

Scholarship Winners

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Pavlu and Debbie Thompson. Troy Krenke announced that Thomas Kallina was winner of a \$100 savings bond given by the Sunny Time family and also Kallina was the recipient of a Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo scholarship. He also presented the Garwood Lions Club scholarship to Carolyn Pavlu.

George Welch presented the Eagle Lake Rotary Club scholarship to Mary Young; Bill Carpenter presented the Waterman Foundation Nursing Scholarship to Donna Newsom; the W. R. Franks Memorial scholarship to Larry Eggemeyer; and the Annette Rodgers Nursing scholarship to John Chisholm.

Carpenter also presented scholarships from other colleges including: the Sam Houston State academic scholarship to Gay Lynn Thomas; the Texas A&M Opportunity Award to Arnold Rodriguez; the University of St. Thomas Academic Award to Ernest Ramirez; Texas Council of Church Related Colleges scholarship to highest average boy, Thomas Kallina; the Church Council scholarship and also a State of Texas Tuition scholarship to valedictorian Carolyn Pavlu.

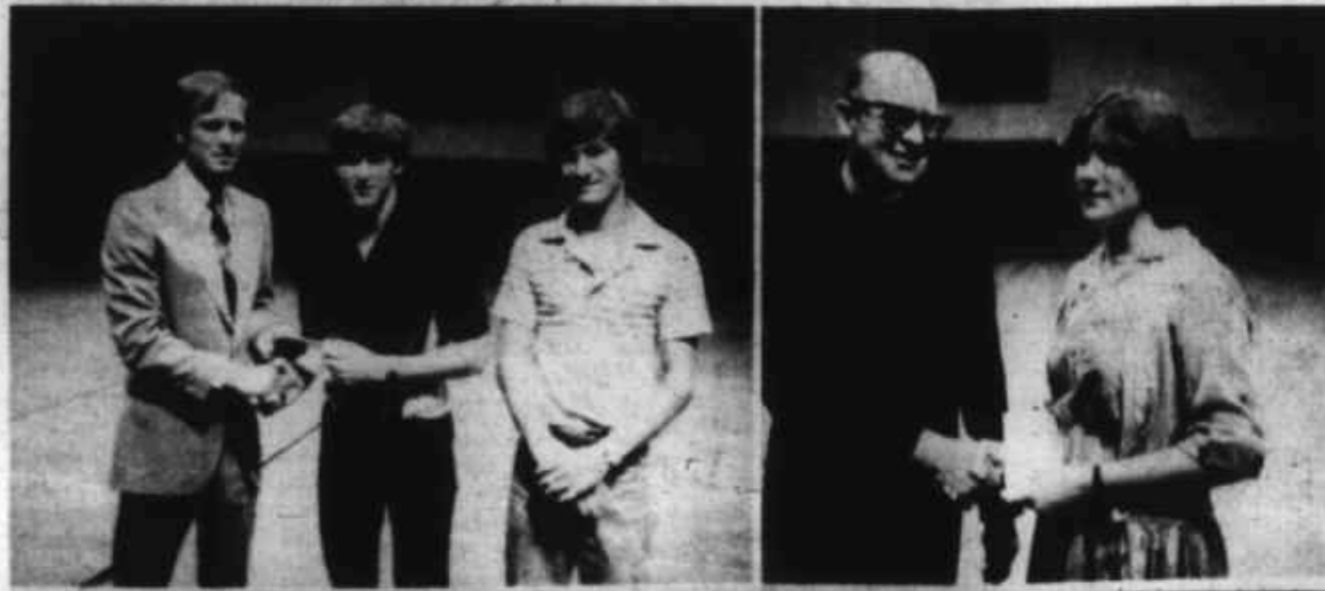
Don Craig of Wharton County Junior College presented WJC Academic Awards to Rich Farris, Thomas Kallina, Lana Mahalite, Lori Mahalite, Carolyn Pavlu, Arnold Rodriguez, and Mary Young.

Honor Students Cited
Principal Fred Gramham recognized the eleven honor graduates including the valedictorian Carolyn Pavlu and salutatorian Thomas Kallina and other graduates: Lori Mahalite, Lana Mahalite, Becky Anderson, Philip Leopold, Sharon Schneider, Rich Farris, Arnold Rodriguez, Mary Young and Joe Hernandez. He also recognized honor roll seniors for the past year including the above honor students and Julie Cisneros, Robert Moss, Donna Newsom, Gay Lynn Thomas, and Lulu Yanez.

Perfect Attendance
Perfect attendance awards went to fourteen seniors including one to Linda Labay who was recognized for twelve years of perfect attendance. Others were: Donny Dierschke, Larry Eggemeyer, Patsy Gutierrez, Joe Hernandez, Patrick Hurd, Albert Johnson, Tony MeCor, Gary McTeer, Robert Moss, Carolyn Pavlu, Allen Shimek, Russell Wick and Mary Young.

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RHS Seniors Get Scholarships



Many scholarships were awarded, estimated in value at close to \$30,000 to many Rice High School Seniors in a ceremony May 24. Among the recipients were the following shown above:

Top left, Guy Beane Jr. presented the Guy Stovall scholarship awards to Donny Dierschke and Philip Leopold; top right, George Welch, president of Eagle Lake Rotary Club presented a scholarship to Wharton County Junior College to Mary Young.

Middle left, Russell Wick receives the American Rice Growers Cooperative [Eagle Lake division] scholarship from Wayne Corman; middle center, Donny Dierschke received the Rice Classroom Teachers Association scholarship from

RHS Underclassmen Receive End Of Year Awards

The ninth, tenth and eleventh graders at Rice High School were honored at their annual awards program held at Rice High School on Mon., May 12.

Many awards were presented including perfect attendance, honor roll and U.L.L. competition. The awards were as follows:

- Honor Roll**
Freshmen: Ronny Cook, Karen Schneider, Kim Wunderlich.
Sophomores: Renee Hunt, Denise Hyek, John Layton, Korenek, Jr., Sharon Layton, Shari Popp, Paula Rohwer, David Shimek, Jerna Yanez.
Juniors: Mary Ann Beck, Michael Black, Hector Cavazos, Carol Crabb, Jenny Dardes, Chris Gold, Johnnie Gonzalez, Troy Grounds, Kenneth Hyek, Judy Bunge, Carol Crabb, Kenneth Hyek, Dora Jaramillo, Claudette Parker, Barbara Pribodi, Mike Rios, Craig Rohwer, John Schneider, Michele Sibley, David Sommer, Cynthia Staff, Bert Tise, Gilbert Correll.

- Perfect Attendance**
Freshmen: Becky Beuge, Pamela Black, Mableen Bluntson, Belinda Cavazos, Suzanne Fajkus, Anthony Drisk, Patricia Fields, Anthony Jones, Bruce Montgomery, Baldomero Hernandez, Ben Hernandez.
Also, freshmen: Bobbie Johnson, Ava Kallina, Paul

- U.L.L. Awards**
U.L.L. participation awards were presented to: Beate Wittig, Dora Jaramillo, Bert Tise; Number Sense: Bert Tise; Spelling: Phyllis Peacock; Typewriting: Jeff Peacock; Retros Hunt, Jerry Clippson, Elva Ann Romo; Prose: Wendell, Carol Grabb; One-Act Play: Carol Crabb, Leigh Ann Bryant, Phyllis Peacock.

- Other Awards**
Korenek: Robert Labay, Darlene Lee, Lowrie Lemons, Sherlyn Lockett, Neal Marsalia, Kathleen Palmer, Larry Pavlu, Teresa Sue Perdun, Clark Popp, Stephanie Rhodes, Karen Rucke, Rodney Sanford, Felix Soto, Ed Thomas, Jackie Tilman, Bryan Woods, Stephanie Woods, Kim Wunderlich, Alan Zhranek.
Sophomores: Kenneth Bluntson, Arnie Hewitt, Curtis Jones, Bruce Montgomery, Robert Senora, John Sommerlatte, Ricky Toliver, John Young; Juniors: Robert Barrios,

Candidates For Graduation

The following is the list of one hundred and eleven members of the 1980 Rice High School Class of 1980 who are candidates for graduation diplomas in exercises to be held in the Rice High School Raider gymnasium at 8:00 p.m. this Thursday, May 22nd.

- Curtis Alexander
Lora Denise Amos
Robert Earl Amos
Rebecca Louise Anderson
William Darrel Appelt
Daphne Jean Axel
Daryl Dwane Axel
Johnny Edward Baros
Hortensia Barrios
Elizabeth Ann Berger
Gwendolyn Black
Dennis Ray Bluntson
Clifton Marshall Bradshaw
Bonnie Luann Brown
James Louis Bunge, III
Rene Cano Ruvacaha
Meljio Cardenas
Melvin R. Carter
Emencio V. Castillo
Susan Elizabeth Chappel
John A. Chisholm, III
C. Bruce Clippson
Julie Ruth Clippson
Kathy Pearl Coats
Robert Laird Cook, III
Julie Karen Criswell
Craig Anthony Dabney
Bertha Renee Dancy
Jeffery Lynn Dardson
John Daniel Delgado
Donald James Dierschke
Michael Wayne Duarte
Larry Gene Eggemeyer
Randall Lewis Epps
William Richard Farris
Lana Lynn Frazier
Brenda Elaine Frazier
Cindy Leah Fuller
Sharon Gale Garner
Johnna Carol Griffith
Patsy Ann Gutierrez
Madonna Lynn Hamilton
Patricia Ann Hattot
Reginal Ray Hemphill
Sandra Faye Henderson
Joe G. Hernandez, Jr.
Jimmie A. Hotz, Jr.
Jeffery Hurd

- Patrick Lloyd Hurd
Hortensia Jaramillo
Albert Johnson
Sherrie Renee Johnson
Sherrie Leavon Johnson
Althea Marie Jones
Kelly Jean Kallina
Thomas Charles Kallina
Louis Kocurek
Susan Annette Koncaba
Andrew Labay
Cary Joseph Labay
Linda Sue Labay
Philip Edward Leopold
Rae Lile
David Bernard Long
Lana Lou Mahalite
Lori Lee Mahalite
Laura Jean Matura
Tony Lee McCor
Mary Ann McTeer
Gary Keith McTeer
Leslie Patrice Miller
Mary Ann Miller
Andy Morales
Lupe Sue Morales
Mary Morales
Justavo Moreno
Robert Wesley Moss
Dennis Mozisek
Manuel T. Munoz
Donna Marie Newsom
Carolyn Ann Pavlu
Kathryn Lynn Perry
Lester Pettus
Oliver Thomas Pettus, Jr.
William Samuel Pirtle
Janice Marie Pribodi
Ernest Ramirez
Arnold Rodriguez
David James Romo
Brenda Gail Rucke
Veronica Belle Salinas
Sharon Schneider
Jaclyn Renee Sewell
Allen Gerard Shimek
Leanne Smith
Trudie Marie Stiles

- Rochelle Jeanette Story
Lisa Michelle Tesch
Gay Lynn Thomas
Deborah Kaye Thompson
Theresa Ann Torres
Dianne Van Nort
Michael Gene Walker
Joe Waligura
Wendy Paige Ward
Russell Wayne Wick
Marshall Timothy Wick
Luceia Lyle Yanez
Mary Katherine Young
Joe L. Yuen, Jr.
James Alan Zekuhr

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Red Cross Offers Assistance To Service Men, Vets
Mrs. Raymond R. Eitel, chairman of the Colorado County Chapter of the Red Cross, advises that servicemen or veterans or their families who need assistance should contact the county chapter.

For such assistance as may be needed contact Mrs. Mary Kaye Heffley in Columbus at 732-6366 or 732-5564.

Commencement Program

Rice High School Gymnasium
May 22, 1980 8:00 P.M.

Processional Michele Sibley
Invocation Lori Mahalite
Salutatory Thomas Kallina
Senior Class Song Senior Class
Accompanied by Rich Farris
Valedictory Carolyn Pavlu
Certification of Graduates Fred F. Gramham
Principal
Presentation of Diplomas Jane Clippson
President, Board of Education
Harold King
Superintendent of Rice C.I.S.D.
Alma Mater Senior Class
Accompanied by Becky Anderson
Benediction Lana Mahalite
Recessional Michele Sibley

(After Benediction, audience be seated until all graduates have exited)

- Patrick Lloyd Hurd
Hortensia Jaramillo
Albert Johnson
Sherrie Renee Johnson
Sherrie Leavon Johnson
Althea Marie Jones
Kelly Jean Kallina
Thomas Charles Kallina
Louis Kocurek
Susan Annette Koncaba
Andrew Labay
Cary Joseph Labay
Linda Sue Labay
Philip Edward Leopold
Rae Lile
David Bernard Long
Lana Lou Mahalite
Lori Lee Mahalite
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Receive Scholarships



Shown above are some of the Rice High School seniors who shared in the \$32,000 worth of scholarships awarded in ceremonies held May 24 at Rice High School. Top left to right, are David White who presented Pat American Club scholarships to Patrick Hurd, Julie Criswell, Susan Koncaba and Robert Moss; Jeff Darden also a recipient is not shown; second from top, l. to r., Guy Beane, Jr. presented H. M. and Hettie Page Garwood scholarship awards to Dennis Bluntson, Debbie Thompson, Carolyn Pavlu and Daryl Axel.

Next to bottom, l. to r., Bill Carpenter presented a University of St. Thomas Academic scholarship to Ernest Ramirez; Sam Houston State University Academic scholarship to Gay Lynn Thomas; Texas Council of Church Related Colleges and State of Texas tuition awards to Carolyn Pavlu; the W. R. Franks Memorial Award to Larry Eggemeyer; and Texas A&M opportunity award to Arnold Rodriguez; bottom are shown the Mexican American Youth Council scholarship winners presented scholarships by Lucie Mota, left, to front row, l. to r., Patsy Gutierrez, Lupe Morales, Theresa Torres, Lulu Yanez; and Veronica Salinas; back row l. to r., Michael Duarte, John Delgado, Ernest Ramirez and Arnold Rodriguez.

Test Scores Show Progress For Rice District Students

Counselors Report To Board On Results

Rice High School Counselor Bill Carpenter and Junior High School Counselor Mrs. Helen Glover reported to the Rice Consolidated School District's board of education last week on tests given to fourth and seventh grade students in the district's elementary schools and to college bound members of the senior class of 1980 at Rice High School. Results of the tests indicated that the district's seniors are comparing favorably with Texas and national norms and continue to show progress in the elementary schools.

Board President Jane Clippson, at the conclusion of the reports, commended the teachers and administration for the progress being shown.

SRA IQ Test Results

Mrs. Glover tested the fourth and seventh graders in the Eagle Lake Middle School. She reported that the district's seniors are comparing favorably with Texas and national norms and continue to show progress in the elementary schools.

Board President Jane Clippson, at the conclusion of the reports, commended the teachers and administration for the progress being shown.

Sororities Present Scholarships



Eagle Lake sororities of Beta Sigma Phi presented scholarships to two Rice High School seniors. At the left Mrs. Jo Ann Mahalite, representing Xi Psi Psi, presents a scholarship to Donna Newsom; and Brenda Rucka was the recipient of the scholarship from Alpha Delta Phi, presented by Mrs. Diana Brunner at right.

Darrel Appelt Awarded SWT Art Scholarship

Darrel Appelt, talented Rice High School senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Appelt, has been selected for a four year art scholarship (valued at \$1000 per year) at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

The Scholar Award is the highest scholarship award conferred by Southwest Texas State University and you can feel justifiably proud in having been chosen to receive it," said Lee H. Smith, president of SWTU.

"Our students themselves elected to increase the student service fees in order to fund these scholarships. That in itself speaks clearly to the commitment our student body has to the outstanding students at this university. Thus, the challenge of providing academic leadership in the months and years ahead rests now on your capable shoulders," added President Smith.

CONGRATULATIONS Class of '80

You achieved your goal and we're proud of you. Now you are looking forward to still other achievements - we heartily wish you success in these endeavors. For you, the graduates of 1980, will one day be the leaders of this country.

As you face the future, hold high the values that have made this nation great. We are confident that you will meet tomorrow's challenge with determination.

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Gerard and Gail Bradshaw
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SUCCESS CLASS OF '80

Marilyn Vasina, Bride-Elect, Is Honored At Pre-Nuptial Parties

Miss Marilyn Vasina, bride-elect of Curt DeLay, was honored at a number of pre-nuptial parties.

She was honored with a Miscellaneous Shower on Saturday, March 15th in Houston by Ms. Zee Baise for her former classmates and local friends. On Sunday, March 16th, Ms. Baise honored her with a Bathroom Shower with her fellow office workers at Gulf Oil Co.

On Wednesday, April 16th, Marilyn was entertained with a Miscellaneous Shower in Sugar Creek at the lovely home of Mrs. Dolores Wood. She was presented a corsage of spring flowers with six pieces in it, by the hostesses, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Iris Moore and Mrs. Ann Geiser. She received many lovely and useful gifts. A beautifully decorated cake with nuts and punch was served.

She was honored with a Lingerie Shower April 27th in East Bernard by Ms. Terri Fujik and Mrs. Jackie Guthrie. A specially decorated cake, nuts, chips, dip and punch were served to the guests.

Shower At Lissie
On May 3rd, Miss Vasina was honored at the Lissie United Methodist Church. A program was enjoyed by all. A beautiful flower arrangement on the party table in her chosen bridal colors was given her after the shower by the hostesses.

A beautifully decorated cake on the table in her bridal color of wine, baked and

decorated by Leona Herman and Carol Wiche, was served with sandwiches, nuts, coffee and wine-colored punch by other hostesses Oma Arlt, Janie Crane, Inez Laffing, Pearl Mayes, Frances Adkins and Eleanor Sunderman. Alice Schmidt and Sharon Guthman presented the program. Sally Couvillon sang "You Light Up My Life".

Special guests at the Lissie shower were Curt's mother, Mrs. N. L. DeLay, and her friend, Mrs. Dolores Wood, both of Sugar Land. Marilyn received many lovely and useful gifts.

Ms. Sandy Crane of Houston entertained Thursday, May 8th with a Rice Bag Party. The fellowship was enjoyed along with a serving of delicious refreshments to her guests.

Kotria Is U. of H. Graduate May 10
More than 6000 students received degrees from the University of Houston Central Campus at the 1980 commencement ceremonies held Saturday, May 10, Summer 1979, winter 1979 and spring 1980 graduates were all honored at the ceremony.

Among the graduates was Johnnie Kotria of Weimar, son of Dorothy Kotria and the late Randy Kotria, who received a B.S. Degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology.

WE SALUTE Our Graduates ...THE CLASS OF '80

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Shell Service Sta. & Custom Woodcraft East Main Street - Eagle Lake 234-3721	Farmers Co-op Association Art Janke Mgr. Garwood - 752-3476	Shell Service Sta. & Custom Woodcraft East Main Street - Eagle Lake 234-3721	Farmers Co-op Association Art Janke Mgr. Garwood - 752-3476
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