

## ***Inside Student Services***

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***Getting to Know...Kathy Lucky***



**Job Title:** Assistant to the Vice President of Student Services

**When did you start working at Ranger College?** 2014

**The coolest place I have ever been:** Montana

**Favorite place to eat in Texas?** Texas Roadhouse – There's nothing better than a good steak.

**Where can we find you on a Friday night?** Laying around the house watching TV.

**Favorite television or movie character:** Yellowstone, Rip Wheeler

**Guilty pleasure:** Staying in my pajamas all day.

**Favorite Ranger College Moment:** My most exciting moment was going to Kansas for the Men's Basketball National Tournament.

### ***Weekly Ranger Athletics Recap***

The week in athletics was a slow one. Most of the coaches are out on the recruiting trail looking to welcome in the next Ranger College athletic class. Keep up with the various RC athletic team social media pages for updates on new student-athlete signees.

Both baseball and softball were in action this past week competing in 4-game series with nationally ranked Grayson College. The lone win for Ranger came in the opening game of the Lady Rangers match-up on Wednesday afternoon.

### ***Rangers Help Save Planet***

On Thursday students from the Ranger campus celebrated Earth Day. Earth Day is an annual event on April 22 to demonstrate support for environmental protection. First held on April 22, 1970, it now includes a wide range of events coordinated globally by EarthDay.org including 1 billion people in more than 193 countries. The official theme for 2022 is Invest in Our Planet. Students from Biology Professor James Francis gave a lecture to fellow students on practices that the community can do to assist. Dr. Jerry Glidewell provided canisters for Ranger campus to collect recycling which students were able to decorate.







### ***End of Term Celebration and Game Day***

With the end of the school year nearly upon us, Ranger students got to take a break from their studies. Students on the Ranger campus engaged in the End of Term Celebration by tie dying t-shirts while enjoying an old-fashioned cookout behind the cafetorium. In addition, to cool off in the hot Texas sun, a lemonade stand was on hand to offer up an ice-cold refreshment for students and staff.

On the Erath County campus, Professor Andrew Boyer held a Game Day extravaganza for students to break away from the monotony of their daily routines. Students played UNO, Family Feud, and many other popular games.









***More Than Just Books by Golemon Library Assistant, Mrs. Helen Cozart***

Be sure to stop by the library around 5:00 on Thursday for our poetry reading and prize award ceremony. Then head over to the Cafetorium for the Choir World Tour show at 7:00. And a good time will be had by all...

As we start looking to close out this year, I want to share one of our goals for next year – to increase cultural awareness. Golemon Library has developed a plan to introduce a variety of places in the world to our College family. Using important cultural events, we will visit a different place every two weeks, through its festivals, art, and literature. Please explore the calendar, considering how you might incorporate conversations about these people and places into your curriculum.

Dates for displays

August 7 – August 27: Brazil; [Tango Festival and World Cup](#)

August 28 – September 10: Italy; [Regatta Storica](#)

September 11 – September 24: South Africa; [Hermanus Whale Festival](#)

September 25 – October 15: Malawi; [Lake of Stars Festival](#)

October 16 – October 29: India; [Diwali/Hindu Festival of Light](#)

October 30 – November 12: Papua New Guinea; [Alotau Konu and Kundufest](#)

November 13 – December 3: Nigeria; [Nollywood Film Festival](#)

December 4 – December 11: Abu Dhabi; [Abu Dhabi Festival](#)

January 22 – February 4: Malaysia and Singapore; [Thaipusam](#)



February 5 – February 18: Japan; [Sapporo Snow Festival](#)  
February 19 – March 4: Bolivia; [Carnival of Oruro](#);  
March 5 – March 18: Worldwide Buddhism; [Holi](#)  
March 19 – April 1: Worldwide Islam; [Ramadan](#)  
April 2 – April 15: Laos; [New Year](#)  
April 16 – April 29: Nepal; [Domkhar Tshechu](#), [Ura Yakchoe](#), [Rhododendron Festival](#)  
April 30 – May 12: New Zealand; [Matariki](#) (New Year)

What to do this weekend: The [Scarborough Renaissance Festival](#) is on weekends from April 9 through May 30. Each weekend has a specific theme. This week it is Live the Fantasy & Spring Collection (Fairies). If cosplay is not your thing, try the [Women's Air Service Pilots \(WASP\)](#) Homecoming in Sweetwater.

Our current theme is Poetry. Since National Poetry Month is a month long, we decided to look at a different type of poetry each week. As we announce our cultural exploration for next year, it is appropriate to explore poetry from around the world.

### ***Motivational Quote of the Week***

