

Raider Powerlifting Results Given

Lady Raiders

The Rice Lady Raiders Powerlifting Team traveled to La Grange last Thursday night and came away champions of the 3rd Annual La Grange Invitational Powerlifting Meet.

La Grange, Brazos, Columbus, Waller, Schulenburg, and Rice High Schools participated in the meet. The ladies did a terrific job at the competition.

The next meet is Saturday, January 30 in Smithville. Results are as follows: La'Nia Jackson,

1st place; Kelly Al-obadi, 1st place; Haley Benton, 1st place; Diamond Ramirez, 1st place; Destinee Mason, 1st place; Melinda Llanos, 2nd place; Nihla Perry, 3rd place; Kim Luna, 3rd place; Aubrey Pavlu, 3rd place; Paige Vandermark, 3rd place; Zacavia Lowe, 4th place; Jordyn Pausewang, 4th place; Mitizi Samaniego, 5th place.

Raiders

The Rice Raider Boys competed in a Powerlifting Tournament in La Grange on Jan. 21. The team

placed third overall.

The stats were as follows: 148 lb. Weight Class – 1st place – Joseph Whitley – 850 lb. total; 148 lb. Weight Class – 4th place – Justin Garza – 775 lb. total; 165 lb. Weight Class – 4th place – Jimmy Foster – 835 lb. total; 165 lb. Weight Class – 5th place – Brian Labay – 775 lb. total; 181 lb. Weight Class – 3rd place – Preston Moreida – 990 lb. total; 181 lb. Weight Class – 5th place – Shak Norris – 845 lb. total; 198 lb. Weight Class – 1st place – Kody Miller – 975 lb. total;

198 lb. Weight Class – 3rd place – Jesus Leal – 960 lb. total; 198 lb. Weight Class – 5th place – Martin Ramirez – 870 lb. total.

The boys also competed in an event in East Bernard on Jan. 23. The team placed sixth overall.

Stats were as follows: 132 lb. Weight Class – 2nd place – Josh Korenek – 770 lb. total; 148 lb. Weight Class – 3rd place – Jontrell Pratt – 890 lb. total; 148 lb. Weight Class – 5th place – Lance Howard – 825 lb. total; 165 lb. Weight Class – 5th place – James Garner – 885 lb. total; 181 lb. Weight Class – 6th place – DeMarcus Tillman – 910 lb. total; 198 lb. Weight Class – 3rd place – Abraham Castillo – 1075 lb. total; 242 lb. Weight Class – 5th place – Ryan Korenek – 1125 lb. total; 274 lb. Weight Class – 1st place – Jonovan Allen – 1170 lb. total.

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We would like to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" to our Family and Friends who were there for us as we said "Goodbye" to our loved one. Thank you to Father Robert Guerra for your kind words and prayers and to friends and family for the food. Thank you also to Eagle Lake Funeral Home for your help as well.

The Cantu Family

The family of Paul Phillips would like to thank you for your prayers, cards, visits and beautiful flowers. Special thanks to the doctors and staff of St. Luke's Hospital and emergency life flight for the wonderful care Paul received.

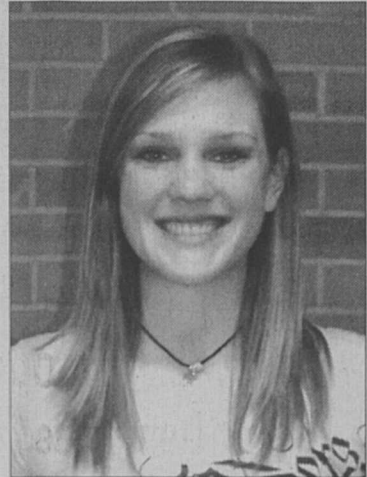
Many more thanks to Eagle Lake Funeral Home, Rev. Kevin Collison, First Baptist Church, Parish of the Nativity, Ron and Denise Janow, James and Lillie Brune, Kathy Ware and Jeff Frnka.

Your kindness means the world to us and we will be forever grateful. Our loss is immeasurable, but GOD has now gained one of the brightest jewels in HIS crown.

The families of: Denise Phillips, Christine Willetts, Jennifer White, Maudie Darr and Susan Gertson



Raider of the Week



Lauren Shimek, daughter of Al and Martha Shimek of Garwood, was selected as the Raider of the Week. She is a senior.

Lauren represents her school well through her participation in volleyball, softball and track. She also participates in National Honor Society, Future Teachers of America, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and yearbook.

On track to be an honor graduate, Lauren is an honor roll student. She also finds time to participate in the choir at her church, St. Mary's Catholic Church in Nada. Math is Lauren's best subject. She is currently taking calculus.

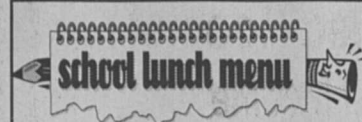
Next year Lauren will enter Texas A & M University at College Station where she has been accepted into the Mays Business School. She is planning to major in accounting.

Perfect Attendance Winners

Thirty students were drawn from those with perfect attendance for the past three weeks. They will be treated to a catered lunch picnic. Front row, Emily Mahalit, Kayla Llanes, Stefani Gertson, Valencia Clay, Jaquita Woods, Brittany Parker, Katlyn Brown, Michelle Smidovec, Araceli Esquivel, Alex Castillo. Middle: Derek Sewell, Josh Jurica, Matthew Trahan, Zach Yanez, Jolend Rodriguez, Kelvin Roy, Brittany Vasquez; back row, Jeffery Navarro, J.J. Reggins, Chad Davis, Cody Lantelme, Lance Howard, Reyes Marquez, Gustavo Ruiz, Cole Macek, Martin Ferrell. Not pictured, Kody Miller, Veronica Mendoza, Sandra Vega and Zacavia Lowe.

Correction:

In last week's edition of the Headlight, the football All-State Team should have been listed as the Associate Press All-State Team.



Rice Schools

Feb 1-5

Breakfast

Mon.-Honeybun, Sausage

Link

Tue.-Waffle Sticks, Sausage

Link

Wed.-Eggs, Toast

Thu.-Breakfast stick

Fri.-Cereal or yogurt

Lunch

Mon.-Chicken Nuggets,

Rice Pilaf, Mixed Veggies

Tue.-Taco Soup Broccoli,

Salad, Crackers

Wed.-Hot Dog, Chili, Fries,

Veggie Sticks, Ranch Dressing

Thu.-Pizza, Garden Salad,

Corn

Fri.-Ham & Cheese, Hoagie

Pickle Spear, Chips

School Days

Last week's calendar had a mistake:
THERE IS NO EARLY DISMISSAL 1-29-2010

Rice School Calendar Feb 1-6

Mon.-
Tue.-
Wed.-
Thu.-
Fri.-End of 3 Weeks
Sat.-ACT Testing
Sun.-

Annual Crop Production Stats Given

The 2009 Texas Upland cotton crop totaled 4.9 million bales, up ten percent from 2008 and down two percent from last month.

An estimated 3.65 million acres were harvested, 12 percent less than in 2008.

Harvested acreage produced a yield of 644 pounds per acre, compared with a yield of 657 pounds last year.

Corn production was estimated at 254.8 million bushels, up slightly from 2008.

Statewide yield was estimated at 130 bushels per acre, five bushels more than in 2008. Harvested acreage was estimated at 1.96 million acres, down three percent from 2008.

Texas peanut production was estimated at 542.5 million pounds, down 35 percent from 2008.

Statewide yield, at 3,500 pounds per acre, was 200 pounds more than 2008.

Sorghum production was estimated at 98.4 million bushels, down 38 percent from 2008.

Harvested acreage was estimated at 2.05 million acres, down 33 percent from the previous year.

Yield, at 48 bushels per acre, was 4 bushels less than in 2008.

Rice production totaled 13.2 million cwt, up 11 percent from 2008.

Statewide yield averaged 7,770 pounds per acre, 870 pounds more than the yield in 2008.

The 2009 Texas soybean crop was estimated at 4.8 million bushels, down five percent from the previous year.

Harvested acreage was estimated at 190,000 thousand acres, down seven percent from 2008.

Yield per acre was estimated at 25 bushels per acre, up 0.5 bushels from 2008.

Production of all hay was estimated at 8.3 million tons, down ten percent the previous year.

Harvested acreage, at 4.6 million acres, was up four percent, and yield was 1.79 tons per acre, compared with 2.08 tons in 2008.

United States corn for grain production, at 13.2 billion bushels, was up nine percent from the previous year.

Yield was estimated at 165.2 bushels per acre, up 11.3 bushels from 2008.

The U.S. sorghum crop was estimated at 383 million bushels, down 19 percent from 2008.

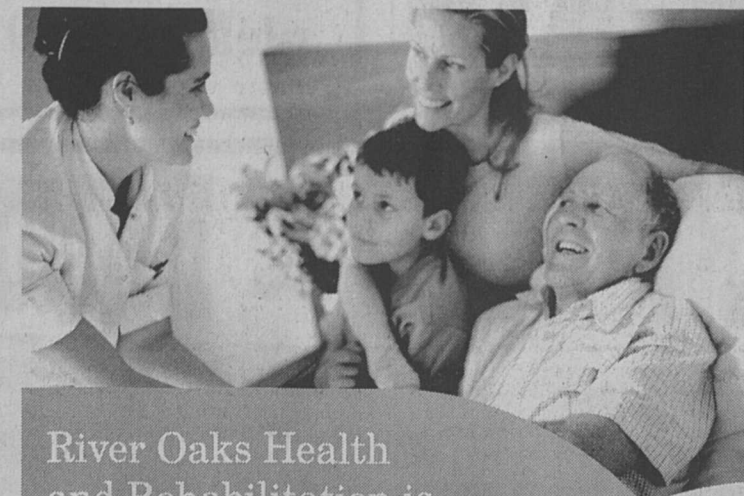
The U.S. Upland cotton crop

totalled 12.4 million bales, down three percent from 2008.

Soybean production totaled 3.36 billion bushels, up 13 percent from last year.

The U.S. peanut crop was estimated at 3.69 billion pounds, down 29 percent from a year ago.

U.S. rice production was estimated at 220 million cwt, up eight percent from 2008.



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