2006 UTSA Baseball Game Notes

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May 5-7, 2006 Games: 46-49

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UTSA Roadrunners (31-14, 15-6 SLC) vs.

Louisiana-Monroe Indians (13-32, 7-12 SLC)

Live Stats | Live Audio

Setting the Scene

The Roadrunners return to SLC play this Friday-Sunday, May 5-7 against Louisiana-Monroe Indians at Indian Field.

All-Time Series

The Indians led the all-time series 24-21 against the Roadrunners. Last season, ULM took the season series over UTSA at Roadrunner Field. UTSA had won five games in a row versus Monroe, but the last two meetings have been Indian victories.

Last Outing

The UTSA baseball team picked up its fourth 30-win season in school history with a twinbill sweep of Texas A&M-Corpus Christi in non-conference action Tuesday afternoon at Roadrunner Field. The last time the Roadrunners won 30 games in a season was in head coach Sherman Corbett's first season at UTSA, in 2001. Freshman Andy Benedict picked up his second win on the year and improved to 2-0. He went five strong innings, allowed three runs, scattered six hits and fanned a career-high eight batters. Game two starter sophomore Mark Ruffin collected his third win and upped his mark to 3-1 on the season. Ruffin tossed six innings, gave up five runs off seven hits, walked two and struck out three. Senior Lee Todesco belted two home runs and collected a career-high six RBI.

Probable Starters

Pos.	Name	Avg	H	HR	RBI	SLG%
1B	Lee Todesco	.370	60	5	44	.549
2B	J.R. Voyles	.320	57	5	37	.472
3B	Ryan Saltzgaber	.302	45	2	17	.409
SS	Marshal Davis	.268	44	0	19	.305
LF	James Keithley	.286	44	1	19	.364
CF	Michael Rockett	.348	48	3	25	.486
RF	Michael McKennon	.359	65	9	38	.586
C	Zach Etheredge	.222	30	3	22	.370
DH	Brandon Koger	.215	17	1	16	.329

Starting Rotation

Name	Throws	ERA	SO	BB	IP
Josh Ruffin	RHP	2.81	61	32	89.2
Caleb Barton	LHP	4.55	47	17	63.1
Blake Brannon	RHP	5.35	48	32	67.1

2006 Schedule

Overall: 31-14 H: 20-4 A: 11-10 N:0-0

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DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULTS
2/7	@ Houston	L,10-11 (10)
2/10	Utah	W, 5-4
2/ 11	Utah	W, 5-4 L, 1-10
2/ 12	Utah	W. 9-6
2/ 14	@ Texas	L, 1-6
2/17	Kentucky	L, 4-10
2/ 18	Army	cancel
2/19	Kentucky	cancel
2/19	Army	W, 5-4
2/21	@ Baylor @ A&M-Corpus Christi	L, 0-5
2/ 25	(a) A&M-Corpus Christi	(DH)W, 9-5, L, 4-6
2/26	@ A&M-Corpus Christi	L, 4-6
3/2	@ Dallas Baptist	W, 7-0
3/3	@ Dallas Baptist	W, 8-4
3/4	@ Dallas Baptist	L, 4-6 W, 7-0 W, 8-4 W, 8-2
3/7	Texas-Pan American	W, 10-9 (10)
3/ 10-13	Baseball Express Colle	giate
	Baseball Classic	***
3/10	Iowa	W, 3-1
3/11	Illinois	W, 9-3
3/12	Texas A&M	W, 4-2
3/13	Louisiana-Lafayette	W, 5-2 (12) L, 3-13 (8) W, 3-0 L, 4-6 (11)
3/17	@ Lamar*	L, 3-13 (8)
3/18	@ Lamar*	W, 3-0
3/19	@ Lamar*	L, 4-0 (11)
3/ 24 3/ 25	Northwestern State*	vv, 4-3
3/ 25	Northwestern State* Northwestern State*	W, 6-3
3/ 31	McNeese State*	L, 1-6 W, 4-3 (12)
4/1	McNeese State*	W, 4-3 (12) W, 8-7 (12)
4/2	McNeese State*	L, 9-15
4/4	Texas-Pan American	W 10-8
4/7	@ Southeastern La.*	W 9-7
4/8	a Southeastern La.*	w 7-1
4/9	Southeastern La.*	W, 10-8 W, 9-7 W, 7-1 L, 1-3 W, 8-1
4/ 13	Nicholls State*	W. 8-1
4/ 14	Nicholls State*	W, 16-14
4/ 16	Nicholls State*	W. 10-8
4/ 18	Texas	W 14-10
4/21	@ Texas-Arlington*	W, 5-2
4/ 22	@ Texas-Arlington*	W, 7-0
4/ 23	@ Texas-Arlington*	L, 3-5
4/ 25	@ Texas A&M	L, 3-9
4/ 28	Stephen F. Austin*	W, 5-2 W, 7-0 L, 3-5 L, 3-9 W, 14-4
4/29	Stephen F. Austin*	W, 6-5 (12) W, 4-3
4/30	Stephen F. Austin*	W, 4-3
5/2	A&M-Corpus Christi (D	H) W, 9-3, W, 11-5
5/5	@ Louisiana-Monroe*	6:30 p.m.
5/ 6 5/ 7	@ Louisiana-Monroe*	3 p.m.
5/ 12	@ Louisiana-Monroe*	1 p.m.
5/ 12	Sam Houston State* Sam Houston State*	3 p.m.
5/ 14	Sam Houston State*	2 p.m. 1 p.m.
5/ 18	Texas State*	3 p.m.
5/ 19	@ Texas State*	6:30 p.m.
5/ 20	@ Texas State*	3 p.m.
5/ 24-27	SLC Conference Tourna	ment TBA

HOME GAMES IN BOLD PLAYED AT WOLFF STADIUM AND ROADRUNNER FIELD

2006 UTSA Baseball Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	YrExp.	Ht.	Wt.	B/T	Hometown (Last School)
1	J.R. Voyles	INF	Sr3L	5-8	180	R/R	Tomball, Texas (Klein Oak HS)
2	Ryan Saltzgaber	INF	Jr1L	5-11	165	R/R	Abilene, Texas (Kansas State)
4	Michael Rockett	OF	FrHS	6-1	160	R/R	Sugar Land, Texas (Austin HS)
5	Brandon Koger	INF	Jr1L	5-11	165	R/R	Houston, Texas (Westside HS)
6	Dustin Thibodeaux	P	Sr2L	6-0	180	R/R	Cuero, Texas (Cuero HS)
7	Matt Guzman	INF	FrRS	6-1	195	R/R	Corpus Christi, Texas (King HS)
8	Zach Etheredge	C	SoRS	6-1	195	R/R	Boerne, Texas (Boerne HS)
9	James Keithley	INF	FrHS	6-1	185	R/R	San Antonio, Texas (Reagan HS)
10	Marshal Davis	INF	So1L	5-10	165	S/R	Conroe, Texas (Conroe HS)
11	Jacob Sansom	P	JrRS	6-1	175	L/L	Converse, Texas (Vernon JC)
12	Noah Miles	P	JrTR	6-2	195	R/R	Monahans, Texas (Seward County CC)
15	Mark Ruffin	P	So1L	5-11	175	R/R	Humble, Texas (Humble HS)
16	Blake Brannon	P	Jr2L	6-2	225	R/R	Brenham, Texas (Brenham HS)
17	Steven Vasquez	P	Jr2L	6-3	185	R/R	Beeville, Texas (Jones HS)
18	Michael McKennon	OF/INF	Jr2L	6-2	200	L/L	Pearland, Texas (Pearland HS)
19	Eric Johnston	OF	FrHS	5-10	175	L/L	Lufkin, Texas (Lufkin HS)
20	Josh Ruffin	P	Jr2L	6-2	200	R/R	Humble, Texas (Humble HS)
21	Josh Blakley	P	JrTr	6-1	195	R/R	Lorena, Texas (Blinn JC)
22	Danny Cornejo	INF	FrHS	6-0	205	R/R	San Antonio, Texas (John Jay HS)
23	Lee Todesco	INF	Sr3L	6-3	225	R/R	Buda, Texas (Hays Consolidated)
24	Phillip Allen	OF	So1L	5-11	175	S/R	Sugar Land, Texas (Kempner HS)
25	Tim Palinesar	OF	FrHS	6-3	190	L/R	College Station, Texas (A&M Consolidated HS)
26	Adrian Elwin	INF	JrTR	6-2	200	R/R	Corpus Christi, Texas (Brown Mackie JC)
27	Noah Tritz	P	Sr1L	5-10	215	R/R	Spring, Texas (Southern Miss)
28	Mitch Ponza	OF	JrTR	6-2	190	R/R	Soquel, CA. (San Jose CC)
29	Robbie Johns	C	Sr3L	5-11	205	R/R	Arlington, Texas (Martin HS)
30	Josh Barnett	OF	FrHS	5-10	175	R/R	Lubbock, Texas (Cooper HS)
32	Caleb Barton	P	Sr1L	6-0	185	L/L	Geronimo, Texas (Panola JC)
33	Michael Susaneck	P	FrHS	5-9	200	L/L	Missouri City, Texas (Elkins HS)
34	Andy Benedict	P	FrHS	6-3	190	L/L	Lewisville, Texas (Hebron HS)
38	David Callaway	C	FrHS	5-10	190	R/R	Corpus Christi, Texas (King HS)
39	Cole Gleason	P	FrHS	5-10	160	R/L	New Braunfels, Texas (New Braunfels)

Head Coach: Sherman Corbett (sixth season, 164-163) Associate Head Coach: Jason Marshall (sixth season)

Assistant Coach: Jim Blair (fifth season) Volunteer Assistant Coach: Mike Clement

Manager: Kevin Birkelbach

2006 Louisiana-Monroe Baseball Roster

No	Name,	Ht/Wt	Pos	В-Т	Yr/Exp	Hometown (Last School)
2	Rollinson, Ty	6-3/180	INF	L-R	JR/2L	Oak Grove, La. (Oak Grove)
3	Soignier, Ben	6-0/187	INF/P	R-R	FR/TR/RS	West Monroe, La. (Alabama)
6	Manley, Greg	5-11/200	OF	R-R	FR/RS	Monroe, La. (Ouachita Parish)
7	Vaughan, Scott	5-9/165	INF	R-R	SO/1L	Monroe, La. (Ouachita Parish)
8	Stephens, James	6-3/205	P	R-R	JR/2L	Monroe, La. (Neville)
9	LaBorde, Justin	5-9/190	OF	R-R	SR/3L	West Monroe, La. (West Monroe)
10	Smith, Brent	5-11/180	OF	R-R	FR/RS	Shreveport, La. (C.E. Byrd)
11	Fontenot, Dexter	5-10/180	OF	R-R	SO/1L	Gonzales, La. (St. Amant)
12	LaBorde, Clark	5-11/175	INF	R-R	FR/RS	West Monroe, La. (West Monroe)
13	Mixon, David	6-1/175	P	R-R	JR/TR	Americus, Ga. (Chipola JC)
14	Jones, Andy	5-8/175	OF	L-L	JR/1L/RS	Monroe, La. (Gulf Coast CC)
16	White, Mark	6-2/185	P	R-R	FR/RS	Monroe, La. (Ouachita Christian School)
17	Garvin, Todd	6-1/210	INF	R-R	SR/3L	Monroe, La. (Ouachita Parish)
18	Morrison, Josh	6-0/190	C	R-R	JR/2L	Bastrop, La. (Prairie View Academy)
19	Hall, Ladd	6-3/205	P	R-R	SR/1L	Hereford, Ariz. (Arizona State)
20	Low, Doug	6-0/200	C	L-R	JR/TR	Henderson, Nev. (Mesa CC)
21	Sipp, Ryan	6-2/170	P	L-L	JR/TR	Rowlett, Texas (Odessa College)
22	Lawler, Steve	6-0/180	INF/P	R-R	SR/1L	Columbia Heights, Minn. (Des Moines Area CC)
23	Jennings, Jared	5-11/170	P	L-L	SO/1L	Shreveport, La. (Evangel Christian Academy)
26	Smith, Kyle	6-0/180	P	R-R	SO/1L	Monroe, La. (Ouachita Christian School)
27	Ford, A.J.	6-1/190	P	R-R	JR/TR	Gilbert, Ariz. (Chandler-Gilbert CC)
28	Bowman, Bo	6-2/200	INF/O	F	L-L	JR/TR Gering, Neb. (Cochise CC)
29	Drader, Travis	/170	INF	L-R	JR/TR	Calgary, Alberta (Odessa College)
30	Harris, Tyler	6-2/205	OF/IN	F	L-R	SO/1L Winnsboro, La. (Franklin Academy)
32	Ramsey, Joel	5-11/195	INF/P		FR/HS	West Monroe, La. (West Monroe HS)
33	Fortenberry, D.J.	6-4/230	P	R-R	SO/1L	St. Amant, La. (Riverside Academy)
34	Roberts, Daniel	6-3/180	P	L-L	JR/TR	Citronelle, Ala. (Chipola JC)
36	Bennett, James	6-1/230	OF	L/L	SR/1L	Humble, Texas (Dodge City CC)
37	Flemister, Tyler	6-2/215	INF	R-R	FR/RS	Monroe, La. (Neville)
38	Chandler, Bucky	6-0/200	P	R-R	JR/TR	Garland, Texas (Odessa College)
39	Siggers, A.J.	6-0/190	OF	L-R	JR/HS	Galveston, Texas (Ball)
40	Miller, Matt	6-1/225	C	R-R	SR/1L	Ada, Okla. (Laredo CC)
42	Barnes, Craig	6-7/230	INF	R-R	FR/HS	Benton, La. (Benton)

Coaches

25 Jeff Schexnaider - Interim Head Coach

5 Britten Oubre - Assistant Coach

31 Chuck Finley - Assistant Coach

Phil Keifenheim - Camp Coordinator / Volunteer Asst. Coach

4 Mike Shields - Student Manager



Head Coach Sherman Corbett Sixth Season 169 Career Wins UTSA's Winningest Coach

With more than 20 years of playing and coaching experience, Sherman Corbett now enters his sixth year at the helm of the UTSA baseball program.

With 169 career victories, Corbett became the all-time winningest baseball coach in UTSA history last season (169-164). He also guided the

Roadrunners to their second Southland Conference (SLC) Tournament Championship and NCAA Regionals in 2005.

Three of Corbett's players went on to play professionally in 2005. Shortstop Ryan Crew, who was selected to the 2005 All-SLC third team and SLC Tournament MVP, was drafted by the Milwaukee Brewers, while pitcher Jason Vecchio was selected in the 16th round by the Cincinnati Reds in the 2005 draft. Sean Danielson was the third Runner to sign a big league contract when he signed with the St. Louis Cardinals.

In his first season in 2001, he guided the Roadrunners to their first 30-win season since 1995. The same year he coached four players to all-SLC honors including the 2001 SLC Pitcher of the Year in Jared Howton. In 2002, five players were selected to the all-conference squad under Corbett's tutelage along with Mark Schramek being the SLC Player and Hitter of the Year. Schramek went on to become UTSA's first-ever baseball all-American and the highest major league draft pick in UTSA history (first round, 40th overall by the Cincinnati Reds).

Corbett produced again in 2003 with Crew being named the 2003 SLC Freshman of the Year and a Louisville Slugger Freshman All-American. In 2004, the Roadrunners led the SLC in home runs.

A San Antonio native, Corbett garnered all-city honors during his prep days at Samuel Clemens High School before beginning his collegiate career at Texas A&M.

Over three seasons as an Aggie, Corbett posted a career record of 14-11. Corbett was then drafted in the third round of the 1984 Major League Baseball Amateur Draft by the California Angels.

Baseball Amateur Draft by the California Angels.

In his inaugural season with the Angels, the southpaw appeared in 34 games, posting a 2-1 record with one save and a 4.14 ERA. He made his major league debut against the Baltimore Orioles, then picked up his first major

league victory against the Chicago White Sox at Old Comiskey Park.

He remained in the California organization for seven seasons. After his time with the Angels, Corbett spent one season with the Detroit Tigers organization and a final season with the Chicago Cubs organization before retiring in 1993.

Corbett comes from a highly respected baseball family in the San Antonio area, with his father, Raymond, Sr., serving as an administrator in the Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City Independent School District for 23 years. He also was an associate scout for the Cincinnati Reds and assisted with numerous camps and all-star games in the San Antonio area.

Corbett's brother, Raymond, Jr., who was a high school all-American and all-State catcher at Clemens High School, played over seven seasons in the Cincinnati organization. He is currently an area scout for the New York Mets.

In 2001 all three Corbetts were inducted into the Schertz-Cibolo-Universal City Independent School District Sports Hall of Honor.

Corbett graduated Cum Laude from Texas A&M with a bachelor's degree in secondary education in 1991. In 1995 he remained in College Station to earn a master of business administration degree.

After completing his master's degree, Corbett coached and taught at A&M Consolidated High School and was an instructor at Texas A&M baseball camps. In addition to his coaching and playing experience, Corbett also served as the NCAA Regional Baseball Tournament field coordinator for the 1993, 1998 and 1999 Regional and Super Regional games played at Texas A&M.

Corbett is the third baseball coach in UTSA history, following Jimmy Shankle (1992-95) and Mickey Lashley (1996-2000).

Corbett and his wife, Julie, have a seven-year old son, Mason.

Corbett Year-By-Year					
	at UTSA				
Year	Record	SLC			
2001	30-29	15-12			
2002	25-29	13-14			
2003	29-27	12-15			
2004	27-31	12-14			
2005	27-34	14-13			
2006	29-14	15-6			
Total	169-164	81-74			

General Information Location San Antonio, TX 78249 Founded......1969 Enrollment......26,340 Conference Southland Colors Orange (166), Navy Blue (294) and White President...... Dr. Ricardo Romo Athletics Director.....Lynn Hickey Athletics Dept. Phone ...(210) 458-4161 Ticket Office Phone(210) 458-4646 Web site.....www.goUTSA.com **Stadium Information** Home Field... Wolff Municipal Stadium Surface Grass Dimensions310, 368, 402, 368, 340 Press Box Phone(210) 675-0341 Home Field..... Roadrunner Field Capacity800 Surface Grass Dimensions335, 405, 340 Press Box Phone(210) 458-4612 First Year of Baseball.....1992 Years in CWS/Last.....None Years in NCAA Regionals/Last 2/2005 **Coaching Staff** Head Coach...... Sherman Corbett Alma Mater/Year..... Texas A&M/1985 Record at UTSA/Years...... 169-164/6 Career Record/YearsSame Baseball Office Phone...(210) 458-4805 Baseball Office Fax.....(210) 458-4180 Best Time to Contact......Mornings Associate Head Coach .. Jason Marshall Assistant Coach......Jim Blair Volunteer Asst. Coach....Mike Clement Team Information 2005 Conference Record...... 14-13 Final Ranking.....None Lettermen Returning/Lost...... 17/12

Starters Returning/Lost 4/5

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	Triples	
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	RBI	
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Pitching		
UTSA	Stats	ULM
	ERA	
45	Appearances	45
	Runs	
193	Earned Runs	290
10	Saves	6
	Innings Pitched	
	Strike Outs	
160	Walks	203

Scouting Louisiana-Monroe

Louisiana-Monroe has lost four consecutive games, including a 8-7 decision to Louisiana Tech on May 2 at Indian Field. In conference action, the Indians were swept by McNeese State on April 28-30 in Monroe, La. Heading into this weekend's series ULM is 13-32 overall and 7-12 in SLC play. Freshman Ben Soignier leads the team with a .366 batting average and ranks second on the team with 60 hits and 29 runs batted in. Senior James Bennett has a team-best 33 RBI and 13 doubles on the season.

Reaching 30 Something

The Roadrunners secured its fourth ever 30-win season with a sweep of Texas A&M-Corpus Christi on May 2. The last time UTSA accomplished this fate was during the 2001 season, when the Runners finished 30-29. Coach Corbett is the second coach in UTSA's baseball history to have two 30-win seasons.

Best Finish Ever

This year's team has them on pace of having its best season ever in both wins and winning percentage. With 11 games remaining, the Roadrunners on pace for its first ever 40-win season. The 1994 squad fell one win shy of 40, however, they managed to finish the season 39-18 (.684).

Todesco's Belts Islanders

Senior Lee Todesco smacked two home runs against TAMUCC. His first homer was a solo in the fifth inning. Todesco's hammered a three-run shot over the left wall in the sixth inning. He also collected a career-high six RBI.

Plunk Record

Junior Michael McKennon became the hit-by-pitch leader with 32 beams. He is two shy of the tying the school record of 19, set by Matt McIntyre in 2001. He also ranks 17th in the nation averaging 0.37 hit by pitch per game.

Offensive Explosion

In Friday's game against Stephen F. Austin, the Roadrunners punished SFA's pitching staff with 14 runs off a season-high 18 hits. Junior Ryan Saltzgaber paced the Runners offense with four hits, including a solo blast and drove in three Runners. Also going yard was freshman Michael Rockett.

Nothing New For The Birds

The Roadrunners played in their seventh extra inning ball game this season. Three of the seven games have gone into the 12th inning, with UTSA winning them all.

Finally A Win On Sunday

The 4-3 win over the Lumberjacks on April 30th, gave the Runners their first Sunday win this season. Before Sunday's win, UTSA was 0-5.

Runners Among Nation's Best

UTSA has three players nationally ranked this season. Senior Noah Tritz is 24th in the nation with eight wins and is 31st with eight saves. Sophomore Marshal Davis is 38th in the country in walks per game with a 0.77 average. UTSA's .689 winning percentage is 29th best in the nation.

Aggie Pitching Stops UTSA's Offense

In Tuesday's game against the Aggies, the Roadrunners were outscored 9-3 and out hit 15-9. UTSA left 13 runners on base, including six in scoring position. Texas A&M's pitching staff collected 10 strike outs on the night.

Ruffin's Haltered Mavs Offense

Josh Ruffin tossed his SLC leading third shutout on April 22 against UTA. Ruffin scattered six hits in nine innings, struck out five Mavericks and allowed two walks. He also went the distance for the fourth time this season, which also leads the conference. Ruffin is 6-1 on the year and 4-0 in SLC play. All of his shutouts have come on the road.

Josh Collects Pitcher of the Week Honors

In a week's span, the Humble, Texas native, got the start against then No. 5 Texas Longhorns, were he went three innings, fanned three batters and allowed one run off two hits. He helped UTSA win the series versus UTA with a stellar outing on April 22. His performance gave Ruffin his second Aeropostale/SLC Pitcher of the Week honor.

Take That Texas!!!

UTSA ended a 13-game losing streak against the Texas Longhorns with a 14-10 win on April 18 at Wolff Stadium. The Roadrunners manage to overcome three deficits, none bigger then the four-run lead (10-6) UT had after six in-

2006 All-Southland Conference Baseball Preseason Teams FIRST TEAM						
1B	Bobby Barbier	Northwestern State	Sr.	Lafayette, La.		
2B	Brandon Morgan	Northwestern State	Sr.	Dallas, Texas		
3B	Ryan Saltzgaber	UTSA	Jr.	Abilene, Texas		
SS	Bryan Cartie	McNeese State	So.	Meadows Place, Texas		
С	Michael Ambort	Lamar	Jr.	Rockville Centre, N.Y.		
OF	Ryan Spencer	Southeastern Louisiana	Sr.	Covington, La.		
OF	James Bennett	Louisiana-Monroe	Sr.	Humble, Texas		
OF	Taylor Faul	McNeese State	So.	Lake Charles, La.		
DH	Karl Krailo	Sam Houston State	Jr.	Houston, Texas		
P	Derek Cloeren	Northwestern State	So.	Orange, Texas		
P	Kyle Broughton	Northwestern State	So.	Shreveport, La.		
P	Jesse Marshall	Sam Houston State	Jr.	Montgomery, Texas		
SEC	OND TEAM					
1B	Kyle Jones	Texas State	Jr.	Houston, Texas		
2B	J.R. Voyles	UTSA	Sr.	Tomball, Texas		
3B	Beau Knowles	McNeese State	So.	Lake Charles, La.		
SS	Colt Crawford	Lamar	Sr.	Alvin, Texas		
С	Marty DeWees	Northwestern State	Sr.	Alexandria, La.		
OF	Dustin Martin	Sam Houston State	Sr.	Burnet, Texas		
OF	Michael Palermo	Northwestern State	Sr.	Baton Rouge, La.		
OF	Collin Delome	Lamar	So.	Buna, Texas		
DH	Nick Buck	McNeese State	Jr.	Denton, Texas		
P	Steven Vasquez	UTSA	Jr.	Beeville, Texas		
P	Steve MacFarland	l Lamar	Jr.	Marlboro, N.Y.		
P	William Delage	Lamar	Sr.	Nederland, Texas		

2006 Southland Conference Baseball			SIDs P	Points	
Prese	Preseason Polls			Northwestern State (9)	119
Coach	Coaches Poll (1st-place votes) Points		2.	Lamar (2)	111
1.	Northwestern State (8)	98	3.	Texas State	94
2.	Lamar (3)	92	4.	Texas-Arlington	85
3.	Texas State	78	5.	Texas-San Antonio	75
4.	Texas-Arlington	68	6.	Sam Houston State	57
5.	Texas-San Antonio	58	7.	Southeastern Louisiana	53
6.	Sam Houston State	54	8.	Louisiana-Monroe	47
7.	Louisiana-Monroe	50	9.	McNeese State	46
8.	McNeese State	37	10.	Nicholls State	23
9.	Southeastern Louisiana	36	11.	Stephen F. Austin	16
10.	Nicholls State	19			
11.	Stephen F. Austin	15			

nings. The Runners scored eight runs in the last two innings to complete the rally and score the biggest win in UTSA baseball history.

Slugfest II

UTŠA couldn't get enough of its recent slugfest against Nicholls State, that they decided to add a sequel. UTSA and UT combined for 24 runs and 26 hits. The Roadrunners have scored over 10 runs and collected doubles digits in hits, in the last three games. The Runners are batting .409 with 47 hits and scored 40 runs during those three contests.

Slugfest I

UTSA and Nicholls State slugged it out this weekend. Both team combined for 76 hits and 57 runs, including a wild one on Friday, April 14, were both squads compelled 30 runs off 31 hits and 20 walks. For the weekend, UTSA batted .394 as a team.

Walk The Line

Second baseman J.R. Voyles set a single-game school record with five walks in his first five plate appearances. He was one walk shy of tying a NCAA and SLC record for most free passes in a game (6).

Rockett Power

Freshman Michael Rockett is having a terrific rookie season for UTSA. In 38 games played, Rockett is batting .348. He also has 48 hits in 138 at-bats, 25 RBI and is slugging .486.