



# SCHOOL PAGE

## Lady Longhorns volleyball playoff run comes to a close

To be a playoff bound team year after year is a strong reminder of the tradition and legacy of Bronte volleyball. But to be in a regional championship match for the fourth consecutive year is a testament to the courage, fight, and emotional fortitude that the tradition of Bronte volleyball instills.

The Bronte Lady Longhorns finished their season with a 30-13 overall record, district runner-up, runner-up in the Albany Tournament, a gold bracket appearance in the Nita Vannoy Tournament in San Angelo, and a runner-up finish in their own Bronte Showdown Tournament. To advance to the regional tournament, the Lady Longhorns defeated Mullin in the bi-district round, Newcastle in the area round, Benjamin in the regional quarter-final round, Fort Davis in the regional semi-final, and then lost to district winners, Water Valley, in the regional championship. All of these play-off wins were won in three set sweeps.

In the regional championship game, the Lady Longhorns fought hard for five sets (25-19, 25-11, 23-25, 19-25, 16-14) to get back to the state tournament. Each set had its own pivotal moments with exceptionally tough and gritty play from each player. The match ended with a season ending and heartbreaking loss.

Elexia Davis led the team in digs with 26, Searra Powell chipped in 15, and Saige Busby had 18. Katelyn Powell had 11 kills, followed by Karissa Cervenka's nine, and Elexia Davis's seven. Saige Busby had 25 assists and Kyalyn Seales led the team in service aces with five. Karissa Cervenka had three solo blocks and Katelyn Powell had two. Other contributions to the match are as follows: Zoe Watkins - seven digs and one ace; Mia Minjarez - four digs; and Dree Davis - three digs, two kills, and one block.

The Lady Longhorns were led by seven seniors: Karissa Cervenka, Dree Davis, Elexia Davis, Mia Minjarez, Searra Powell, Kyalyn Seales, and Zoe Watkins and that leadership will be sorely missed. Juniors filling out the roster were Saige Busby, Katelyn Powell, and Keeley Queen. Moving into roles of incredible help and support were juniors Michaela Basquez, Mariah Delacerda, and sophomore Thaliah Castaneda.

The Lady Longhorn Volleyball team appreciates their community and surrounding area for constant support and encouragement. It is with great pride that this special volleyball team represents such an incredible little town.

### Lady Dogies kick off basketball season

The Robert Lee Junior High girls basketball teams opened the season with two wins over Veribest on Monday, November 18.

The 'B' girls had an impressive win with a score of 36 - 4. Scoring for the girls were Neveah Gonzales - 2, Ryen White - 9, Tiffany Crisp - 7,

Jaiden Brunkow - 2, Jaidyn Saxton - 6, and Abigail Arthur - 8.

The 'A' girls team came away with a win with a score of 34 - 16. Scoring for the girls were Zoey Nichols - 6, Caitlyn Eubanks - 5, Mackenzie Galicia - 10, Kailey Freeman - 7 and Ammleigh Smith - 6. Not scoring, but playing well on defense were Cloe Minjarez, Brea Cummings and Jimma Richardson.

The girls's next game will be on Monday, December 2, in Bronte.

PB&J, choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk

### Thursday, December 5

French toast and bacon or breakfast taquito, choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk

### Friday, December 6

Biscuit, sausage, choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk

### Lunch

### Monday, December 2

Taquitos, beans, corn, salsa, peaches, brownie, milk

### Tuesday, December 3

Meatball sub sandwich, tots, veggie cup, pears, milk

### Wednesday, December 4

Tangerine chicken, egg rolls, rice, garden salad, pineapple, milk

### Thursday, December 5

Ham and cheese melt, corn, red bell peppers, chips, grapes, milk

### Friday, December 6

Hamburger, cucumber slices, carrots, applesauce, cookie, milk

### Robert Lee ISD

### Breakfast

### Monday, December 2

Pancakes, sausage, fruit, juice, milk

### Tuesday, December 3

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### Bronte ISD

### Breakfast

### Monday, December 2

Pizza or muffin, choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk

### Tuesday, December 3

Donut holes, sausage, choice of cereal, toast, juice, milk

### Wednesday, December 4

# BLACKWELL HORNETS FOOTBALL

## BLACKWELL HORNETS

vs.

## Jayton Jaybirds

Friday, November 29

6:30 pm

Borden Co.



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Date	Opponent	Location	Score	Notes
August 31	Eden **	Here	62   14	
September 6	Highland	Here	30   16	
September 13	Newcastle	Here	77   38	
September 20	Lueders-Avoca•	Here		
September 27	Hermleigh	Here	46   0	
October 4	Veribest	There	52   6	
October 11	Santa Anna	There	68   6	
October 18	Lubbock Prep	Here	70   42	
October 25	Moran *	Here	50   0	
November 1	Trent *	Here	64   0	
November 7	Loraine *	There	54   38	
November 15	Sanderson•*	Mertzson	64   16	
November 22	Throckmorton•*	Baird	46   0	
November 29	Jayton•*	Borden Co.		

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