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ENGINEERING

Service memorializes Chawla

a scholarship fund will be stablished in her name BY AMBER TAFOYA

CANDLELIGHT MEMORIAL



Alumni Fly with NASA

UIA graduates and employees continue to have an effect on the entire of the entire of

that." John McElroy, the former dean of engineering, is also involved in the space program now. He has spent a large part of his time lately in meetings discussing how to cut corners on the international space station budget, he said.



eering Dean Bill Carroll speaks about Kalpan

STUDENT LIFE

Columnist: Rejection is OK

Harlan Cohen says students must be willing to take risks.

BY BRITNEY TABOR

Harlan Colon remembers being re-ceeded in kindergarten. In fact, up until word years go, he was an expert in re-"Most people are afraid of rejection, at it the most normal part of the dark with the most of the most of the colon of the Dallas Morning News. Colons spoke to a crowd of more than the colon of the colon of the Dallas Morning News. So people Wednesday in the Tim-colon diseased relationships and re-tections as part of EX.C.E.L. Campus eggs in the Node, which did not co-onain actual modity, amused students while involving them in a Thorset's account

Fraternity scraps charity event

they are disappointed that Derby Days will not occur.

BY CANDACE SWEAT

STUDENT GOVERNANCE

SC discusses enforcement of smoke-free entryways

The spring 2002 resolution states that smokers must be 25 feet from entrances.

BY JOSIE GARCIA

Student Congress senators have begun enforcing a resolution that requires undoeste to stand 25 feet from building entrances. The Rules and Appropriation Committee is observing buildings to find ways to make the resolution that was passed list spring work. Senators adopted the recollation, which university President Robert Witt later approved. Committee members signed up to observe campus buildings up to observe campus buildings.

during its Tuesday meeting. This includes looking at the number of entrances and checking if eign-rette receptacles can be moved if they are too close to entrances, said committee chair Richie Stu-

He said congress wants to slee the smoking rule fair to th smokers and non-smokers. Stuart said the committee ans to place signs indicating acre smoking is not allowed thin the month

ins to place signs unableved here smoking is not allowed ithin the month.

English sophomore Laura lott said that although she is not ingnosed as allergic to eigarette noke, she has had side effects our feeling dizzy to passing out here people smoke around her. "For those of us who don't "For those of us who don't

nokers. Moving the receptacle ad making specific entrances to mikings non-smoking areas are one ideas to enforce the rule. SC President Chris Feather-one said he invites smokers and on-smokers to join the commit-

sate to look for options for the sit-uation. She added that she feels mokers have a right to smoke. Wheat said that if the rule is

Campus Police Chief Bo Hayes said enforcing the resoltion will be difficult under ei

ance."
Stuart said he understands
eather and smoking late in the
eening are factors congress is
ying to find a compromise on.
Hayes said that student awareess has been lacking since the

the rule will be a learning experience.

The secondaries in a big deal, he said. It hasn't been done be said. It hasn't been done be said. It hasn't been done be said to be on a learning curve. Hayes said compuse poice officers are aware of the rule and that officers will instruct anyone violating the resolution to move away from entrances.

Repeat offenders may be is-dent will not be cited with tide-eits, but and the cited with tide-eits, be added.

JOSIE GARCIA

"I don't think the people who passed the resolution thought of educating people and enforcing the rule."

Memorial

and administrators. Arlington Mayor Elzie Odom and Anne Witt, wife of university Presi-dent Robert Witt, also attend-ed the ceremony. Engineering Dean Bill Car-roll announced a Kalpana cugineering students with an acrospace preference. Standing next to a large photo of Chavia, Devarijan said he did not know her but knew the obstacles she faced knew the obstacles she faced and American hero. "It is really kasa!

trying to be both an Indian and American hero. "It is really hard to convey how hard it is to become an American astronaut," he said. 'She scaled great heights." As the large crowd lingered in the room after the service,

Rajesh Chindalur, transporta-tion engineering graduate stu-dent, said that what the speakers said didn't matter as much as the tribute tiself. This a great thing that they respected her, and that's what we want—"It is really cd, he said. Greeve hard to

ed.'h es said.
Provost George
Wright mentioned that
Chawla spoke highly of
Don Wilson, mechanigineering, chair, and
other faculty members
from UTA. Chawla frequently came back to
the university to met
option.

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Dr. Wright said he see was pleased when Chawla brought a shirt with "UT-Arlington Aerospace" on the front and "As a Matter of

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fact, I am a rocket scientist" on the back. Hector Nieto read a letter written by U.S. Rep. Martin Frost, D-Arlington.

ated.
Wilson, her thesis adviser,
said he first met Chawla in
1982 and saw her as a quiet
and shy woman.
He said she was chosen as
one of about 4,000 applicants
for a position in the astronaut
program and found a place as
an eloquent spokesperson for
NASA.
Jenson Mathai, manare-

NASA.

Jenson Mathai, management information systems senior, said he saw her as a role model because of her involvement in a program that was carried out in the name of all nations. "She inspired so many peo-ple," he said.

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The band members said they and to keep the atmosphere fun, hich is important considering eye say they play their music nifi they can't play argumore, hich sometimes means almost bours of practice.

We have a bunch of shows seed up, and we wanted to get there fister; Will said. Yone am.

"he only time we can get to we

Sports

cessensis Joth Annual Maverick lassic.

Coach Debbie Hedrick said

coach Debbie Hedrick said

e was satisfied with the team's ay in Waco even though they st four games.

"We had opportunities to win," e said. "I'm looking forward to is weekend's tournament and thing some more games under tr belos."

ar belts."

Freshman outfielder Beverly
owan was named to the Allsurnament team in the Getteran Classic, hitting one home
n, batting in five runs en route
compiling a 438 batting aver-

FRIDAY'S SOFTBALL

night at the Aardvark in Foet Worth and propositioned them or a sponsoship.

"He liked us and gave us a sunch of free T-shirts and see and wanted to work something at the state of the seed of the seed and wanted to work something out with us," Thompson said. We didn't get a full-on sponsos-hip because he got a promotion he very next day, but Mexicali is lefenited to comine out its varieties at the lefenited to comine out its varieties.

Maverick baseball teams gets off to winning start gets off to winning start. Muserick teached is off to a do-otate, and the tour outcomed focus charitation through and Centenary College by a combined Free Mr. Carb Med Curlis says, the Curlis says, the Carb Says, the Carb Says, Tendly Sr. be add. "After we get to to if or it games, well look, the man he has this year. Treadly Sr. be add. "After we get to to if or it games, well look, the constant for the Muser-improve."

One constant for the Muser-tick in both of their games was considered to them even insings in the two games, allowing just on the two games, allowing just The hallows, which Curlis said.

in the two games, sawmug, so-one run.

The bullpen, which Curtis said
was a weak point last season, matched the efforts of the starters.
Three pitchers combined to throw six innings after Gardener left in the 12-3 win over Cente-nary, and B.J. Brandenburger closed out the inith inning effi-ciently against the Horned Frogs,

NASA

"Space exploration is a response to a human drive to go beyond Earth." John McElroy, the former dean of eng

could be attributed to the last two years of his undergraduate educa-tion at UTA.

"I received a solid background in science and laboratory work," he said. There are a lot of sepects bere that are new to me, but I feel I was prepared for this kind of work."

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