

WCJC offering mini term courses

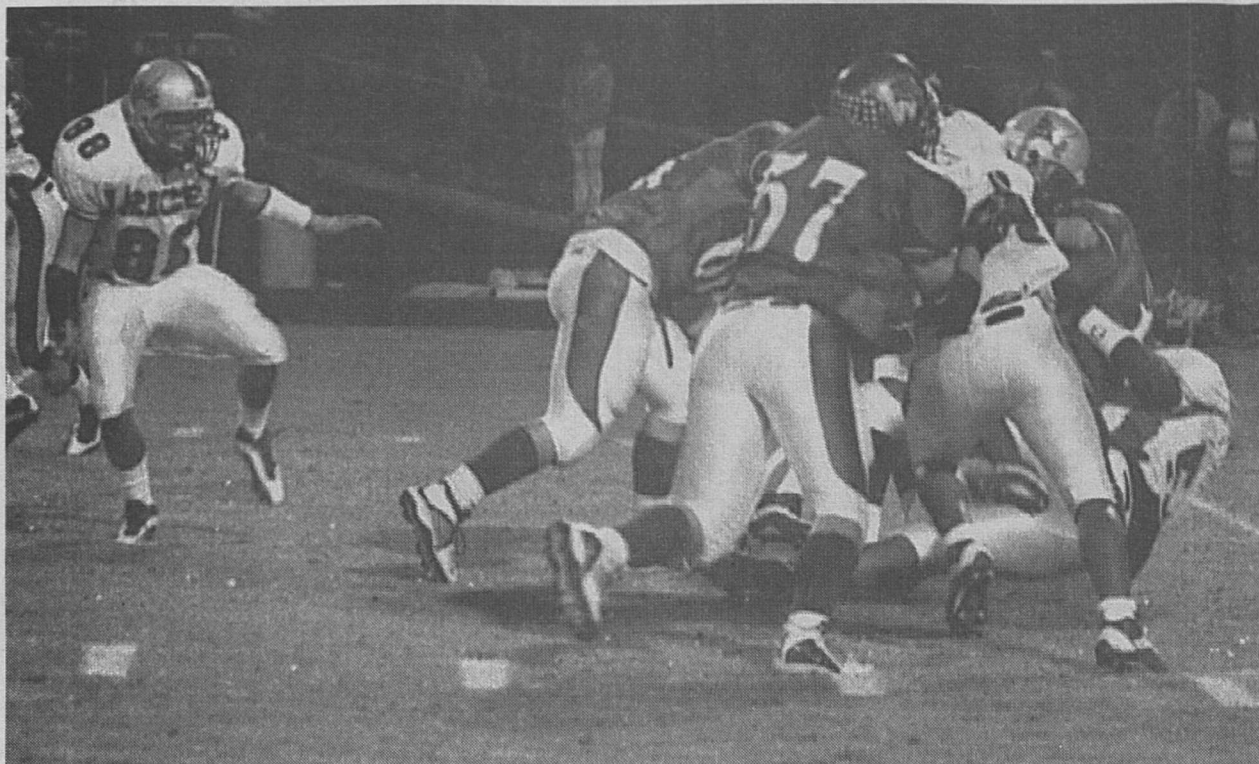
Wharton County Junior College announces its Winter Mini Term Short Course Offerings. Get more course work completed in a shorter period of time. Courses will be offered Dec. 16-Jan. 8. No classes will be held due to the holidays on Dec. 24-26 and Jan. 1. Web Course offerings include Microcomputer Applications and Fundamentals of Networking. The WCJC

Fort Bend Technical Center course offering is Composition I. WCJC Sugar Land campus course offerings include Composition I, American Constitution System Federal/State, American Federal/State Government, U.S. History 1, U.S. History 2 and Introduction to Philosophy.

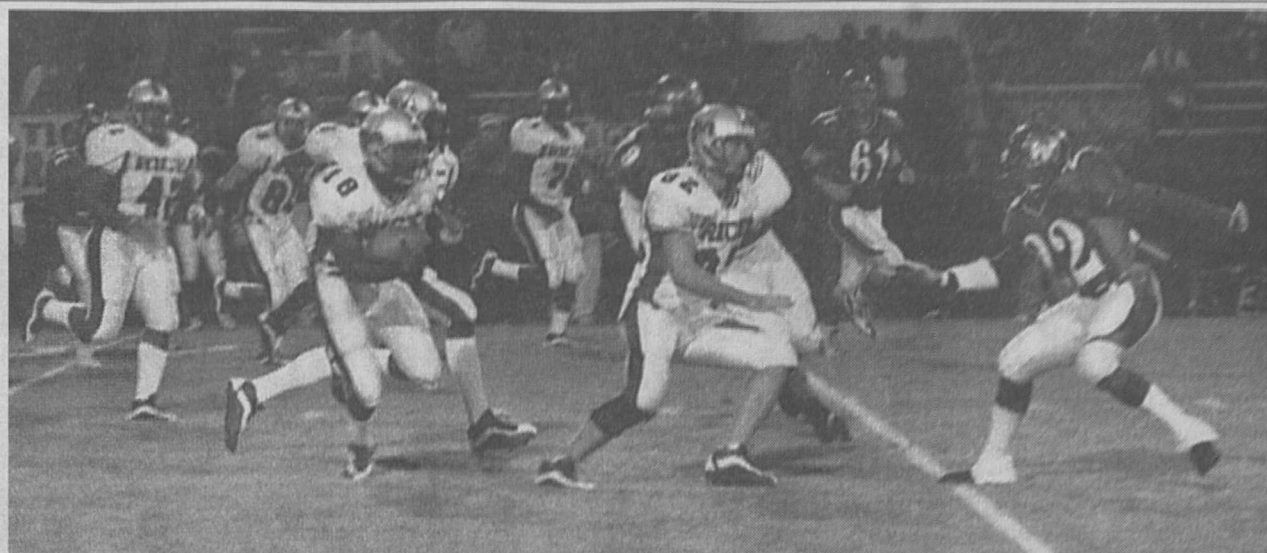
Students registering Nov. 3-26, must pay before noon Nov. 26. Stu-

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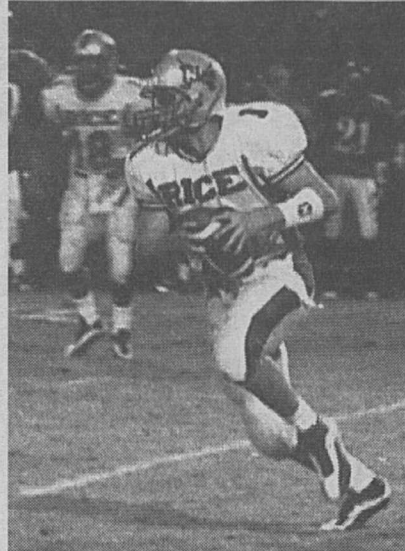
For more information, refer to page 11 of WCJC's Spring 2004 Credit Class Schedule or contact the registration office at the following campus locations: Wharton 979-532-6303, Richmond 281-239-1544, Sugar Land 281-243-8415.



Raider #88, Rusty "the Animal" Moore, gets ready to join the crowd as the Rice defense welcomes Wharton to the field on the Tigers's first play from scrimmage, dropping the quarterback for a six-yard loss.



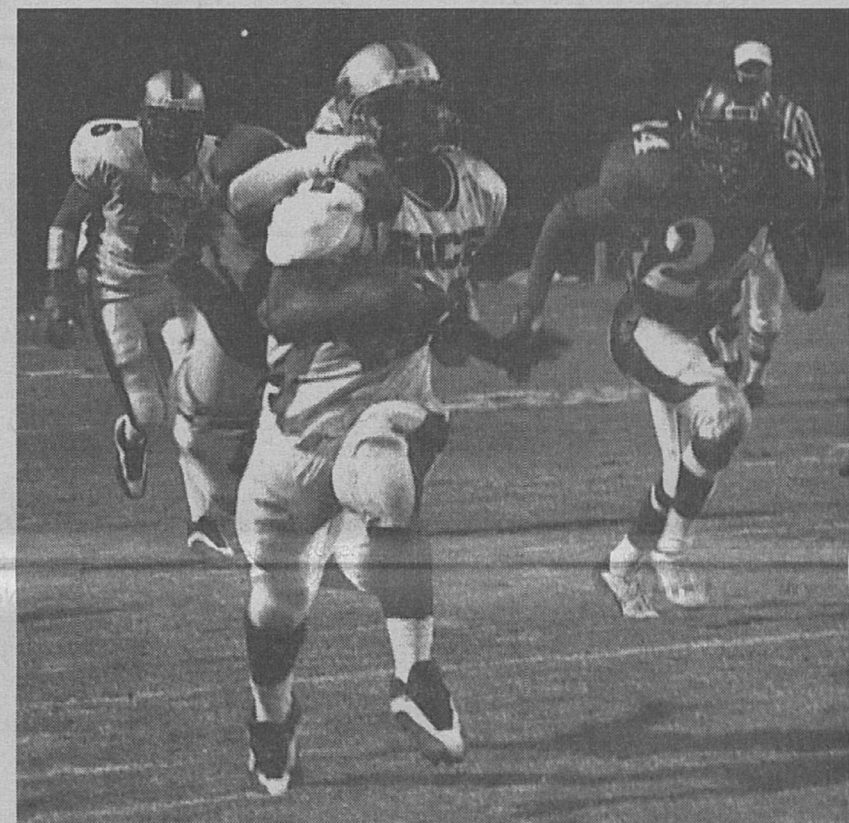
As senior Michael Spears, #18, picks up yardage after his ninth interception of the season, #82 Robert Shaw prepares to take out an on-coming Tiger.



Raiders quarterback Stuart Ray runs a keeper.



Injured quarterback Steven Moore looks on as Dr. Ray Cantu checks out Rice's running back Charles Huffman who went down during the fourth quarter Friday against Wharton. Fans, coaches and teammates held their breath while Huffman lay on the field, not moving a muscle.



Rice junior Charles Huffman picks up hard-fought yardage before he was injured Friday night.

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mother, Mrs. Frank Pidgeon, were flown by Dan Thornton to Crowley and returned home by bus...

Vernon Gertson escaped serious injury when his body and face were struck with a load of birdshot in a hunting accident...

Miss Norma Shoop of Garwood and Grayson Keith Jackson of Columbus were united in marriage Oct. 23 at the First Baptist Church in El Campo...

Miss Delores Frnka, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. J.T. Frnka, was one of 38 candidates in the Nurses Capping exercise. This event is just one of the milestones in the training of a registered nurse at the John Sealy College of Nursing...

Judy Fay Emmel, six-year-old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Bill Emmel,

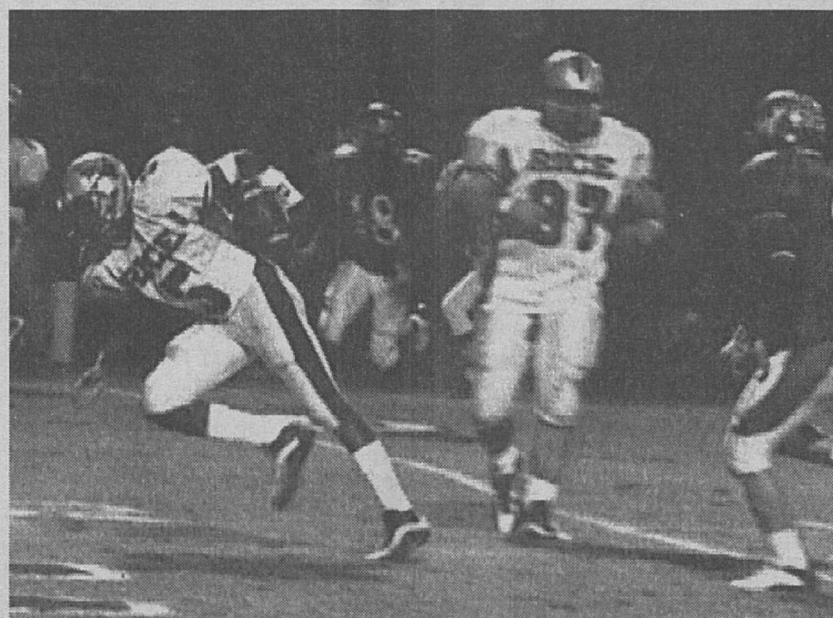
was honored by her mother with a party on her birthday Oct. 22...

Game Warden Tom T. Waddell made news twice in past week. One was in the October issue of the *Texas Game and Fish* magazine and on the Outdoor Sports page in the *Houston Post*...

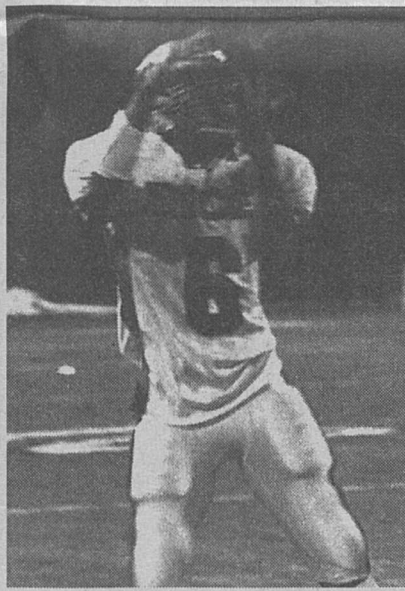
Eagle Lake Garden Club will hear Mrs. W.H. Bennett of Humble, District Governor, at their meeting in the Community Center...

Sharon Honea of Sweeny will represent 11 counties in the Texas Farm Bureau Contest to be held in connection with the 22nd annual convention...

Arnold R. Klockman, owner of Klockman Service Station, has grand opening of station and expresses appreciation for the warm friendliness.



Senior Derland Sanford, #5, crossed the goal line for Rice's final points Friday night with 2:14 left in the game. #87, Garrett Flores was right there, just in case Sanford needed another block.



Senior Cleve Scott reaches for a pass that ended up just off his fingertips.

WCJC presents *The Crucible*

The Greenroom Players of Wharton County Junior College will perform Arthur Miller's *The Crucible* Nov. 13-15 in the Horton Foote Theatre in the Dusen-Hansen Fine Arts Building at the Wharton campus.

This year marks the 50th year since Arthur Miller's powerful play about the Salem Witch Trials was first produced. The play examines how the hysteria caused by the lies of children led to the breakdown of an entire community.

"We are proud to present this compelling work that reminds us that mere accusation should never be accepted as proof of guilt," said WCJC Theatre Director Phil Hoke.

Due to the graphic descriptions of executions and discussions of adult relationships, the play may not be suitable for some elementary age students.

Performance times are 7:30 p.m. Nov. 13, 14 and 15 with a matinee performance at 2:30 p.m. Nov. 14.

Tickets are \$4 each. WCJC students and senior citizens with a WCJC identification card are admitted free.

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