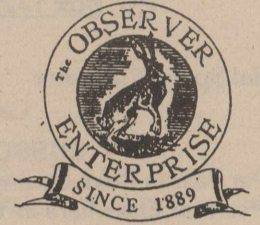


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Court discusses expansion of Wackenhut

The Court convened on November 5, 1997, for a briefing from Ron Jackson, Wackenhut Consultant, on the expansion of Coke County Juvenile Facility in Bronte. Those in attendance were Ron Jackson, Allen Richey, Martin Lee, R. T. Caperton, Pete Percifull, Mary Percifull, Lane Arthur, Stover Taylor, Ettie Hubbard, Paul Burns, Royce Lee, Pat Percifull, James Tidwell, and Jackie Walker.

No decisions were made and another meeting will be held as soon as possible with the financial and legal representatives.

The commissioners met in regular session Monday, November 10. The meeting was called to order with the pledge to the flag and the prayer led by James Tidwell. Other than the Court, those in attendance were Helen Radde and Sons, Teddy Millican, Wayne McCutchen, Phelan Wrinkle, Kristi Roe, and Mike Williams.

Helen Radde made a presentation to Court regarding county road and requested assistance with medical bills for Delmar Radde. No action was taken because the item was presented in open forum.

Bob Bearden of the State Comptroller's Office gave the Court a presentation on the 1/2% sales tax to reduce

property tax. No action was taken, but this matter will be discussed further at a later date.

Minutes were approved as presented.

Constitutional Amendment Election ballots were canvassed.

A discussion was held regarding the dedication of land on Sanco Road to the FFA, FHA, and 4-H for livestock pen use. Several questions were brought up and must be answered before any action is taken. The matter was tabled.

The dispatching contract was amended to include Lockie Sailer to replace Melodie Barnes, effective November 14, 1997.

Changes in County Insurance were reviewed.

The Court decided against a county-wide burn regulation. They would, however, like to impress on everyone the importance of being extremely careful when burning trash or using any fire ignition equipment and to be aware that the county is in a critical time for a serious fire.

The Court approved doing a creek crossing in exchange for additional easement from Paul Burns for the new bridge.

No one representing the cities of Bronte and Robert Lee was present to discuss the Attorney General's opin-

ion on street work.

Nancy Rasco's resignation as County Librarian was accepted effective December 31, 1997. Advertisement will be started and it is hoped the position will be filled on December 9 or 23.

The bills were paid and the meeting was adjourned.

City required to make inspections

Due to the Rules and Regulations of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC), the City of Robert Lee is required to do Customer Service Inspections. Inspections have to be done on any new or existing plumbing on any structure that will have a water or sewer line.

These inspections are required due to the possibility of cross-connections. A cross-connection is the possibility of an unknown source of water getting in the supply of drinking water causing contamination.

A permit is required on any renovations or additions to your home, garage, or business. There is no charge for the permit unless plumbing is included which is \$5.00. You can get the permit at City Hall. Inspections will be performed only during regular business hours.

Golf tourney slated

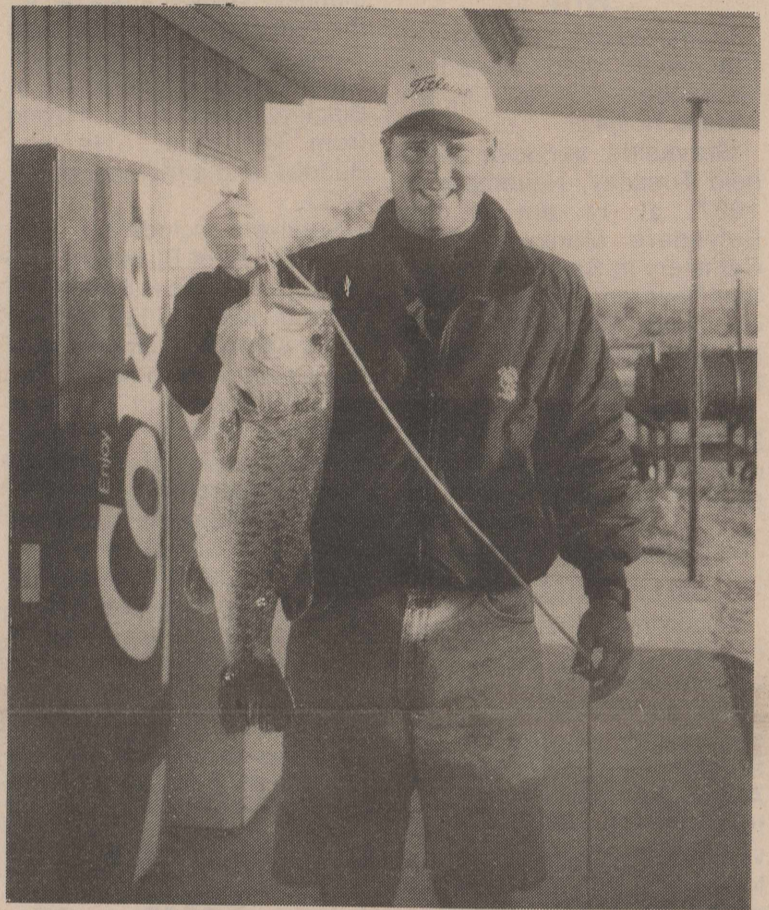
There will be an ABC Turkey Shoot Golf Tournament November 15, 1997, at Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee. Tee time is 12:30.

CCRT luncheon slated

A noon luncheon meeting will be held Monday, Nov. 17, at the Bronte United Methodist Church.

Lady Longhorns end season

The Lady Longhorns finished their volleyball season on November 4. Although the ladies had a disappointing season, we are very proud of them, and would like to say a special thanks to the seniors, Courtney Arrott, Cara Barnett, Sommer Beck, and Tammy Lowe. You will be missed next year.



RLHS' Coach Mike Ritchey set a new Lake Spence lake record when he reeled in this huge Black Bass at 2:30 am October 24, 1997, while fishing on Lake Spence. The monstrous fish weighed in at 14 pounds, 2 ounces, was 27 3/4 inches long and had a 20 inch girth.

Runnels Baptists to meet

The Runnels Baptist Association will meet for a World Mission Banquet Monday, November 17, at Robert Lee Baptist Church at 6:30 pm.

Tamara Grayson, "Missionary Kid" of Sy and Ruth Grayson, will be the guest speaker. Her parents are presently serving as missionaries in South Africa. Mrs. Margaret Epperson, Association WMU Director, is in charge of the program.

Church member families and youth mission groups are invited and encouraged to attend. The public is also invited.

Major Stock Show Entries Due

4-H members wanting to enter major stock shows must come to the courthouse on Wed. Nov. 19, from 5-6:30 to complete entry forms. Exhibitors must be there to sign entry cards and bring their Social Security number.

Bronte Boosters plan activities

Members of the Bronte All Sports Booster Club will be meeting tonight (Friday,

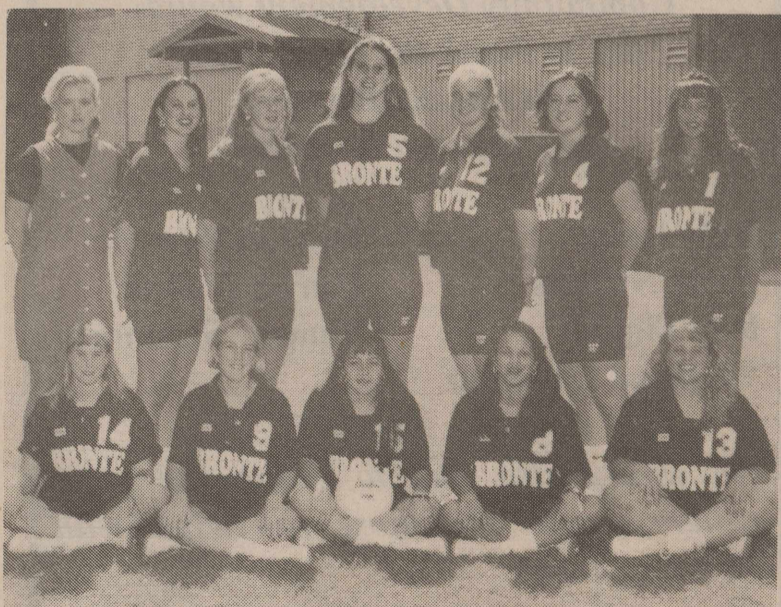
November 14) and next Thursday, November 20, at 6:30 pm in the school cafeteria. The booster club's purpose is to help encourage and boost the athletic groups.

This year, the club plans to make locker decorations, signs, and posters for each of the basketball locker rooms. They hope to help decorate something for each player on the boys' and girls' junior high, JV, and varsity teams.

The club will provide markers, paper, tape, and paint. Everyone is encouraged to join the Booster Club on these evenings and to bring any supplies that might be useful. Bronte has a lot of athletes this year, so many helpers are needed. Join the Booster Club for Basketball Decoration Nights and have fun supporting Bronte's athletes.

Pageant Association meeting slated

The Coke County Pageant Association will meet on Monday, November 17 at 7:00 pm at City Hall in Robert Lee. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.



Members of the Bronte Lady Longhorn Varsity Volleyball team include (front row, from left) Stacie McKee, Cara Barnett, Courtney Arrott, Tammy Lowe, Sommer Beck, (back row, from left) Coach Michelle Grady, Brittany Barrett, Nicole Butts, Bonnie DeLaughter, Natasha Carper, Yvette Bedell, and Kala (Buffy) Arrott. Not pictured is manager, Brandi Smith.

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Obituaries

Hill

Louis Aaron Hill, 69, of Blackwell, died Tuesday, November 4, 1997, in an Abilene hospital.

Graveside services were held Tuesday, November 6, 1997, at 11 am at the Belvedere Memorial Park Cemetery in San Angelo with the Reverend Charles Beal officiating. Services were under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mr. Hill was born September 25, 1928, in San Angelo. He was a WWII Army Veteran, also serving in the Merchant

Sheep & Goat vote official

According to a letter received from Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry, the Sheep and Goat Referendum sponsored by the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association failed to receive the sixty-six and two-thirds voting percentage it needed to pass. Of the 925 people voting on the proposition, 64.3 percent, or 595, voted in favor.

Of the 1,087 ballots cast, 51 were invalid, and 111 voted only for directors and not on the proposition. TSGRA president Dr. Tim R. Turner of San Angelo stated the Association will focus on increasing membership, thus increasing "numbers clout". "TSGRA officers will soon name a Membership Task Force to come up with new ideas on improving our performance on specific issues while increasing our membership base," said Turner. "We will soon be left with no organized way of promoting our products. This is a membership-driven organization, and we would like to have producers' thoughts on the direction we should take from here." He urged producers to write or call the TSGRA office, PO Box 2290, San Angelo, TX 76902. The phone number is (915) 655-7388.

Marines. He was a butcher for the Armour Star Meat Packing Plant before his retirement. He had been a resident of Blackwell since 1989, moving from Tennyson. He was Buddhist, and a member of the S.G.I.

Survivors include his wife, Doris A. Hill of Blackwell; two sons, Don Aaron Hill and family from Killeen, Texas, and Louis Aaron Hill, Jr., of Littleton, Colorado; two daughters, Doris LaFawn and family of Carlsbad, Texas, and Linda Moser-Baugh of Menard, Texas; two brothers, James P. Hill, Jr. of Maverick, and Arlen Lee Hill of San Angelo; two sisters, Velma Crooks of San Angelo and Mary Lee Couch of Amarillo, Texas; eight grandchildren; and twelve great-grandchildren.

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Death Notices

Sharp

Clifford F. Sharp of Carlsbad, Texas, died Friday, November 7, 1997, in a San Angelo hospital.

Service was held at 2 pm Monday, November 10, at the Robert Lee Baptist Church. Arrangements were by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife, Mary "Murt" Sharp, a daughter, Cliffie, son-in-law, Jerry, and granddaughter, Lauran Sensabaugh, all of Coppell; and many nieces and nephews, cousins and friends that he loved.

Carver honored with shower

Miss Kim Carver, bride-elect of Kevin Cassidy, was honored with a bridal shower on Sunday, November 9, in the Robert Lee Baptist Church fellowship hall. Hostesses for the occasion were; Patti Byrne, Ruth Beal, Pasty Dunn, Katie Drennan, Debra Wyatt, Mary Beth Drennan, Cristy Bagwell, Kay Millican, Jackie Walker, Dolores Roe, Tammy Roe, Elena Sanchez, Marsha Wink, Lori Wink, and Debbie Wilkes.

Special guests at the shower were the mothers of the engaged couple, Mrs. Jane Ann Cassidy of Burleson and Mrs. Sheila Carver of Robert Lee.

A number of guests enjoyed punch and cookies as they viewed the large array of lovely gifts. Refreshments were served from a table which carried out the bride-elect's colors of red and green. A basket filled with kitchen accessories served as the centerpiece.

The couple was honored with a bridal shower two weeks ago in Burleson. They will exchange wedding vows in the Robert Lee Baptist Church on December 20 at 7 o'clock in the evening.



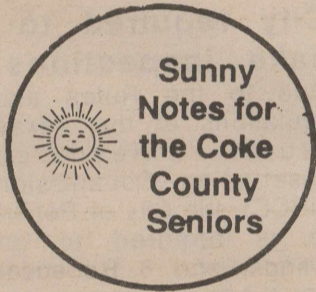
In the November 7 issue of the Observer/Enterprise, a number of Girl Scouts and their leader's names were left out of the cutline that went with the above picture. The corrected order is (front row, from left) Chelsea Conner, Amanda Robinson, Mayor Kelly Nichols, Megan Robinson, Ginny Caston, Leader Tammy Smith, Amber Robinson, Jennifer Smith, Volunteer Leader Vicky Ybarra, DeShira Dickey, Leader Yvonne Conner, and April Cowart. Other members not present were Emily Lane Arthur, Emily Yanez, Kasie Skinner, Brittany and Cheyenne Metcalf, and Molly Burns.

Arrott honored with luncheon

A birthday luncheon honoring Marie Arrott on her 93rd birthday was held Sunday, November 9, 1997, in the home of LeDrew and Bobbie Arrott.

Those attending the celebration included: Bobby and Marlene Vaughn; James and Janell Vaughn; Jolene and

Jay Henderson and Brittany; Bruce and Marty Vaughn; Nick and Linda Arrott and Chrissie; Mike, Andra, Courtney, Shaylon, and Kala Arrott; Kim, Randy, and Tanner Crooks; Alisa, Joel, and Cheyenne Webb; Micah, Danny, and Mason Hoyt; Ray and Barbara Hudgens; Anthony Gibbs; Kelly Cooper; and Michelle Owens.



Menu for the Week

Monday, Nov. 17
 Chicken Fried Steak w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Wheat Bread, Mixed Peaches, Pears, & Apricots

Wednesday, Nov. 19
 Barbeque Beef Sandwich, Tator Tots, Orange Juice, Carrot Raisin Salad, Spice Cake

Friday, Nov. 21
 Fried Fish, Baked Potato, Peas & Carrots, Wheat Bread, Canned Peaches, Chocolate Cake

Dominos

The Bronte Senior Center will be open at 1 pm Thursday afternoon for dominos.

Nothing is more valuable than a new idea.

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would like to say thank you to all of the people who helped make the 3rd Annual Hunter's Appreciation Bar-B-Que a huge success. Without everyone's donations, we could not have had such a success. A special thanks goes to these people for all their hard work during the Hunter's BBQ.

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| Roger Graves | Joey Luckett | Cynthia Robinson |
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| Kelly Nichols | Curtis Walker |
| Roy Tinkler | Tommy Sisemore |
| Wayland Drennan | |

We would also like to thank the meat cutters, servers, and those who helped with clean-up duties.

These folks graciously give of their time and talents each year to contribute to the success of the barbecue.

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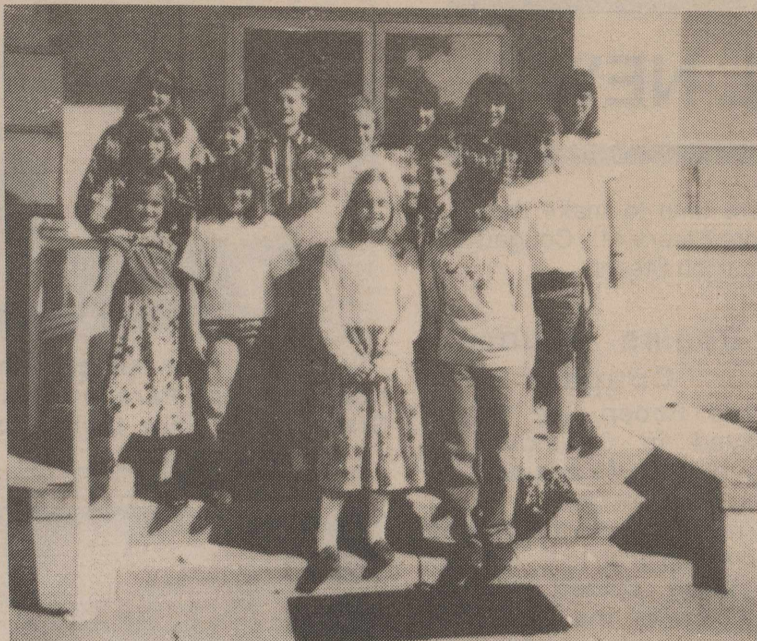
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4-H Food Show held

The 4-H Food Show was held Sat. Nov. 1, at the County Courthouse. Sixteen 4-H members participated. Taking best of show was Nicole Sanchez with her Enchiladas. Other winners included: Juniors: Main Dish 1st Monica Rodriguez, 2 Colten Cullen, 3 Katie Bessent. Breads - 1 Shannon Honse, Fruits & Vegetables: 1 Cara Eaton, 2 Sarah Phillely. Snacks & Desserts: 1 Dixie Johnson, 2 Rachel Wallace, 3 Kyla Millican, Michelle Sanchez. Intermediates: Main Dish 1 Nicole Sanchez, 2 Kindra Johnson, 3 Chase Cullen, April Cowart



These Coke County 4-H members competed at the 1997 4-H Food Show November 1, 1997.

Longhorn Band News

The Junior and Senior High School Region II band auditions were held at Wylie High School Saturday, November 8. Members of the Bronte Junior High and Senior High School Bands competed for a spot for recognition as an all region band member.

Students were assigned a letter in place of their real name and were instructed to enter a room in which the judges, who were hidden from view behind a screen, had the task of listening to all of the students, one by one, perform their assigned music. The judges had to choose the very best students from each instrument group to have the honor of being a part of the all region band.

Junior High students competing for this honor were: Flute Section members Heather Richey, Kayla Hilliard, Barbie Arrant, and Britni Adams; Trumpet Section members Joe'l Sefcik, Kyla McGinnis, Kevin Huddleston, Crystal Jackson, and Lyndon Butler; Saxophone section members Jonathan Tomes, Lindsey Williams, and Michael Johnson; Clarinet Section members Khanni Beauchamp and Melissa Walker.

Over five hundred junior high school students competed for a spot in the 60 piece region band. Although none of our Junior High students qualified for Region honors, they represented Bronte ISD with honor by performing their best. These students are better musicians for having tried out and now they know how to better prepare themselves for next year's try out.

George (Trey) Tomes was the only member of the Bronte High School Longhorn Band that attempted to try out for the All Region High School Band. Out of 32 French Horn players, George was rated #6 and was awarded the honor of 6th chair (out of 8) in the All Region II Band.

The band will perform at ACU in Cullen Auditorium at 7 pm November 22. It has been over seven years since anyone from Bronte ISD has been awarded the honor of All Region Band.

The most satisfying exercise is to exercise kindness.



4-H Pumpkin Contest winners announced

4-H recently held its annual pumpkin contest. 13 4-H members either carved, painted or decorated their pumpkin. Top pumpkin deco-

rated went to Kindra Johnson. 1 Kindra Johnson, 2 Dixie Johnson, 3 Stephanie Trejo, 4 Monica Rodriguez, 5 Phillip Rawlings, and 6 Rebecca Rawlings. Other members included Clay Antilley, Cara Eaton, Shannon Honse, Kevin Honse, Becca Skinner, Cassidy Wink, April Cowart.

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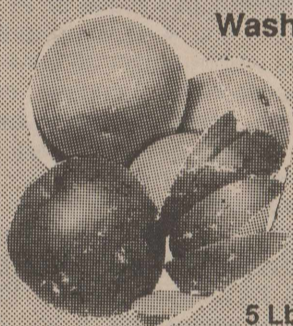
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ROBERT LEE SCHOOL NEWS

Steers post homecoming win

By Bill Burns

The Steers finished their season last Friday night against the Christoval Cougars. It was a big victory for the Steers and the fans as it was homecoming for Robert Lee.

It was also a great win for the seniors as they played their last game for the Steers. Those senior players are Dustin Clendennen, Eli Boxell, Polo Arellano, Matthew Millican, Joey Barrett, Chris Gill, Eric Hill, Justin Brickey and Chris Torres. We also had a new comer to Robert Lee early in the year. He started the year with the Steers and seemed to be doing an excellent job, but the UIL declared him ineligible to play this year. Jeremy Metcalf, we would have liked for things to have been different.

First Quarter

The Cougars received the opening kick, but on the first play from scrimmage, the Steer defense jarred the ball loose and Will Simpson picked the ball up and raced 30 yards for a Steer TD. Deric Brothers kicked the extra point for the Steers.

The Steers kicked off again to the Cougars and the Steer defense forced the Cougars to punt.

The Steer offense had the ball for the first time. They started a drive at their own 38 yard line. Simpson went for two yards, then 14 more. Boxell then hit Andrew McCabe for 36 yards. Michael Munoz then covered 19 yards for a Steer TD. Brothers' kick was good.

The Cougars received the kick and made two first downs, but then had to punt. The Steers started a drive at their own 26 yard line. Simpson ran consecutive plays of 27, 2, 2, 12, and 4 yards before Munoz went the last 26 yards for his second touchdown of the night. Brothers' kick was good. Steers 21 - Cougars 0.

Second Quarter

The Steers started the quarter with the ball at their own 16 yard line. Boxell carried for 6 yards, McCabe carried for 11 yards, Simpson for 2, 5, and 2 more. Boxell went for 1 yard, Munoz for 3 and 10 yards, and Boxell for 12 more. Simpson capped the drive with a 20 yard run, then 10 more yards for the touchdown. Brothers again kicked the extra point.

The Cougars came back with a good scoring drive of their own. The Steers ended the quarter with a 60 yard touchdown pass from B. J. Bessent to Andrew McCabe. Steers 35 - Cougars 6

Third Quarter

Munoz scored for the third time of the night with a 1 yard run. The offense dominated the quarter even though the Cougars scored again. The Steers had 85 yards on the ground and 88 yards through the air.

Fourth Quarter

The Steer played some of the younger players in this quarter and they did very well. We have a lot to look forward to.

The Cougars scored one

more time to make the final score Steers 41 - Cougars 20. Great job Steers!

Dogies trounce Cougars

The Robert Lee Dogies played in Christoval on November 7 against the Christoval Cougars.

The first half, the Dogies had a lead of 20 to 0. Michael Sockwell scored all the touchdowns the first half. Taylor Clendennen made a two point conversion.

The second half the Cougars were playing hard to beat the Dogies, scoring 14 points, but the Dogies still had the advantage with a 28 to 14 lead after a Colby Eubanks scored with a quarterback sneak. Taylor Clendennen followed with the two point conversion.

The Dogies finished the season with a 6-2 record. The Dogies' defense were able to contain Christoval most of the night. Stewart Millican intercepted a pass to set up the Dogies' last touchdown drive. Once again, the Dogies came out on top. The Dogies had a great season under the coaching of Sid McCown and Mike Ritchey.

Education Summit slated for Abilene

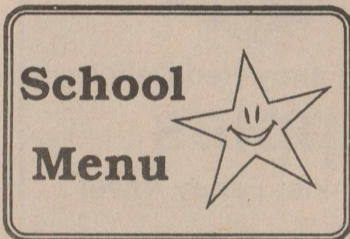
An Education Summit with Secretary of Education Richard Riley and West Texas Educators will be held at the Abilene Civic Center, 1100 N. 6th, on Monday, November 17, 1997. Program displays



Winning first place float in the Robert Lee Homecoming Parade was the Robert Lee First Grade class. For their efforts, they received \$50.



Robert Lee Care Center was awarded \$25 and second place for their float entry in the Robert Lee Homecoming Parade.



- Breakfast**
- Monday, Nov. 17**
Orange Juice, Sausage, biscuits w/gravy
- Tuesday, Nov 18**
Orange Juice, Cinnamon Roll, cold cereal, milk
- Wednesday, Nov 19**
Orange Juice, Breakfast Pizza, milk
- Thursday, Nov.20**
Orange Juice, Donut, cold cereal, milk
- Friday, Nov. 21**
Orange Juice, Pancakes, sausage, milk
- Lunch**
- Monday, Nov. 17**
Chili Con Carne, Potato Patty, Corn, Crackers, Chocolate Cake, milk
- Tuesday, Nov. 18**
Taco, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Refried Beans, Fresh Fruit, Milk.
- Wednesday, Nov. 19**
Turkey w/gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls, Fruit Salad, milk.
- Thursday, Nov. 20**
Spaghetti, Carrots, Tossed Salad, Rolls, Pears, milk.
- Friday, Nov. 21**
Chick-fil-A, Tator Tots, Pickles, Apple Crisp, milk.

will be open from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm with Summit dialogue being from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm.

Congressman Charles Stenholm urges all students, teachers, parents, administrators, business men and women, and anyone else interested in the education of our youth to invest in the future by participating in this Summit.

There is no admission charge at this official event sponsored by Congressman Stenholm.

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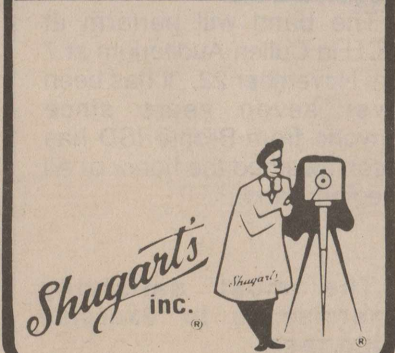
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BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS



The Pumpkin Carving Roundup, hosted by Doug and Angie Hoyt, was a huge success. Fun was had by all who attended from ages 3 to well we won't mention John Driggers' age... He was the winner with his "Pumpkin Without A Face."

Honor Rolls posted

The "A" and "A-B" Honor Rolls for Bronte Junior High and High School for the second six weeks are listed below.

"A" Honor Roll

7th Grade

Cody Blaylock, James Graves, Jenna Herold, Heather Richey

8th Grade

Christine Galvan, Morgan McCutchen, Daisy Porter

9th Grade

Brooke McCutchen, Tessie McMullan, Crystal Moore, Jade Richards, Cassandra Parks

10th Grade

Josh Butts, Wes Howell, Andy

Blair, Gale Porter, George Tomes

11th Grade

Nicole Butts, Bonnie DeLaughter, Rodney Adams, Erin Marrs, Stacie McKee, Yvette Bedell

12th Grade

Courtney Beam

"A-B" Honor Roll

7th Grade

Barbie Arant, Khanni Beauchamp, Charlie Bettis, Amanda Cox, Michael Johnson, Joe'l Sefcik, Jonathan Tomes, Joel Webb

8th Grade

Britni Adams, Gene Butts, Coby Carper, Chrissie Counts, Steve Eldred, Katy

Fraze, James Green, Cheyann Head, Chrissie Israel, Natasha Reed, Lacy Schoenfield

9th Grade

Amanda Bowie, Angie Harrell, Eric Johnson, Jesse McClure, Ryan McCorkle, Rosa Rodriguez, Josh Schoenfield, Cara Sefcik, Kara Thompson, Henry White

10th Grade

Natalie Armendarez, Jake Graves, Jerrod McClure, Blake McKee, Tamara Sedden, Jessica Sturgill, Brandon Titus, Randy Johnson, Jennifer Sturgill

11th Grade

Billy Arthur, Cody Harris, Josh Knight, Robin Stevens, Brandy Denton, Jimmy Soto

12th Grade

Sommer Beck, Casey Gibbs, April Holdway, Michael Martinez, Holly McDuffie, Phillip Thompson, Courtney Arrott, Cara Barnett, Michael Sallee

Bronte PTA sponsoring event

The Bronte PTA is sponsoring a special event November 26, 1997, to honor the students, parents, and teachers for the Exemplary Ratings the Bronte Elementary and Secondary Schools received from TEA.

An assembly will be held in the auditorium at 8:30 am with State Representative Rob Junell as the key speaker.

The Region XV Service Center will present certificates

Horns end season with win

By Pre AP English

The Bronte Longhorns ended their football season last Friday night with a win over the Garden City BearKats. The game got off to a disappointing start with a Bronte fumble on the opening play. This didn't discourage the Longhorn spirits; however, and Bronte's defense held the BearKats on the goal line which may have been the four most important plays of the game. The rest of the game proved to be almost a standstill. Credit is deserved by both teams' defenses for holding offenses scoreless for the rest of the first quarter.

Leading into the second quarter, the no-point streak was ended by Blake McKee's

field goal, giving Bronte an advantage for the whole quarter. The Longhorn defense held the BearKats and got the ball back. Daniel DeLaCera then scored the first touchdown on a 19 yard run. The extra point by McKee was good. Garden City came roaring back to life and drove the ball all the way down the field. A. Frysak scored the BearKats' only touchdown on a 1 yard rush. The first half ended with a score of 10-7 Longhorns.

Coming back from the half, the third quarter was quiet with no scoring from either side. Both teams seemed to be gearing up for the fourth.

Bronte started the fourth quarter with a 10-7 lead over the BearKats. This game was a battle of the defenses, but with 12 seconds left in the last quarter, Garden City's defense could not keep Bronte's Michael Sallee out of the end zone where he scored with a 1 yard run. McKee's kick failed, but the Longhorns still led by 9 points. The final scoreboard red a victorious Longhorn score of 16-7.

The Longhorns finished out the season with a win which left their district record 4-3 and their season record 5-4.

Congratulations to the Horns on a great season.

and the First National Bank will present plaques to the principals from each campus.

The public is urged to attend. Coffee and doughnuts will be served from 8 to 8:30 am.

Bronte ISD postponing Drug Free Week

Bronte ISD is postponing Drug-Free Activities from November 17-21 to the week of January 26-30, 1998, due to some unavoidable conflicts. Further details will follow in January.

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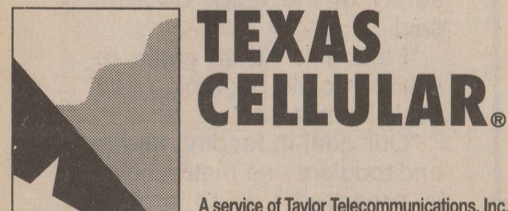
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- Wednesday, Nov. 19**
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- Thursday, Nov. 20**
Scrambled Eggs, Grape Juice, Toast, Milk
- Friday, Nov. 21**
Breakfast Pizza, Apple Juice, Milk

Lunch

- Monday, Nov. 17**
Pigs in a Blanket, Sweet Corn, Potatoes Au Gratin, Milk, Brownies
- Tuesday, Nov. 18**
Grilled Cheese, Beef & Vegetable Soup, Sliced Orange, Carrot Sticks, Cornbread, Milk, Peanut Butter Cookies
- Wednesday, Nov. 19**
Corn Dogs, Tator Tots, Fresh Fruit Salad, Milk, Chocolate Cake
- Thursday, Nov. 20**
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ACT score questions answered

Like most students, the first thing you will look at when you receive your ACT results is your score. While the score is probably the LEAST important piece of information on the page, that is fine as long as you don't stop looking at that point. Your ACT score report has a great deal to share with you, about yourself as well as your top choice colleges, if you just know how to decipher it.

Let's look at your scores first, just so you'll quit thinking about them. You receive scores for each of the four tests (English, mathematics, reading, and science reasoning). Your composite is the average of the four scores, and the number most people refer to when reporting their ACT score. You'll notice that you also receive subscores in three of the four tests (to further define your abilities) and you will also find that the subscores DO NOT add up to that test's score - that's okay, they're not supposed to. In order to give some perspective to your scores, check how they relate to those of other ACT-tested students, both nationwide and in your home state. Now, on to the good stuff!

The next section of your score report is entitled "Your College Planning," and has information about you and how you compare to the students attending the colleges in which you're interested. If the three colleges you listed participate in our "College Profile Service," and has information about you and how you compare to the students attending the colleges in which you're interested. If the three colleges you listed participate in our "College Profile Service" this comparative data will be right on your report. If not, check the college's admissions literature, or talk to one of their admissions repre-

sentatives, to get the answers you need to fill in the blanks. If you haven't positively selected a college yet, take time to read Section 2 of Using Your ACT Assessment Results, the booklet that your counselor gave you (or you received in the mail) with your student report. Additional support materials, like ACT's College Planning/Search Book or computer software, are probably available in the counseling office.

The "Educational/Occupational Planning" portion of your score report should be of interest to you, even if you feel certain you know what you want to study and which career you want to pursue. The results of your Interest Inventory might point you toward a career that you never considered (or even knew existed) that you would really enjoy. They might indicate that you would not enjoy your chosen field, due to the work task required for which you expressed a strong dislike. It is not uncommon for people to change majors or careers, but the sooner you learn more about yourself, different jobs, and the match between the two, the sooner you'll make the best choice possible for you. Following the suggested activities in Section 3 of Using Your ACT Assessment Results is a great way to find that match.

Remember, your parents and counselor want to help you reach the difficult decisions that are before you right now, so never hesitate to discuss with them the questions and concerns you have. The information provided by your ACT Score Report is a great catalyst for any number of questions, so check out your scores, and then really dig in and explore your options!

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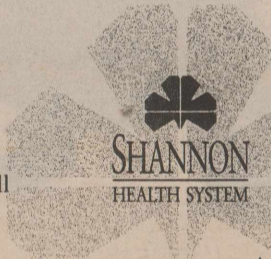
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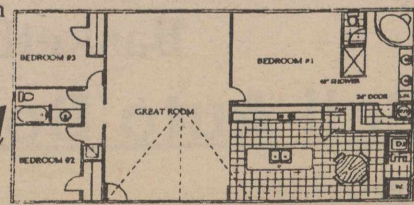
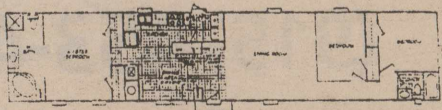
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Inhalants threat to adolescents

To hard-core substance abusers, inhalants may be kids' stuff. But to children, inhalants are a dangerous introduction to the world of intoxicants. They can be deadly even the first time they are used.

"Few youngsters have any idea how damaging these substances can be," said Jane Maxwell, TCADA's director of research. "We are urging parents and teachers to learn more about this problem and to talk to their kids about the dangers of experimenting with these deadly substances."

Inhalants are toxic substances found in many common commercial or household products, including paint, glue, correction fluid and various types of aerosol sprays. Officials with the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse warn that these substances can cause brain damage.

TCADA officials are urging parents to talk to their older children about the dangers of inhalant use and keep household chemicals out of reach of younger kids. Inhalants are most popular with seventh and eighth graders.

Maxwell said older teenagers are attracted to alcohol and marijuana. Inhalants are used mainly by younger teens seeking to get high because the products are inexpensive, readily available and easy to hide from parents.

"It's frightening how easy it is for youngsters to gain access to these substances," Maxwell said. "Inhalants depress the central nervous system. They can cause brain damage, visual impairments, hearing impairments, and addiction. They can cause sudden death, even with first-time users."

Most adolescents experimenting with inhalants try the substances only a few times. They use about ten common products, including spray paint, correction fluid, gasoline, glue, shoe polish spray and paint thinners. The danger is that even one-time use can be fatal.

The agency's most recent public school survey revealed that 20% of students in grades seven through twelve admitted they had used inhalants at least once in their lives. It showed that 8.1% of 7th graders reported they had tried inhalants at least once in the past month, as had 7.4% of 8th graders.

Inhalant use goes hand in

hand with disciplinary problems, academic problems, learning disabilities and skipping school. The level of use of inhalants reported by students on TCADA surveys gradually declines in grades 9 through 12, partly because inhalant users may wind up dropping out.

Following are warning signs of inhalant abuse.

- Chemical odor on the breath, on the clothing, or in the room.
- Paint or stains on the body or clothing.
- Drunk, dazed or dizzy appearance.
- Slurred speech, staggering walk, seizures.
- Spots, rash or sores around the mouth or nose.
- Red, glassy or watery eyes, dilated pupils and a runny nose.
- Nausea and lack of appetite.
- Anxiety, excitability, and irritability.

Personal

Joe and Heike Organ and children, Shannon and Jason, were here visiting Joe's dad, John Organ, and his wife, Terri.

While in Robert Lee, Shannon and Jason enjoyed trick or treating. Joe enjoyed the weekend playing golf and Heike enjoyed shopping in San Angelo.

They have moved to Fort Louis, Takoma, Washington, from Geibolstock, Germany. Joe is a MPE5 with the U.S. Army. They really felt at home with all the warm hospitality they received from everyone in Robert Lee.

Heart patients can shape up CV system

Heart surgery patients can "shape up" their cardiovascular system through simple lifestyle changes, says a cardiac rehabilitation specialist in the DeBakey Heart Center at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

"A structured cardiac rehab program can benefit people who have had a heart attack in the long run," said Dr. Ryan Neal, an assistant professor of medicine and director of cardiac rehab at Baylor and The Methodist Hospital. "Moderate exercise and proper nutrition strengthens the heart and improves overall fitness, too."

The 12-week cardiac rehab program includes aerobic exercise, muscle toning, nutritional instruction, counseling, and medical monitoring. Patients exercise three times a week on treadmills, stationary bicycles, and rowing ma-

chines.

Teaching patients how to manage their heart condition and prevent recurring heart attacks and coronary artery disease is a critical part of rehabilitation, Neal says.

"Our ultimate goal is to help patients develop a home exercise program and lifestyle modification, including stress management," Neal said. "In many cases, they can return to or surpass their prior level of activity."

People who have had coronary artery bypass, angioplasty, a heart transplant, or congestive heart failure may benefit from cardiac rehab. People with other diseases such as high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and diabetes can also benefit by lowering their risk of complications.

Each patient is prescribed a unique rehab program to fit their fitness level. Neal says some patients require a shorter rehabilitation program, especially if they were in previously good condition before entering the program.

He also indicated that cardiac rehab patients also im-



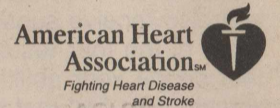
Third place in the Robert Lee Homecoming Parade and \$15 went to the Robert Lee Fifth Grade class for their float.

prove their psychological health. "Patients in good cardiovascular health feel and look better and have a greater sense of well-being," Neal said. "They realize heart disease doesn't have to limit their potential, and that exercise is

a stepping stone to improving their quality of life."

The DeBakey Heart Center is a joint program of Baylor College of Medicine and The Methodist Hospital supporting cardiovascular research, treatment, and education.

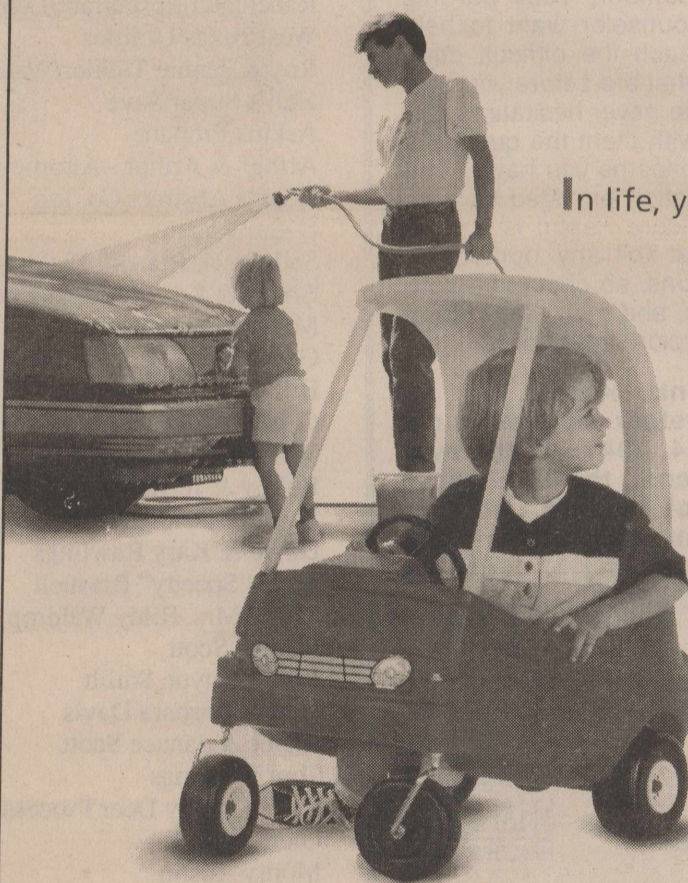
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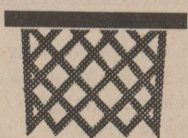
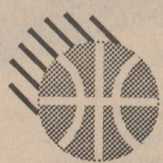
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