



BRAZOS COUNTY A&M CLUB

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Upcoming Events

December

- 13 Luncheon 12 p.m.**
 at The Association of Former Students
 Speakers: Bill Perry, Vice Provost
 Chuck Sippial, VP Facilities
- 14 Christmas Party 6 p.m.**
 at Pebble Creek Country Club

January

- 10 Luncheon 12 p.m.**
 at The Association of Former Students
 Speaker: Laurie Corbelli, Volleyball Coach
- 18 Hullabaloo Happy Hour 5:30 p.m.**
 at Ozona, College Station

February

- 14 Luncheon 12 p.m.**
 at The Association of Former Students
 Speaker: TBA
- 15 Hullabaloo Happy Hour 5:30 p.m.**
 at TBA

March

- 14 Luncheon 12 p.m.**
 at The Association of Former Students
 Speaker: TBA
- 15 Hullabaloo Happy Hour 5:30 p.m.**
 at TBA

Luncheon costs are \$13.50 in advance with RSVP and \$15.00 at the door. Limited number of seats available at the door.

Call the BCAMC Hotline at (979) 775-0336 to make your luncheon reservations

Discover the latest news about the Brazos County A&M Club at:

BCAMC.org

A WORD FROM BCAMC'S PRESIDENT

Year End Wrap Up

Dear Club Members:

As we head toward the holidays, I also am beginning to wind down my term as President of our Club.

Our final fundraiser of the year, the Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament, was held at Pebble Creek Country Club on Friday, September 30. The weather was great and approximately 75 golfers participated in this year's event. I would like to thank each of this year's participants in helping us to exceed our budgetary goal in raising almost \$3,500.00 from the golf tournament. I would also like to thank the entire committee, including Carol Keblinger, who was a wonderful resource as a past chairperson. Finally, a special thanks to Billy Hart, our golf tournament chairman, for putting on such a great event.

We were fortunate to have Texas A&M men's basketball coach Billy Gillispie, and our new baseball coach Rob Childress, as our speakers for October and November, respectively. We have had many fine speakers this year and I would encourage you to mark your calendars to attend our monthly luncheons on the second Tuesday of each month. The luncheons are held at the Clayton Williams Alumni Center beginning at 11:45 a.m. and the cost is \$13.50 with a reservation or \$15.00 without a reservation. A reservation may be made by calling the Club's hotline at 775-0336 or via our web site at www.bcamc.org. I hope that you will be able to attend our final luncheon of the year on December 13, 2005.

Our final event of the year will be our annual Christmas party which will be held at Pebble Creek Country Club on December 14, 2005. There is no cost to attend this event and it is a great way to meet and share fellowship with other members of the Club. I would like to thank Joe Gattis for the great job he has done in planning this event. I hope to see you there.

Finally, I would like to close by saying that it has truly been a privilege to serve as the Club President during the past year. I would like to thank our Club's membership for its support in helping us surpass our stated budgetary goal in raising over \$25,000.00 that will be used to help fund scholarships for students from Brazos County who will be attending Texas A&M University. I was also very fortunate to have been able to work with such a wonderful group of officers during the past year. I would like to take this opportunity to thank each of them by name and would encourage you to do so the next time you see them:

- President-Elect..... Cortney Tenhet '97
- Immediate Past President..... Rob Putz '83
- Vice President - Finance Mike Ashfield '88
- Janice Buchanan '85
- Vice President - Membership Roxanna Russell '89
- Vice President - Programs Joe Gattis '94
- Vice President - Publicity..... Steve Miller '95
- Vice President - Records Treye Rice '00
- Vice President - Scholarships..... Lacey Glenewinkel '00

This group of officers has worked extremely hard this year and I am proud of the work that we have done. I wish Cortney all the best as she leads the Club into 2006 and I sincerely appreciate the opportunity to have served you in 2005.

Gig 'Em Aggies!

Gerry M. Brown '96

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RUSS KELLEN
President

Coach's Night Wrap Up by Cortney Tenhet '97

On behalf of the entire Coach's Night 2005 Committee, the Officers and the Directors of the Brazos County A&M Club, I would like to thank all that participated in this year's event. We live in a very generous community and without those who bought tables, tickets and donated to the silent auction our event would not have been successful. Please log on to www.bcamc.org for a list of all sponsors and keep a look out for our thank you ad an upcoming Sunday Edition of The Eagle and try to support those that have been so generous and helpful to our Club.

I must thank our main sponsors, Dr. Malcolm Rude Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery and Wiggins & Associates, for purchasing Coach Franchione's head table. Their generosity is outstanding and I look forward to working with each again in the near future. I must also thank David Gardner's Jewelers, who over the past few years have generously donated the major gift for our raffle. Working with Dedra Nevill, their Marketing Director is always a pleasure.

Finally, I must thank the entire committee for their hard work in preparing for this, our biggest event of the year. Joe Gattis '94 was superb as Co-Chair and I look forward to handing him the reins for next year's event with all the confidence in the world that he will take Coach's Night 2006 to an all new level. The remaining committee members are no less worthy of our appreciation and we could not have done it without them:

Adrienne Gattis '99	Katy Lane '02	Brien Smith '81
Keith Lane '05	Chad Mallett '94	Lacey Glenewinkel '00
Dawn Baletka '84	Lindsey Leach '03	Gary Thomas '58
Mike Murillo '62	Heather Normand '99	Patsy Murillo
Janice Buchanan '85	Robin Williamson '99	Jennifer Johnson '97
Steve Miller '95	Jim Baletka	Travis Normand '99

Financial Report (as of October 2005)

As another spectacular year winds down, the Club is proud to provide the following financial update. First, let me say that it is because of you the Club achieves its goals of providing scholarships for future (and then current) local Aggies.

Our target income for 2005 of \$81,500 was realized and can be broken down as follows:

Coaches Night	\$48,440
Membership.....	\$11,060
Lunches.....	\$7,066
Golf Tourney.....	\$6,840
Fish Fry	\$5,312
Additional donations	\$2,759
Ad Sales.....	\$300
total income	\$81,777

Due to the Club reaching its financial target, we've been able to meet our budgeted donations of ~\$10,000 to a variety of campus activities, including \$5,000 to Muster. Additionally (through October results), the Club will be able to contribute ~\$25,000 to its multiple scholarship programs.

Congratulations and thanks for the continued support,

Mike Ashfield
Treasurer

2005 Club Officers

President.....Gerry Brown '96
President-ElectCortney Tenhet '97
Immediate Past PresidentRob Putz '83
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Vice President - Programs.....Joe Gattis '94
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2005 Board of Directors

3-Year Director.....Pat Kasper '80
3-Year Director.....Eric Wylie '93
3-Year Director.....Don Davis '85
2-Year Director.....Gary Thomas '58
2-Year Director.....Mike Murillo '62
2-Year Director.....Randel Whittlesey '87
1-Year Director.....Chantale Deuel '95
1-Year Director.....George Marble '49
1-Year Director.....Foster Ullmann '85

2005 Committee Chairs

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Jim Jonesfriscoags@aol.com
Chris Dailycrdaily@cox-internet.com

Bevo Burn-

John Lynn.....lynncattle@aol.com

Coach's Night-

Cortney Tenhet.....cortneyt@yahoo.com

Golf Tournament-

Billy Hartbilly.hart@westwebblaw.com

Get involved with your A&M Club.
Join a committee by contacting the chairperson.

2006 Hullabaloo Happy Hours

The BCAMC Hullabaloo Happy Hours are held on the third Wednesday of each month beginning at 5:30 p.m. Locations are announced throughout the year, check BCAMC.org for the location. Join fellow Aggies for food, drink, and hospitality at the Hullabaloo Happy Hour.

January 18	July 19
February 15	August 16
March 15	September 20
April 19	October 18
May 17	November 15
June 21	

Meet Your BCAMC Officers

Vice President for Finance- Janice Buchanan '85

Janice M. Buchanan '85 serves as Vice President for Finance for the Brazos County A&M Club. She is in her first year as an officer with the club.

Buchanan relocated to the College Station-Bryan area in 1982 to attend Texas A&M. Originally from a small town, the move was big for her because her hometown was so small it did not have a population sign.

Following her graduation, Buchanan discovered that she could avoid the "Big City Life" of places like Houston, Austin or Dallas and found it possible to build both a career and a social life in Aggieland. Given her prior banking industry experience from her college days, Buchanan chose to continue in the financial services industry. Buchanan has found that she can make a real difference in people's lives as a Financial Advisor with AIG/VALIC.

One of the most active person's in the local community, Buchanan is a proud supporter of Aggie Athletics and has been involved with many community events like: Brazos Valley Hospice/Hospice Happening, Special Olympics Spring Games, Boy's and Girl's Club/Coach Fran Charities Annual Event, and Coach Blair/Special Olympics Annual Event. She has also been an Auxillary Member at St. Joseph Regional Health Center for the past 15 years.

Buchanan looks forward to serving the Brazos County A&M Club in the New Year as the Club's Treasurer.

Vice President for Publicity- Steve Miller '95

Steve Miller '95 serves as Vice President of Publicity for the Brazos County A&M Club. He is in first year as an officer with the club. Miller is in his 10th year as assistant media relations director and is in his 15th year of service to the Texas A&M Athletic Department.

The 33-year-old Miller assists in all phases of the media relations operation, concentrating on football, women's basketball, and men's tennis, while contributing to the event management of those sports as well.

Miller has earned four "Best in the Nation" honors by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) for media guide development. Miller served as the assistant tournament director and was the media director for the 2005 NCAA Men's Tennis Championships hosted by A&M. In 2002, he was media director and played a significant role in the administration of the same event when it was held at A&M.

Miller is the gameday director for the Aggie Fan Zone project held prior to home football games. The highly successful event entered its second season under Miller's direction.

A 1996 graduate of A&M (Class of '95) with a bachelor's degree in health, with an emphasis in journalism, Miller has been a part of the athletic department since 1991. He served as a student trainer with football for four seasons and men's tennis during two of those seasons (1993-95) before joining the Media Relations Office as a student assistant in the summer of 1995.

An award winning broadcaster, Miller begins his 10th season broadcasting road games of A&M women's basketball, heard on SportsRadio 1150 The Zone. Previously, Miller served as the sideline reporter for A&M football road games on the 60+ station network for three seasons and has provided play-by-play on Aggie baseball, soccer and volleyball broadcasts. He is also a frequent fill-in local radio host and emcee of local events.

Miller serves on the organizing committee for the Gary Blair-Special Olympics Golf Tournament.

VOTE FOR BCAMC OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS FOR 2006

Mark one choice for each position or write in a candidate

OFFICERS

President

Cortney Tenhet '97 _____

President-Elect

Joe Gattis '94 _____

Vice President for Finance

Janice Buchanan '85 _____

Vice President for Memberships

Roxanna Russell '89 _____

Vice President for Programs

Randi Mays-Knapp '79 _____

Vice President for Publicity

Steve Miller '95 _____

Vice President for Records

Lacey Glenewinkel '00 _____

Vice President for Scholarships

Katy Lane '02 _____

Mark three choices for each director year or write in a candidate

DIRECTORS

3-Year

Chantale Deuel '95 _____

Foster Ullmann '85 _____

Paul Carroll '58 _____

2-Year

Pat Kasper '80 _____

Eric Wylie '93 _____

Don Davis '85 _____

1-Year

Gary Thomas '58 _____

Mike Murillo '62 _____

Randel Whittlesey '87 _____

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