Ric Renner

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S U M M A R Y

- 13-time Emmy Award winner with 5 nominations in 2022, including "*Best Sports Anchor*".
- 22 years of major market experience on a *Regional Sports Network* serving 5 states and available around the globe.
- Detail-oriented, self-motivated, hard-working, efficient, personable, adaptable, creative, charismatic, energetic, and a stellar record as a team player with impeccable references.
- Passionate storyteller as both an anchor and reporter. Active on social media and understand the value of promoting the product!
- Ability to handle irregular schedules and meet strict deadlines.

EXPERIENCE

June 2000-May 2022

Sports Anchor/Reporter

FOX Sports Southwest/Bally Sports Southwest

Regional Sports Network serving 5 States and several big markets (Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Austin, New Orleans, Oklahoma City, Tulsa, Waco, and Little Rock)

NBA

- 21 years as Studio & on Location Host of "Spurs Live"/"Southwest Sports Report", the San Antonio Spurs pregame, halftime, and postgame shows during the regular season and the playoffs.
- Covered 4 Spurs NBA World Championships in 2003, 2005, 2007, 2014.
- Studio Host for 4 Spurs World Champion Boat Parades on the San Antonio River Walk to Alamodome and AT&T Center.
- Fill-in Host for "Mavs Live", "Pelicans/Hornets Live", and "Thunder Live" pregame and postgame shows.
- Reported on the Dallas Mavericks playoff runs including the NBA Finals in 2006, 2011.
- Studio Host for "Rockets Live", the Houston Rockets pregame and postgame shows during the regular season and playoffs 2000-2012.
- Host/Reporter for NBA All-Star Game Specials, 2006 Toyota Center, Houston, 2008 New Orleans Arena, 2010 Cowboys Stadium, Arlington, 2013 Toyota Center, Houston.

MLB

- Host of "Rangers Live"/"Southwest Sports Report", The Texas Rangers pregame and postgame shows in the regular and postseasons, including 2 World Series Runs in 2010, 2011.
- Reported on "Rangers Insider", a weekly Texas Rangers Show with features on players, minor leaguers, and community team activities.
- Host of "Astros Live", the Houston Astros pregame and postgame shows 2000-2012.

NFL

- Host of "Cowboys Game Night", Dallas Cowboys postgame show after games with Nate Newton, Raghib Ismail, Tony Banks (2003-2016)
- Host of "Texans Live", Houston Texas pregame and postgame show with Tony Banks, Ryan Young (2006-2013)
- Super Bowl Reporter for all the FOX Regional Sports Networks and National Show at SB XXXVIII in Houston, Patriots
 vs. Panthers, Justin Timberlake-Janet Jackson incident, SB XLI in Miami, Colts vs. Bears, Super Bowl XLV in Arlington,
 Packers vs. Steelers, SB LI in Houston, Patriots vs. Falcons

NCAA

- Host of "BIG12 Live", Hour Saturday College Football Wrap-up Show with Joel Klatt, Pat Jones, Jackie Sherrill, Dusty Dvoracek, Jon Berger, Greg Hill, Tony Banks (2001-2016)
- Host of "Southwest Football Saturday", College Football Pregame, halftime, and postgame shows around BIG12 Games that would go to the BIG12 Footprint and often to the entire country (2001-2014)
- Host of "BIG12 Showcase", Weekly hour conference show during the school year that would highlight BIG12 Sports with interviews, analysis, and features to all States in the BIG12 area (2008-2017)
- Host/Reporter at "BIG12 Football Media Days" that was broadcast nationally on FOX Sports Regional Networks (2005-2017), All-Day coverage of Football Media Days with Coach and Player Interviews plus analysis

UIL Texas High School Sports

- Host/Analyst of "HS Scoreboard Live", 2-Hour Friday Night High School Football Postgame Wrap-up Show featuring highlights and coach interviews all over the state of Texas
- Host/Analyst of "Ford Championship Live" at the UIL Football State Championships at AT&T Stadium in Arlington, TX, 90-minute in-between games coverage and halftimes featuring highlights and interviews from 6-Man to Class-6A
- Host of "High School Spotlight", Half-Hour weekly Sunday Night High School Show featuring the best story lines in the State in all sports
- Host of "UIL Championship Spotlight", Hour long celebration of Texas State Champions in Football, Basketball, Wrestling, Volleyball, Baseball, Softball, and Track & Field
- Host/Analyst of "Built Ford Tough Player of the Week Show" over the years, it honors the best football performances on and off the field with a Banquet at the end of the season at the Dallas Cowboys Headquarters
- Host and analyst of "The UIL realignment Show", 90-minute show that announces the new districts and classifications of the schools every 2 years

NHL

- Host/Reporter of "Stars Live", the Dallas Stars pregame and postgame shows for the regular season and the playoffs 2000-2010
- Reporter of "Stars Insider", weekly Dallas Stars Magazine show with features and interviews

Other Shows

- Annual Texas Motor Speedway Preview Shows, 3-half hour pre-race shows building up to race weeks with stories and interviews, NASCAR All-Star Race, Xfinity Series, Camping World Truck Series, Circuit of the Americas Road Course in Austin, IndyCar Series, and Formula 1
- U.S. Open Golf Reporter for all the FOX Regional Sports Networks and National show at '01 Southern Hills CC, Tulsa OK, '04 Shinnecock Hills CC, Southampton, NY
- Reporter on Byron Nelson and Colonial Golf Tournaments
- Reporter on the "Best Damn Sports Show" Pilot Show
- Host of "Sports Day on Air", a weekly 30-minute sports talk show with Dallas Morning News beat sports writers
- Host of "Southwest Sports Report", "Florida Sports Report" (used to be done out of Dallas) half-hour Regional Sports Report Shows on FOX Sports Net, FSN Southwest, FSN Florida

Nov 1997 – May 2000

Sports Director WJXX (ABC), Jacksonville, FL

- Weekday Anchor, produce 5 shows daily, organize and direct staff of 6
- Host weekly Jaguars Show at a sports bar/studio during the NFL Season with current and former players
- Host and coordinate specials: Jaguars, Seminoles, Gators, Gator Bowl, PGA Tour Headquarters, The Players Championship, World Golf Hall of Fame, ATP Tour Tennis, Daytona 500, Pepsi 400
- Host and develop weekly 20-minute Friday night high school football show
- Live early sportscasts from a Helicopter over High School Football games
- News Reporter for severe weather, hurricane coverage, and election night

Nov 1996 – May 1998

Host

ESPN's "Out of Bounds"

- Half Hour international sports blooper show
- Travel to interesting locations and wrap-around goofy highlights while doing different voices and characters

Apr 1997 - Nov 1997

Sports Director

WNAB (WB) Speer Communications, Nashville, TN

- Host/Reporter/Producer, "Sports Plus", Hourly sports talk show with call-ins and live guests. "Sports Talk" was the nation's first TV Show devoted to HS Scores and Stories that evolved into "Sports Plus"
- Covered Tennessee Oilers, Nashville Sounds, Tennessee Volunteers, Nashville Kats daily and the birth of the Nashville Predators
- Covered many Country Music Events and had Stars like Vince Gill, Amy Grant, Pete Rose, Burt Reynolds, Pat Summitt, and Phillip Fulmer in-studio on the Show
- Field reporter for live college sports telecasts: TSU, MTSU, Vanderbilt
- Produce and report special segments for Vanderbilt coaches shows

Mar 1995 - Apr 1997

Sports Director

WRGB (CBS), Albany, NY

- Weekday Anchor, produce 3 shows daily, plan coverage, oversee a staff of 4
- Host and produce live specials: Olympics, N.Y. Giants Training Camp, NCAA Tournament, WRGB Senior Skins Game (Arnold Palmer, Gary Player, Tom Watson, Lee Trevino, Chi Chi Rodriguez)
- Covered Saratoga Race Course, River Rats (N.J. Devils Minor League team) Calder Cup run '95, Adirondack Red Wings, Albany Colonie Yankees (N.Y. Yankees Minor League Team), Siena, University of Albany, High School, RPI Hockey, Union Hockey

Nov 1993 - Mar 1995

Weekend Sports Anchor/Weekday Reporter

WEAR (ABC), Pensacola, FL

- Covered HS Sports, FSU, UF, Auburn, Alabama, S. Alabama, UAB, NASCAR at Talladega, Blue Angels, W. Florida
- Host and produce half-hour Sunday Night Sports Show with call-ins. Guests included hometown heroes: Emmitt Smith, Roy Jones, Jr, Jerry Pate, Buck Showalter, Bobby Bowden

Sept 1992 - Oct 1993

Weekend Sports Anchor/Weekday Reporter KTVN (CBS), Reno, NV

- Managed Staff
- Covered University of Nevada-Reno, Boxing, Olympic Athletes in Lake Tahoe, Ice Fishing, Ostrich Races in Virginia City, Celebrity Golf Classic in Lake Tahoe
- Had extended Sports Time, 10 minutes every show with all the gambling on Sports!
- Hosted and Reported on University of Nevada Coaching Shows

Oct 1990 - Jun 1992

Weekend Sports Anchor/Weekday Reporter WLAJ (ABC), Lansing, MI

• Covered Michigan State, University of Michigan, Fab Five, Big10, Pistons, Tigers, Lions, High School Sports, PGA Tour, Senior Tour, LPGA, Michigan International Speedway

Jul 1990 - Oct 1990

Sports Director KLMG (CBS), Longview/Tyler, TX

- Weekday Anchor, produce 2 shows daily, and host extended Friday night football coverage
- Covered Longview HS and East Texas High Schools
- Filled in on Weather as "Rico Ren-nay"

Jul 1988 - Oct 1989

Sports Director

KLAX (ABC), Alexandria, LA

- Weekday Anchor, produce 2 shows daily
- Hosted Northwestern State Football Coach's Show
- Covered Demons, LSU, Saints, High School

Nov 1987 - Jul 1988

Weekend Sports Anchor/Weekday Sports Reporter KATC (ABC), Lafayette, LA

- Weekend Sports Anchor/Weekday Reporter
- Covered University of Louisiana-Lafayette, LSU, Saints
- Reported news on severe weather days and election coverage

EDUCATION

Syracuse University

Bachelor of Science - Speech Communications / Broadcast Journalism

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Extensive radio background as a Sports Talk Show Host and Disc Jockey at several stations

WNZS, Jacksonville, FL; WJIM, WGOR, Lansing, MI; KYKX, Longview, TX; KTUX, Shreveport, LA; KQID, Alexandria, LA; KSMB, Lafayette, LA; WAER, WJPZ, Syracuse, NY

Guest/Expert on several stations around the country

FOX 4, KDFW, Dallas; 105.3 the Fan, KRLD, Dallas; The Ticket Sports Radio, KTCK, Dallas; Ticket 760, KTKR, San Antonio, to name a few

DJ/MC Weddings, Clubs, Bar Mitzvahs, Divorce Parties

EMMY AWARDS

13-Time Emmy Award Winner with 10 at FOX Sports Southwest/Bally Sports Southwest.

Over 50 Nominations and 5 more in 2022 including "Best Sports Anchor".

2020

"Texas Football Days" - Host/Reporter

One-Time Special

2019

"Texas Football Days" - Host One-Time Special

One-Time Specia

2019

"HS Scoreboard Live" State Championship Night - Anchor

Sportscast

2018

"Rangers Insider" - Reporter Sports Daily or Weekly Program

2018

"HS Scoreboard Live" State Championship Night - Anchor

Sportscast

2015

"Texas Rangers Live Memorial Day"- Anchor

One-Time Special

2014

"High School Scoreboard Live" - Host

Sports Daily or Weekly Program

2010

Reporter, On-Cam Talent Outstanding Achievement

2009

"Lone Star Legends '69 SWC Season" - Host/Voice

One-Time Special

2006

"Red River Rivalry"- Reporter One-Time Special

R E F E R E N C E S

Impeccable references, phone numbers upon request

Jon Heidtke SVP & GM FOX Sports Southwest (2000-2016)

Mike Anastassiou Executive Producer FOX Sports Southwest (2000-2016)

Steve Tello SVP & GM Bally Sports Florida (Hired me twice)

John Rhadigan Bally Sports Southwest Anchor/Reporter

Joseph Perales Spurs Producer, HS Spotlight Shows Producer

Dana Larson Bally Sports Southwest Anchor/Reporter

Craig Way PBP Voice of Texas Longhorns (UIL Texas HS Football)

Andrew Monaco PBP Voice of Texas A&M (Spurs) **Richard Oliver** Former San Antonio Spurs Co-host

Mark Vittorio Bally Sports Southwest/Coordinating Producer, Talent Coach

Dave Evans Coordinating Producer Bally Sports Southwest/Director of Broadcasting Dallas Mavericks

Matt Bonner Sean Elliott Spurs Analysts/Former Players

Mark McLemore Steve Buechele David Murphy Rangers Analysts/former players

Nancy Lieberman Greatest Women's Basketball Player/Thunder & Pelicans Shows