

Saluting the Robert Lee High School Class of 2018

Formal exercises for nineteen Robert benediction, given by Mariah Lee High School seniors will be Munoz, will conclude the held Friday evening, May 25, evening's ceremonies. 2018, at 7 pm in the Robert Lee School gymnamisum.

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invocation. The Salutatory Beverly Sinclair. Class of 2018 and the Robert Braden Rae Richardson, Senior Slide Show will be next Jessica Michelle Wheat.

commencement in the program. The

This year's class members include Kelsey Michelle Benson, Following the processional, Kiara Sue Burns, Bethany Lynn Bethany Coppedge will give the Coppedge, William Lewis Coppedge, Peyton Alexander Address, given by Cesar Rangel, Dooley, Chloe Celeste Gomez, will precede Kiara Burns with Joshua Christian Gregston, her Valedictory Address. Dr. Jorge Lorenzo Mendoza, Margo Aaron Hood, Superintendent, Elisabeth Mendoza, Adam will introduce this year's speaker, Minjarez Jr., Mariah Nicole Principal Munoz, Ronald Alexander David O'Dell will present the Peraza, Cesar Gustavo Rangel, Lee ISD Board of Trustees will Kourtney Marie Roach, Jasmine award the diplomas. The Jenell Rojas, Isaiah James Smith, traditional Rose Ceremony and Julian Eduardo Torres and



RLHS Honor Graduates! Robert Lee High School honor graduates for 2018 have been announced. Valedictorian (left) is Kiara Burns, daughter of Jeremy and Samantha Burns. The Salutatorian is Cesar Rangel, son of Juan and Patricia Rangel.

#### Friday, May 11

Bronte Elementary Kindergarten Graduation, 8:30 am, Bronte ISD Auditorium

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, May 13 Bronte High School Baccalaureate Service, 7:30 pm, First Baptist Church, Bronte

Monday, May 14

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting, 6 pm, First Baptist Church, Bronte

Tuesday, May 15

Thursday, May 17

Friday, May 18

Robert Lee - Silver Lions Club Meeting, 6:30 am, Old Jail Annex, Robert Lee

> Bronte City Council Meeting, 6:30 pm, **Bronte City Hall**

Blackwell Junior High Commencement, 7 pm, Blackwell CISD

**RL 8th Grade Class** to be honored

A promotion program for Robert Lee Junior High School 8th Graders will be held Thursday evening, May 24, 2018, at 7 pm.

Following the processional, Connor Estes will give the invocation. Zane Avants will give the Salutatory Address, followed by Braylee Hood with her Valedictory Address. This year's speaker is Dr. Aaron Hood, Superintendent. Robert Lee High School Principal David O'Dell will present the class and then he and Dr. Aaron will present the Hood certificates. Gavin Freeman will lead the benediction to conclude the evening's ceremonies.



RLJH Honor Graduates! Robert Lee Junior High School honor graduates for 2018 have been announced. The Valedictorian (left) is Braylee Hood, daughter of Aaron and Maranda Hood. The Salutatorian is Zane Avants, son of Shay and Kelley Avants.

Early Release - Blackwell CISD \*\*\*\* Bad Weather Day - Robert Lee ISD Bronte High School Graduation Ceremony, 7 pm, Bronte ISD New Gym Blackwell High School Graduation Ceremony, 7 pm, Blackwell CISD



This year's class members include Vincent Roman Alfaro,

#### **Results are in** for Saturday's

local entity elections

Voters went to the polls Saturday, May 5, 2018, in three entity elections, - the City of Robert Lee, the City of Bronte and Bronte Independent School District.

Allyson Crenshaw will be the new mayor in Robert Lee with 97 votes. Incumbent Leroy Casey received 48 votes and Shell Williams received 64 votes. Only two candidates were on the ballot for the two council member seats. Brandi Brosh

Zane Gage Avants, Ethen Reid Crisp, Connor Morgan Estes, Galvan, Braylee Marie Hood, Heather Marie Huapilla, Bryson Joe McMurtrey, Michael James Munoz, Aubrey Elle Nichols,

received 165 votes and Billy Williams received 95 votes. Ricky Green was elected to the two year unexpired term with 101 votes to Nora Broadbent's 46 and Casey Scruggs' 47 votes. Buzz Gohman was elected as the new mayor of Bronte with 104 votes. He will be joined by new council members Lee Wommack with 82 votes and Steve Hines with 81 votes. Donna Hall received 48 votes. Eight candidates were on the Monday, May 14, at 7 pm at the ballot for three seats on the Bronte ISD Board of Trustees. Blake Braswell retained his seat

McKenzee Raye Puentez, Wayne Michael Riley, Caleb Gavin Kaide Freeman, Mia Jade Joseph Smith, Kobe Warren Smith, Dylan Dwain Thomas, Erika Dayne Tisdale, Brisely Ureno, and Steven Soto Vasquez.

> with 124 votes and Ashley Braswell received 110 votes to retain her seat on the Board. They will be joined by Terry Queen with 82 votes. David McWright (I) received 77 votes. Other challengers included Walt Smith with 76, Chris Jernigan with 51, TJ McCullough with 37 and Bill Torres with 29 votes.

### Skywarn class set for May 14

A Skywarn class will be held Robert Lee Fire Station. The public is welcome to come take the class.

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Play Day! Residents from Bronte Health and Rehab Center recently attended the annual Midwest Play Day and competed in various events of the Senior Olympics.



Parker

Frankie Beth Parker, 69, of Bronte, Texas, passed away Monday April 30, 2018, after a battle with lung cancer.

Beth was born on December 29, 1948, to the late Frank and Dottie Hageman.

Beth was known for being a great friend, a wonderful mother and grandmother who loved her family and friends immensely and let's not forget her love for her cats. Beth worked in the accounting field for the majority of her career.

Beth was preceded in death by her parents, her sister Luann Ford, and her son Jay Parker.

Survivors include her daughter, Amie Kelly, and husband Michael Kelly and their two daughters, Misty and Kamara; her son, Lane Parker, his daughter, McKenna and son, Seth; her daughter-in-law, Sharon Pitre-Parker and her daughter, Taylor.

services Graveside are pending. Arrangements are by Shaffer Funeral Home.

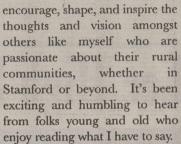
more information regarding the reunion, please contact Linda Cumbie Gladden at (325) 655-6693 or (325) 340-5798 or Don Hageman at (325) 656-4265 or (325) 647-5207. The class looks forward to seeing one another plus all their friends.

For information regarding the golf tournament, contact the Bronte Longhorn Golf Club at (325) 262-5227.

> Of Yesterday and Tomorrow

by James M. Decker In the era of digital writing, some say you should never "time stamp" your writing. That is, you should never reference a specific date, so that the article always seems fresh and not outdated in a perpetually - available digital world. For the most part, I try to follow that maxim, but today, I'll make an exception. As some (but maybe not all) readers know, I've spent the last several months campaigning for the office of Mayor of the City of Stamford. And this past Saturday, May 5, 2018, the voters of Stamford made their decision and selected

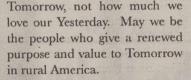
me to serve as their next mayor. Over the past 6 months, this weekly essay has touched on many things important for city government and elected leadership within the community. I made the deliberate decision to not specifically reference my mayoral campaign for two reasons. First, that was not the intent of starting this writing. Second, the goal of these essays is about more than just the mayor's office in Stamford. My goal is, in some small way, to help



Moving forward, I intend to take a similar approach. As I move from the role of city councilman to mayor, you may see my writing take focus on deliberate action items that can improve our rural communities, but ultimately, the vision remains the same. Several friends have congratulated me and pointed out that now the real work begins. They're absolutely Ideas are only correct. worthwhile if they're put to action. Otherwise, they're just words on a page (or a screen).

I want to leave you with a quote from my friend, Otis Cooper. Otis is a Stamford native who has spent his career working and living in the city, but is soon moving back to his beloved hometown. Otis has been a great friend and supporter of my mayoral campaign and on Sunday afternoon, he sent me a text message that said something very poignant: "Finally, Tomorrow has as much value as Yesterday in Stamford."

To those of us who love our rural communities, young and old, we all have great memories and value in our Yesterdays. It can become easy to cling to those memories in lieu of taking action for the future. However, future prosperity in our communities depends on how well we manage for our



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### WCCHD Board **Meeting minutes**

by Pat Stephens The Board of Directors of the West Coke County Hospital District met in regular session on April 24, 2018. President Pat Stephens called the meeting to order at 9:35 am and declared a quorum was present. Board members present were Sarah Green, Pat Carwile and Beverly Burdett. Houston McGuire, RLCC Administrator, Roger WCCHD Alexander. Administrator, Chris Martin, Consultant, and Janie Munoz, BOM, were also present at the meeting. The invocation was given by Pat Stephens. There were no visitors. The Board minutes from the previous meeting were approved.

There are 30 residents in the Care Center as of the meeting date. The facility is currently taking applications for a full time nurse and PRN CNA. A CNA class will begin May 29. There are 8 signed up to take the class at this time.

Houston gave his Administrator's report.

### Area Churches Invite You to Worship

Bronte Bronte Church of Christ **PO Box 346** 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte Preacher David Lewis 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 & 5 pm Worship **First Baptist Church** 424 S. Washington • Bronte (325) 473-2331 • Pastor Lee Bevly Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School, 10:55 am Worship, 6 pm Bible Study & Worship

Wednesday 6 pm RA's & GA's, 6:30 pm Youth & Adults 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. Yesu Mulakaleti, Jr., Pastor Sunday Bilingual Mass 8 am 4C Cowboy Church Texas Theater, Dowtown Bronte Pastor James Brunson Sunday, 10:30 am **Coke County Pecan Baptist** PO Box 542 •12 miles West of Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy (325) 453-2065, Bill Hood, Pastor www.pecanbaptistchurchrl.com Sun. 10 am, Sunday School 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

**Robert Lee Bible Baptist Church** PO Box 938 • 9th & Austin Robert Lee, John Fiore, Pastor Sun. 10 am Sunday School, 11 am Worship, Wed 5:30 pm Bible Study **Emmanuel Pentecostal** PO Box 683 •1019 Colorado City Hwy Pastor Kevin Millstid 453-2360 Sundays 10 am, Wednesdays 7 pm First United Methodist Church PO Box 144 •9th & Chadbourne Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417 Cyndi Weidner, Pastor Sun. 10 am Sunday School

11 am Worship, 5 pm Choir Practice Iglesia Bautista Betel 101 Houston • Robert Lee Sun. 9:45 am • Sunday School 11 am Service • Bible Study Wed. 6 pm Southside Church of Christ PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston Robert Lee (325) 453-2176

**Recardo Reyes**, 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. Yesu Mulakaleti, Pastor Saturday Vigil Mass 5 pm **Robert Lee Baptist Church** PO Box 493 •22 W. 11th (325) 453-2724 Danny White, Pastor Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School 11 am & 7 pm, Worship Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting Victory Assembly of God (325) 453-2208, PO Box 638 6th & Houston, Robert Lee Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study Tennyson **Tennyson Baptist Church** Hwy 277 • Tennyson (325) 473-2040 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

The family would like to say a special thanks to the Wonderful staff at the Bronte Nursing Home for taking such great care of Beth.

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

<u>44-1tc</u> **BHS Class of '68** reunion slated

The 1968 Class of Bronte High School will celebrate their 50 year reunion on Saturday June 9, 2018.

The Class will gather at the Williams Building at 3 pm, following the Doug McCutchen Memorial Golf tournament that morning. Doug was a member of the Class of '68.

We invite friends and family to stop by the Williams Building and visit and reminisce. For



### Letter from the Publisher

Dear Readers.

'It has been my honor to be a part of bringing you Coke County's news for almost 30 years. Our editor, Morgan McCutchen Brigham, began as a typist and clerk when she was just 12. After college and several years in the Human Resource Department at First Financial's corporate Abilene, headquarters in Morgan returned to the OE at the end of 2016. Both of us are completely dedicated and feel a huge responsibility with owning the "oldest business in Coke County".

This new digital world has seen the decline of print publications across our nation and we have not been unaffected by these changes both positively and negatively. On the negative side, this business once was able to employee several people. Now, there is just Morgan and me and we must have another source of income as there are fewer businesses in our county to support a local newspaper.

One of the positive changes is that instead of people dropping by our office, we now receive email. This is the best way to receive items, because now the production of the newspaper is no longer cut, wax, and physically lay in copy on an actual page to be taken to a special camera. That process is now all done digitally.

changes and only made a change when breakdowns in old equipment forced new upgrades. The benefit of these upgrades has allowed us to produce the newspaper anywhere we had our laptop computers. Also a couple of years ago, you may have noticed your address labels were different from years past. This change came when the old mailing system finally died and couldn't be repaired. With the new system, we are now mobile with preparing the newspaper to be mailed out.

In 1989, the OE had offices in both Bronte and Robert Lee. The Bronte office was closed years ago and went to a drop box system. The Bronte drop box is at Shirley's. Two years ago, I began tracking our "in the door" traffic in Robert Lee. This showed that most weeks there were only one or two customers coming to the office.

With all of this being said and the price of fuel, it really isn't cost effective to keep the office in Robert Lee open more than a couple of mornings per week. We are now open on Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 9:30 am until 12 noon. There is a drop box for our customers at Floyd C. Petitt Insurance.

With the many changes over the years, it is our sincere hope that you, our reader, is enjoying this publication and will enjoy it for many more years to come.

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Personally, I have fought the

The payment due in April from QUIPP was received and the DSO is up a bit from last month. The work on the outside door locks should be completed this week, which will make the facility a secure unit. Accounts receivable were

discussed. Roger Alexander gave the financial report, which was discussed and approved.

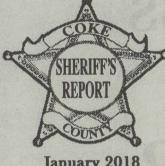
The Board voted to retain the last Tuesday in the month as the regular meeting date, and also retained Robert Lee State Bank as the WCCHD's depository.

The Board broke for lunch at 11:42 am and enjoyed a delicious lunch of pot roast and

Melinda McCutchen, Publisher Tea Party at 3:30 pm on May 8. Mother's Day will be celebrated at the facility with a movie and popcorn at 3 pm. Services by area churches are held on

Sunday afternoons at 3:30 pm. Visitors are always welcome! The Sing-Along will be the May 14 at 3:30 pm and the Methodist Church will be entertaining on May 7 and May 21 at 3:30 pm. The monthly birthday party, sponsored by the Altar Sorority,

will be held May 15 at 3:30 pm. Those celebrating May birthdays are Martha Brown, Antonio Martinez, and Sotera Galvan. Happy birthday to all!!! Jim Gross will be entertaining at the facility May 22 at 3:30 pm. Memorial Day will be celebrated at 3:30 pm, on May 28 with popcorn and a movie and that, plus all the regular activities, helps bring the month of May to a close. Blessed Memorial Day to all.



Nevarez, Alice, Driving w/ License Invalid, 1-10-18;

Mendoza, Stormy, Driving w/License Invalid, 1-10-18; Moore, Collin, Criminal

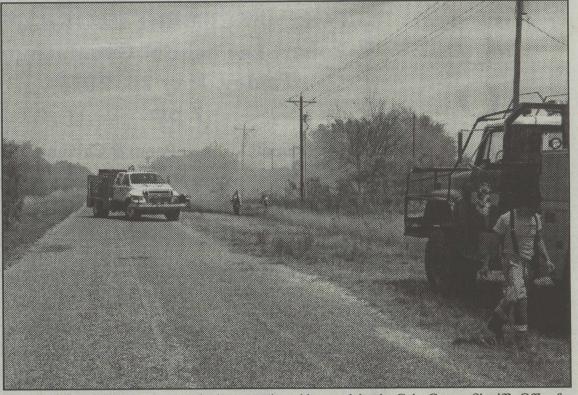
Mischief >\$750 <\$30,000, 1-11-18; Baken, Joshua, Burglary of a

Vehicle, 1-14-18;

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**Please welcome** our new veterinarian, Jake McCabe, DVM



Burn Ban Violations! Several citations were issued last week by the Coke County Sheriff's Office for violations of the burn ban. This fire was the result of a man using a cutting torch without having a water source nearby. For more information, call the CCSO at (325) 453-2717.

Torres, Sharon Kay, Abuse of Official Capacity >\$2500 <\$30, 000, 1-17-18;

Balderas, Daphene, Evading Arrest, 1-22-18;

Selman, Tavian, Driving w/ License Invalid, 1-22-18;

Westphal, Charles, Unlawful Carrying of a Weapon. **Dispositions** 

District Court Dispositions - 1-8-2018 - None

County Court Dispositions -None

#### Reports

Sheriff's Info Report - 6; Civil Matter - 4; Criminal Mischief; Burglary of a Vehicle - 6 (suspects apprehended and numerous items Jail as of February 13, 2018: returned to owners); Burglary of a Habitation;

Unauthorized Use of a Motor

Vehicle (Recovered and returned to owner):

Theft of a Firearm (Recovered); Evading Arrest;

Search Warrants Executed - 2; Public Service (includes funerals, court, motorist assist, alarm calls, etc) - 278;

Civil Process - 2;

Prisoner Transport (including arrest and to and from court) - 5;

Warrants Served - 0;

Livestock Calls - 7;

Accidents - 1 - (3 - Blue Forms); Accident Assist - 2;

Traffic Stops - 11;

Traffic Stops resulting in Citations - 17.

Total inmates in Runnels County

Male - 2; Female - 1 (parole violation). (Continued on page 11)



January 2018 Arrests

trimmings.

The Board reconvened at 12:15 pm and elected the following officers for the coming year: Pat Stephens -President, Sarah Green - Vice-President, Beverly Burdett -Secretary.

A request to waive penalty and interest on property died for lack of a motion.

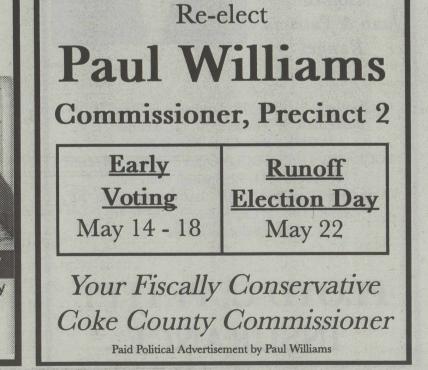
Future agenda items were discussed and next Board meeting will be May 29, 2018. The public is invited to attend.

The Board adjourned into a short Executive Session to discuss personnel matters. No action was taken.

Some of the highlights of the May calendar include a Cinco de Mayo party at 3:30 pm on May 4, and a Mother's Day

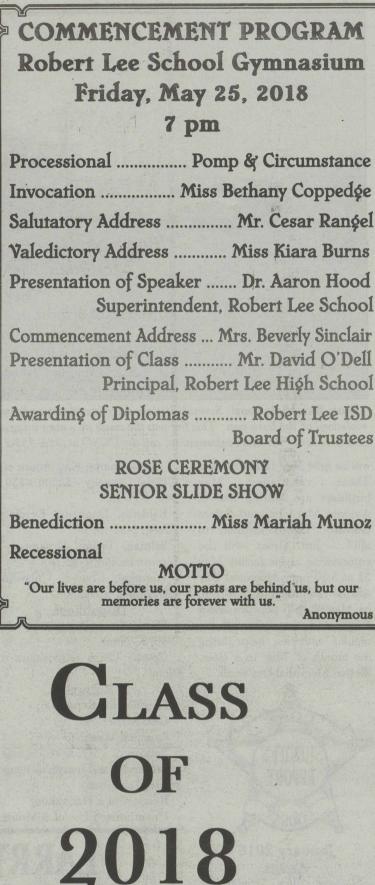
2005 Robert Lee High School Graduate!





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CONGRATULATIONS



### Class of 2018

Kelsey Michelle Benson \* Kiara Sue Burns \* Bethany Lynn Coppedée William Lewis Coppedée Peyton Alexander Dooley Chloe Celeste Gomez Joshua Christian Greșston Jorșe Lorenzo Mendoza \* Março Elisabeth Mendoza Adam Minjarez Jr. Mariah Nicole Munoz \* Ronald Alexander Peraza \* Cesar Gustavo Ranșel \* Braden Rae Richardson \* Kourtney Marie Roach \* Jasmine Jenell Rojas Isaiah James Smith Julian Eduardo Torres \* Jessica Michelle Wheat

\* Beta Club Members

### **Class Officers**

President	Kiara Burns
Vice President	Cesar Rangel
Secretary	Mariah Munoz
Treasurer	
Reporter	Kourtney Roach

### Honor Students

Valedictorian 96.839	Kiara Burns		
Salutatorian 95.600	Cesar Ranşel		
Class Flower	Orange & White Rose		
Sponsors	Sandy Sawyer & Tiffany Roach		

Ushers Kelby Clawson

Nathan Scates

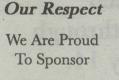
Aimee Zimmermann Corbin Drennan

### Our Respect We Are Proud To Sponsor KIARA SUE

SUE BURNS Daughter of Jeremy & Samantha Burns



Basketball: 9, 10, 11, 12; Team Captain: 12; 2nd Team All District: 12; Bi-District Champions: 9; Area Qualifiers: 9, 12; Academic All State: 11;
Track: 9, 10, 11, 12; District Champion -Shot Put: 10, 11, 12; Area Champion -Shot Put: 9, 10, 11; Area Qualifier- Discus: 9, 10, 12; Regional Qualifier- Shot Put: 9, 10; Regional Qualifier-Discus: 10; State Qualifier- Shot Put: 10, 11; All State Track and Field Team: 11;
Clubs: FFA: 9, 10, 11, 12; FFA Radio Team: 9, 10,

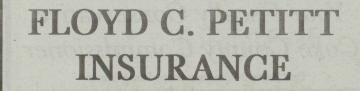


CESAR GUSTAVO RANGEL

Son of Juan & Patricia Rangel



Football: 9, 10, 11, 12; Academic all-State: 11;
Basketball: 9; Track: 9, 10, 11; Tennis: 11;
Clubs: Beta Club: 10, 11, 12;
FCCLA: 10, 11, 12; FCCLA Officer: 12;Gold Medalist at State: 10, 11, 12; Spanish Club: 12;
Activities: Class Favorite: 9; Class Vice President: 10;
Mr. RLHS: 12; Citizenship Award: 9, 10;
Class Salutatorian: 12

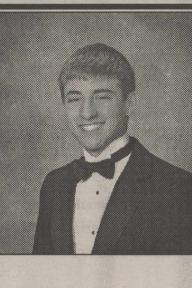


11, 12; FFA Officer: 9; FFA Vice President: 10, 11; FFA President: 12; Beta Club: 10, 11, 12; Beta Club President: 12; Spanish Club: 9; FCCLA: 11; 4-H: 9, 10; Student Council Vice President: 11; Student Council President: 12; Activities: Class President: 9, 10, 11, 12; Academic Awards Citizenship Award; 9, 10; Livestock Production: 9; Algebra I Award: 9; Academic Excellence in STAAR Algebra I: 9; Geometry Award: 9; Biology Award: 10; STAAR Excellence Award Biology: 11; Algebra II Award: 11; College English 1301/1302 Award: 11; Forensics Award: 11; Class Valedictorian: 12;

**ROBERT LEE** 

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Our Respect We Are Proud To Sponsor PEYTON ALEXANDER DOOLEY Son of Cody Dooley & Patricia Fields



Football: 9, 10, 11, 12; Track: 9, 10, 11; Clubs: Spanish Club: 9, 10; FCCLA: 11, 12

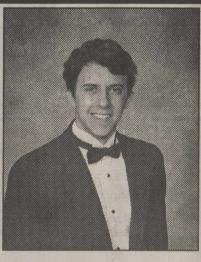
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BRADEN RAE RICHARDSON

Son of Kiley & Valerie Richardson



Basketball: 9, 10; Cross Country: 10, 11, 12; Track: 9, 10, 11, 12; Tennis: 9, 10, 11, 12; Clubs: Beta Club: 10, 11, 12; FCCLA: 11, 12; USNCSS: 12; Spanish Club: 9, 10; Robotics: 9, 10

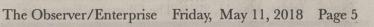


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### Our Respect We Are Proud To Sponsor MARGO ELISABETH MENDOZA Daughter of Blanca & Ginner Mendoza



Basketball: 9, 10, 11, 12; Honorable Mention: 11; Cross Country: 9, 10, 11, 12;
Track: 9, 10, 11, 12; District Champion Discus: 12; Area Qualifier 400 M Relay: 9; Area Qualifier Discus: 9, 10, 11, 12; Regional Qualifier Discus: 9, 10, 11; Regional Qualifier 200 M Dash: 10;
Regional Qualifier 100 M Dash: 11; State Qualifier Discus: 10,11; 6th Place State -Discus: 10; 5th Place State - Discus: 11; Clubs: Beta Club: 10, 11, 12; Activities: PAL: 11, 12; Cheerleader: 10, 11, 12; Pin it Forward Award: 12;

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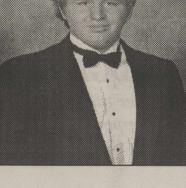
Daughter of Michael Munoz



& Bobby Joe & Robin Longoria

Basketball: 9, 10, 11, 12; Varsity Starter: 9, 10, 11, 12; Area Qualifiers: 9, 10, 11, 12; Newcomer of the Year: 9; 1<sup>st</sup> Team All District: 10; Big Country 1<sup>st</sup> Team: 10; District Offensive MVP: 11, 12; Big Country 1A MVP: 11; All West Texas Team: 10, 11; All Region 1<sup>st</sup> Team: 11; TABC Coaches All State Pick: 12; Texas Six-Man All- Star Game

**COPPEDGE** Son of Shawn Coppedge & Bonnie Keel



Track: 9, 11; Football: 11; Clubs: Robotics: 12

### DARYL'S BODY SHOP



Participant: 12; Cross Country: 9, 10; Track: 9, 10, 11; Area Qualifier Triple Jump: 9; Area Qualifier 400 M Relay: 9; Regional Qualifier Triple Jump: 10; Regional Qualifier 300 M

Hurdles: 10; Regional Finalist Triple Jump: 11;

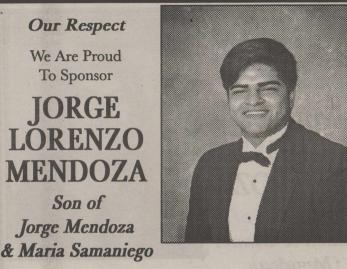
Regional Finalist 300 M Hurdles: 11; Clubs: Spanish Club: 9, 10, 11, 12; FCCLA: 10, 11, 12; FCCLA Gold Honors - Regional: 11, 12; FCCLA Gold Honors - State: 11, 12; Officer: 12; Beta Club: 10, 11, 12; Student Council: 11; Activities: Yearbook: 12; Academic Awards A Honor Roll: 11; Most Athletic Girl: 11;

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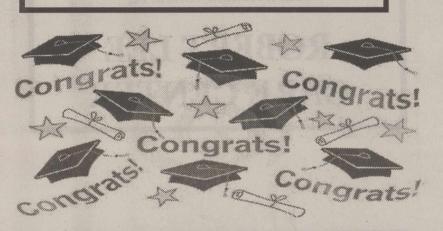
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### IORGE **MENDOZA** Son of Jorge Mendoza



**Football**: 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball: 10, 11, 12; Cross Country: 12; **Track**: 9, 10, 11, 12; **Tennis**: 11; Clubs: FCCLA: 11, 12; Spanish Club: 9, 10, 11, 12; Robotics: 11

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### **Robert Lee Class of 2018!**









**Our Respect** We Are Proud To Sponsor BETHANY



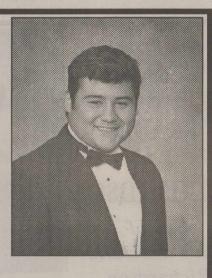


Basketball: 9, 10, 11, 12; Track: 10, 11; Clubs: Spanish Club: 9, 10, 11, 12; Robotics: 10

### **ECI STORAGE** RENTALS

**Our Respect** We Are Proud To Sponsor **ADAM** MINJAREZ, JR. Son of Adam Minjarez & Liz Minjarez

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Football: 9, 10, 11, 12; Track: 9, 10, 11; Golf: 10; Tennis: 11; Clubs: Spanish Club: 9, 10, 11, 12; Robotics: 11, 12; FCCLA: 11, 12

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### **Tiffany Roach**

**Cross Country**: 9, 10, 11, 12; **Tennis:** 11; **Track**: 10; Clubs: Beta Club: 10, 11, 12; FFA: 11, 12; FFA Panhandle Strong: 11; FFA Sentential: 12; FCCLA: 11, 12; FCCLA Officer: 12; State FCSA Creed Mission, Purpose: 12; Student Council Representative: 12; Academic Awards History 1302 Award: 11; Activities: PALS: 1211; Yearbook: 12; UIL: 12; Prom Queen: 12; Class Officer: 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball Manager: 9, 10, 11, 12

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Beta Club: 10, 11, 12

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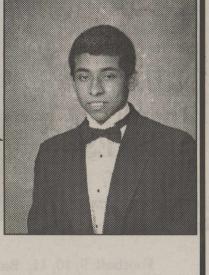
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> Clubs: Spanish Club: 11; French Club: 9; Robotics: 12; Activities: Photojournalism: 10; Advanced Painting: 9, 10; Yearbook: 12

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### **Robert Lee Class of 2022**

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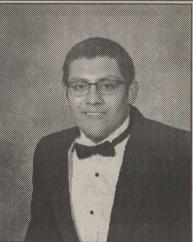
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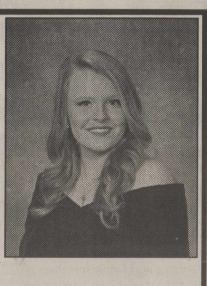
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Football: 9, 10, 11, 12; Track: 9, 10, 11; Cross Country: 12; Clubs: FCCLA: 12; Spanish Club: 12; Academic Awards: A/B Honor Roll: 9

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Basketball: 9, 10, 11; Track: 9; Golf: 9; Tennis: 10, 11; Regional Qualifier: 11; Clubs: Spanish Club: 9, 10; FCCLA: 10, 11, 12; Beta Club: 11, 12; Student Council Representative: 11; Activities: Cheerleader: 10, 11, 12; Homecoming Queen: 12; Yearbook: 12

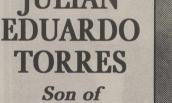
### **IVEY MOTORS**

### Benito & Leticia Garcez

Golf: 9; Basketball: 9, 10, 11, 12; Area Qualifier: 9, 10, 11, 12; Tennis: 9, 10, 11; ; Track: 10, 11; Regional Qualifier 800 M: 11; Clubs: Spanish Club: 9, 10, 12; Robotics: 9, 10, 11 Beta Club: 11, 12; FCCLA: 12; Activities: Class Secretary: 9, 10, 11; Class Favorite: 9, 11; Miss RLHS: 12 Academic Awards: A/B Honor Roll Award: 11

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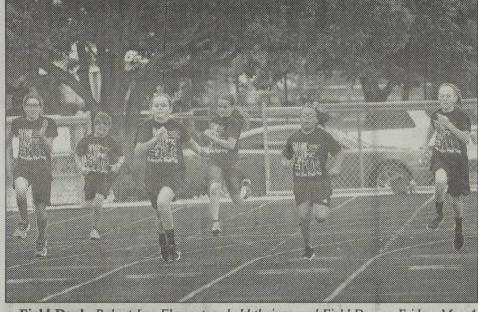


Julian Torres & Rosa Isela Torres

> Football: 9, 10, 11; Basketball: 9; Track: 9, 10; Clubs: Spanish Club: 9, 10; Robotics: 11; Academic Awards: A/B Honor Roll: 11

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### SCHOOL PAGE



Field Day! Robert Lee Elementary held their annual Field Day on Friday, May 4, 2018. Watch for more photos from this event in a future issue of The Observer/ Enterprise.

#### **RL** Awards Assemblies slated for May 24

The Robert Lee Elementary School Awards Assembly will be held on Thursday, May 24, 2018, at 9 am in the Cafetorium. The Junior High and High School Awards Assembly will follow at 10 am. All parents and family members are encouraged to attend. Please feel free to contact the school office at (325) 453-4555 for additional information.

Also school will be dismissed for summer break at 12:30 pm on that day. The buses will be running at that time and arrangements will be needed to be made to pick up students at Vegetables, Garden

#### **Blackwell athletes** recognized on radio show

On Monday, May 7, Blackwell athletes Kiley Cummings, Jordan Jones, Hunter Clark, and Brandon Brinkman were recognized on the Sports Huddle radio show at Buffalo Wild Wings. The four athletes are headed to the state track and

#### PB & J or Cereal w/Toast and Jelly, Assorted Juice, Fruit, Milk

Thursday, May 17 BK Tornados or Cereal w/

Toast and Jelly, Assorted Juice, Fruit, Milk Friday, May 18

Summer Break! Lunch

Monday, May 14

Steak Finger Basket, Fries, Rolls, Gravy, Carrot Coins, Fruit, Milk

Tuesday, May 15

Tex-Mex Stack, Spanish Rice, Refried Beans, Salsa, Tomato Cup, Hot Cinnamon Apples, Milk

Wednesday, May 16 Tuscan Salad, Breadstick, Fruit, Cookie, Milk Thursday, May 17 Hamburger, Sweet Potato Fries or Tots, Cucumber Cup,

Summer Break! **Robert Lee ISD Breakfast** Monday, May 14 Oatmeal, Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Fruit, Milk Tuesday, May 15 Chicken-n-Biscuit, Juice, Fruit, Milk Wednesday, May 16 Pancake, Yogurt, Juice, Fruit, Milk Thursday, May 17 Breakfast Round, Juice, Fruit, Milk Friday, May 18 **Bad Weather Day** 

Fruit, Milk

Friday, May 18

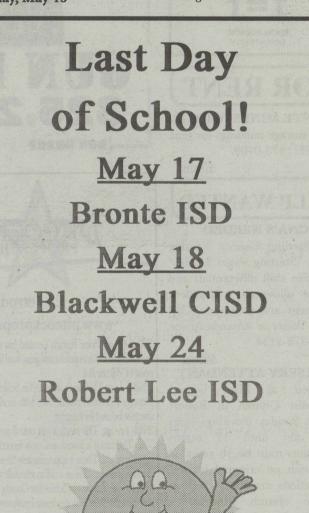
Lunch Monday, May 14 Taquito, Queso, Salsa, Charro Beans, Seasoned Corn, Sliced Fruit, Milk

Veggie Cup, Chips, Mixed Fruit, Milk Wednesday, May 16 Cup, Fruit Cup, Pudding, Milk Thursday, May 17 Garnish, Cucumber Slices, Rosy Applesauce, Milk Friday, May 18 Bad Weather Day **Blackwell CISD Breakfast** Monday, May 14 Manager's Choice

Abilene Zoo! The Robert Lee Elementary Kindergarten class traveled to the Abilene Zoo on Thursday, April 26, 2018. Following a morning of looking at the animals, the class was treated to a lunch at Cici's Pizza.

> Tuesday, May 15 Meatball Sub Pizza, Corn, Salad, Tomato Friday, May 18 Hamburger, Baby Carrots, Monday, May 14 Tuesday, May 15

Manager's Choice Sandwich, Wednesday, May 16 Manager's Choice Thursday, May 17 Manager's Choice Manager's Choice Lunch Manager's Choice Tuesday, May 15 Manager's Choice Wednesday, May 16 Manager's Choice Thursday, May 17 Manager's Choice Friday, May 18 Manager's Choice



Summer Vacation

field meet.



Bronte ISD **Breakfast** Monday, May 14 Breakfast Pizza or Cereal w/ Toast and Jelly, Assorted Juice, Fruit, Milk

#### Tuesday, May 15

Donut Holes or Cereal w/ Toast and Jelly, Assorted Juice, Fruit, Milk Wednesday, May 16

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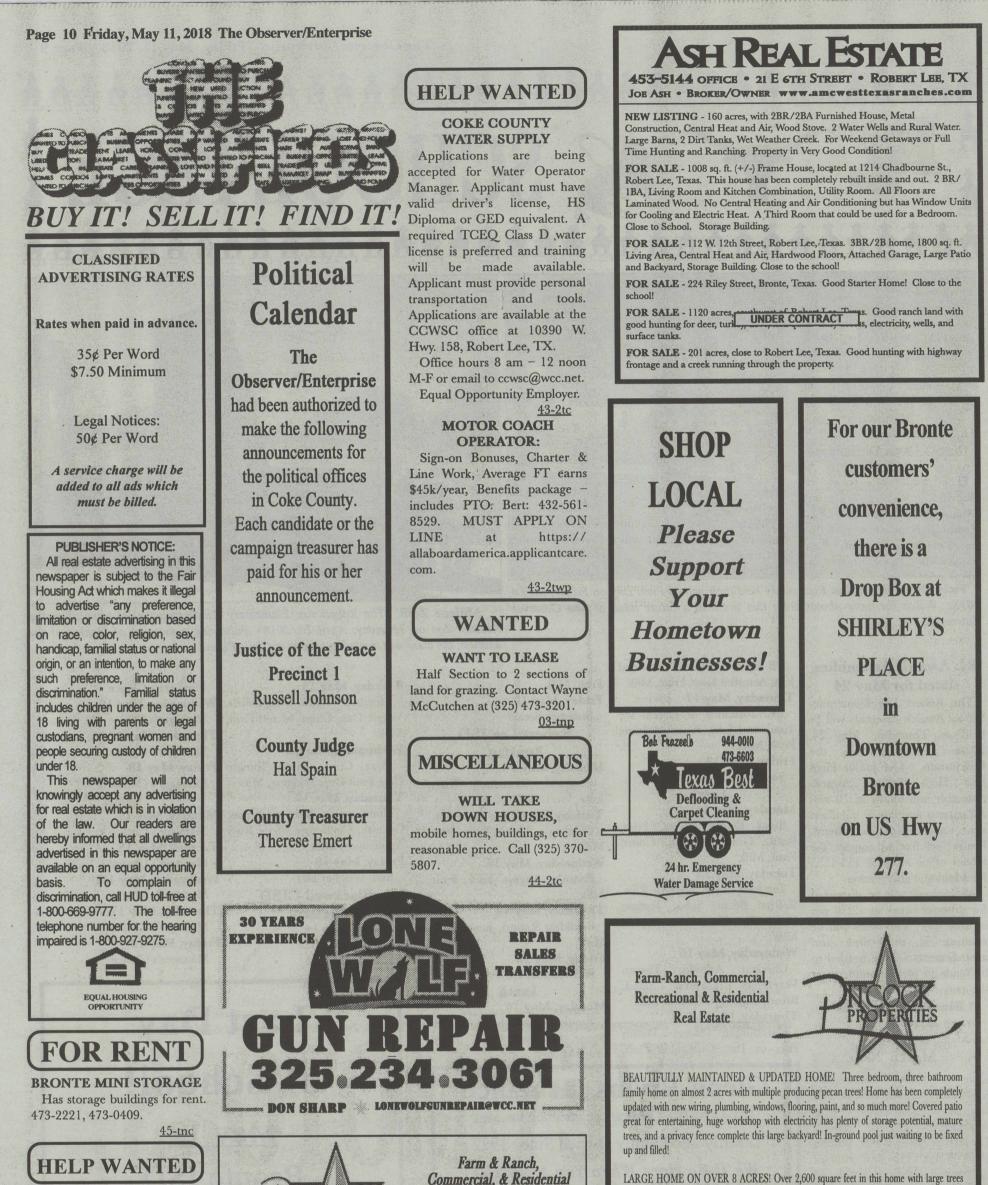
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...Sheriff's Report (Continued from page 3) February 2018 Arrests

Bohannon, Kimberly, Parole Violation, 2-06-18; Valencia, Juanita, Violation of

Protective Order, 2-7-18; Radloff, Kailee, DWI 2nd -

Motion to Revoke Probation, 2-9-18

Murphy, Richard, DWI 3rd or More, 2-9-18;

Taylor, Mikey, Evading Arrest on Foot, Interfering w/Duties of a Public Servant, 2-10-18; Jones, Matthew, Driving w/ License Invalid, 2-14-18;

Martinez, Analisa, Driving w/License Invalid, 2-24-18

Gibson, Dusty, Burglary of a Habitation, 2-27-18

District Court Dispositions 2-20-18

The State of Texas vs. Runyon, Robert, Charge: Abandon/Endanger a Child Criminal Negligence – Motion to Revoke Probation, Plea: Guilty, 180 Days State Jail, Pay remainder of fine

County Court Dispositions -None

#### Reports

Sheriff's Info Report - 7; Civil Matter - 5; Criminal Mischief - 2; Unattended Death; Burglary of a Vehicle; Theft; House Fire - 2; Runaway; Service (includes Public funerals, court, motorist assist, alarm calls, etc) - 270 Civil Process - 3 Prisoner Transport (including arrest and to and from court) -6: Warrants Served - 2; Livestock Calls - 12; Accidents - 3; Accident Assist - 2 Traffic Stops - 21; Traffic Stops (resulting in citations) - 17. Total inmates in Runnels

County Jail as of Tuesday, March 13, 2018: Males - 2.

### March 2018

Arrests McGuire, Nicholas, DWI, Unlawful Carrying of a Weapon, 3-9-18; Skipworth, Justin, Assault

Family Violence, 3-12-18; Lofton, Don, Driving w/ of a Public Servant, Plea: Dismissed by County Attorney Nick Arrott;

The State of Texas vs. Natalie Vasquez, Charge: Possession of Marijuana, Plea: 6 months Deferred Adjudication, Fine \$500.00, Court Cost \$322.00, 20 hours Community Service;

The State of Texas vs. Kailee Radloff, Charge: DWI 2nd – Motion to Revoke Probation, Plea: Guilty, 30 days jail, Credit for 29 Days.

District Court Dispositions - 3-8-18 - None

#### Reports

Sheriff's Info Report - 8; Civil Matter - 4; Criminal Mischief - 3; Assault Family Violence - 2; Burglary of a Habitation - 2; Forgery against the Elderly; Fail to Stop and Leave Information Striking a Fixed Object;

Theft of a Firearm;

Public Service (includes funerals, court, motorist assist, alarm call, etc) - 157; Civil Process - 0;

Prisoner Transport (including arrest and to and from court) - 9; Warrants Served - 2;

Livestock Calls - 15; Accidents - 2;

Accident Assist - 1;

Traffic Stops - 7; Traffic Stops resulting in

Citations: - 6. Total inmates in the Runnels

County Jail as of Tuesday, April 9, 2018: Males - 3.

### April 2018

Arrests Kincannon, Jillian, Hindering Apprehension, 4-3-18; Ledezma, Tyler, Driving W/ License Invalid, 4-7-18; Hollingworth, Anthony, Possession of Controlled Substance, 4-8-18; Davis, Colby, Interference with

Duties of Public Servant, 4-14-18;

Dauth, Rita, Manufactured/ Delivery of a Controlled Substance more than 4 grams less than 200grams, 4-14-18;

Graves, Ryan, Burglary of a Building, 4-15-18

Bilbrey, Gary, Criminal Mischief, 4-23-18

Kincannon, Jake, Criminal Mischief – Release of Surety, 4-24-18;

Xavi, Joseph, Out of County Warrant, 4-26-18.

District Court Dispositions <u>4-8-18</u>

The State of Texas vs. Sharon Kay Torres, Charge: Abuse of Official Capacity more than \$750 less than \$20,000, Plea: 1 year Pre-Trial Diversion, Fine \$500

#### County Court Dispositions 4-18-18

The State vs. Stephanie Hamilton, Charge: Driving W/ License Invalid, Plea: Dismissed by the County Attorney;

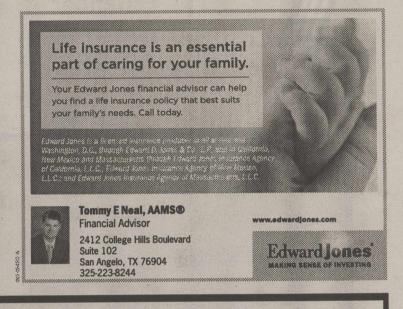
The State of Texas vs. Jesse Cochran, Charge: Evading Arrest on Foot – Motion to Revoke Probation, Plea: Guilty, 60 days confinement in the Runnels Co Jail.

Reports

Sheriff's Info Report - 7; Civil Matter - 4; Criminal Mischief - 1; Burglary of a Building; Theft - 3; Possession of Controlled Substance - 2; Recovered Stolen Vehicle from Ector Co; Estray - Claimed by Owner; Public Intoxication; Public Service (includes funerals, court, motorist assist,

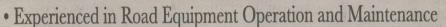
alarm calls, etc) - 291;

Civil Process - 2; Prisoner Transport (including arrest and to and from court) - 8; Warrants Served - 10; Livestock Calls - 33; Accidents - 3; Accident Assist - 2; Traffic Stops - 12; Traffic Stops resulting in Citations - 9. Total inmates in Runnels County Jail as of Monday, May 7, 2018: Males - 3.



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License Invalid, 3-16-18; Driskell, Lucia, DWI w/Child under 15, 3-17-18;

Allen, Melissa, Driving w/ License Invalid, 3-19-18;

Schuster, Eric, False Emergency Phone Call, 3-23-18 Bailey, Brent, Violation of Occupational License, 3-28-18; Moreno, Cisco, Impeding Breath or Circulation – Family Violence, 3-28-18

Moore, Jonathan, Forgery of a Financial Instrument on the Elderly, 3-30-18.

#### County Court Dispositions 3-21-18

The State vs. Phillip Valencia, Charge: Driving W/License Invalid, Plea: Dismissed by County Attorney Nick Arrott;

The State of Texas vs. Mickey Taylor, Charge: Evading Arrest on Foot – Interfering w/Duties 2014 Ford F-350 Lariat #6968A Magnetic w/Black Leather! Navigation and Sun Roof! 93K Miles! Front Replacement Bumper! Awesome Truck!

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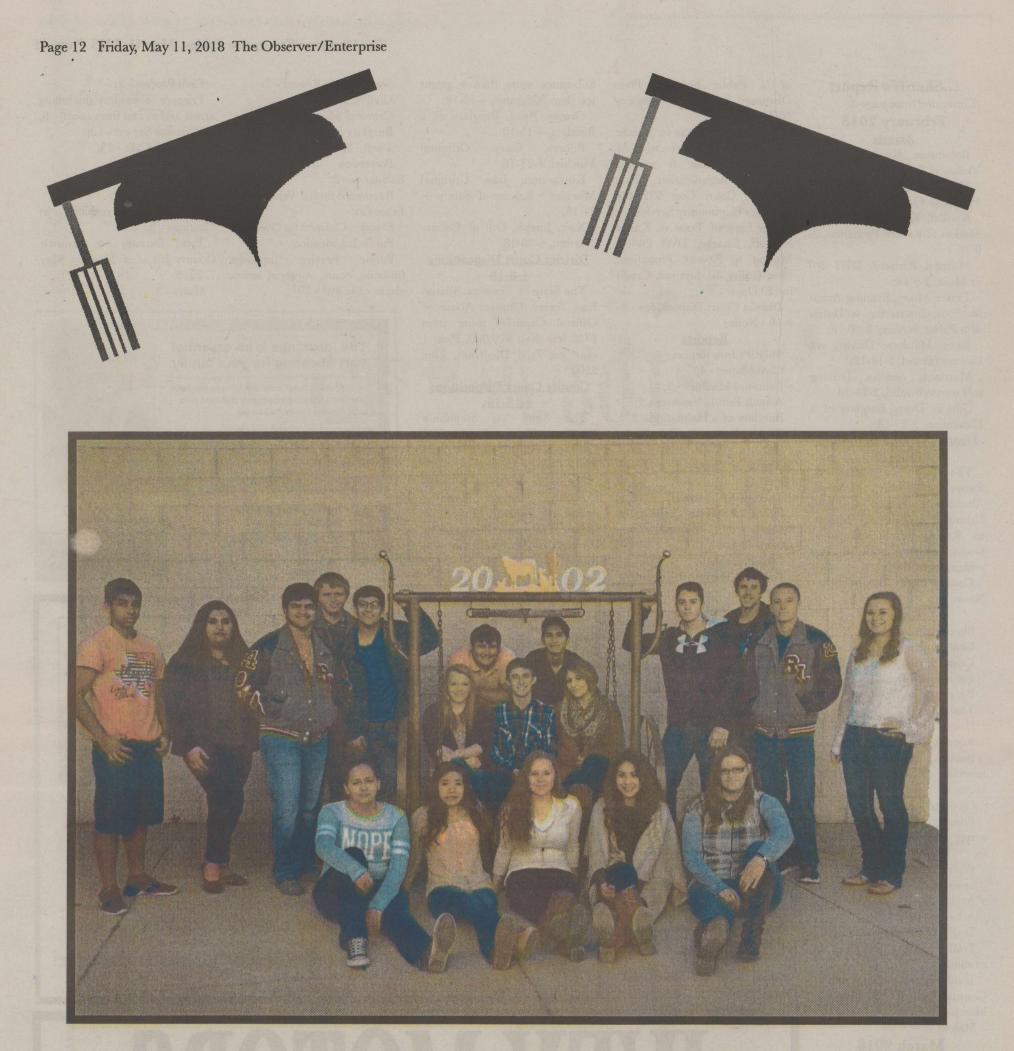
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