

was born after they returned to Coke County.

Aubrey was an adventurous boy who broke an arm when he tried to ride an unwilling cow. The arm was not properly set and he was never able to fully straighten it.

After he finished high school in Robert Lee, he bought some livestock, leased some land and started ranching on his own. When he was twenty-three he married a neighbor, Loyce Blaylock, and they had two daughters.

In the early 1950's, there was another bad drought. He sold his livestock and got a job on an oil well drilling rig, working mostly as a derrick hand. When work got slow in West Texas he went to Aztec, New Mexico. Being divorced, he met Gladys (Hillman) Crockett in Aztec and they were happily married for 22 years. He retired in 1982. He was a hardworking and dedicated employee with a fine reputation. Whether a ranch hand or a derrick hand, Aubrey always strived to do the best job possible. In 1989, he moved to Denver, Colorado to be near his younger daughter's family and lived there the rest of his life.

Aubrey was a giving man who loved and supported his family. He always had an open wallet for those in need and never passed a hitchhiker without stopping and helping. He had a very dry sense of humor that would trigger bursts of laughter. He also liked to read, sing and yodel. He was a fan of country-western music. He taught himself to play the harmonica and could learn new songs by listening to them.

He was proceeded in death by his beloved wife, Gladys, in 1985; his parents; and his two sisters Flossie and Bertie. He is survived by his children: Wanda Maddocks (John) and Dianne Title (Leighton); his step-children: Myron Crockett (Lola Marie); Jim Crockett (Anne); Kay Conners, and Karen Earlywine (Tom). Also his brother Kenneth Lackey (Kay), 15 grandchildren, several great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Burial will follow in Valley View Cemetery, Coke County, Texas.

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Lackey

Memorial services for Aubrey Lackey of Denver, Colorado were held on Saturday, May 28, 2016 at Robert Lee Baptist Church. Family attending included his daughters Wanda and John Maddocks, Lead Hill, Arkansas and Dianne and Leighton Title and their son, Leighton Scott Title, Denver, Colorado. Step-children were Myron and Lola Marie Crockett, Bloomfield, New Mexico and their son Jim Crockett, Bartlett, Tennessee and Karen and Tom Earlywine, Silver City, New Mexico; his brother Kenneth and Kay Lackey, Robert Lee.

Nieces and nephews attending were Janette Andrews, Baytown; Patsy Dunn, Bobby and Melissa Blaylock and Connie Reyes, Bronte; Dale and Esther

McHalek, Fredricksburg; Barry and Lynn McHalek, Abilene; Nancy Copple, Leakey Ebba and John Nikolawk, Eldorado; Cody Blaylock and Brett Nikolawk family, San Angelo

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Protect your family from Mosquito-borne disease

Submitted by Morgan Runyan, Texas AgriLife Agent

The recent rains have been a huge blessing to Coke County but not everything that comes after is a blessing. The puddles that have formed and the various containers that have filled with water are great breeding grounds for that pesky mosquito. The *Aedes aegypti* mosquito has been identified as the primary vector for transmission of Zika, dengue, chikungunya, and West Nile. The Zika virus has had a large spotlight in the media recently and for good reason. Zika virus is the cause of the increased cases of microcephaly. Microcephaly is a condition affecting unborn children where the baby's head is much smaller than expected due to the underdevelopment of the baby's brain. So far there have not been any confirmed cases of Zika caused by mosquito populations in the state of Texas. Those that have been infected by the bite of an infected mosquito have either traveled to an area with Zika carrying mosquitos or their partner has. Zika is very serious and experts are unsure what the future holds for the Zika virus in the US. Please consider these tips to help protect yourself and your family from mosquito borne diseases:

1. Dress in long, loose-fitting, light colored pants and shirts
2. Drain any standing water from containers, tires, gutters, etc. around the home.
3. Use mosquito dunks in standing water that cannot be drained. (A mosquito dunk is a small, brown donut-looking object that floats on water and slowly dissolves, releasing a

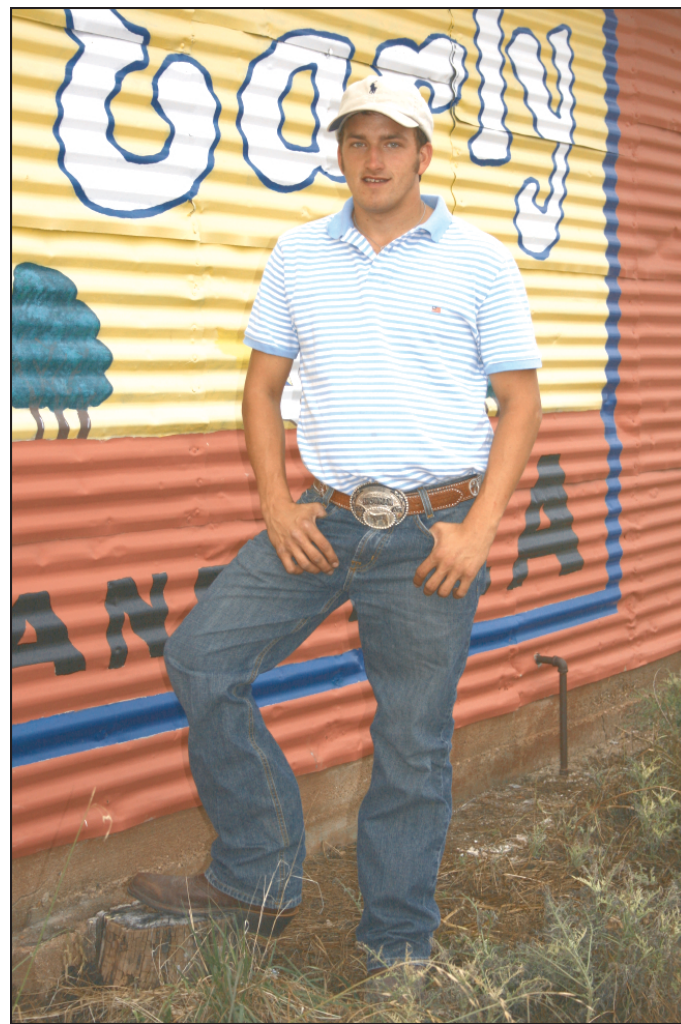
9th Annual Clay Antilley Invitation Tournament set for June 25

The 9th Annual Clay Antilley Invitation Golf Tournament is slated for Saturday, June 25th, 2016 at Mountain Creek Golf Club in Robert Lee. The tournament, honoring Clay's memory, raises money for Robert Lee seniors. This year, \$9,950 was given in scholarships. Since the event began, \$60,000 in scholarships has 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, 9 am and 2 pm. A lunch will be provided for golfers and their families at appx 12:30. The tournament will be a shotgun start, three person select shot with awards given to the top three finishers in each of the three flights. A long drive contest will be held for both men and women and closest to the pin prizes will be awarded on 2 holes.

Following the tournament, there will be a dinner for the players, families and contributors to the tournament. The night's musical entertainment will be provided by Rough Creek.

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, or by seeing Jessie Flores at the golf course.

An auction and short vigil will also be held before the dance. 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.

bacterium that kills mosquito larvae.

4. Reduce outdoor activity during dusk and dawn. I understand with long days and lots of summer activities this can be difficult, so if you are going to be outdoors during this time of day be prepared with a bug spray containing DEET approved by the EPA or CDC to protect yourself and all of your family from those pesky mosquitos.

For more information about traveling to areas that are affected by the Zika virus please go to <http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/>

page/zika-travel-information.

Addition information on Zika can be found at these websites for the Texas A&M University System: <http://preventingzika.org> and <https://vitalrecord.tamhsc.edu/zika360>.

For more information about

mosquito types, biology and control, go to <http://mosquitosafari.tamu.edu/>.

Information provided by Texas Agrilife Extension, Molly Keck, IPM Program Specialist and Sonja Swiger, Assistant Professor & Extension Entomologist.

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