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### **Death Notices**

#### Hart

Mary LaRue Ferguson Hart, age 81, died Saturday, October 19, 2019, in Odessa, Texas.

Funeral services were held at 1 pm in Odessa, Texas, on Wednesday, October 23, 2019, at Sunset Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with brother-in-Clydell Chapman, officiating. Visitation was Tuesday, October 22, 2019,

from 6 pm until 8 pm at the funeral home. Burial was at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

She is preceded in death by her father, Thurlow Henry Ferguson, and her spouse, Cecil Henry Hart.

Survivors include her mother, Norma Ferguson of San Angelo; two sons and daughters-in-law, Savoy and Julie Hart of Odessa, Jayson and Amanda Hart of Odessa; grandchildren, Trevor Ethan Hart, Haley Miracle Hart, and Hagen Henry Hart; two sisters, Charlotte Tounget of Bronte and Lynora Bowers of Canyon Lake; and numerous nieces and nephews.

# **UPCOMINGS!**

### Blackwell VFD to host Fish Fry

The Blackwell Volunteer Fire Department is holding their 8th annual fish fry at the fire station on FM 1170 in Blackwell Saturday evening, November 2.

They will begin serving at 5 pm. The "All You Can Eat" affair will feature fish, fries, hush puppies, coleslaw, dessert and a drink. Cost of the meal is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children 10 and under.

#### Ranchers Workshop slated for November 11

The Coke County Ranchers Workshop will be held Monday, November 11, 2019, at the Robert Lee Rec Hall. Registration will be held from 8:30 am until 9 am, with the program set for 9 am until 2 The registration fee includes lunch and CEUs will be available. Please call the Coke County Extension Office at (325) 453-2461 to RSVP.

### **Ballinger Hunters** Dinner slated for November 2

November 2, at the Ballinger Community Center located on Crosson Avenue, the Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will have the Annual Hunter's Appreciation Dinner. This event is put on every year to show the hunters coming in from all around appreciation for them spending their time and money in the Ballinger community.

The doors open at 4 pm, followed by the barbecue dinner at 6 pm. The meal will consist of brisket, smoked ham, and sausage, with homemade beans, and homemade desserts, and of course all of the trimmings (potato salad, pickles, jalapenos, onions, etc.). There will be vendors, raffles, knife grab bags and a silent auction inside the Community Center. Come out and join us; we will kick this party off at 4 pm and go until

10 pm. Let Ballinger show you

why we are the "Greatest Little Town in Texas".

### **Sterling County** Hunters Dinner set for November 16

The annual Sterling County Hunters' Appreciation Dinner will be held on Saturday, November 16, 2019, beginning at 6:30 pm. The event will be held at the Sterling County Community Center. A beef fajita supper with all the trimmings will be served. The public is encouraged to attend.

Raffle tickets will be sold for the chance to win one of a selection of high quality guns. Guns will be raffled that evening, but you do not have to be present to win.

Local and area businesses will also have booths available. For more information, contact the Sterling County Extension Office at (325) 378-3181.

### RLISD to host Veteran's Day Program

Robert Lee Independent School District will be having a Veteran's Day Program on Monday, November 11, 2019, at 9:30 am. If you are a veteran or know of a veteran that would like to attend, please call RLISD at (325) 453-4555 to RSVP by Wednesday, November 6, 2019.

### Range Revitalization Workshop set for November 14

The Coke County Extension Office will hold a Range Revitalization Workshop on Thursday, November 14, at the Robert Lee Rec Hall from 1:30 pm until 4 pm. The registration fee includes CEU's.

Please call the Coke County Extension Office at (325) 453-2461 to RSVP.

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### Thanksgiving Bake Sale slated for November 22

RL4Restoration will hosting a bake sale on Friday, November 22, beginning at 9 am at Robert Lee State Bank. Casseroles, breads, and other goodies will be available for purchase. Proceeds till go to the playground project at the Coke County Park in Robert Lee.

### **Medicare Annual Open** Enrollment to run through December 7

The Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley (AAACV) is excited to announce the upcoming Annual Medicare Open Enrollment, which will run through December 7. This is an important time of the year to compare prescription drug plans and to ensure that you have the right coverage for you.

Three certified Benefits Counselors are available through the agency to provide you with a comprehensive look at your Medicare prescription drug coverage options for the upcoming year. You can stay with your current plan if you are happy with it, or look for a new one with better coverage, higher quality, and lower cost. Our Benefits Counselors will assist you in making informed decisions when it comes to selecting a plan that suits your needs.

Appointment availability is limited, so schedule your appointment today. To schedule an appointment, please contact the AAACV at (325) 223-5704 or toll free at 877-944-9666.

#### Longhorn Classic slated for January 4

The Bronte FFA will host the inaugural Longhorn Classic Livestock Show on Saturday, January 4, 2020. The event will begin at 9 am at the Coke County Livestock Barn in Robert Lee. The Longhorn Classic will include a day of competition, workshops, and a free lunch.

# Coke County Retired Teachers meeting held

The Coke County Retired personnel who were members of Teachers met at their regular noon potluck lunch on Monday, October 21, 2019. Bronte and Robert Lee administrators were represented, as was the president of District XV of the Texas Retired Teachers Association and the District Legislative Chair of the district. District President Janis Petronis pointed out that the retired school

the TRTA worked hard to inform and interact with Texas Legislastive members regarding issues of annuities and health insurance. The public school personnel in Texas depend on the Texas Legislature to handle retirement programs rather than the National IRS programs. Texas Retirement System is one of the largest and most stable

### Area Churches Invite You to Worship

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 George Cooper 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. Stacy Sprinkle, Pastor 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship

**Forgiven Ministries** 117 W. Main, Bronte Russ Frasier, Pastor 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 Interim Pastor Robert Lemmond 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



<u>Robert Lee</u> Bible Baptist Church PO Box 938 • 9th & Austin Robert Lee 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

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 Chris Walls, 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