KAIDER REVIEW

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Mr. and Miss RHS

By Amanda Burrow

Every year teachers at Rice High School (RHS) choose a young man and lady who best represent the high school. The 2001-2002 Mr. and Miss RHS are Hub Weller and Kinsey Hoffman.

Hub, the son of George and Sue Weller of Eagle Lake, is very active in school. He is the National Honor Society (NHS) President, Class President for three years, Prom Committee Chairman, Student Council Representative for three years.

He has also participated in cross country, tennis, Drama Club, UIL One Act. Fall Theatrical Production and UIL Science Competition.

Hub plans to attend a four year college, double major in mechanical engineering and liberal arts, and hopes to attend graduate school or pursue a career in the aero space industry.

Kinsey, the daughter of Thierry and Lisa Hoffman of Nada, has also been busy in her high school career. She is NHS Vice President, FTA



Editor, Yearbook Business Manager, rian and Vice-President. Volleyball and Softball Manager and Among High School Students.

Previously, she played volleyball President and District Secretary, Stu- and softball, was in Flag Corps, Freshdent Council President, Newspaper man Class President and FTA Histo- Hub and Kinsey!

Kinsey plans to attend Southwest has been chosen for Who's Who Texas State University, major in busiinternational business.

Congratulations and good luck to

Best and Most of '02

By Amanda Burrow

The Class of 2002 has made its picks for the Best and Most. Best and ior class. This year's chosen are:

Most Beautiful and Handsome: Tiffany Stern and Trent Korenek; registration forms and free test prep Most Likely To Succeed: Corissa Mathis and Hub Weller;

man and Jared Korenek; Most Spir. also has helpful information including ited: Jessica Spanihel and Jason Ish- sample test, the opportunity to order ee; Most Athletic: Crystal Alcalar tests preparation materials, and links and Jerry Cleveland;

Leila Baggett and Adrian Middleton; Most Outspoken: Marquita Johnson Did You Know... and Chris Galvan;

son; Wittiest: Erica Garcia and Norris syrup, egg whites and vanilla extract.

Most Likely to Appear on Survivor: Janna Janish and Mike

Congratulations to everyone!

Christmas Break... Here We

By Tiffany Stern

Many students and teachers have plans and are eager to start their vacation as soon as possible.

Jenny Munoz plans to leave immediately after finals for Venezuela. Allen Greak also has plans to visit family in East Texas. Brandy Meitzen however claims, "I am going to use my time wisely and party with my friends!'

Librarian, Mrs. Holle will spend her vacation entertaining family, which consists of eight grandchildren ranging from age two to 16.

Student Sonya Fields, is looking

ACT deadline is Jan. 4

College-bound high school students can take the ACT Assessment ness, and hopefully pursue a career in Feb. 9, 2002, the next nationwide test

> The registration postmark deadline is Jan. 4. Late registration postmark is Jan. 18 (an additional fee is required for late registration).

ACT scores are accepted by virtually all colleges and universities in the nation, including all Ivy League schools. The test fee is \$24 (\$27 in Florida). Colleges use ACT scores, along with a student's high school grade point average and other information to help determine admissions Most are chosen each year by the senfor new students.

For more information, including materials, contact your high school counselor or register online on ACT's Most Dependable: Kinsey Hoff- website www.act.org. The website to useful sites including a free online Most in Need of an Alarm Clock: college financial aid needs estimator.

•Marshmallow candy dates back to the Most Outgoing: Shelley Boe late 19th century. Originally made from nisch and Brennan Jobe; Friendliest: the root of the marshmallow plant, it is Heather Shanks and Marques John- now made of gelatin, water, sugar or corn

•In ancient times, the agate was thought to have the power to render someone invisible. Other alleged properties of the stone include the promotion of fertility, storms and lightning and increased athletic prowess.

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Garbage pickup schedule for holiday season

The City will close Tuesday, Jan. 1 for the New Year holiday. There will be no trash collection on Tuesday. Regular service will resume Wednesday, Jan. 2. The Tuesday route will be collected Wednesday along with the Wednesday

Rice CISD to close of Christmas

Rice Consolidated ISD will be closed for Christmas break through Jan. 4. The office will re-open Monday, Jan. 7, 2002. Students will return to class Tuesday, Jan. 8, 2002.

Nativity New Year's Gala planned

A \$50 ticket will admit a couple to all the festivities in Didner Hall, 201 would give you the choice of paying choice available to all of their policy- Crain St., that will include an open bar, a full banquet meal, music, dancing, silent auction and a money drawing. Tickets may be purchased at the Parish Office at 545 S. Austin Road (please call first 979-234-2842), Marcy's Beauty Salon, S&W Auto Parts and Tresse's Hair Salon.

Senior Citizen's Dance is Jan. 4

The public is invited to a Senior Citizen's Dance, a place to meet old and have developed a web site with more new friends, Friday, Jan. 4, from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at the Eagle Lake Community Center. Music will be provided by Tim Kulhanek. Admission is \$5 per person. For more information, call 979-234-3795.

Insurance

the children is Patty Holloway.

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That's entertainment!

The New Beginnings Child Development Center children provided enter-

tainment for the Study Club meeting held Dec. 12 at wintermann Library.

The children recited the Pledge of Allegiance, sang Christmas caroles, said

their numbers and days of the week in English and Spanish. Pictured with

needed is offered after the company ance protection (to be added to the sets the rate," Butler explained.

your company's going rate for cars in expense fee. Before these miles were your profile group is \$500 per year, all driven, you would have to buy and the average mileage for the group more miles to stay legally insured." is about 10,000 miles per year. (Companies get mileage from periodic panies restrict availability of the Government studies that determine cents-per-mile choice to selected custhe averages according to driver and tomers. Bell is urging Texans to decar profiles.) Then the company mand that their companies make this the going rate or buying miles at the holders. group's average cost of 5¢ per miles.

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Isaac's Storm-Erik Larson (author) has written an interesting account of Issaac Cline. Isaac, a scientist, believes he knew all about the behavior of storms. The idea that Galveston, Texas, where he was based, could be destroyed by a hurricane was "an absurd delusion." Of course you know what happened in September of 1900 to Galveston. Human arrogance meets natures uncontrollable force.

We here at the Wintermann Library would like to wish you and your family a Happy New Year!



Happy 21st Birthday "Lali" Love, Joe Gotcha!

Photo Courtesy of the Study Club

car's current odometer mileage) He gave this example: "Say that would cost you \$100 plus a nominal

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forward to spending her first Christ-

When thinking about Christmas Christmas break is drawing closer mas with her baby boy and Latoya vacation, I think about no homework by the day and everyone at Rice High Pipkins is spending lots of her quality and lots of sleep! What do you plan on School is becoming very anxious. time with both her family and friend doing during your vacation?

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By Dr. Eric R. Tepper, Podiatrist MORTON'S NEUROMA

Morton's neuroma is a nerve problem in the foot that most commonly occurs between the third and fourth toes. The nerve becomes irritated, and its outer coating thickens as two bones rub together continuously. A person with Morton's neuroma often describes the feeling as walking on a lamp cord or a bed of stones. Burning, tingling, cramping, and numbness are common, especially after walking or extended periods of standing. Morton's neuroma can develop from ill-fitting shoes or abnormal bone movement. Diabetes and alcoholism may also impair nerve function and lead to similar symptoms. Non-surgical treatments for Morton's neuroma include orthotics and other shoe modifications, ultrasound therapy, or medication to relieve pain and swelling. Surgery may be necessary in severe

If you suffer from sharp pain, numbness, or a burning feeling in your feet, a nerve condition may be the cause. These can result from wearing tight shoes, being on your feet too long, or general medical conditions. Nerve conditions can be hard detect, but we're trained to identify them, relieve any pain they cause, and prrect them whenever possible. There's no need to suffer... we can help at Rice Medical Center. Call 234-5571 for a Tuesday appointment.

P.S. X-rays, ultrasound, magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), and a nerveblocking procedure can help diagnose Morton's neuroma.

Teaching as a New Career?

Individuals with a bachelor's degree, and at least a 2.50 overall grade point average (GPA) may contact Region III Education Service Center for eligibility requirements, Program Information and an Application Packet. The state-accredited Teacher Preparation Certification Program (TPCP) conducted by ESC III offers academically successful, studentoriented professionals an opportunity to enter the rewarding field of

We invite you to come to an information session to learn more about the Region III Teacher Preparation Certification Program. The sessions are free and open to the public. Region III will be conducting several information sessions to answer questions about the upcoming 2002-2003 Teacher Preparation Certification Program. Please review the following dates and locations:

> Monday, January 7, 2002 5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Wharton ISD Education Resource Center 2100 N. Fulton Street, Wharton, Texas

Saturday, January 12, 2002 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. Regional III Education Service Center 1905 Leary Lane, Victoria, Texas

Thursday, February 21, 2002 5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Regional III Education Service Center 1905 Leary Lane, Victoria, Texas

If you are interested in attending any of the TPCP Information Sessions, please register with Sharon at Region III ESC, 361-573-



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