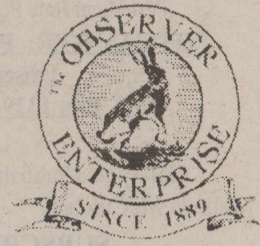


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Friday, January 12, 2007

County livestock show slated for next weekend

Next week will be the 67th edition of the Coke County Junior Livestock Show, held at the Sterling Lindsey Memorial Exhibition Building in Robert Lee. This year's show will be dedicated to Wilbern Millican and Dale Wojtek for their tremendous dedication and support of Coke County youth through their enthusiastic involvement during the premium sale for many years. There will be a special presentation made to these two gentlemen on Saturday, at 2 pm, preceding the premium sale.

This year's show will feature animals in the Market Lamb, Market Goat, Market Swine and Market Steer shows, but more importantly, more than 70 youth exhibitors from around the county.

The county stock show offers the youth of Coke County an opportunity to exhibit their livestock projects, which they have worked with for more than 11 months, in many cases. Besides being a worthwhile educational activity for our youth in teaching them responsibility, working with others and numerous life skills, it is an important economic endeavor when you

consider the animals purchased from county producers, feed purchased locally and the premium sale monies that come in from county and other areas. The total amounts of monies generated by these exhibitors amounts to over \$120,000 per year that is circulated in the county.

The show will begin Friday, January 19, at 6:30 pm with the Market Lamb show, followed by the Market Goat show. These shows will be judged by Reid Stultz of San Angelo. On Saturday, January 20, the Market Swine show gets underway at 8:30 am, followed by the Market Steer show at 11 am, judged by Todd Vineyard, Jones County Extension Agent from Anson, Texas.

The Buyer's appreciation barbecue will be served at 12 noon. Following the barbecue, the premium sale will be held at 2 pm to honor the prize-winning animals and exhibitors. Persons wishing to donate to the Coke County Livestock Show can contact either the County Extension office in the courthouse or one of the Livestock Association directors that include: Bobby Blaylock,



Robert Lee Cleanup! The City of Robert Lee cleaned up and removed 12,980 pounds of mixed metals, consisting of appliances, air conditioner units, hot water heaters, and scrap materials. The materials were hauled to Butts Recycling in San Angelo. This clean-up project was completed by James Royall, City employees, Joe Torres, Billy Williams, Danny Williams, and Mayor, Joe White.

Marty Caston, Mike Cervenka, Wayne Coalson, Lynn Denton, Joe Harmon, Mike Harris, David Jackson, Corby Kelso, Shane Kelton, Jeff McGlothlin, Wibby Millican, Jerry T. Parker, Joel Percifull, Pat Percifull, Douglas Roberts, Mike Rodriguez, Ricky Ross, Ricky Royall, Rick Sanchez, Tom Sawyer, Noel Tinkler, and Ernest Ybarra.

The directors of the Coke County Junior Livestock Show would like to invite

everyone to come and participate in this year's County Livestock Show and support the youth of our county for their hard work and dedication.

Holiday Closings

The Coke County Courthouse and the Robert Lee City Hall will close on Monday, January 15, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

The Coke County USDA Service Center, FSA and NRCS Offices will be closed Monday, January 15, 2007 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. The Service Center will re-open for business as usual on Tuesday, January 16, 2007.

Central Baptist Church conducting revival services

The Central Baptist Church in Bronte will be conducting revival services January 12-14 (Friday and Saturday night, Sunday morning) with Pastor Dale Patterson, Antioch Baptist Church, Palestine, Texas, conducting the services. Special music will be provided.

Night services will start at 7 pm with Sunday morning service at 11 am.

Dale is a graduate of Bronte public schools and is the former pastor of Pecan Baptist Church in Robert Lee. The public is encouraged to attend.

CC Retired

Teachers meeting

The Coke County Retired Teachers Association will meet Monday, January 15. The noon luncheon meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church in Bronte.

Note to members: bring your yearly total hours for volunteer service.

BH&RC Auxiliary to meet Jan. 18

Bronte Health and Rehab Center Auxiliary will meet on Thursday, Jan. 18, at 1 pm in the Board Room. Lunch will be served. This is the first meeting of the new year and several activities have and will be planned for the residents at BHRC during the coming year. If you have questions or are interested in this organization please call Janet Wommack at 473-5388 or Lanette Fletcher at 473-6791.

Attention

Robert Lee

Trash Customers

Notices have been mailed to all Robert Lee customers regarding the change in trash collection service from the current rear-load service to a side-load service pickup.

Residents are reminded that those that have trash pick up on Tuesday will now switch to Friday. There will be no residential trash pickup on Tuesday, January 16. Service will change to Friday beginning January 19.

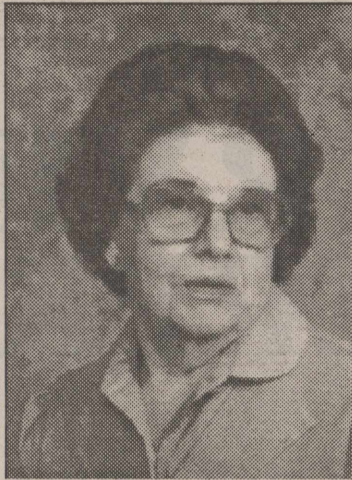


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Sims

Gladys Maye Sims, 89, passed away Saturday, January 6, 2007, in a San Angelo nursing home. Graveside services were Monday, January 8, 2007, at 2 pm at the Fairview Cemetery in Bronte. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Gladys was born September 1, 1917, in Marie, Texas, to Robert R. Ash and Nancy Naomi Sumrall Ash. She attended school in Bronte and later graduated from Hardin-Simmons University. On February 29, 1940, she married Robert Hugh Sims. Together they owned and operated the Butane Service Company of Bronte and Robert Lee. Gladys was a teacher for many years. She was a teacher in Bronte, Blackwell, and San Angelo, where she later retired.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband, one son, Steven Sims, and her sister, Merle Billingsley.

Gladys is survived by her sons, Ron Sims and his wife Beverly of Bronte and David Sims and his wife Charlotte of San Angelo. She is also survived by six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

The family request that in lieu of flowers donations be made to your favorite charity.

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Ordinance Enforcement Officer appointed

The City of Robert Lee has contracted with Marshall Millican as city ordinance



Bush - Graves engagement announced! Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bush, Jr. of Jacksonville, Florida, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mandy Bush, to Jake Graves.

The bride-elect is a graduate of University of North Texas and is currently pursuing her masters degree in special education from the University of North Texas. Mandy is a teacher with Leander ISD.

Jake graduated from Texas Tech University with an Engineering Technology degree. He is currently employed as a field engineer with American Constructors, Inc. in Austin, Texas.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Jerry and Susan Graves of Bronte, Texas.

The couple will be married March 3, 2007, at Chapelle des Fleurs in Flower Mound, Texas, with Brother Morris Johnson of Bronte, Texas, performing the ceremony.

enforcement officer. Mr. Millican recently completed 40 hours of code enforcement training required by the Texas Department of State Health Services Licensing & Certification and is awaiting testing for Code Enforcement Officer certification. Mr. Millican had also contracted with the City as Ordinance Enforcement Officer from 1998-2004. The position requires knowledge of ordinances, record keeping, handling initial contacts, seeking cooperation, community education, recycling sources, minimum housing standards, legal aspects and knowledge of court procedures. Top pri-

orities for enforcement will be dangerous, vacant or abandoned houses, inoperative and/or abandoned or junked vehicles, high grass and weeds, and areas of trash and garbage accumulation.

It is the goal of the City Council and Ordinance Enforcement to provide a safer and more attractive community. Many small towns are taking steps to remove years and years of deteriorated properties to improve the appearance of their towns both for their citizens and for economic improvement. This goal can be reached with the help and cooperation of the citizens and business owners.

Obituaries



King

Vivian Blair King, 92, went to be with her Lord and Savior, Friday, January 5, 2007. Mrs. King, a long-time Coke County resident, passed away in Grapevine, Texas, where she had lived for the past two years.

Funeral services were at the Robert Lee Baptist Church at 3 pm, Tuesday, January 9, 2007 with burial following in the Robert Lee Cemetery. Viewing was at Shaffer Funeral Home in Robert Lee from 9 am to 8 pm, on Monday, January 8, with a family visitation from 6:00 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday at the funeral home, where family members greeted and visited with friends. Memorials may be made to Robert Lee Baptist Church Memorial Fund. Services were under direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. King was preceded in death by her first husband, Jim Blair and by her second husband, Dave King. Also by four children, Carl Blair, Mildred White, Mae Hall, and Dwayne Blair.

She is survived by her children, Delle Thomas of Arlington, Vivian Keel of San Angelo, Wayne Blair and wife, JoAnn of Green Lake, Wisconsin, Doris Akin and husband, Harold of Richvale, California, Dennis Blair of LaPryor, Eunice Wilkerson and husband, Royce of Grapevine, Frank Blair and wife, Marty of Round Rock, Gwen Anderson and husband, Harry of Granite Shoals, and Joyce Walker and husband, Bobby of Odessa. Other loved ones surviving include her daughters-in-law, Paulene Blair of Bronte and Irene Blair of Brighton, Missouri and son-in-law, Don Hall of Columbus, Ohio. Mrs. King

has over 30 grandchildren, numerous great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. She is also survived by four sisters, Nannie Fay Muston of Rockdale, Texas, Bonnie Mae Baker of Bronte, Odessa Hall of Bryan, Berneta Joy Stephens of Modesto, California; and one brother, J.W. Muston of Nacogdoches, Texas.

Mrs. King was born in Milam County, Texas and came to Coke County when she was 5 years old. She remained a Coke County resident, living primarily in Bronte, where she graduated from high school and in Robert Lee until she moved to Grapevine two years ago.

She is best remembered as a homemaker and loving caregiver to many friends and family. She especially loved children and older folks with special needs.

Mrs. King was a long time member of the Robert Lee Baptist Church and was a faithful servant and child of her Lord Jesus Christ.

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Angel Food Ministries distribution day set for Jan. 27

The distribution date will be Saturday, January 27 at 3:00. For more information, contact Johnnie Andrewson 473-2124, Donna Keele 473-5341, or Joy Keele 473-6511.

They are still seeking volunteers for distribution days as well as donations to help offset operating costs.

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Sawyer- Raney united in marriage

Miss Krystal Sawyer and Mr. Robert Raney, both of Robert Lee, Texas, were married on Saturday, December 16, 2006, at 5 o'clock in the evening at the Robert Lee Baptist Church in Robert Lee, Texas, with Bro. Garry Bivins of Bronte officiating. The church was decorated with red poinsettias and candelabras of red roses and white calla lilies, all to complete the festiveness of the season.

Following the ceremony, the bride's family hosted a reception dance and barbecue catered by Jack and Donna Horton of Montgomery, Texas at the Robert Lee Recreation Hall with music provided by DJ David Sheldon. The hall was decorated with soft white lights, red poinsettias, and whimsical, white cowboy boots as centerpieces on the tables.

Above the dance floor hung a beautiful white chandelier, from which more soft lights and white tulle floated from the ceiling. Servers to the event included Stacey Denton, Nita Duncan, and Ann McCutchen, all of Robert Lee, and Susanna Sawyer of Hutto, Texas. The bride's cake was a three tiered Italian Crème cake with cream cheese filling, embellished with delicate tooled icing and fresh red roses, placed on columns over an elegant fountain of red to accompany the surrounding table decorations. The groom's cake was a large, moist German chocolate sheet cake, embellished with maraschino cherries provided by Judy McCrary of Brownwood. The table held a very whimsical western theme, which included deer antlers, and a steel tub of soft drinks. On the eve of the wedding, the groom's mother and best man hosted a catfish dinner catered by Jeremy and Sid Burns, of Robert Lee, at the Robert Lee Catholic Church.

The bride is the daughter of James and Terri Sawyer and the granddaughter of Tom and Gay Sawyer, all of Robert Lee. The groom is the son of Marie Raney and the late Gerrell Raney, of Robert Lee, Texas.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a one-piece, diamond white satin, strapless, A-line, corset back gown. The dazzling encrusted bodice highlighted the asymmetrical soft pleated waist. Embellishments were delicately sprinkled on the front and back of the skirt. A long flowing train completed a picture of elegance. She carried a cascading bouquet of red roses accented with miniature white calla lilies and fern.

Maid of Honor was Vanessa Parra of Waco. Bridesmaids were Brandi Sawyer of Houston, Rebeka



Mr. & Mrs. Robert Raney

Frasier of Odessa, and Ashley Sawyer of Robert Lee. The bride's attendants each wore black satin, strapless gowns with flattering asymmetrical pleated waists. Flower girl was Marlow Davis, daughter of Gary and Carmella Davis of Denver City.

Best man was Patrick Percifull of Robert Lee. Groomsmen were Clete Carillo and Brad Blocker, both of San Angelo, and Aaron Mays of Midland. Ring bearer was Sawyer Davis, brother to the flower girl and son of Gary and Carmella Davis of Denver City.

Serving as ushers were Tom Sawyer Jr., uncle of the bride of Robert Lee, and Trey Sawyer, first cousin of the bride of Stephenville.

The bride is a 2004 graduate of Bonanza High School in Las Vegas, Nevada, and is currently pursuing a bachelor's degree in early childhood education at Angelo State University, where she is also employed.

The groom is a 2005 graduate of Robert Lee High School. He is employed by Sanco Materials in Robert Lee.

The couple will reside in Robert Lee.

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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS



Junior Class Christmas! The Robert Lee High School Junior class celebrated the Christmas holidays with a progressive dinner, hayride, visit to Bryan's Barn and a gift exchange. They also sponsored a Winter Ball in the gym on December 20.

Lady Steers basketball results

On January 2, the varsity defeated Tree of Life Church by a large margin of 70-19. Scoring: Jaden Alexander 2; Olga Perez 4; Kasie Skinner 2; Arrin Minjarez 7; Kelsy Duncan 5; Molly Burns 2; Megan Percifull 9; Brettne Reed 17; Sarah Philley 14; and Becca Skinner 8

In the first district game on January 5, Robert Lee defeated Water Valley 50-42. Scoring: Olga Perez 3; Arrin Minjarez 6; Brettne Reed 9; Sarah Philley 17; and Becca Skinner 10.

On January 5 in the Bronte JV Tournament, the RLJV defeated Roscoe JV in the first game by a score of 41-19. Scoring: Molli Hinderliter 19; Nancy Landeros 12; Briana Brisbin 6; and Jodi

Sheldon 4. In the second game of the tournament, RLJV was defeated by Christoval JV 41-29. Scoring: Emilee Yanez 2; Molli Hinderliter 10; Briana Brisbin 12; Norma Rojas 1; Erika Sheldon 1; and Jodi Sheldon 4.

RLHS Awards Third Six Weeks "A" Honor Roll

7th grade
Sassy Farmer

8th grade
Heidi Austin, Haden Dillard, Blake Hewitt, Kacee Roberts

9th grade
Emily Arellano, Sarah Jones, Stetson Nesbit

10th grade
Kaden Duncan, Jeremy Martinez

11th grade
Molly Burns, Brody Dillard, Chase Roe, Anna Rojas, Kasie Skinner

12th grade
Jaden Alexander, Kelsy Duncan, Kevin Honse, Dixie Johnson, Tony Munoz, Casey Nesbit, Erica O'Neil, Sarah Philley, Brettne Reed, Rosa Rojas, Becca Skinner, Eleasar Vera

"A/B" Honor Roll

7th grade
Linsey Arellano, Luisa Carrerra, Chad Martin, Kimberly Roach, Victoria Roe, Raquel Rojas, Meagan Ross, Diana Vera

8th grade
Amanda Mendoza, Skyler Rainwater, Luke Sheldon

9th grade
Jennifer Barrett, Devin Batten, Cody Brosh, Cayetano Carrerra, Molli Hinderliter, Piedad Juarez, Colton Reed, Emilee Yanez

10th grade
Holly Austin, Garrett Blair, Josh Gallegos, Prescilla Lara, Kelsey Martin, Arrin Minjarez, Olga Perez, Michael Rodriguez, Norma Rojas, Mason Ross, Jodi Sheldon, Cori Torres, Jimmy Womack

11th grade
Cody Denton, Briana Longoria, Taylor Percifull,

Andrea Pineda, Ashley Sawyer

12th grade
Clay Antilley

Perfect Attendance

7th grade
Luisa Carrera, Jose Fabian, Samantha Fernandez, Victoria Roe, Meagan Ross

8th grade
Dustin Brown, Haden Dillard, Herzon Estrada, Amanda Mendoza, Logan Philley, Skyler Rainwater, Jorge Rostro, Sarah Walker

9th grade
Emily Arellano, Briana Brisbin, William Brosh, Cayetano Carrerra, Josef Hanigan, Piedad Juarez, Ivan Landeros, Nancy Landeros, Blake Millican, Stetson Nesbit, Miguel Perez, Colton Reed, Olivia Trejo, Emilee Yanez

10th grade
Holly Austin, Kaden Duncan, Jose Gallegos, Prescilla Lara, Kelsey Martin, Jeremy Martinez, Arrin Minjarez, Olga Perez, Michael

Rodriquez, Mason Ross, Jodi Sheldon, Jimmy Womack

11th grade
Molly Burns, Brody Dillard, Taylor Percifull, Kasie Skinner

12th grade
Jaden Alexander, Kelsy Duncan, Clayton Foster, Brettne Reed

RL Elem. Awards Third Six Weeks "A" Honor Roll

3rd grade
Brady Clawson, Kodi Drennan, Hunter Hamrick, Bailey Hooten, Ryan Hayes, Karlee Roach, Justice Saucedo, Madison Wright, Blaine Yanez

4th grade
Tristen Hildebrand, James Roberts

5th grade
Hanna Hamrick, Will Howard, Ciera Millican, Sydney Sheldon

6th grade
Drew Davis, Jordan Gartman, Justin Gartman, Cooper Hinderliter, Zachary Sanchez, Ashlie Wheat

Perfect Attendance

Pre-K
Jay Service, Steve Oleksiuk

Kindergarten
Tara McCormick, Jonathan Skipworth, Kole Leal, Desirree Roe, Jose Reyes, Bubba Bohannon, Autumn Ramon, Taylor Phillips, Jordan Phillips, Kaden Austin

1st grade
Jessica Wheat, Adam Minjarez, Daniel Mendoza, Julian Torres, Margo

Mendoza, Elana Gloria, Elexis Sanchez, William Coppedge, Kourtney Roach, Christian Hodges, Bethany Coppedge

2nd grade
Kaden Hayes, Nicole Jones, Kandace Skipworth, Casey Scruggs, Anna Huapilla, Tamara Plumley, Trace Oleksiuk, James Wyatt

3rd grade
Ricky Williams, Ryan Hayes, Justice Saucedo, Jesus Landeros, Karlee Roach, Rani Coppedge, Julia Madrid, Blaine Yanez, Madison Wright

4th grade
Jerry Wofford, James Roberts, Jaden Aldridge, Daria Tinkler

5th grade
Ashlie Tennison, Sydney Sheldon, Berenice Fabian, Kevin Saucedo, Myranda Kenny, Bianca Huapilla, Efrain Olguin, Taylor Benton

6th grade
Ashlie Wheat, Justin Gartman, Dawson Brisbin, Vincent Batten, Zach Skinner, Jordan Gartman, Beanca Bower, Zachary Sanchez, Lubbock Roe, Abigail DeLeon, Hazel Howard, Cooper Hinderliter, Sean Hildebrand

RLBC to host "Kids Korner"

Robert Lee Baptist Church will start a weekly "Kids Korner" on January 14, a children's church program during the morning worship time from 11-12 for students in Pre-K through 2nd grades.

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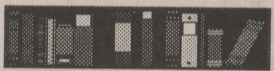
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School Menu



Breakfast

Monday, January 15
Juice, burrito, cereal, milk

Tuesday, January 16
Juice, pop tart, cereal, milk

Wednesday, January 17
Juice, donut, cereal, milk

Thursday, January 18
Juice, French toast, cereal, milk

Friday, January 19
Holiday

Lunch

Monday, January 15
BBQ wieners, mac & cheese, green beans, roll, fruit cocktail, milk

Tuesday, January 16
Chicken O's, scalloped potato, black-eyed peas, sliced bread, applesauce, graham crackers, milk

Wednesday, January 17
Fajitas, salad, Spanish rice, chili beans, banana pudding, milk

Thursday, January 18
Hamburger, tator tots, salad, pickles, pineapple, milk

Friday, January 19
Holiday

Robert Lee ISD School Board



Kevin Roe - President, Wes Washam - Vice President, Jeffie Roberts - Secretary, Tod Reed - Board Member, Buck Duncan - Board Member, Irma Torres - Board Member, Tom Sawyer - Board Member

The faculty and staff of Robert Lee ISD would like to express our appreciation to our Board of Education.

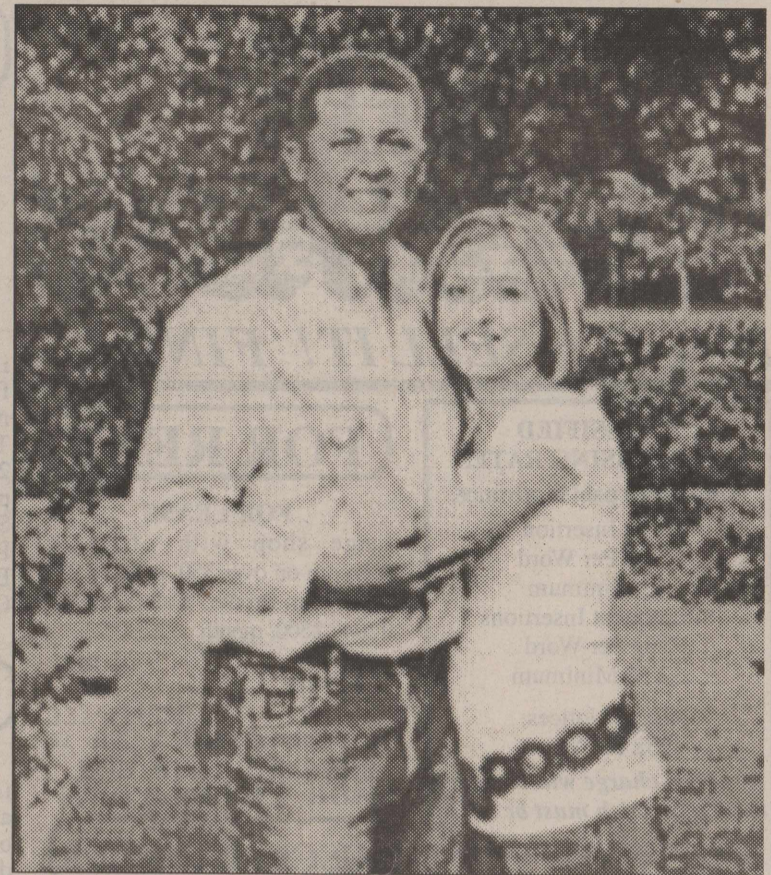
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS

Bronte High School Basketball Schedule

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|------------|---------------|-------|------|---------------------|
| January 12 | Blackwell | Here | 5:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| January 16 | Sterling City | There | 5:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| January 18 | Robert Lee | Here | 5:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| January 23 | Garden City | Here | 5:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| January 26 | Water Valley | Here | 5:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| January 30 | Blackwell | There | 4:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| February 2 | Sterling City | Here | 5:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| February 6 | Robert Lee | There | 4:00 | JV & V Girls & Boys |
| February 9 | Garden City | There | 5:00 | JV & V Boys |

Boys Coach: Rocky Rawls • Girls Coach: Justin Esquell
 Superintendent: Alan Richey • Principal: Terry Marrs
 Athletic Director: Keith McCutchen



Posey - McCorkle engagement announced! Steve and Debra Posey of Roscoe are pleased to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Stephanie Paige Posey, to Ryan Scott McCorkle, son of Scotty and Patti McCorkle of Bronte.

The bride is a 2002 graduate of Highland High School. She is a 2005 graduate of Hendrick's Respiratory Care consortium. She is currently employed at Harris Hospital in Ft. Worth.

The groom is a 2001 graduate of Bronte High School. He is a 2006 graduate of Texas Tech University and is currently employed with Shady Oaks Country Club in Ft. Worth.

A March 17, 2007, wedding is planned at Champion Baptist Church in the Champion Community.

BISD offering free passes for Senior Citizens

Bronte ISD is offering free passes for Senior Citizens 65 and over for District basketball games. Bring proof of I.D. to Superintendent's office from 8:00 am until 4:00 pm weekdays.

Bronte Shorthorn Basketball results

by Coach Moore

On January 4 in Garden City, the Shorthorn boys "A" team was defeated in a close game by Garden City 25-21. Scoring: Kerwin Rawls 2; Dakota Rawls 6; Arlis McMullan 2; Creed Coalson 5; and Heath Richey 6.

Coming off the holiday break left us lagging when we played Garden City for the 3rd time this season. Garden City came away with their 1st win against us beating us by 4 points. Although we took some good shots; we had a hard time making them count. It was a tough night for us offensively and defensively. We may get to see Garden City a 4th time this season at our next tournament and will plan on getting some redemption.

On January 8 in Water Valley, the Shorthorn boys "A" team defeated Water Valley 55-20. Scoring: Kerwin Rawls 12; Dakota Rawls 10; Chase Harris 2; Arlis McMullan 3; Terron Charles 7; Heath Richey 17; and Jake Cotter 4.

Our goal this week was to put our loss to Garden City behind us, and that's exactly what the JH boys "A" team did last night. The guys appeared to have their court feet back under them. The guys did an outstanding job both offensively and defensively and set the tone early in the game against Water Valley. We scored 20 points alone in the 1st quarter. They did a good job of transitioning defenses and adjusting to what Water Valley was doing. I'm proud of their effort last night. It was a great win! We will play Menard next Monday at home.

On January 4, in Water Valley, the Shorthorn boys "B" team was defeated by Garden City 25-17. Scoring: Johnny Reyes 5; John Deller 4; Jordan Baumann 7; and Kaleb Parks 1.

The JH boys 7th grade finally got to play another game this season. Due to other teams not having 2

teams to play against, these guys have been left without a game for most of the season. They have, however, been practicing hard with us for the past few weeks and are gaining a lot of confidence on the court. They came away a little short against Water Valley last night but left with a great deal more of court time which has given them more experience. These guys did a great job defensively last night and I'm very proud of them. They will have a tournament this weekend in Robert Lee. We're looking forward to it!

Bronte JV basketball

tournament results

On January 6, in the first game of the tournament the Bronte JV boys defeated Christoval by a score of 42-9. Scoring: Hayden White 2; Kolton Pena 4; Sam Rawlings 12; Reece Springer 6; Ernesto Casillas 2; Audi Miller 2; Ty Mackey 6; Jose Perez 1; Zack Bennett 2; Jason Horton 3; and CJ McClure 2.

In the second game, Bronte JV defeated Winters by a score of 52-23. Scoring: Hayden White 2; Sam Rawlings 15; Reece Springer 8; Rob Rosson 6; Zack Bennett 9; Jason Horton 7; and CJ McClure 5.

Bronte Elementary Awards

3rd Six Weeks Perfect Attendance

Early Childhood

Mason Aguirre, Elexia Davis, Quay Lloyd

Pre-K

Rafael Casillias, Karissa Cervenka, Cindy Gentles, Kinsey Lee

Kindergarten

Joshua Baken, Tanner Braswell, Damian Delarosa, Brooklyn Jones, Alyssa Lyon, Skyleigh Minjarez, Savina Ornelaz, Kaylee Puentez, Megan Reyes

1st grade

Perfect Attendance

Vincent Basquez, Tanner Bedford, Analyn Bohensky, Emmanuel Casillas, Darby Duncan, Melissa Perez, Nita Betts, Gabriel Navarro, Shawn Puentez, Mercedes DeLaCerde, Madie Rowan, Baily Torres, Kaily Torres, Chelsea Trussell, Maria Zamora

Met Ready Certification for Accelerated Reading Program

Darby Duncan, Joshua Fuentez, Mason Keeney, Kristen Stilley

Met Independent Reader Certification for Accelerated Reader Program

Tanner Bedford, Analyn Bohensky, Aaron Cervenka
 Met Reading Goal
 Analyn Bohensky, Sierra O'Brien, Joshua Fuentez, Aaron Cervenka, Melissa Perez, Emmanuel Casillas, Darby Duncan, Vincent Basquez, Cambrey Lange, Dristen Stilley,

Tanner Bedford, Collin Moore, Jaqui Davila, Mercedes DeLaCerde, Dayana Perez, Shawn Puentez, Madie Rowan, Baily Torres, Kaily Torres, Chelsea Trussell, Maria Zamora

Super Citizen Award

Tanner Bedford, Analyn Bohensky, Emmanuel Casillas, Cambrey Lange, Darby Duncan, Sierra O'Brien, Melissa Perez, Kristen Stilley, Miranda Tijerina, Jaqui Davila, Mercedes DeLaCerde, Shawn Puentez, Baily Torres, Kaily Torres, Maria Zamora

2nd grade

Super Longhorn

Whitney Boyd, Hannah Brackeen, Ismael Cecilio, Jessie Ehl, Justin Reed, Alejandro Rosales, Sarah Stevens-Smith, Emily Whitehurst

Met A/R Reading Goal

Kayla Arthur, Reighlyn Baken, Emily Barnett, Brittany Bedford, Whitney Boyd, Hannah Brackeen, Ismael Cecilio, Harley Cerda, Jessie Ehl, Evan Ferguson, Ryan Jones, Carson Kelso, Destiny Lyon, Tristin Minjarez, Darin Munsey, Diego Perez, Justin Reed, Katlyn Reeves, Alejandro Rosales, Sarah Stevens-Smith, Tristan Sullivan, Emily Whitehurst

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School Menu

Breakfast

Monday, January 15

Cereal, mixed fruit, toast, jelly, milk

Tuesday, January 16

Sausage, assorted juice, biscuit, jelly, milk

Wednesday, January 17

Donut, assorted juice, toast, jelly, milk

Thursday, January 18

Breakfast pizza, assorted juice, milk

Friday, January 19

Holiday, Coke County Stock Show

Lunch

Monday, January 15

Chicken fajitas, refried beans, corn, orange smiles, flour tortilla, chocolate pudding, milk

Tuesday, January 16

Pigs in a blanket, baked beans, tator tots, assorted fruit, milk

Wednesday, January 17

Beef and bean chalupas with cheese, Spanish rice, lettuce & tomato, rosie applesauce, tostito chips, milk

Thursday, January 18

Sub sandwich, ham & cheese, lettuce, tomato, pickle, baby carrots with ranch, chips, brownies, milk

Friday, January 19

Holiday, Coke County Stock Show

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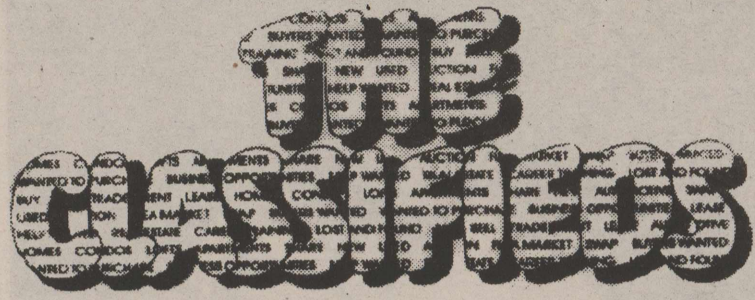
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Cookie, Sid, Molly & Jeremy
John, Lynn & Kyle
Wilson, Richard & Terry
And families

NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Coke County Commissioners Court is taking applications for a Park Caretaker in Bronte, Texas. The job is a 40-hour workweek with insurance and retirement. This job will consist of taking care of the Senior Centers, upkeep in park, baseball fields, and swimming pool. Applications are available in the Coke County Judge's office and must be returned by 9:00 am on Monday, February 5, 2007. For additional information,

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Contract 6157-27-001 for REST AREA TOTAL MAINTENANCE, OPERATION AND REPAIR in EL PASO County, etc will be opened on February 09, 2007 at 1:00 pm at the State Office for an estimate of \$4,608,000.00.

All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bid conference for Contract 6157-27-001 to be held on January 30, 2007 at 2:00 pm at the 150 EAST RIVERSIDE DR, 1ST FLOOR, VTR BOARD MEETING ROOM.

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 Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable,

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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.

County lifts burn ban

On January 8th, 2007, the Coke County Commissioner's Court lifted the county wide burn ban. Due to recent rains the Commissioners Court feels that the burn ban could be lifted at this time. However, the court is asking everyone to take extreme precaution while burning.

If you are doing a control burn, please call the Sheriff's office at 453-2717, the Robert Lee Care Center at 453-2511 and the local fire department to let them be aware that you will be burning.

If the rains do not continue and drought conditions worsen then the burn ban will be placed back in effect. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call your County Commissioner or the County Judge.

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...BISD Awards

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"A" Honor Roll

Emily Barnett, Brittany Bedford, Whitney Boyd, Hannah Brackeen, Jessie Ehl, Katlyn Reeves, Emily Whitehurst, Alejandro Rosales, Sarah Stevens-Smith

"A/B" Honor Roll

Reighlyn Baken, Harley Cerda, Evan Ferguson, Ryan Jones, Carson Kelso, Destiny Lyon, Justin Reed, Chase Wynne

Perfect Attendance

Emily Barnett, Brittany Bedford, Whitney Boyd, Hannah Brackeen, Ismael Cecilio, Evan Ferguson, Ryan Jones, Darin Munsey, Justin Reed, Tristan Sullivan, Sarah Stevens-Smith, Emily Whitehurst

3rd grade-Mrs. Wilson

Met A/R Reading Goal

Kevin Charles, Jerica Davis, Chris James, Tucker McMullan, Kellie Thorn, Katelynn Tijerina, Cami White

"A" Honor Roll

Chris James

"A/B" Honor Roll

Kellie Thorn, Jerica Davis

Super Longhorn Citizen

Jerica Davis, Chris James, Kellie Thorn

Perfect Attendance

Kevin Charles, Christian Davila, Anastasia Headley, Kellie Thorn, Cami White

3rd grade-Mrs. Lloyd's

AR Reading Goal

Bree Bailey, Ashlee Irwin, Ean Ward, Jayden Baumann, Cambri Kelso, Hailey Bennett, Kyler Richards

"A" Honor Roll

Bree Bailey, Cambri Kelso, Ean Ward

"A/B" Honor Roll

Jayden Baumann, Hailey Bennett, Ashlee Irwin, Kyler Richards, Sarah Sanchez

Super Citizens

Bree Bailey, Kyler Richards, Sarah Sanchez, Ean Ward

Perfect Attendance

Bree Bailey, Ashley Betts, Ashlee Irwin, Cambri Kelso, Isaiah Ornelaz, Austin Parker, Kyler Richards, Sarah Sanchez, Ean Ward

4th grade-Shaye Coalson

Perfect Attendance

Jessica Arthur, Amber Betts, Crystal Bilbrey, Charissa Caston, Stacia Emfinger, Kolby Lee, Edward McVey, Josh Puentez, Dakota Pullen, Jensen Reed, Addie Rosson

"A/B" Honor Roll

Jessica Arthur, Crystal Bilbrey, Charissa Caston, Stacia Emfinger, Jensen Reed, Addie Rosson

Met AR Reading Goal

Jensen Reed, Addie Rosson

4th grade-Mrs. Bearden's

"A" Honor Roll

Marley Braswell, Caleb Byars

"A/B" Honor Roll

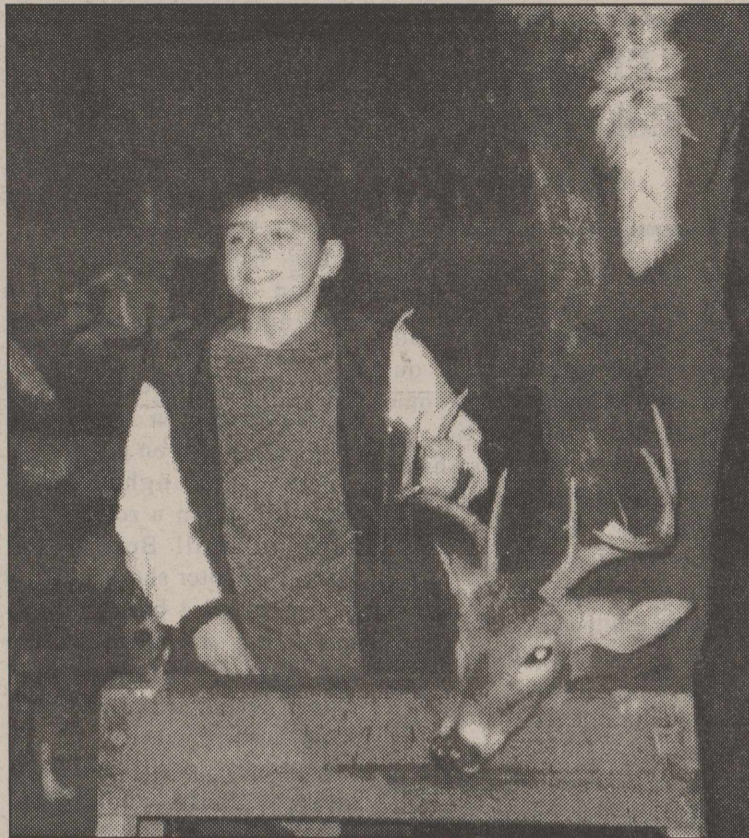
Dakota Arthur, Maria Franco, Kourtney Kelton, Joshua Means, Alondra Perez, Moriah Royall

Perfect Attendance

Savannah Arthur, Maria Franco, Alondra Perez, Jacob Baken, Kourtney Kelton, Moriah Royall, Marley



Grandsons get bucks! Proud grandpa, Harrell Foshee, had the pleasure of being with his grandsons when they got their nice bucks this year. Luke Thurman (left photo), of Robert Lee, bagged a very nice 9-point and Kyle Foshee (right photo), of Odessa, earned his first buck, a good 8-point. They were hunting east of Bronte.



Braswell, Oscar Pena, Jared Scott

Met A/R Goal

Maria Franco, Caleb Byars
5th grade

"A" Honor Roll

Ty Lee, Megan Yackley

"A/B" Honor Roll

Tammie Halfacer, Mason Stevens-Smith, Courtney Wyatt

Perfect Attendance

Lauren Allen, Fred Arthur, Stetsen Emfinger, Reagen Harris, Coby Malone, John Moore, Shanyia Parker, Mizael Perez, Mason Stevens-Smith, Courtney Wyatt, Megan Yackley

6th grade

"A" Honor Roll

Jael Williams

"A/B" Honor Roll

Brooke Bedford, Kaitlyn Braswell, Carson James, Erika Puentez, Caleb Rosson

Students who met AR Reading Goal

Grady Barnett, Brooke Bedford, Kaitlyn Braswell, John Eiland, Carson James, Brayde Knight, Erika Puentez, Michelle Rhodes, Jael Williams

Perfect Attendance

Brooke Bedford, Kaitlyn Braswell, Thoren Charles, John Eiland, Randon

Eubanks, Mason Hoyt, Carson James, Kyle Kelton, Caleb Rosson, Paige Royall, Ethan Sedden, Zachary Taylor, Kimberly Wheless, Jael Williams

Coke County Park Upgrade scheduled

The Robert Lee Economic Development Corporation B, Coke County and the City of Robert Lee will join forces to fast-forward plans to upgrade the Coke County Park in Robert Lee.

With the expected influx of workers on the wind turbines coming into the area, the park will be made ready to accommodate some 15 trailer hook ups and a bathroom to replace the old cinderblock one just outside the amphitheater grounds. These upgrades had already been discussed in plans to prepare the amphitheater to accommodate blue grass and other musical events. The plans have been combined in light of the expected increased revenue from employees of the wind turbine companies.

The RLEDC 4-B has dedicated \$30,000 to the project as it will not only bring

revenue during the construction of the wind turbines, but will be a lasting improvement for amphitheater productions, baseball tournaments, and reunions. A public hearing will be held to take input from the citizens of the county.



Look Who's New!

Kaylee Renee Pentecost

The baby girl pictured with Santa at Fort Chadbourne on the front page of the December 22 issue of the Observer/Enterprise is Kaylee Renee Pentecost. She is the daughter of Mike and Susan Pentecost of Ozona. Kaylee was born on December 1, 2006, at 3:54 pm at Angelo Community Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs., 3 oz. and was 19 inches long. Proud grandparents are James and Kathy Pentecost of Robert Lee and Charlie and Brenda Seidensticker of Comfort. Kaylee's great-grandmothers are Cora

Kremel and Elizabeth Seidensticker of Comfort.



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Library**

Among all the resolutions for the new year, the Coke County Library invites readers to come in and try out some of the newest, and some of the oldest, possibilities.

Several reading lists shared by other libraries include such listings as: Gentle Romance Authors which includes such authors as Faith Baldwin, Jo Beverly Philippa Carr, Georgette Heyer, Victoria Holt, Susan Howatch, Norah Lofts, Rosamond Pilcher, and Phyllis Whitney.

Also, the Historical Romance list includes such authors as Jane Feather, Julie Garwood, Teresa Medeiros, Susan Wiggs, Mary Jo Putney, Heather Graham and Amanda Quick.

There is also a list called Romances for Those Who Despise Romances and includes such authors as J.D. Robb, Jennifer Cruise, Susan Elizabeth Phillips, Carl Hiassen, Nora Roberts, Kristin Hannah, Belva Plain and Maeve Binchy.

A Seriously Humorous Mysteries list includes M.C. Beaton, Jill Churchill, Sharyn McCrumb, and Robert Bernard. Science Fiction Titles: For Those Who Think They Don't Like Science Fiction includes the following authors: Douglas Adams, Orson Card, Neil Gaiman, Robert Heinlein, and Ursula Le Guin.

The Western Historical Fiction list includes Isabelle Allende, Mike Blakely, Willa Cather, A. B. Guthrie, Terry C. Johnston, Larry McMurtry, Elmer Kelton, and Loren Estlemen.

Several other lists are available online and at the library. Just look at Book Lists on Google or Yahoo.

Red Canyon Gun Club results

On Saturday, January 6, after an absence of 2 years from competitive shooting, Red Canyon Gun Club held their first silhouette pistol and rifle match of the 2007 year. There were 18 shooters competing from as far away as Durango, Colorado, and Aztec, New Mexico.

It was a day of old friends getting together to visit and shoot against each other for over 20 years. Scores were very close from master class down to class A.

Match results were:

Small Bore Hunter pistol - 1st) Tim Willingham, Carlsbad, Texas; 2nd) Richard Johnson, Robert Lee; 3rd) "Spud" Green, Aztec, New Mexico.

Big Bore hunter pistol - 1st) Richard Johnson, Robert Lee; 2nd) Doug Randel, Big Spring; 3rd) Ed Miller, Kerrville.

Small Bore scoped rifle - 1st) Doug Randel; 2nd) Jim Horn, Carlsbad, Texas; 3rd) Marshall

Bevan, Carlsbad, Texas.

Smallbore Cowboy lever action rifle - 1st) Marshall Bevan; 2nd) Harvey Green, Durango, Colorado; 3rd) Leo Turner, Water Valley.

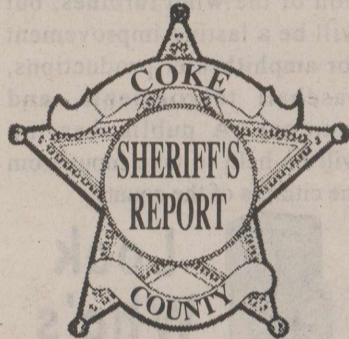
Big Bore Cowboy lever action rifle - 1st) Tim Willingham; 2nd) Jim Horn; 3rd) Les Turner.

Linda Randel earned a 10 in a row pin in open sight Big Bore pistol on pigs.

Tim Willingham also earned a 10 in a row pin on pigs in Small Bore pistol. After a shooter shoots a 10 in a row on all 4 banks of animals they are awarded the prestigious "grand slam" award from the National Rifle Assn.

Red Canyon will hold silhouette Rifle and Pistol matches on the first Saturday of every month for the rest of the year.

For more information, contact Richard Johnson, Club President and match director.



**Arrest/Charges
Filed**

December 2006

McMullan, Lyndan - 18, Possession of Marijuana <2oz, 12-8-06;

Lopez, Gabriel - 21, Driving While License Invalid, 12-9-06;

Henrickson, Christopher - 22, Out of County Warrant, 12-9-06;

Arredondo, Kevin - 21, Possession of Marijuana <2oz, 12-10-06;

Denton, Willy - 31, Burglary of a Habitation, 12-15-06;

Baker, Deborah - 47, Burglary of a Habitation, 12-15-06;

Davis, Glen - 54, Driving While Intoxicated, 12-16-06;

Flores, Martin - 42, Driving While Intoxicated, 12-22-06;

Chavez, Juan - 33, Driving While License Invalid, 12-25-06;

George, Jeffrey Michael Jr - 23, Driving While License Invalid, 12-31-06;

Martinez, Travis - 36, Driving While License Invalid, 12-31-06.

**County Court
Dispositions
12-4-06**

The State of Texas vs. Jaylon Saunders, Charge: Criminal Trespass, Plea: One Year Pre Trial Intervention;

The State of Texas vs. Garrett Acker, Charge: Criminal Trespass, Plea: One Year Pre Trial Intervention.

**County Court
Dispositions
12-13-06**

The State of Texas vs. Larry Blackwell, Charge:



Second Place! Will Howard's soccer team, the "Celtics" placed second in the older 12 year old division in Midland recently.

DWI, Plea: One Year Pre-trial Intervention;

The State of Texas vs. Tyler Frey, Charge:

Purchase/Furnish Alcohol to a Minor, Plea: Six Month Pre-trial Intervention;

The State of Texas vs. Mariah Feemster, Charge: DWI, Plea: One Year Pre-trial Intervention;

The State of Texas vs. Ashlee Aguirre, Charge: Possession of Marijuana <2oz, Plea: 12 Months Deferred Adjudication, Fine \$300.00, Court Cost \$249.00, Restitution to DPS \$140.00, Community Service 24 Hours;

The State of Texas vs. Robert Debbrecht, Charge: Driving While License Suspended, Plea: Fine \$300.00, Court Cost \$224.00;

The State of Texas vs. Randle Hambright, Charge: Resisting Arrest Search or Transport, Plea: 30 Days Jail Credit, Court Cost \$74.00;

The State of Texas vs. Randle Hambright, Charge: Silent/Abusive Call to 911, Plea: 30 Days Jail, Credit Court Cost \$74.00;

The State of Texas vs. Sergio Rocha, Charge: Criminal Mischief, Plea: Fine \$100.00 Court Cost \$284.00, Restitution \$415.00.

**District Court
Dispositions
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The State of Texas vs. Favian Minjarez, Charge: DWI 3rd or More, Plea: Six Years Probated Six Years, Fine \$1500.00;

The State of Texas vs. Daniel Gonzales, Charge: Injury to the Elderly, Plea: 7 Years Probated 7 Years, Fine \$1500.00.

**Girl Scouts
kick off annual
cookie sale**

For more than 80 years, the Girl Scouts have been raising money to fund troop activities by selling cookies-an experience that helps girls build strong skills, values and friendships. This year is no different, with Saturday, January 6th, marked the kick-off of the Annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale, one of America's favorite and eagerly anticipated events. The Girl Scouts are offer-

ing everyone's favorites: Thin mints (mint chocolate cookie coated in chocolate), Samoas (caramel and toasted coconut). All Abouts (shortbread with a rich fudge coating on the bottom), Tagalongs (layered peanut butter and chocolate), Do-sidos (oatmeal cookies with peanut butter filling), Trefoils (shortbread) and Cafe Cookie (gourmet style cookie), as well as our latest addition, the Little Brownie (bite-sized chewy chocolate sugar free treat). You won't believe this luscious, chewy treat is sugar free!

The cookie program is fun for everyone; girls enjoy the experience and consumers love the cookies. But like most things in the Girl Scout program, the benefit to girls is that selling cookies is a skill-building exercise. Taking orders, handling money, tallying sales and distributing orders helps teach and reinforce money management, decision-making and goal setting. For

many girls, it's a first time experience with such disciplines.

The Council's annual cookie program makes girls mini business owners, and that fosters business and entrepreneurial development," said Becky Burton, Executive Director/CEO of Caprock Girl Scout Council. "After years and years, the cookie program proves to be an excellent primer for business and financial skills girls need to develop in order to become more competitive in the workplace."

Over 4,000 Girl Scouts for the Caprock Council's thirty-one-county area are selling cookies now through March 4th. All cookies are priced at \$3.00 per package, with all proceeds benefiting local Girl Scouts. Cookies may be ordered via fax (806-748-0769) or phone (806-745-2855). Proceeds benefit individual troop programs and Council initiatives.

For more information, contact Girl Scouts of Caprock Council at 806-745-2855.

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