



# TEXAS TECH

## 2024 SOFTBALL SCHEDULE



Day	Date		Opponent	Location	Stadium	Time
Fri.	Feb. 9	^!	Florida A&M	Tallahassee, Fla.	JoAnne Graf Field	12 p.m. & 2 p.m.
Sat.	Feb. 10	^	Charlotte	Tallahassee, Fla.	JoAnne Graf Field	9:00 a.m.
Sat.	Feb. 10	^	Florida State	Tallahassee, Fla.	JoAnne Graf Field	11:30 a.m.
Sun.	Feb. 11	^	Charlotte	Tallahassee, Fla.	JoAnne Graf Field	9:00 a.m.
Fri.	Feb. 16	#	Sam Houston	San Marcos, Texas	Bobcat Softball Field	6:30 p.m.
Sat.	Feb. 17	#	Tulsa	San Marcos, Texas	Bobcat Softball Field	10:00 a.m.
Sat.	Feb. 17	#	Texas State	San Marcos, Texas	Bobcat Softball Field	12:15 p.m.
Sun.	Feb. 18	#	Northern Colorado	San Marcos, Texas	Bobcat Softball Field	10:00 a.m.
Sun.	Feb. 18	#	Texas State	San Marcos, Texas	Bobcat Softball Field	12:00 p.m.
Fri.	Feb. 23	&	Stephen F. Austin	Denton, Texas	Lovelace Stadium	10:00 a.m.
Fri.	Feb. 23	&	Minnesota	Denton, Texas	Lovelace Stadium	11:30 a.m.
Sat.	Feb. 24	&	Minnesota	Denton, Texas	Lovelace Stadium	12:30 p.m.
Sat.	Feb. 24	&	Stephen F. Austin	Denton, Texas	Lovelace Stadium	2:00 p.m.
Sun.	Feb. 25	&	North Texas	Denton, Texas	Lovelace Stadium	2:00 p.m.
Wed.	Feb. 28		New Mexico	Albuquerque, NM	Lobo Softball Field	2:00 p.m.
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Mar. 1</b>	@	<b>Merrimack College</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>11:30 a.m.</b>
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Mar. 1</b>	@	<b>UTEP</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>2:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Mar. 2</b>	@	<b>Merrimack College</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>4:30 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Mar. 2</b>	@	<b>New Mexico State</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Mar. 3</b>	@	<b>New Mexico State</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>12:30 p.m.</b>
Thur.	Mar. 7	*	BYU	Provo, Utah	Miller Park	7:00 p.m.
Fri.	Mar. 8	*	BYU	Provo, Utah	Miller Park	7:00 p.m.
Sat.	Mar. 9	*	BYU	Provo, Utah	Miller Park	2:00 p.m.
<b>Tue.</b>	<b>Mar. 12</b>	!	<b>New Mexico</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>12 p.m. &amp; 2 p.m.</b>
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Mar. 15</b>	*	<b>Oklahoma</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Mar. 16</b>	*	<b>Oklahoma</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>1:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Mar. 17</b>	*	<b>Oklahoma</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>
Fri.	Mar. 22	*	Iowa State	Ames, Iowa	Cyclone Sports Complex	4:00 p.m.
Sat.	Mar. 23	*	Iowa State	Ames, Iowa	Cyclone Sports Complex	1:00 p.m.
Sun.	Mar. 24	*	Iowa State	Ames, Iowa	Cyclone Sports Complex	12:00 p.m.
<b>Thur.</b>	<b>Mar. 28</b>	*	<b>UCF</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Mar. 29</b>	*	<b>UCF</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Mar. 30</b>	*	<b>UCF</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>
Wed.	Apr. 3		Abilene Christian	Abilene, Texas	Poly Wells Field	5:00 p.m.
Fri.	Apr. 5	*	Baylor	Waco, Texas	Gettnerman Stadium	6:30 p.m.
Sat.	Apr. 6	*	Baylor	Waco, Texas	Gettnerman Stadium	2:00 p.m.
Sun.	Apr. 7	*	Baylor	Waco, Texas	Gettnerman Stadium	1:00 p.m.
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>Apr. 12</b>	*	<b>Kansas</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>Apr. 13</b>	*	<b>Kansas</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>Apr. 14</b>	*	<b>Kansas</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>
Fri.	Apr. 19	*	Oklahoma State	Stillwater, Okla.	Cowgirl Stadium	6:00 p.m.
Sat.	Apr. 20	*	Oklahoma State	Stillwater, Okla.	Cowgirl Stadium	2:00 p.m.
Sun.	Apr. 21	*	Oklahoma State	Stillwater, Okla.	Cowgirl Stadium	12:00 p.m.
Fri.	Apr. 26	*	Houston	Houston, Texas	Cougar Softball Stadium	6:00 p.m.
Sat.	Apr. 27	*	Houston	Houston, Texas	Cougar Softball Stadium	2:00 p.m.
Sun.	Apr. 28	*	Houston	Houston, Texas	Cougar Softball Stadium	12:00 p.m.
<b>Fri.</b>	<b>May 3</b>	*	<b>Texas</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sat.</b>	<b>May 4</b>	*	<b>Texas</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>1:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Sun.</b>	<b>May 5</b>	*	<b>Texas</b>	<b>Lubbock, Texas</b>	<b>Rocky Johnson Field</b>	<b>12:00 p.m.</b>
Wed.-Sat.	May 8-11	%	Big 12 Championship	Oklahoma City, Okla.	Hall of Fame Stadium	TBA

- ! Doubleheader
- ^ Florida State Tournament (Tallahassee, Fla. - JoAnne Graf Field)
- # Texas State Tournament (San Marcos, Texas - Bobcat Softball Stadium)
- & North Texas Tournament (Denton, Texas - Lovelace Stadium)
- @ Jeannine McHaney Memorial Classic (Lubbock, Texas - Rocky Johnson Field)
- \* Big 12 Conference Games
- % Big 12 Softball Championship (Oklahoma City, Okla. - Hall of Fame Stadium)

**Bold** indicates home games played at Rocky Johnson Field (1,100)  
*all times listed are Central Standard Time*

## 2024 ROSTER

NO.	NAME	POS.	B/T	HT.	CL.	HOMETOWN (HS/PREVIOUS SCHOOL)
00	Arriana Villa	UTL	L/R	5-9	SR	San Antonio, Texas (Brandeis HS)
1	Maddie Kuehl	RHP	R/R	6-1	JR	Longmont, Colo. (Silver Creek HS)
2	Demi Elder	OF	L/R	5-5	JR	League City, Texas (Clear Springs HS)
3	Mimi Blackledge	UTL	R/R	5-4	FR	Center Point, Texas (Center Point HS)
5	Riley Love	INF	R/R	5-9	SR	Keller, Texas (Keller HS)
6	Chassety Raines	P/OF	S/R	5-5	GR	Spring, Texas (Klein Collins HS/Texas Lutheran)
7	Logan Hallemann	OF	L/R	5-5	FR	Flower Mound, Texas (Flower Mound HS)
8	Kennedy Crites	C/UTL	R/R	5-7	SO	Haslet, Texas (V.R. Eaton HS)
10	Jenna Lord	INF	R/R	5-6	JR	Trussville, Ala. (Hewitt-Trussville HS/Ole Miss)
11	Abbie Orrick	INF/UTL	R/R	5-7	SR	Edgewood, Texas (Martin's Mill HS)
12	Maddy Wright	RHP	R/R	6-1	SR	Fort Worth, Texas (V.R. Eaton HS/UNC-Charlotte)
13	Kailey Wyckoff	C/OF	L/L	5-7	SO	Katy, Texas (Katy HS)
14	Raegan Jennings	INF	L/R	5-7	FR	Atascocita, Texas (Atascocita HS)
17	Sage Hoover	RHP	R/R	5-7	JR	Edgewood, Texas (Rains HS/Northwestern State)
18	Makayla Madrid	C	L/R	5-5	FR	Cibolo, Texas (Steele HS)
19	Maddie Saven	INF	R/R	5-4	JR	North Port, Fla. (McLennan CC)
20	Dee McClarity	INF	R/R	5-9	SO	Garland, Texas (Sachse HS)
21	Makenna Mitchell	INF	R/R	5-8	FR	Santa Fe, Texas (Santa Fe HS)
22	Jacee Hamlin	UTL	R/R	5-4	SR	The Colony, Texas (The Colony HS)
24	Aubrey Barnhart	UTL	L/R	5-8	JR	Pleasant View, Tenn. (Goodpasture Christian/Alabama)
25	Olivia Rains	RHP	R/R	5-10	SR	Pryor, Okla. (Pryor HS/Oklahoma)
26	Ella Hill	C	R/R	6-3	FR	Richardson, Texas (Berkner HS)
29	Ranci Willis	RHP	R/R	6-0	JR	Corinth, Texas (Guyer HS)
36	Gabby Rawls	OF	R/R	5-8	SO	Spring, Texas (Grand Oaks HS)
56	Alanna Barraza	INF	R/R	5-5	GR	Diamond Bar, Calif. (Diamond Ranch HS)
78	Carson Armijo	OF	R/R	5-10	SR	Plano, Texas (Plano East HS/UCLA)

### COACHING STAFF

**Head Coach:** Craig Snider (2nd season)

**Assistant Coach:** Bryce Te Kulve (1st Season)

**Assistant Coach:** Roya St. Clair (2nd Season)

**Assistant Coach:** Morgan Klaevemann (2nd Season)

**Student Assistant Coach:** Morgan Hornback (1st Season)

**Director of Operations:** Pete Suarez (2nd Season)

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

#00 Arriana Villa \_\_\_\_\_ ARR•ee•ah•nuh vee•YA

#1 Maddie Kuehl \_\_\_\_\_ KEEL

#13 Kailey Wyckoff \_\_\_\_\_ WHY•cough

#56 Alanna Barraza \_\_\_\_\_ uh•LON•uh buh•RAH•zuh

#78 Carson Armijo \_\_\_\_\_ arr•ME•ho

## BY CLASS

### GRADS/5th YEAR (2)

#6 Chassety Raines \_\_\_\_\_ OF  
#56 Alanna Barraza \_\_\_\_\_ INF

### SENIORS (8)

#00 Arriana Villa \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#5 Riley Love \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#8 Kennedy Crites \_\_\_\_\_ C  
#11 Abbie Orrick \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#12 Maddy Wright \_\_\_\_\_ RHP  
#22 Jacee Hamlin \_\_\_\_\_ UTL  
#25 Olivia Rains \_\_\_\_\_ RHP  
#78 Carson Armijo \_\_\_\_\_ OF

### JUNIORS (6)

#1 Maddie Kuehl \_\_\_\_\_ RHP  
#2 Demi Elder \_\_\_\_\_ OF  
#10 Jenna Lord \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#17 Sage Hoover \_\_\_\_\_ RHP  
#19 Maddie Saven \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#24 Aubrey Barnhart \_\_\_\_\_ UTL  
#29 Ranci Willis \_\_\_\_\_ RHP

### SOPHOMORES (3)

#13 Kailey Wyckoff \_\_\_\_\_ C/OF  
#20 Dee McClarity \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#36 Gabby Rawls \_\_\_\_\_ OF

### FRESHMEN (5)

#3 Mimi Blackledge \_\_\_\_\_ UTL  
#7 Logan Hallemann \_\_\_\_\_ OF  
#14 Raegan Jennings \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#18 Makayla Madrid \_\_\_\_\_ C  
#21 Makenna Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ INF  
#26 Ella Hill \_\_\_\_\_ C

## BY STATE

### ALABAMA (1)

Jenna Lord \_\_\_\_\_ Trussville

### CALIFORNIA (1)

Alanna Barraza \_\_\_\_\_ Diamond Bar

### COLORADO (1)

Maddie Kuehl \_\_\_\_\_ Longmont

### FLORIDA (1)

Maddie Saven \_\_\_\_\_ North Port

### OKLAHOMA (1)

Olivia Rains \_\_\_\_\_ Pryor

### TENNESSEE (1)

Aubrey Barnhart \_\_\_\_\_ Pleasant View

### TEXAS (20)

Carson Armijo \_\_\_\_\_ Plano  
Kennedy Crites \_\_\_\_\_ Haslet  
Demi Elder \_\_\_\_\_ League City  
Jacee Hamlin \_\_\_\_\_ The Colony  
Sage Hoover \_\_\_\_\_ Edgewood  
Riley Love \_\_\_\_\_ Keller  
Dee McClarity \_\_\_\_\_ Garland  
Abbie Orrick \_\_\_\_\_ Edgewood  
Chassety Raines \_\_\_\_\_ Spring  
Gabby Rawls \_\_\_\_\_ Spring  
Ranci Willis \_\_\_\_\_ Corinth  
Kailey Wyckoff \_\_\_\_\_ Katy  
Arriana Villa \_\_\_\_\_ San Antonio  
Mimi Blackledge \_\_\_\_\_ Center Point  
Logan Hallemann \_\_\_\_\_ Flower Mound  
Maddy Wright \_\_\_\_\_ Fort Worth  
Raegan Jennings \_\_\_\_\_ Atascocita  
Makayla Madrid \_\_\_\_\_ Cibolo  
Makenna Mitchell \_\_\_\_\_ Santa Fe  
Ella Hill \_\_\_\_\_ Richardson

## GENERAL INFORMATION //

School \_\_\_\_\_ Texas Tech University  
Location \_\_\_\_\_ Lubbock , Texas  
Founded \_\_\_\_\_ 1923  
Enrollment \_\_\_\_\_ 40,666  
Nickname \_\_\_\_\_ Red Raiders  
Colors \_\_\_\_\_ Scarlet & Black  
Official Mascot \_\_\_\_\_ Masked Rider (horse and rider)  
Unofficial Mascot \_\_\_\_\_ Raider Red (cartoon figure)  
Facility \_\_\_\_\_ Rocky Johnson Field  
Affiliation \_\_\_\_\_ NCAA Division I  
Conference \_\_\_\_\_ Big 12  
Chancellor \_\_\_\_\_ Tedd L. Mitchell, M.D.  
President \_\_\_\_\_ Dr. Lawrence Schovanec  
Athletics Director \_\_\_\_\_ Kirby Hocutt  
Sr. Associate AD/SWA \_\_\_\_\_ Grant Stovall  
Associate AD/Compliance \_\_\_\_\_ Jennifer Brashear  
Faculty Representative \_\_\_\_\_ Brian Shannon  
Ticket Office \_\_\_\_\_ 806-742-TECH  
Athletics Website \_\_\_\_\_ www.texastech.com  
Department Main Number \_\_\_\_\_ (806) 742-3355

## FACILITY INFORMATION //

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Rocky Johnson Field  
Capacity \_\_\_\_\_ 1,181  
Opened \_\_\_\_\_ 2001  
Dimensions \_\_\_\_\_ L: 200 | C: 220 | R: 200

## PROGRAM HISTORY //

Season of Softball \_\_\_\_\_ 33rd (1981-85; 1996-Present)  
All-Time Record \_\_\_\_\_ 829-851-4  
Big 12 Conference Record (1996-Present) \_\_\_\_\_ 147-330  
NCAA Regional Appearances \_\_\_\_\_ Six (1999, 2001, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2019)  
NCAA Division I Tournament Record \_\_\_\_\_ 13-12  
Last Appearance \_\_\_\_\_ 2019, NCAA Baton Rouge Regional (Baton Rouge, La.)

## SOFTBALL STAFF //

Head Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Craig Snider (Second Season)  
Career Record \_\_\_\_\_ 33-22  
Twitter \_\_\_\_\_ @Coach\_SniderSB  
Asst. Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Roya St. Clair (2nd season)  
Asst. Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Bryce Te Kulve (1st season)  
Asst. Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Morgan Klaeveman (2nd season)  
Student Asst. Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Morgan Hornback (1st season)  
Director of Operations \_\_\_\_\_ Pete Suarez (2nd Season)  
Strength and Conditioning \_\_\_\_\_ Tyler Cook (5th Season)  
Athletic Trainer \_\_\_\_\_ Jenna Duffek (6th Season)

## TEAM INFORMATION //

2023 Record \_\_\_\_\_ 31-22  
Big 12 Record \_\_\_\_\_ 5-13  
Big 12 Finish \_\_\_\_\_ T-6th  
Big 12 Championship Finish \_\_\_\_\_ 7th  
Home Record \_\_\_\_\_ 13-7  
Away Record \_\_\_\_\_ 7-10  
Neutral Site Record \_\_\_\_\_ 11-5  
Postseason \_\_\_\_\_ 0-1  
Final Ranking \_\_\_\_\_ N/A  
Letterwinners Returning/Lost \_\_\_\_\_ 17/9  
Position Starters Returning/Lost \_\_\_\_\_ 7/3  
Pitchers Returning/Lost \_\_\_\_\_ 4/4  
Newcomers \_\_\_\_\_ 9  
Top Returning Position Players \_\_\_\_\_ Riley Love, Arriana Villa, Alanna Barraza, Kailey Wyckoff, Demi Elder, Abbie Orrick  
Top Returning Pitchers \_\_\_\_\_ Sage Hoover, Maddie Kuehl, Olivia Rains  
Top Newcomers \_\_\_\_\_ Maddy Wright, Aubrey Barnhart

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## ROCKY JOHNSON FIELD - HOME OF THE RED RAIDERS

**R**ocky Johnson Field, the home of the Red Raider softball team since the 2001 season, is now one of the finest softball venues in the Big 12, after several renovations have been completed in the decades that followed.

The original field was constructed at a cost of \$2.5 million and would have not been possible without the kind support of James L. "Rocky" Johnson, who was a distinguished alumnus of the Rawls College of Business at Texas Tech and was CEO of GTE for many years. He also served on the Texas Tech Board of Regents.

The Barbara Peevy Press Box was added prior to the 2001 season. With two television/radio booths and seating for a dozen media members, the building has the potential to expand to accommodate more because of the ample space behind primary seating areas.

The Red Raiders played their first-ever game at Rocky Johnson Stadium on March 29, 2001, when Tech topped in-state rival and 20th-ranked Texas A&M, 1-0, in the opening game of an afternoon doubleheader. Tech has gone on to defeat 15 more ranked teams since then en route to a 235-186 record all-time at the complex.

Major renovations to the field and dugout areas were realized in time for the 2009 season and then, in time for the 2010 season, construction concluded on a state-of-the-art indoor facility. The softball complex located just outside the left field fence includes coaching offices, a meeting room, a players' lounge, equipment rooms and locker rooms. In addition, the Red Raider softball team now has the luxury of also practicing in their new indoor and outdoor batting cages, thanks to these renovations.

The inclusion of a state-of-the-art team facility which also includes complete athletic training and equipment storage areas along with a luxurious team room can play host to pre-event functions and will serve as an overflow media center during tournaments.

In the summer of 2010, Rocky Johnson Field played host to a weeklong professional series of softball, featuring the Orlando and Chicago franchises who boasted a number of USA national players on their

rosters, which culminated in a Saturday evening game of the week on the ESPN family of networks. The more than 2,600 fans in attendance represented the largest crowd to ever attend a softball game on campus.

Prior to the 2012 season, Texas Tech added just over 500 seats to the complex, pushing the facility's official capacity to just under 1,100, one of the largest in the conference. The project, which replaced the grass berms over the first and third base dugouts, allowed for seating to be available all the way down the baselines up until each team's bullpen. The renovation marked the second for Tech since the facility officially opened in 2001.

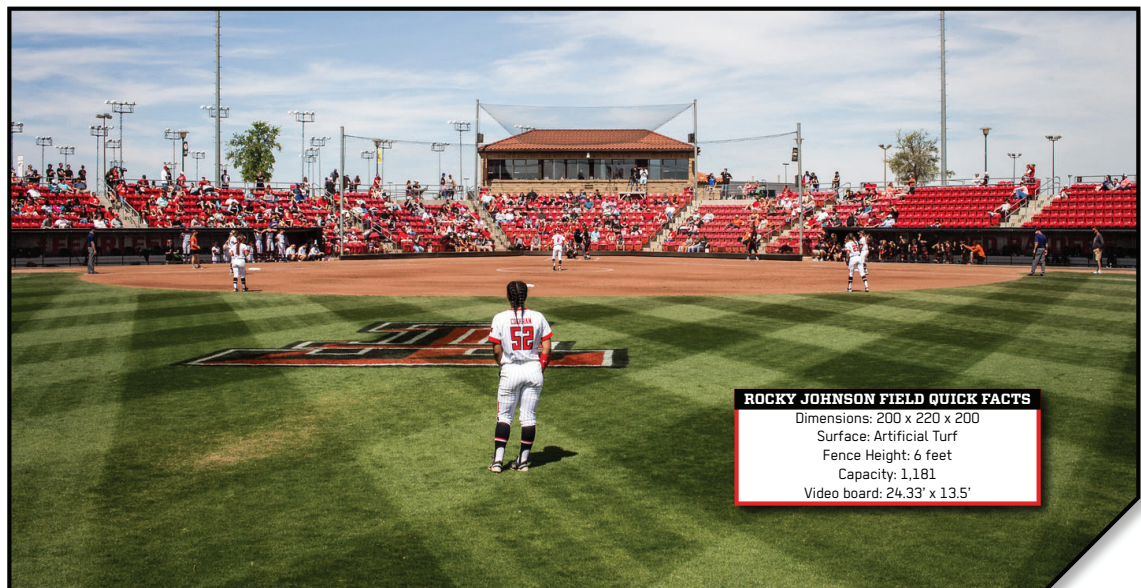
The 2019 and 2022 seasons saw some of the largest crowds at The Rock since its opening. In a series against Texas in April of 2019, 2,687 fans attended over a three-game stretch to set a program record including the record for most fans at a single game, 1,294, which still holds as Tech heads into the 2024 season.

Then, three seasons later, in a series against Oklahoma, the attendance record was crushed as The Rock saw 3,569 fans attend over the three-game series. That marks the only time that three consecutive games have seen over 1,000 fans in the stands.

The record was on watch in the Red Raiders final home series of the 2023 season against Oklahoma State as 2,148 fans attended the first two games of the series when fans were treated to a 4-3 walk-off victory over the No. 7 ranked Cowgirls in extra innings.

After the 2023 season, the Rocky Johnson was renovated to add artificial turf, updated outfield walls, a reconstruction of the bullpen and improved speakers to further enhance the fan and student-athlete experience.

■ A state-of-the-art HD video board was installed prior to the start of the 2017 home campaign. The structure measures 24.33 feet by 13.4 feet and contains a brand new scoreboard system underneath. The video board is operated from the control room at the United Supermarkets Arena.



### ROCKY JOHNSON FIELD QUICK FACTS

Dimensions: 200 x 220 x 200  
Surface: Artificial Turf  
Fence Height: 6 feet  
Capacity: 1,181  
Video board: 24.33' x 13.5'



# CRAIG SNIDER

## HEAD COACH - 2nd SEASON - CENTENARY '04 - FRANKLIN, KENTUCKY

Craig Snider was named the ninth head softball coach in Texas Tech history on June 20, 2022.

One year later, Snider can look back at one of the most successful seasons in program history for a first year coach and look ahead to one of the more exciting futures in recent memory.

The Red Raiders, under Snider's tutelage, set new single-season program records for home runs (74), slugging percentage (.543), doubles (93) and set a new program record for home runs in a single game with six against Santa Clara. He also became just the third coach in program history to win 30-plus games and earn five or more ranked wins in their first season.

Snider and his staff built on the success of their on-field success with off-field success as Extra Innings Softball tabbed Tech's 2024 recruiting class No. 2 in the country only behind powerhouse program Oklahoma. With Kailey Wyckoff earning Big 12 Freshman of the Year honors last season, a solid 2023 recruiting class and next years historic class coming in the fall, there is good reason for the buzz around Snider's program.

During the last 21 seasons as an assistant, Snider has made stops at Oklahoma, Florida State and Texas A&M where he has coached 20 All-Americans and made three Women's College World Series appearances, taking home the championship trophy while on staff at Florida State in 2018.

Snider spent three seasons in College Station before coming to Lubbock where he helped transform the Aggie hitters, improving in nearly every offensive category over the last three seasons. He coached Hayley Lee to the 11th-best on-base percentage and fourth-most walks per game in the NCAA in 2022 as she earned NFCA All-America second team honors. In 2021, Lee gathered third team All-America accolades after finishing third in the NCAA in home runs, fifth in home runs per game, sixth in slugging percentage, seventh in total bases, 24th in on-base percentage and 39th in batting average.

Prior to his time at Texas A&M, Snider spent eight seasons at Florida State where he helped the Seminoles to 11 Athletic Coast Conference regular season and tournament championships, seven NCAA Super Regionals, three WCWS appearances and the 2018 National Championship.

While in Tallahassee, Snider built Florida State into one of the top offensive schools in the nation as the Seminole's set program records for home runs, batting average and RBI during the 2019 season. FSU ranked in the top 10 nationally for batting average, home runs per game, on base percentage, scoring and slugging that season alone.

During Florida State's championship run in 2018, the Seminoles ranked top 10 in doubles per game and slugging. With Snider's guidance, Sydney Sherrill led the nation in doubles, ranked ninth in hits and eighth in total bases. Three-time All-American Jessie Warren, meanwhile, ranked sixth in the NCAA in home runs, fifth in RBI and fifth in total bases.

Under Snider's direction, Seminole hitters saw tremendous success in 2017, ranking in the top five in the country for on-base percentage, scoring, slugging and triples per game, while finishing in the top 10 for home runs per game and batting average. Warren led the country in total bases and finished second in home runs, third in slugging and 10th in RBI, picking up first team All-America nods. Senior Alex Powers ranked seventh in the nation in doubles on her way to NFCA third team All-America honors.

Florida State made its second WCWS appearance in three seasons in 2016 as Snider helped the Seminole offense to a top-20 batting average and top-10 rankings in on-base percentage and scoring. The Seminoles swept NCAA Regionals and Super Regionals on the way to Oklahoma City where they would finish third nationally, falling in the semifinals.

Snider helped the Seminoles to its first WCWS in 10 years in 2014, as FSU put together a 55-9 record and ranked 12th national in scoring. Florida State was led offensively by Maddie O'Brien who finished as the nation's RBI leader with 83 runs driven in. O'Brien was named a first team All-American, ranking second nationally in home runs and slugging, third in on-base percentage and fifth in walks.

Snider came to Florida State after four seasons at Stephen F. Austin where he served as the hitting coach for the Ladyjacks from 2007-10. In 2008, he helped SFA to an NCAA Regional appearance after winning the Southland Conference tournament.

Previously, Snider spent the 2005-06 season as a graduate assistant at Oklahoma under Patty Gasso after stints as an assistant coach at Centenary (2004-05) and Lindsey Wilson College (2001-03).

A 2004 graduate of Centenary, Snider hails from Franklin, Kentucky. He has a daughter, Riley, and a son, Henry.

### THE SNIDER FILE

Hometown \_\_\_\_\_ Franklin, Kentucky  
Alma Mater \_\_\_\_\_ Centenary '04  
Degree \_\_\_\_\_ Psychology  
Children \_\_\_\_\_ Henry and Riley

### COACHING EXPERIENCE

YEARS	SCHOOL	TITLE
2001-03	Lindsey Wilson (NAIA) _____	Assistant Coach
2004-05	Centenary (DI) _____	Assistant Coach
2005-06	Oklahoma _____	Graduate Assistant
2007-10	Stephen F. Austin _____	Assistant Coach
2011-19	Florida State _____	Assistant Coach
2020-22	Texas A&M _____	Assistant Coach
2023-pres	Texas Tech _____	Head Coach

