

# SPORTS



# REPORT

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**UPCOMING SCHEDULE (All Times Central)**

**Equestrian**

Nov. 2 \* Fresno State \* 1 p.m.

**Football**

Nov. 4 \* Houston \* 2:30 p.m. [ESPN+]

**Women's Basketball**

Nov. 3 \* Hardin-Simmons (exh.) \* 6 p.m.

**Men's Tennis**

Nov. 1-5 \* ITA Nationals (San Diego)  
Nov. 3-5 \* USD Hidden Duals (San Diego)

**Women's Tennis**

Nov. 3-5 \* Texas A&M Fall Invite (College Station)

**Men's Golf**

Oct. 31-Nov. 2 \* Kapolei Invitational (Hawaii)

**Volleyball**

Nov. 1 \* Oklahoma \* 7 p.m. [ESPN+]  
Nov. 4 \* at Texas Tech \* 1 p.m. [ESPN+]

**LAST WEEK'S RESULTS**

**Cross Country**

Oct. 28 \* Big 12 Championship (Ames)

**Football**

Oct. 28 \* L, 30-18 vs. Iowa State

**Women's Golf**

Oct. 23-25 \* 1st, Rainbow Wahine Invite (Hawaii)

**Women's Tennis**

Oct. 27-29 \* TCU Invitational

**Soccer**

Oct. 23 \* W, 3-2 at Houston  
Oct. 28 \* L, 3-2 vs. Cincinnati (Big 12 Championships)

**Volleyball**

Oct. 26 \* L, 3-2 vs. #5 Texas  
Oct. 27 \* L, 3-0 vs. #5 Texas

**RECORDS & RANKINGS**

SPORT	ALL	BIG 12	RANK	SPORT	ALL	BIG 12	RANK
M. XC	---	---	---	M. Basketball	0-0	0-0	20
W. XC	---	---	---	W. Basketball	0-0	0-0	19
Equestrian	0-3	0-1	8	M. Tennis	---	---	---
Football	3-5	2-3	---	W. Tennis	---	---	---
M. Golf	---	---	23	Soccer	9-7-3	4-4-2	---
W. Golf	---	---	---	Volleyball	12-9	6-5	21

**Cross Country**

- Baylor competed in the Big 12 Championships in Ames, Iowa, on Saturday, finishing 12th and 14th in the conference meet on a 32-degree morning.
- The Bears were led on the men's side by Ryan Hodge, with Hayden Gold pacing the women.
- Baylor runs for a spot in the NCAA Cross Country Championships at the NCAA South Central Regional Meet in Fayetteville, Ark., on Nov. 11.

**Equestrian**

- Ranked No. 8 in week five poll; returns to action this Thursday, vs. Fresno State after a two-week break
- BU is coming off its first Jumping Seat event wins of the season.
- Seven Bears are looking to remain undefeated in Big 12 play.

**Football**

- Baylor fell vs. Iowa State on Saturday, 30-18, as the Cyclones jumped out to an early lead and held off a late charge from the Bears.
- QB Blake Shapen connected with WR Monaray Baldwin for 117 yards receiving and a TD, and freshman RB Dawson Pendergrass finished with two rushing TDs. Safety Devyn Bobby had a career-high 11 tackles.
- The Bears will host Houston at 2:30 p.m. on ESPN+ on Saturday at McLane, before hitting the road to face the defending league champs, K-State.

**Men's Basketball**

- No. 20 MBB will open the season against (RV) Auburn on Tuesday, Nov. 7 at Sanford Pentagon in Sioux Falls, S.D.
- BU has won four-straight season-openers.
- Auburn is one of six opponents on BUS schedule that have made the Final Four since 2019.

**Women's Basketball**

- The No. 19 Baylor women's basketball team hosts Hardin-Simmons in an exhibition this Friday, Nov. 3 at 6 p.m. before opening the season with Southern on Monday, Nov. 6 at 7 p.m.
- The Bears return three starters and welcome five new faces to the program this year. Baylor enters the season as the No. 19 team in the country marking 19-straight years the Bears have been ranked to start a season

**Men's Golf**

- No. 23 men's golf will close down the fall slate at the Kapolei Invitational in Hawaii Oct. 31-Nov. 2.

**Women's Golf**

- Baylor won the Rainbow Wahine invitational last week by 19 shots, the largest margin of victory since a 30-shot win at the Rainbow Wahine Invitational in 2021.
- The win was Jay Goble's 22nd at Baylor.
- Rosie Belsham captured her second-career win as an individual, and moved into the top-5 in program history with eight career top-5 finishes.

**Men's Tennis**

- The Bears will travel to San Diego to compete in the ITA Fall National Championships and in a hidden dual tournament at USD Nov. 1-5.
- Teddy Paroulek went 4-1 in the ITA Regional Championships, ending on Oct. 23, to advance to the semifinal round.

**Women's Tennis**

- Four individuals competed at the TCU Invitational this weekend, combining for seven wins.
- Zuzanna Frankowska made her first career appearance for Baylor, picking up a doubles win and a pair of singles victories.
- The Bears continue their fall slate this weekend at the Texas A&M Fall Invitational.

**Soccer**

- Baylor finishes the season with a 9-7-3 record.
- The Bears more than doubled their win total and goals totals from last season and recorded their most wins in a season since 2018.
- Ashley Merrill's 12 goals on the season are the most by a Baylor student-athlete in a single season since 1999.

**Volleyball**

- The Bears had their win streak snapped at five matches with a pair of losses at No. 6 Texas last week.
- No. 21 Baylor will host Oklahoma on Wednesday at Ferrell, before hitting the road to face Texas Tech on Saturday in Lubbock.
- Four home matches remain on the schedule following the Texas Tech matchup.