

# RAIDER REVIEW

The *Raider Review* is published by the Journalism Department of Rice High School. The opinions reflected are those of the students and not the administration or *The Eagle Lake Headlight* unless otherwise stated.

## Art Dept. receives grant

By Risa Waddell

On Jan. 30, 1997, representatives of the General Land Office and HEB visited Rice High School, awarding the art department a grant for supplies needed in the art classes.

Mrs. Brisco and Ms. Young worked together in writing the grant application.

The main purpose is to create art to make people aware of their environment.

Ms. Young is trying to make students understand that wastes in the environment do effect their lives directly.

The art classes are specifically creating artwork towards the Attwater Prairie Chicken Festival which they will have a traveling exhibit of works. Their focus is on endangered animals.



Pictured from left: Jimmie Flakes (marketing specialist from the Texas General Land Office), Carolyn Brisco, Ginny Young, Steven Theiss (HEB representative) and Curtis Miles (Rice High School principal).

## Meet the Raider

By Jenny Hajovsky

Chad Kallina is the Raider basketball player in the spotlight this week. Chad, wearing jersey #22, is a guard and wing on the boys JV team.

When asked what his thoughts on the team were, Chad said, "I think we have a good, strong team, but we have had a lot of close games. We've improved a great deal this year and we're looking forward to next season."

Chad had a few things to say about the coaches, "They have helped us to develop our abilities and achieve our best. They really pulled us through a

challenging season."

Chad is involved in basketball, baseball, golf and track.

He is the son of Marsha and Boxy Kallina of Garwood. On the weekends, Chad likes to hang out with his friends and party.

## Who's Zat?

By Carrie Engstrom

Just look at this cute little messy boy!

The only clue given was that he is a junior.

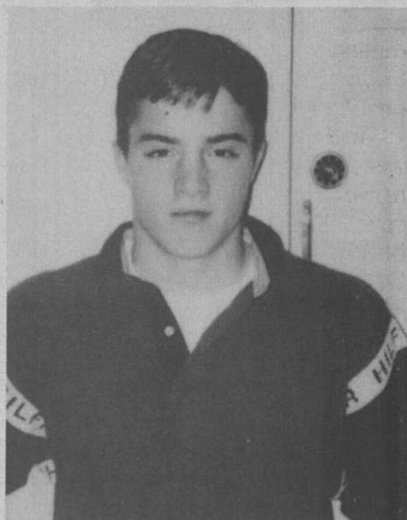
Jackie Schmitt and Dustin Hruzek guessed wrong when they thought it was Fulton Dromgoole.

Sharon Pavlicek, Mandy Ramirez, Vincent Cavit, Shonda Black and Willie Cleveland incorrectly thought it was Clint Gertson.

Joy Hengst, Shara Glaisher, Andrea Machac, J.F., Rachelle Kallina and Jennifer Krenke all knew it had to be Jeremy Gohlke.

Jeremy is the son of Jim and Cindy Gohlke of Sheridan.

He plays baseball and is a member



Chad Kallina

## Meet the Lady Raider

By Kelli Matthys

This week in the Lady Raider spotlight is Rebal Canaris. Squatting 235 lbs., benching 120 lbs. and deadlifting 255 lbs., Rebal participates in powerlifting.

Rebal thinks she has gotten stronger since last season, but really can't tell how competition will go this season. She is hoping to place in state along with all her other teammates. Rebal plans to keep working hard and giving it all she can. She would really like to increase her total weight.

Rebal thinks Coach McNeil is a great coach. She says he has confidence in everyone and encourages them to be the best they can be. She doesn't want to let him down.

Rebal is active in band, cheerleading, volleyball, tennis, track and cross country.

She likes to spend time with her



grandparents and cousin. On the weekends she likes to watch movies and be with friends.

Rebal is the daughter and Dan and Sue Canaris of Eagle Lake.

## Warning to parents

By Stephanie Thompson

The Jefferson County Sheriff's Department is sending out memos warning parents about the new drugs that are now "disguised" that are becoming very popular in this area.

One drug is in the form of a tattoo, called "Blue Star".

It is being sold to school children and looks like a small piece of paper containing a blue star, but the star is not what it appears to be; it's soaked with LSD.

There are also other "tattoos" out which resemble postage stamps that have pictures of Superman, Mickey Mouse, clowns, Disney characters, Bart Simpson, butterflies, etc. Each stamp is wrapped in foil.

If you or your child receive any of the above items, you are encouraged not to handle them in any way.

They are known to react quickly, and some are laced with strychnine (rat poison).

This is a very dangerous situation; it's a new way to attract and sell drugs to younger children.

Young lives have already been taken, and the drug is growing faster than the officials can handle.

Keep an eye on your child and be aware of the dangers these drugs could cause.

Also, please warn the children of the "new" drug and tell them to accept it from no one.

They could save their own lives.

By Jenny Hajovsky



## Rice introduces softball

By Christie Crane

different in the air.

Well, it's that time of year again. Spring is here so every one is getting ready for tennis, golf, track and baseball, but you might notice something

How about softball? Rice has added a softball program to compliment the other sports. Coaches McNeal and Politsch will be

coaching the JV and Varsity teams. With softball being offered for the first time, many girls have signed up for the fast pitch game.

Rice is in the process of building the softball field which will be located beside the visitor's football parking lot. To date, the grass has been sod and the backstop and fencing are in the works. New equipment and uniforms have already been ordered.

The girls have recently started practicing to be ready for their first game to be held on Feb. 21 against Yoakum.

Everyone is invited to come out and help get this new sport off on the right foot.

## Rice National Honor Society

By Carrie Engstrom

The Rice National Honor Society was asked to donate diapers to the Colorado County Children's Protective Services because of the small supply they had on hand.

The N.H.S. eagerly responded and decided to donate two cases for their community service this year.

The cost will be paid by using club dues.

In a few months, the members plan to take a trip to the IMAX and zoo in Houston.

In April, new members will be inducted into the National Honor Society.

## Who's Zat?

Who is this little cutie playing with her puppy dog? The only clue given was that she is a junior.

The only one to guess incorrectly was Brandon Shanks, who believed her to be Kelli Matthys.

Jonathan Burrow, Hank Crane, Clay Korenek and Mr. Stavino had no idea who this sweetie could be.

Those twinkling eyes and sweet smile couldn't fool many people. Jose Garza, Brooke Crane, Laine Labay,

Cody Cerny, Tiffany Wilkerson and Brent Schneider knew she was Stephanie Thompson.

Stephanie is a varsity cheerleader, FFA secretary, junior class reporter and a member of the student council.

She is the daughter of proud parents Mike and Denise Thompson of Garwood.

In her spare time Stephanie enjoys being with her boyfriend and partying with friends.

## RIVERSIDE HALL

East Bernard

Proudly Presents...

DAVID LEE GARZA  
y Los Musicales  
Friday, Feb. 28

Also Appearing...

CD Vibrations

Tickets \$12 'til 9 p.m.

Doors Open at 7:30 p.m.

Dance 8 to 1

For more information, call

409-335-6406

Citywide  
Mortgage  
Company

STEVE  
TAYLOR  
Mortgage Consultant

409-234-2768  
(Home)

25 North Bell  
Bellville, Texas 77418

409-865-8788  
Fax: 409-865-2292  
Pager: 800-409-6922  
1-800-210-8788

## A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION WORTH KEEPING!

At CVTV, we can't help you with everything on your list, but we can help with a "digital" resolution that you'll want to keep this year (and next)!

CVTV gives you the BEST digital sound and picture around, in the smallest dish - just 18"! Plus, you'll get Total Choice, a programming package far superior to cable, PrimeStar or any other "new kid" on the block.

With CVTV, you not only get the best product and programs, you deal with home-folks you know and trust to be around for years to come.

CALL TODAY!

1-800-242-5919

243 S. College St.  
La Grange, TX 78945  
www.cvtv.net  
e-mail: kayl@cvtv.net



Television you can count on



\*Model #NS41221NA. With one year of Total Choice programming at \$29.95 per month without increase. No hidden charges, no long-term contracts, no treacherous up-front payments to finance. • DirecTV, DSS, Total Choice and "DirecTV Satellite TV At Its Best" are official trademarks of DirecTV, Inc., a unit of Hughes Electronics Corporation.