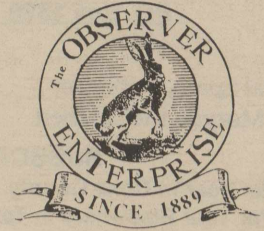


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## First ever Street Affair in RL promises a family fun outing

After months of planning, the long awaited day is finally upon us. The first ever Street Affair will kick off Saturday morning with a dessert cook-off and a parade followed by craft booths, food booths, information booths, a talent show, sidewalk sales, grand openings, and train rides. If that is not enough, a concert given by Macy Hill and friends will be held in the amphitheater and a dance under the stars will finish off the day. What more could you ask for?

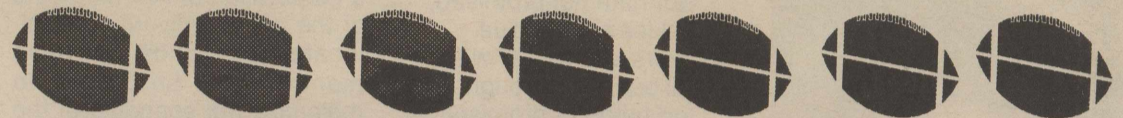
The day will begin at 10:00 am with a parade featuring the Stompin' Steer Band, classic cars, horses, floats, etc, etc, etc.

Craft and food booths of all kinds will be offering various goodies to visitors throughout the day. Local civic organizations will have information booths set up at various locations to educate folks about their contributions. At last count, over 50 booths were scheduled to line Austin Street in what promises to be a good, old fashioned fun time.

A dessert cook-off will begin

at 9:30 am. Local folks will be pitting off against one another to see who can offer up the best cakes, pies, cookies, and candies. The crowd is bound to be the winner and bragging rights have been known to last for decades in contests like this.

Several local businesses have made plans to utilize this occasion to celebrate grand openings and customer appreciation. Debbie McCabe will host a Grand Opening for DJ's Merle Norman Studio. She will have cake and punch as well as drawings throughout the day. C&W One Stop will also be having Customer Appreciation Day in conjunction with the Street Affair. Free hot dogs, Dr. Pepper, and slushes will be offered to visitors. Texas Lottery officials will be in attendance with T-shirts and various give aways. KWFR Radio, 101.9 will be set up with a live remote broadcast beginning at 12:00 and ending around 3:00 pm. Frito Lay's Sailor Jack will also be in attendance during the day. The Coke County Library plans to host a book sale for



# Bronte High School HOMECOMING 2001

## Tonight • Friday, October 19 • 7:30 pm



the day. Other businesses along the street will also have special offerings for the crowd.

Throughout the day, local folks will entertain the crowds with songs, cowboy poetry readings, karate demonstrations and various other talents.

The day will wind down with a special concert given by Robert Lee native Macy Hill and friends at the amphitheater in the park. Advance tickets to the concert are available at several local businesses. All proceeds from the concert will benefit the economic efforts of the Turn Around Downtown Association. If you have not had an opportunity to hear Macy sing, this would be a wonderful time to give yourself a treat in listening to a talent that is a rare find. Macy plans a concert of Christian and patriotic music and believe me when I say you should hear this girl sing.

A dance under the stars will end the day. The dance will also be held at the amphitheater with DJ Lynn Green providing the music.

This day promises to be fun. After the past several weeks, it will be good just to celebrate what makes America such a wonderful country. What better way to do that than spend the day in the sun with friends and family in a small town atmosphere. Be a part of this event, come out and spend the day with your neighbors and friends, you won't be sorry.

### Reunion slated for BHS class of 1991

There will be a 10 year reunion for the class of 1991 on Saturday, October 20, 2001. The reunion will be held at the Bronte ISD lunch room from 3:00 - 5:00 pm. Bring yearbooks, photos, or anything you have that will bring back memories.

### Hunter Barbecue tickets available

Tickets are now available for the 13th Annual Hunters Barbecue, set for Saturday, November 3, at the Rec Hall in Robert Lee. Area landowners and hunting lease managers may make a donation and pick up barbecue tickets for their hunters at the following locations in Robert Lee: C&H Auto and Hardware, Key Feed Store, and Super H Grocery.

This year's tickets are printed on both sides. Hunters who will be attending this year's barbecue are requested to fill out the back side of the ticket with their name, address, and whose ranch they are hunting on.

According to Hunter Barbecue chairman Gaylon Pitcock, "we are a little late getting the tickets out for this year's barbecue, and we are asking landowners to get their donations in and pick up their tickets as soon as possible."

### Tennyson Baptist Patriotic Rally

The Tennyson Children's Patriotic rally will be held at Tennyson Baptist Church on Sunday morning, Oct. 21, 11:00 am.

Dinner will be served at noon.

All children and youth are invited. For more information call (915) 944-1495.

### Hunting & Fishing Guide set for publication

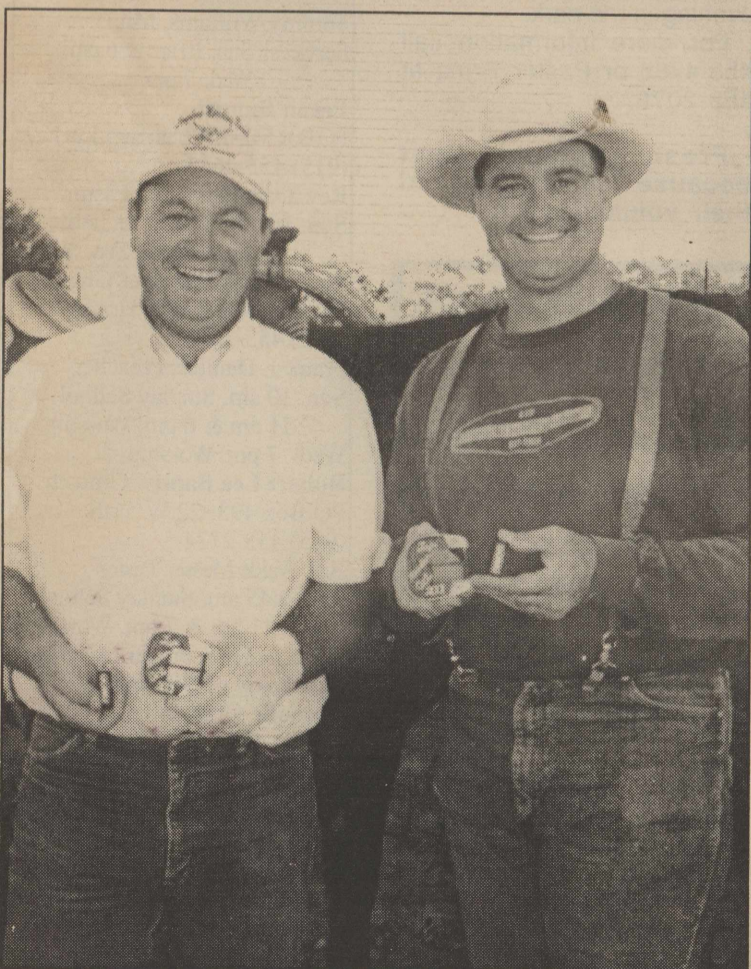
The 2001 Coke County Hunting & Fishing Guide is slated to be published in the October 28th edition of the *Observer/Enterprise*. The deadline for editorial copy is Friday, October 21.

Every effort will be made to contact advertisers prior to this deadline. However, if we miss you, please do not hesitate to call our office at 453-2433.

The annual *Hunting & Fishing Guide* has been recognized as one of the best publications of its type in the state. Don't miss out on this opportunity to be a part of this annual guide to the hunting and fishing resources of Coke County.

### Attention: 4-H and FFA members - lamb and goat validation

Validation for all 4-H and FFA members who have either lambs or goats for exhibition will be held on Saturday, October 27, at the county show barn. If you have a lamb or goat that will be shown at county or any show this coming year, they must be validated to be eligible. Lambs will be validated beginning at 8:00 am and goats starting at 10:00 am. Every lamb or goat must be validated to show in the county show.



Wayne McCutchen (left) and Paul Williams won the Coke County Roping Club Fall Buckle Roping this past Sunday at the arena in Bronte.

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**Obituaries**



**English**

Olive June English, 73, went to be with her Lord and Saviour October 11, 2001. She was born on November 4, 1927, in Bridgeport, IL. Preceding her in death were her father, William G. Ralston; husband, Jesse English; daughter, Sheila Hanna; son, Jesse English, Jr.; and one grandson, Kyle Wayne Bilbery.

She and her family moved to Bronte, Texas in 1965. They lived in Bronte until 1974 when at that time they moved to Robert Lee where they made their home. She worked as a nurse's aid in Bronte and Robert Lee before retiring in the mid 80's.

She is survived by four daughters, Karen Rowoldt and husband, Bill of Greenwood, Tx, Carlyn Elliott and husband, Randy of Christoval, Tx, Cheryl Millican, and Tammy Edging and husband, Donald, of Robert Lee, Tx. Her mother, Fraulin Ralston; two sisters, Janey Pinkston of Denver City, Tx and Phyllis Lowe of Big Lake, Alaska.

She has 18 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren, and two on the way, who she dearly loved and many close friends.

Service was held Sunday, October 14, at 3:00 pm in the Victory Assembly of God Church in Robert Lee. Burial followed in the Robert Lee Cemetery. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Donald Edging, Sr., Randy Elliott, Jerome Hanna, Bill Rowoldt, Donny Edging, Jr., Jeremy Edging, Larry Wayne Franklin, and Michael Burns. Honorary pallbearers were Gary and Randy Bilbery, Sean Edging, Casey Rowoldt, Ray Wallace, Jamie Powers, Michael Brasuel, and John Gallimore.

**WHAT GOD HATH PROMISED**

Got hath not promised,  
skies always blue.  
Flowers strewn pathways,  
all our lives through.  
God hath not promised  
Sun without rain,  
Joy without sorrow,  
Peace without pain.  
God hath not promised  
we shall not know,  
Toil and Temptation,  
Trouble and woe  
We shall not bear  
Many a burden  
Many a care  
But God hath promised  
Strength for the day,  
Rest for the laborer;  
Light for the way.  
Grace for the trials  
Help from above  
Unfailing sympathy  
Undying Love.

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**Death Notices**

**Heald**

Don Ellis Heald, Sr., passed away Tuesday, October 9, 2001, in Kerrville VA Medical Center. Graveside service was held at 11 am Saturday, October 13, in Concho Cemetery in Concho, Texas.

He is survived by his loving wife of 29 years, Jan of Bronte; a son, Don Jr. of Bronte; one brother, Gordon and his wife, Dee, of Corpus Christi; his grandmother, Myrtle Heald, age 105, of Lampasas; and a number of nieces and nephews.

**Miller**

"James" Gordon Miller, 70, of Snyder, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2001, at Covenant in Lubbock. Services were held at 10 am, Monday at the Bell-Cypert Seale Chapel with the Rev. Curtis Morgan and Dr. Tommy Culwell officiating. Burial was in Dermott Cemetery under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

"James" is survived by his wife, Shirley Miller; 3 daughters; Louise Smith and Brenda Seymour, of Lubbock, Pat Guynes of Snyder; 3 sons; Kenneth Miller of Bronte, Charlie Miller of Lubbock, and Tim Miller of Frisco; 1 sister, Odessa Whisenhunt of Fresno, CA; 17 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

**Sales Tax proposition to be on Robert Lee ballot**

The Economic Development Sales Tax proposition will be on the Robert Lee City ballot for early voting beginning October 22, 2001. The regular polls will be open Tuesday, November 6. Voting will take place in the Coke County Courthouse from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm. The opportunity to vote in any election is especially relative in these times.

The ballot for the city economic development sales tax will be in two parts. Part 4A will be a short description of how funds are to be used. Part 4A funds can be used for manufacturing and industrial development which will create jobs in this area. There will be a corporation of five members of the community who will allocate the funds. These members will be trained to maximize the spending of the income. The 4A 1/2 cent proposition will be shown first on the ballot.

The ballot will also contain a description of economic development sales tax Part 4B. Part 4B 1/2 cent proposition provides cities with revenues to improve the quality of life of the town and residents. The description is very long and covers most of the possible expenditures. A seven-member citizen corporation will be trained to allocate these funds. There will be at least one public hearing on the proposed projects.

There are more than 400 cities in Texas currently using the economic development sales tax to upgrade and promote their cities. The sales tax is paid by tourists, temporary residents, travelers, people who live in the area and shop in Robert Lee as well as permanent residents.

The economic development sales tax passage will show that Robert Lee is willing to support itself. A family with an income of \$35,000 will pay approximately \$25 a year toward economic development. That's two trips to MacDonalds. Robert Lee citizens have been paying economic development sales tax in San Angelo, Bronte, Abilene, Colorado City and 400 plus other places throughout the state.

**...Upcoming**

**Street Affair parade promises to be fun**

by Joan Davis

The parade at the Street Affair in downtown Robert Lee on Saturday promises to be a fun event. It will be an informal thing, made up of anything that can walk or move along. Don't let it stop you if you haven't spoken to organizers. Lead a pet, ride a bicycle, wagon, or horse. Join up behind the courthouse on Saturday morning at 9:30 for the 10 am start. Decorate with streamers, flags, or anything you choose -- how about camouflage to welcome hunters?

The procession will wind through town, go up around the nursing home to bring a smile to those folks' faces, and then back to town. We won't get on the highways -- small guys and our award-winning Steer Band will be on foot and some may have to drop out before the classic vehicles and horsemen give out.

This is about a fun event to lift our spirits at a time when we all need it. Help us out here!

**Attention Street Affair Dessert Chefs**

Your desserts need to be downtown, at the Gazebo, in Robert Lee by 9:30 am on Saturday, Oct. 20th.

Judging will be done between 9:30 - 10:00 am. If necessary, the judges will have during the parade to make their decision. The winners and runners-up will be announced after the parade.

**Sermon on the Mount: Rescheduled**

John Piatt, nephew of Pastor Erma Johnson, will perform "The Sermon on the Mount" at the county park on Austin Street in Robert Lee, Saturday, October 27th at 6:00 pm. Local talent will also be featured. Everyone is welcome. Come, bring your lawn chairs and enjoy a community evening in the park.

For more information call 453-4786 or Pastor Erma at 453-2076.

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**RL landfill to close**

The Robert Lee landfill will be closed Saturday, Oct. 20th.

**Desserts needed for Bronte Barbecue**

The annual Hunter's Wild Game Barbecue in Bronte will be held this year on Saturday, Nov. 3, from 11:00 am until 2:00 pm. Coordinator Kerry Hall would like to make an appeal to area cooks to provide a dessert for the benefit barbecue. If you would like to donate a dessert, please contact Kerry Hall at 473-2065.

**Chicken spaghetti supper slated for Oct. 19**

AON will be having its annual chicken spaghetti supper on Friday, October 19, 2001, from 5:00 - 7:30 pm. Take-outs and deliveries will be available. This is one of AON's major fund-raisers, with proceeds going to the Kirk Bagwell Scholarship Fund. AON has been awarding scholarships since 1987 with a total of \$17,450 awarded to selected Robert Lee High School graduating seniors to date. For more information on the spaghetti supper, or if you would like your meal delivered, please call Cathy at 453-2036.

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(915) 453-2417

Rev. Jim Reeves, Pastor  
Sun. 10 am Sunday School  
11 am Worship

Wed. 7 pm Choir

**Northside Church of Christ**  
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Tommy Williams, Minister  
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Wed. 7 pm

**Pecan Baptist**  
PO Box 542 • 12 W. Sterling City Hwy  
(915) 453-4645

Rev. Dale Patterson, Pastor  
Sun. 10 am, Sunday School  
11 am & 7 pm, Worship

**Southside Church of Christ**  
PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston  
(915) 453-2176

Frank J. Daniels, Preacher  
Sun. 10 am, Sunday School  
11 am & 6 pm, Worship

Wed. 7 pm, Worship

**Robert Lee Baptist Church**  
PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th  
(915) 453-2724

Bro. Waide Messer, Pastor  
Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
11 am & 7 pm, Worship

Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church**  
601 W. 10th  
(915) 365-2687

Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor  
Sat. 6 pm

**Victory Assembly of God**  
PO Box 638 • Robert Lee  
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Rev. Erma Johnson, Pastor  
Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship  
Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

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**DJ's Merle Norman receives award**

The Merle Norman Cosmetic Studio located at 7 East 6th Street in Robert Lee has received the "Gold Medallion" award for meeting Merle Norman's standards of excellence for customer service.

The "Gold Medallion" program addresses consumer demands by identifying studios that meet their expectations of personal service, knowledgeable beauty advisors and pleasing atmosphere. These award-winning studios set the standard for service quality among the 2300 independently owned, retail outlets nationwide.

"Our Gold Medallion Program distinguishes studios that meet the highest standards of excellence Merle Norman represents," said David O'Connor, President of Merle Norman Cosmetics. We're delighted to present the Gold Medallion award to DJ's Merle Norman's Studio, which offers unsurpassed personal service."

Merle Norman herself was a pioneer in understanding the importance of customer service. Her long-standing policies of "Try Before You Buy" and "Free Makeovers" were the cornerstones upon which she built a cosmetic empire from an auspicious start making cosmetics on the kitchen

stove in her Ocean Park California home.

"As the owner and proud recipient of this award, I'm honored to be recognized as a Gold Medallion Studio," says Debbie McCabe. "Being customer-oriented is the best way to compete in business, and I'm excited that Merle Norman Cosmetics recognizes my studio as one that meets the expectations of my customers."

**Letter to the Editor**

Where, oh, where are the flags? Where are the American flags the city had out? Where are the American flags the businesses had out? Where are the American flags formerly at residences? Where, oh, where are the flags?

A citizen proud to be an American  
Name withheld by request

**Enduring freedom prayer wall**

Victory Assembly of God has started a prayer wall for all the U.S. Military personnel from Coke County. They would like to have pictures of your military husbands, sons, daughters and grandchildren. Please send pictures and information to Victory Assembly of God, PO Box 281, Robert Lee, Tx. 76945.

**Early Frost**

The temperature hovered at 34 or 35 degrees on Tuesday morning about daylight in Robert Lee. A number of local folks attested to seeing a light, thin frost on their cars. A clear, starry night, coupled with the dew we've had since last week's shower probably helped bring on the frost. October 16 is several weeks ahead of the usual chill.

**Cowgirl basketball clinic**

On Saturday, October 20, 2001, there will be a basketball clinic held at the Hardin Simmons Mabee Complex in Abilene.

The basketball clinic will be for all girls in kindergarten through 6th grade.

For information on clinic, fees or registration call (915) 670-1468 or (915) 670-1435.

**Freeze branding horses**

Horse owners who would like to have their horses freeze branded for identification purposes can have them done on Saturday, October 20th from 9:00 am until 5:00 pm in the cattle arena at the San Angelo fairgrounds. Cost of the process is \$10 per brand. For more information, please contact Grabb Davis at 655-8111 or Debbie Wilde at 651-7789.

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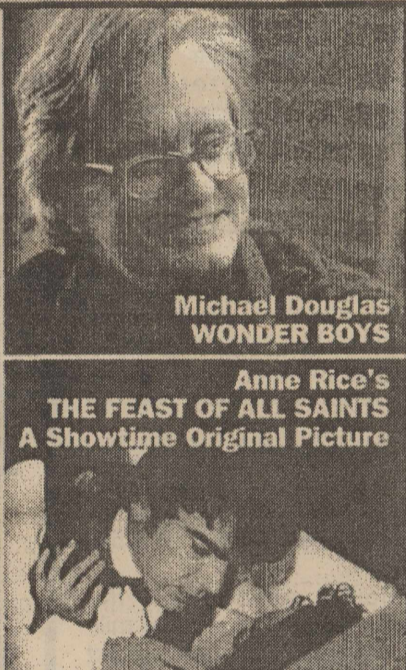
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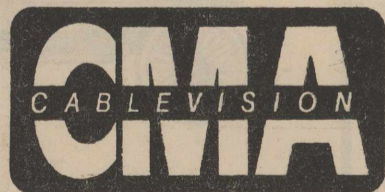
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# ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

## Steers lose district contest to state ranked Roscoe club

by Bill Burns

The Steers went to Roscoe last Friday night to play the state ranked Plowboys. It was not a good game for the Steers.

The Steers are a good TEAM and should make the playoffs this year, but they don't have the depth of the Plowboys and that hurts the small school in Class A ball.

### 1st quarter

The Steers were able to move the ball with Eubanks gaining 6 yards, Anson Lott had 20 yards, Bret Ballew ran for 2 yards and Taylor Clendennen had 12 yards. Colby Eubanks passed to Ballew for a 10 yard gain, to Clendennen for 14 yards, and Jaziel Gallegos for 2 yards. The Steers had 4 first downs. Eubanks punted 2 times for a thirty yard average into the wind.

Roscoe scored two touchdowns.

### 2nd quarter

The Steers had the wind in their favor this quarter but did not have the ball for many plays as Roscoe used up the clock on offense.

Colby Eubanks did receive a kickoff early in the quarter and ran 85 yards for a Steer touchdown. Stewart Millican kicked the extra point. Eubanks had one punt of 43 yards. Roscoe scored two touchdowns.

### 3rd quarter

The Steers received the kick to open the second half and made two 1st downs before they had to punt. Eubanks got the punt off and it was a low driving punt that traveled 28 yards and

bounced off a Plowboy. It was a live ball and Gallegos recovered for the Steers at the Plowboy 17 yard line. The Steers moved the ball to the Plowboy 8 yard line but had to give it up on downs.

The Plowboys made two touchdowns as the Steers managed only two more 1st downs.

### 4th quarter

The Steers had 62 yards of offense with three 1st downs in this quarter.

This wasn't a good game for the Steers but they should be able to bounce back against Rotan this Friday.

The game will be in Robert Lee and we need to back the Steers as they make a run at getting in the playoffs.

GO STEERS!!!

### Dogies beat Roscoe 32-26

Roscoe scored 1st and went up 0-6 early in the first quarter. On Robert Lee's first possession, Brandon Soliz took the ball 52 yards to paydirt and tied the score at 6-6. Roscoe then fumbled the football and Brandon recovered it on the 45. The offense moved it down the field and Chris Torres ran it over from 10 yards out to go up 12-6. Brandon scored the 2 point conversion to make it 14-6 at the end of the first quarter.

Roscoe then opened the scoring in the second quarter to make it 14-12, but once again Chris scored from 10 yards out to go up 20-12. Roscoe then closed out the scoring in the first half to make it 20-18.

The Dogies received the 2nd half kick-off and took up almost the entire 3rd quarter as they marched it down the length of the field before Kevin Honse punched it over from 1 yard out to make it 26-18.

Roscoe then scored with just over 5 minutes left in the 4th quarter and converted the 2 point conversion to tie the score at 26-26. But Robert Lee's offense once again took over and Brandon caught a pass from Kevin 5 yards out with 11 seconds left to make the final score 32-26.

### Robert Lee band advances to area

The Robert Lee High School Band has advanced to the Area Marching Contest.

The band received a Division II Excellent Rating at the San Angelo Marching Festival on October 6.

Their performance at the Region II UIL Marching Contest in Abilene awarded them a Division I Superior Rating.

Band Director Brad Roberts will take his group to Ft. Worth for the advanced competition.

### Jake Cotter & friends bake sale results

Jake Cotter and his friends from Robert Lee ISD may not know the extent of what has happened but when they hear that somebody needs help, they seem to be the first to want to help.

Jake and his friends raised \$271.83 for the people of New York. Jake decided to donate the money to the Robert Lee Independent School District who are also raising money for the New York Relief Fund.

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Hush puppies are so called because fried cornmeal batter was given to hungry dogs that begged for food.

### Touching the World For Freedom

The Robert Lee ISD has established a bulletin board of former students and relatives of Robert Lee families who are serving our country as active and reserve military personnel.

If you know of anyone whose name needs to be added to the list, please contact Carolyn Koepf at 453-9882.

Should anyone in the Bronte area have a list of military personnel, please contact the newspaper at 453-2433.

Kimble Middleton - wife Heather, (cousin of Jennifer Barrett, Chris Torres, Amanda Kuhl, Sarah and Quinton Coppedge) - Marine Reserves

Jeff Wilkes - (son of Doug and Debbie Wilkes) - Army - Combat Ready Unit - Ft. Hood - Killeen, TX

Karen De Los Santos - (mother of Vincent McClelland) - Naval Reserves

Pat Percifull - (uncle of Kaden and Kelsy Duncan and Taylor Percifull) - Navy - SeaBee - Ft. Humemue - Oxnard, CA

Justin Brickey - mother, Leigh Ann, (brother of Tanner and Michael Brickey) - Air Force - Fire and Rescue - Dyess AFB - Abilene, TX

Taryn Anderson - (friend of Brickey family) - Air Force - Life Support - Dyess AFB - Abilene, TX

Randy Murphy - (nephew of Pam Millican) (father-in-law, Johnny Carver, mother-in-law Sheila) - Air Force - Avionics - Goodfellow AFB - San Angelo, TX

Hayley Reynolds - (sister of Lindsay Treadaway) - Air Force - Transportation Specialist - Offutt AFB - Omaha, NE

Troy Reynolds (brother-in-law of Lindsay Treadaway) - Air Force - Computer Specialist - Germany

Waylon Hinderliter (uncle of Mollie and Cooper Hinderliter) - Marines

Doss Byrne - (son of Jimmie and Patty Byrne) - Navy - Medical Corp - Iceland

Clyde Byrne - (brother of Jimmie Byrne) - Army - Professor - Ft. Sam Houston - San Antonio, TX

Anne Riddle - (sister of Della Alexander) - Army - FEMA - Washington, DC

James Hobbs - (nephew of Katie Drennan) - Marines - Helicopter Crew Chief - USS Palau, Indian Ocean

Clayton Jackson (nephew of Katie Drennan) - Air Force - Pilot - New Jersey

John Hinnard - mother, Thelma - (uncle of Molly Burns) - Navy - Engineer - Virginia Beach - Norfolk, VA

Jason Roberts - (cousin of Mason and Megan Ross) - Air Force

Leo Saucedo - sister-in-law,

Yolanda Saucedo - father, Raul - (uncle of Jonah, Rebecca, Salomon, and Omar Saucedo) - Marines - Recruiter - Pueblo, CO

Curtis Bell - father, Don, mother, Gina (cousin of Faylin and Shayle Bell) - Boot Camp - Robotic Machinist - Great Lakes - IL

Ricky Bell - (cousin of Faylin and Shayle Bell) - Air Force - Air Craft mechanic - Dyess AFB - Abilene, TX

Michael Hayes - father, David, brother, Wayne - (cousin to Kayla Medrano) - Air Force - SWAT - Vandenburg AFB - Santa Barbara, CA

T.J. Roe - father, Billy Jack, mother, Kristy - (cousin of Chase, Shelby, and Lindsey Roe) - Army - Supply Maintenance - Ft. Sill - Lawton, OK

Jerry Smitha - aunt, Jackie Walker - (cousin of Justin and Jordan Gartman) - Army - Houston, TX

Les Gray, Jr - father, Les, mother Geneva - (brother of Stephen Gray) - Air Force - Staff Sgt. - Izmir, Turkey

Jason Scott - (son of Lori Sevier) - Army - Staff Sgt. - Ft. Mead - Gunpowder City, MD

Will Beuschel - (husband of Kelly Beuschel) - Air Force

William Aldridge - (uncle of Hanna Hamrick and Jaden Aldridge) - Army - Supply Management - Ft. Hood - Killeen, TX

Donny Aldridge - father, Ray - (cousin of Hanna Hamrick and Jaden Aldridge) - Army - Press Relations - Pentagon - Washington, DC

Chris Long - grandmother, Iris, grandfather, Ivan (uncle of Josh, J.P., Chelsea Conner, Jared, Jessica, and Kelly Long) - Army - Ammunition Expert - Germany

Daniel Frasier - mother, Marie Raney (brother of Robert Raney) - Navy - SeaBee - Ft. Humemue - Oxnard, CA



### School Menu

- Breakfast**  
**Monday, Oct. 22**  
 Juice, cinnamon roll, cereal, milk  
**Tuesday, Oct. 23**  
 Juice, sausage, biscuit, cereal, milk  
**Wednesday, Oct. 24**  
 Juice, muffin, cereal, milk  
**Thursday, Oct. 25**  
 Juice, pancake on stick, cereal, milk  
**Friday, Oct. 26**  
 Juice, pop tart, cereal, milk
- Lunch**  
**Monday, Oct. 22**  
 Bean chalupa, salad, Spanish rice, fruit cocktail, milk  
**Tuesday, Oct. 23**  
 Chicken nuggets, potato patty, green beans, pineapple, roll, milk  
**Wednesday, Oct. 24**  
 Pizza, corn, applesauce, teddy gram, milk  
**Thursday, Oct. 25**  
 Fish, Macaroni & cheese, black eyed peas, peaches, hushpuppies, milk  
**Friday, Oct. 26**  
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September 7	Water Valley	Here	8:00	67	0
September 14	Miles	There	8:00	31	7
September 21	Eden	Here	8:00	41	0
** September 28	May	Here	7:30	55	0
October 5	Open				
* October 12	Roscoe	There	7:30	7	54
* October 19	Rotan	Here	7:30		
* October 26	Garden City	There	7:30		
* November 2	Sterling City	There	7:30		
* November 9	Roby	Here	7:30		

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vs.  
**Rotan Yellowhammers**



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# BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

## Horns record first district win with victory over Water Valley

The Longhorns traveled to Water Valley Friday night and recorded their first district win, with a 28-7 victory over the Wildcats.

Bronte opened the scoring in the first quarter on a 51 yard fumble return by Jeremy Sanchez. Garrett Fiveash kicked the extra point for a 7-0 lead.

The Horns struck again in the 2nd quarter on a Justin Moore 5 yard touchdown run, Fiveash kicked the extra point for a 14-0 half-time lead.

Bronte took the opening second half kickoff and marched down the field and capped the possession off by scoring a 5 yard touchdown run by Joel Webb. Fiveash kicked the extra point for a 21-0 lead. The Wildcats put together a scoring drive and made the score 21-7. The Longhorns answered back with a long touchdown drive that ended with a Justin Moore 1 yard run and a Fiveash extra point for the fi-

nal score of 28-7.

The Longhorns were led on offense by the offensive line, who created good running lanes for the backs. These members are Nick Shaw, Jeremy Sanchez, Cody Sedden, Scott Snyder, and Blaine Dyess. They allowed the

## Lady Horns maintain perfect district record

The Lady Horns volleyball team took on Veribest on October 13, winning by a score of 15-7, 15-5. Their overall record is now 21-10, with a perfect 5-0 district record.

Individual stats are as follows: Lauren Williams 8 kills, 2 blocks, 2 digs, and 1 save; Lacy Schoenfield 12 assists and 2 digs; Britney McCutchen 3 kills, 6 assists, 3 digs, and 1 save; Tasha Reed 1 ace, 3 kills, 1 block, and 3 digs; Stormy White 3 kills, 3 blocks, and 4 digs; Heather Richey 3 kills and 4 blocks; Britni Adams 2 kills and 1 block; Lindsay Springer 2 digs.

## Lady Shorthorns finish season with wins at home

The Lady Shorthorns capped off a successful volleyball season at home on October 15, with both the 7th and 8th grades defeating Sterling City.

The 7th grade girls won 15-12, 5-15, and 15-8; finishing the season with a 4-2 record. In individual scoring, Katie Cooper had 5 service points and 1 ace; Heather Mitchel 3 service points; Sarah Adams 3 service points; Patricia Galvan 5 service points; Crystal Wallar 6 service points; Rebekah Beauchamp 1 kill, 8 service points, and 2 aces; and Lahren White 5 service points and 1 ace.

In the 8th grade game, the Lady Shorthorns defeated Sterling City 15-10, 15-10. Lindsey Butler had 1 kill and 1 service point; Lillian McMullan 1 kill, 2 assists, and 3 service points; Sarah Basquez 1 service point and 2 aces; Christan Kelly 7 service points and 1 ace; Megan Gibbs 2 kills and 1 service point; Rebecca Rawlings 3 kills, 7 service points, and 2 aces; and Cheyenne Webb 3 assists and 11 service points.

The Ladies' record not counting tournament play was 4-2, and 4-6 counting the tournament games.

Horns to rush for 245 yards. Garrett Fiveash led the way with 111 yards rushing and Joel Webb added 82 yards. Defensively the Longhorns were led by Coby Carper with nine tackles and Jeremy Sanchez with four tackles and a fumble return for a touchdown.

The Longhorns next play Eden at Bronte for Homecoming.

## Bronte Homecoming Week Activities

Bonfire - Wednesday, October 17 @ Track (west) Field, 8:30 pm after church

Football Game - Friday, October 19, 7:30 pm. Longhorns vs. Eden

Volleyball Game - Saturday, October 20 @ Water Valley. 4:00 (JV), 5:15 (Varsity)

Dance - Saturday, October 20 @ HS Gym, 9:00 - 12:00 pm

## Bronte Elementary PTO elects officers

The Bronte PTO met September 27, to start making plans for the year's activities and fundraisers. The following officers were elected for the 2001-2002 school year. President - Julie Springer, Vice President - Rhonda Sedden, Project Chairman - Shaye Coalson, Secretary/Reporter - Reba Waller, Treasurer - Karen McBride, Historian - Kellie Seals.

The PTO will be sponsoring a "pumpkin carving" contest during the Fall Festival on October 27, 2001. There will be four different categories (creepy, beautiful, patriotic, and funny). A prize will be given for the winner of each category, and a grand prize for the "Best of Show". The PTO is asking each participant to donate \$2.00 per entry. Participants will need to bring their pumpkins with them to the Fall Festival. A place will be set up outside for the pumpkins.

The PTO is also sponsoring the "Grocery Basket Give-away" and is collecting non-perishable items for the basket. A \$1.00 donation will

buy a chance at winning the basket. The PTO has arranged for our children to gather outside on November 9, 2001 at 7:50 am and sing a song for Veteran's Day.

We encourage everyone to come out and support our school.

## Bronte Fall Festival slated for Oct. 27

Bronte All-Sports Booster Club is once again sponsoring the annual Fall Festival. The event is Saturday, Oct. 27 at the school. The Festival begins at 5:30 with a chili supper sponsored by the kindergarten class in the cafeteria. Booths will be open from 6:00 - 8:00 pm.

Watch for an article in next week's paper giving lists of specific booths. This event helps individual classes and extracurricular clubs raise funds for activities during the year. In addition to raising funds, the Fall Festival is a fun-filled evening for the entire family to enjoy together. Come out and help us support our school.

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Tomatoes are a good source of vitamin A and are high in vitamin C.

## SCHOOL MENU

### Breakfast

Monday, Oct. 22

Cereal, trail mix, toast, milk

Tuesday, Oct. 23

Pancake and sausage on a stick, orange juice, milk

Wednesday, Oct. 24

Pop tart, sliced peaches, milk

Thursday, Oct. 25

Breakfast burrito, apple sauce, milk

Friday, Oct. 26

Breakfast pizza, grape juice, milk

### Lunch

Monday, Oct. 22

Steak fingers with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, pineapple tidbit, rolls, milk

Tuesday, Oct. 23

Taco salad with cheese, lettuce & tomato, pinto beans, tortilla chips, chocolate cake, milk

Wednesday, Oct. 24

Hot dogs, chili & cheese, tator tots, baked beans, bun, sugar cookies, milk

Thursday, Oct. 25

Chicken spaghetti, tossed salad, sweet corn, bread sticks, jello, milk

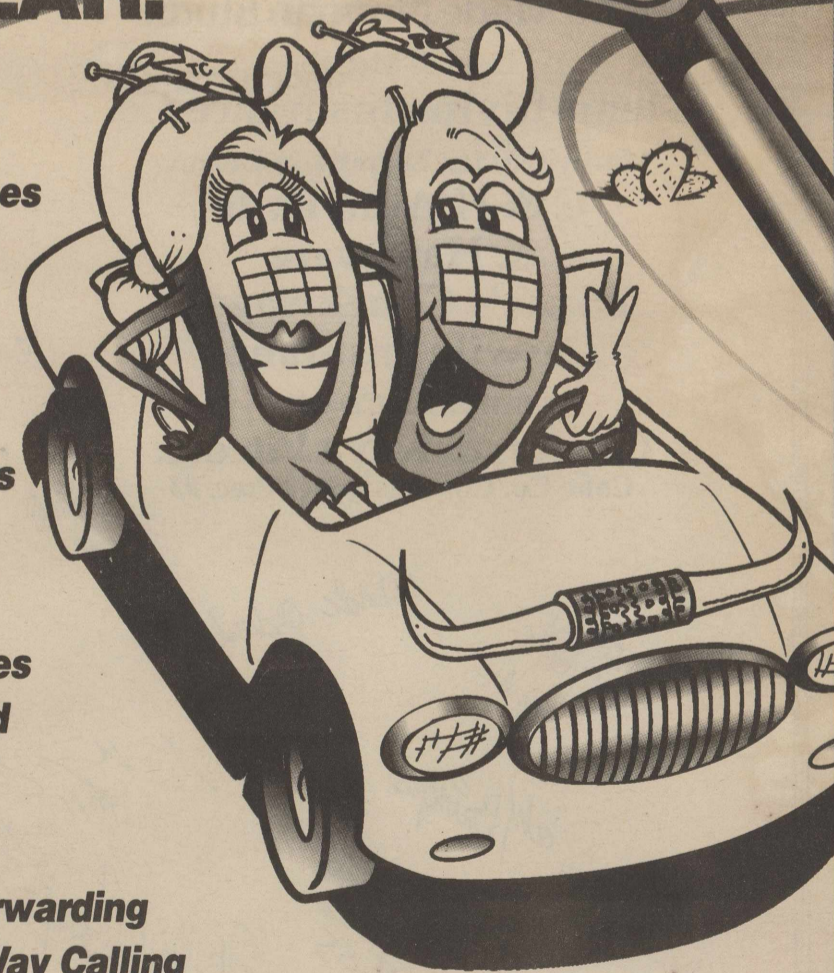
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**Coke County Library news**

The Coke County Library will hold a sale on Saturday, October 20, in connection with The Street Affair. Along with the library sale, a coffee and pie shop will be set up next to the book sale. Shoppers will be welcome to take a stack of books to look at and have a cup of coffee and a piece of pie while browsing.

The library sale will be right in the middle of all the activities going on at the Street Affair and will be only one of some fifty booths.

The sale will include some good hardback books for \$1.00. Other hardback books will be offered for twenty-five cents and the paperback books will be ten cents. Many generous patrons have brought books for the sale.

Funds from library sales are being accumulated to buy a book drop to be anchored curb-side in front of the library. It was decided that this would be more convenient than a drop in the door.

Three-to-five year olds are reminded to get out their costumes and make the Trick or Treat walk. Participants should meet at the library at 10:00 am on Tuesday, October 30. Parents and brothers and sisters are welcome to join the fun.

Library hours are Tuesdays, 8-12; Wednesdays, 8-4; Thursdays, 1-5; Fridays, 8-12. Story Hour is Tuesday at 10:00 am. Books may be returned to the Main Street Market in Bronte as well as to the counter in the library.

**RLHS to sponsor Red Ribbon Week Oct. 22-26**

The PALS class of Robert Lee will sponsor Red Ribbon Week this year. This focus on the war against drugs will be during the week of Oct. 22-26. In an effort to enlist the support of students in Red Ribbon Week, the following days have been designated as:

**Monday:** Shades day (wear sunglasses). "Don't be blinded by drugs."

**Tuesday:** Socks/house shoes day. "Stomp out drugs."

**Wednesday:** Cowboy/Cowgirl day. "Tie down drugs; don't let drugs tie you down."

**Thursday:** Red day (wear red). "Stop drugs."

**Friday:** Steer Day (wear orange, black, white). "Steer clear of drugs."

Elementary students will have a food drive to benefit the "food closet". Their slogan for the week is "Can the Garden City Barkats."

**Watt R. Matthews Cowboy Days**

The Albany Chamber of Commerce is excited to announce that the fifth annual Watt R. Matthews Cowboy Days will be held in Albany, Texas, Saturday, October 20, 2001.

For more information on this event call (915) 762-2525.

**Texas Parks and Wildlife Department 2001-2002 general deer harvest recommendations**

Landowners and hunters are reminded that the general deer hunting season in **Coke County** will open Saturday, November 3, 2001 and continue through January 6, 2002. The legal bag limit in **Coke County** is 5 deer, no more than 2 bucks. No special permits are required for harvesting antlerless deer, however, both bucks and antlerless deer must be properly tagged with an appropriate tag from a valid hunting license. There will be a special late general antlerless and spike deer season which runs from Jan. 7, 2002 and runs through Jan. 20, 2002. Bag limit restricted to antlerless and spike deer only.

Deer populations vary from area to area and even from ranch to ranch. The either sex regulation allows landowners and hunters the flexibility to harvest antlerless deer on his/her property in order to keep deer numbers in balance with available food supply. It does not automatically mean that a heavy antlerless deer harvest is needed. The recommended harvest rates for both bucks and antlerless deer, provided by the department, should be used **only as a general guideline** for harvesting deer. If more intense management is desired, we suggest that landmanagers survey their own properties. This will allow for a more accurate representation of deer numbers on their ranch. Please note that in most cases the department recommends more antlerless deer to be harvested than bucks.

The recommended guideline for harvesting antlerless deer throughout most of **Coke County** is **1 antlerless deer per 250 acres**. The recommended harvest rate on bucks is **1 per 300 acres**.

For more information concerning harvest rates or wildlife management planning, contact Wildlife Biologist, Ralph Suarez, at 915-365-2840.

**Rain Dance 2001**

The Winters Area Chamber of Commerce will host "Rain Dance 2001" on Saturday, October 20th, 8 pm to 12 am at the Winters Rodeo Arena.

For ticket information, contact the Chamber at 915-754-5210.

**Sorosis Club news**

The Sorosis Club of Bronte met on October 11 in the home of Bill and Jane Wheat at Oak Creek Lake. Janet Wommack was the club hostess.

After roll call, the pledge to the flags and the club collect, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. In the business meeting it was decided to purchase library books for Coke County Juvenile Justice Center.

After the business meeting, Bill Wheat showed some of his woodwork...furniture, dominoes, game box, bow, and finished drift wood. He also had several decorated eggs on display. After admiring the barbecue pit he made, we toured his workshop. We were all impressed with his beautiful work.

Members in attendance were: Marilyn Bivins, Celia Bowden, Mary Frances Glenn, Peggy Hembree, Pat Lee, Diane Lockett, Earline Moore, Lou Ann Peters, Doris Sims, and Janet Wommack.

The Chinese auction was won by Peggy Hembree. It was a paper bookcover and bookmark made by Janet Wommack.

**"64" Study Club meets in Robert Lee**

Members of the "64" Study Club met for their monthly meeting Oct. 9, 2001. The meeting was held in the Robert Lee Methodist Church.

President Beth Prather presided at the meeting with 21 members and 1 guest, Yvonne Devoll, present.

Della Alexander was introduced and was in charge of the program on making flower and fruit arrangements for the different seasons of the year. It was a very interesting and beneficial program. Then, two of her arrangements were given to two very lucky members.

The Thanksgiving Dinner will be on Nov. 13th at the Recreation Center.

Hostesses were Nettie Autry, Pauline Brumley, Betty Hurley, Beth Prather, and Jennie Tinkler.

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The ladies of the UMW hosted the September Birthday Party at Robert Lee Care Center. They include (top row, from left) Ava Lou Davis, Fay Roe, Charlotte McKnight, Mrs. Frances Lindsey, (bottom row, from left) Emma Bickley and Nina Brewer.

**Singing Winds Club champion named**

Singing Winds Golf course held their first club champion golf tournament on Saturday, Oct. 13th, in Bronte. The tournament was open to all members of Singing Winds and played in a handicap format. The golfers played a qualifying round and turned in their handicaps prior to the final round on Saturday.

Approximately 30 members played in the tournament. Bronte resident, Debbie Mackey won the title of 2001 Club Champion. She shot a final round of 96 with a 44 handicap for a score of 52. All of the entry fees from the tournament were designated for repairs to the cart paths on the course.

A bar-b-que meal was served after the tournament at the clubhouse. A total of 20 drivers and fairway woods, donated by Mark Barta, were given as prizes. Prizes were, "closest to the hole on par 3's, longest drives, straightest drives, closest to the pin on 2nd shot, longest putt, and lowest handicap turned in."

Everyone had a good time and around \$750 was raised for cart path repairs.

The yearly meeting for the membership will be held on December 10, at 6:30. Four new board members will be elected for members with expiring terms. Any members interested in serving on the board can contact the clubhouse at 473-2156 or call board president, Ron Cooper at 473-2603.

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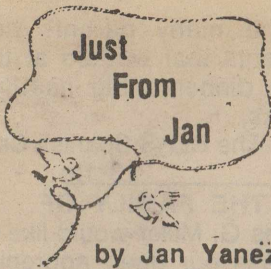
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Too many calories and too much sitting are strongly linked to weight gain. A recent study found that our children are gaining weight too for the same reasons. Overweight parents tend to have overweight children. Overweight people are more likely to have high blood pressure, diabetes, some types of cancer, and joint problems related to arthritis.

Can this trend be reversed? The answer is yes, but if you have tried to lose weight and increase your activity level, you know changing is not easy. Eating high caloric foods and sitting in front of the television is much easier.

Changing eating and activity patterns requires effort and planning. Spend time learning about whether or not you need to lose weight and if you can safely begin an activity program. Learn about your options. Just because you have tried before and not been successful does not mean you cannot be successful this time.

Losing weight and increasing activity does not mean you have to suffer or spend a lot of money for special foods, pills, books, or equipment. People who went from an average weight of 210 to an average of 145 pounds and maintained their loss for an average of 5 1/2 years attributed their success to controlling calorie intake, limiting portion sizes, eating five meals each day, never skipping meals, eating out no more than three times each week with only one of those times at a fast food restaurant, and using up about 2,700 calories a week in physical activity beyond that required for daily activities like gardening or housecleaning. A majority of these 629 successful losers in the National Weight Control Registry said they had been overweight since childhood or had a family history of obesity.

Getting started is hard. Programs claiming quick weight loss with little or no effort end up helping remove little more than your dollars.

If you and your family, friends, co-workers, or church group want to get started on the road to better health, visit your county Extension agent, Jan Yanez, at the information booth at the Street Affair in Robert Lee, October 20 to

learn about Walk Across Texas. Walk Across Texas can help you start walking and/or losing weight. The program is free and can be an important step toward better health for you and your entire family. You may also obtain this information by contacting the Extension office at (915) 453-2461. Join now to -- Walk Across Texas.

**BIDS Board of Trustees meet**

Bronte ISD Board of Trustees met in the Distance Learning Center at 6:00 pm, October 10, 2001, for a Legislative Update Board Training. The October regular board meeting was held at 8:05 in the board room following the board training. Doug Hoyt and Jolene Henderson were absent from the meeting.

The board heard the principals' reports.

The board announced the compliance with the Children's Internet Protection Act (47U.S.C. 254 (h) and (l)).

Motion was made and passed to approve the Annual Drug Performance Report.

Motion was made and approved to register as an Alternative Education Placement Center for the CCJJC Campus.

Motion was made and approved to have an early release date on November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 12:35 pm.

The TASB Update 66 was reviewed by the board.

Motion was made and approved to nominate David Scott as candidate for Coke County Appraisal District Board of Directors.

The Bronte ISD Tax Roll for 2001 was reviewed by the board.

Alan Richey, Superintendent, reported on the following: facilities update, track maintenance, and legislative updates.

Board correspondence included TIE IV Grant information from the Education Service Center and Algebra End of Course results.

Motion was made and passed to pay the September 21-30, 2001, bills.

The board was adjourned by the president at 10:30 pm. The next regular meeting will be on November 8, 2001, at 7:00 pm.

**Letter to the Editor**

Dear Editor,

I would like to address an issue concerning the Bronte band at the football game in Water Valley on October 12. Due to inclement weather, the game was postponed for almost an hour. Understandably, the band should not expose their instruments and uniforms to that type of weather. However, if the parents, fans and cheerleaders can endure the elements and support the team, why is the band not capable of doing more than sitting in a climate-controlled bus watching movies? Does the Bronte school administration condone this practice?

A True Bronte Fan

**Hearing Aid tech to be in RL**

The Lone Star Hearing Aid technician will be in Robert Lee at the Senior Citizens building on Wednesday, October 24, from 9:00 am until 11:30 am.



Cotton Timmons tries his hand at the Robert Lee Care Center "Smashing Pumpkins" booth. The booth was part of the Senior Fall Fest at the Convention Center in San Angelo on September 29.



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**MISC**

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**GARAGE SALE**  
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**GARAGE SALE**  
Saturday only, 8-?. 323 Key Street, Bronte. 13-1tp

**CARD OF THANKS**

**CARD OF THANKS**  
Thank you all so very much for making my 90th birthday so very special. I received 44 cards and numerous phone calls. I miss my family, friends, & neighbors so much.  
Sincerely,  
Willa Plumlee  
13-1tc

**THE ROBERT LEE HIGH SCHOOL SPANISH CLUB**  
would like to express our appreciation to everyone involved in making our fajita dinner a success. To Manuel Abalos and Ron Dickey for preparing the fajita meat and

to the many parents and students that worked at the fajita dinner a big heartfelt thanks.  
The RLHS Spanish Club  
13-1tc

**THE FAMILY OF**  
James G. Miller would like to express our deep appreciation for your care and concern during the loss of our loved one. Thank you for the cards, flowers, phone calls, and especially for your prayers.  
God Bless You,  
Shirley Miller  
Kenneth Miller & family  
Charlie Miller & family  
Brenda Seymour & family  
Louise Smith & family  
Pat Guynes & family  
Tim McCright & family  
Odessa Whisenhunt & family  
13-1tc

**I WOULD LIKE TO THANK**  
the people who came by the bake sale Saturday, Sept. 29th at Super H. & showed their support for our kids and our country. Thank you also to the parents who helped and contributed to the bake sale. A special thank you to Dave & Betty Hughes for letting us use the front of Super H. Also to Lori & Larry Martin for the use of their tables. A great big thank you to the kids of RLISD.  
Tessa & son, Jake Cotter  
13-1tc

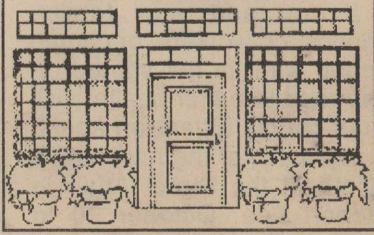
**NOTICES**

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Paula Sue Deere, 303 N. Mt. Rushmore, Cedar Park, Texas, Defendant, Greeting: **YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** to appear before the 51st District Court of Coke County at the Court-house being located at 13 E. 7th St. in the City of Robert Lee, County Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, the date for answer being the 26th day of November, A.D. 2001, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 19th day of June, A.D. 2001, in this cause, numbered 3946 on the docket of said court and styled Jerry Turn, Guardian of the Person and Estate of Helen Turn, Plaintiff, vs. Paula Sue Deere, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:\*

Suit for damages  
The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

**Garage Sale**  
Downtown Robert Lee  
Friday & Saturday  
October 19 & 20  
9 am to 4 pm  
Some Antiques



**NOTICES**

Witness, Mary Grim, Clerk of the 51st District Court(s) of Coke County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at office this the 9th day of October A.D. 2001.

Mary Grim  
Clerk,  
51st District Court Coke  
Coke County, Texas  
P.O. Box 150  
Robert Lee, Texas 76945

**NOTICE**

You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 A.M. on the Monday next following the expiration of forty-two days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you.

J. Russell Ash  
P.O. Box 924  
Big Lake, Texas 76932

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS**

Sealed proposals for highway improvement contracts will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) until the date (s) show below, and then publicly read.

**CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE CONTRACT (S)**

District: San Angelo  
Contract 0907-11-004 for **LANDSCAPE ESTABLISHMENT** in **STERLING** County will be opened on November 06, 2001 at 1:00 pm at the State Office.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or District Offices listed below. Bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract (s) are available from TxDOT's website at [www.dot.state.tx.us](http://www.dot.state.tx.us) and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.

NPO. 4911

State Office  
Construction Division  
200 E. Riverside Dr.  
Austin, Texas 78704  
Phone: 512-416-2540  
District Office (s)  
San Angelo District  
District Engineer  
4502 Knickerbocker Rd  
San Angelo, Texas 76904  
Phone: 915-944-1501

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TXDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

13-2tc

**TO THE PUBLIC**

and, See listing below, Pursuant to Section 59.044 of the Texas Property Code, notice is hereby given of the sale of the contents of Units, See listing below, of the storage facilities located at the south-

east corner of Commerce Street (TX 158) and East 6th Street, the northwest corner of Bishop Street and West 10th Street (TX 208), and the southeast and northeast corners of Chadbourne Street and West 8th Street. The contents of the units will be sold to satisfy a contractual landlord's lien. The sale will be conducted no sooner than 1 Nov. 01.

Teresa Romine 151  
13-2tc

**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF BILLY MAX TROUBLEFIELD, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of **BILLY MAX TROUBLEFIELD** were issued on October 9, 2001, in Cause No. 1595 pending in the County Court of Coke County, Texas to:

**ROBERT E. DILLARD**  
The residence of such Executor is Coke County, Texas. The mailing address for the Executor is:

**ROBERT E. DILLARD  
C/O NANCY FIREBAUGH  
ARTHUR**

Attorney-at-Law  
P.O. Box 970  
Robert Lee, TX 76945  
915/453-2576  
FAX: 915/453-2577

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.  
**DATED October 9, 2001.**

**NANCY FIREBAUGH  
ARTHUR**  
Attorney for the Estate  
13-1tc

**EAST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT AND BRONTE NURSING HOME OPEN ADMISSIONS POLICY**

It is the policy of the East Coke County Hospital District and Bronte Health & Rehab Center to admit and to treat all patients without regard to race, color, or national origin. The same requirements for all admission are applied to all, and patients are assigned within the Bronte Health & Rehab Center without regard to race, color, or national origin. There is no distinction in eligibility for, or in this manner of providing patient services provided by or through the Bronte Health & Rehab Center. All the facilities of the Bronte Health & Rehab Center are available without distinction to all patients and visitors regardless of race, color, or national origin. All persons and organizations that have either occasion to refer patients for admission or recommend the East Coke County Hospital District and Bronte Health & Rehab Center are advised to do so without regard to the patient's race, color, or national origin.

East Coke County Hospital District dba Bronte Health & Rehab Center observes Title VI of the Civil Rights Acts of 1964 and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, creed, sex, age, national origin, or handicap, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program, activity or employment.

This policy applies to all resident/recipients, personnel, or any other individual having contracts or doing business with the facilities of East Coke County Hospital District.

13-1tc

**ORDINANCE # 343**

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THAT PORTION OF NORTH STATE STREET BEGINNING AT THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF LOT 7, BLOCK 3, ARCHER ADDITION AND LOT 8, BLOCK 1, ARCHER ADDITION AND EXTENDING NORTH 486 FEET AND THAT PORTION OF MCDOWELL STREET LOCATED BETWEEN LOT 1, BLOCK 4, ARCHER ADDITION AND LOT 8, BLOCK 3, ARCHER ADDITION BE ABANDONED AS STREETS, ORDERING THE SAME VACATED AND CLOSED, FINDING THE VALUE OF SAID LAND AND AUTHORIZING THE CONVEYANCE OF SAME TO MR. MARTIN BASQUEZ, UPON PAYMENT OF THE AMOUNT FOUND TO BE THE VALUE OF THIS LAND.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 11th day of October, 2001.

Martin Lee  
Mayor  
ATTEST:  
Pat Martindale  
City Secretary  
13-1tc

**ORDINANCE # 344**

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE SALE AND DISCHARGE OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF BRONTE, REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH, AND DECLARED AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: The term "fireworks" shall mean and include any firecracker, torpedo, skyrocket, Roman candle, sparkler, or other similar combustible explosive device used for audio or visual effect.

SECTION 2: No person, firm, company, corporation or association shall cast, throw or fire any combustible fireworks of any kind in the city limits of the City of Bronte, Texas.

SECTION 3: It shall be unlawful for any person to offer for sale, or to receive compensation for transferring or selling fireworks of any description

within the City Limits of Bronte, Texas.

SECTION 6: Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each and every violation hereof.

SECTION 9: In view of the fact that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate protection and preservation of the public health, safety and general welfare, it becomes necessary that this ordinance shall be in full force immediately upon its passage and publication of the caption of this ordinance in the Observer/Enterprise according to law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2001.

CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS  
Martin Lee  
Mayor  
ATTEST:  
Pat Martindale  
City Secretary  
13-1tc

**Colorado River Municipal Water District Revised Rules, Regulations, and Fees for Lakes, Reservoirs, and Wildlife Management Areas PUBLIC NOTICE FOR WRITTEN COMMENTS**

The CRMWD invites public comment on proposed revision to rules and regulations for its lakes, reservoirs, and wildlife management areas. It is anticipated that the revised rules and regulations, after public comment, will be scheduled for final consideration by the CRMWD Board of Directors on December 12, 2001, during a regularly scheduled meeting. The revision of these rules and regulations includes general rule changes and a change in the recreation permit system and permit fees. Reservoir permit fees for shoreline facilities and access fees to wildlife management areas have also

been revised. A full text of the proposed rules and regulations can be reviewed at the CRMWD main office, 400 East 24th Street, Big Spring, Texas, 79721-0869. Written comments addressed to Okla W. Thornton, Jr., Manager, Natural Resources, will be accepted and must be received no later than November 19, 2001.

13-1tc

**Commissioner Combs set for Tom Green County Oct. 22**

Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs is hosting a public town hall meeting at 2 pm, Monday, Oct. 22, at the Saint Ambrose Parish, Fellowship Hall, 8602 Loop 570, in Wall. Combs wants to hear what is on the minds of West Texas agricultural producers, agribusinesses, community leaders and citizens and hopes to gather input on the best ways to address the area's agricultural and rural issues.

Combs will also discuss topics such as rural economic development, the new Farm Bill, trade, agricultural marketing, transportation, rural and agricultural financing, water and the status of Texas agriculture.

**Personel**

Members of Beta Upsilon Master Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi of San Angelo were guests Sunday evening, Oct. 14th, at a Patio Dinner at the Barrett Ranch hosted by Bobbie Varnadore of Blackwell.

Present were Beth Blankenship, Terry Brooks, Ruth Faison, Jane Johnston, Geneva Murphy, Polly Niendorff, Reba Parker, Mary Robertson, Pat Propes, and Joan Routt. Guests were Luttie Loren, Bob Routt, Lowell Murphy & Herman Seale of Blackwell.

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**Free entry to state parks**

Lovers of the outdoors, wildlife and Texas history should mark the weekend of Oct. 20-21 on their calendars to take advantage of free admission to all Texas Parks and Wildlife sites statewide.

For the second year in a row, Texas Parks and Wildlife will offer free entry to all of the 123 state parks, and several participating wildlife management areas and state fish hatcheries during Lone Star Legacy Weekend. TPW has again chosen the third weekend in October to encourage more people to visit Texas state parks, marine centers and other facilities to celebrate conservation and raise private money to preserve the state's natural and cultural resources.

Visitors to TPW facilities during Lone Star Legacy Weekend will be able to walk in the footsteps of some of the state's most historic figures in such places as Casa Navarro State Historical Site and the San Jacinto Battlegrounds as well as experience natural wonders like Palo Duro Canyon, Longhorn Cavern and Enchanted Rock.

Among the dozens of special activities scheduled for Lone Star Legacy Weekend are:

- Bicycle and foot races
- Fishing and surfing contests
- Crafts and folkways demonstrations
- Live folk, bluegrass and cowboy concerts
- Halloween hayrides and other events
- Guided tours of nature trails, park facilities and hatcheries
- Native American storytelling, dancing and arrowhead making
- Seminars on how to camp, waterfowl-calling, native plants and water quality
- Living history demonstrations by Buffalo soldiers and other frontier troops, cowboy cooks, the Texas Camel Corps and Mexican vaqueros

"Lone Star Legacy Weekend is our chance to roll out the red carpet and welcome everyone to come celebrate our fantastic system of facilities with free entry all weekend," said Andrew Sansom, TPW executive director. "My belief is that they will find places worth supporting. The goal of Lone Star Legacy is for every site to have an operating endowment that will grow through the years, so that eventually interest income will be significant to help sustain our parks and other sites through lean budget years or bad weather."

Although no entrance fees will be charged at TPW sites Oct. 20-21, donations will be accepted at participating facilities. Overnight camping and other fees, such as admission to the Texas State Railroad, will still apply. Tax-deductible donations may be made to the endowment fund of a particular site or state park or directed to the Lone Star Legacy campaign's general endowment fund. Patrons may make donations at Lone Star Legacy Weekend sites or send their donations to the Parks and Wildlife Foundation of Texas, PO Box 191207, Dallas,

Texas 75219.

The privately operated, non-profit foundation, established in 1991 to help support public conservation projects in Texas with private funds, kicked off the Lone Star Legacy campaign in 1998. The fundraising initiative was launched on the heels of the first of one of several reports noting that TPW faced many financial challenges in maintaining and operating more than 200 historic sites, parks, wildlife management areas, fish hatcheries and other facilities. The entire amount of each Legacy donation goes to the cause, as Foundation operating expenses are covered with other dollars.

The Parks and Wildlife Foundation has set a \$25 million goal for the Lone Star Legacy campaign to help build and operate six new recreational and educational facilities and to establish endowment funds at all Texas state parks and other TPW facilities, such as the Texas Freshwater Fisheries Center. Interest generated by the endowment funds will be used to help operate the facilities.

To view a complete list of Lone Star Legacy Weekend activities and participating facilities, visit the TPW Web site ([http://tpwd.state.tx.us/news/tpwcal/spl\\_region.htm](http://tpwd.state.tx.us/news/tpwcal/spl_region.htm)). For more information about the Lone Star Legacy campaign, phone the Parks and Wildlife Foundation of Texas at (214) 720-1478.

**Fan mail for the troops**

Individuals and families all across the nation -- in schools and churches, with campus groups, youth organizations, veterans groups and auxiliaries, and many other kinds of groups are already writing fan mail to our troops at home and abroad for the Christmas 2001 Military Mail campaign.

"From the bottom of our hearts we would like to thank you for thinking of us during the Holidays..." wrote one U.S. Marine unit.

Mail from all over the nation is sent to Friends of Our Troops headquarters, where it is thoroughly mixed. It is then made up into well over 1,000 packages of mail to be sent out, ranging in size from just a handful for small units up to several thousand for an entire base or one of the Navy's large ships. "This helps to get an appropriate amount of fan mail to all those places," said G.B. Wisner, executive director.

As the continuation of the Vietnam Mail Call program established in 1965, there have now been 35 years of service to and support of our military folks.

A visual overview of how the campaign functions has been posted in the on-line photo album.

<http://www.troopfanmail.net/album.htm>. In addition, there are special schools, colleges, churches, veterans groups, Catholic and military pages.

To learn how to help boost morale by writing fan mail for U.S. troops all across the U.S. and around the world, send your name and address to Friends of Our Troops, P.O. Box 65408, Fayetteville, NC 28306.

**Millican - Conner engagement announced**

Tim & Pam Millican of Robert Lee are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter Heather Michelle Millican of San Angelo to Greg Conner, of San Angelo, son of Vernon & Brenda Conner of Christoval.

The wedding is planned for December 29, 2001, at the First Baptist Church in Robert Lee.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Robert Lee. Pam attended Angelo State University and received a bachelor's degree in Journalism. She is currently doing graduate studies at Angelo State University.

Tim graduated Monterey High School in Lubbock. He attended the FBI National Academy in Quantico, VA in 1997 and attended South Plains College in Levelland. He is currently attending Angelo State University.

**JP Davis attends justice seminar**

Joan Davis of Robert Lee, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1, attended a 20 hour seminar last week in Lubbock. Texas justices must have the mandatory hours each year as long as they hold that office. About 150 judges attended the education classes.

The Justice Court Training Center in Austin held the 4-day school at the Holiday Inn Hotel and Towers. Classes were offered in Magistrates' Duties, Small Claims Court, Evictions, Traffic Laws, Inquests, Financial Management, and Family Violence, as well as Ethics relating to the office.

Judge Jack Moore of Bronte, Precinct 2, plans to attend his continuing education seminar in early 2002.

**5th Annual Cowboy Symposium**

The 5th Annual Cowboy Symposium will be held on Saturday, October 20, 2001 at the San Angelo State Park, south entrance.

The events will start at 10 am. There will be trail rides, cowboy singers, cowboy poets, historians, story tellers, Texas Ranger reenactors, Buffalo Soldiers, ISD ROTC, gunfighters, campfire cooking enthusiasts and western vendors.

Come and enjoy the day and celebrate Lone Star Legacy Day.

For more information call (915) 949-4757.

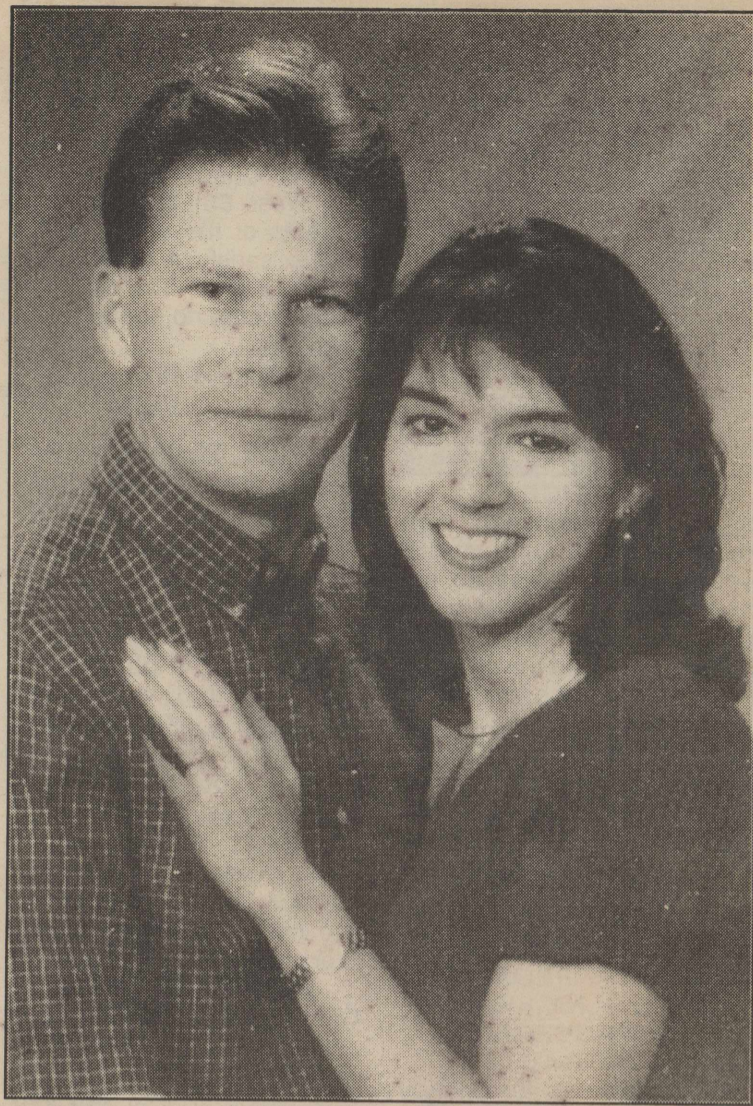
**RLVFD news**

by Marian Thompson Secretary

The volunteers had training classes on the 8th, with 11 members present. On Oct. 9th, the fire truck was taken to Robert Lee Elementary and Head Start for Fire Prevention Week.

On the 11th, the volunteers answered a call regarding a vehicle accident.

Saturday, the 13th, the RLHS marching band returned to Robert Lee after their competition. Fireman Robert Wink led the parade into town and up to the school with the new fire truck. The cars following the band were



Greg Conner and Heather Millican

filled with excited teens and adults.

The volunteers had their regular meeting on the 15th. President Larry Martin presided with 15 members and 1 visitor present. The minutes were approved as read.

Topics of discussion: 911 reflective street signs, the items the volunteers have planned for the Street Affair, the pumper truck and the superduty will be part of the parade, who can attend the Emergency Planning meeting which will be at the courthouse on Oct. 30 and who will be available for the Street Affair on the 20th. The new radios have all been programmed and just need to be installed in the trucks.

We have been fortunate to not have any fires lately. However, the fire department does respond to motor vehicle accidents. Many times the firemen are the first ones to arrive. They assist the Sheriff's department with traffic control and often manpower.

The next meeting will be on Nov. 5th.

**SOME THINGS ARE MEANT TO BE CLOSED**

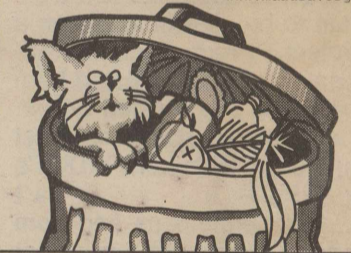
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