

# THE OBSERVER/ ENTERPRISE



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### County Library to host book sale

The Coke County Library will be holding a book sale on Saturday, September 23, from 9 am until 4 pm. The event will be held at the Family Life Center of First United Methodist Church in Robert Lee.

There will be plenty of kid's books, inspirational books, Christian novels, biographies, cookbooks, classics, mysteries, thrillers, and some large print books.

### Swine Validation Tags due by September 25

It is that time of year again to order swine validation tags for FFA and 4-H members planning on exhibiting swine projects at the Coke County Show and the major stock shows.

Any barrow must have a state validation tag to be eligible to enter Fort Worth, San Angelo, San Antonio, Houston, or Austin stock shows. Also, any

gilt must have a state validation tag to be able to participate in the CTBR Stars of Texas gilt show at the San Angelo Stock show.

You can contact your Agriscience teacher or the Coke County Extension office to place your tag order. Tags cost \$15 each and must be paid for prior to validating the animals. Tag orders are due by Monday, September 25, 2017, to the swine validation chairman. Swine validation will be held in November and will be set by the county stock show board of directors.

### Stop Smoking Workshop slated for September 25

According to the American Lung Association, cigarette smoking is the number one cause of preventable disease and death worldwide. Do you want to Kick the Habit? If the answer is yes and maybe, please join us for a stop smoking

## WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Friday, September 22

High School Football -  
Bronte at McCamey, 7:30 pm  
Robert Lee at Ira, 7:30 pm  
Blackwell vs Rotan, 7:30 pm

### Saturday, September 23

Coke County Library Book Sale, 9 am - 4 pm,  
Family Life Center, First United Methodist Church, Robert Lee  
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High School Volleyball -  
Bronte at Sterling City, 12 noon, JV, Varsity

### Monday, September 25

Stop Smoking Workshop, 2:30 pm - 4 pm, Robert Lee Rec Center  
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Junior High Volleyball - Bronte vs Paint Rock, 5:30 pm  
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Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting, 6 pm,  
First Baptist Church, Bronte  
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Bronte Volunteer Fire Department Meeting,  
7 pm, Bronte City Hall

### Tuesday, September 26

Commissioners Court, 9 am, County Courthouse  
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High School Volleyball -  
Bronte at Miles, 4:45 pm, 9th, JV, Varsity

### Thursday, September 28

Junior High Football -  
Bronte at Irion County, 5 pm  
Robert Lee at Highland, 5:30 pm  
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JV Football -  
Robert Lee at Highland, 7 pm

### Friday, September 29

Junior High Football - Blackwell at Moran, 5:30 pm  
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High School Football -  
Bronte vs Irion County, 7:30 pm, \*Homecoming\*  
Robert Lee vs Highland, 7:30 pm, \*Homecoming\*  
Blackwell at Moran, 7:30 pm

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## FOOTBALL FRIDAY NIGHT!



Robert Lee Steers  
vs. Ira Bulldogs

Friday, September 22, 2017

7:30 pm

Ira

Bronte Longhorns  
vs. McCamey Badgers

Friday, September 22, 2017

7:30 pm

McCamey



Blackwell Hornets  
vs. Rotan Yellowhammers

Friday, September 22, 2017

7:30 pm

Blackwell

workshop where we will explore reasons and ways to quit smoking.

Since the fear of weight gain is the reason many people do not want to quit smoking. Agrilife Agent Kandace Everitt will be giving healthy eating tips along with food demonstrations.

This workshop will be held September 25, from 2:30 pm until 4 pm at the Robert Lee Recreation Center.

Please RSVP to Wesley Nurse, Bonnita Bale, RN at (325) 473-2069 and leave your name and number.

### Blood Drive slated for September 28

The First United Methodist Church in Bronte will be hosting a blood drive on Thursday, September 28. The United Blood Services Bloodmobile will be at the Mini-Park in Bronte from 10 am until 1:15 pm.

Contact Bonnita Bale at (325) 288-1413 to sign up.

### RLISD Homecoming set for September 29

Robert Lee ISD will host their homecoming Friday, September 29, 2017, facing off against the Highland Hornets at 7:30 pm. The theme for this year is "Send the Hornets Home". The school will have the following dress up days for the week of homecoming: Monday,

September 25 - Home Run (Sports Attire), Tuesday, September 26 - Home Grown (Farmer Attire), Wednesday, September 27 - Homies Day (Match with Yo Friend), Thursday, September 28 - Home Away from Home (Tourist Attire), Friday, September 29 - Home Sweet Home (Steer Shirts).

The schedule of homecoming festivities for the week includes the Lighting of the Letters on Wednesday, September 27, at 8 am. The event will be held in the back parking lot of the high school. The junior high and JV football teams will play in Highland at 5:30 pm and 7 pm respectively. The rest of the homecoming activities will take place on Friday, September 29, beginning with the parade at 2 pm, starting at the courthouse and ending at the high school. The community is invited to participate in the parade with floats or other entries. There will be prizes for 1st - 4th place and will be judged by members of the community. This will be followed by the pep rally at 2:40 pm in the old gym, with the "Exes Tea" hosted by the Beta Club immediately after. The FCCLA Fajita Dinner is set for 5 pm - 7 pm and tickets can be purchased from any FCCLA member or at the door. The football pre-game event will take

place at 7 pm, with the homecoming ceremony to be held during halftime of the football game.

### Bronte ISD

### Homecoming scheduled for September 29-30

Bronte ISD Homecoming will be held Friday, September 29. Festivities will kick off with the pep rally at 3 pm in the middle gym, followed by a tailgate dinner in the old gym at 5 pm. The Bronte Longhorns will then face the Irion County Hornets at 7:30 pm. The parade will then be held Saturday, September 30, at 6 pm.

### Street Affair set for September 30

The Robert Lee Street Affair will host a BBQ Cook Off, Car Show, and Street Dance on Saturday, September 30, in downtown Robert Lee.

### Linens of Love Clothes Closet

### updates open hours

The Linens of Love Clothes Closet, inside the First Baptist Church in Bronte has updated their hours.

They will be open Monday through Thursday, from 8 am until 11 am and 1 pm - 2 pm. They are also open the second Saturday of each month from 9 am - 12 noon. There is no charge for the clothes offered.