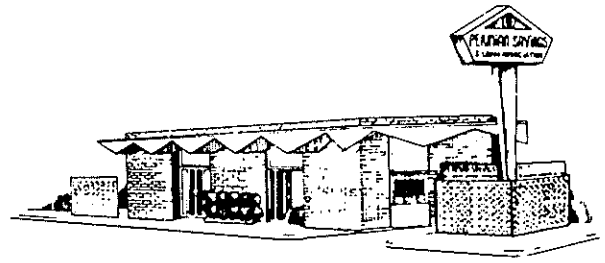


The Texaco Academic Challenge team competed in the annual Permian Basin decathlon.

Kermit began the competition, taking on Rankin. Kermit came out on top with a score of 245 to 95. Next, the team competed against Midland High in the quarter-finals competition. Midland edged out Kermit, 215 to 170.

Members of the squad are pictured BELOW captain Darah Smith, Kevin Helmer, alternate Amy Hudson, Adam Carrasco, and Bill Riggs.

Many other Kermit students practiced with the team. Helping the team were Sheryl Balderrama, Darin Smith, Cathy Carlisle, Chris Carlisle, Jeff Mills and Clary Cutrell.



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