member institutions beyond intercollegiate athletics. He will also be focused on arranging the next round of bowl agreements for the league, future hosting sites for the Big 12 football, basketball and baseball championships, and television negotiations.

Since being named the second commissioner in Big 12 history on October 8, 1998, and officially assuming the post December 4, 1998, a total of 21 NCAA championships have been won by conference teams with nearly 200 individual national titles to the league's credit. The conference has had an unprecedented eight men's and women's basketball teams advance to their respective Final Fours in the past four seasons, highlighted by Baylor's women's basketball National Championship in 2004-05. The Big 12 also has sent 10 teams to BCS bowls in the seven-year history of the system, with four appearances in the National Championship game since 2000. The league's success continued in 2004-05, with NCAA team championships in women's cross country, men's cross country, wrestling, women's basketball, women's outdoor track & field and baseball. In fact, Weiberg has seen at least one team win a national title every season since being named Commissioner.



During his tenure, the Big 12 has also implemented a firm fiscal policy and continues to explore avenues to expand revenues. For the 2004-05 fiscal year, the Big 12 distributed a record \$105.6 million to its member institutions. Since beginning operations nine years ago, the Conference has nearly doubled its first allocation of \$54 million established during its inaugural year.

In January, 2005, the Board of Directors announced the four-year extension of Weiberg's contract through 2010, with a four-year option to 2014.

Prior to joining the Big 12 Conference, Weiberg worked in conference operations for almost 10 years at the Big Ten Conference, beginning as Associate Commissioner/Chief Operations Officer before being promoted to Deputy Commissioner.

His professional career began with a 1979-80 post as Sports Information Director at Wayne State (Neb.) College. Weiberg moved to Wichita State University from 1980-87. He was Sports Information Director at WSU from 1980-83, Assistant Athletics Director for Marketing/Fund Raising from 1983-86, and became Associate Director of Athletics in 1986-87. Weiberg then served as Associate Director of Athletics at the University of Maryland from 1987-89.

The Anthony, Kan., native earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from Kansas State University in 1978 and Master of Science degree in Athletics Administration from Western Illinois University in 1979.

Born July 7, 1956, Weiberg is married to the former Susan K. Latta. The couple has three children - Erika (19), Jenna (16) and Garrett (14).

Commissioner Kevin Weiberg presents Oklahoma State with the Trophy after last year's Phillips 66 Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship.





BIG 12 CONFERENCE STAFF



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TIM ALLEN

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B.S., Journalism &
Mass Communication

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



BOB BURDA

Assistant Commissioner - Communications

Responsibilities: Management of conference
communications and media operations;
Big 12, Football and BCS Media Contact

Education: Oakland, 1985
B.S., Communications

Florida State, 1991
M.A., Marketing Communications

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2004



DONNIE DUNCAN

Associate Commissioner - Football

Responsibilities: Football Administration &
Operations; Bowl Liaison; Football
Championship Game Director

Education: Austin College, 1962
B.A., History

Austin College, 1964
M.A., Education Administration

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



LORI EBIHARA

Assistant Commissioner - Compliance

Responsibilities: Compliance; Governance;
NCAA Committees

Education: Ohio State, 1988
B.A., Journalism

Ashland, 1992
Masters, Education

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



DRU HANCOCK

Associate Commissioner -
Women's Basketball & Championships

Responsibilities: Olympic Sport
Administration & Championships;
Women's Basketball Operations &
Administration; SWA Liaison

Education: Ohio State, 1974
B.A., Speech Communication

Ohio State, 1975
M.A., Journalism

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



JOHN UNDERWOOD

Assistant Commissioner - Men's Basketball

Responsibilities: Men's Basketball
Operations, Game Management
& Officiating; Men's Basketball
Championship Manager

Education: Texas A&M, 1968
B.B.A., Finance

Texas A&M, 1971
Masters, Education

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2002

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ROB CAROLLA
Director of Communications

Responsibilities: Communications & Media Relations; Men's Basketball Media Contact & Championship Media Director

Education: Connecticut, 1994
B.A., Communication Sciences

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2004



DAYNA SCHERF
Director of Championships

Responsibilities: Olympic Sport Administration & Championships; Women's Basketball Championship Manager

Education: Dayton, 1993
B.S., Education
(Sport Management)

Ohio State, 1995
M.A., Sport Management

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1999



BO CARTER
Sports Information Director/Historian

Responsibilities: Communications & Media Relations; Baseball Media Contact; Baseball Championship Media Director

Education: Vanderbilt, 1974
B.A., Classics

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



CARMEN BRANCH
Assistant Director of Communications

Responsibilities: Communications & Media Relations; Volleyball & Softball Media Contact; Academic Teams; Web Site Liaison

Education: Kansas, 2001
B.S., Journalism

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2001



BRAD CLEMENTS
Director of Events

Responsibilities: Football Championship Game; Men's Basketball Championship Support; Spring & General Meetings Coordination

Education: Texas A&M, 1991
B.S., Kinesiology

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



MARY ELLEN ENIGK
Assistant Director for Compliance

Responsibilities: Compliance Services; Student-Athlete Advisory Committee Liaison

Education: SUNY-Brockport, 2000
B.S., Business Administration

Ball State, 2002
M.S., Sports Administration

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2003



MAARK KEITH
Director of Marketing

Responsibilities: Conference marketing and licensing efforts

Education: Howard, 1993
B.A., Political Science

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2002



SURAJ JAGANNATHAN
Assistant Director of Championships

Responsibilities: Olympic Sports Oversight & Liaison; Baseball Regular Season and Championship Operations

Education: LSU, 2002
B.A., Speech Communications

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2003



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JONI JAMES
Assistant Director of Communications

Responsibilities: Communications & Media Relations; Women's Basketball Media Contact & Championship Media Director

Education: Oklahoma, 1990
B.A., Journalism

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1998



TRACY HUNT
Administrative Assistant

Responsibilities:
Football Officiating & Administration

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



JAN REEVES
Staff Accountant

Responsibilities: Finances & Accounting

Education: Stephen F. Austin, 1999
B.B.A., Management

Brookhaven, 2003
A.A.S., Visual Communication/
Web Design

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2003



MICHELLE PETERSON
Administrative Assistant/Receptionist

Responsibilities:
Switchboard Operations; Administration

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1998



TIM MILLIS
Coordinator of Football Officials

Responsibilities: Coordinate Football Officiating Crews

Education: Millsaps College, 1967
Accounting

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1996



VALERIE ROCHA
Administrative Assistant

Responsibilities:
Assist with Men's Basketball Championships, Scheduling, Meetings, Television Special Projects & Marketing

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1997



MELANIE ELLIS
Executive Assistant to the Commissioner

Responsibilities: Executive Assistant; Assist in office operations and coordination of Bowl Championship Series

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1999



ANNA BARTON
Assistant for Championships

Responsibilities: Olympic Sport & Championship Administration

Education: Texas A&M, 2005
B.S., Kinesiology

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2005



REGINA EVERETT
Administrative Assistant - Football & Basketball

Responsibilities:
Football Regular Season & Championship Administration; Basketball Officiating & Championship Administration

Joined Big 12 Staff: 1997



KELLY WRIGHT
Will Hancock Communications Intern

Responsibilities:
Communications & Media Relations

Education: Oklahoma, 2004
B.A., Journalism

Joined Big 12 Staff: 2005