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### Bronte Turkey Shoot set for Saturday

The Restoring Bronte Foundation is sponsoring a turkey shoot this Saturday, November 7, beginning at 12 noon. The event will take place at Dennie Ray Braswell's ranch, behind the Bronte Lake. Follow the signs leading into the ranch gate. This event was postponed from October 24, due to the rain.

There will be 12 numbered paper bulls eye targets lined up. Each shooter will be assigned a target and will be supplied with one 12 gauge (#8 shot) shotgun shell. After firing one round at the paper target, the pellet that comes closest to the center of the target will win a gift certificate for one 16-20 lb turkey. It does not matter how many pellets hit the target. The one pellet that comes closest to the center of the target wins. Shooters may use their own 12 gauge shot guns. If you do not have a 12 gauge shot gun, one will be provided.

A round will begin when we have 12 shooters. For those people who just want to watch and not shoot, we will have a raffle ticket for one turkey available. As soon as we sell twelve raffle tickets, we will draw a name to win a turkey.

Please come out and have some shooting fun with us! The proceeds go to the Restoring Bronte Foundation. The RBF is dedicated to making Bronte a beautiful place to live.

### Desserts needed for Bronte Barbeque

The annual Hunter's Barbeque in Bronte will be held Saturday, November 7, from 11 am until 2 pm.

Coordinators would like to make an appeal to area cooks to provide a dessert for the benefit barbeque.

### Counties offer hunter appreciation barbecues

Coke and Runnels Counties will each offer barbecues to show our appreciation to you, as hunters, who choose to spend your recreational time in our counties. Sterling County will serve you delicious fajitas and Blackwell puts on an old fashioned fish fry! Each of the meals is discussed below, in chronological order.

### Wild Game Barbecue Lunch at Bronte

The annual Hunters' Wild Game Barbecue Lunch is once again slated for Bronte, this year on Saturday, November 7, opening day of the deer season. As in years past, the barbecue lunch will be at no charge to



**Accident!** At approximately 3:20 am Sunday morning, November 1, 2015, a vehicle accident occurred on US Highway 277 at Pruitt Road north of Bronte. The vehicle left the roadway, hitting the culvert and rolling twice. The driver and passenger were transported to Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo with non-life threatening injuries. This accident is under investigation by the Texas Department of Public Safety.

attending hunters, and is sponsored by B&K Processing and Bronte Grocery.

The menu will consist of deer and elk sandwiches, smoked sausage, beans, soft drinks, and dessert. Serving will begin at 11 am and go until 2 pm. The location is B&K Processing (behind Bronte Grocery) in Bronte.

If you haven't eaten the variety of wild game sandwiches and sausages prepared at Bronte, don't miss this opportunity to sample some of these excellent meats. In previous years, the menu has also included rattlesnake and other exotic wild game cooked on the grill for your sampling pleasure.

While you're there, don't forget to tour their state of the art processing facility.

### 26th Annual Hunter Appreciation BBQ

In Robert Lee this year, there is a date change for the annual hunters dinner. Robert Lee's Vision with a Purpose, the sponsor of the Bob Wrinkle Memorial Hunters BBQ, has changed the date of the annual dinner back to opening night of deer season, November 7. Free to area hunters, the barbecue will take place at the rec hall in the county park in Robert Lee.

The supper will include plenty of barbecued brisket and sausage, beans, potato salad,

iced tea, and fixings. Serving will begin at 6 pm and will continue until 9 pm.

The feed is at no cost to hunters, but tickets are necessary. They are available from the party from whom they lease, or from participating individuals and businesses who have supported the barbecue by donations.

Several items will be raffled during the evening. Some of the items to be raffled include a Yeti Cooler, BBQ pit, BB guns, and a Golden Boy Henry 22 rifle.

The annual barbecue is only possible because of VP members and great local volunteers who do the work - preparing, cooking, serving, clean-up - and whatever it takes to make the event happen.

Area landowners and hunting lease managers may make a donation and pick up barbecue tickets at the following locations in Robert Lee: Ivey Motors, Surety Title (formerly Coke

County Abstract), Cindy's Grocery, Coke County Hardware, FOL Feed Store, and Floyd C. Pettit Insurance.

For more information, contact Jeffie Roberts at (325) 453-2957 or Marshall Millican at (325) 473-0437.

The annual barbecue has grown from about 300 the first year to as many as 1,000 hungry hunters.

### Blackwell Volunteer Fire Department Fish Fry

The Blackwell Volunteer Fire Department is holding their 5th annual fish fry at the fire station on FM 1170 in Blackwell Saturday evening, November 7, 2015.

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.

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## COKE COUNTY FOOTBALL!



Robert Lee Steers vs. Water Valley Wildcats

Friday, November 6, 2015

7:30 pm

Robert Lee

Bronte Longhorns vs. Roscoe Plowboys

Friday, November 6, 2015

7:30 pm

Roscoe



Blackwell Hornets vs. Trent Gorillas

Thursday, November 5, 2015

7:30 pm

Trent



Regular Meeting of the  
Commissioners Court  
9 am Tuesday  
November 10, 2015  
Commissioners Courtroom  
Coke County Courthouse