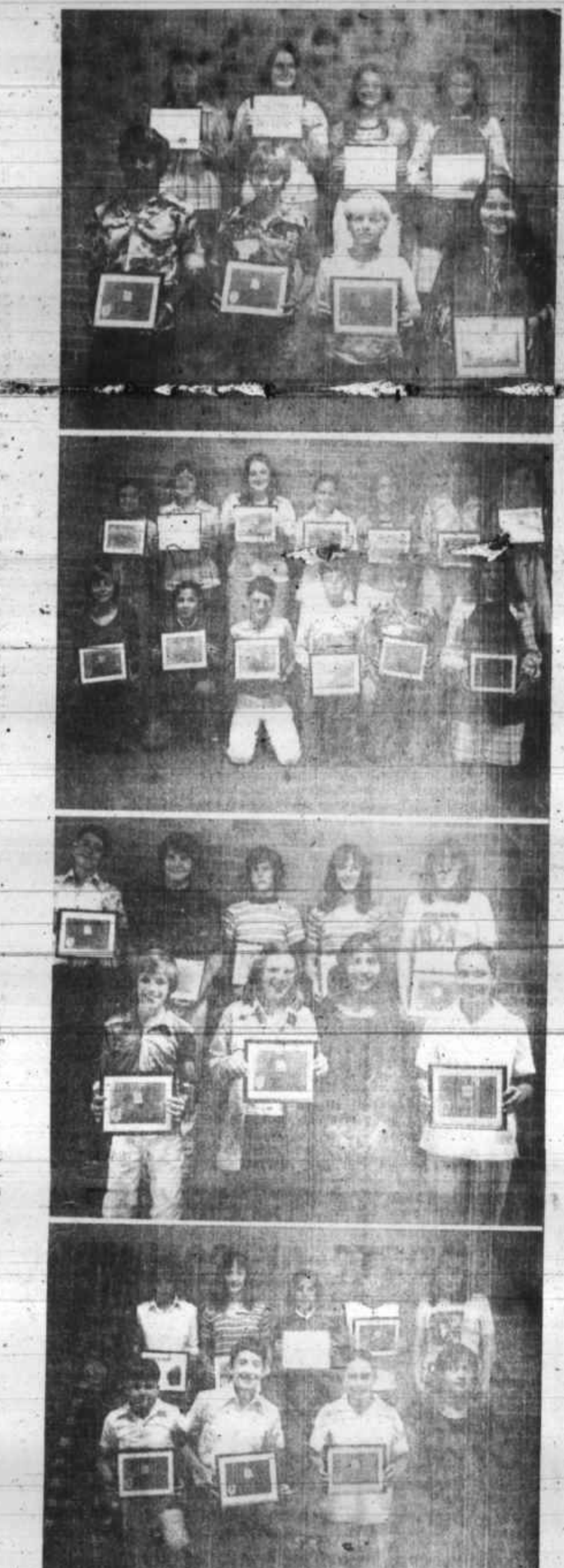


Junior Hi Literary Winners



Shown above are the winners in the Junior Hi Literary tournament held at Rice High School last week. Top photo, winning spelling awards at the junior high tournament were: back row, Mary Young, Gayle Lynn Thomas, Judy Bunge and Sara Lee Mann; kneeling in front, from left to right, are Arnold Rodriguez, John Lee Kornek, Michelle Sibley and Carolynn Pavia. Not pictured is Scott Hobben. Second from top are the creative writing winners also shown above awards. Standing are Lynette Carley, Mary Young, Gayle Lynn Thomas, Carolyn Pavia, Jeff Bunge, Peggy Popp and Kelly Mackey. Kneeling in front are Paula Hammer, Michelle Courtenanche, Judith Ocasio, Ted Teague, John Lee Kornek and Sara Lee Mann. Not pictured are: Scott Hobben, Robert Barrios, Craig Rohrer, Michael Sibley, Michelle Courtenanche, Dora Garamillo and Donna Newsum. Kneeling in the front row are Jeffrey Pienek, Russell Johnson, Carolyn Pavia and Ierna Yanez.

Many Win Places In Jr. High Literary Events At RHS

(By Raider Review Staff) Rice High School was the setting for the junior high literary tournament on Monday, April 26. There were twelve students entered in each contest with first, second, and third place certificates awarded in each event in sixth, seventh, and eighth grades.

Sixth grade math places were taken by students at the Eagle Lake Middle School. First place, Jim Epps; second place, Teresa Yanez; and third place, John Wegerhoff.

The Eagle Lake Middle School dominated places again in seventh grade math: first place, Michelle Sibley; second place, Suzanne Frybert; and third place, John Stephens.

Garwood Elementary School took first place honors in eighth grade math with Carolyn Pavia, Russell Johnson and Donna Newsum of the Eagle Lake Middle School took second and third places respectively.

Garden Club Has Covered Dish Luncheon

The Eagle Lake Garden Club met with Mrs. M. E. Isenhower for a covered dish luncheon on Wednesday, April 28th. The luncheon was held in the comfortable outdoor barbecue room on the shaded yard.

Following lunch, the president called the meeting to order. The secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting and a report was read of the birthday party held at the Heritage House on March 24th.

As a horticulture report, it was mentioned that now is the time to dig the potatoes. It was decided to hold the final meeting at Pier 39 in Wharton as a luncheon. Those wishing to attend should contact Mrs. Geraldine Cason for reservations.

At the close of the business session, Mrs. Cason read an interesting article entitled "Sixteen Ways to Keep Active." She closed by reading a prayer which should help to bring out the best in all of us.

The meeting adjourned after each member expressed her appreciation to the hosts for having the ladies as her guests. Reporter.

Registration at St. Mary's Ends Sunday

St. Mary's School in Nada will complete registration for the 1976-1977 school year this Sunday, May 9th.

Parents of beginners and new students should come to the school office for the initial registration. All other students will be given re-registration slips.

Non-discriminatory guidelines for private schools will be observed.

County's '75 Oil Production 751,900 Bbls.

The downward trend in crude oil production in the state's No. 1 energy state continued in 1975 for the third consecutive year, despite another 12 months of production at the maximum effective recovery rate in nearly all Texas fields.

Although the 1975 output of just over 1.2 billion barrels pushed the state's all-time cumulative production to more than 40 billion barrels, it was the lowest annual production since 1971 and more than 40.6 million barrels short of the 1974 production level.

Statistics compiled by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association also show that despite the continuing decline in Texas crude oil production last year, the state once again set the pace among the U.S. oil-producing states, accounting for 40 percent of total U.S. production.

Colorado County, which

has had record production since 1932, last year produced 751,900 barrels of oil at the rate of 2,000 barrels per day.

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Rice Competes At State Level

For the past three years, Rice High School students compete at the State level in literary and vocational areas.

The key in ascending this level of competition was the determined success of the part of the participant, long hours of practice exercises, and the persevering effort to try to perform the very best that one is capable of achieving.

By reaching this area of competence, students from Rice are equally qualified with students from the entire state of Texas.

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Because of the stopped clocks, students have been tardy for classes because they do not know how much time they have left in between classes. Of course, this does not affect students who have wristwatches, however, students that do not have wristwatches are constantly asking how much time is left before the bell sounds.

Mr. Grubman has denied the idea at first, but they were soon poking and looking right along with the rest of the class. The instructor, Sam Smith, says that this animal is as close to the human being as possible as to understand its functions and performance.

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34 Students Excel At Rice

Thirty-four students achieved the honor of making a 4.0 average for the fifth six weeks. This indicates dedication and hard work on the part of the student.

The freshman class had ten students who received a 4.0 average or above. Joyce Kornek led the freshmen with a 4.7 average, followed by Jeane Gould, Roberts Tomchesson, Mary Ann Schellmann, Janet Wied, John Grammer, Jackie Kallina, Shari Arbour, Stephen Spindel and Madison Smith.

The six sophomores were led by Laura Rohrer with a 4.5 average, followed by Jane Dostal, Clayton Smith, Janet Kersh, Cindy Kingsley and Ricky Kristyuk.

Six juniors were led by Paul Mathis with a 4.8 average, followed by Brenda Kallina, Crystal Jones, Gerald Popp, Frankie Rodriguez and Linda Sommer.

The twelve seniors were led by Chris Klekar and Phyllis Kornek with 4.5 averages, followed by Cindy Berger, Bob Morgan, Mary Ann Seibert, D'Ann Davison, Mary Jo Spanibel, Carmen Stallman, Terry Teague, Clifford Hodge, Janice Kallina and Sheryl Smith.

Hogs Examined In Biology (By Daryl Beheler) Students taking biology had a few picky times this last week. They have been dissecting pigs in the classroom.

This is not as distasteful as it sounds, for the simple reason that these specimens are only symbols. The students have been studying the pig for a while to understand its form and its different systems. There were some students who didn't quite adapt to the idea at first, but they were soon poking and looking right along with the rest of the class.

Library Receives 72 New Books (By Mark Hoover) Rice High School's library has received 72 new books to replenish the supply which has dwindled some because of theft and students who have lost their books.

Some of the new books received were "Trinity" by Ursula K. LeGuin which is about America's Federal Bureau of Investigation. These books will be ready to check out soon until the library closes, then students will be able to check them out next year when the library opens once again.

Auto Mechanics Attend Contest (By Clark Peterson) Auto mechanic members attended the VICA contest on April 23 and 24 at the Dallas Convention Center in Dallas. There were seven projects taken and there were five superior awards won which is first place and two excellent awards won which is second place. These members were: Buster Beisel with a superior award on a cylinder head, Thierry Hoffman with one superior award on a master cylinder and another superior award on a distributor. Edward Manos and Jeff Wagner won a superior award on a 283 engine. Wagner also won a superior award on a brake rotor and an excellent award on a quadrat car-buretor, and James Salinas won an excellent award on a brake rotor.

Their sponsor and advisor, Sidney Frey, accompanied these contestants to Dallas along with his wife and Jack Wagner.

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Rice Wins Regional Art Students Design Ads

(By Mike Armstrong) At Regional contests Rice had many winners. In the tennis competition, Laurel Anderson and Julia Thomas won second place, therefore, advancing to the state meet.

In the track and field regional meets, Jane Dostal won first in the shot put in the girls division and Tony Black won second in the 120-lb. hurdlers. In the literary events Bob Morgan won first in editorial writing and he will take this talent to state.

All regional contests were held in Houstonville and the students were accompanied by sponsors Johnny Clawson, Lillian Gohlke, Jerry Hajovsky and Fran Mayer.

93 Students On Honor Roll

(By Denise Wiese) Only ninety-three students made the honor roll this past six weeks. There is one more six weeks remaining in the school year which means the students to slack down their studies.

Out of the freshman class twenty-one members made the honor roll. The sophomores had twenty-seven who were on it and the juniors had twenty-three. The seniors had twenty-five from last six weeks.

In the freshman class, those who made the honor roll were: Shari Arbour, Janice Bittner, Cheryl Crabb, Kara Frybert, Debra Hodge, Jeanie Gok, John Grammer, Kathy Hodge, Carol Holtzman, Jackie Kallina, Joyce Kornek, John Lee Kornek, Peggy Leppold, Kevin Mackey, Mary Ann Schellmann, Sharon Sims, Bruno Shimke, Madison Smith, Stephen Spindel, Robert Tomchesson and Janet Wied.

The sophomores led the classes with the most number on the honor roll with twenty-seven. The ones who made the honor roll were: Robert Abel, Betty Lou Boeschke, Denise Danalis, Jane Dostal, Imelda Duarte, Becky Gertson, Terese Gold, Janet Kersh, Cindy Kingsley, Gregory Kornek, Ricky Kristyuk, Mark Krivacka, Betty Ann Labay, Wallyrrose Lowe, Todd Lundquist, Jack Mann, Dana McClain, Laura Hodge, Brian Sanders, Russell Scott, Virginia Scott, Billy Smick, Clayton Smith, Emily Stiles, Paula Szwarczynski, Tammy Teague and Nina Zbarske.

In the junior class twenty-three made the honor roll. They were: Judy Ashby, Steve Epps, Sherry Frybert, Kathy Frenzel, Leland Hegendorf, Crystal Jones, Brenda Kallina, Iwen Kibeleo, Alan Kristyuk, Pauli Mathis, Harvey Plepzyca, Gerald Popp, Glenda Popp, Frankie Rodriguez, Anna Rohrer, Denise Buehler, Dennis Sommer, Jerry Smith, Penny Szymanski, Julia Thomas, Cynthia Tomchesson and James Young.

The seniors decreased three in number from last six weeks as the school year is coming to an end. The seniors who made the honor roll were: Laurel Anderson, Sandy Brocker, Cindy Berger, D'Ann Davison, Zan Fling, Kathy Frybert, Chiffon Hodge, Mae Hurd, Elana Johnson, Janice Kallina, Christopher Klekar, Phyllis Kornek, Bob Morgan, Linda Morton, Debra Parker, Gwen Payne, Mary Ann Seibert, Sheryl Smith, Mary Jo Spanibel, Carmen Stallman, Terry Teague and Denise Wiese.

Candidates Deliver Speeches At Banquet

(By Denise Wiese) Thursday, May 29, the athletic award assembly was held. All athletes who participated in any sport were recognized and were rewarded.

During the same assembly the candidates running for president and vice-president of the Student Council for next year delivered their speeches to the student body. Those who are running for president are Judy Spikes and Brenda Kallina.

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Gu Beane also celebrated his birthday in this month. Mr. Beane is counselor at Rice and if you ever see him on the move, you can tell he enjoys his work very much. All the council members have enjoyed having the opportunities of helping these employees celebrate their birthday anniversaries.

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