Tickets are also available for the charter bus trip and

Vivian Spanihel, Michelle Spanihel and Rachel Wei-

Boy Scouts name district leaders

The 1994 officers for the Brahman District of the administration; Charles Strode, district chairman; Sam Houston Area Council of Boy Scouts are almost Walt Mehnert, senior district executive. On the back for a graduating senior in the county.

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from El Campo this year.

The amount of the scholarship is determined by the The district includes Wharton, Matagorda and Marty Novosad, food drive chairman; Paul Feagin, total number of points accumulated by each county's Go Colorado Counties.

Camping chairman; Allen Collins, district commisPictured left to right, front row are: James
Robertson of Bay City; John Drozd, vice chairman of

Mike Barton of Bay City, public relations chairman.

Colorado Counties.

Texan Committee at its activities throughout the year.

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County has 10 FFA entries in Houston show

Colorado County will have 10 FFA members competing in the 1994 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. They will join other FFA and 4-H members for show ring competition Feb. 19 through March 6 at the As-

These competitors will enter the junior show division, the other division, open show, attracts exhibitors who are primarily professional breeders and ranchers. These divisions and the horse show entries make up the world's largest show, Houston Live-

Schneider and Chad Fucik, Garwood; and Shari Grahmann of Rock Island.

eligible for their individual market addition to the winners, two young-auctions. Total money paid in 1993 at sters may be given "hard luck" certificalves are raised by the winners for tourism. The fund presently has a the four junior show auctions excates for their efforts in attempting to ceeded \$3.5 million.

stars may be given find the certain special show ring competition at the catch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excates for their efforts in attempting to catch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excates for their efforts in attempting to catch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excates for their efforts in attempting to catch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excatch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excatch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excatch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excatch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excatch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior show auctions excatch a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior shows a calf at each rodeo performance, adding up to 36 additional cer-appropriate the four junior shows a calf at each rodeo performance and the four junior shows a calf at each rodeo performance and the four junior shows a calf at each rodeo performance and the performance and t **KNOWYOUR**

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Showing three commercial steers each are Michelle Spanihel of Eagle Lake; Kevin Till, Clint Krenek, Brent Mrkwa gets try at calf

Mueller of Alleyton will show two The daughter of August Jr. and show ring.

and bringing a calf to the finish line. Top animals in each category are eligible for their individual market addition to the winners, two young.

\$1,000 calf purchase certificates.

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tificates for calves to be awarded. county extension agents or agricul- they will be effective."

The calf scramble is one of the common use in American homes show's major programs benefiting around 1800. Before that, two or

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position to present employees.

and Graham "Buster" Beisel, sewer

Go Texan contests begin

year. The first two contests will be Saturday, Feb. 5 at the

The team penning competition is to kick off at 11 a.m.
The Colorado County team of James Koehl, Paul Fowler

and Clayton Wallin of Columbus will be vying for points

The public is invited to attend the events and help

apport the county entries. A scholarship of \$2,500, \$5,000

or \$10,000 is earned by each of the 61 competing counties

The scholarship will be awarded in a special presenta-tion on Colorado County Night at the Houston Rodeo, Mar. 5, prior to the 7 p.m. rodeo performance by Vince

Gill. The Colorado County scholarship winner will get to

Tickets are on sale through Feb. 17 for the March 5

contests in Houston at the Livestock Show.

Vic Corman and Oueen Leslie Center.

Competing for Colorado County in

team penning are James Koehl, Paul

Fowler and Clayton

with hay hauling, penning

The Go Texan hay hauling and team penning contests performance at Potter's Western Store in Columbus, Vic will launch the Houston Livestock Show activities for the Corman in Eagle Lake of Jim Hilscher in Weimar.

year. The first two contests will be Saturday, Feb. 5 at the Washington County Fairgrounds in Brenham.

Entered in the hay hauling are the Colorado County Go Texan teams of Vivian Spanihel, Michelle Spanihel and Rachel Weishuhn of Eagle Lake for the women's division. The women's contest is scheduled at 4:30 p.m.

Men's hay hauling contest is to begin at 2 p.m. The men's team for the county Go Texans includes Jim Wood, Stephen Spanihel and Clinton Mascheck of Eagle Lake.

The term premium competition is to kick off at 11 a m.

ride in the Grand Entry along with Go Texan Ambassador The Colorado County Go Texan hay hauling team of

Del Frnka of Eagle Lake will show

Eagle Lake will compete in the 1994

Eagle Lake will compete in the 1994 a barrow; Heath Mahalite of Eagle
Houston Rodeo calf scramble this letic competition in the Astrodome,
Lake and Grahmann will show beef

Lake and Grahmann will show beef year. Frances Mrkwa will get a chance the program ends 12 months later with son and Helen Craig presented plans heifers; and Clint Mueller and Stacie at a calf Feb. 20 in the Astrodome. topnotch competition in the Astrohall and a budget in the amount of

dairy heifers each. Mahalitc will also Patsy Mrkwa, she will compete for The actual scramble event in- proval for celebration funds, Council one of 252 calves to be awarded at the volves 28 en The four market animal categories 1994 show. Alan Jackson will be the against 14 vigorous calves. Each city entrance signs and \$2,000 for of steers, lambs, barrows and poultry represent animals raised by the exhib-

The Houston Livestock Show and tural science teachers.

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The four tined fork came into

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Council scheduled a special meet-Rodeo ranks as the nation's largest donor of agricultural scholarships. To date, the Houston calf scramble ing Tuesday night for the purpose of donor of agricultural scholarships. has put almost 13,000 animals, valued interviewing the two applicants, who of public works director. Council had earlier decided to first advertise the

The two applicants were Howard

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SPORTS

Raiders win three games in a row

The Rice Raider varsity won three end of the second.

10 points each, Darian Barr of their last four games in Jan. basketThe third quarter found the two and Brad Gohlke with 8. ball action. All were district games. teams tied at 37 points going into the Adding to the score, Jerome Hay- surge with 29 points but were too far Their only loss so far in district play final period. was this close one to Columbus, 53-

Thursday, February 3, 1994

Jan. 18, the Raiders hosted Colum- the Cardinals' 16 and let the Colum- The Raiders hosted Bellville on bus for a well played, very close game. bus boys take home the victory.

The Rice junior varsity girls took Weinecke.

25, 48 to 21; then turned around and another 16.

ball team tripped on Smithville last put in 1.

beat the Smithville JV girls team Jan. 23 points and Rachelle Kallina put in added 3.

fense pointed out Coach Tracey tory over Hallettsville, Kallina made Night on Feb. 11.

Lady Raiders ride over Hallettsville

am very proud of them."

BJ. Salazar added 3 each, Nicole points while Klein made 14, Valdez come support the teams.

Lake Middle School had a disappoint- Norman Henderson with 8, Jarmarcus The Seventh A took their second

ing week with only one win among the Brooks with 3 and Horace Hodges and tumble from Sealy in the last game,

The young Raiders from Eagle Shorter with 14, K Pipkins with 12, rebounds

ing points for the Raiders were Hollis and Henderson put in 10 points each, to clinch the game.

Dennis Jackson.

three teams. The seventh grade B team Clint Gertson with 2 each.

Rice JV let

Hallettsville

slip by them

Hallettsville boys slip by them to take

the game last Friday night. Rice lost 45-48 in the closing minutes.

the fourth quarter, Rice put in 11

points but the opponents managed to

Garett Hagendorf made 10 points for the Raiders while James Eaton,

Jesse Bishop and David Godley each

scored 8 and Derrick Jones added 5.

They were to play Sealy on Tues-

score 14 to clinch the win.

Rice council

meeting in Houston.

looks at future

agriculture as well as reports on rice

market developments are on tap Feb. 9 for the Texas Rice Council's annual

Raymond Franz, state president,

noted that the meeting will cover

mportant domestic and international

programs. He commented that the

eatured speaker would tell how sci-

The council directors election results will be announced at the meeting

which begins at 10 a.m. in the Harris

County Extension Center on Patterson Rd. at Abercrombie. Rice producers

and others interested in the Texas rice

industry are invited to the meeting and

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ence fiction is becoming fact.

After being tied at 34 going into

unable to pull out. They scored 14 to made 2 points.

They led by a point in the first Leading the Rice scoring were The Raiders jumped into the lead 7, Haynes, Clark and L. Barrow with 6 quarter then fell behind by three at the Ernest Sims and Antrone Clark with early in the game and hung on each and Brunner adding 5.

nes put in 6, Louis Barrow added 4 and behind to catch up. Gohlke made 14 points for Rice Unfortunately, the Raiders were Jason Brunner and Sam Mader each while Mader got 12 and Sims and

4 and Rebecca Burrow added 1.

JV ladies topple Smithville, Hallettsville win over Smithville Jan. 25. D. Barrow scored 29 points and Clark dumped in 26 more to lead the

Bellville made a fourth quarter

Also scoring were D. Barrow with

The Raiders continued to carry the

The Rice junior varsity girls took down two opponents last week. They

Andrea Machac led the ladies with the team. Machac put in 7 and Fields Mader made 10 points, Haynes made 8, Sims had 5, and Gohlke, Brunner and L. Barrow each made 4. won the Hallettsville game Jan. 28 by
48 to 26.

Helping with the winning score season and plan to go out on a strong were Termika Shropshire with 4, winning streak. They play Sealy on The last game, Jan 28, saw another win for Rice of 76-73 over Halletts-

In Smithville, the Lady Raider JV Ericka Fields and Adriana Cordova Tuesday and Hempstead Friday, Feb. ville. showed their hard work and improve- with 2 each and Kristi Gertson with 1. 4. The final week will be in La Grange The Raiders started off strong and ment with a very solid style. They
The seven member JV team re- on Feb. 8 and at home against Columcarried a solid lead into the half. But were tough on both offense and de- peated their performance for the vic- bus for the last game and Parents they got a little too confident and let the Hallettsville boys run up the score in the third and fourth quarters.

However, the Raider lead was sufficient to keep them on the winning

D. Barrow again led with 19 points The Lady Raider varsity basket- Chamberlain had 2 and Paula Barrow had 9, Salazar put in 6, Johnson added while Clark scored 18 and Gohlke put Adding to the win were Sims with

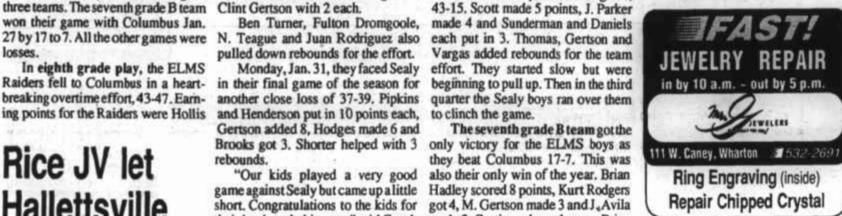
week but recovered to ride over the Their coach, Susan Pittman stated, Coach Pittman noted that the Lady "The Lady Raiders did a good job. Raiders really worked well together. 9, Haynes with 8, Mader with 5 and L. Jan. 25, the Lady Raiders lost to They are improving every day and I The girls were to take on Sealy Barrow with 2. This puts the Raiders' record at 7-Tuesday evening, Feb. 1. Friday, Feb.

Kaci Klein led the scoring for the
The varsity girls redeemed them- 11, will be Parents Night for the Lady 1 in district play and 20-7 for the Rice girls with 13 points. Annette selves with a nice 52-45 victory when McTear made 10 points, Naketra Hallettsville came to town Jan. 28. Raiders. The Rice girls will play Co-season.

The Johnson put in 4, Regina Valdez and McTear led the team with 18 the evening. The public is invited to on Tuesday, Feb. 1, then travel to Hempstead on Friday, Feb. 4.

The Raiders will have their Parents Night Tuesday, Feb. 8, when they ELMS boys basketball wraps up play La Grange. Game time is 7:30 p.m. for the varsity game. The JV

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Games This



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Lady Raider JV & V vs. Hempstead*, Here, 6 p.m.

Sheridan Tournament Garwood basketball vs. Iago, Here, 5 p.m.
Raider F, JV & V vs. La Grange*, Here, 5 p.m.
Lady Raider JV & V at La Grange*, 6 p.m.
Raider F, JV & V at Columbus*, 5 p.m. Tues., Feb. 8

Lady Raider JV & V vs. Columbus*, Here, 6 p.m.**
**Parents' Night

1994 Raider Junior The Raiders continued to carry the victory through the week with a 90-84 High Track Schedule win over Smithville Ian. 25

Track competition for the Rice Junior High track team begins the last Saturday of Feb., according to Coach Dennis Jackson. He listed the following

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their hard work this year," said Coach
Dennis Jackson.

made 2. Getting rebounds were Brian
Cardenas and T. Marsalia.

Seventh grade A team play also In their last game of the year, Sealy ended in two losses for the ELMS beat the seventh grade B, 16-3. boys. Columbus took the Jan. 27 game J. Avila made 2 of the points and

points, Zach Daniels and Richard "All the boys made a good effort

Vargas each made 4 for the Raiders this year and I congratulate them for while Ralph Gertson, Coy Sunderman the hard work and improvement," and Barrett Thomas helped out on Coach Jackson concluded.

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by 29 to 17. Warren Scott earned 9 M. Gertson got the other.

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