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Roping Club meeting set

The Coke County Roping Club will have their annual organizational meeting on Sunday, March 1. All those interested are asked to assemble at the arena in Bronte at 3 pm. For more information contact Morgan Webb at 473-2690 or Wayne McCutchen at 473-3201.

Street Affair planning meeting set for Monday

Anyone interested in helping with the Robert Lee Street Affair is asked to attend a planning meeting set for Monday, March 2 at 6 pm. It will be held at the Victory Assembly of God in Robert Lee. County residents are asked to please make plans to attend this important meeting in order to continue having the Street Affair.

Coke County dance slated

The monthly dance for Coke County will be held on March 3 from 6:30 pm -9:30 pm. There will be lots of goodies to eat and visiting with friends and welcoming newcomers. There is a break so the band can rest and everyone eat. Come and enjoy. You don't know what you're missing if you haven't been.

Census Bureau testing for employment

The Census Bureau will be testing for employment for the 2010 Census on March 3 at 9:30 am in the Robert Lee Recreation Hall and also at 6:30 pm at the Robert Lee Courthouse. Several part-

time and full-time jobs will be available.

"Rocky 09" Relay team to hold fundraiser

The Coke County Relay for Life team "Rocky 09" will be having their annual chicken spaghetti for their fundraiser on Thursday, March 5. There is a minimum donation amount. For information on this donation please contact any of the members listed below.

Any orders of five or more can be delivered in the city limits. You may get tickets from Tracie Tennison, Judy Blair, Rhonda Hood, Teri Key, Pam Millican, Sheila Carver, Donna Waldrop, Belinda Dominey, Kerry and Frankie Gartman, Aaron and Maranda Hood in Robert Lee and Karla Clark and Martha Patterson in Bronte.

Lunch can be picked up at Rock Solid Communications starting at 11 am on March 5.

Red Hat meeting set for Tuesday

The Red Hat Ladies are going to church,

To eat baked potatoes, but we must search.

The 1st Baptist Church is where we will go,

And this time of year we won't worry about snow.

Wear your Red Hats and bring some money,

When you don't want to pay, they don't think it funny!

Tuesday, March 3 is the next meeting of the Coke County Red Hat Club at the Women's Club Potato Bake in Ballinger. The time is 11 am. The Red Hat Club has no rules and pays no dues.



Outstanding Class! Mrs. Denise Roberts' 5th grade class at Robert Lee Elementary was named the Outstanding Class in the Coke County Soil and Water Conservation District Poster Contest for having the class with the most outstanding posters. A rotating trophy plaque with a space for engraving the class name and year was presented to the class.

They just get together once a month to visit and eat. Come and join them - they always welcome new members or visitors.

If you need a ride or want to carpool, call Janet at 473-5388 or Betty at 453-9853.

Gourmet Popcorn for sale

The Coke County Relay for Life team "Prayin' for a Cure" is selling gourmet popcorn for their fundraiser. Popcorn flavors are Butter, Carmel, Cheese, Dark Chocolate, Salsa 'n' Cheddar, Vanilla, and White Cheddar. Please call Kenda or Karen Rasco at 453-5408 or email karasco@wtxs.net to place your order. "Prayin' for a Cure" team members are Kenda Rasco, Karen Rasco, Cole Rasco, Cathy Jenkins, Doris McIntosh, and Caitlyn McIntosh.

RL City General Election information

Monday, March 9 is the last day a candidate may file an application for a place on the ballot for the City General Election which will be held May 9. Applications may be picked up at the City Secretaries office at the Robert Lee City Hall. An election will be held for the positions of Three (3) Council Members. Terms are two years. City Officials terms expiring are: Gary

Payne, Jackie Walker, and Troy Wimberley.

City of Bronte Elections

A General Election will be held to elect two councilmembers for two-year terms to the Bronte City Council. The terms of Misti Bedford and Paula McWright will expire and both have filed for re-election. The last day to apply for a place on the ballot for the General Election is March 9, 2009. A Special Election will be held to elect a councilmember for a one-year unexpired term. Councilmember Alvin Jones resigned the first of February. The last day to apply for a place on the ballot for the Special Election is March 3, 2009. Jennifer Stango has filed for this term.

Candidate applications may be picked up from the City Secretary at the Bronte City Hall at 114 South Washington.

Bronte City-Wide Garage Sale slated

The Sorosis Study Club has again voted to provide all of the advertising for the Bronte City-Wide Garage Sale and yes, it's that time again! Mark your calendars for the first Saturday of May (May 3) at 8 am.

If you want to participate and have a garage sale, please call the City Hall at 473-3501 and they will add

your location to the city maps that will be given away the day of the garage sales.

This is a great opportunity to clean out your closets and sell, sell, sell! Remember to call Bronte City Hall and get your name on the map. If you have questions, or need additional information, please call Pat or Tammy at 473-3501.

Attention Crafters in Coke County

Bronte Chamber of Commerce is having a Craft Fair on June 6, 2009. The Community Center on East Oliver will be the site for the event. There is a small charge for the indoor booths (10'x10'). Set up time for vendors is 8 am, time for fair is 10 am. For more information or an application call 473-2604 or 473-2093.

Big Dream Gathering set for March 5

Texas Midwest Community Network is proud to offer this first-ever Texas Big Dream Gathering and invites everyone to be a part of it! Bring personal or community dreams to the Big Dream Gathering, to be held on Thursday, March 5 at the McNease Convention Center in San Angelo from 6 pm - 9 pm. For more information on the Big Dream Gathering, visit their website at www.bigdreamgathering.com.



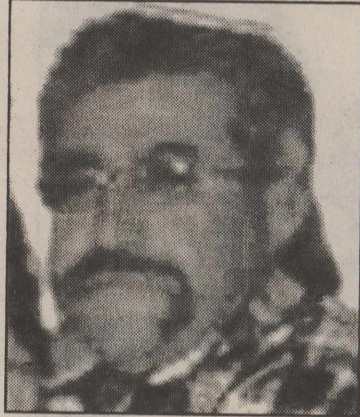
RLVFD Donation! Robert Wink (left), representing Hochheim Prairie Farm Mutual Insurance, presents RLVFD Chief Mark Sides a check in the amount of \$250. The donation represents a portion of insurance sales that Hochheim gives back to the community during the year.

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Obituaries



Tijerina

Ricardo "Rickey T" Tijerina of Odessa, 48, passed away on Wednesday, February 18, 2009, in Odessa.

Visitation was held all day Saturday and Sunday, February 21-22 with the family present from 5 pm - 7 pm on Sunday. A rosary was held at 7 pm on Sunday. The funeral service was held at 2 pm on Monday, February 23, 2009, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church with Father Wade officiating. Burial followed at Robert Lee Hispanic Cemetery. The pallbearers were C.R. Tijerina, Matthew Minor, Danny Abalos, Poly Abalos, Nathan Arango, and Frank Arango. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Rickey T was born on March 1, 1960, in Robert Lee to Pedro and Helen Tijerina. He remained in Robert Lee and attended school before moving to Odessa in 1987.

He was a wonderful, loving father to his two girls, Rebecca and Jackie and he loved his granddaughter, Anisa Briana. Anisa Briana loved her Ampaw.

Rickey T will always be remembered as the life of the party. He loved barbecuing for family and friends. Everyone wanted his recipes but he would never give them up. He will be missed dearly by all those who knew and loved him.

He is preceded in death by his father and by an infant brother, Pedro Tijerina, Jr.

Rickey T is survived by his mother, Helen Tijerina of San Antonio; his daughters, Rebecca Tijerina and Jackie Tijerina both of San Angelo; his brothers, Robert Tijerina of Robert Lee, Ray Tijerina

and wife, Pat of San Antonio; his sister, Linda Minor and husband Johnny of San Antonio; and his granddaughter, Anisa Briana Tijerina of San Angelo; two favorite aunts, Frances Torres and Lily Ramirez; one favorite uncle, Ismael "Vale" Valenzuela. He is also survived by numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Dad we love you and we will miss you dearly. Your memory will live on in our hearts forever.

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Death Notices

Mayfield

Brenda Sue Mayfield, 66, of San Angelo, passed away Monday, Feb. 23, 2009, at her residence.

Graveside service was held at 2:30 pm Wednesday, February 25, 2009, in Fairmount Cemetery with the Rev. Mike Andress officiating. Arrangements were by Johnson's Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, Eldon Mayfield of San Angelo; daughter Bonnie Sonnenberg and husband Stephen of San Angelo; grandson Jeremy Morris and wife Juli of Kilgore, Texas; brother Cleo McDorman and wife Helen of Olympia, Washington; brothers and sisters-in-law, James and Mary Mayfield of Fort Worth, Elmer and Betty Mayfield of San Angelo, Robert and Jan Mayfield of Walnut Creek, California,

Ray and Judy Benton of San Angelo; and several nieces and nephews.

Sheriff McCutchen issues appeal to citizens

Responding to the increased number of citizens wanting to assist law enforcement officials and build a stronger partnership in the fight against crime, Sheriff Wayne McCutchen recently announced that Coke County Citizens are being invited to become Associate Members of the Sheriffs' Association of Texas.

Membership invitations will go out in the mail over the next several weeks. Associate Member funding allows the Sheriffs' Association of Texas to provide critical training, technical resources, and legislative support on key criminal justice issues to law enforcement officers across the state.

In addition, dues will be used to support crime prevention and awareness programs, promote public safety, fight drug abuse, provide additional training for sheriffs and their deputies, and provide scholarships for children of law enforcement officers.

Contributions to the Sheriffs' Association of Texas are tax-deductible.

"The Associate Membership Drive helps provide the funding which is vital to our mission of making our communities safer places to live, work and play," said Sheriff McCutchen.

The Associate Membership Program was created to provide citizens with an opportunity to lend their support to more effective law enforcement and to better help local Sheriffs protect the lives and property of citizens.

"During these economic times, the need for building stronger public-private law enforcement partnerships continues to escalate, and programs such as this continue to grow in importance," said Sheriff McCutchen. "I encourage every citizen

receiving a membership appeal to consider joining forces with us by becoming an Associate Member. It is a valuable investment in our future."

1601 S. IH-35.

Austin, Texas 78741

www.txsheriffs.org

Founded in 1874, the Sheriffs' Association of Texas is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit professional and educational organization dedicated to the preservation of peace and the protection of the lives and property of the citizens of Texas. Mr. Steve M. Westbrook serves as the Executive Director. Headquarters are located in Austin, Texas. The Sheriffs' Association of Texas do not make solicitations by telephone. If you receive a phone call from someone who uses the Sheriffs' Association of Texas name, please report it to your local Sheriff or County/District Attorney.

BHRC Auxiliary meeting held

The Bronte Health and Rehab Center Auxiliary met on Thursday, February 19 in the living room of BHRC. Royce Fancher led the prayer to open the meeting and bless the food. BHRC provided a delicious lunch of chicken enchiladas, Mexican corn, and fruit salad. Minutes of the November 13, 2008,

meeting and the treasurer's report were approved as presented.

Kendal Johnston, BHRC Activities Director, announced that the Easter Egg Hunt would be held on Friday, April 10. The auxiliary will donate money toward the Easter egg hunt.

It was decided to have the annual 4th of July hot dog supper/auction/fireworks on Saturday, July 4, 2009. The auxiliary will help with the expense of the fireworks. BHRC staff will be in charge of the hot dog supper. After a discussion it was decided that an ad would be put in the paper thanking individual donors.

The auxiliary will have an Open House on Sunday, March 1 from 2 pm - 3:30 pm to introduce Paula Hensley to the community. Members volunteered to provide cookies, punch, and paper goods.

Members present were Marilyn Bivins, Jane and Ed Cumbie, Jean and Royce Fancher, Lanette Fletcher, Beverly Sims, Doris and Jesse Sims, Janet and Lee Wommack and guests Andra Arrott, Paula Hensley, and Kendal Johnston.

East Coke Co. EMS February Donations

Elton & Fredna Moore
West Coke Co. EMS February Donations
 Peggy Melton, Fran and Mike Lomas

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

Ray Aldridge, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

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

Bro. Corey Cornutt, 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 am Sunday School
 11 am Worship

5 pm Youth
First United Methodist Church
 PO Box 144 • 9th and Chadbourne
 Robert Lee

(325) 453-2417

Steve Peyton, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunay School
 11 am Worship

5:30 pm Choir Practice
Iglesia Bautista Bethel
 101 Houston • Robert Lee
 (325) 763-9208 • 320-1354

Sun. 10 am • Worship
 11 am & 6 pm • Service
 Wed. 7 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 Church
 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. 6 pm Prayer Meeting
Tennyson Baptist Church
 Hwy 277 • Tennyson

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

Wed. 6 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
St. James Catholic Church
 215 N. Washington, Bronte
 (325) 365-2687

Rev. Hubert Wade, Pastor
 Sun. 5 pm



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Special Olympics basketball tournament slated

The Special Olympics Area Basketball Tournament will be held at Bronte ISD on Saturday, February 28. This is an incredible opportunity and privilege for the school and community. There will be a multitude of areas to volunteer (referees, medical staff, game books, game clocks, hospitality room, dance, opening ceremonies, awards, skills, concession stand). If you would like to take part in this event, contact Tammy Hortenstine at (325) 473-2251 ext. 141.

Lamb Referendum ends today

The U.S. Department of Agriculture announces that it will offer lamb producers, feeders, and first handlers the opportunity to vote in a nationwide referendum on whether to continue or terminate the Lamb Promotion, Research, and Information Order, authorized under the Commodity Promotion, Research, and Information Act of 1996. The referendum will be held February 2-27.

The referendum will be conducted at USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) county offices. To be eligible to vote, persons must certify and provide documentation, such as a sales receipt or remittance form, which shows they have been engaged in the production, feeding, or slaughtering of lambs during the period, Jan. 1, 2008, through Dec. 31, 2008.

Beginning February 2, and continuing through February 27, persons eligible to vote should obtain form LS-86 from a county FSA office either in person, by mail, fax, or via the Internet at: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/lsmarketingprograms>. Persons must vote in the referendum at the County FSA office where their administrative farm records are maintained. For those persons not participating in FSA programs, the opportunity to vote will be provided at the County FSA office where the person owns or rents land.

Form LS-86 and supporting documentation must be returned in person, by mail, or by fax to the appropriate county FSA office. The form and documentation returned in person or by fax must be received in the appropriate county office prior to the close of business on Feb. 27, 2009. The form and documentation returned by mail must be postmarked no later than midnight on February 27, and received in the county FSA office by March 6.

USDA monitors activities of the American Lamb Board. The mandatory program is financed by producers, seed-stock producers (breeders), feeders, and exporters who are assessed one-half cent

(\$0.005) per pound when live ovine animals are sold. The first handler, primarily packers, pays an additional 30 cents per head on ovine animals purchased for slaughter.

Notice of the referendum will be published in the Dec. 16, 2008, Federal Register. Copies of the Final Rule and Notice are available from the Marketing Programs Branch; Livestock and Seed Program, AMS, USDA; STOP 0251-Room 2628-S; 1400 Independence Avenue, SW; Washington, D.C. 20250-0251; tel. (202) 720-1115; or via the Internet at www.ams.usda.gov/lsmarketingprograms.

Sorosis Study Club meeting held

The Sorosis Study Club of Bronte met for a regular meeting at the home of Janet Wommack on February 19, 2009. President Lanette Fletcher opened the meeting and pledges were said to the United States and Texas flags and the Club Collect was read. Paul Archinal gave a fabulous talk about his life in television and radio including several encounters with past presidents--Harry S. Truman, George HW Bush, George W Bush, and Lyndon Johnson. He gave all present an autographed picture of him as "Admiral Foghorn" with Doc and Festes from Gunsmoke. Everyone enjoyed his talk.

Final plans were made for the Garage Sale to be held on Saturday, May 2 at the bank parking lot. Several members volunteered to work at the garage sale. The Sorosis Club again is in charge of publicity about the Citywide Garage Sale and will also distribute maps of garage sales. SnoCones will be sold at Ft. Chadbourne days on May 1-2. Jane Wheat is in charge of the SnoCones and she will need lots of help. A Chicken Spaghetti lunch was planned for after church on March 22 at the First Baptist Church. Everyone is invited to come for a delicious lunch. Donations will be accepted. The money raised will be donated to Relay for Life. The Sorosis Club will provide refreshments and entertain-

ment for the birthday party at Bronte Health and Rehab Center on March 27 at 3 pm.

Next month's meeting will be March 19 at 7 pm at the Housing Authority Community room. Spouses and other guests are invited to hear Ellen McKeness, the first female fighter pilot.

Delicious banana splits were served by hostess Janet Wommack and co-hostess Mary Glenn to members and guests Marilyn Bivins, Celia Bowden, Jane Cumbie, Lanette Fletcher, Jean Fancher, Marion Gohman, Pat Lee, Fredna Moore, Doris Sims, Martha Ratliff, Jennifer Stango, Nelda Tandy, Leah Rosson, Beverly Sims, Swan and Paul Archinal.

RLVFD Memorials and Donations

In Memory of Cova Sparks
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican, Mike and Fran Lomas, Tad and Therese Emert

In Memory of Louise Glenna Winkel

Roy and Judy Blair
In Memory of Zolene Reid
Curtis and Annice Walker
In Memory of Shirley Higgs
Roy and Judy Blair, Rock Solid Communications

Donations
Mike Irish, Bivins Insurance - Hochheim Prairie Branch 95, Hochheim Prairie Farm Mutual Insurance, Frank and Mandy Box, Oak Creek Ranch, Joe and Charlotte McKnight, '64 Study Club

Tidwells celebrate 50th wedding anniversary

James and Brenda Tidwell celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner at the couple's home on February 21, 2009. Hosts for the dinner were their children, Shelene and Travis Black and Jimmy and Coralie Tidwell.

James Tidwell and Brenda Corley were married on February 17, 1959, at the Methodist Church in Colorado City.

Attending the dinner were Shelene, Travis, Caleb and Bailey Black; Jimmy and Coralie Tidwell; Jami,

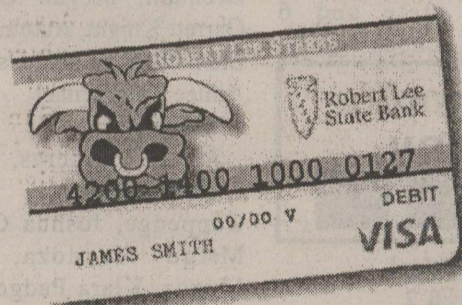


First Place! Julie Brunson Devine of Bristow, Oklahoma, formerly of Bronte, recently won first place in the Women's Hunter Division of the Archery Shooters Association tournament held in Gainesville, Florida. Julie is the daughter of Jim and Nancy Brunson of El Indio, Texas, and Kerry Davis of South Carolina.

Maelynn and Raymond Williams of San Angelo; Jordyn and Jonna Tidwell of Lubbock; Davis and Eileen Corley of Midland; Larry Johnson of Plano; Theron and Jane Tidwell of Lamesa; Donna Jackson and Jean Stevens of Shep; Lynn, Kaci, Kacelyn and Kolson Follis of Blackwell; Larry Melton of

Ballinger; Autumn Gwinn of Jim Ned; Jack and Glenda Corley, Mary Morrow, Kenneth and Becky Cochran and Christine Corley, all from Bronte.

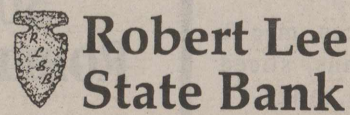
James and Brenda have lived in Bronte most of their married life. They are members of the Church of Christ. James retired from working for the county and is a rancher.



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Stop by and request yours today!



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MEMBER FDIC

Bronte Baseball, Softball and T-Ball Sign Up

Saturday, February 28

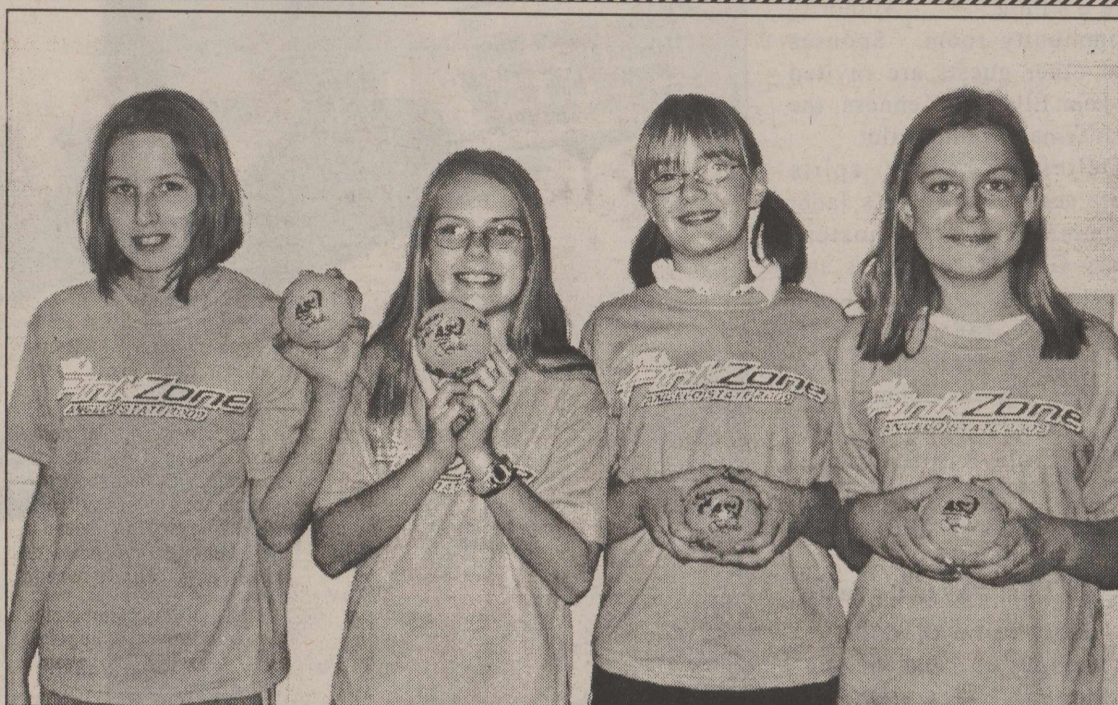
10 am - 12:30 pm

Bronte Baseball Fields

\$60 - Baseball & Softball • \$45 - T-Ball

 ★ Please join the Bronte Health ★
 ★ and Rehab Center Auxiliary ★
 ★ at a Come-and-Go Reception ★
 ★ to meet our new interim-administrator, ★
 ★ Paula Hensley ★
 ★ Sunday, March 1 • 2 pm - 3:30 pm ★
 ★ 900 S. State, Bronte, Texas ★

ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS



Ball Girls! On Friday, February 20, these Robert Lee students were ball girls for the Angelo State Rambelles. They included Brady Clawson, Bailey Hooten, Kodi Drennan and Madison Wright. The girls got to sit with the team during the game, tour the locker room, and have their names announced with the starting line up. They also received Pink Zone t-shirts and a basketball autographed by the team.

3 places available on RLISD board

Candidate applications will be available for 3 places on the Robert Lee ISD Board of Trustees with all 3 places being three year terms. Applications can be picked up at the Robert Lee ISD Administration office during the hours of 8 am - 3:30 pm, Monday through Friday.

The deadline for filing a candidate application is Monday, March 9, 2009, at 5 pm. Election day will be Saturday, May 9, 2009.

Requirements for filing are that you must have lived 1 year in the state and 6 months in the school district

School Menu

Breakfast

- Monday, March 2**
Juice, donut, cereal, milk
- Tuesday, March 3**
Juice, sausage & biscuit, cereal, milk
- Wednesday, March 4**
Juice, muffin, cereal, milk
- Thursday, March 5**
Juice, pop tart, cereal, milk
- Friday, March 6**
Juice, pancake & sausage, cereal and milk

Lunch

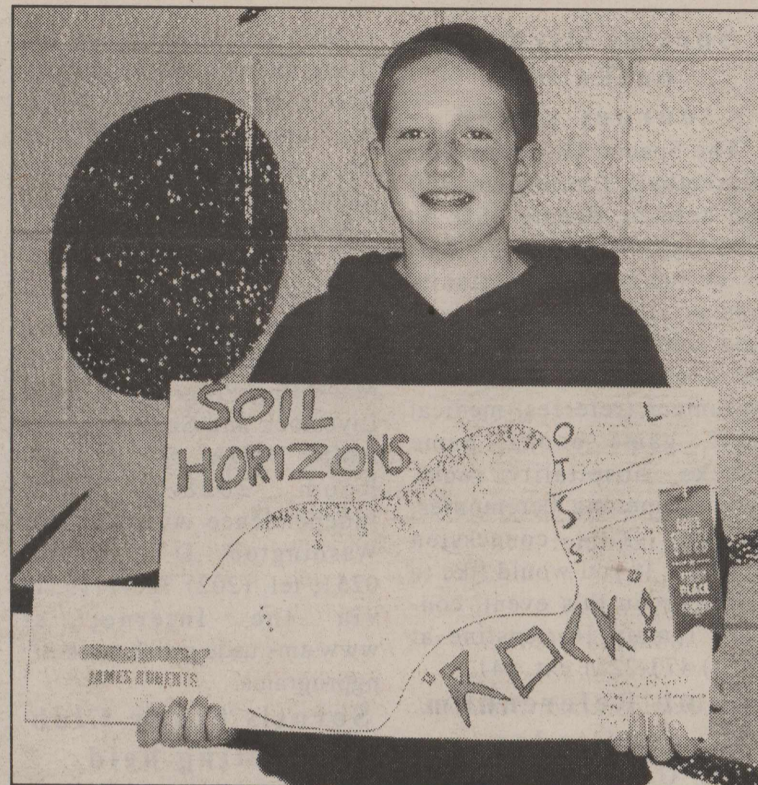
- Monday, March 2**
Salisbury steak, au gratin potatoes, corn on cob, roll, pears, milk
- Tuesday, March 3**
Turkey corndog, tator tots, pork & beans, applesauce, graham crackers, milk
- Wednesday, March 4**
Bean chalupas, salad, Spanish rice, tamale, orange, milk
- Thursday, March 5**
Oven fried chicken, mac & cheese, green beans, sliced bread, strawberries, milk
- Friday, March 6**
Hamburger, salad, pickles, baked chips, peaches, milk

prior to filing, be at least 18 years of age, and be a registered voter at time of election. Robert Lee ISD will need to elect three trustees. The 3 year terms of Tom Sawyer, Jr., Wes Washam, and Brandi Brosh are expiring.

RLISD Awards 4th Six Weeks A Honor Roll

- 1st grade**
Shaelyn Ellsworth, Haleigh Soto
- 2nd grade**
Kaden Austin, Courtney Brown, Kelby Clawson, Corbin Drennan, Megan Grantham, Garrett Knight, Autumn Ramon, Elexis Sanchez, Chelsea Wyatt, Aimee Zimmerman
- 3rd grade**
Aylssa Balderas, Bethany Coppedge, William Coppedge, Joshua Gregston, Margo Mendoza, Mariah Munoz, Kiara Padgett, Cesar Rangel, Kourtney Roach
- 4th grade**
Gabriel Abalos, Kaden Hayes, Anna Huapilla, James Wyatt, Matthew Curry
- 5th grade**
Bruce Buddin, Kodi Drennan, Haley Grantham, Hunter Hamrick, Myrka Rangel, Karlee Roach, Justice Saucedo
- 6th grade**
James Roberts
- 7th grade**
Will Howard, Everett Howard
- 8th grade**
Jordan Gartman, Justin Gartman, Zachary Sanchez, Ashlie Wheat
- 9th grade**

- Tyler Henderson, Meagan Ross
- 10th grade**
Heidi Austin, Skyler Rainwater, Jorge Rostro
- 11th grade**
Emily Arellano, Piedad Juarez
- 12th grade**
Holly Austin, Garrett Blair, Jeremy Martinez, Mira Myrice, Mason Ross, Cori Torres, Jimmy Womack
- A/B Honor Roll**
- 7th grade**
Michael Curry, Hanna Hamrick, Jesse Sheets
- 8th grade**
Drew Davis, Lubbock Roe
- 9th grade**
Luisa Carrera, Jose Fabian, Lisa Myrice, Kimberly Roach, Victoria Roe, Raquel Rojas, Diana Vera
- 10th grade**
Foster Allen, Haden Dillard, Amanda Mendoza, Logan Philley, Kacee Roberts, Luke Sheldon, Sarah Walker
- 11th grade**
Briana Brisbin, Cayetano Carrera, Molli Hinderliter, Stetson Nesbit, Emilee Yanez
- 12th grade**
Jasmine Cortinez, Josh Gallegos, Sarah Jones, Prescilla Lara, Dustin Moreno, Michael Rodriguez, Norma Rojas, Jodi Sheldon
- Perfect Attendance**
- Pre-K**
Dylan Thomas, Heather Huapilla, Braylee Hood, Kaleb Gallegos
- Kindergarten**
Zoe Tijerina, Isabella Juarez, Richard Eatherly, Jacey Brashear, Ian Paredes, Michael Munoz, Kailan



Runner Up! James Roberts of Mrs. Denise Roberts' 6th grade class in Robert Lee was the district runner-up in the Coke County Soil and Water Conservation Poster Contest and was the recipient of a \$25 cash award. James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Roberts of Robert Lee.

- Gallegos, Reagan Bohannon
- 1st grade**
Jay Service, Tara McCormick, Sydney Hayes, Jonathan Skipworth, Ethan Brashear, William Dunn, Joseph Leal, Haleigh Soto, Veronica Ureno
- 2nd grade**
Caleb Ward, Garrett Knight, Corbin Drennan, Kenneth Mitchell, Madison Hall, Megan Grantham, Elexis Sanchez, Bubba Bohannon, Chelsea Wyatt, Daniel Mendoza
- 3rd grade**
Mariah Munoz, Cesar Rangel, Rachel Russell, Kourtney Roach, Julian Torres, Kiara Padgett, William Coppedge, Adam Minjarez, Jorge Mendoza, Elana Gloria, Meghan Bohannon, Bethany Coppedge, Alyssa Balderas, Ryann Harless, Margo Mendoza
- 4th grade**
Anna Huapilla, Casey Scruggs, Kaden Hayes, Matthew Curry, Ryan Martin
- 5th grade**
Kaleb Torres, Bruce Buddin, Sandra Hubbard-Flores, Justice Saucedo, Kodi Drennan, Karlee Roach, Myrka Rangel, Hunter Hamrick, Haley Grantham, Pamela Meeks, Rani Coppedge, Blaine Yanez, Jesus Landeros
- 6th grade**
Mychael Tijerina, James Roberts, Jayton Torres
- 7th grade**
Michael Curry, Shelby Davis, Fatima Fabian, Bianca Huapilla, Kevin Saucedo, Jesse Sheets, Sydney Sheldon, Jacob Torres
- 8th grade**
Dawson Brisbin, Jordan Gartman, Kelsey Hewitt, Hazel Howard, Zachary Sanchez, James Skinner, Ashlie Wheat
- 9th grade**
Luisa Carrera, Jose Fabian, Cynthia Mitchell, Kimberly Roach, Garrett Rogers, Raquel Rojas, Meagan Ross
- 10th grade**
Heidi Austin, Haden Dillard, Daniel Nowlin, Kacee Roberts, Jorge Rostro, Luke Sheldon, Joshua Tennison
- 11th grade**
Emily Arellano, Briana Brisbin, Cayetano Carrera, Josef Hanigan, Piedad Juarez, Stetson Nesbit, Erika Percy
- 12th grade**
Jodi Sheldon
- CCSWD Poster Contest results**
Edison Diaries of the Bronte 6th grade is the winner of the conservation poster contest for Coke County students in the 5th and 6th grades for 2008-2009. Mrs. Heather Lee is his teacher. The contest is sponsored by the Coke County Soil and Water Conservation District. In addition to a ribbon and certificate, Edison received a \$50 cash award and will be honored at an awards banquet in Wall, Texas on March 26, 2009. Edison is the son of Otis and Susan Rolls of Bronte, Texas.
James Roberts of Mrs. Denise Roberts' 6th grade class in Robert Lee was the district runner-up and the recipient of a \$25 cash award. James is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Roberts of Robert Lee.

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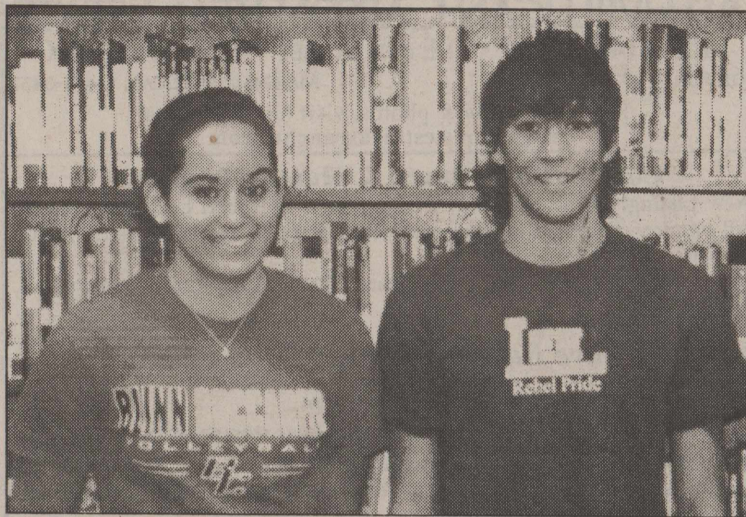
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Financial Aid Night! Bronte High School hosted a financial aid night for seniors and their parents February 19. A financial aid officer from Angelo State University spoke about the financial aid process for attending college. Two \$200 scholarships were presented to Shannon Deller and Eddie May by Panhandle Plains Student Loan Center.

4 vacancies on Bronte ISD School Board

Bronte ISD has four vacancies to fill for full three year terms. Three positions are full three year terms currently held by Wayne Coalson, Jeff Schoenfield and Bob Frazee. The fourth position is for the last year of a three year term currently held by board appointed Shane Kelton. Last day to file is March 9, 2009.

Applications may be picked up at Superintendent's office during regular business hours, 8 am - 4 pm, Monday through Friday.

Bronte ISD e-mail updates available

Parents and community members can be updated on Bronte ISD school



School Menu

Breakfast

Monday, March 2

Cereal, applesauce, toast, jelly, milk

Tuesday, March 3

Pop tarts, assorted juice, toast, jelly, milk

Wednesday, March 4

Sausage, assorted juice, biscuit, jelly, milk

Thursday, March 5

French toast sticks, assorted juice, syrup, milk

Friday, March 6

Sausage roll, assorted juice, milk

Lunch

Monday, March 2

Battered breaded chicken w/gravy, potatoes, green beans, roll, banana pudding, milk

Tuesday, March 3

Spaghetti, tossed salad, corn, fruit cup, Texas toast, milk

Wednesday, March 4

Pigs in a blanket, mac & cheese, pork & beans, apricot halves, milk

Thursday, March 5

Taco salad, cheese, lettuce & tomato, refried beans, mixed fruit, taco chips, milk

Friday, March 6

Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, French fries, assorted fruit, bun, apple crisp, milk

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Bronte Elementary Awards

4th Six Weeks 1st grade

Met AR Goal

Damian Albolaez, Karissa Cervenka, E'lexia Davis, Summerain Gothard, Hunter Hortenstine, Megan Reyes, Kyalyn Seales

Achieved Ready Reader Certification in Accelerated Reader

E'lexia Davis, Joel Guia, Hannah Mertz, Kyalyn Seales

Achieved Independent Reader Certification in Accelerated Reader

Karissa Cervenka, Summerain Gothard, Hunter Hortenstine

Super Citizen Award

Karissa Cervenka, E'lexia Davis, Stephanie Garza, Summerain Gothard, Hunter Hortenstine, Megan Reyes, Kyalyn Seales

Perfect Attendance Award

Damian Albolaez, Josalyn Casarez, Karissa Cervenka, Brittany Earley, Cindy Gentles, Joel Guia, Hunter Hortenstine, Megan Reyes

2nd grade-Rawls

A Honor Roll
Alyssa Lyon
A/B Honor Roll
Tanner Braswell, Nicholas Casarez, Brooklyn Jones, Cassidy McWright, Kimberly Ogle, Kaylee Puentez, Miranda Tijerina, Baily Torres, Kaily Torres

Super Longhorns

Cassidy McWright, Jayden Speary, Mahira Tapia, Baily Torres, Kaily Torres

Met Reading Goal

Tanner Braswell, Alyssa Lyon, Cassidy McWright, Kaylee Puentez, Jayden Speary, Mahira Tapia
Perfect Attendance
Nicholas Casarez, Jr Guia, Kimberly Ogle, Kaylee Puentez, Mahira Tapia, Kaily Torres, Baily Torres

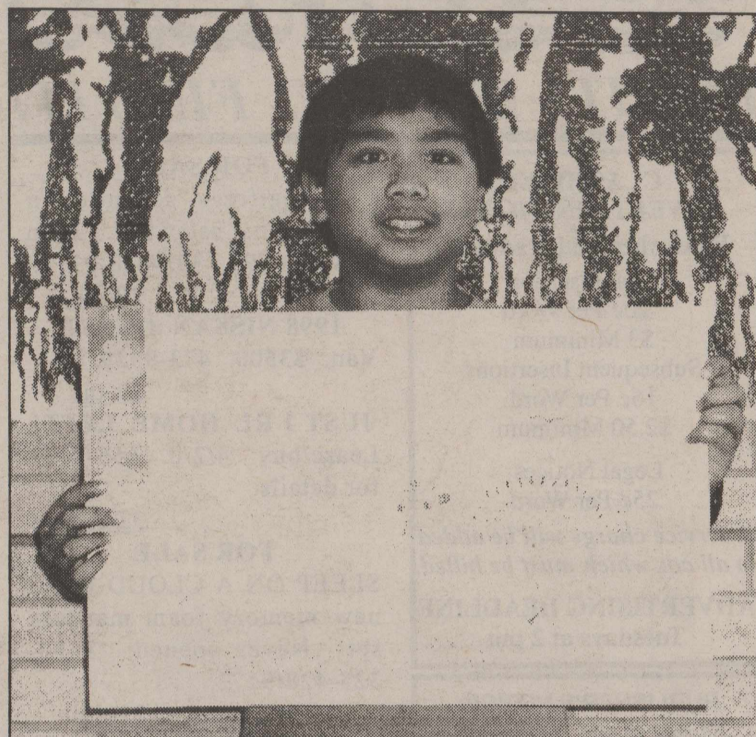
2nd grade-Ponder

A Honor Roll
Robert Arthur, Jeana Avalos, Junita Betts, Jacob Eubanks, Raegen Moore, Damian Puentez, Kaci Queen

A/B Honor Roll

Makaylah DeLaCerde,

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Zachary Gully, Hailey McKinney, Skyleigh Minjarez, Savina Ornelaz, Randall Parks, Kristen Stillely

Perfect Attendance

Robert Arthur, Juanita Betts, Makaylah DeLaCerde, Jacob Eubanks, Raegen Moore, Randall Parks, Damian Puentez, Kaci Queen

3rd grade-Lloyd

A Honor Roll

Tanner Bedford, Analyn Bohensky, Mercedes Delacerda, Kyla Marshall

A/B Honor Roll

Aaron Cervenka, Sierra O'Brien

Super Citizen

Analyn Bohensky, Jaqui Davila, Mercedes Delacerda, Kyla Marshall, Diana Tapia

AR Reading Goal

Tanner Bedford, Analyn Bohensky, Jaqui Davila, Mercedes Delacerda, Mason Keeney, Kyla Marshall
Perfect Attendance
Tanner Bedford, Analyn Bohensky, Aaron Cervenka, Jaqui Davila, Danny Pullen, Diana Tapia

3rd grade-Wilson

Super Longhorn Citizenship Awards
Hanna McKinney, Darby Duncan, Shawn Puentez, Melissa Perez
A Honor Roll
Nicole Carnell, Darby Duncan, Hanna McKinney

A/B Honor Roll

Vincent Basquez, Colton King, Jaxon Chantrill, Collin Moore

Perfect Attendance

Vincent Basquez, Jaxon Chantrill, Natasha Carroll, Kendra Coalson, Joshua Fuentez, Colton King, Hanna McKinney, Collin Moore, Shawn Puentez, Daisy Shivers

Met Accelerated Reading Goal

Vincent Basquez, Darby Duncan, Shawn Puentez
4th grade-Coalson
A Honor Roll
Whitney Boyd
A/B Honor Roll
Emily Barnett, Evan Ferguson, Destiny Lyon, Justin Reed, Emily Whitehurst

Met Reading Goal

Reighlyn Baken, Emily

Barnett, Whitney Boyd, Evan Ferguson, Alex Guia, Justin Reed, Tristan Sullivan, Emily Whitehurst

Perfect Attendance

Ashley Betts, Whitney Boyd, Ryan Jones, Emily Whitehurst

4th grade-Bearden

A Honor Roll

Brittany Bedford, Hannah Brackeen, Kacelyn Follis, Alejandro Rosales

A/B Honor Roll

Ismael Cecilio, Carson Kelso

Perfect Attendance

Brittany Bedford, Ismael Cecilio, Kacelyn Follis, Alejandro Rosales

Met A/R Goal

Brittany Bedford, Hannah Brackeen, Kacelyn Follis, Alejandro Rosales

5th grade

A/B Honor Roll

Jayden Baumann, Kevin Charles, Jerica Davis, Rankin DeRonde, Christopher James, Cambri Kelso, Emmery McCullough, Tucker McMullan, Sarah Sanchez, Kellie Thorn, Ean Ward

Perfect Attendance

Jerica Davis, Emmery McCullough, Tucker McMullan, Jaime Padilla, Sarah Sanchez, Martha Tapia

Met A/R Goal

Jayden Baumann, Kevin Charles, Jerica Davis, Rankin DeRonde, Anastasia Headley, Christopher James, Cambri Kelso, Tucker McMullan, Tyler Richards, Brittany

Sutton, Ean Ward

6th grade

A Honor Roll

Marley Braswell

AB Honor Roll

Jessica Arthur, Crystal Bilbrey, Lance Burns, Charissa Caston, Edison Diares, Stacia Emfinger, Maria Franco, Kourtney Kelton, Jensen Reed, Addison Rosson, Jared Scott

Perfect Attendance

Ricky Amendt, Jessica Arthur, Amber Betts, Crystal Bilbrey, Marley Braswell, Lance Burns, Charissa Caston, Heriberto Cecilio, Edison Diares, Stacia Emfinger, Carlos Fuentez, Dalton Ogle, Oscar Pena, Josh Puentez, Addie Rosson, Jared Scott

AR Reading Goal

Ricky Amendt, Jessica Arthur, Savannah Arthur, Crystal Bilbrey, Marley Braswell, Jacob Baken, Lance Burns, Edison Diares, Stacia Emfinger, Maria Franco, Carlos Fuentez, Madison Harris, Kourtney Kelton, Oscar Pena, Josh Puentez, Jensen Reed, Addie Rosson, Moriah Royall, Jared Scott

Longhorns win over Roscoe

The Longhorns won an exciting game against Roscoe by a score of 48-47. Stats: Lahne Burns 11 pts., 5 assists, Dakota Rawls 21 pts., Heath Richey 10 rebounds, Kerwin Rawls 16 pts., 4 assists, 3 steals. The Longhorns are the District Champions. They have a 26-3 overall record and 10-2 District record.

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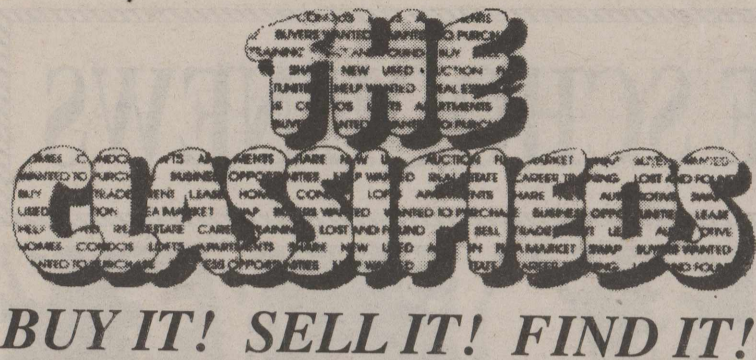
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PUBLIC NOTICE
 Notice is hereby given that the Coke County Judge's office will be accepting applications for the position of a Bronte Senior Citizens Director. Applications may be picked up at the Judge's office in the Courthouse in Robert Lee, Texas. This is a part-time position that provides retirement, vacation and sick leave. Applications will be accepted until 9:00 am Monday, March 9, 2009. If you have any questions, you may contact the Auditor's office at 325-453-2922 or Judge's office at 325-453-2641. Coke County is an equal opportunity employer.
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 Notice is hereby given that Bronte and Robert Lee will be accepting applications for Lifeguards for the pools this summer. Life Guards must be 16 years of age on or before May 20, 2009. You must be certified or if not, classes will be offered. Applications may be picked up at the Judge's office in the Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas. If you have any questions, call Jeff Barnes, 325-763-7414 in Robert Lee or Joy Malone in Bronte, 325-763-7452. Coke County is an equal opportunity employer.
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The hearing will be held on March 9, 2009, at 7:00 pm at the City Hall, 6 E. 7th Street.

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sera aguantada la proposicion para ser incluida en el 9 de mayo de 2009 la votacion. La proposicion autorizaria el Robert Lee 4A la Corporacion Economica del Desarrollo a transferir los fondos al Robert Lee 4B la Corporacion Economica del Desarrollo para tomar parte en la renovacion del piscine del parquet.

La Vista se tendra en el 9 de marco de 2009 en 7:00 de la tarde en el municipalidad, 6 E. 7th del sur.

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...Poster Contest

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The top places in each class were: Bronte 5th Grade (Mrs. Heather Lee) - 1st) Sarah Sanchez, 2nd) Anastacia Headley, 3rd) Tucker McMullan, 4th) Ean Reyes; Bronte 6th grade (Mrs. Heather Lee) - 1st) Edison Diales, 2nd) Addie Rosson, 3rd) Jessica Arthur, 4th) Marley Braswell; Robert Lee 5th Grade (Mrs. Denise Roberts) - 1st) Karlee Roach, 2nd) Myrka Rangel, 3rd) Madison Wright, 4th) Haley Grantham; Robert Lee 6th grade (Mrs. Denise Roberts) - 1st) James Roberts, 2nd) Jayton Torres, 3rd) Jaden Aldridge, 4th) Mychael Tijerina.

Every student who submitted a poster received a certificate from the Natural Resources Conservation Service in appreciation for the thought, effort and publicity on the need and worth of soil and water conservation that the posters depicted. Posters were displayed in the Robert Lee State Bank and the First National Bank in Bronte recently.

A rotating trophy plaque with a space for engraving the class name and year was presented to the class with the majority of outstanding posters. The Outstanding Class award went to Mrs. Denise Roberts' Robert Lee 5th grade.

Three posters prepared by Edison Diales, James Roberts and Karlee Roach have been entered in the Texas Area II Contest which includes poster entries from 52 counties.

The theme choice for 2008 was "Dig It! The Secrets of

Soil." Some students submitted posters illustrating their knowledge of soil including: how soils make life, how soils have history in their unique, colorful and exotic layers, giving us clues to how they have changed over time. Some illustrated how life would not exist, as we know it, without soils and how plants grow in and from soils, and plants—directly or indirectly—feed almost all life on earth. In a nutshell, soils make life, life makes soils, and soils breathe because they shelter and support living organisms.

As always, the quality of posters entered made the job of choosing a winner and runner-up very difficult for the judges.

Contributions from the Kickapoo Creek Water Control and Improvement District, and the Robert Lee State Bank, made the contest possible. As in years past, the contest could not have been successful without the support and the enthusiastic participation by the teachers and school administration.

Bronte JV Horns named Co-District Champions

The Bronte JV Longhorn basketball team completed its season on February 17, defeating Roscoe and tying Eula for the Co-District Championship. The young Horns had a terrific season compiling 20 wins with just 5 losses. The most wins by JV team from Bronte in history (or the history of Coach Rawls' memory).

They played every game as hard as they could play and the outcome proved to be monumental. The Bronte Longhorns have a bright future ahead of them with this group. Team members include Jacob Scott, Jordan Baumann, John Deller, Creed Coalson, Ryan Everheart, Jose Perez, Terron Charles, KC Barber, and Kaleb Parks. Results from the final ball

game of the year are as follows.

The Bronte JV team defeated Roscoe by a score of 43-26. Scoring: Baumann 10, Scott 9, Coalson 7, Everheart 4, Charles 4, Barber 4, Perez 3, and Deller 2. They finished with a record of 20-5 and District 11-1.

Bronte Academic UIL practice meet results

Several Bronte students attended an Academic UIL Practice for Math and Science at Lake View Saturday, February 21. Results in small schools (1A, 2A, 3A) are as follows.

Bill Miller - 7th) 11th grade Science, 9th) 11th grade Math; Rob Rosson - 5th) 11th grade Calculator; Fernando Fraune - 9th) 11th grade Math; Skyler Ellis - 5th) 10th grade Calculator, 7th) 10th grade Science; Shelbi Amendt - 6th) 9th grade Math.

The next practice meet will be at Wall. The district meet is set for March 30.

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...Scholarships

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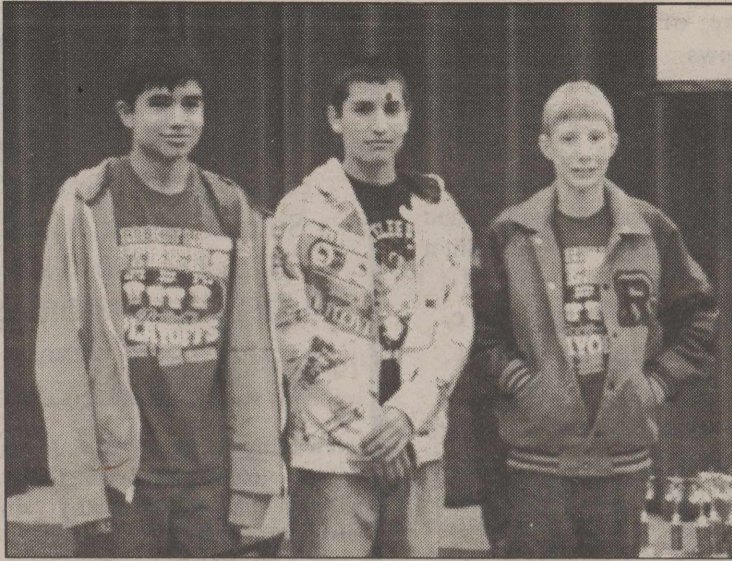
Students must complete the entire application form, available at www.chsfoundation.org, and mail in the application with the required attachments. The deadline to apply is April 1, 2009. The form can be recreated. The following information will need to be included with the application: a copy of school transcripts, two letters of reference, completed answers to short essay questions, school administrator/guidance counselor signature, applicant and parent/guardian signature, if applicant is under 18 years.

The CHS Foundation also offers scholarships for students who are majoring in agriculture related fields at Texas A&M University and Texas Tech University. In addition, there are also scholarships available for students who are majoring in Ag related fields at two-year colleges. Please see the web site for more information.

Scholarship applications are also available to graduating seniors with at least a 3.00 GPA from the Leadership San Angelo Alumni Association. Please visit the counselor's office at Bronte High School for an application. The deadline to apply is March 23, 2009.

The Texas Trial Lawyers Association is now accepting applications for the 2009 Scholarship Program which is dedicated to assisting students who have proven the ability to do college level work, yet may not be able to obtain financial aid through traditional sources. These true-need-based scholarships of \$1000 each are awarded to high school seniors statewide. The scholarship criteria do not include requirements concerning race, sex or field of study.

Prospective scholarship candidates must submit the following: the completed 2009 TTLA Application form, a transcript and report card, two letters of



Robotics! The Robert Lee Robotics teams competed against area teams on February 16. The Division I Boys team (above photo), consisting of Jorge Rostro, Luke Sheldon and Zachary Sanchez placed 4th. The Division I Girls team (top right photo) of Emily Arellano, Jodi Sheldon, Linsey Arellano and Corri Torres placed 2nd and will advance to state. The elementary team (bottom right photo) of James Roberts, Tristen Hildebrand, Jerry Wofford and Mychael Tijerina placed 4th.

recommendation on official letterhead from school counselors, teachers or administrators, an essay titled "Why the jury is the cornerstone of the civil justice system", a list of work/school activities, a personal statement; and the applicant must sign and date the certification section of the application.

The application must be post-marked no later than March 20 to be eligible for consideration. Students do not need to plan on majoring in Law to apply for this scholarship. Please visit www.ttla.com for an application.

RL Robotics teams results

On February 16 Robert Lee Robotics went against 66 teams from around the area including Garden City and Midland. Despite problems, the students were able to capture 2nd and 4th place in Division I (9th -12th Grades) and 4th place in Division II (4th - 8th Grades).

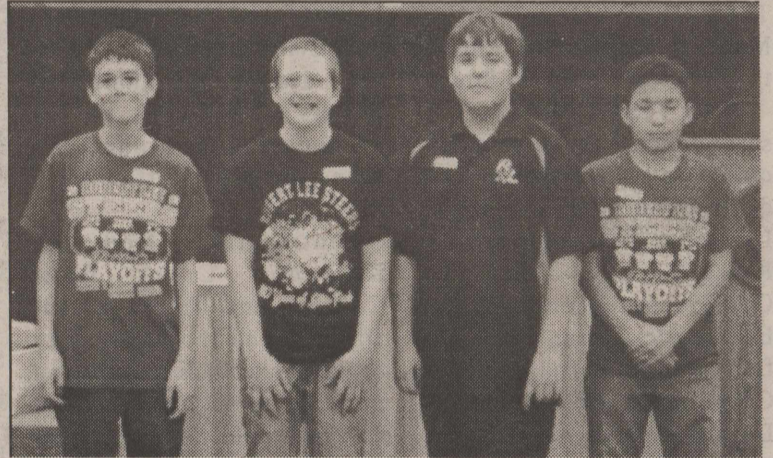
The Division I girls team of Emily Arellano, Linsey Arellano, Jodi Sheldon, and Corri Torres took second place using a robot that swept waffle balls into a hopper before delivering the balls to the 3-inch stor-

age container located in the center of the arena. When after the first round and the robot did not work as expected, the girls corrected the problem going on to win second under Nueces Canyon. By winning second place, the girls won a place at the state competition held in Deer Park, Texas on May 16.

The Division I boys' team of Jorge Rostro, Luke Sheldon, and Zachary Sanchez took 4th place using a simple robot that slowly picked up one ball at a time and placed them in the center container. In this case the simple method proved to be the winning factor. The boys will have to wait for a wild card draw to see if they will participate at state but the outlook is good.

Finally, the elementary team took 4th as well using a robot that swept most of the ten waffle balls into the containment area at the back of the arena. This team consist of James Roberts, Tristen Hildebrand, Jerry Wofford, and Mychael Tijerina. They did a great job and will also be considered in the Wild Card draw.

All team members have worked hard to reach this



point, and will continue to work for state. They will not know until March about the wild card so everyone is working as if they are going to participate at state competition.

Hatred Is Destructive

Those Who Hate Righteousness

Evil shall slay the wicked, and those who hate the righteous shall be condemned. • Psalm 34:21

Hatred Of Fellow Man

If someone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love god whom he has not seen? • 1 John 4:20

What Fools Hate

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and instruction. • Proverbs 1:7

What Hatred Does In Your Life

Hatred stirs up strife, but love covers all sins. • Proverbs 10:12

What Makes You Hate Evil

The fear of the Lord is to hate evil; pride and arrogance and the evil way and the perverse mouth I hate. • Proverbs 8:13

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