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parade ice
pops debated

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Independence Day on the Eastern Shore evokes images of beach days, boating, patriotic parades, and Popsicles melting on a hot day.

But in Accomac, the issue of ice pops has become a heated debate.

The topic causing the fireworks: whether the Accomac Town Council should buy less-expensive ice pops, or spring for more-expensive, healthier fruit juice pops,

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Children can attend one day or all summer.

Call 703-282-4405 or email new-rootsyouthgarden@gmail.com

Northampton class of 1978 sets reunion

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Those classmates who are interested in attending or need more information can call 757-710-1433 or email ramonaffisher1960@gmail.com.

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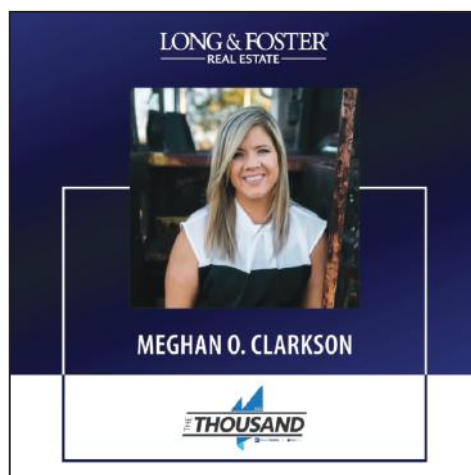
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Johnson files for Accomack School Board re-election

The District 3 representative on the Accomack County School Board has filed for re-election in the Nov. 7 general election.

Lisa Cropper Johnson, a lifelong Horntown resident, said, “I bring ‘triple E’ to the Board: extensive experience, education, and energy.” Johnson said she has learned much during her four-year term.

She said she looks forward “to continuing to applying her experience, education, and energy to the county where she and both of her children graduated,” all from Chincoteague High School.

She has one grandchild in Accomack County Public Schools and her son coaches basketball at an Accomack high school. Her daughter is a national certified elementary school teacher.

“My husband, Tim, and I jointly committed to remaining on Virginia’s Eastern Shore early in our 35-year marriage,” Johnson said of her hus-



Lisa Johnson

band, an Arcadia High School graduate.

Johnson holds a Ph.D. in organizational leadership from the University of Maryland Eastern Shore and has more than three decades of public service experience.

Her career spans the fields of diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility programs; equal opportunity programs; human resources management; and career services. She has taught at the Eastern Shore Community College and at UMES, both on a part-time basis.

She represents the School Board by serving on the ESCC Advisory Board, and continues to demonstrate a full commitment to supporting the coun-

ty’s educational goals and objectives. Her community service includes a wide range of present and past experiences on county boards, such as the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board.

“The breadth and depth of school board responsibilities extend well beyond what most people consider,” Johnson said.

To learn more about Johnson and her priorities as a school board member, email to lcjohnson4accschbd3@gmail.com

Johnson said her love of the Eastern Shore and its people is continually reflected in her hobby of photography.

“The Eastern Shore is home and I love serving here,” she said.

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Local farmer part of Kiggans discussion

Northampton County farmer Kyle Sturgis was part of a roundtable discussion held by U.S. Rep. Jen Kiggans, first in a series of on Southeast Virginia’s agriculture industry.

The discussion focused on the challenges facing farmers in the United States, the crucial importance of strong domestic food production to the economy and national security, and the upcoming 2023 Farm Bill.

“Agriculture is by far the Commonwealth’s largest private industry with more than 43,000 farms covering 7.8 million acres,” said Kiggans.

“These farms — most of which are owned by families and individuals, not corporations — contribute \$82.3 billion to our economy and employ 381,800 Virginians. I’d like to thank all the farmers and local officials who sat down with me this week to address the issues impacting their livelihoods.”



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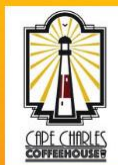
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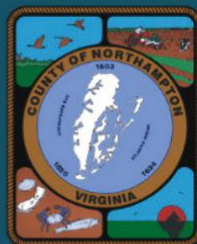
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Man killed when truck runs off bridge-tunnel

An accident on the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel on Thursday, June 22, in which a tractor-trailer went overboard, left one man dead.

Christopher A. Scott, 36, of Henrico, was crossing the bridge-tunnel from the Virginia Beach side around 1:50 p.m. on Thursday, June 22, when his tractor-trailer went overboard on the west side of the bridge, near the one-mile post.

The U.S. Coast Guard responded and was assisted by Virginia Beach police, fire, and emergency services personnel, the Virginia Marine Resources Commission, and others in the search for Scott, according to a U.S. Coast Guard press release.

The search was suspended around 9:30 a.m. on Friday, June 23, after a salvage crew found Scott deceased in the cab of the truck.

“This is a deeply tragic conclusion,” said Capt. Jennifer Stockwell, commander of Coast Guard Sector Virginia. “We had hoped for a different outcome; our thoughts are now with the family in the days and weeks ahead.”

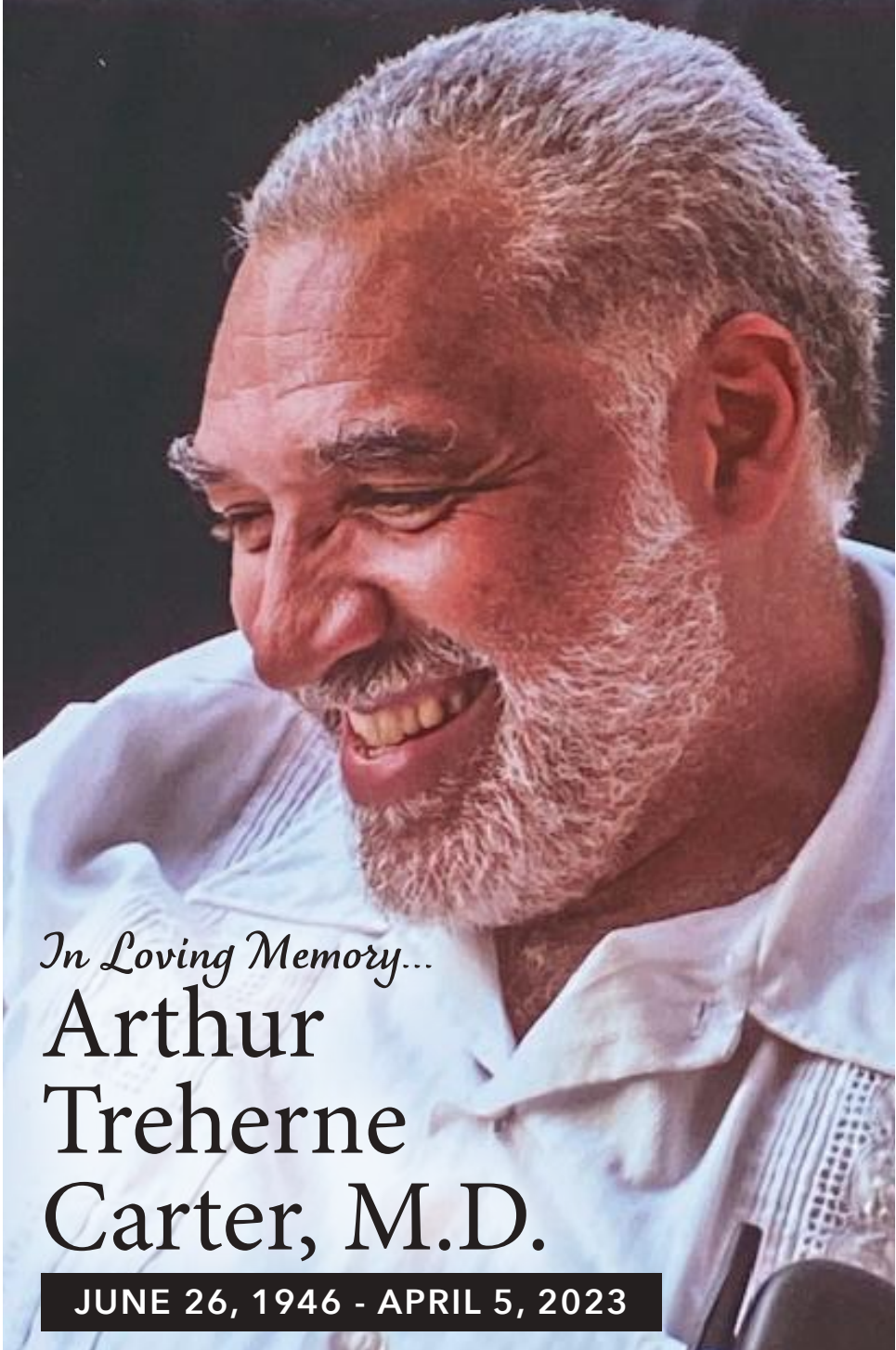
The body and vehicle were recovered around 3 p.m. by Crofton Diving, of Portsmouth.

The tractor-trailer was owned by Keep It Moving 22 LLC, a Maryland-based kitchen cabinet and furniture manufacturer.

The cause of the accident has not yet been determined. The CBBT police investigation is ongoing.

“The thoughts and prayers of everyone at the CBBT are with the family and loved ones of Mr. Scott during this difficult time,” said Jeff Holland, executive director of the CBBT.

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Popsicles

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for distribution after its July 4 parade.

The question divided the town council. Seemingly the only item on which both sides agree is that there are more meaningful items to discuss.

"I think bigger issues are more important," said Accomac Mayor Patricia Smith, one of four elected officials to vote in May in favor of returning to the town's traditional frozen treat.

Accomac served a healthier, all-fruit option at its Independence Day parade last year, according to Vice Mayor Christopher Newman.

"Of all of the problems in our world and our country, here we are in our little town in our county seat arguing about Popsicles," said Newman, who said he was one of three to vote in favor of offering the fruit juice bars again this year.

The divide, however, is relatable wherever sweaty kids are quenching their summertime thirst with a frozen treat on a stick.

Low-priced but less wholesome? Or higher-priced and nutritional?

Accomac's non-motorized Independence Day parade is steeped in small-town history. For decades residents have lined the streets in lawn chairs or traveled the parade route by foot, bike, horse, or golf cart.

After the procession along Front Street, residents gather at the courthouse green for a community celebration with live music and pulled pork barbecue for sale by a local church.

Accomac purchases 200 Popsicles to pass out free of charge, along with water, Smith said.

"That's a pretty good turnout for a small town," she said, using the Popsicle count as an indicator of parade attendance in a town of around 500.

Until 2022, Accomac served sugar-free Popsicles, Smith said, but last year purchased a fruit juice option instead, following a decision by the town council.

"I thought if we're giving out Popsicles, we should give something

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Popsicle.'**

Pat Smith
Accomac mayor

healthier to the children," Newman said.

The fruit juice bars come in lower-count boxes than the 18 packs of orange, grape, cherry, and tropical flavors the town traditionally served, and Newman spoke to Food Lion's Onley manager, who provided a discount for the frozen fruit bars.

Even with the discount, they cost Accomac over \$130 last year, compared to around \$72 the town spent on sugar-free Popsicles in previous years, Smith said.

Those supporting the fruit juice bars contended Accomac can afford the option. Several residents have offered to foot the bill for the difference in cost, Newman said.

"We're representing our town," he said.

But Smith said the money saved can go towards other projects in town.

"We're a small town. You have to make choices. I chose to have a less-expensive Popsicle," she said, adding "that's not a major issue – what kind of Popsicles that you get for a parade.

"The issue is that everybody has a good time."

Accomac will hold its annual Fourth of July Parade on Tuesday, July 4, starting at 10 a.m. at 24010 Front Street at the intersection of Joynes Neck Road.

All are invited to walk or ride in the non-motorized parade, including horses and leashed dogs. The parade takes place rain or shine.

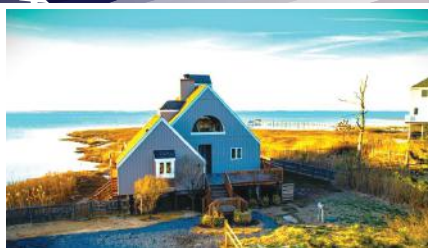
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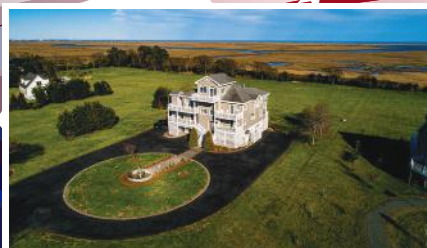
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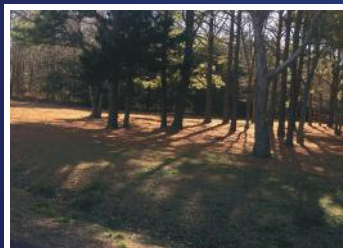
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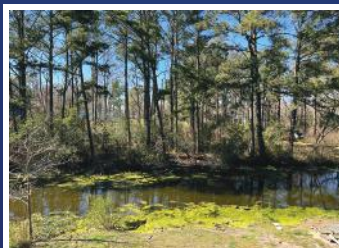
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Allowing adequate time for an investigation

Protest rallies are rare on the Eastern Shore — especially one that draws 70 people, like the vigil held Saturday, June 17, for Erika Bailey, the young mother killed in April by a vehicle in Atlantic.

It was an emotional and forceful stand by a group that wants charges brought against the driver of the vehicle that hit Bailey. A vigil organizer counted the days that there has been “no arrest, no justice” for Bailey.

The vigil was an impressive display of First Amendment freedoms of speech and assembly. There are many places in the world where such a vigil would not have been allowed. And many places where the news media would have completely ignored such a gathering, or been prohibited from covering it.

In the wake of the vigil, it is important to note that criminal investigations take time — and some do not result in criminal charges. The subjects of such investigations are entitled to professionalism and thoroughness from police and prosecutors. In law, getting it right is far more important than getting it done quickly.

In a fast-paced society like ours, in which everything from getting information to ordering food is at our fingertips, a thorough investigation can seem very slow by comparison.

For many reasons, the details of an investigation that could lead to possible criminal charges are private. For example, grand juries impaneled to weigh evidence must agree, by law, to keep facts secret. There will be only a very minimal disclosure of basic facts during the process.

To hold a vigil calling for justice is one of our basic American rights — like owning firearms, worshiping in church, or not worshiping at all. But those under investigation also have rights — like a thoroughgoing examination of facts, even if it takes a while.

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Hackers threaten everyone — even the nicest folks

Margaret Harris did exactly what I would have done.

One of her closest friends sent her a note on Facebook Messenger asking her to repeat back a five-digit number.

It is the type of friend for whom she'd do anything. So she sent the code.



Ted Shockley

But it wasn't one of her closest friends. It was a hacker who had taken her friend's account.

Because Harris responded to the note on Facebook Messenger, the hacker gained access to Harris' entire life.

Harris today cannot control her personal or business Facebook pages.

She had to close down personal and business bank accounts, both of which had suspicious activity, and open new accounts.

Adding to the indignity, the hacker still uses Harris' personal Facebook page. It still has Harris' name. But they are photos of someone else.

“It's been a nightmare,” she said.

How do we protect ourselves from hackers on Facebook Messenger?

There are plenty of suggestions online — use caution when sharing personal information, be vigilant and aware, and so on.

And, as Harris found out and hopes others learn — be careful responding on Messenger.

Because it might be a hacker disguised as one of your best friends.

That Harris had to undergo this ordeal is proof that hackers threaten even the nicest folks among us.

Harris owns Shore Creations on Lankford Highway in Onley. It's a showplace of a shop with women's clothing, jewelry, home decor, and more.

She has relaunched her business Facebook page. It's called Shore Creations LLC and is building back its list of followers.

Harris, naturally modest, was hesitant to talk about the ordeal. She was understandably upset. She was embarrassed about something that could have happened to anyone.

And she would never want her dear friend — another one of the Eastern Shore's nicest people — to feel badly about it. It clearly wasn't the fault of her friend, who was also hacked.

She hoped her story might be a cautionary tale for others. Don't be so casual and trusting online. Read up on how to protect yourself from hackers. Ask questions and familiarize yourself.

Always the optimist, Harris wondered aloud about the profound impact we'd realize if the helions among us became helpers instead.

Think of how beneficial these sinister computer hackers could be to the world if they put their talents to good use.

“If they would just use the knowledge they have for good, we would have a wonderful place,” she said.

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ENTERTAINMENT

Eastern Shore Post

Friday, June 30

■ **FISHING:** 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., inaugural Cobia Tournament sponsored by The Oyster Farm at Kings Creek. Lines are in at 7 a.m. and lines are out at 4 p.m. Weigh-in is from 5 to 7 p.m. First prize is \$2,000. There is a \$300 entry fee per boat with up to six anglers per boat. For more information, call 757-331-8663.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **STORYTELLING:** 7 p.m., doors open at 6:30 p.m., Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. Free admission, cash bar. This month's theme: The Chincoteague Way. Visit www.ChincoteagueCA.org

■ **FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL:** 7 to 10:30 p.m., Wachapreague Volunteer Firemen's Carnival, Wachapreague. Entertainment will be provided by the group Corn Funk Revue.

■ **FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL:** 7 to 11 p.m., Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. carnival with rides, games, and food. Opening night ceremony starts at 6:30 p.m.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., Josh Barnett and Marc Jay at the Blarney Stone Pub, 10 North St., Onancock.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., Dan Rosanato at Cape Charles Brewing Co., 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 to 11 p.m., Fil Rhythm and the Wharf Rats, Mallards 2 Market St., Onancock.

Saturday, July 1

■ **FISHING:** 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., inaugural Cobia Tournament sponsored by The Oyster Farm at Kings Creek. Lines are in at 7 a.m. and lines are out at 4 p.m. Weigh-in is from 5 to 7 p.m. First prize is \$2,000. There is a \$300 entry fee per boat with up to six anglers per boat. For more information, call 757-331-8663.

■ **CHICKEN BARBECUE:** Elks chicken barbecue at the Pocomoke City Elks Lodge, 1944 Worcester Highway, Pocomoke City.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to noon, The Onancock Market, an open-air farmers and artisans market, 22 Market St., Onancock. Visit www.onancockmarket.com

■ **FARMERS, ARTISANS MARKET:** 9

a.m. to 1 p.m., Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market, Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. Fresh local seafood, produce, and a wide array of arts and crafts. Live music, free admission and parking. Visit www.chincoteagueuca.org

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Farmers Market at the Oyster Farm, 500 Marina Village Circle, Cape Charles.

■ **BOOKMOBILE:** 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Accomack County Public Schools Bookmobile at the parking lot of Vance's in Melfa. All students receive two free books per visit. There are books for all ages, including fiction, nonfiction, parent and family engagement, bilingual resources, and more.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **MUD BOG:** 5 to 8 p.m., Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St., Pocomoke City.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Morgan Lynsey at Cape Charles Central Park, part of the Citizens for Central Park's Concerts in the Park series.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., free concert by the Salisbury Community Band, Robert Reed Waterfront Park, Chincoteague Island. Bring a chair. Sponsored by the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance.

■ **FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL:** 7 to 10:30 p.m., Wachapreague Volunteer Firemen's Carnival, Wachapreague. Entertainment will be provided by the H.M. Johnson band.

■ **FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL:** 7 to 11 p.m., Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. carnival with rides, games, and food.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 to 11 p.m., Rude Boy Riddim at Mallards at the Wharf, 2 Market St., Onancock.

Sunday, July 2

■ **CRAFT SHOW:** noon to 4 p.m., arts and crafts show at the Captains Cove Golf and Yacht Club. Open to the public.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 4 to 8 p.m., Emily Gueple performs at Mallards, 2 Market St., Onancock.

Monday, July 3

■ **YOGA:** 8 to 9 a.m., yoga at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St.,

Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **INDEPENDENCE DAY EVENT:** 9 a.m., at Seaside Park, Wachapreague, parachutist Dave Bright will jump from an airplane hoisting an American flag.

■ **PARADE:** 10 a.m., Wachapreague Independence Day Parade. Route heads east on Main Street and turns north on Brooklyn Avenue, ending at the carnival grounds.

■ **GAME DAY:** 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organization. Info: 757-702-2170, www.chincoteagueislandarts.com

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 to 9 p.m., Mo-Doc performs at Mallards, 2 Market St., Onancock.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open at 5 p.m., first game at 7 p.m., Onancock Elks Lodge, 22454 Front St., Accomac. Info: 757-787-7750.

■ **ICE CREAM SOCIAL:** 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., ice cream social and patriotic band concert at Historic Onancock School, 6 College Ave., Onancock. Sponsored by the Onancock Business and Civic Association.

■ **FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL:** 7 to 11 p.m., Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. carnival with rides, games, and food.

Tuesday, July 4

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

■ **BOOK GIVEAWAY:** 9:30 a.m. to noon, free summer book giveaway at the Eastern Shore Public Library in Accomac.;

■ **PARADE:** 10 a.m., town of Cape Charles Independence Day parade. Begins on Bay Avenue and ends at the intersection of Mason Avenue and Peach Street.

■ **PARADE:** 10 a.m., Accomac Non-Motorized Fourth of July Parade on Front Street toward courthouse green. Begins at 24010 Front Street. Everyone is invited to walk or bicycle and equines and leashed canines are welcome.

■ **BASKETBALL TOURNEY:** noon, the town of Cape Charles will hold a four-on-four teen basketball tournament at the intersection of Bay and Madison avenues. Registration is from 11 a.m. to noon. Teams

can consist of five players aged 13 to 17. To sign up and view tournament rules contact Julie Pruitt at julie.pruitt@capecharles.org or Rick Finley at 757-331-3259, ext. 16.

■ **INDEPENDENCE DAY EVENTS:** noon, Bay Avenue, Cape Charles, craft vendors, food, music, cornhole, a dunk tank, and more.

■ **FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL:** 7 to 11 p.m., Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. carnival with rides, games, and food.

■ **FIREWORKS:** at dark, Bay Avenue, Cape Charles.

■ **FIREWORKS:** 10 p.m., Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. carnival grounds, Chincoteague.

Wednesday, July 5

■ **YOGA:** 8 to 9 a.m., yoga at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **FARMERS, ARTISANS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market, Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. Fresh local seafood, produce, and a wide array of arts and crafts. Live music by Tommy B., free admission and parking. Visit www.chincoteagueuca.org

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

■ **ACTIVITY:** 1 to 3 p.m., Sit and Stitch program at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org

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Be included

The Eastern Shore Post wants your listings for live music, fundraisers, theatrical performances, banquets, carnivals, special events, and anything else that is just plain fun. Send to editor@easternshorepost.com.

Entertainment

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house.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **ACTIVITY:** 6 to 8 p.m., chess club at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **BINGO:** Doors open at 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Painter Volunteer Fire Co., 17116 Wayside Drive, Painter.

Thursday, July 6

■ **CHILDREN'S EVENT:** 10 a.m., "Tales 4 Tots" at the Chincoteague Island Library, 4077 Main St., Chincoteague. Stories, crafts, snacks, and stretching for children up to age 5. Free and open to all. Children must be accompanied by adult.

■ **SENIOR EXERCISE:** 10 a.m., Community senior exercise program, Powelton Presbyterian Church, Wachapreague.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** noon to 5 p.m., Snow Hill Farmers Market in the municipal parking lot on West Green Street. Fresh local produce, baked goods, locally roasted coffee, and artisanal items.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 to 8:30 p.m., "Fab 2,3,4: A Tribute to the Beatles," at Po-comoke City Concerts in the Park at Cypress Park, 7 Bridge St. Picnic dinners and lawn chairs are welcome.

Friday, July 7

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **INDEPENDENCE DAY EVENT:** 5 to 9 p.m., Snow Hill Area Chamber of Commerce and Downtown Snow Hill Independence Day event at Sturgis Park. Food vendors, beer wagon, bounce house and DJ. Fireworks at dark.

■ **PIZZA FUNDRAISER:** 5 to 8 p.m., drive-through pizza sale at New Church Fire and Rescue Co., 4264 Firehouse St., New Church. Order at front of building and drive around for pickup. Pizzas starting at \$15.

Saturday, July 8

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to noon, The Onancock Market, an open-air farmers

and artisans market, 22 Market St., Onancock. Visit www.onancockmarket.com

■ **FARMERS, ARTISANS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market, Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. Fresh local seafood, produce, and a wide array of arts and crafts. Live music, free admission and parking. Visit www.chincoteagueca.org

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Farmers Market at the Oyster Farm, 500 Marina Village Circle, Cape Charles.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Can U Dig It at Cape Charles Central Park, part of the Citizens for Central Park's Concerts in the Park series.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., free concert by The Modern Band, Robert Reed Waterfront Park, Chincoteague Island. Bring a chair. Sponsored by the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance.

Monday, July 10

■ **YOGA:** 8 to 9 a.m., yoga at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **GAME DAY:** 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organization. Info: 757-702-2170, www.chincoteagueislandarts.com

■ **BINGO:** Doors open at 5 p.m., first game at 7 p.m., Onancock Elks Lodge, 22454 Front St., Accomac. Info: 757-787-7750.

■ **FREE MOVIE:** 8:25 p.m., free movie, "Hachi: A Dog's Tale," at Robert Reed Waterfront Park, Chincoteague Island. Bring a chair or blanket. Sponsored by the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance.

Tuesday, July 11

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

■ **CRAFT GROUP:** 1 to 3 p.m., Hooks & Needles craft group at Powelton Presbyterian Church, Wachapreague.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 5:30 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Cheriton Volunteer Fire Co., 21334 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton.

Wednesday, July 12

■ **YOGA:** 8 to 9 a.m., yoga at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **FARMERS, ARTISANS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market, Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. Fresh local seafood, produce, and a wide array of arts and crafts. Live music by Tommy B., free admission and parking. Visit www.chincoteagueca.org

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

■ **ACTIVITY:** 1 to 3 p.m., Sit and Stitch program at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **ACTIVITY:** 6 to 8 p.m., chess club at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **BINGO:** Doors open at 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Painter Volunteer Fire Co., 17116 Wayside Drive, Painter.

Thursday, July 13

■ **CHILDREN'S EVENT:** 10 a.m., "Tales 4 Tots" at the Chincoteague Island Library, 4077 Main St., Chincoteague. Stories, crafts, snacks, and stretching for children up to age 5. Free and open to all. Children must be accompanied by adult.

■ **SENIOR EXERCISE:** 10 a.m., Community senior exercise program, Powelton Presbyterian Church, Wachapreague.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** noon to 5 p.m., Snow Hill Farmers Market in the municipal parking lot on West Green Street. Fresh local produce, baked goods, locally roasted coffee, and artisanal items.

■ **INTERNATIONAL MOVIE:** 7 p.m., "The Lost King," at the Roseland Theatre, 48 Market St., Onancock. \$8 at the door or get season passes at the Book Bin in Onley.

Friday, July 14

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

Saturday, July 15

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to noon, The Onancock Market, an open-air farmers and artisans market, 22 Market St., Onancock. Visit www.onancockmarket.com

■ **FARMERS, ARTISANS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market, Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. Fresh local seafood, produce, and a wide array of arts and crafts. Live music, free admission and parking. Visit www.chincoteagueca.org

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Farmers Market at the Oyster Farm, 500 Marina Village Circle, Cape Charles.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6:30 p.m., Singer-songwriter Bryan Russo at the Island Coffeehouse, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. Opening act is singer-songwriter Pam Roberts. Admission is \$5 and \$2 for children 12 and younger. Cash bar. Visit www.chincoteagueca.org

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., The Jangling Reinharts at Cape Charles Central Park, part of the Citizens for Central Park's Concerts in the Park series.

Monday, July 17

■ **YOGA:** 8 to 9 a.m., yoga at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org

■ **GAME DAY:** 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organization. Info: 757-702-2170, www.chincoteagueislandarts.com

■ **BINGO:** Doors open at 5 p.m., first game at 7 p.m., Onancock Elks Lodge, 22454 Front St., Accomac. Info: 757-787-7750.

Tuesday, July 18

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave. Parksley.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 5:30 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Cheriton Volunteer Fire Co., 21334 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton.

OBITUARIES

Eastern Shore Post

Diana Strand

Mrs. Diana Veney Strand, 71, beloved daughter of Catherine Stewart Veney and the late Frank Veney, was born on July 8, 1951, in Onancock. She departed this life on June 21, 2023, at the University of Maryland Medical Center in Baltimore.

Diana was educated in the public schools of Accomack County and was a graduate of Mary N. Smith High School. Diana was an administrative assistant for the Virginia Employment Commission for over 40 years until her retirement in 2021.



Mrs. Strand

Diana professed her love for Christ and joined the United Faith Church of Deliverance under the leadership of Bishop George Copeland. In earlier years, she enjoyed singing with the Dennis Chorale Singers for many years.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, June 24, 2023, from Anointed Word of Deliverance Ministries, Keller, with Bishop George Copeland officiating. Interment was in the Metropolitan Bayside Community Cemetery, Onancock.

Left to cherish her loving memories are her husband, Jesse "Richard" Strand; daughter, Raquel Strand; mother, Catherine Veney; grand-pup, Roxy; brothers, Donald Veney, Freddie Veney, and Eric Veney; sister, Ernestine Veney; one sister-in-law; and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, cousins, and special friends.

Arrangements were by the Cooper & Humbles Funeral Co., Accomac.

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Margaret King

Mrs. Margaret Ann King, 78, of Tangier, passed away Tuesday, June 20, 2023, at Shore Health & Rehabilitation Center in Parksley. Born in King George, Va., on Feb. 20, 1945, she was the daughter of the late Griffith Northern Bell and the late Gertrude Anne (Staples) Bell.



Mrs. King

Margaret was known for her strong work ethic, love of animals, and quick-witted humor. She had a passion for crafting and took great pride in her creativity, often selling her embroidery in local gift shops.

Margaret had a fondness for sending handwritten notes to the sick and bereaved, and you could count on hers to be the first Christmas card received.

She is survived by her daughter, Trudy K. Pruitt, and her husband, Weldon, of Tangier; son, Robert "Bobby" Wilson King Jr., of Tangier; two grandchildren, Erin Lee Owens and her husband, Bryant, of Crisfield, Md., and Trey Pruitt, of Keller; three great-grandchildren, Tucker Pruitt, Clayton Owens, and Calvin Lee Owens; sister-in-law, Ethel Bell; several nephews and cousins; and many special neighbors, all of whom became family over the years.

Along with her parents, Margaret was preceded in death by her husband, Robert "Bob" Wilson King Sr., and brothers, Billy, Irving, and Leonard Bell, and Albert Lucas.

A graveside service was held at the Historyland Memorial Park in King George on Tuesday, June 27, at 1 p.m.

A memorial service will be conducted from the Swain Memorial United Methodist Church, on Tangier, at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Mar-

garet's memory may be made to the Eastern Shore SPCA, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418 www.shorespca.com

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were by the Williams Funeral Homes, Onancock and Parksley.

Frederick Bradley Jr.

Mr. Frederick R. "Pat" Bradley Jr., 86, of Temperanceville, husband of Ethel Watson Bradley, passed away on June 21, 2023, at his residence.

Born on March 16, 1937, in Nasawadox, he was the son of the late Frederick Raymond Bradley Sr. and the late Evelyn Hastings Bradley. He was raised by J. Wellington Mason and Mattie Hastings Mason of Jenkins Bridge.

Pat worked as an electronics technician for NASA for over 44 years.



Mr. Bradley

He enjoyed his job immensely and even went back to work after retirement, officially retiring at the age of 75. A dedicated member of Assawoman United Methodist Church, Pat was deeply dedicated to various churches throughout his entire life. He showed his love for the Lord and his people by serving, often out of the spotlight.

An avid golfer, Pat also enjoyed watching bicycle racing on TV and collecting and restoring old toy tractors. He was an amateur ham radio operator, a Little League baseball coach for the Wallops Pirates, and a coach for the Atlantic Hawks Babe Ruth baseball team. Pat was a humble man, with a mischievous sense of humor. His true loves in life were his children and grandchildren, and his family and friends thoroughly enjoyed his fun and genuine personality.

Pat is survived by his wife of 65 years, Ethel Watson Bradley; two sons, Chris Bradley and wife, Karen, of Atlantic, and Freddie Bradley, of Horntown; a daughter, Vicky Bradley Ennis and husband, Bob, of Pocomoke City, Md.; two grandchildren, Michelle Muir and Michael Ennis and wife, Ashley; eight great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; cousins, Grayson Chesser Jr. and Kathy Lewis; a brother-in-law, Edward Watson; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A graveside service for Pat was held on Saturday, June 24, 2023, at 2 p.m. from the Assawoman United Methodist Cemetery with the Rev. Maury Enright officiating.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to Atlantic Volunteer Fire Company, 10071 Atlantic Road, Atlantic, VA 23303 or Assawoman United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 61, Assawoman, VA 23302, in memory of Pat Bradley.

Arrangements are by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

Virginia "Ginny" Foot

Mrs. Virginia "Ginny" White Foot, born July 19, 1941, died peacefully on June 17, 2023, in Boynton Beach, Fla. Ginny was born and raised on Virgin-



Mrs. Foot

ia's Eastern Shore by her mother, Marie White, and her uncle, Roland Somers. Her brothers, Drs. Ed and Ike White loved, teased, and spoiled Ginny constantly.

Ginny attended Mary Washington College and worked in radio for several years before becoming a stewardess with Central Airlines, stationed out of Kansas City. After moving to southeast Florida, she married Robert Foot in 1977 and started The Art of Framing, Inc., a cutting-edge community business which taught, helped,

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Obituaries

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and allowed customers to frame pieces by themselves, while offering professional framing for the less adventurous and creative. During her 29 years in business, Ginny also served as the President of the Chamber of Commerce of Boynton Beach and as a member on several of the city's advisory boards.

Ginny was extraordinarily active in the Episcopal church, through which she could help others in the community. At her Palm Beach Church, Ginny was Senior Warden, Lay Director of the Diocese Cursillo Secretariat, and provided leadership on the Diocese Standing Committee.

A celebration of life will be held on Saturday, July 1, 2023, at 10 a.m. at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Lake Worth Beach. The interment of her ashes will be a public service on Saturday, July 8, 2023, at 9 a.m. at the family plot in Parksley Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks mourners to donate to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 100 North Palmway, Lake Worth Beach, FL 33460; or to the American Cancer Society, Box 13300, Tampa, FL 33681-3300.

Visit www.williamsfuneralhomes.com to view Ginny's full obituary and to share condolences with her family. Local arrangements are by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Joan Robbins

Mrs. Joan Malstrom Robbins, 92, of Woodford, formerly of Chincoteague, passed away peacefully at her residence on Sunday, June 11, 2023.

Joan was preceded in death by her husband, Edward A. Robbins Jr.

Joan is survived by her four children, Patrick A. Robbins (Traci), of

Chincoteague, Deborah R. Young (Richard), of Georgetown, S.C., Wil-



Mrs. Robbins

liam E. Robbins (Monica), of Woodford, Va., and Victoria R. Kelso (Thomas), of Southport, N.C.; 12 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held in Arlington National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Wounded Warriors Project.

Carolyn Curtis

Mrs. Carolyn Watkinson Curtis, 85, of Parksley, wife of the late Clifton Curtis, passed away on June 26, 2023, in Parksley.

Born on June 5, 1938, in Savageville, she was the daughter of the late Hayes Watkinson and the late Cecil Ayres. Carolyn worked as a cashier for many years at Roses department store and also worked for the Eastern Shore News. She



Mrs. Curtis

enjoyed sewing, knitting and quilting. Carolyn is survived by a daughter, Brenda Thornton, and husband, Randy, of Parksley; a grandson, John Curtis Kilmon and his wife, Krista; and a great-grandson, Jordan Kilmon.

She was preceded in death by her son, Mark Curtis.

A graveside service will be held on Friday, June 30, 2023, at 2 p.m. from Mount Holly Cemetery with the Rev. Andy Cobb officiating.

that the possession of and selling illegal fireworks is a criminal offense — leave fireworks to the professionals.

In general, any firework that explodes, moves on the ground or in the air, or shoots a projectile is illegal in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

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day with fireworks is to attend a professional show," said Billy Hux, State Fire Marshal. "Improperly handling fireworks can result in catastrophic outcomes including fires and severe injuries."

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monwealth. A list of permissible fireworks can be viewed on the VDFP website.

For firework safety tips and more information about using fireworks in the Commonwealth, visit the State Fire Marshal's Guide to Fireworks in the Commonwealth — Virginia Department of Fire Programs at www.vafire.com

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, Intrepid Hospice, or the SPCA of the Eastern Shore. Arrangements are by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley. To sign the guest book online, visit: www.thorntonfuneralhome.net



Mrs. Birch

Mrs. India Winslow Birch, 81, wife of the late Marvin Birch Jr. and a resident of Cape Charles, passed away Friday, June 23, 2023, at Shore Health and Rehabilitation in Parksley. A native of Cape Charles, she was the daughter of the late James B. Winslow and the late Jessie Wilson Bennett Winslow.

She is survived by an adopted daughter, Tara Birch Parkerson, of Birdsnest; one granddaughter, Christa Lynn Brady, of Oyster; two grandsons, Charles James Brady, of Richmond, and Billy James Brady, of Massachusetts; and numerous great-grandchildren.

She was predeceased by a daughter, Connie Lynn Brady Walter; a son, Billy James Brady Sr.; and a grandson, Joshua Walter.

A graveside service will be conducted Sunday, July 2, 2023, at 2 p.m. at Cape Charles Cemetery with Pastor Debbie officiating. Flowers will be accepted.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com. Arrangements were made by Wilkins-Doughty Funeral Home in Cape Charles.

Joanne Wise

Mrs. Joanne Wise, 75, of Pocomoke City, Md., passed away on Saturday, June 24, 2023.

Born on July 21, 1947, in Carbon County, Pa., she was the daughter of the late Helen Hansbury.

Professionally, Joanne served as a clerk with Worcester County Liquor Board for 11 years.



Mrs. Wise

She attended Goodwill Baptist Church. Joanne is survived by her children, Charles Joseph Matthews and wife, Susan, and Cowanda Matthews; grandsons, Kelly, Charles Jr., and Joshua; two granddaughters and four great-grandchildren; sister, Diane Hewett (Harris); and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Joanne was preceded in death by her husband, A. Eugene "Gene" Wise; her daughter, Barbara Jo Roach; and sister, Gloria Jean Burns and stepfathers, George Martin and Millard Hansbury.

Services will be private. The final resting place will be at First Baptist Church Cemetery in Pocomoke City, Md.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Goodwill Baptist Church 3824 Stockton Road, Pocomoke City, MD, 21851, a local SPCA, and/or St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

Please share memories and condolences with the family at: www.HollowayFH.com

Leave the fireworks to the professionals

The Virginia Department of Fire Programs-State Fire Marshal's Office (SFM) reminds Virginians ahead of the Fourth of July holiday weekend

Performance pavilion dustup shows no signs of letting up

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

More than six months after groundbreaking on a performance pavilion, Onancock residents are struggling to reconcile opinions on whether the stage will be a boon or bust for the town.

“It’s extremely unfortunate that we have been having this long debate about the pavilion and what can be done there when, since 2008, it seems to me it’s extremely clear that what we’re intending to do there is already permitted,” said Hayd0n Rochester, president of the Historic Onancock School Board of Directors, in a nod to the town’s Cultural, Recreational, and Community Facilities zoning district that includes the pavilion.

Uses allowed in that zoning district established in 2008 include “facilities for cultural, recreational, social, and community uses such as, but not limited to, practice, performance and display of the visual and performing arts, educational activities, recreation and physical fitness activities, meetings, conferences and other community or social gatherings,”

according to the town zoning ordinance.

But some say the pavilion is a threat to the way of life in the quiet town.

“Most of the people, when I ask them, ‘Why did you move here?’ they don’t say it’s because there’s a pavilion coming,” said Clark Williams.

“They say, ‘We moved here for the peace, the quiet, the small town,’” he said.

The pavilion is a project by Friends of Onancock School, which operates the nonprofit Historic Onancock School on College Avenue.

FOS obtained the necessary permits and received a vote of support from the town council before beginning pavilion construction, but has paused the construction while the town reaches consensus on how performances there can coexist with neighbors’ way of life.

Rick Turner, a member of Historic Onancock School’s Board of Directors, said the group has maintained the school grounds and building over the past 16 years with little oversight from the town council.

“We’ve been trusted to do the job,” he said.

Onancock’s town council has held several meetings to discuss proposed guidelines to manage future performances at the pavilion. They range from what times of day to allow concerts to the number of performances permitted per season and security, alcohol sales, bathrooms, and parking guidelines.

Though the topic was not on the town council’s Monday meeting agenda, several spoke about the stage during public comment.

“The town is so divided on this pavilion ... and I think transparency was the issue from the beginning,” said Councilmember Maphis Oswald.

“We keep combining two separate things,” she said. “It’s not that we don’t support the school, it’s not that we don’t recognize the job they’ve done.

“What we are supporting is what the public and the people in the town are asking you to take a look at.”

The full language of the Cultural, Recreational and Community Facilities Zoning ordinance is available on page 40 of the Town of Onancock’s Zoning Ordinance. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/bdhw9yz9> to read the ordinance.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

July 4: County Offices Closed for Independence Day Holiday. Waste Collection Centers are closed. Transfer Station is open.

July 5: Planning Commission Meeting 6 PM

July 11: Board of Supervisors Regular Meeting 6 PM

July 11: Public Hearing to Amend Meals Tax Ordinance 6 PM

July 18: ESVA Groundwater Committee Meeting 10 AM ESVA Chamber Melfa

July 19: Wetlands Board Meeting TBD; please check BoardDocs website for specifics.

July 19: Planning Commission Work Session 2 PM

July 25: Economic Development Authority Annual Meeting 4 PM

July 25: Board of Supervisors Work Session 5 PM



Openings for Boards and Commissions:

- Parks & Rec Advisory Committee District 5
- ES Housing Alliance
- Eastern Shore Resource Conservation & Development Council

PARKS & RECREATION:

- Summer Camp will continue for the month of July.
- Applications are being accepted for volunteer flag football coaches.
- No Parks Advisory Board meeting in July.

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Onancock Arts Trail is announced

The Onancock Arts Alliance announces the launch of the Onancock Arts Trail, an easy-to-navigate walking tour through the heart of Onancock's vibrant arts community.

Set to launch on Saturday, July 1, the trail will feature the work of 17 artists across seven different studio locations.

It offers an opportunity to meet professional artists on-site at their studios, ready to sell their art, share their creative environment, and educate about their craft.

Each artist is a member of the Onancock Arts Alliance, a dedicated group advocating for local, handmade quality art and fostering a deeper understanding of the artistic process.

"As artists participating in the Onancock Arts Trail, we not only get to showcase our original work but also foster the supportive community of our town's professional creatives, inspiring each other and exchanging ideas," said Mark Belknap, a participating artist.

"Through our Arts Trail, we have an exciting opportunity to help put Onancock on the map as a vibrant arts destination, drawing in more visitors and boosting the local economy."

The trail's studio locations are all within a 10-minute walk from each



other, making it an easy and enjoyable exploration of the artistic treasures the town has to offer.

Beyond promoting Onancock's rich, vibrant arts community, the trail aims to draw more visitors to explore the full spectrum of Onancock's attractions, including local restaurants, unique shops, the marina, historic venues, and lodging options.

The goal of the Arts Trail and the Onancock Arts Alliance, is to stimulate the local economy by providing visitors with an authentic artistic experience and to celebrate the unique culture and lifestyle of the town.

Comprehensive trail brochures with a map will be available at numerous locations around Onancock, including restaurants, retail locations, lodging providers, the town marina, and more.

For more information, contact Karyn Belknap, owner of the Ten Good Sheep studio and shop, and a founding member of the Onancock Arts Alliance, at 757-243-1400.

Schmidt earns honor at SkillsUSA event

Sarah Schmidt, of Greenbackville, a student at T.H. Badger Technical Center-North in Oak Hall, was awarded the high school bronze medal in Facility - Leadership in Facility Management at the SkillsUSA Workforce Development event in Atlanta.

More than 6,000 students competed at the national showcase of career and technical education. The SkillsUSA Championships is the largest skill

competition in the world and covers 1.79 million square feet, equivalent to 31 football fields or 41 acres.

A total of 1,250 gold, silver, and bronze medals were presented to students on Friday night, June 23, at the SkillsUSA Awards Session. Many winners also received industry prizes, tools of their trade, or scholarships. Skill Point Certificates were also awarded to the national medalists for meeting a threshold score in their event as an indicator of proficiency and workplace readiness. Students can add the certificate to their employment portfolio.

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A tribute to America and our Parksley High School classmates

In June 1961, the members of the graduating class at Parksley High School had their graduation and as treasurer of the class, I was privileged to give the president's address for Ms. Judy Ewell, who was valedictorian.

The following are some excerpts from that speech.

"It has been said many times that America is the land of opportunity; the land where one can speak, think, and worship as one pleases. But will this statement continue to be made in the future? It is up to us, the youth of America!"

I was so blessed to have been in this class and I feel that our United States of America and our world are better places because of the lives you lived and the goals you strived for.

We had the families, teachers, neighbors, church members, and government workers who went before us and lived their lives as examples to follow.

We may not give it much thought but each of us, by the actions we have and words we say, is setting an example for those around us as to how we want our world, our America, and our Eastern Shore to be now and for the future.

I want to say, too, how blessed I've been to have lived 80 years here on the Eastern Shore among folks who have helped me through hard times, pulled me up by my bootstraps at work at NASA, tolerated my Cabbage Patch Kids, overlooked my shortcomings, freely handed out big hugs and handshakes, and lifted me up to the Lord in prayer.

God has blessed this nation down through the years and He continues to bless us. May we ever remember the sacrifices that have been made and are still being made by so many to preserve our freedoms and this land in which we live, and may we remember to be thankful.

Happy Independence Day, America, we love you.

To my classmates at Parksley High School, and any student who was ever PHS, may your days be blessed with good health and laughter, tender loving care and the peace that passeth all understanding.

Billie R. Blackwell
Custis Neck Road
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LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING



EASTERN SHORE POST/TED SHOCKLEY

Local law enforcement officers conduct a training drill on Wednesday, June 28, at Nandua High School. The Active Shooter Response Training Program will hold four courses on the Eastern Shore. Accomack County Sheriff Todd Wessells spearheaded the effort to ensure all law enforcement organizations get the same training and techniques for a coordinated response to a shooting.

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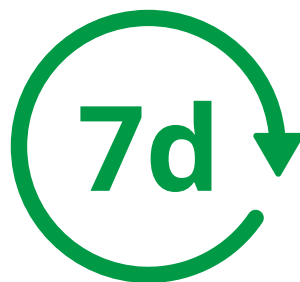
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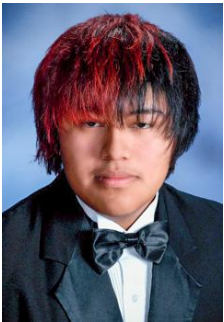
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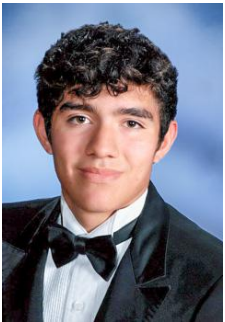
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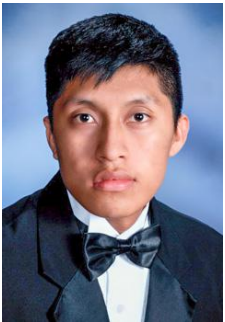
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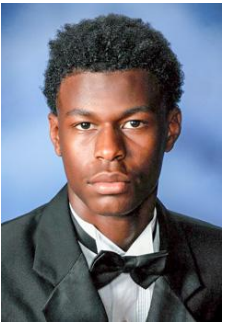
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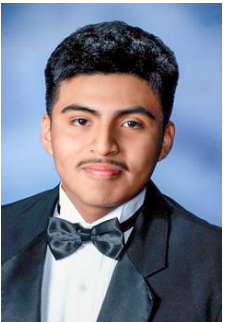
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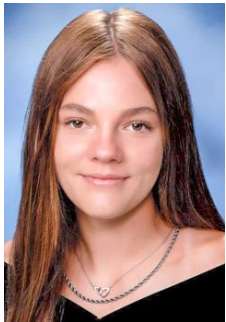
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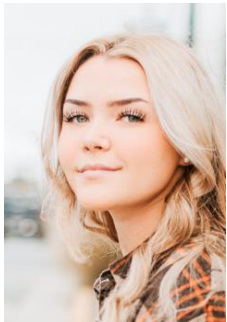
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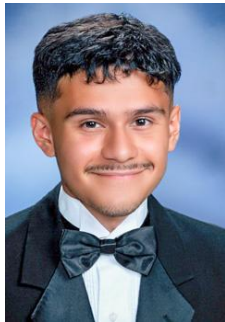
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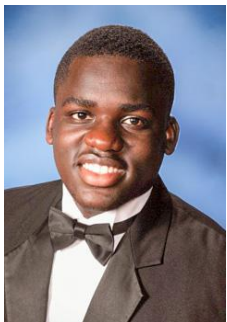
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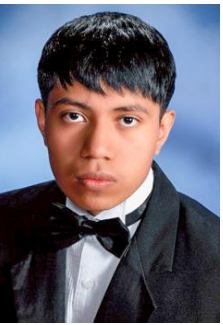
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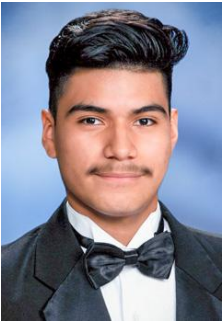
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Town of Saxis Budget 2023-2024

REVENUE		EXPENDITURES	
BOAT STALLS	\$35,000	ADMINISTRATIVE	\$25,936
GENERAL PROPERTY TAX	\$39,695	TRASH PICKUP	\$29,292
OTHER LOCAL TAX	\$13,506	A&N --LIGHTS	\$12,252
TRASH COLLECTION	\$25,200	TOWN MAINTENANCE	\$14,015
FOOD & BEVERAGE TAX	\$18,475	HARBOR EXPENSES	\$34,101
ZONING PERMITS	\$600	FIRE GRANT	\$15,000
COVID CARRY-OVER MONIES	\$44,190	VA TOURISM GRANT	\$10,000
FIRE GRANT	\$15,000	RESERVED FOR	
LITTER GRANT	\$1,595	FUTURE PROJECTS	\$66,665
OYSTER GRANT	\$6,500	OYSTER ROAST	\$2,500
VA TOURISM GRANT	\$10,000		
TOTAL	\$209,761	TOTAL	\$209,761

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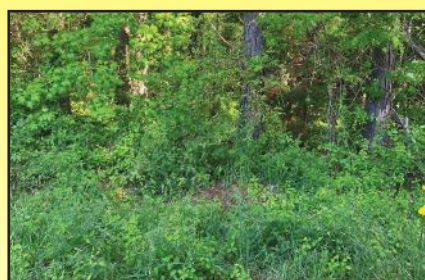
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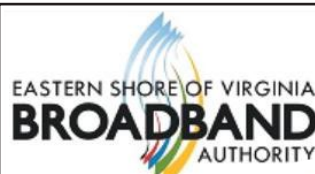
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The Eastern Shore Post received these senior portraits from local high schools. If your senior portrait was not included or you didn't have a portrait, the Eastern Shore Post would still like to print a photo. Graduates whose photos are not included here are invited to send their head-and-shoulder photographs to editor@easternshorepost.com for inclusion in an upcoming edition.



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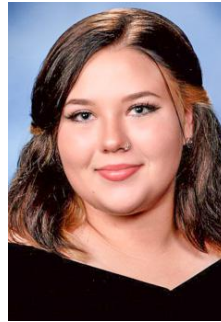
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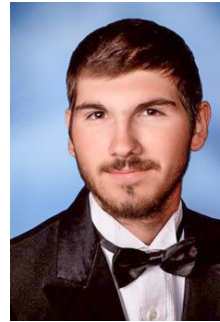
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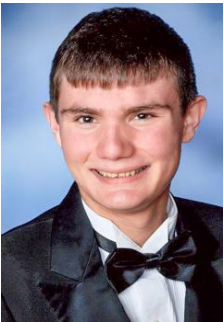
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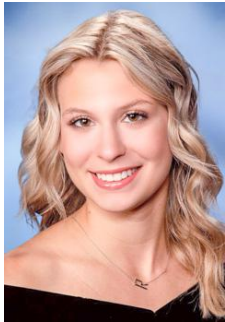
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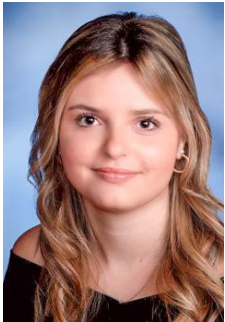
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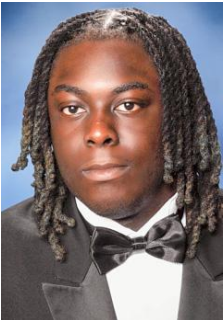
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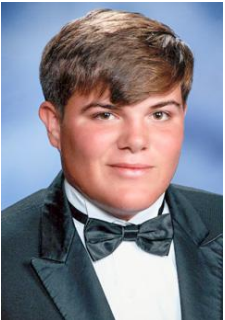
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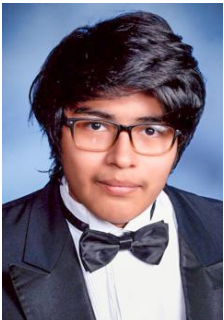
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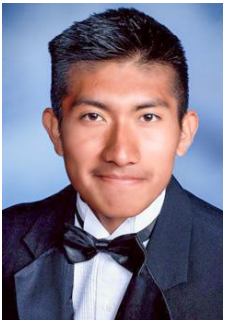
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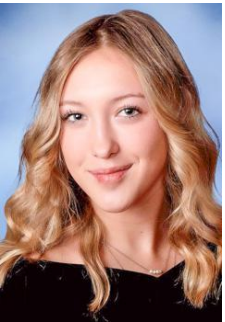
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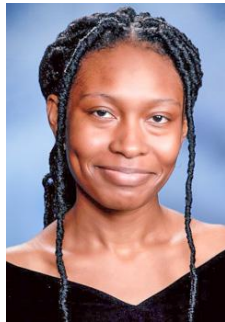
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BECKY ROOTES SCHOLARSHIP WINNER



This year's first Becky Rootes Memorial Art Scholarship of \$2,000 was awarded to Katie Dunkle at the Broadwater Academy graduation ceremony on June 2. Dunkle will be attending the School of Architecture at the University of Virginia. Rootes's family funded the creation of the scholarship and additional donations were added to honor her memory as a past president of the Eastern Shore Art League.

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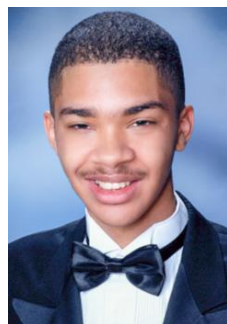
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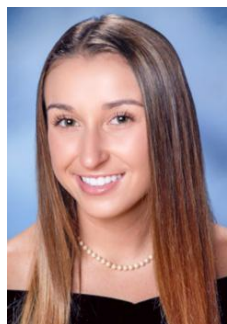
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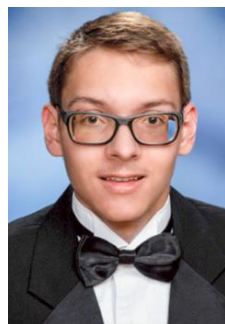
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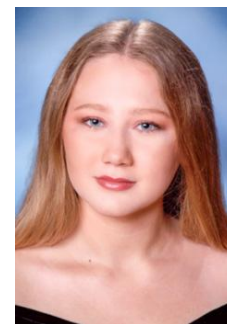
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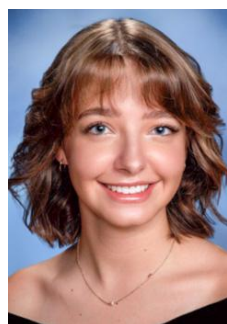
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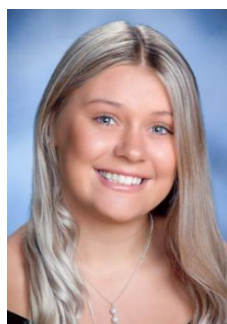
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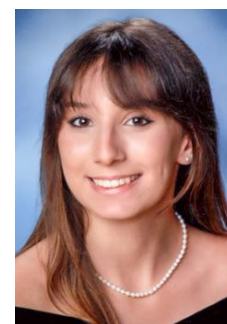
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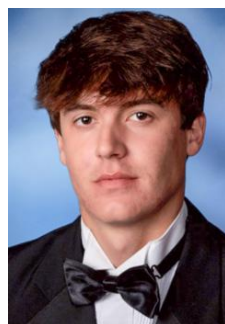
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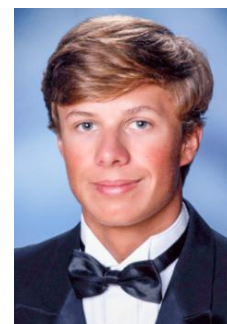
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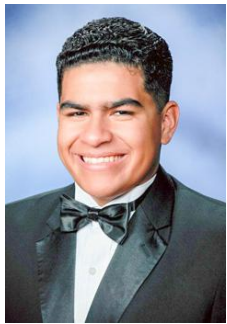


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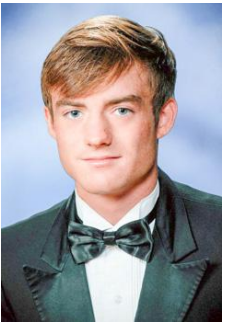
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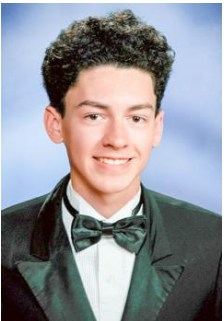
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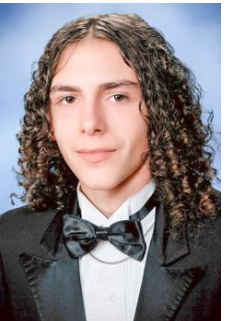
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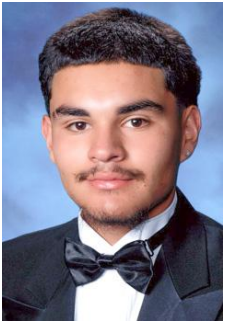
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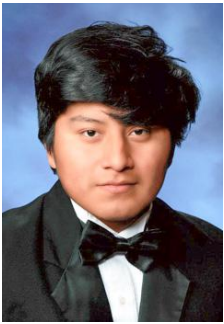
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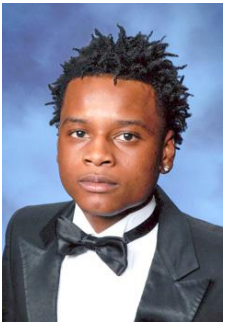
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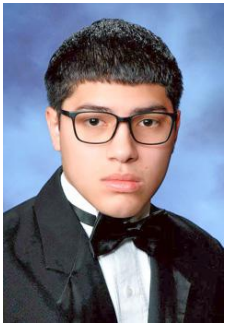
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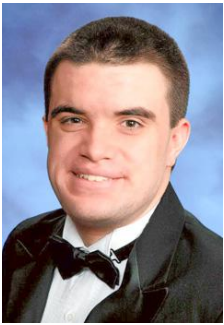
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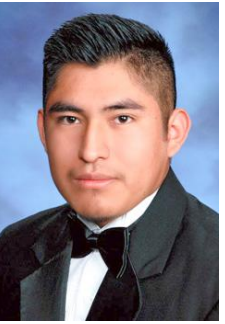
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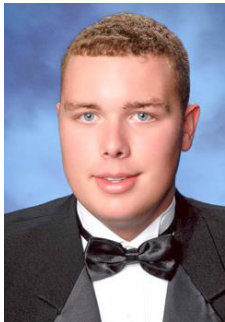
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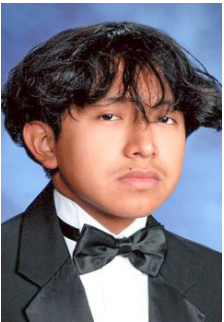
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More broadband internet money headed for area

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Virginia will receive \$1.48 billion in federal funds to expand access to high-speed internet, Sen. Mark Warner announced Monday.

A group of local partners is eying the funding to continue broadband build out on the Eastern Shore.

"We all know that access to fast, reliable, and affordable internet is crucial to ensuring our rural communities grow and thrive, and I'm thrilled that Virginia is receiving the investment we need to deploy broadband all across the Commonwealth," Warner said in a press release.

"This whopping \$1.4 billion investment brings us a giant step closer to achieving our goal of universal broadband coverage in Virginia," he said.

The Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment Program, or BEAD, funded by the federal Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act that President Joe Biden signed into law in 2021 is providing \$42.5 nationwide to deploy broadband and expand access to high-speed internet.

Accomack County Administra-

tor Mike Mason called the program a "tremendous opportunity for the entire Commonwealth to address any unserved areas" in a presentation to the county board of supervisors last week.

"The sheer volume of dollars in the program, potentially, is going to spell out a lot of awards," he said.

Mason recommended Accomack County repurpose its \$1.8 million in American Rescue Plan Act funding that would have been matching funds for an unsuccessful broadband grant application this year to serve as matching funds for a future BEAD grant application.

Accomack and Northampton counties partnered with Eastern Shore of Virginia Broadband Authority to apply for the 2023 Virginia Telecommunications Initiative grant, but were not among the 14 VATI grant recipients in the state this year, Mason said last month.

The local partners received a previous VATI grant that is funding broadband expansion on the Eastern Shore now. That grant will expand broadband access to about 70 to 72% of homes once completed, Mason said during May's board of supervisors meeting.

JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION



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From left, Northampton Sheriff's Office dispatcher Phyllis James, Deputy Lamont Duffy, and Investigator Barry Randall were among many at the Northampton County Juneteenth Celebration on Saturday, June 17.

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Former Chincoteague Mayor Jack Tarr, left, and Mayor Arthur Leonard share a moment during the dedication ceremony of the John H. Tarr Bay to Beach Trail on June 21. Tarr and Bob Loeffert of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service cut the ribbon to celebrate the naming of the trail, located on Chincoteague Island. Weather prevented the ribbon cutting from happening at the trail but took place inside the council chambers. A new bicycle was raffled and Tarr's sister, Vicky Justice, won the bicycle and immediately donated it to the Chincoteague Police Department for its annual Christmas toy drive.



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Nicole Millison stands in the showroom of Hertrich Ford, Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, and Ram of Pocomoke City. Millison is the first woman in the history of the Hertrich family of dealerships to be named a general manager.

New manager at Hertrich Ford

Business video

■ Scan the QR code below to see an Eastern Shore Post video about Nicole Millison, the new general manager of Hertrich Ford of Pocomoke.



BY JIMMY SHOCKLEY
Eastern Shore Post

Nicole Millison recently was named general manager of Hertrich Ford, Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, and Ram of Pocomoke City.

The appointment is additionally significant because Millison is the first woman in the history of the Hertrich family of dealerships to be named a general manager.

The Philadelphia native has worked within the Hertrich automotive group for more than five years, and says

she enjoys living on the Delmarva peninsula.

The Hertrich group includes numerous dealerships from Wilmington, Del., to Pocomoke City.

Millison said she enjoys helping people, whether they need a family car for a child on the way or if their old car has outlived its usefulness.

"I like being able to help someone improve their living situation with a vehicle," she said.

Hertrich Ford of Pocomoke is located at 1618 Ocean Highway, Pocomoke City. Call 410-957-3333.

Turlington honored as top poultry grower

Mary Turlington, a Melfa poultry grower for Tyson Foods, is one of 13 recipients of the Delmarva Chicken Association's Outstanding Grower awards.

Each grower operates an independent, family-owned farm raising chickens in a contract with one of Delmarva's five chicken companies.

There are more than 1,330 such chicken growers on Delmarva, each one an important part of the \$5 billion chicken industry.

"Chicken growers in 2022 worked hand-in-hand with processing companies and allied businesses to contribute more value to Delmarva's economy than in any previous year," said Holly Porter, DCA's executive director.

"Growers truly delivered for all the families, including mine, who depend on the chickens they raise. This year marks the 100th anniversary of the broiler chicken industry on Delmarva, and we know Cecile Steele – who founded our chicken community with her 1923 flock – would be proud of these growers."

The Outstanding Grower awards were presented during the third annual Booster Barbecue, an event for DCA members and invited guests at the Delaware State Fairgrounds.

More than 700 DCA members and others in the poultry raising community attended the event, which featured barbecued chicken prepared and served by Greenwood Volunteer Fire Company and Harrington Fire Company Ladies Auxiliary, ice cream from Vanderwende's, door prizes, more than 40 vendors, lawn games, and kid's activities.

The growers received silver Revere bowls and were recognized on stage at the Booster Barbecue. They also received lane signs that can be displayed at the entrances to their farms acknowledging them as outstanding poultry producers.

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SPORTS

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Summer seasonal fish are here for the catching

Mother Nature took a little bit of pity on local anglers last weekend, providing a break in the string of heavy rains long enough for anglers to make some impressive catches on Saturday and Sunday.



Bill Hall

Overall, fishing action has been good when the weather allows. All of the summer seasonal species have now arrived in local waters and are there for the catching.

Upper Shore

Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, described the recent flounder action on the seaside as “slow fishing,” due to the effects of the recent rainy weather.

Brief windows of clearer water have been encountered during the incoming tide, especially close to the inlets. Pink-colored Berkley Gulp and silver-sides fished on a double hook rig have proved to be one of the most productive bait combinations during recent trips.

In Pocomoke Sound, Captain Matt said the cobia have been “fairly cooperative,” when the weather settles enough to safely pursue. Most of the fish have been caught on chunks of fresh bunker (menhaden) fished on 7/0 to 9/0 hooks on a fishfinder rig, after being lured in by chumming with ground bunker.

When conditions allow and the fish can be sighted cruising just below the surface, live eels can be cast to the fish. The best action continues to be from



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The Horseplay, based at the Oyster Farm Marina, returned to port with a nice catch of yellowfin tuna.

the waters off Onancock, south to the mouth of the bay in depths of 15-25 feet. Speckled trout, rockfish, and a few red drum continue to be caught on chunks of soft crab and peeler baits fished over submerged grass beds in shallow water. A few of the red drum have been small enough to fit into the legal slot size.

Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul phoned me during a flounder charter, telling me that he was enjoying some success as long as clear water could be found. The flood tide has produced the best flounder action.

He added that recent weather condi-

tions have kept the offshore fishing fleet in port. A catch report from the June 16 edition erroneously attributed a catch of yellowfin tuna, skipjack, tilefish, and a mako to Teaser Sportfishing. The catch was, in fact, made aboard a private vessel.

Lower Shore

Dan Bell, at Oceans East-Eastern Shore, described the cobia fishing off the lower shore as being “spot on,” with some large cobia landed over the weekend. He added that good numbers of cobia were seen from the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel up to Buoy 36A.

Sheepshead fishing was described as great, with large fish brought

in from around the pilings of the bridge-tunnel. Schools of nice-sized Spanish mackerel are scattered from the bridge-tunnel up to the waters off Kiptopeke.

Flounder fishing was described as “HOT!” with flatfish being caught from the “Ditch,” up to the concrete ships, and out to the Cabbage Patch. Spadefishing action has been on the slower side, but Dan expected it to improve with the recent improvements with the weather.

Jeb Brady, at Bailey’s Bait & Tackle in Cape Charles, confirmed that the recent string of unstable weather has played havoc on the fishing action. He said that cobia fishing remained “decent” when the weather cooperated. Cobia anglers bottom fishing with cut

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Fishing

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bait and sight fishing with live eels have enjoyed success from the bridge-tunnel up to the waters off Nassawadox Creek.

Red drum are still available in the breakers around Fisherman Island for anglers soaking crab baits. Flounder action has been good around the Fisherman Inlet bridge when the water is clear. The offshore wrecks have been producing some larger-class flounder for anglers dropping Gulp and squid baits.

Spadefish have been hitting cut clam baits fished around the fourth island of the bridge-tunnel. Sand mullet (whiting) have been hitting around the concrete ships, while catches off the lower bay piers have consisted primarily of flounder and small croakers.

The writer was the first Eastern Shore resident to achieve Virginia Saltwater Master Angler status. He has been named Virginia Saltwater Angler of the Year and Virginia Saltwater Release Angler of the Year. He has won numerous Virginia Press Association awards for his columns.

ATHLETES OF THE YEAR



Nandua's Colin Ford was named male student athlete of the year, and Callie Williams was named female student athlete of the year.

Ford had 100 career wins in his four years wrestling at Nandua and also three state championship berths.

Williams is also an excellent athlete who broke the Nandua women's discus record. Ford will be attending Bridgewater College in the fall, and Williams will be attending the University of Virginia.

LITTLE LEAGUE SOFTBALL



On Monday, June 26, the Shore Little League Major Softball team was crowned the champion of District 8 after defeating Princess Anne for the second time in the tournament. Pictured in the back row from left are Ryleigh Caison, Ruby Buck, Caroline Caison, coach Chris Caison, coach Chris Buck, and manager Justin Webb. In the front row are Isabella Bono-Evans, Ava Webb, Miranda Smith, Lela Lusk, Corinn Burrell, Brynna Travis, Jordan Rae Lewis, Kylie Vergara, and Keely Castaneda.

North Accomack vs. Shore

The Shore Little League Major Softball team defeated North Accomack 10-0 after four innings of play on Saturday, June 24.

Since inclement weather had caused several delays in the District 8 tournament, hosted by Plaza Little League in Virginia Beach, it was decided that the battle between the two Eastern Shore teams would take place at the neutral site of Central Accomack Little League in Onancock as part of an effort to complete the tournament as closely to schedule as possible.

Lela Lusk threw her third consecutive no-hitter of the tournament, allowing two walks and striking out eight.

Caroline Caison was 2-for-2 at the plate with two runs scored.

Jordan Rae Lewis laced a line drive over the center fielder and flew around the bases for a two-run inside-the-park home run. Shore batters had 11 hits in the four-inning game, and 10 of the 12 batters in the lineup had a hit.

Championship Game: Princess Anne vs. Shore

On Monday, June 26, the Shore Little League Major Softball team was crowned the champion of District 8 after defeating Princess Anne for the second time in the tournament. The game was played at Princess Anne Little League in Virginia Beach. Shore trailed 3-1 in the fourth inning but rallied to score five runs and take the lead. The final score was 7-3.

Lela Lusk gave up her first three hits of the tournament but struck out another 11 batters while allowing three walks.

Caroline Caison was 2-for-2 with a clutch two-run inside-the-park homerun to seal the deal for Shore.

Miranda Smith, Corrin Burrell, and Lela Lusk each had hits for Shore.

Overall, the undefeated Shore team batted .494 for the tournament. Lela Lusk struck out 37 batters in 17 innings of work.

Shore will next travel to compete in the state tournament in Culpepper, which begins on Friday, July 7. The team has a GoFundMe to raise money for travel expenses. The link is <https://gofund.me/68e12011> and there will also be a car wash starting at 11 a.m. at Cape Charles Rescue, 22215 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton, VA 23310 on Saturday, July 1.

The team is managed by Justin Webb and coached by Chris Caison and Chris Buck.

LIBRARY BOOK GIVEAWAY SET FOR PARADE

SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Friends of the Library Book Giveaway will be held at the Accomac Fourth of July Parade on Tuesday, July 4, at 10 a.m. The group invites the public to stop by its tent on Courthouse Square at the conclusion of the parade where each child ages 12 and under will have an opportunity to select a new, free book. In addition, the group encourages the public to visit its tables, which will be located in the Accomac library parking lot between 9:30 and noon and browse a selection of gently used free books for adults and children.



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LOCAL BOY'S STATE ATTENDEES

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Seven rising high school senior boys from the Eastern Shore attended the American Legion Boys State of Virginia at Radford University June 18 to 24. They joined 450 other rising seniors across the Commonwealth to learn and actively participate as a 51st state in local and state government. The young men were assigned to one of two parties in one of twelve cities. Each city elected a mayor, a sheriff, six city councilmen, a city clerk, a treasurer, commissioner of the revenue, commonwealth attorney, electoral board, four state Delegates, two state senators, city party chairmen, and a circuit court judge. Pictured in the front row from left are Bill Stramm (City Counselor in Charge), John Lewis (Broadwater Academy), Kinsey Rayfield (Broadwater). Second row: Derek Boyle (Broadwater), Luke Duer (Broadwater), Nolan Hein (Northampton High School). Missing from the photo are Quinn Ames (Broadwater) and Brayden Shotwell (Nandua).



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Supervisors learn they can't scotch First Amendment rights

County attorney tells board, 'I think you're treading on some potentially dangerous ground' with proposed sign ordinance

BY STEFANIE JACKSON
Eastern Shore Post

Northampton's new county attorney, Michelle Clayton, advised the board of supervisors on Tuesday, June 27, about two items related to zoning that could potentially violate citizens' First Amendment rights.

"I think you're treading on some potentially dangerous ground," she said during a discussion of the proposed new sign and lighting ordinance.

Clayton was referring to the Northampton Planning Commission's suggestion to regulate murals — artistic images with no text covering exterior walls — as signs. Murals are exempt from the current sign ordinance.

The planning commission would be in the position of judging which art is and isn't acceptable for public display.

Supervisor Oliver Bennett said there should be a provision for decency.

"I may put up some stuff that's well out of bounds, and it should be able to be told me, 'No, you can't put that up,'" he said.

He recalled a local depiction of a

mermaid that sparked public outcry, and others remembered recently seeing a truck displaying a sign containing profanity and a reference to a political figure.

"Everybody in the ... county could be complaining about it, but it's First Amendment, and we just can't do" anything about either the art or the political speech, Clayton said.

After hearing the county attorney weigh in, supervisors agreed murals should remain exempt from the sign ordinance.

The First Amendment issue was revisited later when Clayton recommended supervisors strike a local regulation stating political signs may be posted no more than 60 days before an election.

"There's been case law that says that's ... problematic to free speech right before an election," she said.

Clayton said she supported keeping the part of the regulation that requires political signs to be removed within one week after an election.

Northampton supervisors also nixed a proposal they deemed too restrictive — limiting the posting of signs for events such as yard sales to

four times per year.

However, they agreed to some additional sign restrictions:

■ No sign may be more than 30 feet high when measured from the ground to the top of the sign.

■ A business may have no more than five temporary signs that are 2.5 square feet or smaller. Several supervisors didn't want to follow the example of an Exmore convenience store that has around 20 of the signs advertising the price of its fried chicken. They noted that incorporated towns like Exmore, which have their own zoning ordinances, will be unaffected by the change.

■ A real estate sign must be removed within a week after a sale closes or the property is leased.

Northampton supervisors also agreed with several proposals that would make the sign ordinance more permissive:

■ Electronic signs will be allowed. There will be some restrictions, such as how often the messages can change, which is to be determined but will not be more frequent than every eight seconds.

■ The required setback for a sign will no longer be 100 feet. The setback will be determined by the height of the sign. For example, a 20-foot-high sign must be set 20 feet from the

road right-of-way. The requirement ensures public safety in case the sign falls.

■ A business may display a sign on the side of a building to be visible from the road or highway. Businesses were previously restricted to hanging signs on the front of their buildings.

■ Residential signs, such as those marking a subdivision, may be up to 32 square feet and seven feet high, up from four square feet and four feet high.

Anyone who wants to display a type of sign not covered in the zoning ordinance may submit a proposal to the planning commission for its consideration.

Northampton supervisors also discussed the lighting section of the ordinance and agreed on several issues, including that businesses should be required to maintain their lighting.

The county attorney will review the matter and determine if the lighting maintenance requirement can be a condition of a business license or special-use permit.

The decisions that supervisors made June 27 on the zoning text amendment were by consensus; no formal action was taken. The planning commission will incorporate the changes and re-submit the proposal for approval by supervisors.

NOTICE

The regular meeting of the Accomack-Northampton Transportation District Commission, scheduled for

Tuesday, July 4, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.

at the Eastern Shore Chamber of Commerce Building, Melfa, Virginia, has been moved to

Wednesday, July 5, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.

at the Eastern Shore Chamber of Commerce Building, Melfa, Virginia.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Northampton County's Birdsnest, Bayview, Wardtown, Hare Valley, Cheapside and Eastville Waste Collection Centers will be closed on **Tuesday, July 4, 2023**, in observance of Independence Day.

Please plan your solid waste disposal accordingly.

Two county school board members won't seek re-election

BY CAROL VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Two members of the Northampton County School Board are not seeking re-election and will not be on the Nov. 7 ballot.

William "Skip" Oakley, the school board's vice chairman, and former Chairwoman Charlena Jones, did not register to be on the ballot as a school board candidate. She is a candidate for the 100th District seat in the House of Delegates.

Their terms end Dec. 31. Candidates on the ballot had to file by June 20.

Northampton County voters, along with electing state legislators, will elect candidates to local offices in November.

Local offices on the ballot are Clerk of the Court, Commonwealth's Attorney, Sheriff, Commissioner of Revenue, Treasurer, Board of Supervisors Districts 4 and 5, School Board Dis-

tricts 4 and 5, School Board at Large, and two positions on the Soil and Water Conservation Board.

Barring write-in candidates, it appears Northampton voters will have no real choice — no local offices have multiple candidates on the ballot.

Northampton candidates who filed by the deadline are:

Clerk Of Court, Traci L. Johnson;
Commonwealth's Attorney, Jack A. Thornton III;

Sheriff, David L. Doughty Jr.;
Commissioner of Revenue, Consuelo Gonzalez;

Treasurer, Cynthia S. Bradford;
District 4 seat on the Northampton County Board of Supervisors, L. Dixon Leatherbury;

District 5 seat on the Northampton County Board of Supervisors, Betsy Mapp;

District 4 seat on the Northampton County School Board, Jo Ann P. Molera;

District 5 seat on the Northampton County School Board, Ian Brenson;

At-large seat on the Northampton County School Board, Joseph E. "Joe" Andrews;

Soil and Water Conservation Director Eastern Shore District (two positions), Sally Y. Williams and S. Kyle Sturgis.

To be eligible to vote in Virginia a person must meet all of the following criteria:

■ Be a resident of Virginia (A person who has come to Virginia for temporary purposes and intends to return to another state is not considered a resident for voting purposes.);

■ Be a United States citizen;

■ Be 18 years old (A person who is 17 years old and will be 18 years old on or before the next general election is permitted to register in advance and vote in any intervening primary or special election connected to the next

general election.);

■ Does not claim the right to vote in any other state;

■ Is not currently declared mentally incompetent by a court of law and;

■ If convicted of a felony, has had his or her right to vote restored.

The first day of in-person early voting at the registrar's office is Friday, Sept. 22.

The deadline to register to vote, or to update an existing registration is Oct. 16. Still, voters may register after this date, through Election Day, and vote using a provisional ballot.

The deadline to apply for a ballot to be mailed to a voter is Oct. 27. A request must be received by the voter registration office by 5 p.m.

Voter registration offices will be open for early voting on Saturday, Oct. 28.

The last day of in-person early voting at the voter registration office is Saturday, Nov. 4, by 5 p.m.

Shore Little League benefit softball auction is June 30

The Exmore Moose Lodge will be host a cake and dessert live auction on Friday, June 30, at 7 p.m., to raise money for the Shore Little League girls softball team and its journey to play in the state championship.

The team will leave next week to play in Culpeper. Chester Jackson will be auctioning the cakes, desserts, and other items. The event is open to everyone. Entertainment will be by DJ Terry Collins.

State Park gets grant

Kiptopeke State Park has been awarded a \$1,000

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Holland, retiring superintendent: ‘Opportunity of a lifetime’

Longtime county educator goes out on top: Peers named him Region II Superintendent of the Year this spring

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

When Warren “Chris” Holland began his role as superintendent of Accomack County Public Schools, his focus was on retaining good teachers and developing future administrators.

Almost eight years later, Holland is retiring from the position with marked progress toward his goals.

“I’ve been given the opportunity of a lifetime to do this job,” said Holland, who has served in Accomack schools since 1985 as a teacher, coach, assistant principal, principal, and superintendent.

He is proud of the relationship the schools have built with Accomack’s board of supervisors in that time; the school system’s navigation of the COVID-19 pandemic; and that his successor, Accomack Assistant Superintendent of Instruction Rhonda Hall, will fill his role as superintendent.

But most of all, Holland said he is proud of “being visible” to students in the hallways and outside of school.

“Anybody who knows me, (knows) my wife has gone to many events at night – proms, ball games, concerts. We both love education,” he said. His wife, Melissa, taught history in Accomack schools for over 30 years.

“We went to two proms in one night.

People would say, ‘Why do you do that?’ I said, ‘Why wouldn’t I?’” Holland said.

“The kids need to see the superintendent out at night, so we tried to do that.”

An avid basketball player in high school and post-graduation, Holland knew from a young age he wanted to teach and coach students.

With encouragement from his parents, coaches, and friends, he went on to coach at Hargrave Military Academy, in Chatham, for six years before moving to Accomack County.

Holland was a teacher and coach in the local school system before serving as an assistant principal and being named principal at Chincoteague High School.

His first day as superintendent of Accomack County schools was Jan. 1, 2016.

Some of the early challenges he faced as the school system’s top administrator included addressing school safety — a priority his successor said she will continue to address in the position.

Holland also worked to have the county’s 11 public schools accredited.

“When I came on board, there were only eight schools accredited. Now, we’ve had our schools accredited. That’s a feat that’s incredible,” said Holland, who noted the schools are



FILE PHOTO

Chris Holland is retiring as superintendent of Accomack County Public Schools.

still waiting for their most recent test score results.

The Virginia Association of School Superintendents named him Region II Superintendent of the Year this spring, a position for which Holland’s peers nominated him.

But his successes as superintendent did not come without challenges.

Early in his career, Holland was diagnosed with Hodgkin’s disease and

underwent chemotherapy.

“I was teaching P.E. and coaching and the people on Chincoteague really helped me,” he said.

Another major test in his career came more recently, when schools shuttered their doors during the COVID-19 pandemic.

“I knew it’d be a big learning loss and I wanted to bring students back, bring people back,” Holland said.

“I worked hard with central office and kept schools open. I was proud of that,” he said.

As Hall fills the role of superintendent, Holland said keeping students in the classroom and teachers in Accomack Schools will continue to be challenges.

He said she is up to the task.

“She has the experience and she’ll do some great things,” Holland said of the incoming superintendent, who has worked in Accomack schools for 34 years.

In his retirement, Holland plans to visit his daughter, also an educator, and grandson in Florida. He plans to spend more time outdoors hunting and fishing and visit former players who have moved to positions coaching at colleges.

“I’ll miss it, but I was never home a lot, always working. I’ve got other things that I’ve needed to do,” he said of his decades-long tenure in Accomack schools.

“I’m looking forward to this other chapter in my life,” Holland said.

Accomack gets opioid abatement grant funding

The Virginia Opioid Abatement Authority voted to award more than \$23 million in grants to 76 Virginia cities and counties for opioid abatement and remediation efforts, including Accomack County.

The vote confirmed the full board’s approval of recommendations made by the OAA’s grants committee, which earlier this month recommended the slate of awards.

Dr. Sarah Thomason, a clinical pharmacist who chairs the OAA’s Grants Committee, said the OAA sought to provide a balance in the types of awards made. “The programs we funded in this round address gaps across the board, ranging from prevention and education, to treatment, to long-term recovery,” she said.

The proposed awards include grants to 13 individual cities or counties and 26 grants to partnerships in which multiple cities and/or counties committed to a regional approach.

Projects vary based on the identified needs of each

community, and range from expansion of medication for opioid use disorder treatment programs, to recovery housing, to in-patient services.

Accomack County received \$15,862. It is partnering with the Eastern Shore Community Services Board to provide outpatient behavioral health services including case management, care coordination, and access to medication for opioid use disorder.

The services will be available for all Accomack County residents including Tangier Island, where the county will provide an air transportation option.

LIBRARY DONATION

SUBMITTED PHOTO

Al McMath, left, president of the Eastern Shore Public Library Foundation, presents a check for \$11,949 to Christopher Pote, archivist of the Heritage Center at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library and Heritage Center. The donation represents the profits from the foundation's annual fundraiser, Raising the Green. Pote intends to use this money for the purchase and installation of a collections and digital content management system that will allow for and aid in the proper organization, description, and retrieval of both physical and digital collections.



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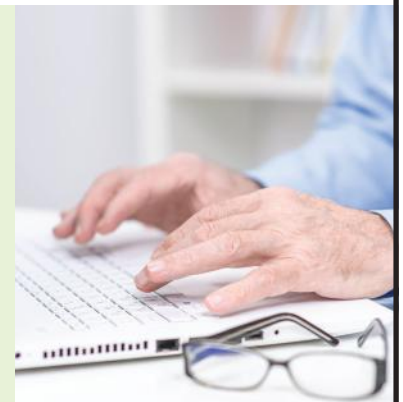
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TOWN OF PARKSLEY PROPOSED 2023-2024 BUDGET

General Fund Revenue

Real Estate/Personal	
Property Taxes	\$250,000.00
Food Tax	15,000.00
Solid Waste	83,000.00
Decals	20,000.00
Business License	6,000.00
Sales Tax	60,000.00
Utility Tax	25,000.00
Police Assistance	22,000.00
Zoning Permits	200.00
Fines	3,200.00
Franchise Fees (U Haul)	1,500.00
Fire Fund	15,000.00
Interest	100.00
Communications Tax	15,000.00
Litter Prevention	1,000.00
DMV	60,000.00
TOTAL	\$577,000.00

General Fund Expenditures

Payroll	\$212,000.00
Payroll Taxes	19,000.00
Blue Cross	47,000.00
VRS	25,000.00
Mayor & Council	15,000.00
Accounting	8,000.00
Legal	8,000.00
Office/DMV	15,000.00
Insurance	35,000.00
Vehicle Operation & Repair	40,000.00
Electricity & Heat	33,000.00
Buildings & Grounds	10,000.00
Trash	65,000.00
Fire Department	15,000.00
Police & Public Safety	10,000.00
Advertising	8,000.00
Litter Prevention	1,000.00
Capital Expense	11,000.00
Events	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$577,000.00

Water/Sewage Dept. Revenue

Water Sales	\$282,400.00
Capital Fund Interest	100.00
Sewage	33,000.00
Water Tower Lease	1,500.00
TOTAL	\$317,000.00

Water/Sewage Dept. Expenditures

Payroll	\$80,000.00
Payroll Taxes	7,000.00
Blue Cross	17,000.00
VRS	9,500.00
Electric	13,000.00
Office	3,500.00
Tank Insurance	1,200.00
Quality Control	8,000.00
Sewage Reserve	2,500.00
Water Works Assistance Fund	1,400.00
Water/MSA	30,000.00
ESS	60,000.00
Sewage Loan Payment	63,000.00

Sub Total	\$296,100.00
Capital Fund	20,900.00

TOTAL	\$317,000.00
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Commercial connections -	\$95.50 per month
Residential connections-	\$66.00 per month

Trash	\$16.00 per mo.
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In accordance with VA Code 15.2-2503, the proposed budget will be considered and voted on at the regular town council meeting held on July 10, 2023 at 7:00 pm at the PVFC Banquet Hall.

Commonwealth Senior Living begins \$2.4M expansion in Onancock

Commonwealth Senior Living has started construction on an expansion of its Onancock community.

The \$2.4 million project at Commonwealth Senior Living at the Eastern Shore will include eight new memory care apartments, converting spaces into eight new assisted living apartments, and adding spaces for a new living room and lounge.

Construction of the expansion started in late May and is expected to be completed in April 2024.

“Commonwealth Senior Living at the Eastern Shore is the premier choice for independent living, assisted living, and memory care on Virginia’s peninsula,” said Earl Parker, president and chief executive officer at Commonwealth Senior Living. “These new apartment homes will offer a seamless continuum of care to residents and their

family members.”

Commonwealth Senior Living at the Eastern Shore is located at 23610 North St., Onancock, and features independent living apartments, assisted living apartments, and memory care apartments.

Once construction is complete, the community will be able to serve more than 105 residents.

In addition to this expansion project, Commonwealth Senior Living is also evaluating the possibility of adding new independent living cottages to the community based on feedback from Onancock area residents and family members.

Plans are still under consideration and will be announced at a later date.

“We are excited to expand our offerings to Eastern Shore families and share our core values with our new residents and associates. These values outline the key elements and actions that attribute to resident, family, and associate satisfaction, and the success of our communities as well as our organization,” said Parker.

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‘Christmas in July’ back in Parksley July 13 to 15

BY CAROL VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Christmas is coming early again this year at Grace United Methodist Church, on Wilson Avenue in Parksley.

For the second consecutive year, the church will host “Christmas in July,” a dazzling three-day event, which this year will be Thursday, July 13, from 1 to 6 p.m.; and Friday, July 14, and Saturday, July 15, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. each day.

The event will transform the church into a winter wonderland — featuring dozens of decorated Christmas trees, including multiple 12-foot Christmas trees in the sanctuary, decorated tables, caroling, antique and craft sales, a bake sale, a quilt raffle, and more.

The inaugural event last year was inspired in part by the donation to the church of a large collection of Christmas decorations, according to organizer Lisa W. Lewis.

Tickets bought the first day cost \$10, are good for all three days of the event, and include a free gift.

On the second and third day, tickets cost \$5. Children under 12 accompanied by an adult enter for free.

All money raised goes to charity.

A tables and trees decorating contest will benefit local organizations, including the SPCA, the Food Bank of the Eastern Shore, the Eastern Shore Railway Museum, the Eastern Shore Literacy Council, Children’s Harbor, the YMCA, the Alzheimer’s Association, FACES (Friends of Animal Control Eastern Shore), and others.

“This is not the time of year when charities get a lot of money,” Lewis said.

Dozens of volunteers are spending hundred of hours working to create a magical Christmas experience at the church, according to Lewis.

The decorator of each tree chooses a charity he or she wishes to receive a donation.



SUBMITTED IMAGE

Plenty of Christmas wares will be for sale at the Christmas in July event.

Anyone who would like to help a favorite not-for-profit organization may call the church office at 757-665-4783 to get an application to decorate a tree or tablescape.

Each tree and table will be judged by a committee and the decorators of the top three trees and the top table will be awarded a donation made to their designated charity in their name.

The top prize last year was \$500.

In addition to decorated trees and tables, the event features vendors of collectibles and antiques, including Waterford crystal, Stieff Rose flatware, vintage jewelry and Christmas decorations, designer handbags, vintage prints, and local advertising pieces, as well as assorted crafts, including handcrafted soaps, coastal wood crafts, wreaths, handcrafted jewelry, button and jewelry art, needlework items and supplies, candles, wood crafts, and stained glass.

There also will be daily sales of fresh baked goods and of pint containers of fresh, homemade chicken salad.

Additionally, tickets will be available each day for a raffle of a handmade, 60-by-60 inch, Christmas quilt, until the time of the drawing on Saturday, July 15 at 11:30 a.m.

School maintenance issue piques county supervisors

BY STEFANIE JACKSON
Eastern Shore Post

Members of the Northampton Board of Supervisors remain dissatisfied with the maintenance and operation of the county’s public schools.

“This supervisor’s not happy about it,” said Supervisor John Coker during a Monday, June 26, discussion of new Virginia laws that take effect July 1.

County Attorney Michelle Clayton was reviewing new laws that could impact Northampton and came to Senate Bill 1124, which tasks the Virginia Board of Education with creating standards for the maintenance, operation, renovation, and new construction of public elementary and secondary schools.

The new guidelines will be included in the Virginia Department of Education’s Standards of Quality, a document that establishes, for example, appropriate ratios of teachers and school staff to students.

School divisions must follow the standards to receive state funding for budget items such as teacher raises.

The state board of education will determine what percentage of a school’s replacement value must be spent on the building’s maintenance and operations, and it must submit the recommendations by July 1, 2024.

Virginia school boards will be required to designate those funds for school maintenance in their divisions’ annual operating budgets.

Regarding school building maintenance, Coker said, “There’s some of us up here that don’t feel like that’s being done today or has been done for the last 10 years.”

“I’d like to see what they’re requiring them to do in the future be-

cause they sure haven’t required them to do much in the past,” he said.

Chris Truckner, director of operations for Northampton County Public Schools and a civil engineer, has faced many challenges since he started the job in 2010.

In 2007, three years before Truckner was hired, a structural engineering firm had released a study concluding that the part of Northampton High School that was built in 1954 already was in “poor” condition.

The 1978 section of the high school 16 years ago was still in “good” condition but would need renovation “in the near future.”

After years of debate between the school board and county supervisors, a project was created of combined renovation and new construction for the high school.

A request for proposals was made in 2022 and the low contractor bid was \$84 million, which far exceeded what Northampton was prepared to spend.

Now the school division is working to cut costs, seek new bids, and find additional funding.

Northampton schools also is paying for a multimillion-dollar project that was recently completed, replacing the HVAC systems in Kiptopeke and Occohannock Elementary with brand-new geothermal systems.

The schools were each around 28 years old by the time that project was underway, about two years after the catastrophic failure of the main water lines to the existing HVAC systems.

Truckner had noted at the time that the failure was due not to maintenance issues but because the pipes were made from low-quality materials, of which the school division was unaware at the time of the elementary schools’ construction.

Warner, Kaine announce \$23M grant for rail trail

BY STEFANIE JACKSON

Eastern Shore Post

U.S. Sens. Mark Warner and Tim Kaine announced on Monday, June 26, that a \$23.25 million federal grant has been awarded for the Eastern Shore's rail trail project — the largest infrastructure grant of its kind in Virginia.

"We are thrilled both Senator Warner and Senator Kaine understand not only the complex challenges facing the Shore but also the prospects and opportunities a rail trail conversion provides," said Accomack County Supervisor Ron Wolff, chairman of the Eastern Shore Rail Trail Foundation non-profit, in a June 28 press release.

In addition to providing a safe, 10-foot-wide paved path for hikers and bikers, the project is expected to prompt economic growth, with start-ups like bike shops, restaurants, and other small businesses cropping up along the trail.

The \$23.25 million grant will fund nearly 17 miles of the 49-mile rail trail project that will stretch from Cape Charles in Northampton County to Hallwood in Accomack County.

The 17 miles of rail trail that will be built with the grant funds run through Nassawadox, Exmore, Painter, Keller, Melfa, and Onley.

The Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission was instrumental in obtaining the federal grant award.

Spencer Murray, president of Canonie Atlantic, the company that owns the railroad corridor, said, "This federal award is greatly appreciated. It clearly highlights the foresight of Sens. Kaine and Warner and represents just a part of our strategy to seek out qualified infrastructure, transportation, and other available funding sources to support the Shore's corridor conversion."

This is not the first federal grant awarded for the rail trail project. During her time in office, former Congresswoman Elaine Luria helped



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Members of the Virginia Department of Transportation's Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee ride the Southern Tip Bike and Hike Trail in Northampton County in October 2020. The paved path connecting to the Eastern Shore of Virginia National Wildlife Refuge may eventually tie in to the 49-mile Eastern Shore of Virginia Rail Trail that has been partially funded by a recent federal grant award.

secure a \$2.5 million grant in Federal Community Project Funding, formerly called earmarks, for the Cape Charles portion of the rail trail project.

Kaine visited Cape Charles to hike along the path of the future rail trail last August.

That portion of the project is in the planning phase. The Virginia Department of Transportation, which is administering the \$2.5 million grant, also will administer the new grant.

Donald Hart, chair of the Accomack-Northampton Transportation District Commission, said, "On behalf of the ANTDC we greatly appreciate the Commonwealth of Virginia's and VDOT's ongoing support and partnership in planning and administering the ongoing development of the Eastern Shore's rail corridor."

The Eastern Shore Rail Trail Foundation also has applied for \$8.5 million in state funding for the project.

The \$23.25 million federal award is from the U.S. Department of Transportation's Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity program, or RAISE, which was funded by the bipartisan infrastructure bill passed by Congress in late 2021.

The funds are expected to become available later this year. A start date for construction of the 17-mile portion of the rail trail from Nassawadox to Onley will be determined.

Town is poised to lower speeds on several streets

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Onancock is poised to lower the speed limit on several streets, pending Virginia Department of Transportation approval.

The town council on Monday, June 26, voted to change the town’s speed limit to 25 mph on all streets inside town limits unless otherwise specified.

The new 25 mph zones would include Hill and Liberty streets, both marked for 35 mph, and the portion of Market Street from Hall Street into town.

The only road within town limits that would remain above 25 mph is

Market Street between Fairgrounds Road and Hall Street, near the car-wash and self-service laundry, which would decrease to 30 mph.

The changes to Market Street would provide a “deceleration zone” on the main thoroughfare in to town, which VDOT plans to restripe next year to reduce travel lanes from four to two lanes and add bike shoulders and a center turn lane, Town Manager Matt Spuck said.

VDOT must approve the changes before Onancock enacts the new speed limits, he said. There is no timeline for VDOT’s decision, Spuck said.

“I hope that this gets done and it makes Onancock a safer place,” said

Charlie Roe, a resident who spoke during the public hearing before the vote to change the speed limits.

Town creates EDA

The Onancock Town Council voted to create a town Economic Development Authority during its meeting Monday.

The near-term purpose of the Town of Onancock EDA would be to serve as a pass-through body for funding the Department of Housing and Community Development awarded Onancock to renovate the Lilliston building at 51 Market St.

“Our lawyer has told us that a town may not loan money to a private entity,” Spuck said of the \$1 million Industrial Revitalization Fund for the project. The funding would go to private developer PSP Lilliston LLC for the project.

In the future, the EDA “opens us up for additional funding avenues to stimulate the businesses in Onancock,” Spuck said.

“That gives us some exciting opportunities,” he said.

The EDA will be a political subdivision of Onancock governed by a board of seven members, which the town council will appoint.

Boat-ramp vehicle permit policy will be revisited

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will revisit its policy on permits required on vehicles parked at public boat ramps during a hearing next month.

Existing rules require any vehicle parked at 16 of the county’s public landings to display a permit, but the board is considering changes that would require only vehicles pulling boat trailers to display permits.

“The people who are using it ... are the fishermen,” Supervisor Ron Wolff said of the boat ramps.

“Why are we burdening people who want to go down and sit and watch the sunset or look at birds?”

Only requiring vehicles towing boat trailers to display the permits “would make it much more equitable for people who are using the ramp,” he said.

The board held a public hearing Wednesday, June 21, to consider updating its policy on the permits.

Existing guidelines, which aim to address limited parking at the landings, require a \$7 daily permit or \$40 annual permit for all vehicles parked at public

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**Accomack County Supervisor
Ron Wolff**

landings.

Those with a Virginia saltwater recreational fishing license pay \$5 for a daily permit or \$30 annually.

Boat owners whose boats are taxed by Accomack County receive a free annual parking permit by mail for each boat taxed.

Residents who pay county real estate or personal property taxes can contact the county treasurer’s office to receive a permit free of charge.

Proposed changes would allow the county to is-

sue charter boat captains up to six annual parking permits that would be transferable among their customers.

The board voted to table its decision on the changes until its meeting July 19 so it can consider the additional provision that only vehicles towing a boat trailer would be required to display a permit.

The board last month asked Accomack County staff to examine the cost of administering its boat ramp permit program and revenue it generates.

Staff found permit sales generated \$15,225 last fiscal year, while the program cost the county \$11,049 to administer.

The county mailed 5,303 free permits to those who pay county real estate or personal property taxes and are therefore exempt from paying for the permits. It processed 755 paid parking permits, though 73 were refunded, County Administrator Mike Mason reported.

The Sheriff’s Department issued 59 citations associated with the permits during the same time, he said.

The board of supervisors plans to hold a public hearing on the proposed changes July 19. Members of the public can comment on the permit policy during the hearing.

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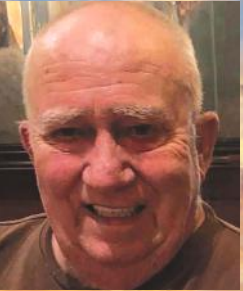
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Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for:

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Code Compliance Officer

Northampton County is accepting applications for a full-time Code Compliance Officer. The essential function of this position is to enforce ordinances for abandoned cars, grass complaints, dangerous structures, and solid waste. Provides customer service and clerical duties.

Requires high school diploma or GED, supplemented by one year of experience in building construction. Experience as a property maintenance inspector is desired.

Requires valid Virginia Driver's License.

Excellent communication skills are essential. This salary ranges from \$38,369 to \$61,337.

Please refer to Northampton County's website for further job descriptions, requirements and county's application form <https://tinyurl.com/bdcb8hst>

Please submit completed County application form with cover letter to Human Resources, P. O. Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347

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FULL-TIME COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER

Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for a full-time Communications Officer. Job does require shift work, nights, weekends, and some holidays.

Qualifications: Over the age of 18 and have obtained a high school diploma or GED. This full-time position is open to both certified and non-certified applicants; however, all part-time applicants are required to be certified prior to applying.

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Requires Bachelor's degree in planning or related field or at least three (3) years of related experience; valid Virginia Driver's License; and AICP Certification or ability to obtain within two years' of employment.

Excellent communication skills are essential. The salary range for this position is \$51,750 to \$83,699 based on qualifications.

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ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

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Minimum qualifications: associate's degree in business or administrative technologies; supplemented by 1 to 3 years previous experience and/or training involving procurement, or contract bids; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience.

Preferred qualifications: bachelor's degree in accounting or business or relevant field of study, three (3) years direct experience in procurement, supply chain management or sourcing and experience in local, or state government setting. CVA or CVO Certification through the Virginia Institute of Procurement.

Satisfactory completion of a background check and pre-employment drug screening are required prior to employment. Application and instructions can be obtained from the County's website:

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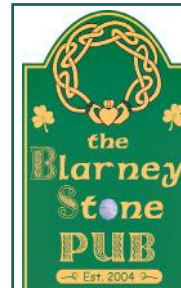


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Requires high school diploma or GED, supplemented by one year of experience in building construction. Experience as a building inspector is desired.

Requires valid Virginia Driver's License.

Excellent communication skills are essential. This salary ranges from \$34,819 to \$56,285.

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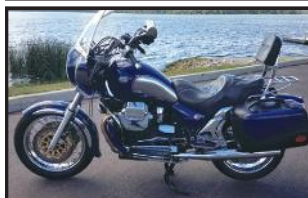


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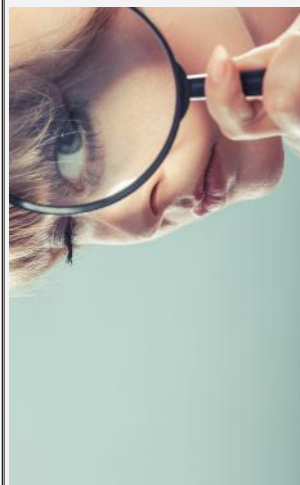
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Public Notice – Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) for the withdrawal of ground water in Accomack, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: June 30, 2023 to July 31, 2023

PERMIT NAME: Ground Water Withdrawal Permit issued by DEQ pursuant to applicable water laws and regulations

APPLICANT NAME, ADDRESS AND PERMIT NUMBER: Kuzzen's Inc.; 3769 Grapeland Circle, Exmore, VA 23350; (757) 442-4961; GW0065601

NAME AND LOCATION OF WATER WITHDRAWAL: Bowen Farm; 3061 Seaside Road, Exmore, VA 23350

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Kuzzen's Inc has applied for a reissuance of a permit for an agriculture facility. The permit would authorize the applicant to withdraw a maximum of 54,192,000 gallons per year and 19,850,000 gallons per month from the Middle Yorktown-Eastover aquifer. The ground water withdrawal will support irrigation of their crops, and aid in the application of herbicides and pesticides. The proposed withdrawal will utilize the Middle Yorktown-Eastover aquifer at the withdrawal site. An aquifer is a body of rock or layer of sediment in the ground in which ground water is stored and transported. DEQ has made a tentative decision to issue the permit.

AFFECTED AREA: The radial distance from the wells to where computer modeling predicts the aquifer may experience one foot of drawdown due to the withdrawal is illustrated on a map that can be viewed at <https://tinyurl.com/3ems7mkb>

HOW TO COMMENT AND/OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing by hand-delivery, e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses or email addresses of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing must also include: 1) The reason why a public hearing is requested. 2) A brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requestor, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit. 3) Specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. A public hearing may be held, including another comment period, if public response is significant, based on individual requests for a public hearing, and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the permit.

CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Hannah Hervey; DEQ Central Office, P.O. Box 1105, Richmond, VA, 23218; Phone: 804-898-5677; E-mail: hannah.hervey@deq.virginia.gov; Fax: 804-698-4178 The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named above {by appointment} or may request copies of the documents from the contact person listed above.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING:

The Accomack County Economic Development Authority will hold a special meeting on July 3, 2023, at 8:30 a.m. to discuss the appraisal and potential sale/rental of its real property and to consider the cancellation of its regular meeting on July 10, 2023. The special meeting will be held at 18321 Parkway, Melfa, Virginia 23410.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Wednesday, July 5, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. The purpose of the meeting is to conduct regular business and review an application to forward a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors.

Minor SUP 2023-06: Pearl LLC is applying for a minor special use permit to request the following adaptive re-use businesses be allowed to operate on their property under section 154.2.127(B) of the zoning ordinance: Farm market, Guide or outfitter services, Offices, and Retail. The property is zoned A/RB (Agriculture/Rural Business). The property is located at 4198 Latimer Siding Road, Cape Charles, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 117-A-4.

The application 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, and can be viewed electronically at <https://go.boarddocs.com/va/northco/Board.nsf/Public>

Anyone wishing to comment on the above item is 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, and via email to olivia.bennett@co.northampton.va.us, for consideration at the July 5, 2023, Planning Commission meeting.

Handicapped assistance available: Please telephone (757) 678-0440 at least 48 hours in advance.

Request for Proposals Prototyping and Concept of Operations Providers for Medical Package Delivery Via Autonomous System to Tangier Island, VA

The Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission seeks qualified entities to develop an unmanned autonomous system prototype for delivery of medical packages to Tangier Island, Va., and other remote locations on the Eastern Shore of Virginia. The Request for Proposal is available at www.esvaplan.org

You may apply through letter to the Commission's Director of Planning accompanied by any additional materials that would more fully describe your proposal. Your letter or packet should include: 1) Statement of Interest in providing service to the Commission, 2) Indication of ability to provide timely and efficient service to the Commission, including a specification of how quickly Commission business could be acted upon, 3) Compliance with federal Title VI/Non-discrimination assurances, and 4) Other factors or information thought to be important to the Commission in considering the proposal. The successful proposer will need to supply a W9 and EIN/FEIN paperwork prior to start.

A Selection Committee will review the applications. Applications must be submitted by Noon on Wednesday, July 5, 2023. They may be sent by electronic or paper format. Please submit your application to Anne Doyle, Director of Planning, Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission, 23372 Front Street, Accomack, VA 23301 or electronically to adoyle@a-npdc.org Please contact Anne Doyle at 757-787-2936 should you have any process questions.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Marie Hammer (VMRC #2023-0967) is requesting a permit from the Virginia Marine Resources Commission to construct a private, open pile bridge over a 15-foot section of the gut of Elliotts Creek adjacent to 1714 Sand Hill Drive (TM# 104D-1-30A & 104D-1-30A1) situated on the Chesapeake Bay in Northampton County. You may provide comments on this application (VMRC #2023-0967) <https://tinyurl.com/bdtmf38d> We will accept comments by the USPS provided they are received within 15 days of this notice to: Marine Resources Commission, Habitat Management Division, 380 Fenwick Road, Bldg 96, Hampton, VA 23651.

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PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: June 30, 2023 to July 31, 2023

PERMIT NAME: Ground Water Withdrawal Permit issued by DEQ pursuant to applicable water laws and regulations

APPLICANT NAME, ADDRESS AND PERMIT NUMBER: Sun Communities Operating Limited; 27777 Franklin Rd. Suite 200, Southfield, MI 48034; GW0039202

NAME AND LOCATION OF WATER WITHDRAWAL: Sunset Beach Resort and Campground; 32254 Lankford Hwy, Cape Charles, VA 23310

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Sun Communities Operating Limited has applied for a reissuance of a permit for the operations of the resort and campground. The permit would authorize the applicant to withdraw a maximum of 7,500,000 gallons per year and 1,600,000 gallons per month from the surficial and Middle Yorktown-Eastover aquifers. The ground water withdrawal will support the operations of the resort and campground. The proposed withdrawal will utilize the surficial and Middle Yorktown-Eastover aquifers at the withdrawal site. An aquifer is a body of rock or layer of sediment in the ground in which ground water is stored and transported. DEQ has made a tentative decision to issue the permit.

AFFECTED AREA: Computer modeling predicts that the aquifer will not experience one foot of drawdown due to the withdrawal.

HOW TO COMMENT AND/OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing by hand-delivery, e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses or email addresses of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing must also include: 1) The reason why a public hearing is requested. 2) A brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requestor, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit. 3) Specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. A public hearing may be held, including another comment period, if public response is significant, based on individual requests for a public hearing, and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the permit.

CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Nicole Reungoat; DEQ Central Office, P.O. Box 1105, Richmond, VA, 23218; Phone: 804-698-4192; E-mail: nicole.reungoat@deq.virginia.gov; FAX: 804-698-4178. The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named above by appointment or may request copies of the documents from the contact person listed above.

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BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 12TH, 2023, AT 10 A.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMAC, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

SUSE-000508-2023 – James Binder – 34000 Block of Watts Bay Drive, Wallops Island

The applicant requests a Special Use Permit per Accomack County Code Section 106-53(14) which permits Travel trailers, located outside of travel trailer parks, which are to be occupied for habitation or storage of chattels. The applicant wishes to store a travel trailer on this unimproved parcel. The 4.27 acre site is located along the south line of Watts Bay Drive (private road), approximately 2,730 feet east of its intersection with Atlantic Road and is Tax Map # 43-5-8.

The parcel is zoned Agriculture and is located partially or wholly within the Chesapeake/ Atlantic Preservation Area RPA, and the Airport Overlay District.

SUSE-000512-2023 – Franci Hric – 6256 Lankford Hwy, New Church

The applicant requests a Special Use Permit per Accomack County Code Section 106-179 which states it shall be unlawful to erect a billboard, as described in section 106-1 of this chapter, anywhere within the jurisdiction of the county without first obtaining a special use permit from the board of zoning appeals. The applicant wishes to place a billboard on this parcel to advertise an off-premise business. The .99 acre site is located at 6256 Lankford Hwy, New Church and is Tax Map #27-A-16.

The parcel is zoned General Business.

SUSE-00515-2023 – Arthur Vancil – 32000 block of Pennyville Rd, Painter

The applicant requests a Special Use Permit per Accomack County Code Section 106-53(2) which permits camping facilities, including travel trailer camps. The applicant wishes to open a 7 site commercial campground. The 1.82 acre site is located along the west side of Pennyville Rd, approximately 1,914 feet north of its intersection with Shell Bridge Rd and is Tax Map #110-11-4.

The parcel is zoned Agriculture.

SUSE-000516-2023 – Daniel Kelly – 9000 block of Neal Parker Rd, Temperanceville

The applicant requests a Special Use Permit per Accomack County Code Section 106-53(14) which permits Travel trailers, located outside of travel trailer parks, which are to be occupied for habitation or storage of chattels. The applicant wishes use a travel trailer as on office for the tree farm located on the parcel. The 72.14 acre site is located along the east line of Neal Parker Rd., approximately 400 feet north of its intersection with Saxis Rd. and is Tax Map # 41-A-1A.

The parcel is zoned Agriculture and is located partially within the Special Flood Hazard Area, Zone 8BFE.

SUSE-000520-2023 – Daniel Wood – 26000 block of Martin Rd, Harborton

The applicant requests a Special Use Permit per Accomack County Code Section 106-53(2) which permits camping facilities, including travel trailer camps. The applicant wishes to create a 3 site personal campground to be used by friends and family. The 5.98 acre site is located along the west side of Martin Rd, approximately 2,249 feet north of its intersection with Hacksneck Rd and is Tax Map #99-A-116.

The parcel is zoned Agriculture and is located wholly within the Special Flood Hazard Area, Zones 5BFE and 6BFE.

VAR-000522- 2023 – George Young III for Robert Martin – 32305 Powers Ln, Atlantic

The applicant requests a 1604 square feet variance from the 20,000 square foot minimum lot requirement per Section 106-80 of the Accomack County Code. The applicant is gifting a portion of his property that contains a cemetery to the church which is adjoining. The 19,584 square foot site is located at 32305 Powers Ln, Atlantic and is Tax Map #42A1-A-21.

The parcel is zoned Residential.

Public hearing related materials are available for review at the Office of the County Zoning Administrator at 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Room 105 – Accomac, 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.

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TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES Planning Commission – Public Hearing

The Cape Charles Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, at 6:00 pm in the Cape Charles Civic Center, 500 Tazewell Avenue, to receive comment on the following requests:

A. A Zoning Map Amendment (ZMA) 2023-02 application from Nancy T. Rooney to rezone 107 Mason Avenue (Tax Map #83A3-2-1-74) and Tax Map #83A3-2-1-75A from Commercial-1 (C-1) Zoning District to Commercial Residential (CR) Zoning District for proposed use pursuant to CCZO Section 3.5.

A Zoning Map Amendment application from RL & B Seaside Investments, LLC to rezone Tax Map #83A3-2-1-75B and Tax Map #83A3-2-1-77 from Commercial-1 (C-1) Zoning District to Commercial Residential (CR) Zoning District for proposed use pursuant to CCZO Section 3.5.

The applications are available for public review on our website at www.capecharles.org under Agendas and Minutes/Planning Commission. Please contact the Planning Department at 757-331-2036, or by email at planner@capecharles.org if you have any questions or require additional information.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will meet on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, and conduct a public hearing on the following matter, *provided that the Planning Commission has issued a recommendation on same.*

Minor SUP 2023-06: Pearl LLC is applying for a minor special use permit to request the following adaptive re-use businesses be allowed to operate on their property under section 154.2.127(B) of the zoning ordinance: Farm market, Guide or outfitter services, Offices, and Retail. The property is zoned A/RB (Agriculture/Rural Business). The property is located at 4198 Latimer Siding Road, Cape Charles, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 117-A-4.

The application is 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, and can be viewed electronically at <https://go.boarddocs.com/va/northco/Board.nsf/Public>

Anyone wishing to comment on the above item is invited to attend the meeting and make their comments known. Written comments can be submitted to the County Administration Office, P.O. Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347, and via email to jwilliams@co.northampton.va.us, for consideration at the July 11, 2023, meeting.

Handicapped assistance available: Please telephone (757) 678-0440 at least 48 hours in advance.

Notice of Taking Proof of Debts and Demands of the Estate of Dorothea Mae Colson

Pursuant to §64.2-550 of the Code of Virginia (1950) and at the request of Robert W. Leatherbury, Executor of the Estate of Dorothea Mae Colson, deceased, I have fixed July 17, 2023, 1:30 p.m., at 16464 Courthouse Road, Suite 201, Eastville, Virginia, as the time and place for receiving proof of debts and demands against Dorothea Mae Colson or the estate.

Given under my hand this 27th day of June, 2023.

C.A. Turner, III
Commissioner of Accounts
Northampton County

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing commencing at 6:00 p.m., on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, in the Board Room of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, to afford interested parties the opportunity to be heard or present written comments regarding the following ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED, “AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A TAX ON FOOD AND BEVERAGES SOLD IN RESTAURANTS WITHIN NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA”

The purpose of this amendment is to modify the meals tax from four percent (4%) to five percent (5%), effective January 1, 2024, in accordance with authority granted by the Code of Virginia Section 58.1-3833, and will mirror Cape Charles’s, Exmore’s and Eastville’s 5% Meals Tax. Nassawadox and Cheriton levy a 4% Meals Tax.

A copy of the proposed ordinance is available for public review at the County Administrator’s Office, Eastville, Virginia, during normal business hours.

Handicapped assistance available: Call 757/678-0440.

Charles Kolakowski
County Administrator

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Wetlands Board will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, July 19, 2023, at 10:15 a.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA, for the purpose of considering the following wetlands/coastal primary sand dunes matters and to conduct regular business. Site visits to the properties will be conducted on the same date, prior to commencement of the Wetlands Board meeting.

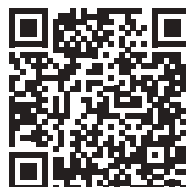
VMRC 2023-0732: PCJK LLC is applying for a permit to construct two stone sills, a trip sill, and a revetment to replace a failed bulkhead. The property is located at Peaceful Shores Drive, Jamesville, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 6A-4-7, along the shoreline of the Chesapeake Bay.

VMRC 2023-1045: David & Patricia Butler are applying for a permit to construct a stone sill with 2 gaps and a rip rap revetment. The property is located at 7443 Chesapeake Drive, Jamesville, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 18C-1-G, along the shoreline of Nassawadox Creek.

VMRC 2023-1367: Harry L. Bowen Jr. is applying for a permit to install a bulkhead and a loading pier connecting to an existing pier. The property is located at 4495 Willis Wharf Road, Willis Wharf, VA and is further described as Tax Map 11A-A-103, along the shoreline of Parting Creek.

Anyone interested in the above matters should attend the scheduled public hearing. The applications may be viewed in the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA. Written comments can be submitted to the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office, P.O. Box 538, Eastville, VA 23347.

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Request for Proposals #320 Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center A & E Services

The County of Accomack, Virginia, is accepting proposals from Virginia-licensed architectural and engineering (A/E) firms to provide professional services for design and renovation of the Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center. The work will include (but not necessarily be limited to) surveying, conceptual design, cost estimating, detail design, preparation of drawing, and preliminary engineering report.

Proposals shall be received by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 3, 2023.

The complete RFP may be found on the following website:

<https://tinyurl.com/53bmh5m5>

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by Ryan A. Berenz

1. What Australian basketball player scored a WNBA-record 53 points in a July 2018 game?
2. What European country hosts the annual Algarve Cup invitational women’s soccer tournament?
3. R. Norris Williams, a two-time U.S. Open tennis singles champion, survived what 1912 disaster?
4. What UCLA Bruins running back was selected in the first round of the 1988 NFL Draft by the Los Angeles Rams?
5. Fast-food magnate Ray Croc purchased what Major League Baseball team in 1974?
6. What multi-sport event, featuring sports disciplines that are not in the Olympic Games, was first held in Santa Clara, California, in 1981?
7. The “keystone combination” is a baseball term for a play involving what two positions?

Answers
1. Liz Cambage.
2. Portugal.
3. The sinking of the RMS Titanic.
4. Gaston Green.
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Northampton land transfers

■ From Beco Tower Hill LLC
To Daniel Sanders
Lot 1, Tower Hill, Capeville
For \$39,900
■ From Joseph and Kimberly Fehr
To Jeffery and Michelle Swanson
Lot on Peach Street, Cape Charles
For \$799,000
■ From Bay Creek Development LLC
To John and Denise Finney
Lot 23A, Village L, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$1,463,000
■ From Sue Pruitt
To Joseph Henry and Robin Gattshall
Lot 7, 1 acre, near Cape Charles
For \$452,000
■ From Bay Creek Development LLC
To Thornton and Robin Stringfellow
Lot L-3, Village L, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$310,000
■ From The Pergola Group II LLC
To Virginia Builders LLC
Lot 53, Watsons Point, Tower Hill
For \$59,900
■ From Beco Tower Hill LLC
To Virginia Builders LLC
Multiple lots at Tower Hill, Capeville
For \$1,217,600
■ From James and Susan Kristensen
To Exterra Properties LLC
Lot 75, Vaucluse Shores
For \$32,000
■ From Mary Ann and Marshal Cox Sr.
To Brent Mears and Taylor Bundick
Lot, 1 acre, near Capeville
For \$186,165

Accomack land transfers

■ From Betty A. and John R. Boytos
To Catherine L. and Peter N. Turlington
16430 Wanderers Port Lane, Onancock
For \$875,000
■ From Lavona and Dennis Heleine
To Kathryn Marie Luff
6258 Clark St., Chincoteague
For \$135,000
■ From Anna E. and Mary C. Taylor
To Mary C. and Eric J. Taylor

Property on Recluse Road, Craddockville
For \$66,166.67
■ From Susan M. and James Anderson
To Michael Bruce Mueller
Lot 74, Corbin Hall, Horntown
For \$55,000
■ From Sharon M. Duer
To Evelyn J. and Daniel L. Shaw
19446 Kellam Road, Quinby
For \$9,500
■ From Wilbur Bowden
To Maryse and Eugene L. Massey
3256 High Sea Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$407,500
■ From Barbara M. and Brian W. Derrickson
To Elaine Marie and George Edward Koslow
Lot 51, Section 9, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$6,500
■ From Barbara Marie Guiseppe
To Vis Com LLC
Lot 82, Section 5, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$3,000
■ From Sandra R. Hall and Rachel Fisher
To Ayers Creek II LLC
68 and 107 acres in Assawoman
For \$799,000
■ From Lisa M. Chute-Chenard and Michael A. Chenard
To Mollie Ruth Gleason
Lot 8, Section 10, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$3,500
■ From Pamela Bea and Phyllis Anne Price
To Michele Anne Ragonese
Lot 1401, Sail Court, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$150,000
■ From Master of All Reigns LLC
To Silas Natanael Reyes Tomas
23518 Leslie Trent Road, Parksley
For \$19,500
■ From Harris Land and Timber Company LLC
To Mark Moita
2.5 acres on Belinda Road, Hallwood
For \$4,000
■ From Ronald A. Pickenheim
To Vickie Lynn and Donald G. Morley
Lot 43, Section B-1, Inlet View Campsites, Chincoteague
For \$30,500
■ From Tina X. Loi
To Sandra J. and William R. Stewart
4334 Nelson Road, New Church
For \$82,000
■ From Phi Yen H. Nguyen and Brenden J. Kettner
To Todd A. Waltemyer
10244 Sandpiper Lane, Atlantic
For \$405,000
■ From Deborah J. and Paul E. Wozniak

To Kelvin R. Smith
Lot 1, Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown
For \$60,000
■ From Heidi Anne Greenhouse
To Dianne S. Arenas and Emilio Arenas Hernandez
30439 Center Ave., Keller
For \$12,000
■ From Martha and Ross Bailey
To Asamblea Cristiana El Redentor Agape, Inc.
30231 Church St., Temperanceville
For \$150,000
■ From Martha J. and Henry J. Wojciechowski Jr.
To Frank James Abella III
19568 Quinby Bridge Road, Painter
For \$401,000
■ From Accomack Lodge #62 of Pungtoeague and
George Brown, Trustee
To Exterra Properties LLC
32168 Boston Road, Painter
For \$96,000
■ From Dale F. Marsh and Phillip A. Lewis
To Allyson P. and Benjamin F. Askew III
71 acres on Cashville Road, Onancock
For \$185,000
■ From Dawn K. and Steven E. Wagner
To Karen and John R. Aldins
2544 Captains Corridor, Greenbackville
For \$369,900
■ From Andrew S. Merritt
To Kim Lumhoo and Willie Lee Allen
2539 Yardarm Drive, Greenbackville
For \$230,000
■ From James W. Elliott and Acorn Resources II
To NKM Properties LLC
16013 Cosby St., Painter
For \$34,000
■ From Angela J. Abell and Steven Lyle Liscum
To Gateway Resort Properties LLC
6238 Clark St., Chincoteague
For \$350,000
■ From Allyson P. and Benjamin F. Askew III
To Margaret E. and Paul D. Rick
Lot 12, Section A, Undersell Point, Accomack County
For \$80,000
■ From Asturian Group Inc.
To Cantabria II LLC
5295 Hibiscus Drive, Chincoteague
For \$700,000
■ From Christine and Robert Miller
To Tami Fowler and William Arrowood
20287 Canvanback Lane, Onancock
For \$355,000
■ From Mark F. Annis
To Shore Trying LLC
28217 Harbor Road, Melfa

For \$272,500
■ From Stella R. and Glenn S. Jerome
To Katherine R. Mitchell
Trails End Lot 264, Unit 3, Horntown
For \$36,000
■ From Gary A. and Alexander E. Gard
To Island Ventures LLC
7183 Hunting Road, Chincoteague
For \$250,000
■ From Rebecca L. Hayslette and Robert P. Knapick
To William L. and Brendan W. Ross
8035 Mire Pond Road, Chincoteague
For \$75,000
■ From Fulton White and Equity Trustees LLC
To Heidi Ontiveros
17281 Ross Lane, Bloxom
For \$50,000
■ From Kathleen E. Nugent, Trustee
To Elizabeth Marie Peters, Trustee
Lot 259, Section 2, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$321,000
■ From James W. Kilby
To Virginia A. Brock
23208 Lilliston Ave., Accomack
For \$225,000
■ From John R. Wolf
To Wendy M. and Eric B. Burdette
1233 Broadside Drive, Greenbackville
For \$155,000
■ From Kareena Milan 07 LLC
To Maddox Inn Corporation
6151 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague
For \$1,325,000
■ From Olde Mill Pointe
Property Owner Association Inc.
To James G, Kalil
6.3 acres on Olde Mill Lane, New Church
For \$145,000
■ From Janet Lynn and Timothy L. Tull
To Carla and Dominic R. Mansour
Trails End Lot 254, Unit 3, Horntown
For \$26,000
■ From Jeffrey M. Lord
To Tried and True Products LLC
27258 Muttonhunk Road, Nelsonia
For \$140,000
■ From Barbara S. and Thomas D. Vogt
To Sterling Homes Customer Builders Inc.
Lot 2159, Section 4, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$2,000
■ From David G. and David G. Vorsteg Jr.
To Sheryl and Scott Debeaubien
10457 Oyster Cove Lane, Atlantic
For \$469,000

TIDE TABLE

Seaside

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		<u>Friday</u> June 30		<u>Saturday</u> July 1		<u>Sunday</u> July 2		<u>Monday</u> July 3		<u>Tuesday</u> July 4		<u>Wednesday</u> July 5		<u>Thursday</u> July 6
Assateague Beach	H L	6:26 p.m. 12:07p.m.	H L	6:44 a.m. 12:59 p.m.	H L	7:36 a.m. 1:52 p.m.	H L	8:29 a.m. 2:44 p.m.	H L	9:22 a.m. 3:37 p.m.	H L	10:16 a.m. 4:31 p.m.	H L	11:10 a.m. 5:27 p.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	6:32 p.m. 12:02p.m.	H L	6:50 a.m. 12:53 p.m.	H L	7:40 a.m. 1:44 p.m.	H L	8:31 a.m. 2:37 p.m.	H L	9:23 a.m. 3:31 p.m.	H L	10:16 a.m. 4:27 p.m.	H L	11:11 a.m. 5:24 p.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	6:48 a.m. 12:46p.m.	H L	7:40 a.m. 1:38 p.m.	H L	8:32 a.m. 2:31 p.m.	H L	9:25 a.m. 3:23 p.m.	H L	10:18 a.m. 4:16 p.m.	H L	11:12 a.m. 5:10 p.m.	H L	12:06 p.m. 6:06 p.m.
Folly Creek	H L	6:41 a.m. 12:31p.m.	H L	7:33 a.m. 1:23 p.m.	H L	8:25 a.m. 2:16 p.m.	H L	9:18 a.m. 3:08 p.m.	H L	10:11 a.m. 4:01 p.m.	H L	11:05 a.m. 4:55 p.m.	H L	11:59 a.m. 5:51 p.m.
Wachapreague	H L	6:58 p.m. 12:12p.m.	H L	7:09 a.m. 1:08 p.m.	H L	8:03 a.m. 2:04 p.m.	H L	9:00 a.m. 2:59 p.m.	H L	9:57 a.m. 3:53 p.m.	H L	10:52 a.m. 4:46 p.m.	H L	11:45 a.m. 5:40 p.m.
Quinby Inlet	H L	6:26 p.m. 11:46 a.m.	H L	6:44 a.m. 12:38 p.m.	H L	7:36 a.m. 1:31 p.m.	H L	8:29 a.m. 2:23 p.m.	H L	9:22 a.m. 3:16 p.m.	H L	10:16 a.m. 4:10 p.m.	H L	11:10 a.m. 5:06 p.m.
Machipongo	H L	6:56 p.m. 12:15p.m.	H L	7:14 a.m. 1:07 p.m.	H L	8:06 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	H L	8:59 a.m. 2:52 p.m.	H L	9:52 a.m. 3:45 p.m.	H L	10:46 a.m. 4:39 p.m.	H L	11:40 a.m. 5:35 p.m.
Tangier Sound Light	H L	9:50 a.m. 4:09 p.m.	H L	10:42 a.m. 4:57 p.m.	H L	11:35 a.m. 5:46 p.m.	H L	12:28 p.m. 6:37 p.m.	H L	1:21 p.m. 7:47 a.m.	H L	2:16 p.m. 8:37 a.m.	H L	3:11 p.m. 9:28 a.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	10:10 a.m. 4:43 p.m.	H L	11:07 a.m. 5:37 p.m.	H L	12:02 p.m. 6:31 p.m.	H L	12:56 p.m. 7:32 a.m.	H L	1:50 p.m. 8:23 a.m.	H L	2:44 p.m. 9:15 a.m.	H L	3:39 p.m. 10:06 a.m.
Guard Shore	H L	10:02 a.m. 4:39 p.m.	H L	10:59 a.m. 5:33 p.m.	H L	11:54 a.m. 6:27 p.m.	H L	12:48 p.m. 7:28 a.m.	H L	1:42 p.m. 8:19 a.m.	H L	2:36 p.m. 9:11 a.m.	H L	3:31 p.m. 10:02 a.m.
Chescon. Creek	H L	9:37 a.m. 3:51 p.m.	H L	10:34 a.m. 4:45 p.m.	H L	11:29 a.m. 5:39 p.m.	H L	12:23 p.m. 6:34 p.m.	H L	1:17 p.m. 7:31 a.m.	H L	2:11 p.m. 8:23 a.m.	H L	3:06 p.m. 9:14 a.m.
Onancock Creek	H L	9:51 a.m. 4:11 p.m.	H L	10:48 a.m. 5:05 p.m.	H L	11:43 a.m. 5:59 p.m.	H L	12:37 p.m. 6:54 p.m.	H L	1:31 p.m. 7:51 a.m.	H L	2:25 p.m. 8:43 a.m.	H L	3:20 p.m. 9:34 a.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	9:07 a.m. 3:25 p.m.	H L	10:04 a.m. 4:19 p.m.	H L	10:59 a.m. 5:13 p.m.	H L	11:53 a.m. 6:08 p.m.	H L	12:47 p.m. 7:05 a.m.	H L	1:41 p.m. 7:57 a.m.	H L	2:36 p.m. 8:48 a.m.
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by Linda Thistle

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7 Neither-here-nor-there states
13 Not straying off topic
20 Get in the way of
21 "You may relax, soldier"
22 One looking something over
23 "The Delta Force" actor Chuck
24 Question after a chat interruption
26 Latched on firmly
28 Space balls
29 San Luis —, California
30 Mount, as a jewel
31 "Diane" star Turner
32 "Carrie" star Spacek
35 Mutineers
37 2012 Robert Pattinson film based on a Maupassant novel
39 Chou En- —
40 Fictional "Warrior Princess"
- 41 Lax in duty
44 British remake of "That '70s Show"
50 Say for sure
51 Trepidation
53 Fathered, as a horse
54 Start of many rapper names
55 Realities that are tough to face
58 "E-e-ew!"
59 Vodka brand, informally
61 Reply to "You are not!"
62 Fulfill, as standards
65 Wiseacre
69 River to the Rhine
70 Hint at
71 "That's impossible!"
74 Reagan adviser Edwin
76 Flooring units
77 "... bug — feature?"
78 Identity before turning over a new leaf
83 City in Oklahoma
84 Trig function
- 86 Away from the wind, nautically
87 Non-iron club
88 Revealing interference with the contents, as a package
92 Key related to D major
94 Saharan
95 Oct.-Dec. link
96 Creek, e.g.
99 Garbage collectors
102 Very easy thing
104 "Back in Black" band
105 Italian monk's title
108 Runner Sebastian
109 Really eager
111 With 114-Across, source of the phrase formed by the ends of eight answers in this puzzle
114 See 111-Across
118 Is identical to
119 Famed French mime
120 Interfere
121 Nuanced

- 122 Places in categories
123 Flip one's lid
124 Plant with prickly leaves

DOWN

- 1 Hot bar food
2 Roman love
3 Fat avoider Jack
4 Sage, e.g.
5 Items of food
6 Closes tightly again
7 Suburb of D.C. in Maryland
8 "Am — late?"
9 Cries weakly
10 In a ribald way
11 —Kosh
12 Notice
13 Phone button abbr.
14 Novel kind
15 Not absent
16 "— Gang"
17 River to the Rhone
18 Stairway post
19 Low cards
25 Banjoist Clark
27 Genetic helix
33 More cheeky
34 Stuff in sand
36 "Humbug!"
- 37 Avian creature
38 Boise's home
40 1960s Jaguar model
41 Team booster
42 Actress Longoria
43 Sea, to Gigi
45 "— longa ..."
46 Vexes
47 Flee to wed
48 Sediments
49 Writer T.S.
51 Showed rage
52 UFO fliers
56 "— Andronicus" (Shakespeare play)
57 Locomotive supporter
59 Singer Bob
60 Yank
62 Actress West
63 "I'm here to help"
64 Bit of artifice
65 Join, as a table
66 Peak in W. Turkey
67 Happy as —
68 Fish eggs
69 Run out on
72 Tube lover's punishment
73 57-Down vehicles
74 De-feathers
75 Prior to, poetically
- 78 Team booster
79 Exercise in a pool
80 Long time
81 Leicester lav
82 WWII prez
84 Recoil from
85 Multivolume Brit. lexicon
89 Dawber of "Mork & Mindy"
90 Amazon Kindle, e.g.
91 Dodgers
92 Recuperation by lying down
93 Asian monkey
97 Natural gift
98 Rival of Sony
99 In — (not just sleeping)
100 Big couches
101 Many future kings
102 Long time
103 Tubular pasta
105 Edicts
106 Esther of "Good Times"
107 Photographer Adams
110 Creative work
112 Cl doubled
113 Big brass instrument
115 Sarge, e.g.
116 Sports org. with skaters
117 Scooby- —

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