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BVFD to host Fun Run October 6

The Bronte Volunteer Fire Department will be hosting a Fun Run on Saturday, October 6, with the registration beginning at 7 am and the race to commence at 8 am.

For more information, contact the City of Bronte at (325) 473-3501.

Rabies Clinic set for October 18

Bronte FFA will be hosting a Rabies Clinic on Thursday, October 18. The event will be held from 4 pm until 7 pm at the Bronte ISD Ag Building.

Sheep and Goat Workshop Series set

A Sheep and Goat Production Workshop series will kick off on Tuesday, October 16, at the Robert Lee Rec Hall. Topics will include feeding for the season, predator management, marketing strategies, increasing

lamb production, and controlling undesirable pasture plants.

The second workshop will be held Tuesday, November 6, also at the Robert Lee Rec Hall. Topics will include in/out of state resources, hair sheep and goats on small acreage, health protocol, new technologies, and rain insurance.

Both workshops will have registration from 8:30 am until 9 am on the day of the workshop and the workshop will be held each day from 9 am until 2 pm.

For more information and to RSVP, contact the Coke County Extension office at (325) 453-2461 or send an email to morgan.runyan@ag.tamu.edu.

Utility bill assistance available in the Concho Valley

Citizens who qualify can receive help on their electric, gas, and propane bills from the Concho Valley Community Action Agency.

FOOTBALL FRIDAY NIGHTS!



**Robert Lee Steers
vs. Grady Wildcats**
Friday, October 5, 2018
7:30 pm Grady

**Bronte Longhorns
vs. Hermleigh Cardinals**
Friday, October 5, 2018
7:30 pm Bronte



**Blackwell Hornets
vs. Veribest Falcons**
Friday, October 5, 2018
7:30 pm Blackwell

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Friday, October 5

High School Football -
Robert Lee at Grady, 7:30 pm
Bronte vs Hermleigh at Bronte, 7:30 pm
Blackwell vs Veribest at Blackwell, 7:30 pm

Saturday, October 6

Bronte Volunteer Fire Department Fun Run,
Registration at 7 am, Race at 8 am

High School Volleyball -
Bronte vs Water Valley at Bronte, 12 noon

Monday, October 8

School Holiday -
Blackwell CISD, Robert Lee ISD

Tuesday, October 9

Commissioners Court, 9:30 am,
County Courthouse, Robert Lee

High School Volleyball -
Bronte at Sterling City, 5:30 pm

Wednesday, October 10

Junior High/High School Cross Country -
District Meet at Carlsbad

Thursday, October 11

Junior High Football -
Robert Lee vs Veribest at Robert Lee, 5:30 pm
Bronte vs Eden at Bronte, 5:30 pm
Blackwell at Santa Anna, 5:30 pm

JV Football -
Robert Lee at Highland, 7 pm

Friday, October 12

High School Football -
Robert Lee at Veribest, 7:30 pm
Bronte at Eden, 7:30 pm
Blackwell vs Santa Anna at Blackwell, 7:30 pm

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"If you have a household income of 150 percent of the federal poverty rate, you could qualify for this program," according to Dr. Mark Bethune, executive director of the agency. "We encourage anyone in the 11 counties where we administer this program to contact us to determine if they are eligible."

The program provides assistance to people who live in the following counties: Coke, Concho, Crockett, Irion, Kimble, Menard, Reagan, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, and Tom Green.

The program can make up to eight payments and up to \$1,200 depending on circumstances. The easiest way to find out if you qualify for this assistance program is to call the agency at (325) 653-2411 for more information, but information also is available on the agency's website www.cvcaa.org or you can come to the agency's offices at 36 E. Twohig Ave. Ste. B2 (basement of the Cactus Hotel), San Angelo, TX 76903.

"The official name of the effort is the Comprehensive Energy Assistance Program," according to Bethune. "But we call it 'utility assistance' in the office, because that is what the

program addresses.

Payments are based on your billing history, but if you are interested in getting assistance, the best thing to do is contact us and find out if you qualify and what support we can provide."

The CVCAA provides a variety of services in partnership

with community resources to improve lives and empower people in the Concho Valley. In addition to the utility assistance, the agency provides weatherization assistance, case management, and tax assistance.

You do not have to own your residence to qualify.

Important Election Dates for November 6, 2018 General Election

Last Day to Register to Vote
Tuesday, October 9, 2018

**Last Day to Hand Deliver
Application for a Ballot by Mail**
Friday, October 19, 2018

First Day of Early Voting
Monday, October 22, 2018

**Last Day to Apply for a Ballot
By Mail (Received Not Postmarked)**
Friday, October 26, 2018

Last Day of Early Voting
Friday, November 2, 2018

Election Day
Tuesday, November 6, 2018

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Death Notices

Garza

Raymond Garza 62, died Sunday, September 23, 2018. Memorial services were held at 10 am, Saturday, September 29, 2018, at Iglesia Bautista Betel Church, in Robert Lee. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

He is survived by his daughter, Amy; mother, Hortencia Garza of Robert Lee; sisters, Paula Jasso of Robert Lee, Lucia Ziengenhorn of Stafford, Virginia, Alicia Garza of San Angelo; and brother, Esteban Garza of Robert Lee.

'64 Study Club to hold fundraiser garage sale

The '64 Study Club will hold a garage sale on Saturday, October 6, beginning at 8:30 am at 1006 Hillcrest in Robert Lee. The garage sale will be to raise funds for their two annual scholarships that they present to Robert Lee High School applicants.

This will be a multi-member garage sale with many items to choose from. This is a great opportunity to shop for fun and to support Robert Lee ISD seniors.

Washer Tournament to be held October 19

A Washer Tournament will be held Friday, October 19, at the Bronte Park Pavilion. Registration will be held that day with the first pitch at 10 pm. Prizes will be awarded to the first place and second place 2-person teams.

This event benefits the Bronte Volunteer Fire Department.

Bronteoberfest set for October 20

The 4th annual Bronteoberfest will be held Saturday, October 20, at the Bronte Park.

The gates will open to the public at 9 am with the Vendor Fair and Cook-Off Judging beginning at 10 am. At 11 am the Food Truck Court opens, followed by the Beer and Wine Tent opening and live music starting at 12 noon. A Beer Barrel Race will start at 3 pm with the Cook-Off awards at 5:30 pm. At 6:45 pm the Wiener Dog Costume Contest will be held, followed by the always popular "Running of the

Wieners" at 7 pm.

The evening will wind down with a concert beginning at 9 pm, featuring Kramer LaBarge, Zack McGinn, Trading Company, Chy Everett and the Triggermen, Rowdy Richter, Jessi England and headliners Micky and the Motorcars.

WCCHD Board Meeting minutes

by Pat Stephens

The Board of Directors of the West Coke County Hospital District met in regular session on Tuesday, September 25, 2018.

President Pat Stephens called the meeting to order at 9:35 am and declared a quorum was present. Board members present were Sarah Green, Pat Carwile, Beverly Burdett and Noel Tinkler. Roger Alexander, WCCHD Administrator, and Janie Munoz, BOM, were also present at the meeting.

The invocation was given by Pat Stephens. There were no visitors. The Board minutes from the previous meeting were approved, excusing the absentee from the September 13 meeting.

There are 33 residents, with 2 pending, in the Care Center as of the meeting date. The facility is currently in need of an interim DON, part-time day nurse, an Assistant Business Office Manager, and a night CNA.

Houston reported and discussed with the Board the results of the state survey which was in progress during the August meeting. The September payment was received from QUIPP, and the DSO for the month was 39.

Building maintenance was



Donation! Beverly Bell, president of the Rio Texas Conference, the West District United Methodist Church, accompanied by Harriet Demere, presented a check to Johnetta Lawrence, treasurer of the recently formed Friends of the Robert Lee Care Center. The donation was presented at their meeting on Thursday, September 24.

discussed, and while the work is ongoing, there is currently nothing major to report.

Accounts receivable were reviewed and discussed.

Roger Alexander gave an update on financials.

Future agenda items were discussed, and the next regular Board meeting will be October 30, 2018, at 9:30 am. The public is invited to attend.

The calendar for October looks like a fun and busy one. Residents enjoyed a performance by Joe Weaver, a guitarist from the San Angelo Symphony on Tuesday, October 2. The monthly Sing-Along will be Friday, October 12, at 3:30 pm. Everyone is invited to come and participate in the fun. There will be a pumpkin decorating contest at 3:30 pm on Tuesday, October 16. Good luck to all participants! The monthly birthday party, sponsored by the FCCLA, will be at 2 pm on Thursday, October 18. The only resident celebrating a birthday this month is Ida Belle Service, so happy birthday to Ida Belle. Jim Gross will be entertaining at the facility at 3:30 on Friday, October 19. The resident

Council meeting will be at 3:30 pm on Tuesday, October 23. Residents will be enjoying the Steer Homecoming Parade at 2 pm on Friday, October 26, and there will be a Halloween Festival at the facility at 6:30 pm on Tuesday, October 30. There will be all sorts of spooks and

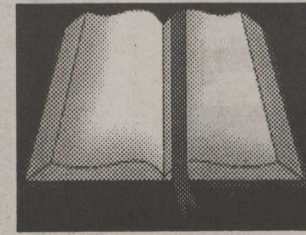
goblins running around the facility Wednesday, October 31, culminating with a costume contest at 3:30 pm, then Trunk or Treat at 5 pm. All this is in addition to the regularly scheduled activities at the facility, so it will be a very busy month. Have a safe and fun Halloween.

Area Churches
 Invite You to Worship

Bronte
Bronte Church of Christ
 PO Box 346
 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte
 Preacher David Lewis
 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 & 5 pm Worship
First Baptist Church
 424 S. Washington • Bronte
 (325) 473-2331 • Pastor Lee Bevely
 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,
 10:55 am Worship, 6 pm Bible
 Study & Worship
 Wednesday 6 pm RA's & GA's,
 6:30 pm Youth & Adults
First United Methodist Church
 Corner of Washington & Holmes
 Bronte
 (325) 473-3281
 Rev. Everette Boyce, Pastor
 Sun. 10:00 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship
Forgiven Ministries
 117 W. Main, Bronte
 Russ Frasier, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am
 Tuesday 6 pm Table Time
St. James Catholic Church
 215 N. Washington, Bronte
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Yesu Mulakaleti, Jr., Pastor
 Sunday Bilingual Mass 8 am
4C Cowboy Church
 Texas Theater, Downtown Bronte
 Pastor James Brunson
 Sunday, 10:30 am

Coke County

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 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy
 (325) 453-2065, Bill Hood, Pastor
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 11 am & 7 pm, Worship



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 Robert Lee, Brandon Broadbent, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School, 11 am
 Worship, Wed 5:30 pm Bible Study
Emmanuel Pentecostal
 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy
 Pastor Kevin Millstid 453-2360
 Sundays 10 am, Wednesdays 7 pm
First United Methodist Church
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417
 Cyndi Weidner, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am Worship, 5 pm Choir Practice
Iglesia Bautista Betel
 101 Houston • Robert Lee
 Sun. 9:45 am • Sunday School
 11 am Service • Bible Study Wed. 6 pm
Southside Church of Christ
 PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston
 Robert Lee (325) 453-2176
 Recardo Reyes, Preacher
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
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 Wed. 6 pm, Worship
Northside Church of Christ
 PO Box 508
 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2685, (806) 543-2118 or
 (325) 473-1053
 Services: Sun. 10 am
Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Yesu Mulakaleti, Pastor
 Saturday Vigil Mass 5 pm
Robert Lee Baptist Church
 PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th
 (325) 453-2724
 Chris Walls, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship
 Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting
Victory Assembly of God
 (325) 453-2208, PO Box 638
 6th & Houston, Robert Lee
 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study
Tennyson
Tennyson Baptist Church
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 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

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Street Affair! The Robert Lee Street Affair was held this past Saturday, September 29. Visitors to the festivities were treated to a variety of events, including a vendor fair (top right photo) and car show. Will Howard (top left photo) also participated in the popular dunking booth.



Erin Oleksiuk. All were for. Supt. Hood gave his respective report on enrollment numbers, calendar items, and Grape Creek Wind, LLC. The next regular board

meeting will be Thursday, September 20, 2018, at 5 pm. The meeting was adjourned at 5:29 pm.

RLISD Board Meeting minutes

The Robert Lee ISD Board of Trustees met on Wednesday, August 29, 2018, at 5 pm. Members present included Wes Washam, Jeffie Roberts, George Grim, Tom Sawyer, Erin Oleksiuk, and Beverly Sinclair. Member Irma Torres was absent.

The meeting was called to order at 5:05 pm by President Wes Washam and a quorum was established.

Beverly Sinclair gave the invocation, as well as leading the pledge.

Tom Sawyer made a motion to approve the minutes of August 14, 2018, and was seconded by Jeffie Roberts. All were for.

Beverly Sinclair made a motion to approve the financial reports and budget amendments as presented by Robin Allen and to approve the bills. The motion was seconded by Erin Oleksiuk and all were for.

A public hearing was held on the 2018-2019 Proposed Budget.

Supt. Aaron Hood recommended adopting the 2018-2019 Official Estimated Budget by Fund and Function as presented. A motion was made by Jeffie Roberts and seconded by Tom Sawyer to approve the budget. All were for.

A public hearing was held on the 2018-2019 Proposed Tax Rate.

Sup. Hood presented the 2018-2019 Tax Rate by Ordinance; \$1.04 for the purpose of Maintenance and Operations (M&O) and \$.42 for the purpose of payment of Principal and Interest (P&I) on debts for a total of tax rate of \$1.46. George Grim made a motion to approve the Tax Rate and was seconded by Erin Oleksiuk. All were for.

Supt. Hood recommended approving the Resolution for

Setting Minimum Fund Balance for Year Ending August 31, 2019. Tom Sawyer mad a motion to approve the Resolution and was seconded by Erin Oleksiuk. All were for.

Supt. Hood recommended approving the Resolution on Committed Fund Balance. The district commits \$50,000 for sick leave, \$200,000 for capital expenditures, \$100,000 for technology, and \$50,000 for land. Tom Sawyer made the motion to approve the Resolution and was seconded by George Grim. All were for.

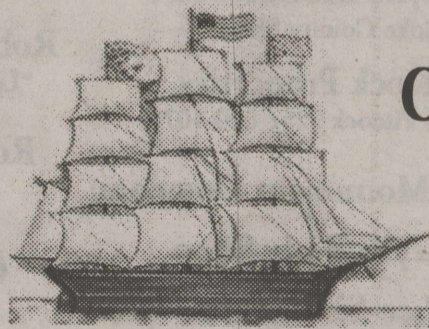
Supt. Hood recommended approving the 2018 Certified Appraisal Roll as presented. Beverly Sinclair made a motion to approve and was seconded by

HOLIDAY CLOSING NOTICE

All facilities of this bank will be closed Monday, October 8.

In Observance Of

Columbus Day



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SCHOOL PAGE

RL Homecoming festivities set for October 26

Robert Lee ISD will celebrate homecoming October 26, 2018, kicking off with a parade downtown at 2 pm. Following the parade, a pep rally will be held at 2:40 pm in the new gym at Robert Lee High School. FCCLA will sponsor a pre-game dinner in the Cafetorium from 5 pm until 7 pm, followed by pre-game activities at the stadium starting at 7:10. Beginning at 7:30 pm, the Coke County Rivalry will take place once again as the Steers face off against the Bronte Longhorns.

Steers fall to Hornets

by Tom Sawyer
The Steers traveled to Highland Friday night and dropped their first game of the year against a tough team.

Join us this week as the Steers travel to Grady for their last game before district play starts.

**WE BLEED ORANGE
STEER PRIDE
Scoring Summary**

1st Quarter

Hornets - 65 yard kick return with 9:47 left, PAT failed;

Hornets - 27 yard run with 7:01 left, PAT kick good;

Hornets - 11 yard run with 5:36 left, PAT failed;

Steers - 14 yard pass from Gamboa to Jowers with 3:19 left, PAT kick good by L. Fowler;

Hornets - 31 yard run with 2:41 left, PAT kick good.

Steers - 8

Hornets - 28

2nd Quarter

Hornets - 7 yard run with 9:54 left, PAT failed;

Hornets - 17 yard run with 6:45 left, PAT failed;

Steers - 31 yard pass from Gamboa to L. Fowler with 5:24 left, PAT kick failed;

Hornets - 9 yard run with 2:32 left, PAT kick good;

Hornets - 38 yard run with 1:04 left, PAT kick good.

Steers - 14

Hornets - 56

3rd Quarter

Hornets - 50 yard interception with 9:30 left, game over mercy rule.

Final Score

Steers - 14

Hornets - 62

Player Statistics

Manny Gamboa - 4 of 14 passing for 91 yards and 1 TD, 1 reception for 1 yard and 3 tackles;

Stephen Oleksiuk - 1 tackle;

Hunter Jowers - 3 receptions for 44 yards and 1 TD and 6 tackles;

Kyler Coger - 1 tackle;

Daniel Mendoza - 4 carries for 12 yards, 4 of 6 passing for 74 yards and 1 TD and 4 tackles;

Nathan Scates - 1 carry for 2 yards, 1 reception for 8 yards and 5 tackles;

Jayton Warren - 2 receptions for 70 yards and 1 tackle;

Lane Fowler - 1 of 2 passing for 15 yards, 2 receptions for 38 yards and 1 TD;

Casey Skipworth - 2 carries for 3 yards, 1 reception for 22 yards and 3 tackles;

Jonathan Skipworth - 1 tackle;

Bryce Raynor - 4 tackles.

GO STEERS

STEER PRIDE

Robert Lee travels to Grady to battle the Wildcats at 7:30 pm

this Friday, October 5.

Financial Aid Night for BCISD Seniors

Parents or guardians of Blackwell High School seniors, along with senior students, are invited to attend a meeting on Tuesday, October 9, at 6 pm in the high school computer lab to hear an overview of the financial aid process and current changes made to the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This will be presented by Ann Duncan, a representative for the Panhandle-Plains Management & Servicing Corporation. In addition, a drawing will be held for a \$200 scholarship for one of the seniors present.

Counselor Lynsey Coalson will also briefly cover issues that affect seniors, such as the college admission process, ACT and SAT testing, the Texas Success Initiative (TSI), scholarship information, and other topics. Informational handouts will be given to parents.

If you are unable to attend, please call Lynsey Coalson,

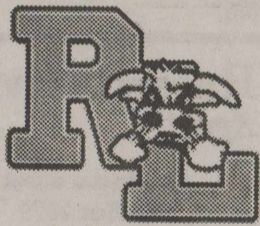
school counselor, at 282-2311, or send an email to lcoalson@blackwellcisid.org to schedule an individual meeting time.

PSAT Test set for Juniors at Blackwell HS

The PSAT/NMSQT will be administered on Wednesday, October 10, 2018, at Blackwell High School. This assessment serves as a practice SAT test and also as the qualifier for the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. This testing session is available to all Blackwell High School juniors, including home-schooled students eligible to attend school in the Blackwell CISD. Junior students currently enrolled at Blackwell CISD will automatically be registered. The students have been given a PSAT study guide.

For additional information, please contact BCISD counselor, Lynsey Coalson, at (325) 282-2311 or email lcoalson@blackwellcisid.org. You may also visit www.collegeboard.com for more information.

ROBERT LEE STEERS FOOTBALL



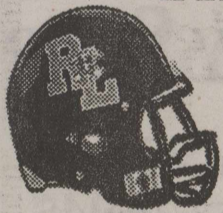
**ROBERT LEE
STEERS**

vs. Grady Wildcats

Friday, October 5

7:30 pm

Grady



RLHS

Date	Opponent	Location	RLHS	Opponent
August 31	Water Valley	Here	44	30
September 7	Sidney	There	51	36
September 14	Santa Anna	Here	66	0
September 22	Hill Country Christian	There	50	47
September 28	Highland	There	14	62
October 5	Grady	There		
October 12	Veribest *	There		
October 19	OPEN			
October 26	Bronte **	Here		
November 2	Paint Rock *	There		
November 9	Eden *	Here		

* District Games ** Homecoming Game
All games begin at 7:30 pm.

We Support the Steers!

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BRONTE LONGHORNS FOOTBALL



**BRONTE
LONGHORNS**
vs. **Hermleigh Cardinals**

Friday, September 28

7:30 pm

Bronte



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**Bronte
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Pitcock Properties
Ashley Braswell & Melinda McCutchen

**Larry Dyess
Automotive, LLC**

Marty Boyd
Coke County Constable
Addona's Restaurant
Bronte Supermarket

Concho Realty
Becky Clendennen, 325/650-9729

Bronte Body Shop
123 N. State, Bronte 473-2425

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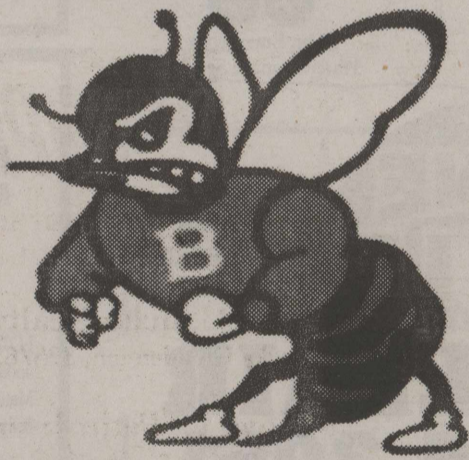
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				BHS	
August 31	Rising Star	There	7:30	44	0
September 7	Loraine	Here	7:30	60	27
September 14	Highland	There	7:30	6	54
September 20	Santa Anna	There	7:30	68	18
September 28	Sterling City	Here	7:30	0	50
October 5	Hermleigh	Here	7:30		
October 12	Eden *	There	7:30		
October 19	Veribest **	Here	7:30		
October 26	Robert Lee *	There	7:30		
November 2	OPEN				
November 9	Paint Rock *	Here	7:30		

* District Games ** Homecoming Game

BLACKWELL HORNETS FOOTBALL

**BLACKWELL
HORNETS**
vs. **Veribest Falcons**



Friday, October 5

7:30 pm

Blackwell



*We Support
the Hornets!*

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Wayne McCutchen
Coke County Sheriff

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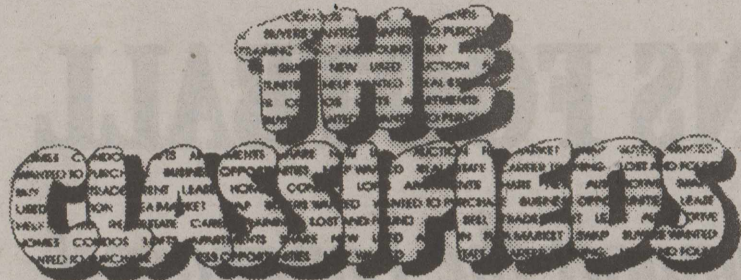
**Coke County
Cowboy Church**

Bronte Body Shop
123 N. State, Bronte 473-2425

**Everything
Coke County**

				BHS	
September 1	Eden **	Here		54	40
September 7	Highland	There		27	24
September 14	Newcastle	Here		58	12
September 21	Lueders-Avoca	Here		56	8
September 28	Hermleigh	There		64	35
October 5	Veribest	Here			
October 12	Santa Anna	Here			
October 19	OPEN				
October 26	Moran *	There			
November 2	Trent *	There			
November 8	Loraine *	Here			

* District Games ** Homecoming Game
All games begin at 7:30 pm



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Saturday, October 6, 8:30 am.
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NOTICES

CITY OF BRONTE SANITATION ORDINANCE #18-05

F. COLLECTION CHARGES:
The monthly rates and charges shall be, to-wit:

(a) Premises within city limits used for private residences, single or double unit apartment houses, single mobile home sites and/or locations, shall be charged \$20.34 per family unit as to occupied residences, apartments, and units. One polycart container will be provided for each trash service location. Each additional polycart shall be \$20.34 per polycart.

(b) Premises within city limits used for commercial business, and/or public purposes not received sanitation container service as described herein shall be charged \$32.45 per month. One polycart container will be

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Political Calendar

The Observer/Enterprise had been authorized to make the following announcements for the political offices in Coke County. Each candidate or the campaign treasurer has paid for his or her announcement.

Justice of the Peace Precinct 1
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Hal Spain

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FOR SALE - 1008 sq. ft. (+/-) Frame House, located at 1214 Chadbourne St., Robert Lee, Texas. This property was recently rebuilt inside and out. 2 BR/1BA, Living Room and Utility Room. All Floors are Laminated Wood. No Central Heating and Air Conditioning but has Window Units for Cooling and Electric Heat. A Third Room that could be used for a Bedroom. Close to School. Storage Building.

FOR SALE - 112 W. 12th Street, Robert Lee, Texas. 3BR/2B home, 1800 sq. ft. Living Area, Central Heat and Air, Hardwood Floors, Attached Garage, Large Patio and Backyard, Storage Building. Close to the school!

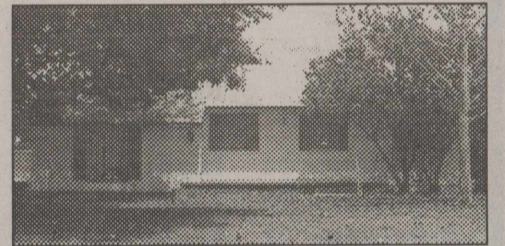
FOR SALE - 201 acres, close to Robert Lee, Texas. Good hunting with highway frontage and a creek running through the property.

provided for each trash location. Each additional polycart shall be \$32.45 per polycart.

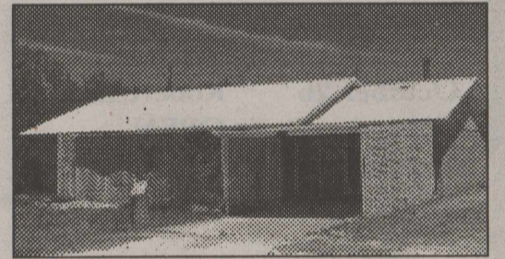
(c) Commercial and residential

premises located outside the City Limits shall be charged at a rate of 1.75 times above the rate charged within city limits.

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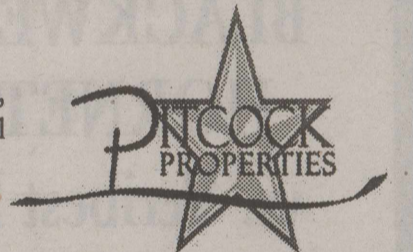
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LOVELY SPACIOUS HOME IN ESTABLISHED NEIGHBORHOOD! New A/C and other updates include privacy fence, and fireplace. Survey available. Mature live oaks provide shade. Small town is currently enjoying a revitalization with emphasis on park.

SOLD

BEAUTIFULLY MAINTAINED & UPDATED HOME! Three bedroom, three bathroom family home on almost 2 acres with multiple producing pecan trees! Home has been completely updated with new wiring, plumbing, windows, flooring, paint, and so much more! Covered patio great for entertaining, huge workshop with electricity has plenty of storage potential, mature trees, and a privacy fence complete this large backyard! In-ground pool just waiting to be fixed up and filled!

LARGE HOME ON OVER 8 ACRES! Over 2,600 square feet in this home with large trees and many outbuildings on almost 9 acres just outside rural community. Completely updated kitchen and living area. Large utility room. Indoor sun porch on south side provides perfect place for entertaining. Provides shade for evenings outdoors after a dip in the in-ground pool. Perfect for dogs, horses and other animals.

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(d) If a polycart is lost or damaged by the resident, a \$70.00 replacement fee will be assessed.

H. CONTAINERIZED SANITATION SYSTEM:

1. After the effective date of this ordinance, certain public, business and/or commercial locations and sites shall receive sanitation container system service for the removal of garbage and trash under the rates and rules hereinafter set forth. A residential service may be allowed sanitation container system service on a short time basis. Pursuant to sanitation container system services, the City will furnish a container or containers to be used in the collection and/or removal of garbage and trash. The following formula shall be used as to the fees charged for garbage and/or trash hauling, to-wit:

Charges for one pick up per week:

Charges for two pickups per week shall be charged at a rate of 1.5 times above the rate charged for one pick up per week.

HERE IS A BREAKDOWN:

Inside City Limits Polycarts

Current - 19.75, 3% Increase - 0.5925, New Rate - 20.34;

Outside City Limits Polycarts

Current - 34.56, 3% Increase - 1.0368, New Rate - 35.60;

Inside City Limits Commercial Polycarts

Current - 31.50, 3% Increase - 0.945, New Rate - 32.45;

2 yd Container

Current - 100, 3% Increase - 3, New Rate - 103.00

4 yd Container

Current - \$125, 3% Increase - 3.75; New Rate - 128.75

6 yd Container

Current - 175, 3% Increase - 5.25, New Rate - \$180.25

8 yd Container

Current - 250, 3% Increase - 7.5, New Rate - 257.50.

Effective Date: November 1, 2018.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF ROBERT LEE

In 2017, at the September 11th council meeting, council approved to increase sewer rates. The rates will go into effect immediately.

An ordinance establishing a new schedule of rates for services rendered by the City's Wastewater System, repealing Ordinance #1243.

WHEREAS, the cost of chemicals, materials, utilities and maintenance have increased to the point where the current schedule of rates is no longer sufficient to cover the increased cost, and

WHEREAS, it now appears to the City Council that it is necessary and proper to prescribe a new schedule of rates and charges for services rendered by the City's Wastewater System;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROBERT LEE AS FOLLOWS, TO WIT:

SECTION 1: There shall be charged for sewer service a flat monthly rate:

- Residential - \$18.70
- Small Business - \$18.70
- Business with Car Wash - \$26.47
- Non-Profit Organization - \$18.70
- Motel - \$77.89
- RV Park - \$78.28
- Restaurant/Café - \$77.89
- Business with food preparation/sales - \$77.89
- Laundromat - \$88.20
- School & Cafeteria - \$102.06
- School Gym & Ag Building - \$102.06
- Courthouse - \$92.68
- County Park - \$56.08
- Golf Course - \$18.70
- Nursing Home (East Side) - \$102.16

- Nursing Home - (West Side) \$183.40
- Housing Authority (\$12.16 per unit) - \$510.51

SECTION 4: By reason of the fact that the City Council considers the passage necessary for the economy and welfare of the citizens of Robert Lee, it is hereby declared duly continued by the City Council. This ordinance shall take effect with the utility billing issued for the month of October, 2017. Said Ordinance was duly passed by affirmative vote.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 11th day of September 2017.

12-2tc

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Jolene V. Henderson (325) 763-7812 after 4 pm

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- 2014 Toyota Tundra 1794 Edition 4x4 \$29,200**
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School Menu

Bronte ISD

Breakfast

Monday, October 8
Pizza or choice of cereal and toast, juice, milk

Tuesday, October 9
Donuts or choice of cereal and toast, juice, milk

Wednesday, October 10
PB&J or choice of cereal and toast, juice, milk

Thursday, October 11
Tornado or choice of cereal and toast, juice, milk

Friday, October 12
Biscuit and sausage or choice of cereal and toast, juice, milk

Lunch

Monday, October 8
Boneless chicken wings, garden salad, carrots, cornbread, orange smiles, milk

Tuesday, October 9
Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, broccoli, roll, gravy, mixed fruit, milk

Wednesday, October 10
Chicken quesadilla, corn, pinto beans, salsa, pears, apple crisp, milk

Thursday, October 11
Spaghetti bowl, celery sticks, California blend, breadstick, peaches, milk

Friday, October 12
Popcorn chicken, tots, green beans, strawberries, roll, milk

Blackwell CISD

Breakfast

Monday, October 8
School Holiday

Tuesday, October 9
Biscuits, gravy, scrambled eggs, sausage, fruit, juice, milk

Wednesday, October 10
Breakfast pizza, fruit, juice, milk

Thursday, October 11
Pancakes, bacon, fruit, juice, milk

Friday, October 12
Danish, fruit, juice, milk

Lunch

Monday, October 8
School Holiday

Tuesday, October 9
(Continued on page 8)
Corn dogs, mac-n-cheese, baked beans, milk

Wednesday, October 10
Hornet Chicken Bowl (popcorn chicken, mashed potatoes, corn, gravy, cheese), hot roll, milk

Thursday, October 11
Pizza, breadsticks, corn, salad, milk

Friday, October 12
Hamburger or cheeseburger, garnish, fries, milk

Robert Lee ISD

Breakfast

Monday, October 8
School Holiday

Tuesday, October 9
Sunrise sandwich, fruit, juice, milk

Wednesday, October 10
French toast, sausage, fruit, juice, milk

Thursday, October 11
Oatmeal, cin-toast, yogurt, fruit, juice, milk

Friday, October 12
Burrito, hash brown, fruit, juice, milk

Lunch

Monday, October 8

School Holiday
Tuesday, October 9
French bread pizza, salad, California blend, marinara sauce, pudding, fruit cup, milk

Wednesday, October 10
Chili, celery sticks, carrot sticks, orange slices, cornbread, brownie, milk

Thursday, October 11
Chicken quesadilla, corn, beans, Spanish rice, salsa, seasonal fruit, milk

Friday, October 12
Sloppy Joe Sandwich, broccoli, fries, peaches, milk

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL EN EL CONSTITUCIONAL ENMIENDA)

TO THE REGISTERED VOTERS OF THE COUNTY OF COKE, TEXAS:
(A LOS VOTANTES REGISTRADOS DEL CONDADO DE COKE, TEXAS)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 6, 2018, for voting in a general election to elect Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and State, District, County and Precinct Officers as required by Article XVI, Section 65 of the Texas Constitution.

(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citados abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 am hasta las 7:00 pm, el 6 de Noviembre de 2018 para votar en la Elección General para elegir electores Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precincto, Artículo XVI, Sección 65, de la Constitución de Texas)

LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES: (DIRECCION (ES) DE SITIOS DE VOTACION:)

Pct. 1 and 3 - Coke County Courthouse, 13 E. 7th St, Suite 10, Robert Lee, Texas
Pct. 2 and 4 - Bronte First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall, 424 S. Washington, Bronte, Texas

Early Voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at: (La votacion adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en:)

County Clerk's Office, 13 E. 7th St., Robert Lee, Texas

Between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Thursday, 8:00 a.m. till 1:00 p.m. Friday, beginning on October 22 and ending on November 2.

(Entre las 8:00 del a mañana hasta las 5:00 e la tarde, de lunes a jueves - 8:00 de la mañana hasta la 1:00 de la tarde, viernes empezando el 22 de Octubre y terminando el 2 de Noviembre.)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada por correo deberan enviarse a:)

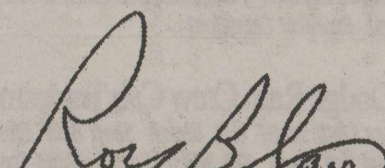
MARY GRIM, COUNTY CLERK
(Mary Grim)
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votacion Adelantada)

13 E. 7th St.
(13 E. 7th) (Direccion)

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS 76945
(Robert Lee) (Ciudad) 76945 (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on: October 26, 2018.
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran adelantada por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocia el: 26 de Octubre, 2018.)

Issued this the 25th day of September, 2018.
(Emitada este dia el 25 de Septiembre, 2017.)


Roy Blair, County Judge (Juez del Condado),
Coke County, Texas