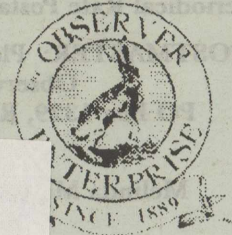


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Early voting begins Monday in local Government Entity elections

Early voting in the May 9, 2015, local government entity election will begin Monday, April 27, 2015, and continue through Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

The entities with contested elections are the Cities of Bronte and Robert Lee, and Blackwell Consolidated School District.

Also to be decided in the May 9 election will be the status of liquor sales for on premises consumption in Coke County's Precincts 2 and 4 (the east side of the county).

Early voting for the City of Bronte election and the liquor sales election for Precincts 2 and 4 will be held at Bronte City Hall.

The City of Bronte will need to fill three seats currently held by Misti Bedford, Paula McWright and Jodie Arrott. Paula McWright and Misti Bedford have filed for re-election and Jodie Arrott has filed for the unexpired term for council. They will be joined on the ballot by Martin Lee and Colin Pope.

Early voting for the City of Robert Lee election will be held at the Coke County Courthouse in Robert Lee. The City of Robert Lee has three 2 year terms to fill. The terms of council members Janic Munoz, Leroy Casey and Susan McCormick are expiring. Also, Mayor John Jacobs has

announced that he will resign in May. The remainder of his term will be on the ballot. Leroy Casey has filed for the unexpired term for mayor. Janic Munoz and Sue McCormick have both filed for re-election to the council and will be joined on the ballot by Roger Alexander and Toni Rainwater.

Two three-year Trustee positions will be on the ballot for the School District election in Blackwell. Incumbents Skipper Gaston and Ray Walls will be joined on the ballot by Brandy Scott. Early voting will be held in the BCISD boardroom from 8 am to 3:30 pm weekdays during the early voting period. The election on May 9 will also be held at this location.

East Coke County Hospital District, West Coke County Hospital District, Robert Lee ISD, and Bronte ISD only had incumbents file to retain their seats on the board and therefore do not have to hold an election.

Graduation issues set for May 15, 22 and 29

The Observer/Enterprise will publish the annual issues honoring our local Senior Classes May 15, 22 and 29. Each of these issues will focus primarily on the graduating class highlighted for that week. Bronte will be featured first on May 15, with Robert Lee on



Lions Club Service! Members of the Bronte Lions Club (above) recently picked up thirty bags of trash south of Bronte along Highway 277 as part of "Don't Mess With Texas Trash-Off".

Bluebonnet Tour! Robert Lee Care Center residents Bonita Cartrite, Juanell Brown and Julia Longoria (at left) were among those who enjoyed a trip to see the bluebonnets and the beautiful flowers around Coke County.



May 22 and Blackwell on May 29.

Representatives from the Observer/Enterprise will begin contacting businesses and individuals to sponsor these seniors in their special editions.

If you would like to sponsor that special graduate, please contact our office at 453-2433.

The Bronte Class of 2015 includes Dakota Arthur, Jessica Arthur, Crystal Bilbrey, Marley Braswell, Brady Burns, Heriberto Cecilio, Leslie Edison Diarcs, Sammy Dominguez, Stacia Emfinger, Madison Harris, Colton Herzing, Kourtney Kelton, Kolby Lee, Ricky Lovclace, Lindsey

McIntire, Oscar Pena, Alondra Perez, Joshua Puentez, Dakota Pullen, Jensen Reed, Addison Rosson, Moriah Royall, Jared Scott and Kahd Turner.

The Robert Lee Class of 2015 includes Jaden Aldridge, Destinae Burris-Gore, Charissa Caston, Tristen Hildebrand, Mason Hill, Kalena Pinard, James Roberts, Mychael Tijerina, Daria Tinkler, Jerry Wofford and Madison Wright. The Blackwell Class of 2015 includes Wade Allen, Bennie Wester, Franck Cano, Tristen Seymore, Riley Meyer, Mathew Jeter, Gary Roland, Harrison Gott, Robert Davis, Brandi Wright, Matthew Meyer and Veeda Jeter.

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Upcoming Events

Bronte Community Planning meeting slated

The next Bronte Community Planning meeting will be Monday, April 27, at 6 pm at the Williams Building in downtown Bronte.

Everyone is urged to attend this important time of planning a better future for Bronte.

Bronte City-wide Garage Sale slated

It's time again for the Annual City-Wide Garage Sale to be held Saturday, May 2, at 8 am.

If you would like to participate, please call City Hall at 473-3501 by April 28th. Your location will be added to the city maps that will be given away the day of the garage sales. This is a great opportunity to recycle, reuse and reduce unwanted items in your closets and storage items.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please call Tammy or Leah at 473-3501.

Quilters to hold sale in Bronte

The Coke County Quilters will have their sale in Bronte on Saturday, May 2, the day of Bronte's citywide garage sale. The quilters will have their items for sale behind Glenn-Bivins Insurance in downtown Bronte.

Among the offerings the quilters will have for sale are new handmade items along with other special treats.

This sale is part of their fundraiser project for this year and will go toward helping Coke County citizens. If you know of a need in Coke County, let them know and they will see if it's something they could help support.

CPR and Childcare Certification Class slated for May 3

A CPR and Childcare Certification Class will be held Sunday, May 3, 2015, in the Robert Lee ISD Cafetorium. Registration is from 12 noon to 12:45 pm, with the class running from 1 to 6 pm.

Three certifications will be offered: CPR; First Aid; and Babysitting/Childcare. The cost of the class includes a meal and snacks, all materials and three certifications. The instructor will be Joyce Grey.

Come participate in a great opportunity to receive 3 certifications. The certifications

can be used if you are planning to lifeguard, baby sit, work at a daycare facility or a variety of other occupations. Also any junior or graduating Senior that still needs their state required CPR please give me a call at the office. This class is open to all ages. Please RSVP to the Coke County Extension Office on or before April 27th by phone at 325-453-2461 or by email at morgan.runyan@ag.tamu.edu. Payment is due at registration.

The class is being sponsored by Coke County 4-H and the Coke County 4-H Advisory Board.

The Road less traveled

By Mike and Fran Lomas

Taking the roads less traveled, but not avoiding the popular sights of our beautiful country, have left us more treasured memories.

Whether on the coasts, the mountain ranges or river canyons, we've discovered so much that does not appear in travel brochures. And it is those things that we remember most often. From fry sauce to hops fields. From quaint cottages to a crypt under an overpass. From a strange sensation in the kitchen of a historical house to that same feeling (by Mike) in a known cemetery. (Both later proved to be in our genealogical paths.)



Easter Egg Hunt! Little ones entertained residents at Bronte Health & Rehab Center as they searched for the hidden Easter Eggs.

There is so much to see and experience everywhere whether 2 miles or 2,000 miles from home.

During this spring the wildflower drives are praised throughout the hill country but a very short drive of only 2 or 3 miles from Robert Lee can result in areas of beautiful blossoms. One such drive is toward the north end of Lake Spence Dam.

New travel articles begin this week

Beginning with this week's issue, The Observer/Enterprise will include articles on travel experiences from our staff and readers. Summer is quickly approaching and these articles will provide ideas and information for interesting places to visit and vacation, ranging from the weekend getaway to the extended trips.

If you have taken a vacation or just gotten away a few days and had a really good time, please contact our office at (325) 453-2433 (email o-e@wcc.net) and we'll get your information, recommendations, and hopefully, a

photo or two. Please don't feel you have to be an accomplished writer. Editors exist for just that reason.

Annual Celebration issue set for July 3rd

Last year's 125th Coke County Anniversary issue was a huge success. Although it included many stories of early Coke County, there will never be room enough in a single issue to tell all of the interesting history surrounding Coke County and the people who have lived here.

With this said, the July 3, 2015, issue and the issue nearest to July 4th of the years following will be devoted to celebrating the history of Coke County. We are asking for your stories, old pictures and anything you believe pertains to our history here in Coke County. Please contact us at (325) 453-2433 (email o-e@wcc.net).

RLCC to participate in Relay for Life

Robert Lee Care Center is participating in the 2015 Relay for Life in San Angelo and are currently seeking donations of canned goods for use in the luminaria ceremony, as well as monetary donations that will help in the fight against cancer.

The group will also have a bake sale at 9 am on May 8 at Robert Lee State Bank and will hold an Enchilada lunch May 14.

For more information, contact Jessica Cason or Mary Rodriguez at (325) 453-2511.

Red Hats to meet

The Red Hat Society will meet Thursday, May 7, at Cindy's in Robert Lee at 11 am.

If you need a ride or more information, call 473-3032. Hope to see you there.

Area Churches

Invite You to Worship

Bronte

Bronte Church of Christ
 PO Box 346 Y118 S. Jefferson Y Bronte
 (325) 473-3291
 Preacher John V. Driggers
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

Central Baptist Church
 324 S. Franklin Y 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 Y 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. 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
 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 Y12 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 Y9th & Austin
 (325) 453-2621 Robert Lee, Dennis Clark, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School, 11 am Worship,
 Wednesday 1 pm Ladies Bible Study

Emmanuel Pentecostal
 PO Box 683 Y1019 Colorado City Hwy
 Pastor Tim Wood (325) 453-2360
 Sundays 2 pm, Thursdays 7 pm

First United Methodist Church
 PO Box 144 Y9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee Y (325) 453-2417
 Cyndi Weidner, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am Worship, 5 pm Choir Practice

Iglesia Bautista Betel
 101 Houston Y Robert Lee
 Sun. 9:45 am Y Sunday School
 11 am Service Y Bible Study Wed. 6 pm

Southside Church of Christ
 PO Box 698 Y8th & 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 Y 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 Y22 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

Tennyson

Tennyson Baptist Church
 Hwy 277 Y Tennyson
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 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

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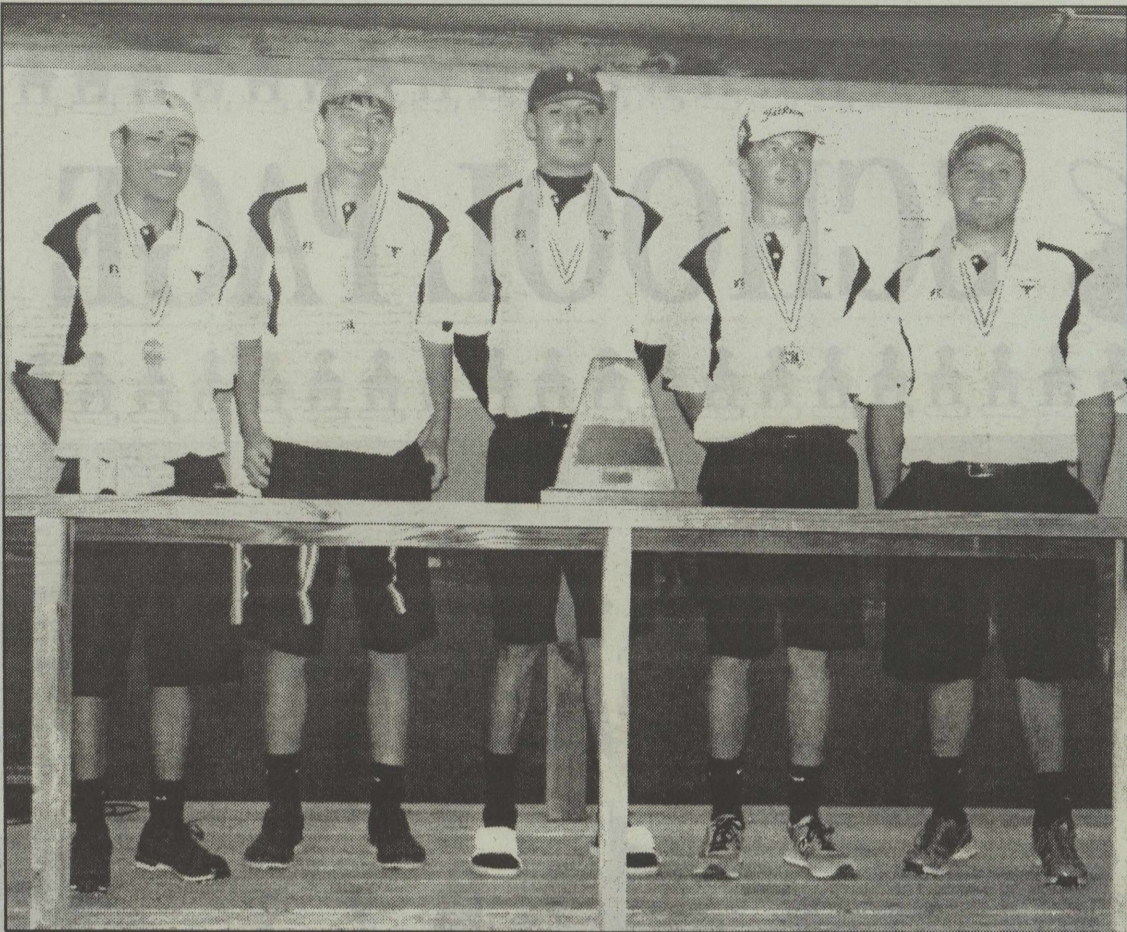
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Regional Champions! The Bronte Longhorn Golf Team earned both District and Regional championships recently. In the Regional tournament held at Quicksand Golf Course in San Angelo, the Horns won by 31 strokes to advance to the state tournament. Longhorn Senior Lance Burns was first medalist at the Regional tourney with a two day score of 166. The team includes (from left) Josh Puentez, Senior; Ryan Jones, Sophomore; Ean Ward, Junior; Jared Scott, Senior; and Lance Burns, Senior.

The Robert Lee Steers and Lady Steers also competed in the above tournaments. Brady Clawson (above right) was the bronze medalists at the regional tourney and will advance to the state tournament. The RLHS Junior had a two-day score of 193.

Commissioners Court minutes posted

The Coke County Commissioners Court met in regular session March 24, 2015, at the courthouse in Robert Lee. Members of the court present included County Judge, Roy Blair, Commissioner, Pct. #1 Troy Montgomery, Commissioner Pct. #2 Paul Williams, Commissioner, Pct. #3 Gaylon Pitcock, Commissioner, Pct. #4 Joe Sefcik. Deputy Clerk Kyla Garcia was also in attendance.

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

Judge Blair announced the presence of a quorum.

Comm. Pitcock made a motion to approve the minutes for March 10 as presented. The motion was seconded by Comm. Montgomery. Motion carried.

No action was taken on the burn ban.

Comm. Williams made a motion to approve donation from Marty Pearcy to improve the Bronte baseball field seconded by Comm. Sefcik. Motion carried.

No action was taken on the donation from Ingram Concrete.

Denise Galloway withdrew her request to use Bronte Senior Building to sew blankets for CPS kids. No action taken.

Comm. Williams made a motion seconded by Comm. Sefcik to purchase light diffusers for hall lights in the courthouse. Motion carried.

Comm. Montgomery made a motion to approve certificates on Paul Williams for open meetings act and public information act. The motion was seconded by Comm. Pitcock. Motion carried.

Comm. Williams made a motion to approve Databank for imaging deed records. The motion was seconded by Comm. Montgomery. Motion carried.

No action was taken on the intergovernmental contract between Coke County and the City of Bronte.

Comm. Williams made a motion to approve the agreement between the City of Bronte and Coke County to pay the county deputies to serve as code enforcement officers. The motion was seconded by Comm. Sefcik. Motion carried.

Comm. Williams reported that they cleaned up the burn pile area. Judge Blair reported he was in Austin for Legislative updates.

There being no private road work requests, no action was taken.

Comm. Sefcik made a motion to approve bills. The motion was seconded by Comm. Pitcock. Motion carries.

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The weeklong conference, which will be held June 15-19 at Tarleton State University in (Continued on Page 7)

Elect to COLIN POPE to Bronte City Council

I am a native of Bronte, graduating from Bronte High School. In 2008, my wife and I returned to make our home in Bronte. During the intervening years, I served as an EMT and paramedic in various departments throughout central Texas. I observed local governments in these areas - what worked and what didn't. I would like the opportunity to work for the citizens of Bronte as your voice on the Bronte City Council and am asking for your vote.

Thank you, Colin Pope

Early voting begins Monday, April 27, at Bronte City Hall. Election day is May 9.

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Blackwell FCCLA does well at contest

In Corpus Christi earlier this month, FCCLA members EXCELED!

Focus on Children-Jr 1st place - Shelby Panzer, Emilee Sanderson and Cambrey Coulter

Food Innovations-Jr. 1st place - Tori Scott, Jordan Jones and Brendan Scott

Nutrition and Wellness-Jr. 1st place - Devin Rasco

Entrepreneurship-Sr. 2nd place - Abbi Sorrells and Krista Clower

Career Investigation-Jr. 3rd place - Orrin Sirmons

Career Investigation-Sr. Participant - Charlie Cano

In FCS Assessments-Step One, the following students earned GOLD Medals: Elizabeth Meyer, Haylee Cason, Emily Rasco, Cade McKee, Mathew Jeter, James Davis

and Crystal Chavez.

Each first place team member was awarded a \$4,000 Texas Tech Human Sciences Scholarship. The second place Entrepreneurship team members were each awarded a \$750 Johnson and Wales Scholarship.

The following FCCLA members will represent Texas at the National FCCLA Leadership Meeting, July 3-10, in Washington DC: Shelby, Emilee, Jordan, Tori, Brendan, Devin, Abbi, and Krista.

District Track Meet results posted

The District 14A Track Meet was held Thursday, April 16, 2015, in Robert Lee. First place in the Varsity Boys division went to Water Valley with 169 points. Garden City placed second with 130, followed by Sterling City in third with 94 points. Robert Lee placed fourth with 79 points, followed by Bronte in fifth



Super Cheer! Bronte Elementary's Super Cheer (above) wrapped up months worth of cheerleading earlier this month. The young cheerleaders were started and coached by Katie Cooper.

State Qualifiers! On April 8, 2015, the Bronte FFA Range Judging Team (left) competed in the Area 2 Range Judging Contest held at Tarleton State University. The team placed 5th and qualified for state. They are competing in the State Range Judging Contest at Tarleton State University on April 23, 2015. The team includes Emmery McCollough, Tyler Menchaca and Elexis Sanchez

with 60 points and Blackwell in sixth with 34 points. Veribest and Paint Rock completed the results in 7th and 8th places with 26 and 24 points, respectively.

First place in the Varsity Girls

division went to Sterling City with 137 points, Garden City placed second with 129, followed by Bronte with 103 points. Robert Lee placed fourth with 95 points, followed by Water Valley in fifth with 60 points

and Paint Rock in sixth with 54 points. Blackwell and Veribest completed the results in 7th and 8th places with 20 and 19 points, respectively.

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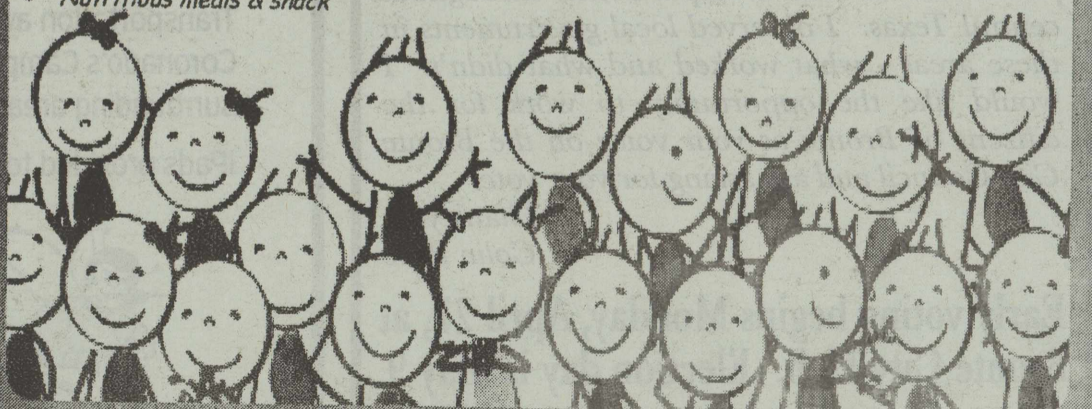
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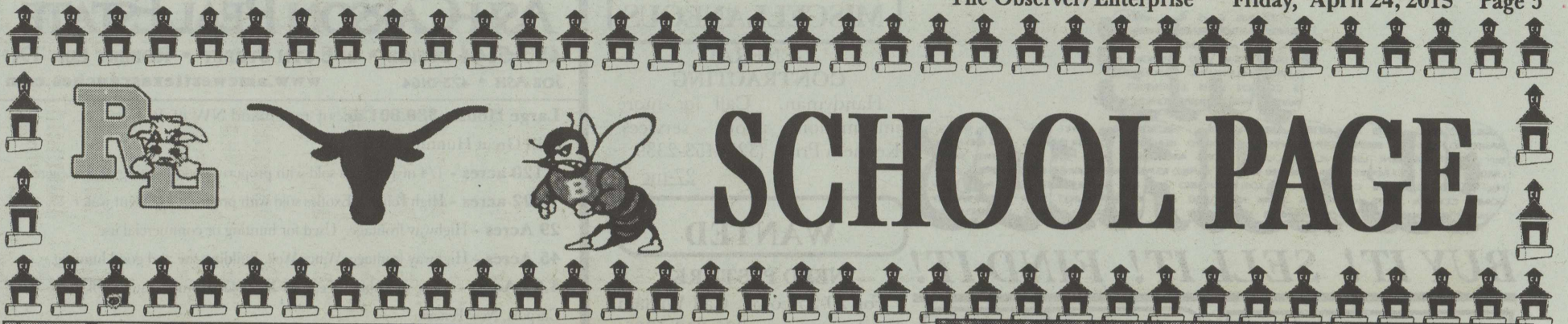
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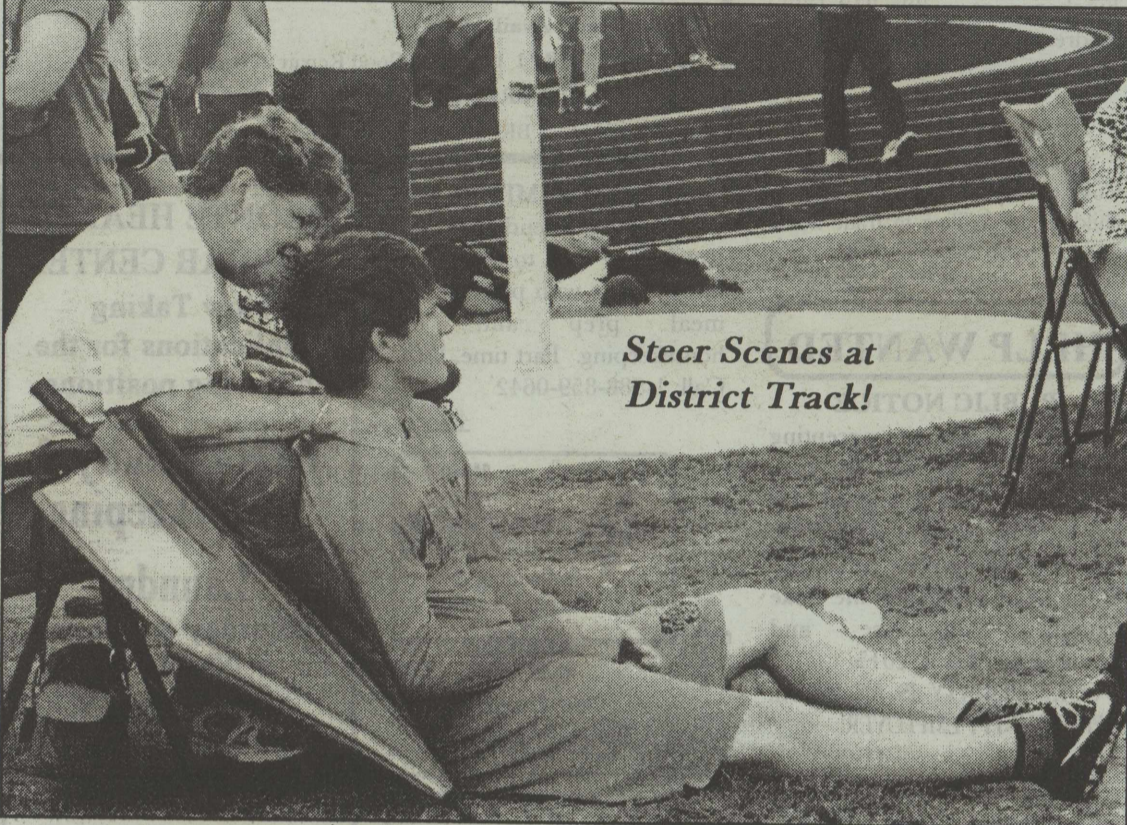
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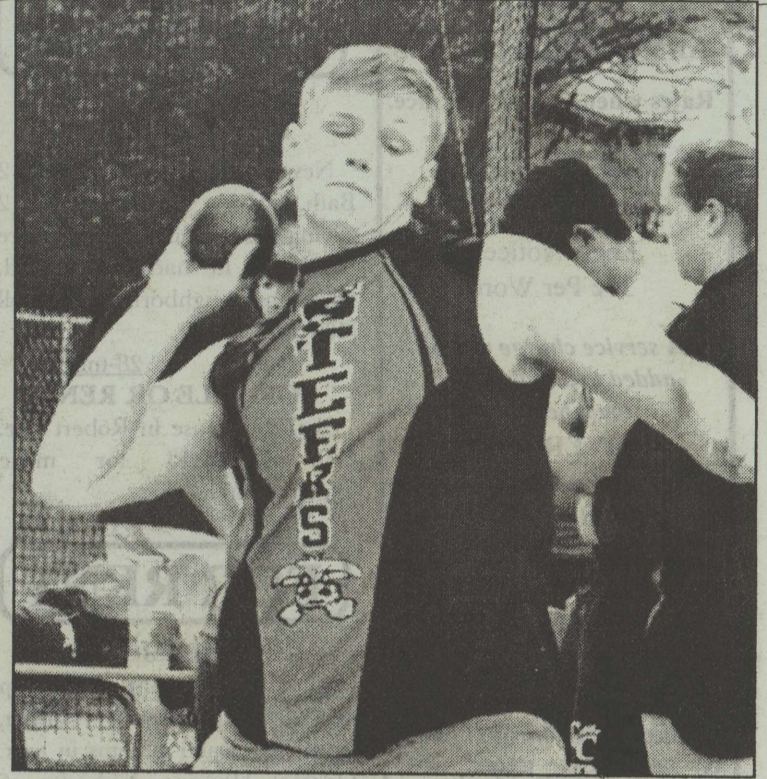




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Steer Scenes at District Track!



division, Water Valley ran away with first place with 229 points. Veribest took second with 74 points, followed by Paint Rock in third with 64 points. Fourth place with 62 points went to Garden City, followed by Bronte in fifth place with 48 points, Robert Lee in sixth with 28 points, Sterling City in seventh with 13 points and Blackwell in eighth with 7 points.

Results by school are listed below.

Blackwell

Varsity Boys Division

- 100 M Dash - 5th place Bob Davis, 11.83
- 200 M Dash - 3rd place, Bob Davis 23.96
- 3200 M Run - 3rd place, Hunter Clark 16.66
- 300 M Hurdles - 4th place, Hunter Clark 45.96
- 4x100 M Relay - 5th place, Charlie Cano, Hunter Clark, Dillon Solis, Franck Cano, 47.40
- 4x200 M Relay - 4th place, Charlie Cano, Bob Davis, Dillon Solis, Franck Cano, 1:39.37
- Long Jump - 6th place, Hunter Clark 18'1.25"
- High Jump - 5th place, Hunter Clark 5'4"

Varsity Girls Division

- 100 M Hurdles - 3rd place, Abigail Sorrells 17.75
- 300 M Hurdles - 1st place, Abigail Sorrells 50.90
- Triple Jump - 4th place, Hailey Bennett 29' 10.5"

Junior Varsity Boys Division

- 100 M Dash - 5th place, James Davis 13.00
- 200 M Dash - 4th place, James Davis 27.14
- Shot Put - 6th place Kyler Walls 29'9"

Bronte

Varsity Boys Division

- 400 M Dash - 3rd place Josh Puentez 54.00; 4th place Sammy Dominguez 56.21
- 4x100 M Relay - 3rd place Josh Puentez, Tristan Sullivan, Sammy Dominguez, Jared Scott 45.34
- 4x400 M Relay - 4th place, Tristan Sullivan, Sammy Dominguez, Ryan Jones, Josh Puentez 3:41.28
- Long Jump - 1st place Jared Scott 19'9"

Shot Put - 1st place Lance Burns 43'8" 4th place Kahd Walton 39'3"

High Jump - 3rd place Tristan Sullivan 5'8"

Varsity Girls

- 100 M Dash - 3rd place Emily Davidson 13.78
- 200 M Dash - 2nd place Brittany Bedford 28.58
- 400 M Dash - 3rd place Marley Braswell 1:08.62; 6th place Dayana Perez 1:11.96
- 800 M Run - 5th place Darby Duncan 2:45.21
- 1600 M Run - 4th place Darby Duncan 6:30.71
- 100 M Hurdles - 2nd place Crystal Bilibrey 17.59
- 300 M Hurdles - 3rd place Crystal Bilibrey 53.09
- 4x100 M Relay - 1st place Karen Davis, Addison Rosson, Emily Davidson, Jordayn Berryhill 54.71
- 4x200 M Relay - 2nd place Brittany Bedford, Jordayn Berryhill, Addison Rosson, Karen Davis 1:54.04
- 4x400 M Relay - 2nd place Jordayn Berryhill, Brittany Bedford, Addison Rosson, Karen Davis 4:24.50
- Long Jump - 2nd place Karen Davis 14'2.5"
- Shot Put - 5th place Crystal Bilibrey 28'7.25"

Boys Junior Varsity

- 100 M Dash - 2nd place Carson Kelso 12.68
- 110 M Hurdles - 1st place Hunter Lake 20.66
- 300 M Hurdles - 2nd place Carson Kelso 50.12; 3rd place Hunter Lake 50.78
- Shot Put - 1st place Carson Kelso 33'1"
- High Jump - 3rd place Hunter Lake 5'0"

Robert Lee

Varsity Boys Division

- 100 M Dash - 2nd place Blaine Yanez 11.40; 3rd place Austin Fowler 11.43
- 200 M Dash - 1st place Blaine Yanez 23.62
- 400 M Dash - 1st place Austin Fowler 53.09
- 800 M Run - 4th place Mychael Tijerina 2:15.55
- 1600 M Run - 4th place Matthew Curry 5:18.94

3200 M Run - 3rd place Matthew Curry 11:31.78

4x100 M Relay - 6th place Jesus Landeros, Bruce Buddin, Chris Brewer, Tavo Rangel 49.02

4x200 M Relay - 5th place Jesus Landeros, Jake Jackson, Chris Brewer, Tavo Rangel 1:40.84

4x400 M Relay - 3rd place Mychael Tijerina, Blaine Yanez, Isaiah Smith, Austin Fowler 3:35.82

Long Jump - 5th place Austin Fowler 18'2"

Shot Put - 5th place Bruce Buddin 38'1.5" 6th place Casey Scruggs 37'10"

Discus - 3rd place Bruce Buddin 103'7" 5th place Casey Scruggs 100'11"

Varsity Girls Division

800 M Run - 6th place Karlee Roach 2:45.31

1600 M Run - 2nd place Karlee Roach 6:11.58

4x100 M Relay - 4th place Margo Mendoza, Brady Clawson, Sandra Flores, Mariah Munoz 57.15

4x200 M Relay - 5th place Margo Mendoza, Brady Clawson, Sandra Flores, Mariah Munoz 2:02.56

4x400 M Relay - 6th place Kiara Burns, Mariah Munoz, Sandra Flores, Karlee Roach 4:58.87

Shot Put - 1st place Pammy Meeks 32'5" 2nd place Kiara Burns 32'2" 3rd place Yulissa Peraza 29'7.75"

Discus - 1st place Pammy Meeks 97'5" 2nd place Margo Mendoza 89'10" 3rd place Kiara Burns 84'8"

Triple Jump - 1st place Mariah Munoz 30'7" 3rd place Brady Clawson 30'4.75"

High Jump - 2nd place Brady Clawson 4'6"

Junior Varsity Boys

400 M Dash - 4th place Julian Torres 1:07.56

Shot Put - 2nd place Billy Coppedge 31'7.75"

Discus - 1st place Billy Coppedge 81'11" 3rd place AJ Minjarez 79'1"

Robert Lee ISD bad weather make-up days announced

Robert Lee ISD has missed two days of school due to bad weather. Both of the days missed will have to be made up and they have been scheduled for Friday, May 15, and Friday, May 22, 2015.

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SCHOOL MENUS

Blackwell Menu

Breakfast

- Monday, April 27**
Sausage biscuit, cheese stick or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
- Tuesday, April 28**
Muffin choice, scrambled eggs or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
- Wednesday, April 29**
French toast, bacon or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
- Thursday, April 30**
Bagel w/topping or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk
- Friday, May 1**
Waffles, sausage, syrup or cereal w/toast, fruit, juice, milk

Lunch

- Monday, April 27**
BBQ on a bun, coleslaw, pinto beans, baby carrots, ranch, orange smiles, milk
- Tuesday, April 28**
Baked potato stuffed w/ham & cheese, seasoned corn, garden salad, snowball salad, milk
- Wednesday, April 29**
Pizza sticks, spaghetti sauce, garden salad, baby carrots, ranch, apple slices, brownie cookie, milk
- Thursday, April 30**
Hornet chicken bowl w/gravy, apple-pineapple d'lite, roll, milk
- Friday, May 1**
Hamburger or cheeseburger,

oven fries, garden salad, fresh veggie cup, mixed fruit, milk

Bronte Menu

Breakfast

- Monday, April 27**
Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk
- Tuesday, April 28**
Pancake on stick or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk
- Wednesday, April 29**
Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk
- Thursday, April 30**
Biscuit & sausage or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk
- Friday, May 1**
Cherry strudel or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Lunch

- Monday, April 27**
Chicken fajitas, seasoned corn, baby carrots, salsa, fruit bowl, milk
- Tuesday, April 28**
Asian chicken, brown rice, carrots coins, steamed broccoli, pineapple, sugar cookies, milk
- Wednesday, April 29**
Tex-mex stack, Spanish rice, refried beans, cucumber cup, hot cinnamon apples, milk
- Thursday, April 30**
Hamburger, potato rounds, western beans, diced pears, milk

Friday, May 1

Chicken parmesan, green beans, garden salad, breadsticks, apple slices, milk

Robert Lee Menu

Breakfast

- Monday, April 27**
Pancake, egg, bacon, juice, milk
- Tuesday, April 28**
Breakfast pizza, juice, milk
- Wednesday, April 29**
Muffin, yogurt, juice, milk
- Thursday, April 30**
Toast, egg, sausage, juice, milk
- Friday, May 1**
Toast, egg, sausage, juice, milk

Lunch

- Monday, April 27**
Beef & bean burrito, salsa, salad, broccoli, orange, milk
- Tuesday, April 28**
Chicken strips, gravy, cream potatoes, green beans, roll, strawberries, milk
- Wednesday, April 29**
Taco, salsa, salad, charro beans, Spanish rice, applesauce, milk
- Thursday, April 30**
Spaghetti & meatballs, salad, carrots, peaches, breadstick, pudding, milk
- Friday, May 1**
Hot dog, French fries, grapes, cucumber dippers, milk

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29-tnc

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For 20-25 cows. Call William Fincher at 325-812-1705. Address: 8451 FM 2034, Robert Lee.

42-5tp

WANTING TO BUY

Young family looking for rural Coke county property to raise our children on. Willing to trade home in San Angelo. 325-895-0079.

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HELP WANTED

PUBLIC NOTICE

Coke County is accepting applications for Bronte Park Caretaker. The salary for this job will be \$22,318. Applications may be picked up at the Judge's Office in the Coke County Courthouse and returned by May 4, 2015.

COKE COUNTY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

41-2tc

CNA'S NEEDED

for Sterling County Nursing Home. Starting wages \$12.00/hour plus shift differentials and mileage allowance. Excellent retirement and insurance. Call Ashley Porter or Amanda Arispe at 325-378-2134.

49-tnc

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HOUSE FOR SALE IN BRONTE

Newly Renovated 3 BR, 2 Bath, CH/A, Privacy Fenced, 2 Living Areas, Sunroom, Mature Live Oaks in shaded back yard. Excellent neighborhood. Call (469) 585-7677.

28-tnc

FOR SALE OR RENT

3br/2ba house in Robert Lee. Call 763-7843 for more information.

41-tnc

FOR RENT

TAKING APPLICATIONS

for two bedroom handicap accessible apartment. Washer, dryer, RO water systems in unit. Contact Housing Authority of Robert Lee, 710 N. Bishop, 453-2912. Equal Housing Opportunity.

40-3tc

BRONTE MINI STORAGE

Has storage buildings for rent. 473-2221, 473-0409.

45-tnc

ECl Storage Auction scheduled for April 25, 2015 has been canceled.

CRMWD
Colorado River Municipal Water District

The Colorado River Municipal Water District is accepting applications for the following position:

Reservoir Superintendent - Responsible for supervising reservoir operations employees to assure smooth operation of District park facilities and activities around District reservoirs and wildlife management areas. Ideal candidate should have progressive experience managing multiple projects and personnel.

For additional information visit www.crmwd.org

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Is seeking attendants in the Robert Lee area to assist clients in the home with personal care, meal prep and light housekeeping. Part time. E.O.E. Call: 1-888-859-0642

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A 24-hour nursing and rehabilitation center is currently accepting applications for the following positions:

Full Time Janitor

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Interested applicants may apply in person M-F, 8am-5pm at
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(325) 453-2511
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Now Taking Applications for the following positions.

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PRN Cook's Helper

Full Time CNA
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190 acres at Silver, \$1,375/acre, Water Well w/Windmill, 2 Stock Tanks

574 acres north of Robert Lee on Hwy 208, \$1,395/acre, High Fence, House, 5 Water Wells

RV Park in Sterling City, \$275,000, 23 spaces which rent for \$500/month each

...More Classifieds

HELP WANTED

TLC IN HOME CARE

Has an immediate opening for a Personal Care Attendant in BLACKWELL. No certification required. Dependable transportation and a good work ethic are a must. Please call 658-1307 for more information.

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NOTICES

BLACKWELL CISD SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

Two (2) expiring positions: Incumbents: Skipper Gaston and Ray Walls
All two incumbents are running for re-election.

Additional candidate who has filed: Brandy Scott

Election is at-large. Voters will vote for two candidates out of the three running.

Terms: Three (3) years.
Where: Blackwell CISD boardroom, 610 N. Alamo, Blackwell, TX

Nolan Community Center, FM 126, Nolan, TX

Shep Community Center, FM 1086, Shep, TX

When: May 09, 2015 from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Early voting will be at Blackwell CISD boardroom between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. beginning April 27, 2015 through May 05, 2015.

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ADMISSION POLICY

Bronte Health and Rehab Center does not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, creed, national origins, disability or age, in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services, and activities, or in employment. For further information about this policy, contact John DiFrancesco, Administrator Bronte Health and Rehab Center-900 S. State-Bronte, Texas 76933-325-473-3621.

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La Rehabilitacion de Bronte Health and Rehab Center no discrimina contra ninguna persona a base la carrera, a base del credo, a base del origen nacional, base la incapacidad, ni a base la edad, en la admision, en el tratamiento, me en la participacion en sus programas, en los servicios, y en las actividades. En el empleo. Para la informacion adicional acerca de esta norma, el contacto: Bronte Health and Rehab Center de Administrador-John DiFrancesco-900 S. State-Bronte, Texas 76933-325-473-3621.

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CITY OF BRONTE PUBLIC NUISANCE ORDINANCE #14-10 VIOLATION NOTICE TO ABATE

DATE: April 16, 2015
TO: Cindy Lewis
PROPERTY: All of lots 7 & 8, BLK 7, OT, 402 N. Jefferson
VIOLATIONS: Failure to keep weeds and grasses at a height of less than twelve (12) inches.

ACTIONS REQUIRED TO ABATE NUISANCES:

Mow weeds and grasses.
In the event you fail to do so, the City will enter upon your property and mow or have it mowed at thirty (30) day intervals during such annual growing season.

REQUEST FOR HEARING:

Request must be made in writing with 10 days from the date of this Notice and addressed to the Municipal Court Judge, P.O. Box K, Bronte, TX 76933.

DEADLINE FOR ABATING NUISANCE:

IF NO ACTION IS TAKEN TO ABATE THE NUISANCE VIOLATIONS, THE CITY SHALL ABATE SUCH NUISANCES AND ASSESS THE COST AGAINST SUCH PERSON OR ESTATE.

THE CITY OF BRONTE
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...Leadership Conference

(Continued from page 3)
Stephenville, is for students entering their junior or senior year of high school.

YLC participants hear from motivational speakers, learn about the free enterprise system and engage in hands-on activities that build character and leadership abilities.

"The conference is free for students, because County Farm Bureau provides scholarships," said. "We encourage any interested high school juniors and seniors to apply at the county office."

College scholarships are also available to students who attend the conference.

Applications can be found at the County Farm Bureau office and online under the "Youth & Education" tab on texasfarmbureau.org. They must be submitted to the county office by May 1.

... RLISD Calendar changes

(Continued from page 3)
Also, an early release day has been added to the calendar. It will be Friday, May 8, at 12:30 pm. Friday, May 8, is the day slated for the Elementary Field 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 453-4555 if you have any questions.

RLISD to hold pre-registration

The Robert Lee Independent School District will hold Headstart and Pre-K-Kindergarten pre-registration on Monday May, 4

2015 from 5:30 to 6:30 pm in the Elementary School Office. Prospective Pre-K students must be 4 years old by September 1, 2015 to be eligible for the 2015-2016 school year.

Documents needed for Headstart will be Proof of all family income, Proof of age, Child's shot record, SNAP (if applicable) and proof of Medicaid, CHIP or Private Health Insurance.

All new students to the Robert Lee ISD Pre-Kindergarten-6th grade are encouraged to attend. Required documentation for enrollment will include Birth Certificate, Social Security Card and current Immunization Records. For additional information, please feel free to call the elementary school office at 453-4555.

Despite sticker changes, farm trailers, trucks require attention

Two steps, one sticker. New legislation has reduced the number of stickers Texans are required to have on their vehicles. But it hasn't cut down on drivers' responsibility.

"We're still required to both inspect and register our vehicles," said John Ross Copeland, Coke County Farm Bureau president. "Farm trucks and trailers are no different. It's important that Coke County farmers and ranchers still follow through with the steps they completed prior to the change in legislation."

Farm trailers with a gross vehicle weight under 4,000 pounds need

neither registration nor inspection. Farm trailers between 4,000 and 34,000 pounds do not need inspection and can be registered with a farm tag provided that trailer is used exclusively to haul commodities, supplies and items related to farming.

"The rules haven't changed," John Ross Copeland said. "But it's important with this sticker changeover that we not forget to inspect and register farm vehicles and trailers that need it."

Drivers caught without proper

inspection or registration could face a traffic citation for the infraction.

Rules for registering farm vehicles and trailers can be found online at www.txdps.state.tx.us/cve/Farm.htm.


Blackwell CISD School Calendar revised

Friday, May 22, 2015, has been designated as a "Bad Weather Make Up Day" at Blackwell CISD. Classes will be held on this day.



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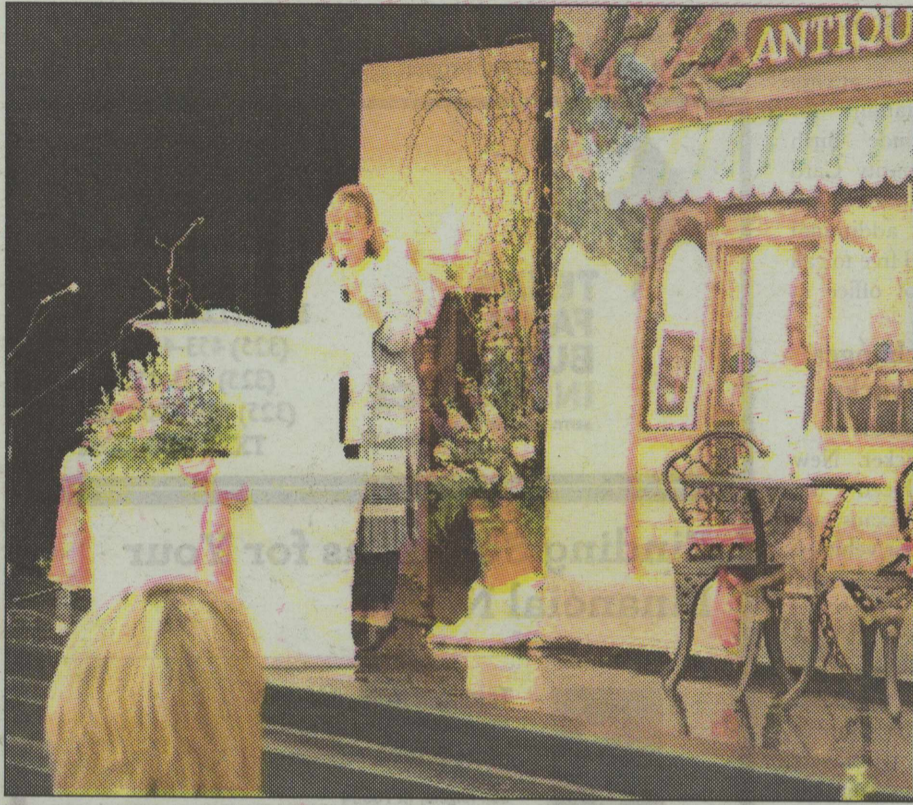
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Ladies Spring Tea - 2015

"The Potter and the Clay"



Victory Assembly of God hosted the 9th Annual Ladies Spring Tea Saturday, April 11, 2015, at Robert Lee High School with more than 150 ladies and 1 gentleman in attendance.

Darlene Kelly and Betty Smith opened the event with a welcome and prayer. The theme this year was from Jeremiah 18:3. Praise and worship was led by Kim Bryand, Casey Ruiz, Penny Sullivan, Natalie Mayberry and Kim Jacobs, all from Faith Country Church in Midland, Texas.

Following a light lunch, Debbie Childers introduced "The Potter" Eric Grasham from the Chicken Farm in San Angelo. Eric gave a demonstration with his pottery wheel and shared his vision of how God deals in our lives.

Next was the speaker "The Clay" Pastor Karen Conner from Faith Country Church in Midland.

Debbie Childers gave special recognition to many who helped make the event possible. Among these were Christa McClellan from Abilene for photography; Nancy Wilson, Beverly Hawkins and Grace Todacheeny for decorating; Leta Caston for use of her antique furniture; Noel and Clark



Tinkler for the food; Dr. Aaron Hood, RLISD superintendent, for use of the school; Lupe Torres for his assistance throughout the day; Beverly Broughton for the cupcakes; Zip Printing from Odessa for all the printing needs; and the men of Victory Assembly of God and Vision with a Purpose for the set up and tear down.

A very special recognition was given to all the women of Victory Assembly of God for their hard work in planning another successful Ladies Tea.

