

CURRENT NEWS!



Lady Longhorns Honored! The Bronte Lady Longhorns Volleyball Team was honored Thursday night, December 14, 2017, by the Bronte City Council for winning the State Volleyball Championship.

Holiday office closures announced

The Observer/Enterprise office will be closed Monday and Tuesday, January 1 and 2018.

The County Courthouse will be closed Monday, January 1, 2018.

The City of Bronte office will be closed Monday, January 1, 2018.

The office for the City of Robert Lee will be closed Monday, January 1, 2018.

Red Hat Society to meet January 4

Enjoy the first meeting of 2018 with the Red Hat Society ladies. Join in with good food and friends at The Pie Pizzeria in Robert Lee at 11 am Thursday, January 4, 2018.

January 2 is first day to rent county buildings

The first day to rent the Robert Lee and Bronte Large Recreation Halls, Robert Lee and Bronte Senior Citizens Buildings, and the Robert Lee and Bronte Pavilions will be Tuesday, January 2, 2018.

The Coke County Judge's Office will be open at 7 am to begin taking rentals. For more information, please call Lorrie at (325) 453-2641.

Bronte Economic Development Corporation seeking individuals

The Bronte Economic Development Corporation is looking for individuals to serve as Board Members. The ideal candidates will have experience in business, tourism, and/or economic development, coupled with vision and commitment to ensure our community's economic growth and prosperity.

The Bronte EDC also has a voluntary position available to provide assistance to the EDC President, Secretary and Treasurer. The individual must have experience taking minutes and finances.

If you would like to submit your name for consideration for a term appointment as a Board Member or are interested in becoming a volunteer please

contact City Hall before January 12 at (325) 473-3501.

Project Fair and Livestock Show set for January 18-20

The Coke County Project Fair and Livestock Show will be held January 18 through January 20, 2018, in Robert Lee. There are several contests scheduled for the Project Fair, as well as new contests this year. The project categories include:

Photography - Photos must be 8x10 (mounted if desired but not required). Two entries per category allowed. Entry card must be filled out and attached to the back of each photo. All entries must be original photography of the person entering.

Art - Any size and categories will be determined by entries.

Re-Purpose Project (Trash to Treasure) - At least 50% should be from repurposed materials.

Lego/Model Crafts - Includes

models made from Legos, model airplanes and the like.

Crafts - Includes paper crafts, wood crafts, and decorative items. The possibilities are endless!

Quilting/Sewing/Knitting - Includes quilts, knitted scarves, anything that was sewn, knitted, or crocheted.

Canning - Can include products such as jellies, jams, salsa, or canned vegetable or fruit.

Kids Korner - For exhibitors who are in pre-school through 2nd grade. Can include any of the categories or anything made by the exhibitor.

There is also a Pies, Cookies, and Cakes Contest. All pies must be in a disposable pie pan to attach to the entry form, along with the recipe. Exhibitors may also submit one dozen cookies on a disposable plate. The recipe must be attached to the entry form. Cakes must be in/on a

disposable pan/plate. The pies and cakes will be used as desserts during the Buyer's BBQ.

Age divisions for the contests are as follows:

Kids Korner - Pre-school through 2nd Grade;

Junior - 3rd grade through 5th grade;

Intermediate - 6th grade through 8th grade;

Senior - 9th through 12th grade;

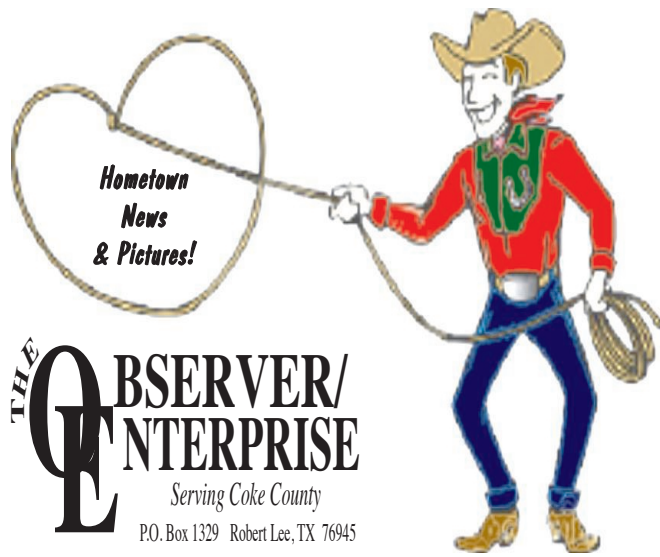
Adults - 19 years old and up.

Entries will be taken at the Rec Hall in Robert Lee on Wednesday, January 17 between

12 pm and 6:30 pm. They will continue to be taken on Thursday, January 18 beginning at 8 am. All entries must be received by noon on January 18. Judging will take place Thursday and Friday before the Stock Show. Entry forms will be available at the Rec Hall in Robert Lee. If you would like to drop them off early, please make arrangements with the Extension Office.

For more information, contact Kandice Everitt or Morgan Runyan at the Extension Office at (325) 453-2461.

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