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County Festival plans set for Saturday

Br. "Fall Festival" nearing

The annual Bronte "Fall Festival" will be held this weekend at the Bronte School.

The event is scheduled for Saturday evening, Oct. 28. A brisket sandwich supper kicks off the evening as serving begins at 5:00. The meal includes beans, chips, and tea and will be served in the lunchroom until 7:00 pm.

Games, booths, and food stations open at 6:00 and close at 9:00. There will be fun activities for all ages, as well as good food and visiting.

Parents are encouraged to let their kids wear Halloween costumes, if they'd like.

The proceeds from the evening's activities go toward all facets of school programs. With the band kids at Area competition the same day, the Booster Club is hoping for a good turnout of local folk. Y'all come!

RL PTA to sponsor Fall Festival

Festival fun, food, prizes, booths, and BINGO . . . all just seem to go together, and on October 28, the Robert Lee Fall Festival will bring them all together once again. The an-

nual October event hosted at the Robert Lee ISD will this year be sponsored by the local PTA Chapter. Chapter officers began work early in 1995 to once more provide Bingo for festival goers. When the permit finally arrived, Festival planners happily added Bingo to the agenda for the Saturday, October 28 Robert Lee Fall Festival.

Add Bingo to the great lineup of booths for kids and adults alike, throw in a Mexican Supper, and the 1995 Fall Festival promises to be one of the best . . . a community event that offers something for everyone . . . a gathering of friends and neighbors as in the past. Booths will open at 5:00 pm and include: Ring Toss, Basketball Throw, Toy Walk, Go Fish, Train Ride, Marble Mania and Cake Walk (cakes will be baked by local ladies and gents). Also offered will be: Dice Toss, Laying Hen, Needle in a Haystack, Coin Toss, Pan for Gold, and Gumball Guess. Elephant's Truck, Toilet Paper Toss, Shave A Balloon, Coin Toss, Duck Pond, Pick Pocket and Tricycle Race booths will be set up.

Of course, there will be lots of great prizes, including a TV and VCR.

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"Cemetery grooming" held

On Saturday, October 14, 1995, a cemetery working was held in The Brookshire Community, a few miles east of Tennyson. Among those attending were J.A. Cox of San Angelo, whose father and grandfather were pastors of the Methodist Church there for many years. Also Doris Potter, Scooter Harris, Queenie Wade, Carol and S.C. Cotton, Mary Lou and Ordie Crotwell, all of San Angelo; Mack and Bernice Kiser of Eastland, Hollis and June Kennemer of Big Spring, and Alton and Laverne Duffy of Andrews. A lot of needed work was done, and they hope to have another workday soon. Plans were made to build a fence on the north side of the cemetery if enough money can be collected.

Talleys begin work at Southside

Mike Talley, his wife Clovia, son Andrew, and daughter Sarah have moved to Robert Lee. Mike is the new minister for the Southside Church of Christ. He has served as youth minister, singles minister, education minister and preacher for the last twentyeight years.



The cemetery in the Brookshire Community received a facelift Saturday, October 14, as caring friends and neighbors worked to restore its unique beauty. Pictured are, I to r: June and Hollis Kennemer, Doris Potter, Scooter Harris, Ordie Crotwell, B.J. Kiser, Bernice Kiser, Queenie Wade, Connie Laverne Kiser, Alton and Laverne Duffy. Mack Kiser in front.

... Upcoming -

Update Voter Reg./911 address The Tax Assessor /Collector, County Judge and 911 Representative of Concho Valley Council of Governments will be at First National Bank in Bronte from 9 am - 1 pm on Thursday, November 2, 1995. Please try to come by and update

posit at Robert Lee State Bank.

Gun club to host **Turkey Shoot**

Red Canyon Gun Club has scheduled its annual Turkey Shoot for Saturday, Oct. 28, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm. Shooting will be offhand with .22 rimfires. Eight per relay; special relays for age 70 and older. The public is welcome at the range east of Robert Lee.



Robert Lee welcomes new minister of Southside Church of Christ Mike Talley, his wife Clovia, and their son and daughter, Andrew and Sarah.

He received his education from Ft. Worth Christian (AA degree), Oklahoma Christian (BA degree), Sunset School of Preaching, and Abilene Christian University (MA degree).

Mike enjoys working with young people, helping those who are hurting, and teaching God's Word. He has helped coach girls' softball, little league baseball, and basketball for ages 11 and younger.

Mike and Clovia owned a Christian bookstore in San Antonio. Clovia has owned her own businesses in San Antonio and most recently, a gourmet coffee shop in Cloudcroft, New Mexico.

Andrew enjoys basketball and baseball, while Sarah enjoys volleyball and softball.

The Talleys are excited about being here and would like to be of service to the community.

address.

Sherman Williams Fund established

your voter's registration and

verify your 911 physical

The Coke County Bass Club has set up a fund in memory of Sherman Williams. Anyone wishing to contribute may contact any bass club member or make a direct de-

RL Masons schedule workday

Masonic Lodge #696 has scheduled a workday at the Robert Lee Cemetery for Saturday, October 28, beginning at 8:30 am. Volunteers are needed to assist them with work to be done on the roads.



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....Festival

As in past years, festival tickets will be sold at the old gym at the rate of 4 tickets for \$1.00. Tickets may be purchased in advance at 5 for \$1.00. See Nancy Randolph at Robert Lee Elementary October 23-27 from 2:45 to 3:30 for advance tickets.

Food will also be available. In addition to a concession area, the Junior class will be serving a Mexican Supper in the school cafeteria from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm with a per plate charge. Green enchiladas, refried beans, coleslaw, Spanish rice, chips, hot sauce, tea, and dessert are on the menu. They will also have drinks and desserts for sale (ct'd. from page 1) during Bingo activities.

Come join the fun on festival night and support your PTA and school. All proceeds from this event go back to students. Elementary teachers use profits for field trips and needed classroom items. Monies earned by junior high and high school classes are used for various events from graduation activities to Junior/Senior Prom.

Don't miss the Fall Festival, Saturday, October 28, 1995, at the old gym and cafeteria of Robert Lee ISD. Booths and Mexican Supper kick-off at 5:00 pm and Bingo begins at 7:00 pm. See you there.

----- Death Notices------

Gloria

Julia Rodriquez Gloria, 71, of Robert Lee, died Sunday, October 22, 1995, in a San Angelo hospital.

Service was held at 10 am Tuesday, October 24, at the Robert Lee Baptist Church with burial in the Robert Lee Hispanic Cemetery. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Survivors include three sons, Daniel Gloria and Thomas Gloria, both of San Angelo, and Arturo Gloria of Brady; a daughter, Susan Rodriquez of Robert Lee; 12 grandchildren; and 12 great grandchildren.

King

Funeral service was held Wednesday, October 25, at 2:00 pm at the Sterling City Church of Christ for Lila Odessa King of Snyder. Burial followed in City Cemetery with arrangements by Ross Funeral Home. John Driggers of the Bronte Church of Christ officiated. Survivors include one brother, Marshal Smith of Boswell, Oklahoma; two sisters, Barbara Mixos of Allen and Sally Savard of Carmel, California; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Wayne King of Bronte and Courtney and Elaine King of Snyder; a sonin-law, Larry Kelso of Bronte; and eight grandchildren.

tober 24, in the Robert Lee Cemetery. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife, Judy Williams of Robert Lee; two sons, Darren Williams of San Angelo and Sheldon Williams of Breckenridge; a daughter, Audrey Palmer of Sweetwater; his mother, Ruth Williams of Robert Lee; a brother, Gary Sam Williams of Robert Lee; and 12 grandchildren.

Snead

Virginia Helen Snead, 81, died Monday, October 23, 1995, in a San Angelo hospital.

Graveside service was at 2 pm Wednesday in Fairview Cemetery. Arrangements

Personal

The twelfth annual Creech Sisters Reunion was held September 22-24, 1995, at the ranch home of Bobby and Jeffie Roberts of Robert Lee. All four of the surviving sisters were present; they are Loreine Collins of Balmorhea, Jessie Harmon of Robert Lee, Prudence DuBas of Houston, and Madelle Griffith of Lubbock. They are daughters of the late Elias Brown and Prudie Ann (Dozier) Creech.

Other relatives and friends present were: spouses Floyd Harmon of Robert Lee and Jimmy Griffith of Lubbock. Others - Barbara Harrison of Abilene; Lawana and Howard Perry of Carlsbad; Jerry, Janie and Jason Harmon of Sand Springs; Tracy Glass of San Angelo; Dorene and Wayne Mashburn, Jeffie and Bobby Roberts, Douglas, Denise, and Kacee Roberts, Marshall, Sheri, Kannan, and Stewart Millican, Bill and Evelyn Harmon, all of Robert Lee; Erika Griffith of Lubbock; Steve, Rena, Jessica, and Brady Johnson of San Angelo; Jewell Puckett from California; and Ricky Mashburn of Salado.

The group enjoyed good food, lots of visiting, and picture taking.

Others visiting in the home of Bobby and Jeffie Roberts were Sheila Farrar of Houston; Dan McClanahan of Van; and Jerry Thomason and Marjorie Harwell of Robert Lee.

"National Make A Difference" day draws response

October 28th is National "Make A Difference" Day. In response to last week's ad for acknowledgement of people that you believe have made a difference in our community or lives, we received the following comments:

"We would like to thank whoever is responsible for painting the helicopter landing area in front of the gazebo."

"One person who has made a big difference in our community is George Tomes, the school's band director. He has encouraged our kids to develop a love of music and set a goal to be the best!"

"We would like to let John and Judy Driggers know what a difference they have made in our lives. They have such a sweet spirit and we really appreciate them." "I would like to thank the person who anonymously is taking care of some of the trees in town, and also say that I appreciate the new billboards at the city limits that the Chamber and Lions put "My husband and I want to the new Family Clinic. The doctors and staff there are wonderful, and their presence has made a difference in our town." "We want to mention the local duffers and other people who have worked so long to keep improving our local golf course. The trees and work have really added to our park." "We want to give recognition to the people who are volunteering at the prison facility. These people are trying to make a difference in the future of those girls."



The Creech sisters were in attendance for their twelfth annual family reunion. They are, I to r: Prudence DuBas and Loreine Collins (seated); Madelle Griffith and Jessie Harmon (standing).

UPCOMING —

Personal

Among those attending the funeral of Vera (Adkins) White of Ft. Stockton were her aunts, uncles, and cousins. They were Floyd and Jessie Harmon, Bobby and Jeffie Roberts, all of Robert Lee; Jerry and Janie Harmon of Sand Springs; and Jimmy and Madelle Griffith of Lubbock.

The funeral was held in Monahans October 23, 1995.

Attention 4-H & FFA lamb and goat feeders

All lamb and goat projects <u>must</u> be validated to compete in this year's show. This will be done Saturday, October 28, 1995, from 9:00 am until 12:00 noon at the county show barn in Robert Lee. Cost of validation is \$2.00 per lamb and \$1.00 per goat. Exhibitors must be there to sign validation forms.

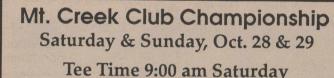
Benefit roping scheduled

A benefit roping, including barbecue lunch and benefit auction, will be held for Kerwin Denton, of Bronte. The roping is scheduled for Saturday, November 11, 1995. The barbecue will begin at 11:00 am., and books will open at 12:00 pm, with the roping to begin at 1:00. The auction will begin at 3:00. Please come for a good afternoon of food and fun which will benefit a good neighbor of ours.

To make a donation or for more information about the roping, call Lee Evans, 468-2277, or Paul Williams, 473-3800.

Windbreak tree seedlings available

Windbreak tree seedlings are available through the Coke County Soil and Water Conservation District. Most of the popular species sell out very quickly. Interested parties should place their orders as soon as possible by calling 453-2623 or come by the SWCD office at 214 E. 7th Street in Robert Lee.



Williams

Sherman Williams, 58, of Robert Lee, died Sunday, October 22, 1995, in Del Rio. Graveside service was conducted at 2 pm Tuesday, Ocwere by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, Douglas Snead of Bronte; two sons, Ben Snead of Junction and Doak Snead of Nashville, Tenn; two daughters, Hattie Roberts of Coahoma and Wanda "Scooter" Parker of Bronte; two brothers, Bud Thetford and J.T. Thetford, both of Robert Lee; two sisters, Mae Hurley of Robert Lee and Opal Vest of Hatch, N.M.; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great grandchildren.

Personal

Sgt. Les Gray, Jr. and his wife, Tammy, are now in Ismir, Turkey where they will be stationed for two years. Les and Geneva Gray of Robert Lee are Gray's parents. BBQ & Trimmings Saturday, 4:00 pm Mountain Creek Golf Course - Robert Lee FMI: 453-2317

Oops! Lane & Nancy missed the phone book. ARTHUR & ARTHUR Attorneys at Law General Practice of Law (915) 453-2576 No. 9 E. 6th St.

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RL cheerleaders interviewed on radio

If you happened to tune in to San Angelo's 98.7 K-LITE radio station last Wednesday evening between 7:00 and 8:30 pm, you heard the pepped-up, cheerful voices of five of the biggest Steer fans in Robert Lee. Robert Lee High School Varsity cheerleaders were interviewed by a K-LITE D.J. regarding the team's super record so far this season. The cheerleaders also made their singing debut, as they adapted the words to a popular song on the radio to fit the Robert Lee Steers.

As a follow-up, the D.J. traveled to Robert Lee Friday night to see the awesome varsity football team for himself. The Steers didn't let him down, with a 41-0 victory over Garden City. The D.J. took his spot on the track close to the cheerleaders and reported to the radio station live by cellular phone, as fans of the Steers cheered wildly in the background. Way to go, Steers!

B.N.H. prepares to move to new wing

The new wing of the Bronte Nursing Home is receiving finishing touches this week: The fire alarms, nurse call, and heating and cooling systems will be tested and operational by the end of the week. Next week, the wing will be cleaned, the floors will be sealed and waxed, and miniblinds will be installed.

The Texas Dept. of Human Services, Architectural Division, will inspect and approve the new rooms for occupancy.

Each resident will have a closet with shelves, four drawer dresser, bed, mattress, side rails, bedside table, telephone jack, nurse call system, overbed light, wallmounted t.v. bracket, cable, private bath with shower, and vanity with sink. Color scheme is mauve and hunter green.

The new lobby will have a nourishment center for the residents, a new nurses station, janitor's closet, soiled utility, staff restroom, and linen closet.

Several residents that are in the nursing home will move into the new wing when it opens.

If you or anyone you know would like more information



Robert Lee High School Varsity cheerleaders pose amid the fall foliage for pictures. The 1995-96 Steer cheerleaders are: Holly Copeland, Head (center); and left to right: Maranda Wojtek; Kannan Millican; Heather Millican; and Tracy Millican.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

It might not be apparent from the score, but I can say without reservation that the Bronte-Roscoe contest was one of the finest high school football games I can remember ever seeing.

It was clear from the minute the two teams took the field that our boys were hopelessly outhorsed. It wouldn't be much exaggeration to say we gave up half a ton in weight and a good 12 feet in height, but the Longhorn squad looked their opponents in the eye and played every down as if it were the difference between winning and losing. Even when the score stood 38-0 in the last minutes of the fourth quarter, they didn't give an inch; Roscoe had to take it, and sometimes they couldn't do that. When the Longhorns finally put points on the board, you'd have thought they'd won State - from the crowd's reaction as well as theirs.

The importance of sports relative to academics has been much debated over the years, and we've all seen situations where sports has been given too much prominence. This particular group of young men, however, has shown us what sports is supposed to be about. All season long they have pulled together and backed each other up, forming an honest-to-goodness team in a sense that we haven't seen in years. There are no showboats and no slackers out on that field, just football players, and those on the sidelines are as caught up in the game as the ones on the field at the moment.

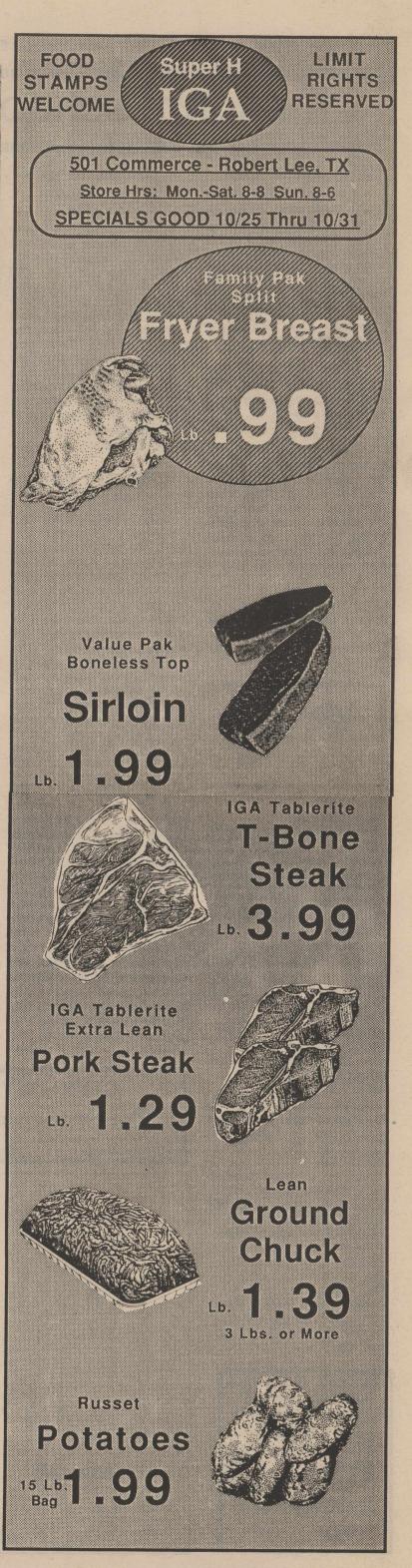
What we saw Friday night was a group of young men who wouldn't quit. They wouldn't let down, much less lie down. It's easy to keep team spirit up when you're ahead 38 to nothing, but this team was down 38 to nothing and still digging in.

When the boys came off the field, they were met by parents, friends, and general well-wishers who couldn't have been prouder of them if the score had been reversed. As corny as it sounds, it really isn't whether you win or lose, but how you play the game.

Whatever eventually comes of this season, I believe those boys will carry the memory of that game with them for years to come. They showed us determination and teamwork. They showed us heart. They showed us character. Well done, gentlemen! Steve Kelton

Br. Jr. Class to host BBQ

The Class of 1997 is hosting a barbecue scheduled for November 3, 1995, from 5:00-6:30 pm at the school cafeteria. Donations will be greatly appreciated to help pay for the junior/senior prom.

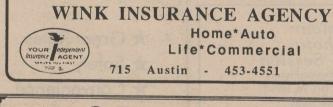


about occupancy and rates, please call or come by the business office of the Bronte Nursing Home, 900 South State St., Bronte, or call 473-3621 and ask for Pam Stokes.

LOOK WHO'S NEW Dylon Dale Cloud

Gary and Jill Cloud are the proud parents of Dylon Dale. He was born October 23, 1995. Dylon weighed 9 pounds, 11 ounces and was 22 inches. The Clouds live in San Angelo.

Grandparents are Sharon Kennedy of Winters, Bob Strickland of Merkel, and Donna and Delois Cloud of Washington, DC. Great grandparents are Janet and Elmer Hurley and Marie Strickland of Bronte.



Come unto Jesus REVIVAL David Burk, Evangelist Morris Johnson, Musician October 29 - November 1 Services Sunday at 10:55 am & 7:00 pm Monday-Wednesday at Noon * & 7:00 pm *Covered Dish Lunch & Bible Study Mursery Provided FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Bronte, Texas

BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Longhorns lose fierce battle

by BHS Business Communications The Bronte Longhorns

hosted the Roscoe Plowboys Friday night. Although the Longhorns played their best defensive game of the season, they were simply overpowered by Roscoe's strength and speed.

Throughout the extensive defensive battle, Bronte had only 5 penalties as compared to Roscoe's 13.

By the end of the fourth quarter, Roscoe had scored 38 points. The Longhorns scored with a pitch from Nicholas Arrott to Keith Treadaway. Arrott then completed a pass to Russel Vaughn for a 2-point conversion, making the score 38-8.

The Longhorns will travel to Garden City Friday, October 27, to continue their district play against the Bearkats at 7:30 pm.



Breakfast Mon., Oct. 30 Cereal, Grape Juice, Biscuit, Milk Tues., Oct. 31 Breakfast Burrito, Orange Juice, Milk Wed., Nov. 1 Sausage, Pancakes, Apple Juice, Milk Thurs., Nov. 2 French Toast, Mixed Fruit, Milk Fri., Nov. 3 Scrambled Eggs, Waffles, Orange Juice, Milk Lunch Mon., Oct. 30 Corn Dogs, Tator Tots, Pork & Beans, Red Grapes, Milk

Shorthorns enjoy recent victories

During a three-game span in which the Bronte Shorthorns defeated Menard (24-6), Robert Lee (18-12), and Roscoe (22-12), the offensive line of Jake Graves, Blake McKee, Randy Johnson, Mark Newman, and Jeff Reed, has played superbly. The running of Mario Minjarez and Sam Sanchez, along with the throwing of Jerrod McClure, have also been very good. The Shorthorns' impressive 5-1 record speaks well for the junior high team.

Longhorn Band receives

"Superior" rating Saturday, October 21, 1995, the seventy-six member Bronte High School Marching Band traveled to Wylie Stadium in Abilene to compete in the UIL Marching Band Festival. There were six bands competing in the Class A high school category. The Longhorn band received a Division One (Superior) rating for the second year in a row. The band performed "Ghost Riders in the Sky," the theme from the t.v. show "Coach," "YMCA," "Java Dance" (percussion feature), and the feather theme from "Forrest Gump." Soloists included Jade Richards and Heather Randazzo on a mallet duet ("Java Dance"), Vanessa Sparks on trumpet, Jose Rodriguez on trumpet, Cara Barnett and Crystal Moore on a french horn (Mellophone) duet, and George Tomes (Trey) on trumpet. Drum Major Jamie Sullivan led the band on the field as they wore their new uniforms that capture the flavor of the Old West with the Duster jacket and black (Gunslinger style) cowboy hat. When the band takes the field with this uniform on, the "feel" audience can

something is about to happen!

The Longhorn Band also won the honor of being invited to compete in the Area marching band contest in Euless, Texas, on Saturday, October 28. This honor is given to only the best bands in each region in the state of Texas. If the band wins in the Area contest, they will travel to Austin, Texas on November 6 to compete for the Best Band in Texas award at the state level UIL Marching Band competition at the University of Texas stadium.

Other band ratings include Aspermont, who was rated a Division Three (Good); Rochester, Division Three (Good); Knox City, Division Two (Excellent); Roby, Divi-sion Three (Good); and Roscoe, Division One (Superior). Roscoe has also been invited to participate at the Area Marching Contest in Euless on the 28th.

GO LONGHORN BAND. "WITH PRIDE!"

Adams-Arrott

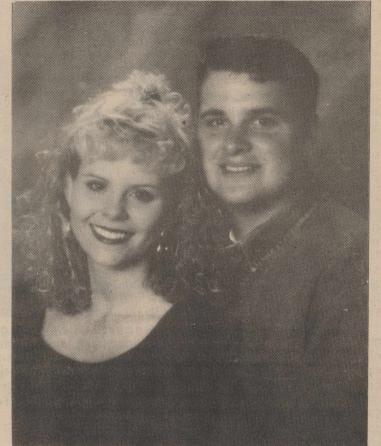
to wed

Allan and Gail Adams of Ralls wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kandace Karen, to Brian Lee Arrott, son of Tim and Lucretia Arrott of Bronte. Kandace is the grandaughter of Cordelia Adams of Ralls and Check and Thelma Ward of Idalou. Brian's grandparents are J.B. and Martha Arrott of Bronte, Norma Bryan of Ballinger and Milton Bryan of Ballinger. He is the great grandson of Virginia Boatright of Bronte and Margaret Bryan of Winters.

They will marry Saturday, January 20, 1996 at West-mont Christian Church in Lubbock at 7:00 pm.

The bride-elect is a 1991 graduate of Ralls High School and graduated from Texas Tech University in May of 1995 with a degree in Home Economics Education. While





Kandace Adams and Brian Arrott are engaged to be married Saturday, January 20, 1995.

at Tech she was a member of Pi Beta Phi Sorority. The bridegroom is a 1991 graduate of Bronte High School and will graduate from Texas Tech University in December of 1995 with a degree in Agriculture Communications.

While at Tech he was a member of FarmHouse Fraternity. He is currently in management at Eddie Bauer.

Eastern Star convention held

Nancy Allen and Bobby and Jeffie Roberts, of Robert Lee, and Ettie Hubbard, of Bronte, were among nearly 4,000 members attending the annual Eastern Star Grand Chapter, held in Ft. Worth October 19-21, 1995.

Wit is educated insolence.

Aristotle

Our request for acknowledgement of people who have made a difference in our lives and community yielded a great response. To all who acknowledged our "Make A Difference" Day we say Thank You! A special thanks to all of you who really are "Making A Difference"!

Cumbie's Mercantile



BRONTE LONGHORNS FOOTBALL

Friday, October 27 7:30 pm THERE BRONTE LONGHORNS vs. Garden City Bearkats

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Sept. 15	Miles	There	8:00	31	6
Sept. 22	Roby	Here	8:00	14	25
Sept. 29	Santa Anna	There	8:00	27	6
**Oct. 6	Menard	Here	8:00	7	0
*Oct. 13	Robert Lee	There	7:30	12	21
*Oct. 20	Roscoe	Here	7:30	8	38
*Oct. 27	Garden City	There	7:30	aow	magn
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Steers run over Garden City Bearkats

by Bill Burns

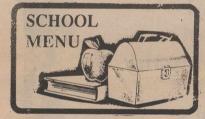
The Steers were well prepared for their game against Garden City last Friday night, and they rolled over the Bearkats for a 41-0 victory. The Steer defense had a super night, allowing only 30 yards on 29 rushing attempts, and 158 yards on 14 completions of 38 attempts. The Steers also intercepted five Bearkat passes.

The Steer offense had a big night with 244 yards on 41 carries. They also had 127 yards on 6 of 9 passing with no interceptions.

First Quarter

The Steers received the opening kick but could not get a first down and punted to the Bearkats. The Kats got a first down but put the ball up one too many times, and Eric Hood got the interception.

With 3:14 left in the quarter, Harley Wagner went 21 yards for the first Steer TD. Gilbert Torres kicked the extra point making it 7-0, Steers. Jeremy Burns picked off a deflected pass for the Steers' second



Breakfast Monday, Oct. 30 Biscuits & Sausage w/ Gravy, Orange Juice, Milk Tuesday, Oct. 31 Breakfast Pizza, Orange Juice, Milk Wednesday, Nov. 1 Donuts, Cold Cereal, Orange Juice, Milk Thursday, Nov. 2 Breakfast Burrito, Orange Juice, Milk Friday, Nov. 3 Blueberry Pancake, Sausageon-a-Stick, Orange Juice, Milk Lunch Monday, Oct. 30 Pizza, Buttered Corn, Applesauce, Brownies, Milk Tuesday, Oct. 31 Pigs-in-a-Blanket w/ mustard,

interception of the night. Aaron Hood went deep to Eric Hood for a 47-yard TD pass. Torres again was good, and it became 14-0 in favor of the Steers.

Second Quarter

Adam Morgan started the scoring in the second quarter with a 71-yard run behind three outstanding blocks. The kick failed. With 5:31 left, Wagner went 21 yards for his second TD of the night. Torres' kick was good. Jerrod Pitcock got the Steers' third interception of the night and had a good return to the Kat 3 yard line. On the first play, Morgan covered the three yards for a Steer touchdown. Torres kicked, and it was good.

Jason Key intercepted a Kat pass to end the first half, Steers 34, Kats 0.

Dogies comeback by B.J. Bessent

The Dogies traveled to Garden City last week to face the Bearkats. The Bearkats scored first, but couldn't get the 2 points. The Dogies scored next on a long pass from Beau Boxell to Andrew McCabe. The Bearkats came back to score again in the third quarter. The 2 point conversion failed. The Bearkats scored again. This time they got the extra 2 points. At the beginning of the 4th quarter the score was 20-6, Bearkats favor. With 7 minutes left the Dogies smelled a comeback. It started off with a run by Mc-Cabe. McCabe also got the two point conversion. Mc-Cabe scored once again to tie tine game. The Dogies went ahead with the extra 2 points. The Dogies got the ball back and scored on a run by Beau Boxell. Then McCabe got the extra 2 points. This put the score at 30-20 Dogies favor. The Bearkats couldn't get it back together.

This year has been successful for the Dogies. They are now 4-1. This week the Dogies play the Water Valley Wildcats at Robert Lee. Come

Second Half

The Steers scored with 4:56 left in the third quarter when Jerrod Copeland crossed the goal line from 11 yards out. Torres closed out the scoring with the extra point kick.

Jason Key stopped a Garden City threat with his second interception of the night. Good Job AGAIN, Steers! !

RL track teams compete in district events

Robert Lee Girls and Boys Cross Country Teams competed last Wednesday at Santa Fe Park in San Angelo for District 14-A honors.

The Girls Cross Country Team, consisting of Becca Emert, Kendra Bohannon, Samantha Padgett, Melissa Smith, Heather Millican, Jennifer Scott, and Whitney Montgomery, finished as Regional Alternates ahead of teams from Roscoe, Menard, Eden, and Roby. The teams from Sterling City and Irion County will represent District 14-A in Regionals in Lubbock on November 4th. Heather Millican will compete at regionals as an individual. She finished first in the district meet.

The Boys Cross Country Team, consisting of Kelly Prine, Daryl Calder, Polo Arellano, Starsky Oleksiuk, Chad Helwig, Fred Wojtek, Rocky Coates, and Ross Schultz, finished second behind Roby to qualify for Regionals at Lubbock on November 4th. Robert Lee edged out Water Valley 57 to 63. Water Valley won the district last year when the Steers again finished second.

Both teams have worked very hard and given up many Saturdays to run Cross Country this year and have represented Robert Lee well.

Robert Lee band news

On Saturday, October 21, the Steer Band competed in U.I.L. marching competition in Brady. The Steer Band received a Division II rating. This is a very high rating. This is also the highest rating that the Steer Band has received in

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LENDER



The Robert Lee Girls Cross Country Team are pictured from left to right: Becca Emert, Kendra Bohannon, Samantha Padgett, Melissa Smith, Heather Millican, Jennifer Scott, and Whitney Montgomery.



The Robert Lee Boys Cross Country Team are pictured from left to right: Kelly Prine, Daryl Calder, Polo Arellano, Starsky Oleksiuk, Chad Helwig, Fred Wojtek, Rocky Coates, and Ross Schultz.

several years for marching competition. Band director Steve Ratliff is very proud of the band and would like to thank the band students for a job well done.





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*Oct. 20	Garden City	Here	7:30	41	0
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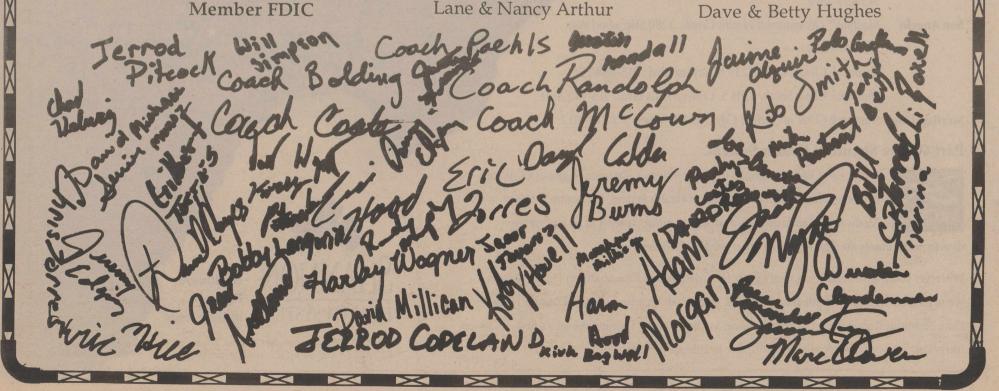
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RL school board meets

The Robert Lee ISD school board met in regular session on Tuesday, October 17, 1995. Members present were: Beverly Burdett, Bill Burns, Cathy Hendry, Mark Riley, and Darrel Pitcock. Members absent were: Dianne Simpson and Teddy Millican. The following business was conducted:

Minutes of the previous meeting and bills were approved for October.

In open forum, lunchroom procedures, fall festival and nominations for elections for high school students was discussed.

* The 1995 Tax Roll was approved with a total taxable value of \$100,016,978 with the actual tax levy of \$1,431,201.55

Mr. Jackie Tennison met with the board to recommend the following:

1. Graduation requirements will be increased from 25 credits to 26 credits effective in the 1999 school year.

2. Junior high cheerleader election will be held before school is out with common

rules for both high school and junior high cheerleaders. Employment policy was

postponed until November. The next regular scheduled board meeting will be November 16, 1995.

LOOK WHO'S NEW Lindsey Faith Davis

Barry and Leigh Davis proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Lindsey Faith. She was born Tuesday, October 3, 1995, at 9:50 pm. She weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces.

Grandparents are Butch and Carolyn Davis of Robert Lee and Carol Bement of Grand Prairie. Lindsey is also welcomed by her brother, Will Davis.

Coke Co. Teachers Assoc. meets

The Coke County Teachers Association met Monday, October 16, 1995 in the First Baptist Church of Bronte, Texas.

President Paul Gothard presided at the noon luncheon. A welcome was extended to all present. After a delicious luncheon, the regular business meeting was

Third grade at Robert Lee Elementary hams it up for the Homecoming Parade crowd, carrying out the Rockin' theme.

held. called for and heard reports from these committee chairmen: Legislative, Luther Guffy; Building Fund, Fay Roe; Community Service, Marie Guffy.

The next meeting will be held November 20, 1995 in the fellowship hall of the First Methodist Church, Bronte, Texas. All retired teachers are urged to attend.

Attending the Monday meeting were C.B. and Wan-

President Gothard da Barbee, Celia Bowden, Jean Fancher, Mary Frances Glenn, Paul and Kay Gothard, Luther and Marie Guffy, J.T. and Sybil Henry, Mary Lawhon, Kenneth and Nancy Rasco, Fay Roe and visitor Rev. Elmer Beck.

> In times like these, it helps to recall that there have always been times like these.

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Heather Millican

Millican leads

girls' track

outstanding year this season

running Cross Country. She

has medaled in every race she

has entered. She placed 4th

in the San Angelo invitational,

2nd in the Big Spring invita-

tional, 3rd in the Abilene invi-

tational and 2nd in the Water

Wednesday, October 18, she

placed 1st at District with a

time of 12:26.06, which set a

school record and sends her

to regional contest at Lub-

bock on November 4th with a

good chance to qualify for the

State Meet a week later in

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Heather Millican has had an

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Robert Lee's second grade was judged second place winner in the October 6 Homecoming Parade.

Proposition 3 garners statewide support

Saying that the economic boost from Proposition 3 will shape the future of Texas, Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry recently unveiled a broad list of endorsements, ranging from statewide leaders to business and agriculture groups. The recent release of the endorsement list coincides with the first day of convenience voting.

"The bipartisan nature of the support, from Governor Bush to Lieutenant Governor Bob Bullock, shows that this is a program that rises above partisanship for the good of Texas," said Perry. "The support from all fronts, including the Texas Association of Business and Commerce and the Texas Bankers Association, has been overwhelming, and we fully expect the momentum to carry the amendment to victory on November 7.

Proposition 3 would strengthen the Texas Agricultural Finance Authority, which works with private banks to increase valueadded processing of Texas agriculture. With the amendment's passage, TAFA can transfer 200 million dollars of existing bonding authority, providing more capital for ex-

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pansion, production, and marketing of Texas agricultural products.

Working with limited funds, TAFA has helped 47 different businesses which have helped retain or create over 4,700 jobs while adding more than \$400 million to the state economy.

"This legislation represents the future of Texas," Perry said. "Texas is the nation's second leading producer of raw agricultural products; but every day, almost 90% of these products are sent out of state to be turned into finished products. Then we buy them back, but the money and jobs have left the state."

"There can be no mistake: this proposition means jobs for Texas," continued Perry. "Bringing Texas up to the national average of 20 percent in-state production would add \$22 billion to our Texas economy, without creating any new taxes or bonding authority. Proposition 3 is an economic winner for Texas."

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If you open the package and like what you find, you may keep it for free. In this instance, "finders-keepers" ap-



Miranda Wojtek and Eric Hood, Homecoming Queen and King candidates, ride in Robert Lee's Homecoming Parade. Miranda later was named Homecoming Queen at the Steer -Cross Plains Buffaloes football game.



1 cups (2 sticks) margarine, softened 2'eggs 2 tablespoons milk

2^{1/2} cups quick or old-fashioned, uncooked oats 2 cups all-purpose flour

1/4 teaspoon each: soda and salt (salt optional) 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon flat

wooden sticks Prepared vanilla frosting and assorted candy pieces for decoration

Beat sugar and margarine until creamy. Add eggs and milk; beat well. Mix oats, flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and cinnamon. Combine, mixing well. Cover; chill about 2 hours.

Heat oven to 375 degrees. Roll dough into 11/2-inch diameter balls. Place 3 inches apart on ungreased cookie sheet. Insert a flat wooden stick into side of each ball of dough. Using bottom of glass dipped in sugar, flatten to form 2^{3/4}-inch diameter circles. Bake 14-16 minutes or until edges are light golden brown. Cool 1 minute on cookie sheet; remove to wire rack. Cool completely. Makes 21/2 dozen. 77

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Prepare for "cold season"

If you catch a cold this fall or winter, remember to wash your hands a lot.

"Although most colds are contracted by breathing virusfilled droplets, many colds result from rubbing the nose or eyes with fingers that have picked up a virus from handto-hand contact," said Dr. Christine Matson, an associate professor of clinical family medicine at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "If you catch cold, add frequent hand-washing to your list of remedies." Millions of people at some time or another fall victim to the common cold bug. Americans catch a total of

about one billion colds each

year caused by one of 200

different viruses. Children are

often vulnerable to colds,

sometimes getting up to 10

colds per year, since they

pass on different viruses to

"When people with colds

cough and sneeze into their

hands," Matson said, "they tend to touch objects at

each other.

home, work and school, leaving colds-causing viruses behind."

In addition to frequent hand-washing, tissues and handkerchiefs can also lessen or even prevent the passing of colds to others because they can contain the germs associated with coughing and sneezing.

"Obey how you feel and treat only what is bothering you the most," Matson said. "You can take fewer drugs and lessen the chance of unfavorable side effects. A stuffy, runny nose may only call for an antihistamine, and a nagging cough may only require a cough suppressant.

The most effective at-home treatment is plenty of rest and lots of fluids.

Bothersome cold symptoms are actually a positive sign that your body is fighting off the cold virus. They can also be the sign of a more serious problem.

"A cold can aggravate an asthma problem," she said. "Coughing and wheezing could be the beginning of a respiratory problem that needs immediate medical attention."





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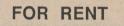
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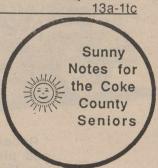


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Marvin, Snookye & Paula 13B-1tc

ROBERT LEE BAND BOOSTERS

This is just a note to thank the band boosters for all their efforts in behalf of the band. The band and Mr. Ratliff appreciate all of you.



Have you had your flu shot?

Ten senior citizens rode the **Rural Public Transportation** Van earlier this week to the Bronte Family Health Center for their annual flu shot. We urge you to get your shot as soon as possible. Remember, Medicare pays for it; just take your card with you. Surprise fire drill

Our program at the Senior Center Thursday during our monthly Potluck Luncheon was a surprise from Ricky Royall, Fire Marshal in Bronte. Because we are a nutrition site, we are to have fire drills twice a year. Mr. Royall inspects our facility and directs our seniors on how to exit the building.

Mini health check

North Runnels Home Health will be at the Bronte Senior Center on Wednesday, November 1 at 10:30 to take your blood pressure and test your blood sugars. There is no charge for this service. She will stay only as long as we have someone who comes to this service, so please come as close to 10:30 as possible.

Now hear this! !

Last call for the free hearing clinic that will be at the Bronte City Hall on Thursday, November 2. West Texas Rehabilitation Center has a Mobile Unit that will be set up in the driveway to test your hearing. They would appreciate your scheduling an appointment, call 473-6471 to make that appointment. They will begin testing at 9:00 am. This is open to all adults and remember, it's free!

New director takes over Dorothy Collins will begin her duties as the new director at the Bronte Senior Center as of November 1. Please call or stop by and welcome Dorothy.



THANKS TO ALL OF YOU

for your prayers, cards, flowers, visits, and food during my surgery (hip replacement) and recuperation. I am doing good. It's great to have wonderful relatives and friends

BOBBY and Jeffie Roberts 13-1tc

THANK YOU I'm sorry this is late, but I want to thank the ladies of Bronte and the Central Baptist Church for the love and kindness they have shown towards me and my baby.

> Dawn Rhodes 13B-1tc

If you give to a thief he cannot steal from you, and he is then no longer a thief.

-William Saroyan

Menu for the Week Monday, Oct. 30 Steak Fingers, Gravy, Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Hot Roll, Orange Wednesday, Nov. 1 Beef Stroganoff, Broccoli, Beets, Hot Roll, Peanutty Granola Bar Friday, Nov. 3

Baked Ham, Sweet Potatoes, Summer Squash, Wheat Bread, Fresh Fruit Cup

These programs are funded in part by the Area Agency on Aging, Concho Valley Council of Governments, through grants from the Texas Department on Aging.

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Have a safe Halloween

Much of Halloween safety begins with everyday common sense. Review the following points of safety with your children and others who will be celebrating Halloween. 1. If a mask is worn, cut the eye holes and nose hole large enough to allow full visibility and so breathing is not hampered. Tell children to wear mask on top of their heads when walking and pull it over their faces only when reaching their location.

2. The elastic should be permanently attached to the mask, and there should be no sharp points on the ends of the elastic or the mask.

Be certain that masks, 3. wigs, beards, and hats fit securely and are not cumbersome.

4. An alternative to face masks may be the application of non-toxic face paint or make-up to the child's face. 5. Look for "flame resistant"

labels on costumes, masks,

by Jan Yanez Coke County Ext. Agent

beards and wigs. When shopping for fabrics to use in home sewn costumes, choose flame resistant fabrics. Sales people can assist in identifying these fabrics.

6. Avoid costumes made out of flimsy materials and outfits with big, baggy sleeves or billowing skirts. These are more likely to come in contact with an exposed flame or candle than tighter fitting costumes. Be certain that costumes allow children to walk easily without tripping and entangling their feet.

7. Do not allow children to carry knives, swords or other props unless they are soft and flexible.

8. Buy or make Halloween costumes that are light or bright enough to make them more visible to motorists at dusk and in the dark. Reflective tape or decals may be added so that children are visible at night to motorists.

9. Children should wear comfortable, well-fitted shoes or sneakers. Do not let them wear mother's high heels.

Blood donors needed

Dracula isn't the only one looking for blood this Halloween. The 12th Annual Bloodsuckers blood drive is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 28, from 10:00 am until 5:00 pm at Sunset Mall near JC Penney. KIXY-FM personalities will be on hand for a live remote and contest giveaways.

Donors at the drive will receive a coupon for a free medium pizza at Shakey's, and people whose donation on Saturday is their second time since Oct. 28, 1994 will also be eligible for a free official Bloodsuckers T-Shirt provided by Ethicon. Donors will also get an invitation to the Bloodsuckers Ball, scheduled for Tuesday, Oct. 31, from 6:00-8:30 pm at Shakey's Pizza.

The Bloodsuckers Ball is an opportunity to show appreciation for donors that take the time to help supplement the blood supply. There will be a costume with two categories: children under 10 and youth and adults 10 and older. Contest judging will be at 7:30 pm.

UBS representatives say this is a critical time for blood collection.

"We like to take this opportunity to bring a lot of lighthearted fun to a very serious subject," said Angie Tyson, Community Relations Representative. "The blood supply is not at a comfortable level. We are currently able to supply our hospitals, but we have no cushion. We're asking more people to consciously make the decision to donate."

Sponsors of the Bloodsuckers Drive and Ball are Shakey's Pizza and KIXY-FM. UBS has also received support for the project from Ethicon and Coastal Cookies.

UBS must collect approximately 300 units of blood a week to adequately serve area hospitals. Anyone with questions regarding blood donation can contact UBS at (915) 653-1307 or (800) 756-0024.

Br. Nursing Home news

Halloween is fast approaching. If you would like to donate a bag of candy for the residents to hand out to the little spooks, it would be appreciated.

--- The Hornets' Nest ---

Blackwell CISD announces

honor students

The following students maintained grades high enough to qualify for the "A" or "A-B" Honor Roll at Blackwell Schools during the first six weeks: All A's

1st Grade - Kellyn Airhart, Kelsy Duncan, Rachel Smith, Jarred Walker, Jacob Watts 2nd Grade - Phillip Buckner, Jessica Chavez, Lewis Hearn, Steve Henderson, Lynsey Matthews, Luis Morales, Cody Morgan, Felica Murray, Jake Wilkinson

3rd Grade - Ambra Cole 4th Grade - Megan Busby, Heather Jones, Kayla Saunders

5th Grade - Chris Morgan, Lindy Wilson

6th Grade - Cody Blair. Jennifer Dove, Mindy Boyd 7th Grade - Katrina Buckner, Steven Hayes, Ashley

Ragland 8th Grade - Jennifer Boyd,

Adam Wilkinson 9th Grade - Jimmy Holland,

Lee Nault 10th Grade - Jimmy Love-

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11th Grade - Brandon Boyd, Rose Melton, Jerry Watts, Lucia Saavedra 12th Grade - Joe Blackburn, Mark McMaster

District VIII

news release

The Fall Convention of District VIII of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., will be held in Breckenridge, Texas, on Friday and Saturday, November 3 and 4, 1996.

The host clubs, Ranger Garden Club and Breckenridge Garden Club, have chosen as their theme "Flights of Fall Fantasy."

Mrs. Gwen Hawley and Mrs. Nelda Carter are serving as cochairmen of the convention.

Pre-convention activities begin with the registration at 4:00 pm Nov. 3 at the Breckenridge Inn in Breckenridge. A Dutch Treat dinner will follow at 6:30 pm.

On Saturday, Nov. 4, registration will open at 8:00 am at the First Christian Church. with coffee. Executive Board Meeting will be held from 8:30 to 9:30 am, with the General Assembly and business meeting and program to begin at 9:30 am. Luncheon will be served at noon, followed by a design program by Mrs. Nancy Colvin of San Antonio, a noted floral designer, originally from California.

A-B Honor Roll:

1st Grade - Stephen Harvell, Daniel Jones 2nd Grade - Yadira Padilla, Rikki Saunders, Justin

Thompson, Kelly Dove 3rd Grade - Kinsey Airhart,

Zachary Daniel 4th Grade - Dustin Eoff, Caleb Frazier, Chris Hamilton, Sharla Holland, Kasey Matthews, Amy Nichols, Melissa Pate, Ryan Ragland, Justin Roland, Latisha Roland, Angel Saavedra, Lucy Sims, Joshua Watts, Katie Wilkinson

5th Grade - Jenifer Breshers, John Allen Jones, Auston Parr, Colby Rideout, Kaitlyn Saunders

6th Grade - T.J. Holland, Christina Nichols, Kammie Lisso, Codi Monsey, Jessica McIntire, Justin Roberson, Will Blaine

7th Grade - Gayna Cantrell, Katie Driver, Chris Morgan, Latosha Roland, Viola Sims, **Pascual Solis**

8th Grade - Leticia Camarillo, April Fox, Lindsey Hamilton, Cristi Matthews, Maria Rangel, Leman Saunders, **Gloria Solis**

9th Grade - Letitia Barkemeyer, Roy Daughtrey, Justin Hart, Kristin Harvell, Ricky Jones, Chayne Roland, Rosalia Sanchez

10th Grade - Elizabeth Camarillo, Kallie Lisso, Jennifer O'Malley, Joanie Ussery

11th Grade - Carye Adkins, Chrissy Allen, Monica Escobar, Jessica Shafer, Judith Taylor, Nathan Hayes

12th Grade - Kristy Loveday, Mariana Solis, Jesus So-

Poems wanted for contest

Poems are now being accepted for entry in Sparrowgrass Poetry Forum's new 'Awards of Poetic Excellence" poetry contest. Cash prizes totaling \$1,000 will be awarded, including a \$500 grand prize. The contest is free to enter.

Poets may enter one poem only, 20 lines or less, on any subject, in any style. Contest closes November 30, 1995, but poets are encouraged to send their work as soon as possible. Poems entered in the contest also will be considered for publication in the Summer 1996 edition of Poetic Voices of America, a hardcover anthology to be published in June, 1996. Anthology purchase may be required to ensure publication, but is not required to enter or win the contest. Prize winners will be notified by January 31, 1996.



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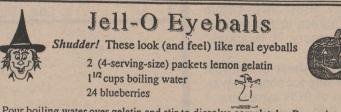
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Everyone enjoyed the Line Dancers from San Angelo. There were several visitors. Visitors are always welcome to come participate in our activities.

We are still in need of volunteers. If you would like to donate a little of your time to a worthy cause, please contact Dean Pope or Pam Stokes at 473-3621.



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Among those in attendance at the "Western Jubilee" at the Roberts' Ranch were, I to r: Betty Friend, Ettie Hubbard, and Jeffie **Roberts**.

Enlarged prostate may be mistaken for cancer

Men who suspect they have prostate cancer actually may have benign prostate hyperplasia.

"Often what they really have are enlarged prostates, or BPH," said Dr. Kevin Slawin, a urologist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston. "In fact, the early stages of prostate cancer rarely have observable symptoms.'

BPH occurs in half of all men by age 60 and in 80 percent by age 80. The cause is unknown, but the condition has become more common as the average life span increases.

In men with BPH, the prostate grows larger, sometimes as much as five times its original size. Because the urethra, the tube carrying urine out of the body, passes through the prostate, this growth may affect urination.

Typical symptoms of BPH are: * Urinary hesitancy, or difficul-

ty in getting the flow of urine started.

Severe urinary urgency.

* Weak urinary flow.

* Frequent nocturnal urination.

In the past, there were few treatments available for benign prostate hyperplasia other than surgery, Slawin said. In those cases, physicians removed portions of the enlarged prostate either directly or through an operating scope

Personal

A Western Jubilee was held at the ranch home of Bobby and Jeffie Roberts of Robert Lee on September 17, 1995. The occasion was to honor an Eastern Star friend, Betty

Friend, of New Braunfels.

Other hostesses from Coke County included Ettie Hubbard, Bronte Chapter No. 1048, Nancy Allen, Bob and Polly Large, Ruth and Donny Robertson, Dolores Roe, Mary Beth Drennan, Jim and Reba Tabor, and JoAnn Reese. Members from Concho #826, San Angelo #10, Christoval #761, Winters #80 and Ballinger #266 were hostesses.

The entire backyard was decorated in real western attire, saddles, hay, campfire, hay trailer with hay for a hayride in the afternoon, and with Billy Newman of Robert Lee providing western music from the bandstand.

Refreshments of red beans, cornbread, sausage links, cheese, onions, pickles, lemonade, and tea were served to 62 guests present.

Texas cities represented were Austin, San Antonio, San Angelo, Abilene, Win-ters, Bronte, Robert Lee, Lockhart, Ft. McKavett, New Braunfels, Del Rio, Canyon Lake, Paint Rock, Ballinger and Christoval.



There were seven Birthday Honorees this month at the Bronte Nursing Home. Those pictured are: Thelma Conradt, Ruth Holland, and Edna Florence. Not pictured are Lynn Freeman, Herbert Holland, Annie Cope, and Effie Ditmore.

The First National Bank Girls were sponsors for the party, and Mary Belle Hilliard provided entertainment.



This procedure, although highly effective, Slawin said, sometimes resulted in scarring and/or excess bleeding.

"Treatment advances in recent years for BPH, however, have reduced the necessity for invasive surgery. Newer treatments allow earlier medical intervention with drugs that can alleviate symptoms and may arrest them before they progress to the point at which surgery is required," Slawin said.

"We know these drugs work and are safe for short-term alleviation of BPH symptoms, " Slawin said, "but we want to find out if they work well for the long-term and if they can slow or stop the progression of BPH."

Men interested in participating can call the Baylor Prostate Center, 713-798-5050.

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