

**ACT and SAT Test registration deadline is today**

Friday, May 6th is the deadline to register for both the ACT and SAT tests.

The ACT test is June 11th. This test will be offered at Bronte High School.

The SAT test is June 4th. This test will be offered locally in Ballinger, San Angelo and Abilene.

Free testing vouchers may be available for current junior high school students. Please see Mrs. Timmerman, BHS counselor for more information.

**Junior Parent Meeting set at BHS**

There will be an informational meeting for parents and current junior students who are interested in taking college classes at Bronte High School. The meeting is scheduled for Thursday, May 5th at 6:30 PM in the library. BHS personnel and a representative from Howard College will be on hand to discuss admission's policies and requirements, pre-registration, cost and expectations for college level classes for students who want to take college classes this summer at BHS as well as, fall and spring dual-credit college classes. For more information, please call the counselor's office at BHS at 473-2521.

**Bronte Chamber of Commerce posts minutes**

On the 28th day of March at 6:00 pm, the Directors of the Bronte Chamber of Commerce met to act on pending items. The meeting was called to order and on roll call the following members of the body were present: Paul Gohman, Ron Cooper, Melinda McCutchen and Ronda Sedden. Susan Williams was absent. Also present were Tammy Thorn, Angel Cervenka, and Leticia Pena.

There being a quorum present, the following items were discussed and decided as follows:

**Old business:**

Student of the year ballots were counted and winners were decided. Susan will get the plaques for the awards made.

The agenda for the Banquet was finalized.

There will be updates from the city, the school, Ft. Chadbourne, Economic Development, the prison and any other organizations present at the Banquet.

We will meet to set up at the community center at 1:00 pm Sunday, April 10th.

Next meeting was set for April 18th at 6:00 in the Housing Community room.

There being no further business to come before the board, the meeting was adjourned.

*Please Exercise Your Privilege to*

**VOTE**

**May 14, 2011!**

**Reminder to Bronte trash customers**

Bronte residents and businesses are reminded to move their trash carts back to their homes or businesses after they have been emptied.

This effort will help improve the appearance of our City.

Residents needing help moving their carts to and from the street can call the City Hall at 473-3501 for assistance.

**Direct & Counter-cyclical Payment Signup Ends June 1**

USDA Farm Service Agency reminds producers that the deadline to sign up for the 2011 Direct and Counter-cyclical Payment (DCP) program is June 1, 2011.

Payments are calculated using base acres and payment yields established for each farm. Eligible producers receive direct payments at rates established by statute regardless of market prices. Advance payments of 22 percent on the 2011 DCP program will be available starting December 1, 2010. The remaining 78 percent of the DCP payment will be issued after October 1, 2011.

Counter-cyclical payments vary depending on market prices, and are issued only when the effective price for a commodity is below its target price (which takes into account the direct payment rate, market price and loan rate).

"It is important that producers submit their DCP contracts before June 1, 2011 because applications will not be approved after this date.

Producers can fill out a DCP contract at any USDA Service Center or online. To access the online service, producers must have an active USDA eAuthentication Level 2 account. To get a Level 2 account, producers must complete an online registration



**Coke County 4-H Shooting Sports!** *The Coke County 4-H Shooting Sports Team competed recently at the Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Extravaganza in Brownwood. "The kids worked and practiced very hard in preparing for this event. I am very proud of how the kids performed. They brought home numerous awards." stated Garrett Gilliam, Coke County's Texas AgriLife Extension Agent.*

<http://www.eauth.egov.usda.gov> and then visit the local USDA Service Center to verify their identity.

For more information about DCP, please contact the Coke/Sterling County FSA office at 325-453-2751. Information can also be obtained on line at <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>.

**FSA accepting applications**

The Farm Service Agency (FSA) is now accepting applications for Emergency Farm Loans resulting from drought occurring from March 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010.

Mitchell and Taylor Counties have been named as primary counties where eligible farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan assistance. Nolan, Sterling, Coke, Fisher & Scurry Counties have been named as contiguous counties where eligible farmers may qualify for FSA EM loan

assistance. The deadline for disaster are eligible for applications is 11/28/2011. emergency loans. The FSA

Generally, farmers who office is located at 103 W. have lost 30 percent of their Florida Avenue in Sweetwater, production due to designated Texas.

**LAST DAYS**

Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron; Forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth. For every creature of God is good, and nothing to be refused, if it be received with thanksgiving: For it is sanctified by the word of God and prayer. • *1 Timothy 4:1-5*

I charge thee therefore before God, and the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at His appearing and His kingdom; Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables. • *2 Timothy 4:1-4*

**Victory Assembly of God**  
Corner of 6th & Houston • Robert Lee  
Pastor Irving Smith

**Service Schedule:**

Sunday morning  
Sunday School 9:45 • Worship & Childrens Church 10:45  
Sunday evening: Bible Study & Power Kids 6 pm  
Wednesday evening: Bible Study & Power Kids 6 pm

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112 West Main Street, Bronte, TX 76933  
(325) 473-3811  
Mon-Sat 8 am to 5 pm & Sun 9 am to 2 pm  
**We are OPEN ON SUNDAYS**  
**FROM 9 AM TO 2 PM!!**

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<b>2008 Ford F-250 Crew Cab 4x4</b> #K112A <b>\$34,995</b> <i>Oxford White w/Pueblo Gold Accent • Tan Leather • Lariat Pkg.</i>	<b>2009 Ford Mustang</b> #7116A <b>\$15,495</b> <i>Oxford White • V6 Automatic • Very Sporty Gas Saver!</i>
<b>2010 Ford Edge Limited</b> #7118 <b>\$28,995</b> <i>Kona Blue Metallic • Sync • Sirius!</i>	<b>2008 Mercury Grand Marquis LS</b> #K067A <b>\$ 9,995</b> <i>Oxford White w/Gray Leather • Nice Car!</i>
<b>2008 GMC Acadia LT</b> #7113A <b>\$23,995</b> <i>Red Metallic w/Charcoal Leather • 3rd Row Seat • Sharp!</i>	<b>2003 Ford Ranger Supercab</b> #K058A <b>\$ 6,995</b> <i>Bright Red • 3.0 V-6 • PW/PL • Gas Saver!</i>
<b>2008 Toyota Tundra Double Cab Ltd</b> #K090A <b>\$22,995</b> <i>Gray W/Graphite Leather • DVD • 4x4 • Loaded!</i>	<b>2001 Mercury Grand Marquis LS</b> <b>\$ 5,995</b> <i>Ice Blue Metallic • Blue Leather • Really Nice!</i>
<b>2010 Mercury Mariner</b> #7115 <b>\$21,995</b> <i>Steel Blue w/ Stone Leather • 2.5 L • 4 Cylinder • Gas Saver!</i>	
<b>2006 Chevrolet Avalanche</b> #K108A <b>\$18,995</b> <i>Silver Metallic w/Gray Leather • Moonroof • OnStar</i>	
<b>2008 Ford F-150 SuperCrew</b> #7117A <b>\$17,995</b> <i>Black w/Graphite Int. • Chrome Pkg. • One Owner!</i>	
<b>2006 Mustang GT</b> #6289D <b>\$16,995</b> <i>White w/Camel Leather • V-8 • Shaker 1000 Stereo!</i>	

**453-4561**

Ask For:  
**Randy Flanagan • Billy Wayne Roe**