

Garwood/Nada News

By GEORGIA MICHALKA

Garwood's Lady Raiders had a busy and successful week. They played four games, winning three and capturing the consolation prize in the Fayetteville tournament. In that tournament, the girls lost their first game to eventual champion Burton 45-23. On Saturday morning they defeated Anderson 32-11. For the trophy that afternoon, they beat Round Top-Carmine 48-27. Dimitra Johnson scored an incredible 30 points to lead the Raiders. Roslyn Johnson and LaQuida Sewell added six points each; Carla Johnson, 4; and Misty Crane got 2. Other team members are Sara Eggemeyer, Shelly Hoelscher,

Mashay Smith, Alison Atkins and Shaundra Henderson. On Monday, our Lady Raiders traveled across the river to play Eagle Lake. Our girls came home with a much-deserved 20-15 win. This game concluded the girls' season with a record of 7 wins and 4 losses. Congratulations to all the girls and their coach, Miss Parker. Homemakers

The Nada-Garwood Extension Homemakers met Tuesday, January 16 at the St. Mary's Parish Hall. Members answered roll call with "What I can do to help my club in 1990". Lydia Cooper was welcomed

as a guest. LaJuan Braden, scrapbook chairman, exhibited the scrapbook for members to view. The new Historical marker was returned for corrections, but the club is hoping to have it set up by April. The St. Mary's school board would like to have the dedication held in conjunction with a dinner planned for the benefit of the school. The "We Care" committee, Tillie Janish and Ella Busek will take items to Country Blessing after club meetings each month. Plans were made to help with a covered dish meal and games for Mrs. Victor 75th birthday on January 28. A program on organ donations, "We are the Life of the Nation", was presented by LaJuan Braden.

After the meeting, members adjourned to the Nada Post Office to plant an oak tree with the Tree Awareness Committee. (See picture)

The February 20 meeting will be held at the parish hall with Betty Leopold and Leona Joseph as hostesses. A program on "Cry for Help", Child abuse and Family communications, will be given by Extension Agent Peggy Braden.

Catholic Daughters. Court Our Lady of the Rosary #1595 hosted a domino party for the Senior Citizens of the Nada-Garwood community on Wednesday, January 31 in the St. Mary's Parish Hall. There were 35 guests present. Domino winners for the afternoon party were -84 traveling prize - Tillie Schneider; 42 high - Adele Popp; 42 low - Albert Eggemeyer and straight domino team - Elizabeth Schoellmann and Leona Joseph. Guests celebrating their birthday in January were Mary Schoellmann, Elizabeth Schoellmann, Tillie Janish, Annie Korenek, Jeralyn Prihoda and Msgr. Victor.

Refreshments of ham salad sandwiches, kolaches, cheese sticks, pickles, tea and coffee were served. Hostesses for the day were Annie Labay, Jeralyn Prihoda, Leona Korenek, Virginia Balsek and Ernestine Schneider.

Farm Bureau committees named

Al Mahalic, Colorado County Farm Bureau president, has named the following committees for 1990: Membership: John Engstrom, Leon Hattermann, Gayle Thomas. National Affairs: Theo Schultz, John Adkins, Kenneth Koehl. State Affairs: John Engstrom, Russell Trefny, Bobby Hunt. Young Farmer/Rancher: Russell Trefny, Al Mahalic, Kenneth Koehl, Kenneth Danklefs. Policy Development: Leon Hattermann, Ted Brandt, Billy Heffer. Economic Services: Johnnie Schmidt, Bobby Hunt, Billy Heffer, Kenneth Koehl. Rice: John Engstrom, John Adkins, Gayle Thomas. Beef: Max Dittmar, Russell Trefny.

Record entries in soil, water contests

The Environmental Education Committee of the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District announced that nearly 1,400 entries have been received from students in Colorado County schools in the District's environmental education contests. The contests are: (1) coloring; (2) poster making; and (3) essay. The coloring contest is open to school children from kindergarten through third grade. The poster making contest is divided into two groups; one is for students twelve years of age and under and the other is for those students beyond twelve years. The essay contest is for pupils up to eighteen years of age. The coloring contest and the poster contest for students over 12 years old are local contests, meaning the winners in these categories cannot, because of State rules, be submitted for advanced competition. Winners in the other divisions will be submitted for judging against entries from the other 51 soil and water conservation districts in State Zone 3. That zone encompasses an area roughly from Galveston to Laredo and from Austin to Brownsville.

The District winners, their parents, and teachers will be recognized and honored at an awards banquet on March 29 that is sponsored by all of the banks in the county, the Central Power and Light Company and most of the savings and loan associations of the county.

Obituaries

Fred Cantu

May 1, 1916 - February 1, 1990

Fred Cantu, 73, of Houston, died February 1, 1990 in Houston. He suffered a fall at his home resulting in a severe head injury and was pronounced dead shortly thereafter at Ben Taub Hospital. He was born in San Antonio on May 1, 1916, a son of Ernest and Mauricia Cardenas Cantu. He spent most of his life in Eagle Lake until moving to Houston in 1962. He was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Antonia Coronado of Eagle Lake; two brothers, Ernest Cantu Jr. of Houston and Pete Cantu of Eagle Lake; numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives. Rosary was led by Virginia Guerra and Andrea Delgado at 7 p.m. Friday, February 2 from the Dulany Funeral Home Chapel in Eagle Lake. Funeral services followed at 2 p.m. on Saturday, February 3, from Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church of Eagle Lake with Father Jesse Eures officiating. Burial followed at Lakeside Latin Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Bennie Sosa, Javier Esparza, Domingo Sosa, Ted Almeida, Manuel Gonzales and Jesse Podilla.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Johnny Howard Jr.

November 1, 1925 - January 13, 1990

Johnny Howard Jr., 64, of Eagle Lake, died on January 13, 1990. He was born on November 1, 1925 in Eagle Lake, a son of the late Johnny and Mattie Howard Sr. He resided in the Matthews area.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Survivors include two sisters, Juanita Evans and Gussie Winslow, both of Houston; three daughters, Opaline, Gladys and Lisa; two grandchildren; one niece; one nephew, and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, January 17, 1990 from Providence Baptist Church with Rev. Coby Shorter Jr., pastor, officiating. Burial followed at Eagle Lake Community Cemetery. Mann's Funeral Home of Eagle Lake was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Willie Frazier, Edward Knight, Roosevelt Carson Jr., Robert Boone, Boyce Williams, Robert L. Baines.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Walter Lee Miller

March 24, 1920 - February 2, 1990

Walter Lee Miller, 69, of Altair, died Friday morning, February 2 in Temple from injuries received in an automobile accident. He was born on March 24, 1920 in Columbus, a son of the late Adolph and Lilly Burtchell Miller. He married Joyce Mae Evans on December 27, 1940. He had lived in Altair for the past 31 years and had owned and operated the Texaco Station in Altair for the past 36 years. He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Columbus and VFW Post 6113 in Columbus, having served in World War II. One of his many enjoyments was hunting at his deer lease in West Texas.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Deraldine Watslavick, and two daughters, Linda Joyce Miller and Kathy Lee Miller.

Survivors include his widow, Joyce Mae Miller of Altair; a son, Kim Miller of Altair; a sister, Geraldine Miller of Groves; three brothers, Loveloy Miller of Canyon Lake, and Willis (Frog) Miller and M.A. (Bing) Miller, both of Columbus; a grandson, Kolt Lee Miller of Altair; and numerous other relatives and loved ones.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. on Monday, February 5 from Henneke Funeral Home in Columbus with Pastor Robert Schlott, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Columbus, officiating. Burial followed at Old Fellows Rest Cemetery in Columbus.

Pallbearers were Ned Stallman, Kirby Laraby, Howard Townsend, Glen Woodruff, Leroy Florus, Clifford Austin. Honorary pallbearers were Charles Upson, Theodore Lowe, William Clancy Best, Jeff Klumpe, Stacy Mueller, Felix Sot Sr., David Turner, Edward Miller.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Amizota Redus

March 10, 1914 - January 28, 1990

Amizota Redus, 75, of Eagle Lake died on January 28, 1990. He was born on March 10, 1914, a son of John and Lovie Redus. He attended E.H. Henry Elementary and High School and was a member of Friendship Baptist Church. Survivors include a devoted sister, Lillian Redus Dixon of Eagle Lake; a sister, Alberta Pettit of San Antonio; a son, Murry Redus of Richmond; seven grandchildren; two great grandchildren, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday, February 3, 1990 from Friendship Baptist Church with Rev. R.J. Williams, pastor, officiating. Burial followed at Eagle Lake Community Cemetery. Mann's Funeral Home of Eagle Lake was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Arthur Morant, Herbert Ashton, Roland Christal, Preston Cleveland, Clarence Stevenson, Robert Black Jr.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

SPORTS PAGE

6-0 in district

Raiders focus on one game at a time

The Varsity Raiders added two more wins to make their record 6-0 for district and 19-6 for the season.

The Raiders were victorious over Needville 83 to 52 on January 30 at Needville. Scoring for Rice were Scooter Davis, 24 points; Lloyd Jackson, 20; Deon Williams and Brian Amos, 12 each; Shawn Turner, 11, and Michael Popp and Ulab Johnson, 2 each.

In the game against Palacios at Raider Gym, Rice dominated each quarter, beating Palacios 86 to 31. "Palacios has some good players, they have just had a tough year," said Coach Sam Bell. "They didn't play anywhere near what they are capable of."

"We, on the other hand, looked okay," commented Bell. "It's hard to gauge your performance accurately in this type of game. It was a good win for us. With four games left, we must keep our attention focused on one game at a time — which is our motto."

Jackson tallied 29 points in the game followed by Davis with 22; Marshan Norris, 10; Turner, 9; D. Williams, 6; Johnson, 4, and Popp, Amos and Kevin Williams, 2 each.

"We are playing good basketball, good team basketball," continued Coach Bell. "Rice basketball is coming of age. Come watch some good basketball."

Rice hosted Sweeny Tuesday night, February 6 and will travel to Hitchcock this Friday, February 9 for

games beginning at 5 p.m. The last two games of the season will be February 13 against Columbus and Febru-

ary 16 against Needville. Both games will be held in the Raider Gym beginning at 5 p.m.



Varsity Raiders

Members of the Mighty Rice Raider Varsity team are, from left, #12 Scooter Davis, #52 Ulab Johnson, #10 Kevin Williams, #20 Brian Amos, #40 Deon Williams, #34 Shawn Turner, #44 Marshan Norris, #22 Michael Popp, #24 Lloyd Jackson. Following Friday's game against Palacios, Rice stands at 6-0 for district, 19-6 overall. Sam Bell is the coach.

JV Lady Raiders undefeated in district

The Junior Varsity Lady Raiders walked away with a clear win over Needville, 40-22 on January 30 in the Raider gym.

Nekeshia Tillman led the Raiders in scoring with 14 points followed by Cassandra Edwards, Tammie Hinz and Evelyn Washington, 6 each; Kristin Tillman, 4, and Lisa

Dromgoole and Karen Earls, 2 each. Palacios game

The JV team added another win to their record by beating Palacios 40-21. Scoring for Rice were Kristen Tillman, 18 points; Lisa Dromgoole, 8; Karen Earls, 5; Evelyn Washington, 4; Nekeshia Tillman and Kim Powers, 2; and Shanna Brunner, 1.

The JV Lady Raiders hold down first place in district with 6 wins and 0 losses. Rice traveled to Sweeny Tuesday night, February 6. This Friday, February 9 will be the last game in regular season play for JV and Varsity Lady Raiders who will be playing Hitchcock in the Raider Gym beginning at 6 p.m.

Lady Raiders in three-way tie for first

With the loss against Palacios Friday night, the Varsity Lady Raiders are in a three-way tie with Needville and Sweeny for first place in district play with 6 wins and 2 loss.

The Lady Raiders hosted Needville on January 30 and won 44-35. Rita Rhodes tallied 20 points for the Raiders followed by Melissa Guthmann and Charlene McGrew, 8

each; Jeanette McTear, 4, and Shalane Williams and Tammie Hinz, 2 each.

In the Palacios game, the Lady Raiders had a disappointing night with Palacios winning 40-38. Scoring for Rice were Rhodes, 13 points; Guthmann, 11; Williams, 8; McGrew, 4, and Nickhole Shorter, 2.

The Lady Raiders' overall record stands at 17-7. Rice traveled to Sweeny Tuesday night, February 6 and the outcome will determine who stays in first place. This Friday, February 9 will be the last game in regular season play for JV and Varsity Lady Raiders who will be playing Hitchcock in the Raider Gym beginning at 6 p.m.

Wharton wins in 8th grade Raider game

Wharton totally dominated an unprepared Raider team by a score of 68-32. This brings their record to 1-10 for the year.

Leading the way are as follows: Abel Cantu, 8 points and 11 rebounds; Parish Hodges, 7 points and 20 rebounds; Brandon Wiese, 4 points and 6 rebounds; Rick Thomas, 4 points and 4 rebounds; Marcus Dogins, 5 points and 14 rebounds; Darian Barrow, 2 points and 3 rebounds; Jason Brunner, 1 point and 3 rebounds; and Travis Polach, 7 rebounds.

We complete our season as we play in El Campo next Tuesday, February 6th. Track practice starts after that as we try to defend our district title from last year.

"Raider Pride 1990"

Rice Raider Track Schedule

The 1990 Rice Raider boys and girls track schedule has been set as follows:

Date	Place
March 3	Kinkaid
March 10	Needville
March 16	Brookshire Royal
March 17	Palacios (boys only)
March 24	Sealy
March 31	Stafford
April 7	Open
April 12	District Meet
April 27	Palacios
May 11	Regional Meet
	Kingsville
	State Meet
	Austin

The head coach for the boys' team is Jack Sanders assisted by Mac Green. Coaching the girls is Dollie Johnson assisted by Wally Brooks.

Chili and bean cookoff winners at Duck Blind

The fourth annual Duck Blind chili cookoff was a huge success with 47 cookers in the chili cookoff and 10 in the bean cookoff.

The Sock Hoppers won first place title in the women's division of the chili cookoff. Team members were Alice Morton, Jancen Cranek, Wanda Henry, and Debbie Wishart. The 3 Quackers, consisting of Sharon Harborth, Frances Dromgoole and Susan Gerson, took second place. Third place went to the Quackettes and the team members were Annette Bittner, Gladys Austin, Dianne Causey and JoAnn Gerton.

Taking first place in the men's division were No Name. Team members were Bryan Johnson and Gary Tise. Second place went to Cross the

River Cookers and team members were Mike Morton, Roy Cranek, Delmar Krenke, Texas Seed Rice, consisting of Gayle Gerton, Faltis Dromgoole and Bobby Marsalia, won

third place. Other team members in the chili cookoff were Jaral City, Groove

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ELMS track schedule set

The 1990 track schedule for Eagle Lake Middle School will begin Friday, March 2 with the Sealy Relays. Following is a complete schedule:

Meet	Date
Sealy Relays	March 2
Brookshire Royal Relays	March 9
ELMS Relays	March 17
Schulenburg Relays	March 30
District Meet (Needville)	April 6
Alternate District Date	April 7

Come on out and support the Eagle Lake Middle School athletes.

Basketball Games This Week!

Feb. 9*	Lady Raiders host Hitchcock	JV-V	6 p.m.
Feb. 9*	Raiders at Hitchcock	F-JV-V	5 p.m.
Feb. 13*	Raiders host Columbus	F-JV-V	5 p.m.
Feb. 16*	Raiders host Needville	F-JV-V	5 p.m.

Hook the Sharks JV hand Needville first defeat

Last Tuesday the Rice Junior Varsity Raiders handed a strong Needville Bluejay team their first defeat 67-64.

"We came out and held it close for the first 3 quarters and then the Raiders exploded in the 4th for 25 points," said Coach Jack Sanders. Tweet Ford once again lead all scorers with 26 points. BoBo Board hit 16; Eddie Fields, 11; Matt McGaughey, 7; Matt Weller, 5; and Mark Johnson, 2.

"This was a great win for us, it boosted our confidence. We are right

in the middle of the district race and nobody would have ever figured that. I'm very proud of this team," Coach Sanders stated.

Last Friday the Palacios Sharks came to visit the JV Raiders in Altair and were blown out 68-39. "We got off to a slow start but outscored the Sharks 31 to 10 in the third quarter," stated Coach Sanders. Scoring for the Raiders were as follows: Ford, 24; Fields, 11; McGaughey, 8; Board, 6; Weller, 5; and Johnson, 4.

The JV's district record is 4 and 2. They played Sweeny Tuesday night in the Raider Gym and will travel to Hitchcock this Friday, February 9.

7th grade loses 29-26

We traveled to Wharton and came away with a loss by the score of 29-26. This brings their record to 6-5 for the year.

Leading the way were as follows: Charyn Thomas, 17 points and 13 rebounds; Charles Chapman, 4 points and 3 rebounds; Tim Jones, 2 points and 9 rebounds; Neil Brosche, 2 points and 3 rebounds; Roy Morales, 1 point and 3 rebounds; Donny Orehan, 3 rebounds; and Alex Blanco, 5 rebounds.

El Campo is our last game as we go there to play and end our season. We will then prepare for track season.

Freshmen tied for first in district

On Tuesday, January 30, the Freshman Lady Raiders beat Needville in a close game with the final score 41-38.

Scoring for Rice were Vernice Johnson with 15 points followed by Sophronnie Anderson, 11; Kris Barrow, Terria Edwards and April McMillian, 4 each, and Kim Powers, 3.

This win makes their overall record 6-3 and they are tied for first in district, 3-1, with Needville. Their last game for regular season play was at Sweeny Tuesday night.



JV Raiders

Members of the Mighty Rice Raider JV team are, from left, #14 Robert Lujan, Larry Taylor (manager), #24 Bobo Board, #20 Matt McGaughey, #42 Eddie Fields, #54 Mark Johnson, #44 Mason Cochran, #34 Matt Weller, #24 Shane Glaiser, #10 Tweet Ford. Their record after Friday's game against Palacios stands at 4-2 for district, 7-9 overall. Jack Sanders is the coach.

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