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## County Stock Show set for next weekend

The 76th edition of the Coke County Junior Livestock Show will be held Friday and Saturday, January 16 and 17, 2015, at the Sterling Lindsey Memorial Exhibition Building in Robert Lee.

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

New this year is the Pec-Wee Show. It will be held immediately following the Sheep and Goat Shows on Friday evening, January 16 and is open to all children 8 and under who are not 4-H members. Clover bud members are eligible to participate. Participants will need to find a lamb or goat to borrow for the show and sign up at the concession stand during the Sheep and Goat Shows.

The county stock show offers the youth of Coke County an opportunity to exhibit their livestock projects which they have worked with for more than 11 months, in many cases.

Besides being a worthwhile educational activity for our youth in teaching them responsibility, working with others and numerous life skills, it is an important economic endeavor when you consider the animals purchased from county producers, feed purchased locally and the premium sale monies that come in from county and other areas. The total amounts of monies generated by these exhibitors amounts to over \$150,000 per year that is circulated in the county.

The show will begin Friday, January 16, at 6:30 pm with the Market Lamb show, followed by the Market Goat show. These will be judged by Bronc Fleming, livestock producer of San Angelo. Saturday, January 17, the Market Swine show gets underway at 8:30 am, followed by the Market Steer show at 11 am, judged by Duffy Galloway, Loraine ISD agriculture teacher. The Buyer's appreciation barbecue will be served at 12 noon. Following the barbecue, the premium sale will be held at 2 pm to honor the prize winning animals and exhibitors.

Persons wishing to donate to the Coke County Livestock Show can contact either the



**Frozen!** On Tuesday, December 30, 2014, temperatures dropped below freezing and stayed there until late the second day of 2015. By Wednesday morning, vegetation was blanketed in ice (top right photo) and Mays Road in central Coke County was covered in ice on Friday as well.

The first call the Coke County Sheriff's Office received to work an accident during this period was during the noon hour on Tuesday. The accident occurred south of Bronte on US Highway 277 when a car (photo at right) in the northbound lane traveled across the center stripe and struck a trailer being pulled by a pickup in the southbound lane. The driver of the car was transported to the hospital.

Over the next few days, members of the Coke County Sheriff's Office, other law enforcement agencies, local EMS, local volunteer fire departments and Best Connection (Waylon and Rick Drennan) were kept busy going from one car in the ditch or roll over to another as drivers attempted to travel during this time.

County Extension office in the courthouse or one of the Livestock Association directors which include Shane Kelton, Douglas Roberts, Tom Sawyer, Terry Austin, Michael Cervenka, Riley Coalson, Corby Kelso, Curtis Knight, Steve Oleksiuk III, Terry Queen, T. J.



McCullough, Ricky Ross, Ricky Royall, Bill Torres, Bob Sheets, Noel Tinkler, Mark Wright, Emmitt Crisp, Jack Yanez and Orlando DeLaGarza.

The directors of the Coke County Junior Livestock Show would like to invite everyone to come and participate in this year's County Livestock Show and support the youth of our county for their hard work and dedication.

### RLHS 1978 State

**Champion reunion slated**  
The Robert Lee 1978 Girls State Basketball Champions are having a reunion weekend on

January 30-31, 2015. The team will be introduced during the current RLHS Lady Steers game the 30th of January.

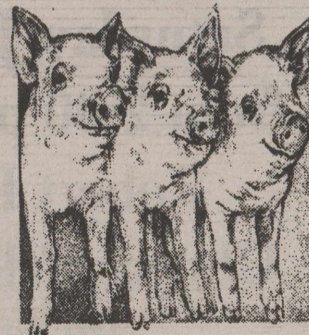
On the following Saturday, they will be having a reunion/get together at the high school cafeteria from 3-7 pm.

Saturday events will consist of visiting, reminiscing, looking at old pictures and watching the state basketball games. Coach Ronnie Ruff will be speaking to the team members, family, friends and anyone who would like to come up and visit on Saturday.

Any ladies who were a member of the 1978 team or played under Coach Ruff during the years he coached and taught at Robert Lee are encouraged to attend both Friday and Saturday events. Please bring old/new pictures, films or memorabilia Saturday to share. Assistant Coach Clyde Dukes will also be present at the reunion.

Refreshments will be provided on Saturday. Anyone wanting to attend or help with the reunion, needs to contact Carla Wojtek Kristinek at [www.whitharralisd.org](http://www.whitharralisd.org) for more information.

**Regular Meeting of the  
Commissioners Court  
9 am Tuesday  
January 13, 2015  
Commissioners Courtroom  
Coke County Courthouse**



**76th Coke County  
Jr. Livestock  
Show  
Friday &  
Saturday  
January 16 & 17**

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**Obituaries**



**Kennedy**

Julia Kirkham Kennedy went rushing into the arms of The Lord December 27, 2014 and brightened heaven with her smile. Those who knew her saw a tiny piece of heaven through her unconditional love and amazing ability to forgive. Julia never met a stranger and had a gift to always make you laugh. She dedicated her life to teaching others about hard work and how to enjoy life no matter what.

Julia was born to O.C. and Jacquelynn (Jackie) Kirkham March 23, 1954 in San Angelo. She attended school in San Angelo and graduated from Central High School. She worked for Stripes in Bronte, TX. Her career in convenience stores allowed her to share her happiness with others.

She is preceded in death by her father O.C. Kirkham and her brother James Kirkham.

She is survived by her mother, Jacquelynn (Jackie) Kirkham of San Angelo, TX; three sisters, Margo Law of San Antonio, TX, JoAnn Womack of Winters, TX and Shirley Bradshaw of San Angelo, TX; one brother, Mike Kirkham of Helotes, TX; her son, Skeeter Kennedy of Crane, TX; her daughter and son-in-law, Amber and Travis DeLeon of Crane, TX; one grandson, Cash Gunner DeLeon of Crane.

Julia lived by two rules, laughter and love. She lit up the room and always made you feel better. We are all better for having known her, you weren't able to walk away without learning something valuable from her.

Her legacy will live on through family and her friends whom she loved like family.

The family received visitors all day Saturday, January 3, 2015 at Macon You Crazy

Ranch located at 845 Copeland Rd., Blackwell, TX 79506, approximately 11 miles North of Bronte on 277. Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, January 4, 2015 at First Baptist Church of Bronte. Services were under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made to www.shafferpioneer.com.

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**Texas Lions looking for campers**

Texas Lions Camp is a summer camp dedicated to serving children from the state of Texas with physical disabilities, type-1 diabetes and cancer between the ages of seven and sixteen. The camp is a modern facility located on over 500 acres outside of Kerrville in the beautiful Texas Hill Country.

Texas Lions Camp offers campers a chance to try new activities and create long lasting friendships while developing greater self-esteem, independence, and most of all, they get to have FUN!

Children eligible for the Texas Lions Camp summer program includes children age 7 to 16 with physical disabilities. Eligible children include, but are not limited to, children who are hearing impaired or deaf, visually impaired or blind, have a missing limb, birth defects, cerebral palsy, arthritis, muscular dystrophy, cancer, asthma, heart conditions and others. One camp session is for children with Down syndrome ages 12 to 16. Two sessions are provided for children who have type-1



**Ring in the New Year!** Residents of Bronte Health and Rehab Center celebrated the new year!

diabetes ages 8 to 15.

Learning can take on many forms and Texas Lions Camp is a unique experience for many campers in the types of challenges presented. Counselors are assigned to each group of campers and escort them throughout the session, teaching and encouraging campers while meeting their special needs. Another key lesson is learning that everyone has a 'disability' some are just more obvious than others

The goal of Texas Lions Camp is to help children become more independent, productive adults. The programs of the Texas Lions Camp are intended to develop such qualities as improved self-image, social adjustment and self-reliance. These services are offered to campers at no charge to them or their families.

Registration will begin in January 2015. If there are questions on whether your child would qualify, please contact the Texas Lions Camp Registrar, Melissa Wilson at 830-896-8500 X250 or mwilson@lionscamp.com. Also, you can check out the Lions Camp webpage at www.lionscamp.com.

Locally, you can contact the Bronte Evening Lions Club at 325-473-2911.

**Come As You Are**

Sunday Mornings • 10 am  
 Table Time • Tuesday evening  
 Pot Luck 6 pm • Study 7 pm

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

**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

**First Baptist Church**  
 424 S. Washington Bronte  
 (325) 473-2331  
 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. Everette Boyce, Pastor  
 Sun. 10:00 am Sunday School  
 11:00 am Worship

**Forgiven Ministries**  
 117 W. Main, Bronte  
 Russ Frasier, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am  
 Tuesday 6 pm Table Time

**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 1/2 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

**Robert Lee**  
**Bible Baptist Church**  
 PO Box 938 9th & Austin  
 (325) 453-2621 Robert Lee, Dennis Clark, Pastor  
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School, 11 am  
 Worship, 5 pm Bible Study

**Emmanuel Pentecostal**  
 PO Box 683 1019 Colorado City Hwy  
 Pastor Tim Wood (325) 453-2360  
 Sundays 2 pm, Thursdays 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 pm Choir Practice

**Iglesia Bautista Betel**  
 101 Houston Robert Lee  
 Sun. 9:45 am Sunday School  
 11 am Service Bible Study Wed. 6 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**  
 (325) 453-2208, PO Box 638  
 6th & Houston, Robert Lee  
 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor  
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School  
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship  
 Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study

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

**Birthday Party!**  
 Please join with the family of  
**Pat Carwile**  
 for cake and ice cream  
 in honor of her  
**80th birthday!**  
 We will celebrate on  
**Saturday, January 10th,**  
**from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm**  
**Robert Lee Baptist**  
**Church Fellowship Hall.**  
*No Gifts Please*  
*Cards are Welcome!*

**Commissioners Court minutes posted November 10, 2014**

The Coke County Commissioners Court met in regular session November 10, 2014, at the courthouse in Robert Lee. Members of the court present included County Judge, Roy Blair, Commissioner, Pct. #1 Gene Montgomery, Commissioner, Pct. #3 Gaylon Pitcock, Commissioner, Pct. #4 Bobby Blaylock. Clerk Mary Grim was also in attendance.

The meeting opened with prayer given by Comm. Blaylock and pledge to the flag was recited.

Judge Blair announced the presence of a quorum. Comm. Lee was absent.

Comm. Blaylock made a motion to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Comm. Montgomery. Motion carried.

Treasurer Hal Spain presented his report. Comm. Blaylock made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented. The motion was seconded by Comm. Montgomery. Motion carried.

County Agent Morgan Runyan presented her extension report.

Judge Blair presented Sheriff Wayne McCutchen's report.

Tax Collector's report was presented by Tax A/C Josie Dean.

County/District Clerk Mary Grim's report was presented by Judge Blair.

Constable Pct. 1 Marshall Millican's presented his report.

Constable Pct. 2 Marty Boyd presented his report.

J.P. Pct. 1 Jackie Walker presented her report.

J.P. Pct. 2 Grady Coulter presented his report.

Judge Blair presented the D.R. Report's for September and October.

The Trapper's Report was presented by Judge Blair.

No action was taken on the Burn Ban.

Comm. Pitcock made a motion to approve the holiday schedule for 2015 as presented. The motion was seconded by Judge Blair. Motion carried.

Judge Blair presented a request from Pat Menchaca to pave Mule Creek Road. It was reported that there were no funds. Due to lack of motion no action was taken.

D. L. Bailey wanted to donate \$220.00 to the Sheriff's office to buy ammo or use on equipment. Comm. Montgomery made a motion to approve the donation. The motion was seconded by Comm. Blaylock. Motion carried.

Judge Blair reported the Wendy Justice has withdrawn application for Home Demo Agent. 911 goes on line today at 1:00 with Tom Green County. Brian Garrison wants to cancel his lease on facility. The facility will be listed with Jerrod Pitcock. If going to Christmas party need to RSVP. Monday election will be canvassed.

There being no private road work requests, no action was taken. Comm. Montgomery made a motion to pay bills. The

motion was seconded by Comm. Pitcock. Motion carried.

Judge Blair adjourned the meeting.

**November 17, 2014**

The Coke County Commissioners Court met in special session November 17, 2014, at the courthouse in Robert Lee. Members of the court present included County Judge, Roy Blair, Commissioner, Pct. #1 Troy Montgomery, Commissioner, Pct. #2 Wendell Lee, Commissioner, Pct. #3 Gaylon Pitcock, Commissioner, Pct. #4 Bobby Blaylock. Deputy Clerk Martha Ratliff was also in attendance.

The meeting opened with prayer given by Comm. Blaylock and pledge to the flag was recited.

Judge Blair announced the presence of a quorum.

Deputy Clerk Martha Ratliff presented the court with the canvass report for the November 4, 2014 General Election.

**November 24, 2014**

The Coke County Commissioners Court met in special session November 24, 2014, at the courthouse in Robert Lee. Members of the court present included County Judge, Roy Blair, Commissioner, Pct. #1 Troy Montgomery, Commissioner, Pct. #2 Wendell Lee, Commissioner, Pct. #3 Gaylon Pitcock, Commissioner, Pct. #4 Bobby Blaylock. Deputy Clerk Kyla Garcia was also in attendance.

The meeting opened with prayer given by Comm. Blaylock and pledge to the flag was recited.

Judge Blair announced the presence of a quorum.

Comm. Blaylock made a motion to minutes approved for November 10 and November 17 as presented motion seconded by Comm. Montgomery. Motion carried.

No action was taken on the burn ban.

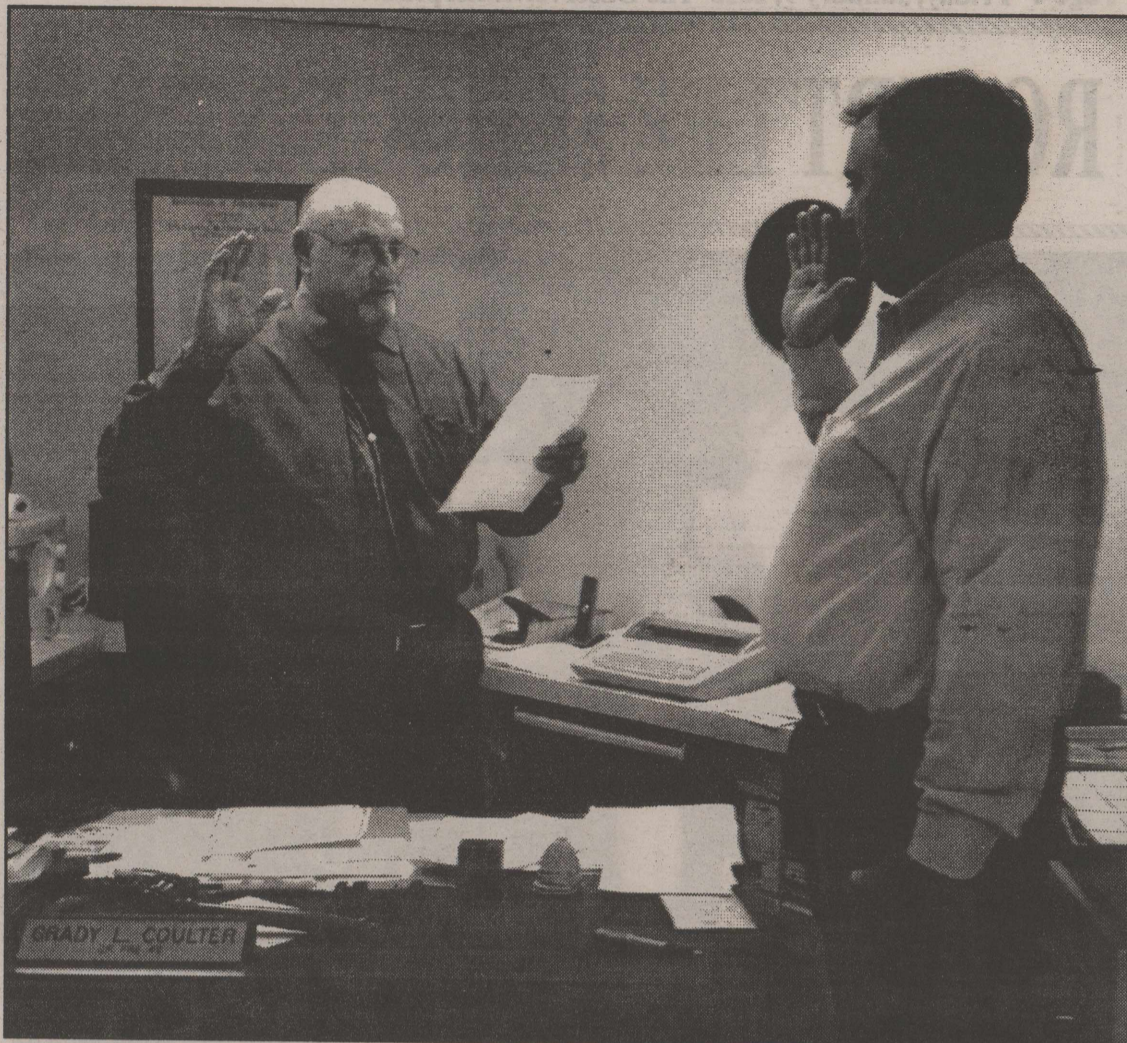
Comm. Blaylock reported that over 600 lbs. of canned goods were donated to the ministries in Bronte. He also reported that the Personal Policy handbook needs to be corrected and in Judges office by December 2, 2014. Comm. Lee reported that the roof at the Community Center in Bronte has some leaks. Judge Blair reported that the auditors evaluation was good.

No private road work.

Comm. Lee made a motion to approve bills seconded by Comm. Blaylock. Motion carried.

**December 8, 2014**

The Coke County Commissioners Court met in regular session December 8, 2014, at the courthouse in Robert Lee. Members of the court present included County



**Newly Sworn Commissioner!** Coke County Justice of the Peace Precinct 2 Grady Coulter (left) administered the oath of office to new Precinct 2 Commissioner Paul Williams and Precinct 4 Commissioner Joe Sefcik (not pictured) on Saturday morning, January 3, 2015. The first meeting of the Commissioners Court for these two new officials is 9 am Tuesday, January 13, 2015, at the Coke County Courthouse in Robert Lee.

Judge, Roy Blair, Commissioner, Pct. #1 Gene Montgomery, Commissioner, Pct. #2 Wendell Lee, Commissioner, Pct. #3 Gaylon Pitcock, Commissioner, Pct. #4 Bobby Blaylock. Deputy Clerk Martha Ratliff was also in attendance.

The meeting opened with prayer given by Comm. Blaylock and pledge to the flag was recited.

Judge Blair announced the presence of a quorum.

Comm. Blaylock made a motion to approve the minutes for November 24 as presented. The motion was seconded by Comm. Montgomery. Motion carried.

Treasurer Hal Spain presented his report. Comm. Lee made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented. The motion was seconded by Comm. Montgomery. Motion carried.

County Extension Agent Morgan Runyan presented her extension report.

Sheriff McCutchen presented his report.

Tax Collector's report was presented by Tax A/C Josie Dean.

Deputy Clerk Martha Ratliff presented the District/Clerk's report.

Constable Pct. 1 Marshall Millican's report was presented by Judge Blair.

Constable Pct. 2 Marty Boyd's report was presented by Judge Blair.

J.P. Pct. 1 Jackie Walker's

report was presented by Judge Blair.

J.P. Pct. 2 Grady Coulter's report was presented by Judge Blair.

Judge Blair presented the D.R. Report.

The Trapper's Report was not available.

No action was taken on the Burn Ban.

Comm. Lee made a motion seconded by Comm. Blaylock to prohibit certain fireworks in areas of Coke County. Motion carried.

Tax A/C Josie Dean presented the annual delinquent roll. Comm. Montgomery made a motion seconded by Comm. Pitcock to approve the annual report. Motion carried.

Comm. Lee made a motion seconded by Comm. Montgomery to pay \$4500.00 to replace injector on dump truck. Motion carried.

Comm. Lee made a motion seconded by Comm. Pitcock to appoint Comm. Montgomery pro-tem for 2015.

Comm. Montgomery made a motion seconded by Comm. Lee to convene on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Motion carried. Comm. Pitcock voted against.

Comm. Lee made a motion seconded by Comm. Pitcock to approve inter-local agreement between Coke County and the Concho Valley Transit District. Motion carried.

Comm. Lee reported replacing some tiles in Community Center in Bronte.

Judge Blair attended LCRA meeting in San Marcos.

No private road work.

Comm. Blaylock made a motion seconded by Comm. Lee to pay bills. Motion carried.

Judge Blair adjourned meeting at 9:45 am.

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# ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS



## Robert Lee Elementary Christmas Program



### Robert Lee UIL Results

**Creative Writing 2**  
3rd Place Denver O'Dell  
**Story Telling 2**  
6th Place Rhett Rangel  
**Oral Reading 4**  
6th Place Kristin Moreno  
**Mathematics 8**  
2nd Place Aimee Zimmerman; 6th Place Corbin Drennan

Team 2nd Place  
**Maps, Graphs, Charts 5**  
1st Place Zane Avants  
Team 2nd Place  
**Maps, Graphs, Charts 8**  
6th Place Chelsea Wyatt  
**Science 7**  
3rd Place Kaleb Gregston  
**Art 5**  
4th Place Gavin Freeman  
Team 3rd Place

**Art 8**  
4th Place Meagan Grantham;  
5th Place Kelby Clawson  
**Music Memory 4**  
3rd Place Ethan Perry  
**Music Memory 5**  
1st Place McKenzie Puentez;  
2nd Place Braylee Hood; 3rd  
Place Aubrey Nichols; 5th Place  
Heather Huapilla  
Team 1st Place

**Music Memory 6**  
1st Place Zoe Tijerina; 5th  
Place Hemma Rangel  
Team 1st Place

**Listening Skills 5**  
3rd Place Braylee Hood  
Team 3rd Place

**Listening Skills 6**  
Team 3rd Place

**Dictionary Skills 6**  
2nd Place Emma Brewer  
Team 3rd Place

**Social Studies 7**  
4th Place Kari O'Dell

**Social Studies 8**  
2nd Place (tie) Chelsea Wyatt

**Spelling 3**  
4th Place Abigail Arthur

**Spelling 4**

6th Place Brooke Smith  
**Spelling 5**  
4th Place Zane Avants; 6th  
Place Brisely Ureno  
Team 3rd Place

**Spelling 6**  
2nd Place Emma Brewer  
**Ready Writing 3**  
6th Place Abigail Arthur  
**Ready Writing 4**  
2nd Place Kristen Moreno  
**Ready Writing 5**  
2nd Place Braylee Hood; 5th  
Place Mia Galvan  
**Number Sense 4**

6th Place Ryan Mendoza  
**Number Sense 5**  
2nd Place Zane Avants; 3rd  
Place Dylan Thomas  
Team 1st Place

**Number Sense 6**  
4th Place Harlee Richardson  
**Number Sense 8**  
6th Place Corbin Drennan  
**Chess 5**  
5th Place (tie) Caleb Smith  
Team 2nd Place  
**Chess 6**  
3rd Place Mason Fowler  
Team 2nd Place

## Robert Lee Menu

**Breakfast**  
**Monday, January 12**  
Sausage roll, yogurt, juice,  
milk  
**Tuesday, January 13**  
Cheese omelet wrap, juice,  
milk  
**Wednesday, January 14**  
Breakfast pizza, juice, milk  
**Thursday, January 15**  
Waffle, sausage, juice, milk  
**Friday, January 16**  
Holiday  
**Lunch**  
**Monday, January 12**

Chicken quesadillas, salad,  
refried beans, applesauce, milk  
**Tuesday, January 13**  
Country fried steak, gravy,  
cream potatoes, green beans, roll,  
strawberry cup, milk  
**Wednesday, January 14**  
Chicken spaghetti, salad,  
broccoli, apple slices, breadstick,  
milk  
**Thursday, January 15**  
Hamburger, garnish,  
cucumbers, French fries, sliced  
peaches  
**Friday, January 16**  
Holiday

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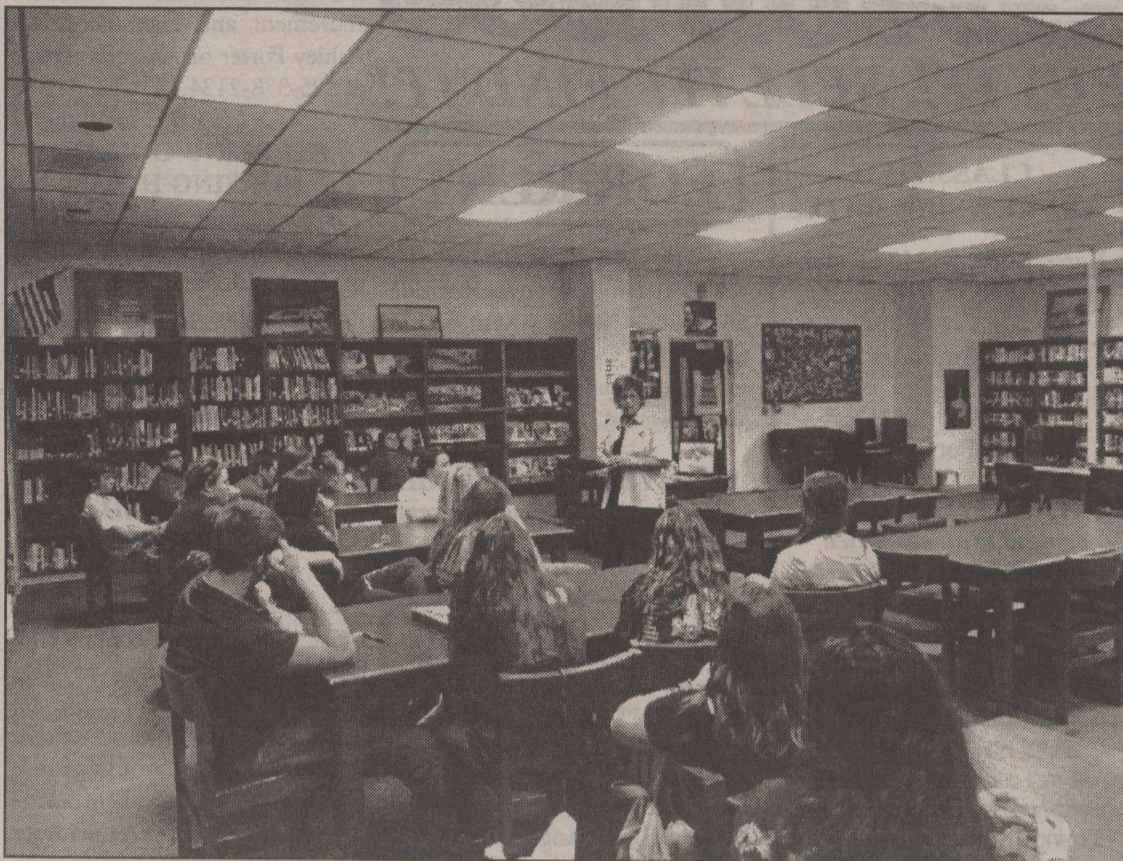
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# BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS



**Howard College Presentation!** Caryn Truitt, Student Life & Community Outreach Coordinator at Howard College in San Angelo recently spoke to seniors at Bronte High School about Howard College and the various associate and certificate programs they offer. In addition, she talked to the students about the admissions process, including testing requirements, various student services available, financial aid and scholarships, as well as describing the new campus buildings recently built. The students had the opportunity to ask questions, win prizes, and obtain informational brochures and other souvenirs from the campus. For more information on HC, please visit [www.howardcollege.edu](http://www.howardcollege.edu).

## Bronte Elementary 2nd 6 week Awards

### 1st Grade

**All E's**  
Hailey Beal, Joe Pena-Cecillio, Lawsynn Sanchez, Maddie Schoenfield

### Citizenship

Caelyn Ball, Hailey Beal, Shaylee Bilbrey, Hondo Burton, Treyton McCullough, Joel Pena-Cecillio, Layla Rodriguez, Lawsynn Sanchez, Maddie Schoenfield, Hannah Sullivan, Raymond Williams

### Perfect Attendance

Bubba Bannert, Preston Bryan, Parker Holland, Grace Jernigan, Maddie Schoenfield, Hannah Sullivan, Raymond Williams

### 2nd Grade

#### Super Longhorn

Marlene Sanchez, November Wilson

#### A Honor Roll

Anna Henson, Warren Middleton, Jaxon Morris, November Wilson

#### A/B Honor Roll

Roy Flores, Jorja Harendt, Cole Knight, Marlena Sanchez, Tatum Sanchez, Emery Willis

### Perfect Attendance

Jorja Harendt, Anna Henson, Cole Knight, Warren Middleton, Jaxon Morris, Tatum Sanchez, November Wilson

### Met Reading Goal

Roy Flores, Mystyk Guillen, Anna Henson, Cole Knight, Caleb McIntire, Jaxon Morris, Tatum Sanchez, Emery Willis, November Wilson

### 3rd Grade

#### A Honor Roll

Daysiah Flores, Emily Jackson

#### A/B Honor Roll

Ryan Aguirre, Ryana Castaneda, Joey Goddard,

Dayton Jones, Maelynn Williams, Halie Gibson, Brandon Baughman

### Perfect Attendance

Ryana Castaneda, Joey Goddard, Maelynn Williams, Ryan Aguirre, Emily Jackson, Jayden Sanchez, Halie Gipson, Dayton Jones

### Met Reading Goal

Daysiah Flores, Emily Jackson

### Super Longhorn

Emily Jackson

### 4th Grade

#### A Honor Roll

Arath Brosig, Deliziah Flores, Jett Jackson

#### A/B Honor Roll

Parker Bearden, Aiden Beck, Juan Orlando De La Garza, Kolson Follis, Zoey Hortenstine, Teegan Minjarez, Ashlyn Richards, A'Chyanna Torres

### Perfect Attendance

Parker Bearden, Aiden Beck, Arath Brosig, Kolson Follis, Victoria Hall-Shaffer, Zoey Hortenstine, Teegan Minjarez, Bastian Quezada, Chloe Reyes, Emmy Speary, A'Chyanna Torres

### Met Reading Goal

Aiden Beck, Arath Brosig, Juan Orlando De La Garza, Deliziah Flores, Kolson Follis, Victoria Hall-Shaffer, Zoey Hortenstine, Jett Jackson, Chloe Reyes, Ashlyn Richards, Tatum Riney, Emmy Speary

### 5th Grade

#### A Honor Roll

Zachary McWright

#### A/B Honor Roll

Thaliah Castaneda, Jessica Montez, Gabby Quezada, Lance Rolls, Tiffany Timmerman

### Perfect Attendance

Thaliah Castaneda, Isaac Gonzales, Zachary McWright, Seth Parker, Gabby Quezada, Marissa Reyes, Lance Rolls, Alexis Sanchez, Tiffany Timmerman

### Met Reading Goal

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## Nico Willis, Kylee Maples Junior High Enrichment Articles

[Editor's Note: The following articles were written by students in the Bronte Junior High Enrichment Class. They have not been edited.]

### Tough Loss for the Lady Longhorns

By: Karissa Cervenka

The Bronte JV Lady Longhorns lost last Tuesday, December 2 against Winters JV girls. The hard fought game was extremely close until the third quarter. In the first quarter Bronte scored a total of six points, with Delacerda making a three, Sallee with one free throw, and Weatherly with two points. The Lady Blizzards also scored six in the first quarter, Carillo with two points, Ochoa with two points, and Gerhart with two points. Making it tied 6-6 in the first. During the first quarter, Sallee came out due to a hyperextended knee injury she got against Menard at their last game.

The second quarter stayed close just like the first, leaving it tied at halftime. Winters scored nine points in the second, as Bronte did also. For Winters, Carillo scored four points, Green scored a three, and Ochoa scored two. Bronte had Swecker score two, Weatherly with five, and Delacerda with two. Going into halftime tied 15-15 showed that it was going to be an interesting second half.

In the third quarter Bronte only scored four points, Swecker with two, and Delacerda with two. On the other hand, Winters scored eleven points giving them with quite a bit of a lead on

Bronte, Carillo scoring six, Knight with a free throw, Green with two, and Lovelace scoring two. That gave Winters a 26-19 lead ending the third.

Bronte, in the fourth quarter, only scored four, but Winters scored seven. Bronte had Swecker making two points and Duncan making two points. The end of the fourth was interesting because Bronte had to play with four players with about two minutes left since Delacerda went out with cramps in her leg and Berryhill fouled out. That ended the fourth quarter with the Winters Lady Blizzards beating the Bronte Lady Longhorns 33-23. Next week the Lady Longhorns take on the Sterling City Lady Eagles on Tuesday, December 9th 2014 here in Bronte.

### Bronte Shorthorn Basketball

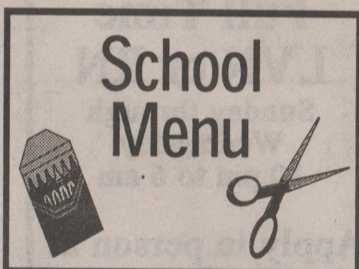
By: Garrett Knight

The Bronte Shorthorns have had a good turn out so far in

basketball. Currently the boys A-team is 2-1 they have shown pride and determination this season. Bronte ended up taking that one with a final score of 28 Bronte 19 Blackwell.

For the Shorthorns second game the A boys played the Paint Rock Indians at Paint Rock November 24. With their six 8th graders the five starters are Hunter Powell, Joe Sanchez, Garrett Knight, Tanner Braswell, Kevin Parks, and Nathan Arthur as the alternate. For the opening tip Kevin Parks jumped successfully against number 00 from Paint Rock. At end of the first Powell, Knight, and Braswell had 0 points. However Sanchez and Arthur both had 2. Bronte was ahead by 5 and Paint Rock 0. The Shorthorns showing they wanted the win scored a total of 14 points in the second period. Paint Rock still hasn't scored now there down by 14. Bronte ends up taking this win with the final score Bronte 32 and Paint Rock 7. Powell had a

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## School Menu

### Breakfast

#### Monday, January 12

Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

#### Tuesday, January 13

Pancake on stick or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

#### Wednesday, January 14

Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

#### Thursday, January 15

Breakfast sandwich or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

#### Friday, January 16

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### Lunch

#### Monday, January 12

Chicken quesadilla, refried beans, garden salad, applesauce, salsa, milk

#### Tuesday, January 13

Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, gravy, fruit, milk

#### Wednesday, January 14

Chicken spaghetti, California blend, garden salad, breadsticks, apple slices, milk

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total of 2 points, Sanchez had 7, Knight had 10, Braswell 5, Parks 4, and Arthur 4.

For their third game the Bronte Shorthorns A boys played the Veribest Falcons at Veribest with the same 8th graders that played the previous two game against Paint Rock. Parks and Gray from Veribest jumped for it to start the ball game. Bronte was in a defensive tip as coach Kevin Burns predicted for them to get the tip off and that they did. By the end of the first quarter Bronte was behind with 4 points and Veribest was ahead with 18 points. The Shorthorns didn't play to their full potential as they did in the previous games. Knight and Parks both had 2 points each for the Shorthorns. At the end of the first half Bronte had 7 team fouls and was down by 18 points. Half way through the third period Braswell went into foul trouble putting Arthur in as the alternate. At the end of the 3rd the Falcons where ahead with 33 points and Bronte had 14 points. At the start of the 4th Braswell went back in for Arthur. Now the Shorthorns need to play defense to get back into the game and go score some buckets.

The Falcons end up taking this win with a final score Bronte 19 and Veribest 44. The Shorthorns discourge by the loss, but they still continue to work harder and get better. Their next game will be held at Bronte against the Water Valley Wildcats, December the 11th. So come out this Thursday and support the Bronte Shorthorns as they play the Water Valley Wildcats.

**Devastating Loss to the Wolves**

By: Jose Luis Sanchez

The Longhorns started their season off against Menard. Even though the Longhorns lost, they played hard. Burns was the leading scorer with 12 points

and Puentez with 8 points. Menard had a good defense that held the Longhorns to 10 points in the first half and 21 points in the third quarter. The final score was 31-45, which gave the Longhorns their first loss of the 2014-2015 basketball season. Colorado City was their next opponent on December 2, 2014. "If we play the game we will win", said Smith before the game. C-City is a team with good shooters and a good defense. Bronte practiced hard for this game, and were ready to execute and win.

Bronte was leading the whole first quarter against the Wolves 11-3. C-City gained momentum in the second as they lead that quarter 11-19. Bronte had many fouls in the first and second half. Puentez, Burns, and Ward lead the Longhorns in total points. Colorado City battled back in the second and third quarter taking the lead, then held the Horns in the fourth quarter to seal the game and give the win to Colorado City. The Wolves defense stopped the Horns offense and only gave up 31 points, the Longhorns gave up 41 points, with a final score of 31-41. The devastating loss would give the Longhorns a 0-2 record for the season. Bronte now heads into a tournament that will be held in Robert Lee on the 4th and 6th.

**Fight with the Falcons**

By: E'lexia Davis

The 7th grade Bronte Lady Shorthorns won their game against the Veribest Lady Falcons on December 1st 2014 at the old gym in Veribest, Texas. In the first quarter of the game Powell scored 4 points, Parker scored 2, and Davis scored 2 with the final score of the first quarter being 8 for the Lady Shorthorns. The second quarter of the game Cervenka scored 4, Parker scored on a free



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throw, and Reyes scoured 2 with the final score of the half as 15.

The third quarter of the second half Cervenka scored 2, Davis scored 4, and Watkins scored 2. The fourth quarter of the game the only person that scored was Watkins with 2 points. The Lady Shorthorns won their basketball game with the total score being 25 to 16. Their goal for the next time they play Veribest is to beat them with more points than the last time.

This basketball game was a part of the Bronte Lady Shorthorns season, and so far they are 1 and 1. Before the Bronte Lady Shorthorns played Veribest they played the Paint Rock Indians. In that game the Shorthorns lost but still did well. The score for the 7th grade Veribest and Bronte basketball teams was 10 to 18. The first



half of the Paint Rock game Parker scored 2 and Davis scored 4. The second half of that game Davis scoured 4, Parker scored 2, and Cervenka scored 3 with a 3 pointer. The next team that the Bronte Shorthorns play is their archenemies The Robert Lee Steers.

Both teams played the best they could have played that day. With more practice and more determination, I'm sure Veribest and Bronte will improve their basketball skills by the end of the season. The next team that the Bronte Shorthorns play is their archenemies the Robert Lee Steers.

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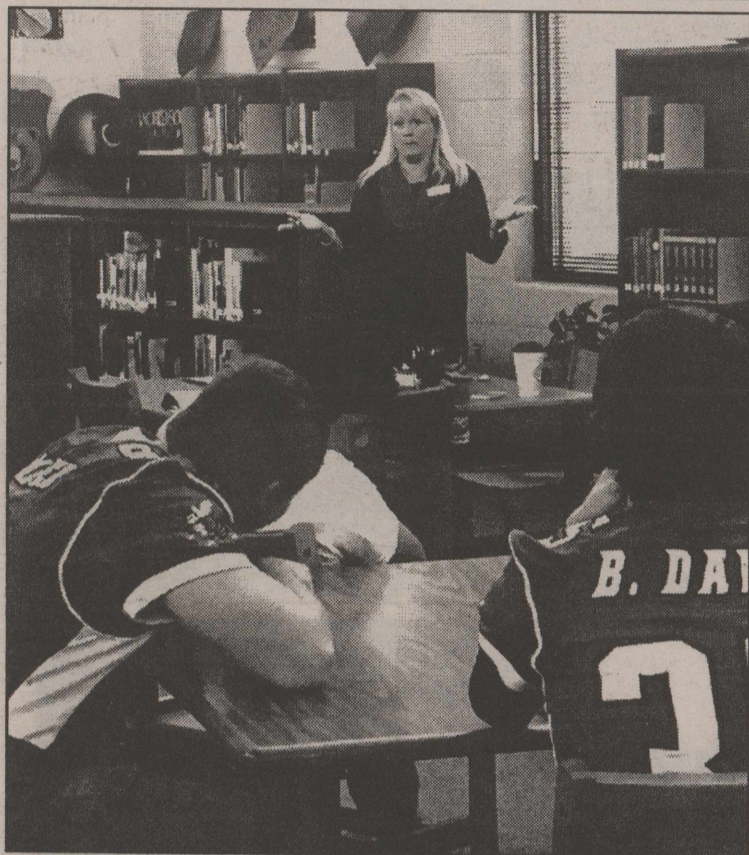
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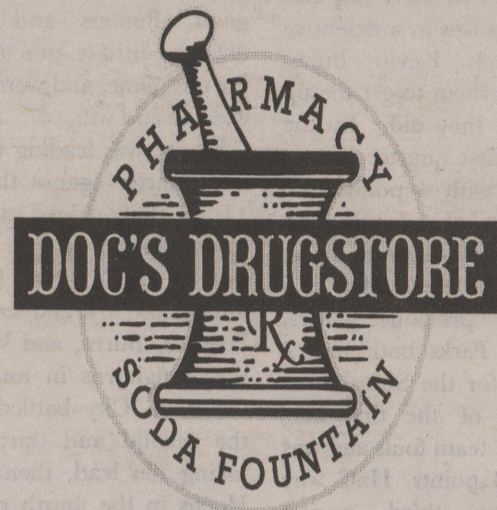
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  - Tuesday, January 13**  
Breakfast club or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
  - Wednesday, January 14**  
Toast, scrambled eggs & sausage or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
  - Thursday, January 15**  
Oatmeal muffin squares or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
  - Friday, January 16**  
Breakfast pizza or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
- Lunch**
- Monday, January 12**  
Ultimate taco salad, Spanish rice, salsa, tomato & cucumber cup, baby carrots, ranch, mandarin oranges, milk
  - Tuesday, January 13**  
Beefy queso, garden salad, pears, lime sherbet, milk
  - Wednesday, January 14**  
Meaty macaroni, garden salad, mashed potatoes, fresh grapes, breadstick, chocolate chip cookie, milk
  - Thursday, January 15**  
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