

Housing Reconstruction/ Rehabilitation Assistance Program applications to be taken in Bronte

Mayor Gerald Sandusky and the Bronte City Council are pleased to announce that The City of Bronte has been awarded a HOME Grant through the Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (TDHCA). The TDHCA mission is to "help Texans achieve an improved quality of life through the development of better communities."

The HOME Program provides funds to assist low income homeowners with repairs to bring their homes into compliance with local codes and construction specifications or to replace homes with a new house when repair costs are greater than the allowable limits for repairs. Assistance requires no repayment as long as the homeowner continues to own and occupy their home for fifteen years.

Applications are being taken on June 17, 2014, at 9:30 am at the Bronte City Hall. Some of the documents interested homeowners will need to bring are: copies of social security cards for all persons living in the home; copies of photo I.D.s for all persons 18 years or older living in the home; a voter registration card or a utility bill with the homeowner's name and the property address listed; six months of checking statements; six months of pay stubs; the latest savings account statement; a copy of the social security income statement; the most current year's tax receipt; and a copy of the Deed for the property showing proof of ownership.

Additional documents may be required depending on individual circumstances. Those interested should plan on spending four to six hours for the application process.

Grant Works, Inc. has been hired to administer the Grant. GrantWorks is the largest grant writing and management firm in Texas, serving more than 200 predominantly rural cities and counties. This company brings together more than 30 professionals to meet the community development, planning, and housing needs of our client communities. GrantWorks' staff members have professional expertise in planning, city management, housing, environmental review, labor standards, lead based paint assessment, and other skills to implement every aspect of your projects.

For more information, interested homeowners may pick up a flyer at the Bronte City Hall or can contact Caley Carmichael at GrantWorks by calling: 512-420-0303 ext. 306.

o-e@wcc.net

Locals attend Texas GOP Convention

By David Kitten

The leadership of the Republican Party of Texas hosted a successful biennial state convention on June 5, 6, and 7, at the Convention Center in downtown Fort Worth. More than 5,100 delegates and close to 800 alternate delegates were registered, making the Texas Republican Convention the largest political convention in the United States of America, and possibly the world.

In contrast to many political conventions, any delegate at the Texas Republican Convention may address the assembled delegates on a point of order, a point of inquiry, or to introduce a motion. Although this is often time consuming, it tends to provide consideration of all aspects of a complicated issue, and results in a final vote that most delegates can accept.

Delegates heard inspiring speeches from Governor Rick Perry, Attorney General and gubernatorial candidate Greg Abbott, Senator Ted Cruz, Senator Rand Paul of Kentucky, Senator John Cornyn, and from candidates for state office George P. Bush, nominee for Land Commissioner, Glenn Hegar, nominee for Comptroller, Ken Paxton, nominee for Attorney General, Dan Patrick, nominee for Lieutenant Governor, Sid Miller, nominee for Agriculture Commissioner, and from Ryan Sitton, nominee for Railroad Commissioner.

If a common theme could be drawn from the speeches, it would be twofold: the concerted effort that office holders and candidates are making, or will make, to control the overreaching actions of the national government, and the emphasis on faith, family and freedom that seems to be absent in the national government today.

Bronte ISD Board Minutes posted

The Bronte ISD Board of Trustee Meeting opened with prayer by Ray Barnett.

The Bronte ISD Board of Trustees held a Special Meeting on May 8, 2014 at 5:45 pm. Those in attendance were: Shane Kelton, President, Blake Braswell, Paul Williams, Ray Barnett, Kay Styles, Jay Henderson, and Alan Richey, Superintendent. Also present: David Bedford, Secondary Principal. Guest: Nick Arrott. Absent: David McWright

The Board entered into closed session at 5:47 pm.

7th Annual Clay Antilley Invitation Tournament set for June 21

The 7th Annual Clay Antilley Invitation Golf Tournament is slated for Saturday, June 21, 2014, at Mountain Creek Golf Club in Robert Lee. The tournament, honoring Clay's memory, raises money for Robert Lee seniors. This year, \$7,500 was given in scholarships. Since the event began, almost \$40,000 in scholarships have been awarded. Clay, the son of Tommy and Kei Antilley and a favorite son of Robert Lee, was extremely active in golf, 4-H, and FFA.

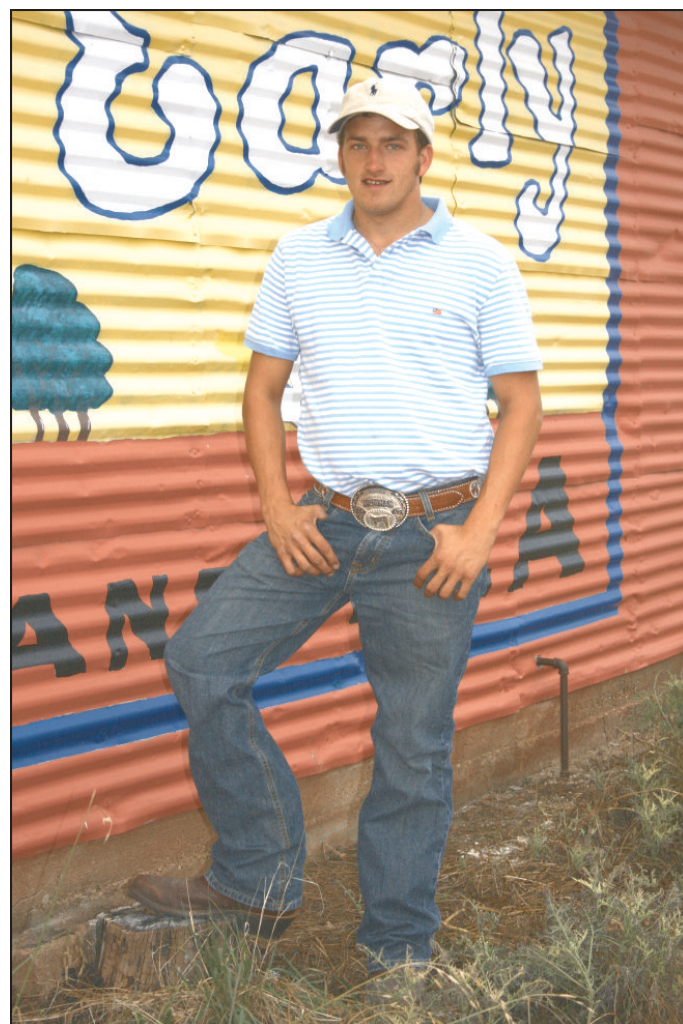
The tournament will have two tee times, 8:30 am and 1 pm. A lunch will be provided for golfers and their families at 12 noon. The tournament will be a shotgun start, three person select shot with prizes given in the flights and one of Clay's Git'R Done trophies for a team to be selected from the remaining teams. A long drive and closest to the pin prize will also be given.

Following the tournament, there will be a dinner for the players, families and contributors to the tournament. The night's entertainment will be provided by the bands, Rough Creek and No Refunds.

Donations to this scholarship fund are tax deductible and receipts will be given. Contributions may be made to the Clay Antilley Scholarship fund at Robert Lee State Bank. They may also be made by contacting DeeAnna Harmon, Tommy Antilley, Kei Antilley, Darren Clawson, Jeff Brisbin, Scotty Jackson, Ricky Ross or by seeing Jessie Flores at the golf course.

An auction will also be held during the evening. To donate auction items, contact Kei Antilley at (325) 453-2545.

Organizers ask that players call early to enter the tournament and give their desired tee time. To enter, contact Mountain Creek Golf Course at (325) 453-2317, Tommy Antilley at (325) 656-1972 or Kei Antilley at (325) 453-2545.



The Board reconvened in regular (open) session at 5:54 pm.

The Board approved to hire Cade Tatsch as Secondary English Teacher/Boys Assistant Coach. All in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 5:55 pm.

The Bronte ISD Board of Trustees held a Regular Board Meeting on May 15, 2014 at 7:00 pm. Those in attendance were: Shane Kelton, President, David McWright, Blake Braswell, Kay Styles, Jay Henderson, Nick Arrott, John Seales, and Alan Richey, Superintendent. Also present: David Bedford, Secondary Principal, Donna Poehls, Elementary Principal. Guest present: Heather Middleton, Maureen Youngblood and Nancy Cooper.

The meeting opened in prayer by David Bedford.

There were no audience items. Votes were canvassed from the May 10 School Board Trustee Election as follows:

- Riley Coalson-51
- John Seales-80
- Nick Arrott-118
- Josh Schoenfield-72

Certificates of Election were issued.

Nancy Cooper Administered the Oath of Office to Nick Arrott and John Seales.

The realignment of the Board is as follows: Shane Kelton, President; Jay Henderson, Vice-President; David McWright, Secretary.

The minutes were approved as read for the April 17, 2014 Board meeting.

Principal's reported on enrollment: Secondary-134 with a 95.7% attendance rate and Elementary-127 with a 96.12% attendance rate. Total enrollment-261. Ms. Poehls reported on the upcoming Talent show, wacky water days and other end of the year activities. Mr. Bedford reported on the boys' track team winning

the State track meet, Meagan Yackley qualified in UIL writing, upcoming senior trip and graduation. Also, Mrs. Webb was KSAN/KLST Teacher of the Week.

The 2014-2015 student transfer list was approved as presented.

Mr. Richey, Superintendent reported Graduation on May 30, New Board Training-Thursdays, June 12. Discussed funding and tentatively scheduled the July board meeting for July 31. The Site-Based Retreat results were discussed.

The Board went into Executive session at 7:30 pm and resumed the Regular meeting at 8:48 pm.

The Board approved to hire an Ag Teacher and a part-time Art Teacher to teach 2-3 classes. All in favor.

Motion was made to pay the May 2014 bills.

The meeting adjourned at 9:52 pm.

(Continued on Page 7)

Finding Solutions for Your Financial Needs



Tommy E Neal, AAMS®
Financial Advisor
2412 College Hills Boulevard
Suite 102
San Angelo, TX 76904
325-223-8244
www.edwardjones.com

Edward Jones®
MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

FLOYD C. PETITT INSURANCE

LIFE • HEALTH • GROUP HEALTH
LONG TERM CARE • ANNUITIES
MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTS
AUTO • HOME • COMMERCIAL

WE PUT YOU FIRST!

YOU'RE NOT A NUMBER TO US, BUT A MEMBER OF OUR FAMILY!

(325) 453-4551 (325) 223-1563
PO Box 184 • 715 AUSTIN 5002 KNICKERBOCKER
ROBERT LEE, TEXAS 76945 SAN ANGELO, TEXAS 76904
floyd@floydpetittinsurance.com