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Friday, June 4, 2010

Bronte Volunteer Fire Department to host FREE dinner

The Bronte Volunteer Fire Department would like to invite everyone to a free dinner in the park on Saturday, June 5. The menu will include fajitas, beans, rice and cold drinks.

There will be washer pitching and horseshoe throwing contests with prizes to the winners!

They will start serving food at 5 sharp, so don't be late. Tell your friends and neighbors!

3rd Annual Joe Torres memorial Golf Tournament set for June 5

The Third Annual Joe Torres Memorial Golf Tournament is scheduled for June 5, at the Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee.

This tournament is in honor and memory of Joe Torres. Joe served the community for 18 years working for the City of Robert Lee. His legacy is carried on through his daughter Ashley Torres, and sons Garrett and Jayton Torres. Proceeds benefit the Joe Torres Memorial fund so that Garrett and Jayton may have a chance at a brighter education & future.

The Tournament will be a 4-person scramble, 18-hole shotgun start beginning at 9 am, featuring cash payouts and prizes. Entry fee of \$65

includes green fee and a meal. Sponsorships are available with written receipt. Early registration and entry fee is appreciated.

Tournament committee members include Jonathan Torres, Gilbert Torres, Eric Torres, Gina Williams, and Kay Torres.

For more information contact Jonathan Torres at 325-262-0399 or the Club House at 325-453-2317.

FBC Bronte to host Vacation Bible School

First Baptist Church in Bronte has scheduled their 2010 Vacation Bible School for June 6 through June 10, from 6:30 pm to 9 pm each evening. This year's theme is Saddle Ridge Ranch.

For more information, call 473-2331.

RL Hispanic Cemetery meeting slated

The Robert Lee Hispanic Cemetery Association will meet Monday, June 7, at 6 pm in the Robert Lee City Hall. For more information, call Mary Rodriguez at 453-2511.

RL Methodists plan Vacation Bible School

First United Methodist Church of Robert Lee has scheduled their 2010 Vacation Bible School from June 21 to June 25 from 10



Head Start Grads! May 28, 2010 was the graduation date for the current group of Head Start Children shown at the Mini Park in Robert Lee. The grads were all decked out in their Head Start tee shirts and paper mortarboard hats displaying their diplomas. The group was also treated to a special story by Coke County Librarian Beth Prather.

am to 12 noon each day. This year's theme is Galactic Blast: A Cosmic Adventure Praising God.

For more information, call 453-2417.

3rd annual Clay Antilley Invitational Golf tournament set

At the Robert Lee High School Assembly last Thursday, \$6500.00 in scholarships were presented to several local graduates in honor of the late Clay Antilley, who was tragically killed in a vehicle accident

three years ago. The third annual golf tournament, in Clay's name, will be June 26, the anniversary of his death. Proceeds from the tournament will continue to go toward scholarship recipients.

This year's tournament, at Mountain Creek Golf Course, will begin at 1:00 pm on the 26th. It will be an 18-hole, three person scramble with an entry fee of \$80 per person, which is tax deductible. Players will receive a free cap and a free lunch before play.

After play, there will be a free BBQ dinner and entertainment provided by the Rough Creek and Crowhaven Bands. Those wishing to donate door prizes or cash donations will be appreciated.

Contact DeeAnna Harmon at Robert Lee State Bank for donations. For more information regarding the Clay Antilley Invitational Golf Tournament on June 26th, or to register for the tournament, contact Mountain Creek Golf Course or Tommy Antilley at 453-2674.

2nd Round Up slated for Bronte Health & Rehab

Bronte Health and Rehab Center has slated a second brand round up for Friday, June 25.

Response was so great with the first round up, held May 14, that they have designated another wall for more Coke County brands.

SAPD hands out department awards

In honor of National Police Memorial Week, the San Angelo Police Department held its sixth annual Appreciation and Awards Banquet recently.

The ceremony recognized officers and civilians for their work during the year. Sonny Cleere acted as master of ceremonies, and Dr. Walt Landers was the guest speaker. Jimmy Byrne of Robert Lee was named Reserve Officer of the Year.

Low Impact Exercise Class now held in Robert Lee

A low impact exercise class is now available at the Robert Lee United Methodist Church on Wednesdays at 10 am until 10:30 am. The class will work on balance and fall prevention as well as upper body strengthening. The class is free.

RL Street Affair Cookoff is successful

The Robert Lee Street Affair BBQ Cookoff, held May 22, at Robert Lee Park, had a great turnout.

Ronnie Brown was the big winner, taking first place with his brisket and his ribs. These wins contributed to his overall championship. Gene Montgomery took first place in Chicken.

Organizers expressed their appreciation to all those who participated in the cookoff and dance.



Conaway in County! U. S. Representative Mike Conaway was at the courthouse in Robert Lee on Tuesday, June 1, 2010. Over twenty local residents turned out to hear Conaway's introduction of the new website, americaspeakingout.com. The new interactive website allows constituents to suggest ideas of their own concerning legislation, etc., or weigh in on ideas offered by others. Other topics discussed included a balanced budget amendment, securing our borders, death taxes, and defunding the new health care bill. A similar meeting was held on Wednesday, June 2, at Bronte, but was past deadline for this week's paper.

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CCRTA luncheon meeting held

The Coke County Retired Teachers Association met May 17, 2010. The luncheon meeting was held at the First Baptist Church in Bronte.

President Bill Hood presented certificates of appreciation for support of CCRTA and service to the school districts to Alan Richey, Superintendent of Bronte ISD, and Aaron Hood, Superintendent of Robert Lee ISD. Richey and Hood then gave reports of end-of-school activities and construction projects at the two schools.

Beth Prather gave a report on the District XV Spring Leadership Training Workshop that she and Janet Wommack attended. The meeting was held in Brownwood on May 5, 2010. Speakers at the meeting emphasized the importance of activism at the local, district, and state levels. This can be accomplished by attendance of meetings and encouraging non-member retirees to join RTA. Numbers count when asking legislative support on teacher and school related issues.

In conclusion, Bill Hood, out-going president, recognized Beth Prather, in-coming president, and the staff of officers who will serve a two-year term.

Attending the meeting were: Wanda Barbee, Jamie Boren, Nina Brewer, Judy Gibbs, Kay Gothard, Paul Gothard, June Gulley, Ann Hamilton, Bill Hood, Jerry Horn, Mimzi Horn, Sug Lawhon, Melba Mauldin, Beth Prather, Gerald Sandusky, Brenda Smith, Gary Smith, Charlotte Tounget, and Lee Wommack.

Guests attending were: David Bedford, Corey Cornutt, Aaron Hood and Alan Richey.

WCCHD Board posts minutes

By Pat Stephens

The Board of Directors of the West Coke County Hospital District met Monday, May 24, 2010, in regular session in the conference room at the Robert Lee Care Center. Members present were Mary Bessent, Dessie Kendall, and Pat

Stephens. Others present were Janie Munoz, Business Office Manager, and Roger Alexander, Administrator. President Bessent called the meeting to order at 9:42 AM, declared there was a quorum, and gave the invocation. There were no visitors. Absent Board member, Dessie Kendall, was excused from the April meeting, and minutes from that meeting were approved.

In the staffing update, Roger informed the Board six high school students and one facility employee have been registered for CNA School. The Board is very pleased to be able to do this, and we appreciate RLHS for the transportation.

The Board discussed accounts receivable, and no action was needed at this time.

In the discussion of public relations, Janie Munoz reported to the Board that she and 3 other employees represented the facility at the annual Spring Fling in San Angelo, which is a Senior Citizen Resource sponsored by Area Information on Aging. Its mission is to acquaint people with area resources available to senior



New Robert Lee Baptist Church Pastor! Robert Lee Baptist Church has a new pastor and wife, Danny and Susan White. June 6th will be Bro. Danny's first Sunday to fill the pulpit.

citizens. She said they visited with lots of folks, shared popcorn, brochures, and information. She stated the popcorn machine was quite a 'fragrant' calling card.

As the agenda advanced to capital projects, Roger provided a written report to the Board stating information from the May 5th meeting with the contractor and architect concerning the upcoming renovation of the dining room. The Board will have a special called meeting June 1st to make a final decision on the project. The Board then discussed the purchase of a new van for the facility, and Roger will move ahead

with the transaction. The financial statements were discussed and approved.

Future agenda items were discussed, and the next meeting date was set for June 28, 2010. The meeting adjourned at 12:54 PM.

Sharing the Care Center calendar for the month of

June, it looks like it's going to be a fun summer month. At 3:30 on June 17 there will be a Father's Day Ice Cream social at the facility, followed by a performance by the San Angelo Blue Grass Band. If you enjoy good, toe-tappin' Blue Grass music, feel free to come by and join the fun.

Bernie McCarty, Gene

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A Note to Heaven

If I could write to heaven, this is what I would say.
"Please watch over me for there are days that I need your presence. Days that I need to hear your voice and see you smile. I know my day will continue as planned, so I will try to enjoy each moment I have and keep sorrow to a minimum. For I know that one day we will be together again. Eternity lasts forever, our lives have not ended."

In Memory of

Benito "Benny" Torres
 June 7, 2008

Area Churches

Invite You to Worship

Bronte
Bronte Church of Christ
 PO Box 346 • 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte
 (325) 473-3291
 Preacher John V. Driggers
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm
Central Baptist Church
 324 S. Franklin • Bronte
 (325) 473-4811
 Dale Patterson, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm Worship
 Wed. 6 pm
First Baptist Church
 424 S. Washington • Bronte
 (325) 473-2331
 Bro. Corey Cornutt, Pastor
 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,
 10:55 am Worship,
 6 pm Youth
 and Worship
 Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting
First United Methodist Church
 Corner of Washington & Holmes
 Bronte
 (325) 473-3281
 Rev. Matt Pennington, Pastor
 Sun. 9:30 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship
Forgiven Ministries
 117 W. Main, Bronte
 Russ Frasier, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am
St. James Catholic Church
 215 N. Washington, Bronte
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sun. 5 pm

Coke County

Pecan Baptist
 PO Box 542 • 12 miles West of
 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy
 (325) 453-2482
 www.pecanbaptist.org
 Jim Dominey, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

Robert Lee

Emmanuel Pentecostal
 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy
 Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2360
 Rev. Ray Aldridge, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

First United Methodist Church
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417
 Steve Peyton, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am Worship
 5:00 pm Choir Practice
Iglesia Bautista Bethel
 101 Houston • Robert Lee
 (325) 763-9208 • 320-1354
 Sun. 10 am • Worship
 11 am & 6 pm • Service
 Wed. 7 pm

Southside Church of Christ
 PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston
 Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2176
 Frank J. Daniels, Preacher
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 7 pm, Worship
Northside Church of Christ
 PO Box 508
 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee
 (325) 655-9784 or 453-2685
 Services: Sun. 10 am & 1:30 pm;
 Wed. 6 pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sat. 6 pm
Robert Lee Baptist Church
 PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th
 (325) 453-2724
 Danny White, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship
 Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

Victory Assembly of God
 PO Box 638
 6th & Houston, Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2208
 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

Tennyson
Tennyson Baptist Church
 Hwy 277 • Tennyson
 Ryan Buck, Pastor
 (325) 473-2040
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

Williams, Louise Walker, and Gay Pendleton will be celebrating birthdays this month, and the party will be June 22 at 3:30 in the dining room of the facility. Be sure to come by and wish them a Happy Birthday! Friday, June 25, will find the dining area once again full of enthusiastic voices at the monthly Sing-a-Long, which will begin at 3:30. There was a good attendance last month, and a great time was had by one and all.

Sorosis club installs new officers

The Sorosis Study Club met for a regular meeting at the home of Jennifer Stango on May 20, 2010. President Lanette Fletcher opened the meeting. Pledges were said to the U.S. and Texas flags and the club collect was read. The minutes of the April 8, 2010 meeting were read and approved as read and the treasurer's report was given. The following correspondence was reported: Relay for Life presented our club the "Vanishing Team" award. Martha Ratliff, chairman of the Scholarship Committee, reported that Rob Rosson and Kasey Glover will each receive a \$500 scholarship from our club.

Kathi Cox made a motion, seconded by Marilyn Bivins, to donate \$100.00 to the city of Bronte for plants for new planters in the downtown area. Marilyn Bivins expressed concern about high curbs in several areas in Bronte and encouraged members to mention this fact to city officials when they had the chance. Leah Rosson shared her vision for a city library. All agreed that this is indeed a "vision" for our city and we need to encourage the idea. Jane Wheat invited club members and spouses or guests to her home on Friday, July 16 at 6:30 pm for a BBQ. Members signed up to help with food.

President Lanette Fletcher installed the following slate of officers for 2010-2012: President—Fredna Moore; 1st Vice President—Doris Sims; 2nd Vice President—Janet Wommack; 3rd Vice President—Lanette Fletcher; Secretary/Reporter—Kathi Cox; Treasurer—Beverly Sims; and Historian—Jennifer Stango.

Delicious refreshments were served by hostess Jennifer Stango and co-hostesses Jean Fancher and Beverly Sims and Doris Sims. Marilyn Bivins won the Chinese Auction. Members present were: Marilyn Bivins, Celia Bowden, Angel Cervenka, Kathi Cox, Jane Cumbie, Jean Fancher, Lanette Fletcher, Mary Glenn, Marian Gohman, Pat Lee, Fredna Moore, Martha Ratliff, Leah Rosson,

Beverly Sims, Doris Sims, Jennifer Stango, Jane Wheat and Janet Wommack.

Austin named to President's List

Clarendon College named 70 students to the President's list for the Spring 2010 semester. Each achieved a grade point average of 4.0 while completing at least 12 credit hours. Among these students was Clayton Austin of Robert Lee.

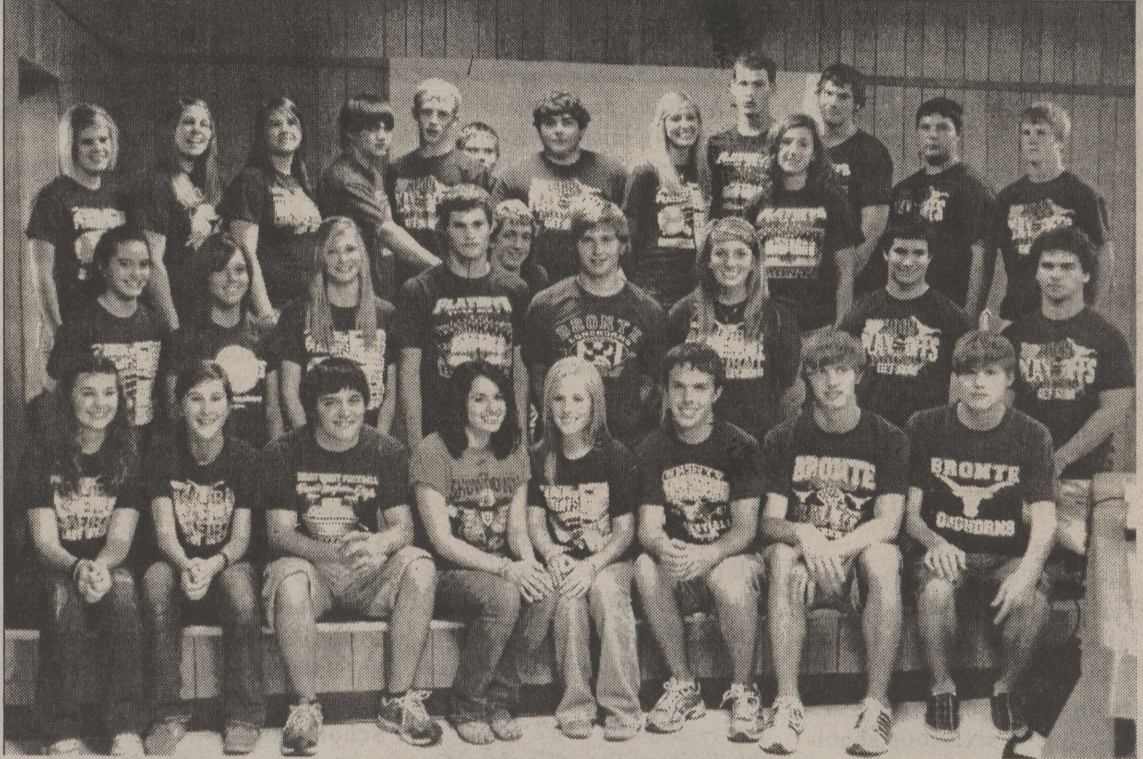
Clarendon College is a comprehensive community college committed to teaching and learning and to providing equal access to opportunities that assist in the holistic development of its constituents and community. In pursuit of that mission, the College provides academic transfer programs, workforce education programs, student services, developmental education courses, continuing education/ community service courses, and diverse cultural enrichment opportunities.

RLJH District Tennis results posted

Results of the Junior district Tennis are as follows: Everett Wilson and Taylor Benton place 3rd in mixed doubles by defeating the Robert Lee team of Daria Tinkler and Mason Hill 6-1. Everett and Taylor lost to a team from Sterling City 3-6 and Daria and Mason lost to a Westbrook team 1-6 which set up the match for 3rd. Michael Tijerina and Tristen Hildebrand lost in the 1st round to Garden City 4-6 but came back to beat two Water Valley Teams 6-4 and 7-6 to capture consolation. James Roberts and Jerry Wofford were also defeated in round 1 by Sterling City 4-6 and then lost to Water Valley 4-6. Michael Curry was defeated in the opening round 1-8 by Water Valley, then won his second round match 9-8 over Sterling City, but then lost to Westbrook 6-8. Great Job and a good season.



Clay Antilley Scholarship Winners! The Clay Antilley Invitational Golf Tournament presented seven scholarships totaling \$6,500 recently. Recipients included (from left) Erika Percy, Olivia Trejo, Jacob Moreno, Emilee Yanez, Molli Hinderliter, Briana Brisbin, and Blake Millican (not pictured). Tommy and Kei Antilley are shown with the students.



BHS Athletes! A large number of Bronte athletes received athletic post-season honors throughout the year for football, volleyball, basketball, track, golf and tennis. At the close of the annual sports banquet, Athletic Director Keith McCutchen had the students assemble for a photo. The crowd was quite impressed with the large number of students excelling in athletics.

Have a Safe and Fun Summer!

John and Judy Driggers

Were married on June 10, 1960.
Today, their children invite you to celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Please Join Us
Saturday, June 12, 2010
2:00 - 5:00 pm
Bronte Community Center
350 East Park Road
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This is truly one of life's most significant events and we look forward to sharing this special day with the closest members of our family and friends!

No Gifts Please.

BRONTE SPRING CLEAN-UP

MONDAY ROUTE • JUNE 7th
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Items must be placed curbside by 7 am on regular trash day.

Tree limbs must be bundled and in lengths of not more than 4 - 5 feet.

NO BATTERIES, WET PAINT CANS, APPLIANCES CONTAINING FREON OR PURON, OR CHEMICALS WILL BE PICKED UP.

Contact the City Hall at 473-3501 for more information.

This may be the last CLEAN UP where bulk and unused items will be picked up CURBSIDE.



West Point Graduate! Hunter Matt Williams graduated with honors from the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York on Saturday, May 22, 2010. After training at Ft. Knox, Kentucky, he will post to the 10th Mountain Division at Ft. Drum, New York.

Hunter is the son of Ginger and Matt Williams of The Woodlands and grandson of Eddie and Carolyn Braswell of College Station and Mary Dale and Bud Forbus of Plains, Texas and Charles Williams of Tokio, Texas and great grandson of Oleta Braswell of Bronte and the late Melvin and Essie Childress of Robert Lee.

Hunter's parents and brother Dillon and Eddie and Carolyn Braswell were at West Point for the graduation.

Scholarships awarded

West Central Wireless, Five Star Wireless, Mid-Tex Cellular and Central Texas Telephone Cooperative proudly announce the awarding of sixty-one scholarships totaling more than \$37,000 to area high school seniors.

According to Mike Higgins, Jr., Chief Executive Officer of Central Texas Telephone Cooperative and General Manager of West Central Wireless, Five Star Wireless, and Mid-Tex Cellular, a graduating senior was chosen from each of the 61 public high schools within the boundary of the companies' 26 county home coverage area. Each student will receive a \$500 scholarship that may be used for tuition, books, or other fees at a university, junior college, community college or technical school.

The students receiving scholarships in Coke County included Jeremy Sanchez of Bronte and Jacob Moreno of Robert Lee.

2010 BHS Seniors receive scholarships

A total of \$155,525 in scholarships were awarded during graduation ceremonies held May 28 in Bronte. Members of the Bronte High School Class of 2010 who received a scholarship include:

K C Barber

\$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship;

Ernesto Casillas \$1,000 Dr. Robert and Jean Ann LeGrand Scholarship; \$500 Saint James Parish Scholarship; \$500 Robert Lee - Bronte #187 Order of the Eastern Star Scholarship; \$8,000 C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship over four years

Chelsea Cook \$1,500 Ford Ivey Motor Company Scholarship; \$5,617 Vernon College Volleyball Scholarship; \$812 Monroe and Hermenie B. Karcher Scholarship; \$688 Dr. Thomas A. and Ethel S. King Scholarship; \$250 Bronte Student Council Scholarship; \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship; \$4,000 First National Bank of Sterling City Scholarship over four years

Jonathan Dannheim \$16,000 Abilene Christian University Instrumental Music Scholarship over four years; \$3,168 ACU Marching Band Scholarship over four years; \$4,740 ACU Performing Arts Grant; \$4,000 ACU and 4th and Elm Church of Christ Scholarship over four years; \$500 Bronte ISD Faculty Scholarship; \$100 ATSSB All-State Scholarship

Fernando Fraune \$4,000.00 CARR Scholarship over four years; \$150 Country Inn Scholarship; Stephanie Frasier \$500 East Coke County Emergency Medical Service



Robert Lee High School Class of 2014! The Robert Lee Eighth Graders were honored with a celebration Thursday evening, May 27, 2010. Members of the class included Shaylee Bell, Taylor Benton, Michael Curry, Shelby Davis, Berenice Fabian, Hanna Hamrick, William Howard, Bianca Huapilla, Alexis Mendoza, Kevin Saucedo, Efrain Olguin, Jesse Sheets, Sydney Sheldon, Ashlie Tennison, Jacob Torres, Eric Wells, and Everett Wilson.

Scholarship

Kasey Glover \$500 Larry's Automotive Scholarship; \$500 Sorosis Club Scholarship; \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship; \$500 Bronte Volunteer Fire Department Scholarship

Crawford James \$250 Bronte Student Council Scholarship; \$500 Lion's Club Scholarship; \$2,500 Flynn Scholarship; \$8,000 University of Texas at the Permian Basin Freshman Grant Scholarship over four years

Emilie Jimenez \$500 East Coke County Emergency Medical Service Scholarship; \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship; \$500 Bronte Volunteer Fire Department Scholarship

Chelsea McGinnis \$250 Fletcher Family Masonic Scholarship; \$250 Josten's of Abilene Make a Difference Scholarship

Dannie Martinez \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship

Louie Martinez

\$12,000 CARR Scholarship over four years; \$1,000 Cumbie Ivey Junior Scholarship; \$500 East Coke County Emergency Medical Service Scholarship; \$5,000 Flynn Scholarship

Bill Miller \$500.00 C. J. Macon Memorial National Honor Society Scholarship; \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship; \$250 Fletcher Family Masonic Scholarship; \$8,000 C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship over four years

Jose Perez \$1,000 Cumbie Ivey Junior Scholarship; \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship; \$500 Saint James Parish Scholarship

Rob Rosson \$12,000 CARR Scholarship over four years; \$1,000 Dr. Robert and Jean Ann

LeGrand Scholarship; \$500 Sorosis Club Scholarship; \$500 Bronte ISD Faculty Scholarship; \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship; \$500 Martin and Pat Lee Scholarship

Ashley Royall \$500 Bronte ISD Faculty Scholarship

Jeremy Sanchez \$500 West Central Wireless Scholarship

Jacob Scott \$8,000 CARR Scholarship over four years; \$1,000 Cumbie Ivey Junior Scholarship; \$500 Bronte ISD Faculty Scholarship; \$2,000 Flynn Scholarship

Shelbi Waller \$500 Lion's Club Scholarship; \$500 Coke County Foundation Scholarship; \$500 Bronte All Sports Boosters Scholarship

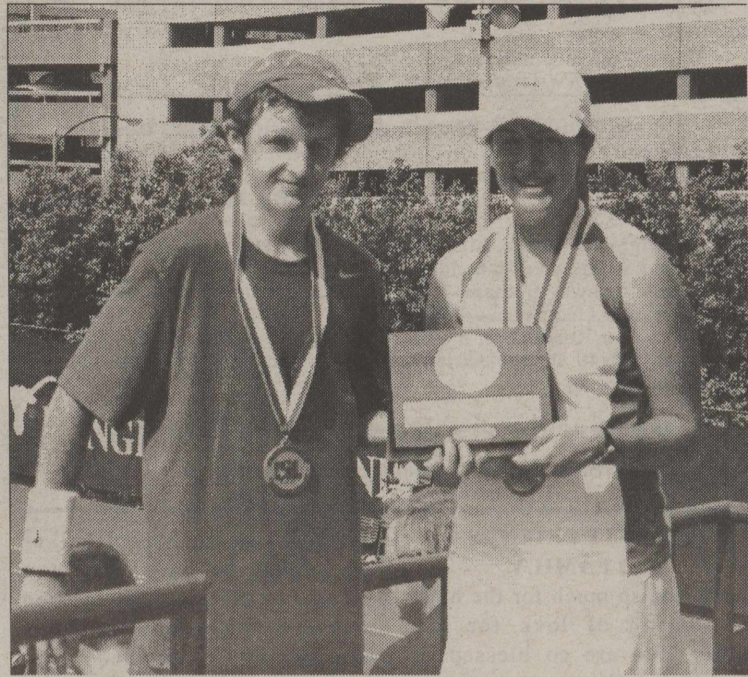
Kimberly Womack \$14,000 CARR Scholarship over four years; \$1,000 Cumbie Ivey Junior Scholarship

*Lahne Burns, a 2009 BHS graduate, was also awarded a C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship.

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Bringing Home The Gold! Wall High School juniors Bryce Pfingsten and Emily Talley captured the mixed doubles championship on May 11 during the state tennis tournament. It was the first state tennis championship for Wall since 2004. Emily is the daughter of Pam Talley of San Angelo and the granddaughter of longtime Robert Lee resident and former county judge Jackie Walker.



Wacky Water Day at Bronte Elementary! Students in grades Kindergarten, 1st grade and 2nd grade celebrated the end of school with Wacky Water Day.

ASU 2010 Spring graduates announced

Angelo State University conferred 535 bachelor's and master's degrees upon 527 graduates during 2010 spring commencement exercises May 15, in San Angelo, Texas.

The 2010 Spring graduates include the following local graduates:

Bronte: Peggy S. Hammer, B.S., Natalee E. Reed, B.B.A. and Lauren E. Watts, M.S.

Robert Lee: Jordan D. Davidson, B.A., and Valarie G. Sharp, A.A.S.

Sterling City: Roxana R. Leija, B.S., magna cum laude

RLISD Board minutes posted

A regular meeting of the Robert Lee ISD Board of Trustees was held in the Robert Lee ISD Board Room at 6 pm Monday, May 17, 2010. The meeting was called to order by Vice President Washam.

Members Present: J. Roberts, W. Washam, T. Sawyer, I. Torres, B. Brosh, B. Sinclair

Members Absent: T. Reed
The meeting was called to order by Vice President Washam at 6:11 pm. A quorum of members was present.

The invocation and pledge were led by Jeffie Roberts.

Jeffie Roberts made a motion to approve the minutes of April 21 and April 30, 2010, meetings. It was seconded by Irma Torres. All voted for.

Irma Torres made a motion to accept the financial report given by Robin Allen, to approve budget amendment and to pay the bills as presented. The motion was seconded by Brandi Brosh. All voted for.

Jeffie Roberts made a motion, seconded by Tom Sawyer, to canvass the May 8, 2010, election results.

All voted for.

Robin Allen administered the Oath of Office to new Board Member, Beverly Sinclair.

Jeffie Roberts made a motion, seconded by Brandi Brosh, to nominate Wes Washam as President of the Board. All voted for. Jeffie Roberts made a motion to nominate Brandi Brosh as Vice President of the Board, seconded by Irma Torres. All voted for. Irma Torres made a motion, seconded by Tom Sawyer, to nominate Jeffie Roberts as Secretary of the Board. All voted for.

Supt. Hood updated the Board on construction projects. The Board recessed at 6:45 pm for a tour of the new building and reconvened into open session at 7:10 pm.

Wayne Simpson gave his elementary principal's report. April ADA was 97%, with 144 enrolled.

Supt Hood gave a report on high school activities and upcoming events.

Tom Sawyer made a motion to approve ESC XV Contracts and Shared Service Arrangements for 2010-2011 school year, seconded by Irma Torres. All voted for.

Brandi Brosh made a motion to approve the RLISD Technology Plan for 2010-2013, seconded by Jeffie Roberts. All voted for.

Jeffie Roberts made a motion to approve the 2010-2011 School Calendar, seconded by Irma Torres. All voted for.

Conflict of Interest

Disclosures were given to board members for their signature.

Supt. Hood gave his report on Graduation, 8th Grade Celebration, Summer Hours, Wind Projects, Budget Process Update, Existing Furniture in Building/Auction, Ribbon Cutting Ceremony, Volleyball Survey Results, Comp days and Athletic Trainer.

The next regular school board meeting will be Thursday, June 17, 2010, at 6:00 pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:27 pm.

BISD Trustees hold regular meeting

The Bronte ISD Board of Trustees held a regular meeting, May 11, 2010, at 7:05 pm in the board room. Those in attendance were: David McWright, Wayne Coalson, Shane Kelton, Doug Tounget, Ericka Knight, Kay Styles, Paul Williams, and Alan Richey, Superintendent. Also present were: Sujane Schoenfield, Donna Poehls, and David Bedford.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Doug Tounget.

The board canvassed the results of the May 8, 2010, trustee election and certificates of election were presented to Shane Kelton and Kay Styles. The Oath of Office was administered to

the newly elected board members by Sujane Schoenfield. Realignment of officers is as follows: Paul Williams, President; Shane Kelton, Vice-President; and Doug Tounget, Secretary.

Donna Poehls and David Bedford gave Principals' reports. Mrs. Poehls reported 161 Elementary students and Mr. Bedford reported 150 Secondary students. Lisa Gibbs was selected as an outstanding sponsor for Teens in the Driver Seat and Heath Richey was selected to be on the State Advisory Board for Teens in the Drivers Seat.

The board approved the 2010-2011 transfer list and the 2010-2011 school calendar. The board approved a 25' Daktronics scoreboard for the new football stadium and authorized Mr. Richey

to spend up to \$15,000 for concrete under the bleachers.

Alan Richey, Superintendent, gave an update on the new stadium construction and an update on the incentive committee meeting.

The meeting was adjourned by the President at 8:15 pm.

BHS seniors enjoy Project Graduation

On graduation night the Bronte High School Class of 2010 headed to the Oak Creek Lake home of Carl and Krishna Beal. The class played several games, swam, played tennis, and ate an abundance of good food. Gifts were given throughout the night including television sets, microwave ovens, and even an ultrasonic toothbrush. Project Graduation was a success and all students celebrated their graduation from high school in a safe, drug-free environment.

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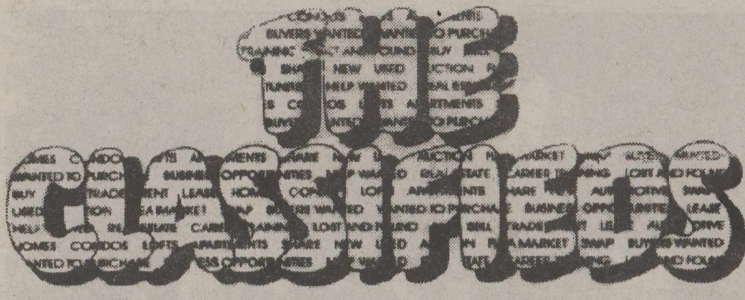
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Political Calendar
The Observer/Enterprise
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 Roy Blair (Dem.)

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 Wendell Lee (Dem.)

COUNTY TREASURER
 Hal Spain (Rep.)
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 9301 W. St. Hwy 158, Robert Lee. Saturday, June 5th, 8 am to 12 noon. Captain's Bed, furniture, clothes, etc.

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 Thank you so much for the huge out-pouring of love for our family. We are so blessed to have each and every one of you doing any and everything you can to help. The hospital visits, love offerings, phone calls, cards, donations, hard work at the benefit, and especially prayers have touched us in a way that is unimaginable. Thank you for answering God's call to help. You are all so amazing. We apologize for the fact that individual thank you notes became too overwhelming and want to make sure each one of

you know how truly special all of your gifts are. We ask you continue to pray without ceasing as we remain sheltered in God's grace awaiting a miracle. Please remember we enjoy cards and pictures. They may be sent to Bobby Bynum, c/o Craigs Hospital, 3425 South Clarkson, Englewood, CO 80113.
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Bronte High School Who's Who Award Winners! Students receiving Who's Who awards at Bronte High School recently include (from left) Jonathan Dannheim, Art and Band; Chelsea Meek, Art; Crawford James, Math; Bill Miller, Science and Economics; Rob Rosson, Government; Jacob Scott, English; and Chelsea Cook, Business and Ag.

Forum to help create Texas' Statewide Preservation Plan

The Texas Historical Commission (THC) has ambitious plans for the future of preservation in Texas. Every 10 years the THC, in collaboration with its partners, develops a Statewide Preservation Plan to help Texans preserve, protect and leverage their historic and cultural fabric for the betterment of local communities. The purpose of this new plan is to outline realistic and achievable goals and become an online tool for preservation with local applications, resources, best practices and links.

The THC is committed to involving the public as part of the Statewide Preservation Plan development process, by conducting planning forums throughout the state into July. A forum will be held in San Angelo July 22, from 1:30-4 pm at the Cactus Hotel.

Besides the forums, another way to get involved and follow the development process is to visit the recently launched Statewide Preservation Plan blog at texasplan.wordpress.com.

The blog will serve as a tool to keep Texans informed and involved. It will feature the most up-to-date information on the planning forums. Designed to be an open dialogue about historic preservation, the blog will include challenges faced and opportunities that can be harnessed through a statewide strategy.

For more information about the planning forums, or to RSVP to any of the meetings,

contact Rebecca Orr at rebecca.orr@thc.state.tx.us or 512.639.9615.

Warden reminds residents to leave baby fawns alone

Local game warden Jim Allen reminds residents to avoid coming into contact or adopting baby fawns. Does will soon be having fawns, and will be leaving them hidden for periods of time. In nearly all cases, the fawns have not been abandoned, and residents are urged to just leave them alone.

The warden reminded residents that it is a violation of state law to possess live whitetail fawns without departmental issued permits.

If an extreme situation develops, you may contact Allen at (325) 234-5626.

Employer survey is foundation for Rural Workforce project

The most important phase of the Rural Workforce Network Biotechnology/Life Sciences-Medical Targeted Industries grant project, funded by the Texas Workforce Commission, is in progress now through June 14, 2010. Worldwide Interactive Network, Inc. (WIN) project consultants are surveying employers within the eight targeted industries (see page 2, press release) to determine current and projected workforce skills needs. The Employer Needs Assessment

Survey results will be the foundation for all other phases of the project including Career Pathway Analysis (aligned with AchieveTexas), Regional and Targeted Industries Economic Reports, Curricula Assessment, Sustainability Plan and Financial Plan.

Employer Survey results will identify the level of awareness in the region of National Career Readiness Certificate, Texas Skills Development Fund, Every Chance Every Texan Initiative, Workforce Investment Act (WIA) On-The-Job Training; Self-Sufficiency Fund; and, Returning Veterans Skills Training Fund. The survey also asks employers to make 1, 2 and 3-year projections. Employers' participation will be very important to validate

results and accurately identify future investments such as new program development, hiring faculty/staff, and buying equipment.

Any employer in the region, in the eight targeted industries, who would like to participate in the Employer Needs Assessment Survey, conducted online until June 14, 2010 please send e-mail to Project Manager, rwbiotechlifemed@twc.state.tx.us. The Project Manager will return reply with secure log-in and password.

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RLHS 2010 Graduates! The Robert Lee High School Class of 2010 graduated Friday evening, May 28, 2010. Class members include Emily Marie Arellano, Briana Nichelle Brisbin, William Cody Brosh, Cayetano Sierra Carrera Jr., Josef Tanner Hanigan, Molli Raquel Hinderliter, Piedad Araceli Juarez, Nancy Ruby Landeros, Blake Paden Millican, Jacob Michael Moreno, Stetson Lane Nesbit, Erika Dawn Pearcy, Colton Joe-Harden Reed, K.W. Tyler Roe, Rebecka Saucedo, Olivia Trejo, Shawna Learae Wetzel, and Emilee Theresa Yanez.

the BVFD and asks for a donation (or anything at all) please politely refuse their request and contact the Coke County Sheriff's office at 453-2717 immediately.

Emergency farm loan applications being accepted

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses due to damages and losses caused by drought, above normal temperatures, and associated wildfires on January 01, 2009-December 31, 2009.

Coke County has recently been named a primary county by the Secretary of Agriculture and may be eligible for loans to cover part of actual production and physical losses resulting from each of the disaster designations.

Justin B. Holland, Frm Loan Manager, said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 100% of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue the agricultural business, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest rate is 3.75 percent.

As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FSA emergency loan. Farmers participating in the Federal Crop Insurance program will have to consider proceeds from those programs in determining their loss.

Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until December 13, 2010 but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing, with possible delays into the new farming season.

FSA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who meet U.S. citizenship requirements

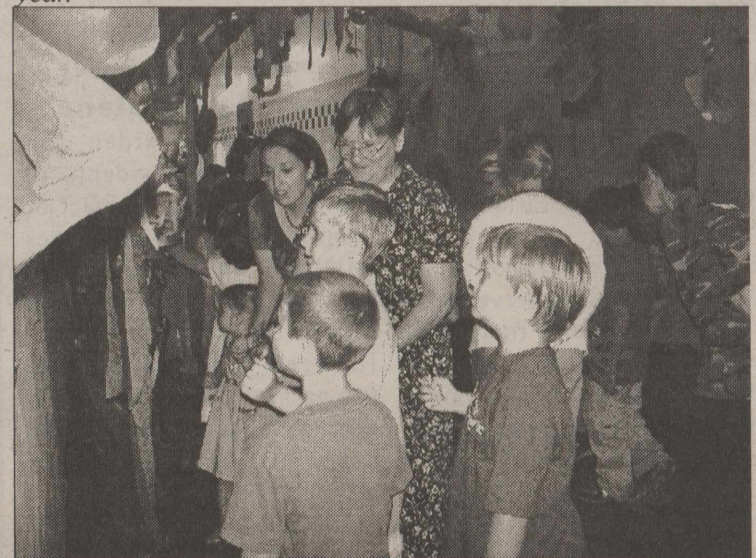
and to farming partnerships, corporations or cooperatives in which U.S. citizenship requirements are met by individuals holding a majority interest.

The FSA office in Sweetwater is open from 7:30 to 5:00, Monday through Friday.

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Playing in the Rain Forest! Bronte first graders spent the last 3 weeks of school researching and creating a model of a rain forest in their hallway. After learning about the importance of rain forests one of the first graders remarked that when he was older he would start a protest or petition to make people help rain forests. After discussion the class decided they could create a model of a rain forest to let people know how interesting and important rain forests are to our world. During their research and guided tours all first grade TEKS (Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills) were reviewed. It was a fun and educational way to end the school year.



Connect to Energy Savings

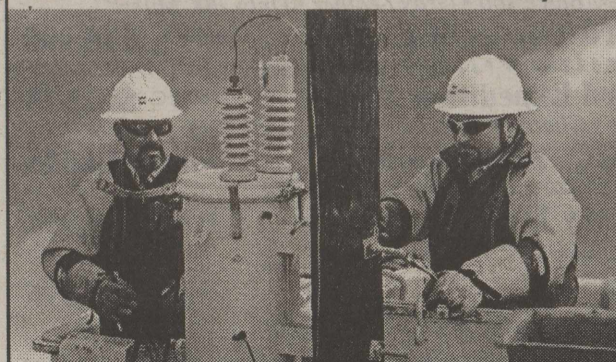
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- Set air-conditioning thermostats to the highest possible comfortable setting and dress accordingly.
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- Only cool rooms that you use. Close vents and doors in unused rooms. Be sure to close closet doors.
- Check your air-conditioning filter every month and replace as needed.
- Keep windows that let the sun in covered when the sun is shining on them.
- Weather strip and caulk around windows and doors to prevent drafts.
- Close your fireplace damper when the fireplace is not being used.
- Use fans to help circulate the air in your house.
- Air-dry dishes in the dishwasher.
- Lower the temperature on your hot water heater to warm during the summer, take short showers and wash only full loads of clothes in the laundry.

It's important to remember that if you're having trouble paying your electric bill, call your retail energy provider (REP) at the number listed on your current electric bill to avoid disconnection.

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BVFD reports scam for donations

By Matt Morris

It has been reported that an individual claiming to be a member of the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department has been going door to door in Bronte asking for donations. This person is not in any way associated with the BVFD; we have never gone door to door asking for donations, nor do we intend to do so.

If anyone comes to your door claiming they are from