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WCCHD meeting slated for January 26

The West Coke County Hospital District Board will meet on Tuesday, January 26. The meeting will begin at 9:30 am and be held at the Old Jail Annex in Robert Lee.

Library Story Time is virtual event

The Coke County Library Story Time is now a virtual event. Each month will feature an audio book and a packet with corresponding activities. Packets can be picked up at the library, located on Austin Street in downtown Robert Lee. In order to cater to all ages, some books and activities will be for toddler audiences, while others will be designed for primary - early elementary.

For more information, contact the library at (325) 453-2495.

WTRC Telethon slated for January 23

The West Texas Rehab Telethon will be on the air on Saturday, January 23, 2021.

Coke County has always been generous in the support of the organization, which provides all services on a financial sliding scale. Many residents have received mail-in envelopes for

the 2021 drive.

The San Angelo wing provides adult therapy, including occupational, speech and physical therapy, covering stroke recovery, braces, voice disorders, brain and sports injuries. Also, services include orthotics/prosthetics, pediatric therapy, family support services including nebulizer loan, and cleft palate treatment. The Hearing Center covers audiology, hearing technologies, tinnitus. Hospice Care is now available as well.

To discover all that West Texas Rehab in San Angelo can provide go to westexasrehab.org/services or they can be reached at 325-223-6360.

The '64 Study Club will not be manning the phones at Ivey Motors this year. But, the members will be supporting Telethon 2021 as always with the hopes that Coke County will continue to support West Texas Rehab with mail-in support or through the Rehab Telethon.

Scholarship opportunities available for upcoming graduates Lone Star Ag Credit

Lone Star Ag Credit will be awarding six graduating seniors a \$2,500 scholarship in 2021. In addition, the FFA chapter or 4-



Show Time! The 82nd annual Coke County Junior Livestock Show was held Friday, January 15, and Saturday, January 16. Results and photos from the event begin on page 3 of this issue of The Observer/Enterprise.

H club of the the scholarship winners will also receive \$500. Applicants must be graduating in the spring of 2021 and submit their application no later than March 16, 2021 (must be postmarked by this date). The application must include three copies of the following:

- Application form (available online at lonestaragcredit.com)
- Resume containing work experience, community service, organizational involvement, and leadership positions
- List of honors, awards, and special accomplishments
- Current transcript of grades
- Two letters of recommendation from agricultural leaders (for example: teacher, farmer, rancher, extension agent, elected official)
- Two page essay sharing how agriculture and natural resources play a part in your life and what roles they'll serve in your future and career.

Winners will be notified in May and the scholarship will be issued to the college or university to which the student

has been accepted. Application packets should be mailed to: Lone Star Ag Credit Scholarship Coordinator, 1612 Summit Ave, Suite 300, Fort Worth, Texas 76102.

Texas Farm Bureau

Texas Farm Bureau has several scholarships available. The Dick Mitchell Scholarship is a \$1,000 scholarship awarded to one high school senior who has attended the Texas Farm Bureau Youth Leadership Conference or Virtual Leadership Conference.

The Young Farmer and Rancher Scholarship is for high school seniors pursuing a degree in agriculture. Each of Texas Farm Bureau's 13 districts will award one \$1,000 scholarship.

To acknowledge former Texas Farm Bureau president S.M. True Jr., a \$20,000 scholarship was established for college students enrolled in an undergraduate degree program with at least 60 hours of college credit and who have declared agriculture as their major. Applicants must submit a

completed application and two letters of recommendation - one from the county Farm Bureau president and one from the dean or head of the agriculture department of their college or university.

The Young Farmer and Rancher Enrolled Scholarship is for students already enrolled in college pursuing their undergraduate degrees. Applicants must have completed a minimum of 45 credit hours and have a GPA of 2.5 or higher to qualify. Three \$2,500 scholarships will be awarded.

Texas Farm Bureau has also made scholarship funds available to first-year and enrolled students attending Texas State Technical College (TSTC). Fifty \$1,000 scholarships are awarded on a first-come, first-serve basis through the Texan Success Scholarship.

Visit texasfarmbureau.org/youth/youth-opportunities for more information and the scholarship application checklist. The deadline to apply is March 5 before midnight.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Friday, January 22

High School Basketball -
Bronte at Water Valley, 5 pm
Sterling City at Robert Lee, 4 pm
Irion County at Blackwell, 4 pm

Monday, January 25

Junior High Basketball -
Robert Lee at Bronte, 6 pm
Blackwell at Sterling City, 6 pm

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9:30 am, Old Jail Annex, Robert Lee

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Friday, January 29

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Emergency Siren Signals

Cities of both Bronte and Robert Lee

- 1 Long Ring - Wind Advisory over 60 mph
- 2 Rings - Fire or VFD Meeting
- Another 2 Ring - Call for Additional Firefighters
- 3 Rings - Tornado Warning
- 1 Long Continuous Ring - All Clear for Tornado