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## **50 YEARS OF GIRL'S TRACK & FIELD IN TEXAS**

{Wylie, Texas – January 12, 2021} – The Texas Track & Field Coaches Association is proud to announce its forthcoming promotion – 50 Year's of Girl's Track & Field in Texas – celebrating amazing athletes, outstanding coaches and significant moments that have paved the way for today's female track & field athletes.

In 1971-72, the University Interscholastic League (UIL) crowned its first individual and team champions in girl's track & field. While the Prairie View Interscholastic League (PVIL; now defunct) crowned female track & field champions as far back as 1941 and girls competed in the UIL forerunner, Texas' dominant governing body is now ushering in its 50<sup>th</sup> year of girl's track & field competition, and it is this achievement we'll celebrate.

Beginning the first week in February, we'll celebrate with social media releases remembering the athletes, coaches and moments of the first fifty (50) years. Interviews will be archived on our YouTube page – TTFCAv – and on a newly created website page.

Join us as we celebrate 50 Years of Girl's Track & Field in Texas.