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Fall Festival set for October 19

The Coke County Youth Ministry will host a Fall Festival on Saturday, October 19. The event will be held from 5 pm until 8 pm at the Robert Lee High School tennis court parking lot. There will be games, food booths, and prizes. For more information, call

(325) 453-1137.

Kid Fish Event slated for October 19

The third annual Bronte Kid Fish event is set for Saturday, October 19, 2024, from 8 am to 12 noon at Lake Knierim (Old City Lake) in Bronte. Bait, tackle, and lunch/snacks/drinks will be provided. This event is provided for children up to age sixteen (16) in Coke and surrounding counties. No fishing license is required for children under the age of seventeen. Parents are highly encouraged to attend with children. Volunteers will be on hand to assist with rigging tackle, baiting, and fish removal. Participants are welcome to take their catch home. Prizes will be awarded for biggest fish, biggest bag, etc.

Bronte Kid Fish is now a nonprofit organization and is accepting donations to help with this event. Donations can be made at Bronte Guns and Tackle at 103 W. Main St. or at PO Box 151, Bronte, Texas 76933. Tax deductible donation forms available upon request. Bronte Kid Fish board of directors are Dan Waddell, president; Tim Smith, vicepresident; and Jennifer Addona, treasurer/secretary.

Bronteoberfest slated for October 19

The 10th annual Bronteoberfest will be held on Saturday, October 19, at the park in Bronte.

The event will have a variety of activities including food trucks, shopping, cook-offs, live music, and much more.

The Fall Classic Car Show will be held in the bank parking lot from 9 am until 1 pm.

The much loved "Running of the Wieners" will be held at 2:30 pm. New this year will include a panel of judges at check-in to determine if your "wiener" is at least 50% Dachshund. The goal is to stick to the rules and have Dachshunds racing Dachshunds. If your fur baby doesn't make the cut, there are plans to have a race for the other dogs.

A new event this year wil he a Kid's Hamburger Cook-off with a junior division for those ages 4 - 12 and a senior division for 9 -12 year olds. Kid cooks do not have to be registered under a team so the event is open to all kids.

The Beer Stein Holding Contest will be held at 3:15 pm under the pavilion with registration beginning at 3 pm.

Live music concerts will begin at 6 pm with Coke County's own Kickapoo Creek Band, as well as local favorite McGinn of Dolly Shine fame. The headliner for this year's event is Cory Morrow.

Registration is now open for cook off teams, vendors, and food trucks. This can be done online at

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Annual Hunting & Fishing Guide set for October 25

The 2024 Coke and surrounding counties Hunting and Fishing Guide will be published in the October 25 edition of *The Observer/ Enterprise.*

The deadline for pictures, advertising and editorial copy is Monday, October 14. If you have pictures of wildlife in this area, pictures or stories from last season's hunting and/or fishing, or pictures of this year's bow season, please send them in to be included in this year's issue. All information and pictures may be emailed to ObserverEnterprise@gmail.com

or texted to (325) 277-9210.

For more information or to book advertising, please call/text Morgan at (325) 277-9210.

Stuff from the Pastor

The other day I read about a tourist traveling to Munich, Germany to attend the famous Octoberfest. This individual did not do his do diligence and check to verify the dates of the

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Principal of the Year! Bronte Elementary Principal Jennifer Englert was recently honored as the Region 15 Principal of the Year by the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association.

event. The famous Octoberfest ends the first week of October. The festival does not run the entire month of October. In fact the activities start the last week of September. If you are going to travel that far, it might be a good thing to check out a calendar for better scheduling of events.

Many years ago, in a former life, our regional vice president for the company I worked for was coming to San Angelo for

Area Churches Invite You to Worship

Bronte Bronte Church of Christ PO Box 346 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm Central Baptist Church 324 S. Franklin • Bronte (325) 473-4811 Dale Patterson, Pastor Sun. 10 am Sunday School 11 am & 5 pm Worship First Baptist Church 424 S. Washington • Bronte (325) 473-2331 firstbronte@gmail.com

firstbronte@gmail.com Pastor George Cooper Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School, 10:30 am Worship Wednesday 6 pm - 8 pm Children and Youth **Bronte Methodist Church** Corner of Washington & Holmes

Sun. 11 am Worship, Southside Church of Christ PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston Robert Lee (325) 453-2176 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School 11 am Worship Wed. 6 pm, Worship Northside Church of Christ PO Box 508 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee (325) 453-2685, (325) 763-2118 or (325) 473-1053 Services: Sun. 10 am Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church 601 W. 10th, Robert Lee (325) 365-2687 Rev. Timothy Hayter, Pastor Saturday Vigil Mass 6 pm **Robert Lee Baptist Church** PO Box 493 •22 W. 11th (325) 453-2724 Chris Walls, Pastor Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School 11 am Worship Wed. 6:30 pm, Prayer Meeting Victory Assembly of God (325) 453-2208, PO Box 638 202 E. 6th Street, Robert Lee Rev. Rocky Youngblood, Pastor Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study Coke County **Pecan Baptist** PO Box 542 •12 miles West of Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy (325) 453-2065, Bill Hood, Pastor www.pecanbaptistchurchrl.com Sun. 10 am, Sunday School 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

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Bronte • (325) 650-4836 Pastor Keith Fletcher 10:00 am Sunday School Sun. 11:00 am Worship St. James Catholic Church 215 N. Washington, Bronte (325) 365-2687 Rev. Timothy Hayter, Pastor Sunday Bilingual Mass 8 am **Robert Lee Emmanuel Pentecostal** PO Box 794 • 1004 Hillcrest Pastor Brantly Robertson (972) 841-2009 Sundays 10 am, Wednesdays 7 pm First Methodist Church PO Box 144 •9th & Chadbourne Pastor Gary Karschner Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417

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