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Local elections set for tomorrow, May 10

Several local taxing entities will be conducting elections tomorrow, May 10, to determine who will serve in leadership capacities for our schools and cities. Each election or cancellation of election is discussed below:

The Bronte Independent School District has five candidates who have filed for 2 positions on the board of trustees. Incumbents Kendall Gibbs and Scott Frasier will be joined on the ballot by Shane Kelton, David McWright, and Paul Williams. Early voting will be conducted at the school from April 28 through May 6, with election day voting to be held at City Hall on May 10.

The Robert Lee Independent School District has two open 3-year terms on their board of trustees. Incumbents Jeffie Roberts and Irma Torres have filed for these two positions. RLISD will also have a 1-year unexpired term on the ballot. Brandi Brosh has filed for this trustee position. In years past, with no contested spots on the RLISD school board, the election may have been cancelled. However, the RLISD ballot contains a bond election issue on this year's ballot. By law, the trustee election cannot be cancelled due to the bond proposal on the ballot.

The bond proposal on this year's ballot involves two propositions: 1. (for or against) The issuance of \$15,000,000 of bonds for Robert Lee Independent School District and levying the tax in payment thereof. 2. (for or against) Maintenance tax as limited by Chapter 45 of the Texas Education Code.

Early voting will be the same dates as the BISSD election, and election day is also the same (May 10). All early and election day voting will be held at the courthouse in this election.

Incumbent Joe White will be joined on the ballot by Richard Cantrell for a 2-year term as mayor on the City of

Robert Lee ballot. In addition, incumbent Bonita Carrite, Trey Sawyer, and John Jacobs will be vying for two positions on the city council, with both being 2-year terms.

Early and election day voting in the city election will be the same as for the RLISD board of trustees election.

In the Bronte City Council election, Alvin Jones, Jim Guthrie, and Buzz Gohman have filed for three spots on the city council for 2-year terms. Gerald Sandusky has also filed for re-election for mayor. There are no contested positions for the City of Bronte election and the election is cancelled.

The East Coke County Hospital District has three board members who have filed for three 2-year terms. They are Alonzo Robbins, Garry Bivins, and Lee Wommack. According to Administrator Pat Young, that election has been cancelled due to no contested races.

The West Coke County Hospital District has three filings for three 2-year positions on the board. They are Pat Stephens, Mike Lomas, and Marilyn White. Since there are no contested positions, the WCCHD Board has voted to cancel their election.

Bake Sale for RLIVFD

There will be a Bake Sale on May 10 at 9 am at Super H in Robert Lee. The RL Fire Dept. will receive matching funds from Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. They need the community's support to make this a success and help the Fire Dept. replace some of the equipment lost in the recent fires.

Concho Diagnostics to hold screenings

Concho Diagnostics will be at the Robert Lee State Bank on Friday, May 9. Schedule your vascular screenings today, don't become a statistic! Three simple, painless screenings that



Washington, D.C.! Bobby (far right) and Jeffie Roberts traveled to Washington, D.C., on April 3, representing Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau, for the 2008 National Affairs Awards Trip. They were among 165 Farm Bureau leaders who helped to voice their concerns to legislative leaders. Bobby and Jeffie were able to visit with Congressman Mike Conaway (second from right) and Scott Graves (far left), Congressman Conaway's legislative director. Scott is the son of Jerry and Susan Graves of Bronte.

could save your life or the life of a loved one. All procedures performed by a registered vascular technician and read by area cardiologists. All procedures placed on CD (MPEG) for viewing and written results mailed to your home within 48 hours. All three tests only take 30 minutes. Call 653-3000 or 1-888-245-7605 to schedule your appointment.

Mother's Day Bake Sale set for May 9

The annual Mother's Day Bake Sale will be held on Friday, May 9, at the Robert Lee State Bank, starting at 9 am. Proceeds will benefit the Relay for Life, Robert Lee Friends for a Cure team. There will be all kinds of homemade goodies including casseroles, hot rolls, cakes, pies, etc.

Give mom a break from cooking and benefit the Relay for Life at the same time! For more information, contact DeeAnna Harmon, 453-2804.

Inmates to work at Bronte

The City of Bronte will have an inmate crew working in the City, May 12 through May 15. The inmates will be working at the cemetery and other locations in the City.

Anyone wishing to donate Cokes, Dr. Peppers, or Pepsi can bring them by City Hall. The work done by the

inmates is a great benefit to the community and is greatly appreciated.

Extension to Host Brush Management meeting, May 13

The Coke County AgriLife Extension office will hold an educational meeting on Tuesday, May 13, beginning at 7:30 pm at the Robert Lee Rec Hall. Pedro Carlucci, Dow Chemical rep will give information on the brush control products and procedures that Dow has. They have several new formulations that have proven to be very effective and easier to use for brush control of various species. They will be discussing these new chemicals along with the old standby chemicals that are still very effective, proper mixing and proper procedure for application.

One hour of CEU's for Pesticide License renewal will be given and there will be a small fee required to attend.

BHRC Auxiliary to hold meeting

Bronte Health and Rehab Center Auxiliary will meet at 1 pm on Thursday, May 15, in the BHRC living room. This is the last meeting before the Spring Dance and the July 4th Celebration and Auction; so there will be lots of planning to do. New

members and ideas are always appreciated. Lunch will be served for a nominal fee. Please contact Janet Wommack at 473-5388 for more information.

Graduation issues set for May 23 & 30

The Observer/Enterprise will publish the special Senior Class editions May 23 and 30. These issues rotate each year between the final two Fridays in May; so that the entire paper may be devoted to each graduating class. This year's issue honoring the Bronte Class of 2008 will be May 23, with the issue honoring the Robert Lee Class of 2008 set for May 30.

In the near future, representatives from our office will be calling on local businesses and individuals to sponsor these seniors in their special edition. If you would like to sponsor that special graduate in either class, please contact our office at 453-2433.

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Cooking Crew! Joe White (from left to right), Paul Burns and Sid Burns were honored by the Bronte Chamber of Commerce for their many years of providing the excellent meal for their annual banquet. Presenting their award is Susan Williams.

Obituaries

Sissom

Nettie Virginia Sissom, 84, went to be with her Lord on Saturday, May 3, 2008.

Virginia, a long time resident of Bronte, was the widow of M.C. "Sam" Sissom and mother to Diane Barton of Little Elm and Ray and Barbara Sissom of Dublin. She was also proud grandmother to Jim, Trish, Mike, Beth and Chad and great-grandmother of three.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sam; an infant daughter, Glenda; and her three sisters, Birdie Mote, Ida Oden and Josie Craig, all of Blackwell.

Virginia at various times in her life worked for Dry's Manufacturing, ran a café and operated a laundry. She was known as "Mom", advisor and confidant to scores of people, including her beloved church family at Bronte Church of Christ. Her indomitable spirit, her steadfast faith and her willing heart and hands drew many to her. She will be missed.

Funeral services were held at 10 am, Wednesday, May 7, 2008, at the Bronte Church of Christ. Burial followed in the Blackwell Cemetery. Services were under direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

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Death Notices

Frank

Velma Barnett Story Frank died Saturday, April 26, 2008, in Panhandle, Texas.

Services were held at 2 pm, Monday, April 28, 2008, at First United Methodist Church in Panhandle. Reverend Bud Tidwell, minister, officiated. Burial was at 4 pm, at Llano Cemetery in Amarillo, Texas. Arrangements were by Boxwell Brothers Funeral Directors.

Velma was preceded in death by both husbands, an infant grandson, Ernest Nabors, a granddaughter, Debbie Story in 1998, and her son, Wesley Story in

2004; five brothers, two of which were infants, and four sisters.

Velma is survived by two daughters, Dorris and husband Carl Foster of Panhandle and Twilla Story of Woodward, Okla.; three sisters; Lona Fithen of Washburn, Lena Triplett and husband Tommy of Amarillo, Elsie Hill and husband Cecil of Amarillo; 13 grandchildren and 11 great-great grandchildren; many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

DeVoll

Steve DeVoll left this earth on April 30, 2008, at the age of 95. The services were held at 2 pm on Friday, May 2, 2008, at Carmichael-Whatley Colonial Chapel in Amarillo, Texas; with Carl Hamilton and Westin Price officiating. Burial followed at Memorial Gardens Cemetery under the direction of Carmichael-Whatley Funeral Directors.

Steve was survived by three daughters: Nina Kempf and Martha Sluder, both of Pampa, and Karen DeVoll of Tampa, Florida; three sons: Roland DeVoll of Palmdale, California; Eddie DeVoll of Sunnyvale, and Bill Rice DeVoll of Pampa; one sister: Zulla Taylor of Hobbs, New Mexico; one brother: Jody DeVoll of Lovington, New Mexico; 11 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren. His parents and a son, Wayne DeVoll in 1995, preceded Steve in death.

Relay for Life Spaghetti Lunch slated

A Spaghetti Lunch to benefit Coke County Relay for Life has been set for Thursday, May 15. Each plate of spaghetti will be sold for a small donation. Place your orders by May 9. Plates can be picked up at Rock Solid Communications, 803 Austin, Robert Lee. Orders of five plates of more will be delivered. For more information contact Judy

Blair at 453-2380.

RLBC Youth Benefit 4-Person Golf Tourney slated

Robert Lee Baptist Church will sponsor a Youth Benefit 4-Person Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 21, 2008, at Mountain Creek Golf Club in Robert Lee. The tournament will be eighteen holes with an A-B-C-D Scramble Format. Bring your own team for a 9 am tee time.

All proceeds will benefit the Robert Lee Baptist Church Youth Camp. For more information or to register, contact Ryan Reed at 453-2724.

Singing Winds to host golf tourney

There will be a 27 hole, 2 person select shot golf tournament on May 17, at the Singing Winds Golf Course in Bronte. For more information, call (325) 473-2156.

Robert Lee City-Wide

Spring Cleanup

The City-wide Spring Cleanup event is scheduled for Saturday, May 17 and May 24. The event is sponsored by the City of Robert Lee and Trashaway Services.

This free service is offered to the residents and business owners of the City and is an opportunity to get rid of clutter and unwanted items.

There will be no curbside service. Roll-off dumpsters will be located at the County Precinct 3 Yard located on Coke Street between E. 6th and 7th Street. This location will be open from 7:30 am to 12 noon.

Items that will be accepted are appliances, household and yard items. Absolutely NO tires, batteries,

household trash, wet paint or chemicals. Appliances must have refrigerant removed.

Brush, tree limbs and wood material need to go to the landfill. Take advantage of the FREE disposal offered at the City Landfill during this clean-up event. The Landfill will be open from 9 am - 12 noon.

For more information residents are encouraged to call City Hall at 453-2831.

Historical Commission to meet

The Coke County Historical Commission will meet Monday, May 19 at 3 pm in the Commissioners Courtroom at the Coke County Courthouse.

This is the second organizational meeting and the public is invited to attend. A historic interpretational reading, discussion of membership, fundraising, the newspaper project are items on the agenda.

The commissioners and anyone interested in the

historical preservation of Coke County sites and buildings is encouraged to attend the meeting on Monday, May 19.

Tennyson Reunion slated for May 17

All persons who have lived or had family members who have lived in or around Tennyson Community are invited to meet on May 17, 2008.

Starting at 10 am until everyone goes home. Lunch will be served at 12:30 pm to 2 pm and the auction will follow a short business meeting.

Bring your stories to share and let's have a good day.

Congressman Conaway's Rep. to be in county

On Monday, May 19, 2008, from 10:30 am - 12 noon in the City Council Room at City Hall in Bronte, constituents in District 11 will have the opportunity to visit with, Joanne Powell, the San Angelo Regional Office Director for Congressman Mike Conaway, to ask questions, share concerns, and request services.

Area Churches

Invite You to Worship

Bronte Church of Christ
 PO Box 346 • 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte
 (325) 473-3291

Preacher John V. Driggers
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

Central Baptist Church
 324 S. Franklin • Bronte
 (325) 473-4811

Dale Patterson, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm Worship

Wed. 6 pm
Emmanuel Pentecostal
 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy
 Robert Lee

(325) 453-2360
 Rev. Ray Aldridge, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

First Baptist Church
 424 S. Washington • Bronte
 (325) 473-2331

Bro. Morris Johnson, Pastor
 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,
 10:55 am Worship,
 6 pm Youth
 and Worship

Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting
First United Methodist Church
 Corner of Washington & Holmes
 Bronte

(325) 473-3281
 Rev. David Bailey, Pastor
 Sun. 10:00 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship
 5:00 Youth

First United Methodist Church
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee

(325) 453-2417
 Rev. George Bradley, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 10:50 am Worship
 Wed. 6 pm Choir

Iglesia Bautista Bethel
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 (325) 453-5003 • 453-2296

Pastor: Basilio Esquivel
 Sun. 9:45, 11:00, & 11:30 am
 & 6 pm, Wednesday 7 pm

St. James Catholic Church
 215 N. Washington, Bronte
 (325) 365-2687

Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sun. 5 pm

Southside Church of Christ
 PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2176

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

Wed. 7 pm, Worship
Northside Church of Christ
 PO Box 508 • 9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee

(325) 655-9784 or 453-2685
 Portis Ribble, Minister
 Services: Sun. 10 am & 1:30 pm;
 Wed. 6 pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee
 (325) 365-2687

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

Pecan Baptist
 PO Box 542 • 12 miles West of
 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy
 (325) 453-2482

Jim Dominey, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

Robert Lee Baptist Church
 PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th
 (325) 453-2724

Jason Martin, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm, Worship

Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting
Tennyson Baptist Church
 Hwy 277 • Tennyson

Joe Hodges, Pastor
 (325) 473-2040
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship

Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting
Victory Assembly of God
 PO Box 638 • 6th & Houston
 Robert Lee

(325) 453-2208
 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship

Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

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Emergency Conservation Program deadline set for May 15

Due to the recent wildfires, Coke and Sterling Counties have been approved to take applications for assistance to replace or restore fences damaged by the fires under the Emergency Conservation Program. At this time there has been no money allocated by Washington for the program, however we encourage producers to apply for assistance. In order to receive any assistance if it becomes available, you must have your application completed with our office prior to beginning any repairs. Our office will have to make an inspection to determine the amount of loss. Cost shares are authorized for cross fences, boundary fences, and gates. If you have sustained damage to fences from the recent wildfires, we encourage you to call the office in Robert Lee at (325) 453-2751 to make an appointment to sign up for assistance. The final date to file an application is May 15, 2008.

Joe Torres Memorial Golf Tournery slated

The First Annual Joe Torres Memorial Golf Tournery is set for June 7-8 at Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee. Tournament Chairman Gilbert Torres said that this tournament is in honor of Joe "Uncle Joe" Torres who passed away peacefully six months ago. Joe served the community for 18 years working for the City of Robert Lee. He was a great friend; brother, son and uncle, but he was a wonderful father. Joe's legacy is carried on through his daughter, Ashley Torres and sons, Garrett and Jayton Torres. If anything could be said about Uncle Joe was that he didn't say I love you that much, but he spent his life showing how much he loved you. Gilbert would like to take this time say we love you Uncle Joe and God Bless You. Thank you for showing us how to give even if you have nothing to give.

All proceeds will benefit Joe's boys, Garrett and Jayton, so they may have a chance at a brighter education and future.

The tournament format will be a 4-person scramble beginning Saturday, June 7 at 8 am, with a shotgun start. Entry fees are \$60 per person and includes lunch and dinner on Saturday. Sponsorships are available and donations are appreciated and are tax deductible with written receipts issued. Title Sponsors are \$500 and above and Major Sponsors are \$250 and above. There are Hole Sponsors available \$50 and

above and for those who would like to donate door prizes it would be appreciated. All checks should be made payable to the "Joe Torres Memorial".

If you like to play golf come join in the fun and if you don't play come be a part of the tournament anyway.

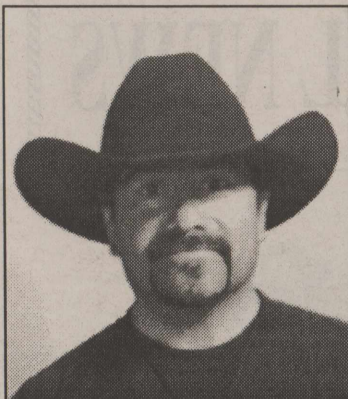
Early Entry fees and donations are appreciated. There will be cash prizes, prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd places and scores will be flighted, featuring closest to the pin, longest drive and door prizes.

Tournament Committee includes chairman Gilbert and Tina Torres, Ashley Torres, Eric and Lynlee Torres, Jonathan Torres, Bobby Joe Longoria, Salomon Saucedo, Omar Saucedo, Counselor Gina Williams, Johnny and Kay Torres, Richie and Dora Baines, Joe and Rosa Longoria, Saul and Yolanda Saucedo, Julian and Esela Torres, Julian and Juanita Torres, Efrain and Mary Lou Garcia, Lewis and Maria Samaniego, Lewis and Stephanie Samaniego, Harvey and Julie Rangel and The Torres Family.

For more Information contact Gilbert Torres at (325) 260-8808 or The Club House at (325) 453-2317. Hope to see ya'll out there.

Relay for Life slated for June 6-7

The Coke County Relay will be June 6 and 7. The theme for this year will be Celebrate, Remember, Fight Back. The Relay will kick off at 7 pm with the Survivor Lap, followed by the Caregiver Lap. If you are a Survivor (anyone who has had or is battling cancer of any kind), we are asking that you be there by 6:30 pm to register and complete a form.



Joe Torres

Also if you did not participate last year, please call Glenda Draper, 473-2050, or Rhonda Hood, 453-2065, and give us your name and T-shirt size.

Everyone will want to come out and join their neighbors in this fun-filled evening to help raise money to fight back against cancer.

Why do we Relay? One in three people will be diagnosed with cancer during their lifetime. The funds raised at Relay save lives by funding cutting-edge cancer research, early detection and prevention education, advocacy efforts and life-affirming patient services. This happens only because of your involvement.

A very special and meaningful Luminaria Service to Honor and Remember those who have had cancer or who have lost their battle will be held around 10 pm in the evening. Forms to purchase luminaria can be obtained from Dian Coulter (325/743-2038) or at various locations in Bronte and Robert Lee. Watch for more newspaper articles and posters around town!

Deadline is Tuesday at 2 pm

City-Wide Cleanup

for City of Robert Lee Residents

Location:

County Precinct 3 Yard

Coke Street (between E. 6th & 7th Street)

Saturday, May 17

& Saturday, May 24

7:30 am - 12 noon

- Free disposal of appliances and unwanted household and yard items
- Refrigerant must be removed from appliances
- Absolutely no household trash, tires, batteries, wet paint or chemicals
- Absolutely no brush and lumber material

Free Disposal at the

City Landfill

9 am - 12 noon

Contact City Hall at 453-2831 for more information

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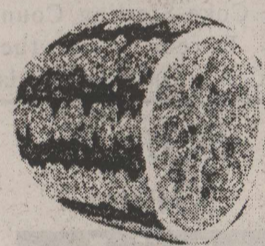
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS



Earth Day! Robert Lee second graders helped to make their community a cleaner place to live. On Earth Day, April 22, the students in Mrs. Gartman's and Mrs. Byrne's classes participated in a Trash Scavenger Hunt. They were proud to do their part in keeping their environment clean.

RL Sports Banquet set for May 15

The Robert Lee Sports Banquet is set for Thursday, May 15 at 7 pm in the Robert Lee High School Cafeteria. A meal will be catered by Kenny Blanek. There will be a limited amount of tickets at the door but it is strongly encouraged to order tickets through the RLHS office (453-4555) by Thursday, May 8.

Farm Bureau hosts Ag Day students

The Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau held their annual Ag Day Wednesday,

March 26, 2008, at the county show barn in Robert Lee. The fourth grade students and teachers, Denise Roberts, Michele Bearden, Christy Bearden, and bus drivers, Philip Ratliff and Chris Bearden from Bronte, Robert Lee and Sterling City attended. These 60 learned how much agriculture affects everyone's lives each day.

Sutton Page, Field Representative for District 6, taught from the Mobile Learning Barn by telling and showing the by-products produced from farm animals, grain, cotton, corn, and other agriculture products.

Blake Millican, assisted by Natalie Clawson, brought a calf for the children to see; John Stephens his farm equipment; Joe Harmon brought his horse, two ewes and one baby lamb. Joe also demonstrated a sonogram on a ewe which was to give birth to a lamb soon. The group watched this on a computer screen. Bobby and Jeffie Roberts brought butter making ingredients, early day churns, milk cans, butter mold, crock jars, wooden bowl and spoons and cow bells. Each one present was served homemade butter on crackers. Kacee Roberts assisted her grandparents in churning butter earlier for display.

Alonzo Robbins, director and Coke-Sterling Farm

Bureau insurance agent Russell Davis were present to assist with the demonstrations. Visitors present were Natalie Clawson, Ronnie Clawson, Jason Rich, Susan Millegan, and Marie Raney.

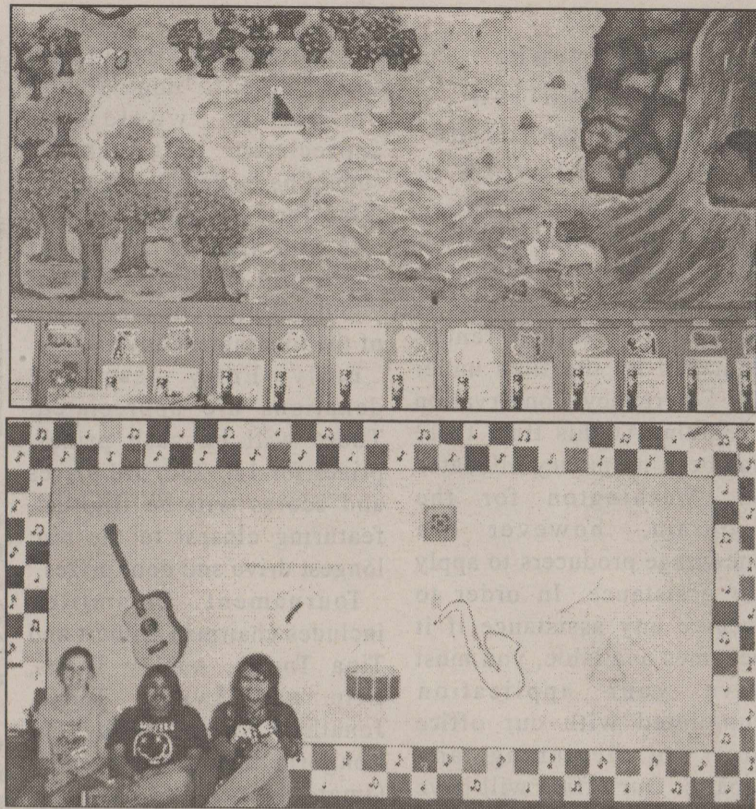
PALS Street Rally a Success

The Bronte and Robert Lee High School PALS class sponsored a rally to promote safe driving last Saturday, May 3 at the depot in Bronte. The rally was made possible through a grant from State Farm Insurance.

The rally had several speakers including Laurie Austin, speaking on the behalf of the C.J. Macon family; Kei Antilley, who spoke of her son Clay; Sheriff Rick Styles, who spoke about safe driving and the dangers of being distracted while driving and Bronte High School principal Michael Bohensky, who also spoke about the importance of driving safely.

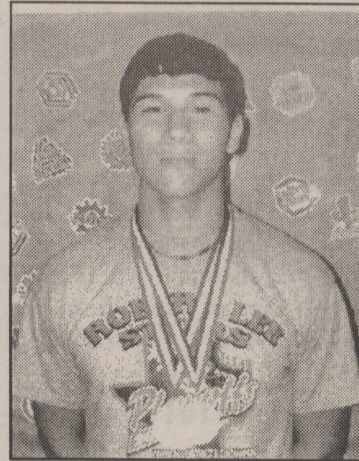
There were several educational booths set up with free information and demonstrations.

The PALS students appreciate all the teachers, coaches and administrators from Bronte High School and Robert Lee High School as well as Deputy Anthony Lopez who volunteered time to be dunked. There was also a bounce house that kids jumped in and several children's booths, such as



Murals! These are two of the murals that Mrs. Service's art students painted at Robert Lee High School.

State Bound! The Robert Lee High School Steer and Lady Steer track teams traveled to Abilene recently to run at the Regional Qualifying meet. Josh Gallegos (right) qualified in two events. He placed first in the 800 meter run and second in the 300 meter hurdles. These placings qualify him for the state track meet in Austin, which is set for tomorrow, Saturday, May 10.



rubber duck races, face painting and "Plinko". Free balloons were handed out to anyone who wanted one and they said "Be Safe, Buckle Up". People also had the opportunity to answer safe driving questions to win Walmart gift cards and t-shirts. A silent auction was also available for people to bid on baked goods and gift items.

The proceeds of the rally will benefit the Clay Antilley Scholarship Fund, the C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship Fund, and the Chris Brown family. The night ended with a street dance.

Library News

The Coke County Library is all ready to present many books for students to step into independent reading. Library books and independent reading are elementary and junior high students' first introduction to the idea that life presents many problems - and many solutions.

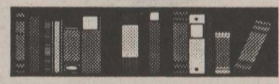
The classics, Dr. Seuss, E.B. White, Judy Blume, S. E. Hinton and Harper Lee are still the most

read authors according to a study by Renaissance Learning. First graders selected Green Eggs and Ham while second graders chose If You Give a Mouse a Cookie, third graders read Charlotte's Web and fourth graders chose Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing more often according to the study.

Books chosen by the top ten percent of reading achievement students were as follows: in the first grade Green Eggs and Ham, second graders chose Where the Wild Things Are, third graders chose Charlotte's Web, fourth graders chose The Bad Beginning (Snicket), fifth graders chose Bridge to Terabithia, sixth graders chose Eragon (Paolini) and Hatchet (Paulson), and seventh grade students chose The End (Snicket) and The Outsiders.

The study is online at www.renlearn.com/whatkidsarereading. The reading lists are available at the library and most of the books mentioned in the study are also available for independent reading. A list of books recommended for college students is also available.

School Menu



Breakfast

Monday, May 12

Burrito, cereal, juice, milk

Tuesday, May 13

Pancake & sausage on stick, juice, milk

Wednesday, May 14

French toast sticks, sausage, juice, milk

Thursday, May 15

Cinnamon roll, cereal, juice, milk

Friday, May 16

Student holiday

Lunch

Monday, May 12

Pizza, salad, corn, applesauce, teddy grahams, milk

Tuesday, May 13

Bean chalupas, salad, Spanish rice, orange, milk

Wednesday, May 14

Chicken O's, mac & cheese, green beans, sliced bread, fruit cocktail, milk

Thursday, May 15

Sub sandwich, pickles, salad, peaches, milk

Friday, May 16

Student holiday



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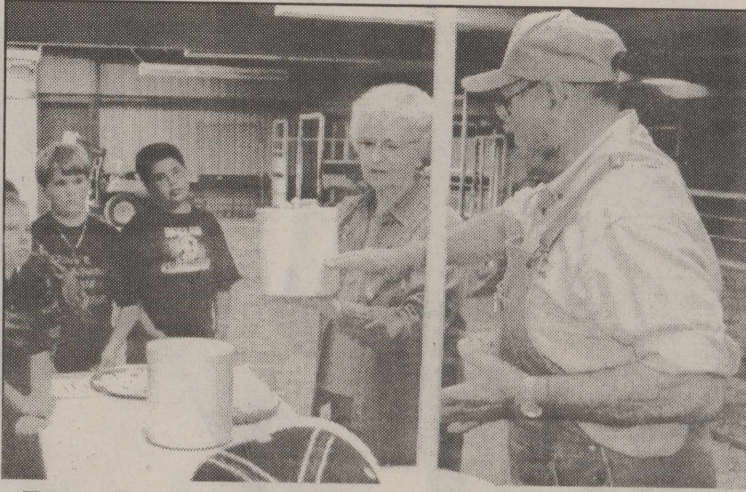
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DARYL COPELAND, OWNER 453-2980



Farm Bureau Ag Day! Jeffie and Bobby Roberts demonstrate butter making to a total of 55 students, 4 teachers, 2 bus drivers, 12 directors and visitors from Bronte, Robert Lee and Sterling City at the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau Ag Day.

Help support BHS band students

Several band students from Bronte High School are trying to raise money to attend the Howard Payne Band Camp this summer. A shaved ice stand will be set up across the street from Town & Country in Bronte on different days and each student will work that day and 100% of the profit will go to that student for their band camp fees.

Powder Puff Football game slated for May 15

The Bronte High School Student Council will be sponsoring a powder puff football game that will be held Thursday May 15, 2008, at 7:30 pm at the Bronte football field. The Junior/Senior girls will be taking on the

Freshmen/Sophomore girls. There will be a small fee for admission. Donations will be accepted also. Admission proceeds will benefit the Student Council Scholarship Fund and concession stand proceeds will benefit the Bronte Cheerleaders. Come witness the toughest football game this year.

BHS to host curriculum meeting

Bronte High School will host a curriculum meeting for parents and community members on Thursday, May 22, at 6 pm to discuss course offerings, curriculum alignment and four-year plans for students 9th grade - 12th grade.

Bronte Elementary Awards 5th Six Weeks PK/PPCD

Perfect Attendance
Keeley Queen, Marissa Reyes, Shyann Strickland

Kindergarten
Perfect Attendance
Karissa Cervenka, Hunter Hortenstine, Kinsey Lee, Anthony Ramirez, Megan Reyes

First Grade
Perfect Attendance
Nathan Arthur, Nita Betts, Tanner Braswell, Danielle Clostion, Alyssa Lyon, Skyleigh Minjarez, Raegen Moore, Kimberly Ogle, Savina Ornelaz, Damian Puentez, Kaylee Puentez, Kaci Queen

Super Citizen Award
Nathan Arthur, Makaylah DelaCerde, Cassidy McWright, Skyleigh Minjarez, Kimberly Ogle, Kaci Queen, Jayden Speary

AR Reading Goal
Tanner Braswell, Danielle Clostio, Makaylah DelaCerde, Jacob Eubanks, Hailey McKinney, Cassidy McWright, Raegen Moore, Savina Ornelaz, Damian Puentez, Kaylee Puentez, Zachary Gully

Achieved Ready Reader Certification
Jacob Baken, Nita Betts, Nicholas Casarez, Danielle Clostio, Skyleigh Minjarez, Savina Ornelaz, Jayden Speary, Miranda Tijerina

Second Grade Mrs. Rawls

Perfect Attendance
Alyssa Balderas, Vincent Basquez, Tanner Bedford,

BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS



Teacher of the Year! Leah Rosson (center) was named the Bronte High School teacher of the year at the Bronte Chamber of Commerce Banquet recently. Presenting the award were Tammy Hortenstine, representing the Bronte Chamber of Commerce, and Michael Bohensky, representing Bronte High School.

Aaron Cervenka, Jaqui Davila, Darby Duncan, Collin Moore, Melissa Perez, Shawn Puentez

Super Longhorns
Alyssa Balderas, Tanner Bedford, Jaqui Davila, Darby Duncan, Melissa Perez, Shawn Puentez, Baily Torres, Kaily Torres

AR Reading Goal
Alyssa Balderas, Vincent Basquez, Tanner Bedford, Nicole Carnell, Jaqui Davila, Darby Duncan, Melissa Perez, Shawn Puentez, Chelsea Trussell

A Honor Roll
Alyssa Balderas, Vincent Basquez, Tanner Bedford, Nicole Carnell, Aaron Cervenka, Darby Duncan, Chelsea Trussell

A/B Honor Roll
Jaqui Davila, Collin Moore, Sierra O'Brien, Melissa Perez, Baily Torres

Second Grade Mrs. Baker

Perfect Attendance
Mercedes DelaCerde, Joshua Fuentez, Colton King, Kevin Parks, Danny Pullen, Kristin Stillely

Super Longhorns
Analyn Bohensky, Emmanuel Casillas, Mercedes DelaCerde, Joshua Fuentez, Mason Keeney, Cambrey Lange, Zachery Mayo, Hanna McKinney, Kevin Parks, Danny Pullen, Kristen Stillely, Tiara Watson

A Honor Roll
Analyn Bohensky, Mercedes DelaCerde, Cambrey Lange, Tiara Watson

A/B Honor Roll
Emmanuel Casillas, Joshua Fuentez, Mason Keeney, Colton

King, Zachery Mayo, Hanna McKinney, Danny Pullen

Third Grade Mrs. Lloyd

Perfect Attendance
Emily Barnett, Brittany Bedford, Whitney Boyd, Carson Kelso, Chase Wynne

Super Citizen
Brittany Bedford, Whitney Boyd, Alex Guia, Ryan Jones, Alejandro Rosales, Zachary Rosales

AR Reading Goal
Emily Barnett, Brittany Bedford, Whitney Boyd, Harley Cerda, Alex Guia, Ryan Jones, Tristin Minjarez, Darin Munsey, Alejandro Rosales, Zachary Rosales, Chase Wynne

A Honor Roll
Emily Barnett, Brittany Bedford, Whitney Boyd, Alejandro Rosales

A/B Honor Roll
Carson Kelso, Katlyn Reeves

Third Grade Ms. Wilson

Perfect Attendance
Hannah Brackeen, Ismael Cecilio, Evan Ferguson,

Destiny Lyon, Justin Reed, Tristan Sullivan

Super Longhorns
Emily Whitehurst, Hannah Brackeen, Justin Reed, Tristan Sullivan

AR Reading Goal
Reighlyn Baken, Hannah Brackeen, Evan Ferguson, Justin Reed, Emily Whitehurst

A Honor Roll
Destiny Lyon, Emily Whitehurst

A/B Honor Roll
Hannah Brackeen, Justin Reed

Fourth Grade Mrs. Bearden

Perfect Attendance
Kevin Charles, Payton Cutting, Christian Davila, Tucker McMullan, Kyler Richards, Brittany Sutton, Kellie Thorn, Ean Ward, Cami White

AR Reading Goal
Jayden Baumann, Kevin Charles, Payton Cutting, Jerica Davis, Rankin Deronde, Chris James, Cambri Kelso, Emmery McCullough, Tucker McMullan, Kellie Thorn, Kyler Richards, Ean Ward

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School Menu

Breakfast

Monday, May 12
Cereal, apple sauce, toast, jelly, milk

Tuesday, May 13
Sausage, biscuit, jelly, juice, milk

Wednesday, May 14
Breakfast pizza, juice, milk

Thursday, May 15
Sausage roll, juice, milk

Friday, May 16
Blueberry muffins, toast, jelly, juice, milk

Lunch

Monday, May 12
Pizza, tossed salad, corn, frozen fruit bar, milk

Tuesday, May 13
Spud day, chili, cheese, baby carrots with ranch, mixed fruit, Texas toast, milk

Wednesday, May 14
Chicken & noodles, tossed salad, corn on the cob, roll, strawberries & bananas, milk

Thursday, May 15
Hamburgers, lettuce, tomato, pickles, assorted fruit, chips, ice cream cups, milk

Friday, May 16
Chicken fajitas, refried beans, Spanish rice, sliced peaches, flour tortillas, milk

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**1st Annual
Clay Antilley
Invitational Golf
Tournament
set for June 28**

The first annual Clay Antilley Invitational Golf Tournament is scheduled for Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee on Saturday afternoon, June 28th. Tournament Chairman Dick Sims said that the tournament is to honor the memory of Clay Antilley, who was tragically killed in a vehicle accident almost a year ago. His involvement with golf along with all his great contributions to 4-H and FFA made Clay one of Coke County's favorite sons.

The tournament will be an 18 hole, three person scramble beginning with a 1:00 pm shotgun start. Entry fee is \$80 per person. There will be a free lunch before play and free barbecue dinner with live entertainment by Stephen Myers, Jeff Brisbin, Randy Flanagan, and friends after play.

All donations are appreciated, which are tax deductible with written receipts given out. Diamond sponsors are donations of \$500 and above. Gold sponsors are donations of \$200 - \$499. Silver sponsors are \$100 - \$199, and bronze sponsors are under \$100. Donations of any amount as well as those who would like to donate door prizes would be appreciated.

All proceeds will benefit the Clay Antilley Scholarship Fund. All checks should be made payable to "The Clay Antilley Invitational." Whether you play golf or not, we would like for you to be a part of the tournament. Only 18 teams (54 players) will be accepted; so sign up now. If you don't have a team we'll find you a spot. Early entry fees and donations are appreciated. There will be free mulligans on every hole, closest to the hole prizes, and beautiful hand-carved mesquite plaques

will be presented to the top three teams honoring Clay Antilley.

Tournament committee members include Bill Ballew, Clay Allen, Jessie Flores, Terry Eaton, Randy Smith, JD McClelland, Ricky Ross, Randy Flanagan, Jeff Brisbin, Tim Philley, Thad Metcalf, Don Powell, Stephen Myers, Nancy Baty, Dana Sims, Don Hodge, Tom Sawyer, Doug Roberts, David Bautista, Jimmy Skinner, Dick Sims, and the Tommy Antilley family. For more information contact Dick Sims at 453-9977 or the club house at 453-2317.

...Bronte Awards
(Continued from page 5)

A/B Honor Roll

Jayden Baumann, Hailey Bennett, Kevin Charles, Jerica Davis, Chris James, Cambri Kelso, Tucker McMullan, Kyler Richards, Sarah Sanchez, Ean Ward, Cami White

**Fourth Grade
Mrs. Coalsou**

Perfect Attendance

Savannah Arthur, Dakota Arthur, Charissa Caston, Stacia Emfinger, Carlos Fuentez, Kourtney Kelton, Kolby Lee, Joshua Means, Jensen Reed, Jared Scott

AR Reading Goal

Marley Braswell, Jensen Reed, Stacia Emfinger, Heriberto Cecilio, Kolby Lee, Charissa Caston

A Honor Roll

Marley Braswell

A/B Honor Roll

Stacia Emfinger, Carlos Fuentez, Kolby Lee, Jensen Reed, Jared Scott

Fifth Grade

Perfect Attendance

Amber Betts, Crystal Bilbrey, Lance Burns, Dalton Ogle, Oscar Pena, Josh Puentez, Dakota Pullen, Addison Rosson

AR Reading Goal

Maria Franco, Lance Burns, Moriah Royall, Addie Rosson, Dakota Pullen, Oscar Pena

A Honor Roll

Jessica Arthur, Crystal Bilbrey, Lance Burns

A/B Honor Roll



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Maria Franco, Joshua Puentez, Addie Rosson

Sixth Grade

Perfect Attendance

Fred Arthur, Rebecca Dugan, Rachel Everheart, Ty Lee, Coby Malone, John McDonald, Johnathon Moore, Megan Yackley

AR Reading Goal

Fred Arthur, Myranda Kenny, Megan Yackley

A Honor Roll

Rachel Everheart, Ty Lee, Kaleb Reyes, Courtney Wyatt, Megan Yackley

A/B Honor Roll

Fred Arthur, Trinity Demry, Coby Malone, John McDonald, Nathaniel Rosales, Marisa Sanchez

Girl Scouts

need volunteers

Girl Scouts of Central Texas is in need of dedicated, responsible adult volunteers to support our mission in the Bronte, Robert Lee and Sterling City areas. Help us build girls of Courage, Confidence and Character by donating your time and talents to serve girls in your community. We

offer a variety of volunteer opportunities, so you can tailor your participation to fit right into your life.

By volunteering you will acquire new skills, gain professional development experience and have fun while you give back to the community. If you are 18 or older and wish to be a positive role model for tomorrow's leaders, please contact Maryelva Luna, Girl Scouts of Central Texas, 304 W. Ave. A, San Angelo, Texas 76903, (325) 655-8961.

**Ombudsman
needed for area**

The Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley Council of Governments has an urgent need to fill volunteer positions to perform duties as an ombudsman for the San Angelo, Menard, Bronte, and Junction area nursing homes. An Ombudsman is a specially trained individual who advocates for quality of care and helps residents achieve the best possible quality of life in nursing and assisted living facilities.

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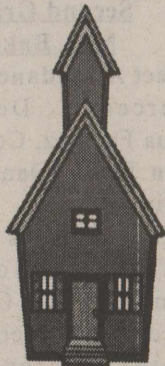


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This is an ideal position for those who are retired or semi-retired although anyone over the age of 18 can apply. An application process and consent to background check is required for the protection of the residents. Training is provided free of charge and can lead to official certification as an advocate with the Texas Long-term Care Ombudsman Program.

For more information please contact Kathy Schiller, Managing Local Ombudsman at (325)223-5704, or toll free at 1-877-944-9666; email kathy.schiller@cvcog.org, or visit the websites: http://www.dads.state.tx.us/new_s_info/ombudsman/index.html and www.cvcog.org and click on the Area Agency on Aging link.

Bronte EMS to offer ECA course

Bronte EMS will offer an ECA course to qualify individuals for service on either Bronte or Robert Lee Ambulances beginning May 19 and ending June 24.

For more information, call Larry at 473-4014 or Steve at 224-3047.

Letter to the Editor

Prayers, a Miracle & an Ordinary Day

It was February 9 and it started out like most of my Saturdays. Little did I realize that this day would forever change my life. My wife and I left San Angelo to spend the weekend at our place just outside of Bronte. After lunch at a local restaurant, I mounted my bicycle with plans on going from Bronte to Robert Lee and back.

Little did I know that my life was about to change forever. I was only a few miles from Bronte, riding on the shoulder of the road when I was hit by a car that obviously did not see me.

The injuries were extensive with severe fractures of the pelvis, multiple rib fractures, shock from blood loss and blood clots to the lung. By all accounts, I should be dead. Much of my 2 month hospitalization is a blur, but many of the events are vivid. I was aware that that I was close to death. I prayed in my own simple way for the Lord to spare me but I also had faith in the knowledge that we have a savior in Christ. I was afraid---very afraid. Even though I had been to confession and handed over my sins to the Lord, I still was afraid to die. I was afraid that I might never be able to hold my wife again. I was afraid that I might not be able to see my two sons again and I was afraid that I would never see my grandchildren again. I also was afraid also because of doubt. Doubt that I might not be "right with the Lord". I spent many a fretful night in the hospital finding solace in pray, over and over again until I gently drifted into a fretful sleep. I could truly feel the power of prayer and it gave me great comfort as Jesus held my hand to ease my discomfort.

Despite being afraid and having some doubts whether or not I was ready to leave this earthly existence, I realized that I had many, many Christian friends. Prayers went up to heaven on my behalf from churches all over Coke County, San Angelo and the surrounding area. I felt the peace that truly



Farm Bureau Ag Day! These were just some of the people who made the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau Ag Day possible. They include (from left to right) Bobby Roberts, Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau President; Sutton Page, Fieldman; Russell Davis, Insurance Agent; and Alonzo Robbins, Secretary; John Stephens, Vice President. Joe Harmon and Jeffie Roberts (not pictured) assisted with demonstrations.

passes all understanding. The constant pain somehow seemed more tolerable. Slowly, very slowly my wounds began to heal and I was left to ponder the significance of the events.

This event has changed my life. I simply would not have survived this accident without the prayers of so many people in Coke and Tom Green county. I now have a better understanding of God's unconditional love. I now understand how fragile and ephemeral our life on earth is. I now better understand that I am called to better serve the Lord each of my remaining days.

It turns out that February 9 was not an ordinary day for me. It was an extraordinary day in which the Lord decided to get my undivided attention. Believe in prayer! Believe in

miracles and remember that there is no ordinary day for those who believe in Christ! Each one of our days on earth is extraordinary and to God we are expected to be His extraordinary servants. Lastly, I wish to thank all of my friends from Bronte, Robert Lee and the surrounding area who extended such kindness to me and to my wife.

Ernie Charlesworth, MD

Coke County Food Pantry Memorials and Donations

January-April 2008

Memorials

Golda Jean Honea

Robert Lee Baptist Co-ed SS Class

Daryl Lee Nieman

Cecil and Mary Cherry

Jimmy D. Snapp

Ben and Mary Bessent

Irma Casey

Bobby and Jeffie Roberts, Lawana Perry, Jessie Harmon, Dorene Mashburn, Jerry and Janie Harmon

Donations

Robert Lee 187 OES, Kenneth and Inez Harper, Glenn-Bivins Insurance, United Methodist Women, Frances Lindsey, A Friend, Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau, Dale and Sue Wojtek, Bob and Polly Large, George and Thelma Lomas, Pecan Baptist Church - WMA, Northside Church of Christ, Coke County Library Patrons, Fred and Mary Williams, Milburn Wink, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McNabb, Pat Stephens



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8th Annual

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"Sonic Cruise Night"

FRIDAY, MAY 9, 2008

Registration begins at 6 p.m. at the Railhead Building, Downtown, Colorado City, TX
Cruise 7-9 p.m. - Poker Run w/Hi-Low Split. Plaques and prizes at Sonic at 9 p.m.
Live music by the Chase Scott Band

"CC Riders Car Show"

SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2008

Inside and Outside the Railhead Building in Downtown Colorado City

Registration: 8 a.m. until 12 Noon Awards at 3 p.m.

T-Shirts and Dash Plaques for show entries. Food and drinks available at show.

For more information, call Scott Free 325-242-0929

Deacon Magill 325-242-2727, dnkmagill@wtconnect.com

ccriderscarshow.com

Colorado City VFD Annual Burn Out - Sat., 1:30 p.m.

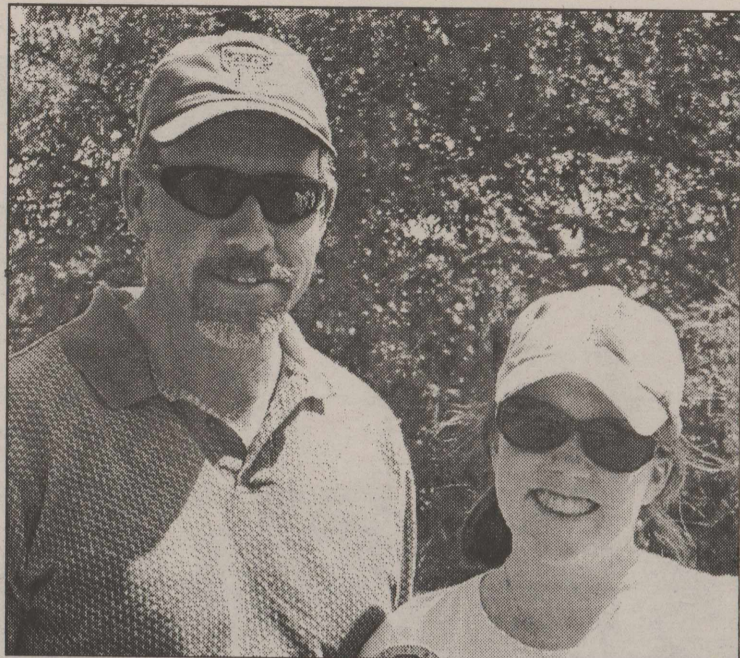
4-H Mud Bog Sat., May 10 at the Mitchell Co. Fairgrounds

Contact Blaine Lemons at 325-933-0224

CC Riders is a non-profit organization. All proceeds from our annual car show and cruise go into our scholarship fund for local high school seniors. CC Riders members do not enter the show.



God Loves His Girls!
Victory Assembly of God would like to thank the beautiful ladies of Robert Lee, Ballinger and Carlsbad for coming and sharing in our 2nd Annual Spring Tea and for making it such a success. We so enjoyed the fellowship and want to thank all who donated to our Teen Recreation Center. We look forward to our next event! As always to God be the glory,
The Ladies Fellowship of Victory Assembly of God



Golfing! Douglas Roberts and his daughter, Kacee, participated in the Mountain Creek Adult/Child Golf Tournament and had a score of 81.

Commissioner Staples Awards \$1 Million to remove, control Feral Hogs

The Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) recently awarded Texas AgriLife Extension Service \$1 million for the agency's new Texas Feral Hog Control Program: Moving Towards A Long-Term Abatement Strategy.

Texas is home to more than 2 million feral hogs, the largest feral hog population in the U.S., and their numbers continue to increase due to high reproductive potential and the lack of natural predators.

Feral hogs wreak havoc on property, livestock, crops and pastures across the state and frustrate landowners because of their destructive nature. In fact the Extension Service estimates the statewide annual economic damage caused by feral hogs is close to \$52 million.

The 80th Legislature directed this \$1,000,000 in funding following a \$500,000 pilot project funded by the 79th Legislature. The pilot program was administered by Texas AgriLife Extension Service and Texas Tech University through a TDA grant in 2006-2007 and did provide technical assistance to landowners at three sites, and promote educational events for other landowners statewide. The pilot project succeeded in removing more than 3,000 feral hogs, saving landowners/agricultural producers nearly \$3 million in losses.

Prom Night Safety

Prom night is probably the most anticipated night of the year for teens and can be the most dreaded by their parents. Although most teens think they know everything about how to stay safe, parents know otherwise. And, according to safety experts, it will take more than just talk to ensure a safe evening for all.

"No matter how strong the family relationship, many parents are still unaware of the choices teens face every day," said Ray Palermo, director of public information for

Teachers' Insurance Plan. "For parents to successfully reach their kids, they'll have to approach safety issues in new, often more direct ways." He offered tips that go beyond "don't drink and drive."

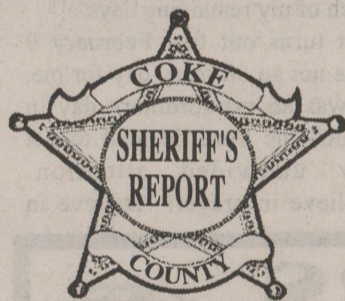
Parents:

- Get involved in planning prom night.
- Talk specifically about what they should say or do in certain high-risk situations.
- Consider having a mutually agreed on "contract" for the night. Set out rules regarding post-prom parties or other activities - with whom they will be, where, for how long and what they will be doing.
- Get the names of other prom-goers and phone numbers of their parents.
- Set a curfew based on past behavior, but be reasonable. This is a special night. Have your teen call if there is a delay.
- Send your teen a text message during prom night telling them to have fun, but reminding them not to do anything that could ruin a great time.
- Limit the number of passengers in a car.
- Be on call for a ride home or other emergency.



EMS! The Bronte EMS was recognized for their hard work by the Bronte Chamber of Commerce at the annual Chamber Banquet recently.

- Have a "no questions asked" policy on getting home safely.
 - Join with other parents and rent a limo for them.
 - Be the chauffeur for the night, but don't meddle. Rent a vintage car to make it more special.
- Teens:**
- Make an arrangement with parents to not drink and drive, and not to ride with anyone who is drinking.
 - Resist high-risk activities of all types.
 - To avoid tampering, do not leave your beverage unattended.
 - Check in with your parents during the night. It will go a long way toward reassuring them about how you are doing.
 - Always buckle up.
 - In short, follow your parent's rules.



Arrest and Dispositions April 2008

Tijerina, Robert, Out of County Warrant, 4-8-08;

Foster, Clayton, Theft by Check, 4-9-08;
 McGinley, Cathy, DWI, 4-11-08;
 Dougan, David, DWI, 4-12-08;
 Larue, Christopher, Assault X 2, 4-14-08;
 Reyes, Little Joe, Out of County Warrant, 4-23-08;
 McCormick, Corey, Accident involving Damage to Vehicle/Fleeing scene of Accident, 4-26-08;
 Ybarra, Vicky, Accident involving Damage to Vehicle/Fleeing scene of Accident, 4-26-08.

Dispositions 4-16-08

The State of Texas vs. Lydia Lara, Charge: Evading Arrest, Plea: Dismissed;
 The State of Texas vs. Jesse Eads IV, Charge: Criminal Trespass, Plea: Guilty, Fine \$350.00, Court Cost \$224.00;
 The State of Texas vs. Derek Thomas, Charge: Assault Family Violence, Plea: Guilty, Fine \$500.00, Court Cost \$224.00;
 The State of Texas vs. Earnest Leroy Mills, Charge: Resisting Arrest, Plea: Guilty, 90 Days Probated for 18 Months, Probation Fees Waived, Fine \$500.00, Court Cost \$309.00;

County Court

Deliberate and Willful Sin

What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin, that grace may abound? • *Romans 6:1*

For if we sin willfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins, but a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries. He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses: Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under foot the son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the spirit of grace? For we know Him that hath said, vengeance belongeth unto me, I will recompense, saith the Lord. And again, the Lord shall judge His people. It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God. • *Hebrews 10:26-31*

Sowing Sin And Reaping Its Consequences

But he that doeth wrong shall receive for the wrong which he hath done and there is no respect of persons. • *Colossians 3:25*

Evil pursueth sinners: But to the righteous good shall be repayed. • *Proverbs 13:21*

Whoso rewardeth evil for good, evil shall not depart from his house. • *Proverbs 17:13*

Sin Gives Satan Entrance Into Your Life

Be ye angry, and sin not: Let not the sun go down upon your wrath: Neither give place to the devil. • *Ephesians 4:26-27*

Afterward Jesus findeth him in the temple, and said unto him, behold, thou art made whole: Sin no more, lest a worse thing come unto thee. • *John 5:14*

The Hardships Of A Life Of Sin

Correction is grievous unto him that forsaketh the way: And he that hateth reproof shall die. • *Proverbs 15:10*

For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord. • *Romans 6:23*

But the transgressors shall be destroyed together: The end of the wicked shall be cut off. • *Psalms 37:38*

But the wicked shall be cut off from the earth, and the transgressors shall be rooted out of it. • *Proverbs 2:22*

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The State of Texas vs. Earnest Leroy Mills, Charge: Assault Causing Bodily Injury - Family Member, Plea: Guilty, 180 Days Jail Probated for 18 Months, Fine \$700.00, Court Cost \$249.00, Anger Control Class;

The State of Texas vs. Stephanie Soto, Charge: DWI 1st, Plea: Guilty, One Year Pre-Trial Intervention;

The State of Texas vs. Albert Carlos, Charge: Taking Wildlife Resource without Consent, Plea: Guilty, Fine \$300.00, Court Cost \$224.00.

County Farm Bureau leaders travel to Washington, DC

Bobby and Jeffie Roberts of Robert Lee were among 165 Farm Bureau leaders from Texas headed by Texas Farm Bureau State President Kenneth Dierschke, who journeyed to Washington, DC April 1-4, 2008, on the 2008 National Affairs Awards Trip. With the deadline for a new farm bill looming, and a host of other issues on their collective plate, this group went to voice concerns to legislative leaders.

Those who spoke to the group were Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison and Senator John Cornyn about immigration and other issues. House Ag Committee Chairman Collin Peterson and the four Texas member of the ag committee - Congressman Mike Conaway, Randy Neugebauer, Henry Cuellar, and Nick Lampson discussed the Farm Bill; and American Farm Bureau President Bob Stallman and several others discussed other issues.

Bobby and Jeffie had the pleasure of meeting with a small group in Congressman Mike Conaway's office and were delighted to visit with his legislative director, Scott Graves of Bronte. The group

was given a private tour of our nation's Capitol building and a bus tour of the national monuments, Arlington National Cemetery, White House, and many other sights.

The cherry trees were in full bloom and were a beautiful sight. The weather was nice. Bobby and Jeffie also toured the Washington, DC offices of the American Farm Bureau and visited with AFB President Bob Stallman in his office. It is a perfect picture of the Capitol Building from his desk through a picture window.

Bell grandchildren gather in Robert Lee

Thirteen of the fourteen living grandchildren of Will H. and Elizabeth Bell gathered in Robert Lee for a cousins' reunion last Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday. Gwendolyn Scherz of San Angelo fell on Monday (her birthday) and ended up in Shannon Hospital instead of Robert Lee for the dinner at the Cracker Barrel.

The first cousins' activity was attending the church service at First United Methodist Church, followed by a spaghetti dinner in the fellowship hall. They ate Mexican food Sunday Night at Rangel's.

Twenty-three relatives and friends gathered at the Cracker Barrel for dinner on Monday. Bill Rial Denman served as master of ceremonies as the cousins paid tribute to their aunt, Robbie Turner, who passed away in October of 2007. She was the youngest and last surviving daughter of Will and Lizzie Bell. They raised their nine daughters in Robert Lee. All of the girls graduated from Robert Lee High School and all were members of the First United Methodist Church. The 14 cousins and five deceased cousins were children of those nine daughters.



Bell Grandchildren! The grandchildren of Judge W.H. and Elizabeth Bell gathered in Robert Lee for a cousins reunion. Those attending included (front row, left to right) Tommy Denman, Jamie Boren, Carleen Craddock, Alta Bell Kay, Jo Ann Littlefield, Janie Beth Sturman, Charlotte Prickett, Janet Rathmell, (back row, left to right) Bill Sturman, Bill Rial Denman, Frank Sturman, Floydene Groves, Joyce Hope Jarmon and guests, Dale Fields, Doris McCabe and Ava Lou Davis.

ters. After the dinner, they gathered at the Bilbo House for birthday cake and coffee in honor of Gwen Scherz.

On Tuesday, Jamie Boren, assisted by her sisters, Alta Bell Kay and Jo Ann Littlefield, hosted the group at the Boren home, northwest of town. The relatives enjoyed much talking, visiting, and reminiscing. A dinner of brisket, salads, cornbread and pinto beans was served to the group.

Attending the joyous celebration were Bill Sturman of Riverside, California; Frank Sturman of Boise, Idaho; Floydene Groves of Las Cruces, New Mexico; Janie Beth Sturman of Thousand Palms, California; Joyce Hope Jarmon of Corpus Christi, TX; Carleen Clark of Medina, Texas; Alta Bell Kay of Alpine, Texas; Jamie Boren of Robert Lee; Jo Ann Littlefield of Grove, Oklahoma; Janet Rathmell of Mertzon, Texas; Bill Rial Denman of Medina, Texas; Tommy Joy Denman of Corona Del Mar, California; and Charlotte Prickett of Carrollton, Texas.

Spouses attending were Jarvis Littlefield, Mary

Denman, and Bob Prickett.

Guests attending were Ava Lou Davis, Doris McCabe, and Dale Fields, all of Robert Lee.

The children of cousins attending were Leslie Hope Jarmon of Austin; Paul Brown Jarmon of Austin; Merriet Lewis of Dallas; and Robbie Ann Wells of Medina, Texas. Gwen Scherz's daughters, Ann Madison of San Antonio and

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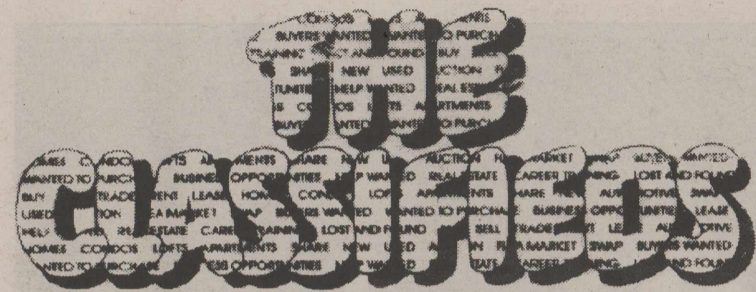
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Graduating to 'the real world'

By Jason Alderman

Anyone who's graduated from college understands the relief of leaving behind years of cramming for exams and living on dorm food. With the next chapter of their lives now at hand, this year's grads deserve kudos for successfully negotiating the twists and turns of higher education. Now the fun begins.

Take it from someone who's learned a few lessons the hard way - there are steps you should take now to ensure you start off on sound financial footing. A few tips:

Step 1: Budgeting 101.

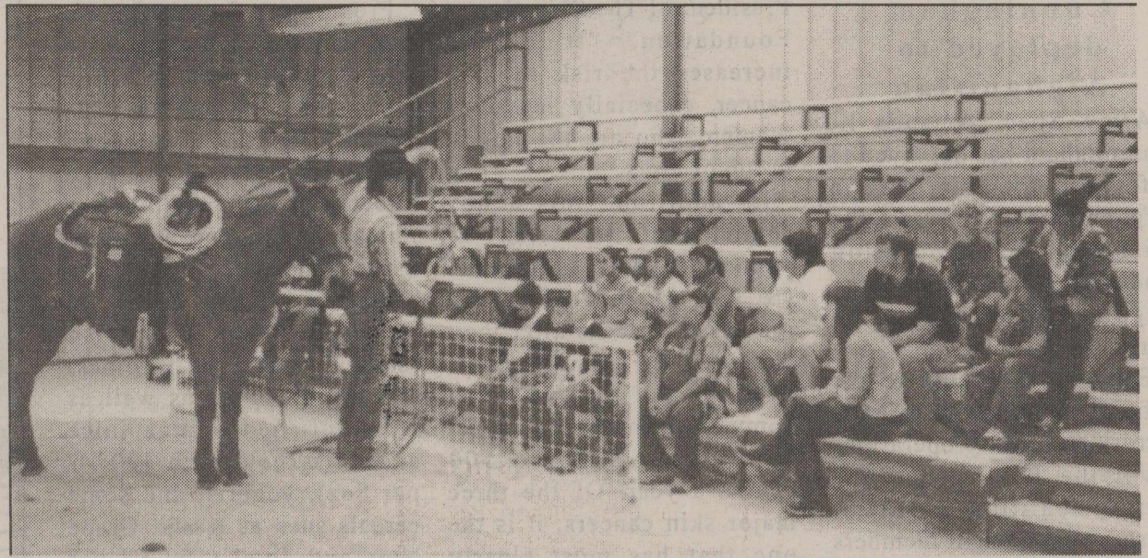
After living on a shoestring throughout college, many people go to the other extreme after landing their first full-time job, buying all the things they've done without. Before going on a spending spree, first figure out (A) how much you earn and (B) how much it costs to live. If (B) is larger than (A), not only will you not get ahead, you may soon find yourself reeling from debt.

Step 2: Figure out what you owe. Roughly two-thirds of young adults begin their post-graduation job search saddled with student loan debt - the average amount is around \$20,000, but for many it's much higher. When you factor in rent, car payments, credit card balances and other monthly obligations, it's easy to see why some grads feel overwhelmed.

Although most federal student loan programs offer a repayment grace period, many private loans don't. Ask your lender whether they'll reduce your loan's interest rate if you agree to automatic monthly payments or after making a certain number of on-time payments. If you anticipate repayment difficulties, contact your lender immediately to discuss your options. You may be able to work out an agreement to defer payments, extend the loan's term or refinance at a lower rate.

Step 3: Know the score, credit-wise. Many people don't realize the important role their credit score plays in their financial future until after they've seriously damaged it by making late payments, bouncing checks, opening too many accounts or exceeding their credit limits. This can haunt you later, not only when you try to borrow money for a house or car, but also when you try to rent an apartment or apply for a job, since many landlords and employers now check credit records and reject applicants with poor credit.

Find out where you stand



Farm Bureau Ag Day! Joe Harmon discusses Farm Animal Safety to the Sterling City fourth grade, along with their teacher, Christy Bearden and Chris Bearden at the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau Ag Day.

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To learn more about the importance of understanding and improving your credit score, visit What's My Score (www.whatsmyscore.com), a financial literacy program for young adults run by Visa Inc. It features a comprehensive workbook called Money 101: A Crash Course in Better Money Management, which can be downloaded for free. The workbook covers such topics as:

- * Making smart financial decisions.
- * Creating a workable budget.
- * Explanation of banking services.
- * Understanding different types of loans and credit scores.
- * Saving to reach financial goals.

What's My Score also features a free tool for estimating your credit score, guides for renting an apartment, buying a car and improving your credit score, and links to many other helpful sites.

This is when all your hard work finally starts to pay off - just make sure you don't sabotage yourself by overextending your finances early in your career.

Pet Talk

When it comes to cats, the experts agree: Leave those whiskers on Whiskers alone.

That's the advice of animal experts when it comes to vibrissae, the technical name for whiskers. They serve a purpose and it's not a good idea to cut or trim them, as many pet owners feel they should do.

"It's best to just leave them alone," says Dr. Bonnie Beaver, an animal behavior expert at Texas A&M University's College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences.

"Some pet owners might get the urge to take out some scissors and give some long whiskers a little trim, but they should not. Whiskers serve a very real purpose - they are like a sensory device for the dog or cat.

"Especially in cats, whiskers keep the animal from bumping into things at night and help with depth perception. They help the animal decide where it's going, so it's not a good idea to cut them."

Cats can have whiskers on the sides of their face, under their chin, above their eyes and on the back of their front legs. The average cat has between 20 and 30 whiskers.

Whiskers are attached to a nerve under the skin, and these whiskers can provide cats with all sorts of information. They can tell the animal about its immediate surroundings and also help it move in closed-in areas where space is tight.

"Sometimes, whiskers will naturally fall off the animal," Beaver explains. "If this happens, it's nothing to be alarmed about. Over time, the whisker will eventually grow back."

Dogs use their whiskers in the same way as cats do, Beaver says, "but because cats are more nocturnal, they tend to rely on their whiskers a little more."

"We know cats can feel breezes by using their whiskers, and they can also use them to detect such things as high grasses," she says. "All of this goes back to their ability to hunt in the wild. They need whiskers to do certain things."

The slightest touch of a cat's whiskers will result in the blinking or closing of its eyes, a natural reaction that goes back to the animal's hunting background.

Studies have shown that cats with poor eyesight will use their whiskers much like a person uses a cane - as a sort of guide to help it maneuver through a room or an area.

"That's why it's best to leave the whiskers alone," Beaver adds. "Your cat or dog will appreciate a nice brushing much more."

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Cunningham is assigned to the 436th Chemical Company, Fort Bragg, Fayetteville, N.C. She has served in the military for two years.

She is the daughter of Max Cunningham of Robert Lee, and granddaughter of Chester Cunningham of Sweetwater. Her sister, Brandy, also graduated from Robert Lee ISD, and she and her husband, Arthur Martin, and two children reside in San Angelo. Brandy teaches history at Lake View.

The Truth About Tanning

Nearly 2.3 million American teenagers visit tanning salons every year, and with summer right around the corner, the temptation to tan is even greater. But with the increasing rates of skin cancer, recent research has found that the use of sunbeds during a person's teens and twenties is linked to an increase in melanoma risk, the deadliest form of skin cancer.

The International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC, a branch of the World Health Organization) conducted a thorough review of all available worldwide data - 19 international studies - and found a strong association between tanning bed use and melanoma risk. Across all age groups, males and females who have ever used tanning beds have a 15 percent higher risk of developing melanoma. More alarming still, based on 7 worldwide studies, people who first use a tanning bed before age 35 increase their risk for melanoma by 75 percent.

"This new research substantiates what we've believed for years about the danger of indoor tanning," said Perry Robins, MD,

President of The Skin Cancer Foundation. "It clearly increases the risk of skin cancer, especially in young women, who are the largest group of users."

In addition, this study found that the risk of squamous cell carcinoma (SCC) is significantly increased in teens after their first use of tanning beds. SCC is the second most common form of skin cancer and accounts for 2,500 deaths a year. Of the three major skin cancers, it is the one that has most clearly been linked to cumulative lifetime ultraviolet exposure. In fact, a 2002 study from Journal of the National Cancer Institute found that people who use tanning beds are 2.5 times more likely to develop SCC than those who don't use tanning beds.

If the threat of melanoma isn't enough to scare teens away from tanning booths, they should know that 90% of visible skin changes commonly attributed to aging are really caused by exposure to ultraviolet radiation. Ultraviolet radiation (UV) accelerates the signs of aging, including wrinkles, leathery skin and fine lines, which can be seen as early as in one's 20's. Yet many young women continue to contribute to the \$5 billion dollar tanning industry.

The Vitamin D Dilemma

Promoters of sunbeds tout the benefits of tanning as a source for Vitamin D. While it is widely known that Vitamin D can have many health benefits, it is also known that UV radiation is a human carcinogen and does cause skin cancer.

Vitamin D can easily be obtained from oily fish (salmon, mackerel, sardines) and cod liver oil as well as from fortified orange juice and milk (both with 100 IU per 8oz), yogurts, and some cereals such as Kashi, Grape Nuts and Total (100 IU per serving). Finally, supplements are readily obtained and inexpensive.

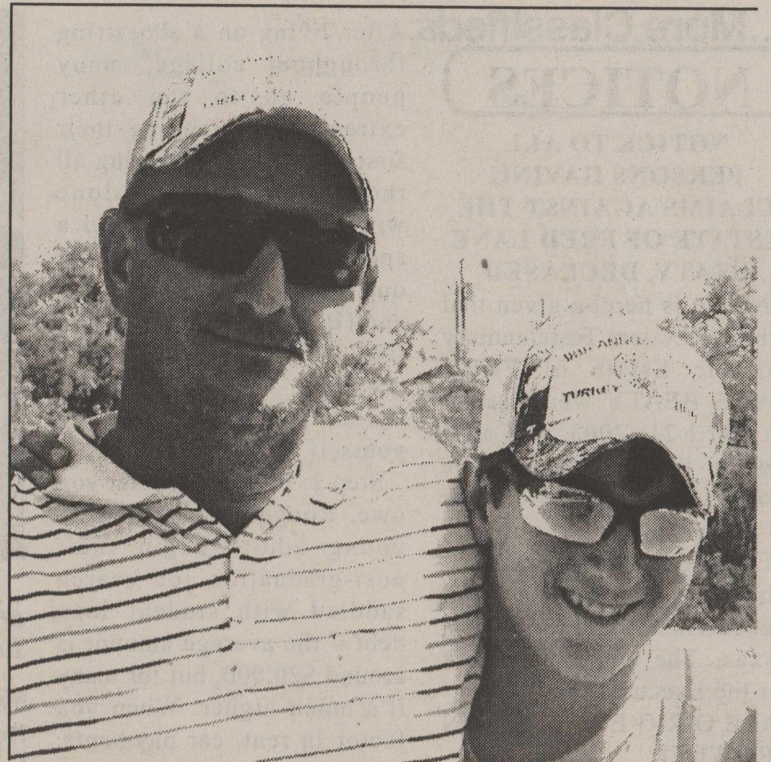
The "Base Tan" Myth

The assumption that a tan offers protection against sunburn is false. A tan generated by ultraviolet light offers, at best, a very low level of protection against sunburn. You first have to damage your skin to get a tan, which obviously defeats the whole "protective" purpose of tanning. A tan is a biological signal by the skin that DNA damage has occurred.

Go With Your Own Glow

In addition to the obvious health risks associated with tanning beds, tanning as a lifestyle is over. Fashion and beauty insiders agree that today, it's all about natural beauty.

"Tanning as a life priority



Golfing! Jimmy Skinner and his son, Zack, participated in the Mountain Creek Adult/Child Golf Tournament and had a score of 80.

is over," says Lois Joy Johnson, fashion and beauty director, MORE magazine. "We all need to pay attention to being healthy and having healthy skin, not changing our skin to another color."

The Skin Cancer Foundation is launching its first nationwide public awareness, "Go With Your Own Glow," to empower people to be comfortable in their own skin and encourage luminous, radiant skin as the new beauty and fashion ideal.

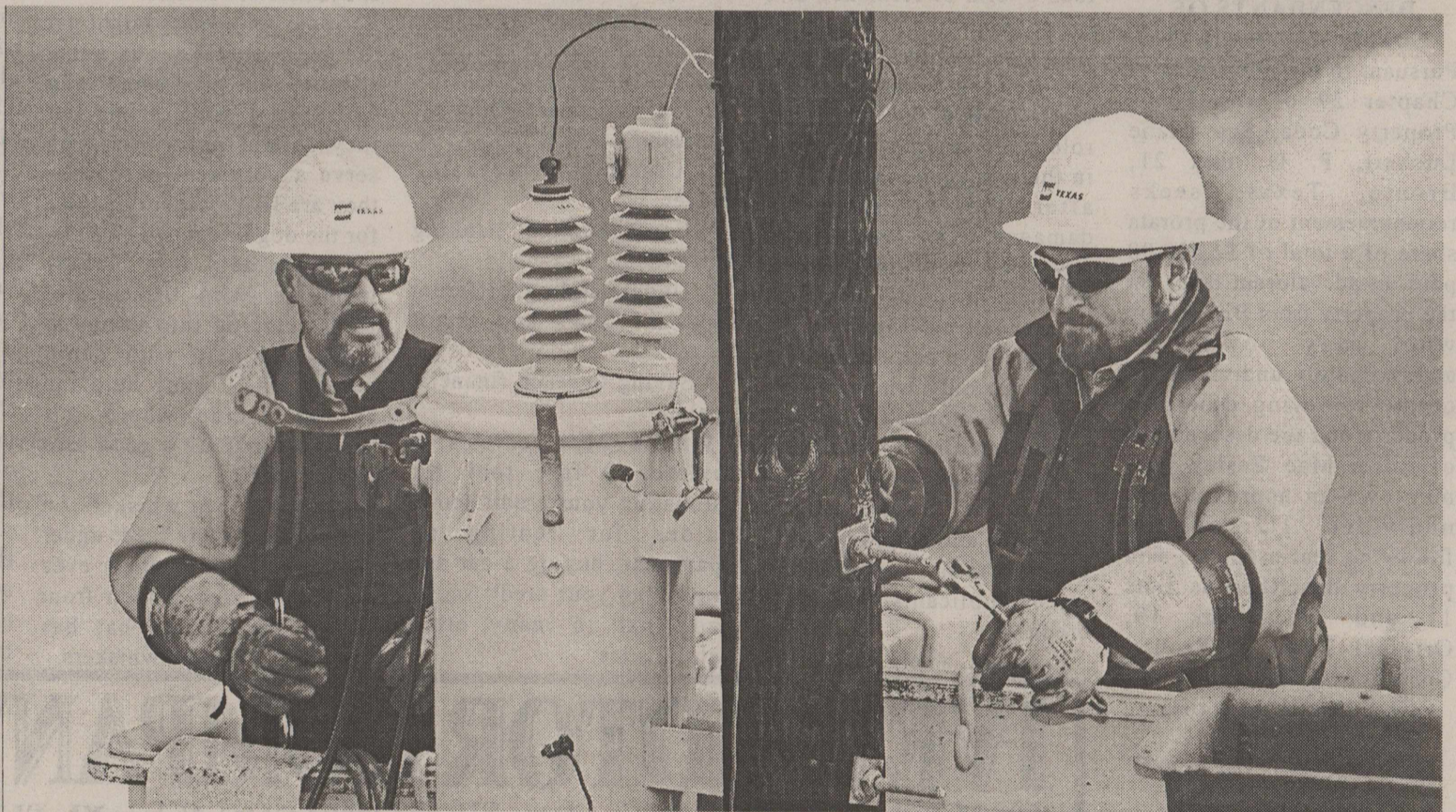
"The goal is to change the way people think about tanning," says Dr. Perry Robins,

president of The Skin Cancer Foundation. "Once people stop linking their self esteem to tanned skin, we will really begin making headway in the fight against skin cancer."

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