

mate team player, Maggard is the most experienced UK signal caller, and we all know in some situations there is no substitute for experience.

Jones, the first "Mr. Kentucky Football" to come to UK, says he knows what Curry is talking about. "Leadership is more of a mental thing," says Jones. "When your teammates are down you pick them up; it's a person who always gives his all in the fourth quarter; the one who can push the team to another level."

He believes he is the man for the job, but admits he needs to be more consistent. "Once I make it to the fourth quarter," says Jones, "I know I can carry over to the end; I know I can keep everybody motivated for one more quarter. After last spring, I've learned so-o-o much. Now I'm confident. Last year I put so much pressure on myself. When I made a mistake, I didn't recover from it; I frustrated myself. I'm not going to do that again."

Others with good potential and right in the hunt are Brad Smith and Ryan Hockman. Statistically, Smith had the better spring scrimmages, completing 26 of 33 passes for 271 yards and 3 TDs in three scrimmages. He also completed 14 of 15 passes for 160 yards and 2 TDs in the spring Bank One Blue-White Game.

"We've got a good competitive situation. Whoever comes out, we're a team, we're gonna be pulling for each other and supporting each other," summarizes Maggard.

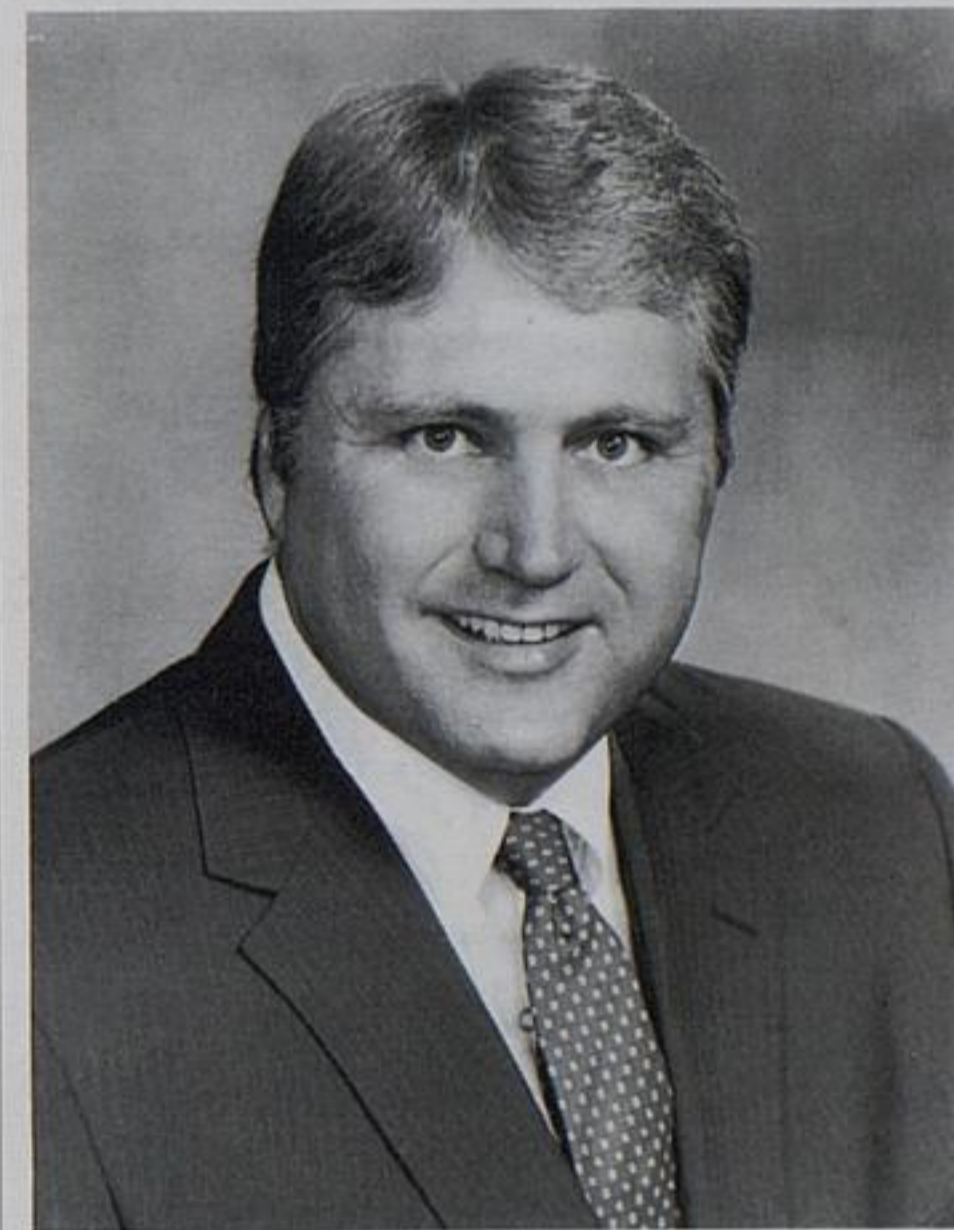
## Final Results

**Men's golf** - A seniorless team won the Kentucky Intercollegiate Tournament title and placed seventh in the SEC; Brett Bronski, Robbie Davis and Tim LeRoy were named to the SEC's Academic Honor Roll. **Women's golf** - UK finished first in four tournaments, second in two and earned the school's fourth NCAA tournament appearance placing 10th overall. Junior Tonya Gill was named Academic All-America. **Gymnastics** - An injury-riddled team

never had the chance to reach its potential, but placed sixth in the SEC and hosted the SEC Tournament in Spring 1991. Freshman Suzanne Gutierrez set an individual school record on beam and senior Donna Oeffinger set a career high on the vault. Freshman Amy Appel competed in the regionals where she blew out a knee and will likely be out for the 1992 season. **Volleyball** - The volleyball Kats were 22-12 overall and 7-1 in the SEC. The team made its fourth appearance in the NCAA placing in the Final 16. **Swimming & Diving** - Swimmer Kelly Moran earned all-America honors by placing eighth in the 100 freestyle and honorable mention all-America in the 50 and 200 freestyle events in the NCAA championships. UK placed eight athletes on the SEC academic honor roll in this sport. **Track** - Distance runner Valerie McGovern, at 5,000 meters, took all-America honors in the NCAA championships. **Cross-Country** - Kentucky's men finished 11th in the NCAA tournament with James B. Kaiser winning his first all-America honors. The men were second in the SEC and third in the district; the women finished seventh in the SEC. **Women's Tennis** - Susan Klingenberg and Melissa Nelson at No. 1 doubles posted an 18-14 record and a No. 22 ranking by the ITCA Volvo Tennis/Collegiate Rankings. They were named all-SEC and participated in the NCAA individual championships. **Men's Tennis** - John Yancey paired with Ian Skidmore for their first doubles appearance in the NCAA individual championships, making them two-time all-Americans.

## On A Roll

Darlene Kessinger '88, '90 left Cuba with a silver medal and headed right to Belgium for the world championships in her sport—roller skating. Kessinger placed second in the 300 meter competition at the Pan American games in August. Roller skating will be an exhibition entry in the 1992 Olympics so it may be Kessinger will be among the UK alumni participating.



Sam Ball, UK all-American in 1965, will be a part of the game again this year as he takes a seat in the broadcast booth. Ball will handle the color commentator duties while Ralph Hacker does the play by play for the UK Television Network.

Ball, an offensive tackle (1963-65), was a first round draft choice of the Baltimore

Colts. He spent five years with the Colts where he was a teammate of UK Coach Bill Curry.

Last August, Ball was one of 12 former players to have his jersey (#73) retired by the university. His son, Shane, is currently a player on the 1991 Wildcat squad.