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## **Death Notices**

### Muery

George W. Muery, 83, returned to his heavenly home on March 5, 2019 after a courageous battle with a long illness.

Preceding him in death is his loving daughter Jackie; sisters Lvdia, Doris, Florence, Ruby, very special niece Nancy; daughter Georgia and husband Glenn Thomas; granddaughter Allison and husband Andy Boenker; grandson Ross Thomas and wife Kellye; grandson Robert Worley and wife Shevawn; grandson Samuel great-grandchildren Worley; Charlie, Jack, Georgia Kate, Ouatro; sister Julie Webb; brother in law Wayne Henson and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

After his marriage to Betty Marie Schoenfield, welcomed her family into his life. He is survived by his loving wife Betty; son Jay Schoenfield and wife Bambi; granddaughter Lindsey Brooke and husband Nate Hirt; son Jeff Schoenfield and wife Sujane; grandson Josh Schoenfield and wife Marlayna; Lacy and granddaughter husband Dusty Gressett; great grandchildren Maddie, Kenzie, Landry, Marly, Jaycee, Jacody, Titus, Rylee Faith and Corben.

A celebration of his life was held at 2 pm on Saturday, March 9, 2019, at the funeral

Condolences can be made at www.shafferpioneer.com.

## Gore

Nerva Maxine (Pruitt) Gore, 102, of Ballinger passed away Sunday, March 3, 2019 at Ballinger Healthcare and Rehabilitation.

Nerva is preceded in death by her husband, Donald Gore; her sons, Donald E. Gore and Ronald W. Gore; her parents, Ernest E. and Lillie (Herron) Pruitt; and her sisters, Ernestine Pruitt Journeay and Hortense Pruitt Jordan.

She is survived by her sons Winford G. Gore and wife Elizabeth of San Angelo, Jon C. Gore and wife Dana of Ballinger, and Gary N. Gore and wife Katy of Stephenville; twelve grandchildren; 24 greatgrandchildren; 9 great-greatgrandchildren and one greatgreat-great grandchild.

Visitation for family and friends was Wednesday from 6 pm until 7 pm at Lange Funeral Home in Ballinger. Services were held at 11 am on Thursday at Lange Funeral Home Chapel, with Gary Gore and Winford Gore officiating. A graveside service followed at 2 pm, at Lawnhaven Cemetery in San

## **CCRTA** to meet March 18

The Coke County Retired Teachers Association will meet for monthly noon lunch and business meeting on Monday, March 18 at the First Baptist Church in Bronte.

There will be an important planning session for the Retired Teachers District Training Meeting on Thursday, April 25, at the First Methodist Church in Robert Lee. There will be representatives from 16 county retired teachers associations in attendance.

## RL Community **Watch Meeting** set for March 19

Robert Lee Community Watch will hold a meeting on Tuesday, March 19, from 6 pm until 7 pm at the Family Life at First United Methodist Church in Robert

The group is made up of neighbors looking out for neighbors and the community and you could be too!

Here's your chance to help the Sheriff's Office, your neighbors, and your community to work together to fight crime in Robert Lee. The more members the group has, the better the program works and the safer the 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, County Attorney. Sheriff Wayne McCutchen will introduce the Coke County deputies that are able to join the meeting and tell the group about their duties, shifts, etc, and answer any questions that anyone may have.

## **WCCHD Board** Meeting minutes

by Pat Stephens The Board of Directors of the

West Coke County Hospital District met in regular session February 26, 2019.

President Pat Stephens called the meeting to order at 9:35 am and declared a quorum was Board members present were Pat Carwile, Noel Tinkler and Beverly Burdett. Houston McGuire - RLCC Administrator, Roger Alexander - WCCHD Administrator, Chris Martin - Consultant, and Janie Munoz - BOM, were also present at the meeting.

The invocation was given by Chris Martin.

There was one visitor, Ms Faith Tyler from APEX Clean Energy, representing Grape Creek Wind renewable energy.

There were no absent board members from the previous meeting, and the minutes from that meeting were approved.

Houston gave administrator's report.

There are 39 residents in the Care Center as of the meeting date. The facility is still in need of CNAs for the night shift, as well as a day nurse.

Accounts receivable were reviewed and discussed, and the DSO was 46 for the month.

Houston reported that the fire wall repair has been completed, the new door for the laundry has

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been installed, and there are some plumbing issues currently being addressed. The Medicare cost report has been completed, and Houston is now working on the Medicaid cost report, due the end of April.

An update on the QIPP program was given.

The financial report will be provided to the Board at a later

The Board received and approved a bid for property in

The board broke for a delicious lunch at the facility; again enjoying the residents' choice for a monthly meal.

Future agenda items were discussed, and the next regular Board meeting will be March 29, 2019, at 9:30 am. The public is invited to attend.

Looking at the facility calendar, March will be ushered in with regular activities, until the time change on March 10, when we spring forward with Daylight Savings Time. Then things get to happen an hour earlier. The area churches will be leading worship services at 3:30 pm on Sundays, and there will be a St. Patrick's Day Party on March 15 at 6:30 pm. The singing group, 'Because He

Lives', will be entertaining. Don't forget to wear GREEN! The Baptist Co-ed Class will be hosting the monthly party March 19 at 3:30 pm. celebrating birthdays are Sharon Matthews, Kathleen Wright, Billie Dunn, Cookie Torres, Edith Stewart, and Jack Clement. Happy birthday to all. On Mondays at 3:30 pm, the Methodists will be entertaining at the facility. The monthly Sing-Along on March 29 will wind down the month, beginning at 3:30 pm and lasting until Roger runs out of breath. Everyone is invited to come join in the fun! And may the luck o' the Irish be with you....all month long!

#### March VP meeting held

Vision with a Purpose held their monthly meeting on March 7 at 6:30 pm in the VP Event Center.

The meeting opened with prayer led by Larry Carter and a meal was provided.

Sheri Millican read the minutes and Floyd Petitt gave the treasurer's report. Both were approved.

It was voted upon and approved to donate monies to the R.L. Golf Course to purchase another golf cart. VP has already donated four.

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## Area Churches Invite You to Worship

**Bronte Church of Christ Bible Baptist Church** 

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 Lee Bevly 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. Everette Boyce, Pastor Sun. 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship

**Forgiven Ministries** 117 W. Main, Bronte Russ Frasier, Pastor Sun. 10 am 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 Pastor James Brunson 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



PO Box 938 • 9th & Austin Robert Lee, Brandon Broadbent, Pastor 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

**Robert Lee** 

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

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

11 am & 6 pm, Worship

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