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Commerce

Texas A&M University
Kingsville

Texas Woman's
University

West Texas A&M
University

Eastern New Mexico lands five on all-conference softball team

Lone Star Conference South Division champion Eastern New Mexico led all schools with five players selected to the 2001 South Division Softball All-Conference team. The team was selected by a vote of the division's five coaches at the league's yearly softball meeting in Dallas, Texas

ENMU pitcher **Jennifer Harrer** and Texas Woman's shortstop **Nickie Engelbrecht** claimed the top individual awards while ENMU coaches **Kathleen** and **James Rodriguez** was selected by their peers as Coaches-of-the-Year. The league's Freshman-of-the-Year went to Tarleton State pitcher **Carla Geeslin**.

Harrer, a senior right-hander from Albuquerque, N.M., currently is 20-6 on the season and has set school records for single season wins, strikeouts and innings pitched.

Engelbrecht, a senior from Alberton, South Africa, hit .362 with five home runs and 13 RBI's. She led the LSC with 17 stolen bases.

The Rodriguez's, a husband-and-wife team who share coaching duties at ENMU, have guided the Zias to a 34-12-1 record. ENMU won its first-ever South softball title with a 12-2 mark and finished as runner-up to Southeastern Oklahoma State University in the conference post-season tournament.

Geeslin, a native of Kennedale, Texas, finished her first year with the TexAnns at 22-5 and was named LSC South Division Player-of-the-Week three times during the season

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All- Conference -- South Division**

First Team

| <u>Pos</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>School</u> | <u>Ht</u> | <u>Yr.</u> | <u>Hometown</u> |
|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| P | Jennifer Harrar | Eastern New Mexico | 5-6 | Sr. | Albuquerque, N.M. (Hope Chrtsian) |
| P | Carla Geeslin | Tarleton State | 5-7 | Fr. | Kennedale, Texas |
| C | Sarah Remp | Eastern New Mexico | 5-6 | Sr. | Marshalltown, Iowa (Greeley) |
| 1B | Gracie Villa | Tarleton State | 5-7 | Sr. | Midland, Texas |
| 2B | Heather Browne | Tarleton State | 5-6 | Sr. | Arlington, Texas |
| SS | Nickie Engelbrecht | Texas Woman's | 5-10 | Sr. | Alberton, South Africa |
| 3B | Rachel Mohler | Eastern New Mexico | 5-9 | Jr. | Las Vegas, Nev. (Green Valley) |
| UT | Maegan Rhoten | Eastern New Mexico | 5-8 | Fr. | Albuquerque, N.M. |
| OF | Kim Paschall | Eastern New Mexico | 5-6 | Sr. | Mildland, Texas |
| OF | Lesley Zambrano | Texas A&M-Kingsville | 5-4 | Jr. | Carizzo Springs, Texas |
| OF | Alicia Ortiz | Abilene Christian | 5-5 | Sr. | Houston, Texas (Dobie) |
| DP | Lynee Velasco | Abilene Christian | 5-9 | Sr. | Campbell, Calif. (Westmont) |

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|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| P | Maria Gutierrez | Texas A&M-Kingsville | 5-7 | Jr. | Pearland, Texas |
| P | Maruine McWilliams | Abilene Christian | 5-10 | So. | Colleyville, Texas (Heritage) |
| C | Amie Kirkpatrick | Tarleton State | 5-3 | So. | Kennedale, Texas |
| 1B | Melissa Williams | Abilene Christian | 5-9 | Jr. | Albuquerque, N.M. (Cibola) |
| 2B | Amanda Sustatia | Texas A&M-Kingsville | 5-2 | Jr. | Pasadena, Texas |
| SS | Jessica Rowley | Eastern New Mexico | 5-10 | Jr. | Dallas, Oregon |
| 3B | Alicia Petersma | Tarleton State | 5-6 | Jr. | Irving, Texas |
| UT | Amanda Reed | Texas A&M-Kingsville | 5-10 | Sr. | San Antonio, Texas |
| OF | Marcie Villa | Tarleton State | 5-8 | Sr. | Midland, Texas |
| OF | Staci Greear | Tarleton State | 5-4 | Fr. | Fort Worth, Texas |
| OF | Michelle Primeaux | Abilene Christian | 5-7 | Sr. | Midland, Texas (Lee) |
| DP | Mariana Casarez | Texas A&M-Kingsville | 5-7 | Jr. | Beeville, Texas |

Honorable Mention: P Dawn Murray, 2B Alison Montbriand, ENMU; P Jill Ratliff, DP Lauren Morton, TSU; P Dawn England, 1B Teresa Flores, TWU; C Tracy Guadarrama, TAMK; SS Misty Pryer, 3B J.D. Williams, ACU;

Player-of-the-Year: Nickie Engelbrecht, Texas Woman's

Pitcher-of-the-Year: Jennifer Harrar, Eastern New Mexico

Freshman-of-the-Year: Carla Geeslin, Tarleton State

Newcomer-of-the-Year: Jessica Rowley, Eastern New Mexico

Coach-of-the-Year: Kathleen and James Rodriguez, Eastern New Mexico



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Southeastern Oklahoma takes top awards in LSC North Softball

Southeastern Oklahoma, the Lone Star Conference softball champion each of the last three years, captured the top two awards in the North Division All-Conference team. The team was selected by a vote of the division's six coaches at the league's yearly softball meeting in Dallas, Texas

SOSU pitcher **Krystel Markwardt** and catcher **Adrienne Stoops** claimed the top individual awards while Southwestern Oklahoma shortstop **Lauren Brown** and coach **Tami Loy** also were recognized with awards.

Markwardt, a senior right-hander from Berryhill, Okla., went 23-11, including earning Tournament MVP honors after pitching SOSU to back-to-back victories over Eastern New Mexico in the LSC Championship games.

Stoops, a senior from Tulsa Hale, has been a first-team selection in each of the last four seasons. This year she finished the regular-season with a .415 average with six home runs and 29 RBIs.

Brown, a graduate of Oklahoma City's Putnam North High School, led the league in hitting with .485 average while hitting seven home runs and 25 RBIs.

Loy, in her second year at SWOSU, led the Lady Bulldogs to a 28-17 record and their first-ever berth in the LSC Post-Season Tournament.

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| P | Krystel Markwardt | Southeastern Okla. | 6-0 | Sr. | Berryhill, Okla. |
| P | Casey Neely | Northeastern State | 5-8 | So. | Tulsa, Okla. (East Central) |
| C | Adrienne Stoops | Southeastern Okla. | 6-1 | Sr. | Tulsa, Okla. (Hale) |
| C | Chrystal Lasell | Cameron | 5-10 | Sr. | Lawton, Okla. |
| 1B | Kelly Baker | Southeastern Okla. | 5-8 | Sr. | Moore, Okla. (Westmoore) |
| 2B | Ida Hoffman | Southwestern Okla. | 5-5 | Fr. | Adair, Okla. |
| SS | Lindsay Jarvis | Northeastern State | 5-10 | Sr. | Grove, Okla. |
| 3B | Jenni Langford | Southeastern Okla. | 5-5 | Jr. | Sand Springs, Okla. |
| UT | Lauren Brown | Southwestern Okla. | 5-8 | Fr. | Oklahoma City (Putnam City North) |
| OF | Terra Beachum | Central Oklahoma | 5-5 | Fr. | Lewisville, Texas |
| OF | Angie Ayers | Northeastern State | 5-7 | Sr. | Welch, Okla. |
| OF | Megan Prestridge | East Central | 5-6 | Fr. | Moore, Okla. |
| DP | Tasha Beaty | Central Oklahoma | 5-4 | Jr. | Roland, Okla. |

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|-------------------|---------------------|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| P | Jessica Kirby | Central Oklahoma | 5-10 | Jr. | Newcastle, Okla. |
| P | Coutney Hale | Southwestern Okla. | 5-7 | Fr. | Rush Springs, Okla. |
| C | Courtney Cole | Central Oklahoma | 5-5 | Fr. | Tuttle, Okla. |
| 1B | Erin Crank | Central Oklahoma | 5-8 | Sr. | Sperry, Okla. |
| 2B | Randa Reavis | Northeastern State | 5-7 | Fr. | Claremore, Okla. |
| 3B | Breanne Hubbard | Cameron | 5-4 | So. | San Lorenzo, Calif. |
| UT | April Ferrall | Central Oklahoma | 5-4 | So. | Duncan, Okla. |
| OF | Kelly Fitzpatrick | Southwestern Okla. | 5-7 | Fr. | Oklahoma City (Putnam City North) |
| OF | Christina Armstrong | Southeastern Okla. | 5-7 | Fr. | Garland, Texas |
| OF | Jessica Worthy | Northeastern State | 5-7 | Jr. | Oklahoma City |
| DP | Annette Ropp | Southeastern Okla. | 5-8 | So. | Bartlesville, Okla. |

Honorable Mention: P Jennifer Roan, SS Leslie Phillips, ECU; 2B Jordan Wheeler, 3B Lindsay Miller, UCO; UT Jessica Yocum, OF Tanesha Byers, DP Renee Metzker, CU; UT Amanda Sill, SOSU.

Player-of-the-Year: Adrienne Stoops, Southeastern Oklahoma

Pitcher-of-the-Year: Krystel Markwardt, Southeastern Oklahoma

Freshman-of-the-Year: Lauren Brown, Southwestern Oklahoma

Coach-of-the-Year: Tami Loy, Southwestern Oklahoma