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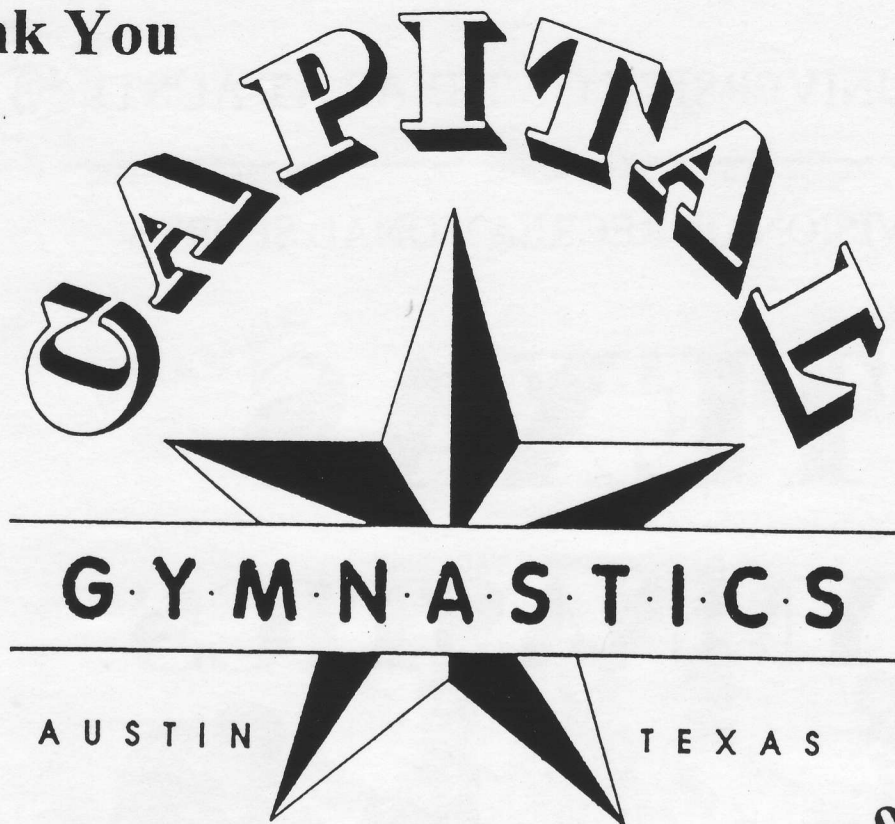
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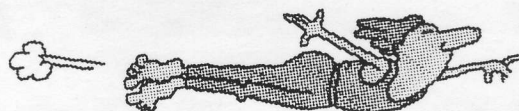
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UT Gymnastics 97-98 Meet Schedule

November 15 UT Mixed Pairs Meet

February 7 Texas Tech Invitational

▶ February 14 UT Mixed Pairs Meet

February 28 A&M Invitational

March 7 Southwest Texas Invitational

March 28 State Meet @ Texas Tech

April 3-5 Nationals @ SUNY in Buffalo

1998 Women's Team



Pictured (left to right) Back row: Deirdre Bernard **Third row:** Jenny Hyatt, Angela Braun, Tiffany Gostylo, Danielle Gershman, Lori Bennett, Molly McCarthy, Alison Rasmussen, Stephanie Tsen **Second row:** Eliette Cohen, Kelly Allen, Kate McGlynn, Walker Fenz, Amy Higgins **Front row:** Erin Watkins, Jade Blevins, Laura Elizondo, Bonnie Hancock, Carla Laos

Deirdre Bernard- Women's Coach

Attended University of Dallas- BA in Economics

Has been coaching full time for 7 years

Currently a team coach at Capital Gymnastics

Second year coaching UT Women's Gymnastics Team

UT Women's Team 1997-1998

-**Kelly Allen** is a 20 year old sophomore from Lumberton, TX. She is an elementary education major and is in her first year competing at UT. She has 7 years experience prior to UT and will be competing on the beam, floor and vault this year.

-**Lori Bennett** is a 19 year old sophomore from Lake Jackson, TX. She is a nursing major and is in her first year competing on the UT team. She has 5 years experience in gymnastics and will be competing on floor and vault this year.

-**Jade Blevins** (Blondie or Cowgirl) is a 21 year old junior. Jade is a kinesiology/pre-physical therapy major from Kerrville, TX. She is a Co. Captain and is in her third year on the UT team. She will be competing on the floor, beam and vault exercises.

-**Angela Braun** is a 20 year old electrical engineering major from Houston, TX. She is a junior and in her third year competing for UT. This year she will be competing on the floor, vault and beam.

-**Eliette Cohen** is a 22 year old graduate student in Kinesiology. She is in her first year competing for UT and will be competing all-around this year. Eliette is from Harlingen, TX and has 8 years of competitive experience.

-**Laura Elizondo** is a 19 year old sophomore and is a psychology pre-med. major. She is in her second year competing with UT and will be doing all-around this year. Laura is from San Antonio, TX and has 10 years of competitive experience prior to UT.

-**Walker Fenz** is a 19 year old freshman and in her first year competing with UT. She was born in Alexandria, VA but spent most of her life in Columbus, Ohio. She has been doing gymnastics for 11 years and will be competing all-around this year. Walker has not yet chosen a major but has a potential future in fashion design.

-**Danielle Gershman** is an 18 year old freshman. She is from San Antonio, TX and her major is bilingual education. Danielle is in her 5th year of competitive gymnastics and her first year on the UT team. She will be competing all-around this year.

-**Tiffany Gostylo** is a 20 year old sophomore from San Antonio, TX. She is majoring in business honors and management information systems, and is in her first year competing on the UT team. Tiffany is unsure of what she will be competing this year.

-**Bonnie Hancock** is a 19 year old sophomore from Houston, TX. Her major is undeclared at this time, but she is up for suggestions. Bonnie has 12 years of experience in gymnastics prior to UT and this will be her second year on the UT team. Bonnie will be competing on the floor and vault this year.

-**Amy Higgins** (Toe-less) is a 19 year old sophomore from The Woodlands, TX. She is an elementary education major specializing in Spanish. This year she will be competing on the beam, floor and vault. Prior to UT she has 8 years of experience in gymnastics and this will be her second year competing for the UT team.

-**Jenny Hyatt** is a 20 year old sophomore from Brenham, TX. Jenny is majoring in speech pathology and is in her first year competing for UT. She has 8 years experience prior to UT and will be competing this year on the beam, floor, and vault.

-**Carla Laos** (Inca) is a 20 year old junior from Dallas, TX. Carla is an English/Pre-Med. major and is in her third year of competition on the UT team. Carla is currently a Co. Captain of the team and will be competing all-around this year.

-**Molly McCarthy** is a 20 year old junior and is a math major from Plano, TX. She is in her second year competing on the UT team and is currently a sophomore. This year Molly will be competing on the vault, floor and beam.

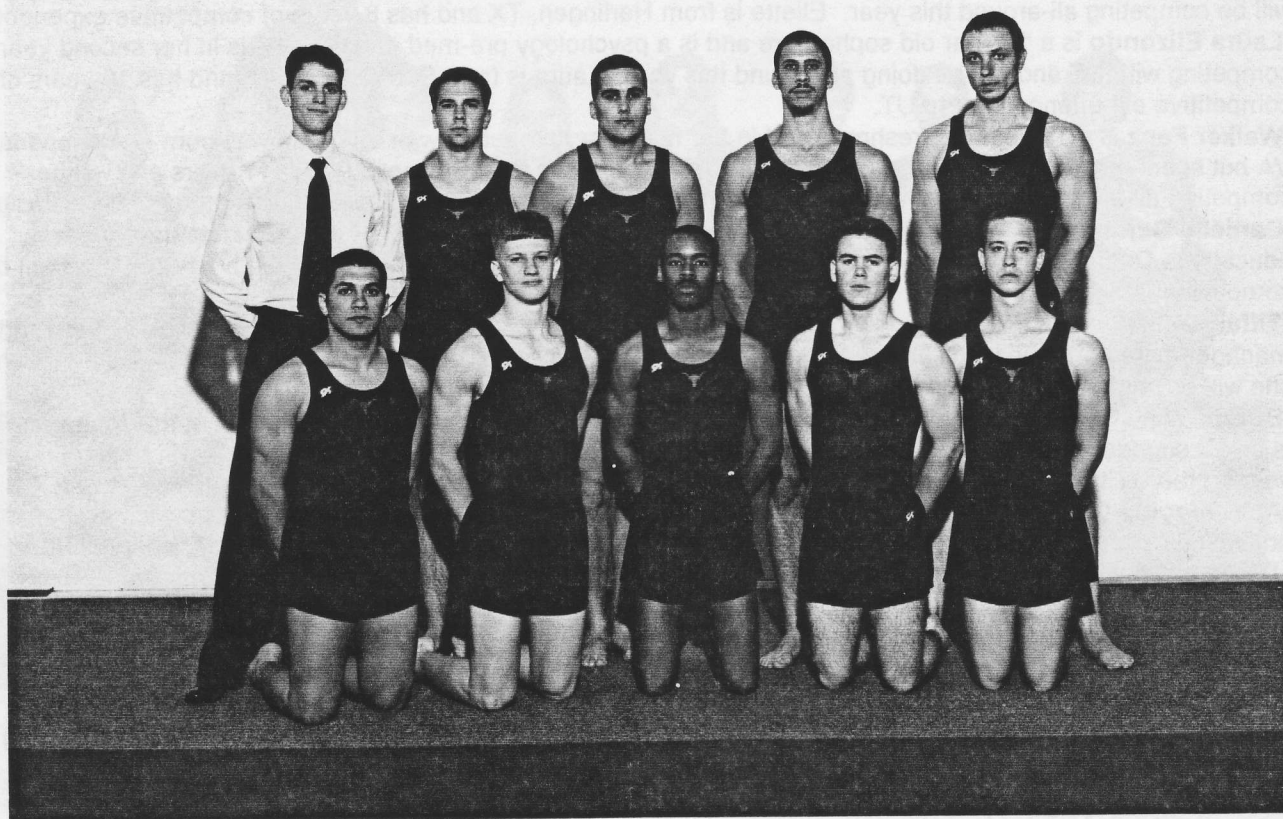
-**Kate McGlynn** (Boston) is a 19 year old freshman from Dover, MA. Her major is corporate communications with business foundations. Kate has 14 years of gymnastics experience and is in her first year competing for UT. Kate will be competing all-around this year.

-**Alison Rasmussen** is a 19 year old sophomore from Texas City, TX. She is a broadcast journalism major and is in her second year of competition for the UT team. Alison will be competing on the vault and floor exercises this year.

-**Stephanie Tsen** is a 19 year old sophomore from Spring, TX. She is an architectural engineering major with a hobby of photography. Stephanie is in her second year competing with UT and will be competing on the beam and vault this year.

-**Erin Watkins** is an 18 year old freshman from Houston, TX majoring in archeology. She has 12 years of gymnastics experience and is in her first year on the UT team. Erin will be competing all-around this year.

1998 Men's Team



Pictured (left to right) Back Row: Javan Wiener, Brian Pritchard, Josh Pick, Robert Geraci, Alex Klein **Front Row:** Mark Bissada, Steven Benton, Shawn Harris, Ross Perry, Christopher Stanton
Not Pictured: Joel Hennig

UT Men's Team 1997-1998

-**Steven Benton** (Freshman or Benton) is an 18 year old freshman from Rowlett, TX. Steven is majoring in business/accounting and is in his first year competing for the UT team. Steven will be hopefully be competing all-around this year.

-**Mark Bissada** is a 22 year old senior from Bellaire, TX. Mark is majoring in kinesiology/pre-med and hopes to graduate in May. Mark was a member of Syracuse University's NCAA gymnastics team for 3 years prior to coming to UT and is now in his first year on the Texas team. Mark will be competing all-around this year.

-**Robert Geraci** (Monkey) is a 21 year old junior from Naperville, IL. He is plan 2 at UT and is in his second year of competition for the Texas team. Robert will be competing on the pommel horse and floor exercises.

-**Shawn Harris** is a 21 year old sophomore from Dallas, TX. He is majoring in music performance and is in his first year on the UT team. Shawn will be competing on the floor, vault, parallel bars, and high bar this year.

-**Joel Hennig** is a 19 year old freshman from Little Chute, WI. Joel is in the business school at UT and is in his first year of competition on the Texas team.

-**Alex Klein** is a 28 year old graduate student in physics. He is in his second year of competition on the UT team. Alex will be competing all-around this year.

-**Ross Perry** is a 19 year old junior from Coppell, TX. He is majoring in computer science and is in his first year on the UT men's team. Ross will be competing on the floor and vault exercises.

-**Josh Pick** (Pickalito) is a 21 year old junior from San Antonio, TX. Josh is majoring in kinesiology and is in his second year on the Texas team. Josh will be competing in the all-around this year.

-**Brian Pritchard** is a 20 year old sophomore from Rockwall, TX. He is majoring in mechanical engineering and is in his second year on the UT men's team. Brian will be competing all-around this year.

-**Christopher Stanton** (Chris) is a 19 year old sophomore from Houston, TX. Christopher is majoring in computer science and is in his first year competing on the UT team.

Javan Wiener- Men's Coach

Graduated with a BA in philosophy from UT

Currently a coach at Capital Gymnastics

Has competed in both NAIGC and NCAA meets for 7 years

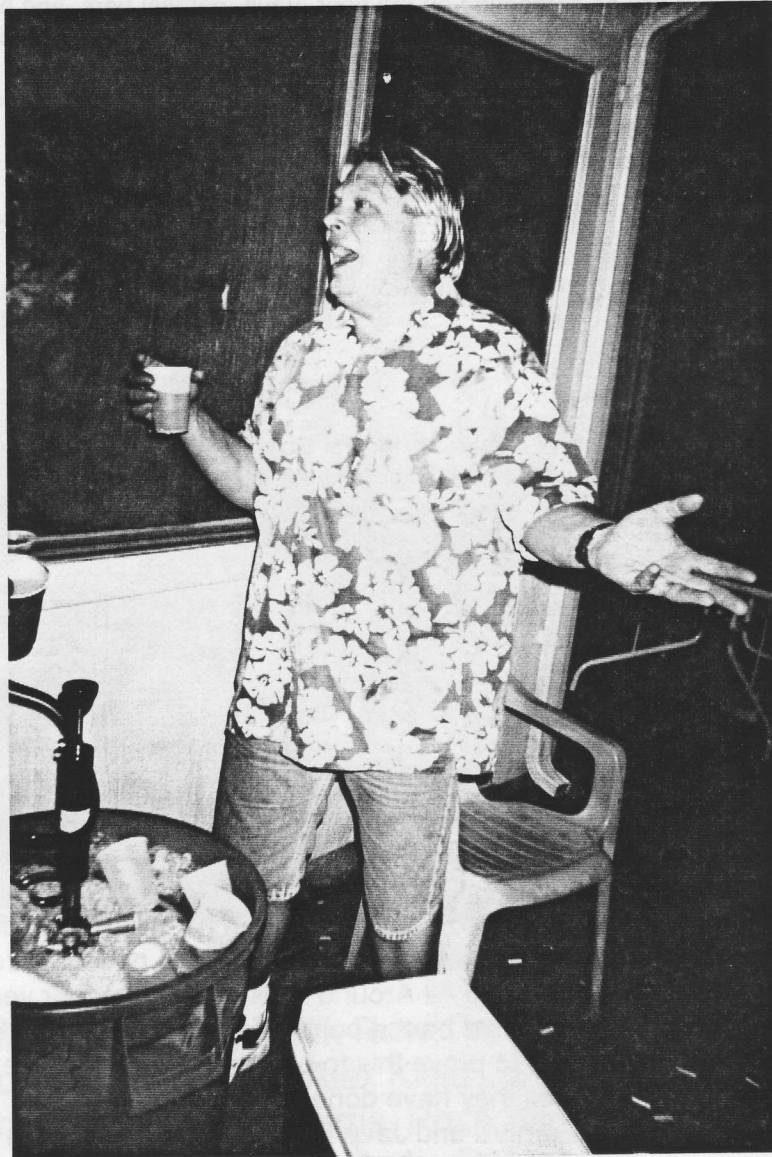
The UT Men's and Women's Gymnastics Teams are members of the University of Texas Sport Club Association, sponsored by the Division of Recreational Sports. The teams are members of both the Texas Gymnastics Conference and the National Association of Intercollegiate Gymnastics Clubs.

Our teams are a non-scholarship alternative to continuing gymnastics competition at the collegiate level. We compete both state-wide and nationally against other gymnastics club teams. The men's team has won three national titles in the past six years. The women's team has won one national title and several individual titles including two All-Around titles in the past four years.

Many people feel that this could be the best year yet for both the Men's and Women's teams...we hope to prove this to be true!! We would like to thank Capital Gymnastics for all they have done to help our team, our wonderful coaches Deirdre Bernard and Javan Wiener who have put in countless hours working with all of us, our former coach Luis Valera who has been a great help at practices, and everyone else who has helped make this year's team a great success!

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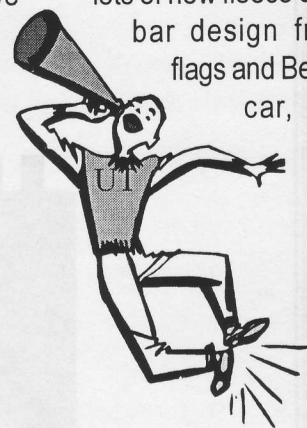
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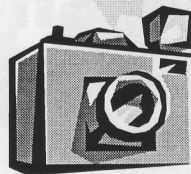
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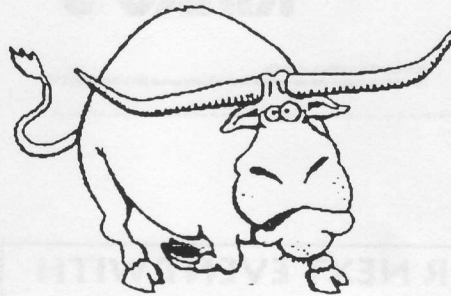
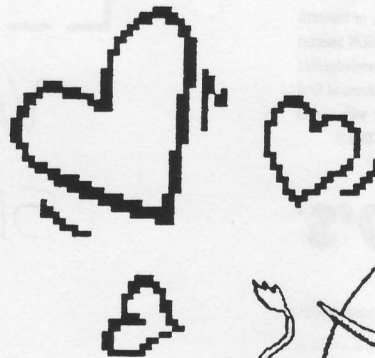
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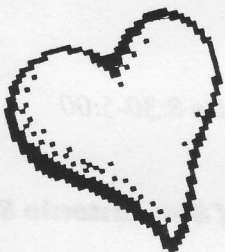
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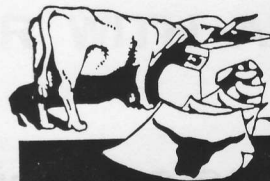
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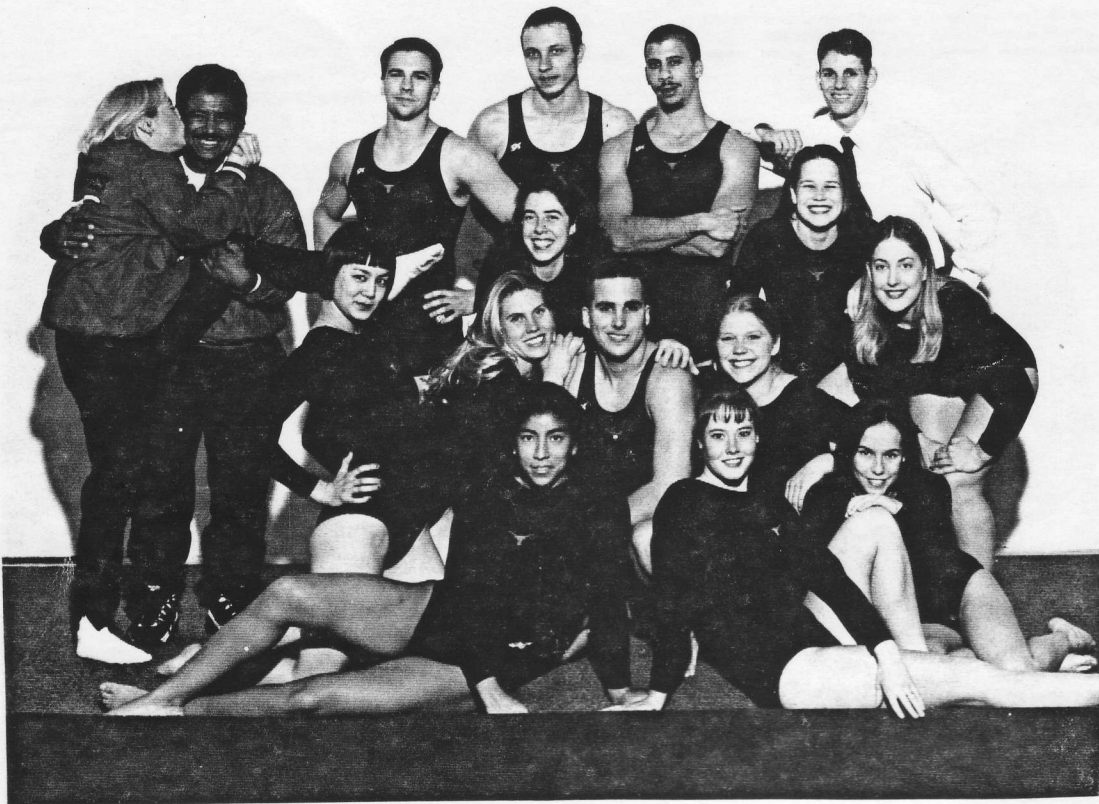
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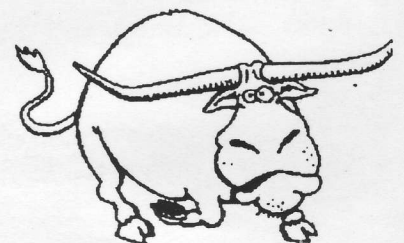


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