



## **2007 PHILLIPS 66 BIG 12 CHAMPIONSHIP** **Ford Center – Oklahoma City, Oklahoma**

### **\*\*\* CHAMPIONSHIP NOTES \*\*\*** **Colorado vs. Texas Tech** **March 8, 2007**

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP NOTES**

- Colorado and Texas Tech have met only one other time in the Big 12 Championship. The Red Raiders won the 2004 meeting, 79-69.
- The number 12 seed has never defeated the number 5 seed (0-10).

#### **TEAM NOTES**

- The Red Raiders won the first meeting between these teams, 95-74, on 2/17.
- The Red Raiders' bench outscored the Buffaloes' bench, 18-3. The Buffaloes outscored the Red Raiders, 40-26, in the paint.

#### **Colorado**

- This is Colorado's 11<sup>th</sup> appearance in the Big 12 Championship, it is now 6-11 overall and 6-3 in first round games.
- Colorado set a school Big 12 Championship high by shooting 51 percent from the field (29-57 FG). Its previous high was 50.0 percent.
- Senior guard Dominique Coleman finished with a season-high 25 points (10-16 FG, 0-2 3-pt FG, 5-6 FT).

#### **Texas Tech**

- This is Texas Tech's 11<sup>th</sup> appearance in the Big 12 Championship, it is now 10-10 overall and 5-4 in the first round.
- The Red Raiders set season-highs in FTA and FTM, going 35-44 from the line.
- Junior guard Martin Zeno tied his career-high high with 28 points (also done 11/11/06 vs. Georgia Southern). It was his ninth 20+ point game of the season and his 29<sup>th</sup> double-figure scoring effort. He has shot 50.0 percent from the field or better 21 times (8-15 FG, 2-4 3-pt FG, 10-12 FT) this season.
- Senior forward Jon Plefka recorded a season-high 10 rebounds (7 DR). His previous career-high was eight.
- Junior guard Charlie Burgess made a season-high 9 FT on a season-high 10 attempts.