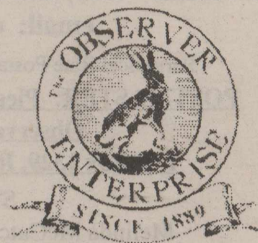


# THE OBSERVER/ ENTERPRISE

Single Copy 50¢



Serving Coke County

(USPS 467-480)  
(ISSN 8750-197X)

Vol. 125, No. 30

Friday, February 8, 2013

## Filing opens in local government entity elections

Potential candidates in the upcoming May 11, 2012, local entity election began filing for their place on the ballot last week. Filing will continue until the first week in March.

There are two two-year city council member terms on the ballot for the City of Bronte. Currently, these offices are held by Misti Bedford and Paula McWright.

There are three council member terms on the ballot for the City of Robert Lee. Currently, these council seats are held by Janie Munoz, Jeanette Meeks, and Tommy Roach.

There are two two-year Board of Director terms on the ballot for the West Coke County Hospital District. Currently, these offices are held by Mary Bessent and Dessie Kendall. Both ladies have filed for re-election.

There is one two-year terms on the ballot for the East Coke County Hospital District. Currently, this seat is held by Howard Baker. There are also two unexpired terms. These offices are now held by Clint Porter and Lee Wommack.

There are two three-year Board of Trustee terms on the ballot for the Bronte Independent School District. Currently, these offices are held by Kay Styles and Shane Kelton.

There are two three-year Board of Trustee terms on the ballot for the Robert Lee Independent School District. Currently, these offices are held by Beverly Sinclair and Tracy Allen.

## Daddy-Daughter Date Night set for February 9

The 4th annual Daddy-Daughter Date Night, "Wild About You", will be held Saturday, February 9, 2013, from 5 to 8 pm at the Robert Lee Rec Hall.

This event offers dads, step-dads, granddads, big brothers, uncles, cousins, or that special friend the opportunity to let their little girl know how special they are.

This evening is for girls in Pre-K through 6th grade. There will be light

appetizers, music and a complimentary 5x7 photo of the couple. Austin Crawley Photography will be there to take pictures. A group photo and other photo packages will be available for purchase. The girls may bring their own camera to capture special moments of the evening. B's Blossoms 'n' Bloom will be offering a special on corsages and boutonniere in conjunction with the dance. Details will be sent home on the photo packages and flower special being offered.

For more information, call or text Katie Drennan 473-0112 or Angel Cervenka 456-3966.

## RV Park to be considered at City Council meeting

The City Council of Robert Lee will be considering the adoption of an Ordinance regarding RV parks within the city limits of Robert Lee. This ordinance establishes rules and regulations allowing RV parks to be located within residential, business, as well as other areas of the City.

The ordinance is available at City Hall and will be considered at the City Council meeting on February 11th.

## Youth/Adult Quilters class set for February 11

The Coke County Quilters will be hosting a beginning crochet class Monday, February 11, 2013, from 4 to 6 pm. The class will be held at the quilting house in Robert Lee park.

This free class will have yarn furnished for those in attendance. All the new students need to bring is a "g" or "h" crochet hook.

Everyone, from young to old, is encouraged to attend this class.

## Spring Gardening Program set

Did your Tomatoes not perform well last year?

Did you have questions about your trees last summer?

Are you wasting water when you water your plants?

Do You have questions about Rainwater Harvesting?

To help answer all of



your questions, Coke County Extension office is presenting a Spring Gardening Program Tuesday, February 26, 2013, from 6 to 8 pm at Robert Lee Rec Hall.

Speakers will include:

- Allison Watkins Tom Green County Horticulture Agent

- James Jackson Coke County Extension Agent AG/NR

- Brian Hetherington Coke County Master Gardner

Please RSVP by February 21 to the Extension Office at 325-453-2461 voice, 325-453-2650 fax, e-mail: JamesR.Jackson@ag.tamu.edu.

The cost includes refreshments. Register for a free ticket to the program at Cindy's Grocery. The drawing for the 5 tickets will be held Tuesday morning, February 12, 2013.

## When Have You Tested Your Private Water Well?

Private water wells should be tested annually. The Texas Well Owner Network, in partnership with the Coke County Office of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, and the Texas Water

Resources Institute, and with support from the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board is providing a water well screening day for area residents on February 11, 2013, at the Coke County Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Office, Coke County Courthouse, 13 East 7th, Robert Lee, Texas.

Please turn samples in by 10 am. Samples from private water wells will be screened for common contaminants including fecal coliform bacteria, nitrates, and high salinity. The cost is \$10 per sample.

The presence of fecal coliform bacteria in water indicates that waste from humans or warm-blooded animals may have contaminated the water. Water contaminated with fecal coliform bacteria is more likely to also have pathogens present that can cause diarrhea, cramps, nausea, or other symptoms.

Water with nitrates at levels of 10 parts per million (ppm) is considered unsafe for human consumption. Nitrate levels above 10 ppm can disrupt the blood's ability to carry oxygen throughout the body, resulting in a condition called methemoglobinemia. Infants less than 6 months of age and young livestock are most susceptible.

Salinity as measured by Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) will also be determined for each sample. Water with high TDS levels may leave deposits and have a salty taste. Additionally, using water with high TDS for irrigation may damage the soil or plants.

Pick up a sample bag and sampling instructions from the Coke County AgriLife Extension Office. You can contact the Coke County Extension Office by calling (325) 453-2461. It is very important that only sampling bags from the Coke County Extension Office be used and all instructions for proper sampling followed to ensure accurate results.

A meeting explaining screening results will be held at 6:30 pm February 12, 2013, at the Coke County Extension Meeting Room, Recreation Hall, 102 West 15th Street, Robert Lee, Texas.

For more information, please contact the Coke County Extension Agent, James R. Jackson (325) 453-2461. It is extremely important to be at this meeting to receive your results, learn corrective measures for identified problems, and to improve your understanding of private well management.



**THE OBSERVER/ENTERPRISE**  
 Published Weekly Except Christmas  
 707 Austin (325) 453-2433 • (325) 453-4643 FAX  
 email: o-e@wcc.net

Periodical Rate Postage paid at Robert Lee, TX.  
**POSTMASTER: Please send address changes to**  
**Observer/Enterprise**  
**PO Box 1329, Robert Lee, TX 76945.**

**STAFF**  
 Melinda McCutchen, Publisher/Editor  
 Morgan McCutchen Amber Sawyer Wayne McCutchen

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**  
 Per Year in Coke & Sterling Counties.....\$25.00  
 Per Year Elsewhere in Texas.....\$30.00  
 Per Year Outside of Texas.....\$32.00

## Obituaries



### Brice

Carol "Gene" Brice, 80, has "gone fishing" with the Lord and his family members who preceded him. There will be no visitation. Graveside services were held at 2 pm Thursday, February 7, 2013, at Fort Chadbourne Cemetery. Services were under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Gene was born on January 19, 1933, to Earl Eugene Brice and Carrie Vivian (Snow) Brice in Nolan County, Texas. He later moved to New Mexico where he graduated from Deming High School in 1951.

He worked for El Paso Natural Gas for thirteen years and spent the rest of his career traveling from the west coast to the east coast working in the construction industry as a millwright until his retirement. After retirement, he settled in Robert Lee so he could be close to his family and near the lake where he could spend his spare time fishing.

Gene was an extraordinarily talented man and great artist. He made pastel drawings and had a very unique art in which he would find meteorites and make them into sculptures of animals and people. Gene also loved to watch old westerns, his favorite being anything with John Wayne as the star.

Gene had a wonderful sense of humor and loved a good joke. He was a very honest man; you knew where you stood with Gene, he either liked you or he didn't. He will be greatly missed by all those whose lives he touched.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers Billy Ray Brice and Allen Brice.

He is survived by his son, Bruce W. Brice and wife, Gayla of Santa Fe, Texas; daughters, Wendy Mahill and husband, Joel of Bakersfield,

California, and D'Lois Schuman of Roswell, New Mexico; sister, Earline Moore of Cabot, Arkansas; his brother, Gary Brice and wife Marilyn of Albuquerque, New Mexico; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

The family would like to thank the ICU staff and doctors at San Angelo Community Hospital, especially, Dr. Ayass, for his genuine care and compassion. Also a special thanks to Martin Landeros for his special friendship to Gene.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Gene's memory to the American Heart Association, PO Box 841125, Dallas, Texas 75284-1125.

30-1tc

### Burns

Latitia Glendena Burns (a.k.a., Pat), 82, of Midland and Houston, Texas, died at home and went to be with her Savior on February 1, 2013.

Pat was born in Kanawa, Oklahoma, on August 10,

1930, to Henry and Effie Gebhart. Her family later moved to Texas and Pat attended high school in Levelland. She met and fell in love with Sherril L. Burns at Andrews in 1949 where they began their life together. They moved to Midland the following year where she held the roles of wife, mother and assisting Sherril administratively as he began to build a welding business. She continued in these roles until Sherril's untimely death in 1969. She moved to Rockdale in 1971 then to Houston in 2001 and back to Midland in 2010. She resided in Robert Lee Care Center for most of 2012 and recently was placed under Hospice care in Houston.

Pat had many interests and hobbies including quilting, sewing, ceramics, gardening, and collecting. She made a quilt that won first place in a competition sponsored by the Rockdale Quilting Guild. Pat collected coins, stamps, dolls, and various other items. She was fond of cooking and always wanted to try new recipes. During her children's growing up years, she made most of the clothing for her daughter (including her wedding gown) and some for her sons - she was an exceptional seamstress whose work was of professional quality. She was an attentive mother and her support of the PTA resulted in her selection as a lifetime member. She loved to laugh and especially liked to spend time fellowshiping with friends and family. Pat was a member of the Lazybrook



**BHRC Activities!** BHRC residents were entertained with the Chinese New Year Celebration. The party was held Friday, January 25, 2013. The residents enjoyed Chinese cuisine, fortune cookies, making red and gold crowns, a dragon dance, zodiac sign reading and learning how the Chinese bring forth what they call to be "Good Luck" for the upcoming year.

Baptist Church during her time in Houston and the Bellview Baptist Church while in Midland.

Pat is survived by three children (and their spouses) - Sherril L. (Scooter) Jr. and Elane Burns of Midland, Larry H. and Kim Burns of Midland, Sharon L. (Quita) and Keith Freeman of Houston; 12 grandchildren - Mande Brightwell, Tracy Avila, Nadalee Burns, Justin Francis, Preston Francis, Ashley Burns, Colby Burns, Aimee Barlow, Ira Freeman, Shannon Gifford, Tabitha Gifford and Aaron Gifford; 10 great grandchildren - Jordan, Ryan and Abby Brightwell; Lance, Dylan and Macey Bulta; Avery and Wilson Barlow; Bede and

Zollie Freeman.

She is predeceased by her beloved husband Sherril Lee Burns of Midland and four brothers - Jim Gebhart of Rockdale, Robert Gebhart, Alfred Gebhart of Henderson and Tommy Gebhart of California.

Funeral services were held at the Lazybrook Baptist Church in Houston Tuesday, February 5, from 10 to 11 am with Pastor John Neesley officiating. Visitation was scheduled at the Church, preceding the funeral services, from 9 to 10 am. A private burial service followed at the Val Verde Baptist Church cemetery in Milam County. Vazquez Funeral Home of Houston was in charge of the arrangements.

30-1tc

**The Holy Spirit - God Within Us**

Sunday Mornings • 10 am  
 Bible Study • Tuesday 7 pm  
*Pot Luck Dinner at 6 pm*

Recovery Meetings • Sunday 7 pm

**FORGIVEN MINISTRIES**  
 Downtown Bronte • Across from Grocery Store  
 Russ Frasier, Preacher

**West Texas Boys Ranch**

WAYS TO INVEST IN OUR "BOYS"

- Gifts-In-Kind
- Cash Contributions
- Estate Planning
- Proceeds from Livestock
- Prayers for our boys

www.wtbr.org 325-949-1936

**Make your financial future a priority.**

**Tommy E Neal, AAMS®**  
 Financial Advisor  
 2412 College Hills Boulevard  
 Suite 102  
 San Angelo, TX 76904  
 325-223-8244

Member SIPC  
 www.edwardjones.com

**Edward Jones**  
 MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

**Area Churches**  
 Invite You to Worship

**Bronte**

**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

**First Baptist Church**  
 424 S. Washington • Bronte  
 (325) 473-2331  
 Bro. Corey Cornutt, Pastor  
 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,  
 10:55 am Worship,  
 5 pm Worship  
 6 pm Youth  
 Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting

**First United Methodist Church**  
 Corner of Washington & Holmes  
 Bronte  
 (325) 473-3281  
 Rev. Everett Boyce, Pastor  
 Sun. 10:00 am Sunday School  
 11:00 am Worship

**Forgiven Ministries**  
 117 W. Main, Bronte  
 Russ Frasier, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am

**St. James Catholic Church**  
 215 N. Washington, Bronte  
 (325) 365-2687  
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor  
 Sun. 5 pm

**Coke County**

**Pecan Baptist**  
 PO Box 542 • 12 miles West of  
 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy  
 (325) 453-2065, Bill Hood, Minister  
 www.pecanbaptist.org  
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School  
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

**United Christians Fellowship**  
 Wildcat Marina • West of Robert Lee  
 (325) 453-2468  
 Ed Zimmerman, Leader  
 Sunday 10 am, Worship

**Robert Lee**

**Emmanuel Pentecostal**  
 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy  
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2360  
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

**First United Methodist Church**  
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne  
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417  
 Cyndi Weidner, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School  
 11 am Worship  
 5:00 pm Choir Practice

**Iglesia Bautista Bethel**  
 101 Houston • Robert Lee  
 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  
 Jordan Arnold, Preacher  
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School  
 11 am & 6 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 6 pm, Worship

**Northside Church of Christ**  
 PO Box 508  
 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee  
 (325) 453-2685, (806) 543-2118 or  
 (325) 473-1053  
 Services: Sun. 10 am

**Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church**  
 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee  
 (325) 365-2687  
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor  
 Sat. 6 pm

**Robert Lee Baptist Church**  
 PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th  
 (325) 453-2724  
 Danny White, Pastor  
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 7 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. 6 pm, Bible Study

**Tennyson**

**Tennyson Baptist Church**  
 Hwy 277 • Tennyson  
 (325) 473-2040  
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

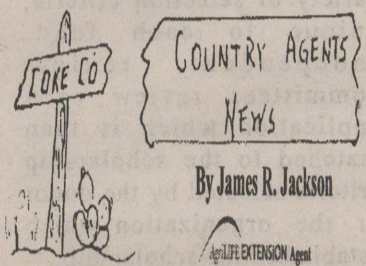


# Death Notices

## Campbell

Kenneth J. Campbell, 85 of Lubbock and formerly of Aspermont and Bronte, passed away in Big Spring. Graveside services were held at 11 am Tuesday February 5, 2013, in the Aspermont cemetery officiated by Pastor Tom Long under the care and direction of McCoy Funeral Home of Aspermont.

Survivors include his wife Katie Campbell of Lubbock; daughters: Laraine Fraser and husband Donnie of Aspermont and Roxy Blew and husband Donnie of Big Spring; son Kenneth Campbell Jr and wife Debbie of Lubbock; brother Donnie Campbell of Athens; sister Jean Bradford of Baytown, Texas; seven grandchildren, and twelve great-grandchildren.



## Stock Show Update

Now that the county show is behind us, Coke County 4-H and FFA Livestock exhibitors are taking their livestock projects across the state. The first show to start the stock show season is the Fort Worth Stock Show. At this show, Coke County will be represented in the pig and steer barns with exhibitors from Robert Lee and Bronte.

Once the exhibitors and their families return from Cowtown, the stock show crowd splits with a group heading to San Angelo with the steers and the others going to San Antonio with sheep and goats. For the San Angelo

crowd, the steers will show on Friday the 15th of February and the San Antonio sheep and goat crowd will be exhibiting their projects February 12-14.

Once this week concludes, the next week starts with the San Angelo sheep and goat show along with the San Antonio steer show, where many of the livestock exhibitors will be exhibiting sheep and goats and a handful will be going to San Antonio with the steers.

At the conclusion San Antonio and San Angelo, we move on to Houston with the remaining crowd of exhibitors and animals. At Houston, Coke County will be represented with sheep and goats from March 6-8 and the steers will head that way for the 11-15 of March.

The final show of the season will be the Austin stock show. At this show, Coke County will have one exhibitor from Bronte exhibiting a goat project. As you see the exhibitors around the county, please support the kids on this worthwhile endeavor as they exhibit their projects across the state.

## CRMWD hosts annual Youth Hunt

On January 19, 2013, the Colorado River Municipal Water District hosted its second deer hunt of the season for the kids from the South Texas Children's Ranch. Beautiful weather was the setting as three girls and four boys from the Ranch participated in the doe and spike hunt. These hunts are not only a great management tool in controlling deer numbers, but just as important, provides a wonderful opportunity to experience the outdoors and hunting to those who would not normally get a chance to do so. Everyone observed a variety of game and a good time was had by all.

An anonymous donor from Arizona donated several Academy gift certificates for the hunt. Each



CRMWD Youth Hunt! Participating or assisting with the hunt were John Minder (top row, from left), Becky Moore, Jeffery Walker, David Hale, Mark Halfmann, Lisa Jost and Richard McMillian, Cireana (bottom row, from left), Jasmine, Josh, Cecilo, Zack, Leigh and Joe. Not pictured is Carrol Sessom.

child received a participation gift card, plus four more were awarded for the best marksman, biggest spike, and first and second place for heaviest doe harvested.

The girls once again took the marksmanship prize, which was won by young lady hunter Cireana, after a very competitive shoot. Very nice shooting gang! The biggest doe was awarded to young hunter Jasmine, with a doe field dress weight of 80 lbs. This was her first time to harvest a deer, and was lucky enough to harvest two does. She was all smiles! Second place on the doe contest went to hunter Joe. The spike contest was won by lady hunter Cireana who harvested the only spike and was also her very first deer.

Throughout the hunt all were blessed with great food. To get the day going, sausage and biscuits were provide by Elm Creek Village of Lake Ivie, and a delicious lunch was provide at noon by the Concho Park Marina, also of Lake Ivie. After lunch, everyone enjoyed sweet treats baked-up by Noreen Jamison of Voss, followed by a marksmanship contest and a program on Texas game laws provided by Texas Parks and Wildlife Game Wardens Lee Morrison and Norman Terry of Coleman, Texas. After a short time of rest and visiting, it was time for the evening hunt. David & Vicky Stewart of Voss, provided soft drinks and pastries for all to enjoy during the hunt and Debra Halfmann of Lake

Ivie provided taco soup with fixings for a quick Saturday evening meal before hitting the road to return home.

Those assisting as hunting guides where Carol Sessom of Millersview, Lisa Jost of San Angelo, Becky Moore of the South Texas Children's Home, Jeffery Walker of Lake Ivie, Mark Halfmann of San Angelo, Richard McMillian of Lake Ivie, John Minder of the South Texas Children's Home, and David Hale of Lake Ivie.

**CARTER'S RV PARK**  
Space Available!  
Hwy 158 E • Robert Lee  
453-2500

## Daddy Daughter Date Night

Saturday • February 9th • 5-8 pm  
Robert Lee Rec Hall

Tickets purchased at the door will be \$30/couple & \$5 for additional child Grades K-6th

Photos will be taken from 5 to 6 pm, with the group picture at 6:15 pm.

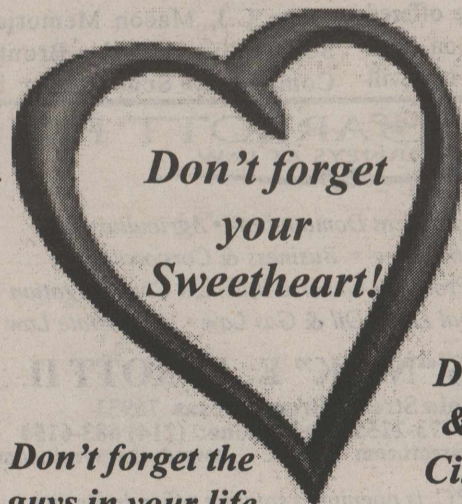
Photo packages will be available for purchase.

For more information, call or text Katie Drennan 473-0112.

## B's Blossoms N Bloom

is getting ready for

# Valentine's Day 2013!!!!



Don't forget your Sweetheart!

Along with our fresh flowers, come by and see our wonderful selection of Valentine Gift items:

- Valentine Snack Baskets • Jewelry
- Balloon Bouquets
- Adorable Plush Singing Animals
- Gourmet Chocolates

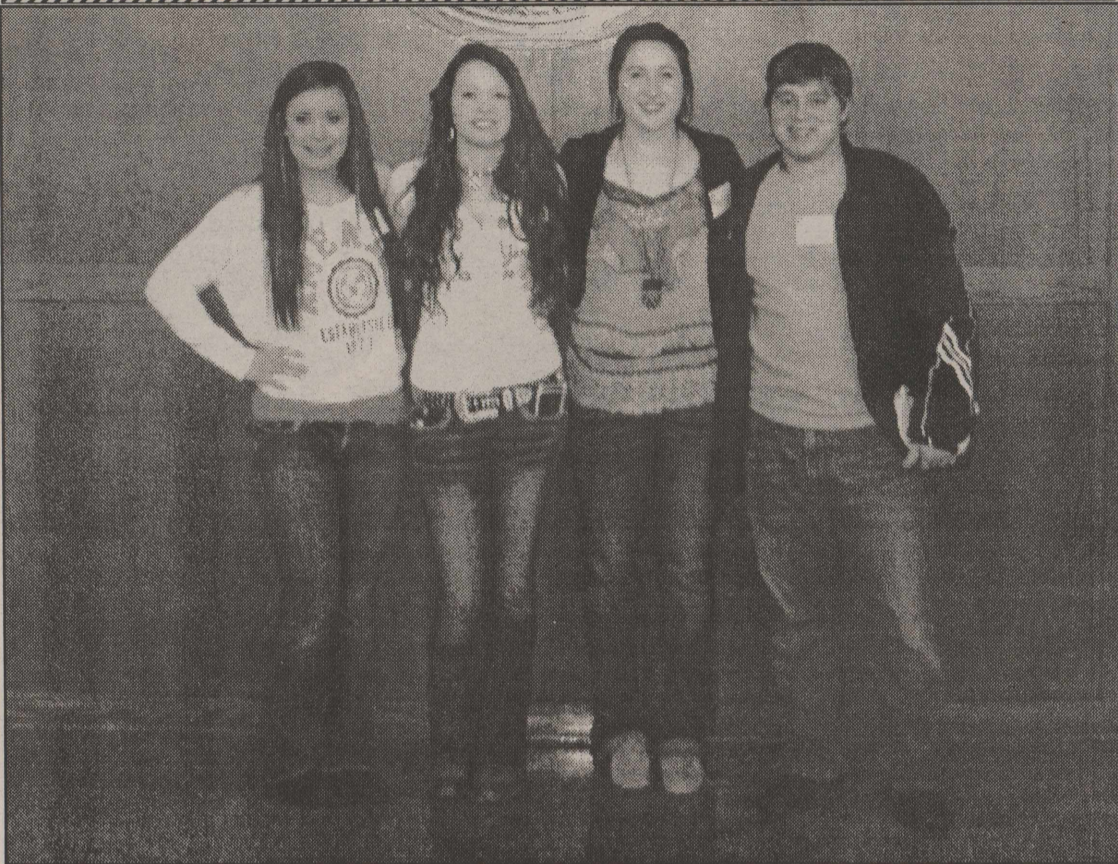
Delivery scheduled for Wednesday & Thursday mornings to Sterling City. Also delivering to Robert Lee, Blackwell, Bronte, Carlsbad, and Water Valley.

Don't forget the guys in your life on this special day!

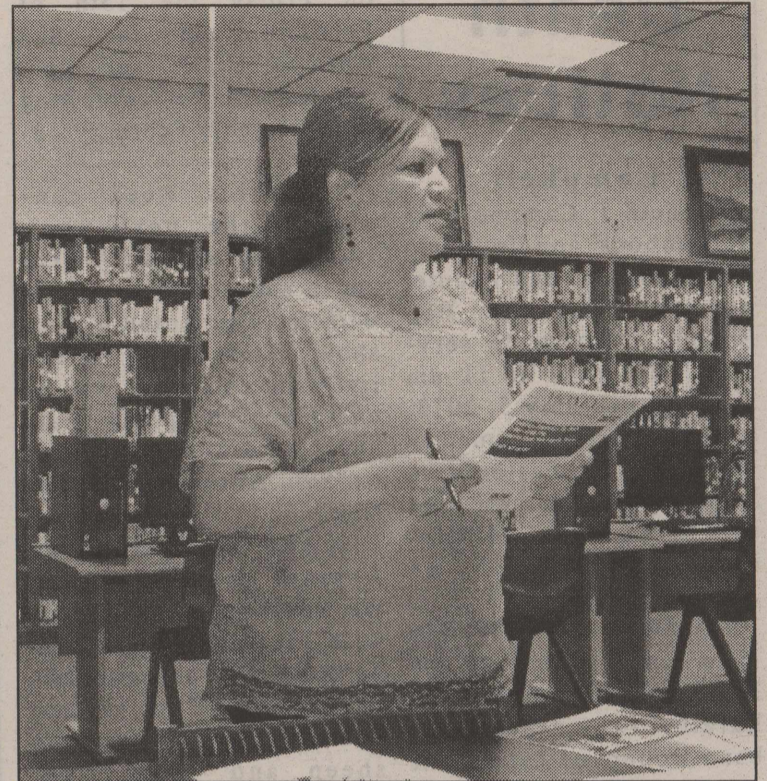
Please come by our shop at 5 E. 6th Street in Robert Lee, or call us at 325-453-2390.



# BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS



**Students Attend Leadership Conference!** Students from Bronte High School attended the Leadership San Angelo Alumni Association's John Ben Sheppard Leadership conference on Thursday, January 31, 2013 at Angelo State University. The Leadership San Angelo Alumni Association sponsored the conference to offer sophomores from the Concho Valley area the opportunity to learn leadership skills and heighten their awareness of responsible citizenship. Forum attendees discussed public affairs issues that impact our local communities and state, while learning skills for affecting positive change. Students had the opportunity to interact in small discussion groups, meet community leaders and hear from inspiring keynote speakers. Attending from Bronte High School were Crystal Bilbrey (from left), Stacia Emfinger, Marley Braswell and Lance Burns.



**Financial Aid Night at BHS!** Mary Escobar from the Angelo State University financial aid office recently spoke to Bronte High School senior students and their parents about the financial aid process. Parents and students learned about how to apply and fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Information regarding loans, grants, and scholarships was also discussed. The web site to access the FAFSA application is [www.fafsa.edu.gov](http://www.fafsa.edu.gov).

now available to graduating seniors at Bronte High School. Applications are available online at [www.bronteisd.net](http://www.bronteisd.net) on the Counselor's Corner page under "Scholarships" or may be picked up in the counselor's office. The deadline to apply for both scholarships is April 9, 2013.

The C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship is also open to past BHS graduates. Please turn in applications to Mrs. Timmerman, counselor, on or before April 9th. For more information, please call the counselor's office at 473-2511.

**SAAF Scholarship applications available**

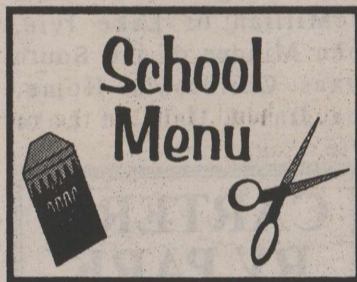
The San Angelo Area Foundation (SAAF) has posted their scholarship online at [www.saafound.org](http://www.saafound.org). The San Angelo Area Foundation manages scholarship funds from a variety of different donors

and organizations. These scholarships are awarded by a variety of selection criteria, unique to each fund. Independent review committees review each application which is then matched to the scholarship criteria selected by the donor or the organization which established the scholarship.

The deadline to apply is March 1, 2013. For more information and a list of the scholarships offered, please visit the website or contact Mrs. Timmerman, BHS counselor, at 473-2511.

**BHS Scholarship Check List**

**Due Feb. 15**  
 Ford Ivey Motor Company in Robert Lee Scholarship (FFA)  
 Best Buy Scholarship [www.pr.bby.com](http://www.pr.bby.com)  
 Texas Lyceum Scholarship [www.texaslyceum.org](http://www.texaslyceum.org)



**School Menu**

**Breakfast**  
**Monday, February 11**  
 Sausage roll, toast/jelly, or cereal, juice, milk  
**Tuesday, February 12**  
 Breakfast pizza, toast/jelly, or cereal, juice, milk  
**Wednesday, February 13**  
 Pancake on a stick, toast/jelly, or cereal, juice, milk  
**Thursday, February 14**  
 Breakfast wrap, toast/jelly, or cereal, juice, milk  
**Friday, February 15**  
 Biscuit & sausage, toast/jelly, or cereal, juice, milk

**Lunch**  
**Monday, February 11**  
 Hamburger, seasoned corn, carrot coins, sliced peaches, crispy cereal treat, milk  
**Tuesday, February 12**  
 Chicken nuggets, macaroni & cheese, garden salad, green beans, apple slices, milk  
**Wednesday, February 13**  
 Grilled cheese, vegetable soup, baby carrots, fresh fruit cup, ice cream novelty, milk  
**Thursday, February 14**  
 Hot dogs, potato tots, baked beans, fruity gelatin, milk  
**Friday, February 15**  
 Cheese enchiladas, Spanish rice, refried beans, garden salad, hot cinnamon apples, milk

**Longhorns fall to Garden City**

The Bronte Longhorns were defeated by the Garden City Bearkats 38-52.

Statistics include Ty Lee 12 points, 6 rebounds; Jared Scott 10 points, 3 steals; Mizael Perez 5 points; Josh Puentez 5 points, Lance Burns 4 points, and Beau Rousseau 2 points.

**Longhorns swat Hornets**

The Bronte Longhorns defeated the Blackwell Hornets 39-20 last Friday evening.

Statistics include Ty Lee 17 points; Beau Rousseau 7 points, 4 steals; Jared Scott 7 points, 4 steals; Lance Burns 5 points, 5 rebounds; Josh Puentez 3 points, 5 rebounds, and 6 assists; and Mizael Perez 2 steals.

**ACT and SAT Test Info**

The ACT test will be offered at Bronte High School on April 13, 2013, and the SAT test will

be offered on March 9, 2013, at other locations in the surrounding area. Registration is open to anyone, but high school juniors are especially encouraged to register. Applications are available in the BHS high school counselor's office or online at [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org) for the ACT test and [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) for the SAT test.

Fee waivers are also available for students who are on free or reduced lunches. In order to avoid late fees, please register by March 8, 2013, for the ACT test and February 8, 2013, for the SAT test. For more information, please call the counselor's office at BHS at 473-2511. Free study guides are available in the BHS counselor's office.

**Local Bronte Scholarships available**

The C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship and the Bronte Community Scholarship is

**DECKER & ARROTT P.C.**  
 ATTORNEYS AT LAW

Administrative & Eminent Domain Law • Agriculture Law  
 Banking & Finance Law • Business & Corporate Law  
 Estate Planning & Probate • General Business Civil Litigation  
 Mediation • Municipal Law • Oil & Gas Law • Real Estate Law

**NICHOLAS "NICK" E. ARROTT II**

119 West Main Street • Bronte, Texas 76933  
 Bus. Phone: (325) 773-2255 • Cell Phone: (214) 683-6154  
 Email: [nick@deckerarrott.com](mailto:nick@deckerarrott.com) Website: [www.deckerarrott.com](http://www.deckerarrott.com)

Decker & Arrott P.C. is opening a satellite office in Bronte located behind Bronte's General Store with separate rear parking and entry. This office will be open for business beginning Thursday, February 7, 2013. Call Nick today to make an appointment!

**Bronte Satellite Office Hours of Operation:**

First and Fourth Thursday of Every Month  
 from 9:30 am until 5:00 pm.

**BEDFORD TAX & BOOKKEEPING**

Located in Glenn-Bivins Insurance

123 W. Main • Bronte, Texas

(580) 467-7317

Everett W. Bedford • 42 Years Experience

**Glenn-Bivins Insurance**

325-473-6791

[GlennBivinsUsa@aim.com](mailto:GlennBivinsUsa@aim.com)

Locally and Family Owned Since 1922

**We'll Be Here When You Need Us!**

Home - Auto - Life - Commercial - RV

"Insure your home and auto with Germania and save 15% on both; and receive an additional 10% with a Life policy."





# ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

## RLISD early release day announced

Due to staff professional development, the Robert Lee Independent School District will have early release of all students Friday, February 15, 2013, at 12:30 pm. This is a scheduled early release day.

The buses will be running at that time and arrangements will need to be made to pick up students at the early release time.

Please feel free to contact the school office at (325) 453-4555 for additional information.

## Lady Steers defeat Blackwell

The Robert Lee High School Lady Steers defeated the Blackwell Lady Hornets, 58-37, in Robert Lee Tuesday, January 29, 2013.

Statistics include Brady Clawson 16 points and 17 rebounds, Bianca Huapilla 12 points and 10 rebounds, Jordan Gartman 8 points and 5 assists, Lubbock Roe 7 points and 6 rebounds, Pammy Meeks 6 and 13 rebounds, Taylor Benton 4 points, Mikayla Ramons 3 points and 4 assists, and Dusty Howard 2 points.

## Lady Dogies split wins with Water Valley

The Robert Lee Junior High Lady Dogies "B" team defeated Water Valley 20-18.

Scoring for Robert Lee were Margo Mendoza 7, Kourtney Roach 4, Senecio Newell 8, and Jayce Bower 1.

The Lady Dogies "A" team fell to Water Valley 9-25.

Scoring for Robert Lee were Bailey Grimes 2, Chesney Minjarez 4, and Kiara Burns 3.

## Dogies fall to Water Valley

The Robert Lee Junior High Dogies "A" team were defeated by Water Valley.

Scoring for the Dogies were Mauricio Ureno 2, Gabriel Abalos 2, Casey Scruggs 1, Jorge Mendoza 2, and Rainey Coppedge 1.

## Robert Lee AON accepting donations

The AON would like to announce they DO accept memorials and donations year round and donations may be sent to PO Box 24 Robert Lee, TX 76945.

## Robert Lee Elementary 3rd 6 Week Awards

### A Honor Roll

#### 1st Grade

Abigail Arthur, Kailey Freeman, Mackenzie Galicia, Cloe Minjarez, Brody Pitcock, Jimma Richardson, Koltun Williams

#### 2nd Grade

Caitlyn Cerritos, Sydney Hardin, Taylor Hardin, Ryan Mendoza, Kristin Moreno, Alex Munoz, Presley Oleksiuk, Ethan Perry, Roxana, Rangel, Brooke Smith

#### 3rd Grade

Zane Avants, Gavin Freeman, Braylee Hood, Aubrey Nichols, McKenzee Puentez, Brisely Ureno

#### 4th Grade

Rachelle Arthur, Clayton Montgomery, Hemma Rangel, Harlee Richardson, Zoe Tijerina

#### 5th Grade

Kaleb Gregston

#### 6th Grade

Kaden Austin, Kelby Clawson, Megan Grantham, Aimee Zimmerman

### Perfect Attendance

#### Pre-K

Dalton Abalos, Max Garcia, Kallie Kohutek, Karmen Radloff, Shyan Stanczyk

#### Kindergarten

Jose Heredia, Carlos Olguin, Mysael Rangel

#### 1st Grade

Aden Burns, Jason Jowers, Cloe Minjarez, Canyon Moran, Brody Pitcock, Brayden Sherwood, Fernando Sosa

#### 2nd Grade

Caitlyn Cerritos, Alex Munoz, Presley Oleksiuk, Roxana Rangel, Myrka Sosa

#### 3rd Grade

Reaghan Bohannon, Gavin Freeman, Braylee Hood, Heather Huapilla, Isabella Juarez, Michael Munoz, McKenzee Puentez, Dylan Thomas, A'Chyanna Torres, Brisely Ureno, Todd Worster

#### 4th Grade

Clayton Montgomery, Ian Paredes, Hemma Rangel, Casey Skipworth, Aden Taylor, Jullisa Ureno

#### 5th Grade

Sydney Hayes, Steve Oleksiuk, Jonathan Skipworth, Veronica Ureno

#### 6th Grade

Bubba Bohannon, Kelby Clawson, Corbin Drennan, Mark Garces, Hunter Jowers, Daniel Mendoza, Jade Mitchell, Kaylee Puentez, Elexis Sanchez, Nathan Scates, Chelsea Wyatt

### RLHS 3rd

### 6 Weeks awards

### A Honor Roll

#### 7th Grade

Cezar Rangel, Braden Richardson

#### 8th Grade

Matthew Curry, James Wyatt

#### 9th Grade

Wade Allen, Brady Clawson, Kodi Drennan, Hunter Hamrick, Myrka Rangel, Karlee Roach

#### 10th Grade

Mason Hill, James Roberts

#### 11th Grade

Michael Curry, Hanna Hamrick, Will Howard

#### 12th Grade

Jordan Gartman, Justin

Gartman, Kelsey Hewitt, Lubbock Roe, Zachary Sanchez, Ashlie Wheat

### A-B Honor Roll

#### 7th Grade

Kiara Burns, Bethany Coppedge, Mariah Munoz, Kourtney Roach

#### 8th Grade

Gabriel Abalos, Sean Dooley, Kaden Hayes, Nicole Jones, Trace Justiss

#### 9th Grade

Haley Grantham, Jake Jackson, Julia Madrid, Pammy Meeks, Yulissa Peraza, Madison Wright, Blaine Yanez

#### 10th Grade

Tristen Hildebrand, Jerry Wofford

#### 11th Grade

Jesse Sheets, Ashlie Tennison, Everett Wilson

#### 12th Grade

Beeanca Bower, Dawson Brisbin, Drew Davis, Dusty Howard, Sara Lara, Paige Royall, Zack Skinner, Bailey Smith, Blake Smith

### Perfect Attendance

#### 7th Grade

Kiara Burns, Bethany Coppedge, William Coppedge, Josh Gregston, Jorge Mendoza, Adam Minjarez, Kourtney Roach

#### 8th Grade

Gabriel Abalos, Anna Huapilla, Mauricio Ureno

#### 9th Grade

Wade Allen, Bruce Buddin, Rani Coppedge, Haley Grantham, Hunter Hamrick, Sandra Hubbard Flores, Jake

Jackson, Myrka Rangel, Karlee Roach, Madison Wright, Blaine Yanez

### 10th Grade

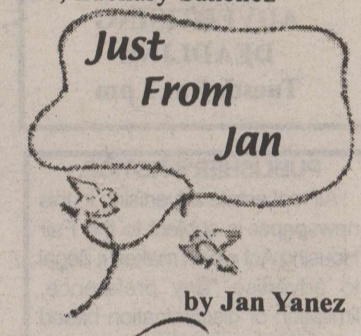
Charissa Caston, Mason Hill, James Roberts, Mychael Tijerina

### 11th Grade

Michael Curry, Berenice Fabian, Hanna Hamrick, Will Howard, Bianca Huapilla, Efrain Olguin, Jesse Sheets

### 12th Grade

Beeanca Bower, Jordan Gartman, Justin Gartman, Kelsey Hewitt, Dusty Howard, Sara Lara, Lubbock Roe, Zachary Sanchez



by Jan Yanez

AgriLIFE EXTENSION Agent

### Household Tips

From the book

"Household Magic"

By Wilen and Wilen

**Herbs (fresh And Dried)**  
Before using any herb, crumble it by rolling it around in the palms of your hand. Doing this will release the herb's flavor - not just in your hand, but for the dish it's going into.

Freeze fresh herbs by washing and cutting them into pieces that are small enough

(Continued on Page 7)

## School Menu

### Breakfast

#### Monday, February 11

Pigs in blanket or cereal, juice, milk

#### Tuesday, February 12

Cinnamon roll or cereal, juice, milk

#### Wednesday, February 13

Pancakes or cereal, juice, milk

#### Thursday, February 14

Muffin or cereal, juice, milk

#### Friday, February 15

Pancake on stick or cereal, juice, milk

### Lunch

#### Monday, February 11

Cheese enchiladas, Spanish rice, refried beans, salad, hot cinnamon apples, milk

#### Tuesday, February 12

Hot dog, tator tots, baked beans, fruity gelatin, milk

#### Wednesday, February 13

Grilled cheese sandwich, vegetable soup, baby carrots, fruit cup, ice cream, milk

#### Thursday, February 14

Chicken nuggets, macaroni and cheese, salad, green beans, apple slices, milk

#### Friday, February 15

Hamburger, salad, corn, baby carrots, peaches, rice krispie treat, milk

## DARYL'S BODY SHOP

300 STATE HWY 229

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS 76945

DARYL COPELAND, OWNER 453-2980

## FLOYD C. PETITT INSURANCE

LIFE • HEALTH • GROUP HEALTH  
LONG TERM CARE • ANNUITIES  
MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTS  
AUTO • HOME • COMMERCIAL

FLOYD C. PETITT, LUTCF, SGS  
OWNER/AGENT

(325) 453-4551

PO BOX 184 • 715 AUSTIN  
ROBERT LEE, TEXAS 76945

(325) 223-1563

5002 KNICKERBOCKER  
SAN ANGELO, TEXAS 76904

floyd@floydcpetitinsurance.com

## Trust Us!

Trust us to give you all the help you'll need to make your financial future bright and prosperous. We promise performance and know the importance of trust in a relationship. Come see us. *You'll feel good!*



## Robert Lee State Bank

621 Austin Street • Robert Lee, Texas

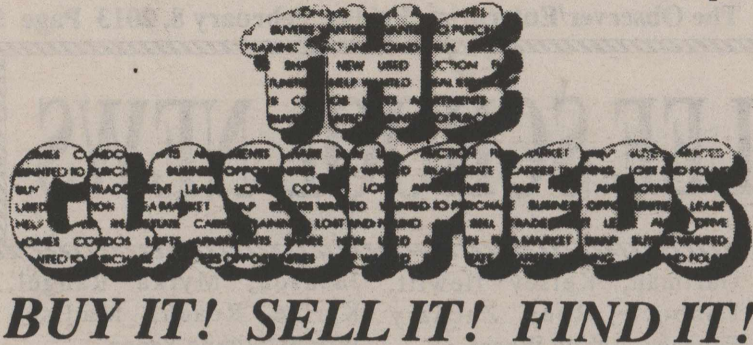
453-2545



MEMBER  
FDIC

Everybody is Somebody to Us





**BUY IT! SELL IT! FIND IT!**

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES**

Rates when paid in advance.

20¢ Per Word  
\$4 Minimum

Legal Notices:  
25¢ Per Word

*A service charge will be added to all ads which must be billed.*

**ADVERTISING DEADLINE**  
Tuesday at 2 pm

**PUBLISHER'S NOTICE:**

All real estate advertising in this newspaper is subject to the Fair Housing Act which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or an intention, to make any such preference, limitation or discrimination." Familial status includes children under the age of 18 living with parents or legal custodians, pregnant women and people securing custody of children under 18.

This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. To complain of discrimination, call HUD toll-free at 1-800-669-9777. The toll-free telephone number for the hearing impaired is 1-800-927-9275.



**FOR SALE**

**2008 FORD F250**  
Super Duty 4x4 Single Cab, Powerstroke, 127,500 miles, gooseneck hitch, full replacement front bumper, \$19,000 OBO (325) 277-9210.

**SOONER 5 HORSE ALUMINUM TRAILER**  
Great condition. Large dressing room. (325) 473-3201.

23-tnp

**Onion Sets Are Now Here!!!**

**CINDY'S**

409 W. 10th  
Robert Lee

**FOR SALE**

**1997 CHEVY Z71 4X4**  
Clean interior with captain's chairs. Exterior is completely rhino lined. Has a 3 inch lift and is in great shape mechanically. Would make good daily driver or hunting rig. \$4000 OBO. (325) 669-0902

24-tnp

**1995 MAZDA B2300**  
4 cylinder, 5 speed. 93,000 miles. Gets 25 mpg. New A/C. Runs great, very dependable. \$4500 OBO. (325) 669-0902.

24-tnp

**FOR RENT**

**FOR RENT**  
8 x 10 storage units in Bronte. Call 325-473-3257.

14-tnp

**BRONTE MINI STORAGE**  
has storage buildings for rent. 473-2221, 473-0409.

45-tnp

**RV SPACES AVAILABLE**  
Carter's General Store has RV spaces available. Hwy 158 E, Robert Lee, 453-2500.

29-4tc

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**THE BARBER SHOP**  
NEW DAYS EFFECTIVE MONDAY, JUNE 11TH! 211 N. Lombard. Thursday & Friday, 9-5. Avon Independent Sales Rep. 650-1970.

03-tnp

**PET GROOMING AND BOARDING**  
The Dog House, 119 N. State, Bronte. Monday - Thursday 8 am to 4 pm. (325) 234-1599. Call anytime.

22-tnp

**TREES TRIMMED**  
Topped or removed. 453-9902 or 473-8712.

43-tnp

**ECOM Computers, Etc!**  
New and used. Repairs and upgrades.  
**Ed Martindale**  
473-3004

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**GENERAL CONTRACTING HANDYMAN**

for comp. & metal roofing, plumbing, drain cleaning, water heater installment, house painting. Haul off scrap iron, junk batteries, vehicles with titles. 453-2339.

23-tnp

**GARAGE SALES**

**RAIN OR SHINE**

Fund raising garage sale - New Life in Christ, 214 N Jefferson, Bronte, 8 am til 9 Saturday, February 9. Menudo, burritos, clothes, lots of odds and ends.

30-1tc

**NOTICES**

**REGARDING**

The two wire chicken planters which were taken from the property of 601 North Jefferson in Bronte, **SHAME ON YOU.**

I may not know who you are, but someone more important than me does.

Carolyn Knight

30-1tc

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**

The filing period opened on January 31, 2013, for Robert Lee City Council General Election. Applications for a place on the ballot may be picked up at the City Secretaries office at the Robert Lee City Hall until 5:00 p.m. on March 4, 2013. An Election will be held on May 11, 2013 for the position of three (3) Council Members. Terms are two years in length.

Those City Officials which terms are expiring: Janie Munoz, Jeanette Meeks, and Tommy Roach.

30-2tc

**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF BONNIE BEATRICE JOHNSON TAYLOR, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of BONNIE BEATRICE JOHNSON TAYLOR were issued on

Bob Frazee's 944-0010  
473-6603

**Texas Best**  
Deflooding & Carpet Cleaning

24 hr. Emergency Water Damage Service

**ASH-MILICAN-CARSON REAL ESTATE**

453-5144 OFFICE • 21 E 6TH STREET • ROBERT LEE, TX  
JOE ASH • 473-0164 www.aincwesttexasranches.com

**Coke County Ranch & Recreational Land**

316.5 acres • 43 acres • 215 acres • 201.5 acres • 320 acres  
**New Listing! 106.4 acres - Electricity/Water, Good Hunting, Minerals**  
**Runnels County • 794.5 acres river front property**

**New Listings! 2 BR, 2 BA, Corner Lot across from school**  
**New Listings! 2 BR, 2 BA, Inside updated, Allowance for painting & repair to outside. Large Lots.**

2 BR, 2 BA, Brick Home with separate office and storage building  
2 BR, 1 BA, Frame House, Carport, Storage Building  
Bri Under Contract acres  
Brick House on 2.6 acres

**FOR MORE DETAILS, CONTACT JOE ASH.**

January 29, 2013, in Cause No. 1201776 pending in the County Court of Coke County, Texas to:

STOVER TAYLOR

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

STOVER TAYLOR

C/O NANCY FIREBAUGH ARTHUR

Attorney-at-Law

P.O. Box 970

Robert Lee, TX 76945

325/453-2576

FAX: 325/453-2577

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

Dated January 29, 2013.

NANCY FIREBAUGH ARTHUR

Attorney for the Estate

30-1tc

**STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF COKE ORDER RESTRICTING OUTDOOR BURNING**

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court finds that circumstances present in all or part of the

unincorporated area of the county create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoor burning.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Commissioners Court of Coke County that outdoor burning is restricted in the unincorporated area of the county for 90 days from the date of adoption of this Order, unless the restrictions are terminated earlier based on a determination made by the Texas Forest Service or this Court. This Order is adopted

**Bronte Health & Rehab**  
Now Taking Applications for the following positions.

**CNA**  
**Day Shift 6a-6p**

Apply in person at :  
900 S. State Street,  
Bronte, TX.  
EOE

**DJ's Merle Norman**

*is the drop spot in Robert Lee for*

**Dry Clean Super Center**

**Drop off by Thursday at 12 noon and pick up the following Thursday afternoon.**

Possible early pick up upon special request.



**New Listing!**

APPROX 12 ACRES with 3 Bedroom 3 Bath Rock and Frame Home! Vaulted ceiling and Rock Fireplace in Living Area! French Doors Lead to Office or possible 4th Bedroom! Ceramic Tile throughout Living, Dining and Kitchen! Large Shop Building with Office and Barn/Equipment shed! Tack Barn and pipe pens for Horses! City water and Water well!



**Under Contract!**

BEAUTIFUL BRICK AND STONE HOME with 3 Bedrooms and 2 Baths! 2 Living Areas! High ceilings! Fireplace! Large Dining Area with Bay Window! Large kitchen with pantry! Updated carpet and Ceramic tile in Den! French Doors lead to Covered Patio! Privacy fence and Carport with Storage! Approx 3 1/2 Lots!



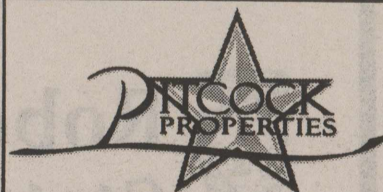
**Concho Realty**

Office 653-4535

www.conchorealty.com

Becky Clendennen  
Owner/Broker

Home 453-4748  
Cell 650-9729



**Farm & Ranch, Commercial, & Residential Real Estate**  
**Texas General Certified Appraiser**

**Jerrod Pitcock, Broker**

www.pitcockproperties.com • (325) 650-4079

2528 ac Runnels/Nolan Under Contract \$1,050/ac  
955 ac North of Robert Lee near Sanco, good water and some new fences, \$1,100/ac  
1800 ac Coke County, Live Spring, Good Wells, Minerals Avail. \$1,275/ac  
4 Sections in Reagan Co., Hwy Frontage, Good Underground Water \$695/ac.  
1100 ac Runnels Co Mineral available \$1,250/ac  
53.7 ac on Rough Creek Great Hunting \$1,450/ac  
3 BR/2BA Home on 3 Acres Sanco Road \$114,900



**...More Classifieds  
NOTICES**

pursuant to Local Government Code §352.081, and other applicable statutes. This Order does not prohibit outdoor burning activities related to public health and safety that are authorized by the Texas Natural Resources Commission for: (1) firefighter training; (2) public utility, natural gas pipeline or mining operations; (3) planting or harvesting of agricultural crops; or, (4) burns that are conducted by a prescribed burn manager certified under Section 153.048. Natural Resources Code, and meet the standards of Section 153.047, Natural Resources Code.

**BE IT ALSO ORDERED** THAT the purpose of this order is the mitigation of the hazard posed by wildfires by curtailing the practice of outdoor burning, with the exception of barbecuing in an enclosed fire box with water hose or fire retardant accessible at all times and someone attending the fire at all times, and materials used outdoors in activities such as welding and any other activity that could result in a fire. The purpose is to be taken into account in any enforcement action based upon this order.

A. Burns that are conducted after submission of a Natural Resources Conservation Service approved burn plan to the Coke County Judge.

Burns conducted under this section must meet the following conditions:

1. Prior to beginning a burn in Coke County, the Sheriff's office must be notified by calling 453-2717 on each day for each occurrence;

2. The person giving notification to the Sheriff's office must identify the area to be burned by describing the pasture or range by address, by location of County Road or State Highway, and also must give the name of the person requesting the burn;

3. A water sprayer apparatus or water containers and other fire fighting tools must be available on site;

4. Fire guards are to be used whenever possible;

5. Wind speeds must not exceed 15 MPH;

6. The Humidity index must be 20% or higher as determined by the Texas Forest Service for Coke County; and,

7. A cellular telephone or other reliable radio communication must be available on site for emergency notification and response.

B. Outdoor welding or cutting and grinding associated with welding activities are permitted under the following circumstances:

1. Welding and cutting and

grinding associated with welding activities shall not take place when the wind is over 15 miles per hour;

2. The welder must notify the Coke County Sheriff's Department before any welding, cutting or grinding begins;

3. All grass, leaves, brush and other easily combustible materials must be cleared within a fifty (50) feet radius surrounding the area where the activity is to take place before any welding, cutting or grinding begins; and

4. A spotter with water and a ready pressurized delivery system must be on hand before any welding, cutting or grinding begins and remain on hand until the activity is completed.

C. Burning of household trash is permitted under the following conditions:

1. Shall take place only when the wind speed is 15 miles per hour or less;

2. All grass, leaves, brush and other easily combustible materials must be cleared within a fifty (50) foot radius surrounding the area where the activity is to take place and before any burning of trash begins;

3. The burning takes place in a container with a mesh cover; and

4. A spotter with water and a ready pressurized delivery system must be on hand before any burning begins and remain on hand until the burning is completed.

D. Outdoor cooking is permitted under the following conditions:

1. Shall take place only when the wind speed is 15 miles per hour or less;

2. All grass, leaves, brush and other easily combustible materials must be cleared within a fifty (50) foot radius surrounding the area where the activity is to take place

and before any outdoor cooking begins; and,

3. A spotter with water and a ready pressurized delivery system must be on hand before any outdoor cooking begins and remain on hand until the outdoor cooking is completed.

In accordance with Local Government §352.081 (h), a violation of this Order is a class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.00.

ADOPTED this 28th day of January, 2013

Roy Blair  
County Judge  
Attest:  
Mary Grim  
County Clerk  
29-2tc

**...Just From Jan**

(Continued from page 5)

to fit in an ice-cube tray compartment. Once the entire tray is filled with pieces of herb, carefully add a little water to each compartment. Then it's ready for the freezer. Once the herbs are completely frozen, transfer these cubes from the tray to re-sealable plastic freezer bags. Label the bag with the name of the herb. Then, when a recipe calls for that herb, figure on 1 ice cube yielding 1 teaspoon of it. To defrost the cube, just put it in a small strainer and run hot water over it.

Add dried herbs to what you're cooking about 30 minutes before the dish is done. To help the fresh herb keep its color and flavor, add the herb 10 minutes before you turn off the heat.

If your recipe is not specifically written for microwave cooking, keep in mind that fresh herbs tend to be milder when microwaved, so you may want to increase the amount you use. And the flavor of dried herbs is height-

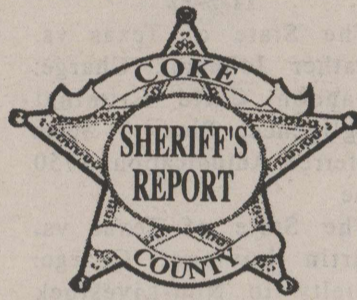
ened in the microwave, so you may want to decrease the amount you use.

To make fresh herbs into dried herbs, place them on a paper towel and cook them in the microwave on high for about 1 minute. When dry, store them in labeled re-sealable plastic bags. They should retain their flavor for up to 1 year.

**DID YOU KNOW?**

You can keep lettuce fresh in a re-sealable plastic bag with a piece of almost-burnt toast. When the toast gets soggy, replace it with another piece. Lettuce should stay crisp in the fridge for a couple of weeks this way.

ALSO - try keeping your collard greens, kale, lettuce and other salad greens fresher by keeping them in a covered container in the frig, along with a piece of stainless-steel silverware.



**September 2012**

**Arrest and Disposition**  
Billy Graves, Burglary of a Building, 9-20-12

Joseph Rhodes, Burglary of a Habitation, 9-24-12

Jose Negrete, Assault Family Violence, 9-28-12

Rockey Wickliffe, Driving While Intoxicated, 9-28-12

**District Court Dispositions**  
9-24-12

The State of Texas vs. Jason Bedford; Charge: Forgery; Plea: 540 Days State Jail, Probated 4 Years, \$750 Fine and Restitution

The State of Texas vs. Christopher Bedford; Charge: Forgery; Plea: 180 Days State

Jail

The State of Texas vs. Danny Saldana; Charge: Injury to a Child; Plea: 1 Year County Jail

The State of Texas vs. Rockey Wickliffe; Charge: Driving While Intoxicated 3rd or More; Plea: 1 Year County Jail, Probated 2 Years, \$2000 Fine

**County Court Plea**

**Disposition**

9-13-12

The State of Texas vs. Miranda Gardea; Charge: Theft by Check; Plea: Reduced to Class C Issuance of a Bad Check

**October 2012**

**Arrest and Disposition**

Sergio Garcia-Perez, Fail to ID, Resisting Arrest, Evading Arrest, 10-11-12

Martin Luviano, Cruelty to Animals, 10-18-12

Andrew Salinas, Criminal Non-Support, 10-22-12

Christopher Colegrove, Injury to a Child, 10-27-12

**District Court Dispositions**  
10-4-12

The State of Texas vs. Ricardo Flores Torres; Charge: Possession of Marijuana more than 4oz less than 5lbs; Plea: 457 Days State Jail, \$1000 Fine

**County Court Plea**

**Disposition**

10-24-12

The State of Texas vs. Destiny Soto; Charge: Driving While Intoxicated; Plea: 180 Days, Probated 12 Months, \$1000 Fine, \$432.00 Court Cost, DWI Course, 40 Hours of Community Service

The State of Texas vs. Brendyn Dickerson; Charge: Driving While License Invalid; Plea: \$350 Fine, \$232.00 Court Cost

The State of Texas vs. Ricardo Balderas; Charge: Operate Vehicle with No Drivers License; Plea: \$400 Fine, \$232.00 Court Cost

(Continued on page 8)

**IVEY MOTOR COMPANY, INC.**

**2012 Ford Flex Limited** #7133 \$27,995  
*White Suede w/Black Leather • A Steal!!!*

**2009 Ford F-250 Crew Cab XLT** #L059A \$18,995  
*Pale Adobe w/Tan Cloth • Powerstroke • Ready to Go!*

**2010 Ford Explorer Eddie Bauer** #7134 \$23,995  
*Black Pearl Slate • Two Tone Leather Seats • Really Sharp!!*

**2013 Ford Focus SE** #7136A \$20,995  
*Sterling Gray w/Charcoal Leather • Sync • Sirius • Only 5,900 Miles!*

**2011 Ford Fusion SE** #71-32 \$16,995  
*Steel Blue w/Charcoal Interior*

**1999 Ford F-250 Crew Cab 4x4** #L112A \$ 5,995  
*Copper Metallic w/Tan Leather • 7.3 Liter Powerstroke*

**2008 Ford F-150 Super Cab 4x4** 6450A \$17,995  
*Tan Metallic w/Adobe Cloth • 5.4 • Grill Guard*

**2011 Ford F-150 Super Crew** #L124A \$24,995  
*Dark Blue w/Gray Cloth • Power Seat*

**2011 Ford Mustang Coupe** #5178 \$19,995  
*Grabber Blue w/Charcoal Interior • Grabs You!*

**2008 Lincoln Navigator L** #13039A \$22,995  
*Black w/2Tone Leather Capt. Seats • 2nd Row Capt Chairs • Heated & Cooled Seats • Moon Roof • Rear Entertainment DVD • WOW!!!*

**2008 Lincoln Town Car Signature** #6515A \$16,995  
*Adobe w/Tan Leather • 52K Miles • Really Nice!*

**2008 Mercury Grand Marquis LS** #6423B \$12,495  
*Wedgewood Blue w/Tan Leather • Local Car!*

**2007 Ford F-150 Super Crew XLT** #6508B \$15,995  
*Dark Stone w/Adobe Accent • 4.6 V8*

**2002 Ford F-250 Super Cab XLT** #6033A \$ 7,500  
*Silver Metallic • Charcoal Interior • 7.3 Powerstroke*

**2004 Ford F-250 Crew Cab 4x4** #L126M \$14,995  
*White King Ranch • Powerstroke • Great Condition!*

**2006 Ford F-150 Super Crew** #6507A \$11,995  
*Red Fire Lariat w/Tan Leather*

**2012 Ford Focus SE** #6502A \$15,995  
*Red Fire Metallic w/Tan Cloth • Great Fuel Economy • 8K Miles!*

**453-4561**

Ask For:

**Randy Flanagan • Jim Herring  
Billy Wayne Roe**



# BLACKWELL SCHOOL NEWS

## Lady Hornets defeated by visiting Lady Horns

The Blackwell Lady Hornets were defeated, 29-58, at home Friday, February 1, by the Lady Longhorns of Bronte.

Scoring for the Lady Hornets were Brooklyn Harris 12, Stephanie Metcalf 7, Elizabeth Rozzle 4, Bethany Breaux 3, Adriana Rodriguez 2, and Shianne Solis 1.

## Lady Hornets fall to Robert Lee on the road

The Blackwell Lady Hornets travelled to Robert Lee Tuesday, January 29, and were defeated by the Robert Lee Lady Steers 37-58.

Scoring for the Lady Hornets were Stephanie Metcalf 14, Elizabeth Rozzle 7, Bethany Breaux 5, Shianne Solis 5, Brooklyn Harris 4

## School Menu

### Breakfast

#### Monday, February 11

Poptart/yogurt or cereal, juice, milk

#### Tuesday, February 12

Pancake on stick or cereal, juice, milk

#### Wednesday, February 13

Breakfast pizza or cereal, juice, milk

#### Thursday, February 14

Biscuits, sausage, gravy or cereal, juice, milk

#### Friday, February 15

Assorted muffins/yogurt or cereal, juice, milk

### Lunch

#### Monday, February 11

Corn dog, baked beans, tomato & cucumber cup, apple-pineapple d'Lite, milk

#### Tuesday, February 12

Nachos grande, refried beans, garden salad, orange smiles, chocolate chip cookie (9-12), milk

#### Wednesday, February 13

Chicken sandwich, oven fries, fresh veggie cup, fruity gelatin, milk

#### Thursday, February 14

Beefy macaroni, garden salad, baby carrots, fresh grapes, breadstick, milk

#### Friday, February 15

Pizza choice, crunchy broccoli salad, seasoned corn, fresh fruit bowl, milk

and Adrianna Rodriguez 2.

## ... Sheriff's Report

(Continued from page 7)

### November 2012

#### Arrest and Disposition

Jennifer Jones, Driving While License Invalid, 11-2-12

Jim Bob Smith, Public Intoxication, 11-2-12

Bobby Killough, Driving While License Invalid, 11-3-12

William Elder, Public Intoxication, 11-9-12

Robert Dippie, Out of County Warrant, 11-11-12

Martin Jimenez, Deadly Conduct, 11-21-12

#### District Court Dispositions 11-5-12

The State of Texas vs. Heather Johnson; Charge: Abandon Child Criminal Negligence; Plea: 3 Years Deferred Adjudication, \$750 Fine

The State of Texas vs. Martin Luviano; Charge: Cruelty to Non-Livestock Animals; Plea: 180 Days State Jail

The State of Texas vs. Larry Rosales Sr.; Charge: Assault on a Public Servant; Plea: 5 Years Deferred Adjudication, \$1000 Fine, and \$258.40 Restitution

The State of Texas vs. Larry Rosales Jr.; Charge: Assault on a Public Servant; Plea: 5 Years Deferred Adjudication, \$1000 Fine, and \$258.40 Restitution

#### No County Court Held in November

### December 2012

#### Arrest and Disposition

Ericka Bostwick, Assault Family Violence, 12-2-12

Bruce Benham, Assault Family Violence, 12-2-12

Lee Littlefield, Driving While Intoxicated, Unlawful Carrying of a Weapon, 12-29-12

#### District Court Dispositions 12-10-12

The State of Texas vs. Christopher Colegrove; Charge: Injury to a Child; Plea: 4 Years Deferred Adjudication, \$1000 Fine

#### County Court Dispositions 12-19-12

The State of Texas vs. Samuel Deleon; Charge: Driving While License Invalid; Plea: \$300 Fine, \$302 Court Cost

### January 2013

#### Arrest and Disposition

David Gerich, Possession of

a Controlled Substance - Motion to Revoke Probation, 1-4-13

Cisco Moreno, Possession of Marijuana - Motion to Revoke Probation, 1-4-13

Randall Rainwater, Assault Family Violence - Motion to Revoke Probation, 1-14-13

Crawford James, Evading Arrest or Detention on Foot, 1-27-13

Christopher Baldwin, Bench Warrant, 1-28-13

#### District Court Dispositions 1-14-13

The State of Texas vs. Billy Graves; Charge: Burglary of a Habitation; Plea: Dismissed

The State of Texas vs. Billy Graves; Charge: Theft of a Firearm; Plea: Guilty, 180 Days State Jail

The State of Texas vs. Kono Jimenez; Charge: Possession of a Controlled Substance with intent to deliver; Plea: Fine \$5000, 8 Years TDCJ Probated 8 Years, Restitution \$140

The State of Texas vs. Aime Venegas; Charge: Possession of a Controlled Substance with intent to deliver; Plea: Fine \$1000, 4 Years Deferred Adjudication, Restitution \$140

The State of Texas vs. Randall Rainwater; Charge: Assault Family Violence - Motion to Revoke Probation; Plea: 90 Days County Jail

The State of Texas vs. David Gerich; Charge: Possession of a Controlled Substance - Motion to Revoke Probation; Plea: Dismissed - Probation Terminated Unsuccessfully  
**County Court Dispositions 1-23-13**

The State of Texas vs. Julia Bower; Charge: Driving While License Invalid; Plea: \$300 Fine, \$232 Court Cost

The State of Texas vs. Colby Davis; Charge: Terroristic Threat; Plea: Dismissed - Complainant no longer wishes to prosecute

The State of Texas vs. Bryan Fountain; Charge:

Assault Family Violence; Plea: Dismissed - Complainant no longer wishes to prosecute

## 2013 Midessa Boat, RV, Sport and Gun Show set

The 31st annual Midessa Boat, RV, Sport and Gun Show will be held at the Ector County Coliseum Complex in Odessa, Texas, February 7-10, 2013.

Those attending can see the new 2013 model RV's, Motor Homes, Boats, Trucks, SUV's, and receive the best buys of the season. Check the many booth spaces for free prizes including an Alaska fishing trip, resort stays and more. Visit the gun show, and a variety of booths including resort areas, RV parks, jewelry, designer furniture, motorcycles, ATV's and used boats and RVs.

Visitors can also see the Bass Tub, a 4000 gallon, 40 foot long mobile aquarium that travels the country performing at over 25 sports, fishing, boating, hunting and outdoor expos. The fishing seminars and demonstrations with live fish are performed by a professional fisherman, Keith Johnson, perched on top of a mounted boat on the end of the Bass Tub. Demonstrations are made with a variety of proven fish catching, casting and retrieval techniques. You are able to see the fish swimming and chasing the lures. Each professional fishing demonstration will include a variety of baits and presentations and be packed full of professional angler tips and tactics.

Other attractions include a white tiger exhibit, and pony rides. The Bird Encounter is a giant aviary with 100+ multicolored birds where you can enter and feed and touch the birds.

Attendees may register in Building G for a \$500 vacation cash giveaway.

A free tram will be provided to transport people from building to building. All exhibits are inside and provide something for the entire family.

For more information, visit [www.midessaaboatshow.net](http://www.midessaaboatshow.net).

## Youth program incorporates beef cattle production

The Texas Brigades will add a new camp in the summer of 2013 appropriately named Ranch Brigade. The new camp will focus on an entirely new concept, livestock production and ranching.

The Texas Brigades' mission is to educate and empower youths with the leadership skills and knowledge in wildlife, fisheries, and land stewardship to become conservation ambassadors for a sustained natural resource legacy. This will be the 21st year of the Brigades.

According to the camp coordinator, Chris Farley, Ranch Brigade will focus on the need for ranchers and agriculturalists to tell their story about land stewardship and livestock production.

"The camp will be about agriculture, food production, and feeding the world," Farley said. "I want the take-home message for the cadets to be 'ranchers have their consumer's best interest at heart'."

The founder of the Texas Brigades, Dr. Dale Rollins, says he is excited about the new camp because "It's a nice complement to our existing camps subject wise. Any program that promotes conservation and sharpens critical thinking skills is a winner." He adds that "wildlife and livestock can coexist if managed correctly—the more we can advance that synergy, the better off Texas rural lands will be."

For more information, contact Helen Holdsworth, Executive Director, at 800-TEX-WILD or 210-826-2904, ext. 120.

The place to meet for meat!

## MENCHACA'S PROCESSING

703 E. 5th St. • Robert Lee • (325) 453-4314

[www.menchacasprocessing.com](http://www.menchacasprocessing.com)

Beginning March 1st, we will be open for over-the-counter retail sales. We have some products available now.

Custom orders are welcome. Please call with any questions.

Salami (Pork/Beef)  
Summer Sausage (Pork/Beef)  
German Sausage (Pork/Beef)  
Snack Sticks (Pork/Beef)  
Bratwurst (Pork)  
Chorizo (Pork)

We will have Hand-Cut Steaks, Smoked Meats, Jerky, Brisket, and Hams. Other products will also be available until sold out.

### Open Friday - Sunday

Friday • 10 am to 7 pm

Saturday • 8 am to 5 pm

Sunday • 8 am to 12 noon

### Place Your Orders Now


By Phone

(325) 453-4314

(325) 650-4075 Matthew

By Email

[salesandinfo@menchacasprocessing.com](mailto:salesandinfo@menchacasprocessing.com)



**TEXAS FARM BUREAU INSURANCE**  
AUTO / HOME / LIFE

## Russell Davis Agent

611 Austin Street  
PO Box 1079  
Robert Lee, Texas 76945  
(325) 453-4505 office  
(325) 453-4524 fax  
(325) 650-1904 mobile  
[TXFB-INS.COM](http://TXFB-INS.COM)