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Bird Unperturbed

A goose seems unfazed by Wednesday's launch of an Antares rocket carrying a Cygnus spacecraft from the Mid-Atlantic Regional Spaceport at NASA's Wallops Flight Facility. The spacecraft is carrying supplies to the astronauts aboard the International Space Station.

Poultry Dominates Discussions at Groundwater Meeting

By Linda Cicoira

An environmentalist who was speaking during the public participation portion of the Eastern Shore Groundwater Committee meeting Tuesday asked Tyson Foods to be satisfied with the number of poultry houses it now has in Accomack County.

"We need you on the Shore," Ken Dufty said of the industry. "We're not your enemies." But, "We believe you have enough here. Stop the build-out."

The Tyson representative, Doug Baxter, made no reply but appeared to be accepting Dufty's remarks that his group sees the poultry industry's value. Dufty is head of the activist group, Citizens For Open Government. He

said real estate values have declined because of the influx of poultry houses.

The previous day, the State Water Control Board voted to support stiffer penalties for Tyson Foods for repeated wastewater and stormwater violations at a poultry plant in Temperanceville. The board levied a final penalty of \$30,160 on April 15, compared to an initial proposed penalty of \$16,500.

A report early this month from Delmarva Poultry Industry Inc. stated that the three state chicken industry increased its economic output by 18.6 percent in the past five years by producing 4.3 billion pounds of chicken worth \$3.4 billion in 2018. The 20,425

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Neighbors Say 'I Don't' to Wedding Venue Proposal

By Stefanie Jackson

All Linda Cleaveland wanted to do was host weddings on her 65-acre property with its view of Nassawadox Creek.

Northampton's senior planner, Kelley Lewis Parks, assisted her with the zoning application, and Cleaveland believed she was prepared to face the planning commission at the April 2 public hearing on the proposed event venue.

But she was not prepared for what the chairman of Northampton's board of supervisors, Spencer Murray, said "sounded more like an inquisition than it did a hearing."

"I apologize for that on behalf of the board and the staff," he said at the

April 9 supervisors meeting.

Planning commission staff "did not ask you all the questions that you should possibly have been asked" beforehand, Murray said.

Planning commissioner Janet Sturgis had said the application was unacceptable because it was incomplete. For example, neither a professionally drawn plat nor an aerial photo of the property bearing Parks' handwritten notes and drawings included all the required information.

At a second public hearing held by supervisors April 9, several neighbors of Linda Cleaveland and her husband,

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employees of the industry earned \$784 million in wages in 2018, and the region's 1,302 chicken growers earned \$268 million in contract income. In total, income earned by employees and farmers associated with Delmarva's chicken industry was \$1.05 billion.

"We're not going to be able to tell the poultry people or anybody how to run their business," said Chairman John Coker, who is also a Northampton supervisor. "I'm certainly not going to tell somebody how to run their business. ... I don't know when enough is enough. I don't think the scientists can tell us. We're waiting for the scientists to tell us what really is going to happen to our water. We don't know yet. We all have our gut feelings."

"That's why we've been working so hard to promote the Columbia" aquifer, said Britt McMillan, the groundwater committee's hydrogeologist. McMillan

was referring to the committee's request that high water consumers take from the aquifer that replenishes the fastest. But only a few have done so.

A Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) water withdrawal permit in Painter was discussed because the vegetable packing facility has promised to take 80 percent of its water needs from the Columbia.

An informational session about all the pending DEQ groundwater withdrawal permits will be held at 6 p.m., April 30, Nandua High School. Public hearings will follow on other dates.

Also discussed briefly was an Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) report on local Toxic Release Inventory (TRI) that was included in the committee's agenda packet.

McMillan referred to them as "nebulous," or vague, because it "doesn't tell whether it is a problem or not." He noted that the list is a "good place to start."

The majority of the releases were for nitrate which is not considered as dangerous as metals.

A staff summary showed "five jurisdictions report more on-site releases than Accomack County. They are Montgomery, Covington, Chesterfield, Hopewell, and Isle of Wight. Perdue releases almost 13 times as much as Tyson and is responsible for 92.7% of TRI released in Accomack County."

Peracetic acid, a bleaching agent for food starch and a component of antimicrobial washes for poultry carcasses and fruit is among the newer releases being seen. Baxter said the federal government requires its use. The staff characterized it as "a strong oxidizing agent and severe irritant to the skin, eyes, and respiratory system."

The toxics releases as related to each facility are:

Perdue:

- 1.07 million pounds nitrate compounds, up from 699,640 in 2016, and more than double from 2015.
- 76 pounds peracetic acid to water, up from 29 pounds in 2016,
- 75,900 pounds hydrogen sulfide to air,

down from 83,880 pounds in 2016.

Tyson:

- 56,996 pounds nitrate compounds to water, up from 31,053 pounds in 2016, and 22,332 pounds in 2015
- 30,441 pounds ammonia to air, up from 2,736 pounds in 2016
- 580 pounds of peracetic acid to air, up from 0.

KMX Chemical:

- 3,680 pounds ethylene glycol, up (up from 750 pounds) to air
- 346 pounds methanol, up from 250 pounds) to air

NASA-Wallops Flight Facility:

- 526 pounds polycyclic aromatic compounds are managed on-site via recycling compared to none in previous years.
- In 2015, there were air releases of 27 pounds of chromium and 246.07 pounds of lead.
- In 2016, there was an air release of 88 pounds of lead.
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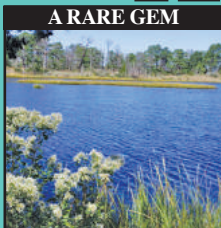
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Furness Will Not Seek Reappointment After Term Expires June 30

By Stefanie Jackson

Accomack school board member Audrey Furness announced Tuesday night that she will not seek reappointment, and her term will expire June 30.

She had four words of advice for the school board: "Hard work pays off."

It's a message she has also used to inspire many of the youth she has encountered through the years. Her time on the Accomack school board has spanned more than 30 years and eight superintendents.

"You all must continue to work together as a team and really respect each other at all times in order to always ... do what's best for our children," she told the school board.

Furness said even though she will no longer be a member of the board after June 30, she will continue to help in any way possible.

"You all know that I love you and everyone and everything that is a part of Accomack County's education," she said.

"Accomack County's better off for having you serve as many years as you have," Chairman Paul Bull said, and

Vice Chairman Ronnie Holden also offered words of thanks and appreciation to Furness.

Due to health concerns, Furness has not been attending school board meetings in person. An Accomack school division policy allows board members to participate in meetings remotely via audio connection.

The school board selection committee must appoint Furness' replacement. Accomack citizens voted "yes" in 2017 for an elected school board, but the first school board election will not occur until November.

Three parents of Accomack students requested exemptions from a policy that prevents children from taking advanced placement (AP) classes unless they are at least 16 years old and either a junior or senior.

Courtney Harned, of Melfa, said, "Age does not indicate academic maturity. GPA (grade point average) and academic performance are accurate indicators of preparedness for the rigors of college courses."

All sophomores should have the op-

portunity to take AP classes through the Virtual Virginia online program, Harned said. Her son has at least a 3.5 GPA and has achieved advanced scores on the SOLs (Standards of Learning tests).

Elbert Adamos, of Onancock, is the parent of a straight-A student who wants to take Virtual Virginia AP courses next year as a 14-year-old sophomore. The student, whose birthday is in December, is the youngest in his class.

T.J. Johnson, of Accomac, also has a child who would like to take AP courses as a sophomore. He called Virtual Virginia an "excellent program ... just for us. It's designed for rural Virginians, it's not designed for the big city and suburban schools. It's about equity."

The school board granted exceptions for all three students.

Director of Secondary Education Karen Taylor said according to the policy in question, a student must be at least 16 or a junior, not necessarily both, to take AP classes. The policy

will be reviewed next week, she said.

Connie Burford, who belongs to the Nandua High School after-prom committee, asked if the school division has a policy regarding funds raised by parents and community members. Her recent request for \$108 to buy decorations, out of \$13,000 raised, was denied. Holden said the superintendent would contact her.

Chief of Operations Mike Tolbert updated the school board on another of Burford's ideas, livestreaming videos of graduations for students' family and friends who cannot attend in person.

Tolbert said the program will not begin this year, because even though the school division has all the required audio equipment, it lacks video equipment.

Tolbert added that the school division pays a company to livestream audio at 24 events per year, all school board meetings, and it has not yet quoted a price to livestream video at another three to five events.

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John Cleaveland, spoke in objection to the proposal, mostly because of noise and traffic concerns.

Mark Shaffer said Wellington Neck is a “quiet, residential area.” Many residents walk and bike for exercise and the road is not wide enough to accommodate the number of vehicles a wedding venue would bring.

“I was always under the understanding that this is a residential area. I never once dreamt that there could be a business put in down Wellington Neck Road that would allow this influx of traffic,” Shaffer said.

The area is zoned agricultural-rural business and an event venue is allowed with a major special-use permit.

Evelyn Witick, the Cleavelands’ nearest neighbor, called the amplified music played at weddings “deafening,” and she is “totally opposed” to the proposal.

Alfred Burger said, “I came here to retire, I don’t want to have noise” in “our quaint little neighborhood.”

Planning Commissioner Glen An-

ders calculated that 100 decibels of noise on the Cleaveland property would fade out to about 39 decibels as it traveled 1,149 feet across Nassawadox Creek.

According to Northampton’s ordinances, outside noise should not be heard inside a residence above 55 decibels after 10 p.m., and it should not be heard outside on private property above 75 decibels after 11 p.m.

Nancy Bisker speculated that the Cleavelands may be planning to build a marina, and they may allow guests to arrive by plane and land on the Cleavelands’ private, grass airstrip. She further speculated that the couple is seeking to increase the value of the property in hopes of selling it.

But none of the neighbors were as vocal as Roberta Kellam, who said she revoked her support of the Cleaveland’s proposal based on misrepresentations made by John Cleaveland.

“This would transform a current residential conservation property into a full-fledged commercial venue with noise, music, potentially fireworks, traffic, and the potential for intoxicated clientele,” she said.

The concept is not in compliance with the county’s comprehensive plan, which encourages commercial development in towns and villages, not down residential necks, Kellam said.

She disagreed with Parks’ assessment that the Cleavelands’ land could be considered a “historic heritage” property.

Allowing the property an exception to the zoning code would result in “spot zoning” and set a dangerous precedent, Kellam asserted.

She referred to the Cleavelands as an “elderly couple with no known prior experience running an event venue.”

“We balance very carefully the rights of a property owner and the rights of adjacent property owners, and sometimes it’s a very delicate balance, and sometimes ... you need the wisdom of Solomon to find the answer,” Murray said.

In an April 3 email to Parks, Linda Cleaveland, a former wedding planner from Richmond, stated she wants to hold 20 to 30 events per year, an estimation consistent with her statement at the April 2 planning commission meeting that she would like to host about one wedding per week from May through September.

The email also stated Cleaveland wants to host between 150 and 200 guests per event – not up to 500 guests as suggested by Parks’ notes on the zoning application.

Parks used a maximum of 500 guests per event as a general guideline when determining how much space was available on the property for parking. Another wedding venue, the Elkington estate that occupies 500 acres in Eastville, was permitted for a maximum of 500 guests.

Elkington Events is owned and operated by Elizabeth Dodd Russell, whose family can be traced back 13 generations on the Eastern Shore, according to the business’ website.

As Murray reviewed the details of Cleaveland’s proposal, Supervisor Robert Duer interjected, “Did we ask Elkington do to all this?”

“I don’t believe we did,” Murray said.

“Why are we going to let one person ... not do anything and then run the other one through the ringer?” Duer asked.

Not all of the Cleavelands’ close neighbors oppose the event venue. Patricia Boyer, an adjacent property owner, said, “I have no objection at all.”

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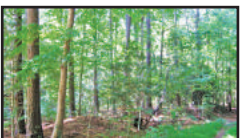
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She pointed out that water or air traffic would not be a problem because large vessels cannot navigate Nassawadox Creek and the Cleavelands' airstrip is only permitted for private use. Boyer recalled fewer than a half-dozen landings on the air strip within the last 20 years or more.

Regarding traffic and noise concerns, horse shows have been held in Wellington Neck, and many horse trailers have been driven down the road to the events that featured sound and music played through loudspeakers, and "as far as I know, nobody complained," Boyer said.

Denise Apple said, "So many people do not know how beautiful the Eastern Shore of Virginia is." She enjoys the peace and quiet of the neighborhood but also would like the Cleavelands to be able to share the beauty of the land with others and help them make "special memories."

Dr. Federico Molera noted neighbors objected when John Cleaveland's private airstrip was approved, but Molera recalls only one plane ever landing there. The neighbors' objection to the event venue is "exactly the same," he said.

He doesn't believe Linda Cleaveland will get enough business to hold 20 weddings per year, "but I hope she does, because she will bring people to the Eastern Shore that will buy houses around the neck" to enjoy the land and lifestyle.

When Murray recalled Cleaveland to the lectern, she said a recent phone call with Kellam resulted in a "total misunderstanding" of the proposed business and that Kellam said the Cleavelands would win "over her dead body" and hung up on her.

"This is a woman who's running for your seat, Mr. Murray," Cleaveland said.

Kellam did not deny the accusations. "Mrs. Cleaveland is just as aggressive in her way of speaking to me as I was to her," she said.

"We're going to have the drunks vomiting at our driveway ... relieving themselves at our driveway." Kellam said she has even caught tourists having sexual intercourse in her driveway.

"I don't find it very funny," she added, accusing supervisors of laughing about the situation.

Supervisor John Coker, who serves on the Eastern Shore of Virginia Tour-

ism Commission, felt "conflicted" because "this is clearly something that enhances tourism in the county."

Murray advised Linda Cleaveland to ensure the planning commission re-

ceived all the information that Cleaveland shared with supervisors April 9.

Supervisors will vote on the matter after receiving a recommendation from the planning commission.

OPIOID LAWSUIT MOVED TO US DISTRICT COURT

Accomack County's lawsuit that blamed 53 pharmaceutical companies for the local opioid epidemic and asks for \$58.6 million in damages was moved from the county circuit court to U.S. District Court in Norfolk last week upon the request of two of the companies.

Specgx LLC and Mallinckrodt LLC entered the notice of removal April 10 in Norfolk, just five days after the lawsuit was initially filed in Accomack. The fee to move the case was \$400.

Defendants are permitted to move the case without argument.

The case was assigned to District Judge Rebecca Beach Smith and referred to Magistrate Judge Robert J. Krask. The county has demanded a jury be impaneled to hear the allegations.

"Accomack County has been hit hard by the opioid epidemic," according to documents filed by Accomack County Attorney Cela J. Burge and lawyers from firms in Norfolk, Va., Texas, and Tennessee.

Correction

Katelynn Sterling, the young woman who was the subject of an anti-drug film, died while hospitalized from complications of heroin addiction. We incorrectly reported she died of a heroin overdose and regret the error.

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New Fire Marshal Orders \$55,300 Northampton High Repairs

By Stefanie Jackson

The first inspection of Northampton High School by a new fire marshal resulted in \$55,300 of required improvements, Northampton County Finance Director John Chandler revealed earlier this month.

"I got a stupid question. What are the consequences if we don't (make the improvements)?" Supervisor Robert Duer asked.

Northampton schools superintendent Eddie Lawrence said the school would be closed.

"That's what I wanted you to say," Duer said.

The \$55,300 did not include the cost of additional improvements that were ordered by the fire marshal and are being disputed.

Equipment that is being replaced or upgraded includes smoke detectors, sprinklers, fire panels, emergency lights, and ballasts that regulate current to the lights.

Northampton supervisors passed the proposed budget appropriation unanimously.

The structural investigation of Northampton High School officially began March 19 with a kickoff meeting at-

tended by Waller, Todd, and Sadler, the architectural firm awarded the job.

Also present were the Lynch Mykins structural engineering firm and representatives of the Northampton school board, board of supervisors, and county administration.

As of April 1, assessments of the high school's roof, interior, and mechanical, electrical, and plumbing systems were complete. The assessment of the building's exterior was about 50% complete.

The written report on the investigation is expected in early to mid-May, or approximately six to eight weeks after the investigation's start.

Principal Ron Yorke, of Nandua Middle School, and Principal Shirley Auguste, of Occohannock Elementary School, updated the school board on their respective school improvement plans.

Yorke's plan for improving students' reading skills revolves around the Level Literacy Intervention (LLI). The intervention groups students together who read at the same level and "puts real books in kids' hands," he has said.

Four times per week, 39 middle schoolers receive the intervention, and once a

week, their progress is monitored by having the students read aloud and answer questions about the material.

Of 39 students, 29, or 74%, have had a "good response," meaning they have shown growth. Of those 29 students, 16, or more than half, have advanced and are now being monitored for comprehension rather than reading fluency.

Nine students have had a "questionable response," meaning their reading performances fluctuate, although they appear to be on a gradual upward trend.

Only one student has had a "poor response," showing no signs of improvement and needing an alternate intervention.

There are also 35 middle schoolers receiving one of two math interventions, Number Worlds and IXL Math.

The school division is seeking a math progress monitoring tool. Math remediation success is currently tracked through whole group worksheets.

Auguste focused on another aspect of school improvement – encouraging positive behaviors – with an update on the Check In Check Out program.

Participating students keep a list of

goals, and periodically throughout the day, they check in with adults who monitor their progress and provide encouragement.

Students earn 0 to 2 points for their performance in each area, up to 30 points per day.

Of 25 participating students, 20 are meeting or exceeding behavior expectations by 80% or more.

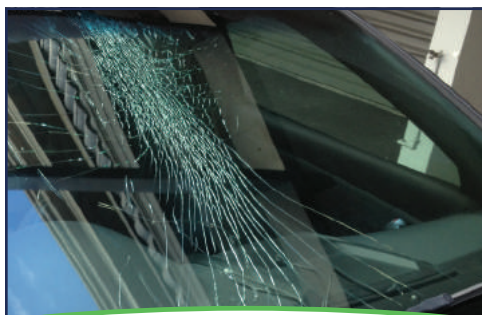
Auguste shared data showing students are gradually moving into higher academic tiers, in which Tier 1 students need the least help and Tier 3 students need the most help.

For reading, in grades three to six, one or two students from each grade entered Tier 1, and one or more students in each grade left Tier 3.

Those numbers seem small, but they mean that groups of Tier 3 students decreased by as much as 25%.

Auguste also noted the positive impact of reducing student absences and showing appreciation for students when they're present.

Because of a new focus on relationships, Auguste said, students that used to drag their feet when they arrived at school now run up to her for a high five.



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Court Postings

By Linda Cicaira

Accused Shooter Case Not Prosecuted

Quanta Mapp identified two of the three men who threatened and then shot him in his yard in March 2018 while his son sat in his nearby car. The gunmen were wearing masks but he recognized them and when he told them he knew who they were, they revealed themselves, Mapp said.

Even so, the jury trial that was scheduled for Thursday and Friday of this week was called off. Commonwealth's Attorney Spencer Morgan didn't think he could get a conviction for James Ernest Logan, 35, of Woodland Park Avenue, in Accomack. The case has not been dismissed so the charges could be brought back up.

"We're going to continue to look at the evidence," Morgan said. "One day we would like to say it is sufficient."

At a recent preliminary hearing, Mapp, who lived on Seaside Road in Painter, testified that his son had gotten in the car and popped the trunk so Mapp could place a fuel container inside before they went to the store. Mapp heard shouting over his shoulder and said he turned to find the three masked men pointing guns at him. The men began asking about money or drugs. Mapp said he is not connected to such activity and works at Tyson.

Edward Warner "Meatloaf" Byrd, 36, of Airport Drive in Melfa, then ordered another of the gunman to shoot, Mapp said. The victim ran away from the car so a stray bullet would not hit his son. The boy was not injured.

On April 1, Byrd was indicted in connection with the incident. A trial date has not yet been set. Both men are charged with robbery, malicious wounding, and use of a firearm.

Mapp first got shot in the arm, with the bullet going through to his stomach. Then he was shot in the head, he said. His son was not injured. Mapp said he knew the men by their voices and denied figuring out who they were based on rumors he later heard.

Mapp testified he was able to get inside his house when the men ran out of ammunition. "He started shooting at my house and shot me in the head," he said of Byrd. "I thought I was dead. My son was still in the car."

Bloxom Man Charged With Rape of Juvenile, Other Sex Crimes

A 74-year-old Bloxom man is being held in Accomack Jail without bond after being charged with eight sex crimes including the rape and sodomy of a juvenile, according to a clerk at the county juvenile and domestic relations court.

Samuel Nock, of Hinman Street, is accused of the offenses alleged to have occurred between Sept. 30, 2018, and March 24. A reporter was permitted to ask questions about the case but was not allowed to see the file because it involves a minor.

Nock was charged with rape by force or threat, three counts of aggravated sexual battery by force/weapon, two counts of sodomy of a helpless victim, and two counts of object sexual penetration by force.

Nock was arrested April 11. He hired James Broccoletti, of Norfolk, to defend him. An August preliminary hearing was scheduled.

Maryland Woman Sentenced for Copper Wire Thefts

A Maryland woman was sentenced last week in Accomack Circuit Court to 24 years in prison for stealing green copper wire that belonged to the Accomack-Northampton Electric Cooperative (ANEC).

All but 12 months was suspended for Amanda Lea Grover Snyder, 35, of Costen Road in Westover. The thefts occurred between Aug. 1 and Oct. 4, 2018. Snyder was ordered to complete a 42-48 week corrective program within a year and to make restitution of \$23,710.25.

In another case, Jean Denis Adolphe, 46, of First Lane in Onley, pleaded guilty to malicious wounding of Jean Louis Augustine on April 17, 2018. The court record stated Augustine was hit with a prybar. Adolphe told police he hit the victim with a

rock. A criminal history and guidelines were ordered. Sentencing was scheduled for June 6.

In another case, Felix Junior Reid, 36, of Jackson Street in Parksley, was sentenced to five years in prison with all but six months suspended for failing to register as a violent sex offender on March 10, 2016.

Wade Matthew Summerville, 58, of Parsons Road in Greenbush, was sentenced to 10 years for a third or subsequent offense of distribution of cocaine. All but three years and two months was suspended. Summerville was put on indefinite probation and 10 years of good behavior. He could have been sentenced to life in prison and given a fine of up to \$500,000.

Shaniqua Kiara Holland, 27, of John Cane Road in Parksley, was sentenced to three years in prison with all but five days suspended for embezzling property from Food Lion, in Oak Hall, between June 4 and 30, 2016. She was ordered to be on unsupervised probation and good behavior for three years. Restitution of \$1,047.58 was ordered.

Macavis Rice, 31, of Saxis Road in Temperanceville, was convicted of burglary at the home of Benita Brown Aug. 11, 2018. A presentence report was ordered. Sentencing was set for May 23.

Five Charged With Felonies

Five Accomack men were arrested recently and charged with felonies, according to records filed in the county general district court.

Deandre Arness Abbott, 27, of Woodland Park Avenue in Parksley, was charged with eluding police in a high-speed chase that started as the driver left Royal Farms, in Onley, Tuesday.

Cpl. C. Hodgson, of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office (ACSO), wrote in the file that he clocked a vehicle going more than 90 mph. When he caught up with it, at the Whispering Pines intersection, it was going between 108 and 110 mph. The vehicle passed the Perdue Farms plant before slowing down and turning on Woodland Park Avenue. The driver then lost control of the vehicle, went into a field, regained control, stopped, and got out and ran.

Hodgson chased him for about 100 yards before Abbott fell to the ground, the deputy wrote.

Abbott is being held in Accomack Jail without bond. A June 10 preliminary hearing was scheduled.

In another case, Jonathan Gene Mears, 32, of Lankford Highway in Nelsonia, was charged with making a fraudulent promise to perform a construction job with advance payment from Danial Bell Jr. In September 2018, the file states, Mears received \$7,600 as partial payment for the work. Bell complained that Mears did minimal work and that what was done was unacceptable. Deputy Sean Lenhoff, of ACSO, investigated.

The charge was filed April 4. Secured bond was set at \$750. A June preliminary hearing was scheduled.

Leeshawn Lamar Davis, 30, of Matthews Street in Bloxom, was charged with possession of a Schedule I or II drug on April 9. He was arrested the same day. Deputy G. Lewis, of ACSO, investigated. Secured bail was set at \$1,500.

Donald Gene Failing, 46, of Davis Road in New Church, was charged with obtaining a credit card without the owner's consent in connection with a Nov. 5, 2015, incident. He was arrested April 9. Secured bond was set at \$3,000. The Chincoteague Police Department investigated.

Willie Wayne Hall, 58, of Deerfoot Road in Melfa, was charged, on April 9, with possession of cocaine and possession of cocaine while in possession of a firearm. Hall was arrested the same day. Secured bond was set at \$5,000. Deputy Julian Sharp, of ACSO, investigated.

New York Man Pleads Guilty to Drug Charges

A New York man pleaded guilty Monday to felony drug charges in Northampton Circuit Court.

John Ross Taveras, 30, of University Avenue in the Bronx, pleaded guilty to possession of psilocybin, also known as mushrooms, and ecstasy, and possession with intent to distribute LSD. The incidents occurred Sept. 3, 2018. A presentence report was ordered. Sentencing was set for June 24.

OBITUARIES

John W. Conquest Jr.

Mr. John W. Conquest Jr., 72, of Hallwood, passed away peacefully at his home Sunday, April 14, 2019, with his family by his side.

The son of the late John William and Anita Hughes Conquest, Mr. Conquest was born March 28, 1947, in Nassawadox. He graduated from Hargrave Military Academy in 1965, and continued his education at Goldey-Beacom College in Wilmington, Del., and Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Va.

A third-generation farmer, Mr. Conquest spent more than half his life farming. Although growing crops was his passion, he particularly enjoyed raising Angus cattle and showing and racing horses. Mr. Conquest played a vital role in the foundation of the Eastern Shore Agri-Fair in the 1980s and was a 4-H leader in northern Accomack County.

Since the mid-1990s, Mr. Conquest managed the grounds maintenance at NASA Wallops Flight Facility and the Navy Surface Combat Systems Center on Wallops Island.

Mr. Conquest was a long-time active member of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 12-06, serving over 30 years with distinction in various division and flotilla leadership positions. As captain of the Eastern Shore's Division 12, he was responsible for the five Eastern Shore flotillas and their 170 members. Mr. Conquest was distinguished with numerous awards, including four Coast Guard Unit Commendations and four Sustained Auxiliary Service Awards, to name a few. He had a passion for boating safety, devoting hundreds of hours teaching safe boating classes to countless boaters, and conducting vessel safety checks for both recreational and commercial fishing vessels. His role in Eastern Shore boating safety was significant to the U.S. Coast Guard, the Coast Guard Auxiliary, and those on the waters of the Eastern Shore.

An avid outdoorsman, Mr. Conquest spent endless hours hunting waterfowl and fishing the waters of the Eastern Shore and Chesapeake Bay. He was a longtime member of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Ducks Unlimited Chapter and Eastern Shore Anglers Club, was instrumental in developing the annual Kids' Day fishing outings in Saxis and Morley's Wharf; and was the or-

ganizer and captain of the Assawoman Angler's Surf Fishing Team.

Whether it was his membership on the board of trustees at Temperanceville United Methodist Church, or his involvement in his family's business, John W. Taylor Packing Company, Mr. Conquest was a dedicated worker who contributed to his community. He will always be remembered for the time that he spent and the love that he had for his family. His love, kindness, and service will be sorely missed by all.

He is survived by his wife, Janie; daughters, Beth Onley, of New Church, and Amy Taylor and her husband, Dyke, of Centreville, Md.; five grandchildren, Cole, Ryan, and Ashley Charnock, all of Hallwood, and Caroline and Lauren Taylor, of Centreville; and one great-granddaughter, Lorelei Mason Charnock.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at Downings United Methodist Church Saturday, April 20, at 3 p.m., with Pastor Robyn Brown officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Atlantic Volunteer Fire and Rescue Co., P. O. Box 207, Atlantic, VA 23303.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Georgia Engel

Ms. Georgia Engel, of New York, N.Y., was laid to rest at a private graveside service at Cape Charles Cemetery Wednesday, April 17, 2019. Her family read passages from the Bible and Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy. Julia Wade, of New Jersey, sang Amazing Grace.

Ms. Engel was preceded in death by her beloved parents, Vice Adm. Benjamin F. Engel, U.S. Coast Guard, and Ruth Carolyn Engel. She is survived by her sisters, Robin Engel, of Canyon Lake, Texas, and Penny Lusk, of Cheriton; numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins; and two aunts. Ms. Engel was the youngest of the three sisters and showed a talent for dancing and love of theater at a young age. The family moved often. Ms. Engel started school in Kodiak, Alaska, and gradu-



Photo by John Quilty
Mrs. Engel

ated from high school in Washington, D.C., from the Washington School of Ballet in 1966.

After graduating, she performed in summer stock theater before joining her family in Honolulu, Hawaii. She graduated from the University of Hawaii in 1969, majoring in drama. She immediately returned to Washington, D.C., and started her professional career with a stint at the American Light Opera Company. Shortly thereafter she was performing on Broadway.

Her career spanned more than 50 years and included stage, film and television. She is best known for her role as "Georgette" on the Mary Tyler Moore show.

Ms. Engel was a lifelong student of Christian Science and devoted to serving her church, including teaching Sunday School and serving in the Christian Science Reading Room. She was elected first and second reader for her church many times.

She was also a devoted aunt to five nephews, one niece, and 11 great-nieces and nephews, all of whom adored her. She was also devoted to Baby the Cat, her faithful pet of 18 years.

Ms. Engel was born July 28, 1948, in Washington, D.C., and died of natural causes April 12, 2019 in Princeton, N.J. She will be greatly missed.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Arrangements were made by Wilkins-Doughty Funeral Home in Cape Charles.

Norma Pruitt Fletcher

Mrs. Norma Pruitt Fletcher, 90, wife of the late Dorsey Lee Fletcher and a resident of Quinby, passed away on Tuesday, April 16, 2019, at Heritage Hall in Nassawadox.

Born August 28, 1928, in Tangier, she was a daughter of the late Sidney Matthew Pruitt and the late Ona Dise Pruitt. Mrs. Fletcher worked at the former Dulaney Foods in Exmore, attended Smith's Chapel United Methodist Church, and enjoyed bingo and crafts at Heritage Hall, where she made her home the last two years.

Survivors include a daughter, Bar-

bara Harding of Glen Burnie, Md.; two sisters, Violet Mears, of Parksley, and Sidney Ann Davis, of Pocomoke, Md.; a brother, Brooks Dale Pruitt and his wife, Sharon, of Onancock; three grandchildren, Wendy Coggins (Mark), Yvonne Burger (John), and Kelly Harding; three great-grandchildren, David Harding, and Anna and Ava Burger; and many nieces, nephews, and their families. In addition to her husband and parents, she was predeceased by a son, Jerry Edward Fletcher, and three sisters, Sue Brown, Eva Parks and Nancy Horner.

A graveside funeral service will be conducted at the Quinby Cemetery on Monday, April 22, 2019, at 3 p.m.

Memorial donations may be made to Smith's Chapel UMC, P.O. Box 180, Quinby, VA 23423.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

John Huttner Jr.

Mr. John Henry Alvin "JJ" Huttner Jr., 44, of Parksley, passed away April 14, 2019, at his residence.

Born May 27, 1974, in Nassawadox, he was the son of Judy Huttner and the late John Henry Huttner Sr.

When JJ was a pre-teen, he was diagnosed with diabetes. This condition severely affected his life, although he did not permit it to limit him. JJ had a passion for the great outdoors. He was an avid hunter and fishermen, enjoying both fresh and saltwater fishing, and was a member of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Anglers Club. He was also a huge fan of the Dallas Cowboys. Of the various jobs he held, everyone knew he loved working on the water best. Many evenings, JJ could be found at one of the local restaurants, particularly the Club Car Cafe, which had become his recent favorite.

JJ had many personal struggles, but at certain times throughout his life he found comfort in the Christian faith.

Other than his mother, survivors include two daughters, Taylor Huttner, of Parksley, and Rylee Huttner, of Bloxom; two stepsons, Max and Jacen Horne, of Bloxom; sister, Patty Garner and hus-



Mr. Huttner



Mrs. Fletcher

band, Larry, of Parksley; sister, Kim Satterwhite and husband, Bruce, of Bloxom; stepsister, Kristie Annis and husband, Steve, of Parksley; half-sister, Heather Huttner; his wife, Robin Huttner; and five nieces and nephews, Spencer and Ethan Annis, and Darrien, Kaitlyn and Austin Taylor. He was predeceased by his stepbrother, William "W.L." Parks.

JJ was deeply loved by so many, more than he understood. His passing has left heavy hearts and unanswered questions, but many fond memories too, in the hearts of those who loved him so dearly.

Funeral services will be private.

Arrangements were made by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

To sign the guest book online, visit www.thorntonfuneralhome.net

Thomas H. Lewis Jr.

Mr. Thomas H. Lewis Jr., 54, of Melfa, passed away April 13, 2019, at his residence.

Born Aug. 12, 1964, in Newport News, Va., he was the son of Eunice Lewis and the late Thomas H. Lewis Sr. Mr. Lewis was a member of the VFW and loved motorcycles. He also enjoyed painting, building things and fishing.

Other than his mother, survivors include three brothers, Andrew G. Lewis, of Newport News, Robert A. Lewis, of Bloxom, and Michael W. Lewis, of Miami, Fla.; and a sister, Brenda Faye Joyner, of Williamsburg, Va.

A memorial service will be held Friday, April 26, 2019, at 2 p.m. from the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley with Pastor Jack Pruitt officiating.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to the Foodbank of the Eastern Shore, 24530 Coastal Blvd, Tasley, VA 23441.

Arrangements were made by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

To sign the guest book online, visit www.thorntonfuneralhome.net

Royce Adrian Parks

Mr. Royce Adrian Parks, 83, of Exmore, passed away Monday, April 15, 2019, surrounded by his family at his residence in Exmore. His parents were the late Adrian Franklin Parks

and the late Etta Mae Evans Parks.

Mr. Parks retired after working as a salesman for Kellam Distributing Company for many years, worked as a charter boat captain, was a bus driver for Northampton County Schools for over 20 years. He also coached Babe Ruth and Little League for many years. He was a member in Broadwater Lodge #71 AF & AM for more than 50 years, a Ruritan, and a member of Exmore Baptist Church in Exmore. He will be remembered with his willingness to share with everyone his love of his family, the water, fishing, and baseball.

His survivors include one daughter, Rhonda Marsh and her husband, Robert, of Melfa; one son, R.A. Parks and his wife, Kathy, of Virginia Beach, Va.; six grandchildren: Crystal White Foti and her husband, Michael; Robie Marsh and his wife, Nicole; Trey White, Tyler Parks and his wife, Ana; Brandon Parks and his wife, Laura Page; and Jacqueline Sweeney and her husband, Colin; and six great-grandchildren: Dawson Parks, Hayden Parks, Ellie Marsh, Emory Hope Parks, Briggs Marsh, and Ryane Sweeney; and a sister, Jean Harris and her husband, Fred of Exmore.

Mr. Parks was predeceased by his wife, Martha Lee Byrd Parks, and his daughter, Joan Parks Landon.

Graveside services will be held on Friday, April 19, at 11 a.m. at Belle Haven Cemetery in Belle Haven, with the Pastor Jonathan Carpenter officiating. Masonic funeral rites will follow the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Shore Christian Academy Scholarship Fund, 11624 Ochannock Rd., Exmore, VA 23350.

Family and friends may sign the guest book at www.hollandfuneralhome.net

Arrangements were made by the Holland Funeral Home in Nassawadox.

Lois Marshall Payne

Mrs. Lois Marshall Payne passed away at the Masonic Home of Virginia in Richmond on Wednesday, April 10, 2019, at the age of 100 years and eight months. Born August 17, 1918, on the Eastern Shore of Virginia where she lived most of her life, she was the widow of James Harry Payne, and was predeceased by a son, James Harris Payne, and a brother, Glenwood Marshall. Her parents were the late Otho and Estelle Taylor Marshall, and foster parents Absalam and Winnie Marshall Lewis.

She was a loving mother and Nana,

and had a very strong belief in Christian values and Christ. She was a member of Market Street United Methodist Church and Wesley Bible Class, Onancock, and a sister in the Onancock Chapter #82 Order of the Eastern Star, where she held several positions. She was a well-known cosmetologist in Onancock for over 30 years until she retired at the age of 70.

She is survived by a daughter Patricia Kellett (Harry), and a son Danny M. Payne (Joyce); daughter-in-law Joanne Y. Payne; foster brother Richard J. Lewis; grandsons Jay Payne (Chris), Rodney Kilmon (Cindy), Marshall Payne (Kerianne), David Payne (Sam); granddaughters Sharon Schwarzmann (John) and Angela Noe (Mike); great grandsons Daniel Payne (Anna), Ryan Kilmon, Tyler Noe, Gates Schwarzmann and Anthony and Michael Payne; great-granddaughters Lauren Sinclair (Cappy), Courtney Noe-Laudermilch (Brett), Emily Payne, Maggie Schwarzmann, Brayden and Maddie Payne; and two great-great-grandsons Ryder Sinclair and Luke Laudermilch. She is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

A service of celebration will be held at Market Street United Methodist Church, Onancock, Virginia, on Saturday, April 20, 2019 at 12:00 noon. A family visitation and reception will immediately follow the service in the fellowship hall. Everyone is welcome to attend the interment in the Fairview Lawn Cemetery following the reception.

Memorial donations may be made to Market Street United Methodist Church, 75 Market Street, Onancock, Virginia 23417, or to the Masonic Home of Virginia, P.O. Box 7866, Richmond, VA 23231. The family would like to thank the dedicated nurses and staff at the Masonic Home of Virginia who provided such excellent and loving care to Mrs. Payne over the last 13 years.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Virginia Lee Savage

Mrs. Virginia Lee Savage passed away at her residence in Franktown,

on Tuesday, April 9, 2019.

She was born in the home of her grandparent's Lee and Nellie Gladden, in Cape Charles, on March 22, 1935. Her parents were the late Henry Lee Gladden and the late Roxie Lola Massey Gladden.

Mrs. Savage was a member of Franktown United Methodist Church and served in many areas of her church such as the United Methodist Women, Young at Heart, the administrative board, Ladies Fellowship Class, and with the youth. She was very active in the E.S. Emmaus community.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas Jackson Savage Jr; three children, Beth Savage Robins (Russ), Susie Savage Dunton (Frank), and Tommy Savage (Leslie); six grandchildren, Lee Johnson (Billy), Katie Holland (Mike), Suzanne Cin (Phil), Andrew Dunton (Vicky), and Emma and Mary Charlotte Savage; and eight great-grandchildren; Sawyer and Harlin Johnson, Madelyn, Ayden, and Ryland Holland, Cole and Gavin Cin, and Rhian Dunton; two nieces, Amy and Nacole Gladden; and one sister-in-law, Libby Mears.

She was preceded in death by her brother, Henry Lee Gladden Jr.

A funeral service was conducted Saturday, April 13, at 11 a.m. at Franktown United Methodist Church with the Rev. Judy Worthington and the Rev. Alex Joyner officiating.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations may be made to Riverside Shore Hospice, P.O. Box 615, Onley, VA 23418; Alzheimer's Association, Southeastern VA Chapter, 5432 Bayside Rd., Exmore, VA 23350; or to ARC of the Eastern Shore, 3462 Main St., Exmore, VA 23350.

Family and friends may sign the guest book at www.hollandfuneralhome.net

Arrangements were made by the Holland Funeral Home in Nassawadox.

Bernhardt Schroeder

Mr. Bernhardt Schroeder passed away April 16, 2019, at Heritage Inn Memory Care facility in Charlottesville after a valiant fight with dementia and PTSD.

He was born in Manhattan, N.Y., to Margaret and Frank Schroeder in 1947. He attended High School of Music and Arts and Manhattan Conservatory of Music and the Gilbert School for Organ. Mr. Schroeder was an accomplished pianist and organist and served as music director and organist at many churches in New York City and Long Island, as well

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Mrs. Payne



Mrs. Lewis

TOWN OF ONLEY PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town Council of the Town of Onley will conduct a Public Hearing beginning at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, May 6, 2019, at the Onley Baptist Church, 25501 W. Main Street, for the purpose of receiving comments from the members of the public concerning the proposed Town Budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2020. The following is a synopsis of the proposed budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, and ending June 30, 2020:

ESTIMATED REVENUES & OTHER SOURCES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020

General Property Tax	\$ 62,000.00
Other Local Tax	\$ 582,550.00
Fines	\$ 146,000.00
Interest Income	\$ 7,000.00
Miscellaneous Income	\$ 1,200.00
Grant Income	\$ 16,200.00
Law Enforcement Asst.	\$ 11,856.00
Reserve To Balance	\$ 11,745.00
TOTAL	\$ 838,551.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2020

General Government	\$ 267,950.00
Public Works	\$ 120,950.00
Public Safety	\$ 433,451.00
Grant Expense	\$ 16,200.00
TOTAL	\$ 838,551.00

Proposed Fiscal Year 2019-2020 Tax Levy:

No increase in Personal Property Tax & Boats: \$0.30/hd value

No increase in Real Estate: \$0.08/hd value

No increase in Meals Tax

No increase in Transient Occupancy Tax

Business License: \$30.00

Decal Sales:

Cars/Trucks: \$27.00/vehicle

Motorcycles: \$25.00/vehicle

Utility/Boat Trailers: \$8.00/trailer

The regularly scheduled Town Council Meeting will immediately follow the Public Hearing.

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as the United Church of Christ in Sherburne, N.Y., and Franktown Methodist Church on the Eastern Shore of Virginia. He was the keyboard player in several rock-and-roll bands in his teens. He loved music of all genres, but his love was jazz.

Mr. Schroeder worked as a physical therapy aide at Community Memorial Hospital, and as a clinical engineer at Shore Memorial Hospital on the Eastern Shore of Virginia and UVA Medical Center until his retirement in 2012. He would often be heard playing the grand piano in the lobby of UVA Medical Center on his lunch break.

Mr. Schroeder served in the U.S. Air Force and was a Vietnam veteran stationed at Cam Rahn Bay as a master sergeant and chief cargo load master.

He is survived by his devoted wife, Jeannette, and stepdaughter, Cassie Trontoski. He is preceded in death by his parents, Margaret and Frank Schroeder, who passed away in the late 1970s, and an estranged brother, Frank Schroeder.

The family wishes to extend its thanks to the staff of Heritage Inn and the staff of Legacy Hospice who cared for Mr. Schroeder with care and compassion during his transition, allowing him to be in comfort and with dignity.

Thacker Brothers Funeral Service will be in charge of his cremation. There will be no calling hours.

Patricia Ann Stevens

Ms. Patricia Ann Stevens, 70, was ushered across the threshold and into the presence of the Lord Tuesday, April 9, 2019, while surrounded by her loving church family. Born May 30, 1948, in White Plains, N.Y., and reared in Scarsdale, N.Y., she was the daughter of the late William Condit Stevens and Jean Stocker Stevens.

The Stevens family relocated to the Eastern Shore of Virginia in the late 70s and resided in Melfa. Soon after their move, Ms. Stevens began courses to become a geriatric nursing assistant, and upon completion, worked for the Hermitage on the Eastern Shore. She was a long-time member of the Eastern Shore Yacht



Ms. Stevens

& Country Club, and a devoted member of Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church. Ms. Stevens loved her church and her community. She loved to shop and enjoyed her independence. She loved doing things for others, especially her great nieces. Ever the caregiver, she often reached out to friends and family to check up on them. She was a woman of courage, steadfastness, and resilience. Even when the chips were down, she would let everyone know, "I'm doing the best I can." Ms. Stevens will be fondly remembered for her fearless and bold approach to life. Perhaps most importantly, she cherished her dogs and had a soft spot for all animals. She always ended her conversations with, "Bye for now," and so we too say, "Bye for now." She will be sorely missed.

Ms. Stevens is survived by her sister, Pamela Schneider; nephew, Brandt Schneider (Kasey); niece, Susannah Closs (Tyler); great nieces, Claudia and Molly; her beloved church family; and countless friends.

A service in celebration of Ms. Stevens' life will be held at Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church Friday, April 26, 2019, at 1 p.m., with the Rev. Monica Gould officiating. Interment will follow in the Fairview Lawn Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church, or the SPCA, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Donald Reed Walker

Mr. Donald Reed Walker, 72, of Melfa, passed away April 9, 2019, at his residence.

Born Nov. 9, 1946, in Hopeton, he was the son of the late Carlton R. Walker and Mary E. Morris Walker. Mr. Walker was a proud U.S. Army Vietnam veteran and was a member of the Vietnam Veterans of America, the VFW #4296, the American Legion #101, the Elks Lodge #1776, the former Nelsonia Moose Lodge and the Grand Lodge of Legion #4048. He was a retired medic for Eastern Shore Ambulance.

Survivors include one nephew; his caregiver, Ethel Schuster; and many friends.

A memorial service was held Thursday, April 18, 2019, from the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

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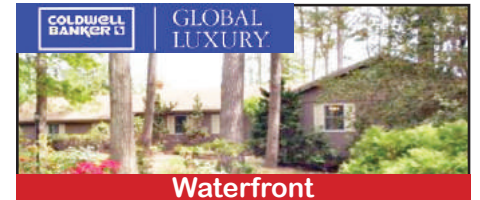
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Whispering Pines To Take Another \$74,000 to Demolish

By Linda Cicoira

There was a whirlwind of activity in the county coffers Wednesday as Accomack supervisors dished out another \$74,000 for the demolition of the old Whispering Pines motel, earmarked nearly \$107,000 to fund a 3% salary hike for county workers, voted to acquire better bonds to save \$500,000, and revised their real estate tax revenue estimate to show twice what they had previously anticipated.

In March, the supervisors awarded the demolition job to Allen Clark Jr. Inc., of Atlantic, which bid \$185,260 to haul away the remains of the once-booming landmark. The company was to tear down the derelict, deteriorating, and dangerous buildings that were twice set afire in an arson spree and left with rotting mattresses, mold, and trash.

"We could not come to terms" with the company, County Administrator Mike Mason reported to the supervisors about the Atlantic business. Mason asked the board to give the work to the next lowest bidder, Macsons Demolition & Environmental Services, of Norfolk, which bid \$248,316, a difference of \$73,966.

A \$50,000 grant was obtained to help fund the project. Nearly \$118,460 in derelict building funds, set aside for such projects, will also be used. The rest will come from the current county budget.

The supervisors agreed in a 7-1 vote with Supervisor Paul Muhly in opposition and Supervisor Laura Belle Gordy absent, due to illness.

"I don't see the county getting any benefit," said Muhly. He suggested the county acquire the property by "eminent domain," a process in which the government can buy property for public use. "That would be a great place for a housing project," said Muhly, who later explained the county should buy it before the buildings are torn down because the fair market value would be lower. Then, he said, all the funds to clean it could be obtained through grants.

"Is the reason you're doing this to make it more marketable?" asked Muh-

ly. "Put a fence around it," he added.

"This is the last step upon us to get rid of this eyesore," said Supervisor Robert Crockett. "Nobody dislikes spending money more than I do. This is our only recourse ... a lien will be placed on the property ... the public has been commenting about it for years and years and years ... the net result is going to be the same. This way it will be done faster."

County Attorney Cela Burge reminded the board that the motel was determined as dangerous by a building official and is bringing criminal activity and vermin.

"I'm not trying to prioritize projects but if we did I would guarantee Whispering Pines would be at the top of the list," said Supervisor Reneta Major. "It just does nothing for Accomack County. We may not recoup all the money. At least we will be recouping some ... What industries want to come (to the Shore) when right here on Lankford Highway we see an eyesore? It's just plain ugly. I trust staff has done all they can do to explore other options."

The property is owned by Whispering Pines Inc., of Dillsburg, Pa. The motel was auctioned in 2012 for \$28,000 in an attempt to collect around \$35,000 in back real estate taxes. The sale fell through when it was realized that the company and its president, Dusan Bratic, had filed for bankruptcy. In December, a judge decided to allow the county to move forward despite the filing.

A lawsuit was filed in Accomack Circuit Court in February to collect the delinquent tax from Bratic's corporation.

The recently adopted fiscal 2019-20 budget gave all county employees a 2% increase based on what the state was expected to give for state-funded employees like those who work for constitutional officers and at the social services department, County Administrator Mike Mason explained. But in the end, the General Assembly gave a 3% hike and Mason wanted all employees to get the same percentage increase.

Bell's Neck Road is a Wash

By Linda Cicaira

The floorboards of their cars are rusted and the frames are shot from driving through salt water as they make their way home every day.

That's the plight of people who live at Bell's Neck in southern Accomack County. A discussion at Wednesday's board of supervisors' meeting disclosed the project to remedy the situation has been held up by a clerical error. The mistake was made six years ago.

Back then, Chairman Donald Hart, of District 8, made a motion to put the project on the top priority six-year plan. It was seconded by Supervisor Reneta Major, of District 9. The road is split with half being in District 9 and the other half in District 8.

But when the resolution was put on paper, it didn't include the name of the road. And no one caught the omission.

"The VDOT people were here that night," said Supervisor Ron Wolff. "They knew what the intent was."

"We have to accept the responsibility, as it is that the staff that did not incorporate it," said County Administrator Mike Mason, who was finance director when the error occurred.

Rod Hennessey said he goes through saltwater twice a day to make it home and out to work. Hennessey said he can't put more than a quarter of a tank of gas in his Chevy Silverado because the eroding tank is hanging. "There are school buses going through it twice a day" too, he added, remarking about the high cost to replace those vehicles.

There are 12 houses at Bell's Neck. "Everybody has a couple of cars," said Hennessey. "We're waiting. But we're running out of time ... You have to be able to work on the ditches" on the Eastern Shore — "the road to Saxis ... to Chincoteague."

State law allows for normal ditch maintenance, Hennessey said. Be-

cause of the wetlands there, permission would have to be given for construction of any new drainage ditch, he explained.

"It's not sea level rise," said Anthony Giorgilli, Hennessey's neighbor. "A simple ditch digging would" fix it.

Giorgilli said he's tired of being sent from agency to agency. He was told VDOT is seeking permits from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to do the work but when he called the USACE he was told they hadn't gotten an application.

"I call them untruths," Giorgilli said. VDOT tells him "Accomack County dropped the ball. ... Everyone is passing it around in a circle." He wondered what other resolutions may have been lost. "Maybe it's a mistake somewhere ... The road is getting worse ... That's my frustration thank you for listening to me."

"We're trying to find another way to get this done," said Hart. "This is very important to me. There are things on the list that were put on there 30 years ago. That's how much the (state) money has dried up."

"I feel the pain, I've rode the road," said Major. "Get a meeting (of VDOT and county officials and residents of Bell's Neck) set up and I will definitely be there as well."

Major said. "I will do anything I can to help."

Mason said he recently met with local VDOT head, Chris Isdell. "I did ascertain that this is in the permitting process," Mason said, adding, there is a "three-prong" approach in the works "to reclaim the ditches subject to marsh intrusion," raise the road, and post warning signs about the high water.

"We went back and listened" to a recording of the session where the resolution was made, Mason said. "It's clear that this board wanted to make Bell's Neck a focus point."



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MORE THAN \$176,000 IN CSB WORK GIVEN TO FORMER FINANCE DIRECTOR'S HUSBAND

By **Connie Morrison**

Eastern Shore Community Services Board paid more than \$176,000 through its holding company, Mendisadd, to the husband of Lynier Linton, the agency's director of finance and administration at the time of the payments, for construction and repair work.

An audit conducted by the Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services (DBHDS) by the department's Office of Budget Execution and Financial Reporting and the Office of Internal Audit uncovered the payments, finding \$34,763 in "related-party transactions" between Mendisadd and Mid Atlantic Residential Solutions LLC, a contracting agency registered to Mark Alan Linton who is married to Lynier Linton. The relationship had not been disclosed in financial statements.

CSB Executive Director Lisa "MiMi" Sedjat and current finance director Thomas Dix III revealed in an interview with the Eastern Shore Post the amount reflected in the audit was not the total amount contracted between

the CSB and Mid Atlantic, which totaled \$176,347 for 2017 through 2019.

The audit also found the agency paid for services without "evidence of review and approval by someone with competent knowledge that the goods and services were adequately performed and met applicable requirements."

Those were two of many findings of the operational review, which examined CSB policies and procedures and tested sample transactions from July 1, 2016, through Aug. 31, 2018, for compliance with adopted policies.

"It was our first audit in well over 10 years," said Sedjat.

The review identified a total of 16 areas of concern, some with multiple observations and conditions requiring corrective action. Many were related to outdated and inadequate policies and procedures, and to Mendisadd, which never had a set of policies and procedures formalized and put in place. The completed review was sent to the CSB board of directors Jan. 30 and the CSB responded in mid-February with its corrective plan.

Related-party transactions are governed by CSB policy, federal accounting principles, and state law regarding conflicts of interest.

Lynier Linton left the CSB last fall during the time the audit was being conducted. The timing was purely coincidental, said Sedjat. "She turned in her notice in July before we were notified of the audit," she said. According to Sedjat, the family moved to Maryland. The Post has requested a copy of the notice.

The audit further found where Mendisadd is concerned, transactions were not subject to CBS "nor any other prescribed policies and procedures," putting the organization at risk for not being able to detect errors or fraud.

Sedjat said there were guidelines they followed, but the auditors "took issue with the fact that they weren't documented policies and procedures."

Auditors recommended "strengthening internal controls over expenditures for ESCSB and Mendisadd." For example, in four of nine reviewed transactions, "there was no evidence of review

or approval of work before payment of transactions involving construction, repair, or landscape work" to ensure work performed meets all state and federal requirements.

Sedjat said that does not mean the work was not overseen. "We enjoy a good relationship with code enforcement," she said. "We feel confident the work that has or will be done meets code."

The audit noted strong internal controls over payroll and human resources with fewer recommendations in those areas.

Accounting for fixed assets is another area where auditors made multiple recommendations. Capital assets comprised about one-half of total assets in the June 30, 2017 and 2018, audit statements, but "staff could not remember the last time an annual physical inventory was performed," the audit reports. The Government Finance Officers Association recommends a physical inventory no less than every five years to ensure the assets are still owned and have been properly depreciated.



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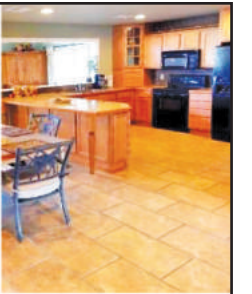
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Other areas of concern included outdated financial and reimbursement, human resources, and IT-related policies and procedures, some of which were 20 years old. The ESCSB had not updated its procurement policies and procedures since 1999.

Deficits in financial controls perhaps played a role in the petty cash control weaknesses identified. They included not signing for petty cash in 20 of 46 instances; lack of guidance on use of petty cash; lack of unannounced audits of change and petty cash accounts; minor shortages in two petty cash funds; and an inaccurate master list of petty cash accounts.

Lack of credit card receipts was also identified for credit card purchases. The CSB's external audit firm, Robinson, Farmer Cox Associates found this in its Independent Auditor's Report for the fiscal year ending June 20, 2018, as a "material weakness."

In an interview with the Post, Board of Directors Chairman Bob Bloxom expressed concern that annual auditors weren't picking up on other items cited in the DBHDS review, with the exception of the credit

card receipt issue. Robinson, Farmer Cox Associates' annual full-scope audit includes transactions testing, he said, similar to what was done in the state's audit.

"We intend to ask them specifically to leverage DBHCS work in their future audits," he added.

He views the audit as less of a wake-up call and more of a confirmation that the organization is mostly on the right path. Bloxom asked two questions at the end of the auditor's exit interview. "Is there any evidence of any financial malfeasance? The response was an emphatic 'no,'" Bloxom said. He also asked if there was anything in the audit "the board should be really concerned about? The answer again was 'All of it is housekeeping.'" Bloxom said the auditor told him the agency is ahead of other agencies in some areas, but needed to catch up in others.

DBHDS spokesperson Maria Repas said the audit didn't find anything that would jeopardize state or federal funding, and "there is no significant risk to patient information based on information raised in DBHDS's audit."

not deny occurred. Marsh stated that after Godwin left the scene, he filled out papers with two other charges, which Marsh said came to light when Godwin was arrested.

In the lawsuit, Marsh claims he was falsely accused of "possession of a controlled substance" and that the charge was "made with actual malice and knowledge that the accusations were false," Marsh said in the court documents. Marsh also claimed that Godwin charged him with of possession of marijuana.

Criminal court records from Godwin's case state that the other charges that Godwin forged were failure to wear a seatbelt and failure to have his driver's license in his possession. Godwin filed those charges with the police department but not with the general district court.

Assistant Attorney General Cal Brown will handle the case for the state police. The lawsuit was initially filed in Virginia Beach Circuit Court but was transferred to Accomack in February at Godwin's request.

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Motor Vehicle License	\$73,000	Capital Improvements	\$4,500
Utilities Tax	\$224,000		\$890,642
Transient Occupancy Tax	\$1,210,000	PUBLIC WORKS	
Fines	\$50,000	Salaries & Benefits	\$402,599
Interest	\$35,000	Expenses	\$563,945
Mobile Home Sales Tax	\$12,000	Capital Improvements	\$808,265
Car Rental Distribution Tax	\$6,000		\$1,774,809
Cemetery Cleanup Donation	\$200	MOSQUITO CONTROL DIVISION	
Robert Reed Park	\$2,000	Salaries & Benefits	\$40,615
USER Fees Boat Ramps	\$24,000	Expenses	\$88,305
USER Fees Dog Park	\$4,000	Capital Improvements	\$25,000
Building Permits	\$46,000		\$153,920
Zoning Advertisements	\$750	ROADS DIVISION	
Sale of Capital Assets	\$20,000	Salaries & Benefits	\$154,676
Health Insurance Retirees	\$13,000	Expenses	\$542,639
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Payment in Lieu of Taxes-USFWS	\$8,400	POLICE DEPARTMENT	
Rental Income Trolley	\$15,000	Salaries & Benefits	\$775,018
Tower Rent	\$5,250	Expenses	\$111,900
Communications Tax	\$107,000	Capital Improvements	\$104,390
Recovered Cost From Water	\$100,000		\$991,308
Miscellaneous Income	\$16,000	DISPATCH	
Solid Waste Collection Fee	\$384,176	Salaries & Benefits	\$243,669
Law Enforcement Funds	\$112,000	Expenses	\$17,750
VDOT Maintenance Funds	\$697,315		\$261,419
Road Permit Fees	\$200	TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENSES	
VA Comm. for the Arts Grant	\$4,500		\$6,174,007
Police Community Donations	\$30,000	HARBOR FUND	
Police Grants	\$7,200	Harbor Salaries & Benefits	\$60,465
USFWS- Sarbanes Grant	\$450,000	Expenses	\$360,300
VDEM Grant	\$7,500	Capital Improvements	\$118,470
VA Port Authority Grant	\$99,000		\$539,235
TRF From Ramp Repair Fund	\$33,000	TOTAL HARBOR EXPENSES	
TRF From General Fund Savings	\$35,000		\$539,235
Transfer FR Mosquito CTRL Savings	\$18,000	TROLLEY FUND	
TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE	\$6,174,007	Trolley Salaries & Benefits	\$47,842
HARBOR FUND		Expenses	\$42,226
Harbor Rent	\$108,545		\$90,068
Sublease/Storage	\$53,000	WATER FUND	
Harbor Interest	\$400	Water Salaries & Benefits	\$364,424
Fuel Revenue	\$376,290	Expenses	\$236,450
Miscellaneous	\$1,000	Capitals Improvements	\$869,237
TOTAL HARBOR REVENUE	\$539,235		\$1,470,111
TROLLEY FUND		TOTAL WATER FUND EXPENSES	
Trolley Grants	\$62,883		\$1,470,111
Program Income	\$1,500	TOTAL ALL EXPENDITURES	
Transfer from General Fund	\$25,685		\$8,273,421
TOTAL TROLLEY REVENUE	\$90,068	TOTAL ALL REVENUES	
WATER FUND			\$8,273,421
Water Rent	\$1,020,000	The following rates have been proposed for the current tax year within this budget:	
Waterline Extensions	\$5,000	Real Estate Tax Levy	\$0.07 per \$100 of Assessed Value
Service Connections	\$6,111	Personal Property	\$0.85 per \$100 of Assessed Value
Interest on Water Reserve	\$8,000	Excise Tax (Meals)	5%
Miscellaneous Income	\$6,000	Excise Tax (Transient Occupancy)	4%
Availability Fees	\$45,000	Motor Vehicle License Tax	\$27
Transfer from Water Reserve	\$380,000	Solid Waste Collection	\$2 per week
TOTAL WATER FUND REVENUE	\$1,470,111	Personal Property Tax Relief	65%

Trooper Who Forged Tickets Being Sued

By Linda Cicaira

Johnny Godwin, the former senior state trooper who lost his job in 2016 after being convicted of forging tickets to boost his quota, is being sued by one of the people he falsely accused.

Larry Gordon Marsh II, of Koerney Drive on Chincoteague, is asking Accomack Circuit Court to award him \$2 million in compensatory damages and \$350,000 in punitive damages plus court costs.

The Virginia State Police were also named in the lawsuit. The department claims it is exempt from legal action due to sovereign immunity, a legal doctrine that says the state cannot commit a legal wrong. The department has asked for the case to be dismissed. A June hearing is scheduled for that argument.

"Trooper Godwin responded to a vehicle accident involving the plaintiff that occurred on Route 175 near the NASA Wallops Flight Facility Visitor Center," Nov. 26, 2016, the lawsuit states. Godwin responded to the scene and wrote a ticket against Marsh for following too close, which Marsh does

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“Representing the Eastern Shore is an honor, and my staff and I stand ready to hear from residents, answer questions, and offer our services,” Luria said. “I’m thankful for the opportunity to be a voice for the Eastern Shore in Washington, and I look forward to meeting with the great people I represent.”

The open house will be Tuesday, April 23, between 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., in the Oyster Room of Onley Town Center, 25020 Shore Parkway. Please follow the signs to the Oyster Room entrance on the left side as you approach the Town Center building.

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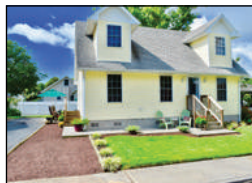
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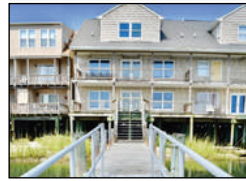
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Crisis Intervention Team Graduates

Above is the sixth graduating class of the Crisis Intervention Team program held at the Eastern Shore Regional Fire Training Center in Melba. The 40-hour course is provided by the CSB (Community Services Board) at no charge. Students include members of the CSB, Accomack and Northampton sheriffs departments, Exmore, Onley, Onancock, and Parksley police departments, Virginia state police, Accomack's department of public safety, Northampton EMS, and the Region 7 Magistrate Office. The program has provided crisis intervention training for 146 local law enforcement officers and first responders since 2016.

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Capes for Super Cute Super Heroes

Students at Nandua Middle School made super hero capes for the upcoming SPCA adoptions at the Comicon event in Cheriton. Students researched dogs on the SPCA website and made capes specific for available dogs, knowing and hoping that some would be adopted before the event. The photo was taken the last day of class.

From left are Jordan Velasquez, Tyler Drummond, Stanley Cene-Charles, Jhyzir Heath, Tabiyah Bailey, Shamara Rogers, and (behind the Flash cape) David Gomez-Cruz.



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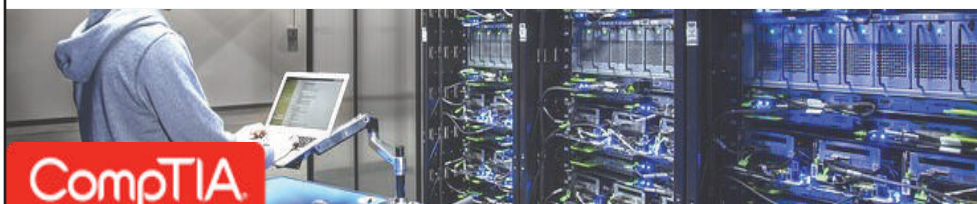
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The Eastern Shore Madrigal Singers will perform a 60s musical review April 28 at the Palace Theater.

MADRIGAL SINGERS DOO-WOP INTO THE PALACE THEATRE

Submitted Article

The Eastern Shore Madrigal Singers think an important question to ponder is "Who Put the Bomp in the Bomp Ba Bomp?" or even more important, "Who Put the Ram in the Ram-a-Lam-a-Ding-Dong?"

These questions, as well as other significant ones, come up in the Madrigal Singers' upcoming show, "Feeling Groovy: A 60's Revue," to be presented Sunday, April 28, at 3 p.m., at the Palace Theatre in Cape Charles. The Singers performed this show in Franktown and Chincoteague in November and it was such a tremendous success that they decided to bring it to Cape Charles.

Who can forget the decade when radios tuned in to the Beatles, the Beach Boys, Simon and Garfunkel, and other incredible artists? Songs from the Madrigal Singers' show include "Spinning Wheel," "The Loco-Motion," "Under the Boardwalk," "Cherish," "Yesterday," and "Dancing in the Street" with "Aquarius."

The Madrigal men present "Soul and Inspiration," featuring tenor soloist David Jones, "Calendar Girl," with bass soloist Ed Satterfield, and "Walk Like a Man." The Madrigal ladies will do "Please, Mr. Postman," featuring soloist Sara Reedy and "Chain of Fools," with

soprano soloist Beth Sharpley.

Bekki Haynie will bring us the Nancy Sinatra hit, "These Boots Are Made for Walking," and Patsy Goard will remind us about "The Harper Valley PTA." Sharpley and Johnny Morrison sing "Can't Help Falling in Love." Sharpley and some of the Madrigal ladies will pay a special tribute to the late Aretha Franklin with "Queen of Soul," a medley of some of her best songs.

Patricia Davis has been directing the Eastern Shore Madrigal Singers for almost 40 years, and is still amazing in her ability to take a group of local nonprofessional people with a love of singing and music, and make them sound like professional stage performers.

Natasha Smoot fills the big shoes of the late Stefan Dulcie as a fantastic accompanist. Johnny Morrison, who has been in other Madrigal shows will appear in this show as our emcee. Adam Bixler joins us as percussionist, and it is great to have him with us for "Feeling Groovy: A 60's Revue."

Join the Madrigal Singers for some of all-time favorite songs by some of all-time favorite artists. Admission (\$15 for adults and students over the age of 12 and \$10 for students 12 and under) will be collected at the door.



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Reader Hedy Leutner, of Exmore, took this photo of a goose that made its nest on a osprey nesting platform in Onancock Creek. Geese typically build their nests on the ground.

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The last NTBI was held on October 27, 2018. On that date, the effort across the nation resulted in the collection of approximately 457 tons of pharmaceutical controlled substances and other medication for safe and proper disposal. In Virginia 137 agencies collected over 22,345 pounds at 197 collection sites. As a result, our communities are safer because of the disposal opportunities.

This initiative addresses a vital public safety and public health issue. Medicines that languish in home cabinets are highly susceptible to diversion, misuse, and abuse. Rates of prescription drug abuse in the U.S. are alarmingly high, as are the number of accidental poisonings and overdoses due to these drugs. Studies show that a majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including from the home medicine cabinet. In addition, Americans are now advised that their usual methods for disposing of unused medicines—flushing them down the toilet or throwing them in the trash—both pose potential safety and health hazards.



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Nandua's Murphy Signs with McDaniel Softball



Photo by Krystle Bono

Nandua senior Parker Murphy (center) sits between her parents, Missy and Billy Murphy, as she signs her letter of intent to play softball at McDaniel College April 9, in the Nandua High School cafeteria. Also pictured (from L-R) - Nandua head varsity softball coach Bobbi Jo Wert, East Coast Titans 18U head coach Shawn Eisemann, pitching coach Bill Dryden, and former Nandua head varsity softball coach Lynn Williams.

By Krystle Bono

Nandua senior Parker Murphy formally committed to play Division III softball at McDaniel College in Westminster, Md.

Murphy, who primarily pitches for the Warriors, signed her letter of intent in the Nandua cafeteria April 9, and stated her decision to go to McDaniel was simple; it had a friendly atmosphere and was a small campus, which made it feel like home.

From the age of eight, Murphy has played—and loved—her time on the softball field, as well as the many friendships she has built over the years, which is one of the reasons she chose to continue to play at the collegiate level. She also enjoys the level of the grit it takes in winning a ball game, which has kept her coming back for more.

The future Green Terror has many All-District accolades under her belt at Nandua over her years playing for both the varsity softball and volleyball teams.

Murphy favors watching college softball, and her all-time favorite player, and someone she aspires to be like, is former collegiate softball pitcher and Olympic medalist, Jennie Finch. She plans to study kinesiology and hopes to pursue a career in physical therapy.

Varsity Baseball and Softball Action

By Krystle Bono

Parker Murphy threw a shutout game for the Nandua Warriors varsity softball squad to defeat the Chincoteague Ponies, 3-0, last Thursday on the island.

The Ponies outthit the Warriors, notching eight to Nandua's five, with the Chincoteague bats led by Emma Jackson. Delilah Flores took the loss, throwing seven innings and allowing three runs on five hits with five strikeouts.

Murphy allowed eight hits and three walks and struck out seven during seven innings on the mound for the Warriors to take the win.

Jamie Lynn Wert led the Warriors' offense, hitting two-for-two with one RBI.

Broadwater fell to Portsmouth Christian last Thursday, 19-9, with Hannah Davis shouldering the loss for the Vikings, giving up six runs on five hits with four walks over two-thirds of an inning. Suzanna Long, Greta Bunce,

and Dylan Caison led the offenses' total 13 hits; Long was 3-for-3 with one RBI, Bunce notched three hits in four appearances, and Caison batted in two and tallied one hit.

The Arcadia Firebirds junior varsity team defeated the Northampton Yellowjackets, 11-1, April 11 at Arcadia.

Logan Stapleton led the Firebirds at the plate, going 3-for-3 with one double, two runs, and two RBIs. Hannah Parks went 4-for-4 with one triple and two runs. Jayda Tull hit three on four attempts with one double, one run, and

four RBIs.

Sydney Jester earned the win for Arcadia pitching a six-inning complete game. She gave up one run on four hits with one walk, and she recorded six strikeouts.

Northampton softball edged Holly Grove by one to claim a 3-2 victory Friday afternoon in Eastville. Mollie Travis toed the rubber for the Yellow Jackets to claim the win over seven innings, striking out 10 Holly Grove batters and allowing just two runs on five hits.

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~ **Baseball/Softball** ~ (Continued from Page 24)

Jenna Laird took the mound for Holly Grove, taking the loss over six innings with 11 strikeouts, giving up one walk, three runs, and four hits.

Northampton's four hits were notched by Oakley Davis, Travis, Shonique Trader, and Emily Kellam, with Davis and Travis batting in two and one, respectively.

Olivia Tullous led Holly Grove's offense with a 2-for-3 showing at the plate. Laird went 1-for-4 with one RBI.

Nandua fell to Stephen Decatur last Friday, 11-6, with Alana Shea shouldering the loss. Shea allowed six runs on seven hits with one walk over two innings. Wert led the bats with two hits and two RBIs.

The Arcadia Firebirds varsity club traveled to Snow Hill, Md., Monday, to face the Eagles and dropped an 11-1 contest to Snow Hill.

Sahraiya Brown went 1-for-3 and drove in the Firebirds' lone run, Hailley Berry, on an RBI single. Berry was 1-for-2.

Berry also took the loss for the Fire-

birds, pitching just over five innings, giving up four runs on 10 hits, four walks, and she struck out two.

Arcadia hosted the Nandua Warriors Tuesday, and the Warriors bested their district rivals to a 20-1 win.

Skylar Stapleton, Lorelei Selinski, and Ashley Beasley each recorded one hit. Alison Bowmann drove in the Firebirds only run of the day with a groundout to second, scoring Haley McDaniel.

Berry got the start, lasting one inning, allowing eight hits and seven earned runs, one walk, while striking out one.

The Vikings suffered a tough 15-1 loss Tuesday afternoon to Isle of Wight, with Maggie Killmon taking the loss. She allowed just one hit and one run.

Bunce and Long led the bats with a hit apiece, with Long batting in Bunce.

The Arcadia Firebirds varsity baseball team dropped a 6-3 contest to the Northampton Yellow Jackets April 11, with Robbie Sterling shouldering the loss for the Firebirds, throwing just

under six innings with eight strikeouts and six runs on three hits.

Seth Johnson was on the hill to claim the victory for Northampton, giving up just three runs on one hit, while retiring 11 batters over six innings.

Airey Finney led Arcadia in the box, hitting two, including one homer, during four chances with two RBIs. S Turner went 1-for-2.

Koby Sparrow went 1-for-3 with three RBIs to lead the Yellow Jackets' offense.

Broadwater's boys varsity team clinched a 5-1 game over Portsmouth Christian April 11, with Clay Wardius claiming the win for the Vikings on the bump. He retired nine batters over seven innings, allowing just one run on two hits.

Aiden Blair and Travis Northam helped lead the Vikings 15 hits, with three and two, respectively, and Northam batting in one.

The Chincoteague Ponies outlasted the Nandua Warriors April 11 by a 5-3 count, with Braden Watson earning the win for the Ponies. He threw seven innings and struck out six, while allowing three runs on eight hits.

Dakota Bowden led Chincoteague's offense, putting up two hits and two RBIs with one homerun. Brendon Lafayette also smashed a homer and went 1-for-3 at the plate with two RBIs for the Ponies.

Ryan Ross led the Warriors in the box with two hits in three appearances. Cade Williams took the loss, allowing five runs on seven hits over six innings with one walk, and struck out four.

Last Friday, the Vikings dropped a 17-3 loss to Atlantic Shores, with Brant Bloxom taking the loss on the mound, surrendering 12 runs on 11 hits over three and two-thirds innings, while striking out one. Northam and Wardius led the bats, each hitting two in three appearances and notching one RBI apiece.

The Warriors also dropped a game last Friday, falling to Stephen Decatur, 11-5, with the loss claimed by Tyler Greene. He lasted just under four innings, and allowed four runs on five hits with four strikeouts.

Greene and Cade McGregor led the Warriors' offense, with Greene putting up two hits and two RBIs, and McGregor going 2-for-3 in the box.



By Krystle Bono

Varsity Soccer

The Broadwater Vikings varsity soccer team traveled to Oak Hall Monday afternoon to battle the Arcadia boys. Results from this week's games will be in next week's edition of the Post.



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Broadwater Academy Excels in First Track Meet of Season

Submitted Article and Photos

The Broadwater Academy Track and Field team opened their season with a meet at Greenbrier Christian School last week. The girls placed fifth out of 11 teams. The boys placed seventh of 12 teams.

Many Vikings posted solid early season performances and six qualified for the VISAA Division II State Track and Field meet in Richmond to be held on May 18, despite more challenging standards this year.

Seniors Carly Wardius, Kate Gomer, and Brooke Wallace led the girls team. Wardius placed second in high jump and third in triple jump, qualifying for the state meet in both. Gomer qualified for the state meet in the 100-meter hurdles, 300-meter hurdles, and triple jump. Wallace qualified in the shot put and was less than a foot from the state standard in discus. Freshman Emily Nordwall placed third in high jump

and qualified for the state meet.

Sophomores Jimmy Shockley and Gunnar Gustafson led the boys. Shockley placed fourth in discus with a personal best of 93 feet, 10 inches, and qualified for the state meet.

Gunnar Gustafson won the high jump, placing third in triple jump and 200-meters and sixth in discus, qualifying for the state meet in all four events. He rounded out a busy day by placing fourth in the 100 meters and long jump.

Many Vikings notched personal best performances, including Thor Whitaker in shot put, Benjamin Price in discus, Miles McIntyre in both the 400-meter dash and 800-meter run, Ture Gustafson in the 800-meter run, and Michael Brickhouse in the 100, 200, and long jump.

Competing in her first track meet ever, Emma Caison set a Broadwater class record in the 100-meter hurdles.



Sophomore Gunnar Gustafson on the way to winning the high jump competition at Greenbrier.



Vikings Mahika Patel, Ronnie Guinan and Carrie Watson compete in the 8000-meter run.



Emma Caison set a grade-level school record in the 100-meter hurdles in her first track meet.

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ESYCC Junior Camp

A summer Junior Camp will be held at the Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club, 14421 Country Club Rd., Melfa, from 9 a.m. to noon during the weeks of June 24-28 and July 22-26, for boys and girls ages four and up.

Activities include golf, tennis, and swimming with supervised instruction. The price is \$125 for members and \$150 for non-members. There are full-day camp options available also.

To register, call 757-787-1525 or email esycc@verizon.net. Information can also be found at www.esycc.com/jr-camp

ACPR Egg Hunt For Kids

Accomack County Parks and Recreation Department will host an egg hunt at Metompkin Elementary School 24501 Parksley Rd, Parksley, Saturday, April 20, at 10 a.m. Age groups are two and under, 3-5, 6-8, and 9-12.

For more information, call 757-787-3900 or 757-824-0314.

The event is sponsored by ACPR, and is not endorsed or sponsored by Accomack County Public Schools.



Submitted Photo

Black Drum

Tammy Hedspeth holding a 46.5-inch Virginia Release Citation caught black drum fishing aboard the Mean Jean with Captain Sam Sellard at Quinby on Saturday.

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EASTERN SHORE STREET HOCKEY LEAGUE GAME SUMMARIES

By Michael Garbacz

Game 1: Eastern Speed Shop Canucks 4, EZ Loan Bruins 7

The final slate of regulation games kicked off with an 11-goal barnstormer. The Canucks managed to keep within two of the Killer B's until the third period, when none other than the Smooth Criminal potted two insurance goals to put the victory out of reach. The Onancock Kid and Jenny Hagler each provided two goals and two assists for the 'Nucks; La Boca and Keith Hagler each recorded a helper. For the Bruins, Williams produced an eye-popping five goals and two assists; Sharkey Parks threw in a goal and two assists; Luke Webb picked up a goal; Cliff Windsor chipped in two apples; Austin Gregory and TR Hoyt each had an assist.

Game 2: Hoyt Insurance Ducks 5, Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 4

Despite being outshot 20-14 and leading scorer the General playing goalie, the Quackers still managed to squeak by a

hungry Wings squad looking to maintain position in the standings. After trailing 3-1 heading into the third, the Ducks exploded, producing four markers to sneak away with the win. Zach Webb notched two goals and an assist; George Smith had a goal and a helper; Jon-John Leach tickled the twine; Robbie Washington found the back of the net; Danny Tweedy and Brad Ford each contributed an apple. For the Red Wings, the Huntsman scored a "pace yourself" hat trick; Ethan Ayer registered a goal and three assists.

Game 3: Blues 2, K&E Marine Capitals 3

The Blues came oh-so close to topping the juggernaut Caps in an extremely fun game. The Blues defense largely managed to force the Capitals to shoot from the perimeter and limited their ability to cycle. Meanwhile, Brandon Morgan managed to wire home two blasts to power the offense. It wasn't enough, however, as the Caps just kept chipping away, finding the back of the net once per period. The Pat Trick figured in on every score, racking up a goal and two assists; Bradley Colona and Dustin Aigner scored. Jennie Rice picked up an assist for the Blues.

Game 4: Hoyt Insurance Ducks 5, EZ Loan Bruins 3

The Ducks continued to find success with the General in goal, holding off the Killer B's to notch yet another win. The Smooth Criminal rang up a hat trick but couldn't get further assistance from the teammates this time around. Chris Potter produced two assists; Sharkey and McKaley Parks each chipped in a helper. For the Ducks, Robbie Wash-

ington scored twice; Devon Corbin and Zach Webb each tickled the twine; Jon-John Leach contributed a pair of apples; out of his natural habitat, Brad Ford stepped up and had a two-point game with a goal and an assist.

Game 5: Eastern Speed Shop Canucks 0, K&E Marine Capitals 7

The Canucks have had the hardest road in this ESSHL, so it was almost fitting that their last game was another, shall we say, "character-building" blowout loss to the Caps. The Onancock Kid produced five shots on goal himself, but unfortunately the rest of his squad could account for four. Meanwhile, the Capitals did what they do. Bradley Colona scored four goals; the Pat Trick produced a goal and five assists; Dustin Aigner registered a goal and two helpers; Matt Yetter picked up two apples; Jay Click threw in a helper; Justin Wheeler, inspired by Brad Ford's earlier performance, came out of his element and scored an empty-net goal. Dylan Harrington got the shutout win in net.

Game 6: Blues 3, Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 2 (SO)

The Blues had themselves another game of the day candidate in this tilt against the Wings. After going up 1-0 and 2-1, the Red Wings tied the game in the third, and as neither team could find the winner in regulation, it went to a shootout. There, the only player who managed to tickle the twine was Brandon Morgan, sealing the deal for the blueshirts. In regular time, the Huntsman scored both the Wings' goals; Michael Vargas registered two assists; Gabe Nock added a helper. For

the Blues, Brandon Morgan and Paul Thornes were the goal scorers; Dean Dedicatoria, Jennie Rice, and Michael Garbacz each chipped in an apple.

Game 7: EZ Loan Bruins 0, K&E Marine Capitals 4

The Killer B's found themselves ending their regular season, much like the Canucks, on a bit of a disappointing note, on the wrong end of a shutout against the Caps. Amazingly, the Caps defense managed the tall task of keeping the Smooth Criminal off of the scoreboard and limiting him to only three shots. The Pat Trick potted two goals; Bradley Colona and Matt Yetter each netted a goal and an assist; Dustin Aigner picked up a helper. Justin Wheeler was smilin' like a butcher's dog, handing out a goose egg to go along with the goal he scored earlier in the day.

Game 8: Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 3, Blues 5

The Blues ended their regular season on a high note, giving the Caps a run for their money in their first game and coming away with wins in their next two. This time around, they managed to pull away with a three-goal third to seal the deal. The Huntsman led a late offensive push for the Wings, coming up with a goal and an assist; Wayne and Ethan Ayer each found the back of the net; Johnny Irvin, Gabe Nock, Michael Vargas, and New York Metzger all contributed an assist. For the Blues, Brandon Morgan blew up with a two-goal, two-assist effort; Paul Thornes rang up a pair; local hero Dean Dedicatoria put home a big goal; power forward Jennie Rice threw down a trio of helpers; Wes Stapleton had an assist.

The ESSHL Senior League playoffs begin on Sunday, April 28, at 1:30 p.m. at Stapleton Rink in Parksley. The first place Capitals are matched up against the sixth seed Canucks; the second seeded Ducks square off against the fifth place Blues; the third seeded Bruins take on the fourth place Red Wings. Do any of the lower seeded teams have what it takes to come away with an upset win in these best-of-three series? Come find out! Check out the website at www.esshl.org or Facebook page for more information.

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Fishing from the Shore

By Bill Hall



Fishing for black drum in the barrier island surf has been very productive along the entire length of Virginia's Eastern Shore's seaside, with double digit landings reported almost daily from the southern section of Assateague Island. A few red drum have also shown up in the mix, particularly from Quinby inlet south to Fisherman Island. I anticipate the start of the bayside black drum fishery happening any day now. Typical of early season flounder fishing, success is dependent on the weather conditions. Fishing in the shallows during the falling tide on a light, westerly, particularly southwesterly wind has been the magic formula to early season flounder catching success.

Lower Shore – Mark Snook, at Chris' Bait & Tackle, reports that there has been some "decent" red drum and black drum catches coming from the lower barrier islands as well as from boats fishing off Fisherman Island. A few black drum have been hooked on commercial trotlines on the lower bayside, but he is yet to confirm any recreation catches inside the bay. Tautog catches have been made along the submerged structure and along some of the pilings of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel as well as along the concrete ships off Kiptopeke. A few blowtoads and lots of crabs are being caught off the Kiptopeke State Park Pier. Flounder have been pulled from the back creeks on the seaside, out of Oyster. Chris' Bait & Tackle will be having its annual buy, swap, and sell flea market on April 20, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call the shop for more information.

A representative from Bailey's Bait & Tackle reported that there has been some "good black drum fishing on the seaside" but he had not heard of much else.

Chincoteague – Jimmy Vasilou, of Capt. Steve's Bait & Tackle, reports that the beach on Assateague and Wallops Islands are producing black drum, skates, and a few undersized striped bass. Blowtoads have just started showing up in the surf for those anglers using smaller hooks. Jimmy said that flounder fishing could not be described as "hot and heavy," but local Travis Thornton managed a 25.5-inch doormat while fishing with "Uncle Dave" Abell on a recent trip.

Donna Rae, of Capt. Bob's Marina, reported that anglers were catching flounder when "it's not blowing a gale." She mentioned the "junkyard" underneath

the Assateague Bridge as one of the most productive early locations. Anglers familiar with navigating the shallows of Watts Bay and the lower end of Four Mouths have also enjoyed some early season flounder success. Live minnow and squid strip combinations have been the most productive early baits, followed closely by minnow/Berkley Gulp combinations. A few keeper flounder just over the 16.5-inch minimum size limit have been pulled from off the end of the Birchwood Motel pier. Chincoteague area water temperatures have ranged from 59-63 degrees in the shallows on sunny days at low tide, but the water near the inlet remains at 50-53 degrees as of Monday.

Wachapreague – Capt. Lindsay Paul, of Trident Tackle, commented that the flounder fishing "has not been hot and heavy." Paul said that the yo-yoing temperatures and windy conditions were mostly to blame. The top catch that he had heard of was one angler landing seven flounder, two of which exceeded the minimum size limit. Most anglers were returning to port with two or fewer fish. Paul expected improved fishing later in the week as the water temperature in the shallows had reached 66 degrees at the peak of low tide on Tuesday morning.

Upper Shore – Captain Matt Abell, of the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reports that flounder fishing remains steady from Quinby to Chincoteague, with the east side of Chincoteague Island currently out producing the Chincoteague Bay area. Black drum and a few red drum have been pulled out of the Virginia barrier island surf.

Doug Danielson caught a red drum in Quinby Inlet while fishing with clam baits for black drum. Small to medium-sized black drum have been caught in the vicinity of Watts Island. Look for red drum to show up in the shallows of Pungoteague Flats any day. The Pocomoke River has been producing black perch and good catches of crappie. C.L. Marshall reported that the best perch bite has been over a hard sandy bottom, with bloodworms being the top bait. Marshall said that post-spawned perch will now tend to congregate around structure. The Nassawadox Creek section of the river has been one of the crappie hot spots, with small live minnows being the most productive baits.

Possible Recreational Trophy Striped Bass Season Closures – The Virginia Marine Resources Commission (VMRC) will be voting on a somewhat controversial "emergency" proposal to eliminate the Chesapeake Bay spring trophy-size striped bass recreational fishery, the elimination of the Coastal spring trophy-sized recre-

ational striped bass fishery, and the elimination of the Potomac River tributaries spring striped bass recreation fishery when it meets on April 23, 2019. The agency claims that the justification for these closures is due to the coastal striped bass stock being overfished, resulting in a low spawning stock, which is not "biologically stable." The proposal includes an effective closure date of April 29, 2019, for these fisheries. If the closures are adopted, a proposed public hearing on the matter will not be requested by the agency until May 28, 2019, almost a month after the closures takes effect.

Bill Hall was the first Eastern Shore resident to achieve Virginia Salt Water Master Angler Status. He has been named Virginia Saltwater Angler of the Year and Virginia Saltwater Release Angler of the Year. Bill is an I.G.F.A. International Committee Representative and a long-time member of the Virginia Saltwater Fishing Tournament Committee. He is the Virginia Recreation Fishing representative on the ASMFC Striped Bass Management Panel and is a past recipient of the CCA-VA Virginia Outdoor Writer Conservation Leadership Award.



Photo by Dave Abell
Travis Thornton landed this 25.5-inch flounder while fishing off Chincoteague.

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	Chinco. Channel	H 8:47 a.m. L 3:05 p.m.	H 9:35 a.m. L 3:49 p.m.	H 10:22 a.m. L 4:34 p.m.	H 11:08 a.m. L 5:19 p.m.	H 11:54 a.m. L 6:06 p.m.	H 12:42 p.m. L 6:57 p.m.	H 1:33 p.m. L 7:56 a.m.
	Gargatha Neck	H 9:39 a.m. L 3:45 p.m.	H 10:27 a.m. L 4:29 p.m.	H 11:14 a.m. L 5:14 p.m.	H 12:00 p.m. L 5:59 p.m.	H 12:46 p.m. L 6:46 p.m.	H 1:34 p.m. L 7:42 a.m.	H 2:25 p.m. L 8:36 a.m.
	Folly Creek	H 9:32 a.m. L 3:30 p.m.	H 10:20 a.m. L 4:14 p.m.	H 11:07 a.m. L 4:59 p.m.	H 11:53 a.m. L 5:44 p.m.	H 12:39 p.m. L 6:31 p.m.	H 1:27 p.m. L 7:27 a.m.	H 2:18 p.m. L 8:21 a.m.
	Wachapreague	H 9:18 a.m. L 3:14 p.m.	H 10:06 a.m. L 3:58 p.m.	H 10:53 a.m. L 4:43 p.m.	H 11:39 a.m. L 5:28 p.m.	H 12:25 p.m. L 6:15 p.m.	H 1:13 p.m. L 7:11 a.m.	H 2:04 p.m. L 8:05 a.m.
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	Machipongo	H 9:13 a.m. L 3:14 p.m.	H 10:01 a.m. L 3:58 p.m.	H 10:48 a.m. L 4:43 p.m.	H 11:34 a.m. L 5:28 p.m.	H 12:20 p.m. L 6:15 p.m.	H 1:08 p.m. L 7:11 a.m.	H 1:59 p.m. L 8:05 a.m.
Bayside	Tangier Sound Light	H 1:01 p.m. L 7:06 a.m.	H 1:47 p.m. L 7:56 a.m.	H 2:33 p.m. L 8:45 a.m.	H 3:17 p.m. L 9:33 a.m.	H 4:03 p.m. L 10:21 a.m.	H 4:49 p.m. L 11:11 a.m.	H 5:40 p.m. L 12:03 p.m.
	Muddy Creek	H 1:17 p.m. L 7:41 a.m.	H 2:03 p.m. L 8:31 a.m.	H 2:49 p.m. L 9:20 a.m.	H 3:33 p.m. L 10:08 a.m.	H 4:19 p.m. L 10:56 a.m.	H 5:05 p.m. L 11:46 a.m.	H 5:56 p.m. L 12:38 p.m.
	Guard Shore	H 1:09 p.m. L 7:37 a.m.	H 1:55 p.m. L 8:27 a.m.	H 2:41 p.m. L 9:16 a.m.	H 3:25 p.m. L 10:04 a.m.	H 4:11 p.m. L 10:52 a.m.	H 4:57 p.m. L 11:42 a.m.	H 5:48 p.m. L 12:34 p.m.
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Super Crossword

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- 1 Firing sound
 6 Frog sound
 11 Kerfuffles
 15 Soldiers of Seoul
 19 Old Aegean region
 20 Singer with the 2013 #1 hit "Royals"
 21 Typesetter's option
 22 Saber's kin
 23 Film that's both funny and gloomy
 25 Thin material used in painting and baking
 27 Bulls scores
 28 Putt-putt
 30 Yard sale proviso
 32 With 40-Across, classic grape drink
 33 Step inside
 34 "Mirage" actor Edward James —
 38 Boolean logic operator
 40 See 32-Across
 42 Opening bets
 45 Overhead air circulator

- 48 Films, TV, hit songs, etc.
 51 Fancy snack
 52 — McAn
 54 See 50-Down
 55 Chilly powder
 56 "The Simpsons" shopkeeper
 57 Clock setting in NYC
 59 "... man — mouse?"
 61 Sketched
 63 Priest follower?
 64 Homeland
 69 "— Brockovich"
 71 Cynic's look
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 75 Metal debris
 79 Pianist Hines
 81 Alternative medical practices
 84 Rubble maker
 87 TVs "Better Call —"
 89 "— hoo!" ("Hello!")
 90 Equal: Prefix
 91 Subpar mark
 92 High cards
 94 FBI agent
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 101 Important biblical meal
 104 Clownish type
 106 Really bug
 107 Give and take
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 116 Pulitzer winner
 118 Dictionary, e.g.
 122 Film theaters formerly
 127 Ethiopia, formerly
 128 Playing card apt to this puzzle's theme (hint: see the ends of the longest answers)
 130 "That's — bad idea"
 131 One fibbing
 132 Barbecue
 133 Ruhr Valley's chief city
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 62 Far-reaching
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Virginia Farmers/Landowners May Now Sign Up for Updated Conservation Stewardship Program

Submitted Articles

USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) is now offering Virginia farmers and forestry producers more options for taking their land management to the next level with the revised Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP).

Through CSP, agricultural producers and forest landowners earn payments for actively managing, maintaining and expanding conservation activities like cover crops, enhanced nutrient management, buffer strips and pollinator habitat – all while maintaining active agriculture production on their land. While NRCS conducts continuous sign-ups for the program, interested producers must submit their applications by May 10, 2019 to be considered for FY19 funding.

CSP is for working lands (crop, pasture, nonindustrial forest and tribal ag land) and helps agricultural producers build their business while implementing conservation practices to enhance the sustainability of the entire operation. The 2018 Farm Bill made several changes to this critical conservation program that will benefit Virginia farmers. Highlights include:

- Enrollment of eligible, high ranking applications based on dollars (not acres) to cover part of the cost for implementing new conservation activities and maintaining current practices.
- Higher payment rates for certain conservation measures, including cover crops and resource conserving crop rotations.
- Specific support for organic operations and those transitioning to organic production.

"CSP is the largest conservation program in the United States with more than 70 million acres of productive agricultural and forest land enrolled nationwide," said Jack Bricker, state conservationist. "We are working to raise the visibility of CSP in Virginia with increased focus on its many benefits to include increased crop yields, decreased inputs, wildlife habitat improvements and increased resilience to weather."

CSP also encourages the adoption of cutting-edge technologies and new management techniques such as precision agriculture applications and new soil amendments to improve water quality. Producers interested in CSP should contact their local USDA service center or visit www.nrcs.usda.gov/GetStarted

Virginia Grain Stocks

Virginia corn stocks stored in off-farm facilities on March 1, 2019, totaled 11.4 million bushels, compared to 11.1 million bushels stored off-farm on March 1, 2018, according to USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Virginia all wheat stocks stored off the farm totaled 6.26 million bushels on March 1, 2019, compared to 5.82 million bushels stored off the farm a year earlier. Barley stocks stored in off-farm facilities on March 1, 2019, totaled 62,000 bushels, down 51,000 bushels from March 1, 2018. Off-farm oat stocks on March 1, 2019 totaled 23,000 bushels, up 1,000 bushels from March 1, 2018.

U.S. Grain Stocks

Corn stocks in all positions on March 1, 2019 totaled 8.60 billion bushels, down 3 percent from March 1, 2018. Of the total stocks, 5.13 billion bushels were stored on farms, up 3 percent from a year earlier. Off-farm stocks, at 3.47 billion bushels, are down 11 percent from a year ago. The December 2018 - February 2019, indicated disappearance is 3.33 billion bushels, compared with 3.67 billion bushels during the same period last year.

Soybeans stored in all positions on March 1, 2019, totaled 2.72 billion bushels, up 29 percent from March 1, 2018. Soybean stocks stored on farms are estimated at 1.27 billion bushels, up 49 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 1.45 billion bushels, are up 15 percent from last March. Indicated disappearance for the December 2018 - February 2019 quarter totaled 1.03 billion bushels, down 2 percent from the same pe-



riod a year earlier.

All wheat stored in all positions on March 1, 2019, totaled 1.59 billion bushels, up 6 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks are estimated at 368 million bushels, up 42 percent from last March. Off-farm stocks, at 1.22 billion bushels, are down 1 percent from a year ago. The Dec. 2018 - Feb. 2019, indicated disappearance is 419 million bushels, 11 percent above the same period a year earlier.

Barley stocks in all positions on March 1, 2019, totaled 121 million bushels, down 7 percent from March 1, 2018. On-farm stocks are estimated at 46.2 million bushels, 5 percent below a year ago. Off-farm stocks, at 75.1 million bushels, are 8 percent below March 2018. The December 2018 - February 2019 indicated disappearance totaled 31.4 million bushels, 9 percent above the same period a year earlier.

Oats stored in all positions on March 1, 2019, totaled 50.2 million bushels, 9 percent below the stocks on March 1, 2018. Of the total stocks on hand, 18.1 million bushels were stored on farms, up 5 percent from a year ago. Off-farm stocks totaled 32.2 million bushels, down 15 percent from the previous year. Indicated disappearance during Dec. 2018 - Feb. 2019, totaled 17.1 million bushels, 48 percent above the same period a year ago.

Help Stop Pests from Invading

The Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (VDACS) encourages the public to join the effort to stop the threat of invasive plants and pests in Virginia. Non-native, destructive insects, diseases and harmful weeds are a tremendous threat to the commonwealth's crops and forests, and can seriously harm the economy, environment and even human health. During the month of April, which is National Invasive Plant, Pest and Disease Awareness month, VDACS hopes to raise public awareness of the threat invasive species pose to the state's agricultural and natu-

ral resources.

Invasive species, such as the Asian longhorned beetle, emerald ash borer, gypsy moth, imported fire ant, boxwood blight and giant hogweed, wreak havoc on the environment, displace or destroy native plants and insects, severely damage crops and potentially cause the closure of foreign markets to those U.S. products that originated in infested areas. Once invasive pests become established, they can grow and spread rapidly, often due to no natural predators in their new environment. Invasive pests cost landowners, industry and the government millions of dollars to control. Taking steps to prevent their introduction is the most effective method of reducing both the risk of invasive species infestations and the cost to control and mitigate those infestations.

The public can help reduce the spread of invasive pests and plants by following these simple steps:

- Don't move firewood over long distances as it can be a carrier of invasive insects and diseases. Use firewood that originates from the area where it will be burned. Gypsy moth egg cases and emerald ash borer larvae can hitch a ride with the firewood and start infestations in new areas.
- Before leaving a work or recreational site, look for and remove any insects, seeds and other plant parts that might be attached to your equipment, boots, gear and vehicle.
- Consult with your local nursery or master gardener to select plants that are not invasive for landscaping and gardening projects. A wide variety of beautiful native plants that thrive in your local environment are available at local nurseries and garden centers.

- Don't plant seeds of invasive plants in wildlife food plots.
- Always declare any plant material brought into the United States when returning from a trip abroad.

Anyone suspecting an invasive pest in their area should contact VDACS's Office of Plant Industry Services at 804-786-3515, USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service at 804-226-5262 or their local Virginia Cooperative Extension Service agent at ext.vt.edu/offices.html

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“Pippin” Pops into Chincoteague and Princess Anne for Four Shows

By *Connie Morrison*

Coming of age may be a common storyline, but it's one that doesn't seem to lose its appeal. Perhaps because everyone has grappled with the existential questions of the meaning of life and finding a place in the world.

So it is with the coming-of-age musical comedy “Pippin,” by Roger O. Hirson, and music and lyrics by Stephen Schwartz. The Lower Shore Performing Arts Company will stage the production April 27 and 28 in Chincoteague, and May 4 and 6 in Princess Anne.

The story characters are very loosely based on Pippin, first-born son of Charlemagne, emperor of Holy Roman Empire. The likeness pretty much ends at the names, as the musical veers far from any historical facts, imagining Pippin's coming-of-age story as he discovers what brings satisfaction and contentment.

“Pippin is looking for purpose,” said Ryan Pidgeon, of Exmore, who plays the role of Pippin in his first production with the company. “I think that's something everyone can identify with.” At some point, every person wrestles with the questions, “What am I supposed to do? Where do I fit in?”

Pocomoke High School Junior Alana Troxell has found she fits in at the theater company. After several shows with the group, she has stepped into the antagonist role of Leading Player. “My character leads him in the wrong direction,” she said. “I get the bad guy roles a lot. It's kind of fun.”

The appeal of playing a character so different than oneself is part of the appeal of theater, said Troxell. “It's an escape.”

Besides the collection of eager-to-learn students, adults of all professions from across the lower Shore are drawn to the theater, said Takeisha Jackson, the company's public relations director. “People need this creative outlet because their jobs have absolutely nothing to do with the arts,” she said.

Director Mark Taylor, an attorney by day, said “Pippin” is one of his favorite musicals, with a classic rock and jazz feel, akin to others of the same early 1970s like “Hair” and “Godspell.” A collection of student and professional musicians will back the cast's vocal performances.

Despite the upbeat music, “Pippin” covers “serious issues like war, love, and politics. Although he doesn't quite find happiness, we ask, ‘What will bring happiness to Pippin?’” continued Taylor. “The answer is something young and old can relate to.”

Taylor enjoys working with the predominantly young cast, but stresses that “Pippin” is not children's theater. “The mission of the theater company is to teach the art of performance to young and old alike,” and there are both youth and adults in the production. That played a large part in the selection of “Pippin,” because of its appeal to all ages in both the story and music.

The music, said Taylor, keeps the story moving along. “The audience will find themselves tapping their feet and moving in their seats.”



Above: Photo by Connie Morrison. Director Mark Taylor and actor Nick Donchak, as Charles, rehearse a scene from “Pippin.”



Left: Part of the cast of “Pippin” rehearses a scene. From left are Emma Laird, Lulia Limbeck, Mark Tyler, Sadie Dowden, Dakota Ferraro, Holden Steward, Leyna Duter Paul, Emma Limbeck, and Alana Troxell.



Details: “Pippin”

Chincoteague - Island Theater
April 27, 7 p.m., and April 28, 3 p.m.

Princes Anne - Washington High School & Academy
May 4, 7 p.m., and May 5, 3 p.m.

Tickets for “Pippin” are available at www.lowershorepac.org or Brown Paper Tickets and may also be purchased at the door.

General admission \$18
Seniors, active military, first responders \$15
Family/household \$45
Student with ID \$10
Children under 10 years free



Photos by Connie Morrison
 Top: Julia Limbeck, Sadie Dowden, Dakota Ferraro, Holden Stewart, Leyna Duter Paul, and Emma Limbeck wait for direction during a rehearsal of “Pippin.”

Middle Right: Alana Troxell rehearses the role of Leading Player in the Lower Shore Performing Arts Company’s upcoming production of “Pippin.” Behind her are Holden Stewart and Leyna Duter Paul.

Bottom Right: Director Mark Taylor reviews the script for “Pippin” during a recent rehearsal.



Living With Parkinson's Disease: A Melfa Family's Experience

By **Connie Morrison**

William Ferencik's diagnosis of Parkinson's disease couldn't have been more unexpected.

The 75-year-old former American Airlines pilot was visiting the Shore to determine if he wanted to move from New York. His wife, Joanne, had been here helping her father, and after his death in 2008, her mother, Ruth Kiks, of Melfa.

The strain of Joanne going back and forth to New York was hard on everyone. The couple had known each other for 25 years but only married three years ago.

William, or Billy, as he's called by those close to him, decided to come down, have a look around, and see if they wanted to call the Shore home. He didn't expect to land in the emergency room, or any of the things that followed.

"In the ER. That's where it all started," said Joanne. During Billy's moving exploration trip, his colostomy bag needed urgent attention, and he and Joanne found themselves in the emergency room at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital.

There they encountered neurologist Dr. Robert Paschall. He wasn't there to see

Billy, but he looked at Billy's chart. "You" — Joanne motioned that Paschall pointed to them — "in my office. I can help you."

In that follow-up appointment, Paschall diagnosed Billy with Parkinson's. The Ferenciks were floored. "In New York, he had been told he drank too much chardonnay as a pilot," she said, Billy nodding in agreement with her.

April is Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month. Symptoms of the neurodegenerative disease (a disease that affects the nervous system, especially neurons of the brain) include tremors, slowed movement, rigid muscles, impaired posture or balance, loss of automatic movements like blinking and smiling, and speech and writing changes.

According to the Parkinson's Foundation, about 60,000 Americans are diagnosed with Parkinson's disease each year and one million Americans are living with the disease.

"Commonly known for its movement or motor-related symptoms, people with PD are often more impacted by non-motor symptoms like apathy, depression, sleep behavior disor-

ders, loss of sense of smell and cognitive impairment," according to the foundation website, www.parkinson.org

The ER visit was January 31, 2018, and before long, Billy had relocated to Melfa at the invitation of Ruth Kiks. From there, the three have built a support team of doctors, therapists, and other family and neighbors.

His condition is complicated by a difficult travel episode late last year that ended with pneumonia and left him further weakened. "He needs round-the-clock care," said Joanne, a 56-year-old with relative youth on her side.

Billy knows what's involved in providing that care. He once filled the same role for his mother, quitting his American Airlines job to care for her.

To ensure his mother got the best possible care, Billy took a job at the nursing home where his mother lived in Vestal, N.Y. That was about 15 years ago. Now he is the one who requires assistance, and Joanne provides the care he once gave for his mother.

Their pattern is not unusual. According to a 2015 study by the National Alliance

for Caregiving and AARP, 14% of households report caring for an adult household member. Eighty-five percent are caring for a relative; 10%, like the Ferencik household, involve caring for a spouse.

Caregivers attending spouses and partners are four times as likely to rack up more than 20 hours per week



Photo by **Connie Morrison**

Billy Ferencik using his upright walker with his wife, Joanne, at his side.

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Joanne's days begin at 5 a.m., when she empties Billy's colostomy bag, checks on her mother, gets them both water and prepares their morning medications.

A white board posted in the living room details the daily routine: Billy is up around 7:30 a.m. for his first pills. They wait an hour, then he takes another pill before having breakfast. Next is the nebulizer with oxygen "to keep the food from going in his lungs." It's one of four daily oxygen treatments.

Following the nebulizer, it's time for a wash up, then into the living room for a little TV viewing and a brief nap.

Once his nap is over, he is up for first exercise, one of five or six sessions each day. Several days a week he will see a speech, occupational, or physical therapist at the house.

Joanne also takes care of haircuts, nail trims, and other personal needs.

Billy stands to walk with the aid of an UpWalker, a specialized walker that keeps the patient standing tall instead of hunched over. At his full 6-foot height, one catches a glimpse of the former pilot who commanded jet airliners for 23 years.



Ferencik family photo. Used with permission.
Ruth Kiks (left) and Joanne and Billy Ferencik together just after Billy's move from New York to Melfa.

"I'm proud of him and proud to take care of him and get him back on his feet," said Joanne.

For his part, Billy says he misses New York, misses the family property, but doesn't complain about his situation.

The adage "It takes a village" is an apt description of the many people who as-

sist with Billy Ferencik's care, dating to before the time he had the Parkinson's diagnosis when Marilyn McNeil was helping him care for his colostomy bag in New York. Joanne is grateful for the assistance provided by Shore Memorial Hospital, doctors Robert Pashcall, Patricia Patrick, Thomas Murray, and their



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Billy Ferencik's Air Force photo.

staffs, Walgreens Pharmacy, Intrepid Home Health, her brother, John Kiks, neighbor, Carl Harris, and her mother.

If you have questions about Parkinson's disease, its symptoms, or care, go to <https://parkinson.org/> or call 1-800-4PD-INFO (473-4636), or talk to your doctor.



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April 14, 2019



Exmore's annual Easter egg hunt was headed up by Exmore Police Chief Angelo DiMartino and Officer Jason Campbell.

The event came back bigger and better this year, with a whopping 5,000 eggs hidden all over Exmore Town Park, more than double last year's egg count of 2,000.

The officers even brought extra bags of candy for the little ones who didn't fill up their Easter baskets.

The wet and rainy spring weather didn't seem to stop any of the kids from having a grand ol' time.





Proposed Hallwood Town Budget (Fiscal Year 07/01/19 - 06/30/20)

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Personal Property Tax Relief	2,659	Taxes	250
Sales Taxes From Accomack	1,481	ANEC	350
ANEC	17,200	ANEC	8,400
Trash Collection Fees	850	Waste	17,220
Fire Grant	13,280	Fire Grant	10,000
Litter Grant	10,000	Misc.	2,000
Permits	1,000	Dinner/Festival	1,000
Accounts Receivable - Taxes	120	Insurance	3,800
Accounts Receivable - Trash Fees	3,894	Police Department	10,000
		Lawyers	1,000
		RESERVE	\$4,830

This proposed budget will be voted on by the Town Council at the next town meeting which is held on the **1st Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.** at the **Town Hall**. This meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. on **May 7, 2019**.

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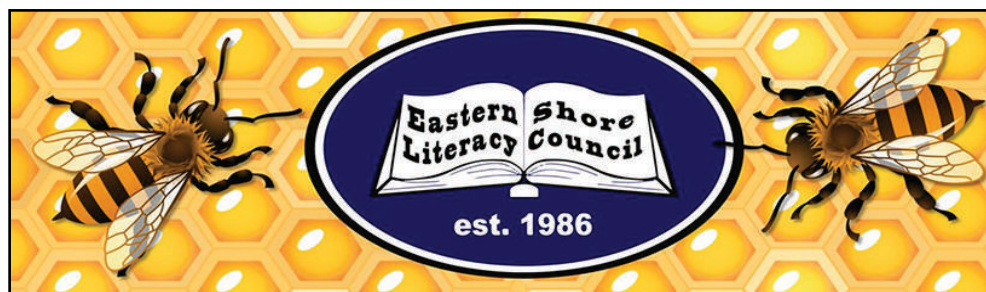


Above, spelling bee Judge Philip Wilson, of the Book Bin, and spelling bee Professor Kelly Gaskill, a WESR announcer, discuss the next word during the 2019 Eastern Shore Literacy Council Spell-Rite Spelling Bee.

At left, Bear & Cub team members (from left) Amy Betit, Sue Mastyl, Joe Betit adorn bear ears while concentrating on the spelling word at hand. They retained the champion title and won the bee for the sixth consecutive time.

Below, Eastern Shore Communications introduces its team Logophobiacs.

Photos by Doug Hollingsworth





HUNTING FOR 2,400 EASTER EGGS ON SAXIS ISLAND

More than 100 people attended the Egg Hunt last Saturday. Top two photos by Donna Croushore. At center, Jax Neal is busy collecting eggs (Angela Hall Neal photo). Bottom left, Maya Bagwell (Connie Burford photo). Bottom middle, Sarah Taylor with Easter Bunny (Edward Taylor photo) and below, Natalee Thornes, winner of the giant egg door prize, poses with her dad, Johnny Thornes (Jill Thornes photo).





Spring Roundup of Wild Chincoteague Ponies

Photos by Linda Cicoira



Pony Paradise

The roundup of the Chincoteague Fire Department's wild herd went off without a hitch last weekend.

Below, Maine cousins, Elizabeth and Caroline Keith, bring their ponies to the event. To the right of them, saltwater cowboys set off to find the rest of the herd.

At right, visitors line up along the corral's outer fence to view the ponies.





Submitted Photo

Eyre Hall

Eyre Hall and its magnificent gardens are an annual garden tour favorite.

Submitted Photo

18306 Hermitage Road

Situated on Onancock Creek, 18306 Hermitage Road, right, is a Federal-style brick- and wood-sided home. Built in 2005, an addition was completed in 2014. This home is secluded but conveniently near the Onancock Wharf via water. Notable interior features include a hand-painted botanical mural in the front hall, detailed woodwork on fireplaces and mantels, and raised paneling in the hall and den.

Fishing boats, pleasure cruisers, sailboats and kayaks on Onancock Creek provide ever-changing scenery. Beautiful waterside gardens, from formal to less structured, add to the grandeur of this property. Open for the first time. George T. and Nell W. Minton, owners.



Submitted Photo

Grace Ames House

Built circa 1927, the Grace Ames House, left, sits on a point of land on the central branch of Onancock Creek. J. Grace Ames purchased the property in 1925 and negotiated access to what is now known as the Ames Street Bridge, which was privately owned at that time. The Grace Ames House is a classic example of a craftsman bungalow “kit house.” Beginning in the early 1900s, kit houses were sold from the pages of catalogues and shipped by train across the country. The current owners renovated the home from the foundation up in 2016-17, creating an open, flowing design that incorporates multiple vantages of the creek.

The cleverly constructed back of the house features a second story deck with panoramic creek views. Outdoors, the garden is whimsical and unstructured with a focus on nature. Migratory birds enjoy native plants and waterfront perches. Open for the first time. Dr. Greg & Patsy Felthousen, owners.



Submitted Photo

Sans Souci

A two-story Victorian with gingerbread trim, Sans Souci, right, rests atop a small knoll overlooking Market Street in Onancock. The French phrase translates “without concern” and aptly describes this relaxing and tranquil property. The back section of the home was built in the 1850s and the front was added in the 1880s. Surrounded by established beech and hardwood trees, a boxwood-lined path leads to the front entrance. Furnished with 18th and early 19th century American pieces, Sans Souci showcases an impressive collection of tall case and mantel clocks inherited from the homeowner’s father, a local builder and furniture maker.

When the home was remodeled in 1962, a bill of goods for building materials, circa 1858-60, was found in the rafters of the oldest section and is now displayed as a reminder of Sans Souci’s significant historical footprint. On the grounds, visitors will enjoy the gingerbread trimmed gazebo and informal gardens including drift roses, daffodils, iris, hydrangea, jasmine, salvia, magnolia, and more. Open for the first time. Mr. & Mrs. John E. Morgan Jr., owners.

*Submitted Photo*

Scott Hall

The oldest house in Onancock, Scott Hall (right) was built in 1769. When land was purchased to build Scott Hall, Virginia was still a colony of Great Britain. Interior highlights include floor-to-ceiling bookcases and a recently renovated master bath. First built with thick walls, alcoves and trap doors, it’s believed that Scott Hall was designed as a fortress. Many such features were corrected in a 2006 renovation.

Behind the house are the iron gates of the cemetery where 17 relatives of early Scott Hall owners are buried. Open for the first time. Ms. Elizabeth A. Lankford, owner.

*Submitted Photo*

Benjamin Fosque House

Located in the heart of Onancock, its Victorian façade in full view from Market Street, the Benjamin Fosque House (right) was built in 1883. Sawn brackets and extensive ornamental tracery adorn the gables and porches. The cathedral ceiling creates a bright, open space for modern family living while following the architectural vernacular of an historic Victorian home.

In the backyard, a variety of deciduous and evergreen shrubs and perennials provide year-long color and foliage, framing views of the central branch of Onancock Creek. Open for the first time. Dr. & Mrs. Fletcher D. Fosque, owners.



Details for your visit:

The home and garden tour is Saturday, May 4, 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m., rain or shine.

Tickets:

- \$40 per person via advance local sale includes six tour homes and Ker Place (tickets available at Long & Foster — Chincoteague Resort Realty Main Office, Chincoteague Island; The Book Bin, Onley; Ker Place, Onancock; Rayfield’s Pharmacy in Nassawadox and Cape Charles)
- \$50 per person on day of tour, only available at Ker Place and Eyre Hall.
- Single site ticket \$15
- Children 5-12, \$20 (sold only on tour day)
- Online tickets at www.eventbrite.com \$40 per person plus \$2.80 service fee, now until 10 a.m. May 4. See alphabetical listing for Eastern Shore, Sat. 5/4.

Parking: Available at Eyre Hall and neighborhood parking is available in the Onancock tour area. Continuous free shuttle service is available on the Onancock tour route.

Lunch Options: Lunch is available from local restaurants or by preordering. See options at <https://www.esgardentours.com/logistics>

Additional information:

- Houses may be visited in any order once you have a ticket.
- Please wear flat walking shoes.
- No cell phone or camera use in tour homes.
- Children 17 or younger must be accompanied by a responsible adult at all times.
- These properties are not handicapped-accessible.

Marriage Licenses Issued

- Barry Lee Brooks Jr., 55, of Greenbackville, and Constance Marie Root, 51, of Wellsboro, Pa.
- Zachary Adam Harris, 25, and Jessica Genevieve Finnigan, 33, both of Suffolk, Va.



Safety Belt Challenge at Northampton

Northampton High School recently participated in the "Safety Belt Challenge" sponsored by AAA of Tidewater Virginia. Northampton High School received a Bronze Award for 2018-2019. To receive an award a school had to improve on the student use of seat belts that was monitored as students arrived at school.

Pictured above are students and staff who assisted with the management of the program: (from left) Yeats James, Wynn Neville, John Edney, Layla Rodriguez, Carl Brady, and Leslie Estrada-Meza.



DAR Conference

Recently, members of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Chapter, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, attended the 123rd Virginia State DAR Conference in Richmond. Pictured above from left are Sarah Bingman, chapter regent; Carol Vincent, member, past district I director, and new state treasurer; and Nancy Bisker, member and newly elected chapter regent.



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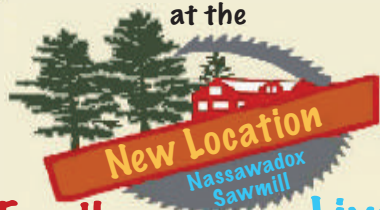
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Nandua High School Athletic Booster Club

Quarter Auction

Saturday, May 18th

Nandua High School Gym

Doors open at 6 p.m.

Auction will begin at 7 p.m.

Early bird tickets \$10 (must have to enter-do not lose)
Can be purchased at Nandua High School (school hours)
or Onancock Building Supply
Door admission will be \$15

Price includes admission and first paddle
Vendors will be present, concessions will be sold
Many cool items up for grabs! All in paddles \$50

If interested in being a vendor, call the school at 757-787-4514



Scouts Awards Honorees

Submitted Article

Steve Stokes, second from left, received a 50-Year Veteran Award at the Scouts BSA Delmarva Council Recognition Dinner on March 20. Wayne Parsley (third from left) received the Silver Beaver Award. The Silver Beaver is the highest award an adult scouter can receive from the local council.

Three Receive Child Development Credentials

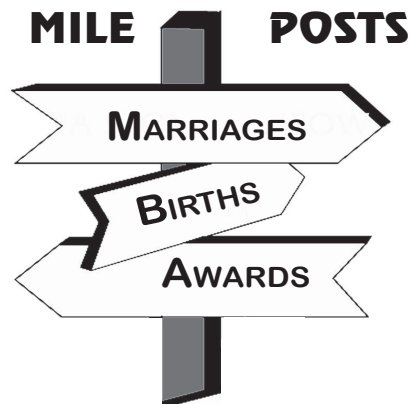
Cheriton Migrant and Seasonal Head Start Center announced three employees received the national Child Development Associate Credential from the Council for Professional Recognition. Sofia Guerrero, Tequesta Wilson, and Jessica Cruz were awarded the credential in recognition of outstanding work with young children.



Wilson Honored at Episcopal Conference

The Second Episcopal District Virginia Conference Lay Organization was recently held in Roanoke, Va. Virginia Conference Lay President Joan C. Wilson, member of St. Paul AME Church in Pungoteague, attended as the Eastern Shore Honoree.

Wilson is a retired nurse and has been married to her high school sweetheart for 46 years.



4th Friday Street Festival

Downtown Pocomoke
Friday, April 26th
5-8pm

Sidewalk Vendors, Food Sales, Beer & Wine,
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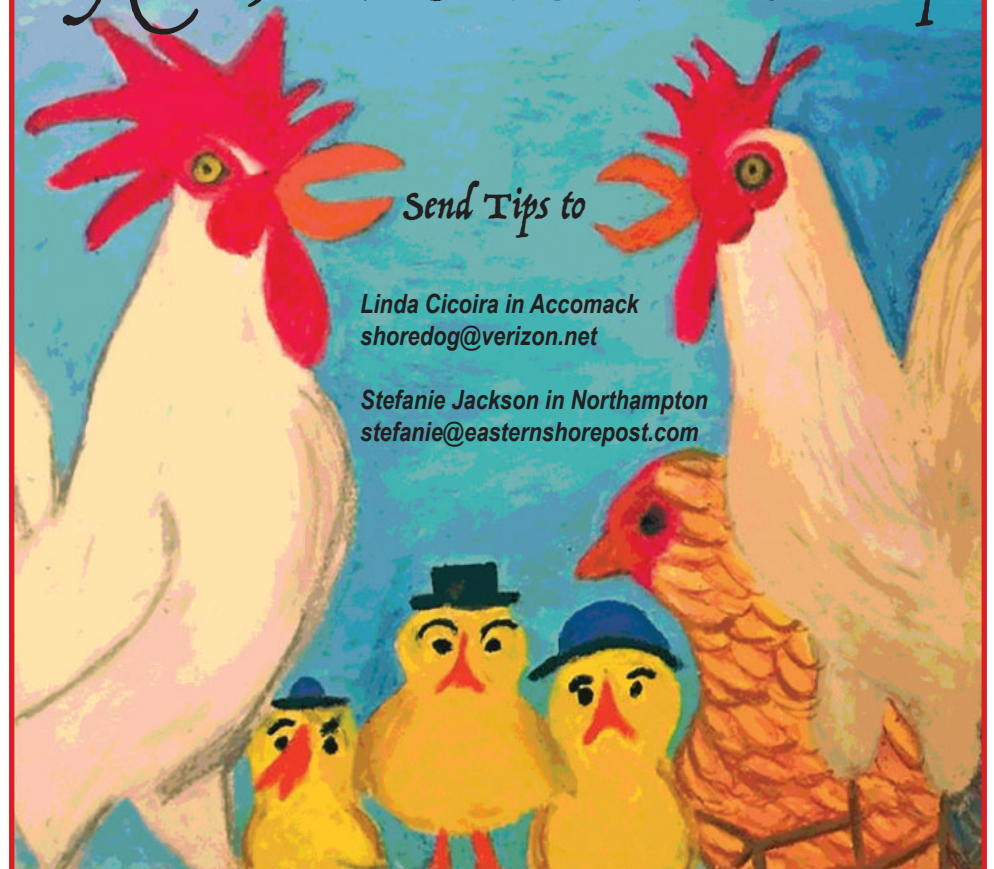
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Linda Cicoira in Accomack
shoredog@verizon.net

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stefanie@easternshorepost.com



Community Notes

Cape Charles

An informal public forum, "Coffee & A Conversation with Senator Lewis," will be Saturday, April 20, from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., at the Cape Charles Coffee House, 241 Mason Ave.

Chincoteague

The Chincoteague Cultural Alliance will present Bryan Russo as headliner for the alliance's Island Coffeehouse Saturday, April 20, at 7 p.m., at the Community Center for the Arts. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for students.

Greenbackville

Supervisor Ron Wolff will hold his constituents' meeting Tuesday, April 23, at 7 p.m., at the Captains Cove Community Center. The speaker will be announced later.

Kiptopeke

The Blue Star Memorial Dedication will be Friday, April 26, at 2 p.m., at the Southern Welcome Center at the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel. The memorial will honor veterans of World

War II. Guests are invited to bring any pictures of loved ones to place on a memory table. All veterans are invited to attend in uniform. There will be light refreshments and limited seating. Guests may bring their own seating.

The marker and program are being co-sponsored by the Tidewater District of Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs, the CBBT District, and Ye Accawmacke Garden Club.

For more information, contact Wanda Smith at 787-4744.

Onley

A Red Cross Blood Drive will be Wednesday, April 24, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in the conference room. Donors during the month of April will receive a "Game of Thrones" poster while supplies last.

Parksley

The Accomack County Public Schools Gifted Advisory meeting will be Thursday, April 25, from 6 to 7 p.m., at Metompkin Elementary School. Families of eligible gifted students are invited to attend.

SCHOLARSHIP

The Betty Ross Academy for Lifetime Learning has scholarships available for Eastern Shore high school seniors for the 2019-2020 school year who have been accepted at a four-year college/university and who intend to study a STEM discipline (or an ESCC attendee who will transfer). Scholarship information and applications can be obtained online at allesva.org/scholarship. Applications must be submitted online by May 15 and winners will be notified by June 14.

Windows:

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Music for piano, organ, and harpsichord

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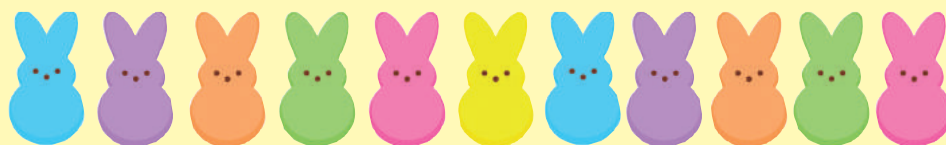
Sunday, April 28, 2019

4 p.m.

Historic Cokesbury Church, Onancock, Virginia

Easter Activities and Services

- The Ecumenical Way of the Cross service will be at Cape Charles Central Park Friday, April 19, at 3 p.m., if rain the service will be at St. Charles Catholic Church
- Shiloh Baptist Church in Boston will have a Seven Last Words service Friday, April 19, at 6:30 p.m.
- Bethel AME Church in Eastville will have Good Friday service Friday, April 19, at 7 p.m.
- Union UMC in Greenbackville will have Good Friday service Friday, April 19, at 7 p.m.
- Living Stones Ministries in Exmore will have an Interactive Passion of the Christ Experience Friday, April 19, through Sunday, April 21, at 6 p.m. The tomb opening is Sunday at 5:30 a.m. and Easter Service at 7:30 a.m.
- Accomack Parks and Recreation will host an Easter Egg Hunt at Metompkin Elementary School in Parksley Saturday, April 20, at 10 a.m.
- Craddockville UMC will host an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 20, at 11 a.m.
- Sign Post UMC in Greenbackville will host an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 20, at 11 a.m.
- Union Baptist Church in Chincoteague will host an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 20, at 11 a.m., for children up to fifth grade
- The Atlantic Vol. Fire and Rescue Co. will host the Easter Bunny Buffet Breakfast Saturday, April 20, from 8 to 11 a.m. \$8/adults; \$3/6 and under. Egg hunt at 10 a.m. (bring basket)
- The E.S. Yacht and Country Club in Melfa will host an Easter Fun Day Saturday, April 20, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Easter Bunny appearance, egg hunt, magic show, and more
- Mt. Nebo Baptist Church in Onancock will host an Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 20, at 1 p.m., refreshments, games, face painting, and more
- Cheriton UMC, Travis Chapel UMC, and Full Gospel Church will host Easter Sunrise service at the Oyster boat ramp Sunday, April 21, at 6 a.m., breakfast afterwards at Travis Chapel UMC in Cape Charles
- Mt. Nebo Baptist Church in Onancock will host Easter Sunrise service Sunday, April 21, at 6 a.m., breakfast afterwards
- Greenbackville Charge will host Easter Sunrise service at Greenbackville Landing Sunday, April 21, at 6 a.m., breakfast afterwards at Crusty Crab
- Smith Chapel UMC in Quinby will host Easter Sunrise service at the docks Sunday, April 21, at 6:15 a.m., if rain the service will be at the church, breakfast afterwards
- Craddockville UMC will host Easter Sunrise service at Occohannock On the Bay in Craddockville Sunday, April 21, at 6:25 a.m.
- Union UMC in Greenbackville will host Easter Glory Rising Worship service Sunday, April 21, at 8:30 a.m.
- Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Cape Charles will host Easter service Sunday, April 21, at 9:30 a.m.
- Sign Post UMC in Greenbackville will host Easter service Sunday, April 21, at 10 a.m.
- Cape Charles Baptist Church will host a tour of Jesus' last days on Earth Sunday, April 21, anytime between 10 and 10:40 a.m. The Easter service is at 11:15 a.m.
- Union UMC in Greenbackville will host Easter service Sunday, April 21, at 11:15 a.m.



**FRIDAY
APRIL 19**

★12:30 p.m. - **Science & Philosophy Seminar mtg.:** Flying the F-100 - ESCC, Melfa

- ★noon-6 p.m. - **Chincoteague Easter Decoy and Art Festival** - Chincoteague Combined School - \$4/adults; free/children under 12 - 336-6161
- ★7 p.m. - **CIAO Friday Night at the Movies: "Fly Away Home"** - Island Theatre, Chincoteague - \$5
- ★7 p.m. - **Life Teach Series** - Rachel Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven - doors open at 6:30 p.m.

**SATURDAY
APRIL 20**

★9 a.m.-4 p.m. - **Chincoteague Easter Decoy and Art Festival** - Chincoteague Combined School -

- \$4/adults; free/children under 12
- ★10 a.m.-noon - **Drop-In Art Show** - Ward Museum, Salisbury - 410-742-4988 x110
- ★10 a.m.-3 p.m. - **Open Farm Day** - The Nature Conservancy's Brownsville Preserve, Nassawadox
- ★noon and 7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
- ★5 p.m. - **Joy Night** - St. Luke AME Church, Daugherty
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Island Coffeehouse** - Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.



**SUNDAY
APRIL 21**

Happy Easter from all of us at the Eastern Shore Post



★5 p.m. - **Jewish Seder Service w/Rabbi Joseph Rosenfarb** - Living Stones Ministries, 4332 Main St., Exmore

**MONDAY
APRIL 22**

★1-3 p.m. - **Community Bingo** - Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague

- ★1-4 p.m. - **CIAO Presents Gameplay Monday: Card, Word, and Board Games** - Theatre Annex, 4076 Main St., Chincoteague
- ★5:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Onancock UMC, 75 Market St.
- ★5:30-6:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
- ★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Elks Lodge, Tasley
- ★6 p.m. - **Accomack Cty. NAACP mtg.** - Abba's House, Mary N. Smith Cultural Ctr., Accomack - 757-709-3753
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - Occohannock Elementary School, Exmore - 789-1794
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **ESL Class** - Kiptopeke Elementary School, Cape Charles - 789-1794
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg.** - Grace UMC, Parksley
- ★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **Free English for Speakers of Other Languages Class** - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
- ★7 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery mtg.** - Onancock Baptist Church - food served at 6 p.m.



**TUESDAY
APRIL 23**

★9 a.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Refuge Inn, Chincoteague

- ★10 a.m. - **Bingo** - Accomack Senior Village, Onancock - 787-3900
- ★10 a.m. - **Zumba Class** - Franktown UMC
- ★10:30 a.m. - **Tot Time** - Pocomoke Library
- ★10:30 a.m. - **Duplicate Bridge** - Island House, Wachapreague - 787-2432
- ★1-4 p.m. - **Veterans' Employment Representative Avail.** - Cape Charles Civic Center (old library) - no appt. needed
- ★1:30-3 p.m. - **Riverside Shore Hospice Grief Support Group mtg.** - Downing's UMC, 7291 Lankford Hwy., Oak Hall - 789-5000
- ★6 p.m. - **Rachel Leah Ministries** - 787-2486 (call for location)
- ★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa
- ★7 p.m. - **E.S. Cruisers' Car Club mtg.** - Sage Diner, Onley
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Order of the Eastern Star (Acc. Chap. #62) mtg.** - Masonic Lodge, Chincoteague
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Cheriton VFC - smoke free
- ★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Atlantic UMC



**WEDNESDAY
APRIL 24**

★7:45 a.m. - **Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg.** - Sage Diner, Onley

- ★10 a.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Market St. UMC, Onancock - 787-4718
- ★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - **Veterans' Employment Representative Avail.** - ESCC, Melfa - no appt. needed
- ★10:30-11:30 a.m. - **Overeaters Anonymous mtg.** - Rock Church, Onley - 757-655-4834
- ★10:30 a.m.-noon - **Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia Program** - Christ UMC, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague - Registration required: 1-800-272-3900
- ★11 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen** - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3431 Main St., Exmore
- ★noon - **AA mtg.** - Onancock UMC, 75 Market St.
- ★4 p.m. - **Art Studio: Art Movements** - Pocomoke Library
- ★5-7 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen and Clothes Closet** - Grace and Truth Ministries, Onancock - 789-5369
- ★5:30-6:30 p.m. - **Free Meals for the Hungry** - Epworth UMC, Exmore - 442-6391
- ★6-7 p.m. - **Prayer Line Open** - St. Matthew's Church, Onley - Call 665-7403 w/prayer requests
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - Occohannock Elementary School, Exmore - 789-1794
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **ESL Class** - Kiptopeke Elementary School, Cape Charles - 789-1794
- ★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **Free English for Speakers of Other Languages Class** - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
- ★7 p.m. - **Bingo** - St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Onley - doors open at 5:30 p.m.
- ★7 p.m. - **AA and Al-Anon mtgs.** - Franktown UMC
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Painter VFC


**THURSDAY
APRIL 25**

★9 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Veterans' Employment Representative Avail.** - Chincoteague Town Office

- ★10:30 a.m. - **Story Time** - Cape Charles Memorial Library
- ★11 a.m.-noon - **Neuter Scooter (April 25-26)** - SPCA, Onley - 787-7385
- ★5:30 p.m. - **Shore Losers mtg.** - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomack - \$1/wk.
- ★5:30 p.m. - **TOPS VA-550 mtg.** - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Kiwanis Club mtg.** - St. Andrew's Catholic, Chincoteague
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Trinity UMC, Cape Charles
- ★7 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.** - Chincoteague Church of God
- ★7 p.m. - **NA and AA mtg.** - Painter Garrison UMC

Eastern Shore Trading POST

Announcements



ELVIS "EL ROCK" REID
10/5/58-4/17/18

Today we celebrate the 1-year anniversary of you gaining your wings. We are so blessed to have had you in our lives for as long as God permitted us to and now you're resting with the Lord pain free. Sleep on Elvis "El Rock"! Gone but will never be forgotten. Our love forever... Love u! Love your beloved sister, Neise, and your loving family



~J & J's Jamesville Market~
We want to thank all of the customers, friends, and neighbors who have done business with us over the years. Thanks for all of the kind acts you've shown us and the support of our market. We want to wish the best for the new owners in their new venture: come check out their kayaks. ~Jill and John Davis

Baby's First Easter!
1 Peter 1:3
"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead."




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Help Wanted

The Sheriff's Office of Northampton County is accepting employment applications for:

JAIL MEDIC

This position will be working in the Eastern Shore Regional Jail and the job will require shift work, days, nights, weekends, holidays and required to be on call at times.

Qualifications: over the age of 21 and have obtained high school diploma or GED. Applicant must possess at a minimum the following: LPN or higher certifications.

Applications may be obtained in person from the Eastern Shore Regional Jail, 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia 23347, or online at www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: April 26, 2019

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In Memory of the late Sharone White Bailey, the Macedonia AME Church, Accomac, pastored by Rev. Andre Jefferson Jr., announces the 9th Annual Sharone White Bailey Educational Scholarship Awards. Two scholarships in the amount of \$2,000 each (\$1,000/semester) will be awarded to students enrolled in college for the 2019/2020 term.

Applicants must be either an Accomack or Northampton County public high school graduating senior, or a college student, under the age of 25, who graduated from a public high school in Accomack or Northampton County. Applications may be obtained from high school guidance counselors or by contacting Ms. Savage (757-665-4010), Ms. Hall (757-710-5466) or Ms. Turner via email at sheilaturnerdst@gmail.com

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED via THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE.

DEADLINE: APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MAY 6, 2019.

Help Wanted (Cont'd)

Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting employment applications for:

Certified Law Enforcement Officer

Job will require shift work, nights, weekends and some holidays.

Qualifications: over the age of 21 and have obtained high school diploma or GED.

Applications may be obtained from the Northampton County Sheriff's Office located at 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347 or the County's website www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: May 17, 2019

Northampton County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITION VACANCY

The County of Northampton is accepting part time employment applications for:

Maintenance Worker

The Public Works Department is looking to fill a part time Maintenance Worker position. The essential function of this position is to maintain County grounds and facilities and perform repairs and maintenance work. Starting pay range for this position is \$12.10/hr to \$15.71/hr, based on qualifications and experience, with year round hours up to 25 hrs/week. Requires valid Virginia driver's license.

Job descriptions and applications are available online at www.co.northampton.va.us or at Northampton County Human Resources, 16404 Courthouse Road, P.O. Box 66, Eastville, Virginia 23347 (phone: 757/678-0440 x551). Accepting applications until May 17, 2019. EOE.

Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting full time employment applications for:

Correctional Officer

Job will require shift work, nights, weekends and some holidays. Qualifications: over the age of 21 and have obtained high school diploma or GED. Certifications must be obtained within one year of employment.

Applications may be obtained from the Sheriff's Office, 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347, or the Eastern Shore Regional Jail Office located at 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347, or the county's website www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: April 26, 2019

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The Eastern Shore Community Services Board is seeking candidates for the following positions:

- Senior Clinician/Clinician (Sign-on Bonus)
 - Developmental Disabilities Aide
 - Substance Abuse Outpatient Clinician (CSAC required)
 - Emergency Services Clinician
 - Mental Health Facility Technician
- DS Medical Records Associate
- Peer Recovery Intern

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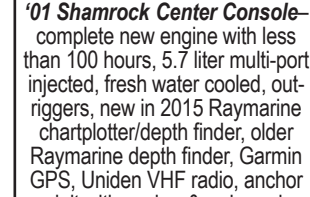
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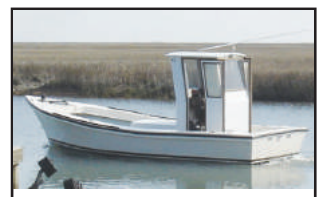
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'11 CAROLINA SKIFF 258 DLV 175, Suzuki 4-stroke, Garmin GPS, radio, Bimini top, custom covers, tandem trailers, garage kept. 757-678-7529 or 757-414-3556.



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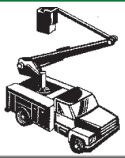


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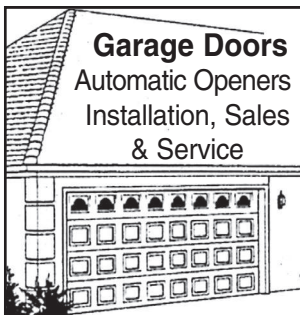
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In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of **\$150,918.00**, dated **March 9, 2015** recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the **Accomack County, Virginia**, in **Document No. 150000737**, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the **Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack**, on **April 22, 2019 at 12:00 PM** the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the Town of Onley, Lee Magisterial District, Accomack County, Virginia, said lot is bounded and described as follows: On the South, for a distance of 100' by Old U.S. Route 13, as shown on said sketch; on the East, for a distance of 189.4' by Virginia Avenue, as shown on said sketch; on the North, for a distance of 100' as shown on said sketch as recorded in Deed Book 393, at page 363, Tax Map No. 93C1-A-129, with improvements thereon.

Subject to any and all covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust, if any, affecting the aforesaid property.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH: A deposit of **\$20,000.00** or 10% of the sales price, whichever is lower, cash or certified check will be required at the time of sale, but no more than \$10,000.00 of cash will be accepted, with settlement within fifteen (15) days from the date of sale. Sale is subject to post sale confirmation that the borrower did not file for protection under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale which affects the validity of the sale, as well as to post-sale confirmation of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In any such event, the sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of his deposit without interest. Additional terms may be announced at the time of sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector attempting to collect the indebtedness referred to herein and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose.

SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C., Substitute Trustee

This is a communication from a debt collector.
FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
 SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C. (69018)
 5040 Corporate Woods Drive, Suite 120
 Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462
 757-457-1460 - Call between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
 or visit our website at www.siwpc.net

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Northampton, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Thursday, May 2, 2019, at the Northampton County Court House, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, VA 23347 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

PARCEL 1: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. BAYVIEW CITIZENS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE, INC.
On Woodcock Circle

All that parcel of land at Bayview, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 1, recorded in Plat Book 32, page 87.

PARCEL 2: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. BAYVIEW CITIZENS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE, INC.
MAP NO. 00084-07-BLK-00 0000002
On Woodcock Circle

All that parcel of land at Bayview, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 2, recorded in Plat Book 32, page 87.

PARCEL 3: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. BAYVIEW CITIZENS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE, INC.
MAP NO. 00084-07-BLK-00 0000051
On Bayview Circle

All that parcel of land at Bayview, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 51 "Shophouse," recorded in Plat Book 32, page 87.

PARCEL 4: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. BAYVIEW CITIZENS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE, INC.
MAP NO. 00084-07-BLK-00 0000052
On Woodcock Circle

All that parcel of land at Bayview, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 52, recorded in Plat Book 32, page 87.

PARCEL 5: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. BAYVIEW CITIZENS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE, INC.
MAP NO. 00084-07-BLK-00 0000053
On Woodcock Circle

All that parcel of land at Bayview, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 53, recorded in Plat Book 32, page 87.

PARCEL 6: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. BAYVIEW CITIZENS FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE, INC.
MAP NO. 00084-07-BLK-00 0000060
On Laughing Gull Road

All that parcel of land at Bayview, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 60, recorded in Plat Book 32, page 87.

PARCEL 7: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. BOYTOS AND BOYTOS
MAP NO. 083A1-12-BLK-00 0000171
On E Bay Drive

All that parcel of land in the Town of Cape Charles, Northampton County, Virginia, being Lot 171, Bay Creek Marina, recorded in Plat Book 31, page 49-52

PARCEL 8: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. JOHN E. BRADY, III
MAP NO. 0083B-02-BLK-00-00000A
21391 Wilkins Drive

All that parcel of land near Cheriton, Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 34,615 square feet, more or less, being Lot 5 and Parcel A, as recorded in Plat Book 23, page 40.

PARCEL 9: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. PERCY DOZIER
MAP NO. 00030-0A-BLK-00 0000067
On Joynes Road

All that parcel of land near Birds Nest, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 1.00 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 10: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 00000CA

All that parcel of land being 2.29 acres, more or less, shown as the "COMMON AREA", on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 11: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 000000B

All that parcel of land being 0.67 acre, more or less, shown as the "Landscape Area", on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 12: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 000000D

All that parcel of land being 19.01 acres, more or less, shown as the Remaining Land of Eastern Shore Development Corp., on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 13: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 000000E

All that parcel of land being 1.06 acres, more or less, shown as the "Landscape Area", on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 14: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 000000F

All that parcel of land being 0.99 acre, more or less, shown as the "Landscape Area", on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 15: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000005

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 5 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 16: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000006

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 6 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 17: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000007

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 7 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 18: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000009

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 9 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 19: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000014

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 14 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 20: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000015

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 15 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 21: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000017

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 17 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 22: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000020

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 20 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 23: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000021

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 21 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 24: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000022

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 22 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 25: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000023

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 23 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 26: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000025

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 25 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 27: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000027

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 27 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 28: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000028

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 28 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 29: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000029

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 29 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 30: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000030

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 30 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 31: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000031

All that parcel of land shown as Lot 31 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS - Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

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PARCEL 32: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
 MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000032
 All that parcel of land shown as Lot 32 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS – Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 33: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
 MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000033
 All that parcel of land shown as Lot 33 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS – Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 34: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
 MAP NO. 00068-12-BLK 0000038
 All that parcel of land shown as Lot 38 on a plat entitled, "EASTVILLE COMMONS – Phase I, located South of Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 36, page 95.

PARCEL 35: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. THE ERICKSON TRUST
 MAP NO. 00090-07-BLK-00 0000001
 On Heron Pointe Drive
 All that parcel of land in the Town of Cape Charles, Capeville District, Northampton County, Virginia, designated as Lot 1 Heron Pointe, as recorded in Plat Book 31, pages 52-58.

PARCEL 36: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. PEGGY GIDDENS
 MAP NO. 0004A-01-BLK-00 0000005
 11166 Cemetery Road
 All that parcel of land near Belle Haven, Northampton County, Virginia, being Lot 5, as recorded in Deed Book 171, page 566.

PARCEL 37: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. GEORGE L. HARMON

MAP NO. 0040B-10-BLK-00 0000003
 On Weeks Lane
 All that parcel of land containing 1.00 acre, more or less, in Treherneville, Northampton County, Virginia, consisting of Lot Nos. 3, 4, 5, 15 and 16, as recorded in Deed Book 54, page 200.
 Less and except a conveyance 100 feet by 150 feet.

PARCEL 38: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. JOHN T. HARMON
 MAP NO. 10-A-111A
 On Pitts Lane
 All that parcel of land near Exmore Station, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 6.00 acres, more or less.

PARCEL 39: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. BEATRICE SMITH
 MAP NO. 0112B-0A-BLK-00 0000011
 On Kiptopeke Drive
 All that parcel of land near Cedar Grove, Northampton County, Virginia, Lot No. 10, containing .94 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 40: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY
 vs. N. KIRSTAIN TAVI
 MAP NO. 0084G-01-BLK-00 0000E1
 On Parsons Circle
 All that parcel of land near Bayview containing 0.25 acre, bounded by State Route 641 and U.S. Route 13.

The terms of sale require a deposit of 25% of the bid price with the balance due in ten days.
 Additional terms will be announced at the sale.
 Each sale shall be subject to confirmation by the Court.

JAMES W. ELLIOTT
 Special Commissioner
 7100 U. S. Route 17
 Yorktown, VA 23692
 (757) 898-7000
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IFB #721 – Accomack County Circuit Court Exterior Renovation and HVAC Replacement

The County of Accomack is seeking **sealed bids** from qualified Virginia licensed contractors for renovations and HVAC replacement at the existing County Circuit Court Building at 23316 Courthouse Ave., Accomack, VA 23301.

A **mandatory pre-bid meeting** will be held on Tuesday, April 30th, starting at 11:00 AM at the project site. Attendance by a representative of all Prime Contractors is mandatory.

Sealed bids may be delivered to the Accomack County Administrator's Office, 23296 Courthouse Ave., Suite 203, Accomack, VA 23301 or may be mailed to the Accomack County Finance Office, c/o Lucy Huffman, P.O. Box 620 Accomack, VA 23301 until Thursday May 30, 2019 at 3:00 PM. Immediately thereafter, bids received by the due date and time will be publicly opened and read aloud in the **Board Chambers on the first floor of the County Administration Building, Suite 104.**

Bid envelopes shall be marked clearly as to name of Project and name of Bidder.

Bids received after the date and time set for receipt of bids shall be returned unopened.

Bids must be submitted on the attached Bid Form provided in the Project Manual and must be accompanied by bid security in the amount of 5% of the Base Bid in one of the following forms, naming the "County of Accomack" as payee or obligee, as applicable; certified check, bank cashier's check, trust company treasurer's check, or Bid Bond in the form required by the Bid Documents and as acceptable to the Owner. Bidder shall provide proof of bonding capacity with Bid if bid security is other than a Bid Bond.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a surety letter, from each Bidder's surety company, in form and content acceptable to the Owner, indicating the Bidder's ability to obtain the requisite bonding.

Failure to accompany this bid with appropriate security noted above will automatically disqualify bidder.

Bid documents may be inspected at the County Administrator's Office, 23296 Courthouse Ave., Suite 203, Accomack, VA 23301, Builders & Contractors Exchange Inc., 1118 Azalea Garden Rd., Norfolk, VA 23502, and at A & E Reprographics, Inc., 100 Aragona Blvd., Suite 103, Virginia Beach, VA 23462. Information may also be found on the Accomack County website at www.co.accomack.va.us.

Notice is hereby given to Bidders that compliance with all applicable local, state and federal government codes, laws, statutes and regulations is required. The successful Bidder must enter into an Agreement and must furnish a Labor and Material Payment Bond, and a Performance Bond, each in the amount of 100% of the Base Bid, and evidence of insurance as described in the Bid Manual and in a form acceptable to the Owner within ten (10) days after receipt of the Notice of Award by the Owner to the address stated in the Bid Proposal.

Withdrawal of Bids shall be according to procedure § 2.2-4330 of the Code of Virginia, as amended. Bidders must be licensed as a Contractor in the Commonwealth of Virginia, as required, and the Bidder's attention is directed to the requirements of Title 54.1, Chapter 11, of the Code of Virginia.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids or parts thereof and to determine whether the quality and type of equipment and/ or service to be furnished meets the requirements for which it is intended. The Owner further reserves the right to insist or waive any technicalities required in the best interest of the Owner and to consider competency and responsibility of the Bidder before the award of the Contract, or to contact any Bidder prior to award for explanations or clarifications. The Owner does not discriminate against any Bidder on any basis.

All communication or questions regarding the IFB shall be directed to and through Lucy Huffman, Procurement Assistant at P.O. Box 620, Accomack, VA 23301, 757-787-5709 or lhuffman@co.accomack.va.us.

Public Notice

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, May 7, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. The purpose is to conduct regular business and review applications to forward recommendations to the Board of Supervisors.

Minor SUP 2019-04 Guide/Outfitters (ECO Tours): Calvin and Lisa Hagan are applying for a special use permit for the property located on 6026 Occohannock Neck Road. They are proposing a Guide/Outfitters (ECO Tours). The property is zoned H/R and is further described as Tax Map 7-A-34.

Minor SUP 2019-06 Accessory Structure/Dwelling: William and Trinity Leland are applying for a special use permit for the property located 7298 Cherrydale Road. They are proposing a change from an accessory building to be use as a guesthouse. The property is zoned A/RB and is further described as Tax Map 59-A-10.

Addition to Newstead AFD: Haley Goffigon Smith and Dale Gould have petitioned to add 84.100 acres of land to the Newstead AFD. The owners currently have two ad-

jacent parcels that are a part of the Newstead District. The parcel is located at 20272 Oakland Farm Road and is described as Tax Map 76, double circle A, parcel 12.

Additions to Edgehill AFD: Cherrydale Holdings VA LLC have petitioned to add 704.106 acres of land to the Edgehill AFD. The owners wish to add 21 parcels to the Edgehill District as follows: Tax Map Parcels 59-3-2 through 59-3-21 and 59-3-A.

The Board of Supervisors shall also conduct public hearings on Tuesday, May 14, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers. The applications will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA.

Anyone wishing to comment on the above are invited to attend the meetings and make their comments known. Written comments can be submitted to the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement//P.O. Box 538//Eastville, VA 23347.

Handicapped Assistance Available: Please telephone 757-678-0440 at least 48 hours in advance.

FORECLOSURE SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN CAPTAIN'S COVE

May 17, 2019, 10:00 AM

**To be held in the
Community Room located
at 3370 Captain's Corridor,
Greenbackville, VA 23356.**

**The following properties
will be auctioned:**

Section/Lot: 1-0886, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100088600
Assessed Value: \$2,000

Section/Lot: 1-0888, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100088800
Assessed Value: \$2,000

Section/Lot: 1-1069, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100106900
Assessed Value: \$2,000

Section/Lot: 1-1070, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100107000
Assessed Value: \$2,000

Section/Lot: 1-1098, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100109800
Assessed Value: \$2,500

Section/Lot: 1-1107, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100110700
Assessed Value: \$2,500

Section/Lot: 1-1170, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100117000
Assessed Value: \$57,500

Section/Lot: 1-1197, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A10100119700
Assessed Value: \$60,900

Section/Lot: 2-0139, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100013900
Assessed Value: \$4,300

Section/Lot: 2-0144, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100014400
Assessed Value: \$4,300

Section/Lot: 2-0145, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100014500
Assessed Value: \$4,300

Section/Lot: 2-0233, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100023300
Assessed Value: \$2,500

Section/Lot: 2-0319, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100031900
Assessed Value: \$4,300

Section/Lot: 2-0328, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100032800
Assessed Value: \$4,300

Section/Lot: 2-0424, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100042400
Assessed Value: \$4,300

Section/Lot: 2-0453, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A20100045300
Assessed Value: \$4,300

Section/Lot: 3-1410, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A30100141000
Assessed Value: \$154,900

Section/Lot: 3-1591, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A30100159100
Assessed Value: \$2,000

Section/Lot: 4-1946, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A40100194600
Assessed Value: \$2,500

Section/Lot: 4-2314, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A40100231400
Assessed Value: \$108,800

Section/Lot: 5-2523, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A40300252300
Assessed Value: \$2,500

Section/Lot: 14-0006, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80100006000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 14-0081, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80100008100
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 14-0103, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80100010300
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 14-0120, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80100012000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 14-0152, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80100015200
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 14-0155, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80100015500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 15-0003, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80200003000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 15-0008, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80200008000
Assessed Value: \$900

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Tax Map No. 005A80200001000
Assessed Value: \$900

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Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 15-0097, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80200009700
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 15-0155, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A80200015500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0006, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300006000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0011, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300001100
Assessed Value: \$900

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Section/Lot: 16-0062, Captain's Cove
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Section/Lot: 16-0085, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300008500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0096, Captain's Cove
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Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0102, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300010200
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0119, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300011900
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0132, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300013200
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0139, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300013900
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 16-0146, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90300014600
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0020, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200002000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0023, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200002300
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0030, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200003000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0033, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200003300
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0043, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200004300
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0068, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200006800
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0073, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200007300
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0077, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200007700
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0079, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200007900
Assessed Value: \$900

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Tax Map No. 005A90200008000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0084, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200008400
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0110, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200011000
Assessed Value: \$900

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Tax Map No. 005A90200012200
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0125, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200012500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0126, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200012600
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0128, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200012800
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 17-0154, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90200015400
Assessed Value: \$900

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Tax Map No. 005A90100002100
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0022, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100002200
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0032, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100003200
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0046, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100004600
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0050, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100005000
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0051, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100005100
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0053, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100005300
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0063, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100006300
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0065, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100006500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0075, Captain's Cove
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Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0084, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100008400
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0086, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100008600
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0095, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100009500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0096, Captain's Cove
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Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0101, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100010100
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0112, Captain's Cove
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Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0115, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100011500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0122, Captain's Cove
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Section/Lot: 18-0123, Captain's Cove
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Assessed Value: \$900

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Tax Map No. 005A90100012500
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0128, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100012800
Assessed Value: \$900

Section/Lot: 18-0131, Captain's Cove
Tax Map No. 005A90100013100
Assessed Value: \$900

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Tax Map No. 005A90100013700
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tronic, or verbal information, including but not limited to the Minimum Bid. Successful bidder will be required to deposit with Trustee a deposit (non-refundable) in an amount equal to 10% of successful bid in cash or certified funds at time of sale, with the closing to occur within thirty days of the date of said sale or within such time set by Trustee in Trustee's sole discretion. Written one-price bids will be accepted for any of the properties pursuant to the terms set forth in Va. Code § 55-516. There is no warranty relating to right, title, interest, or the like in this disposition. Property is being sold pursuant to Va. Code § 55-516, and title will be conveyed pursuant to statute and subject to all liens or encumbrances as provided in said statute. All information for review by appointment only. Notwithstanding the Minimum Bids announced at the time of sale, the Trustee reserves the right to accept and/or reject all offers. Time is of the essence. Other conditions may be announced at the sale.

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222 Central Park Ave.,
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Phone: (757) 490-6261
Email: trailsend@pendercoward.com

AMBROGIA CAFFE & ENOTECA, LLC, Trading as Ambrogia Caffe & Enoteca, 321 Mason Ave., Cape Charles, Northampton County, Virginia 23310-3203
The above establishment is applying to the **VIRGINIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC) AUTHORITY** for a Wine and Beer on Premises and Limited Mixed Drinks license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages. Cristina Carollo, Member and Maryna Goerner, Member
NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the first of two required newspaper legal notices. Objections should be registered at www.abc.virginia.gov or 800-552-3200.

NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION
Joshua H. Webb, (2019022) has applied for approximately 72 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Pungoteague Creek situated in Accomack City/County and described as follows: **North By: Accomack PG 1, East By: Booker PF #20581, Vacant, South By: Booker PF #20581, Vacant, West By: Vacant, Lat/Long: N37-40.3905 W75-52.0299**
Send written comments or concerns to:
Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/Surveying Department, 380 Fenwick Road, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064
For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING
THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2019 AT 10 A.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

SUP-2019-007 - VAR-2019-007 Kathryn Byrd

A public hearing initiated by Kathryn Byrd to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-78 (6) to locate a mobile home in a residential district and to request a variance from section 106-77 (1), Single-family dwellings to allow for a second home on the property. The property is located at Tax Map #54-A-55, 13202 Winterville Road, Mears, VA and is located in the Residential Zoning District.

Public hearing related materials are available for review at the Office of the County Zoning Administrator at 23296 Courthouse Avenue - Room 105 - Accomack, Virginia or <http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public> on the Friday prior to each meeting date.

Handicapped Assistance available, call: (757) 787-5726 or 824-5223.

3 IN 1 MARIAS INC., Trading as Maria's Family Restaurant, 6506 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia 23336
The above establishment is applying to the **VIRGINIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC) AUTHORITY** for a Wine and Beer on Premises license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages. Loai Owies, Owner
NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the first of two required newspaper legal notices. Objections should be registered at www.abc.virginia.gov or 800-552-3200.

NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION
Joshua H. Webb, (2019023) has applied for approximately 35 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Wachapreague Channel situated in Accomack City/County and described as follows: **North By: Vacant, East By: Vacant, South By: Stratton App #2019-007, MLW, West By: Accomack PG 37a, MLW, Lat/Long: N37-35.6401 W75-38.7332**
Send written comments or concerns to:
Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/Surveying Department, 380 Fenwick Road, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064
For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

Request for Proposals Grass Cutting for Overgrown Properties

Northampton County is seeking proposals for on call grass cutting of overgrown properties. Contractors must furnish all of the equipment, transportation, labor and maintain automobile, liability, and workers' compensation insurance. Proposals must contain a complete listing of equipment to be used, the rate per parcel for these services, and a copy of the insurance coverage maintained by the proposer.

Interested persons must contact Tom Rippon, Code Compliance & Building Inspector at (757) 678-0443, ext 526 or via email at twrippon@co.northampton.va.us to obtain a bid package.

All bid packages must be returned to the Planning, Permitting and Enforcement Office, 16404 Courthouse Road, P.O. Box 538, Eastville, Virginia, not later than 3:00 p.m., May 3, 2019.

The County reserves the right to amend or cancel this RFP at any time if it is in the best interest of the County. Vendors who either individually or jointly with another owe delinquent taxes to Northampton County or who have an ownership interest in an entity which owes delinquent taxes to Northampton County may submit bids and may be awarded a contract; however, all such delinquent taxes will be deducted from any sums due the vendor under the contract before any payment is made to the vendor.

Northampton County is interested in establishing a seasonal contract proposal for the period between May 30, 2019 and November 30, 2019, with the option to renew annually for up to two (2) successive years upon agreement by both parties.

Northampton County is an equal employment opportunity employer. Bidders who owe taxes to Northampton County are eligible for consideration with the understanding that accounts payable under an agreement will first be paid to delinquent tax accounts.

NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Thomas H. James III, (2019025) has applied for approximately 0.3 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Nassawadox Creek situated in Northampton City/County and described as follows: **North By:** Bunce PF #21085, **East By:** Vacant, **South By:** Vacant, **West By:** Arnold III PF #16602, **Lat/Long:** N37-28.6589 W75-56.1226

Send written comments or concerns to:
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Surveying Department, 380 Fenwick Road,
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For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Thomas H. James III, (2019026) has applied for approximately 0.3 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Nassawadox Creek situated in Northampton City/County and described as follows: **North By:** Freeze App #2019017, **East By:** Northampton PG 3, **South By:** Bowen/Bowen Clams PF #18473, **West By:** Freeze App #2019017, **Lat/Long:** N37-28.7955 W75-56.3918, **Notes:** this application is over Freeze App #2019017

Send written comments or concerns to:
Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/
Surveying Department, 380 Fenwick Road,
Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064

For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

TRUSTEE SALE 12320 Houston Street, Exmore, VA 23350 Northampton County

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of **\$72,500.00**, dated **May 22, 2009**, recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the **Northampton County, Virginia**, in **Document No. 090001103**, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the **front entrance of the Northampton County Courthouse, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville**, on **April 22, 2019, at 11:00 AM** the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

Lot 3, Block L, as shown on Plat of Survey recorded in Plat Book 5, Page 2, with improvements thereon.

Subject to any and all covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust, if any, affecting the aforesaid property.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH: A deposit of **\$20,000.00** or 10% of the sales price, whichever is lower, cash or certified check will be required at the time of sale, but no more than \$10,000.00 of cash will be accepted, with settlement within fifteen (15) days from the date of sale. Sale is subject to post sale confirmation that the borrower did not file for protection under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale which affects the validity of the sale, as well as to post-sale confirmation of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In any such event, the sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of his deposit without interest. Additional terms may be announced at the time of sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector attempting to collect the indebtedness referred to herein and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose.

SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C., Substitute Trustee

This is a communication from a debt collector.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
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Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462
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or visit our website at www.siwpc.net

NOTICE

The Town of Chincoteague Town Council will hold a public hearing during their regular monthly meeting at 7 PM on May 6, 2019, at 6150 Community Drive, to afford interested parties an opportunity to provide comments on proposed changes to the Town's zoning ordinance. The proposed changes would only permit wayside vendors inclusive of 'food trucks' in the C-3 Commercial District with additional requirements being placed for operation within that district. The changes would also prohibit wayside vendors in all other commercial districts of the Town. A complete description of the changes is available for review in the Town Office.

James West
Town Manager

ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

Case No. CL19000262-00
Accomack County Circuit Court, P.O. Box 126,
23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, VA 23301

TANIA SENATUS
v. YVES JUNIOR PASSE
The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that YVES JUNIOR PASSE appear at the above-named court and protect his interests on or before MAY 22, 2019.

March 27, 2019
Samuel H. Cooper Jr., Clerk

The Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Commission is seeking proposals for public safety emergency communications consulting services (assessment and future planning). For a copy of the request for proposal, visit www.esva911.org or call (757) 787-0909.

Public Notice

The Northampton County Board of Zoning Appeals will meet on Tuesday, May 7, 2019, at 11:00 a.m., in the Board Chambers located in the County Administration Building at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA. The Board will assemble at 9:00 a.m. in the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Department to conduct a site visit on the property below. The Board of Zoning Appeals will meet for the purpose of conducting regular business and public hearing on the following matter:

A. Variance 2019-03: Michael and Judy Chernesky have filed an application for a variance exception. They are requesting a 25 feet variance from the required 50 feet left side setback. As well as a 50 feet variance from the required 80 feet front setback for a single family home. The property is located in the Solitude Trail subdivision at lot 4D Solitude. The property is zoned ES/R-A1 and is further described as Tax Map 48-A-4D.

B. Variance 2019-04: Joseph S. and Cindy M. Mapp have filed an application for a variance exception. They are requesting a 2 feet variance from the required 25 feet left side setback for a garage. The property is located in the Hideaway Cove subdivision at lot 10. The property is zoned ES/R-A1 and is further described as Tax Map 13B-1-10.

Anyone interested in the above matter should attend the public hearing in order to make their views known. Additionally, comments may also be written and sent to the Planning, Permitting and Enforcement Department. The files may be viewed in the Northampton County Planning, Permitting and Enforcement Department in Eastville, VA, located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA.

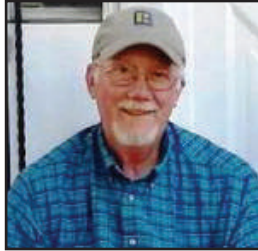
Handicapped Assistance Available: Please telephone 757-678-0443, extension 516, at least 48 hours in advance.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will conduct a joint public hearing with the Virginia Department of Transportation on Tuesday, May 14, 2019, commencing at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, on the Proposed Secondary Road Six Year Plan: 2020-2021 to 2024-2025 and Improvement Priorities for Fiscal Year 2019-2020 for Northampton County. Any interested citizen is invited to attend. Handicapped assistance available: please telephone (757) 678-0440 at least 48 hours in advance.

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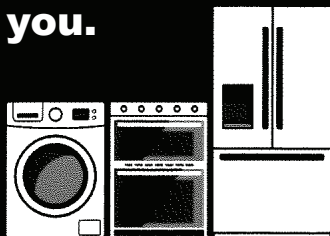


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Posted at Sea Level



By Linda Cicaira

Although May is officially Lyme Disease Awareness Month, April has brought reports on the Eastern Shore that those nasty ticks, which can infect you, are already out there latching on and biting.

According to www.msn.com, the incidence of Lyme Disease is 11.6 per 100,000 residents. But the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) thinks the figures are much higher. It estimated about 30,000 cases a year.

“This number does not reflect every case of Lyme disease that is diagnosed in the U.S every year,” the CDC website stated. “Standard national surveillance is only one way that public health officials can track where a disease is occurring and with what frequency. Recent estimates using other methods suggest that approximately 300,000 people may get Lyme disease each year in the U.S.”

I contracted the disease many years ago and it went untreated and wrongly diagnosed for many years so I have made it my mission to alert others about it. I never saw the tick. Some deer ticks are so small they are not detectable.

Within three to 30 days after a tick bite, the symptoms include fever, chills, headache, fatigue, muscle and joint aches, and swollen lymph nodes.

Between 70- 80% of those infected will get a bull’s-eye rash that can appear anywhere on the body. Later, severe headaches; neck stiffness; more rashes; severe joint pain and swelling; facial palsy; pain in tendons, muscles, joints, and bones; heart palpitations or an irregular heartbeat; episodes of dizziness or shortness of breath; inflammation of the brain and spinal cord; nerve pain; shooting pains, numbness or tingling in the hands or feet; and problems with short-term memory can occur.

With early detection, most cases of Lyme disease can be treated successfully by taking a few weeks worth of antibiotics.

Using repellent, removing ticks promptly, checking your clothing, and putting clothes in the dryer, not on a clothesline, will help prevent Lyme disease. Ticks can also ride into your home on your pets, so be sure to carefully check them too.

“Showering within two hours of coming indoors has been shown to reduce your risk of getting Lyme disease and may be effective in reducing the risk of other tickborne diseases,” the CDC states. It “may help wash off unattached ticks and it is a good opportunity to do a tick check.” The diagram at the right show placed most likely to harbor a tick.

What to do with a tick once it is removed is widely discussed. Some people flush them down the toilet. I don’t think that kills them so I don’t recommend it. The best thing I have come up with is to put the tick on a piece of

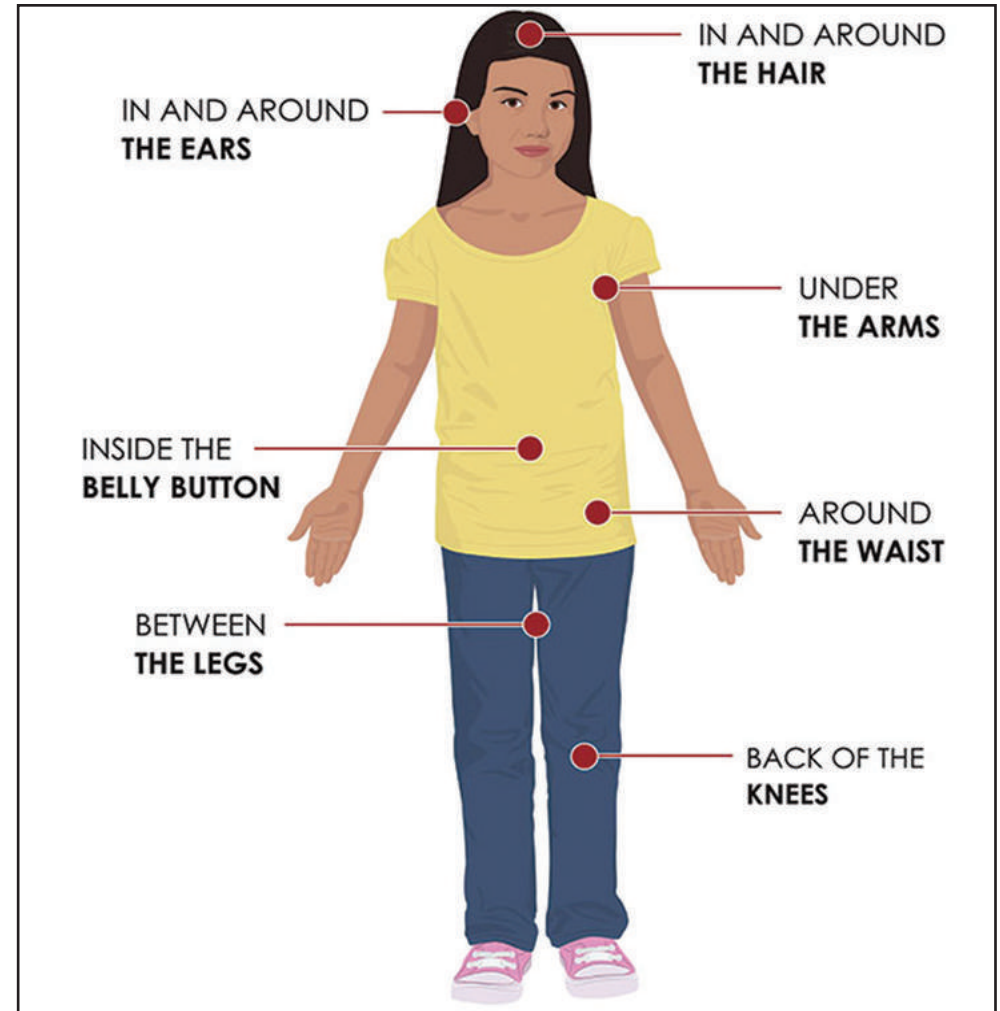


Image from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
The Center for Disease Control and Prevention recommends thoroughly checking these places for ticks after spending time outdoors.

tape and save it until the 30 days go by. That way, if there is any doubt that you have Lyme disease or a doctor won’t prescribe an antibiotic to cure you, you can ask to have the tick tested.

The state health department site states, the bacteria that causes Lyme disease is only transmitted through the bites of infected black-legged ticks, also known as deer ticks.

ERA: Opinions are Not Facts

Dear Editor:

In response to Delegate Rob Bloxom’s comments, I was amazed.

The Constitution is the law of the land, so having roughly half of the population omitted is a travesty! Saying “everyone agrees men and women deserve equal rights” means nothing. Obviously, everyone doesn’t agree. Saying it and putting it in a legal document are two different things. The Fifth and 14th amendments do not guarantee equal rights. If the Fifth did, then the 14th would not have been necessary. The 14th gave only the right to vote. Both Supreme Court judges Ruth Bader Ginsburg the late Antonin Scalia and have said women are not covered.

While the original deadline to ratify has passed, Congress can extend the deadline as it has in other cases. In the last two years, Nevada and Illinois have passed the ERA, so obviously they found it legally viable.

The ERA simply states, “Equality of rights under

the law shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex.” It has nothing to do with abortion, and federal law already prohibits use of public money for abortion.

In response to other concerns, Congress already has the power to draft anyone if the draft is reinstated. The Violence Against Women Act expired and was not renewed by the current Congress.

I have worked long and hard with a bipartisan group of women to get the ERA passed in Virginia. This year the Senate chief patron was a Republican lawyer and neither he nor I are driven by Planned Parenthood. The other comments are fear mongering and name calling.

I do not want my three granddaughters to ever know that they were considered less than (equal under the law) and not included in the law of the land just because they were born female. Eighty percent of Virginia agree with me based upon the CNU Wason Report (December 2018) as well as the boards of su-

pervisors for Northampton and Accomack counties.
Bonnie Eskridge Reid, Parksley and Richmond

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<p>LOADED, ONLY 37K MILES</p> <p>2016 TOYOTA CAMRY SE \$15,900 Stock#S3206</p>	<p>ONLY 20K MILES, LOCALLY OWNED, WONT LAST!</p> <p>2014 CADILLAC XTS LUXURY Stock#S3336</p>	<p>4X4, ONLY 27K MILES</p> <p>2017 JEEP COMPASS LATITUDE LIMITED \$17,200 Stock#S3311</p>	<p>NAVIGATION</p> <p>2015 SUBARU OUTBACK LIMITED \$17,200 Stock#S3296</p>	<p>LEATHER, ONE LOCALLY OWNED, ONLY 13K MILES</p> <p>2015 HYUNDAI TUCSON LIMITED \$17,500 Stock#S3335</p>
<p>ONLY 45K MILES</p> <p>2016 FORD F150 4X2 PICKUP \$19,400 Stock#S3315</p>	<p>SUBARU CERTIFIED</p> <p>2017 SUBARU FORESTER \$19,800 Stock#S3132</p>	<p>SUBARU CERTIFIED</p> <p>2017 SUBARU CROSSTREK \$20,400 Stock#S3161</p>	<p>SUBARU CERTIFIED</p> <p>2018 SUBARU CROSSTREK PREMIUM \$24,225 Stock#S3299</p>	<p>SUBARU CERTIFIED</p> <p>2017 SUBARU FORESTER LIMITED \$24,400 Stock#S3199</p>