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UTA WHEELCHAIR TEAM  
TO VISIT WHITE HOUSE

The three-time defending national champion UTA Wheelchair Movin' Mavs basketball team will be the official White House guests of President Clinton Thursday, May 13.

Nine team members and head coach Jim Hayes, director of the UTA Office for Students with Disabilities, will be among the 25 visitors.

The group also will include UTA President Ryan Amacher and his wife Susan.

Although the White House regularly hosts able-bodied championship teams, the Movin' Mavs are the first collegiate wheelchair basketball team to be so honored.

Since beginning intercollegiate play in 1989, the Wheelchair Movin' Mavs have compiled a 34-2 record, including a current 32-game winning streak. They have won the last three National Intercollegiate Wheelchair Basketball championships.

For more information, call Hayes at (metro) 817-273-3364.



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