

RAIDER REVIEW

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Students informed of new laws

By Jenny Hajovsky

On Oct. 7, Justice of the Peace Dodie Dungen and Officer Mike Schleider visited the Rice campus to inform students of the new laws passed by the state which would affect the student population in general.

These laws are directed to the abuse of alcohol and tobacco by minors as well as disorderly conduct in school.

During the assembly, they touched on subjects such as MIPs, DUIAs, and assault and their consequences.

The state recently passed tougher

laws to reduce the number of minors being harmed by this illegal behavior.

The consequences for a first offense MIP is a fine of up to \$500, 8 to 12 hours of community service, mandatory attendance of an alcohol awareness course and a 30 day suspension of his/her driver's license.

The punishment for a DUIA (driving under the influence of alcohol) by a minor is a fine of up to \$500, 20 to 40 hours of community service, suspension of driver's license for up to 12 months and mandatory attendance of

an alcohol awareness course.

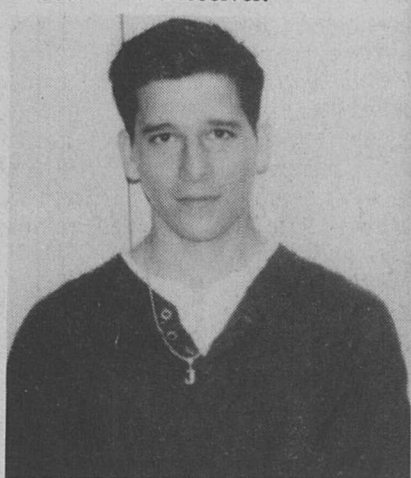
Judge Dungen also spoke about disorderly conduct in school. He explained individuals' rights, the difference between assault and self-defense and the consequences.

Judge Dungen and Officer Schleider's presentation was very informative and made students realize the consequences of certain behavior and that ignorance is not an excuse for breaking the law.

Meet the Raider

By Namita Verma

This week, the spotlight shines on jersey #44, which is worn by senior Jose Garza. Jose plays the positions of linebacker and receiver.



When asked about his thoughts on the team, Jose replied, "I really think we have improved in the past few years. Our coaches are really focusing on positive thoughts rather than negative thoughts!"

Jose is the son of Joel and Maria Garza of Eagle Lake.

Along with football, Jose is involved in the Hispanic Organization of Mentors and Educators and FFA.

In his free time, Jose enjoys helping the community by adopting highways and participating in the clean up.

After graduation, Jose plans to major in radiology.

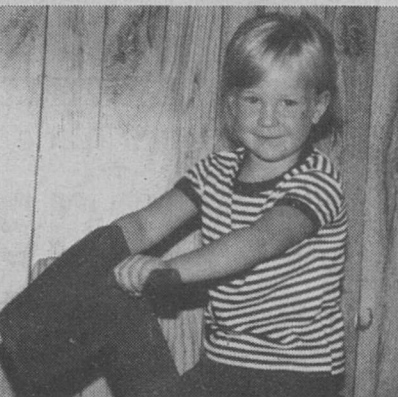
Who's Zat?

By Jenny Hajovsky

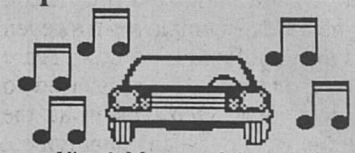
Who's zat little cowgirl on her pretty stick pony? This question puzzled many people, and the only clue given was that she is a senior.

Namita Verma was thrown when she guessed Jenny Hajovsky. Lisa Valigura fell out of the saddle when she thought it was Brooke Crane.

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RHS profiles

By Valerie Galvan

Profile:
Height: 5'5"
Hair: Brown
Eyes: Hazel

Where can you find her? Standing in front of a large group of people or walking in the hallway.

This week's Profile is on an outstanding band member at Rice High School.

You might see her on Friday nights conducting the band. Our profile for the week: junior Susana Silva, Assistant Drum Major for the Mighty Raider Band.

Susana is the daughter of Robert and Maria Silva of Eagle Lake.

When asked how she felt about being Drum Major she replied, "I am excited to be drum major. It is a real challenge trying to keep the band in order. I enjoy conducting and doing my best to help the band improve."

Susana feels that the band has potential this year. "With a little discipline and practice, the band will have a very successful year."

Her hopes for the band this year are, "I hope that the band does well the rest of the season, especially in marching contest. I believe that they will do

an excellent job this season."

She also has high views about Band Director James Talton. "Mr. Talton is very understanding. He has a lot of ideas that will help the band. He is making band better and fun."

Susana is also vice president of the Drama Club, a member of the National Honor Society, a participant in the One-Act Play and a part-time waitress.

In the future, Susana hopes to attend a four-year college and pursue a major as a laboratory technician.

During her time off, she hopes to travel and photograph different places around the world.



Susana Silva

Support Rice FTA and Band

By Amalie Kuchera

The Rice High School Future Teachers of America (FTA) will be selling Touchdown Balloons at all of the home football games. Every time the Raiders score a touchdown, the plan is to let the balloons go.

The blue, white and silver balloons cost 50¢ each. If you would like something written on the balloon, the

cost is \$1.

The FTA is also charging \$1 if you would like something painted on your hand, arm or face. Examples of this include Rice #1, Go Raiders, or a player's number.

All proceeds will go to scholarships and to help send the officers to the State FTA Convention.

The Rice High School Band is also busy trying to raise money for their spring trip to Disney World in Florida.

The band is in charge of the concession stand for all home volleyball and basketball games.

They also have opened the visitor's concession stand at home football games.

The Band will once again have a drawing this fall and a dinner before their Christmas Concert.

Please, help support the students of Rice High School.

Ag Moos

By Jenny Hajovsky

On Monday, Sept. 29, the Rice FFA Chapter held its second annual Hamburger Supper and meeting.

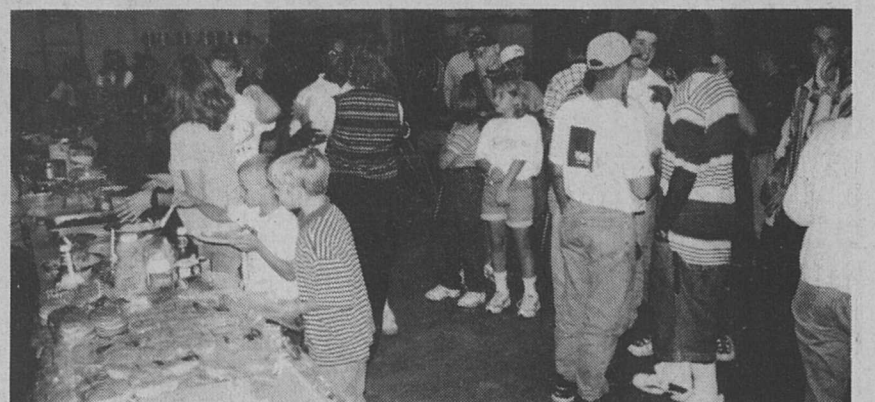
All of the members and their parents were invited to the Ag Shop to eat hamburgers and enjoy an evening of fellowship.

Go Raiders!

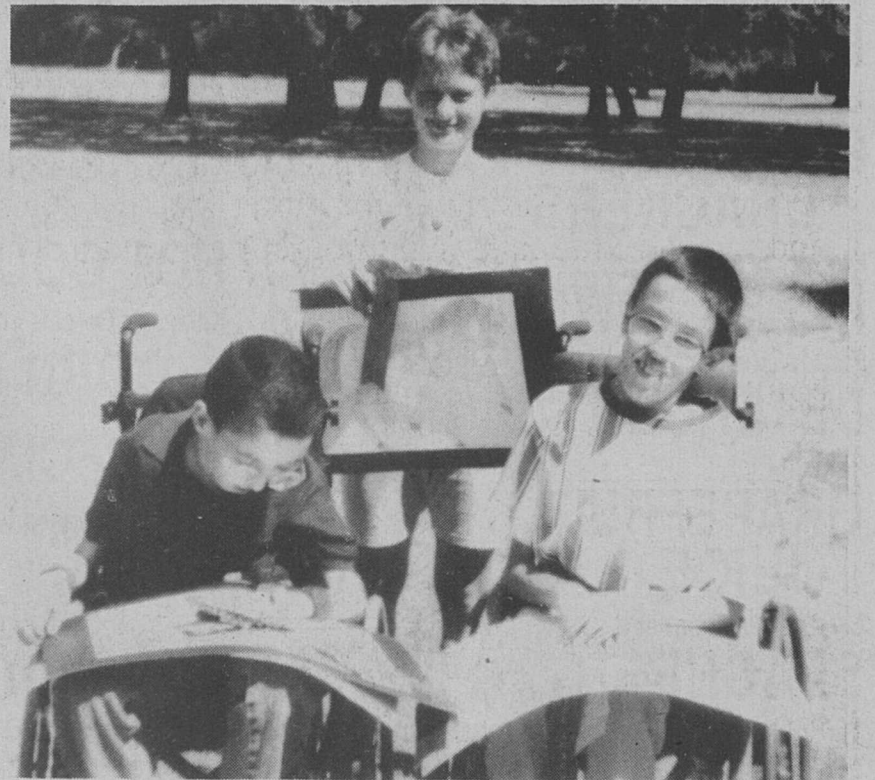
The FFA will begin its annual fund-raiser by selling Golden Valley meat products until Oct. 18.

If anyone is interested in purchasing a quality meat product including sausage, ham, turkeys, fajitas and bacon, please contact any Rice FFA member.

Also, Commercial Steer practice has been scheduled for Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m.



Students and parents enjoy the FFA Hamburger Supper at the Ag Shop.

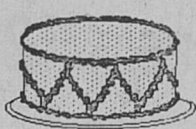


Pictured above, from left, are a few of the blue ribbon winners at this year's Colorado County Fair held Sept. 12-14, Clifford Miller, Erika Ellenbogen and J.L. Miller.

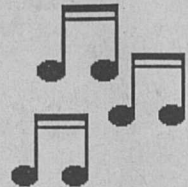
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