

Games This Week!

- Fri., March 26 Rice baseball vs. Hallettsville*, Here, 5 & 7:30 p.m.
Sat., March 27 Rice Jr. High track at Sealy, Tiger Relays
Sun., March 28 Rice baseball at Sealy*, 5 & 7:30 p.m.
Fri., April 2 Rice Jr. High track at District Meet, Columbus
*District game



SPORTS Raiders dropped the ball last week

The Rice Raiders fell behind in the baseball standings, losing two games in a row last week. They lost by one run to Bellville on Tuesday, March 16. Then Thursday they could not stop the Weimar varsity from taking a 9-3 victory.

Rice opened its district play with the hard fought 6-5 loss at Bellville. Aaron Machac allowed two runs in four innings and drove in three runs with a double and single in four plate appearances. But it was not enough as the Raiders squandered a 5-4 lead in the seventh inning.

Special Kids Rodeo was a great success

A Special Kids Rodeo held recently by local high school rodeo members was well received. The event gave 12 Sunshine Kids from Houston a great day of rodeo fun as well as the rodeo members.

The Region VII Texas High School Rodeo Association (THSRA) members invited the young cancer patients to a special rodeo to let them experience being cowboys and cowgirls, March 14.

As each family of the Sunshine Kids arrived, they were greeted with armloads of gifts donated by area businesses and individuals. The teenagers gave their guests a crash course

in "rodeo". Some of the children sat on a mechanical roller, roller and learned to rope a calf. Others tried the goat rodeo pulling contest, which was done by pulling a ribbon off a staked goat's tail.

A small cloverleaf was set up and the children got to ride a horse through the pattern.

The most popular event was the "wild calf riding", Rachel, a halter-broken pet calf belonging to Sheyenne Stepan, was the "wild calf". Every Sunshine Kid got a turn to ride the calf, assisted by the rodeo members.

Two of the Garwood members of the Region VII rodeo group will go to the state final competition in Abilene, Texas, until 10:00 a.m., Monday, April 12, 1993, and four others from Region VII also qualified including Sheyenne Stepan, Betsy Herzog, Clint Rawlinson and Sharon Schwertner.

Ashley Crane, daughter of Cotton and Connie Crane, ended the year with third place in girls breakaway. She is a sophomore at Rice High School.

Clay Cerny, son of Bounce and Robbi Cerny, placed first in team roping and third place in tiedown calf roping. He is a junior at Rice.

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Shane Laake was losing pitcher; Clint Kiemstead of Bellville was winning pitcher. Leading hitters: Machac 2-4, 2B, 3 RBI; Graham 2-4; Stienke 1-2; Wiese 1-2; Will Atkins 1-3; and Mahalic 1-3.

Sloppy playing by the Raiders led the way to four unearned runs for Weimar commented Coach Monte Cain of the Rice game Thursday night. Weimar defeated Rice 9-3 in the opening game of their VFW Tournament.

The Raiders never could get on track, leaving nine runners on bases and not scoring until the sixth inning. Greg Garcia turned in a fine performance on the mound in his first varsity start. The Raiders' three hits were collected by Stienke and Machac. The loss dropped the Rice team season score to 2-4.

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Cards of Thanks

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Personals

Mrs. Jill LeMalatre Maltiz please contact your uncle at 713-790-1152.



Look at this Little "Shorty" Can you believe she's 40!

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