

Inside Student Services

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Getting to know...Ed Barnes



Job Title: Assistant Professor of Biology

When did you start working at Ranger College? Fall 2017

Where did you grow up? I grew up in the Spring/Woodlands area.

Favorite place to eat in Texas? I don't have a favorite restaurant, but I love Chinese and Thai food. I can even make a lot of it myself.

Where can we find you on a Friday night? I'm a homebody. I'm usually at home with my wife and fur-babies.

What is the last book you read? "The Genius of Birds" by Jennifer Ackerman

Guilty pleasure: Hiking/backpacking. As I get older, it's more hiking and less backpacking, but it's almost always somewhere in the Rockies.

Favorite Ranger College Moment: I had a struggling student a few years ago. She was a mom of two teens and was making a D in my class at mid-semester. She was really upset because she felt that she was being a hypocrite by demanding As and Bs from her kids while doing poorly in my class. She, I, and Dr. Kent got together and worked on her study and test-taking skills. My Ranger College Moment was after I posted grades for the next exam. She made an A! She came into my lab/office because she was SURE I had entered the grade wrong. She was so excited she started to cry. I'm a man in my mid-50s and I even started to tear up. Then we went to see Dr. Kent and she even teared up. It was the first time I felt like I truly made a difference as an instructor.

Social Media Post of the Week



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Ranger College President, Derrick Worrels!
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Meet and Greet



RANGER COLLEGE PRESIDENT
DERRICK WORRELS

HOSTED BY: STEPHENVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
WHEN: FEBRUARY 2, 2023 4-6:00 PM
LOCATION: CTFAC GALLERY ON DOWNTOWN SQUARE

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Ranger Athletic Scoreboard Week January 22-28, 2023

Women's Basketball

Weatherford College 75 Lady Rangers 95

Lady Rangers 67 Southwest Christian 44

McLlenan College 70 Lady Rangers 39

Men's Basketball

Weatherford College 68 Ranger 87

Ranger 61 Southwest Christian 80

McLlenan College 66 Ranger 52

Baseball

Ranger 18 Baton Rouge Community College 2


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

I know I write a lot about our resources, but did you know we have study aids, like white boards, headphones, and free copies? We have collaboration spaces as well as quiet work areas, so students can choose what suits their needs at the time. We offer library instruction, in person or on Zoom to help students understand how the databases work or how to tell good stuff from crap in Google. Let your students know we can make their life easier.

[What to do this weekend:](#) It's the [Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo](#). Grab your hat and boots and get some rodeo!!

As part of our [International Year](#), this week we are celebrating Malaysia and Singapore; [Thaipusam](#). Thaipusam is celebrated during the full moon of the Tamil month of Thai. In 2023 it is February 5. Thaipusam draws thousands of devotees to pay their respects to the Lord Muruga. It is a colorful and shocking Hindu festival where devotees pierce themselves with pins and spikes, hang pots and fruit off their chests with hooks and pull chariots or people hanging onto heavy rope attached to their backs by hooks.

Motivational Quote of the Week

A decorative border of pink flowers and leaves surrounds the central text. The flowers are stylized with multiple petals and a central dot, and the leaves are simple, pointed shapes. The border is composed of several branches with flowers and leaves, creating a frame around the quote.

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