

Wacky Water Day! Students in grades PK through 2nd grade recently participated in Bronte Elementary School's annual Wacky Water Day. The students ran through an obstacle course, glided down a slip and slide and ran through sprinklers. The students had a great time and also got to enjoy popsicles. Pictured is Mrs. Rawls' 2nd grade class.

Check Out Coke County Library

"Tell me, where do you go, When you got no dough, There must be a way, Out of here, the chorus from a Garnet Mimms song. The answer to "Where do you go"...is, to the Coke County Library for a book. There is no quicker, or quieter, way to get away from the noise. Junior high and high school readers can find quiet places: Out West, in space, in another dimension, in another country, in cyber worlds - there are all places waiting for school high reader...adult readers, too.

Also, junior high and high school readers can be eligible to win a pizza from Cindy's at the end of summer drawing. For each book returned, readers can put their names in for the drawing.

There are several ways parents of elementary school children can maintain reading skills throughout the summer.

Visit the library, of course. For elementary school children, there will be a drawing each week for a treat from Rhonda and Judy's summer treat station. Also to keep children turned in to reading, parents can create a family tree; read to the child and have the child relate the story; while driving, talk and talk about the weather, the trees, the heat, their favorite things, what they want for Christmas...so many subjects, so short a

For pre-schoolers, a craft and a story are available any time.

Library hours are Tuesdays, 8-12; Wednesdays, 8-4; Thursdays, 1-5; Fridays, 8-12. Call 453-2495 for information.

Bronte ISD Board posts minutes

The Bronte ISD Board of Trustees held a regular meeting on May 17, 2012, at 7 pm in the Board Room. Those in attendance were Paul Williams, President, Doug Tounget, Ray Barnett, Shane Kelton, Kay Styles, David McWright, Blake Braswell, Jay Henderson, and Alan Richey, Superintendent. Also present were David Bedford, Donna Poehls, and Nancy Cooper.

The meeting was opened with prayer by David Bedford.

Votes were canvassed from the May 12th School Board Trustee Election as follows: Blake Braswell 94; David McWright 91; Bryan Swecker 76; Blain McGinnis 22; Kerry Lee 65; Jay Henderson 80; and Andra Arrott 76

Nancy Cooper Administered the Oath of Office to Blake Braswell, David McWright and Jay Henderson.

The Board was realigned as follows: Paul Williams, President, Kay Styles, Vice President, and Shane Kelton, Secretary.

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The Board approved the minutes from the April Board Meeting as read. All voted in favor

Donna Poehls, Elementary Principal, reported the attendance rate is at 97% with 146 students in Elementary. David Bedford, Secondary Principal, reported attendance rate is at 96.4% with 138 students.

The Student Transfer list for the 2012-2013 school year was reviewed and approved for 33 transfer students. All werein favor.

The Board reviewed the suggested lunchroom prices for the 2012-2013 school year. The following prices were approved: PK-5 at 1.95, 6-12 at 2.20, adults at 2.85. All were in favor.

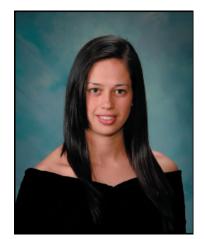
The lunchroom charging policy was discussed. No action was taking.

Mr. Richey, Superintendent, updated the board on the 2012-2013 Federal funding. Informed the board of summer maintenance and schedules.

The Bronte ISD summer office hours will be Monday-Friday 8 am to 3 pm. The office will be closed the week of July 4th.

Region 15 will be presenting a Mini school board conference on Saturday, June 23, 2012. Also, TASB has waived registration fees for all events for next year.

A motion was made to pay the bills. All were in favor.



Scholarship! Brenda Perez, daughter of Jose Luis and Cecilia Perez of Bronte, received the 2012 Robert Lee-Bronte Chapter No. 187 Order of the Eastern Star \$300 Scholarship. Brenda is a 2012 graduate of Bronte High School and plans to attend college and earn a Bachelors' Degree in Business Administration.

The Board accepted Brooke Sanford's resignation. All voted in favor

The Board discussed open positions and is looking for a Head volleyball coach/teacher.

The meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm.

West Coke County Hospital Board Meeting

By Pat Stephens
The Board of Directors
of the West Coke County
Hospital District met in
regular session May 29,
2012. President Mary
Bessent called the meeting
to order at 9:41 am, and
declared a quorum was
present. Board members
present were Mary
Bessent, Sarah Green, Pat
Stephens, Dessie Kendall,

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Wednesday • July 4th • 6:30 pm
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