



TEXAS

TRACK & FIELD AND CROSS COUNTRY

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6 NCAA Indoor Championships | 4 NCAA Outdoor Championships | 1 NCAA XC Championship
15 Big 12 Conference Indoor Championships | 17 Big 12 Conference Outdoor Championships

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2017 SCHEDULE

INDOOR

January

13-14 Texas A&M Team Invitational College Station, Texas
20-21 Rod McCravy Memorial Lexington, Ky.
Cherry & Silver Collegiate Invitational Albuquerque, N.M.
27-28 Houston Invitational Houston, Texas

February

3-4 Frank Sevigne Husker Invitational Lincoln, Neb.
New Mexico Collegiate Classic Albuquerque, N.M.
Armory Track Invitational New York, N.Y.
10-11 Tyson Invitational Fayetteville, Ark.
Husky Classic Seattle, Wash.
18 Alex Wilson Invitational Notre Dame, Ind.
24-25 Big 12 Championship Ames, Iowa

March

10-11 NCAA Championships College Station, Texas

OUTDOOR

March

17-18 UTSA Invitational San Antonio, Texas
24-25 Victor Lopez Classic Houston, Texas

March 29-

April 1 Clyde Littlefield Texas Relays presented by Spectrum Myers Stadium

April

1 Stanford Invitational Stanford, Calif.
14-15 Texas Invitational Myers Stadium
21 Cardinal Classic Stanford, Calif.
22 LSU Alumni Gold Baton Rouge, La.
Michael Johnson Classic Waco, Texas
28-29 Longhorn Invitational Myers Stadium

May

12-14 Big 12 Championship Lawrence, Kan.
25-27 NCAA West Preliminary Rounds Myers Stadium

June

8-11 NCAA Championships Eugene, Ore.

TYSON INVITATIONAL

DATE: Feb. 10-11

LOCATION: Fayetteville, Ark.

FACILITY: Randal Tyson Center

TWITTER: @UTexasTrack | #HookEm

LIVE RESULTS: FlashResults.com

LIVE VIDEO: SEC Network+ (via espn3.com & WatchESPN app)
Friday 11 a.m. | Saturday 11 a.m.

HUSKY CLASSIC

DATE: Feb. 10-11

LOCATION: Seattle, Wash.

FACILITY: Dempsey Center

TWITTER: @UTexasTrack | #HookEm

LIVE RESULTS: GoHuskies.com

LIVE VIDEO: FloTrack (\$) via FloPro subscription
Friday 10 a.m. | Saturday 10 a.m.

Texas Track & Field splits up again for a pair of meets this weekend that have earned a reputation as two of the best each year for certain disciplines. The sprinters, hurdlers and jumpers go to the Tyson Invitational hosted by Arkansas where the Longhorns will see the best of the best in those events. The pole vaulters, throwers and distance runners will compete at the Husky Classic, which will see the best distance runners in the nation duke it out on the track at Washington's Dempsey Center.

The Longhorns enter this week's action after seeing strong marks from the sprinters at the Husker Invitational while the throwers and vaulters posted a slew of personal bests in New Mexico. Texas hopes to build on those performances as the Big 12 Conference Championship approaches in two weeks.

Many of the sprint events at the Tyson Invitational will feature half of the top 16 runners in the nation. With only 16 individuals qualifying for NCAA Indoor Championships in each event, nearly every race in Arkansas can be viewed as a preview of the national championship meet.

Fans will be able to watch the action from both meets this weekend online with coverage at the Tyson Invitational provided by SEC Network+, which can be viewed online at espn3.com or on the WatchESPN app for smartphones and tablets. Live coverage of the Husky Classic will be provided by FloTrack for subscribers to the site's FloPro services.

Live results will again be provided at the Tyson Invitational by FlashResults.com for fans wanting to follow the action that way and links to live results from the Husky Classic will be at GoHuskies.com.

Fans can get updates on the Longhorns from both meets on the team's official Twitter account @UTexasTrack. Links to live results, heat sheets and live video will be posted prior to the start of each day's action as well.

TEXAS TRACK & FIELD NOTEBOOK

Longhorns Among NCAA Favorites

- Texas is among the elite programs in the NCAA again in 2017 and the women are eyeing their first NCAA indoor title since 2006 as they stand at No. 8 in the USTFCCA Indoor Rankings heading into this weekend's action. The men's team is No. 15 in the rankings after finishing 5th at the NCAA Championship last year.
- Texas began the season with both teams in the Top 10. It was 1 of 7 schools to have its men's and women's teams ranked in the Top 10 in the preseason.
- The Big 12 Conference has 3 other men's team ranked in the Top 25: Texas Tech (12), Kansas (16), Oklahoma State (20).
- The Big 12 has 4 other women's teams ranked in the Top 25: Baylor (12), Kansas State (13), Oklahoma State (19), Oklahoma (25).
- Last year at NCAA Indoors the women won 3 events with **Teahna Daniels** claiming the 60m with an American Junior record time of 7.11 seconds. She is back for her sophomore season. **Courtney Okolo** won the 400m and anchored the victorious 4x400m relay and has graduated, but half of the champion relay squad is back in 2017. For the men, **Zack Bilderback** became the first Longhorn to win the men's 400m, but the then-senior graduated. **Ryan Crouser** also won his fourth overall NCAA title in the shot put to close his collegiate career.
- The men finished the indoor season in fifth place at the NCAA Championships with 25 points.
- The women finished fourth at the NCAA Indoor Championships with a total of 44 points.

MEET SCHEDULE

TYSON INVITATIONAL

Friday, Feb. 10 -- Only Texas events listed -- Times listed as Central

Field Events

2:00 p.m. _____ Long Jump (w/m)
6:00 p.m. _____ Long Jump Invitational (m)

Running Events

1:15 p.m. _____ 400m (w/m)
2:40 p.m. _____ 60m Hurdles Prelims (w/m)
3:20 p.m. _____ 60m Prelims (w/m)
4:40 p.m. _____ 60m Hurdles Semifinals (w/m)
5:20 p.m. _____ 60m Hurdles Final (w/m)
5:30 p.m. _____ 60m Semifinals (w/m)
6:10 p.m. _____ 60m Final (w/m)
6:20 p.m. _____ 400m Invitational (w/m)

Saturday, Feb. 11 -- Only Texas events listed -- Times listed as Central

Field Events

12:00 p.m. _____ High Jump (w/m)
_____ Triple Jump (m/w)
3:00 p.m. _____ Triple Jump Invitational (m)

Running Events

12:30 p.m. _____ 200m (w/m)
2:30 p.m. _____ 200m Invitational (w/m)
4:10 p.m. _____ 4x400m Relay Invitational (w/m)
4:30 p.m. _____ 4x400m Relay (w/m)

HUSKY CLASSIC

Friday, Feb. 10 -- Only Texas events listed -- Times listed as Central

Field Events

6:00 p.m. _____ Weight Throw (m)

Running Events

6:00 p.m. _____ 200m (w)
7:30 p.m. _____ 5000m Invitational (w/m)
8:10 p.m. _____ 5000m Unseeded (w/m)

Saturday, Feb. 11 -- Only Texas events listed -- Times listed as Central

Field Events

12:00 p.m. _____ Weight Throw (w)
3:00 p.m. _____ Shot Put (w)
4:00 pm _____ Pole Vault Seeded (w)
5:00 pm _____ Shot Put (m)
5:30 pm _____ Pole Vault Seeded (m)

Running Events

12:00 p.m. _____ 400m (w)
1:25 p.m. _____ 800m Unseeded (w/m)
2:25 p.m. _____ 3000m Unseeded (w/m)
4:05 p.m. _____ Mile Unseeded (w/m)
5:30 p.m. _____ Mile Seeded (w/m)
6:20 p.m. _____ 800m Seeded (w/m)
6:45 p.m. _____ 3000m Seeded (w/m)

2017 Bowerman Watch List

The most prestigious award in collegiate track and field, The Bowerman, is awarded by the USTFCCCA annually to the top male and female track and field star annually. Since its inception in 2009, the winners gone on to win multiple Olympic medals. One Longhorn is on the February Watch List among those up for the award.

- Senior **Byron Robinson** won the 400m hurdles at the Big 12 Championship in May, posted the fastest time in the NCAA and ran for Team USA in the 2016 Summer Olympic Games to help garner his spot on the list.
 - > Robinson ran No. 1 time in collegiate season last year in 49.10 seconds at the LSU Alumni Gold
 - > Claimed Big 12 Conference title in 49.39 seconds

EVENTS TO WATCH

TYSON INVITATIONAL

• WOMEN'S 60M

Sophomore **Teahna Daniels** takes on some of the best sprinters in the NCAA this weekend. The 2016 NCAA champion will be in the field that could be a preview of the NCAA Championships in March with 6 of the top 8 times this year competing.

• MEN'S 60M

The men's 60m will also feature elite talent, including senior **Senoj-Jay Givans**. With 9 of the top 16 in the NCAA this season in the field, look for times at the Tyson Center to be fast. There are 7 runners in the field who have run 6.65 or faster in 2017.

• MEN'S 400M

Seniors **Aldrich Bailey Jr.** and **Byron Robinson** made their season debuts in this event last week and rank in the Top 12. This field will also be loaded with some of the best of the best with 4 of the top 10 and half of the fastest 16 in the NCAA this year.

• WOMEN'S 400M

Senior **Chrisann Gordon** and sophomore **Zola Golden** are in arguably the deepest women's running event at the Tyson Invitational with both ranking 14th or better. The field has 5 top 8 times from this season and 8 of the top 16.

• WOMEN'S 60M HURDLES

Freshmen **Alexis Duncan** made her debut as a Longhorn last week and will see some of the top hurdlers in the country this weekend. She ranks No. 22 in her event and junior **Ariel Jones** is No. 24 as the pair will face 4 of the top 10 runners in Arkansas.

• MEN'S LONG JUMP

Jumpers have thrived at Tyson Invitational in the past and this year's field for the long jump is stacked. With 4 of the top 8 jumpers in the nation, including No's. 1, 3, 4, it will be an exciting event to watch as No. 8 **Steffin McCarter** looks to improve on his season-best mark of 7.77m (25-6.00) for the Longhorns.

HUSKY CLASSIC

• MEN'S & WOMEN'S 5000M

The Husky Classic has become a big meet for distance runners looking to qualify for NCAA Championships. With many of the top runners in the country yet to run the 5,000m many of them will take to the track this weekend attempting to post an eventual top 16 time to make the NCAA meet. Texas has seen success at this meet in the past. Craig Lutz broke the school record in the men's 5,000 at Husky in 2015. Senior Sandie Raines was less than half a second from breaking the women's record the same year.

USTFCCCA INDOOR RANKINGS

WEEK 3 (2/6/17) NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS | BIG 12 CONFERENCE TEAMS IN BOLD

Men					Women				
Rk	Team	Points	Conference	Last Week	Rk	Team	Points	Conference	2016 Final
1	Florida	181.92	SEC	1	1	Oregon	220.86	MPSF	1
2	Oregon	134.77	MPSF	2	2	Arkansas	181.50	SEC	2
3	LSU	108.02	SEC	3	3	Georgia	169.36	SEC	3
4	Virginia	85.64	ACC	12	4	Southern California	125.08	MPSF	4
5	Arkansas	84.36	SEC	4	5	Florida	95.70	SEC	5
6	Texas A&M	81.91	SEC	5	6	Kentucky	90.86	SEC	8
7	Georgia	78.96	SEC	6	7	LSU	87.14	SEC	7
8	Southern California	78.31	MPSF	8	8	Texas	88.48	Big 12	6
9	Syracuse	67.09	ACC	7	9	Notre Dame	65.44	ACC	9
10	Colorado State	66.91	Mountain West	10	10	Michigan	57.91	Big Ten	12
11	Alabama	65.40	SEC	9	11	Ole Miss	56.88	SEC	15
12	Texas Tech	65.26	Big 12	14	12	Baylor	55.24	Big 12	10
13	Stanford	59.04	MPSF	13	13	Kansas State	53.89	Big 12	18
14	Tennessee	57.66	SEC	15	14	Boise State	52.20	Mountain West	11
15	Texas	55.68	Big 12	16	15	Miami	50.58	ACC	14
16	Kansas	55.28	Big 12	11	16	Purdue	49.21	Big Ten	13
17	Colorado	54.46	MPSF	85	17	Alabama	49.00	SEC	20
18	Virginia Tech	47.28	ACC	17	18	NC State	48.37	ACC	16
19	UTEP	45.11	Conference USA	32	19	Oklahoma State	45.48	Big 12	17
20	Oklahoma State	42.55	Big 12	18	20	Penn State	38.53	Big Ten	19
21	Washington	40.24	MPSF	20	21	Tennessee	36.69	SEC	21
22	Michigan	37.91	Big Ten	19	22	Washington	35.52	MPSF	23
23	Southern Illinois	37.61	Missouri Valley	23	23	Georgetown	35.10	Big East	22
24	Penn State	36.20	Big Ten	21	24	Harvard	35.03	Ivy League	24
25	South Carolina	35.45	SEC	24	25	Oklahoma	33.70	Big 12	27

CONGRATS TO 2016 BOWERMAN WINNER COURTNEY OKOLO!



- > Ran personal best 48.79 to finish 2nd at U.S. Olympic Trials and qualify for Team USA
- > Advanced through prelims at the Olympic Games with time of 48.98
- > Improved his PR in the semifinals to 48.65 for the No. 8 time but missed advancing to the final by .01.
- > During 2016 indoor season, Robinson broke the school record in the 600 yards to win the Big 12 Championship.
- > His time of 1:07.99 also broke the Big 12 meet record.

Long Vaulting Among National Leaders

- Junior pole vaulter **Kally Long** opened the 2017 season with the best performance of her career, clearing a pair of personal records. It was the best jump in the NCAA to open the season and still ranks No. 3 so far in 2017.
- Long cleared 4.37m and 4.42m (14-6.00) to win the Texas A&M Team Invitational over Big 12 Outdoor champ and All-American Annie Rhodes of Baylor. Long cleared 5 of 6 bars on first attempts and cleared 4.42m on her second.
- Long cleared that height on a short approach. After the meet, she said she was only using an 8-step approach
- In her second competition of the season, Long dominated the field with a clearance of 4.35m (14-3.25) to win the Cherry & Silver Invitational by 10 inches. She had close misses at 4.45m.
- Long has continued her strong performances in 2017 with another mark of 4.42m at the New Mexico Classic. She had three attempts at 4.52m with a near make on her final try. She finished 4th in the competition behind a trio of post-collegiate and professional vaulters.

Poth Posts 3rd Personal Best

- Redshirt sophomore **Barrett Poth** is among the top pole vaulters in the NCAA this season and has performed consistently each meet.
- In 3 competitions, Poth has posted 3 personal bests and 2 victories.
- Poth opened 2017 with a win at the Texas A&M Invitational at 5.32m (17-5.50) for the win.
- He followed with a clearance of 5.35m (17-6.50) to finish 2nd at the Cherry & Silver Invitational.
- His last time out, Poth cleared 5.40m (17-8.50) to win again and rank 13th in the NCAA this year.
- He ranks 4th in school history as well.

Bailey Runs Away at Husker Invitational

- Senior Aldrich Bailey Jr. made his season debut in the 400 meters at the Husker Invitational last weekend with a victory. After running mostly relays in previous meets, Bailey crossed with a time of 46.38 seconds to win and rank No. 5 in the NCAA so far this season.
- Bailey backed that win up with another more dominant showing in the 200 meters. His time of 20.96 bested the field by .30 as he continues running fast this season.

Olympian Makes 2017 Debut

- After a long summer of competition and finishing 9th at the Olympic Games this summer in Rio in the 400m hurdles, senior Byron Robinson made his season debut for the Longhorns at the Husker Invitational.
- Robinson finished 2nd in the 400 meters behind teammate Aldrich Bailey Jr. with a time of 46.68 to rank 11th in the NCAA so far this season.
- Robinson also ran the opening leg of the 4x400m relay that finished 2nd behind Kansas by just .01.

TEXAS INDOOR TOP 10'S

CURRENT LONGHORNS AMONG UT TOP 10 PERFORMERS

Men			
Event	Name	Rank	Mark
60m	Senoj-Jay Givans	1st	6.57
200m	Senoj-Jay Givans	4th	20.95^
	Aldrich Bailey Jr.	5th	20.96
400m	Aldrich Bailey Jr.	2nd	46.11^
	Byron Robinson	4th	46.27
	Chris Irvin	8th	47.15^
600yd	Byron Robinson	1st	1:07.99^
800m	Robert Uhr	10th	1:50.01
60m Hurdles	Spencer Dunkerley-Offor	4th	7.78
Pole Vault	Barrett Poth	4th	5.40m/17-8.50
Long Jump	Steffin McCarter	6th	7.77m/25-6.00
Triple Jump	Nick Phynn	8th	15.89m/52-1.75
	Obrien Wasome	9th	15.73m/51-7.25
Weight Throw	Alan Zapalac	2nd	20.55m/67-5.25
Heptathlon	Wolf Mahler	6th	5717 pts
Women			
Event	Name	Rank	Mark
60m	Teahna Daniels	1st	7.11
400m	Chrisann Gordon	5th	51.69
800m	Mary Beth Hamilton	7th	2:07.72^
Mile	Mary Beth Hamilton	7th	4:45.20
3000m	Sandie Raines	3rd	9:10.43^
5000m	Sandie Raines	2nd	15:50.49^
	Meghan Lloyd	9th	16:49.21^
60m Hurdles	Ariel Jones	6th	8.18
	Alexis Duncan	9th	8.24
Pole Vault	Kally Long	2nd	4.42m/14-6.00
	Shay Petty	3rd	4.18m/13-8.50
	Calie Spencer	4th	4.16m/13-7.75
	Ali Uhle	5th	4.15/13-7.25
Shot Put	Elena Bruckner	6th	16.00m/52-6.00
Weight Throw	Laurny Caldwell	2nd	18.08m/59-4.00
	Elena Bruckner	4th	16.28m/53-5.00
Pentathlon	Ashtin Zamzow	2nd	3965 pts

bold denotes marks from this season | **^** denotes oversized track | relay marks from this year only listed

TEXAS INDOOR SCHOOL RECORDS

Name (yr)	Men	Event	Women	Name (yr)
Givans (15)	6.57	60m	7.11	Daniels (16)
Stewart (13)	7.63	60h	7.95	McIntosh (04)
Bilderback (16)	20.79	200m	22.40 #	Knight (08)
Bilderback (16)	45.27	400m	50.69	Okolo (16)
Robinson (16)	1:07.99	600yd	1:17.52 ^	Reid (98)
Everett (09)	1:47.82 ^	800m	2:04.38	Diaz (00)
Squella (86)	2:21.19	1000m	2:42.51	Arnold (85)
Stilin (13)	3:58.66	Mile	4:40.12 ^	Diaz (00)
Stilin (13)	7:56.07 ^	3000m	9:07.93	Schweitzer (87)
Lutz (15)	13:40.30^	5000m	15:50.04	Sutherland (13)
2016	3:04.41	4x400	3:27.42	2014
2008	9:25.97 #	DMR	11:14.53	2011
Boswell (00)	2.33m / 7-7.75	HJ	1.98m / 6-6.00 #D.	Hooker (09)
Davis (99)	5.85m / 19-2.25	PV	4.60m / 15-1.00	Petrillose (14)
Goodwin (11)	8.14m / 26-8.50	LJ	6.71m/22-0.25 M.	Hooker (06)
Scott (92)	16.79m / 55-1.00	TJ	13.47m / 44-2.50	Turner (86)
Crouser (16)	21.73m / 71-3-50#	SP	18.56m / 60-10.75	Carter (06)
Armstrong (01)	22.12m / 72-7.00	WT	18.56 / 60-10.75	Brown (09)
Hardee (06)	6208 pts	Hept/Pent	4043 pts	Briscoe (14)
^ - denotes over-sized track # - denotes NCAA record				

BEVO BREAKTHROUGH PERFORMANCE OF THE WEEK

This season the coaching staff is recognizing one Longhorn every week who goes above and beyond in competition and wears Burnt Orange with pride while representing Texas with the **BEVO Breakthrough Performance of the Week**.

Last week's winner was thrower **David Rueff**. At the New Mexico Classic, Rueff posted a personal record to finish in 8th place behind some of the top throwers in the nation. But it was by how much further his PR throw was that impressed. Rueff improved on his previous PR by more than 5 feet with a toss of 15.65m (51-4.25). The throw also ranks him No. 8 in the Big 12 Conference and in position to potentially score at the championship meet.



Indoor

Week	Name	Meet	Events
Week 1	Spencer McCloud	Texas A&M Invite	High Jump
	Achievement: First career win		
Week 2	Spencer Dunkerley-Offor	Rod McCravy or Cherry & Silver	
	Achievement: PR in 2nd meet back from 2016 redshirt		
Week 3	n/a	OFF WEEK	
	Achievement:		
Week 4	David Rueff	New Mexico Classic	Shot Put
	Achievement: Broke PR by more than 5 feet		
Week 5		Tyson Invite or Husky Classic	
	Achievement:		
Week 6		Alex Wilson Invite	
	Achievement:		
Week 7		Big 12 Championship	
	Achievement:		
Week 8		NCAA Championship	
	Achievement:		

Outdoor

Week	Name	Meet	Events
Week 1		UTSA Invitational	
	Achievement:		
Week 2		Victor Lopez Invite	
	Achievement:		
Week 3		Texas Relays	
	Achievement:		
Week 4		OFF WEEK	
	Achievement:		
Week 5		Texas Invitational	
	Achievement:		
Week 6		LSU or Baylor	
	Achievement:		
Week 7		Longhorn Invitational	
	Achievement:		
Week 8		Big 12 Championship	
	Achievement:		
Week 9		NCAA West Prelims	
	Achievement:		
Week 10		NCAA Championship	
	Achievement:		

Throwers Roll at New Mexico Classic

- Texas sent its throwers to the New Mexico Classic and came away with multiple personal records despite not winning any of the four events.
- Junior **Lauryn Caldwell** inched closer to the school record in the weight throw as she posted a personal record for the 2nd time this season and is now just 19 inches from breaking the school record as she finished 5th in the weight throw at New Mexico behind some of the top throwers in the nation.
- Junior **Alan Zapalac** also improved his PR in the weight throw with a runner-up finish at 20.55m (67-5.25). He also ranks No. 2 in school history.
- In the shot put, redshirt freshman **David Rueff** saw a dramatic improvement as he broke his previous PR by more than 5 feet to finish in eighth place. His mark also catapulted him into 8th on the Big 12 performance list this season and in position to potentially score at the conference championship meet in two weeks.

4x400m Relays Gaining Steam

- Texas ran a pair of strong relay teams at the Husker Invitational with the men's and women's teams ranking among the top in the NCAA this season.
- The women's team of **Chrisann Gordon, Zola Golden, Ariel Jones and Serenity Douglas** clocked in at 3:33.71 to win and set a new meet record at the 42nd Husker Invitational.
- The men ran **Byron Robinson, Carlton Anumnu, Senoj-Jay Givans and Chris Irvin** ran one of the most exciting races of the meet. The Longhorns finished second in 3:07.83, which would have been good for a new meet record, but Kansas out-leaned Irvin at the finish line by just .01.
- Irvin nearly caught the Jayhawks from behind running an impressive anchor leg in 46.3 seconds.

Hurdler Returns to Track with Fire

- Redshirt junior hurdler **Spencer Dunkerley-Offor** made his return to the track after missing 2016 due to injury in style at the Texas A&M Invitational. He won the 60m hurdles with a time of 7.88 seconds, just .06 off his PR.
- The next time he stepped on the track he broke his PR with a time of 7.78 during prelims at the Rod McCravy Memorial. That time ranks him No. 9 in the NCAA so far this season and No. 4 in school history.
- Dunkerley-Offor was a first team All-American outdoors in 2015 finishing sixth in the 110m hurdles and was runner-up at both Big 12 Championships.

Bruckner Debuts with Runner-Up

- Freshman thrower Elena Bruckner made her collegiate debut with a runner-up finish in the shot put.
- The lefty threw the shot 16.00m (52-6.00) to trail Baylor's Cion Hicks by just. The mark ranks Bruckner sixth in school history already and currently stands at No. 14 in the NCAA this year.
- Bruckner was the No. 1 throws recruit out of high school, ranking in the top three in the shot put and discus.
- She qualified for the U.S. Olympic Trials in the discus, finishing 16th and went on to represent Team USA at the IAAF World Junior Championships and finished 7th in both events.
- Bruckner ranks No. 3 all-time in the high school shot put in the U.S. and is No. 4 in the discus all-time.
- In her second meet as a Longhorn, Bruckner got a win in the shot put at the Cherry & Silver Invitational. She also debuted in the weight throw and ranks 4th in school history in that event.

Men's Jumps Dominate at Texas A&M

- Texas opened the season with an impressive showing from the men's jumps group, winning all 4 jumping events at the Texas A&M Invitational
- Sophomore **Steffin McCarter** dominated the men's long jump with win by more than 16 inches. His jump of 7.77m (25-6.00) is No. 4 in the NCAA this season and moves him to No. 6 in school history.
- Freshman **Obrien Wasome** won big in the triple jump. He bested the field by nearly 3 feet at 15.58m (51-1.50).
- Redshirt Sophomore **Barrett Poth** posted a PR in the pole vault at 5.32m (17-5.50) to defeat Texas A&M's Audie Wyatt on misses. His height is currently No. 11 in the NCAA.
- Senior **Spencer McCloud** started the 2017 season with the first collegiate win of his career. He cleared 2.08m (6-9.75) to get the win over a jumper from A&M.

Standard Bearers

- No school holds more current collegiate records than the Texas Longhorns. The men and women combine to hold a total of 8 collegiate records heading into the 2017 season. The nearest competitor is Arkansas with 5 records. Arizona, Colorado and LSU each have four. All of Colorado's records are held by one athlete.
- Two of UT's records were set during the 2016 campaign. **Ryan Crouser** tied the indoor collegiate record in the shot put at the Big 12 Indoor Championships. **Courtney Okolo** already owned the collegiate record in the outdoor 400 meters, but she cut .32 off her time running 49.71 seconds at the LSU Alumni Gold in April.

Longhorns in NCAA Top 20 – top 16 individuals, top 12 relays qualify for NCAA Indoor Championships

Based on TFRRS Descending Order List - as of 2/7/17

Men

Event	Athlete	Mark	Date	NCAA Rank	Big 12 Rank
60m	Senoj-Jay Givans	6.65	2/3	11	1
200m	Aldrich Bailey Jr.	20.96	2/4	18	3
400m	Aldrich Bailey Jr.	46.38	2/3	5	1
	Byron Robinson	46.68	2/3	11	3
60m Hurdles	Spencer Dunkerley-Offor	7.78	1/21	10	1
4x400m Relay		3:07.83	2/4	14	5
Distance Medley Relay		9:52.07	1/21	17	2
Pole Vault	Barrett Poth	5.40m/17-8.50	2/3	13	4
Long Jump	Steffin McCarter	7.77m/25-6.00	1/14	8	2
Triple Jump	Obrien Wasome	15.73m/51-7.25	1/21	19	5
Wolf Mahler	Heptathlon	5654 pts	2/4	12	1

Women

Event	Athlete	Mark	Date	NCAA Rank	Big 12 Rank
60m	Teahna Daniels	7.21	1/21	4	1
400m	Zola Golden	53.12	1/21	12	2
	Chrisann Gordon	53.31	2/3	14	3
4x400m Relay		3:33.71	2/4	9	2
Distance Medley Relay		11:28.08	1/20	19	4
Pole Vault	Kally Long	4.42m/14-6.00	1/21, 2/4	3	1

Longhorns Dominate at Olympic Games

- Texas had its most successful Olympics in history in 2016 with a 9 Longhorns competing in Rio in track & field.
- The Longhorns won 6 medals for an amazing .667 percentage at the Games.
- **Michelle Carter** (2006) became the first American woman to win gold at the Olympics in the shot put. Carter broke her own American record in the process, winning on her last throw of the competition over two-time defending champion Valerie Adams of New Zealand.
- Texas made it a double in the shot put with 2016 Longhorn **Ryan Crouser** winning the men's competition. Crouser had one of the most impressive performances in the history of the event. He had zero fouls in his series of six throws, with all of them registering at least 20 meters. His winning throw of 22.52m (73-10.75) was a new Olympic record and ranks him No. 10 all-time in the shot put.
- **Ashley Spencer** (2015) won the third individual medal for the Longhorns in her first year back in her old event. Spencer transitioned back to the 400m hurdles in 2016 and stormed onto the scene with a bronze medal in Rio. Spencer clocked in at 53.27 seconds despite a few setbacks during the run. Spencer got off on her strides and led with her "off" foot over each hurdle but persevered and closed hard over the final 100 meters to move into medal position. Spencer also showed guts during the semifinals when she clipped the eighth hurdle but managed to save herself from falling, regained her stride and pushed to the finish to advance to the final.
- **Courtney Okolo** (2016) won gold for Team USA in the 4x400m relay. The NCAA champion in the 400m and anchor leg for UT's relay team that won titles and ran some of the fastest times in collegiate history had a different role wearing Red, White and Blue. Okolo ran the opening leg in both the prelims and the final to put her team in the lead and set the tone for the gold medal performance.
- **Morolake Akinosun** (2016) earned a gold medal with Team USA in the 4x100m relay. Akinosun ran the anchor leg in the prelims to get her medal in what was one of the most bizarre events of the Olympics. Team USA was interfered with during an exchange in the prelims and dropped the baton. After a protest, the Americans were allowed to re-run the race, solo, to see if they could qualify based on time and get an at-large bid to the final. With Akinosun running by herself down the final stretch, the U.S. clocked 41.77 for the fastest overall time in prelims. USA went on to win gold in 41.01 in the final.
- Current Longhorn and 2017 senior **Chrisann Gordon** also won a relay medal for role with Jamaica. Gordon ran the third leg for Jamaica in the prelims to help her country make the final and earn her right to a medal. She ran her leg in 50.75 seconds as the team clocked 3:21.42. Gordon handed the baton to the anchor leg with a significant lead in their heat. The Jamaicans would take second in the final and give Gordon a silver medal.
- In addition to the 6 Olympic medalists, also representing The Forty Acres in Rio were:
 - > **Byron Robinson (2017 senior)**, USA, 9th place 400m hurdles
 - > **Marielle Hall (2014)**, USA, 33rd place 10,000m
 - > **Jamal Wilson (2011)**, The Bahamas, 25th place High Jump

BIG 12 ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

2017 Big 12 Conference Track & Field Athlete of the Week

Indoor

Men	Date	Name	School	Events
	Jan. 18	Andrew Hudson	Texas Tech	Sprints
	Jan. 25	Jake Albright	Kansas	Pole Vault
	Feb. 1	Gleb Dudarev	Kansas	Throws
	Feb. 8	Dylan Blakenbaker	Oklahoma	Distance
	Feb. 15			
	Feb. 22			

Women

Date	Name	School	Events
Jan. 18	Kaela Edwards	Oklahoma State	Distance
Jan. 25	Aaliyah Miller	Baylor	Mid-Distance
Feb. 1	Jhoanmy Luque	Iowa State	Jumps
Feb. 8	Nina Schultz	Kansas State	Multi-Events
Feb. 15			
Feb. 22			

Outdoor

Men	Date	Name	School	Events
	March 22			
	March 29			
	April 5			
	April 12			
	April 19			
	April 26			
	May 3			
	May 10			

Women

Date	Name	School	Events
March 22			
March 29			
April 5			
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April 26			
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BIG 12 CONFERENCE

2017 MEN'S TRACK & FIELD/CROSS COUNTRY ROSTER

Name	IN / OUT / XC	Event	Hometown (High School/Previous School)	Pronunciations
Carlton Anumnu	Sr. / Sr.	Sprints	Stafford, Texas (Stafford)	Carlton ah-NOOM-noo
Charles Anumnu	Sr. / Sr.	Sprints	Stafford, Texas (Stafford)	Charles ah-NOOM-noo
Aldrich "AJ" Bailey	Sr. / Sr.	Sprints	Arlington, Texas (Mansfield Timberview/Texas A&M)	
Garek Bielaczyc	Fr. / Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Salt Lake City, Utah (East HS)	GAYR-ek BEE-luh-chek
Terry Brown, Jr.	R-Fr. / R-Fr.	Sprints	Cedar Park, Texas (Round Rock)	
Mohamed Deyaf	Fr. / Fr.	Sprints/Hurdles		
Spencer Dodds	Fr. / Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Great Oak, Calif. (Great Oak)	
Fabian Dohmann	Jr. / R-Jr.	Javelin	Fernando de la More, Paraguay (Colegio Goethe)	FAH-bee-en DOH-man
Spencer Dunkerley-Offor	R-Jr. / R-Jr.	Hurdles	Austin, Texas (St. Stephen's Episcopal)	SPEN-sir DUNN-ker-lee OH-for
Logan Emery	R-So. / Jr. / Jr.	Distance/XC	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands)	
Senoj-Jay Givans	Sr. / Sr.	Sprints	St. Elizabeth, Jamaica (Munro College)	sen-AH-zhay GIV-ens
Dan Golden	Fr. / Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands)	
Jacob Gray	R-Fr. / R-Fr.	Sprints	Fort Worth, Texas (Central)	
Zach Hamstra	Jr. / Jr. / Jr.	Distance	Flower Mound Texas (Flower Mound)	Zak HAM-strah
Connor Hendrickson	R-So. / R-So. / Jr.	Distance/XC	Southlake, Texas (Southlake Carroll)	
Chris Irvin	Sr. / Sr.	Sprints	Austin, Texas (Westlake)	
Eric Kroon	So. / So. / So.	Distance/XC	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands)	
Devin Lofland	Jr. / Jr.	Throws	Wichita Falls, Texas (Rider)	
Isaiah Lucas	Fr. / Fr.	Sprints/Hurdles	Houston, Texas (Cypress Falls)	
Kirema Macharia	So. / So.	Sprints/Hurdles	Round Rock, Texas (Round Rock)	kih-REM-ah mah-CHAIR-ee-ah
Wolf Mahler	Sr. / R-Jr.	Multi Events	Temple, Texas (Belton)	wolf MAHL-ler
Derrell Manhertz	Sr. / Sr.	Mid-Distance	Woolwich Township, N.J. (Kingsway)	der-EL MAN-hurts
Steffin McCarter	So. / So.	Jumps	Coperass Cove, Texas (Lampasas)	
Matthew McClellan	Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	The Woodlands, Texas (The Woodlands)	
Spencer McCloud	Sr. / R-Jr.	High Jump	Argyle, Texas (Argyle)	
Jake McConnell	R-So. / Jr. / Jr.	Distance/XC	Keller, Texas (Keller)	
Parks McNeil	R-Jr. / R-Jr.	Pole Vault	Kerrville, Texas (Kerrville Tiny)	
Nick Meaders	R-So. / R-So.	Pole Vault	Gatesville, Texas (Gatesville)	NICK MED-ers
Darren Medrano	R-Fr. / So. / R-Fr.	Distance/XC	Georgetown, Texas (Georgetown)	meh-DRAHN-oh
Charles Mills	R-Fr. / So. / So.	Distance/XC	Kingwood, Texas (Kingwood)	
Nate Moore	Jr. / Sr. / Sr.	Distance/XC	Lockhart, Texas (Lockhart)	
Ika Morton	So. / So.	Jumps	Lacey, Wash. (River Ridge)	EYE-kah
Pedro Nasta	R-Fr. / So. / So.	Distance/XC	The Woodlands, Texas (John Cooper)	NAHS-tah
Christopher Ntreh	So. / So.	Sprints	Murphy, Texas (Plano East)	IN-tray
George Patrick	Fr. / Fr.	Combined Events	Brentwood, Tenn. (Brentwood Academy)	
Brian Peterson	R-So. / R-So.	Distance	Round Rock, Texas (Cedar Ridge)	
Nick Phynn	Sr. / Sr.	Jumps	St. Catherine, Jamaica (Jamaica College)	
Jacob Pickle	R-So. / R-So. / Jr.	Distance	Southlake, Texas (Southlake Carroll)	
Barrett Poth	R-So. / R-So.	Pole Vault	The Woodlands, Texas (Klein Oak)	
Andrew Powell	Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Brentwood, Tenn. (Brentwood Academy)	
Andrew Price	Fr. / Fr.	Sprints/Relays	Bellaire, Texas (Strake Jesuit College Prep)	
John Rice	R-Fr. / R-Fr. / R-Fr.	Distance/XC	Brooklyn, N.Y. (Xavier HS)	
Medric Roberson	Fr. / Fr.	Sprints/Hurdles	Arlington, Texas (Mansfield Summit)	MED-rik ROE-ber-son
Byron Robinson	Sr. / Sr.	Sprints/Hurdles	Chesapeake, Va. (Western Branch/Penn State)	
Alex Rogers	So. / So. / So.	Distance/XC	New Braunfels, Texas (New Braunfels Canyon)	
David Rueff	R-Fr. / R-Fr.	Throws	Katy, Texas (Seven Lakes)	roo-EEF
Allen Sumrall	Sr. / Sr. / Sr.	Distance/XC	Corrales, N.M. (Bates College)	
Robert Uhr	Sr. / R. / Jr.	Distance/XC	Lockhart, Texas (Lockhart)	ROB-ert ER
Wesley Ward	Jr. / R-So. / R-So.	Distance/XC	Flower Mound, Texas (Flower Mound)	
Steele Wasik	Jr. / R-So.	Multi Events	Medina, Ohio (St. Edward/UCLA)	STEEL WAH-sik
Obrien Wasome	Fr. / Fr.	Jumps	Central Village, Jamaica (Jamaica College)	WAH-sum
Alan Zapalac	R-Jr. / R-Jr.	Throws	Wallis, Texas (Brazos)	AL-an ZAP-ah-lak

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Name	IN / OUT / XC	Event	Hometown (High School/Previous School)	Pronunciations
Mariam Abdul-Rashid	So. / So.	Sprints/Hurdles	Ontario, Canada (Eastdale CVI)	MAYR-ee-um ab-DOOL rah-SHEED
Mawardi "Mawi" Berkhadley	Sr. / Sr.	Jumps	McKinney, Texas (McKinney North/Northwestern State)	ma-WARD-ee burk-HAD-lee -- goes by Mawi
Skyler Bollinger	Fr. / Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Temecula, Calif. (Great Oak)	BOWL-lin-ger
Elena Bruckner	Fr. / Fr.	Throws	San Jose, Calif. (Valley Christian)	EE-lay-nuh
Georgia Burner	Fr. Fr.	Distance/XC	The Woodlands, Texas (College Park)	
Rushelle Burton	Fr. Fr.	Sprints	Jamaica (Camperdown)	
Lauryn Caldwell	Jr. / R-So.	Throws	Dickinson, Texas (Dickinson)	
Jonesy Chauvot	Fr. / Fr.	Pole Vault	Pearland, Texas (Dawson)	
Destiny Collins	Fr. / Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Great Oak, Calif. (Great Oak)	
Gabby Crank	So. / So. / R-Fr.	Distance/XC	Dallas, Texas (Highland Park)	
Haley Crouser	R-Jr. / R-Jr.	Throws	Gresham, Ore. (Gresham/Oregon)	
Alex Cruz	So. / So. / So.	Distance/XC	Edinburg, Texas (Edinburg)	
Teahna Daniels	So. / So.	Sprints	Orlando, Fla. (The First Academy)	tee-AH-nah
Serenity Douglas	Fr. / Fr.	Sprints	Grayson, Ga. (Archer)	
Alexis Duncan	Fr. / Fr.	Sprints/Hurdles	Lancaster, Texas (DeSoto)	
Nina Flores	Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	North Richland Hills, Texas (Birdville)	FLOOR-noy
Marissa Flournoy	Fr. / Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Austin, Texas (Bowie)	
Sydne Fowler	So. / So.	Sprints/Hurdles	Austin, Texas (Westlake)	
Zola Golden	So. / So.	Sprints	Sicklerville, N.J. (Arlington)	ZOH-lah
Emily Golla	R-Fr. / So. / R-Fr.	Distance/XC	Kingwood, Texas (Kingwood)	GO-lah
Chrisann Gordon	Sr. / Sr.	Sprints	St. Ann, Jamaica (Holmwood Tech./South Plains Coll.)	
Hannah Grubb	Jr. / Jr. / Jr.	Middle Distance/XC	State College, Pa. (State College)	
Abby Guidry	Fr. / Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Kingwood, Texas (Kingwood)	
Mary Beth Hamilton	Sr. / Sr. / Jr.	Middle Distance/XC	Dallas, Texas (Highland Park)	
Martha Hughes	Fr. / Fr.	Pole Vault	Austin, Texas (Austin Brentwood Academy)	
Abigail Hirst	Fr. Fr.	Distance/XC	Stratford, Texas (Stratford)	
Ariel Jones	Jr. / Jr.	Sprints/Hurdles	Houston, Texas (Atascotita)	
Meghan Lloyd	So. / So. / So.	Distance/XC	Keller, Texas (Keller)	
Kally Long	Jr. / Jr.	Pole Vault	Wimberley, Texas (Wimberley)	KAL-lee
Ashley Miller	So. / So.	Sprints/Hurdles	Greenwood Village, Colo. (East Ridge)	
Teesa Mpagi	Fr. / Fr.	Jumps	Spring, Texas (The Woodlands)	TESS-ah mm-PAH-gee
Shay Petty	Jr. / Jr.	Pole Vault	San Antonio, Texas (St. Mary's Hall)	
Virginia Preiss	R-Fr. / R-Fr. / R-Fr.	Multi Events	Corpus Christi, Texas (Richard King)	PREESS
Sandie Raines	Sr. / Sr. / Sr.	Distance/XC	Kingwood, Texas (Kingwood/Arkansas)	
Katie Ruhala	Jr. / Jr. / Sr.	Distance/XC	Lucas, Texas (Lovejoy)	KATE-ee roo-HA-la
Taryn Shanes	Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Plano, Texas (Plano West)	
Katherine Shomper	Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Round Rock, Texas (McNeil)	
Calie Spencer	Jr. / Jr.	Pole Vault	New Braunfels, Texas (New Braunfels Canyon)	KAL-lee
Olivia Thompson	Fr. Fr.	Distance/XC	Humble, Texas (Kingwood)	
Raquel Tjernagel	So. / So.	Sprints	New Westminster, Canada (New Westminster Secondary)	rah-KEL cher-NAY-gul
Pamela Uchebo	Sr. / Sr.	Jumps	Lubbock, Texas (Lubbock)	PAM-ah-la yu-CHEE-boh
Ali Uhle	R-So. / R-So.	Pole Vault	Tomball, Texas (Tomball)	AL-ee YOO-lee
Georgia Wahl	R-Fr. / So.	Jumps	Houston, Texas (Episcopal)	
Taylor Walker	Fr. / Fr.	Distance/XC	Temecula, Calif. (Great Oak)	
Jordan Welborn	R-Fr. / R-Fr. / So.	Distance/XC	Lumberton, Texas (Lumberton)	
Ashtin Zamzow	Jr. / Jr.	Multi Events	Goliad, Texas (Goliad/Texas A&M)	ZAM-zoh

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