

# Rice Raider Junior Varsity Blue, White Football Teams Open 2006 Season

The Rice Raider JV White football team kicked off the 2006 season against the Luling Eagles.

The Raiders began the scoring early with a 40 yd. touchdown run by Chito Vazquez. Vazquez had a total of 3 touchdown runs in the game.

Mario Hill and Johnny Castaneda added touchdowns out of their own running behind an offensive line that dominated the line of scrimmage.

Defensively the JV White team played Raider Defense by flying to the ball and causing turnovers. Chris Dorsey and Kevin Ellis both forced fumbles while Garreth Casper had a couple of sacks. Tim Morales led the defense to keep Luling at only six points.

The JV White won the game by the score of 36-6.

### JV White vs. Sealy

The Rice Raider JV White football team faced a tough Sealy Tiger team in their second game of the season.

Sealy scored first on a quarterback counter in the first quarter

to make the score 0-6.

After the Raiders took the ball down to the ten and turned it over on downs, Tim Morales intercepted a pass from the Sealy quarterback.

Sealy scored the next two touchdowns making the score 0-18. Midway through the fourth quarter Mario Hill scored on a one yard run and Kevin Ellis scored the two point conversion to make it 8-18.

Sealy scored late on an interception to finish off the scoring and making the final score 8-24.

The JV White team will take on Port Lavaca Sept. 14 at home.

### JV Blue

The Rice Raider JV Blue football team started the season with a 30-8 victory over the Luling Eagles.

The Raiders scored on their opening drive on a 12 yd. run by Tanner Williams. Rice was able to move the ball very effectively behind an offensive line anchored by Samuel Lugo, Chris Mayfield, Adam Shimek, Jesse Castillo, and

Laroy Spears. JJ Reggins accounted for two touchdowns, one rushing and another as a passing touchdown to Dominique Weeks. Nick Jump capped the scoring off with a 20 yd. run in the fourth quarter.

The defense gave up very little as they controlled the line and Fernando Cano intercepted a pass.

Both JV teams were set to be at home to take on the Sealy Tigers on Thursday, Sept. 7.

### JV Blue vs. Sealy

The JV Blue team tried to continue its early season success in its second game of the season against the Sealy Tigers. The Raiders scored first on a 10-yard touchdown run by Dominique Weeks and Tanner Williams con-

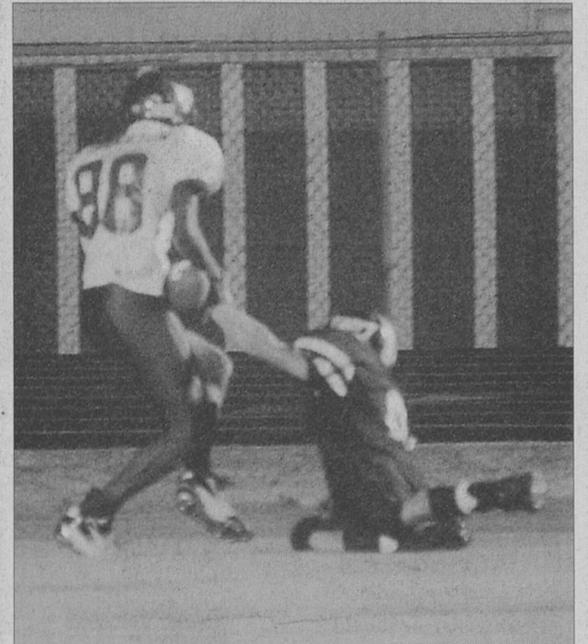
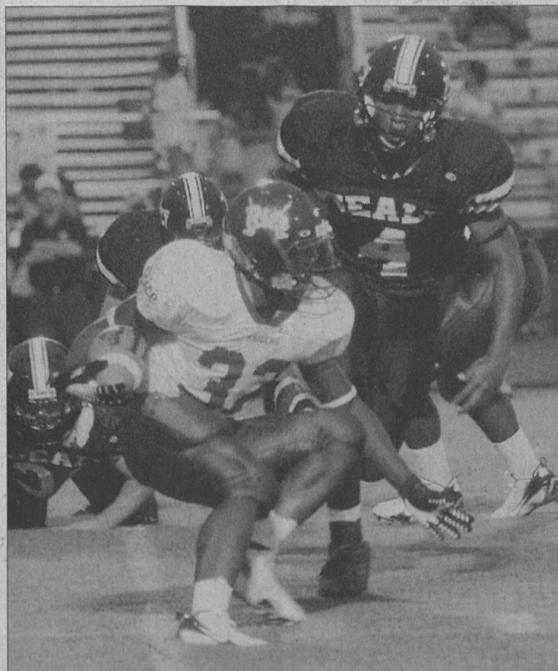
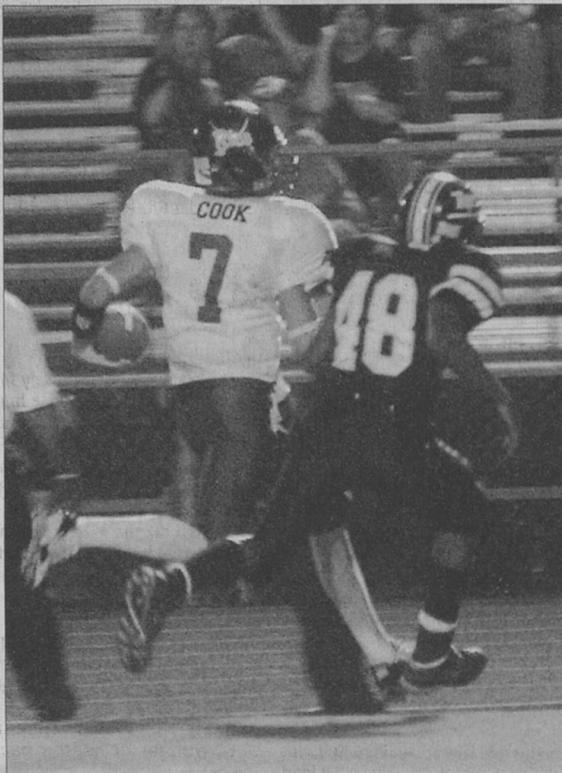
verted on the two point conversion to make the score 8-0.

On Sealy's next possession Chris Mayfield had a great hit which caused a fumble that was recovered by Weeks.

Rice continued to play great defense creating turnovers as Roque Torres recovered a fumble in the third quarter.

Sealy was able to break through that defense and score to tie the game up at 8-8.

With only three minutes left in the game, Sealy scored on a five yard run to go up and finish the game on top of the Raiders 8-16. The JV Blue team will face Brookshire Royal on Sept. 14 at



Above: Ziggy Foster makes a move against the Sealy defense during Rice's win last Friday.

Left: Taylor Cook gets some running yards in the win over Sealy.

Sylvester Middleton beats a Sealy defender during the Raiders' victory Friday night.

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