Maureen “Reenie” Smith
34 Years of Service

Mrs. Maureen “Reenie” Smith, Senior Lecturer in the Department of Health and Human Performance has been with our Physical Fitness and Wellness program for over 30 years and has taught numerous classes from jogging to gymnastics to impact thousands of students’ lives. Reenie’s dedication to the PFW program and to her students shines in her willingness to teach any course in the PFW program, and by her reputation of being a favorite instructor at Texas State. You could find her running daily from Jowers to the ASC or the tennis courts to make sure she was early to every class with only 10 minutes to get to each one! Students brought her thank you’s and gifts just as much as she lovingly provided water or snacks for her students on hot days and intense workouts. Reenie also has been a great advocate for the College of Education by completing service on the Non-Tenure Line Faculty, Scholarship, and Dean’s Fellowship Review committees. Throughout her time here she also helped sponsor several sports clubs like the gymnastics, running, and triathlon clubs. Reenie has also been a competitor and advocate for several local running clubs throughout her time spent at Texas State and in central Texas. Reenie will be missed by not only HHP, but by the thousands of students she has taught in her 34 years of service. We thank Reenie for her service, all her contributions to the PFW program, and wish her all the best in her retirement.