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## Tune Into College Station

Here's a hearty 'Howdy' from Texas A&M fans and alumni.

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**M**izzou fans traveled in droves to witness the Tigers' riveting 51–48 quadruple overtime win against Tennessee — the first SEC road victory in MU history. Now it's on to face the upstart Aggies, whose meteoric rise in the SEC peaked with a 29–24 win over BCS No. 1 Alabama Nov. 10, 2012.

The Tigers have won on two consecutive trips to College Station, Texas, and due to a scheduling oddity and conference jump, the former Big 12 foes meet for a third season in a row down south.



The student cheering section at Kyle Field is known as the 12th Man.

“I was very appreciative of the Mizzou fans and the turnout we had at the Tennessee game,” Mizzou Coach Gary Pinkel said during the post-game press conference in Knoxville. “Our fans ‘get it’ being in this league, and I appreciate that as we build our program and continue to try and make it better.”

Hear that, Tiger fans? Time to hit the Lone Star State.

Visit these Aggieland favorites for a surefire good time.

### **Dixie Chicken**

This establishment boasts the most beer sold per square inch in the U.S. Near campus in the Northgate Entertainment District, Dixie Chicken is also known for its burgers and Tiajuana fries.



Dixie Chicken

### **Hullabaloo Diner**

Featured on Food Network’s *Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives*, it’s one of the few registered, authentic diners in Texas.

### **The Village Café**

Located in Historic Downtown Bryan, Texas, this restaurant, coffee house, art gallery, and live music

venue supports all things local: food, coffee, music, art, beer and wine. It's a great place to immerse yourself in the culture.



Northgate District

### **Chef Tai's Mobile Bistro**

Texas A&M alumnus Tai Lee created an upscale, Asian fusion experience that was named America's Favorite Food Truck by the Food Network. The unique, globally inspired cuisine features BBQ Pulled Pork Tacos, Korean Short Rib BBQ Bowl and Brussels

Tofu Florentine.

### **Texas A&M Sports Museum**

Located at Kyle Field, visitors will experience exhibits including the Time Wall, Legends Gallery and interactive computers. It is one the nation's only all-sports museums funded primarily by former athletes.

### **Sam Houston Sanders Corps of Cadets Center**

This center depicts the Corps of Cadets from its beginning in 1876 to today and describes the traditions and history of Texas A&M University. Exhibits include Silver Taps, the Aggie Band, Parsons Mounted Cavalry and the 12th Man.

### **Bonfire Memorial**

Dedicated to the 12 Aggies who died in the collapse of the 1999 bonfire, the memorial celebrates the tradition and history of Texas A&M.

## Other fun facts:

- Locals say “Howdy,” and the saying goes, “Here, ‘Howdy’ is more than a greeting; it’s a genuine spirit no one forgets.”



The Bonfire Memorial

- College Station has a city ordinance requiring businesses that prominently display orange (the school color of the University of Texas, Texas A&M’s archrival) to also include maroon on the building. For examples: Home Depot features maroon awnings, and fast food chain Whataburger sports a maroon stripe.

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