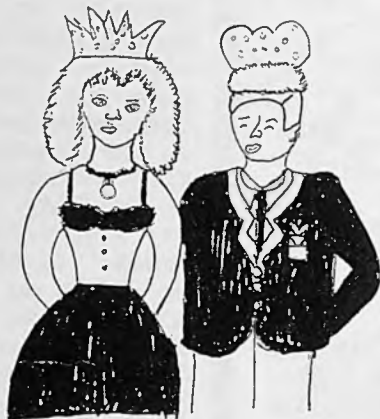


The Ranger Roundup

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HOMECOMING TIME AGAIN



Hurrah! Hurrah! It's homecoming time once again at RJC. Homecoming comes once a year but there are plenty of activities during that week to celebrate the occasion. The homecoming game will involve the RJC Rangers battling Blinn Junior College. The game is Sat. Nov. 1, at 4 p.m. Other activities during homecoming include:

- Mon., Oct. 27: Purple Day All Day
- Tue., Oct. 28: Dance (Today's sound)
-SUB- 8:30-10:30 p.m.
- Wed., Oct. 29: Coronation practice
-at Football Field- 4 p.m.
Pep Rally 6:30 p.m.
NFL Follies
-SUB- 7:30 p.m.
- Thu., Oct. 30: Dance (C & W) 8:30-10:30 p.m.
- Fri., Oct. 31: Spooky Movie 7:30-10:30 p.m.
- Sat., Nov. 1: HOMECOMING
Softball game Noon
Band & Choir Perform. 3:45 p.m.
RJC vs. Blinn JC 4 p.m.
Homecoming Coronation Halftime
Bar-B-Que (after game)
-SUB- 7 p.m.
Men's Basketball
vs. McMurry -Gym- 7:30 p.m.

Everybody is invited to the Bar-B-Que dinner in the cafeteria after the game. Cost of the meal is \$3.00 for faculty, exes and guests. Children under 12 pay \$1.00. College students will use their meal tickets.

"DALLAS" TOUGH GUY

Lance Ratliff's ability to look rough and tough won him a role in one of this nation's favorite prime-time soaps, "Dallas". Lance was able to go to the audition because "my high school drama teacher knew someone who was casting for "Dallas" and called four guys to try out for the part".

Ratliff's tough guy stance and football player's physique made him a natural for the part.

The episode airs Oct. 31. In it he tussels with Patrick "Bobby" Duffy over Charlie.

Lance is a psychology major and tight end for the "Purple Haze".





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IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Rev. Gary Barkman is sponsor of the RJC Explorers' Club and pastor of First Methodist Church in Ranger. He considers both jobs rewarding because he works with people, some of the best people.

Rev. Barkman has been a minister for 19 years. During that time he has served in a variety of leadership positions, including pastor, associate pastor, youth director and camp director.

Gary graduated from Mansfield High School in Mansfield, La. in 1964. He earned a B.A. degree from Southwestern College in Waxahachie in 1972. He graduated from TCU in 1980 with a Master of Divinity degree. Presently Gary is attending SMU, working toward a Doctor of Ministry degree.

Gary and his wife Doretha have three children: Elise, 3; Lauri, 11; and David, 12.



BENEFIT BOWL TO CONCLUDE SEASON

The 1986 Benefit Bowl will be held Sat., Nov. 15, at Buckeroo Stadium in Breckenridge. The annual event, sponsored by area Lions' Clubs, will conclude the regular football season. RJC's varsity will declare war against Cisco at 7:30 p.m.

RJC has won six out of eight previous Benefit Bowl games. One of Cisco's two wins was last season in a tough fight to the finish.

As in the past, the Lions will donate all revenue from the game to various charities.



Discounted tickets may be purchased in advance: \$2 for students and \$3 for adults. Tickets can be purchased at the bookstore or from the following Lions on campus: Mr. Falls, Mr. Johnson, Dean Kasper and Dean Marusak.

Tickets will be \$3 per student and \$4 per adult at the gate.

Get your tickets and see these traditional rivals struggle to be the "Neighborhood Champs."



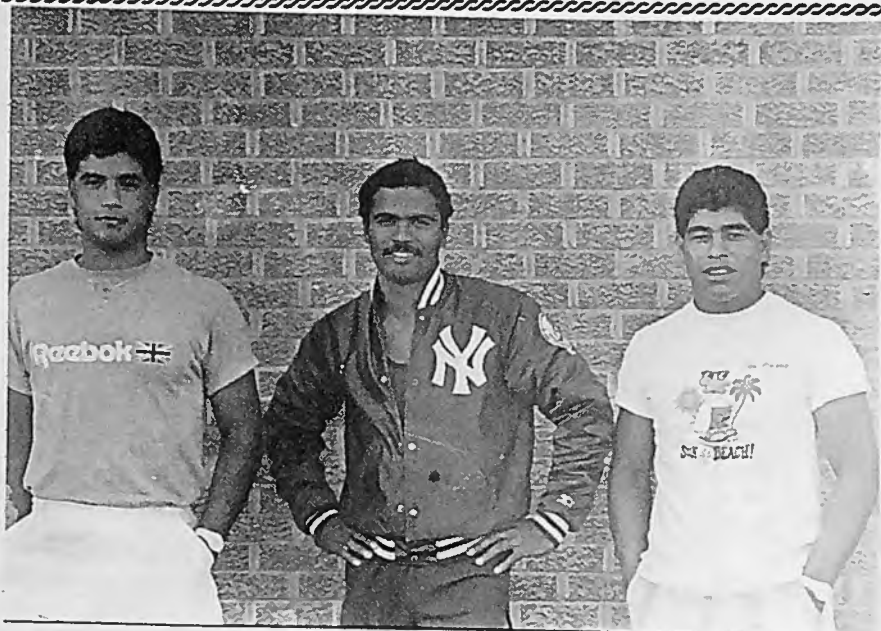
FCA IS ON ITS WAY

Fellowship of Christian Athletes is underway! The group was unable to find a sponsor. However, that is not slowing them down.

On Oct. 8, the following officers were elected: Michelle Hart, president; Candace England, vice president; Bill Stokes, secretary; and Pat Dingler, treasurer. The group will be operating on its own with leadership from these officers.

F.C.A. is looking forward to an exciting year. The group is planning fund raisers, community activities and fun activities. Michelle Hart stated, "I think anybody who comes to our meetings will have a good time and get a lot out of them".

The group meets on an alternating pattern. The meetings are on Tuesday one week and on Wednesday the next week. Watch for signs for specific time, date, and location, or ask an officer or member of the group.



WATCH FOR THE STARS

Three Ranger baseball players were selected to this year's Texas Jr. College All-Star Team. They were selected because of their outstanding freshman performances for RJC. They will be playing on the North Squad.

Bobby Perez is

second baseman, Jerry Macias is third baseman and Hector Beltram is outfield. Both Bobby and Jerry are from John Jay High School in San Antonio. Hector is from Bronx, N.Y.

The game was held Oct. 25-26 at Texas A & M University.

LOOK AT THEM RUN

The women's track team is at it again. Leading in cross country is Shantell Ferguson, freshman, who placed 4th overall in the meet at ACU, Oct. 4.

Others who did exceptionally well were: Sherri Whitfield, freshman, 9th; Angela Eusery, freshman, 10th; Demetrice Parks, sophomore, 17th; and Josi Guzman, sophomore, 26th.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 5.....	Temple.....	7:30.....	Here
Nov. 6-8....	South Plains.....	TBA.....	There
Nov. 10-11..	RJC Classic.....	6:00 & 8:00.....	Here
Nov. 18.....	Temple.....	7:30.....	There
Nov. 21-22..	South Plains Classic.....	TBA.....	There
Nov. 24-25..	St. Gregory Classic.....	TBA.....	There
Dec. 4.....	SWCC.....	6:00.....	Here

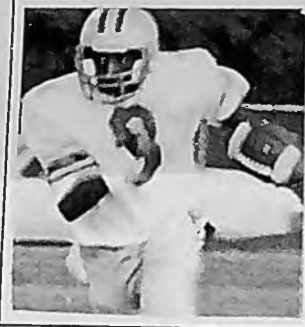


Under the direction of Mr. Bob Johnson, RJC's Band is performing at all home games.

BROKEN RECORD

Bobby Lee Johnson, 19 year old freshman from Dallas, holds the National Junior College Athletic Assn. (NJCAA) kick off return record for the longest return in NJCAA history.

Bobby attended school at Lincoln High School in Dallas, where he was an all around star athlete. His honors include: All First District Split End 84-85 and 85-86; M.V.P., football; M.V.P., basketball; M.V.P., track; and Class 4A State Champion, 100 m. in track.



Bobby, the smallest player on RJC's football team, plays split end.

Bobby's hobbies include fishing, basketball and running. After completing his two years at RJC, he plans to attend the University of Houston and continue to play football.

His parents are Bobby and Geneva Johnson from Dallas.

LVN UPDATE

The Licensed Vocational Nurses have completed two months of class. The L.V.N. class has been learning about diseases of the blood, skin, and muscles.

The L.V.N.'s will be visiting several places in the latter part of Nov. Trips will include: the Rehabilitation Center in Abilene, State School in Abilene, Shriners' Hospital in Dallas, and one of the largest hospitals in Fort Worth.

Ms. Pat Morgan, the L.V.N. instructor, is looking forward to working with this group of students.

THE THRILL OF DRILLS

What's new at RJC? It's the 1986 Drill Team, co-sponsored by Ms. Debbie Bagwell and Ms. Tammy Adams.

The girls are hard at work preparing for Homecoming. They will perform to Whitney Houston's "How Will I Know" at the pep rally and Homecoming game.

The group will attend drill team workshops and will perform at basketball games.

Members of the Drill Team are: Teresa Boykin, Courtney M. Brown, Tracy Childress, Angela Eusery, Antrenet Hubert, Jeanette Lee, Nancy Madrid, Carla Mason, Shelly Peel, Sylvia Polk, Shandi Rios, Millicent Roberts, Cathy Schaefer, Paula Sheffield, Barbara Simpson, Lallita Truesdale, Porshia Wallace and Lorrie Warrick.

STUDENT GOV'T ELECTS OFFICERS

RJC's Student Government is busy planning student activities.

Regular meetings are held every Mon. at 5 p.m. in the cafeteria to organize upcoming school events.

The officers of the Student Government include: Shantell Ferguson, president; Ericka Rolle, vice president; Randy Rivera, secretary; Glorine Simpson, asst. secretary; Sandra Duke, treasurer; Lorrie Warrick, asst. treasurer; Barbara Simpson, activity coordinator; and Sonja Pete parliamentarian.

Regular members are Blanche Bettise, Sylvia Polk, Laurie Nixie, Annie Heager, Erma Scott, Millicent Roberts, Cathy Schaefer, Felicia Williams, Delores Fatheree, Dallas Lias, Vera Johnson, Crystal Datcher, and Sherrie Washington.



LAB INSTRUCTOR LOVES JOB

Mrs. Kathy Glidewell, science lab instructor at RJC, says, "I like Ranger Junior College and love teaching lab". She started teaching lab at RJC the fall semester of 1984.

Mrs. Glidewell attended the University of Dallas and U.T.A. She has a Bachelor's Degree in Science and Biology. She has 36 hours of graduate work and a teaching certificate for secondary science.

Community work plays an active role in Mrs. Glidewell's life. She has been the President of Ranger's Parent and Teacher's Organization for two years. Also, she is a leader of a Brownie Troop.

Dr. and Mrs. Glidewell have an eight year old daughter.

SUPREME VOICES

The first performance of RJC's choir will be Nov. 1 at 3:45 p.m. prior to the Homecoming Game. The choir is slated to sing "America the Beautiful" instead of the National Anthem. Accompanying the choir will be RJC's band.

The second scheduled performance will be Nov. 9 at First Methodist Church, downtown Ranger.

Other performances will be given at Eastside Baptist Church and First Baptist Church.



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PURPLE HAZE UPDATE

The 1986 RJC varsity football team is undefeated. The respected head coach, Jerry Watson, said, "I'm pleased with the team at this point and the Kilgore game was a big win. But to win conference we will have to continue to improve each week."

The Rangers are excited about their hard-earned, undefeated record.

Starting quarterback Mike Nelson said, "to keep winning means to keep working". The Rangers' devastating defense leads the conference in giving up the least amount of total yards per game!

STILL IMPROVING

On Oct. 3, the RJC softball team traveled to Texas A & M University to compete in a weekend tournament. During this tournament RJC competed in eight games in which they were defeated in seven. However, Coach Butler said, "we had difficulty with our scores because we played all Division 1 NC 2A teams. We don't play any Junior Colleges

until our Spring Season."

Against Baylor our women made a good showing with the score tied 0-0 when time was called. RJC's score against Texas A & M was 8-0, Louisiana Tech, 2-0, U.T.A., 11-7, Sam Houston State 5-2 and Southwest Texas State 3-2. We played Louisiana Tech and Texas A & M twice with scores 11-1 and 7-0 respectively.

RANGEANNS SHAPING UP

The RJC women's softball team battled UTA Thurs., Oct. 16 at Ranger. Although RJC was defeated in both games with the scores 2-1 and 3-2, Coach Ron Butler says that the women are beginning to look more like a team.

RIGHT HERE IN RANGER?

That's right! At 1 p.m. on Dec. 6, at Bulldog Stadium, one of the highest ranked bowl games in the nation, the Roaring Ranger Bowl, will be played right here in Ranger.

It is an invitational bowl game. The goal is to get two of the highest ranked Junior College teams in the nation to compete in this game.

In the past three years, teams from Utah, Kansas, and Mississippi have played in the Roaring Ranger Bowl.

RJC has participated twice in the last three years. "RJC has a good chance at making it this year," stated Ron Butler, Jr., who is the chairman of the Roaring Ranger Bowl Committee. In the past, the winner has finished in the top ten in the nation.

FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 15

8:00 - 10:00 A.M.	1A	(MW 8:00 - 9:15)
10:00 - 12:00 A.M.	2A	(MW 9:20 - 10:35)
12:30 - 2:30 P.M.	4A	(MW 12:00 - 1:15)
2:30 - 4:30 P.M.	5A	(MW 1:20 - 2:35)
7:00 - 9:00 P.M.	8A	(Monday Night Classes Only)

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16

8:00 - 10:00 A.M.	1B	(TT 8:00 - 9:15)
10:00 - 12:00 A.M.	2B	(TT 9:20 - 10:35)
12:30 - 2:30 P.M.	6A	(MW 2:40 - 3:55)
2:30 - 4:30 P.M.	5B	(TT 1:20 - 2:35)
7:00 - 9:00 P.M.	8B	(Tuesday Night Classes Only)

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17

8:00 - 10:00 A.M.	3B	(TT 10:40 - 11:55)
10:00 - 12:00 A.M.	3A	(MW 10:40 - 11:55)

Wednesday Night Classes Only: 7:00 - 9:00 P.M. December 10

Thursday Night Classes Only: 7:00 - 9:00 P.M. December 11

1986 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Nov. 1	Blinn.....	4 p.m.....	Ranger
Nov. 8	Navarro.....	3:30 p.m.....	Corsicana
Nov. 15	Cosco.....	7:30 p.m....	Breckenridge

We Can Do It!

LOOKING FOR MEMBERS

The Ecology Club of 1986-87 is getting off to a slow start. It is in desperate need of members. Dr. Jerry Glidewell is looking for interested students to explore nature with him.

A seining trip to the local streams is one of the many activities planned for this fall. Anyone interested please contact Dr. Glidewell in the Science Building.



Watch that "Purple Haze" go!

