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### Fish fry fundraiser set for tomorrow

The Coke County Cowboy Church is holding a "Fish Fry Fundraiser" on Saturday, April 1, 2017, to raise money to send kids to church camp this summer. The event will be held at the church (the old Texas Theater) in downtown Bronte. Fish will be served beginning at 11 am and continue until the fish are gone.

In addition to the meal, there will be bounce houses, fun and games for children to enjoy.

# **Utility Assistance** offered on Wednesday

Vallev Concho Community Action Agency will be in Coke County on April 5, 2017, to help with Utility Assistance. They will also be taking applications for the Weatherization Program.

The location and time is at the Coke County Courthouse, 13 E. 7th Street in Robert Lee, from 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm.

# Red Hat Society to meet April 6

The Red Hat Society will meet at 11 am Thursday, April 6, 2017, at Noel's. Noel's is located five miles west of Robert Lee on Highway 158. Look for the Noel sign on the right, then follow the driveway through the pasture until you come to the building. She always has a special meal prepared for us.

Come and fellowship. Laughter is always a good medicine.

#### Coke County 4-H to hold rabies clinic

Coke County 4-H is sponsoring a rabies clinic on Tuesday, April 11, 2017, from 3:30 pm to 6 pm at the Show Barn in the park at Robert Lee. Pets four months of age or older should be immunized. Pets should be vaccinated for rabies annually. Dr. Travis Arledge of Pioneer Vet Clinic in Winters will be the veterinarian in charge.

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## Robert Lee...Robert E. Lee?

That was the name which drew an interesting pair of characters to Coke County. Luci Luciano and Vanessa Mariposa, better known as "The Travelling Tourists", chose to visit our communities and sites because of the history surrounding Robert E. Lee. Although Robert Lee's history with this iconic figure is brief, it provided just enough to help them with their choice. Robert Lee Mayor Leroy Casey (above) discusses Robert Lee and its history.

Longtime friends and colleagues, Luci and Mariposa, began a new journey with the dawn of 2017. They debuted a YouTube channel where viewers can watch their journey across America. They also host a website with blogs and videos of their travels. The couple (although not a couple) are dedicated to finding and sharing with the world the interesting bits and stories in what most of us see as ordinary.

Luci and Mariposa, along with their beautiful dogs, Thor and Isis, quickly became acquainted with the sites of Coke County and the characters who call it home. As they visited Silver. Fort Chadbourne, and numerous businesses on both sides of the county, they had an unexpected impact. The friendly pair not only seemed to become a part of our communities for a brief time, but they gave us a new appreciation for the things and people we see each day.



According to Luci, they are dedicating this year to the United States and will travel in Europe next year, all the whi filming the unique people and places in each stop. To follow this pair on their journey, subscribe to their YouTub channel at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC5FqALowQdcJzpC0eWoIIkg

# **WEEK AT A GLANCE**

Friday, March 31

May Tigers High School Track Meet, May (Robert Lee High School)

Saturday, April 1

Wildcat Relays High School Track Meet Water Valley

Coke County Cowboy Church Fish Fry Fundraiser 11 am, Downtown Bronte

Monday, April 3

District Tennis Tournament, Sterling City

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting, 6 pm,

First Baptist Church, Bronte?

Bronte Evening Lions Club, 7 pm, First United Methodist Church Bronte

Masonic Lodge #692 Meeting, 7:30 pm, Bronte Depot

Tuesday, April 4

District Tennis Tournament, Sterling City

Robert Lee-Silver Lions Club Meeting,

6:30 am, Victory Assembly of God

Wednesday, April 5

Utility Assistance Event, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm, Coke County Courthouse, Robert Lee

Thursday, April 6

Red Hat Society 11 am, Noel's (5 miles west of Robert Lee on Highway 158)

> Robert Lee District Warm Up Track Meet, Robert Lee High School

Walk Across Texas Kick-Off 6 pm (Doors Open at 5 pm) Robert Lee Rec Hall in Robert Lee Park

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