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# Inside Student Services



GET TO KNOW....

## Chris Heldt

Job Title: Adjunct Music Instructor

When did you start working at Ranger College?

August 2023.

Where did you grow up? I consider Dallas/Ft. Worth my home. That's where I went to high school and live now. Growing up, I also lived a few years in North Dakota, Minnesota, and Nebraska.

Favorite place to eat in Texas? Rudy's, mmm.

What does your ideal weekend look like? Time with wife, dogs, family. Maybe watch some sports and a movie. Play/practice some trumpet.

Movie or book recommendation: It has been overplayed on reruns, but The Shawshank Redemption is a fabulous movie.

Guilty pleasure: Crumbl or Tiff's Treats cookies. Favorite Ranger College Moment: Getting hired.:P

### Did you know?

**Great Western Dining** at the Ranger College campus is open to the public for breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Breakfast 7-8:30am Lunch 11:30-1:30pm Dinner 6-7:30pm











\*weekend hours vary



## Weekly Ranger Athletics Recap

Coach Smith's Lady Ranger Volleyball team hit the road this week for 3-games of a 7-game road stretch. On Thursday the Lady Rangers defeated Dallas College-Mountain View 3-games to 1. To close the week the ladies played a double-header against Dallas College-North Lake and Panola College.

The Ranger Men and Women Soccer teams were in action this week versus National Park College in Dallas. The women were victorious 7-0 while the men tied 1-1.







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Welcome Week at the Ranger College Campuses were a success! We're excited for the semester!



Social Media Post of the Week

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

What do you know about AI and programs like ChatGPT? There is a lot of controversy, and we have a couple of <u>examples of the disaster</u> that can come from generalized use, but if you are interested in figuring out productive solutions, we have set up a <u>website with a ton of information</u>. It is actually not all bad. ChatGPT can make a pretty good outline that gives students direction for their research. There are even some, like <u>Semantic Scholar</u>, that index academic papers so the information isn't entirely made up. Like everything else related to information literacy, it can be a challenge to figure out what is good stuff. The library can help you find useful ways to teach students about AI and ways to use it.

<u>What to do this weekend:</u> <u>Chisholm Trail – 150 Years of History, Folklore, and Legacy</u> opens August 31 at the Eastland County Museum. It runs through October 27th, but since they are only open Thursday, Friday, and Saturday from 10 – 2, you really can't skip it. If you would like them to be open more hours, consider volunteering as a docent.

In the Window this week: Space history. This is a great warmup for the year. How did ancient man view the skies? How did the constellations get their names? How did different cultures use what they saw? More recently, what was the space race and how did that turn out? As always, all the books in the window are available to be checked out, so stop by to see what is out there.

