

## 2011 Robert Lee Hunters BBQ canceled

Extensive wildfires and critical lack of rain has prompted the cancellation of the 2011 Robert Lee Hunters BBQ. The Robert Lee event is a casualty of wide spread fire damage to hunting areas, summer 2011 punishing heat, and extreme water needs. Held annually on the first day of hunting season. This will be the first time in twenty-three years that it will not take place.

Event organizers appreciate visiting hunters for their contribution to the local economy, landowners and businesses for sponsoring, and also value the outstanding community participation that has always made this hunting season kickoff possible. The Robert Lee Hunters BBQ will continue next hunting season.

Planners for the Robert Lee BBQ will focus efforts this year to assist with meals that will be needed as construction on the water pipeline begins in the fall. This civic endeavor to provide much needed water is also an important effort for our community.

## Legislation creates a new photo voter identification

SB 14 by Fraser: relating to requirements to vote, including presenting proof of identification; providing criminal penalties. The legislation creates a new photo voter identification requirement that will be required for voter qualification in all elections in Texas beginning January 1, 2012. It requires all voters to present one of the following forms of photo identification in order to be eligible to be accepted for voting: driver's license, election identification certificate, personal identification card, or concealed handgun license issued by the Texas

Department of Public Safety; U.S. military identification card that contains the person's photograph; U.S. Citizenship Certificate that contains the person's photograph or U. S. passport. The above identification must be current or have expired no more than 60 days before it is presented for voter qualification at the polling place.

There are several exceptions to the photo voter identification requirement: voters with a disability (requires an exemption application be submitted to the voter registrar); voters who have had a consistent religious objection to being photographed; and voters who do not have any photo identification as a result of certain natural disasters as declared by the president of the United States or the Texas governor that occurred not earlier than 45 days from the day the ballot was cast.

The new law creates a "cure period" for a voter who does not qualify for an exemption and votes a provisional ballot due to the fact that the voter did not present a valid form of photo identification at the polls. A person who votes a provisional ballot due to failure to present photo identification has up to six days (calendar days) after the election to present appropriate photo identification. If the provisional voter presents the photo identification to the county voter registrar within the six-day period and meets all other requirements, then the provisional ballot must be accepted.

## RLHS grads to meet October 1

Several Robert Lee High School graduating classes will meet Saturday, October 1, 2011. This is the same day as the Robert Lee Street Affair.

Ex-students should have been notified of their class meeting by one of the following representatives: 1945 – Jamie Boren; 1946 – Ava



**Home Destroyed in Fire!** This house, owned by Hal Gill, was destroyed in a fire last Saturday night. The recreation home was located on Lake Dam Road at Oak Creek Lake. The cause of the fire appears to be electrical.

Davis; 1947 – Inez Harper; 1948 – Maudie Conley; or 1949 – Bill Blair.

If you were not contacted about the lunch at Noel & Co., you are encouraged to make reservations by Wednesday, September 21, by calling Maudie Conley at (325) 453-2040. All cancellations must be received by Saturday, September 24.

Some of the above classes are meeting on the courthouse lawn before, during and after the lunch. Visitation at Noel & Co. (without lunch) will be from 10 am to 1 pm and 2 pm to 4 pm.

## Class of 1971 40th Year Class Reunion slated

The RLHS class of 1971 will have their 40th year class reunion September 16 and 17 during homecoming.

The class will participate in the homecoming parade and attend the pep rally, dinner

and game. They will get together after the game and Saturday night for more reminiscing.

For more information, call Sheri Millican at 453-2667.

## Concho Valley College Night slated

The Concho Valley College Night will be held Tuesday, October 4, from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm in the Junell Center at Angelo State University.

The evening will include a

Financial Aid Forum from 7-7:45 pm in the VIP Room at the Junell Center. This is a perfect opportunity to have your financial aid questions answered by representatives of ASU's Financial Aid office.

This evening provides students with a chance to speak to representative of colleges and universities from all over. Get the information to allow you to choose the perfect school for you.

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