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A crowd enjoys the Cape Charles beach on Monday, Aug. 14. Suspected human bones recently have been found there.

Suspected human bones found on town beach

BY TED SHOCKLEY

Eastern Shore Post

Jennifer Wootten, of Accomack County, was enjoying a day at the Cape Charles beach on Saturday, Aug. 5, when she decided to take a walk.

She felt something under her

foot and thought she stepped on a seashell.

"I reached down and grabbed it, and it wasn't a shell," said Wootten, who lives in Harborton.

It was a bone with a tooth in it, and Wootten initially thought it might have belonged to an animal.

But she found an online photo of a human jawbone and found an eerie match — and it sure didn't seem like an animal bone.

She was further startled when a town police officer told her that another suspected human bone had

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EDUCATION

New school leaders see salary hikes

Vehicle, cellular phone perks also given superintendents

BY CLARA VAUGHN

Eastern Shore Post

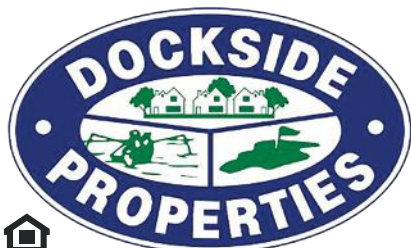
Accomack County Public Schools' new superintendent, Rhonda Hall, started the position earning \$176,981 annually, a 7% increase over the previous superintendent's salary of \$165,403.

Northampton County Public Schools Superintendent Lisa Martin started the position last school year with a base salary of \$140,000, plus a 6% increase because she holds a doctorate degree, making her starting salary \$148,400.

Martin's salary was a 3.7% raise over the previous superintendent's salary of \$143,100, which included the same 6% increase.

Martin began her role as superintendent mid-school year and her salary for the

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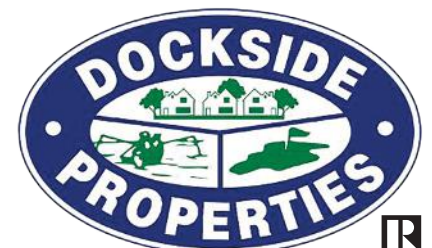
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Chincoteague Police announce poker run

The Chincoteague Police Department will be holding its 19th annual Poker Run on Saturday, Sept. 9.

Registration is from 9 to 11 a.m. at Rommel's Harley-Davidson Delmarva at 2410 N. Salisbury Blvd., Salisbury, Md.

The second stop is Tall Tales Taphouse in Pittsville, Md.; the third stop is Oaked 110 Brewery in Snow Hill, Md.; the fourth stop is the Harbor's End Restaurant in Greenback-

ville, and the fifth and final stop is Don's Seafood Restaurant on Chincoteague Island.

The last bike out is at 11 a.m.

The block party in downtown Chincoteague will include music by the band Front Page News.

There will be a 3 p.m. live auction with local decoys, gift certificates, pieces of artwork, and more.

Registration is \$35 per person and includes food, a T-shirt, a 2023 pin, the poker hand, and door prizes.

People who would like to donate door prizes or have questions should call 757-336-3155.

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Accomack County Farm Bureau proudly announces the winners of the James N. Belote/ ACFB Agricultural Scholarships to Mr. Will Petka & Ms. Claire Holland

Will and Claire are both residents of Accomack County. Will plans on attending Virginia Tech to pursue a major in Crop and Soil Sciences and Claire will be attending Clemson to pursue a major in Agricultural Mechanization.

We wish them the best of luck this fall and for the years to come!

Accomack County Farm Bureau Board of Directors and Staff



From left are Ben Willis, Agency Manager, Will Petka, recipient, Rhonda and William, Will's parents.



From left are Matt Hickman, Board President, Claire Holland, recipient and Lori Holland, Claire's mother.

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57930: Charming 2BR/1BA rancher with Cozy living room leads to a functional eat-in kitchen. Large outbuilding & shed.

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57929: Stunning 3BR/2BA ranch-style home with open concept layout. Kitchen is a chef's dream!

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CHINCOTEAGUE - Price Reduction

57917: This 2+BR/3BA home offers comfort & functionality. Screened in porch overlooks the wooded backyard.

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PENDING

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57912: 3BR/2.5BA plus bonus room. Beautiful covered front porch that wraps around one side.

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57849: This 2BR/1BA Island cottage has update throughout. Exterior includes a concrete driveway, fenced yard, outside shower and shed.

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ONANCOCK

57925: This classic 4BR/2.5BA home comes with a double lot. Includes garage and a workshop with a carport.

\$245,000



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57494: Studio Condo offers attractive floor plan with pine hardwood floors and exposed brick. Deck with views of harbor.

\$290,000



NANDUA SHORES

57245: 3BR/2.5BA open floorplan with water views throughout. Vaulted ceilings, chef's kitchen and 2 bonus rooms.

\$499,000



CAPE CHARLES - WATERFRONT LOT

57105: Lakefront building lot in The Colony section of the custom home community of Bay Creek.

\$125,000

Accomack's Vargas files for District 9 school board seat

An Accomack County man who works as a software engineer has filed for election to the District 9 seat on the Accomack County School Board. The election is Nov. 7.

Alex Vargas, a resident of Belle Haven, said he has “a deeply rooted connection to the community and the schools that have shaped him.”

Vargas is an alumnus of Mary N. Smith Middle School and Nandua High School, where he was a member of the football, baseball, and wrestling teams.

His experiences in Accomack County schools have shaped his belief “that our local schools can and should be among the best in the state,” he said.

Vargas has a bachelor's degree in computer science from Christopher Newport University.

He said “critical thinking is a vital characteristic” in his role as se-



Alex Vargas

nior engineer at FuboTV, where he routinely breaks down problems involving complex systems and generates solutions.

He believes “this skill is essential to tackle the myriad of issues plaguing our schools, including declining graduation rates and the consequences of COVID-19 school closures.”

Beyond his professional endeavors, Vargas said he is a devout Christian and a musician, leading musical worship at Shore Presbyterian Church in Exmore.

As the father of two young daughters, Vargas said he is “acutely aware” of the crucial role schools play in shap-

ing the minds of future generations.

Having in mind the impressionability and innocence of young children, he “rejects hyper-sexualization and political indoctrination in the classroom.”

He emphasizes the need for leaders to champion the needs of our students.

Vargas said he envisions a school system that teaches learners to think critically and grow to become productive members of society.

He said he “dreams of a future where Accomack County schools aren't just maintaining the status quo, but are continuously striving to be the best in Virginia.”

Vargas said the school board needs to cast “an aspiring vision for the future and set specific objectives to achieve that vision.”

He said he vows to hold the administration accountable for shortfalls,

while also working to encourage and retain the best educators and administrators when they excel.

Vargas said he is committed to being a strong advocate for students and parents.

He seeks “to elevate the quality of our local education system, promising to serve with unwavering honesty, love of truth, and dedication to the community” he loves.

“I humbly ask for your support and your vote this Nov. 7.”

To contact Vargas regarding his candidacy for the Accomack County School Board representing District 9, email virginiavotesvargas@gmail.com

The Eastern Shore Post will print at no cost candidate announcements for county or state elections. The announcements should be no more than 450 words, are subject to editing, and may include a head-and-shoulders photograph. Free announcements will not be accepted after Oct. 1. Email announcements to editor@easternshorepost.com.

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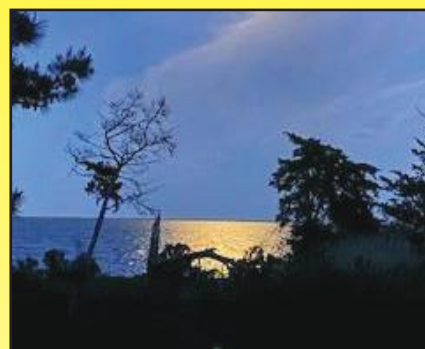


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Museum of Chincoteague schedules dinner cruise

The Museum of Chincoteague Island is having a fundraiser called the "Port of Call Dinner Cruise."

It will be held on Saturday, Sept. 30, and will depart from the Curtis Merritt Harbor of Refuge at the island's southern end.

The event will be a progressive dinner visiting different areas of Chincoteague Island and enjoying a variety of island cuisine.

Tickets are \$60 and parking is free.

Tickets are available at the Museum of Chincoteague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague Island. Call 757-336-6117.

Wachapreague sets town-wide yard sale

Wachapreague is planning a town-wide yard sale on Saturday, Oct. 7.

The event will run from 8 a.m. until

noon.

Those interested can sign up at the Wachapreague Post Office or Town Hall on or before Oct. 4 to be included in the yard sale map.

They can also sign up by email at town@wachapreague.org and put "yard sale" in the subject line.

Include a name, address, and contact information. Only the address will be made public for the event.

Elks Lodge Hog Bash slated for Sept. 23

The Onancock Elks Lodge is having its Hog Bash Harley-Davidson and cash giveaway on Saturday, Sept. 23, from noon until 4 p.m., at the lodge on 22454 Front St., Accomac.

Tickets are \$50 or four for \$180. Call 757-787-7750 for tickets.

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Q&A with ESCC Alum Carlens Jean



2021 ESCC graduate Carlens Jean

How did you make your way to the Eastern Shore of Virginia and how did you discover ESCC?

I was born and raised in Haiti and grew up in a close-knit family that cherished education and believed in the power of knowledge to unlock opportunities. My parents, driven by their commitment to my future, decided to apply for a chance to further my education in the land of dreams, the United States.

In June 2018, my father took me to ESCC to register for ESL classes. The campus of Eastern Shore Community College (ESCC) welcomed me with open arms, offering a safe haven for my aspirations. ESCC quickly became my beacon of hope, a place where I could nurture my dreams and ambitions.

What were your interests growing up? Did they align with your interests now?

Growing up in Haiti I always had a passion for teaching, so I began tutoring local children to help provide them with the tools to build brighter futures. I was so inspired by witnessing their growth, the spark of understanding in their eyes, and the impact of knowledge on their lives.

As I honed my skills as a tutor, I saw many health challenges that my students faced such as limited

access to healthcare, lack of proper nutrition, and inadequate living conditions. I realized that my passion for education could be merged with my deepening interest in medicine to create a powerful force for positive change.

Tell us about some of the challenges that ESCC helped you overcome.

English was my biggest barrier. My ESL instructors and their available resources helped me to learn quickly. I was so fortunate to have those wonderful people who always believed in me and set high expectations for me. From ESL to GED to earning my Associates Degree, the support that I received at ESCC was incredible.

Can you describe some of the individuals who were most influential and helpful at ESCC?

Everyone at ESCC had a great influence on my success, but I want to specifically mention Ms. Deborah Hennel (my GED instructor) who always called me Dr. Carlens. She gave me the necessary resources to pass my GED test as fast as possible. My advisor and chemistry professor, Mrs. Sandra Thornton, wrote me great letters of recommendation and helped me to get into Florida International University Honors College with the transfer of a Bright Futures Scholarship. My advisor Dr. Foxworthy was exceptional. He saw in me something I could not see myself. He fueled my passion for science and helped me navigate classes while I was working full-time. He also got me an internship at UVA's Coastal Research Center in Oyster and another internship at ODU with a summer research program.

Describe your path at ESCC and since you graduated.

I tell people that I am an ESCC triple alumni! At Eastern Shore Community College, I learned

English, earned my GED, then my Associate of Arts and Sciences degree. I transferred to Florida International University (Honors College) where I received my BA in chemistry in the Pre-Med track. I am currently doing research at Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine in the department of immunology and nanomedicine lab and preparing to go to Kansas City University Medical School for the next step on my journey.

What advice would you give students on shaping their own future?

Don't be afraid to step out of your comfort zone. Taking calculated risks allows for growth and can lead to unexpected opportunities and experiences.

Be prepared for challenges and setbacks. Success often involves overcoming obstacles. Maintain a resilient attitude and keep moving forward.

Lastly, be patient: achieving your desired future might take time. Be patient and trust the process. Overnight success is rare, and consistent effort is key.



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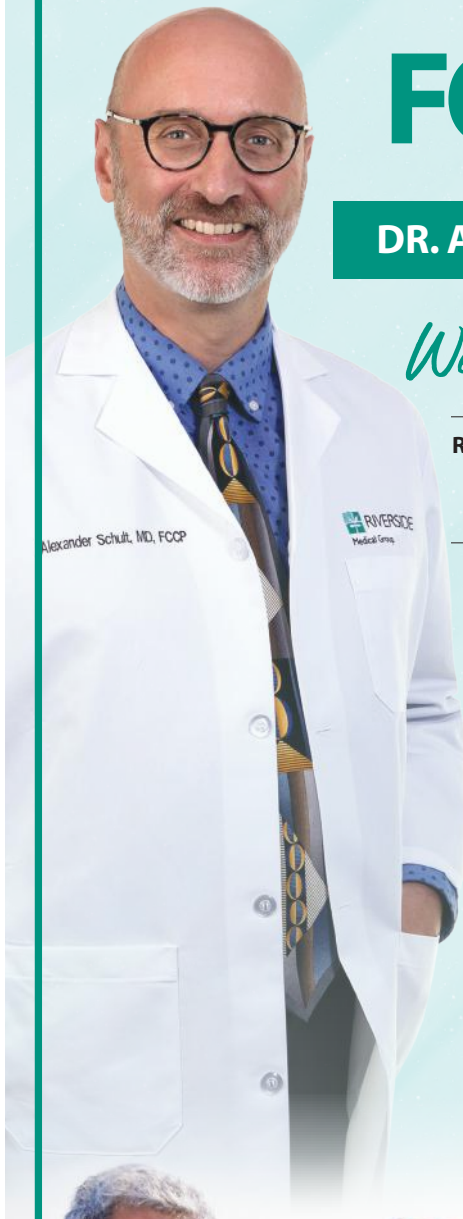
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It will be held at the Historic Palace Theatre in Cape Charles.

It is sponsored by Arts Enter and Chesapeake Properties.

Admission is free. Call 757-285-5797 for more information.

Sunday of Hope planed for Cheriton

The 10th annual Sunday of Hope, a special service of music and encouragement to celebrate hope in the fight against cancer, will be held at Cheriton United Methodist Church, 21309 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton.

It will begin at 6 p.m. on Aug. 20.

Donated luminaria will brighten the

church in honor or memory of those of have or have had cancer.

The luminaria will also be used on the track at the Relay for Life event in September.

Wor-Wic announces dean's list from Shore

Wor-Wic Community College in Salisbury, Md., has announced its spring dean's list.

A total of 395 Wor-Wic students have been recognized for superior performance by being named to the dean's list for the recently completed spring term.

Area students who maintained a grade point average of 3.5 or higher while taking six or more credit hours during the spring term include:

Chincoteague's Natalie Parks; Greenbackville's Alonzo Davis and Emily Pride; Greenbush's Tiffiney Dennis, and Tangier's Pamela Pruitt.

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6:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 24, 2023
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Mind your signs: Some local election signs violate law

Campaigning for the Nov. 7 local elections has just begun, but already there are Eastern Shore of Virginia campaign signs that are in violation of the state code.

The problem? The candidates' election signs did not specify who paid for the sign.

Somewhere on the signs should be the following: "Paid for by," or "Authorized by," followed by the name of the candidate or group footing the bill for it. That requirement is missing on several area signs.

It seems like a pretty simple edict to follow. Not complying seems like more than just an oversight.

How can candidates be trusted with the public's business if they can't follow rather simple laws ensuring political signage transparency?

Is that a strong reaction to a minor offense? Probably. But during election time we are inundated with all manner of campaign advertising. The Stand By Your Ad requirement — the tagline specifying who funded the advertisement — is ubiquitous. It should be top of mind for any political office aspirant.

The problem, of course, is not limited to the Eastern Shore. The Virginia Department of Elections website includes several ways of reporting alleged violations. Those candidates who did not follow the signage rules could be assessed a civil penalty. That's certainly not what anybody wants.

What we'd rather see is many candidates having an earnest discussion of the issues. We want an airing of thoughtful ideas on how to improve Eastern Shore life.

We want people who have been sitting on the sidelines deciding to get involved with our county governments.

And when they do, we want them to follow state laws when making campaign signage.

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In Accomack, need instruction, not construction

To the editor:

The call to action is "Save our school" in the town of Accomack.

What about "Save our school children?"

The Accomack County School Board has set aside \$6 million to save the former Accomack Primary School — not for instruction but for a school board palace.

It's a sad state of affairs when teachers must start an online fundraising page to get money for classroom supplies.

The members of the school board should be ashamed of themselves.

Where are their priorities? Sounds to me like we have a group of people on the school board who have lost their way.

Instruction, not construction, is what educates our children.

Ken Tucker
Lee Mont

Guest columns and letters

The Eastern Shore Post welcomes your letters and guest columns.

Letters and columns must include a phone number and a town of residence for verification.

They must not have been submitted to or published by any other media.

Letters and guest columns may be edited. It is preferred that letters and guest columns refer to Eastern Shore Post content or Eastern Shore of Virginia issues.

No more than one letter or column per person will be printed during a 90-day period.

Health Center Week highlights community

To the editor:

Eastern Shore Rural Health celebrated National Health Center Week the week of Aug. 6.

This week highlights the commitment and passion of community health center staff, board members, and supporters who make it possible to provide quality, comprehensive healthcare services to more than 30 million patients across 14,500 communities annually.

I would like to thank all those who participated in the health fairs at Rural Health centers, especially our community partners who came to share important information with Shore citizens.

I am grateful to our partners and thankful to be part of such a caring community.

Jeannette Edwards
Chief Executive Officer
Eastern Shore
Rural Health System, Inc.
Onancock

Onancock pavilion is a 'boondoggle'

To the editor:

The Historic Onancock School is first and foremost an art center that rents studio space for a variety of artists working in various art forms.

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Letters

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So when the Friends of Onancock School (FOS) announced its intention to build a performance pavilion on the school property, people naturally envisioned a concert shell showcasing local musicians and their art.

This is clearly not the case, as they revealed in a neighborhood meeting last December, when they promoted the project as a means of generating much-needed money for repairs and improvements to the school building. In fact, this is a commercial project and it's about money, not art.

Onancock Mayor Fletcher Fosque and a majority of the town council seem to be determined to see this facility built, likely seeing it as a solution to the millions of dollars needed for repairs to the school, which the town owns, and a way to get this monkey off their backs.

Putting aside the issue of whether the FOS has the funds in hand to build the pavilion, (they say they do, but in their notes from an October meeting speak of the need to raise between \$650,000 and \$750,000 for the project) the real financial questions arise from their projections for profit from the events held at the facility.

Their five-year operating plan provides for eight events in year one, 10 in year two, and 20 in years three, four, and five.

Their financial projections are

based on ticket prices averaging over \$42 in the first year and topping \$54 in the fifth year and audience sizes ranging from 300 to 600 people per performance.

These are steep prices for a chance to sit on a blanket or the lawn chair you bring with you, just a few yards from a salt marsh, where lots of our notorious Eastern Shore mosquitoes breed.

Ticketmaster's 2014 Live Event Attendee Study found that almost 80% of concertgoers were between the ages of 18 to 54. In Accomack County (population 33,388 in 2021) around 15,000 people fall into that age demographic.

With a median income of just \$50,600 at least half of this group are living from paycheck to paycheck, and a ticket of \$40 or more is simply out of reach.

With this in mind, the HOS projections call for selling 8,800 tickets per year in years three and four and 10,500 tickets in year five.

Assuming that half of residents potentially have the discretionary income, FOS expects to sell at least one ticket to every one of them.

And don't expect the tourists to save the day. Cape Charles has a lively summer population. Chincoteague has a lively summer population. Onancock? Not so much.

If the mayor and town council would take off their rose-colored glasses, they would see this project for what it is: a boondoggle that will raise no funds for the school, and ultimately will end up costing the taxpayers of Onancock.

Those of us who live in the confines of the Town of Onancock pay a hefty premium in the form of additional real estate and personal property taxes. Is it too much to ask for our elected officials to protect their constituents from pie-in-the-sky projects that will ultimately end up as another millstone around the town's neck?

Don Ruthig
Onancock

Newspaper was part of a nice visit to the Shore

To the editor:

My family just recently vacationed at Chincoteague Island. It was our first trip to the Eastern Shore and I left with the conclusion that it is one of my new favorite places.

I loved the lack of development and commercialization and also the local feel. Going into the grocery store was like going back in time. It was refreshing to not have the aggravating and impersonal experience of a "self-checkout."

We thoroughly enjoyed our vacation — went to the beach, saw the ponies, took a kayak tour, had delicious local seafood, and even saw a spaceship get launched from Wallops!

On a rainy day, we all headed out to the Island Creamery, where I discovered a new ice cream flavor called Pony

racks.

On the way out the door, I picked up a newspaper. It was the Aug. 4 edition of the Eastern Shore Post.

It did not take long to notice that this was a different sort of newspaper. It was overwhelmingly positive, practical, and rather enjoyable.

For the last few months, I have taken a break from making the news the daily air I breathe.

I tune in briefly most mornings for a quick glance at the headlines and then move on with the day.

Somewhere in the book "Walden," Thoreau writes that he could come back after a 10-year hiatus and write the news almost word for word, apart from having to update the names of the main characters.

In your paper, I learned about what seems like a rich, vibrant community among the counties of the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

I also learned of a farmers' market on Church Street that we visited on Saturday morning.

And, to boot, I found a crossword that was challenging enough to last me until today.

Thank you for being a refreshing exception to "the great cataract of nonsense that pours from the press and the microphone of [our] own age." (From C.S. Lewis, "Learning In War Time.")

Todd Milton
Appomattox

Accomack County Republicans to meet

The Accomack County Republican Party will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, Aug. 21, at 7 p.m., at the Sage Diner in Onley.

For more information contact Chairman Sam Sellard at 757-709-8252.

Outdoor movie slated for Onancock

The Roseland Cinema and Entertainment Center will have an outside movie on Saturday, Aug. 26, beginning

at 7:30 p.m., at the Historic Onancock School.

The movie is "Toy Story 4." There will be free popcorn, and Kookie Momster will be onsite with treats for purchase.

It is supported by the Onancock Business and Civic Association, Historic Onancock School, and other donors.

Eastern Shore Art League Member Show is set

The Eastern Shore Art League will have its Member Show and Sale from Aug. 30 through Nov. 20.

It will be held at the Historic Onancock School, 6 College Ave., Onancock.

The event is free and open to the public. Local artist Danny Doughty will award Ribbons of Merit.

Visit www.esartleague.com

Town of Accomac sets paper-shredding

The town of Accomac will be having a free paper-shredding event on Saturday, Sept. 9, from 9 a.m. until noon.

It will be held at the Accomac Town Office, 23367 Front St., Accomac.

The machine will not shred metal three-ring binders. All wire must be removed from notebooks.

Saxis benefit dinner scheduled on Sept. 22

The Saxis Volunteer Fire and Rescue Company will have a pork barbecue and clam fritter fundraiser dinner on Friday, Sept. 22, beginning at 5 p.m. Food will be served while it lasts.

It will be held at the Saxis Fire Hall, 8337 Free School Lane, Saxis.

The \$15 platters include a choice of barbecue or clam fritter, a roll, baked beans, potato salad, coleslaw, and a beverage.

Desserts will be sold.

The pork is donated by Whiteraven's Nest on Chincoteague Island.

ENTERTAINMENT

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Friday, August 18

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

■ **STREET PARTY:** 5 to 8 p.m., “Strawberry Jam,” Strawberry Street party in Cape Charles. Cash bar, free live music.

■ **BOOK SALE:** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Friends of the Cape Charles Memorial Library will be continuing monthly summer book sales to benefit the library. At the August sale, the group will be accepting donations of books, copyrighted in the last 10 years only, to be sold at future sales.

■ **MEETING:** 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Serenity Hour Al-Anon Family Group, Christ United Methodist Church, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague.

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 8 p.m., “Fully Committed” at the North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. All tickets are reserved seating. Tickets can only be purchased online, or, as available, at the door prior to each performance. Please check for ticket availability and other information at the box office telephone number, 757-787-2050. The box office will open 1 hour before each performance. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students.

Saturday, August 19

■ **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.

■ **MEETING:** 11:30 a.m., the newest American Legion Riders chapter is becoming a part of American Legion Post 100 in Parksley. The Legion Post is located at

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.

18483 Dunne Ave., Parksley. The American Legion Riders is a program of the American Legion. Membership is open only to members of The American Legion, The American Legion Auxiliary, and The Sons of The American Legion. Members must own and ride motorcycles and maintain active membership within The American Legion family. For more information, call 757-894-0219.

■ **EVENT:** 4 to 8 p.m., Crab Crackin’ at Ker Place, 69 Market St., Onancock, with music by Nature’s Child. Steamed crabs, barbecue, beer and wine for sale. Admission is \$75. Get tickets at www.shorehistory.com

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6:30 p.m., Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church Street. Reagan Kent, Ellie Conser, and Heather Blake perform country, folk, rock, classical and popular music, show tunes, ballads, and their original songs. \$5 for adults, \$2 for children 12 and younger. Visit ChincoteagueCA.org

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Sunday, August 20

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 2:30 p.m., “Fully Committed” at the North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. All tickets are reserved seating. Tickets can only be purchased online, or, as available, at

the door prior to each performance. Please check for ticket availability and other information at the box office telephone number, 757-787-2050. The box office will open 1 hour before each performance. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students.

Monday, August 21

■ **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.

■ **MOVIE:** 7:45 p.m. (begins at dusk), Robert Reed Downtown Waterfront Park, Chincoteague, free showing of showing of “The Producers” (2005, PG-13). Bring a chair or blanket. Sponsored by the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance. Visit ChincoteagueCA.org

Tuesday, August 22

■ **MEETING:** 9 to 10 a.m., Chincoteague Al-Anon Family Group, Christ United Methodist Church, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague.

■ **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.

■ **MEETING:** 6 to 7 p.m., Macedonia A.M.E. Church, Accomac, will have an interest meeting for an after-school program for ages 6 to 15. The meeting will provide information for families including a program overview, how to apply, and other information. The program also is seeking volunteers. The after-school program, called First Fruits, will provide arts, literacy, and

spiritual development programming.

Wednesday, August 23

■ **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.

■ **OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS:** 10:30 a.m. each Wednesday. Problems with overeating, undereating, bulimia, or binge eating? Meets at Rock Church, 27112 Lankford Highway, Onley. Get meeting info by calling 757-999-6771 or 302-362-5886.

■ **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.

■ **SPEAKER:** 7 p.m., M.K. Miles gives a demonstration of the new Miles Files Eastern Shore genealogy site at the Cape Charles Museum’s “Let’s Talk Cape Charles Culture” series. Admission is \$7.50. Held at the Cape Charles Museum, 814 Randolph Ave., Cape Charles.

Thursday, August 24

■ **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

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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.

Friday, August 25

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

■ HOT DOG BENEFIT: 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., hot dog cart at No Limits Eastern Shore, 24546 Coastal Blvd., Tasley. No Limits Eastern Shore is a private nonprofit brain injury services provider.

■ STREET PARTY: 5 to 8 p.m., “Strawberry Jam,” Strawberry Street party in Cape Charles. Cash bar, free live music.

■ MEETING: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Serenity Hour Al-Anon Family Group, Christ United Methodist Church, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague.

■ STORYTELLING: 6:30 p.m., at Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. This month’s theme: “Family Traditions.” Share a story or come to listen. Free admission, cash bar. ChincoteagueCA.org

Saturday, August 26

■ 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.

Monday, August 28

■ 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.

■ COMMUNITY BINGO, Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church Street. 1-3 pm. \$5 per card to play. Co-sponsored by CCA and Island Community House.

Tuesday, August 29

■ 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.

■ MEETING: 9 to 10 a.m., Chincoteague Al-Anon Family Group, Christ United Methodist Church, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague.

Wednesday, August 30

■ 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

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

Thursday, August 31

■ 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., “Lime Green,” at Pocomoke City Concerts in the Park at Cypress Park, 7 Bridge St. Picnic dinners and lawn chairs are welcome.

Friday, September 1

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

■ MEETING: 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., Serenity Hour Al-Anon Family Group, Christ United Methodist Church, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague.

Saturday, September 2

■ 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.

■ GIVEAWAY: 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., there

will be a free back-to-school giveaway at Arcadia High School. There will be free school supplies and backpacks. It is presented by Mentoring our Men. Call 443-493-0049.

Monday, September 4

■ 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, September 5

■ 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.

■ MEETING: 9 to 10 a.m., Chincoteague Al-Anon Family Group, Christ United Methodist Church, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague.

Wednesday, September 6

■ 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 Ron Cole. Free admission and parking. Visit www.chincoteagueca.org

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OBITUARIES

Eastern Shore Post

Terri Shook

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the loss of **Mrs. Teresa (Terri) Shook**, 62, on Sunday, Aug. 6, 2023. Terri was born and raised in the great-



er Chicago area but called Exmore home. She earned her nursing degree from Bradley University and immediately set out to serve others.

Mrs. Shook

Terri lived a fulfilling life as a loving mother and *babcia*, a loyal sister and aunt, and as a dedicated hospice nurse providing comfort, care, and solace to the Eastern Shore community for over 20 years.

She is preceded in death by her wife, Debbie Chandler. Terri is survived by her son, Nate Shook, and his wife, Harper, and their son, Liam; as well as her brother, Paul Bomba, and his wife, Kim, and their sons, Matthew and Tyler.

A celebration of life service was held Saturday, Aug. 12, 2023 at 9 a.m. at Doughty Funeral Home. A reception followed at 10:30 a.m. at The Exmore Social Hall to celebrate her love of life and service. Inurnment was private at Red Bank Baptist Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Riverside Shore Hospice, P.O. Box 615, Onley, VA 23418.

Na zdrowie!

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

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

**Envíenos
los obituarios
de sus
queridos fallecidos.
Mande un correo a
ryan@easternshorepost.com**

Jimmie Eckard

Retired Lt. Col. Jimmie Ronald Eckard, 88, of Parksley, passed away on Saturday, July 22, 2023. He was born in Charlotte, N.C. on Sept. 24, 1934, to the late Oscar Paul and Janie Idelle (Smith) Eckard.



Mr. Eckard

Jimmie attended Thomasboro School through the 11th grade and graduated second in his class from West Mecklenburg High School in 1952. He then attended and graduated from North Carolina State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in chemical engineering in 1958 and a Master of Public Affairs in 1981. He remained a huge NC State fan throughout his life and supported the University through the Alumni Association and serving as a scholarship advisor.

After graduation Jimmie joined the U.S. Army. He served two tours in Vietnam and was awarded the Bronze Star with Clusters and attained the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. Everywhere he was stationed, he became an active member of the community and the local United Methodist Church. He retired in 1978 and later moved back to his hometown, Charlotte, N.C. Jimmie became a farmer, and for 20 years, ran an apple and peach orchard with over 400 trees.

Following retirement from the orchard business in 2000, Jimmie and Nellie moved to the Eastern Shore of Virginia and became loyal members of Grace United Methodist Church in Parksley, transferring membership from Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church in Charlotte.

Once again, he became an active member of his Parksley community. He enjoyed the daily "Coffee Club"

at the Club Car Café, followed by his rounds to greet Post Office workers then bringing mail by the church. He greeted and had a friendly word for everyone he saw, often sharing photos of his grandchildren and great-grandchildren during conversation. He will be missed by church members, bank tellers, clerks at Jaxon's, waitresses in every restaurant, and many others in the community.

Jimmie is predeceased by his wife, Nellie Eckard, to whom he was married for over 61 years; sister, Nancy Eckard, of Charlotte, N.C.; and daughter, Amy Eckard, of Temperanceville.

He is survived by two children, Karl Eckard, of Charlotte, and Kathie Eckard Herrera (Juan), of Gainesville, Fla.; three grandchildren, Thomas Herrera (Cristi), Joseph Herrera (Megan), and Caroline Herrera; and five great-grandchildren, Sofia, Nico, Max, Joseph, and Oliver.

A funeral service will be held at Grace United Methodist Church, in Parksley, on Saturday, Aug. 26, 2023, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Bill McClung officiating.

A funeral service will also be conducted from the chapel at Forest Lawn West Cemetery, in Charlotte, on Saturday, Sept. 2, 2023, at 11 a.m., with the Rev. Daniel Wilson officiating. Interment will follow.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements are by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Rose Moore

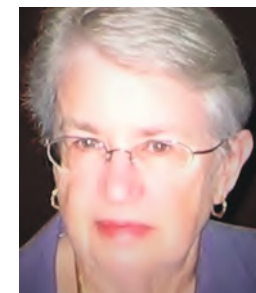
In the early morning of Aug. 10, 2023, **Mrs. Rose Moore's** long struggle came to an end, about a week before her 62nd wedding anniversary to Frank Moore and almost two months after her 85th birthday. Rose valiantly fought Parkinson's Disease for more than 15 years.

After their sons, Vincent and Brian, finished high school, she decided she would go to college, too. Upon grad-

uating at the top of her class at Eastern Shore Community College, she and Frank made a temporary, year-long assignment move to Greenbelt, Md., where she enrolled at the University of Maryland, College Park, majoring in biology and getting top grades in classes with students less than half her age.

Upon returning to the Shore, she completed her biology degree at Salisbury University and was inducted into the Beta Beta Beta Biological Honor Society.

Rose was then employed as a temp by the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service at the Chincoteague National Wildlife Ref-



Mrs. Moore

uge, doing wildlife walks and environmental education activities for visitors. Subsequently, she obtained permanent employment with Accomack County Cooperative Extension and the Eastern Shore Soil and Water Conservation District, where she mentored Accomack's Envirothon teams as the S&WCD education director.

In her "spare" time, when she wasn't at work or caring for her orchids, making quilts, gardening, canning, buying and selling items for her "Pasttimes" antiques and collectibles booth, etc., she managed to write "Among Friends - Recipes and Reminiscences of a West Virginia Family," which was sold at the Tamarack Cultural Center in Beckley, W.Va. The title was a play on her maiden name of "Friend."

Rose was born and grew up in Ivydale, W.Va., and upon graduating from Clay County High School, moved to Williamsburg, where her brother, Art, and his wife, Merida, were living. She was employed as a secretary in the architectural department at Colonial Williamsburg (CW).

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Several years later, when the new Dow Chemical plant in adjoining James City County opened, she became a secretary in their public relations department. That's where she met Frank, a college student who was working as a lab technician on swing shift.

Not long after, Rose was recruited for the position as secretary to the head of the architectural department back at CW. She readily accepted the promotion but took a lot of good-natured ribbing from her CW colleagues that she went to Dow "to find a man."

Rose and Frank were married on Aug. 19, 1961, in Charleston, W.Va., as Frank began his senior year. Upon his graduation from VCU, a pregnant Rose accompanied Frank to Hampton, where he went to work for NASA Langley Research Center.

Their first son, F. Vincent Jr., was born on Nov. 13, 1962, followed 19 months later by their second son, Brian, on June 21, 1964, one day after Rose's 24th birthday, and which that year also happened to be Father's Day. Rose was always the consummate planner!

As the daughter of Levy and Clemmie (Rogers) Friend, Rose (Ann Rosalie) was predeceased by her four older brothers, Eugene, Clyde, Lewis, and Arthur; and a younger sister, Linda.

Rose is survived by her husband, Frank; sons, Vincent and Brian; daughter-in-law Susan; granddaughters, Lauren and Meghan (Smith); the mother of her great-grandson, Oliver; and grandsons, Johnathan and Michael.

A service to celebrate Rose's life will be announced at a later date.

Should friends desire, contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to the Eastern Shore Community College Foundation, 29316 Lankford Highway, Melfa, VA 23410 or online at <https://tinyurl.com/5n5tvu3m> or to the Parkinson's Foundation, 200 SE 1st St., Suite 800, Miami, FL 33131 <https://parkinson.org>

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Annette Hinmon

Ms. Annette Hinmon, 64, affectionately known as "Red," was born on Sept. 17, 1958, to the late Eugene Milburn and Bernice Holden. She departed this life on Aug. 5, 2023, at home with her family after a lingering illness.



Ms. Hinmon

Annette was educated in the public schools of Accomack County, where she was a proud member of the Class of 1976 at Atlantic

High School.

She accepted Jesus Christ as her savior at an early age and over the years held memberships at First Baptist Church in Mappsville and St. John Independent Church in Messongo.

Annette was employed in the poultry industry for 46 years, working 12 years at Holly Farms Inc. and 34 years at Perdue until her health failed.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, Aug. 12, 2023 from St. John's U.M. Church, Atlantic, with the Rev. Brenda Peterson officiating. Interment was in the Groton Community Cemetery, Messongo.

Left to cherish fond memories are: two daughters, Portia Hinmon and Latonya Hinmon; two special daughters, Shaletta "Lett" Dickerson and Kymberly Tiller; two brothers, Craig Holden and Barry Broughton; granddaughter, Jordyn Hinmon; special grandson, Cameron Shrieves; special granddaughter, Aliyah Tiller; five nieces; two nephews; 10 sister friends; and a great host of special friends and family.

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

Craig Satchell

Mr. Craig Corneil Satchell Sr., 60, was born on March 28, 1963, to the late Robert L. & Jean E. Shrieves. He departed this life on July 30, 2023, at ChristianaCare Christiana Hospital in Newark, Del., after a chronic illness.

Craig, affectionately known as "Satch," grew up on the Eastern Shore of Virginia. At an early age, he accepted Christ as his savior and became a

member of Shiloh Baptist Church in Pungoteague.

He attended schools in the Accomack County Public School system. Upon graduating in 1981, he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force, where he served for 25 years. He returned home to marry his high school sweetheart, the former Tammy Marie Ames. They enjoyed 41 years of marital bliss.



Mr. Satchell

Craig matriculated through the Air Force ranks reaching Master Sergeant status. During his military career, he was fortunate to serve in many places overseas. He later decided to move closer to home and was stationed at Dover Air Force Base in Dover, Del. There he served as the superintendent of information technology at the airforce base's hospital, where his knack for technology led to him developing software for several departments on base. Craig's tenure in Dover began in December 1992 and ended with his retirement in February 2007.

After retirement Craig acquired a position with EMW on the Naval Base in Portsmouth as a database manager. With experience in information technology, woodworking, graphic design, and printing, Craig was determined to become an entrepreneur, so he started his own business "SatchCraft" in 2020.

Craig leaves behind to cherish his memories: a loving wife, Tammy; three children, Cranae, Craig Jr., and Camron; granddaughter, Tamera; father- and mother-in-law, Milton and Margaret Drummond; maternal siblings, Muriel Copening, and Adrian Shrieves; paternal siblings, Jacqueline Powell-Caswell, Yvette Ayres, Yolanda Ricks, Stacey Atkins, John Hack Jr., Patricia Dickerson, Jeffrey Hallett, Demitris Hallett, Travis and Dwight Hallett, and Alterick Wilson; three uncles; five aunts; two godsons, Gevon Major and Justin White; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

John Parks Jr.

Mr. John Lester "Jack" Parks Jr., 82, of Melfa, formerly of Parksley, passed away Saturday, Aug. 12, 2023, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital.

Born Jan. 14, 1941, in Nassawadox, he was the son of the late J. Lester Parks and Ethelyne Broughton



Mr. Parks

Parks, formerly of Exmore. A native of the Eastern Shore, he graduated from Northampton High School and received his Bachelor of Science degree in electrical engineering from Virginia Military Institute. Jack was a gifted mathematician and engineer who worked for NASA.

Following retirement from Wallops in 1996 after 34 years of service, he moved to Florida for a few years, contracting with the Federal Aviation Administration and the Eastern Range but later returned and supported Wallops once again as a contractor range safety specialist. Prior to his government retirement, he served many years as the head of the Ground and Flight Safety Section, and as range safety officer. Whether it was Scout, Pegasus, sounding rocket campaigns, balloons, or U.S. Navy missiles, Jack was the driving force behind defining a safe way, which allowed missions to be approved and conducted.

Jack always had a passion for Wallops and its work. He was always cool under pressure and a calming influence in the Range Control Center, always finding a way to pull a rabbit out of a hat that allowed him to give a "Go For Launch." He was also a leader in pushing Wallops to embrace new technology. He was a major influence in the development of Control Center computer systems and in the development of the first mobile range control center that enabled command-destruct launches worldwide, although he did often frustrate system developers for insisting on capabilities that went beyond core requirements. When asked if this was a requirement, he would say that it was more of a "desirement." NASA thinks he invented that word.

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It is no overstatement to say that Jack's "can-do" attitude was key to many customers selecting Wallops. They found his positive and practical safety approach appealing compared to other launch sites. He was an international leader in range safety policies, often called upon by other federal organizations and space agencies for guidance. Jack was also a mentor to many young engineers, some of whom are now leaders at Wallops. So many of the capabilities and programs at Wallops today are the result of Jack's work and influence.

In 2016 he received the Director's Achievement Award. Chosen directly by the director of NASA, Jack received this award for the many ways he influenced and improved range safety, not only for NASA but for the international space launch community. The director lauded his unique ability to always find a way to pull off a launch when anyone else would have stopped it; for pursuing and creating technology that changed range safety globally; and for being the foremost international authority on range safety, often being pursued by foreign countries to lend his expertise and advice to their launch programs. It was Jack's honor to devote his life to the passion he loved.

Jack was preceded in death by his loving wife of 38 years, Roxanna Marshall Parks; his parents, Lester and Ethelyne Parks; his son, Marshall Broughton Parks, formerly of Melfa; his brother, Randall "Randy" D. Parks, formerly of Smith Beach; and his sister, Marylyne P. Beyer, formerly of Charlotte, N.C.

Survivors include his two sons, John L. Parks III and wife Lisa, of Accomac, and David C. Parks and wife Tina, of Baltimore; his sister, Kay P. Trower and husband Pres, of Eastville; his grandson, David C. Parks Jr., of Exmore; and several cousins, nieces, nephews, extended family members, and many good friends.

Funeral services will be held at the Epworth United Methodist Church, 4158 Seaside Road, Exmore, on Friday, Aug. 18, 2023, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Mikang Kim officiating. Interment will be in the Parksley Cemetery.

When you think of Jack remember: When the view of possibility is obscured, look up — the sky lies open.

Memorial donations may be made to Epworth United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 488, Exmore, VA 23350.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Pungoteague Ruritan Club recently presented \$2,000 scholarships to Faith Johnson, Will Petka, and Kate Dunkle. The scholarships are based on academic achievement, extracurricular activities, and volunteer work in the community. Johnson, second from left, is the daughter of Blake and Martha Johnson and will be attending Virginia Tech, majoring in human nutrition, foods and exercise. Petka, third from left, is the son of Bill and Rhonda Petka and will be attending Virginia Tech, majoring in crop and soil science. Dunkle, unable to attend due to college orientation, is the daughter of Mark and Valerie Dunkle and will be attending the University of Virginia, majoring in architecture. All three recipients are graduates of Broadwater Academy. Pictured from left are Martha Johnson, Faith Johnson, Will Petka, Rhonda Petka, and Bill Mapp, scholarship chairman for the Pungoteague Ruritan Club.



JENNIFER WOOTTEN COURTESY PHOTO

This suspected human bone was found on Cape Charles beach on Aug. 5.

Suspected bones

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been found on the beach.

Cape Charles Police Chief Jim Pruitt acknowledged the Aug. 5 bone and said it had been sent to the Virginia Department of Forensic Science laboratory for identification.

"We found a bone and it's at the lab," Pruitt said.

He declined to make further comment, did not address the previous bone reportedly found, and did not return a follow-up phone call.

Town Manager John Hozey said he was not familiar with the issue and referred questions to Pruitt.

The Eastern Shore Post filed a Freedom of Information Act request with the town seeking police records involving human bones found within Cape Charles municipal limits.

Cape Charles' Chesapeake Bay beach is one of the town's premier amenities, drawing large crowds of visitors each day.

A representative of the forensic lab in Norfolk said it only released information to police officers and attorneys.

Wootten said she also was interested in the lab findings about the jawbone, which she found on the area of the beach near the statue of Neptune.

In retrospect, considering the likelihood that it came from a human, she said she felt squeamish about handling the jawbone.

"It had a molar in it," she said.

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Contracts

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2023-2024 school year is slated to be finalized later this month in a compensation addendum.

The superintendents' raises are on par with other school staff. Both school systems budgeted an average 7% increase for full-time employees this year, their financial officers said.

The Eastern Shore Post requested and received copies of contracts for both counties' superintendents, who the school boards appointed earlier this year.

In addition to their salaries, the contracts also give a glimpse of the perks offered to schools' chief executives, which include transportation and cellular phone benefits.

Both Hall and Martin served as assistant superintendents in their school systems before taking on the schools' chief roles. The school boards appointed both new superintendents; the boards did not interview other candidates for the job.

"Dr. Martin came with a significant amount of experience," said Northampton County School Board Chair Liz Jones.

Martin had been serving as acting superintendent after her predecessor, Jaime Cole, resigned unexpectedly after five months on the job.

The Accomack County School Board cited similar experience in its decision to appoint Hall as superintendent.

"Dr. Hall has proven her leadership. She has been with the (Accomack County) school system for 34 years," said Accomack School Board Chair Ronnie Holden.

Previous superintendent Chris Holland also recommended Hall for the position.

Hall had served as interim superintendent from April to July 2014 and in other roles in her longtime career in Accomack County schools.

Northampton County's previous superintendent resigned unexpectedly Dec. 1, 2022, after less than a half-year on the job.

On Dec. 8, 2022, the school board gave Martin a contract to serve as acting superintendent, Jones said. The board interviewed and hired Martin in

January for the superintendent position, she said.

"We were all confident that Dr. Martin was the right person to lead our district," Jones said.

The Northampton school board held interviews before appointing its previous superintendents, Cole and Eddie Lawrence, she said.

Martin signed a contract this Jan. 26 that extends through June 30, 2026.

Yearly salary increases for Martin's position are 2%, "or no less than the average increase approved by the (Northampton County School) Board for instructional personnel," according to the contract.

Martin's contract includes \$600 for a monthly automobile allowance, which allows "private purposes and travel required in the performance of her official duties."

It also provides cell phone service for the superintendent.

Martin oversees 303 full-time employees in the Northampton school system, which has 1,368 students at four schools, Jones said.

The school system passed a budget of nearly \$31 million for the 2023-2024 school year.

The Accomack school board announced Hall's appointment as superintendent June 21. Hall signed a contract June 20 that extends through June 30, 2027.

The previous superintendent interviewed for the position, at which time Hall had also interviewed, Holden said.

Her starting salary is \$176,981 and may be adjusted in future school years, according to the contract.

The contract also provides her with a vehicle for business use only and a cell phone for school-related business.

Hall oversees around 850 total full-time employees in the Accomack County school system, which has an average daily enrollment of 4,589 students at 11 schools, according to Accomack schools' Director of Finance Beth Onley.

The school system adopted an operating budget of almost \$65 million for the 2023-2024 school year, not including federal and state grants, she said.

County may nix permit required to have fun

Scofflaw music and festival organizers without necessary permit could face jail time

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will consider repealing a little-used law requiring organizers to apply for a special entertainment permit to hold music events and festivals during a public hearing next month.

Under the law, organizers must obtain a permit from the county before holding a gathering “for the purpose of listening to or participating in entertainment that consists primarily of musical renditions” outdoors and outside of incorporated town limits.

The rule aims to ensure “pub-

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with this.’**

**Donald Hart,
Accomack County
Board of Supervisors**

lic health, safety and general welfare of the citizens and inhabitants of the county,” but could carry heavy consequences.

Failing to apply for and receive a permit before holding such an event is a class 1 misdemeanor, according to county code, which could earn

out-of-compliance organizers up to 12 months in jail or a \$2,500 fine.

“That could happen unless we work on this ordinance,” said Board Chair Robert Crockett during the supervisors’ July meeting.

“I think we need to be very careful with this,” Supervisor Donald Hart said at the meeting.

Since the law was enacted several decades ago, only two organizers have applied for the permit, Accomack County Supervisor Mike Mason said. Both applications were this year.

The supervisors considered amending the rule during their meeting last month and continued the discussion during their meeting this week.

“Are we trying to create a solution when there’s no problem?” Crockett said during Wednesday’s meeting before the board proposed repealing the section of Accomack County code.

The supervisors plan to a public hearing on the proposed repeal of the rule on Wednesday, Sept. 20, at 6:30 p.m. in the Board Chambers of the Accomack County Administration Building, 23296 Courthouse Ave., in Accomac.

Members of the public are invited to comment on the proposed change during the hearing.

Visit <https://tinyurl.com/ye25rknr> to read Accomack County’s Musical or Entertainment Festivals ordinance.



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‘We’re accidental farmers’

A \$3-a-pound self-pick blueberry business continues a tasty Hacksneck tradition

BY CLARA VAUGHN

Eastern Shore Post

When Arlington residents Charles and Helene Danner bought property on Mason Beach Road, they were looking for a quiet spot on the water.

The Danners are now in their second year owning and running Mason Beach Farm, a pick-your-own blueberry business that became an Eastern Shore institution before closing its gates in 2017.

The farm is open for business, 8 a.m. to dusk, seven days a week.

“We’re accidental farmers,” said Helene Danner, a retired language teacher.

“We came here just with the intentions of retiring and enjoying the water,” said Charles Danner, who was a U.S. Air Force pilot.

When the COVID-19 pandemic hit, Charles Danner could no longer cross the border to visit the couple’s home in Canada, where Helene Danner is a dual citizen.

That lead them to Google Earth, where they found a farm tucked miles down the back roads of Hacksneck.

The Danners moved to the farm June 27, 2022, and reopened the pick-your-own blueberry business that July 6, a few days after the farm’s long-time caretaker visited.

“If it hadn’t been for Don, there wouldn’t be a blueberry farm,” Charles Danner said, referencing Don Fogle. “He convinced us that this would be something for the community to re-open.”

Three generations of locals have visited Mason Beach Farm, but the orchard dates back the 1960s, when Tom Byrne purchased the property and began planting blueberries “in a big



EASTERN SHORE POST/CLARA VAUGHN

Helene and Charles Danner hold an old sign from Mason Beach Farm, the pick-your-own blueberry business they reopened after moving to the farm last summer. The farm is open to visitors from 8 a.m. to dusk daily.

way,” Danner said.

Byrne brought several varieties of blueberries from South Carolina, including the farm’s well-known rabbit-eye berries. He also added pears, peaches, plums, and apples in or-

chards that still stand on the farm.

In 1999, George and Joyce Foster bought the property and ran the pick-your-own business until George Foster passed away in 2016. The farm closed to visitors the next year.

Though the Danners are not sure when Mason Beach Farm opened to the public, they said three generations of residents have shared their memories of visiting the farm.

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Charles Danner of Mason Beach Farm, referencing Don Fogle

Blueberries

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"It's a local tradition to come here," Charles Danner said.

Since re-opening the business last summer, the Danners have carried on the tradition of welcoming customers to pick their own blueberries while adding their own flair to the farm. They no longer use pesticides, and Charles Danner planted 100 blueberry seedlings last year.

He said he plans to add 500 more this year to grow the farm for future generations.

"It means that this thing will be available for the future. That's our plan – to turn this over to whoever comes next and continue the tradition, because it is a special place," he said.

"I think it's the best-kept secret on the Eastern Shore," Helene Danner said.

Mason Beach Farm is open daily from 8 a.m. to dusk for visitors to pick their own blueberries. A small shed by the parking area has buckets and bags to hold the fruit, as well as bug spray to use.

Guests should bring cash to pay for the \$3-a-pound berries, which they weigh and pay for in the shed. The Danners recommend wearing long sleeves to avoid the bugs and packing plenty of water.

Blueberries should be bountiful for a few more weeks, with smaller harvests typically available through Labor Day, they said.

Visit www.masonbeachfarm.com or search "Mason Beach Farm" on Facebook to learn more about the pick-your-own blueberry farm and check for updates on the blueberries or farm hours.

The farm is at 29113 Mason Beach Road, in Hacksneck.



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Helene Danner picks blueberries at Mason Beach Farm on Tuesday. She and her husband, Charles Danner, re-opened the pick-your-own blueberry farm when they moved there last summer. At left, rabbit-eye blueberries are ripe at Mason Beach Farm, in Hacksneck. The pick-your-own blueberry business is open daily from 8 a.m. to dusk and will have plenty of berries to pick for the next few weeks.

Late summer red drum run begins

Flounder and red drum action highlight the angling action over the last week.



Bill Hall

Flounder catches exceeding 8 pounds were recorded off Wachapreague and the lower Shore. The late summer run of large red drum in the Chesapeake Bay has started, with fish being

caught from Maryland waters south and the most consistent action occurring from the mouth of Occohannock Creek south to the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel.

Upper Shore

Flounder fishing on the seaside remains remarkably consistent for this late in the season, as the fish continue to be caught in decent numbers inside the inlets from the last hour of the incoming tide through the first hour of the outgoing tide, particularly in pockets of clear water. Top and bottom rigs baited with Berkley Gulp Swimming Mullet and a live minnow or frozen silverside have been the most consistent bait set-ups.

Flounder fishing on the inshore ocean wrecks are producing a more consistent size class of flounder, as well as gray triggerfish, sheepshead, black sea bass, and Spanish mackerel.

The offshore waters are producing yellowfin tuna, dolphin (mahi), and an occasional bigeye tuna. White and blue marlin releases have also been recently recorded.

Action in the upper Chesapeake Bay continues to be on the slow side as high water temperatures have produced lethargy in most of the bay's species. Bottom fishing is producing primarily panfish, such as spot and small croakers, with the occasional bluefish, flounder, and gray trout.

Black drum and sheepshead remain possibilities over rocky or shell-covered bottoms. One angling highlight has been the start of the late afternoon/early evening red drum bite.

Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul, aboard the charter vessel *Almost Persuaded*, confirmed that the flounder fishing bite remains "good," as long as there is clear water. Berkley Gulp and live minnows continue to be the most productive baits.

One flounder, caught inside the inlet last week, weighed an impressive 8 pounds, 8 ounces. Flounder action on the ocean wrecks also continues to be productive. Captain Paul said that blue water anglers were catching tuna and mahi mahi, with an occasional billfish, while deep droppers have been boating good numbers of tilefish.

Lower Shore

Dan Bell, at Oceans East-Eastern Shore described the cobia bite as "steady" over the week, even as the end of the season is in sight. Cobia are continuing to become more structurally oriented and can be found congregating around the pilings of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel, as well as around the lower bay and inshore ocean buoys. Anglers chumming and bottom fishing are still boating some



PHOTO COURTESY CAPTAIN STEVE'S BAIT & TACKLE

Caleb Rodgers caught and released this 47-inch red drum in the Chesapeake Bay.

keeper-sized fish.

Flounder fishing around the bridge-tunnel's third island and around the high-rise section was described as "good," with some of

the flatfish qualifying for citation awards.

The late evening red drum bite has been consistent, with the best action occurring after sunset.

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Fishing

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Schools of Spanish mackerel have been encountered on the south side of the bridge-tunnel, with the fish hitting fast-trolled Clark Spoons in the #0 and #00 sizes.

Closer to shore, speckled trout catches are starting to increase in Hungars Creek, while puppy drum are starting to be encountered in the shallow portions of the Ditch.

Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait and Tackle, began his report with the consistent flounder action occurring through the week, as anglers reported some larger fish along the bridge-tunnel and inside the Ditch.

Limits of flounder were reported for anglers drifting or slow trolling Berkley Gulp and cut bait. Spanish mackerel action inside the bay was described as "real good" for anglers trolling spoons behind planers from the Cabbage Patch north to the Cherrystone Reef.

Jeb reported that the cobia fishery has slowed, with anglers reporting seeing fish but not being able to get them to take a bait. He said that there should be an influx of fish migrating down from the upper bay as the season progresses.

The evening bite of trophy-sized red drum has begun off buoy 42, down to the waters around buoy 36. Anglers have registered release citations while using fresh chunks of spot and croaker for bait. Catches from the lower bay piers have included small croaker, spot, and rib-bonfish.

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.



PHOTO COURTESY BAILEY'S BAIT AND TACKLE

Sam Cook boated this 8-pound, 6-ounce flounder off the lower Shore.

Town of Accomac Public Notice

The Town Council of the Town of Accomac will conduct a Public Hearing beginning at **7:30 P.M. on Wednesday August 23, 2023**, at the Accomac Town Office, 23367 Front St., Accomac, VA for the purpose of receiving comments from the members of the public concerning the proposed town budget for fiscal year beginning September 1, 2023, and ending August 31, 2024. The following is a synopsis of the proposed budget for the fiscal year.

Estimated Revenue and other Sources for Year Ending August 31, 2024

Real Estate Tax	\$49,000.00
Other Local Tax	\$46,800.00
Interest Income	\$460.00
Reserves	\$13,385.00

Totals \$133,740.00

Proposed Expenditures for the Year Ending August 31, 2024

Waste Removal	\$50,000.00
General Government	\$28,475.00
Grants Expense	\$55,265.00

Totals \$133,740.00

Proposed Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Tax Levy:

Discontinuation of Personal Property Tax and Supplemental Taxes
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New initiative tries to protect menhaden

BY STEFANIE JACKSON

Eastern Shore Post

A new attempt is underway to protect the Chesapeake Bay from damaging fishing methods and over-harvesting of menhaden, a food source for fish like striped bass and birds like osprey.

Many Virginia and Maryland recreational fishermen claim menhaden are overfished because, over the last decade, they have witnessed the decline of populations of menhaden and the fish that feed on menhaden.

The public was alerted to the issue when thousands of dead fish — mostly menhaden — washed up on Eastern Shore beaches three times in July 2022.

Ocean Harvesters, a fishing company that works for Canadian-based corporation Omega Protein, claimed responsibility for two fish spills.

Local efforts to stop the fish spills through state regulation did not go as planned.

Recreational fishermen and other conservation-minded individuals banded together to advocate for a ban on menhaden reduction fishing in the Chesapeake Bay in Virginia. The practice is already banned in Maryland.

It's called reduction fishing because the menhaden are reduced to make products such as animal feed, bait, and fish oil health supplements.

Instead of an outright ban, a compromise was offered: prohibiting purse seine fishing — which involves a large net closing around fish like a purse — on the days before and the days of Memorial Day, Labor Day, and Independence Day.

The preceding days were chosen because one to three days typically pass before a dead fish rises to the surface and begins to float toward shore.

The proposal also included prohibiting purse seine fishing one nautical mile from shore, since net breaks are more likely to occur in shallow waters, and within one half-mile of either side of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel.



PHOTO COURTESY DEBBIE CAMPBELL

Dead menhaden wash up at Silver Beach last year.

In December 2002, the Virginia Marine Resources Commission approved a measure similar to the one proposed.

However, the approved measure was not an enforceable regulation but a memorandum of understanding between VMRC and the menhaden fishery — an agreement that is not necessarily legally binding.

The Southern Maryland Recreational Fishing Organization, a nonprofit with members in both Maryland and Virginia near the Chesapeake Bay, responded with a lawsuit.

The lawsuit contends that VMRC acted unlawfully when it “rubber-stamped” the new menhaden catch limit from the Atlantic Interstate Commission, which could actually increase the annual catch of menhaden by 21,000 metric tons.

Now additional action is underway, in the form of a petition to VMRC.

According to a press release, the petition was filed by Bill Dunn, “an avid fisherman who has lived on two of the major rivers off the Chesapeake Bay for most of

his life.”

Instead of focusing on the locations and dates when purse seine fishing is allowed, the petition targets the nets that catch the fish.

One purse seine net is 1,400 feet long, weighs 500 pounds, and extends as much as 60 feet deep into the bay.

Fishing in open waters using purse seine nets is “generally considered to be an efficient form of fishing” as long as the nets do not touch the bottom, according to the petition.

However, the purse seine nets are deeper than many of the areas of the Chesapeake Bay in which menhaden are fished.

When fishing in shallow waters, the large, heavy nets drag across the bay bottom, ripping up seagrass and other marine plants.

This practice also damages the nets, leading to tears and fish spills like one that happened on the Eastern Shore last summer.

The petition requests VMRC to reg-

ulate the use of purse seine nets in the shallow waters of the Chesapeake Bay.

Dunn suggested a regulation to VMRC: A purse seine net may be used only in waters at least 5 feet deeper than the net.

“We need to protect Virginia shorelines, and the striped bass and other species that depend on these fragile seagrass habitats, from what is a damaging method of harvest,” said Jaclyn Higgins, forage fish program manager for the Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Partnership, which endorsed the petition.

Mike Waine, Atlantic fisheries policy director for the American Sportfishing Association, said, “The petition provides common-sense solutions. ... We hope the industrial menhaden fishing industry can agree to such reasonable conservation measures as they tout their sustainable stewardship.”

The petition may be viewed on the Virginia Regulatory Town Hall website, and public comments will be accepted until Aug. 21.

High-speed internet buildout continues

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

A project that is expanding high-speed internet access to 80% of homes on Virginia's Eastern Shore is two-thirds complete.

The Eastern Shore of Virginia Broadband Authority has provided access to nearly 3,000 additional homes in Accomack County and 468 have connected, said Executive Director of the Broadband Authority Robert Bridgham in an update to the Accomack County Board of Supervisors on Wednesday, Aug 17.

The effort will ultimately bring over 250 miles of new fiber to the Eastern Shore, providing a chance to connect to high-speed internet to over 11,000

additional homes, according to ESVBA's website.

"Broadband is a really important tool," Bridgham said of the buildout, which began last June and is slated to end in May 2024.

The project comes thanks to \$15.6 million in Virginia Telecommunication Initiative funds that the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development awarded during its 2022 VATI grant cycle.

Accomack and Northampton counties and the ESVBA provided \$3.3 million in matching funds to pursue the VATI grant.

It is bringing high-speed internet to 14 areas in Accomack and Northampton counties.

In Accomack, the project includes

Greenbackville and Captains Cove; New Church and Horntown; Sanford; west Hallwood, west Bloxom, and west Parksley; Harborton, Hacksneck, and Craddockville; Wachapreague and Coal Kiln; and Upshurs Neck, Quinby, and Bells Neck.

In Northampton, it includes Occohannock Neck and south of Exmore; Birdsnest and east of Wilsonia Neck; Cape Charles; Seaview and south of Cheriton; Capeville; Arlington, Sand Hill, and Cheapside; and Kiptopeke and Townsend.

Accomack and Northampton counties partnered with the Broadband Authority to apply for another VATI grant last year, but the group was not among the 14 applicants to receive the funding.

They plan to apply for a VATI grant again in 2024, as well as seek funding through the new Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment Program funded by the federal Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act that President Joe Biden signed into law in 2021.

"It is grant season and we are going to try to finish off the Eastern Shore and get 100% coverage," Bridgham said.

Visit <https://tinyurl.com/5abps43t> to learn more about the ongoing VATI project.

Visit www.esvba.com/assistance-programs to learn more about the programs to help residents afford access to high-speed internet, which could be as low as \$10 a month for some, Bridgham said.

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Town closer to sewage treatment solution

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Hampton Roads Sanitation District held a kickoff meeting to discuss designs for Chincoteague's Sunset Bay sewage treatment facility last month.

The target date to complete the design is mid-September, with a goal to finish construction on the project by August 2024, said Town Manager Mike Tolbert in an update to the Chincoteague Town Council last week.

HRSD will own and operate the facility, which upgrades the old plants at Sunset Bay and could eventually serve a larger portion of the commercial area downtown and along Maddox Boulevard.

"The downtown area is very limited because a lot of the properties are built really close to the property line,"

Tolbert said. "They really don't have any land area to develop sewage" treatment facilities.

"This will give them a viable option to expand their business and give us a way to have some other types of businesses that we don't already have downtown," he said.

HRSD's July kick-off meeting addressed project specifics, including the plant's capacity, need for noise control due to its proximity to residents, security, and aesthetics so designs will match the character of the neighborhood, Tolbert said.

While the project dates back several years, efforts to address Chincoteague's wastewater needs have been decades in the works.

In 2011, the town created a committee to make recommendations to the town council about its wastewater

needs.

In a final report in 2013, it concluded the entire island should not, at that time, transition from individual septic and private treatment systems to a single public utility.

It identified the commercial areas on Main Street and Maddox Boulevard as targets for initial public sewage treatment efforts.

In addition to the Sunset Bay property, five or six businesses are already connected to the Sunset Bay sewage treatment facility, Tolbert said.

The existing facility can treat around 39,000 gallons of wastewater per day, but permits allow an additional capacity of 37,000 gallons at the site, he said, allowing additional businesses to eventually connect to the sewage treatment system.

Chincoteague was part of a 2020 Circuit Court decision to include all of Accomack County in an extension of the sanitation district's service area.

HRSD is constructing a system of sewer pipes approximately 121,000 feet long south of the island, between Accomack and Nassawadox.

In November 2020, Todd Burbage, of Blue Water Development, ap-

proached the town about the town potentially acquiring Sunset Bay Condominiums' sewage facility.

After three-quarters of speakers named public sewage a priority during a July 2021 public hearing about how to spend Chincoteague's American Rescue Plan Act funds, the town contacted HRSD to propose the group assume ownership and operation of the Sunset Bay plant.


HRSD agreed to accept the facility and permits from the town and to operate the plant with existing customers, with potential to develop additional capacity.

Chincoteague plans to reach a final agreement with HRSD in the next few weeks, Tolbert said. The town is using ARPA funding to pay for needed upgrades to the facility.

"Obtaining this plant is a way to get HRSD to get here and expand here so we can get their services," he said.

Tolbert said additional state funding could be available for the project once the Virginia General Assembly finalizes its budget.

"We're still hopeful that that money will come through," he said.




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Individuals who are Virginia residents and 18 years of age or older at the time an application is submitted are eligible to receive beehive units.

Recipients of beehive units must assemble the equipment and occupy it with a colony of honey bees within one year of receiving the equipment. VDACS does not provide honey bees or equipment for managing the hives, such as personal safety equipment or honey processing equipment.

To learn more about the Beehive Distribution Program or to submit an application beginning Aug. 28, visit the Beehive Distribution Program website.

For more information, contact the VDACS Office of Plant Industry Services at 804.786.3515 or vabees@vdacs.virginia.gov.

EASTERN SHORE POST/CLARA VAUGHN

Accomack County Board of Supervisors Vice Chair Harrison Phillips presents a resolution recognizing the Central Accomack Little League Junior softball team's achievement as District and Virginia State Junior Softball Champions during the board's meeting Wednesday, Aug. 16. The team includes Ammirrah Church, Carly Clayton, Kacey Ford, Ryann Giddins, Elana Hickman, Rylee Huttner, Ella Powell, Payton Taylor, Kloe Voytek, Tatum Watson, and Cassidy Hickman; Coaches Bryan Justice and Greg Ford; and Team Manager Bruce Clayton.



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Boys & Girls Club thanks Eastern Shore United Way

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Southeast Virginia thanked the United Way of Virginia's Eastern Shore for supporting the Eastern Shore Club's Power Hour and Triple Play programs through a grant.

For over 10 years, the UWVES has supported the mission "to enable all youth, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens."

Boys & Girls Clubs of Southeast Virginia has served the Eastern Shore community since 2003.

Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Club board member Bill Sterling commented on how UWVES's support of Boys & Girls Club programming is changing lives.

"As a board member of the Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Club for the past 15 years, I have seen that joining our club is a life-changing experience for our members. By creating a fun but purposeful club, where the club director and her staff form relationships with our club members, we can make a difference in their lives. That difference is academic success, a healthy lifestyle, and making good life choices. The United Way Virginia's Eastern Shore has always been a strong supporter of our Boys & Girls Club. That support is making a real difference in the lives of our members."

Power Hour and Triple Play



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Clubs operates a number of youth programs.

are programs designed and passed down through Boys & Girls Clubs of America.

Power Hour aims to make every minute count by providing Club members with 60 minutes of programming that focuses on homework help, tutoring, and high-yield learning activities.

The aim of the program is to help members reach their academic goals and address any concerns they may

have. Triple Play is a comprehensive health and wellness initiative that strives to improve the overall health of Club members by increasing their daily physical activity, teaching them good nutrition, and helping them develop healthy relationships.

Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Club Director Kathy Custis, said, "We run Power Hour all through the school year and during the summer, our club

members have reading days and a book club, where they read and share about their stories. In addition to this, we are teaching our club members how to write in cursive, since they aren't doing that in schools now. This year, as part of Triple Play, we have had lots of gym time to play dodgeball and basketball. We also have Zumba, Dance Club, yoga, swim lessons, and even an exercise room! The kids are having a ball! This summer, we went to Saw Mill Park for a fun day of playing in the water. We couldn't have these fun, healthy activities without the continuous support of the United Way," she said.

Sam Norton, president of the United Way of Virginia's Eastern Shore Board of Directors remarked, "This is a great way for our community to impact the youngest among us who will certainly appreciate participating in the Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Club's Triple Play and Power Hour. Most importantly, this would not be possible if not for kind donations made to United Way from across the Shore! The community made this happen."

"The support we receive from the United Way of Virginia's Eastern Shore is crucial to our success and positive impact within this community. It is an honor to partner with an organization that is focused on supporting and advocating for the residents of the Eastern Shore directly."

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Town seeks reimbursement for NASA wells

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

A proposed change to federal legislation that would have allowed NASA to reimburse Chincoteague for relocating its town wells off NASA property at Wallops failed to pass.

Though the amendment was not included in the National Defense and Authorization Act, federal representatives for this district are confident the language can be included in a future bill, said Town Manager Mike Tolbert in an update to the Chincoteague Town Council last week.

"Speaking to the staff, they all feel like we'll get this included in some legislation that must pass at some point,"

Tolbert said. They were "just not able to get it this time."

Chincoteague and NASA have been in discussions about the town's wells since 2017, when shallow wells tested positive for per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, or PFAS, that were used at a former fire training site at NASA Wallops Flight Facility and are linked to human health concerns.

NASA began supplementing the town's drinking water with Wallops' finished drinking water that spring. It has since installed a groundwater treatment system to remove PFAS, allowing Chincoteague to resume use of its shallow wells.

However, the bill supporting that transition presented several problems

for the town.

Initially, it capped the well relocation project at \$14 million, based on a dated cost estimate from 2017, Tolbert said.

While that language is no longer included, a five-year timeline to design and construct the new wells and obtain permits is, Tolbert said.

"The folks I've spoken to said this is not nearly adequate to get all that done, especially the permitting," he said during May's town council meeting.

"We still think there's a little bit of room to negotiate that a little bit later," he said in an update this month.

U.S. Sens. Tim Kaine and Mark Warner proposed an amendment to

the National Defense Authorization Act that would have allowed NASA to enter into an agreement with Chincoteague to reimburse the town for relocating its wells off NASA property.

The changes failed to pass the U.S. Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, Tolbert said.

Now, Chincoteague is looking to future legislation to help with its well relocation project.

"There seemed to be confidence among all three legislators that this language would eventually be included in a bill that would pass Congress," Tolbert said of the two Virginia senators and U.S. Rep. Jen Kiggans.



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Prioritize summer travel ahead of Labor Day

Twelve people lost their lives in fatal traffic crashes in Virginia throughout 2022's four-day Labor Day holiday weekend, according to Virginia Department of Motor Vehicles crash data. Those 12 included juveniles, pedestrians and several not wearing seat belts.

"Twelve families lost loved ones," said Col. Gary T. Settle, Virginia State Police superintendent. "Some of those tragically lost were young people with a full life ahead of them, including children who were not wearing a seat belt or safely secured in a child safety restraint. I implore all Virginians to wear their seat belts and require all those riding with you to do the same."

Most fatal crashes during the 2022 holiday weekend occurred around Portsmouth and Roanoke. In total, state police investigated 772 traffic crashes. They also stopped 4,094 speeders and 1,807 reckless drivers; arrested 87 people for impaired driving; cited 435 seat belt violations; and assisted 818 stranded motorists.

"As you venture out during this busy travel weekend, keep Virginia's newly updated 'Move Over' law in mind that went into effect July 1," noted David Tenenbaum, senior actuarial manager at Virginia Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Co. The company is a DRIVE SMART Virginia partner.

The previous "Move Over" law required motorists to make space for flashing red or blue emergency lights. As of July 1, drivers also must change lanes when possible or slow down for any vehicle on the roadside flashing amber or hazard lights. This includes utility, tow, and roadside assistance trucks.

"In this last push of the busy summer travel season, keep an eye out for more disabled vehicles with their hazard lights on at the side of the road," Tenenbaum continued.

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In this life, we are to help each other as Christians. That's what God expects from us, and it makes for a better world.

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<http://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities>

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Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for:

Jail Deputy at the Eastern Shore Regional Jail

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

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

Benefits include: VRS Retirement, Annual Leave, Sick leave, Paid Holidays, and Health Insurance

Applications may be obtained from the Eastern Shore Regional Jail, 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347 or online at <https://tinyurl.com/5n6epayy>

Open until filled.

**Apply in person at the Eastern Shore
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Help Wanted

Full-Time Planner/Community Redevelopment Specialist

Northampton County is accepting applications for a full-time Planner/Community Redevelopment Specialist. The essential function of this position is to provide planning technical support for the Planning, Permitting & Enforcement Department and the various boards and committees. The position is responsible for assisting with planning, policy analysis, regulation enforcement, technical research and support, site/plan review, customer service, and related records and reports.

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 \$52,858 to \$84,818 based on qualifications.

Please refer to Northampton County's website online for further job description and county's application form at this link: <https://tinyurl.com/5n6epay> Please submit completed County application form with cover letter to Human Resources, P. O. Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347. **Position will be open until filled.**

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PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE (RN) Position #05105

Join us for a rewarding nursing position in the Eastern Shore Health District. This position is for an experienced Registered Nurse to support clinical services, long term support services, and related public health nursing programs for the Accomack and Northampton County Health Departments. RN required.

For detailed job information or to apply, visit <https://jobs.virginia.gov/> Virginia Department of Health (VDH) accepts only online applications. Apply by August 24, 2023 at 11:55 p.m. EEO.

Accomack County Social Services - Local (765-01) Family Services Specialist I/II

Hiring Range \$36,993 - \$68,990 (Depending on qualifications)
To apply, visit: <http://www.dss.virginia.gov>
(Local HR Connect (new))
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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.

Applications may be obtained from Northampton County Sheriff's Office, 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, VA 23347 or County's website.

Open until filled. EOE.

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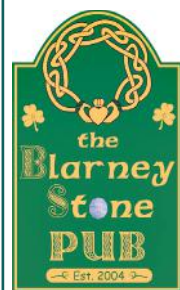
The Eastern Shore Post is seeking a part-time reporter to write about and photograph local high school sports. The candidate must be available in the evenings when the games are being played and have transportation. This position would be perfect for a local high school or college student, a person with a day job who has free evening time, or a retiree looking for a new challenge. The best candidates will have gumption and grit, be likable and dependable, and take direction well. People without journalism experience are encouraged to apply. If interested, call Ted Shockley at 757-789-7678.



NUTRITIONIST ASSOCIATE Position #05691

This position provides nutrition education and support for the WIC Supplemental Food Program. The Nutritionist Associate independently determines nutrition eligibility of applicants/clients within program guidelines and independently prescribes appropriate food packages. Training and job experience in nutrition / dietetics is preferred.

For detailed job information or to apply, visit <https://jobs.virginia.gov/> Virginia Department of Health (VDH) accepts only online applications; apply by August 27, 2023 at 11:55 p.m. EEO.



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Building Inspector

Northampton County is accepting applications for a full-time Building Inspector. The essential function of this position is to perform building inspections. Provides customer service and clerical duties.

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 \$43,355 to \$69,416.

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. Position open until filled.

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NORTHAMPTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS ACCEPTING EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS FOR: LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

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

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

Applications may be obtained from the Northampton County Sheriff's Office located at 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, VA 23347 or the County's website.

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ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

Procurement Specialist I

F/T position with benefits; Open Until Filled

Starting Salary: \$ 34,673 - \$ 44,782 (based on exp.)

Accomack County is currently recruiting for a full-time Procurement Specialist I in the Accomack County Finance Department. The position is responsible for administrative expertise and support for the purchasing/procurement activities of the County. Additional duties include administrative support for risk management activities and other ancillary services as assigned to the Procurement unit of the Finance Department. The position also compiles and submits required reports.

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:

<http://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities>

First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 24, 2023.

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Help Wanted

Regional Radio System Manager

The Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Commission is recruiting an experienced individual to serve as the full-time Regional Radio System Manager for the new regional radio system being implemented (five RF sites, P25, trunked, 700MHz). This newly created position will manage and administer the daily operations and functionality of the regional radio system, ancillary systems, communications sites, and other aspects of the regional radio system.

Minimum qualifications include a high school diploma or GED and five (5) years of directly related work experience in public safety with experience in managing, operating, and maintaining a two-way radio communications radio system, microwave, electronic systems and 9-1-1 technology systems; any equivalent combination of experience and training which provides the required knowledge, skills, and abilities above is acceptable. Professional certifications/achievements, such as, but not limited to, NENA Emergency Number Professional certification, or APCO Registered Public Safety Leader certification, or others, may be beneficial to this position. This position is subject to a background investigation and drug screening.

Interested individuals are requested to submit a cover letter and resume with salary expectations and professional references to the Director of the 9-1-1 Center by email at jflournoy@co.northampton.va.us or by mail to P.O. Box 337, Accomac, VA 23301, or at the 9-1-1 Center, 23201 Front Street, Accomac, VA 23301.

The position description and position recruitment profile (with additional details on the hiring process and anticipated hiring range) can be found at the 9-1-1 Commission's website at www.esva911.org. Any inquiries about this position should be directed to: Jeffrey Flournoy, 9-1-1 Director, at jflournoy@co.northampton.va.us or at 757-787-0909. The ESVA 9-1-1 Commission is an equal opportunity employer.

Help Wanted

NURSERY IRRIGATION / SPRAY TECH POSITION - Must be able to work some weekends on a rotation basis. Will train. 757-787-4096.

WANTED - 7 interior doors stripped and stained. Email Sandberg9@gmail.com

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HORSE HAY for sale and **STRAW** for sale. Call 757-824-3930 or call 757-894-1339 (cell).

Wanted to Buy

ABC-Z ANTIQUES BOUGHT - Advertising signs, old seashells/seaglass, decoys, men's jewelry, vintage auto parts. Can assist/guide you with inherited items/collections. Free appraisals. We make house calls (no chg.), 25+ yrs. exp. Call/text 757-694-5660/757-387-7506.

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Pets

FOR SALE - Chocolate and Tan mini Dachshunds. Born June 14. 2 male. Had 1st shots. Ready now. Call for more info. 757-678-0104.

Rentals - Residential

READY TO MOVE INTO!!!
New: 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, with Porch and Garage. 3 to choose from. Call for details 302-846-9100. New 4 Bedroom, 2 Bath also available.

PARKSLEY - Small house, 1 BR, 1 BA. \$750/mo. + 1st mo. sec. dep. Call 757-787-4837 or 757-710-2867.

Misc. For Sale

FRANCISCAN APPLE - 81 PIECE Dinnerware: Plates, bowls, salvers, platters, cups, tea service, S&P, butter \$350/OBO. Call 757-336-6792.

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Rentals - Houses

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Deposito - Llame para los requisitos: 302-846-9100.

NEW 3BR, 2BA \$500 DEPOSIT CALL FOR DETAILS: 302-846-9100.

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MULTIFAMILY YARD SALE - Sat., 8-19. 8 am til. 20510 Lankford Hwy., Cape Charles. Something for everyone!

YARD SALE - 4 Waples St., Onancock. 8 am to noon. Sat., 8-19.

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Sat., August 26

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Legal Ads

TRUSTEE SALE

10471 Pine Tree Rd, Nassawadox, VA 23413
Northampton County

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of **\$130,200.00**, dated **December 14, 2006** recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of **Northampton County, Virginia**, in **Document No. 060003497**, at the request of the holder of the Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the **front entrance of the Northampton County Courthouse, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, on September 13, 2023 at 10:00 AM** the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

Lot 18, Nassawadox Estates, with any improvements thereon

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

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

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

This is a communication from a debt collector.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C. (84158)

448 Viking Drive Suite 350

Virginia Beach, VA 23452

757-457-1460 - Call between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

or visit our website at www.siwpc.net

TRUSTEE SALE

12151 Nandua Shores Dr, Painter, VA 23420
Accomack County

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of **\$362,700.00**, dated **January 5, 2015** recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of **Accomack County, Virginia**, in **Document No. 150000114**, at the request of the holder of the Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the **Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, on September 13, 2023 at 11:15 AM** the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

Lot 13, Nandua Shores, with any improvements thereon

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

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

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FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C. (81227)

448 Viking Drive Suite 350

Virginia Beach, VA 23452

757-457-1460 - Call between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

or visit our website at www.siwpc.net

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Accomack County Wetlands Zoning Ordinance, you are hereby notified of a Public Hearing that will be held in the Accomack County Administration Building Board Chambers, Room #104, 23292 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, Virginia at 10AM, Thursday, August 24, 2023 on the wetlands application of:

Daneil Ridout, III- VMRC# 2023-1366

This application is for the following described project:

The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction, is the proposed construction of 3 quarry stone sills, (sill 1: 85 feet long, sill 2: 20 feet long, sill 3: 56 feet long), a 60 feet rip rap revetment and a 125 feet marsh toe apron, located in Melfa, VA 23410, tax map#(s) 100-11-6.

All interested parties will be afforded the opportunity to be heard or to present written statements. Applications are on file and may be examined in the Office of the Environmental Programs in Accomack, Virginia. Handicapped assistance is available. Please call (757) 787-5728.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Economic Development Commission of Accomack County, VA, is seeking proposals from the public for the purchase in whole or part of the Robert S Bloxom Agricultural Facility located at 18491 Garey Road, Melfa, VA 23410; 18513 Garey Road, Melfa, VA 23410; and 18555 Garey Road, Melfa, VA 23410.

Interested parties are invited to submit proposals to the Economic Development Commission no later than August 31, 2023, via addresses below. Proposals should include a detailed description of the proposed use, including the intended economic impact on the area.

Proposals will be reviewed and considered in the EDA's public meeting on September 12, 2023.

For more information on the Robert S Bloxom Agricultural Facility and or a copy of the current appraisal please contact Stella T. Rohde, Chair. staylorrohde@gmail.com or 757-710-2025.

Visit the EDA website at <https://tinyurl.com/54ndrm63>

Legal Ads

Invitation to Bid

County of Northampton, Virginia

BAYVIEW WASTE COLLECTION CENTER EXPANSION

The County of Northampton, Virginia is accepting sealed bids for the expansion of the solid waste convenience center located at 22564 Bayview Circle, Cape Charles, VA 23310. Sealed bids may be submitted either as a physical hard copy or electronically through eVA, the Virginia Department of General Services central electronic procurement website. **Faxed or emailed proposals are not acceptable.** Bids will be received until 3:00 PM, Thursday, September 14, 2023. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately thereafter. Physical bids received after the assigned time will not be accepted and will be returned to the bidder unopened.

A pre-bid conference for interested contractors will be held on Wednesday, August 16, 2023, at 10:00 AM at the Northampton County Administration Building, Room 208 (2nd Floor Board Room), located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA 23347. A visit to the project site will follow thereafter. Attendance at the pre-bid conference and site visit shall be optional but highly encouraged for those submitting a bid.

Contractors can obtain copies of the complete bid documents from either of the following sources:

- Northampton County Website
<https://tinyurl.com/4bmj9hew>
- eVA Virginia Procurement Website
<https://eva.virginia.gov/>
- Chris Thomas, Director of Public Works
Phone: (757) 678 - 3377
Email: cthomas@co.northampton.va.us

The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities or informalities in the bidding.

All bidders are subject to and must comply with the provisions of Northampton County's Equal Employment Opportunity Policy and applicable State and Federal anti-discrimination laws.

COUNTRY WAY INC,

Trading as Country Way Mercantile,

3306 Main St., Exmore,

Northampton County, Virginia 23350

The above establishment is applying to the

VIRGINIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE

CONTROL (ABC) AUTHORITY

for a Retail Off Premises Wine and Beer license

to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages.

Kimberly McClaren, President

NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the first of two required newspaper legal notices. Objections should be registered at www.abc.virginia.gov or 800-552-3200.

NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT AND
NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST A RELEASE OF FUNDS

Date of Notice

August 18, 2023

Name of Responsible Entity [RE]

County of Northampton

Address (e.g., Street No. or P.O. Box)

P.O. Box 66

City, State, Zip Code

Eastville, VA 23347

Telephone Number of RE

757-678-0440

These notices shall satisfy two separate but related procedural requirements for activities to be undertaken by the County of Northampton.

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about September 8, 2023, the County of Northampton will submit a request to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for the release of Community Project Funding/Congressionally Directed Spending funds under FY 2023 Economic Development Initiative/Community Project Funding of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023, as amended, to undertake a project known as Exmore Sewage Collection System for the purpose of purchase and installation of grinder pumps, an integral part of the collection system.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

The County of Northampton has determined that the project will have no significant impact on the human environment. Therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA) is not required. Additional project information is contained in the Environmental Review Record (ERR) on file at the Northampton County Administrator's Office, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, and the Exmore Town Manager's Office, 3305 Main Street, Exmore, Virginia, and may be examined or copied weekdays 9:00 A.M to 5:00 P.M. (County Offices), and 8:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. (Town Offices).

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the Northampton County Administrator's Office. All comments received by September 8, 2023, will be considered by Northampton County prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

The County of Northampton certifies to U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development that Charles Kolakowski in his capacity as County Administrator consents to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to the environmental review process and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the County of Northampton to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development will accept objections to its release of funds and the County of Northampton's certification for a period of fifteen days following the anticipated submission date or its actual receipt of the request (whichever is later) only if they are on one of the following bases: (a) the certification was not executed by the Certifying Officer of the County of Northampton; (b) the County of Northampton has omitted a step or failed to make a decision or finding required by HUD regulations at 24 CFR part 58; (c) the grant recipient or other participants in the development process have committed funds, incurred costs or undertaken activities not authorized by 24 CFR Part 58 before approval of a release of funds by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; or (d) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedures (24 CFR Part 58, Sec. 58.76) and shall be addressed to HUD, 600 E. Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia 23219-1800, Attention: Mr. Ronnie J. Legette, Sr., Director, Community Planning and Development Division or by email at CPDRROFRIC@hud.gov Potential objectors should contact HUD at (800) 842-2610, Extension 4881, to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Charles Kolakowski, County Administrator

Sports Trivia

By Ryan A. Berenz

1. What long-running NFL-highlights TV series debuted on cable channel HBO in 1977?

2. Name the Baseball Hall of Famer for the St. Louis Cardinals who is the last NL pitcher to win 30 games in one season.

3. What offensive lineman, who played one season with the Buffalo Bills in 1968, was killed in action in the Vietnam War in 1970?

4. Name the ESPN analyst who, during a 2020 NBA game broadcast, said, "I do like being right. Ask my ex-husband."

5. What Los Angeles Rams player had more than 1,000 receiving yards in four consecutive NFL seasons from 1988-91?

Answers

1. "Inside the NFL."

2. Dizzy Dean (1934)

3. Bob Kalsus

4. Doris Burke

5. Henry Ellard

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SALE 32380 Lankford Highway, Painter, VA 23420

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a Deed of Trust dated September 6, 2018, and recorded at Instrument Number 180003364 in the Clerk's Office for the Accomack County Virginia Circuit Court, Virginia, securing a loan which was originally \$121,000.00. The appointed SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE, Commonwealth Trustees, LLC will offer for sale at public auction at the main entrance of the Accomack County Circuit Court located at 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, VA 23301.

September 08, 2023, at 3:30 PM

improved real property, with an abbreviated legal description of the following described property, to wit:

ALL THAT certain lot, or parcel of land containing One Acre, more or less (1 A. plus/minus, being the same lot (with the exception of a certain strip of land containing Twenty-Six Hundredths Acre, more or less (0.26 plus/minus), taken for State Highway purposes, as described and set forth in a certain order recorded in the Clerk's Office for the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia in Deed Book 281 at Page 162), as show on a certain plat entitled "Plat of Lot Near Painter, Accomack County, VA Sold by Chase U. Davis to Mrs. M.S. Hudson," dated March 1, 1933, and made by J.B. Gibb, C.S., which plat is recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Plat Book 4 at Page 6, and is further shown and described on a certain plat entitled "SURVEY AND SUBDIVISION OF THE LANDS OF D. PAGE ELMORE, TAX MAP 111A, PARCEL 34, DEED 610/377, PUNGOTEAGUE ELECTION DISTRICT, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA," dated October 23, 1988, and made by George E. Young, III, PC, Professional Land Surveyor, which is recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Plat Book 98 at Page 146.

SUBJECT TO a non-exclusive easement in perpetuity for the benefit of Parcel 34- Lot B (Area 1.32 Acre) for the purpose of ingress and egress over the existing shared entrance of U.S. Route 13, as shown and designated on the above-referenced plat dated October 23, 1998, recorded as aforesaid.

ALL MAINTENANCE costs associated with the upkeep and repair of said ingress/egress easement shall be equally shared by the users thereof.

THIS CONVEYANCE is made expressly subject to the easements, conditions, restrictions and reservations contained in duly recorded deeds, plats and other instruments constituting constructive notice in the chain of title to the property hereby conveyed, which have not expired by limitation of time contained therein or otherwise become ineffective and specifically subject to the following restrictions and covenants:

- 1. Minimum roof pitch of Seven/Twelfths (7/12).**
- 2. No Double-wide or Single-wide Manufactured homes shall be constructed or affixed to the subject property.**
- 3. No Double-wide or Single-wide Manufactured homes or parts of material of said homes shall be stored on the property.**

AND as more fully described in the aforesaid Deed of Trust.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be sold "AS IS," WITHOUT REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY OF ANY KIND AND SUBJECT TO conditions, restrictions, reservations, easements, rights of way, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust to be announced at the time of sale. A deposit of \$20,000 or 10% of the sale price, whichever is lower, will be required at the time of sale, in the form of certified check, cashier's check or money order by the purchaser. The balance of the purchase price, with interest at the rate contained in the Deed of Trust Note from the date of sale to the date said funds are received in the office of the SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE, will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale. In the event of default by the successful bidder, the entire deposit shall be forfeited and applied to the costs and expenses of sale and Substitute Trustee's fee. All other public charges or assessments, including water/sewer charges, whether incurred prior to or after the sale, and all other costs incident to settlement to be paid by the purchaser. In the event taxes, any other public charges have been advanced, a credit will be due to the seller, to be adjusted from the date of sale at the time of settlement. Purchaser agrees to pay the seller's attorneys at settlement, a fee of \$470.00 for review of the settlement documents. Additional terms will be announced at the time of sale and the successful bidder will be required to execute and deliver to the Substitute Trustees a memorandum or contract of the sale at the conclusion of bidding.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT
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Bethesda, MD 20814
301-907-8000
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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, SEPTEMBER 6TH, 2023 AT 10 A.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

A. SUSE-000527-2023 – Dan Whealton – 34000 Block of Watts Bay Drive, Wallops Island

The applicant requests a Special Use Permit per Accomack County Code Section 106-53(27) which permits A use of land not specifically listed as a use permitted by right or by special exception-special use in the agricultural district regulations, which is clearly similar and compatible with the uses listed therein. The applicant wishes to build a 40'x80' pole barn on this unimproved parcel. The 3.44 acre site is located along the south line of Watts Bay Drive (private road), approximately 3,730 feet east of its intersection with Atlantic Road and is Tax Map # 43-6-15.

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

B. SUSE-000534-2023 – Rajkumar Thangavelu- 36000 block of Lankford Hwy, Belle Haven

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 install 5-for-rent billboards on this unimproved parcel. The 21.9 acre site is located on the southbound side of Lankford Hwy, approximately 1000 feet north of the intersection of King St and is Tax Map #119C-6-5.

The parcel is zoned General Business.

C. SUSE-00535-2023 – Rajkumar Thangavelu – 6800 block of 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 install 2-for-rent billboards on this parcel. The 7.12 acre site is located on the southbound side of Lankford Hwy, approximately 3200 feet north of the intersection of Chincoteague Rd and is Tax Map #27-A-4.

The parcel is zoned General Business.

D. SUSE-000536-2023 – Rajkumar Thangavelu – 6164 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 install 2 for-rent billboards on this unimproved parcel. The 11.92 acre site is located on the southbound side of Lankford Hwy, approximately 2800 feet north of the intersection of Chincoteague Rd and is Tax Map #27-A-8.

The parcel is zoned General Business.

E. SUSE-000537-2023 – Tiffany Gelzinis – 15494 Sisco Town Rd, Painter

The applicant requests a Special Use Permit per Accomack County Code Section 106-53(15) which permits a two-family dwelling. The applicant wishes convert the existing single family home into a duplex. The .89 acre site is located on the south side of Sisco Town Rd, at the intersection of Big Pine Rd and is Tax Map #110-3-B14.

The parcel is zoned Agriculture.

F. VAR-000539-2023 – Le Ung – 19111 Gaskins Rd, Onancock

The applicant requests the following variances from the requirements outlined in Section 106-232 of the Accomack County Poultry Ordinance. This allow a non-conforming confined poultry operation that ceased the use for longer than 2 years to be re-opened. This confined poultry operation was constructed prior to the currently adopted ordinance. The 60.55 acre site is located at 19111 Gaskins Rd, Onancock and is Tax Map #93-A-21. The parcel is zoned Agriculture. The variances requested are as follows:

- A Variance of 190 feet from Code Section 106-232(f)(5)(c) which states "The minimum setbacks for any portion of a confined poultry operation shall be as follows: Two hundred feet from any property line."
- A Variance of 41 feet from Code Section 106-232(f)(5)(d) which states "The minimum setbacks for any portion of a confined poultry operation shall be as follows: One hundred and twenty five feet from the center of state or county maintained roads"

Public hearing related materials are available for review at the Office of the County Zoning Administrator at 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Room 105 – Accomack, Virginia or <http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public> on the Friday prior to each meeting date. Handicapped Assistance available, call: (757) 787-5726 or 824-5223.

Legal Ads

Recycling Services for Accomack County - RFP #330

The Accomack County Public Works Department is soliciting proposals from potential vendors to provide for the removal and disposition of **single-stream recyclable materials** from the Accomack County Northern Landfill located in Atlantic, VA. Recyclables shall include, at a minimum, plastic bottles: PET #1, HDPE #2 (bottles that contained liquids such as drink bottles, milk jugs, detergent bottles, etc.); newspapers & inserts; magazines, telephone books, catalogs, junk mail, office paper; cardboard (OCC) and brown paper bags; chipboard; and aluminum and steel/tin cans. Special consideration will be given to contractors who accept and recycle number three (3) through number seven (7) plastics, # 1 and # 2 clean food containers and pottling/transplant plant containers in the single-stream recycling system. ***The complete Request for Proposals #330 may be found on the Accomack County website at <https://www.co.accomack.va.us>***

One original copy of the Proposal demonstrating the offeror's qualifications and other relevant information may be emailed or provided in hard copy to the following ***physical address*** by **4:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 21, 2023 at the County Administration Building, 23296 Courthouse Ave., Accomack, VA 23301, Suite 204** on the second floor. For emailed copies, please send to mlindsey@co.accomack.va.us. **For questions regarding proposal submission, please call 757-787-5706 or email Margaret A. Lindsey, CPA Finance Director at mlindsey@co.accomack.va.us**

The County of Accomack does not discriminate against faith-based organizations in accordance with the Code of Virginia, §2.2-4310 and 2.2-4343.1 *Code of Virginia* as amended, or against a bidder or offeror because of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, or any other basis prohibited by state law relating to discrimination in employment.

CDBG Public Hearing Notice (first)

The Town of Onancock will hold a public hearing on August 28, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. to solicit public input on local community development and housing needs in relation to the Northeast Neighborhood of Onancock Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding within the Town.

Information on the amount of funding available, the requirements on benefit to low-and moderate-income persons, eligible activities, and plans to minimize displacement and provide displacement assistance as necessary will be available. Citizens will also be given the opportunity to comment on the Town's past use of CDBG funds. All interested citizens are urged to attend. For additional information, contact Eric Luchansky at (757)787-2936, extension 118.

Comments and grievances can be submitted in writing to Accomack Northampton Planning District Commission at P.O. Box 417, 23372 Front Street, Accomack, VA 23301, or by phone at (757)787-2936, TDD at 7-1-1, until noon of the day of the hearing.

If you plan to attend and have any special needs requirements, please call the number above.

NOTICE JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE

On September 19, 2023, proceedings will be commenced under authority of Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the Code of Virginia to sell the following parcels located in the Town of Bloxom, Virginia for payment of delinquent taxes

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The owner of any property listed may redeem it at any time before the date of sale by paying accumulated taxes, penalties, interest and costs thereon at the law office listed below. The pro rata costs of publication hereunder shall become a part of the tax and together with all other costs, including reasonable attorney's fees set by the court, shall be collected when payment is made whether or not court proceedings have been initiated.

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Access Control for Saw Mill Park – IFB # 757

The County of Accomack is seeking **sealed bids** from qualified Virginia licensed contractors for the construction of gate access control, new park entrance and access road at Sawmill Park located at 24401 Joynes Neck Road Accomack, VA 23301.

This project generally consists of installing a new commercial park entrance and gravel road, with associated erosion & sediment controls measures and installing an automatic security gate across the driveway, with associated electrical work.

All work is shown on the plans (15 sheets, dated May 25, 2023) prepared by Via Designs. The contractor shall be required to adhere to all applicable comments from these documents. The contractor is responsible to obtain any necessary County permits to include a Land Disturbance Permit and VDOT permit.

The complete IFB # 757 may be found on the Accomack County website at <https://www.co.accomack.va.us>

There will be a Pre-Bid Meeting on Thursday, September 7, 2023, starting no earlier than 10:00 a.m. at the project site.

Sealed bids may be delivered to the Accomack County Finance Office, 23296 Courthouse Ave., Suite 204, Accomack, VA 23301 **or may be mailed** to the Accomack County Finance Office, c/o Margaret Lindsey, P.O. Box 620 Accomack, VA 23301 **until 12:00 PM Thursday, September 21, 2023. On the same day, at 3:00 p.m. local time.** All bids received by the due date and time will be publicly opened and read aloud via "Zoom" Meeting. Bids received after the due date and time will be returned unopened. A bid bond is required to be submitted for 5% of the bid amount.

The County of Accomack does not discriminate against faith-based organizations in accordance with the Code of Virginia, §2.2-4310 and 2.2-4343.1 *Code of Virginia* as amended, or against a bidder or offeror because of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, or any other basis prohibited by state law relating to discrimination in employment.

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

CHERYL LYNN BOWER LETCHFORD

Complainant
CASE NO. 23CL349

vs.

**MISTY NICOLE LETCHFORD
(A.K.A. WILLIAM JASON LETCHFORD)**

Respondent

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

**TO THE HONORABLE W. REVELL LEWIS, III,
JUDGE OF THE COURT AFORESAID:**

Your Complainant, **CHERYL LYNN BOWER LETCHFORD**, respectfully represents the following facts to the Court:

1. That the Complainant and the Respondent were lawfully married in Botetourt County, Virginia on February 22, 2012.

2. That the Complainant is domiciled in and has been a bona fide resident of the Commonwealth of Virginia for a period of at least six (6) months immediately preceding the institution of this lawsuit.

3. That the Respondent residence address is unknown at this time.

4. That the Respondent's last known address was 17248 Lankford Highway, Bloxom, VA 23308.

5. That the Complainant and Respondent last cohabited as husband and wife at Thaxton, in Bedford County, Virginia.

6. That neither party has been committed to a mental facility or jail at any time proceeding the filing of the Complainant in the cause.

7. That both the Complainant and Respondent are sui juris and over the age of eighteen (18) years of age, and neither is a member of the Armed Forces of the United States.

8. That there was no children born or adopted of this marriage.

9. That the Complainant is not pregnant as a result of this marriage.

10. That the parties have lived separate and apart, without cohabitation and without interruption, and with the intent to be permanently separated, to-wit: Since March 1, 2015.

11. That reconciliation of the parties is not likely.

12. That there are no remaining issues of support, marital property and marital debts.

WHEREFORE, your Complainant prays that she be awarded a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of living separate and apart for one (1) year, as provided for in Va. Code Ann. §20-91(9)(a); and that she be awarded such other and further relief as the nature of her case may require or to equity shall seem meet.

And your Complainant will ever pray, etc.

**Cheryl Lynn Bower Letchford
By Counsel**

Carl H. Bundick, Esquire
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Daniel Ridout, III (VMRC #2023-1366) is requesting a permit from the Virginia Marine Resources Commission to construct a marsh toe apron channelward of an eroding marsh and to install three (3) stone sills with clean sand fill and plantings for the construction of a living shoreline adjacent to property (TM #100-11-6) located at 15107 Blenheim Way situated along Pungoteague Creek in Accomack County.

You may provide comments on this application (VMRC #2023-1366) at <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.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the Town of Cape Charles, in the Town Hall Building, 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310, until 11:00 a.m. local prevailing time on Friday, September 8, 2023, for the Cape Charles Visitor's Center contract in Cape Charles, Virginia. On the hour and date above specified, the bids will be publicly opened and read. **NO PREBID CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD FOR THIS PROJECT.**

PROJECT:

TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES VISITOR'S CENTER
CAPE CHARLES, VIRGINIA

OWNER:

Town of Cape Charles
Town Hall Building
2 Plum Street Cape Charles, VA 23310

ARCHITECT:

HBA Architecture & Interior Design, One Columbus Center,
Suite 1000 Virginia Beach, VA 23462

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The project includes the construction of a new visitor's center and public restroom facility located in Cape Charles, Virginia. The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive irregularities and informalities in any bid. Bids received after the specified time of closing will be returned unopened.

BID DOCUMENTS:

Bid documents are open for public inspection at the following location: Town of Cape Charles website, www.capecharles.org

INVITATION TO BID

The Eastern Shore Area Agency on Aging/Community Action Agency (ESAAA/CAA) is notifying public, private, and non-profit organizations of their eligibility to submit proposals for the delivery of services to elderly persons residing in Accomack and Northampton Counties (Planning District #22).

Proposals will be accepted for the provision of the following services: Frozen Home-Delivered Meals and Shelf-Stable Meals.

Complete proposal application packets will be available on August 28, 2023. If your organization wishes to receive a packet, please contact the CEO at the address below. The deadline for submission of completed bid applications is September 18, 2023, by 4:30 p.m. Requests for application packets should be sent to the attention of:

Donna Smith, CEO
ESAAA/CAA
5432 Bayside Road
Exmore, VA 23350

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Economic Development Authority of Accomack County, VA will hold a special meeting on Wednesday, September 6, 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. The special meeting will be held at 18321 Parkway, Melfa, Virginia 23301. Contact chairman Stella Rohde for questions or concerns at 757-710-2025.



TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Chincoteague Town Council will hold the following public hearing at 7:00 p.m., or as soon after as this matter may be heard, on Tuesday, September 5, 2023, in the Council Chambers Located at 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague, VA 23336 to consider the following:

The Town Council will consider a resolution to initiate a condemnation proceeding to secure ownership of approximately 13,000 square feet of vacant land and 17,000 square feet of easements currently owned by Sunset Bay South Condominium Association (Tax Parcel No. 30A5-35-CA) for the Town to use in the construction/renovation of the existing sewage treatment plant(s) servicing Sunset Bay Condominiums and businesses in the downtown area. These acquisitions will also be used for the expansion of the plant's capacity to serve additional customers in the downtown and Maddox Boulevard service area.

Copies of materials may be examined at the Town of Chincoteague Office, 6150 Community Drive Chincoteague, VA 23336 during regular business hours. Information may also be obtained by calling the Town Business Office at (757) 336-6519.

Any person desiring to be heard regarding the above matter should appear at the appointed time and place. Written copies of statements at public hearings are requested but not required.

The Town of Chincoteague does not discriminate against disabled people in admission or access to its programs and activities. Accommodations will be made for disabled people upon prior request.

Public Notice

The Board of Zoning Appeals of the Town of Chincoteague will hold a public hearing on Thursday September 14, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers located at 6150 Community Drive to receive public comments and views on the following zoning matter:

Variance 202788: A request from Dalton Huber Parcel 30A2-24-1 3367 Ridge Road, for a variance from Article IV, section 4.1.27 (1) of the zoning ordinance of the Town of Chincoteague. The applicant wishes to install a six foot fence on the left side of the residence. The property is zoned C-1.



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Northampton property transfers

■ From Master Craft Property Development Inc.
To CMH Homes Inc.
Lot 13, Nassawadox Estates, near Nassawadox
For \$25,000

■ From Preserve Homes & Neighborhoods VA LLC
To Pritraj Singh and Kriti Bhardwaj
Lot 33C, The Fairways, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$575,028.41

■ From Donald and John Jones Jr.
To Cynthia Runnells
Multiple lots in Exmore
For \$38,000

■ From Ramon Brown
To Linda Dickerson
Lot, 1 acre, near Shadyside
For \$78.66

■ From Margaret and John Downing
To Brian and Ruth Dunkerly
Lot, 1 acre, near Franktown
For \$402,500

■ From Bay Creek Development LLC
To Theofilos and Alexandria Galoozis
Lot B-140, Bayside Village, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$140,000

■ From Bay Creek Development LLC
To Theofilos and Alexandria Galoozis
Lot B-138, Bayside Village, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$145,000

■ From Bay Creek Development LLC
To Theofilos and Alexandria Galoozis
Lot B-139, Bayside Village, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$140,000

■ From Preserve Homes & Neighborhoods VA LLC
To Joseph and Sandra Yeager, trustees
Lot 33A, The Fairways, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$603,156.38

Accomack property transfers

■ From Shorevest LLC
To Anthony Giardina
5421 Deep Hole Road, Chincoteague
For \$470,000

■ From Jacquelyn and Charles Hawkins
To Lori and Donald Fleagle Jr.
35015 Hickory Court, Horntown
For \$75,000

■ From Martha and Ross Bailey
To Asamblea Cristiana El Redentor Agape Inc.

30231 Church St., Temperanceville
For \$150,000

■ From Carolyn J. and William F. Slok
To Jo Ann F. and George Duer
2447 Adelaide St., Parksley
For \$249,000

■ From Abigail E. and Charles T. Kutz
To Angela R. and Robert H. Miles
Lot 4, Cedar View Beach, Painter
For \$29,000

■ From Jennifer Gray Laruffa and Simon James
McLean Gray, Executors
To Tara M. and Barrie L. Tiedemann Jr.
29503 Burton Road, Painter
For \$667,810

■ From Rebecca D. and Claude S. Vandever III
To Christiana M. Boone and Jonathan T. Smith
3320 Fawn Lane, Chincoteague
For \$423,900

■ From CMH Homes Inc.
To Meng Qian Wang and Zhenqiang Li
20252 Baldpate Lane, Onancock
For \$391,000

■ From Michael R. Oplinger, Trustee
To Virginia M. and Richard Proutt
14337 Mears Circle, Harborton
For \$719,000

■ From Mark F. and Rodney E. Beasley
To Ralph Randolph and Brandon Custis Miller
Locustville Road lot, Onley
For \$150,000

■ From Paul F. Schwengels
To Sue and Michael Stark McLaughlin
6321 Captains Lane, Chincoteague
For \$440,000

■ From NKM Properties LLC
To Kimberly Anne May
1444 Stockton Ave., Greenbackville
For \$63,000

■ From Renee and David Frawley
To Sheree-Lynn Brass and Ruben Diaz Lagunas
Lot 24, Subdivision of Ashlyn, New Church
For \$59,000

■ From Kelly L. and Jeffrey J. Doolan
To Sterling Homes Custom Builders Inc.
Lot 249, Section 7, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$2,150

■ From Leslie P. Rew
To Sylvera Auguste
Property on Virginia Ave., Onley
For \$35,000

■ From Benjamin G. and David C. Rew
To Sylvera Auguste
Property in Onley
For \$82,000

■ From Donna L. and Steven G. Seabridge
To Heather L. Odkan
Lot 173, Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown
For \$45,000

■ From Denise Peterson and Chris Butler
To Judson Fitchett
5357 Cedar Drive, Chincoteague
For \$440,000

■ From New Forest Fund IV LLC
To Chestnut Stump Tree Farm LLC
0 Acorn Drive, Parksley
For \$1,000

■ From New Forest Fund IV LLC
To Chestnut Stump Tree Farm LLC
0 Lankford Highway, Parksley
For \$1,000

■ From Linda C. and Joseph E. Park
To Baltic House LLC
1391 Stockton Ave., Greenbackville
For \$27,000

■ From Wanda T. and Henry E. Johnson
To Tineka Davis
1 acre lot, Parksley
For \$22,000

■ From Heidi Anne Greenhouse
To Dianne S. Arenas and Emilio Arenas Hernandez
30439 Center Ave., Keller
For \$12,000

■ From BCM Group LLC
To Josh Marr
3335 Harpoon Court, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$80,000

■ From Virginia A. and Michael E. Riley
To Taylor R. and Aaron C. Tucker
2235 Brigantine Blvd., Greenbackville
For \$270,000

■ From Margaret B. and Bruce M. Thacker
To Rebecca D. and Claude S. Vandever
Jester Lot 31-32, Chincoteague
For \$185,000

■ From Gemcraft Homes CC LLC
To Angela and John Woodruff
38134 Castaway Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$356,780

■ From Denise and Lendell Galbreath
To Alexis St Louis
21001 Bayside Road, Onancock
For \$26,000

■ From Wilma S. and John Dale Parkes
To Fabian Cayetano Ramirez
26370 Parkes Drive, Parksley
For \$650,000

■ From Patricia K. Check, Trustee
To Terrell Antwon Harris
25430 Parks Road, Parksley

For \$40,000

■ From Paul F. Malstrom
To Dawn Marie Fleming and Robert Rutter
37474 Broadside Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$318,166

■ From Susan Young Hiller and Deborah Young Harless
To Painter Housing LLC
190 acres on Bayside Road, Onancock
For \$735,000

■ From Lora L. and William D. Harper
To Krystyna and William H. Gray
Lot 225, Unit 1, Trails End, Horntown
For \$15,000

■ From Krista K. and Michael T. Lorosa
To Paula and Jeffrey Cogan
Lot 97, Olde Mill Pointe, New Church
For \$25,000

■ From Jennifer and Barry Hodnett
To Perry Mastrola
Lot 25, Nandua Shores, Painter
For \$31,000

■ From Vernon Williams
To Eastern Shore Mermaid LLC
Cropper lot, 1/3 acre, Lankford Highway, Mappsville
For \$4,000

■ From Tara Michelle and Greg Alan Walls
To Kelvin Baptiste
38027 Fathom Drive, Greenbackville
For \$324,000

■ From Anthony Wayne and Edwin George Taylor
To Super Cool Awesome LLC
Cropper Street property, Chincoteague
For \$435,000

■ From Amy Anne and Albert Julius Douglas III
To Steven J. Evans
102 Market St., Onancock
For \$265,000

■ From Katalin P. Teleki
To Deborah C. Hollern
Lot 16, Unit 1, Trails End, Horntown
For \$23,500

■ From Julie Casey, Conservator
To Susan and John Brander Jr.
2422 Anns Cove Road, Bloxom
For \$320,000

■ From Constance Elaine and James D. Lewis
To Beverley and Harland Kingsland Jr
5409 Holly Grove, Chincoteague
For \$581,000

■ From Gregory L. Duncan Sr
To Urias Rodriguez
30262 Paige Fisher Road, Oak Hall
For \$65,000

TIDE TABLE

Seaside

Bayside

		Friday August 18		Saturday August 19		Sunday August 20		Monday August 21		Tuesday August 22		Wednesday August 23		Thursday August 24
Assateague Beach	H L	10:04 a.m. 4:20 p.m.	H L	10:43 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	H L	11:21 a.m. 5:43 p.m.	H L	12:01 p.m. 6:29 p.m.	H L	12:44 p.m. 6:40 a.m.	H L	1:33 p.m. 7:24 a.m.	H L	2:30 p.m. 8:14 a.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	10:03 a.m. 4:20 p.m.	H L	10:41 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	H L	11:19 a.m. 5:41 p.m.	H L	12:00 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	H L	12:45 p.m. 7:16 p.m.	H L	1:38 p.m. 6:56 a.m.	H L	2:38 p.m. 7:48 a.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	11:00 a.m. 4:59 p.m.	H L	11:39 a.m. 5:39 p.m.	H L	12:17 p.m. 6:22 p.m.	H L	12:57 p.m. 6:41 a.m.	H L	1:40 p.m. 7:19 a.m.	H L	2:29 p.m. 8:03 a.m.	H L	3:26 p.m. 8:53 a.m.
Folly Creek	H L	10:53 a.m. 4:44 p.m.	H L	11:32 a.m. 5:24 p.m.	H L	12:10 p.m. 6:07 p.m.	H L	12:50 p.m. 6:53 p.m.	H L	1:33 p.m. 7:04 a.m.	H L	2:22 p.m. 7:48 a.m.	H L	3:19 p.m. 8:38 a.m.
Wachapreague	H L	10:33 a.m. 4:28 p.m.	H L	11:12 a.m. 5:07 p.m.	H L	11:49 a.m. 5:47 p.m.	H L	12:26 p.m. 6:33 p.m.	H L	1:07 p.m. 6:29 a.m.	H L	1:54 p.m. 7:13 a.m.	H L	2:50 p.m. 8:09 a.m.
Quinby Inlet	H L	10:04 a.m. 3:59 p.m.	H L	10:43 a.m. 4:39 p.m.	H L	11:21 a.m. 5:22 p.m.	H L	12:01 p.m. 6:08 p.m.	H L	12:44 p.m. 6:58 p.m.	H L	1:33 p.m. 7:03 a.m.	H L	2:30 p.m. 7:53 a.m.
Machipongo	H L	10:34 a.m. 4:28 p.m.	H L	11:13 a.m. 5:08 p.m.	H L	11:51 a.m. 5:51 p.m.	H L	12:31 p.m. 6:37 p.m.	H L	1:14 p.m. 6:48 a.m.	H L	2:03 p.m. 7:32 a.m.	H L	3:00 p.m. 8:22 a.m.
Tangier Sound Light	H L	1:56 p.m. 8:16 a.m.	H L	2:33 p.m. 8:47 a.m.	H L	3:12 p.m. 9:20 a.m.	H L	3:55 p.m. 9:54 a.m.	H L	4:43 p.m. 10:34 a.m.	H L	5:37 p.m. 11:19 a.m.	H L	6:38 p.m. 12:12 p.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	2:33 p.m. 8:56 a.m.	H L	3:07 p.m. 9:27 a.m.	H L	3:42 p.m. 9:58 a.m.	H L	4:19 p.m. 10:32 a.m.	H L	4:59 p.m. 11:10 a.m.	H L	5:46 p.m. 11:53 a.m.	H L	6:40 p.m. 12:45 p.m.
Guard Shore	H L	2:25 p.m. 8:52 a.m.	H L	2:59 p.m. 9:23 a.m.	H L	3:34 p.m. 9:54 a.m.	H L	4:11 p.m. 10:28 a.m.	H L	4:51 p.m. 11:06 a.m.	H L	5:38 p.m. 11:49 a.m.	H L	6:32 p.m. 12:41 p.m.
Chescon. Creek	H L	2:00 p.m. 8:04 a.m.	H L	2:34 p.m. 8:35 a.m.	H L	3:09 p.m. 9:06 a.m.	H L	3:46 p.m. 9:40 a.m.	H L	4:26 p.m. 10:18 a.m.	H L	5:13 p.m. 11:01 a.m.	H L	6:07 p.m. 11:53 a.m.
Onancock Creek	H L	2:14 p.m. 8:24 a.m.	H L	2:48 p.m. 8:55 a.m.	H L	3:23 p.m. 9:26 a.m.	H L	4:00 p.m. 10:00 a.m.	H L	4:40 p.m. 10:38 a.m.	H L	5:27 p.m. 11:21 a.m.	H L	6:21 p.m. 12:13 p.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	1:30 p.m. 7:38 a.m.	H L	2:04 p.m. 8:09 a.m.	H L	2:39 p.m. 8:40 a.m.	H L	3:16 p.m. 9:14 a.m.	H L	3:56 p.m. 9:52 a.m.	H L	4:43 p.m. 10:35 a.m.	H L	5:37 p.m. 11:27 a.m.
Nassawadox	H L	12:13p.m. 6:13 p.m.	H L	12:47 p.m. 6:51 p.m.	H L	1:21 p.m. 7:02 a.m.	H L	1:57 p.m. 7:34 a.m.	H L	2:38 p.m. 8:09 a.m.	H L	3:26 p.m. 8:51 a.m.	H L	4:23 p.m. 9:42 a.m.
Occohan. Creek	H L	12:39p.m. 7:04 a.m.	H L	1:19 p.m. 7:31 a.m.	H L	1:58 p.m. 8:00 a.m.	H L	2:39 p.m. 8:33 a.m.	H L	3:23 p.m. 9:12 a.m.	H L	4:14 p.m. 9:59 a.m.	H L	5:10 p.m. 10:52 a.m.
Cape Charles	H L	11:04p.m. 5:19 p.m.	H L	11:38 a.m. 5:57 p.m.	H L	12:13 p.m. 6:36 p.m.	H L	12:50 p.m. 6:44 a.m.	H L	1:30 p.m. 7:22 a.m.	H L	2:17 p.m. 8:05 a.m.	H L	3:11 p.m. 8:57 a.m.
Kiptopeke Beach	H L	10:41 a.m. 4:43 p.m.	H L	11:14 a.m. 5:21 p.m.	H L	11:48 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	H L	12:24 p.m. 6:43 p.m.	H L	1:05 p.m. 6:46 a.m.	H L	1:52 p.m. 7:29 a.m.	H L	2:48 p.m. 8:20 a.m.

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally
Unlisted clue hint: **Rise and Fall of the Sea Level**

Ball Gear Price Speed
Calorie Land Profile Technology
End Level Quality Volume
Frequency Pressure Score

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Last week's answers

CAVE BAT SKIMP SLEAZE
ALAMODE HERMIT TAMPER
BELOW ZERO TEMPERATURES
OPS MERC EVERETT
THE PAUSE THAT REFRESHES
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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Super Crossword

TAKEN IN

ACROSS

- 1 Alabama city
6 Change to fit
11 Kind of port on a PC
14 Seizes the attention of
19 Follow behind
20 First half of an album
21 Salada drink
22 Roll back to 0
23 "Hitchin' —" (1970 hit)
24 U.S. version of a cue sport
27 Argonauts' quest
29 Screening airport gp.
30 Lead-in for Rooter or tiller
31 Israel's main airline
32 Motorist's 180, slangily
33 Common seabird with black wingtips
36 Doc wielding a penlight
38 Chou En- —
40 "— la vista!"
41 — Aviv
42 Chess piece four squares from the king at the start of the game
47 Alternatives to inns
49 Wife's father, e.g.
50 Left on the dinner table
52 Arid African expanse
56 Small drinks
57 Keep — profile
58 Egypt's Anwar
61 Experts
62 Mooing herd
64 Cars move up and down in it
68 Fleur-de- —
69 "Yes, yes!" in Spain
71 Land in the ocean, to Yvette
72 Iraq's locale
73 Group of two
74 Certain injury from an arachnid
78 Gives 10% to the church
80 See 96-Down
81 Dragster fuel
82 Guesses at JFK or SFO
84 Iowa city
86 Printed notice with no pictures
89 Newly capped tire
91 Makes a sock, say
92 Old buddies
95 Inmate who's broken out
97 African cobra
100 Staples Center, e.g.
101 "Aw, shucks!"
102 Pantry pest
103 Baby who doesn't need a pacifier, perhaps
106 Actor Mineo
108 Spoken
112 Sorvino of "Mimic"
113 I love, to Livia
114 It connects to a car engine's water pump
118 People who do what's at the ends of nine answers in this puzzle
121 Barbera's collaborator in cartoons
122 Borden's "spokescow"
123 Actor Romero
124 Common bellybutton
125 Rear- — (car accident)
126 Banana oil or benzoate
127 Secret U.S. govt. group
128 Big name in insurance
129 Deck out

DOWN

- 1 Rocket part
2 Flynn of old Hollywood
3 Boxer Ali
4 Iraq's locale
5 Sheltered from the wind
6 "Have — trip"
7 How faint memories are recalled
8 "Zip- — -Doo-Dah"
9 Father, in French
10 Chinese calisthenics system
11 Thespian great Hagen
12 Popular Nissans
13 Certain guitar player
14 Miracle- —
15 Corporate shake-up, for short
16 Invite on a date
17 Scarab, e.g.
18 Leisuredly walk
25 2.0 grade
26 French edict city of old
28 Granola bits
34 "Help Me, —" (1965 hit)
35 Fancy party
37 Boise-to-Spokane dir.
38 Lerner's collaborator in musicals
39 Wanted-poster abbr.
42 Grafton's "— for Quarry"
43 Single-wheeled circus prop
44 U.S.-Mex. border city
45 Gives a judgment about
46 "Dogtown" singer Yoko
47 Paradise
48 Persian king
51 "The Hollow Men" poet
53 Scholastic
54 Simply won't
55 Apropos of
57 Et — (and others)
59 Week- — -glance
60 Mexican dish
63 Baking qty.
65 Petrol quantities
66 Jacob of social reform
67 Roosted
68 Exam for future attys.
70 "Here Comes the Hotstepper" singer — Kamoze
75 Campus mil. group
76 Hair highlight
77 Gaggle birds
79 Like direct combat
83 Sea- — Airport
85 IRS form info
87 Iraqi, for one
88 Back fish fin
90 Singer Des'—
91 Jeong of "The Hangover"
93 Liselotte of the LPGA
94 Revenues
96 With 80-Across, Silicon Valley city
97 PIN money?
98 Hucksters' helpers
99 Stickler
101 The "g" of e.g.
104 Ike's wife
105 Screw up
106 Glossy fabric
107 Bewildered
109 Concerto part
110 Actor Ed
111 Get versed in
115 Sup stylishly
116 Lacks being
117 Emu relative
119 Slangy suffix with "two"
120 Gp. for tooth drillers

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