

# RANGER RECORD

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## RANGER VOLLEYBALL

By: Audry Covarrubias, Liliana Brammer, and Emily Toscano

On October 19th, our 8th grade Lady Rangers had their pink out game! They went up against Connally Middle School. The A team lady rangers first set of the game came with effort and sweat. They unfortunately lost their first set. Luckily they came back stronger for the second set with them winning with a score of 25 to 21. Lastly A team won the third set with a score of 25 to 18. B team also won, with their most impressive score yet in their third set. B team beat Connally 25 to 0!



In a interview with Andrea Gonzalez, we asked her which Pink Out game she liked better; this year or last year? She said "I personally loved both but this year was more fun and intense" Good job to our Lady Rangers! We will miss watching the hustle on the court, Until next year, Lady Ranger's.

## RANGER FOOTBALL

By: Haidyn Glover, Micaylah Trevino, and Emaan Minhas

### 7th Grade Makes It to Playoffs

The 7th-grade Rudder Rangers have only lost one game during this whole season, and they ended it by being able to participate in the playoffs. The Rudder Rangers were determined to win and fought very hard, but they came up short. Their score at the end of the playoffs was 6-36. We are so proud of them and realize that the playoffs were definitely the hardest they've ever fought.

### Johnny "Football" Mata attributes to the team.

The 7th grade best play was made by Johnny "Football" Mata, number 6. He was able to score one touchdown for the team during the playoffs!

He was often described as hardworking, determined, confident, inspirational, energetic, and honest by his teammates.

### Michael Lee attributes to the team.

This season, we interviewed the 7th grade quarterback Michael Lee. We asked how he felt in the playoffs, and he said he was ecstatic. When we interviewed him, he said, "To be a good teammate, you have to have leadership, be kind, and always have a positive attitude even when the game isn't going your way."



# Ranger Orchestra

By. Khoi Rand, Ariana Benavides, and Layla Antu

We appreciate all of our electives at Rudder, but we would like to highlight Band & Orchestra because of their performances that exceeded expectations.

In an interview with the band teacher, Mr. Mora, We asked him: “What do you believe is the hardest part about teaching an instrument?” In response, he said, “More people struggle with what's on the page or what's on the instrument. The hardest part is identifying [exactly] what they're struggling on.”



On October 30th, the orchestra had a fantastic performance held at Earl Rudder Middle School. The performance was wonderful, as we heard! They performed songs such as Mystic Dances and Qin Shi's Stone Army. We are incredibly proud of our Rudder Orchestra and hope you can attend their future performances! We cannot help but be extremely proud of our Rudder Band and Orchestra, we wish them luck in their future.

# Ranger Ruby Dancers

By. Sam Lopez, Ayuk Ayamba, and Layla Barela

On October 24th, Rudder Dance had a “Thrill a Mill” Dance and performance organized by NISD to fight against hunger in San Antonio. It was celebrated using colorful and vibrant colors, including Halloween decorations. Hundreds of middle school students performed in the annual thrill-a-mill event, which is a service project for the San Antonio food bank.



In addition to pushing artistic boundaries, Rudder Dance and Theatre is committed to community engagement through drama in theatre, demonstrating their acting talent. Here are some of the dance dates you might want to put on your calendar;

- Thrill a Mill Oct.24
- Ruby dancers at Marshall Winter Show Dec.1
- Rudder dance recital Dec.4
- Elementary tour Dec.15
- Rudder winter guard (new dance club).



# Student Highlight

By: Sabla Salih, Maya Davis, and Logan Armstrong

We decided to interview the student Haidyn Glover, who is hardworking and devoted. She has straight A's and would like to get even better grades to become a teacher or physical therapist in the future. Haidyn wants to become a teacher/ physical therapist in the future because she likes working with people. We asked her a list of critical thinking questions and she answered with confidence. Haidyn does dance outside of school, and is really good at it. She enjoys doing dance because it is a way to let go of stress and helps calm her down. She has said "When I'm upset or need to clear my mind, I dance it helps me let go of emotions and be free." The reason we decided to highlight Haidyn was because she possesses the attributes of academic excellence, community involvement, overcoming obstacles, and her creative talents.

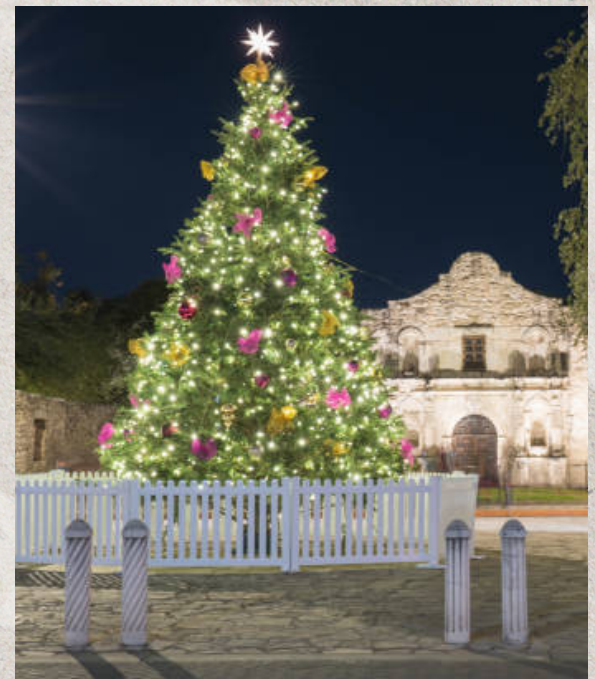


## Current Events

By: Sidra Tareq, Zay Johnson, Sahara Greer, and Joaquin Villarreal

During the month of November, we celebrate the Day of the Dead to cherish and celebrate our loved ones. One of the many traditions that people do is make traditional dishes and hang decorations or ofrendas that represent their loved ones. People who celebrate the Day of the Dead go to festivals, parades and host parties in remembrance of people that were in their families. Day of the Dead is not meant to be celebrated in a way of sadness or grief; it's meant to be cherished and be happy in the memory of loved ones.

Yes, Halloween was fun...but do you know what's even more fun? Christmas!!! Christmas is one of the most celebrated holidays around the world and is the best time to spend your time with family and friends. One of the upcoming events is in downtown Riverwalk. They are doing a festival for Christmas and will be hosting it soon in the month of December!



### Clubs offered at Rudder

- Robotics club
- Spanish club
- Video game club
- Inspire You Collective
- NJHS
- Student Council
- ACORN / garden club
- Rudder pit masters
- Competitive E-sports
- Rudder Guitar Club
- Anime club
- Makerspace / Coding Club
- Karaoke Wednesday
- Crochet Club
- Winter guard

## Ranger Clubs

By: Christopher Tobias, Lilly Ramirez, Haley Reyes

Clubs and organizations are after-school or before-school clubs that usually last around an hour or an hour and a half. They bring some more academic learning and circulars to the students.

In Pitmasters, you learn how to proactively cook and how to keep everything clean while cooking, and you get to try new foods. Pitmasters Club meets only two times a month and is sponsored by Mr. Chavez and Mr. Kallead. In the Video Game Club, you get to hang out with friends and play games. In the Video Game Club, they play Super Smash Bros and Mario Kart. Video game clubs last usually an hour. Join a club and see how great they are!