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## Destructive storms roll through Bronte last week

This year continues to be one of our wettest in recent memory. As much as we are thankful for the rain, the destruction that sometimes accompanies spring storms is not welcome. Bronte received heavy rain and hail on Thursday, May 26, 2016. Some residents saw what they believe to be a tornado in the air that appears to have touched down just north of town.

Janie Sanchez Tombs took the

photo at right just after the storm passed through at the intersection of US Highway 277 and State Highway 158 in downtown Bronte.

Bronte Volunteer Fire Department Chief Bill Torres came home to find his barn destroyed (bottom photo). Fortunately, the horses were unhurt and the family's home was barely damaged. The family lives just north of Bronte.

### Mt. Creek slates tourney for June 4

Mountain Creek Golf Association has a 3 person, 27 hole Stompin' Steer Scramble slated for June 4, 2016, with a 9 am shotgun start planned.

For more information, please contact Mountain Creek at 325-453-2317 or 806-543-2118.

### Shooting Match Planned for Saturday

The Coke County 4-H Rifle Team will be hosting the 2016 Coke County 4-H Invitational Shooting Match at the Red Canyon Gun Range on June 4, 2016. The shooting will begin around 8:45 am.

This match will consist of approximately 30 extremely talented kids competing in .22 Light Rifle and .22 Rifle Silhouettes.

There will be a lunch of pulled pork sandwiches, chips and a drink offered. Concessions will also be available.

The Coke County 4-H Rifle Team has worked really hard and had a very successful season. This will be their last match of the season. So, please come out and show your support for some of Coke County's very own!

### Save the Park Fun Day set for June 11

Save the Park Fun Day will be Saturday, June 11, 2016, from 10 am until 2 pm in the heart of the park. It will be very similar to last year; dunking booth, bounce houses, petting zoo, tents with different activities. A few other events have been added to the day as well.

The 5k color run or walk will start at 9 am. Registration will be in the pool parking lot starting at 8:15. All ages are

invited.

A 50/50 raffle is also being held. The winner will receive half the monies collected and the remainder will go into the park fund.

Dance under the stars at the park pavilion beginning at 8 pm. C. R. Tijerina will be the DJ.

### Longhorn Golf Club slates tourney in Bronte for June 11

Bronte Longhorn Golf Club is holding a 2 person, 27 hole scramble on June 11. Tee time is at 9 am.

Please register before 12 noon on Friday before the tournament. Please let us know if you need a cart and leave a call back number. Contact the club house at 325-473-2156 or Debbie at 325-262-6617.

### Food Drive is tremendous success

Bronte and surrounding areas did a great job again. The local Post Office routes collected 1,022 pounds of groceries for The Salt Of The Earth Ministry. The Ministry was able to feed 30 families this last Saturday with the help of the community. For those who work to feed these families and for the families that receive this blessing each month, your support is greatly appreciated. God Bless each and every one of you.

### High School Essay Contest slated

Attention High Schoolers: Here's your chance to win \$250 cash prize for entering an essay contest open to boys and girls—freshmen through senior high. All you need to do is write an essay of 300-500 words on "What does the 4th of July Mean?"

Two prizes of \$250 each will be awarded, to one boy and one girl. Deadline for entries is June 15.

