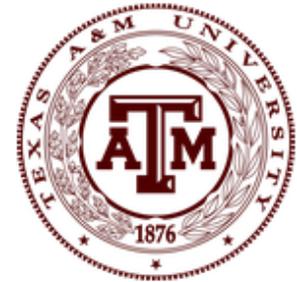


Tyler Scales	G	CLEM	70	Tyler knows that his name belies his abilities - indeed, he cannot scale much of anything given his mediocre jumping, dunking and rebounding abilities. Talk to him about a misconception surrounding your program (NCBCA or IRL) and why it truly is a misconception relative to actual facts. Most effective and compelling pitch wins.	690	96
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TEXAS A&M MEN'S BASKETBALL

HEAD COACH SNIPIN' SEXTON



Tyler,

It has come to my attention that some people all over this great nation have come to a great misconception about Texas A&M - that being that we are a normal university, albeit with the largest enrollment in the country.

That's simply not true.

The truth is, Texas A&M is a cult. A massive one. And we will continue to grow our numbers.

The Aggie Ring that all students that graduate receive is symbolic of the hive mind we have created - we can sense another ring's presence even in the most diverse and gigantic of crowds, and will seek out fellow Aggies to convene a meeting of two best friends that might not have ever met before. Even if the Aggie Ring is the only A&M signifier being worn, we can find you. It's uncanny.

We program Aggies to use our own little code to identify ourselves, like greeting people with the word "Howdy". If you use "Howdy" in your daily life, and you're not an Aggie, then I just want you to know you're on a list. We know who you are, and we will have our vengeance, in this life or the next. Just know that we're watching you.

We all drive Chevy Suburbans or Tahoes. No, I will not explain.

Oh, and good luck getting a custom license plate with the letters "AG" in it, because we already took them all. Got to keep 'em in the family, right? This is another way we can identify each other - through our vehicles. We can then team up and make a big Aggie Convoy for safety in numbers. It's never failed us before.

We used to build a massive bonfire every year around Thanksgiving to celebrate the festivities surrounding the annual t.u. Game (cowards), but one year, it collapsed during construction, killing 12 people.

We built the most beautiful memorial on the site of the bonfire, with 12 portals signifying the victims, where one can “stand in their place” in conjunction with the Aggie spirit. We’re really big on the 12th man thing here.

That all started when one of our esteemed former religious leaders, football coach Dana Bible (fitting) called a former player down from the press box when injuries ravaged the team. E. King Gill raced down from the stands, donned a fallen player’s uniform, and stood at the ready to go in if needed.

Since then, all Aggie students stand at attention during games, indicating their willingness to fill in if needed. Some may call this crazy, cult-like behavior, but I call it a tactic we used to get Toughest Place to Play in CFB 25. Kyle Field rocks!

We don’t have cheerleaders, either. We have Yell Leaders. They get everyone out on the field in the stadium at midnight before every home game to learn all the new yells and cheers for the coming game, and tell fables about how the team will find victory on the field the next day.

It’s a beautiful sight, the Yell Leaders in their overalls and the Fightin’ Texas Aggie Band playing the great songs of yesteryear, the War March, and the Corps of Cadets marching in unison. It truly is a beautiful sight.

We unite in our hatred of t.u. And hiss at the mention of them, because booing is too uncivilized.