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**PACKER BULLS**  
Heavyweight bulls 67-77  
Utility cutter bulls 60-68

**STEERS**

#1	#2
150-300 lbs 125-150	100-120
300-400 lbs 117-129	99-114
400-500 lbs 112-119	93-113
500-600 lbs 110-119	97-109
600-700 lbs 100-111	86-96
700-800 lbs 90-100	82-89

**HEIFERS**

#1	#2
200-300 lbs 110-130	95-109
300-400 lbs 97-115	87-97
400-500 lbs 102-116	93-101
500-600 lbs 96-106	85-95
600-700 lbs 90-100	82-89
700-800 lbs 82-89	76-81

**STOCKER COWS** Good Stocker Cow/  
Calf Pairs 1000-1100  
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**Mr. And Miss RHS**

MaCesly Thomas and Eddie Losoya, Jr. have been named Mr. and Miss RHS for 2008.

MaCesly is the daughter of Marsha Thomas and the late Malcolm Thomas, Sr. of Eagle Lake.

She has participated in band throughout high school. She was named Band Sweetheart and Homecoming Queen last fall.

Her classmates selected her as Best Dressed in the senior class. She will graduate with honors.

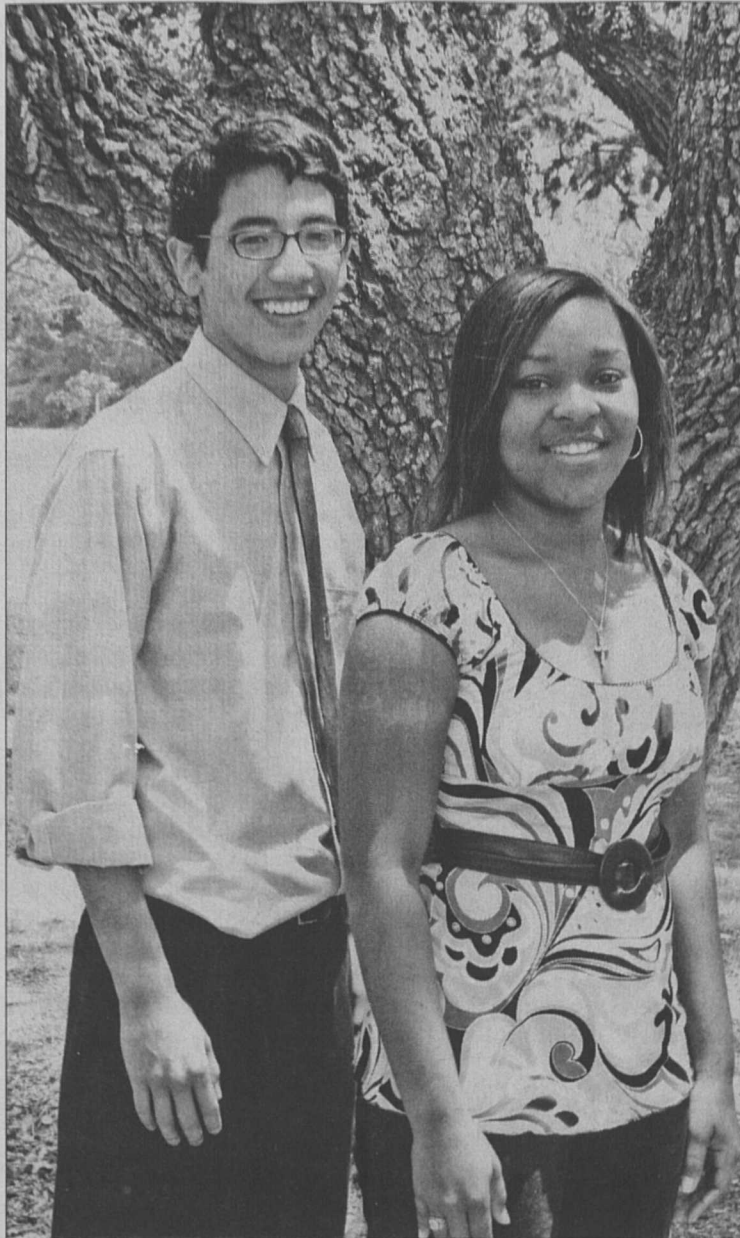
Her future plans are to become a physical therapist.

Eddie is the son of Theresa and Eddie Losoya, Sr. of Eagle Lake. He has been a member of the band and Drama Club, has participated in One Act Play and UIL Literary Criticism.

He is the Salutatorian of the Class of 2008. He has also been named Band Beau, Most Likely to Succeed and DAR Good Citizen. Eddie will enter Texas Lutheran University in the fall with plans to become a doctor.

Mr. and Miss RHS are selected by the faculty from the senior class each year.

Considerations in making the choice are: academic performance, intelligence, willingness to cooperate, leadership and citizenship.



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**Ag Dept. Accepting Go Texan Apps**

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples is pleased to announce the Texas Department of Agriculture is now accepting applications for the GO TEXAN Rural Community Beautification Grant Program.

The program has \$100,000 available for cities and counties that wish to improve the appearance of their downtown areas.

"The downtown appearance of any rural city is vital to the success of rural Texas," Staples said.

"These funds provide an opportunity for rural communities to spruce up their downtowns, increasing visual appeal and tourist activity."

The money can be used to purchase new welcome signage, decorative light posts, flags, benches, planters or any outdoor furniture

that can be used year-round. The GO TEXAN Rural Community Beautification Grant Program, housed under the Rural Economic Development Division, has expanded beyond previous years to now include county participation.

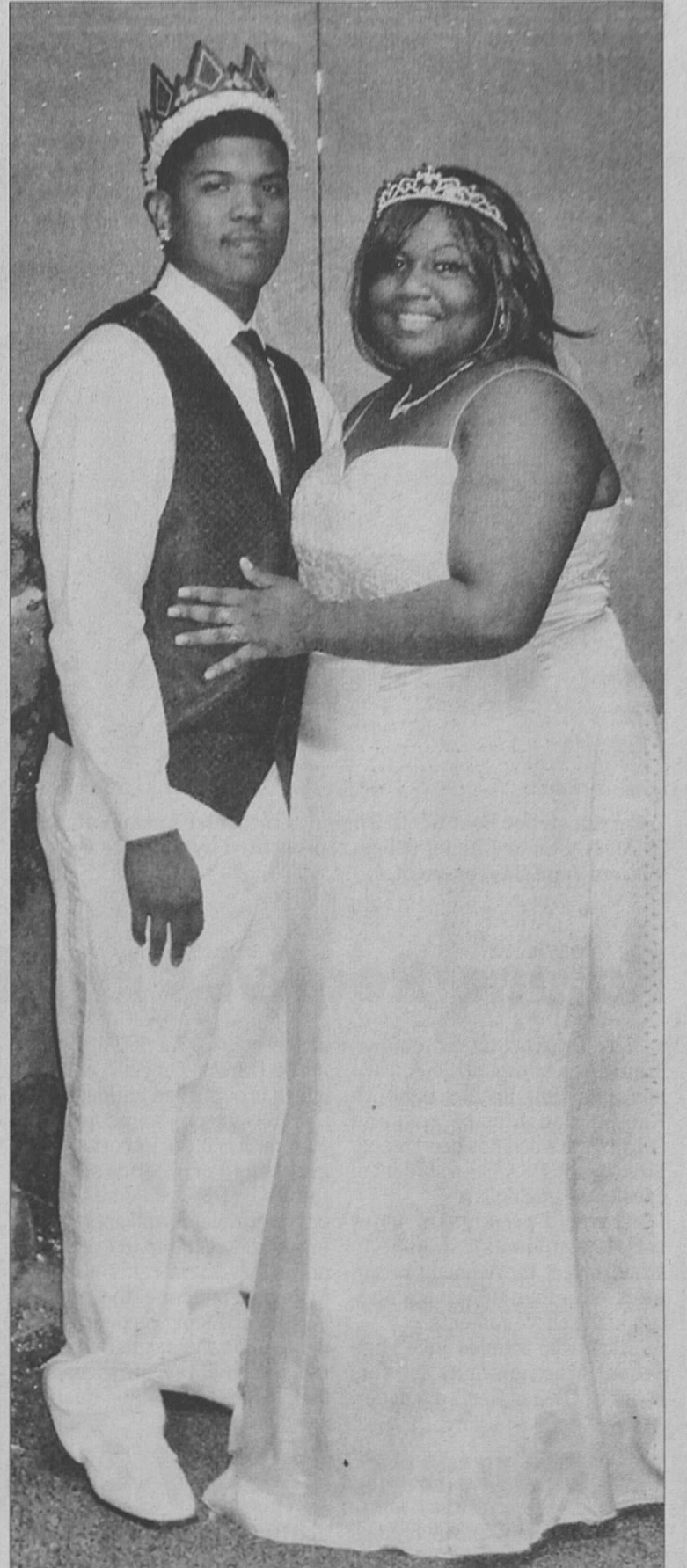
Counties may apply on behalf of unincorporated cities or for the county seat.

All funds must be used to purchase only the approved items and in an effort to improve the aesthetics of the downtown area.

All applicants must be GO TEXAN members prior to applying for the funds.

Applications will be accepted through June 27.

For program details and eligibility requirements, rural communities are encouraged to visit [www.tda.state.tx.us](http://www.tda.state.tx.us).



Martin Vazquez and Darneshea Stevens were named Prom King and Queen on May 17.

**2008 RHS Prom King and Queen**

Martin Vazquez and Darneshea Stevens were crowned Prom King and Queen at the Rice High School prom on Saturday, May 17.

An underwater theme was carried out in the décor of the commons.

Valet parking was provided to guests upon arrival.

Then, they entered through

a ship wreck setting. Gossamer in shades of blue draped the ceiling.

A light buffet of finger foods was served. An ice sculpture fountain and an ice sculpture highlighted the serving tables.

The prom began with the traditional grand march. Guests enjoyed dancing until midnight.

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**York Graduates Stephen F. Austin**

On Saturday, May 10, Kevin York graduated from Stephen F. Austin (SFA) State University in Nacogdoches with a Bachelor of Science degree double majoring in Biology and Political Science.

Those attending this special occasion were his parents, Brenda York and Stanley Howard.; grandmother, Georgia York; brother, Marcus York and Michele York-McDonald and various other family, friends, and fraternity brothers.

During Kevin's career at SFA he was involved in many organizations and was a top leader on campus. Those organizations include Residence Hall Association, National residence Hall Honorary, Hall Staff Leadership Council, SFA Multicultural Society, NAACP SFA Traditions Council, Gamma Sigma Sorority Honorary Member and a Salvation Army and Animal Shelter volunteer.

Kevin also served as a major staple for the SFA Housing Department where he was able to mentor many incoming students throughout his four years of school. For his efforts, Kevin was voted Assistant Director of the Year and was selected as the 2007 Homecoming King Nominee.

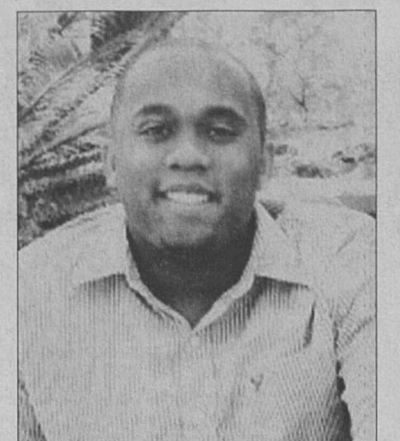
Kevin is a member of the Delta Tau Delta International Fraternity Zeta Psi Chapter where he serves as the Alumni Relations/Public Relations Officer. Along with holding this officer position, Kevin is also a founding father of the Zeta Psi chapter and is a member of the Alpha Gamma class where his humor, intelligence, and hard work helped the organization be propelled to highest achieved service hours for any fraternity on campus and

Kevin receiving a gold Presidential Service Award.

Kevin has had a major impact on the campus of SFA and although many of his friends and teachers will all remember him as "KY", Kevin will never forget the good times he has had at SFA as he plans to pursue a law degree in the next coming year.

His family is very proud of his accomplishments and he wants to thank all of those who helped him become the person he is today.

Kevin is a 2004 graduate of Rice High School.



Kevin York

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