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Saluting the Blackwell High School Class of 2015

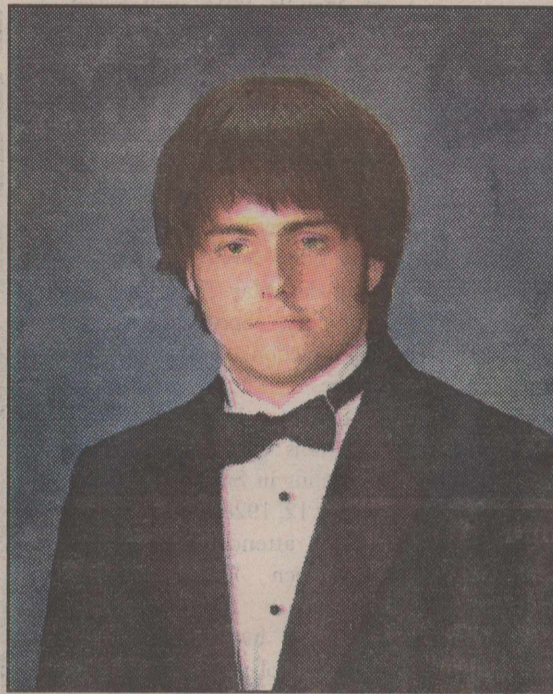
Formal commencement exercises for eleven Blackwell High School seniors will be held Friday evening, May 29, 2015, at 7 pm in the Blackwell CISD Cafetorium.

This year's class members include Wade Mackenzie Allen, Bennie Eric Wester, Franck Cano, Riley McQuade Meyer, Mathew Jeter, Gary Roland, Harrison Gott, McKenzie Robert Davis, Bradi Nicole Wright, Matthew Meyer, and Veeda L. Jeter.

Blackwell 8th grade class to be honored

A Celebration will be held for Blackwell Junior High School 8th Graders Thursday, May 28, 2014, at 7 pm in the Blackwell CISD Cafetorium.

This year's class members include Rachel Ann Atchison, Maribel Evangelista Carreno, Victoria Anne Davis, Peyton James Hinckley, Betty Elizabeth Meyer, Hunter Lee Perry, Carli Ann Powers, and Macgan Victoria Scott.



Blackwell Honor Graduates! Blackwell High School honor graduates for 2015 have been announced. The Valedictorian (left) is Harrison Gott, son of Abe and Lara Gott. The Salutatorian is Veeda Jeter, daughter of Lyle and Robbie Jeter.

Fun Day set for Bronte Park on June 13

"Save the Park" Fun Day has been set for Saturday, June 13, from 10 am to 4 pm at the park in Bronte.

The event, featuring food, fun, face painting, a petting zoo, train rides, a bounce house and more, is the first in a series of fundraisers aimed to revitalize the Bronte Park. Organizers urge community members to come out and bring all the friends and family especially the kids!

Red Hat to meet

The Red hat Society will meet at 11 am Thursday, June 4, at Mrs. Allen's Family Meals, 1301 E. Broadway, in Sweetwater.

If you wish to carpool, be at the Bronte bank parking lot by 10 am.

For more information, call Janet at 473-5388.

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



Blackwell Junior High Honor Graduates! Blackwell Junior High School honor graduates for 2015 have been announced. They are Vickie Davis (left), daughter of Thomas and Leslie Davis, and Carli Powers, daughter of Jason and Carrie Powers.

to July 4th of the years following believe pertains to our history will be devoted to celebrating here in Coke County. Please the history of Coke County. We contact us at (325) 453-2433 are asking for your stories, old pictures and anything you



Bluebonnet Brigade 2015! Several Coke County citizens met in Robert Lee Tuesday, May 12, 2015, to gather bluebonnets in order to spread their beauty over even more areas in Coke County. Joining Hal Spain (photographer) were (from left) Roger Alexander, John Stephens and Reese Braswell.

As schools let out for the summer, we want to wish everyone a very
SAFE and HAPPY SUMMER!

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Obituaries

McGuire

Mary Ruth (McQueen) McGuire, beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, died Friday, May 15, 2015, in Aurora, Colorado. She was 87.

She was born April 15, 1928, in Bronte, Texas, to Omaha Roy (O.R.) McQueen and Mattie Lola Rawlings McQueen. She spent most of her adult years in the Bronte and Ballinger area. Mary attended Bronte High School where she hand-printed the school yearbook and graduated in 1945 as Valedictorian of her class. She attended San Angelo State College in Abilene, Texas, on June 20, 1957. Mary will be best remembered for her devotion to her family, strong sense of faith, active volunteerism, work ethic and passion for learning new things. She supported her children and grandchildren by making countless cookies, driving miles for band events and attending every school event. Her cooking skills were widely known and attendees at church potlucks emptied her dishes first and begged for recipes.

Mary was an active volunteer in many areas. She was a Sunday school teacher, worked with the handicapped, taught in the Mothers Day Out program and assisted anywhere that she could use her many talents. In Parker, she volunteered at the Parker Senior Center. She was also active in social services at the women's Hilltop Club. She was a life-long member of the Order of Eastern Star.

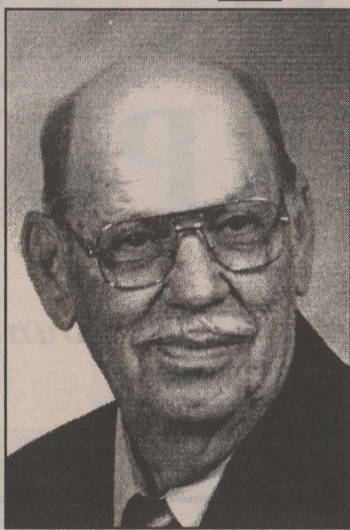
In addition to her time as a full-time homemaker, Mary worked for the Texas Highway Department and at the Ballinger Ledger. At the age of seventy, she mastered using a personal computer and enjoyed writing letters, finding coupons and emailing friends. She loved the beach and enjoyed spending time with friends on the Washington coast, learning names of all the seabirds she watched. Mary was a skilled gardener and her beautiful flowers were the envy of her beach neighborhood.

She is survived by children Barbara Good (Jim) of Vancouver, Washington, Paula Roger (Hugh) of Parker, Colorado, John Paul McGuire (Kathy) of San Angelo; grandchildren, Jason Barnett, Mackenzie Roger and Jennifer Roger Shaffer (Keith) of Parker, Colorado, and Ryan McGuire (Erin) of Ft. Worth, Texas; great-grandchild, Henry Shaffer. Mary, an only child, was preceded in death by her parents and her husband Paul in 2003.

A graveside service was held at 9:30 am on Friday, May 22, 2015, at Fort Logan National Cemetery, Staging Area "B". A celebration

of Mary's life followed at the Roger residence in Parker.

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Cummins

Eph Cummins went to be with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on May 24, 2015, in Robert Lee, Texas, at the age of 86. Visitation was held all day Wednesday, May 27, 2015, at the funeral home with family present 5-6 p.m. Funeral services were held at 10 am Thursday, May 28, 2015, at Robert Lee Baptist Church with graveside services at 4 pm Thursday, May 28, 2015, in Tolar Cemetery. Services were under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

He was born to Eph I. Cummins and Irma McCollum Cummins in Sterling City, Texas, on July 12, 1928.

He attended school in McCulloch County, London, Junction, Blackwell, and graduated in 1945 from Tolar High School.

He served in the Navy Seabees from 1946 until 1948. He worked at Consolidated Vultee Aircraft in Ft. Worth for several years helping to build the B-36 Bomber.

Eph married Dovie Oxford in

1951 and graduated from Texas A&M University in 1954. He worked for the USDA Soil Conservation Service for over thirty years and retired at Robert Lee in 1987.

Eph and Dovie bought a farm at Tolar and raised cattle for several years. They also volunteered at Camp Builders helping build churches and repair old buildings. Some of those places included The Canadian Baptist Seminary, River Bend at Glen Rose, Palacios on the Texas coast and several churches in the Panhandle of Texas.

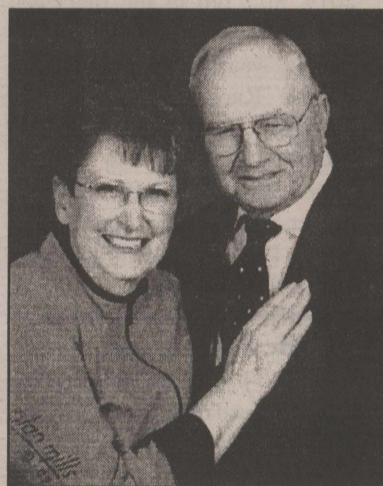
For the past several years, they have enjoyed doing a little bit of nothing while spending their summers at their place in Valecito, Colorado, along with enjoying their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren

Eph was preceded in death by his parents, Eph and Irma Cummins

He is survived by his wife, Dovie Cummins; two daughters, Sheila Alexander and husband Rocky of Ira and Debbie Miller and husband Jeff of Benbrook; three grandchildren, Amanda Heiman and husband Carcy of Ira, Hayden Miller and Abbie Miller of Benbrook and two great-grandchildren, Emily and Trevor Heiman of Ira one brother, Jack Cummins and wife, Sue of Granbury one niece, Kim Kemp and husband Tim of Tolar and one nephew, Chad Cummins and wife Kristi of Cressen also, several great-nieces and nephews.

On line condolences may be made to <http://www.shafferpioneer.com>

Joe & Glenda Draper



have been married
 50 years. Their
 children are
 celebrating from 2
 pm to 3 pm
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 Dale Patterson, Pastor
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 11 am & 6 pm Worship
 Wed. 6 pm
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
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 (325) 453-2621 Robert Lee, Dennis Clark, Pastor
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 Worship, Wednesday 1 pm Ladies Bible Study
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 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
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 Robert Lee (325) 453-2176
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 11 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Worship
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 6th & Houston, Robert Lee
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*Veeda, the 2015 Blackwell High School
Salutatorian, will be attending Texas Tech
University, majoring in Petroleum Engineering.*

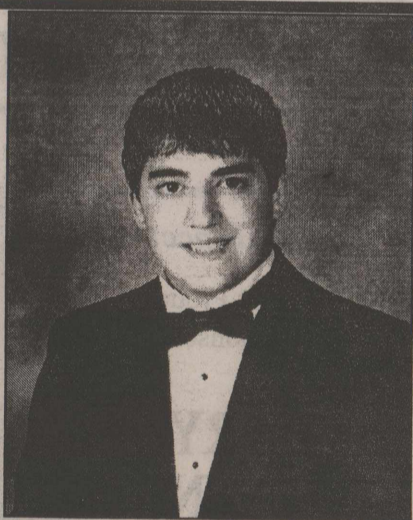
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GOTHARD**

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**BENNIE
ERIC
WESTER**

*Son of
Rick Wester &
Elicia Wester*



*Bennie will attend West Texas College,
majoring in Wind Energy.*

Football district champs 3 & 4, Football bi-district
champs 3 & 4, All-district fullback, District
Honorable Mention; Basketball Newcomer of the
year 1; District UIL Current Issues Team Champs
3, District UIL Current Issues Champ 4, District
UIL Science Team champs 4, District UIL Champs
4; Tennis Player of the year 2 & 4

**BRONTE
GROCERY**

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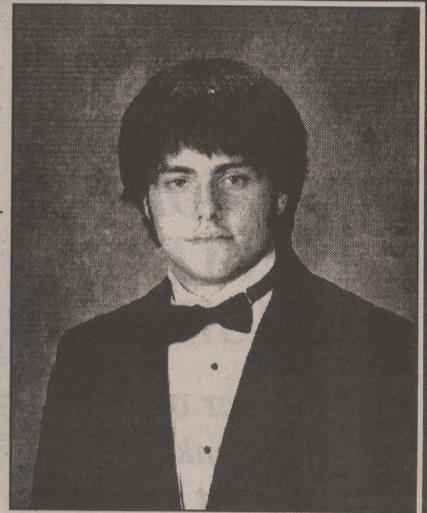


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**HARRISON
GOTT**

*Son of
Abe & Lara
Gott*



*Harrison, the 2015 Blackwell High School
Valedictorian, will attend Montana State
University, majoring in Physics.*

**IVEY
MOTORS**

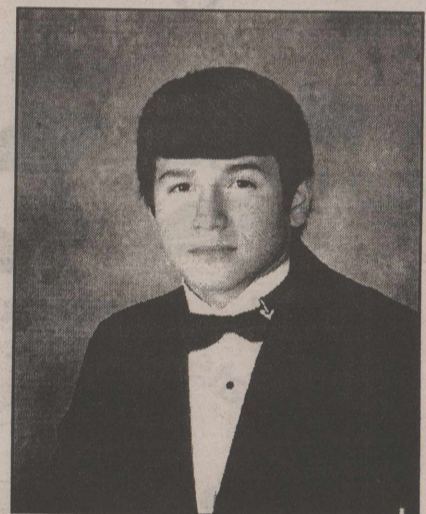


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**FRANCK
CANO**

*Son of
Norma Pablo
Cano*



*Frank wil attend Angelo State University,
majoring in Criminal Justice.*

2012-2014 A&B Honor Roll, 2014-2015 A Honor Roll;
Football 2012 1st Team All-District, 2012 1st Team
Defensive Linemen, 2012 2nd Team District Running
Back, 2013 1st Team All-District Running Back, 2013 1st
Team All-District Defensive Lineman, 2013 2nd Team
All-District Special Teams, 2013 2nd Team All-Region
Pick, 2014 All-District Defensive MVP, 2014 All-District
Running Back, 2014 All-District Special Teams, 2014 All-
District Defensive Linemen, 2014 All-Region Defensive
Linemen, 2014 All-Region II Running back, 2014 District
Champions, 2014 District Bi-Champions, 2014 All-Big
Country Class 1A Running Back, All-Region Honors from
the Texas Six-Man Coaches Association, TSMCA Honors
Region II Class 1A Division II 1st Team Defensive
Linemen, 2014 All-State Division II Defensive Linemen;
FFA 2012 Land Team 4th at State, 2012 Spanish Creed
State Qualifier, 2013 Spanish Creed State Qualifier, 2013
Lone Wolf District (Area II) LDEs: Senior Chapter
Conducting 1st, 2013 Area II LDEs: Senior Chapter
Conducting- 4th, 2013 Land Team 1st at Area, 2013
Land Team 6th at State, 2013 Tarleton State CDEs:
Land- Individual 7th, Team 4th, 2014 Homesite Team
3rd at Area, 2014 Homesite Team 7th at State, 2014
Angelo State CDEs: Homesite- Individual 1st, Team 1st,
2015 Sweetwater CDEs: Homesite- Individual 7th, Team
4th, 2015 Angelo State CDEs: Homesite- Individual 1st,
Team 3rd

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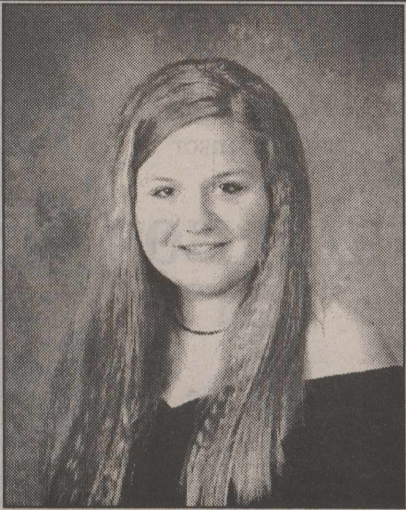
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**BRANDI
NICOLE
WRIGHT**

*Daughter of
Deanna Jenkins*

*Wright
Granddaughter of Sherry Weston*



*Brandi will attend Texas State University,
majoring in Radiation Therapy.*

TAFE - State Qualifier in Public Speech, 2nd place
District Public Speaking, 3rd place District Job Interview

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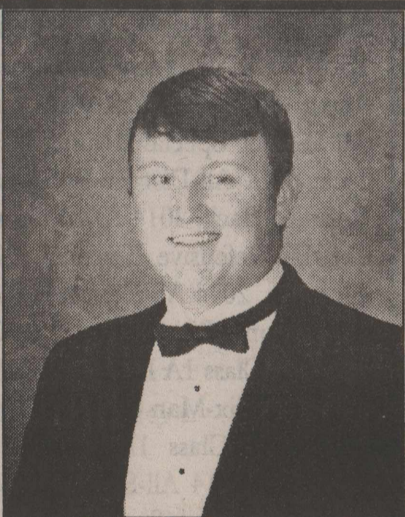
**Blackwell
Class of 2015!**

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**WADE
MACKENZIE
ALLEN**

*Son of
Lonnie &
Carole Allen*



*Wade will attend West Texas College,
majoring in Petroleum Technology.*

Football District Champs 3 & 4, Bi-District
Champs 3 & 4, Second Team All Region Tight End
3, First Team All Region Kicker 3, Honorable
Mention All-State kicker 3, First Team All Region
Tight End 4, First Team All-State Tight End 4;
District UIL, Physics Champ 2, District UIL Science
Champ team 4

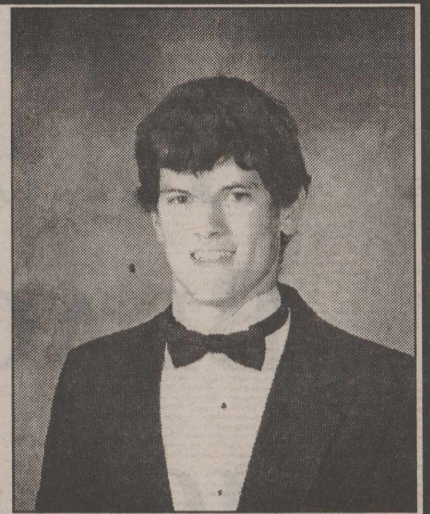
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BODY SHOP**

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**MATHEW
JETER**

*Son of
Tracy Jeter &
Kimberly Fannon*



*Mathew will be attending Texas State Technical
College, majoring in Wind Turbine Technology.*

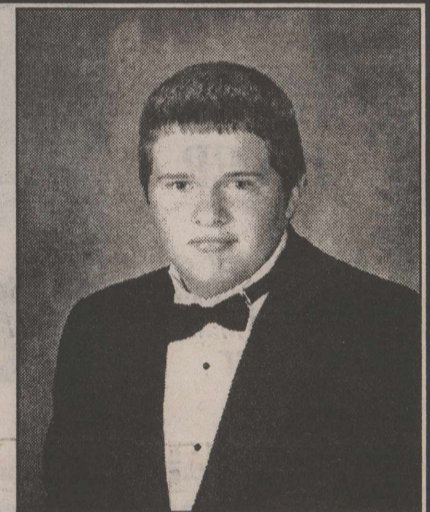
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**RILEY
McQUADE
MEYER**

*Son of
Vic & Zena
Meyer*



*Riley will attend West Texas College,
majoring in Ranch Management.*

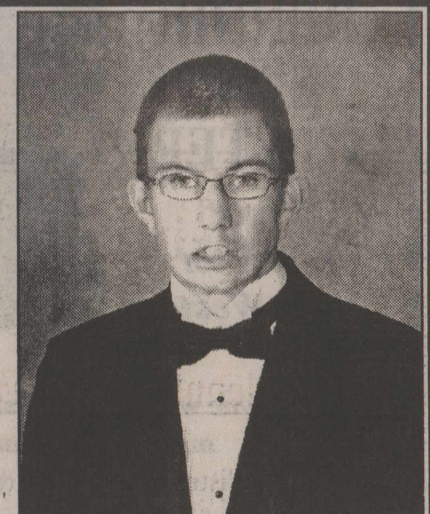
**LARRY'S
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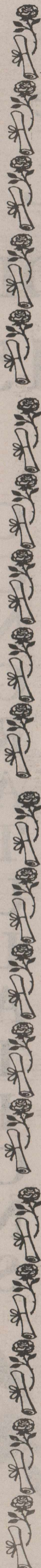
**GARY
ROLAND**

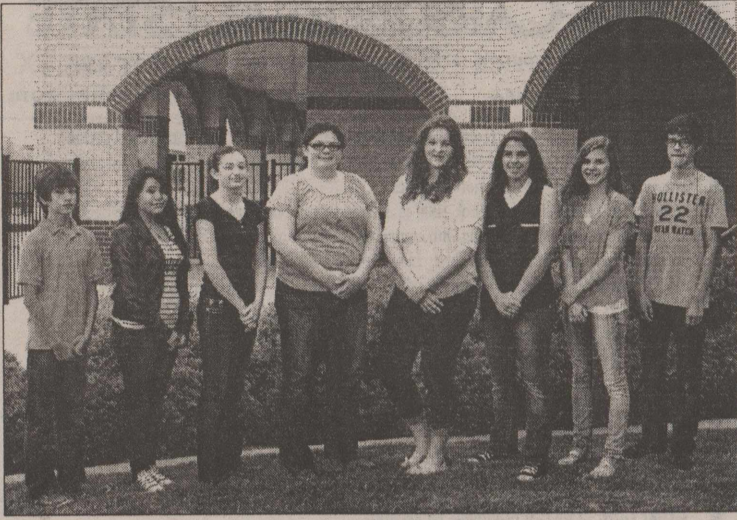
*Son of
Gary Roland &
Charlie Roland*



*Upon graduation,
Gary will enter the work force.*

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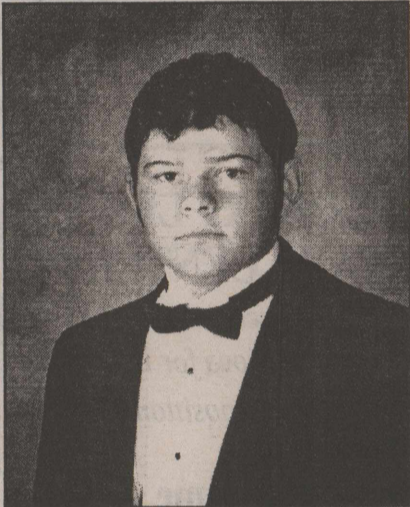
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**MATTHEW
MEYER**

*Son of
Vic & Zena
Meyer*



*Matthew will attend Texas State Technical
College, majoring in Diesel Technology.*

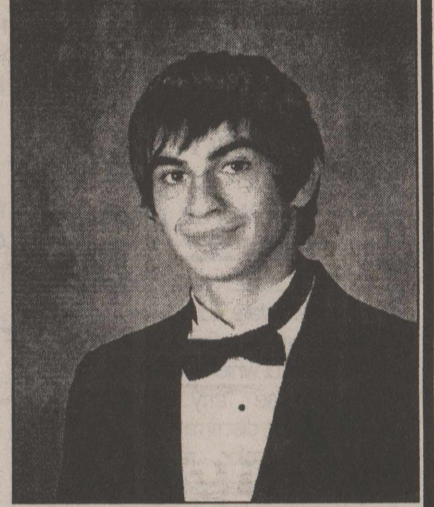
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ROBERT
DAVIS**

*Son of
Thomas &
Leslie Davis*



*Bob will attend East Central University,
majoring in Business Administration.*

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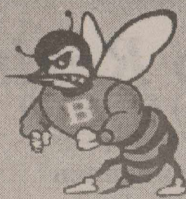
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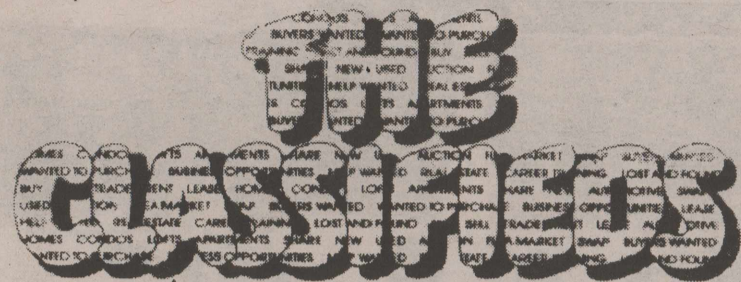
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RLISD Board meets in regular session

The Robert Lee ISD Board of Trustees met Tuesday, May 19, 2015, for a regular meeting. The meeting was held in the Robert Lee ISD Conference Room 119 at 5 pm. The meeting was called to order by President Wes Washam.

Members present included Wes Washam, Jeffie Roberts, Beverly Sinclair, Tom Sawyer, George Grim, and Erin Oleksiuk. Irma Torres was absent.

The invocation and pledge were led by Erin Oleksiuk.

Tom Sawyer made a motion to approve the minutes of April 21, 2015, seconded by Erin Oleksiuk. All voted for.

Jeffie Roberts made a motion to approve the financial reports given by Robin Allen and to approve the bills. The motion was seconded by Erin Oleksiuk. All voted for.

The Board signed their Conflict of Interest Disclosures.

Robin Allen swore in Wes Washam, Tom Sawyer and George Grim as Board Members.

George Grim made a motion to keep the board organized the same for 2015-2016. Wes Washam, President, Tom Sawyer, Vice President and Jeffie Roberts, Secretary. The motion seconded by Erin Oleksiuk. All voted for.

David O'Dell gave the high school principal report; enrollment for grades 7-12 was 105 and attendance rate was 96.6% for the month of April. Supt. Hood also gave the elementary principals report; elementary enrollment for April was 164 students and 96.3% attendance rate.

Supt. Hood recommended signing the Interlocal Agreement with West Texas Food Service Coop through ESC Region 17 for the 2015-2016. Tom Sawyer made a motion to approve this recommendation, seconded by George Grim. All voted for.

Supt. Hood recommended setting breakfast and lunch prices for the 2015-2016 school year as follows: Student breakfast will be \$1.70, Adult breakfast will be \$2.20; K-6 student lunch will be \$2.40, 7-12 student lunch will be \$2.65, Adult lunch \$3.35. Jeffie Roberts made a motion to approve the recommendation of breakfast and lunch prices, seconded by Erin Oleksiuk. All voted for.

Supt. Hood recommended a two year Extension of Depository Contract with Robert Lee State Bank for 2015-2017. Beverly Sinclair made a motion to approve the recommendation, seconded by Tom Sawyer. All voted for.

Supt. Hood recommended renewal of Voluntary Student/Athletic Accident Insurance Plan with The Brokerage Store. Erin Oleksiuk made a motion to approve the recommendation, seconded by

George Grim. All voted for.

Supt. Hood gave his respective report on enrollment numbers, update on budget process, facilities update, and graduation.

Supt. Hood read resignation letters from Sally Gloria and Heather Wyatt, effective May 29, 2015. Jeffie Roberts made a recommendation, seconded by Tom Sawyer, to accept the resignations with regret. All voted for.

The next regular board meeting will be Thursday, June 23, 2015, at 12 noon.

The meeting was adjourned 5:46 p.m.

Vision with a Purpose update

By: Dianne Hefner

Vision with a Purpose's Long Range Planning Committee met Saturday, May 9 at their VP

building on Austin St.

Floyd Pettit led the meeting with 10 members present.

On the agenda was the possibility of purchasing 20 new flags (10 American and 10 Texas) to be placed in Wilson Bryan Mini Park and the Memorial Gardens in addition to those already there.

Also additional benches are needed because the community has shown an interest. Discussion of the possibility of having sponsors with nameplates on them was introduced.

Further discussion regarding golf carts for Mountain Creek Golf Course was another item. A monetary limit was set and the stipulation that VP members would have free use as would members of Robert Lee High School golf team.

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