

## ***Inside Student Services***

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### ***Getting to Know...Tommy Wells***



**Job Title:** Sports Information Director/Public Relations

**When did you start working at Ranger College?** 2015

**The coolest place I have ever been:** Nome, Alaska. It was 67 degrees below zero. My family and I lived in Alaska for many years.

**Favorite place to eat in Texas?** Farina's in Granbury, or Rosa's in Abilene.

**Where can we find you on a Friday night?** At a six-man football game somewhere. I love six-man football!

**Favorite television show or movie:** Big Bang Theory... although I hardly ever watch TV.

**Guilty pleasure:** I was born to be a Houston Astros' fan. My mother literally went into labor with me while watching a game in the Astrodome.

**Favorite Ranger College Moment:** Broadcasting baseball games with Corey Blaise or doing the starting lineups for the 2-time national tournament qualifying RC Rangers men's basketball team.

### ***Athletic News***

The week in athletics was a slow one as many teams' seasons have ended or are waiting for the Spring to begin. The Men's and Women's Basketball teams, however, were in action this week. The men finished the week 3-1 improving their overall record to 5-1 on the season. The women had a disappointing road trip but highlighted the week with a thrilling victory over Howard College on Homecoming Night.

As a bonus, Women's Basketball Student Athlete, Afrika Lewis, was honored as Homecoming Queen alongside Baseball Student Athlete, Sungmo Yeon, who was recognized as Homecoming King.



### ***Ranger Highlight of the Week***

The Ranger campus got into the Christmas spirit early this year with the help of our Phi Theta Kappa students. Thanks to the coordination of Financial Aid Assistant, Amy Spindle; Assistant to the Vice President, Kathy Lucky; and Professor Lance

Hawvermale, the Ranger campus PTK put up a Christmas tree in the lobby of the Welcome Center.



## Social Media Post of the Week



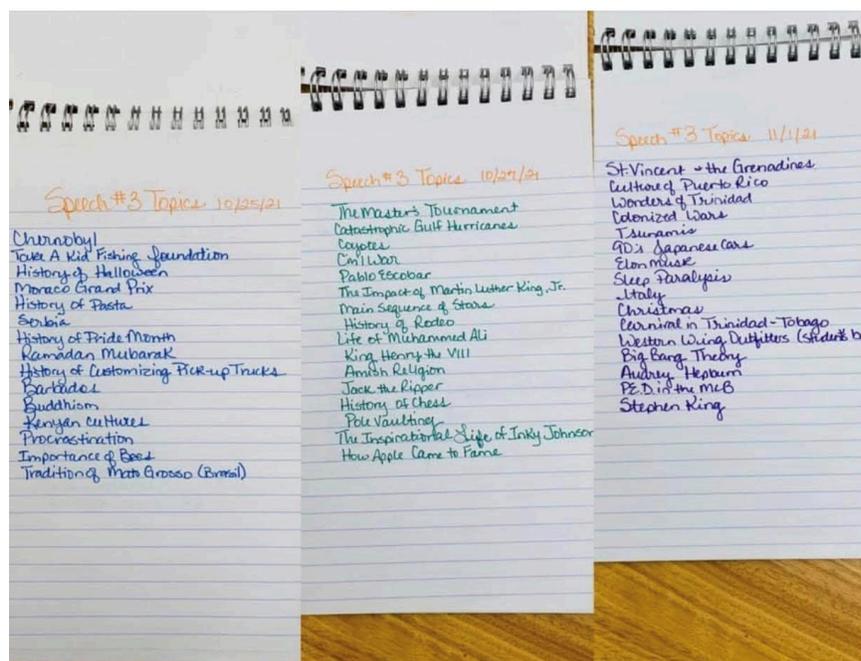
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So it's taken me a minute to brag on my students because of some make-up speeches (90% of my students are athletes making it a revolving door of who won't have a game pop up on their speech day 🏈🏀🏆). But these students y'all: they are a combo of first-gen college students, first-gen Americans, international students from too many places to count 🌍; many of them are overcoming language barriers, learning disabilities, culture shock, homesickness and how to juggle adulthood. Yet, THEY ROSE to the occasion! The topics they chose for their Informative Speeches were the best I've seen in 13 years of teaching, and they didn't pick easy topics either. They make me proud, and I'm looking forward to what policy they choose to present for their Persuasive Speeches next week! 🙌

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

What can the library do for you? Students are an important part of our customer base, but we want faculty to be aware of opportunities you must use the library. Yes, use us.

Please come in to take advantage of our time, tools, and knowledge. We love research, so we are happy to help with personal projects. For students, we can help you create a [LibGuide](#) that directs your students straight to resources you want them to have – without having to login to Blackboard. We can collaborate with you to develop an innovative curriculum with a technological flavor your students will love. One important thing we can do is tailor our collection to suit your needs. The library is constantly acquiring new material, both to update older material and to introduce new topics. We are happy to order just about anything you need. We have an [online request form](#), but we would really love it if you came in to visit and tell us what you need. We might be able to do even more than you imagine. A big part of our job is to make yours easier.

Our current theme is November. November is a surprisingly busy month. Come by to celebrate senior pets, family stories, no shaving, recycling awareness, and Veterans.

***Motivational Quote of the Week***

***You must leave this world  
a better place than it  
would have been if you  
had not existed.***

***--Isabel Wilkerson***