

RANGER COLLEGE INSIDE STUDENT SERVICES



GETTING TO KNOW...MELISSA FELTS



JOB TITLE:
ACADEMIC ADVISOR

WHEN DID YOU START WORKING AT RANGER COLLEGE?
OCTOBER 2023

WHERE DID YOU GROW UP?
STEPHENVILLE, TX

FAVORITE PLACE TO EAT IN TEXAS:
TEXAS ROADHOUSE/ PAPPASITO'S CANTINA

WHAT DOES YOUR IDEAL WEEKEND LOOK LIKE?
SPORTING EVENTS/ CHURCH/ SPENDING TIME
WITH FRIENDS & FAMILY

BOOK AND/OR MOVIE RECOMMENDATION:
THROUGH THE EYES OF A LION

GUILTY PLEASURE:
ANYTHING CHOCOLATE

FAVORITE RANGER COLLEGE MOMENT:
CHRISTMAS PARTY

ECLIPSE GLASSES AVAILABLE HERE



DON'T WATCH THE ECLIPSE WITHOUT THEM!



On Monday, April 8, 2024, a total solar eclipse will be visible in North America for the first time since 2017. The next solar eclipse will not be visible in the contiguous U.S. until 2044 according to NASA.

Ranger College is in an area that will receive 98.6% coverage



Students/Staff/Faculty = FREE* / Eastland County Residents = \$1 each or 6 for \$5

Ranger College: 2 pair/person

LIMITED SUPPLY

Eastland County Residents: Max purchase: 6 pairs

RANGER COLLEGE UPWARD BOUND
Where students grow to go

RANGER COLLEGE STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

GOLDEN TICKET RAFFLE

\$100- \$50- \$25
Visa Gift Cards

DEADLINE: APRIL 5, 2024

HOW TO ENTER:

CURRENT S3 MEMBERS \$50 Gift Card

Bring a friend to S3 advisors to complete an application. OR Be named as a referral by an S3 applicant One entry per friend who completes the application. No limit to number of entries

APPLY TO S3 PROGRAM \$25 Gift Card

Automatically entered by completing a S3 application. Scan below:



EVERY NEW S3 MEMBER \$100 Gift Card

New S3 applicants who qualify for our programs, will be contacted to meet with an advisor for a personalized Academic Success Plan & be entered into the \$100 Golden Ticket Raffle.

SHOW ME THE MONEY!

A Discussion on Funding Your Education

APRIL 17, 2024 AT 12PM

STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER

LUNCH PROVIDED

ARE STUDENT
LOANS A GOOD
OPTION? HOW MUCH
STUDENT DEBT IS
TOO MUCH DEBT? WILL MY LOANS
BE FORGIVEN?

HOW ELSE CAN
I PAY FOR
COLLEGE?

EVERYONE HAS LOANS, RIGHT?

S3 MEMBERS

RSVP LINK:



**STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES
FINANCIAL LITERACY WORKSHOP**

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SOCIAL MEDIA POSTS OF THE WEEK



Ranger College Student Support Services

16h · 🌐

Missed us today at lunch? We will be back next week! In the meantime, RC students are still eligible to sign up for the Golden Ticket Raffle at the link below:



Ranger College Cosmetology - Stephenville

23h · 🌐

A big thank you to Haley Painter for the color class she presented. #envyco.salon #haleythe painter



FORMER RANGER STANDOUT LEADS HUSKERS INTO THE BIG DANCE

FOR TWO SEASONS, KEISEI TOMINAGA PUT THE SPOTLIGHT OF NOT ONLY HIS HOME COUNTRY OF JAPAN, BUT MUCH OF THE U.S. ON RANGER COLLEGE. A SHARPSHOOTING GUARD, HE HELPED THE RANGERS MAKE BACK-TO-BACK TRIPS TO THE NJCAA DIVISION I NATIONAL BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS BEFORE HEADING FOR NEBRASKA AND THE BIG 10 LIMELIGHT.

HE HASN'T DISAPPOINTED ANYONE.

TOMINAGA LEADS THE HUSKERS INTO THE NCAA TOURNAMENT THIS FRIDAY. NEBRASKA IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ITS RUN IN THE BIG DANCE ON AT 5:50 P.M. AGAINST TEXAS A&M IN THE FIRST ROUND OF THE SOUTH REGIONAL. NEBRASKA ENTERS THE TOURNAMENT AS THE NO. 8 SEED.

RANGER COLLEGE'S CAREER LEADER IN THREE-POINTERS MADE, TOMINAGA IS EXPECTED TO PLAY A KEY ROLE IN THE HUSKERS' CHANCES. AN ALL-BIG 10 TOURNAMENT SELECTION, HE HAS AVERAGED 14.9 POINTS PER GAME AS A SENIOR THIS SEASON AND LED NEBRASKA TO A 23-10 RECORD. THE HUSKERS FINISHED THIRD IN THE BIG 10 STANDINGS.

THE SON OF A FORMER JAPANESE PROFESSIONAL, HE STARTED 31 GAMES FOR NEBRASKA THIS SEASON, IN THAT SPAN, HE HAS SHOT BETTER THAN 46 PERCENT FROM THE FIELD (HITTING 162 OF HIS 346 ATTEMPTS) WHILE KNOCKING DOWN 71 THREE-POINTERS. HIS THREE-POINT TOTAL WAS THE FOURTH-HIGHEST IN THE CONFERENCE EVEN THOUGH HE PLAYED THE FEWEST MINUTES OF ANY OTHER PLAYER AMONG THE TOP 14.

"HE'S SOMETHING SPECIAL," SAID CARSON ALLDREDGE, A FORMER RC STUDENT WHO HELPED BROADCAST THE RANGERS' NATIONAL TOURNAMENT APPEARANCE IN 2021. "WE ALL KNEW HE WAS ONLY GOING TO GET BETTER."

TOMINAGA WAS SENSATIONAL FOR THE HUSKERS LATE IN THE SEASON. HE PUMPED IN A SEASON-HIGH 31 POINTS IN NEBRASKA'S GAME AGAINST ILLINOIS ON FEBRUARY 4. HE SANK FIVE THREE-POINTERS IN NU'S WIN OVER MICHIGAN ON MARCH 10.

RECRUITED TO RANGER COLLEGE BY FORMER HEAD COACH BILLY GILLISPIE, TOMINAGA TERRORIZED OPPOSING DEFENSES IN HIS TWO SEASON WITH THE RANGERS. PLAYING ALONGSIDE PORTLAND STATE STAR JORELL SATERFIELD, HE POWERED RANGER COLLEGE TO THE FINAL FOUR AT NJCAA NATIONAL TOURNAMENT IN 2021.

SATERFIELD, WHO INITIALLY SIGNED WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT EL PASO (UTEP), RECENTLY FINISHED HIS CAREER AS AN ALL-BIG SKY CONFERENCE SELECTION.

TOMINAGA IS THE LATEST FORMER RC STANDOUT TO PLAY IN THE NCAA TOURNAMENT, JOINING FORMER RANGERS JAREN (ENGLISH) HOLMES IN 2020 AND CORYON MASON, WHO HELPED LEAD ABILENE CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY TO THE BIG DANCE IN 2020.



RANGER BASEBALL SPLITS TWINBILL WITH GRAYSON

JOSHUA COMEAUX AND ANDREW PEREZ WENT YARD IN GAME 1 AND HELPED POWER RANGER COLLEGE TO A SPLIT OF THEIR DOUBLEHEADER WITH GRAYSON COLLEGE ON WEDNESDAY IN DENISON.

COMEAUX HELPED RC GET OFF TO A HOT START. HE BLASTED A 1-2 PITCH OFF THE WALL IN LEFT IN THE TOP OF THE FIRST INNING AND STAKED THE RANGERS TO A 1-0 LEAD.

GRAYSON AIDED RC'S EFFORTS MOMENTS LATER. THE VIKINGS MISPLAYED A HARD LINER OFF THE BAT OF RANGER'S ENSUING BATTER, ROBERT OROPEZA, AND ALLOWED A RUN TO COME HOME.

PEREZ CAPPED THE RANGERS' FIRST-INNING HEROICS FROM THERE. AFTER A WALK TO MICHAEL TORRES-IDROGO HAD LOADED THE BASES, PEREZ HIT INTO A FIELDER'S CHOICE AT THIRD TO CAP A 3-0 START.

JAXON HAYNES PADDED RANGER'S LEAD IN THE FOURTH. HE HIT A SACRIFICE FLY TO LEFT THAT ALLOWED JACKSON DILLINGHAM TO SCORE FROM THIRD AND UP RC'S ADVANTAGE TO 4-0.

GRAYSON THREATENED TO GET BACK INTO THE GAME. THE VIKINGS SCORED IN THE HOME HALF OF THE FOURTH AND PULLED THEMSELVES TO WITHIN THREE RUNS HEADING INTO THE FIFTH.

PEREZ, WHO FINISHED THE GAME WITH A TEAM-HIGH THREE RBI, SALTED THE GAME 1 WIN AWAY FROM THERE. WITH ONE OUT AND OROPEZA ON SECOND, PEREZ BLASTED A 1-1 PITCH TO DEEP LEFT FOR A TWO-RUN HOME AND A 6-1 LEAD.

GRAYSON MANAGED TO LOAD THE BASES ON THE BOTTOM OF THE SEVENTH BUT FAILED TO SCORE.

THE VIKINGS SCORED NINE TIMES IN THE BOTTOM OF THE FIFTH INNING OF GAME 2 AND RALLIED TO TAKE A 13-3 DECISION. GRAYSON TRAILED 3-0 HEADING INTO THE HOME HALF OF THE THIRD.

HAYNES HIGHLIGHTED RANGER'S EFFORTS IN GAME 2 WITH A HOME RUN TO LEFT IN THE TOP OF THE THIRD. HIS BLAST STAKED RC TO A 2-0 LEAD. THE VIKINGS RESPONDED IN THE BOTTOM HALF OF THE FRAME WITH FOUR RUNS TO TAKE THE LEAD FOR GOOD.

WITH THE SPLIT, THE RANGERS, NOW 20-12 OVERALL AND 5-5 IN CONFERENCE, REMAINED A GAME BEHIND TEMPLE IN THE WIN COLUMN FOR FOURTH-PLACE IN THE NORTHERN TEXAS JUNIOR COLLEGE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE STANDINGS. ONLY THE TOP FOUR TEAMS IN THE FINAL CONFERENCE STANDINGS ADVANCE TO THE REGION 5 TOURNAMENT.



HSI PRESENTS **WOMEN** **MAKE** **HISTORY**



**VERONICA
DIAZ -
HUMAN
RESOURCES
SPECIALIST,
PRIMAL PET
FOODS**



**LIVIA
MARTINEZ -
BENEFITS
ADMINISTRATOR,
FIRST FINANCIAL
BANK**



**STEPHANIE
WORRELS -
ASSOCIATE VP
OF ADVISING/
RECRUITING/
COUNSELING**



**DR. LINDY
MATTHEWS -
VP OF
INSTITUTIONAL
ADVANCEMENT**



**CAROLINA
ZERTUCHE -
FAMILY
ADVOCATE,
ABILENE ISD**

**Come hear five women's stories -
How they overcame obstacles to make a
difference in the world. Round Table
Discussion and Q&A Session. Refreshments
served afterward.**

**MONDAY
MARCH 25**

7:00 P.M.
Golemon Library



10K | 5K | 1 MILE FUN RUN
**PINECONE
DASH**

**All proceeds go
towards EMT
scholarships!**



Nick Grant



Jorge Artisa



Jerry Allen



Chaser Crouch

Live Music!
10 AM - 2 PM
Bring a lawn chair!

April 6, 2024
Stephenville, TX

**Vendor
Market!**
8:30 AM-2PM

Prepare yourself to run, shop,
and dance! More info and to get
registered please visit

www.pinecone5kdash.com

510 E. Lingleville Rd.
Timber Ridge Church
Parking Lot

**MORE THAN JUST BOOKS
BY GOLEMON LIBRARY ASSISTANT, HELEN COZART**

IF YOU HAVEN'T BEEN BY THE LIBRARY YET TO SEE THE FRANKENSTEIN EXHIBIT, COME ON OVER. IT IS A FASCINATING LOOK AT MEDICAL EXPERIMENTATION TO BRING THE DEAD BACK TO LIFE. BE SURE TO LOOK AT THE COMPANION LESSON PLANS AND SEND YOUR STUDENTS OVER. IF YOU LIKE THIS ONE, WE ARE HAVING ONE NEXT SPRING CALLED GRAPHIC MEDICINE, A LOOK AT THE USE OF COMICS TO TELL PERSONAL STORIES OF ILLNESS AND HEALTH. I LOVE A GOOD GRAPHIC NOVEL, SO WE WILL PROBABLY BUMP UP THE COLLECTION IN ANTICIPATION OF THIS. YOU CAN SUBMIT REQUESTS FOR BOOK PURCHASES ANYTIME.

WHAT TO DO THIS WEEKEND: THE BIG DEAL THIS WEEKEND IS OUTLAWS AND LEGENDS, THE ABILENE MUSIC FESTIVAL THAT IS THE TALK OF THE STATE. WHILE YOU ARE THERE, CHECK OUT THE BIG COUNTRY SWAP MEET AND CAR CORRAL. IT IS THE ONLY PLACE TO GET THOSE HARD-TO-FIND PARTS FOR YOUR HOT ROD, ANTIQUE CAR, OR RACE CAR.

**Some people want it to happen
Some wish it would happen
OTHERS MAKE IT HAPPEN.**

-Michael Jordan

