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Update on Bronte and Robert Lee City Councils

By Melinda McCutchen, January 14 and 29.

Publisher The main issue plaguing Over the last couple of years, Bronte has been the controversial much controversy has surrounded \$99 per year lease for both the Bronte and Robert Lee approximately 18 acres of city City Councils and administration. owned land at Oak Creek Reservoir given to Ronny Loyd. In recent months, there also After citizens expressed concern, appears to be some acrimony the lease was terminated by the between Bronte and Robert Lee the elected officials. This acrimony is the main reason readers of *The Observer/Enterprise* have seen complete council minutes improvements made to the land included in issues instead of during his time of possession. articles written about what Following the election in May happened in council meetings. 2017, Bronte had a new mayor and new faces on the city council. January's council meetings have proven to be quite enlightening for Bronte's citizens and quite confusing for Robert Lee citizens. Following are highlights from the Bronte meeting on January 17th and Robert Lee's meetings on



Date Night! This group of lovely young ladies enjoyed a night of dancing and fun at the 10th annual Daddy Daughter Date Night, held on January 26, 2019, in Robert Lee.

VP to host Valentine's Dinner

Mark your calendars for Thursday, February 14, 2019, at 6:30 pm in order to attend Vision with a Purpose's first annual Valentine's dinner.

Steak and chicken are on the menu, along with baked potatoes, green beans, salad, and cherry cheesecake. The ticket cost includes live music and gifts. There is limited seating for the dinner so reservations are needed by Thursday, February 7.

For more information and/or reservations, call Sheri Millican at (325) 473-0167.

Come have a lovely dinner in VP's beautiful headquarters at 701 Austin Street in Robert Lee. They would love to see you there to enjoy beautiful surroundings and great fellowship.

Legal Clinic scheduled for February 7

Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas will hold a legal clinic about the Transfer on Death Deed (TODD) on Thursday, February 7, 2019, from 5:30 pm to 7:30 p.m. The clinic will be held their office located at 17 S. Chadbourne, Ste 403, in San Angelo.

To participate, you must be prescreened for eligibility. Call (325) 653-6982 for more information.

Sid & Bernice Evans Scholarship to be awarded

The Bronte United Methodist Women announce that applications for the Sid and Bernice Evans Scholarship are now being accepted. The Evans

were longtime members of the Bronte First United Methodist Church. The Scholarship Foundation was established by their family.

The scholarship is for students who are in at least their second year of college or trade school. Applications are available from Lanette Fletcher at Glenn-Bivins Insurance, 123 W Main Street.

Applications must be returned to Lanette or another UMW member no later than Friday, February 15. The scholarship recipient will be announced after the February meeting.

RL Community Watch meeting set for February 19

A meeting of the Robert Lee Community Watch will be held Tuesday, February 19, 2019, at Robert Lee FUMC Family Life Center at 6 pm.

The group is comprised of neighbors looking out for our neighbors and our community and you could be too!

Here's your chance to help our Sheriff's Office, your neighbors, and your community work together to fight crime in Robert Lee. The more members we have, the better this program works and the safer our community will be. You don't have to live in town to participate and businesses are welcome, as well.

The guest speaker will be Nick Arrott, Coke County Attorney, and Sheriff Wayne McCutchen will introduce a new Coke County deputy, Sparks Burdett, and answer any questions you may have.

For more information, contact Shaunna Grantham 895-1723.

RL4Restoration fundraiser event slated

RL4Restoration Foundation is looking for sponsors and donations for a Silent Auction for the Spring Fundraiser event (Dinner/Dance/Silent Auction) to be held Saturday April 13, 2019. More details on the event to come soon!

Contact Brandi Sawyer at (281) 236-4841 to become a sponsor, Shaunna Grantham at (325) 895-1723 to donate for the Silent Auction, or Crystal Stanford at (325) 262-2529 for more information.

Midessa Boat, RV, Sport & Gun Show slated

The 37th annual Midessa Boat, RV, Sport & Gun Show will be held at the Ector County Coliseum Complex, in Odessa. The event will be open Friday, and Saturday, February 8 and 9 from 10 am until 8 pm, and Sunday, February 10, from 10 am to 5 pm. Those attending can see the new 2019 model RV's and Boats and receive the best buys of the season. Visit the new expanded gun show, and a variety of booths including resort areas, jewelry, ladies apparel, motorcycles, ATV's, home décor, specialty foods, kayaks, African Safari Guides and used boats and RVs.

Let the kids fish in the Army Bass Anglers Kids Fishing Tank sponsored by All American Chevrolet of Odessa.

Sign up at booth spaces for prizes to be given away such as a guided fishing trip, truck rhino lining, gift certificates, yeti cups and more.

A free tram will be provided to transport people from building to building. All exhibits are inside.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Friday, February 1

High School Basketball -
Bronte at Blackwell, 4 pm
Robert Lee at Sterling City, 5 pm

Saturday, February 2

Bronte Convenience Center Open,
8 am - 12 noon

Trent Junior High Basketball Tournament

Monday, February 4

Junior High Basketball -
Robert Lee at San Angelo Cornerstone, 4 pm
Bronte vs Irion County at Bronte, 6 pm
Blackwell at Sterling City, 6 pm

Bronte Evening Lions Club Meeting, 7:30 pm,
First United Methodist Church, Bronte

Tuesday, February 5

Robert Lee - Silver Lions Club Meeting,
6:30 am, Old Jail Annex, Robert Lee

High School Basketball -
Robert Lee vs Irion County at Robert Lee, 4 pm
Bronte vs Sterling City at Bronte, 6:30 pm
Blackwell at Veribest, 5 pm

Friday, February 8

High School Basketball -
Bronte vs Irion County at Bronte, 6 pm
Blackwell at Water Valley, 5 pm

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