

Bronte Volunteer Fire Department part of fundraiser

The Bronte Volunteer Fire Department is taking part in a raffle for a John Deere Gator. Tickets may be purchased from any Bronte firefighter or at the First National Bank of Sterling City in Bronte.

The drawing will be held during the Ranch Rodeo August 25 at the Spur Arena in San Angelo. Area departments are selling tickets and the Bronte VFD will be able to keep all money from tickets they are able to sell.

Range, livestock workshop set for July 31 in Ozona

By Steve Byrns

A Texas AgriLife Extension Service range and wildlife management workshop has been set from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm Tuesday, July 31, 2012, in the Crockett County Convention Center in Ozona.

Five Texas Department of Agriculture continuing education units – one laws and regulations, one integrated pest management and three general – will be available for those with a valid private pesticide applicator’s license.

“This program will center on the drought we are still very much in here in Crockett County,” said Chase McPhaul, AgriLife Extension agent in Crockett County. “We’ve had more moisture this year than last, but times are still hard out here in West Texas.

“During this workshop, we’ll be discussing drought management strategies, how the dry weather has affected livestock, supplemental feeding regimes and range and pasture issues. We’ll also hear how the dry weather hasn’t slowed the influx of feral hogs to our area and what’s being done about it.”

Speakers and their topics will include:

- Dr. Frank Craddock, AgriLife Extension state sheep and goat specialist at San Angelo, supplemental feeding, drought management, health issues and the future of hair sheep.

- Dr. Alyson McDonald, AgriLife Extension range specialist at Fort Stockton, rangeland drought recovery, drought management and re-seeding.

- Cory Pence, Texas Department of Agriculture, San Angelo, pesticide laws and regulations.

- Jake Babb, Crockett County trapper, feral hog trapping techniques and feral hog update.

Individual registration is \$20 and includes lunch. RSVP by July 25 by calling the AgriLife Extension office in Crockett County at 325-392-2721. Further information can also be obtained by calling the AgriLife Extension office.

Engagement Announced!

Wayne and Melinda McCutchen are pleased to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Ashley Jordan McCutchen, to Blake Reese Braswell. Reese is the son of Blane and Kim Braswell. Ashley is the granddaughter of the late Cliff and Mary Barrett of Bronte and the late Jeff Randall McCutchen and Lois Walls. Reese is the grandson of Mike and Veva Hartman of Fredricksburg and Dennie and Sharon Braswell of Bronte.

Ashley, a 2005 graduate of Bronte High School, received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Angelo State University in 2011. She is currently employed at Lipsey-Currie Insurance in San Angelo.

Reese, a 2006 graduate of Bronte High School, received his Bachelor of Science degree from Angelo State University in 2012. He is currently employed at First National Bank of Sterling City.

The couple will be married Saturday, October 13, 2012, at Fort Chadbourne.

Remaining Junior Golf Clinic set for August 1

The final junior golf clinic in a series of five sponsored by the Bronte Longhorn Golf Club in Bronte, will be held Wednesday, August 1. It will begin at 9 am and end at 10:30 am. Clubs and balls will be furnished if needed.

For more information, call (325) 473-2036.

Thursday night Scrambles being held in Bronte

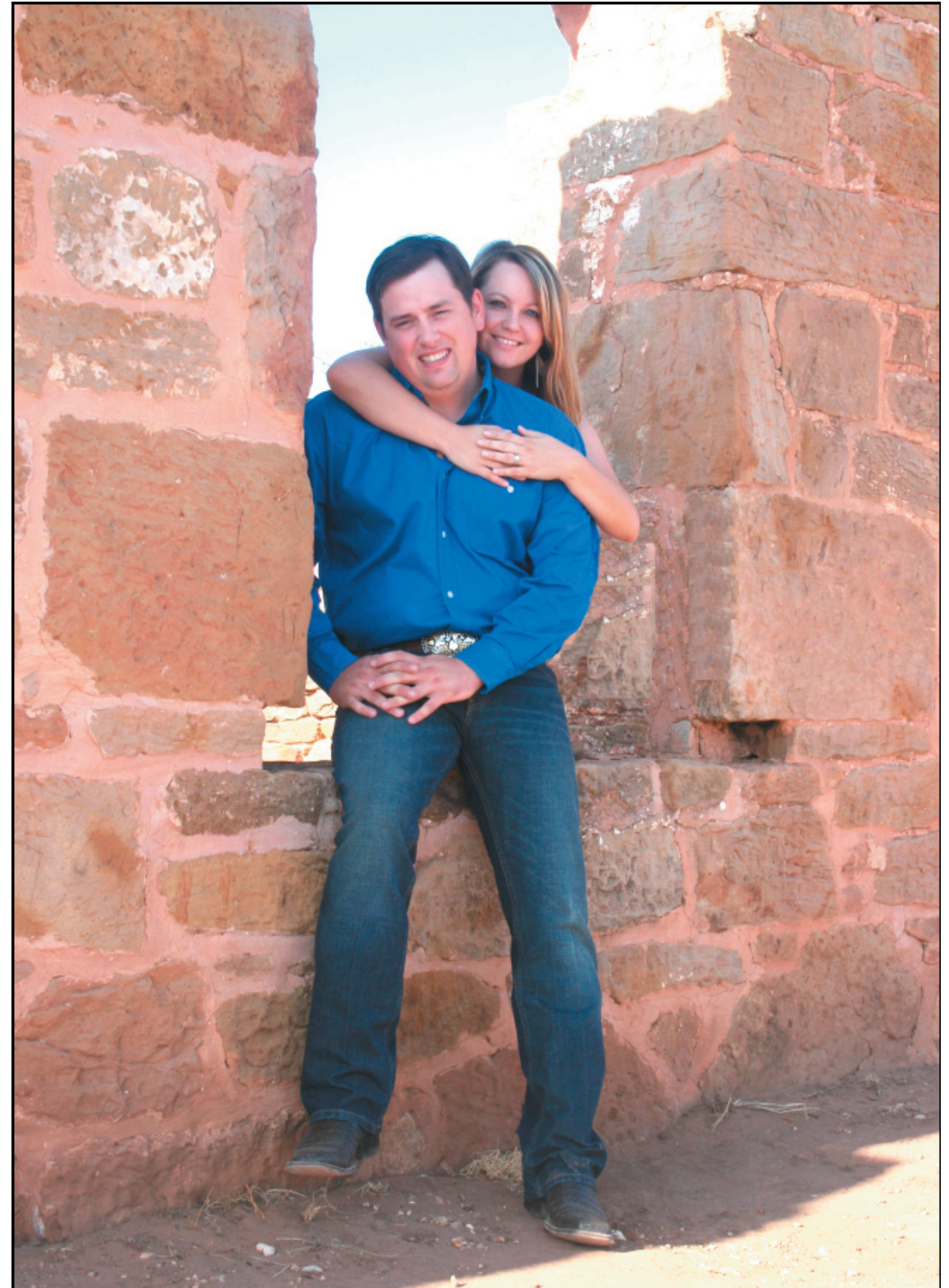
Bronte Longhorn Golf Club’s Thursday night Scrambles are held each Thursday at 6 pm at the course in Bronte.

For more information, call (325) 473-2036.

Ladies Golf Night set for Robert Lee

Ladies Golf Night Out will be held at Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee at 6 pm each Tuesday evening through Tuesday, July 31.

Some members will be available for instruction. Whether you’re brand new to the game of golf or just starting to play again, this program is perfect for you. It is a program aimed at helping



Ashley McCutchen & Reese Braswell

women learn the game in a non-intimidating and fun atmosphere. Please, no minors.

For more information, contact Tracy Allen at (432) 556-8379 or Natalie Clawson at (325) 650-8424.

Mountain Creek has student summer program

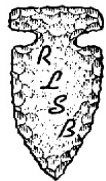
Mountain Creek Golf Course in Robert Lee has a summer membership for junior high and high school students in Coke County with a goal of encouraging more youth to play golf.

For more information, contact Mountain Creek Golf Course at (325) 453-2317. You may also email them at mountaincreekgc@wtxs.net. Please put “Student Golf Ms” in subject line of the email.

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