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### Arrott, Harendt receive recognition at Banquet

By Erin M. Oleksiuk, District Arrott has served the public Technician, Coke County SWCD

Coke County Soil and Water Conservation District winners attended the San Angelo Area Conservation Awards Banquet on March 31, in Wall, Texas.

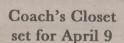
LeDrew Arrott of Bronte was recognized as the 2015 Conservation Rancher and Nikkole Harendt, also from Bronte, was awarded the Poster Contest Winner from Coke County.

Mr. Arrott was accompanied by his wife, Bobbie, and many members of the Arrott family. Mr. Arrott has been a valuable member of the area all his life; born in Poverty Canyon and working the land south of Bronte on the family ranch. Not only has he been able to perform his own brush management practices, Mr.

through the years as a contractor. Mr. Arrott continues to stay active in the community by serving on several boards, but his favorite seat is the one in his excavator.

Miss Nikkole Harendt was accompanied by her parents, Jeremy and Tiffany Harendt, and her younger sister, Jorja. Miss Harendt created a beautiful poster after listening to a presentation about local pollinators. Her poster included bees and hummingbirds enjoying the spring flowers, the nighttime pollinator, the bat, and colorful butterflies. Miss Harendt drew the earth in the center to represent all the pollinators working together.

plaque and enjoyed a delicious steak dinner.



The 3rd annual Coach's Closet in Robert Lee will be held Saturday, April 9, from 10 am to 12 noon in the Robert Lee Baptist Church Fellowship "Coach's Closet" is a clothing event where anyone can come and get clothes at no charge.

Donations of men, women, children and infant's clothing are. needed. Only clothing donations will be accepted. Please bring all donated clothes to Robert Lee Baptist Church by Thursday, April 7.

Both were presented with a







Town Hall! A good-sized group of community members attended the first quarterly town hall meeting of Restoring Bronte Foundation on Tuesday, March 29, 2016. It was an opportunity for RBF directors to update citizens on the organization's activities and finances since its inception. It also was a chance to invite members of the community to voice any ideas or concerns they have for Bronte. Restoring Bronte Foundation is a Texas 501C3 non-profit corporation developed to foster charitable pathways that restore Bronte to a community that everyone would love to call home. For more information, please visit www.restoringbrontefoundation.org.



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### **Obituaries**



#### Sanchez

Robert Sanchez, went to be with the Lord on March 25, 2016, while surrounded by his loving family. Robert was a long time resident of Robert Lee, Texas, where he lived his life and raised his family. There will be no visitation. Graveside services were held at 2 pm Tuesday, March 29, 2016, in Robert Lee Hispanic Cemetery. Services were under the direction of Shaffer Funeral

He was born on February 11, 1929, in Duval County. Robert, better known as "Grandpa Robert," to all those he affectionately loved, was notorious for spoiling and loving all his grandchildren and greatgrandchildren that brought him the most joy.

Robert was an accomplished contractor that served the Robert Lee community and local communities. His career of contracting touched many lives with the numerous homes and office facilities he built throughout his work life.

He is survived by his wife, Pasquala Sanchez of San Angelo Texas, son, Robert Sanchez Jr. and wife, Paula Sanchez of Midland, Texas daughter, Margarita Flores and husband Monico Flores of Euless, Texas daughter, Rosa Long and husband Kyle Long of Robert Lee, Texas son, Armando Sanchez and wife Mitzi Sanchez of Lubbock Texas son, Mike Sanchez and wife Elicia Sanchez of Andrews, Texas, and his daughter, Lisa Mahoney and husband Joe Mahoney of Euless, Texas. In addition to his beloved children, leaves behind ten

grandchildren and nine greatgrandchildren.

His family thanks the nurses, doctors and caregivers at the Senior Care facility of San Angelo and Gentiva Hospice Care.

Online condolences may be at www.shafferpioneer made

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### **Commissioners Court** minutes posted

Coke County Commissioners Court met in regular session March 8th, 2016 at the courthouse in Robert Lee. Members of the court present included County Judge, Roy Blair, Commissioner, Pct. #1 Montgomery, Troy Commissioner Pct, #2 Paul Williams, Commissioner, Pct. #3 Gaylon Pitcock, Commissioner, and Pct. #4 Joe Sefcik. Deputy Clerk Martha Ratliff was also in attendance.

The meeting opened with prayer and pledge to the flag offered by Judge Blair.

Judge Blair announced the presence of a quorum.

Comm. Williams made a motion to approve the minutes for the March 2, 2016 meeting. The motion was seconded by Comm. Sefcik. Motion carried. Commissioner Williams made a

seconded motion, by Commissioner Pitcock to approve the minutes for the February 23, 2016 meeting as presented. Motion carried.

The Treasurers Report was presented by Treasurer Hal Spain. Comm. Montgomery made a motion that was seconded by Comm. Sefcik to accept the Treasurers Report as presented. Motion carried.

County agent Morgan Runyan presented her extension report and Kandice Everitt's report for the month of February.

Sheriff Wayne McCutchen presented his report.

The Tax Collectors report was presented by Judge Blair.

Martha Ratliff Deputy Clerk presented the District/Clerks

Constable Marshall Millican presented the Precinct 1 report.

Constable Marty presented the Precinct 2 report. Jackie Walker presented the J.P. Pct. 1 report.

Grady Coulter presented the J.P. 2 report.

The D.R. report was presented by Judge Blair.

No report presented for The Trappers Report

Commissioner Montgomery made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Williams to lift the burn ban. Motion carried. Blair

Commissioners will work on design criteria and specifications for Coke County.

Judge reported new server is installed and working. He also reported hiring of Claire Giudici as Coke County Librarian.

No action taken on private road work and no request has been made.

Commissioner Sefcik made a seconded motion, Commissioner Montgomery to pay the bills. Motion carried.

Judge Blair adjourned the

meeting at 9:44 am.

### Red Hats to meet April 7

The Red Hat Society will meet Thursday, April 7, 2016, at 11 am at Pena's Red Barn in Bronte.

Join them for lunch and lots of good fellowship! They hope to see you at Red Barn.

#### Rabies Clinic set for Robert Lee

Coke County 4-H will sponsor a Rabies Clinic Tuesday, April 12, 2016, from 3:30 pm to 6 pm at the ' South end of the Show Barn in the Robert Lee Park.

Dr. Travis Arledge of Pioneer Vet Clinic in Winters will be the Veterinarian in charge. All pets four months of age and older should be immunized and rabies vaccinations should be given annually.

and Rabies vaccinations worming will be offered. Other immunizations for dogs will Distemoper/Parvo/ include Corona, Rattlesnake, Parvo (under 12 weeks of age), and Kennel Cough. Distemper/ Leukemia shots will be available for cats. Horses will be able to obtain their rabies, West Nile/ Vewt, flu/rhino, and rattlesnake vaccinations. Paste worming with Zimectrin Gold will also be offered for horses.

Proceeds go to benefit the Coke County 4-H Club. For more information, call (325) 453-2461.

### **Decision America Tour** prayer rally set for April 26

Franklin Graham is taking a team of believers across America to have a prayer rally at each of the 50 state capitals. There will be a prayer rally in Austin at the capital at 12 noon on Tuesday, April 26.

Graham will pray and then preach a sermon about the gospel of salvation. At the same time the Austin rally is taking place, there will be a prayer rally in front of the courthouse in Robert Lee.

If America is to experience extreme revival across our nation, her citizens must be serious about repenting and turn to God for help. "Then if my people who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, I will hear from heaven and will forgive their sins and restore their land."

### **Bronte Citywide Garage** Sale set for May 7

The Annual Bronte Citywide Garage Sale will be Saturday, May 7, at 8 am.

If you would like to participate, please call City Hall at (325) 473-3501 by Thursday, May 5. Your garage sale location will be listed on a map to be distributed at the First National Bank parking lot. This is a great opportunity to recycle, reuse and reduce unwanted items in your

### Come As You Are



Sunday Mornings • 10 am

Table Time • Tuesday evening



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### Area Churches Invite You to Worship

Bronte Church of Christ PO Box 346 • 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte (325) 473-3291 (323) 473-3231
Preacher John V. Driggers
Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm
Central Baptist Church
324 S. Franklin • Bronte (325) 473-4811 Dale Patterson, Pastor Sun. 10 am Sunday School 11 am & 6 pm Worship

Wed. 6 pm First Baptist Church 424 S. Washington • Bronte (325) 473-2331 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School. 10:55 am Worship, pm Worship 6 pm Youth Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting First United Methodist Church Corner of Washington & Holmes (325) 473-3281

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

Rev. Everette Bovce, Pastor

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

Robert Lee Bible Baptist Church PO Box 938 • 9th & Austin Robert Lee, Joe Hodges, Pastor Sun. 10 am Sunday School, 11 am & 6 pm Worship,

**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 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

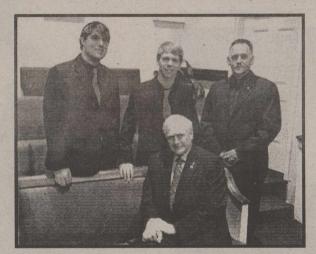
Wed. 6 pm, Worship Northside Church of Christ PO Box 508 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee (325) 453-2685, (806) 543-2118 or (325) 473-1053 Services: Sun. 10 am **Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic** Church

601 W. 10th, Robert Lee (325) 365-2687 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor 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

Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship
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11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship
Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

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PECAN BAPTIST CHURCH April 16, 2016, 7 pm

### 5 Ways to Spot a Lottery Scam

Robert Lee State Bank warns community about popular scam

According to the FBI, in 2014 fraud.org. promising instate wealth and avoid grand prize earnings. These fakechecks.org. scams, commonly referred to as the "advance fee", "lottery" or ""sweepstake" scam, involve fraudsters issuing counterfeit checks and fake award letters to consumers who have allegedly won a lottery or sweepstake raffle. The consumer, who most likely never entered the alleged drawing, is issued a check worth more than the amount owed and instructed to pay taxes and fees before receiving their lump sum payment. Unfortunately, the check—in addition to the raffle—is bogus.

"Consumers fall victim to lottery and sweepstake scams at alarming rates, it's extremely important for Consumers to recognize the red flags associated with this type of fraud before they deposit any check they weren't expecting or send money to an unknown recipient by check or electronic wire."

Before you participate in any lottery or sweepstake, Robert Lee State Bank encourages you to keep these tips in mind:

· Don't be fooled by the appearance of the check. Scam artists are using sophisticated technology to create counterfeit checks that mirror appearance of legitimate checks. Some are counterfeit money orders, some are phony cashier's checks and others look like they are from legitimate business accounts. The companies whose names appear may be real, but someone has dummied up the checks without their knowledge.

· Never 'pay to play'. There is legitimate reason for someone who is giving you money to ask you to wire money back or send you more than the exact amount---that's a red flag that it's a scam. If a stranger wants to pay you for something, insist on a cashier's check for the exact amount, preferably from a local bank or one with a local branch.

· Verify the requestor before vou wire or issue a check. It is important to know who you are sending money to before you send it. Just because someone contacted you doesn't mean they are a trusted source.

• Ensure a check has "cleared" to be most safe. Under federal law, banks must make deposited funds available quickly, but just because you can withdraw the money doesn't mean the check is good, even if it's a cashier's check or money order. Be sure to ask if the check has cleared, not merely if the funds are available before you decide to spend the money.

· Report any suspected fraud to your bank immediately. Bank staff are experts in spotting fraudulent checks. If you think someone is trying to pull a fake check scame, don't deposit itreport it. Contact your local bank or the National Consumers League's Fraud

consumers lost more than 8 For more information about fake million to solicitation scams check scams and how you can them,

### RL council minutes posted

The city council of Robert Lee met in regular session on March 14, 2016, at city hall. meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm and a quorum was established and invocation was given by Councilman Open forum, no Johnson. visitors present.

A: Consent Agenda

Item 1: Approve bills to be

Item 2: Approve minutes of regular session on February 8,

Item 3: Approve monthly

Councilman Burns requested item #3 be removed for the Consent Agenda for further Item removed. discussion. Motion made by Councilman seconded Alexander, Councilman Johnson to approve item #1 and 2 of the Consent agenda. All for, none opposed

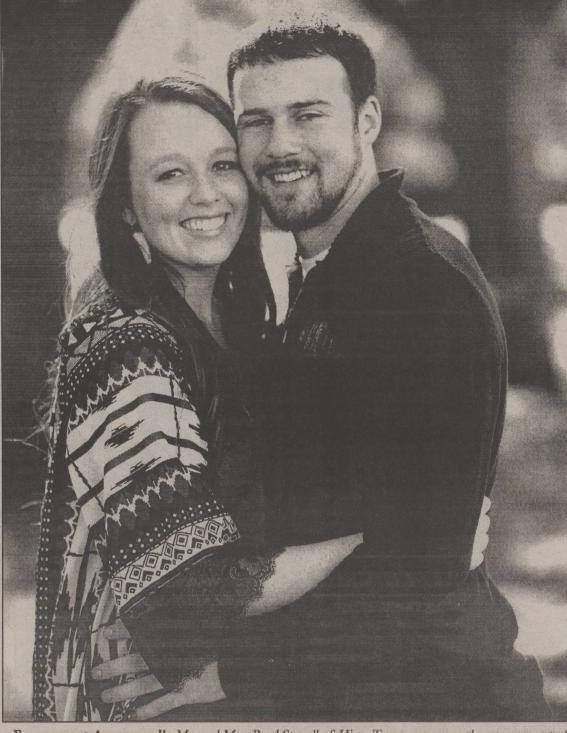
Motion made by Councilman Burns and seconded Councilman Alexander discuss item #3. After further discussion, vote taken to approve item 3. Vote passed.

B: Regular Agenda:

Item 4: Report provided to Council in absence of the Code Enforcement Officer. Motion to accept report made Councilman Alexander and seconded by Councilman Johnson. Motion passed.

Item 5: Report provided to Council in absence of the Control Officers.

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Engagement Announced! Mr. and Mrs. Brad Stegall of Hico, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Cassi Michele, to Justin Garrett Gartman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Gartman of Robert Lee. Cassi, a graduate of Angelo State University, is a teacher and coach in Nazareth, Texas. Justin will graduate from Angelo State University in May 2016 and plans to pursue a teaching and coaching career. Cassi is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stegall, and Mary Ann Stegall. Justin is the grandson of Mrs. Jackie Walker, the late Ralph Walker, and the late Mr. and Mrs.

Douglas Gartman. The couple is planning a July wedding at the Flying "T" Ranch near Abilene, Texas.

The Lions are loose again!!!
The Robert Lee/Silver Lion's Club will have a

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Those DEEElishus Pancakes, Sausage, Coffee, Milk, Orange Juice

Mark Your Calendars!!! Saturday • April 9 Robert Lee Rec Hall 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm • \$5/Plate

A free supper will be enjoyed by anyone who brings a used pair of prescription eye glasses in usable condition to donate to the Lions.

Come and Enjoy!!!

## It's Time!

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District Golf! The Bronte Lady Longhorns golf team finished in second place at the District Golf Tournament held at Quicksand Golf Course in San Angelo. Individual scores were Darby Duncan 123-118, 241; Kaily Torres 126-127, 253; Baily Torres 129-127, 256; and Payton Arrott 135-142, 277. The team has advanced to the Regional Golf Tourney at Bentwood Country Club in San Angelo April 11 and 12. A young team, Kaily and Baily are freshmen, with Darby and Payton sophomores. JV boys' Hunner Powell finished as a 2nd place medalist.

### Blackwell Play performance set for April 12

A public performance of this year's Blackwell High School One Act Play "Unturned Stone" will be held Tuesday, April 12, 2016, at 7 pm. The evening will begin with a meal, hosted by the sophomore class, at 5:30 pm.

### Bronte Elementary Pre-Registration slated

Bronte Elementary has scheduled pre-registration for the 2016-17 Preschool Program for Children with Disabilities, Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten for all students residing in the Bronte school district from 3 pm to 4 pm on Tuesday, April 19, 2016.

In order to enroll, you must bring the following documentation: immunization record, social security card, birth certificate and proof of residence (i.e. utility bill, rent receipt, etc.). For more information, please call the elementary office at (325) 473-2251.

### Blackwell does well at District UIL

The team from Blackwell High School finished in first place at the District 14-1A UIL competition Friday, April 1, with 303 points. Garden City was second with 276 points and Water Valley placed third with

239 points. Other teams included Veribest 158, Sterling City 123, Paint Rock 120, Bronte 50 and Robert Lee 44.

Blackwell High School had several students become regional qualifiers and alternates. If a student placed 1st-3rd, they will advance to compete. Students finishing in 4th-6th are alternates to the regional meet. The regional UIL academic meet is Friday and Saturday, April 22-23, at Angelo State University.

### Accounting

Sarah Ottaberry 5th and 2nd team (Hailey Bennett, Vickie Davis, and Maribel Carreno)

Computer Science
Daniel Mendoza 1st, Hailey
Bennet and Shianne Solis tied
for 2nd, Hunter Clark 6th and
1st team

#### CX Debate

Hunter Perry/Orrin Sirmons 1st, Carli Powers/Shianne Solis 2nd, Hunter Clark/Dillon Solis 3rd, Charlie Cano/Kyler Walls 4th

#### **Feature Writing**

Krista Clower 1st Informative Speaking

Halee Sanderson 1st, Tori Scott 3rd, and Kaitlynn Albert 5th

#### LD Debate

Cole Alley 1st, Shelby Panzer 2nd, and Halee Sanderson 3rd Literary Criticism

2nd team Stormie Lewis, Audrey Mink, Abbigail Sorrells, and Cambrey Coulter

Mathematics

Audrey Mink 6th
Number Sense

Mercedes Williams 6th

News Writing

Krista Clower 3rd
Persuasive Speaking

Shelby Panzer 1st and Hunter Perry 5th

#### Poetry Interpretation

Cambrey Counter 2nd, Krista Angst 4th, and Orrin Sirmons

### Prose Interpretation

Krista Clower 1st and Tori Scott 4th Science

Hunter Clark 3rd and 2nd team (Cole Alley, Krista Angst, Dillon Solis, and Elizabeth Meyer)

#### Social Studies

Abbigail Sorrells 5th

#### Speech

1st team CX/LD Debate, Informative/Persuasive Speaking, Poetry/Prose Interpretation

### Bronte HS Dual Credit Parent meeting set

Bronte High School would like to invite all current 8th, 9th, and 10th grade students and their parents/guardians to a very important meeting to learn about dual-credit classes. A representative from Howard College will also be on hand to discuss dual credit. This informative meeting will cover such topics as admission



Lady Steers Track Champions! The Lady Steers competed at the San Angelo Relays recently. They finished 7th out of 17 teams. All the teams were from 2A to 4A schools. Scoring points at the meet were: Kiara Burns - 1st place in shot put Pammy Meeks - 2nd place in shot put Margo Mendoza - 4th place in discus and Brady Clawson - 4th place in high jump. Shown on the medal stand are Kiara and Pammy. Some of the Lady Steers attended the Water Valley track meet where Kodi Drennan was 1st in Discus and Aimee Zimmermann was 3rd in Shot Put.

requirements, the application process, cost of tuition, books, grading policies and course requirements and expectations. Students and parents will also have the opportunity to ask questions and obtain informational handouts. The meeting will take place Tuesday, April 26th, 2016 at 6:00 PM in the Bronte High School Library.

Please plan on attending this meeting if your son or daughter is interested in taking dual-credit classes during the 2016-2017 school year, or college course classes this summer. If you have any questions, or are unable to attend the meeting, you may call Mrs. Timmerman, counselor at 473-2511, ext. 119 to set up an individual meeting time.

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District Golf! The Robert Lee Steers golf team finished in second place at the District Golf Tournament held at Quicksand Golf Course in San Angelo. Individual scores were Wade Allen 98-99, 197; Jake Jackson 102-113, 215; Blaine Yanez 114-106, 220; Nathan Scates 95-99, 194; and Bruce Buddin 109-109, 218. The Steers will compete in the Regional Golf Tourney at Bentwood Country Club in San Angelo April 11 and 12.

### Blackwell Menu Breakfast

Monday, April 11

Pancake on a stick, yogurt or choice of cereal & cheese stick, fruit, juice, milk

Tuesday, April 12

Chicken-n-biscuit or choice of cereal & yogurt, fruit, juice, milk Wednesday, April 13

French toast, sausage or choice of cereal & cheese stick, fruit, juice, milk

Thursday, April 14

Breakfast pocket or choice of cereal & yogurt, fruit, juice, milk Friday, April 15

Dutch waffle & bacon or choice of cereal & cheese stick, banana, juice, milk

Lunch Monday, April 11

Tangerine Chicken w/eggroll and brown rice, baby carrots w/ranch, steamed broccoli, chilled pineapple, cookie, milk

Tuesday, April 12

Nachos grande, refried beans, salsa, petite tomato cup, garden salad, pears, lime sherbet cup, milk

Wednesday, April 13

Steak fingers, gravy, baked potato, glazed carrots, strawberries & bananas, roll, milk

Thursday, April 14

Hot dog w/chili, corn chips, baby carrots w/ranch, crunch broccoli, salad, fresh grapes, cookie, milk Friday, April 15

Hamburger/cheeseburger garnish, oven fries, western beans, diced pears, milk

Bronte Menu **Breakfast** Monday, April 11

Pancakes or choice of cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Tuesday, April 12

Blueberry muffin or choice of cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk Wednesday, April 13

Breakfast pizza or choice of cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk Thursday, April 14

PBJ sandwich or choice of cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk Friday, April 15

Sausage & biscuit or choice of cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Give your child a...

Angelo April 11 and 12.

vegetable cup, fruit, milk

Chicken sandwich, oven fries,

Monday, April 11

Tuesday, April 12

Wednesday, April 13

Thursday, April 14

mixed fruit, milk

Friday, April 15

broccoli, apple-pineapple, milk

Salisbury steak, roasted potatoes,

biscuit, brown gravy, garden salad,

Pizza, baby carrots, seasoned

fruit, milk

corn, fruit, milk

### Robert Lee Menu **Breakfast**

District Golf! The Robert Lee Lady Steers won the District Golf Tournament held at Quicksand

Golf Course in San Angelo. Individual scores were Brady Clawson 103-103, 206; Sandra Flores 110-92,

202; Aimee Zimmermann 121-119, 240; Kelby Clawson 114-107, 221; and Megan Granthem 121-121,

242. The Lady Steers will compete at the Regional Golf Tourney at Bentwood Country Club in San

Monday, April 11

Nachos Grande, refried beans, Pancakes, bacon, fruit, juice, milk tomato cup, garden salad, salsa, Tuesday, April 12

Biscuit, gravy, eggs, fruit, juice,

Corn Dog, western beans, Wednesday, April 13 Biscuit, gravy, eggs, fruit, juice,

Thursday, April 14

Accepting applications for 2016-2017 program year: Aceptando aplicaciones para el 2016-2017 ano del programa:

April 18-20, 9:00am-3:00pm & April 21, 10:00am-6:00pm

Robert Lee Head Start

325-453-4555 ext. 667

1323 Hamilton St.

Breakfast strudel, yogurt, fruit, juice, milk

**Head Start** 

Friday, April 15 HOLIDAY

Lunch

Monday, April 11 Chicken sandwich, fries, veggie

cup, mandarin oranges, milk

Tuesday, April 12 Corn dog, baked beans, broccoli,

apple-pineapple d'lite, milk Wednesday, April 13

Nachos Grande, salsa, salad, refried beans, tomato cup, pears, lime sherbet, milk

Thursday, April 14

Hot dog, corn chips, baby carrots w/ranch, broccoli, grapes, cookie,

Friday, April 15 - HOLIDAY

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### DOCUMENTS NEEDED:

⇒ Child's Immunization Record(s)

SNAP(Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) (if applicable)

> Child's Insurance Card (Medicaid, CHIPS, private insurance)

PROOF OF ALL FAMILY INCOME (2015 Income Tax 1040, All W2s for 2016, 12 months of TANF, SSI, Social Security, child support, check stubs, unemployment, Veterans benefits etc.)

REQUISITOS:

Prueba de Edad (acta de nacimiento original o pasaporte)

Registro de Vacunas/Inmunizaciones

⇒ SNAP(Programa de Asistencia de Nutricion Suplemental) (Si acaso recive esta ayuda)

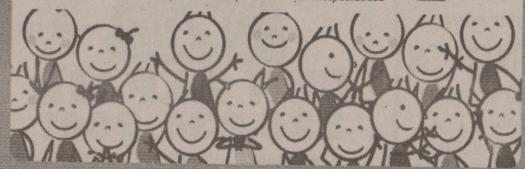
⇒ Tarjeta del Seguro Medico del Nino (Medicaid, CHIPS, privado)

Documentacion de Sustento Familiar (Forme de Impuestos 1040 del Ano 2015, Forma WZ(s), 12 meses de-TANF, Seguro Social para Desabilitados, Seguro Social, Desempleo, Manutencion para el Menor, Beneficios para Veteranos)



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### NOTICES

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Pursuant to Chapter 59 of the Texas Property Code, ECI Storage locations in Robert Lee, Texas 76945, will hold a public auction of the property generally described below to satisfy a landlords' lien.

The sale will begin at 10 am on Saturday, April 9, 2016, at 6th Street and Commerce, then 10th Street and Bishop, then 8th Street and Chadbourne, all locations in Robert Lee, Texas 76945.

All property will be sold at the public sale to the highest bidder for cash, check, or money order. Removal and cleanup on day of sale will be required. Seller reserves the right to not accept any bid and to withdraw property from sale. Property in each space will be sold by space only.

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## GITY OF ROBERT LEE PUBLIC NOTICE TO BOIL WATER MARCH 30, 2016

Due to reduced pressure resulting from a water main break, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has required the City of Robert Lee's Water Treatment Plant to notify all customers to boil their water prior to consumption.

To ensure destruction of all harmful bacteria and other microbes, water for drinking, cooking, and for making ice should be boiled and cooled prior to consumption. The

water should be brought to a vigorous rolling boil and then boiled for two minutes. In lieu of boiling, you may purchase bottled water or obtain water from some other suitable source.

When it is no longer necessary to boil the water, the water system officials will notify you in the same manner as this notice.

April 1, 2016 - Water Samples were received resulting in negative coliform bacteria and the boil notice was rescinded at 4:00 p.m.

If you have questions regarding this matter, you may contact City Hall at 325-453-2831

### 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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### PUBLIC NOTICE

West Coke County Hospital District has cancelled their board director election to be held on May 24, 2016 due to unopposed candidates. There were three two-year terms available. Sarah Green, Pat Stephens and Pat Carwile filed for re-election.

### ... Council

(Continued from page 3)
Motion to accept report made by Councilman Alexander and seconded by Councilwoman Munoz. Motion passed.

Item 6: Motion made to postpone the audit review until the chief auditor could be present to review the content of the audit. Motion made by Councilman Burns and seconded by Councilman Johnson. Motion passed.

Item 7: Motion made to approve Ordinance #1260 to pay expenses for building demolition and approve Ordinance #1253 to amend the budget to allow for payment. Motion made by Councilman Burns and seconded by Councilwoman Munoz. Motion

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passed.

Item 8: Motion to approve travel, expenses and tuition to attend a T.M.L. budget and tax rate workshop, made by Councilman Burns and seconded by Councilman Alexander. Motion passed. The Mayor and Councilman Burns will attend workshop.

Item 9: Motion set to date and location of the City Employee appreciation dinner, made by Councilman Alexander and seconded by Councilwoman Munoz. Motion passed. Date set for April 15, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. in San Angelo.

Item 10: Motion made to check with the abstract office and/or SKG engineering to cost of securing a survey map of Mountain Creek Lake. Motion made by Councilwoman Munoz and seconded by Councilman Burns. Motion passed.

Item 11: Request motion to make final payment to U.C.R.A. for Mountain Cree Lake. Item failed due to lack of motion.

Item 12: Discuss current water supply and research for future water source. Council was informed that the City is waiting on a contract to be signed. The Council was informed of the reports from various government agencies on known water location and possible amounts. No action needed on discussion.

Item 13: Water Superintendent explained the new requirements for water monitoring in place by the E.P.A. No action needed.

Mayors report: Reported that

the city personnel has collected over 1700 tires in the county wide tire cleanup, all city personnel aided in loading over 800 tires in Bronte, Saturday the 12th. ATMOS will increase their average monthly rates for residential customer by \$1.52. The central West Texas Trail Coalition O.H.V. Park has their archeology Permit Filed.

City Secretary Report: The Council was reminded of the upcoming city election on May 7, 2016 which includes the Mayor and 2 City Council positions. City Hall will be closed March 27, 2016 for Good Friday.

Water Superintendent Report: Included ongoing projects, leaks repaired and possible leak in the "pipe line". Awaiting waste water inspection by T.C.E.Q. reported on chloride study of the Colorado River.

Meeting adjourned at 9:05 pm.

### Scholarships Deadline is April 12

The C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship and the Bronte Community Scholarship is now available to graduating seniors at Bronte High School.

Applications are available at www.bronteisd.net on the Counselor's Corner page or may be picked up in the counselor's office. The deadline to apply for both scholarships is April 12.

The C.J. Macon Memorial Scholarship is also open to past Bronte High School graduates.

Please turn in applications to Mrs. Timmerman, counselor, on or before April 12, 2016.

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### Coke County

this Saturday as part of this May 31. year's "Don't mess with Texas" Every year more than 1 billion tons of litter.

one-day cleanup event in the statewide.

state when thousands of participates in program volunteers pick up litter on Cleaning trash from area roadways to keep Texas highways roadways may not be a clean and beautiful. The cleanup glamorous job, but it is one that is conducted in conjunction with has attracted 15 Adopt-a- the Great American Cleanup, Highway groups in Tom Green which takes place annually across County to volunteer their time the nation from March 1 through

Trash-Off. In the 15-county San pieces of litter accumulate on Angelo District, more than 600 Texas highways leaving taxpayers volunteers and 53 groups are paying to clean it up. This litter is expected to participate in events not only ugly but also expensive. in Ballinger, Big Lake, Eden , Last year, TxDOT paid Junction, Sonora, Ozona, contractors \$160,000 to pick up Robert Lee, Rocksprings and 6.8 tons of litter just in Tom Leakey. Last year these Green County- statewide the groups collectively picked up 4.4 agency spent more than \$32 million on litter pickup. It is The annual event is a estimated that the Adopt-apartnership between the Texas Highway groups, who clean their Department of Transportation two-mile section of highway four (TxDOT) and Keep Texas times each year, save TxDOT \$3 Beautiful. It is the single, largest million dollars each year



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