SPORTS



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UPCOMING SCHEDULE (All Times Central)

Men's Tennis

Nov. 7-10 * ITA Sectionals * All Day Nov. 7-10 * ITA Conference Masters Championships * All Day

Nov. 8-10 * The Brazos Challenge * All Day

Women's Basketball

Nov. 7 * vs. Incarnate Word * 7 p.m. (ESPN+)

Nov. 10 * vs. Oregon * 9 p.m. (BTN)

Women's Tennis

Nov. 7-10 * ITA Sectional Championships * All Day Nov. 8-10 * Rice Invitational * All Day

Volleyball

Nov. 6 * vs. Texas Tech * 6 p.m. (ESPN+)

Nov. 9 * vs. UCF * 1 p.m. (ESPN+)

Equestrian

Nov. 9 * vs. SMU * 11am

Men's Basketball

Nov. 9 * vs. No. 16 Arkansas * 6:30 p.m. (ESPNU)

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Equestrian

Nov. 1 * W 12-8 vs. No. 6 Fresno State *

Football

Nov. 2 * W 37-34 vs. TCU *

Men's Tennis

Nov. 1-3 * Ralston/Neufeld Coaches Challenge *

Oct. 30 * W 2-1 vs. Arizona *

Nov. 2 * L 2-1 vs. Texas Tech *

Volleyball

Oct. 30 * W 3-1 vs. lowa State * Nov. 1 * W 3-0 vs. Colorado *

Women's Tennis

Oct. 31 - Nov. 3 * TCU Invitational *

Cross Country

Nov. 1 * Big 12 Championship * 13th (W) / 13th (M)

Women's Basketball

Nov. 3 * W 100-39 vs. Langston (EXH) *

Men's Basketball

Nov. 4 * L 101-63 vs. No. 6 Gonzaga *

RECORDS & RANKINGS								
SPORT Cross Country Men's Basketball Men's Golf Men's Tennis Football	ALL 0-1 - 5-4	BIG 12 - - - - 3-3	RANK 8		SPORT Soccer Volleyball Women's Basketball Women's Golf Women's Tennis	ALL 8-8-4 15-6 — —	BIG 12 2-5-4 7-3 —	RANK

Cross Country

- Opened its postseason at home, hosting the Big 12 Championships on Friday morning at the Cottonwood Creek Golf Course.
- The women finished the 6k race in 13th place with the men also in 13th in the 8k competition.
- Ruth Kimeli missed an all-conference spot (top 15) by 11 spots and 21 seconds, finishing 26th in the 6k women's race with a time of 20:25.51.
- Kimeli's 26th place finish was the best finish for a Baylor woman at the Big 12s since 2022.
- Bears now begin preparing for NCAA South Central in College Station on Nov. 15

Equestrian

- The Bears recorded their first win of the season at their home opener on Friday with an upset over No. 6 Fresno State, 12-8
- BU took three of the four MOP honors with Madison Mitchell (Flat), Alexis Rutledge (Horsemanship) and Emily Moomaw (Reining) earning the accolades
- BU returns to the saddle on Saturday when they face SMU on
- Baylor returns to the NCEA rankings for the first time since 11/21/2023, entering the Dual Discipline poll at No. 9

Football

- Farned its first home win over TCII since 2014 and first win over the Frogs since 2019 with a dramatic 37-34 victory on Saturday.
- Baylor rushed for 257 yards as a team, its third-straight game with 250+ rushing yards; BU's longest such streak since the first three games of the 2016 season.
- Redshirt freshman RB Bryson Washington rushed for a career-high 196 yards and four TDs, the most by a Bear in a single game since Terrance Ganaway had five vs. Washington in 2011 Alamo Bowl.
- . Washington's 196 yards were the most since Shock Linwood ran for 237 at Iowa State in 2016.
- · Redshirt junior kicker Isaiah Hankins hit a 33-yard field goal as time expired to clinch the walk-off win.
- The make was BU's first game-winner as time expired since 2020 (John Mayers, vs. Kansas State).
- Washington (Co-Newcomer) and Hankins (Co-Special Teams) each picked up Big 12 Player of the Week honors.

Men's Tennis

- • Completed a successful weekend at the Ralston/Neufeld Coaches Challenge, where four Bears posted an 18-6 record on the weekend and swept the competition with an undefeated 8-0 record in doubles
- Luis Jose Nakamine went a perfect 8-0 on the weekend, going undefeated in singles and doubles
- Quintan Van Wijk was right behind with a 3-1 singles record
- Men's tennis now gears up for a busy weekend with the roster spread out among different tournaments. Zsombor Velcz, Imran Daniel Hazli and Luc Koenig all prepare to represent the Big 12 at the ITA Conference Masters in Rome, Georgia.
- Devin Badenhorst, Marko Miladinovic and Oskar Brostrom Poulsen will head up the interstate to Fort Worth for the ITA Sectionals also from Nov. 7-10. Both tournaments give the Bears a chance to qualify to the NCAA Individual Tournament which takes place later this month at the Hurd Tennis Center.
- Four other Bears will stay home in Waco and will compete at the Brazos Challenge from Nov. 8-10.

Soccer

- Baylor soccer bowed out of the Big 12 Soccer Championship after defeating Arizona, 2-1, in the first round and falling against No. 2 seed Texas Tech, 2-1, in the quarterfinals.
- BU won its first game at the Big 12 Championship for the first time since the 2018 season when the Bears were regular season champions and made it to the NCAA Elite Eight.
- Tyler Isgrig was the Bears' Ione All-Big 12 honoree, making the second team.
- The Bears are now 8-8-5 on the season.

Volleyball

- . Increased its winning streak to five with a win over lowa State wednesday (3-1) and Colorado Friday (3-0)
- · Jackie Barrett Frazier recorded a triple-double against the Cyclones, the first for Baylor since 2009 when now-Baylor Hall of Famer Taylor Barnes did it in 2009
- Lauren Briseño served her 80th career ace against the Buffaloes to tie for fifth all-time in the rally scoring era
- Elise McGhee had 24 kills against Colorado, the fourth-most kills in a three set match in program history. She earned her first Big 12 Offensive Player of the Week nod for her performance on Tuesday (11/5)
- · Bears head to Lubbock to face Texas Tech on Wednesday night before hosting UCF on Saturday for a matinee match
- . Saturday will be BU's Salute to Service match and there will be a post-match clinic for kids 12 and under

Women's Basketball

- Defeated Langston 100-39 in an exhibition game on Sunday afternoon
- Junior Darianna Littlepage-Buggs led the squad with 25 points and 11 rebounds.
- All but one Bear scored in the game and five ended in double finures
- Baylor opens the season against Incarnate Word on Thursday night at 7 p.m. at Foster Pavilion. The game will be streamed on ESPN+

Women's Tennis

- Went 13-3 at the TCII Jae Foundation Fall Classic in Fort Worth over the weekend
- Freshmen Na Dong and Wenfei Yu stayed undefeated in singles play, closing the tournament at 3-0
- The Bears split for Ann Arbor and Houston, as the Michiganbound Bears have one final chance to qualify back to the NCAA Individual Championships that will be held at the Hurd Tennis
- The ITA Sectional Championships at Michigan begin on Thursday and the Rice Invitational starts Friday

Men's Basketball

- No. 8 MBB dropped its season-opener against No. 6 Gonzaga 101-63, snapping its five-game win streak in season openers.
- Baylor is now 19-3 in Season openers under Scott Drew
- The Bears are 14-8 in the last 22 games against Top-10 teams
- BIJ was led by a couple of newcomers as Norchad Omier went. for 15 points and nine rebounds, while freshman Robert Wright chipped in 12 points and six assists.
- Wright is the first player since Manu LeComte in 2016-17 to score 10+ points with 6+ assists and 1 or fewer turnovers in their **Baylor Debut**