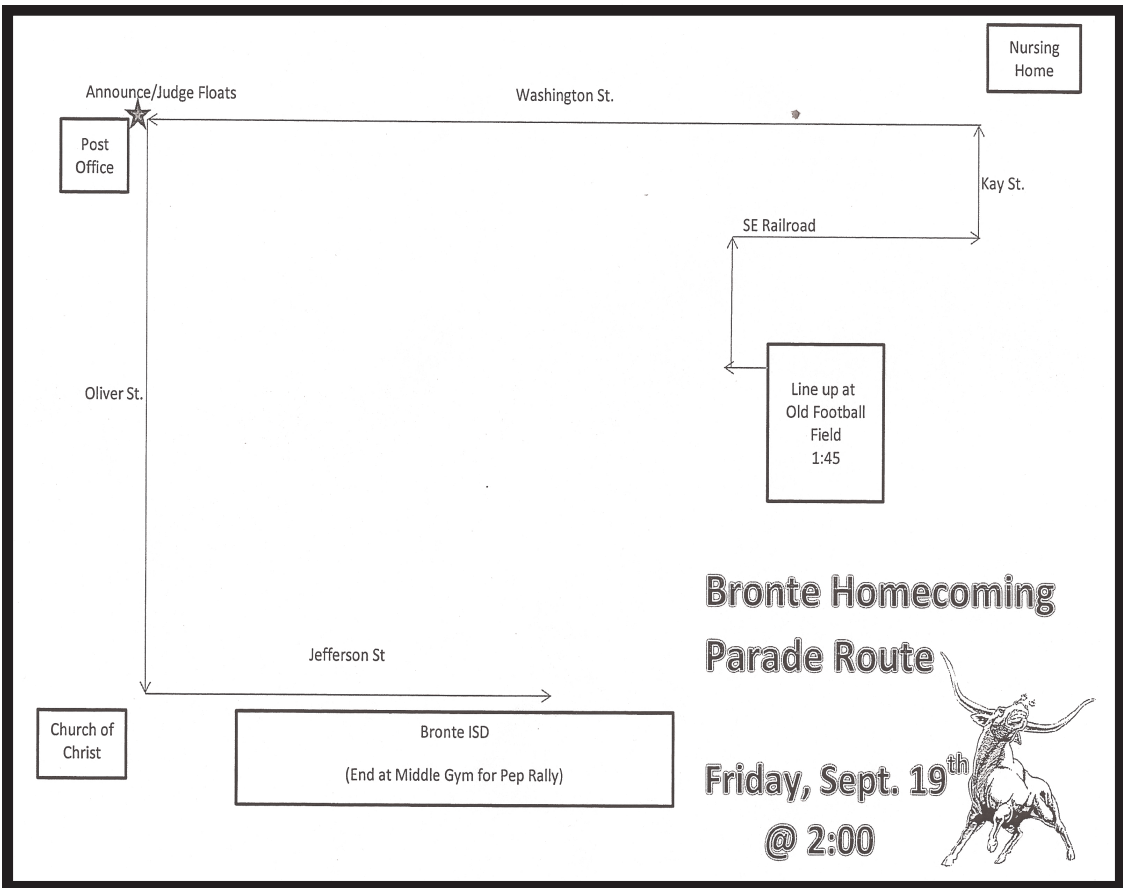


BRONTE SCHOOL NEWS



Homecoming Parade! The Bronte Homecoming Parade will be Friday, September 19, 2014, at 2 pm. All businesses and organizations are encouraged to enter a float. The parade's theme is "Bear Hunt" since the Homecoming game will be against the Baird Bears. Deadline to enter a float is 12 noon on Wednesday, September 17, 2014. To enter, call Tammy Hortenstine at (325) 473-2251.

Horns lose close game
By Coach Kevin Burns
The Bronte Longhorns opened up the first of three home games this past Friday night as they hosted the TLCA

Eagles. In a game that came down to the final seconds, the Longhorn's 2 point conversion attempt failed and the Eagles won 21-19. Bronte had just rallied to tie the game as Kyler Richards hit Ean Ward with a TD pass over the middle to cut the lead to two points with 7 seconds remaining in the game. The Longhorns played well at times on both sides of the ball, and are continuing to improve their skills.

The game was tied at halftime as TLCA scored first in the second quarter on a short run, and the Horns scored late in the quarter as Kyler Richards hit Tristin Minjarez on a 3 yard TD pass. TLC added a TD in the third and another one early in the fourth to take a 21-7 lead. Bronte scored with 4:37 to play as Kyler Richards ran the ball in from the seven yard line but the PAT was missed leaving the Horns down 21-13.

The Horns never gave in and fought hard to give themselves a chance to win the game. We are working to get better in all aspects of the game and look for continued improvement this week as the Munday Moguls come to town this Friday night. Game time is set for 7:00 pm.

PSAT Test for Juniors at Bronte High School
The PSAT/NMSQT will be administered on Wednesday, October 15, 2014 at Bronte High School. This testing session is available to all Bronte juniors, including home-schooled students eligible to attend school in the Bronte ISD.

Junior students currently enrolled at Bronte ISD will automatically be registered. The students will be given a PSAT study guide prior to the test. Home-school students will

need to register for the test at <http://www.nationalmerit.org>. After registering online, please notify Mrs. Timmerman, counselor, at Bronte ISD.

For additional information, please contact Mrs. Timmerman, at (325) 473-2511. You may also visit www.collegeboard.com for more information.

ACT and SAT Test Deadlines announced

Students interested in taking the October 25, 2014 ACT test must register on or before September 19th, 2014 in order to avoid late fees. Students may register online at www.actstudent.org or pick up an application in the high school counselor's office. The cost of the ACT test is \$38.00 or \$54.50, if a student registers for the ACT Plus Writing test. If someone is unsure which test to sign up for, please consult the high school counselor.

Students interested in taking the October 11, 2014 SAT Test must register on or before September 12th in order to avoid late fees. Another SATTest will be administered November 8th and the deadline to apply for that test is October 9th. The cost of the SAT Reasoning test is \$52.50 and includes a required writing portion. Registration may be done online at sat.org/register or you may pick up a registration packet in the counselor's office.

Fee waivers are available to junior and senior students who qualify for free or reduced lunches. Call or see Mrs. Timmerman, counselor for more information. Please keep in mind that the ACT and SAT tests will be offered several times throughout the year. The ACT

test is offered at Bronte High School in October, April and June. Free study guides are available in the counselor's office. The high school library has practice test preparation books available to students. The ACT and SAT websites also have free practice items available online. For more information, please call the BHS counselor's office at 473-2511.

Letter to the Editor:

Dear Editor:
Picture this - a coach driving a bus load of volleyball players in a broken down bus on a Saturday night of Labor Day weekend trying to get back to Lindsay, Texas, after the Bronte Volleyball Tournament.

What to do? Should she call Lindsay and wait for assistance which could take hours to arrive? Or, could she accept the gracious offer of Bronte volleyball Coach Robin Jones, her assistant, Carol Moore, and the Bronte athletic director Rocky Rawls to loan the Lindsay girls' volleyball team and their coach a school bus in order for them to get home at a decent hour.

That's exactly what happened Saturday night, August 30. The Bronte school district loaned the Lindsay team a bus to get back home! There are no words to express how grateful the team and parents were to have this assistance come so willingly from the Bronte coaching staff on behalf of your school district.

We were able to get our team home safely to their homes and get a good night's rest after participating in perhaps the best volleyball tournament that we go to every year. On behalf of Lindsay athletics and our Athletic Director and school administrators, we want to say, "THANK YOU" in capital letters. The Bronte school district stepped up to a pure act of sportsmanship. The Lindsay Independent School District will not forget your kindness.

Sincerely,
Bridget Anderle, Girls' Volleyball Coach
Charles Boles, Athletic Director
Nora Curry, Superintendent

BISD Board has vacancy

Bronte ISD has a vacancy on the School Board. If you are interested please contact Dr. Skip Casey, Bronte ISD Interim Superintendent at 325-473-2511.

Students may now apply for the Service Academies

Congressman Michael Conaway encourages all students interested in attending the military service academies to apply for a nomination.

To be considered for appointment to a service academy, an applicant must meet eligibility requirements and be nominated by an authorized person, including a member of the U.S. Senate or U.S. House of Representatives. There are five service academies: The United States Air Force Academy, Naval, Military, Merchant Marine, and Coast Guard.

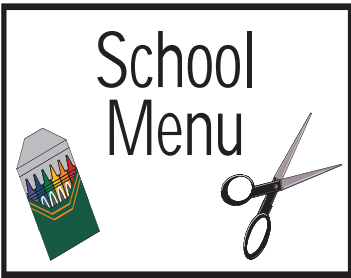
The application process for the class of 2019 is open. All applications must be received at Congressman Conaway's San Angelo office by October 22, 2014. The address for his San Angelo office is 33 East Twohig Ave., Suite 307, San Angelo, TX, 76903. The telephone number is 325 659-4010.

Please find the application at Conaway.house.gov or call or write his San Angelo office to have one sent to you.

The eligibility requirements for an applicant include: United States citizenship; a resident of the 11th District and at least 17-years-old but not older than 22 on July 1, 2015, on the year of admission. Selection is based on SAT and Act test scores, class rank, grade point average, extracurricular activities, and leadership potential.

If you have any questions, please contact JoAnne Powell at 325 659-4010.

For our Bronte customers' convenience, there is a Drop Box at Bronte Hardware Store.



School Menu

Breakfast

Monday, September 15
Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Tuesday, September 16
Pancake on stick or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Wednesday, September 17
Breakfast pizza or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Thursday, September 18
Breakfast sandwich or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Friday, September 19
French toast sticks or cereal, toast/jelly, fruit, juice, milk

Lunch

Monday, September 15
Spaghetti w/meatballs, carrot coins, garden salad, sliced peaches, breadstick, milk

Tuesday, September 16
Crispy tacos, Spanish rice, charro beans, garden salad, cinnamon applesauce, salsa, milk

Wednesday, September 17
Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit, rolls, gravy, milk

Thursday, September 18
Beef & bean burrito, salsa, broccoli bites, garden salad, oranges, milk

Friday, September 19
Hot dogs, sweet potato fries, cucumber dippers, fresh fruit, milk

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