



RANGER COLLEGE INSIDE STUDENT SERVICES



GETTING TO KNOW...

GENERALIST

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WHEN DID YOU BEGIN SERVING AT
RANGER COLLEGE?

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WHERE WERE YOU BORN?

FT. WORTH, TEXAS

FAVORITE LOCAL RESTAURANT

MARY'S CAFE

WHAT IS YOUR IDEAL VACATION
DESTINATION?

SWITZERLAND OR ANYWHERE IN THE
MOUNTAINS

WHAT IS A BOOK, MOVIE, OR SERIES
RECOMMENDATION?

VANDERPUMP RULES OR LOVE ISLAND

GUILTY PLEASURE

CHICKEN FRIED STEAK

MEANINGFUL RANGER COLLEGE
MEMORY

FEELING SO WELCOMED BY EVERYBODY
WHEN I FIRST STARTED AT RANGER!

CARING CAMPUS MOMENT

GETTING OFFERED HELP AFTER I HAD A
CAR PROBLEM ONE MORNING. SHAYLA
AND SHERRY DID NOT HESITATE TO
HELP ME OUT. I'M SO GRATEFUL TO
HAVE SUCH GREAT COWORKERS!

SOCIAL MEDIA POST OF THE WEEK



Ranger College

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We had a very successful Grand Opening for the Ranger REACH Pantry at the [Ranger College Erath County](#) today! Thank you to everyone who attended and supported the Pantry.

Pantry Hours at the Erath Center are Monday through Thursday 10:30 to 2:30.

👍❤️ Vasiliki Y. Martinez + 69 6 shares



Ranger College Erath County

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Our recruiting team spent their Monday pouring into the 8th graders of Ms. Kelli McKinzie's Career & College Readiness class at Henderson Junior High in Stephenville!

Thank you Stephenville ISD for allowing us to share information about Ranger College with your students!



Bounce Back Stronger

meta
teletherapy

LIFE IS FULL OF UNEXPECTED CHALLENGES. FROM ACADEMIC SETBACKS TO SOCIAL CONFLICTS, LEARNING HOW TO BOUNCE BACK IS ESSENTIAL FOR YOUR MENTAL HEALTH.

RESILIENCE IS ABOUT BUILDING MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL STRENGTH TO FACE ADVERSITY WITH CONFIDENCE.

META TELETHERAPY COUNSELORS CAN HELP YOU DEVELOP HEALTHY COPING MECHANISMS AND CULTIVATE A GROWTH MINDSET.

USE THE ADVANCED FILTERS TO SHOW COUNSELORS OFFERING SCHOOL-SPONSORED SESSIONS.

POETRY CONTEST

Opens April 1, 2025

Ends April 24, 2025

Are you an aspiring poet? Maybe you would just like a prize or some extra credit in English class? In honor of National Poetry Month, Golemon Library is sponsoring our fourth annual Poetry Writing Contest.

This year's theme is **The Future**

Guidelines:

- Minimum twelve lines
- Rhyming or unrhymed
- Unlimited entries
- Theme: The Future
- Must be original work
- Ranger College students from all campuses and dual credit are eligible



Entries must be submitted to library@rangercollege.edu with the subject line **Poetry Contest** by 11:59 PM April 24, 2025 and must include your name and phone number.

Awards

- **First Prize: \$50 Amazon gift card and a special gift**
- **Second Prize: \$25 Amazon gift card**
- **Third Prize: \$10 Amazon gift card**

Prizes will be awarded at a poetry reading at Golemon Library
Wednesday, April 30th at 5:00 PM

Whether you make a submission or not, please join us for the festivities.

MORE THAN JUST BOOKS BY GOLEMEN LIBRARY ASSISTANT, HELEN COZART

ROBERT FROST SAID THAT POETRY IS WHEN AN EMOTION HAS FOUND ITS THOUGHT, AND THE THOUGHT HAS FOUND WORDS. APRIL IS NATIONAL POETRY MONTH AND EVERY YEAR GOLEMEN LIBRARY SPONSORS A POETRY CONTEST FOR STUDENTS. THIS YEAR'S THEME IS THE FUTURE. I EXPECT STUDENTS HAVE A LOT TO SAY ABOUT THE FUTURE AND AM LOOKING FORWARD TO EVEN MORE ENTRIES COMING OVER THE NEXT COUPLE OF WEEKS. WE WILL STOP ACCEPTING ENTRIES ON APRIL 24 SO THE JUDGES HAVE A LITTLE TIME TO MAKE THEIR DECISIONS. FIRST PRIZE IS \$50 AMAZON GIFT CARD. SECOND PRIZE IS \$25 GIFT CARD AND THIRD PRIZE IS A \$10 GIFT CARD. LAST YEAR A DONOR DOUBLED THE PRIZES, SO MAYBE WE HAVE SOMETHING SPECIAL TO LOOK FORWARD TO THIS YEAR. PRIZES ARE AWARDED AT A POETRY READING IN THE LIBRARY ON APRIL 30 AT 5:00. WE KNOW A LOT OF STUDENTS DON'T LIVE NEAR RANGER SO WE ZOOM THE AWARD CEREMONY AND READING. EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND THE ZOOM OR IN PERSON (IN PERSON IS BETTER - WE HAVE COOKIES).

WHAT TO DO THIS WEEKEND: THE THREE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS TO DO THIS WEEKEND ARE RIGHT AT HOME. FIRST, STOP BY THE LIBRARY TO VISIT THE EXHIBIT GRAPHIC MEDICINE: WELL-DRAWN AND ILL-CONCEIVED. IT IS ONLY GOING TO BE ON THE RANGER CAMPUS UNTIL SUNDAY. IT WILL BE MOVING TO OUR BROWN COUNTY CAMPUS FOR ITS FINAL TWO WEEKS AT RANGER COLLEGE. THE OTHER TWO YOU CAN DO TOGETHER. THE EASTLAND COUNTY MUSEUM HAS AN EXHIBIT CALLED SAM HOUSTON: TEXAS ICON. IT WILL BE THERE THROUGH APRIL 26. WHILE YOU ARE AT THE MUSEUM THIS WEEKEND, STEP OUTSIDE TO ENJOY RIP'S RIB FESTIVAL RIGHT ON THE DOWNTOWN SQUARE.

IN THE WINDOW THIS WEEK: THIS WEEK STARTS OUR LAST NEW WINDOW OF THE YEAR. WE ARE LOOKING AT THE LAKES HERITAGE TRAIL REGION OF TEXAS. THE LAKES HERITAGE TRAIL ADVERTISES ITSELF AS THE PLACE WHERE THE COUNTRYSIDE MEETS THE CITY. THERE IS A GOOD REASON FOR THIS - THE DALLAS-FORT WORTH METROPLEX ANCHORS THE ENTIRE REGION. FROM THE ACTON STATE HISTORIC SITE TO THE VINTAGE FLYING MUSEUM THERE IS ENOUGH TO SEE AND DO ON THE LAKES TRAIL TO FILL UP ALL YOUR WEEKENDS.

