

## This Week's Action!



**Date**      **Team, Time & Place**  
Tues., Jan. 6 ..... Raider F, JV & V basketball vs. Sealy, Here, 5 p.m.  
Friday, Jan. 9 ..... Raider F, JV & V basketball at Edna, 5 p.m.

## Class favorites chosen

Class favorites have been chosen for the 1997-98 school year.

For the freshman class, they are Tanika Scott and Jacob Little.

Nicole Krenek and Klint Korenek were chosen as sophomore class favorites.

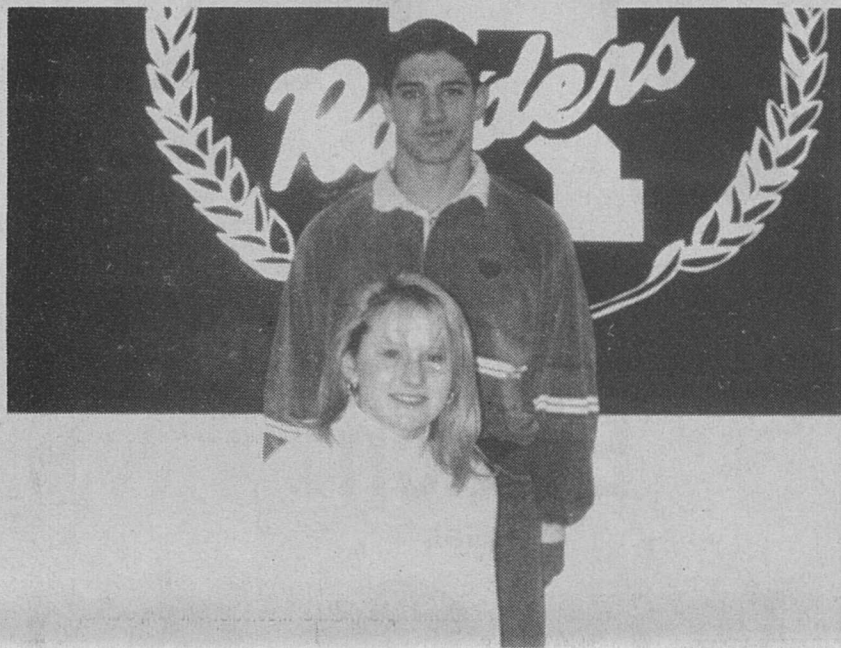
The junior class chose Dyana Rees and Scott Bittner as their most favorite.

Kelli Matthys and Jamarcus Brooks were chosen as most popular by the senior class.

Congratulations to these students!



Kelli Matthys and Jamarcus Brooks, senior class favorites.



Junior class favorites, Dyana Rees and Scott Bittner.

## Meet the Lady Raider

By Amalie Kucherka

This week's basketball spotlight is senior #31, Tierra Wright. She plays the guard position for the Lady Raiders.

She says, "The team's expectations are just to win a lot of games and come out on top."

Tierra's personal goals for the season are to be there when the team is

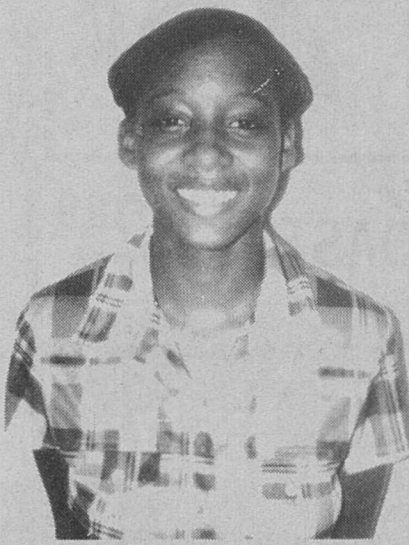
down and help put excitement back in the game.

When asked about the coaches, Tierra commented, "They are determined to make us better than the rest, no matter how much we moan and groan."

Tierra is the daughter of Shelia Wright of Eagle Lake.

She also plays softball and runs track.

On the weekends, Tierra likes to hangout at the "Grove" with her boyfriend.



Tierra Wright

# RAIDER REVIEW

## RHS Profiles

**Height:** 5'8"  
**Eyes:** Blue  
**Grade:** 12

Fulton Dromgoole, a senior at Rice, takes great interest in art class and Drama Club.

By Namita Verma

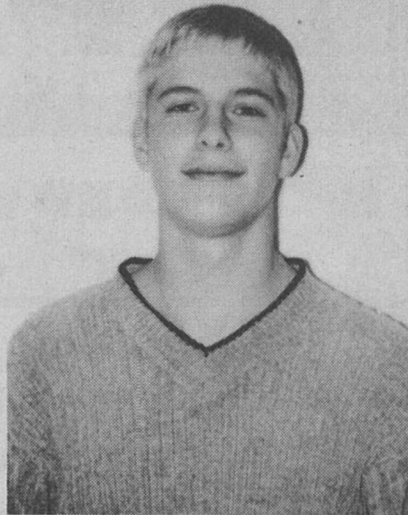
When asked about his views on his art class, Fulton replied, "I really enjoy it because it's at the end of the day and gives me a chance to unwind and do one of my favorite things. Art is like life; it's what you make of it."

Fulton is also a current member of the Drama Club. He says he enjoys acting and said, "We're going to state if I have anything to do with it!"

After graduation, Fulton plans on becoming a movie star and live the "American Dream".

On the weekends, Fulton enjoys hanging out with this mom.

His parents are Fulton and Francis Dromgoole of Elm Grove.



Fulton Dromgoole



Nicole Krenek and Klint Korenek were chosen sophomore class favorites.



Freshman class favorites, Tanika Scott and Jacob Little.

## RHS Profiles

By Namita Verma

**Height:** 5'6"

**Eye Color:** green  
What music she listens to: rock and alternative, a little of everything.

Misty Jones, a junior at Rice, takes pride in the band, Misty, who plays flute and percussion, says she enjoys band because she loves hearing and making music.

When asked about the measure of her faith in the band, Misty replied, "I think if everyone would work together and have a little faith, we could be number 1!"

Misty also takes great interest in the Rice High School Drama Club. "It's like we're one big family. We all work together to make a team." When asked how the Drama Club has affected her life, Misty enthusiastically replied, "It's helped me become even closer to my friends and helped me relive all of the excitement and energy in me!" Misty is looking forward to One Act, which will be in full swing right after Christmas break.

Misty is the daughter of Gary and Shirley Jones of Eagle Lake.

On weekends, Misty enjoys get-

ting some major sleep, spending time with her friends and going to parties.

After graduation, she plans to go to Blinn Junior College in Brenham to get her basics; then U.T., Austin, to be an occupational or physical therapist.



Misty Jones

## Meet the Lady Raider

By Valerie Galvan

This week's Raider spotlight is on powerlifter, Rebal Canaris.

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

Rebal trains four days a week. She does a variety of lifts to help strengthen every muscle. Rebal commented, "Powerlifting meets are some of the best to watch. They give you a chance to test your physical strength as well as

your mental strength. Sometimes, it can get very suspenseful."

This season, Rebal hopes the whole Rice Raider powerlifting team will get a chance to lift in the state meet and break some state records.

She also commented on the excellent job Coach Willis is doing with the team. "Coach Willis really knows his stuff. He has organized the whole program well. He is a great guy!"

When asked about her views on using drugs and steroids to gain strength and muscle, Rebal replied, "I think that natural drugs to strengthen your muscles are not harmful. I have heard that steroids have harmful side effects. I don't think they are worth the risk. I don't feel that it's necessary to take drugs to build muscles. It's a good feeling when you know you did it yourself!"

Rebal also participates in cheerleading, U.I.L., band, Drama Club, the Jazz Band and Student Council.

Her proudest accomplishment is being a state powerlifting qualifier her freshman and sophomore year.

Good luck this season Rebal!



Rebal Canaris

## Who's Zat?

By Jenny Hajovsky

Who is this little cutie? That was the question put to RHS students this week. The only clue given was that she is a senior.

Suzy Silva was stumped when she guessed this sweet girl was Delana Smith.

Ralph Gertson got off the mark when he thought she was Kelli Matthys.

Kelli thought this smiling little face belonged to Risa Waddell.

However, Namita Verma, Lisa Valigura and Delana Smith knew that those blue eyes had to belong to Laine Labay.

Laine is the FTA president, NHS treasurer, and the Band Librarian.

Her proud parents are Shirley and

Clifton Labay of Altair.

On the weekends, Laine likes to relax in the outdoors and go places with her family and friends.



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## Correctional Services Corporation

### Job Fair

For: Colorado County Juvenile Facility  
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When: Tuesday, January 13, 1998

Time: 2 to 8 p.m.

Where: Eagle Lake Community Center  
100 Walnut, Eagle Lake

•Applications can be picked up at Eagle Lake City Hall from 1 to 5 p.m. on Dec. 30th & 31st, Jan. 2nd, 6th, 8th and 9th

•Applications will be accepted for the following positions:

Personnel/Accounting Tech.  
Secretary/Receptionist  
Chief of Security (Captain)  
Control Center Officers (High School Diploma/GED)  
Detention Center Officers (High School Diploma/GED)  
Transportation Officer  
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Plant Manager  
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Food Service Workers  
Housing Unit Officers (Drill Instructors; High School Diploma/GED)

•Individual interviews will be scheduled for Jan. 14, 1998, at the Eagle Lake Community Center from 8 a.m. to noon.

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