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RANGER JUNIOR COLLEGE, Ranger, Texas Wednesday, Oct. 13, 1982

RANGERS DETERMINE TO DOMINATE NORSEMEN!

Ranger's gridgers travel to Miama, Okla., Sat. Oct. 16, to confront Northeast Oklahoma Junior College. Both teams stand at 3-1.

Fans and coaches consider this another Texas-Oklahoma rivalry. Northeast Junior College is the only Junior college in Okla. that plays football.

N.E.O.'s coach has lost only five games in his five year stay. Two of those losses were to RJC.

Whoever wins this game determines which team will be nominated for a bowl bid if the team wins all remaining games.

NEO trompled Ranger last year 28-6 which disqualified RJC for a bowl bid.

So let's rise up to our challengers with our spirited "Roaring Rangers" and show that there "ain't NO NEO!!!"

HOMECOMING '82 SUCCESSFUL

The 1982 Homecoming Queen for RJC was Margaret Thompson, a freshman from Victoria. She was crowned during halftime at the Homecoming game on Sat., Oct. 2. Ms. Thompson was escorted by Craig Flowers.

The Queen's attending court included five sophomores and four freshmen.

Sophomores and their escorts included Michele Butler, escorted by her father Coach Ron Butler. Rebecca Kessler, escorted by Marc Simon; Cindy Perry escorted by Rick Walker; Erma Thompson, escorted by Patrick Slaughter; and Paula Vaughn escorted by her father Mr. Donald Vaughn.

Freshmen included Joann Chavez, escorted by Brian Cantrell; Roxi Jackson, escorted by Bruce Hood; Connie Martinka escorted by her father Mr. Edward Martinka; and Paula Vrazel escorted by her father Mr. Paul Vrazel.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

The annual Halloween ice cream supper and costume contest will be held in the SUB on Wed, Oct. 27 at 8 p.m. Ice cream and fun will be offered to all who attend dressed in costume.

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY EXTENDED

The RJC Board of Regents has extended the Thanksgiving holiday to include Wed., Nov. 24, granting the student body an additional day off.

The holiday will begin after students have met their last class on Tues., Nov. 23. All classes will resume on Mon., Nov. 29.



CALLING ALL WOMEN!

RJC's female students are invited to participate in Glamour Magazine's Top Ten College Women Competition.

Young women from colleges and universities across the country will compete in Glamour's search for finalists.

The 1983 Top Ten College Women will be featured in Glamour's August College issue. The ten winners will receive a \$1,000 cash prize.

Anyone who is interested in entering the contest should contact Ms. Betty Parmele in the Academic Building for further information. The deadline for submitting an application to Glamour is Dec. 1, 1982.

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GRIDDERS WIN HOMECOMING

Rangers produced a Homecoming victory against 13th ranked Eastern Arizona Junior College 17-3 in RJC Stadium Oct. 2.

Eastern Arizona could only produce a field goal due to Ranger's awesome defense, led by Howard Wise, Irl Connally and Jim Krebs.

Ranger held Eastern Arizona to just 43 yards rushing and 51 yards passing.

Krebs and Wise both pulled in interceptions.

Offensively, the Rangers combined for 252 yards rushing and 57 passing.

Ronnie Thomas struck with a 45 yard run in the first quarter to get Ranger on the scoreboard first.

Eastern Arizona came back with a field goal to narrow the margin.

The second and third quarters went scoreless.

The fourth quarter Ranger struck again with 10 points. Jeff Crumedy dove over from the one for the second TD of the game.

Vince Oldag finished the scoring with a 35 yd. field goal.

CROSS COUNTRY MOVES ALONG

On Oct. 1 RJC successfully captured its own invitational cross country meet. Agapius Amo Masong, ranked No. 1 in the nation, outran the field and posted a time of 23:48.38. His nearest foe, Paul Rugut also from Ranger, placed a distant second at 25:25:00.

Ranger occupied eight of the top ten spots to finish first, followed by Wayland Baptist, Blinn Jr. College, and East Texas State, in that order.

In past Cross Country Meets RJC has placed no worse than second, finishing second behind New Mexico State twice, once at the South Plains Meet Sept. 1 and Wayland Baptist Meet Sept. 16.

The Rangers also finished second behind Texas Tech in Abilene on Sept. 25 before capturing its own title.

RODEO TEAM ON THE ROAD

The RJC Rodeo team traveled to Portales, N. M. to compete in the Eastern New Mexico University Rodeo Sept. 23-26.

Team members who made it to the finals were Philip Askey, calf roping; Mark Braymer, steer wrestling and Chuck Cox, steer wrestling. Cox went on to win the finals and ended up winning second in average.

RANGEANNS AIM HIGH

The 1982-83 RangeAnns team is exerting much effort to mold this year's team into a contender. A great deal of talent is present, including six women who saw playing time last year.

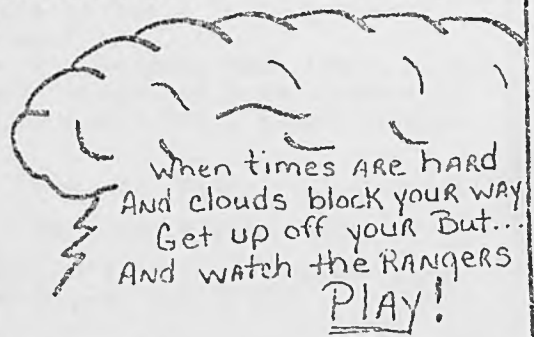
Leading the talented freshman group are Roxi Jackson, Lisa Dubose, Crystal Amez and Paula Vrazel.

Sophomores who saw playing time last year are Kathy Walton, Stacy Raven, Terri Herrod, Cindy Perry, Rebecca Kessler and Brenda Walker.

The Homecoming Exes game featured all the starters from last year's team. The young RangeAnns were very impressive since this was their first competition. Lisa Dubose lead the team in rebounds with 16 and Stacy Raven led the scoring with 16 points.

The season opener will be at Howard College, Nov. 2, against the Hawk Queens, who return all of last year's Regional Champs.

The RangeAnns have the potential to be contenders, but the non-conference schedule will be one of the toughest ever with South Plains, Howard and Western Texas,



Activities

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ELECTS OFFICERS

Student Government officers elected for the 1982-83 school year include the following: President, Steve McCord; Vice-president, Rebecca Kessler; secretary, Cindy Perry.

Your student government has been hard at work planning a number of activities for this fall semester.

At the top of the agenda is a (Toga) dance on Oct. 13. On Oct. 20, a movie has been scheduled. Climaxing the month will be an ice cream Halloween Party on Oct. 27.

More movies, more dances, and other activities are being planned for the future.

EXPLORERS CLUB OFFERS OPPORTUNITY

A club to help students with career choices is one of the purposes of The Explorer Club. A division of the Boy Scouts, the club is open to all RJC students. Together with merchants of Ranger, the students will be exposed to different career fields.

The club is also planning some exploration trips to Colorado and the Coastal bend country of Texas. Fund raisers are now being planned.

Sponsor Frank Miller invites everyone to join and attend its meetings held every other Wednesday at the First Methodist Church. The meetings start at 8 p.m.

CAMPUS SUNDAY SCHOOL HELD

Problem: No way to get to Sunday School?

Solution: Sunday School is now being held in the ESU Student Center.

Starting at 9:45 a.m. a light breakfast is served. Rev. Jasper Massagee will lead the class. Transportation to the church of your choice will be provided at the end of the class. Everyone is welcomed and encouraged to come.

RJC SLIPS PAST CISCO IN BENEFIT BOWL CLASH

The highly contested RJC vs. Cisco Benefit Bowl Game recorded another win for the Rangers in the long standing rivalry at Breckenridge Sept. 25 with a final score of 10-6.

Cisco came into the game with a 3-0 record, ranked fifth in the nation.

Each team was penalty prone consisting of 264 yards in penalties. In one instance Cisco acquired two consecutive 15 yard penalties making Cisco first and 35.

The first quarter went scoreless with no threatening drives by either team.

Midway through the second quarter Ranger got on the scoreboard with alternating quarterback Mike Holley running in from six yards out. The score was set up by a Bryan Rosenbloom 39 yard pass to Jim Kirk. This catch moved Ranger to the 15 where Vince Oldag salvaged a field goal out of the drive.

Cisco then got on the scoreboard with a 27 yd. field goal before the gun at the first half.

Cisco threatened at the close of the game but could only produce another 27 yd. field goal to conclude the scoring.

Coach Johnny Gann scored his first victory as head coach while substituting for Coach Jerry Trice who attended the funeral of his father-in-law.

RANGERS OPEN BASKETBALL SEASON

The 1982-83 Rangers are looking forward to a successful season this year. The team has participated in scrimages in Cisco and at McMurry and have fared well. Coach Larry Gibson says he has a "well-prepared team."

The Rangers open their season Nov. 1 against McMurry here at 7:30 p.m. Other games include:

Nov. 2: Howard.....8:00 (T)

Nov. 6: Western Tx.8:00 (H)

Nov. 8-9: Ranger Classic here at 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

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PTK TO ORGANIZE

Phi Theta Kappa, the campus honors fraternity, will meet on Tues., Oct. 19 at 6 p.m. in the Library to elect officers for the coming year. Plans and goals for the year will also be discussed.

Dr. Anna Auvenshine, the group's sponsor, invites all high school honor students to attend and all RJC students with a 3.5 grade point average.

FIX A FAIR FLOAT

RJC's Student Government is enlisting help to build a float for the Eastland County Fair Parade to be held Sat., Oct. 23.

Anyone interested in helping should contact Ms. Laura Flowers in the Business Office as soon as possible.

PITCH IN

The LVN class is collecting aluminum cans to raise funds for field trips. Any assistance from the student body will be greatly appreciated. Turn in cans in the collection box in the Business Bldg.

FCA ELECTS OFFICERS

The FCA elected the following officers for the 82-83 school year.

Serving as president is Steve Koops; vice-president is Jeff Holloway, and secretary is Dan Euland.

Regular FCA meetings are held at 9 p.m. each Mon. in the Auditorium and at 7:30 p.m. in the BSU for Bible Study.

Everyone is invited to attend these meetings.

PRAYER & SHARE

"Prayer and Share" meets at 7:00 a.m. each morning, Mon. through Thurs. in the BSU. The meeting will end early enough to attend breakfast. Everyone is welcome.

BSU FALL SCHEDULE

The Baptist Student Union is open on Mon. from 5:00 to 10 p.m. and Tues. from 9 a.m. to noon. Mrs. Ruth Scaggs, sponsor, invites students to the quiet daytime atmosphere for study or counseling, and to the evening program for recreation and refreshments.

Other weekly activities include the following:

Wed., 7:30 p.m. Bible Study
Sun., 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
Mon.-Thurs., 7 a.m. "Prayer and Share"

"The B. S. U. welcomes all students to attend these meetings," stated Mrs. Scaggs.

BASS CLUB CASTS OFF

Casting off is the RJC "Bass Club" sponsored by Mr. Tom Peebles, instructor of welding. The club meets every Monday in the welding classroom at 7:30 p.m.

One main objective is to teach the fundamentals of fishing while having fun. Films of techniques, tournaments and lectures from local pros are on the agenda for the Bass Club.

The club will sponsor several tournaments for members only. Cash prizes will be awarded. Dues for members are \$10 per semester. Dues go toward awards and fishing trips. Everyone is welcomed to join.

WRITER'S CLUB TO MEET

A meeting is planned for the Writer's Club on Tues., Oct. 19, at 6:00 p.m. Dr. Donna Walker invites interested persons to attend.

HAPPY



HALLOWEEN!

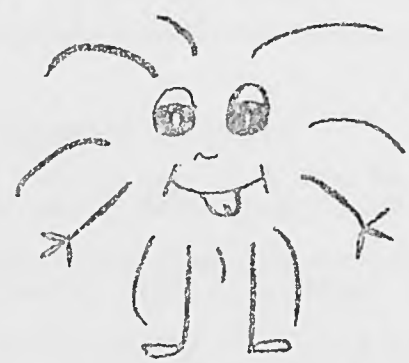
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WHO DUN IT?

- Who carried on the traditional wrapping of the campus on Homecoming???
- Who went streaking at 2:30 a.m. on the Thurs. of HC week?
- Who played "Midnight Football" in the swamp???
- Who let the air out of "Deputy Dawg's" tires?
- Who banned parking on the top of Wagley Hall???
- Which faculty member received a parking citation from "Deputy Dawg"?
- Who is planning a boycott of the cafeteria?
- Who stole the Gov't. test and still failed the test?
- Who got bit by a rattlesnake?



MEET ZIG

Zig was born in the basement of the Gholson Hotel in downtown Ranger. His birthday is in the Fall of 1982.

Although his parents are unknown, he has been adopted by the newspaper staff of the RJC News Update.

Zig's hobbies include brushing his hair and playing the drums. He prefers eating at Joe's, but crickets are his favorite food. He also enjoys Punk Rock. His most favorite movie is "Zig Goes Hawaiian."

He has no family, other than the RJC staff.

Zig's goal in life is to add excitement to the lives of RJC students.

DEAR ZIG:

Now I don't want you to think I'm complaining, but Joe's food is getting old. We have the same things over and over. What can a person do????

Sincerely,
Starving

DEAR STARVING,

What!!!! You Wimp! You don't like Joe's food? Don't you know that someone starves to death every two seconds? And you have the nerve to complain about the food! (one...two; one...two.)

Truly yours,
Zig



NOTE: Anyone with a problem may submit it in written form and place it in the Letter Box in the Journalism Room, Room 3, Academic Building.



FUN AT THE FAIR

The Eastland County Fair will be held on Oct. 20-23 at the Eastland Fair Grounds. Each day will include various activities and entertainments.

Major attractions include:

- Oct. 21: Sr. Citizens Day
- Oct. 22: Judging of baked goods
Music by the Cockburn family
- Oct. 23: Downtown parade in Eastland, 10 a.m.
Oil Show, Fair Grounds
Alabama Coushatta Indian Dance show

RJC UPDATE STAFF

- Sophomores:
Gay Gandee, Richard Jackson,
Betty Long, Paula Vaughn,
Greg Yates.
- Freshmen:
Fandy Baker, Marc Simon
- Sponsor: Ms. Betty Parmele