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July 4th Celebration at BHRC slated

The Bronte Health & Rehab Center Auxiliary and the Bronte Health & Rehab Center hopes everyone will turn out for a fun filled evening on July 4.

The evening will begin with a free hot dog and watermelon meal. After the meal, there will be a silent auction as well as a live auction. There will be something for the kids during the auction. After the auction at dusk, there will be a fantastic fireworks display (weather permitting).

Come and bring the family and help us raise money for the residents' needs and wants. You'll be blessed for your help.

The celebration will start at 6 pm in the dining room at BHRC.

Ivey Motor Company to host annual tourney

Ivey Motor Co., Inc. will be hosting their annual July 4th Golf Tournament Thursday, July 4, 2013, at Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee.

Entrants can tee off that morning until 10:30 am. Everyone is welcome and there is no entry fee.

However, this does not include green fees.

Entrants must register before tee off time and pick up a copy of the rules. Each team must include at least 3 people (UIL 9 applies). Organizers ask that individual score cards be kept.

Blackwell VFD July 4 celebration set for July 6

The Blackwell Volunteer Fire Department will host their annual 4th of July Celebration, Parade and BBQ on Saturday, July 6, 2013. The parade will begin at 5 pm on Main Street and the BBQ will be held at 5:30 at the Blackwell Volunteer Fire Department on Main Street.

Attendees will enjoy a plate full of BBQ brisket and sausage with all the trimmings. All proceeds from the meal will benefit the Blackwell Volunteer Fire Department.

Holiday Closings

The Bronte and Robert Lee City Halls will be closed next Thursday, July 4th. The Coke County Courthouse will be closed both Thursday and Friday, July 4 and 5. Residents are reminded that the discharge of fireworks are not

Independence Day

Please have a Safe & Happy July 4th!

The Land of the Free!
The Home of the Brave!

allowed inside the city limits.

Early Deadline announced

The deadline for the July 5th issue of the Observer/Enterprise is Monday, July 1, at 12 noon due to the July 4th holiday.

County 4-H Camp slated

The 4-H County Camp will be held Thursday and Friday, July 11 and July 12, 2013, at the Presbyterian Encampment near Buffalo Gap. Plan on two fun-filled days of game and leadership activities.

This camp is for 4-H members finishing 3rd grade and entering 8th grade. Please contact the office by July 1, 2013, at 325-453-2461 or email coke@ag.tamu.edu if you plan to attend.

Ladies Water Aerobics held in Bronte

Water Aerobics are being held Monday and Thursday evenings at 6:15 pm at the Bronte swimming pool.

Come and join these ladies as they have fun and improve their bodies.

Bronte Golf Tourney planned

The Bronte Longhorn Golf Club is sponsoring a 3 person 27 hole golf tournament on Saturday, July 20. Tee time is 9 am.

When signing up, you must let them know if a cart is needed and leave a call back number.

For more information,

contact Bronte Longhorn Golf Club at 325-473-2156 or 325-473-3231. After 5 pm, call 432-661-3431 or 325-864-3312 or 325-236-0089.

Bronte Water

Restrictions detailed

Due to the continuing lack of general rains, the City of Bronte has entered into Stage I of the Drought Contingency Plan. Customers are asked to water only between the hours of 6 pm until 12 midnight and 12 midnight to 10 am. All commercial water users are requested to reduce water use to the greatest extent possible.

Use Of Water From Fire Hydrants Is Prohibited

All citizens of Bronte and Robert Lee are asked to report any trucks that are taking water from fire hydrants. Fire trucks are the only ones allowed to use the fire hydrants. Residents in Robert Lee should call 453-2831 and residents in Bronte should call 473-3501. If you are unable to contact anyone at these numbers, contact the Sheriff's office at 453-2717.

During this time of drought, it is essential that water be restricted to only authorized users.



Bronte Post Master Finishes Marathon! After several months of intense training, Bronte Post Master, Ray Barnett, finished the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon, April 28, 2013. Ray had run 3 half marathons over the last 3 years and, with encouragement of an older brother, completed the 26.2 mile course in 5 hours, 32 minutes and 15 seconds. Congratulations Ray.