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Man Is Killed By Bus Near Painter

PAINTER, Va. — An unidentified black man was killed at 6:45 a.m. Sunday about three-tenths of a mile north of here on

No Clues On Skeleton Found On Shore Marsh

EXMORE — A human skeleton found on the marsh just south of Willis Wharf by two men last Thursday

Body of Man Is Found On Beach Near Eastville

Cape Charles, Jan. 18.—The body of a white man, apparently from 35 to 40 years of age weighing 140 pounds and about 5 feet 9 inches tall is being held for identification at the Fox and James Funeral Home, Eastville.

Torso found in Chincoteague Bay

By KEITH PAUL
Daily Times Staff Writer

ACCOMACK — A headless, limbless torso was found Saturday a few feet from shore in the Chincoteague Bay, the Accomack County Sheriff said.

have no idea where it came from," he said.

Crockett said he does not know if the torso was from the same body as other body parts that have washed ashore in the past few months.

A shoe with a human foot inside was found June 27 by a

in Chincoteague by a passerby and turned over to the Accomack County Sheriff's Office. It was then turned over to the Virginia Medical Examiner's Office in Norfolk, officials said.

And on July 4 another shoe containing a foot was found in Virginia near Assateague off-

will not know anything about the torso until after the medical examiner's office has inspected it.

Medical examiner's office officials indicated last month the feet and leg appeared to be parts of the same person.

REGIONAL

Two will vie for circuit judge position

BY TED SHOCKLEY
Eastern Shore Post

Two Eastern Shore natives with long careers in public service are candidates to be the Eastern Shore's resident circuit court judge, a position that will be vacant at the end of the year.

State Sen. Lynwood W. Lewis Jr., who is retiring after two decades in the General Assembly, and Gordon S. Vincent, who has been the Eastern Shore's General District Court judge for more than 17 years, announced their intentions on Wednesday, Oct. 25, at a meeting of the Eastern Shore Bar Association in Accomack.

W. Revell Lewis III, the Eastern Shore's resident circuit judge since his appointment in 2011, is retiring effective Dec. 31.

It will be up to the bar association, a group of several dozen Eastern Shore lawyers and judges, to

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Bodies were found here. But who are they?

BY TED SHOCKLEY
Eastern Shore Post

On Aug. 14, 1995, human remains were found on Castaway Drive in Captains Cove, part of a collection of body parts found over several weeks near Chincoteague and Assateague islands that were determined to come

from one person.

On Oct. 13, 1974, a Black man was fatally injured when he walked into the northbound passing lane of Route 13 in Painter and into the path of a Greyhound bus.

On Jan. 16, 1971, the body of a Black male was found near Willis Wharf in a muddy area of marsh, his

hands and feet missing.

On Jan. 16, 1950, the body of a White male was found on a beach near Eastville still wearing gabardine pants and brown shoes.

The human remains recovered in each of the cases have never been identified — no names, no hometowns, no

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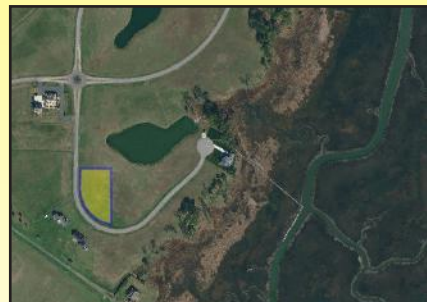
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Circuit judge

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recommend one of the candidates to the General Assembly, which makes judicial appointments with the governor's approval.

The General Assembly isn't mandated to select the jurist recommended by the local bar association, but the recommendation carries weight.

"They're going to do what they're going to do, and that's fine," said Jack A. Thornton III, the Northampton County Commonwealth's Attorney and the bar association's leader.

State law mandates that the Eastern Shore have a circuit judge who lives in either Northampton or Accomack county.

The bar association will decide who to recommend by conducting a secret ballot during a Nov. 8 meeting in Northampton County Circuit Court.

Lynwood Lewis, addressing the bar association Wednesday, felt he would bring "some skills and some perspectives" as a jurist.

He began practicing law on the Eastern Shore in 1989 and said his career in private practice and in the

General Assembly made him "keenly aware of all the challenges" of practicing law in a rural area.

He also said his reputation in Richmond of working with colleagues regardless of political party would give him "widespread bipartisan support" in the General Assembly.

Vincent practiced law for a firm in South Carolina before returning to his native Eastern Shore in 1989 as a lawyer in private practice. He was named general district court judge in 2006.

Vincent, addressing the bar association, detailed the depth and breadth of cases he handled as an attorney and additional duties, including helping mentor law school students.

He received an award from a state district court judges' association for his additional service.

For several years, Vincent's district court saw the highest number of cases per judge in the state.

"I'm ready and eager to take on anything that comes in front of the court," he said. "I will be prepared."

Thornton praised Revell Lewis, the retiring circuit judge.

"He's done a wonderful job and surely we'll all miss him," he said.

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1,200 cyclists on Eastern Shore Oct. 28 for CBES ride

Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore, CBES, is issuing an advisory for Saturday, Oct. 28, as some 1,200 bicyclists will be participating in the 30th Between the Waters Bike Tour.

The event's economic impact on the Shore is estimated at more than \$300,000.

The start-finish is at Exmore Town Park.

The tour begins at 7:30 a.m. with the 100-milers departing and staggered starts for the remaining three routes ending at 10:30 a.m.

All cyclists are expected off local roads prior to dark.

The ride is heavily concentrated on the central Shore with points as far north as Wachapreague and Pungoteague and south to the Cheriton area.

Cyclists will travel the roads both bayside and seaside. Seaside Road will see many cy-

clists.

Riders will travel through and around towns and villages including Quinby, Craddockville, Belle Haven, Wardtown, Willis Wharf, Nassawadox, Franktown, Red Bank, and Oyster.

The lunch stop is off Bayside Road, south of Franktown.

Drivers are asked to be attentive of bikes crossing Route 13 at various locations.

On Friday, Oct. 27, a shorter Fun Ride with 230 participants is leaving from the Northampton Parks and Recreation office, Young Street, Machipongo, at 4 p.m.

CBES requested that dog owners be mindful of the Shore's cycling guests.

CBES thanked Shore residents for their alertness and patience.

For more info contact CBES info@cbes.org or 757-678-7157.



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The Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore Between the Waters Bike Tour is slated for Saturday, Oct. 28.



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The Town of Chincoteague at its October workshop meeting recognized two islanders for their longevity of life and service with a special proclamation from Mayor Arthur Leonard. Buddy Walker, 97, and Elodie Fish, 91, have been lifelong residents of the island and both have lived a life of service to their community. Leonard is pictured making the presentations to Walker, at top, and Stephanie Montross, granddaughter of Fish, above. Fish was unable to attend the meeting.



VOTE CEDRICK COOPER

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Pictured from left are Jenny Richardson, Kit Warren, Ginger Johnson, Julie Badger, Claiborne Dickinson, Dr. David Scott, Page Beary, John Robinson, and Ginger White. Absent from photo is Susan Robinson.

Northampton DAR cleans cemetery

The Historic Preservation Committee of the Northampton Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution participated in the National DAR Day of Service on Oct. 11 with a cemetery preservation and restoration project at the cemetery in Bay Creek on King's Creek in Cape Charles.

After getting approval from the

owner of the private property, Claiborne Dickinson and Page Beary led the committee in cleaning the historic tombstones of patriot John Stratton and family, William Burton and his wife, and a Wescoat. The team used DAR-approved conservation treatment that cleans but does not damage the stones.

The DAR was joined by special guest, Dr. David Scott, noted and respected Northampton County historian, who gave a presentation on John Stratton.

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THE PAPER'S POSITION

In times like these, real school leadership needed

Dominating social media this week was a filmed apology on Facebook by Nandua's football team to Arcadia High School after a chippy game Friday, Oct. 20.

The apology, while well-intentioned, created more questions than it answered. A wave of accusations and innuendo followed.

It is difficult to nail down exactly what happened, but here's the gist:

Some Nandua postgame locker room videos — complete with language coarse enough to strip paint — were posted on TikTok, an online short-form video hosting service. We sincerely hope those guys don't kiss their mothers with mouths so filthy.

But there also apparently was a near-dustup between cheerleading teams. Some Nandua-embossed clothing allegedly was stomped on at an Arcadia pep rally. Disciplinary actions were taken, rumor has it.

What is needed after educationally sponsored dumpster fires like this is some public relations savvy and communications talent from an educational leader.

But Accomack County Superintendent Rhonda Hall refused to comment Wednesday about it, hiding behind the excuse that student and personnel matters are private. That's an inadequate response.

When asked by this publication for her view on the matter, she didn't express even generic disapproval for the bad behavior. She didn't even condemn the potty-mouth TikTok videos, which had been viewed 24,000 times before they were taken down.

All in all, it was a bad sequence of events, funded by your tax dollars.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Will not be voting for Cedrick Cooper

To the editor:

My wife and I were asked to help with Cedrick Cooper's campaign. We were glad to help because we viewed the Coopers as friends.

We worked on a campaign with the Coopers before and looked forward to helping Cedrick Cooper. We think so much of Sammy Cooper that, a year ago, we asked him to marry us.

All was going well until we were told about the Gaskins Chapel video. We watched it five times and each time made us even more upset. It actually made me physically ill.

I could not get my mind around what I had just heard from Ronnie Holden and Cedrick Cooper. I was shocked and hurt.

My wife and I were invested in getting Cedrick Cooper elected. The reality was that we were being used.

I thought we were friends.

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.

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Letters should be no longer than 250 words. Guest columns should be limited to 450 words.

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I could not understand why Holden and Cedrick Cooper made such ugly statements.

I didn't know how to handle the situation. I felt surely he had an answer for his remarks

so I called him. We spoke for an hour. I asked him what he was thinking.

His response was, "You don't understand what I was saying." I told him that I understood exactly what he was saying.

I wanted to know who the "they" were in his statement, "if we stick together, they fear us."

He said, "I didn't mean you and Linda (my wife), I meant the rest of them."

I said, "Who is 'the rest of them,' the 51% of the voters you need to win?"

I asked him to make a statement to get out in front of this. He had no interest in apologizing or giving an explanation.

His statement was, "We have to realize that some people want things to go back to how they used to be."

After our conversation, I realized that I could not work for his campaign any longer. There was no remorse in his remarks. I wished him the best and said good night.

Time has gone by and the

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A local marriage celebrant who admits to discrimination

Cape Charles residents JoAnn Bawiec and Lori Smith, who have long been a couple, decided Friday, Oct. 20, to get their marriage license.

They went to the courthouse in Eastville and were heartened by everyone's warmth and kindness.

"They were absolutely lovely cheerleaders," said Bawiec.

Someone said there was a marriage celebrant on site — and the marriage ceremony could be performed that day.

That's because one of the county's designated marriage celebrants, Mable Owens, happens to work in the same building.

Bawiec and Smith were taken aback by Owens' response.

"She said, 'I do not do same-sex marriages,'" Bawiec said.

"In that moment, we were kind of stunned," she said. "My partner immediately started crying. It was something that was so unexpected for us."

It was another clash of beliefs and sensibilities — the types of clashes that define our world these days.

These collisions aren't minor fender-benders where nobody gets hurt.

They are jarring crashes where



Ted Shockley

freedoms, religions, laws, feelings, hard-earned rights, and long-held convictions run together, and the injuries are numerous and deep.

It's the type of stuff you see on the national television news.

But it also happens in quaint Eastville to people who never, ever, sought or asked to be in the local newspaper as the poster children for any movement or ideology.

Contacted later, Owens matter-of-factly defended her views.

"I don't do those marriages. I don't want to," said Owens, who said same-sex marriages are contrary to her religious beliefs.

"I don't feel comfortable with it," she said, adding, "Nobody can change that."

The Eastern Shore is a place where many people are fervently religious and probably understand Owens' refusal.

Her own beliefs need to be considered and respected — we all deserve to have our beliefs, thoughts, and feelings acknowledged and regarded.

But people who work for the government must serve everyone equally. And being one of the circuit court's approved marriage celebrants makes it against the law for her to discriminate.

Further, it is not a good look for a county or a court to have one of its representatives admit to openly practicing discrimination of any sort.

"She's a representative of the court, in a county, in a state, and the law says you can't do this," Bawiec said.

Owens said she has homosexual relatives and implied their lifestyle choices don't bother her.

"I don't tell people how to live," she said. But when conducting her work as a court-approved marriage celebrant, "I feel like I can pick and choose like I want to."

As Eastern Shore residents, some of us consider ourselves part of a special place where we help, depend on, and respect each other, no matter the background or circumstances.

But maybe that's incorrect and our

community unity is a falsehood we use to soothe ourselves.

Sometimes I wonder if gathering and talking openly about our differences and commonalities can create understanding and bring us closer.

Perhaps we could focus on what unites us instead of what divides us — while identifying and understanding those topics on which we don't agree.

If Owens were White and admitted to a reporter that she refused to marry a Black couple, it would have been an explosive story — the type of stuff you see on national television news.

But discrimination isn't always color-based. It isn't always overt. And sometimes it happens in the halls of power in a rural county seat.

"The church has turned us away and finally we get some legal rights," said Bawiec of homosexuals.

"There are people who are much braver than me — who have fought a lot longer — for me to simply get married," she said.

But last Friday in Northampton County, getting married wasn't so simple.

The writer is editor of the Eastern Shore Post. Reach him at editor@easternshorepost.com

Letters

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feeling of betrayal still lingers. Comments made from the pulpit made me realize the "hidden agenda" was not known by anyone but the Coopers.

Politics is a contact sport. It is a contest between opponents and the people pick the best candidate.

This event lays open the ugly truth. Winning at all costs is what matters most.

When you pander in church, deceive with your campaign signs, and tell untruths to friends, it exposes the real agenda. It tells you all you need to know about the character of the candidate.

Ken Tucker
Lee Mont

Likes Brockmeier for Onancock council

To the editor:

There are many in Onancock who dedicate countless personal hours to making the town a better place to live. We are lucky to have them. The ones who stick with it seem to be driven by an inner passion, strong community spirit, and a vision for "what can be." They are leaders who work collaboratively and seek to unify. One of these people is Brandon Brockmeier, who is running to maintain his seat on the Onancock Town Council.

I have had the pleasure of knowing Brandon and his wife, Kerry, since they moved next door to me in 2020. While I liked them immediately, selfishly, I just hoped they would remove

the dilapidated fence in the backyard. Happily, the fence did quickly disappear.

Even faster was the start of Brandon's leadership and volunteerism in Onancock. One example is the "Great Pumpkin Carve" he and Kerry put on. Now in its third year, this event typifies Brandon's vision, ability to execute, and passion for creating a unifying town spirit. Simply put, when Brandon gets involved, good things happen.

He has proven to be an effective Onancock Town Council member. He is a practical, strategic, and visionary contributor. He looks to draw consensus and get things done for the town. Most importantly, Brandon is a unifying presence in Onancock as we build on town strengths and address challenges. As a devoted dad of two teenagers, he also brings an important

perspective to council as they seek to meet the needs of all age groups.

In my book, town leadership candidates need to demonstrate they are truly vested in the community. Talk is not enough. Proof is visible in what candidates have already done, not just what they say they will do. Brandon's three-year Onancock resume makes a strong case.

In addition to being on the town council and starting the "Great Pumpkin Carve," he is on the town planning commission, has chaired the ice-cream social, is an Adopt-a-Highway volunteer, a parade judge, and is a recipient of the Guinness Toast for Volunteerism.

Please consider voting for Brandon for Onancock Town Council on Nov. 7 or in early voting until Nov. 3.

Jeff Vernimb
Onancock

ENTERTAINMENT

Eastern Shore Post

Friday, October 27

■ **YOGA:** 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

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

■ **FALL PUMPKIN HUNT:** 6 p.m., Union Baptist Church, Chincoteague, will have its inaugural Fall Pumpkin Hunt at the church's activities building and on the grounds, 6365 Church St., Chincoteague. It is for ages 1 year to fifth grade. There will be a pumpkin hunt, puppets, and a menu of hot dogs, chips, and dessert.

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

■ **HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL:** 6 p.m., Northampton at Arcadia.

■ **DANCE:** 6:30 p.m., "Zombie Prom" Halloween Dance Party with DJ Sleepy at the Exmore Moose Lodge, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven.

■ **HALLOWEEN HAPPENINGS:** 6:30 to 10 p.m. at the Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St., Pocomoke City. \$1 haunted house, hay rides, food, and Halloween movie beginning at 7 p.m.

■ **STORYTELLING:** 7 p.m., Chincoteague Storytelling Guild at the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. The topic is spooky tales. Admission is free and there is a cash bar.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7:30 p.m., The Orchestra of the Eastern Shore will perform "A Glimpse of Paradise," a free concert, at Market Street United Methodist Church, Onancock. Paul Sanho Kim is the music director. Donations will be accepted.

Saturday, October 28

■ **BENEFIT BREAKFAST:** 8 a.m. to noon, Mears Memorial United Methodist Church will host a pancake breakfast. Pancakes, eggs, bacon, and juice will be offered for \$10. The church is located on Second Street in Keller.

■ **YOGA:** 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Communi-

Best bets...

■ **On Friday, Oct. 27, at 6 p.m.,** Union Baptist Church, Chincoteague, will have its inaugural Fall Pumpkin Hunt at the church's activities building and on the grounds, 6365 Church St., Chincoteague. It is for ages 1 year to fifth grade. There will be a pumpkin hunt, puppets, and a menu of hot dogs, chips, and dessert.

■ **On Saturday, Oct. 28, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.,** the Exmore Moose Lodge Craft and Vendor Show will be held at 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven. Admission is \$3 and proceeds benefit Dogs Deserve Better and Northern Accomack Community Cats.

ty House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ **CRAFT SHOW:** 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., Exmore Moose Lodge Craft and Vendor Show, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven. Admission \$3. Benefits Dogs Deserve Better and Northern Accomack Community Cats. Call 757-694-8569 for more information.

■ **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.

■ **STORYTIME:** 10 a.m., the Parksley library will host firefighter Dan Teague for its Hometown Heroes Storytime.

■ **FESTIVAL:** 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., the Art and Food Festival sponsored by the United Women of Franktown Church will be held at the church. There will be local artsits and vendors, baked goods, frozen foods, pimen-

to cheese, cheese balls, chicken salad, and soups. Lunch will be available.

■ **FALL BAZAAR:** 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Andrew Chapel Fall Bazaar. Homemade foods, clothing, and more. The church is located at 15151 Cashville Road, Cashville.

■ **HALLOWEEN AT THE MUSEUM:** 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Delmarva Discovery Museum, 2 Market St., Pocomoke City. Dress up in a costume and participate in a "spooky scavenger hunt."

■ **FALL FESTIVAL:** noon to 2 p.m., there will be a Melfa Park Fall Festival at the town park. Each trunk will be decorated with carnival games to play and treats to win. There will be hot dogs and drinks provided.

■ **PUMPKIN CARVE:** Noon to 4 p.m., the Great Pumpkin Carve at Onancock Town Square, presented by the Brockmeier family. Choose a pumpkin and get creative with your carving. Illumination of all pumpkins will be on the evenings of Oct. 28 and Oct. 29.

■ **MUD HOP:** noon, Old Fashioned Mud Hop at 316 Dirt Drags, 20305 Greenbush Road, Greenbush. Gates open at 8 a.m. \$20 per person and children 10 and younger are free.

■ **HALLOWEEN EVENT:** 1 to 4 p.m., second annual Cape Charles Halloween Hootenanny, Cape Charles Central Park.

Hayrides, crafts, petting zoo, games, bounce houses, costume contests, face painting, and more. Trunk-or-treating on Main Street to follow.

■ **HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL:** 2 p.m., Chincoteague at Quantico.

■ **EASTVILLE DINNER** 4 to 7 p.m., Eastville will have its Halloween Spooktacular community dinner at the community center, 17202 Courthouse Road. The town will provide the entree and guests are asked to bring a side dish or dessert. Costumes allowed.

■ **PIG ROAST:** 4 to 8 p.m., the Sons of the American Legion Squadron 159 will hold its pig roast. It is eat-in or carryout and costs \$15 per meal. The menu is roast pork, homemade macaroni and cheese, baked apples, rolls, and dessert. The Post is located at 4023 Main St., Chincoteague.

■ **HALLOWEEN HAPPENINGS:** 4:30 to 10 p.m. at the Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St., Pocomoke City. Trunk or treat from 4:30 to 7 p.m. with a prize for the best-decorated space (setup by 4:15 p.m.). Costume contest at 6 p.m. at the livestock barn in five categories: up to 2 years, 3 to 6 years, 7 to 12 years, 13 to 17 years, and 18 years and older. There will be a coloring contest, pumpkin painting, bake sale, \$1 haunted house opens at 4:30 p.m. Haunted hayrides begin at 6:30 p.m. A Halloween movie will begin at 7:30 p.m.

■ **DINNER THEATER:** 6:30 p.m., Chincoteague Island Theatre Company presents "Mortal Fools: a Ghostly Tale of Redemption" dinner play at the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. Tickets are \$50 per person and in-

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Be included

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

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clude a three-course meal catered by Better food truck. Get tickets at H&H Pharmacy and at www.chincoteagueca.org/theatre

Sunday, October 29

■ HALLOWEEN AT THE MUSEUM: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Delmarva Discovery Museum, 2 Market St., Pocomoke City. Dress up in a costume and participate in a “spooky scavenger hunt.”

■ LIVE MUSIC: 1 to 4 p.m., open mic and jam session open to local musicians each Sunday at Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Free admission.

■ HARVEST GATHERING: 3 to 6 p.m., Salem's Old-Fashioned Harvest Gathering at the Winter Quarters Log Cabin, Pocomoke City. Kids games, hayrides, apple dipping, broom races, s'mores, cider, and a cozy fire.

■ DESIGNER BAG BINGO: 3 p.m., the Accomack-Northampton Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. will have designer bag bingo at the Mary N. Smith Cultural and Enrichment Center. Tickets at the door are \$35. Doors open at 2 p.m.

■ LIVE MUSIC: 4 p.m., The Orchestra of the Eastern Shore will perform “A Glimpse of Paradise,” a free concert, at Hungars Episcopal Church, Bridgetown. Paul Sanho Kim is the music director. Donations will be accepted.

Monday, October 30

■ YOGA: 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ 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., Accomack. Info: 757-787-7750.

■ FALL PUMPKIN HUNT: 6 p.m., Union Baptist Church, Chincoteague, will have its inaugural Fall Pumpkin Hunt at the church's activities building and on the grounds at 6365 Church St., Chincoteague.

It is for ages 1 year to fifth grade. There will be a pumpkin hunt, puppets, and a menu of hot dogs, chips, and dessert.

Tuesday, October 31 HALLOWEEN

■ 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.

■ PARKSLEY: The town of Parksley will have a trunk-or-treat on Tuesday, Oct. 31, at 5 p.m. It will be held on Dunne Avenue.

■ WACHAPREAGUE: 5 to 8 p.m., the town of Wachapreague will have trick-or-treat night.

■ LIBRARY EVENT: 5 p.m., the Parsley library will have a teen event called “Spooky Jukebox Trivia.”

■ SAFE NIGHT OUT: 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Halloween Safe Night Out on the lawn of the Northampton County Sheriff's Office, 5211 The Hornes, Eastville. There will be a trunk-or-treat, games, hayrides, and food and drink. Admission is free.

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

Wednesday, November 1

■ YOGA: 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ 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

■ 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.

Thursday, November 2

■ 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.

■ DINNER THEATER: 6:30 p.m., Chincoteague Island Theatre Company presents “Mortal Fools: a Ghostly Tale of Redemption” dinner play at the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. Tickets are \$50 per person and include a three-course meal catered by Better food truck. Get tickets at H&H Pharmacy and at www.chincoteagueca.org/theatre

Friday, November 3

■ YOGA: 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

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

■ YOGA: 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ BENEFIT LUNCH/DINNER: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., the Melfa Volunteer Fire and Rescue Co. will have an all-you-can-eat vegetable beef soup dinner including soup, a grilled cheese sandwich, and a drink for \$12. Pints will be sold for \$10 and quarts for \$15.

■ BENEFIT DINNER: 5 to 7 p.m., Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St. Cheesesteak sub meal, \$10; chicken tender meal, \$8. Call 410-422-9295 to place a pickup order.

■ DINNER THEATER: 6:30 p.m., Chincoteague Island Theatre Company presents “Mortal Fools: a Ghostly Tale of Redemption” dinner play at the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. Tickets are \$50 per person and include

a three-course meal catered by Better food truck. Get tickets at H&H Pharmacy and at www.chincoteagueca.org/theatre

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

■ HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL: 7 p.m., Nandua at Northampton

■ THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE: 7:30 p.m., “Noises Off” Arts Enter Cape Charles' Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Saturday, November 4

■ CRAFT BAZAAR: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Atlantic Baptist Church in Atlantic is having its inaugural Craft Bazaar at the Atlantic Fire House. There will be local artisans, a Herbie Watson decoy raffle, silent auctions, holiday wreaths, woodworking items, birdhouses, junk journals, quilts, seashell art, a bake sale table, and more. Proceeds support youth missions.

■ YOGA: 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ PLANT SWAP: 9 to 11 a.m., There will be a house plant swap at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 66 Market St., Onancock. Bring a plant or a plant start, and bring a canned good to donate. For more information, email rjandrejco@gmail.com.

■ 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.

■ PRAYER BREAKFAST: The annual Women's Prayer Breakfast, hosted by Talitha Cumi Ministries, Inc., will be held at Living Word Church of Deliverance, 18154 Lankford Highway, Parksley. Registration is \$15. For inquiries and additional information, call 757-317-0109 or email talithacumi913@gmail.com

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

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■ **SPAGHETTI DINNER:** 4 to 7 p.m., St. Mary the Virgin Episcopal Church, 18 3rd St., Pocomoke City. All-you-can-eat spaghetti, bread, salad, dessert. \$10 for adults \$24 for ages 3 to 6, free for children younger than 3. Contact the church for tickets at 410-957-1518 or buy them at the dinner.

■ **DINNER THEATER:** 6:30 p.m., Chincoteague Island Theatre Company presents “Mortal Fools: a Ghostly Tale of Redemption” dinner play at the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. Tickets are \$50 per person and include a three-course meal catered by Better food truck. Get tickets at H&H Pharmacy and at www.chincoteagueca.org/theatre

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Ron Warren, Native American flutist, at the Mar-Va Theater, 103 Market St., Pocomoke City. \$5.

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 7:30 p.m., “Noises Off” Arts Enter Cape Charles’ Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Sunday, November 5

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 10:30 a.m., the Baptist Boys will be in concert at Oak Grove United Methodist Church near Melfa. Finger foods will be served afterward.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 1 to 4 p.m., open mic and jam session open to local musicians each Sunday at Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Free admission.

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 3 p.m., “Noises Off” Arts Enter Cape Charles’ Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Monday, November 6

■ **YOGA:** 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ **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, November 7 ELECTION DAY

■ **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.

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

Wednesday, November 8

■ **YOGA:** 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

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

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

Thursday, November 9

■ **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 municipi-

pal parking lot on West Green Street. Fresh local produce, baked goods, locally roasted coffee, and artisanal items.

■ **INTERNATIONAL FILM:** 7 p.m., Onancock International Films presents “Other People’s Children,” at the Roseland Theatre in Onancock. Sponsored by the Roseland Cinema and Entertainment Center.

Friday, November 10

■ **YOGA:** 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

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

■ **BENEFIT DINNER:** Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church will have a spaghetti dinner at the church, located at 89 Market St., Onancock. Takeout orders are available and donations are accepted. Proceeds benefit No Limits Eastern Shore Brain Injury Services. Those in attendance should enter through the Lee Street door. Call 757-787-1131 for more information.

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

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 7:30 p.m., “Noises Off” Arts Enter Cape Charles’ Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Saturday, November 11 VETERANS DAY

■ **YOGA:** 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ **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.

■ **VETERANS DINNER:** 10 a.m. to 3

p.m., the American Legion Post 100 of Parksley will be holding a free dinner for veterans at the Parksley farmers market. The menu is hot dogs, hamburgers, baked beans, and dessert. Family members and friends of veterans can dine for a suggested donation of \$10.

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 3 p.m., “Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs” performed by the Theater Academy of Delmarva at the Mar-Va Theater, Pocomoke City. \$15. Tickets at marvatheater.com

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 7:30 p.m., “Noises Off” Arts Enter Cape Charles’ Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Sunday, November 12

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 1 to 4 p.m., open mic and jam session open to local musicians each Sunday at Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Free admission.

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 3 p.m., “Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs” performed by the Theater Academy of Delmarva at the Mar-Va Theater, Pocomoke City. \$15. Tickets at marvatheater.com

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 3 p.m., “Noises Off” Arts Enter Cape Charles’ Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Monday, November 13

■ **YOGA:** 8 a.m., donation-based yoga classes for all levels at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Call 757-336-1993.

■ **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, November 14

■ **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.

OBITUARIES

Eastern Shore Post

Sharon Martin

Mrs. Sharon Leigh Martin, age 83, of Harborton, passed away on Monday, July 10, 2023. She was the wife of Webster S. Martin.

She was born in South Dakota to the late Frank A. Cisar and the late Lorraine Clayton Cisar. She spent the majority of her youth in Silver Spring, Md. and had been a resident of Harborton for the past 66 years.



Sharon was a retired real estate agent, having worked for Lassiter Realty in Onancock for many years. She is best remembered as an enthusiastic world traveler.

Other than her husband, she is survived by her daughter, Lorraine Martin of Harborton; son, Smith Martin of Harborton; son, Peter Martin and his wife, Lisa, of Homer, Alaska; and grandson, Webster S. Martin II, of Homer. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

A memorial service in Sharon's honor will be held at the Harborton United Methodist Church on Sunday, Oct. 29, 2023, at 2 p.m.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Maurice Webb

Mr. Maurice James Webb Sr., also known to many as "Reese," gently entered this earth on Feb. 24, 1957, in Wardtown to Margaret Webb and the late William Webb Sr.

He departed Tuesday, Oct. 10, 2023. He answered the call of the Lord and journeyed home to the place that Jesus had prepared for him; where many were waiting, espe-

cially his loved ones who had gone before him: sister, Lillie Mae Webb and brother, Charley T. Webb; father-in-law, David A. Newble Jr.; and two sisters-in-law, Cynthia Perkins and Deborah Bell.

Maurice graduated from Northampton High School in Eastville and immediately joined the U.S. Air Force, where he served 20 years.

While in the military, he met and married Constance Marie Newble, and they had two children: a daughter, Monique Jasmine and a son, Maurice James Webb Jr.



He continued his education at Thomas Nelson Community College and received three associate degrees in computer aided drafting and design, electronics, and electronics technology with specialization in computer engineering technology. Maurice then was employed by Huntington Ingalls, where he really loved working with his coworkers and enjoyed doing the craft his position entailed.

Maurice was a very quiet, wise, calm, honorable, comical, and family-oriented man. He was a great listener and a good friend. He enjoyed family cookouts, family game nights, joking around, fishing, playing cards with his friends from the shipyard, and listening to and singing his "Oldies" music. He spent plenty of time outdoors in his garden, building things, and working on cars. Reese enjoyed football season, especially when his favorite team was playing, the Washington Commanders, formerly known as the Washington Redskins. He looked forward to the family vacations, enjoyed long drives to Louisiana to spend time with Constance's family, and loved eating Cajun cuisine. He was loved and

admired by his granddaughters who called him "Poppi."

He leaves his wife of 38 years, Constance Marie Webb, many memories to cherish. He is also survived by daughter, Monique Jasmine Griffin (Brian), of Newport News; son, Maurice James Webb Jr. (Azaria), of Jacksonville, N.C.; his granddaughters, Brianna, Brina, and Brynn; his mother, Margaret Webb, of Nassawadox; three sisters, Becky Sample (AL), of Williamsburg, Patricia Satchell, of Nassawadox, and Linda Giddens (Gary), of Birdsnest; one brother, William Lee Webb Jr.; sister-in-law, Martha Webb, of Exmore; mother-in-law, Mary Jane Newble; brothers-in-law, David Newble, Ronald Newble, and Louis Newble, all of Lake Charles, La.; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives, and endless friends.

Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.parklawn-woodfh.com for the Webb family.

Marvin Tawes Jr.

Mr. Marvin H. Tawes Jr., 90, of Crisfield, Md., died Sunday, Oct. 8, 2023, at Riverside Regional Medical Center in Newport News.

Born in Crisfield on March 23, 1933, he was a son of the late Marvin H. Tawes Sr.



Mr. Tawes

and Helen Richardson Tawes. His wife of 54 years, Eleanor Ann Marshall Tawes, preceded him in death on June 20, 2012.

He was a graduate of Crisfield High School, class of 1951, obtained his Bachelor of Science degree from the University of Maryland College Park, and graduated from the University of Maryland Dental School in Baltimore. Following graduation from dental school, he enlisted in the U.S.

Army, serving four years in the Dental Corps, and was honorably discharged as captain. Dr. Tawes practiced dentistry in Crisfield for more than 30 years.

Dr. Tawes was a lifelong and active member of Immanuel United Methodist Church in Crisfield. He was also a member of Crisfield Elks Lodge #1044 and the former Crisfield Rotary Club.

He loved spending time with his family, playing golf, gardening, and being outside. He had a reverence for Mother Nature and enjoyed everything nature had to offer. Over the past five years, he enjoyed residing in Onley with his companion, Judy Bradshaw. There, he enjoyed attending Onley United Methodist Church and Onley Baptist Church.

He is survived by two children, Craig Tawes and wife, Terri, of Crisfield and Kay Insley and husband, Eddie, of South Mills, N.C.; his son-in-law, Ronnie Evans and wife, Maria, of Crisfield; six grandchildren, Ross Evans and wife, Joanne, of Crisfield, Ryan Dodson and wife, Nicole, of Crisfield, Dustin Tawes, of Pocomoke, Brooks Dodson and wife, Renee, of Crisfield, Alexander Tawes, of Marion, and Rachael Evans, of Princess Anne; four great-grandchildren, Jason, Lane, Everley, and Ellie Kay; his companion, Judy Bradshaw of Onley; and several step-grandchildren, nieces, and nephews.

In addition to his parents and his wife, he was preceded in death by his daughter, Kara Evans, on March 28, 2015; and his brother, Porter Tawes.

Funeral services were Thursday, Oct. 12, 2023, at 1 p.m. at Bradshaw & Sons Funeral Home in Crisfield, where a visitation was from 11:30 a.m. until service time at 1 p.m. The Rev. Stephen S. Willing officiated. Interment followed in Sunnyridge Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Lower Somerset County Ambulance and Rescue Squad, LSCARS, P.O. Box 406, Crisfield, MD 21817.

To send condolences, please visit www.bradshawandsonsfuneralhome.com

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Julia Kaufmann

Mrs. Julia Hurst Kaufmann, 92, of Greenville, Pa., formerly of the Eastern Shore of Virginia, passed away Monday, Sept. 4, 2023, following a long illness.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Clifford and Esther Hurst; her brother, Bobby; and her sister, Betty Ann.

She was born on the Eastern Shore of Virginia and lived most of her life in Baltimore. She lived her last two years in Greenville with her son, Alan Carr, and his wife, Nancy.

Julia worked at Loyola College in Baltimore as a telephone operator before retiring in 2003.

Always encouraging others, she could be heard saying things like, "Pick yourself up and dust yourself off," "We'll cross that bridge when we get to it," or "This, too, will pass."

Julia loved much and was loved by many.

She is survived by Alan and Nancy Carr; Deborah and William Munk; Sheila Carre; and Scott and Nancy Carr; sister-in-law, Alice Hurst, of Melfa; niece and nephew, Denise Hurst and Berkley Windsor; 12 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

A graveside memorial and inurnment will be held Friday, Nov. 3, 2023, at 2 p.m., in Fairview Lawn Cemetery in Onancock, with the Rev. Robert Fletcher officiating.

A memorial Mass of Christian Burial was held Monday, Sept. 11, 2023, in St. Michael Roman Catholic Church, Greenville, with the Rev. Raymond Gramata as celebrant. Arrangements were entrusted to Loutzenhiser-Jordan Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Greenville.

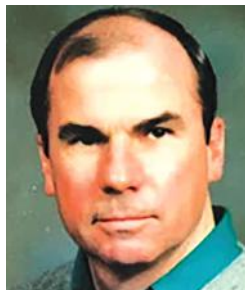
Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Graveside arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Wesley Hughes Jr.

Mr. Wesley E. Hughes Jr., a cherished father, grandfather, and fiancé, passed away at home in La Plata, Md. on Oct. 19, 2023. Born in Norfolk on Jan. 25, 1944, Wes was a devoted Hokie, career banker, pilot, golfer, and dedicated community volunteer.

He is survived by his daughter, son-in-law, and granddaughter, Lisa,



Mr. Hughes

Justin, and Daphne Wilde of Towson, Md.; and long-term beloved fiancée, Esther Corpus; her daughters, Maricris and Michelle; and granddaughter, Madison.

Wes was preceded in death by his wife of 26 years, Eileen P. Hughes; son, Steven J. Hughes; and his parents, Wesley E. Hughes Sr. and Virginia Smith Hughes.

His life was marked by compassion and service.

Raised in Virginia Beach, Wes was an alumnus of Princess Anne High School, where he had many friends and honed his intellect and character. His journey continued at Virginia Tech, where he not only pursued academic excellence, but also found a home in the TEK fraternity. The bonds forged during both his high school and college years remained steadfast throughout his life through football games and formal and informal reunions.

Wes's business degree started the professional path which led him to the world of banking. He served as the president of the Bank of Southern Maryland in La Plata for many years, where his commitment to financial stewardship touched countless lives. He believed that prosperity should be shared, and he worked tirelessly to uplift others. Nowhere was this more apparent than during his years serving as president of the Charles County Chamber of Commerce, and his terms as president of the Blue Knights Football league and the La Plata Lions club.

Beyond the walls of the bank, Wes soared — quite literally as a private pilot. His love for flying knew no bounds, and he especially enjoyed flights with

his daughter, Lisa, during her teenage years. Wes also used his plane and piloting skills to serve those in need. Ailing patients and rescued animals were common companions in his plane as he volunteered with Pilots and Paws and Patients Airlift Services to transport passengers to places where help awaited them.

Wes was a member and treasurer of the Patuxent QBs (Quiet Birdmen), an honorary aviation fraternity made up of mostly professional and military pilots worldwide. The most important requirement is "you must be a good guy," and Wes had no problem meeting that requirement. QBs toast their departed with a silent toast to the west and Wes will be among those.

In recent years, Wes regularly soared across the Chesapeake Bay to Melfa, where he enjoyed golfing and attending events with Esther and fellow members of the Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club.

Other times, Wes loved to head to Towson to spend time with his beloved granddaughter, Daphne. Her drawings covered his kitchen and photos of her filled his mantel.

Wes's life was a tapestry woven with passion, adventure, fun, and unwavering commitment. Wesley Hughes touched countless hearts and his absence will be deeply felt by those who shared laughter, stories, and cherished moments with him.

May Wes's final flight be one of peace and eternal life.

A memorial mass to honor Wes will be celebrated by Fr. Mike Imperial on Wednesday, Nov. 8, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Peter The Apostle Catholic Church, 25236 Coastal Blvd., Onley, VA 23418.

Brenda Ward

Mrs. Brenda Joyce Ward, 73, of Melfa, passed away on Oct. 22, 2023 in Melfa.

Born on Oct. 10, 1950, in Nassawadox, she was the daughter of the late Robert Lee Ward Sr. and Virginia Rose Brown Ward.

Brenda worked as a cashier for many years at Shore Stop and Bloxom Mini-Mart. Known as "Ma" or "Granny" by everyone, she absolutely adored and lived for her family. She was funny, loving, and caring and always spoke her mind.

Brenda is survived by her children, Thomas J. Wessells Jr. (Missy), of Melfa, Virginia Guzman, of Florida, Tina Morales (Tony Ramirez), of Parksley, and Mio Ward (Jennifer Cardoza), of



Mrs. Ward

Wachapreague; siblings, Peggy Beasley, Nancy Tatum, and Fredia Ward; grandchildren, T.K. Wessells, Andy Wessells, Candi Guzman, Christina "Kiki" Lopez,

Leonel Lopez, Luci Espitia, Alicia Soto, Didi Espitia, Brenda "Baby" Horne, Ashley Chavez, Myrka Chavez, Tristan Short, Julia Jones, Carlisle "Bubba" Jones, and Andrew Chandler; 12 great-grandchildren; and special friend, Bonnie Cropper.

Other than her parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Michael Wessells; a grandson, Tyler Ward; and siblings, Robert Ward, Jr., Emma Ward, Terry Ward, and Cheryl Rivera.

A funeral service was held on Thursday, Oct. 26, 2023 at 2 p.m. from Thornton Funeral Home with Pastor Terry Cropper Jr. officiating. Interment followed in the Parksley Cemetery.

The family received friends one hour prior to the service at Thornton Funeral Home.

Arrangements were by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

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

Jo Helmstetter

Mrs. Jo Helmstetter, our loving Momma, Nanny, Gigi, sister, and Mama Jo to all, has left us with a heavy heart, but her memory will forever warm our souls.

She passed away peacefully at her home in Deep Creek on Friday, Oct. 20, 2023, at the age of 78, with her family by her side. Jo was one of 13 children, and was born March 25, 1945, in Ivor, Va., to the late Robert Henry Jones and the late Bertha Lee Jones.

Jo worked in the cafeteria at Mary N. Smith Middle School and later at Metompkin Elementary, where she greeted children with her sweet smile for decades. She also worked in the

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kitchen for many years at the former Hunger Haven Restaurant, which later became Mallards Restaurant. As the



Mrs. Helmstetter

Morrison's first employee, Mama Jo was a valued member of their team and honorary member of their family. Her passion for cooking shone through in every meal she prepared, whether in the school cafeteria or the restaurant.

What truly set Mama Jo apart was her boundless capacity to love. She had a heart that was open to everyone, and her smile could brighten the gloomiest of days. Her coworkers, students, and restaurant patrons all adored her, not only for her culinary talents but for the genuine kindness and warmth she exuded.

Family was at the center of Jo's life. She was a devoted mother, grandmother, and sister. Her love and closeness with her family were evident to anyone who had the privilege of knowing her. Family gatherings were a cherished tradition, filled with laughter, shared stories, and, of course, her delicious meals. Jo especially looked forward to 'trippin' with her sisters, adventures that were always filled with fun and treasured moments.

Jo is survived by her daughters, Brenda Reynolds, of Bloxom, Michelle Check, of Deep Creek, and Kristin Ann Zach and her husband, Andrew, of Melfa; siblings, Sue Poe, of Richmond, Wayne Jones, of Ivor, Faye Drewery and her husband, Joe, of Elberon, Va., Milway Jones and his wife, Tootsie, of Ivor, and Phyllis Bick and her husband, Frank, of Smithfield; grandchildren, Samantha Mattern (David), David Mamahit, Sarah Mama-

hit, Trent Check, and Avrey Check; great-granddaughter, Caroline Parks; brothers-in-law, Big Cook and Gene Heppding; dear friends, Hope Zember, the Checks and the Morrisses; and numerous nieces and nephews and their families; all of whom will mourn her passing but are grateful for the beautiful memories she created and the love she gave. Mama Jo's spirit will live on in the hearts of those she touched, and her memory will forever remind us to find joy in every moment and to share love with all we meet.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by five of her siblings, Lucille Crocker, and her husband, Short, Robert "Bubba" Jones and his wife, Rachel, Dot Logan and her husband, Pete, Curly Beale and her husband, Pete, Nancy Cook; as well as Mary Jones and John Jones, who both died in infancy; and sister-in-law, Jane Heppding.

A graveside "pfuneral" service will be held at the Fairview Lawn Cemetery on Saturday, Oct. 28, 2023, at noon, followed by a gathering to celebrate Jo's life at 1 p.m. at Off the Rails, 18497 Dunne Ave., Parksley, VA.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations be made to the Foodbank of the Eastern Shore, P.O. Box 518, Onley, VA 23418, www.foodbankonline.org/give

Jo would also want to encourage all to remember the importance of gathering as a family to enjoy a meal and love on one another.

Jo's family is grateful to the many friends who visited and checked in and would like to extend their deepest gratitude to the doctors, nurses, and staff with TidalHealth Cancer Center and Intrepid Hospice, as it was their continued care and compassion that ensured her comfort in her last months.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Jada Justis, left, and Kayana Smith carried one of the torches for the opening ceremony of the Special Olympics Feet Meet at Nandua High School on Friday, Oct. 13. They also sang the national anthem together. See more pictures of the Special Olympics event in next week's Eastern Shore Post.

**Please submit
obituaries by Wednesday at noon.**

An aerial photograph of a large outdoor concert venue. A massive crowd of people is gathered on a green grassy field, facing a stage area in the distance. The stage is a raised platform with a large, colorful backdrop. The venue is surrounded by lush green trees and manicured lawns. To the left, there are several buildings, including a large red brick structure and a smaller white building. To the right, there are more residential-style buildings with red roofs. The overall scene is vibrant and festive, with many people sitting on the grass and others standing. The text "AT ALTITUDE GALLERY" is visible in the top right corner of the image.

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Concerts

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The success of Concerts in the Park this year likely was due in part to a \$6,000 marketing grant from the Virginia Tourism Corporation, which the citizens group used for advertising in print and on social media.

The print ads targeted local residents and the social media ads attracted concertgoers from west of the Chesapeake Bay, Mayer said.

The ad campaign helped bring Cape Charles more day-trippers, visitors who don't stay overnight.

The typical day-tripper may drive 2 or 2.5 hours to Cape Charles, go to the beach during the day, and attend a concert in the park in the evening.

Each concert runs until around 9 p.m., allowing travel time for visitors to return home, Mayer said.

Due to a rise in the number of day-trippers visiting Cape Charles, more restaurants are opening in town and meals tax revenues are increasing, he said.

Transient occupancy tax revenue, which is

collected by hotels, bed-and-breakfasts, and other overnight accommodations, is also on the rise, Mayer added.

The increase in tax revenue indicates the further success of many of the concert series' biggest sponsors, including restaurants, a hotel, a short-term-rental homeowners group, and real estate agencies.

The citizens group is looking forward to building on its recent efforts to make Concerts in the Park even better next year.

Already scheduled to return in 2024 are The Deloreans and favorites like Good Shot Judy and The English Channel.

This was the first year a food court was set up at Central Park for the concerts, and with the help of an \$8,000 Northampton County grant, Cape Charles and the citizens group are investing \$12,000 in underground electric service to allow mobile food vendors to operate without the use of generators in 2024.

The group also wants to continue hiring more bands that play popular music.

Mayer said, "What we're trying to do in '24 is do more of that ... bands that people really like to sing to, dance to ... and match it with more social media."

Orchestra of the Eastern Shore has two performances this weekend

The Orchestra of the Eastern Shore, under the direction of Paul Kim, begins its 25th season with "A Glimpse into Paradise."

The performance will include Mozart's Horn Concerto in E-Flat Major K 425 with soloist Jacob Wilder, who is the Principal Horn at the Virginia Symphony Orchestra.

It will also feature Faure's Requiem with singers from Old Dominion University and the Eastern Shore. The concerts will be held on Friday, Oct. 27, at 7:30 p.m. at Market Street Methodist Church in Onancock and on Sunday, Oct. 29, at 4 p.m. at Hungars Episcopal Church, Bridgetown. Both concerts are free; however, donations are welcomed.

Kim will be leaving his position as conductor of the orchestra in May 2024 because of increasing family and work commitments.

Kim has been the director since 2014. He also serves as director of orchestral activities at Old Dominion University and is a professional conductor, violinist, and composer.

Orchestra members who have been challenged and inspired by Kim said they are grateful for his leadership.

Kim has agreed to assist the orchestra in recruiting a new orchestra leader.



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Large wahoo among recent offshore catches

Windy weather continues to hamper access to some of the most enjoyable fishing of the year.

Anglers have enjoyed catches of speckled trout, puppy drum, and flounder during the breaks in the weather.



Bill
Hall

Upper Shore

Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reported

that most of his customers' focus has been directed at red drum and rockfish in the middle Chesapeake Bay.

As the supply of natural baits has started to decline, anglers have begun to shift to casting and trolling artificials, such as Assassins, Rumble Fish, Old Skool paddletails, Rap-10s, and an assortment of top water lures.

The long-awaited clearing of the middle bay waters seems to have increased the aggressiveness of the two aforementioned species, resulting in more productive catches on artificial baits.

Creek mouths and shallow water structures remain productive locations for casting artificials, such as the Spro Wake Baits.

Upper Shore seaside fishing has still been hampered by the effects of the recent winds, though flounder fishing has been better than one would expect, especially during the short span of cleaner water during slack tides.

A few red drum have been landed in the surf. Recent offshore blue water catches have included blue marlin, dolphin (mahi mahi), wahoo, and even a couple of swordfish.



PHOTO COURTESY CAPTAIN STEVE'S BAIT AND TACKLE

Jonathon Daughton needed some assistance holding up his 30-pound wahoo caught aboard the Aquaholic out of Chincoteague.

Most of the offshore vessels have sailed out of Ocean City, Md., with a few venturing out from Chincoteague. The offshore wrecks are still holding plenty of black sea bass. Look for catches of tautog to start on the wrecks during the month of November.

Chincoteague

I spoke with Jimmy Vasiliou, at Captain Steve's Bait and Tackle, and he told me that the flounder bite around the island has produced several large fish, with some anglers landing their personal record-sized flounder around the sea walls.

Speckled trout catches, including

some citation-sized fish, have come from some of the creeks around the island. Offshore catches over the week have included a citation-sized wahoo, swordfish, and dolphin (mahi mahi) on the weedlines.

Catches in the surf have consisted of spot, kingfish (whiting), bluefish, and a few red drum.

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Fishing

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Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul, aboard the *Almost Persuaded*, admitted that there has not been a lot of angling activity out of Wachapreague in the last week due to the windy conditions. He was hoping that the better conditions occurring later this week would bring about an improvement.

Lower Shore

Dan Bell, at Oceans East — Eastern Shore, said that there are “lots” of keeper-sized flounder being caught around the Kiptopeke State Park pier, allowing anglers the opportunity to catch a limit of the tasty flatfish even when sloppy weather conditions prevent boating access.

The puppy drum bite was described as “great” from Cherry-stone down to Wise Point, with some school-sized rockfish also being caught in the same areas. Both have been hitting soft plastic baits. The current size limit for rockfish on the bayside is 20 to 31 inches in length.

Dan added that there are still a few big red drum hanging out around the third island of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel. The third island is also producing catch-

es of sheepshead and a few early season tautog, although most of the tautog have been undersized.

The speckled trout bite between Hungars and Wise Point, as well as on the seaside, is still strong with lots of keeper-sized fish being boated on Mirrolures and soft plastic baits.

Jeb Brady, at Bailey’s Bait & Tackle, told me that the weather has been a large factor over the last week, saying, “The wind has been nonstop.” When anglers have been able to get on the water, they’ve found that the speckled trout action was still strong along the bayside, using Mirrolures and soft plastic baits.

Puppy drum catches were reported in some of the lower bay-side creeks for anglers fishing soft plastics with popping corks. Schoolie-sized striped bass are starting to show in the early evenings and after sundown under the pier lights and along lit docks. Again, the legal bayside size slot is 20 to 31 inches.

Jeb said that some sheepshead are still around the bridge-tunnel, but the recent windy weather has severely limited access to the open waters. Spot and small gray trout are being seen on the lower bay piers, according to Brady.

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.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Vikings hold Raiders scoreless in second half; overcome four-point deficit to win

BY KINSEY RAYFIELD

Special to the Eastern Shore Post

The Broadwater Vikings football team traveled to Southampton Academy on Thursday, Oct. 19, and edged out the homesteading Raiders by a score of 14-12.

The Vikings entered the game without their starting quarterback Logan Hickman. The Vikings kicked off to Southampton Academy. The Raiders held the ball for the first 10 minutes of the quarter. A final second score by Southampton Academy ended the first quarter with the Raiders leading the Vikings 6-0.

A hand-off in the second quarter from quarterback Cohen Kellam to Jacob Seltzer led to a 68-yard touchdown run. Kellam handed the ball off to Steven Ye for the two-point conversion to give the Vikings the 8-6 lead.

Southampton took back the lead with a passing touchdown late in the second quarter. The score at halftime was 12-8.

In the third quarter, Logan Hickman was back in at quarterback following a prior game injury. Two long drives by the Vikings ended with interceptions. It was a scoreless third quarter, leaving the Vikings still

trailing by four.

Senior quarterback Hickman answered for the Vikings in the fourth quarter with a 60-yard quarterback-keeper touchdown. The Vikings got the ball back with six minutes left and managed to run the clock down to two minutes. Broadwater got the ball back in the final seconds and took a knee to conclude the game.

Seltzer had 17 carries for 145 yards and a 68-yard touchdown run. Hickman had three carries for 65 yards and a 60-yard touchdown run. Rufus Abbott had six receptions for 101 yards. Senior Quinn Ames had one reception for 23 yards. Hickman went 7 for 14, passing for 102 yards and two interceptions. Kellam went 1 for 2, passing for 23 yards.

Defensively, the Vikings were led by Abbott with eight tackles and three assisted tackles. Key defensive stars for the Vikings included Ye, Luke Duer, Olsen Pruitt, and John Lewis. A defensive highlight for the Vikings was not letting the Raiders score the whole second half of the game. The strong defense forced a turnover in the final seconds of the game to capture the victory.

The Vikings will be on the road Saturday, Oct. 28, at Brunswick Academy for a 2 p.m. kickoff.

HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

Lady Viking netters drop five-set nailbiter to Greenbrier Christian Gators

BY KINSEY RAYFIELD

Special to the Eastern Shore Post

The Broadwater Lady Vikings volleyball team traveled to Greenbrier Christian Academy on Tuesday, Oct. 17, and fell to the Gators by a score of 2-3 (13-25, 26-24, 26-24, 15-25, 13-15).

The Gators of Greenbrier Christian entered the game with a 22-4 record, defeating six of seven other Metro Conference schools twice. The Gators also

came into the match ranked #12 in the 757 Region and 5th in the Virginia Independent School Athletic Association (VISAA) Division III state poll.

The Lady Vikings faced a tough task going up against the talented Gator squad. The Vikings fell behind early in the first set to the Gators, losing 13-25.

The Vikings bounced back and won the next two sets, 26-24 and 26-24. The Gators then equalized, winning the fourth set 25-15. A back-and-forth fifth

set eventually went in favor of the Gators, 15-13.

The Vikings were led on the night by Leah Smith, who had 11 kills, one ace, 10 blocks, 15 digs, and 21 receptions.

Ramsey Revelle had one kill, one ace, 21 digs, four assists, and 13 receptions.

Hope Celli had two kills, two aces, 10 digs, and 10 receptions.

Senior Harlin Johnson had one kill, one ace, 12 digs, and 10 receptions.

Healthy Warriors roll past rival Firebirds

BY MARK MORING

Eastern Shore Post

For weeks, Nandua High School's football team was missing several key players who were out with injuries. But the Warriors were back at full strength last Friday, Oct. 20, against visiting Arcadia in a highly anticipated Eastern Shore District showdown.

The Warriors rolled to a 50-16 victory on Senior Night behind a potent and balanced offensive attack. Overall, Nandua's team speed proved too much for the Firebirds.

Nandua improved to 3-5 overall and 1-0 in the district. Arcadia fell to 6-4 and 0-1.

Seniors Isaac Stodghill and Makai Dorn, playing their final home games, led the way. Stodghill, a quarterback, threw for 162 yards and three touchdowns. Dorn, a running back, ran for 59 yards and three scores.

Sophomore Nazere Blake caught two touchdown passes, and senior Reco Kellam caught another.

Eli Parker had a solid all-around game, playing several positions — receiver, linebacker, defensive back, and kick/punt returner. He returned one punt 57 yards to set up a touchdown, and had a long interception return to set up another. He also returned a punt 50 yards for a touchdown, but it was called back on a penalty.

The game seemed like it would be a tight contest after the first quarter, with the score tied 8-8. But Nandua scored four times in the last 6:57 of the second quarter to go up 35-8 at the half. The Warriors stretched it to 50-8 before Arcadia scored again late.

Senior quarterback Bradley Hall threw two touchdown passes for the Firebirds, both to fellow senior Rico Bugg, one for 90 yards and one for 25.

Nandua lost junior fullback Austin Wert to a knee injury early in the game. He is likely out for the rest of the season.



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Above, Nandua's Elijah Parker looks for daylight as Arcadia's Djasley Lucas gives chase.

At left, Arcadia's Roy Reid (80) and Rico Bugg (1) close in on Nandua ball carrier Makai Dorn.

PONIES WIN DISTRICT VOLLEYBALL TITLE

SUBMITTED PHOTO
Chincoteague emerged victorious in an intense match against Northampton on Tuesday, Oct. 24, securing the district title. Led by junior Olivia Mason, the Lady Ponies had much success with a 6-0 record in district play.

They will host the Yellow Jackets for a regional match Monday, Oct. 30.

Pictured top row from left are Coach Tyler Libertino, Lillie Matthews, Olivia Mason, Alexandria McComb, Marley Katsetos, Carmela Rosanova, and Coach Ronnie Malone. Bottom row from left are Alyson Clark, Cassandra Dosch, Sarah Godwin, Autumn Patton, and Allison Garland.



JACKET CROSS COUNTRY BOYS WIN TITLE

SUBMITTED PHOTO
The Northampton High School varsity cross country team hosted the district meet Wednesday, Oct. 18. Over 50 runners ran the course on the NHS campus. The boys team placed first in the district and the girls placed second.

Pictured from left are Coach Ernest Bethel, Hudson Tayler, Santino Seckers, Amir Gholson, Eli Philpot, Grayson Brown (back), Nolan Hein, Anthony Castillo, Adrian Rosales-Reyes (behind Anthony), Kendrick Collins, Alexander Gildo-Vera, Dickinson Tayloe, Daniel Alvarado, Jugraj Singh, and Jacob Duffman.



Town is selling water plant for less than it cost

BY STEFANIE JACKSON
Eastern Shore Post

Cape Charles is set to receive significant financial benefits from the sale of its water plant even though the facility is being sold for less than it cost to build.

“It’s just so much more complicated than just looking at the book value and saying, ‘Why aren’t we getting that?’” said Town Manager John Hozey on Tuesday, Oct. 24.

The Cape Charles Town Council approved the sale of the water plant to private company Virginia American Water in November 2022.

According to the proposed sales agreement, Virginia American Water will pay up to \$15 million for the

water plant, which was built for about \$20 million.

However, the agreement establishes additional financial obligations by Virginia American Water, which will make the sale financially beneficial to Cape Charles.

For example, Virginia American Water is required to invest \$10 million in water plant improvements within its first eight years of ownership.

Virginia American Water spreads its costs over thousands of customers throughout the state, allowing it to offer consolidated rates. This will mean reduced water costs to Cape Charles residents.

Furthermore, the sale to Virginia American Water presents the oppor-

tunity for Cape Charles to retire its debt on the water plant, “reducing pressure on our general fund and our property tax requirements,” Hozey said.

The town owes roughly \$6.5 million on the water plant, he added.

“We’re getting so many other things that you have to take the big picture of this when you’re considering the value — which is what the council did, and it’s why the council approved it,” he said of the sale.

The sale of the water plant cannot be finalized without the approval of Virginia’s State Corporation Commission, which regulates utilities.

The application to sell the Cape

Charles water plant to Virginia American Water was submitted to the State Corporation Commission in or around June, Hozey said.

The SCC scheduled a public hearing on the matter for Feb. 13, 2024.

Before then, the SCC will do its due diligence and complete tasks such as an independent appraisal of the water plant, Hozey said.



The sales price of the water plant will be the average of three separate appraisals completed by the SCC, Virginia American Water, and the town of Cape Charles.

Hozey said, “It’s a complex transaction, and that’s why we spent a lot of time working on it. We hired consultants, and council spent a lot of time on it and ... determined that it was in the town’s best interest.”

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Kiptopeke hawk watch is scheduled

The Eastern Shore Bird Club will hold a Kiptopeke hawk watch at the Coastal Virginia Wildlife Observatory.

Guests are invited to join veteran birders Joanne Laskowski and Maggie Long to experience the spectacle of fall migrating raptors.

The unique topography of the Delmarva Peninsula provides a narrow-

ing bottleneck of land that funnels the raptors toward the Hawk Watch Platform at Kiptopeke State Park. Fourteen raptor species have been recorded at this location.

It will be held Thursday, Nov. 2, beginning at 9 a.m. at the Kiptopeke State Park Hawk Watch parking lot.

The program is free and the public is invited to attend. Always be prepared for ticks, the sun, mosquitoes, and the weather. For more information contact Maggie Long at 610-500-9971.

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Northampton County Board of Supervisors, this 10th day of October, 2023, that the regular meeting of the Board, scheduled for Tuesday, November 14, 2023, commencing at 5:00 p.m., in the Board Chambers of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, be changed to Wednesday, November 15, 2023, commencing at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, following the above adjustment, the date, time and place of the regular meeting of the Northampton County Board of Supervisors shall revert to the 2nd Tuesday of each month, commencing at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers of the County, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia.

By: Charles Kolakowski, County Administrator

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IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW REGIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY RADIO SYSTEM

EASTERN SHORE OF VIRGINIA - ACCOMACK AND NORTHAMPTON COUNTIES, VA

Interested parties are notified the Department of Justice (DOJ) through the Community Oriented Police Services (COPS) Program issued a draft Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) in compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), based on an Environmental Assessment (EA) provided by the Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Commission (ESVA 9-1-1 Commission). The purpose of the EA is to assess the effects on the human and natural environment on the ESVA 9-1-1 Commission's implementation of a new radio system (serving local public safety and other local governmental communications needs) for which the COPS program is providing funding assistance approved by the United States.

The proposed project, the implementation of a P25, trunked, digital, simulcast regional radio system, will utilize towers/facilities located at the following locations: 1. American Communications Tower (located at/around 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague, VA), 2. Town of Chincoteague/CPD Tower (located at/around 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague, VA), 3. Accomack County Tower (located at around 14306 Lankford Highway, Mappsville, VA), 4. Accomack County Tower (located at/around 23323 Wise Court, Accomac, VA), 5. Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Center facility (located at/around 23201 Front Street, Accomac, VA), 6. Commonwealth of Virginia/State Police Tower (located at/around 23201 Front Street, Accomac, VA), 7. County of Accomack Tower (located at/around 32198 A S West Road, Craddockville, VA), 8. Northampton County Water Tower (located at/around 5211, The Hornes, Eastville, VA), and, 9. Commonwealth of Virginia/State Police Tower (located at/around 20371 Seaside Road, Eastville, VA).

Public safety agencies on the Eastern Shore of Virginia (ESVA), including law enforcement, fire, emergency medical services, and 9-1-1/dispatch utilize wireless communication networks as a critical aspect of their operations. These uses of the radio systems, with older/antiquated disparate systems used in the ESVA region, include communications to/from dispatch and field personnel, as well as communications between field personnel operating at an emergency incident. The current radio systems in the ESVA region are older and degrading with frequent performance issues, such as coverage gaps and a lack of needed interoperability for different public safety disciplines. Operating on the current, inefficient radio systems not only impacts public safety personnel, but their ability to best serve the public and their critical needs during emergencies. A properly performing radio system provides this increased coverage, efficiency, and effectiveness to operations, thereby promoting the public's safety and their welfare; which is the purpose of this project.

The purpose of the Draft EA is to analyze the potential environmental impacts associated with the use and needed construction at the identified tower sites/locations. The draft FONSI, from the COPS program, affirms the proposed action will not have a significant impact on the human and natural environment. The draft EA and draft FONSI will be made available for review at the Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Commission at 23201 Front Street, Accomac, VA 23301. The draft FONSI also can be viewed at the 9-1-1 Commission's website at www.esva911.org. The public notice is being published in the Eastern Shore Post and at the tower sites/locations identified. The ESVA 9-1-1 Commission invites the public to comment on the proposed action during a thirty (30) day comment period, which will conclude on November 26th, 2023. Written comments may be mailed to: ESVA 9-1-1 Commission, 9-1-1 Director, P.O. Box 337, Accomac, VA 23301. Comments also may be e-mailed to 911esva@co.northampton.va.us or faxed to 757-787-1044. If no substantive comments are received, the draft Environmental Assessment (EA) will become final, leading to a Final Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) being issued.

EXMORE TOWN PARK AUTO SHOW



EASTERN SHORE POST/TED SHOCKLEY

Attendees on Saturday, Oct. 21, enjoy the Exmore Town Auto Show, which was organized by Roy Ballard. Blue skies, plenty of cars, and good fellowship highlighted the event, which featured live music and vendors.



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At left (from left) Williams Custis Jr., Vanessa Johnson, Sheila West, and Charles Bagwell gather coats donated during a coat drive at the Accomack County Parks and Recreation Office Thursday, Oct. 19. Churches and other community groups gave dozens of coats to go to underprivileged children in Accomack County schools. At right, Custis, left, program manager at Accomack County Parks and Recreation, and Bagwell, president of Elite Golf Club, gather coats.

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Volunteer by collecting tide data this weekend



EASTERN SHORE POST/CLARA VAUGHN

Water spills into the parking lot at the Onancock Wharf and Marina during high tide Sept. 1. Volunteers can help map coastal flooding during this year's highest tides during the Catch the King event this weekend, Oct. 27-29.

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Volunteers can help “Catch the King” tide this weekend in a crowdsourcing event to collect data on flooding during the highest tides of the year.

Their input will help researchers refine models they use to predict local flooding, said Cora Baird, site director for the University of Virginia’s Virginia Coast Reserve Long-Term Ecological Research Center in Oyster.

“There are so many projects going on now where scholars are trying to map flooding on the Eastern Shore,” Baird said.

“This project allows those of us living on the Shore to go out and say, ‘Here’s where the water truly

is’ and the scientists can pull that and ... make their predictions more accurate,” she said.

Hampton Roads nonprofit Wetlands Watch has hosted Catch the King each fall since 2017.

The event’s name refers to the flooding that occurs during the king tide, when the full or new moon orbits closest to the Earth and its gravitational pull elevates sea levels.

Hundred of citizen scientists donning rain boots and smart-phones register for the event each year and drop thousands of pins using the SeaLevelRise app to show where flooding is taking place.

Last year, only one volunteer participated on the Eastern Shore, Baird said.

The Hampton Roads area, including the Eastern Shore, is second only to New Orleans in the nation in its vulnerability to sea-level rise, according to scientists.

As floods grow more severe, events such as the king tide can provide a glimpse into the future.

“It can keep people from getting to work, it can keep people from getting to school, it can keep people from working on the water,” Baird said of flooding.

“We’re going to see more and more of this on the Shore,” she said, so mapping the highest tides of the year can provide “a proxy for what tides will look like in the future.”

Groups such as the Virginia Institute of Marine Science will use data the public collects to improve flood models and check their accuracy, she said.

The crowdsourcing efforts provide just one piece of a larger puzzle she and others are working to solve in the Eastern Shore of Virginia Climate Equity Project.

The five-year, \$5 million initiative aims to provide a roadmap to help

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King tide

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inform local decisions about how to address climate change in a way that is fair to all residents.

The National Science Foundation Coastlines and People grant-funded project launched in early 2022, when researchers assembled a community advisory group to engage residents on the Eastern Shore.

Last year, project leaders held a climate equity workshop where over 70 community members shared their concerns.

Another workshop is planned for early 2024, Baird said.

"The Climate Equity Project is trying to understand how changes on the Eastern Shore around water and climate ... create different burdens for different people," she said.

"The goal at the end of that is to provide a decision-support tool that has been approved by community leaders," she said.

"This is information that people at the county level and in other localities can see when they're deciding how to best allocate support, resources, funds, et cetera" for adapting to climate change and improving resilience, Baird said.

She hopes volunteers here will capture flooding in areas beyond the "usual suspects" such as Onancock, Cashville, Oyster, Wachapreague, and

Chincoteague during the weekend's high tides.

"In some ways, the most exciting part of that would be if people send us information in areas we're not expecting to look," Baird said.

Researchers might even use the SeaLevelRise app in the future to map other flood events on the Eastern Shore, such as those caused by heavy rains, she said.

Visit www.wetlandswatch.org/catchtheking to learn more about Catch the King and to register for the event. Those participating need a smartphone to download the SeaLevelRise app to drop pins marking the waterline.

Volunteers do not need to register for a training, though there is a virtual training on how to use the flood-mapping app on the website.

Flooding will peak Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 28 and 29, though volunteers can map coastal flooding Friday, Oct. 27, too.

Participants should plan to map within about an hour before and after high

tide. Find your local tidal station and tide times at <https://tinyurl.com/yyaxar47> or in the tide table in the Eastern Shore Post.

To see VIMS' Catch the King website including its Inundation Model Forecasts, visit:

<https://tinyurl.com/2p84pm2r>

Visit <https://tinyurl.com/pc5t2v85> to learn more about the Eastern Shore of Virginia Climate Equity Project, or follow it on Facebook at: facebook.com/ESVAClimateEquity

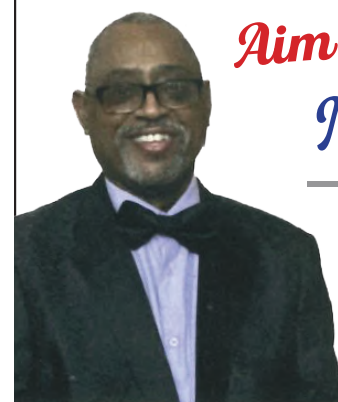
Pig roast is Oct. 28

The Sons of the American Legion Squadron 159 will hold its pig roast on Saturday, Oct. 28, from 4 to 8 p.m.

It is eat-in or carryout and costs \$15 per meal. The menu is roast pork, homemade macaroni and cheese, baked apples, rolls, and dessert.

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Town may donate land to Habitat for Humanity

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Onancock is considering donating land in the town's northeast neighborhood to Habitat for Humanity to build a new single-family home.

The town bought the land at 9 Watson St. for \$2,000 in 2019, Town Manager Matt Spuck said in an update to the town council Monday, Oct. 23.

The site meets Habitat's goal of pursuing an "infill approach" to building houses in established neighborhoods, versus building in empty areas such as fields.

"We have some lots, but we're going to run out of property in about two or three years and we're

scrambling to find more parcels of land where we can build our houses," said Executive Director of Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat for Humanity Chris Guvernator in a presentation to the town council last month.

"We're specifically looking at northeast Onancock," he said. "We're looking at trying to find property in that area to build a house."

If the plan moves forward, the agreement between Onancock and Habitat for Humanity will require Habitat to get a building permit within a year of receiving the property from the town.

It would require Habitat to start building the house within 120 days of receiving a permit.

Onancock would charge Habitat for Humanity current sewer and water connection fees of \$6,900, and the group would install new water and sewer service lines from the curb to the new house, according to the proposed agreement.

Habitat for Humanity has constructed over 50 homes for low- and moderate-income families on the Shore since 1988, Guvernator said.

"We try to build equity through owner-occupied housing," he said, adding Habitat partners with families that would otherwise not

qualify for a typical residential loan.

The group builds one or two houses each year to sell to selected families with a low- or no-interest loan, but is working to boost that to three or four homes each year to help meet the need for affordable housing on the Shore, he said.

Homeowners work 350 "sweat-equity hours" on their houses and receive financial and home ownership training through Habitat's program, Guvernator said.

"Our mission is to build strength, stability, and self-reliance through safe and affordable housing," he said.

"I have confidence in Habitat. You have a great record," Councilmember Joy Marino said.

The Onancock Town Council will hold a public hearing Monday, Nov. 27 to hear citizens' input on the proposed project at 9 Watson St.

Visit www.easternshorehabitat.org to learn more about Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat for Humanity.

Sidewalk planning grant

Onancock is considering adding new sidewalks in town.

The town council during its meeting Monday, Oct. 23, heard a presentation on the Virginia

Department of Transportation's Ready, Set, Go! grant program, which funds planning work including engineering designs, cost estimates, and timelines for future construction projects.

Onancock will pursue the planning grant to create designs for a 116-foot sidewalk on Ames Street, connecting Queen and Market streets, and another sidewalk on Market Street between Hill and Hall streets, where Corner Mart and the laundromat are located.

The grant could also include a crosswalk study for intersection and mid-block crossings in town.

"I think it's a good idea," Councilmember Brandon Brockmeier said of applying for the planning grant.

"People use the easiest path for them, which isn't necessarily the safest one," he said.

The Ready, Set, Go! program has no cost to the town. If Onancock decides to build the sidewalks designed through the program, the town will contribute 20% of construction costs through VDOT's Transportation Alternative Program, a grant to build projects such as sidewalks and bike paths.

Construction costs will be determined through the Ready, Set, Go! grant, if VDOT awards funds to Onancock.



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Unnamed remains

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ages.

Even though all four cases made regional newspapers, family and friends of the missing were never located.

There were no funerals and no headstones inscribed with their names. From somewhere they vanished — and their bodies appeared on the Eastern Shore.

“We don’t know the names of these people, but they were somebody’s someone,” said Lara Newell, the coordinator for long-term unidentified remains for the state’s health department.

Newell works to find the names and families of the hundreds of unidentified remains that have been found across Virginia.

Somewhere, there are relatives and friends who wonder where they went or why they disappeared.

“As a mom — but also as a person — I would hate to never know, if I were in this situation,” she said.

The circumstances of how the remains were found — three were discovered completely by accident by people living their workaday lives — lend a haunting aura to what are authentic Eastern Shore mysteries.

‘All these clues’

During the Halloween season, people seek out manufactured opportunities to be startled or spooked.

But during the summer of 1995, pieces of a horrifying puzzle continued to wash up on the shores of Chincoteague Bay.

A headless, limbless torso was found in the Captains Cove neighborhood near the shoreline, according to a newspaper report.

Weeks earlier, a human foot was found on Assateague Island. A leg was found three days later on Chincoteague Island.

A week later, a foot was found in a shoe.

‘We don’t know the names of these people, but they were somebody’s someone.’

Laura Newell
Virginia long-term unidentified remains coordinator

It all was determined to be from the same White male, said Newell — there were no duplicate bones and the clothing was similar, said Newell.

According to NamUs, a national website for the missing and unidentified, items found on the body included a New York City subway token and a red ink pen inscribed “Lipizzana Restaurant, 987 Second Ave. N.Y.”

“You have to take all these clues,” said Newell, who has researched missing persons from New York in search of a match.

Also found with the body were the typical trappings of an ordinary day: a tube of ChapStick, a black comb, headphones — and, in a dark irony, a pack of Lifesavers candy.

Newell said modern scientific developments like genetic matching have assisted with searches.

Years ago, the remains would have been interred in an anonymous grave.

But in recent decades, unidentified remains have been held by the state — so the bodies won’t need to be exhumed when matches are made.

The body of the man found at Captains Cove and around Chincoteague Bay almost 30 years ago has never been interred.

“We keep them at the office until identified,” said Newell. “We would like to give them back to their families.”

‘Very limited information’

The Eastern Shore has at least two characteristics that complicate naming unidentified remains.

One is that it is surrounded on three sides by tidal waters.

“People can go into the water from anywhere,” said Newell. “Sometimes they wash up in Virginia.”

The area also historically has hosted thousands of migrant laborers each summer to harvest crops. Language barriers and distance from relatives made identifying remains harder.

The man who was hit in 1974 by a Greyhound bus in Painter was “believed to be a migrant laborer living at a nearby camp,” according to a newspaper account.

The skeleton found in 1971 near Willis Wharf in a section of marsh near a farm field “was found near the site of a migrant labor camp,” a newspaper article reported.

“One police officer said there are indications the skeleton was that of a small person, possibly a teenager,” the article read.

Newspaper coverage in 1950 of the recovery of a White man’s body at a beach near Eastville included specific dental records.

“The man had one gold jaw tooth and one molar missing,” the story revealed.

The only other clue that could lead to his identity was “a laundry mark on his shirt.” The piece of clothing was sent to the FBI in Washington, D.C., the article stated.

Almost 74 years later, Newell doesn’t have many other clues about the case — or about the others involving Accomack and Northampton counties.

“For these, we have very limited information,” she said.

Somewhere, there are relatives and friends who wonder where they went or why they disappeared.

Their bodies were found on the Eastern Shore of Virginia. Their identities remain unknown to anyone.

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Please plan your solid waste disposal accordingly.



Northampton County Government

November 2023 Upcoming Events

October 31: Halloween Trick or Treat

November 7: Election Day! Go Vote! County offices will be closed except for Voter Registration office. The Landfill and Waste Collection Centers are open for normal operating hours.

November 8: Planning Commission Work Session

November 8: Board of Zoning Appeals (BZA) meeting at 10 AM.

November 10: County Offices will be closed in observance of Veterans Day. The Landfill and Waste Collection Centers are open for normal operating hours.

November 14: EDA Meeting 4 PM Eastville

November 15: Wetlands Board meeting

November 15: Board of Supervisors Regular Meeting 6 PM

November 15: Public Hearing Zoning Text Amendment 6 PM

November 21: Planning Commission Meeting 6 PM

November 22: County Offices close at Noon.

November 23-24: County Offices closed for Thanksgiving Holiday.

November 28: Board of Supervisors Work Session 5 PM

Boards & Commissions Openings:

- A-N PDC Coastal Resilience & Sustainability Planning Committee
- Parks & Rec Advisory Committee District I

Job Openings

EMS

Emergency Medical Services Provider

911

Regional Radio System Manager

Planning, Permitting & Enforcement:

Building Inspector

NCSO:

Jail Deputy

Law Enforcement Officers

Animal Control Officer

Public Works:

Water/Wastewater Operator

Social Services:

Family Services Specialist I/II

Commissioner of Revenue:

Real Estate Technician I

Personal Property Technician Deputy I

Voter Registration

- Oct 27: Last day to request an absentee ballot be mailed to you
- Oct 28: Office open for Saturday voting 9 AM to 5 PM
- October 30 – November 3: Early Voting at Registrar's Office 9 AM – 5 PM.
- Nov 4: Office open for Saturday voting. Last day to vote absentee 9 AM to 5 PM
- November 7: Election Day! Polls are open from 6 AM – 7 PM
Voters will vote in their precincts.

Parks and Recreation

- Trunk or Treat Saturday, October 28th
3 PM - 5 PM 7247 Young St., Machipongo
- NCPR Rec Center Open Gym
Tues & Thurs October 31 - November 9
5:30 PM - 8 PM Machipongo
- NCPR Youth Basketball League
Registration Deadline November 13
- NCPR Annual Turkey Trot
Saturday, November 18 Nassawadox 8:15 AM
Family Friendly 5K Fun Run & Walk

NCSO Events

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SAVESTATION IN EXMORE

On World Restart a Heart Day, Oct. 15, the Town of Exmore was one of two municipalities on the Eastern Shore of Virginia to be selected to receive a lifesaving station. The SaveStation Tower was presented by the international SaveStation team. It is located in a high-visibility spot on Main Street, just outside the north entrance to the Exmore Town Hall, 3305 Main Street. The Eastern Shore Health District, with support from the Virginia Department of Health, is in the process of installing a total of 23 SaveStations in public spaces throughout the counties of Accomack and Northampton. Pictured are, from left, Deb Hennig of SaveStation, Lauren Seltzer of the Health Department, Katrysha Gellis of SaveStation, Health Department Director Jon Richardson, Laurie Laird of the Health Department, Taylor Dukes of the Town of Exmore, and Allison Bradshaw and J.J. Justis of the Health Department.



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UM Bishop to visit Shore

United Methodist Bishop Sue Hauptert-Johnson will visit the Coastal Virginia District Nov. 12 and 13.

There will be opportunities to worship and fellowship with the bishop.

Hauptert-Johnson's visit begins at 9 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 12, with worship at Epworth UMC in Norfolk.

An oyster bash to worship and fellowship with the bishop will be held on Nov. 12, at Camp Occohannock on the Bay.

The doors open at 2 p.m. RSVP by calling 757-331-6729.

ACPR starts youth basketball registration

Accomack County Parks and Recreation will be accepting registration for their Youth Basketball League for youth ages 5-8, 9-12, and 13-15 on Saturdays, Nov. 4, 11, and 18, at Arcadia High School from 9 to 10:30 a.m.

Registration forms will also be available online on the Accomack County website and at the Parks and Recreation office located at 24401 Joynes Neck Road, Accomac. Contact the Parks and Recreation office at 757-787-3900 or 757-824-0314 for additional information.

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The Northampton County Public Schools State of the Schools event will be Thursday Nov. 9, from 8:30-11:30 a.m. at Northampton Middle and High School.

The Cal Ripken Stem Lab ribbon cutting will begin at 11 a.m.

The Cal Ripken Stem Lab is completed and enhancing the education of students at Northampton Middle School.

The State of the Schools event is a collaboration of The Northampton County Education Foundation and Northampton County Public Schools.

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- New breast pain

If you notice any of these signs or something that doesn't look or feel quite right, notify your health care provider immediately.

If you are uninsured, unable to qualify for Medicaid or Medicare and unable to afford your annual screening mammogram, please contact our Cancer Outreach Office for assistance at 1-800-520-7006. Riverside is able to offer screening mammograms and cervical cancer screenings at no cost to eligible women through the grant support of the Every Woman's Life program.

New Road’s second phase construction postponed

BY STEFANIE JACKSON
Eastern Shore Post

Construction of the second part of New Road’s Legacy Project in Exmore will not begin Nov. 1 as originally planned, but Ava Wise, executive director of the New Road Community Development Group, is under-

terred. “We can go on and on and on about why costs are where they are, but at the bottom line, they are what they are,” she said.

Instead of dwelling on cost escalations or considering downgrading or downsizing the project, Wise is working to acquire more funding so the project can move forward.

“I was not prepared for 25% cost increas-

es, so ... right now, we’re just kind of ... in a holding pattern until I can raise some more money,” Wise said.

The second phase of New Road’s Legacy Project, when complete, will have a total of 47 units, including 35 on the south side of Ruth Wise Road.

The project will feature various types of housing and both rental and ownership options to meet the needs of families of different sizes with low and middle incomes.

The project will include 10 duplexes totaling 20 units – 14 to rent and six to own. The duplexes to own will be fee simple, meaning the buyers can do whatever they want with their property as long as they comply with any applicable easements or zoning.

This will enable two families to each own half of a duplex. However, if a family can afford an entire duplex, Wise is willing to sell one as a whole.

She noted this would be a good option for a multigenerational and multiple-income family. Alternatively, a family who owns an entire duplex could use it to build wealth by living in one half and renting out the other.

Of the first six duplexes to be built, two duplexes will be on the east side of U.S. Route 13, one facing Occohannock Neck Road and one facing Row Lane. The other four will be on the west side of the highway facing Ruth Wise Road.


South of Ruth Wise Road will be Legacy

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- ✓ \$1 million to create a permanent boundary line between Maryland and Virginia with an oyster reef
- ✓ Personal property exemption bill for solar farms, with 2020 yearly tax revenue in Accomack County equaling \$1 million
- ✓ Sales tax on Internet sales legislation
- ✓ \$25 million for Hampton Roads Sanitation District
- ✓ Allowed a 1 percent sales tax addition for school construction in Northampton County
- ✓ Directed VIMS to conduct the inlet study around Chincoteague Inlet

Housing

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Plaza, a 12-unit apartment building with commercial space on the first floor, a 15-unit apartment building, and four additional duplexes.

The original estimate of \$1.6 million to build the first three duplexes has risen to \$2.2 million.

Wise explained that not only are construction costs and home prices remaining high, but the Eastern Shore's geographic isolation exacerbates cost increases.

Every time a contractor from the mainland comes to the Shore, "mobilization costs" are added that projects in other

areas wouldn't incur.

The 25% construction cost increases present a conundrum: Should the project be started in part, as soon as some additional funding is obtained, or should the New Road group wait to start the entire project at once in hopes that a large project will attract a more competitive pool of contractors?

Wise would like to begin construction before the end of 2023, although that seems unlikely.

Even though the project has been delayed, Wise remains positive.

The "worst-case scenario," she said, is that construction will begin in spring 2024.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

A designer's rendering shows a view of part of New Road's upcoming Legacy Project Phase II, which will feature a 15-unit apartment building, a 12-unit apartment building with first-floor commercial space, and duplexes.

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Thank you so very much to our hosts, H.H. and Pat Scott and
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We're Hiring: Health Educator

Category: Clinical
Job Title: Health Educator
Location: Atlantic Community Health Center, Onley Community Health Center, or Eastville Community Health Center
Type: Full-time

Job Summary:

The Health Educator assesses healthcare needs, develops health education programs, and performs targeted healthcare education interventions. They serve as a referral source for providers and also take part in facilitating community-based programs as well as outreach events.

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- Must demonstrate a personal and professional commitment to Eastern Shore Rural Health and its Mission Statement.
- Must demonstrate excellent internal and external customer service skills.
- Ability to provide bilingual patient care is a plus.
- Requires driver's license, automobile insurance, and reliable transportation.



To APPLY:

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Applicants must possess a valid Class V (or higher) Virginia Waterworks Operator License. A Class IV Waterworks License is preferred. It is also preferred that the applicant possess a valid Class III Virginia Wastewater Works Operator License. The position also requires a high school diploma or GED, a Virginia driver's License, and at least 3 years of relevant work experience.

Starting salary range for this position is \$32,382 to \$61,338 depending on experience and qualifications. Please refer to Northampton County's website for a complete job description, requirements and application form at <https://tinyurl.com/bdcb8hst> or an application can be obtained through the Human Resources office. Please submit completed county application form and cover letter to Human Resources, PO Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347 or in person to 16404 Courthouse Road. This position is open until filled. Northampton County is an EOE.

Cheriton Town Manager

The Town of Cheriton is accepting applications for the Town Manager position. The full-time position attends Town Council, Planning Commission, and other Board Meetings as necessary.

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Requires high school diploma or GED and experience in administrative support, bookkeeping, and office operations. Experience in a municipal environment is a plus, as is the equivalent combination of education and experience. Experience with QuickBooks is preferred.

Salary will be commensurate with experience and education. The salary range is \$40,000 to \$50,000.

The position is open until filled, and the first review of applications is on November 1, 2023.

Resumes will be received by mail to Town of Cheriton, P.O. Box 188, Cheriton, VA 23316. Email to townofcheriton@aol.com

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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 Social Services Benefit Program Specialist I/II (Spanish preferred)

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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.

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Requires valid Virginia Driver's License.

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

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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Personnel Analyst (Human Resource Analyst) Position #ES026

The Virginia Department of Health, Eastern Shore Health District, is seeking an experienced human resources professional to serve as its Human Resource Analyst. The position performs human resources functions, including employee relations, recruitment, compensation, benefits, and transactions in support of the Accomack and Northampton County Health Departments. For detailed job information or to apply, visit <https://jobs.virginia.gov/> VDH accepts only online applications; apply by November 3, 2023 at 11:55 p.m. EEO.

Accomack County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the following positions: **Full-Time Certified Law Enforcement Officer and Full-Time Correctional Officer and Full-Time Dispatcher.** Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at www.accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org Open until filled. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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- Tracks and maintains documentation associated with DMV Traffic Grants.
- Manages collections received and provides for deposits on a weekly basis.
- Provides other related work as assigned.

Skills and Attributes:

- Provides for discretion and a high degree of confidentiality.
- Must have prior customer service experience.
- Commitment to excellence with a strong attention to detail and customer service.
- The successful candidate must be able to multitask and complete daily workload.
- Requires computer capabilities with proficiency in Microsoft Word and Excel.

Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org

Applications must be returned to the Sheriff's Office at 23323 Wise Court, Accomack, VA 23301 by Friday, November 10, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

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Executive Administrative Assistant

Eastern Shore Community College is a member of the Virginia Community College System. The College serves the residents of Accomack County and Northampton County as a two-year institution of higher learning.

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Code Enforcement/Building Inspector I or II Full time with benefits | Starting Salary: \$40,005 - \$44,445

The County of Accomack is seeking applications for a full-time position of Code Enforcement/Building Inspector, in the Building, Planning & Economic Development department.

The position is responsible for enforcement of state, federal, & local laws and regulations, codes and ordinances related to residential and commercial structures, in a uniform and systematic manner. *Applicants must be able to perform field work and may be assigned to do inspections in any location within the County.*

Minimum qualifications: A high school diploma or GED; the ability to read and interpret building plans and specifications; Experience with enforcing building and zoning codes and ordinances; Ability to perform basic mathematical calculations.

Preferred qualifications: Experience with *Energov* software program, ability to use mobile devices and platforms and/or bilingual capabilities.

Possession of a valid Driver's License and the satisfactory completion of a criminal history, drug screening, and DMV records checks are required prior to employment. The possession of, or the ability to obtain, within a reasonable time, certifications in residential, commercial, and trades plan review and inspections is required.

Job description and details are available online at: www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities
Review of applications will begin Thursday, Nov. 16, 2023.

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Deputy Clerk I – Commissioner of Revenue F/T with benefits Starting Salary: \$27,139 - \$33,932 based on experience

Accomack County is currently recruiting for a full-time Deputy Clerk I position in the Commissioner of Revenue's office. The position is responsible for performing a variety of clerical and customer service duties for the Commissioner of the Revenue's Office. Employees in this classification perform skilled clerical work. Duties involve assisting taxpayers with questions concerning their accounts, data entry, file maintenance, and processing corrected assessments, routine abatements and refunds.

Minimum qualifications: high school diploma or GED; supplemented by vocational/technical training in business or secretarial science; supplemented by one (1) to three (3) years previous experience and/or training involving administrative, clerical or data input work; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience.

Preferred qualifications: three (3) to five (5) years of experience in real estate or banking work environment.

Satisfactory completion of a background check and pre-employment drug screen are required prior to employment. Electronic applications are preferred but paper versions will be accepted if complete. **First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 16, 2023.** Additional details may be found online: <https://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities>

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Help Wanted

Family Services Specialist I/II Northampton County Social Services

Position Number: L00004

Hiring Range: \$36,993.00 – higher DOQ

Location: Eastville, VA 23347

Application Deadline: October 31, 2023 at 11:59PM

Benefit Programs Specialist I/II Northampton County Social Services

Position Number: L00014

Hiring Range: \$32,415.00 – higher DOQ

Location: Eastville, VA 23347

Application Deadline: October 31, 2023 at 11:59PM

For more information on these positions, please visit <http://dss.virginia.gov> Applications for these positions must be submitted electronically through this website: <http://dss.virginia.gov> Mailed, emailed, faxed or hand-delivered applications and resumes will not be accepted.

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PERSONAL PROPERTY TECHNICIAN - DEPUTY I

The County of Northampton's Commissioner of Revenue is accepting full time employment applications for:

PERSONAL PROPERTY TECHNICIAN - DEPUTY I

This position provides assistance and information related to Personal Property Taxes, Real Estate Taxes, Business Licenses, State Income Tax, and various other job duties to the public and other government agencies. Please see full list of duties in the job description posted on the County website. The salary for this position is \$28,955 to \$44,801 plus benefits.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS TO PERFORM WORK:

- Requires High School diploma or GED.
- Requires one (1) year of customer service experience and some office administration experience.

Please submit completed County application form with cover letter to Human Resources, P.O. Box 66, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA 23347 by **Friday, November 10, 2023** at 5:00 p.m.

Northampton County is an EOE.

Executive Director, Eastern Shore Rail Trail Foundation

This is a multi-faceted position requiring multiple skills and abilities to serve the Board of the Eastern Shore Rail Trail Foundation by overseeing day-to-day fundraising, operations, RAISE Grant applications and implementation, marketing and maintenance of all aspects of the ESRT and the Foundation.

The position is located in Accomack and requires some travel within Virginia and Maryland. It is full time (35 hours, occasional nights and weekends). Salary range is \$60,000 to \$75,000 with no benefits.

Please email cover letter, resume, and 3 references to jwilliams@co.northampton.va.us A full job description is available at https://bit.ly/ED_ESRTF

ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

Flight Line Attendant I

Part-time | Rate: \$12.84 hourly

The County of Accomack is seeking applications for the part-time position of **Flight Line Attendant** based at the Accomack County Airport in Melfa.

The position is responsible for providing fueling services to aircraft and maintenance of both the terminal building and equipment. Applicants must be able to climb a ladder with a 30 lb. fuel hose and *must be able to work weekends*.

Minimum Qualifications: A high school diploma or GED; satisfactory completion of a background check and drug screening prior to employment. Reliable transportation a must.

Preferred Qualifications: Previous aviation or airport facilities experience.

A job description and application instructions can be obtained from the County's website: <http://www.co.accomack.va.us/>

First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 14, 2023.

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ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

The County of Accomack is seeking qualified applications for the part-time position of **Convenience Center Attendant** in the Department of Public Works.

Description: The position is responsible for operating and maintaining the convenience center facilities and assisting customers as needed. Applicants must be able to work weekends and holidays. Attendants may be assigned to any location within the County.

Qualifications: A high school diploma or GED is preferred; a valid driver's license and satisfactory completion of a background check and drug screening prior to employment are required.

Hourly rate of pay: \$12.84. A job description and application instructions can be obtained from the County's website: <http://www.co.accomack.va.us> **Review of applications will begin on Tuesday, November 14, 2023.**

The County of Accomack is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Position is open until filled.

9-1-1 Communications Officer

The Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Commission is now accepting applications for the position of 9-1-1 Communications Officer. The qualified applicant will work rotating shifts, including days, nights, weekdays, weekends, and holidays, as well as fill in shifts as needed. 9-1-1 Communications Officers are responsible for answering 9-1-1 calls, verifying the callback number and address of the emergency, determining the nature of the emergency, and transferring the call or dispatching the appropriate emergency response unit as required, as well as other associated duties.

Minimum qualifications are a high school diploma or equivalent, including some experience in keyboarding or typing. Applicants must be able to speak clearly and distinctly, understand and follow detailed directions, act quickly and effectively during emergencies, and operate complex telecommunications equipment. Desirable qualifications include two years' experience in law enforcement, fire, or emergency medical services, and/or public safety dispatching. Applicants selected for employment will be subject to a background investigation and drug screening.

Applications may be obtained at the Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Communications Center, 23201 Front St., Accomack, VA 23301, by visiting www.esva911.org, or by using this fillable form link: <https://forms.gle/oBhgBsv97a2uJAdW8> (requires a Google account).

There will be two open house, informational presentations held at the ESVA 9-1-1 Center on November 2nd, one at 10:00 AM and one at 6:00 PM. These 30-minute sessions will help describe the position of a 9-1-1 Communications Officer and provide candidates with an opportunity to ask questions prior to applying. For more information, please contact the 9-1-1 Center at 757-787-0911.

Applications are due by 11/10/2023 @ 5p.m. The ESVA 9-1-1 Commission is an equal opportunity employer.

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for a Mixed Beverage Restaurant license
to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages.
Elen Osmanson, Member

NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be sub-
mitted 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

The 2022 annual report, Form 990-PF of La Mirage
Adult Home, Inc., is available for public inspection
for 180 days starting this date of publication (Oct. 27,
2023) between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. J. Small, manager,
may be reached at (757) 678-5488 for an appointment.

Legal Ads

TRUSTEE'S SALE

32020 KELLER POND ROAD, PAINTER, VA 23420

In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated May 19, 2009,
in the original principal amount of \$120,000.00 recorded
in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Accomack County,
Virginia as Instrument No. 200902256. The undersigned
Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in
the front of the Circuit Court building for Accomack Coun-
ty, 23316 Courthouse Ave., Accomack, VA or any such tem-
porary alternative Circuit Court location designated by the
Judges of the Circuit Court on December 1, 2023, at 12:00
PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at
the above address, and more particularly described as fol-
lows: ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND
LOCATED NEAR KELLER, PUNGOTEAGUE MAGIST.
DIST., ACCOMACK, VA., DESCRIBED BY METES AND
BOUNDS AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A PIPE AT
THE SOUTHERNMOST CORNER OF SAID LOT OR PARCEL
OF LAND AT ITS INTERSECTION WITH VA. STATE
RT. 620 FROM U.S. RT. 13 TO VA. STATE RT. 621 AND
LOT 10 ON THE HEREINAFTER MENTIONED PLAT,
THENCE RUNNING N 33 DEGREES 6W A DISTANCE OF
200 FT. TO A PIPE, THENCE TURNING AND RUNNING
N 56 DEGREES 54E A DISTANCE OF 100 FT. TO A PIPE,
THENCE TURNING AND RUNNING S 33 DEGREES 06
E A DISTANCE OF 200 FT. TO A PIPE, THENCE TURN-
ING AND RUNNING S 56 54W A DISTANCE OF 100 FT.
TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. SAID LOT OR PARCEL
OF LAND CONTAINS ONE-HALF ACRE (1/2 A.), MORE
OR LESS, AND IS DESIGNATED AS LOT 9 ON A PLAT
ENTITLED "PLAT OF SURVEY, PARCEL OF LAND TO
BE CONVEYED FROM MARVIN A. CUSTIS, JR., TO
GEORGE T. VINCENT, JR., LOCATED NEAR KELLER,
PUNGOTEAGUE DISTRICT, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIR-
GINIA," MADE BY SHORE ENGINEERING COMPANY,
DATED MAY 9, 1972, AND RECORDED IN THE CLERK'S
OFFICE OF ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, IN PLAT
BOOK 17, AT PAGE 103. SAID LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND
IS BOUNDED GENERALLY ON THE SE BY VA. STATE
RT. 620, ON THE SW BY LOT 10 ON THE AFORESAID
PLAT, NOW OR FORMERLY OWNED BY GEORGE T.
VINCENT, JR., ON THE NW BY PROPERTY NOW OR
FORMERLY OWNED BY MARVIN A. CUSTIS, JR., AND
ON THE NE BY LOT 8 ON THE AFORESAID PLAT, NOW
OR FORMERLY OWNED BY GEORGE T. VINCENT, JR.

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Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash
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of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15)
days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be for-
feited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale
is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale
shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The
Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trust-
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\$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but
shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee,
the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form
copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale
and contract to purchase real property is available
for viewing at www.bwwsales.com. Additional terms,
if any, to be announced at the sale and the Purchaser
may be given the option to execute the contract of sale
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collector and any information obtained will be used
for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirma-
tion. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 8100
Three Chopt Road, Suite 240, Richmond, VA 23229.
For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC,
attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive
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Legal Ads

Public Notice

The Northampton County Board of Zoning Appeals will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, November 8, 2023, at 10:00 a.m. in the Board Chambers located in the County Administration Building at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA. The Board of Zoning Appeals will meet for the purpose of conducting regular business. A site visit to the property will occur immediately prior to the commencement of the Board meeting.

Variance 2023-04: Paul G. Watson III & Lynn Gray Watson (leasee) and THS Family Limited Partnership (property owner) have applied for a variance to allow a single carport to remain on the property. The property is located at 16178 Smith Beach Road, Eastville, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 56-A-16178 and 56-A-99A.

Buffer Exception 2023-04: Paul G. Watson III & Lynn Gray Watson (leasee) and THS Family Limited Partnership (property owner) have applied for a buffer exception for an existing 144 square-foot shed. They are requesting a buffer exception for an encroachment of 20 square-foot area into the buffer. The property is located at 16178 Smith Beach Road, Eastville, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 56-A-16178 and 56-A-99A.

Anyone interested in the above matters should attend the public hearing in order to make their comments known. Additionally, comments may also be written and sent to the Planning, Permitting and Enforcement Department. The files may be viewed in the Northampton County Planning, Permitting and Enforcement Department in Eastville, VA, located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA.

Handicapped Assistance Available: Please telephone 757-678-0443, extension 516, at least 48 hours in advance.

Public Notice

The Board of Zoning Appeals of the Town of Chincoteague will hold a public hearing on Thursday, November 9, 2023, 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 202902: A request from Michelle & Steve Grudi, Parcel #30A5-126, 6305 Poplar Street. The applicants request a Variance of thirteen (13) feet from Appendix A. Article III, section B. R-2 Section 3.6.3 (2) open space of the zoning ordinance of the Town of Chincoteague. The applicant wishes to construct an 11'1" by 12' screen porch and 6' by 13' deck 12 feet from rear property line. The required rear yard setback is 25 feet. The property is zoned R-2.

Variance 20219: A request from Rachel Strawser, Parcel #30A5-A-99, East Street, the applicant requests a variance of four (4) feet from Appendix A. Article 111, section B. R-2 section 3.6.3 open space of the zoning ordinance of the Town of Chincoteague. The applicant wishes to place a 26' by 40' manufactured home 21 feet from the rear property line. The required rear yard setback is 25 feet. The property is zoned R-2.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Wednesday, November 01, 2023, at the Accomack County Circuit Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, VA 23301 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

PARCEL 1: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. FANNIE MAE AYERS

MAP NO. 111A3A000001300 ON MAPPSBURG ROAD; TOWN OF PAINTER

PARCEL 2: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MARY EMILY DOUGHTY

MAP NO. 11900A000004300; 35044 LANKFORD HIGHWAY

PARCEL 3: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MARY EMILY DOUGHTY

MAP NO. 11900A000004400 ON LANKFORD HIGHWAY

PARCEL 4: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. STEWART W. GAMBRILL, JR.

MAP NO. 029A20500013900; LOT 139, UNIT 3, SHEET 5, CHINCOTEAGUE BAY TRAILS END

PARCEL 5: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CORRINE M. HENRY

MAP NO. 092A0A000002400; 18504 GASKINS ROAD

PARCEL 6: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. HAZEL LIVESAY

MAP NO. 069A0A000013000; 15323 PARKS STREET; TOWN OF BLOXOM

PARCEL 7: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MARY JANE LUKASIK

MAP NO. 119A0A000002400; 35570 BELLE HAVEN ROAD; TOWN OF BELLE HAVEN

PARCEL 8: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MEDARDO PONCE MARTINEZ

MAP NO. 062A1A000020700; 16334 MAIN RIDGE ROAD; TOWN OF TANGIER

PARCEL 9: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ANGELA HULL MERRITT

MAP NO. 093B00300000100; 27281 TEXACO TOWN ROAD

PARCEL 10: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RKL MORTGAGE CORPORATION

MAP NO. 022B1A000001300; 20481 SAXIS ROAD; TOWN OF SAXIS

PARCEL 11: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. KYLE T. SATTERFIELD

MAP NO. 029A20100014100; LOT 141, UNIT 2, SHEET 2, CHINCOTEAGUE BAY TRAILS END

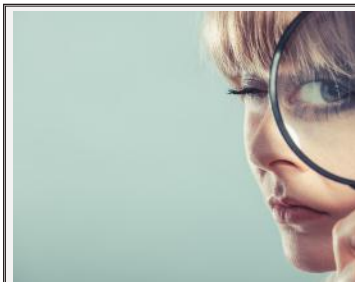
PARCEL 12: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CAROL A. TOWNSEND

MAP NO. 01100A0000052A0; ON HOLLAND ROAD

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

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The Northampton County Wetlands Board will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, November 15, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA, for the purpose of considering the following wetlands/coastal primary sand dunes matter and to conduct regular business. A site visit to the property will be conducted on the same date, prior to commencement of the Wetlands Board meeting.

VMRC 2023-2054: Wilsonia Property Owners Association is applying for a permit to replace the existing docks in the same footprint, construct a 10 ft x 20 ft floating dock and to replace an existing boat ramp in the same footprint with a 7-foot extension into the creek. The portion of the project within the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction is the part of the boat ramp and dock in either vegetated or non-vegetated wetlands. The property is located at Wilsonia Harbor Way, Machipongo, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 38C1-1-A, along the shoreline of Hungars Creek.

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

Public Notice

The Town of Exmore will hold a public hearing on November 6, 2023, at 7 pm at 3305 Main Street Exmore, VA 23350 to solicit public input on local community development and housing needs in relation to Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) supplemental funding for a project in our community.

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 of Exmore's past use of CDBG funds. All interested citizens are urged to attend. For additional information, contact Taylor Dukes — Public Utilities Director at 757-607-7188 or tdukes@exmore.org. If you plan to attend and have any special need requirements, please call the number listed above or use the email.

Comments and grievances can be submitted in writing to Town of Exmore at 3305 Main Street Exmore, VA 23350, by mail at P. O. Box 647 Exmore, VA 23350 or by phone at 757-442-2476 until November 15, 2023.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

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In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated August 2, 2000, in the original principal amount of \$79,591.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Northampton County, Virginia, in Book 322 at Page 733 as Instrument No. 000001541. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Northampton County, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia or any such temporary alternative Circuit Court location designated by the Judges of the Circuit Court on December 1, 2023, at 1:30 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND SITUATE IN CHERITON, EASTVILLE DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, CONTAINING 0.46 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, WHICH SAID LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND IS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS LOT 3 ON THAT CERTAIN PLAT OF SURVEY ENTITLED, "SUBDIVISION OF MILL STREET ACRES, SECTION 2, NEAR CHERITON, EASTVILLE DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, MADE FOR TULLIO BERTOLI, DATED OCTOBER 27, 1999, PREPARED BY EASTERN SHORE SURVEYORS, WHICH PLAT IS RECORDED IN THE NORTHAMPTON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT CLERK'S OFFICE IN PLAT BOOK 28 AT PAGE 4, REFERENCE TO WHICH IS HEREBY MADE FOR A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY HEREBY CONVEYED. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com. Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale and the Purchaser may be given the option to execute the contract of sale electronically. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 8100 Three Chopt Road, Suite 240, Richmond, VA 23229. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com

NOTICE

JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE

On December 01, 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 Onley, Virginia for payment of delinquent taxes.

Montgomery, Douglas J. & Rhonda 93C1-A-101
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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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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Chincoteague Town Council will hold the following public hearing at 7 p.m., or as soon after as this matter may be heard, on Monday, November 6, 2023, in the Council Chambers located at 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague, VA 23336 to consider the following:

The Town Council will consider an ordinance authorizing the conveyance to Hampton Roads Sanitation District of the wastewater treatment system and related property interests formerly in the Sunset Bay South Condominium and acquired by the Town by eminent domain. The property to be conveyed consists of former Commercial Unit A and approximately 13,000 square feet of former common element of Sunset Bay South Condominium (Tax Parcel 30A5-35-CA), and certain easements crossing the common element and also Tax Parcel 30A3-A-6.

Materials related to this transaction may be viewed at the Town office located at 6150 Community Dr. Chincoteague, VA 23336 between the hours of 8am and 5pm daily.

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

October 27, 2023

Town of Wachapreague, Virginia
P.O. Box 242
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757-787-8499

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

REQUEST FOR RELEASE OF FUNDS

On or about November 21, 2023, the Town of Wachapreague will authorize the Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission to submit a request to the HUD Richmond Field Office of Community Planning & Development Division for the release of Community Project Funding Grant funds from the Consolidated Appropriations Act – FY 2023, to undertake a project known as the Wachapreague Sewer Line & Pump Station Project for the purpose of constructing a centralized sewer system for the Town of Wachapreague with HUD grant funding of \$750,000 and a Total Project Cost estimated at \$3,910,000.00.

FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

The Town of Wachapreague 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 Wachapreague Town Office, 6 Main St. Wachapreague, VA 23480 or the Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission, 23372 Front St. Accomac, VA 23301 and may be examined or copied weekdays 9:00 A.M to 5:00 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Any individual, group, or agency may submit written comments on the ERR to the Town of Wachapreague. All comments received by November 20, 2023 will be considered by the Town of Wachapreague prior to authorizing submission of a request for release of funds. Comments should specify which Notice they are addressing.

ENVIRONMENTAL CERTIFICATION

The Town of Wachapreague certifies to HUD Richmond Field Office that Charles Elliott in his capacity as Town Mayor 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. HUD's Richmond Field Office's approval of the certification satisfies its responsibilities under NEPA and related laws and authorities and allows the Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission to use Program funds.

OBJECTIONS TO RELEASE OF FUNDS

HUD Richmond Field Office will accept objections to its release of funds and the Town of Wachapreague'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 Town of Wachapreague; (b) the Town of Wachapreague 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 HUD Richmond Field Office; 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 emailed to HUD at CPDRROFRIC@hud.gov, Attention: Mr. Ronnie J. Legette, Sr., Director, Community Planning and Development Division. Potential objectors should contact HUD at (800) 842-2610, Extension 4881, to verify the actual last day of the objection period.

Charles Elliott, Mayor

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**TUESDAY,
OCT. 31ST**



The Town of Cheriton
will be Hosting
TRICK OR TREATING
Tuesday, October 31st, 2023
From 5:30PM to 8PM
Curfew is at 8PM
No full face masks
for anyone 13 or older
Have a Happy and
Safe Halloween!



The Town of Parksley
Tuesday, October 31st
from 5-7 PM
TRUNK - or - TREAT
located in the Parksley Town
Square during this time!
CURFEW 8 PM



Town of Melfa
Halloween Curfew

Melfa will celebrate
Halloween on
**Tuesday,
October 31st**
Children 12 and under only
accompanied by an adult. Curfew for
all under 18 will be 8:00 pm.



**The Town
of Eastville**
will be hosting
Halloween on
**TUESDAY,
OCTOBER 31st
from 5:30 - 8 PM**

All children 12 & Under must be
accompanied by an adult. No full-face
masks for anyone over 12 years old.
**HAVE A HAPPY AND
SAFE HALLOWEEN!**

**The Town of
Chincoteague**

will be celebrating
Halloween on
**Tuesday,
October 31st
from
4pm - 8pm**



There will be an 8 PM curfew.

Main Street will be closed to all vehicular
traffic from 3pm - 7pm from Marlin St. to
Smith St.

The Sunnywood Manor Neighborhood
will also be closed to all vehicular traffic,
except those neighborhood residents
issued an access permit. The time of
closure will be 4pm to 8pm.

Parking will be available at Memorial Park
and those old enough to walk alone, may
be dropped off and picked up at either
Sunnywood Drive and East Side Road or
Sunset Drive and Ridge Road.

**Town of
Cape Charles**
will permit Trick-or-Treating on
Tuesday, October 31, 2023
until 8:00 p.m.

Please be mindful of those who do not wish
to participate, normally identified by the
absence of a porch light.

*Town curfew will be strictly
enforced for anyone under 18 years of age.*

On October 28, 2023, join us for the
**Halloween Hootenanny in Central
Park** from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

The Cape Charles Main Street Creepy
Crawl will be held in the Historic
business district (Mason Avenue and
side streets) from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

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Tuesday, October 31st

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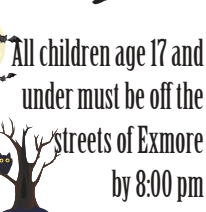
*Use your porch lights
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participation
up to 8 pm.*



**HALLOWEEN
CURFEW**

**Town of Exmore
Tuesday,
October 31st**

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streets of Exmore
by 8:00 pm



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COMMENTS TO MANAGEMENT

We noted the following matters involving internal control and its operation that has led or could lead to the loss of revenues, assets, or otherwise compromise the Clerk's fiscal accountability.

Reconcile Bank Accounts

Repeat: Yes (first issued 2015)

The Clerk has not reconciled his operating account in several years and did not reconcile his investment account during the audit period. As of June 30, 2020, there was a \$252,603 unreconciled difference between the checking account bank balance and the corresponding ledger balance. In addition, the total of the individual investment account balances in the Clerk's automated financial system does not agree to the aggregate balance reported on the savings account bank statement.

Allowing reconciling items to go unresolved can lead to errors and irregularities going undetected and can increase the risk of loss of funds. Timely and complete reconciliations are an essential internal control. The Clerk should improve his procedures to ensure bank accounts are properly and promptly reconciled, corrections and adjustments are made timely, and individual investment accounts are accurately reflected in the automated system.

Properly Bill and Collect Court Fines and Costs

Repeat: Yes (as noted below)

The Clerk does not properly bill and collect court fines and costs and has not provided sufficient training to staff responsible for criminal fine and cost assessment and collection procedures. Previous audits have reported the Clerk does not Properly Bill and Collect Court Costs (first issued in 2010), properly Assess DNA Fees (issued in 2018), Participate in the Tax Set-Off Debt Collection Program (first issued 2018), and Monitor Accounts Receivable Reports (issued in 2018). The Clerk has not taken corrective action to resolve these matters. During our audit, we noted the following:

- Cost assessment errors in 40 percent of the accounts tested. Errors included incorrect fine amounts, jurisdiction errors, fees for court appointed attorneys assessed incorrectly, lower court costs not assessed and psychological evaluation fees not assessed. In addition, supporting paperwork for attorney fee waivers is not retained. These errors resulted in Commonwealth revenue losses of \$9,758 and defendants being overcharged \$1,053.

- The Clerk has not obtained access to the Local Inmate Data System (LIDS) to determine if DNA has already been taken from a defendant and staff have not been trained to order and assess the DNA fee appropriately.
- The Clerk has not established procedures for monitoring the 'Accounts without Receivable Report'. Review of this report ensures the Clerk has established all appropriate accounts.
- The Clerk did not participate in the Tax Set-Off Debt Collection program during fiscal year 2019, resulting in revenue losses of \$10,499. One staff member is now certified to respond to Tax Set-Off matches, although 11 defaults were noted in fiscal year 2020. The Clerk should have a second staff certified to respond to Tax Set-Off hits so that he can collect these funds.
- In four of 17 accounts tested, judgments were not docketed or were not docketed timely.

The Clerk should ensure his staff is properly trained on the guidelines and procedures around the billing and collection of court fines and costs and should establish a system of review to minimize the likelihood of billing errors going undetected. In order to maximize collections, the Clerk should review financial system reports to ensure receivables are properly established, ensure a second staff member completes the required training to be able to use the tax refund set-off process, and docket judgments in a timely manner. In all cases, the Clerk should bill and collect court fines and costs in accordance with the Code of Virginia.

Improve Financial Management

Repeat: Yes (as noted)

We noted the following procedures required by either the Code of Virginia or that represent sound accounting practices that the Clerk is not following:

- The Clerk does not consistently Review Daily Financial Reports (finding first issued 2017). System reports summarize all accounting entries made each day. Proper review of these reports is an essential internal control. A deputy clerk prepares the daily financial reports for collections and deposits, which the Clerk occasionally reviews. However, it is clear other reports are not reviewed since defendant accounts needing corrective action have remained on the reports for several years and ledger imbalance 'warnings' have been flagged during the entire audit period. Currently a liability sub

ledger does not reconcile to the general ledger with a difference of \$56,263. Other than the daily deposits, the Clerk makes most of the accounting entries and does not have a trained backup. Journal entry errors have contributed to the current issues. A secondary review by trained staff would have provided the opportunity for accounting errors to be detected and corrected timely. The Clerk should consider training additional staff to assist him with report reviews.

- The Clerk did not properly Monitor and Disburse Liabilities (issued 2011, 2016, 2017, 2018) and did not submit the required Unclaimed Property and Unclaimed Restitution reports as required by the Code of Virginia. On June 30, 2020, the Clerk held inactive accounts totaling \$115,676 dating as far back as 1998. The Clerk should perform the required due diligence and escheat all eligible accounts.
- The Clerk did not invest two trust accounts within 60 days as required by § 8.01-600 of the Code of Virginia. One account was invested eight months late and one account remains uninvested after ten months. Failure to invest funds timely subjects the Clerk to personal liability for the lost interest.

The Clerk should work to ensure all procedures and duties required by his office are being completed and that proper internal controls are implemented to ensure the accuracy of financial information and compliance with statutory and accounting requirements.

Develop a Disaster Recovery Plan

Repeat: Yes (first issued 2018)

The Clerk has not prepared a disaster recovery plan policy as required by § 17.1-258.3:1 of the Code of Virginia. Developing a disaster recovery plan for electronic records ensures the integrity of court records. The Clerk should prepare a disaster recovery plan in accordance with the Code of Virginia.

Auditor of Public Accounts
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Spaghetti dinner is planned

Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church will have a spaghetti dinner on Friday, Nov. 10, from 5 to 7 p.m., at the church located at 89 Market St., Onancock.

Takeout orders are available and donations are accepted. Proceeds benefit No Limits Eastern Shore Brain Injury Services. Those in attendance should enter through the Lee Street door. Call 757-787-1131 for more information.

Baptist clergy will meet

The Eastern Shore Conference of Baptist Clergy will meet on Saturday, Nov. 11 at 9 a.m. at the Ebenezer Baptist Church, 9504 Occohannock Neck Road, Exmore.

For more information, contact 757-710-8528 or esbcevents@gmail.com.

Union Baptist Church sets Fall Pumpkin Hunt

Union Baptist Church, Chincoteague, will have its inaugural Fall Pumpkin Hunt on Friday, Oct. 27, at 6 p.m., at the church's activities building and on the grounds at 6365 Church St., Chincoteague. It is for ages 1 year to fifth grade. There will be a pumpkin hunt, puppets, and a menu of hot dogs, chips, and dessert.

Stars and Promises Tour coming to Moose Lodge

Peter Mayer's Stars and Promises Christmas Tour will be performing at the Exmore Moose Lodge, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven, on Thursday, Dec. 7, at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$35 and are available at www.petermayer.com. Doors open at 4 p.m. Call 757-919-0337 or 757-709-4333 for more information.



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For \$60,000
■ From Charlene Dix
To Kyle and Irene Erickson
Lots 344 and 345, Cape Charles
For \$989,000
■ From Geoffrey and Vivien Wright
To HLH Creekside LLC
Lot 48, Plantation Pointe, Bay Creek, Cape Charles
For \$230,000
■ From James and Dawn Nevill
To Terrence and Lynne Tierney
Lot 2, Cheriton Crossroad, Cheriton
For \$269,000

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Lot, 80.18 acres, near Willis Wharf
For \$460,750
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To Kristy and Robert Mitchell Jr.
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For \$30,000
■ From Stephen and Julia Stone
To Lauren and John Posenau
Lot 417, Cape Charles
For \$760,000
■ From Manuel Antonio Gomez
To Patricia Boyer
Lot in Exmore
For \$155,000
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Lot, 1.04 acres, near Concord Wharf
For \$75,000
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For \$295,000
■ From Gary and Shannon Smith
To Justin and Melinda Hoag
Unit 230D, Mason Avenue condo, Cape Charles
For \$529,000
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Lot 22, Heron Pointe, Capeville district
For \$339,900

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14 acres on Lankford Highway, Temperanceville
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3732 Captains Corridor, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$320,000
■ From Vicki H. Bradner
To Rhonda Alexander and John M. Corder
24128 Charlotte St., Accomac
For \$160,000

■ From TI Investments
To Shore Christian Academy
36076 Lankford Highway, Belle Haven
For \$887,500
■ From Christine Ann and Curtis Jon Woods
To Barbara J. and Joseph L. Meredith
8271 Atlantic Road, Atlantic
For \$194,020
■ From Racing Moon LLC
To Hannah N. and Christopher M. MacNeill
6268 Poplar St., Chincoteague
For \$310,000
■ From Gail Sharon Mansell
To Gwendolyn Aboutboul and Joseph A. Zelechowski
21270 Marlee Drive, Onancock
For \$387,000
■ From Ernest Montley
To Melanie and David Dancy
20273 Canvasback Lane, Schooner Bay, Onancock
For \$395,000
■ From Michael P. Leary
To Jodi and Adam Bellacicco
7080 Pine Drive, Chincoteague
For \$388,000
■ From MTGLQ Investors LP
To Joseph Furio
10501 Hope Circle, Atlantic
For \$30,000
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To Karen J. Trevino
Lot 1095, Section 1, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$6,500
■ From Jean W. and David A. Morgan
To Jeni L. and Jordan B. Coffelt
Lot 329, Unit 2, Trails End, Horntown
For \$59,000
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To Mason Rentals LLC
Lot 112, Section 2, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$25,500
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Two lots near Ridge Road, Chincoteague
For \$420,000
■ From Vivian C. Wallace
To Elizabeth and Arthur Mendez
21 Brooklyn Ave., Wachapreague
For \$200,000
■ From CNCC LLC
To Bonnie L. and Dale W. Kramer
7042 Pine Creek, Chincoteague
For \$495,000

■ From Michelle Marie and Deborah Ann Verstegen
To Susan L. Donaldson
1601 High Sea Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$7,500
■ From BRK Homes Inc.
To Dollie and Clifford Hicock
28301 Main St., Hallwood
For \$16,500
■ From William H. Turner II
To Jennifer Donnell
Two parcels near Shell Bridge Road, Craddockville
For \$35,000
■ From Kahee Kim-Shin
To Wilner Bastien
83 Kerr St., Onancock
For \$195,000
■ From Charles T. Godwin II
To Cindy L. and William F. Haase
20396 Bluebill Lane, Schooner Bay, Onancock
For \$425,000
■ From Linda Brenner and Albert J. Prazmark
To Barbara L. and Robert B. Frost
Lot 1, Green Landing Road, Onancock
For \$125,000
■ From Godwin Farm LLC
To Meagan Elizabeth Broadwater and Cody Nathaniel Lewis
27396 Horsey Road, Temperanceville
For \$150,000
■ From Limosa LLC
To Yoselin Marleny Lopez Morales
19384 Metompinkin Road, Parksley
For \$44,500
■ From Starr P. Carroll Whiten
To Glenn Schroeder
6038 Periwinkle Drive, Trails End, Horntown
For \$18,000
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To Susan L. Donaldson
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To Idenisse Melendez Santiago and Emmanuel Caraballo Rosario
23673 Front St., Accomac
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To Francisco Hernandez
30531 Boston Road, Painter
For \$43,000
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To Jeston Bowman
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For \$53,000
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To Lorie Fitchett Johnson
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For \$70,000
■ From Maureen M. Dolan
To Michael Reinhart
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For \$16,000
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To June M. and Kenneth H. Paris
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For \$10,700
From Roberto J. Reyes
■ To Sheny Lopez Escalante and Romeo Lopez Velasquez
23263 Lillistion Ave., Accomac
For \$100,000
■ From CCG Note LLC
To Rebecca and Lawrence E. Quinn IV
Lot 70, Section 8, Captains Cove, Greenbackville
For \$6,500
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For \$370,000
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To Vanessa P. and Thomas J. Collins
Lot 41, Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown
For \$19,000

TIDE TABLE

Seaside

Bayside

		Friday Oct. 27		Saturday Oct. 28		Sunday Oct. 29		Monday Oct. 30		Tuesday Oct. 31		Wednesday Nov. 1		Thursday Nov. 2
Assateague Beach	H L	7:17 a.m. 1:53 p.m.	H L	8:06 a.m. 2:44 p.m.	H L	8:53 a.m. 3:34 p.m.	H L	9:40 a.m. 4:22 p.m.	H L	10:26 a.m. 5:11 p.m.	H L	11:13 a.m. 6:01 p.m.	H L	12:01 p.m. 6:55 p.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	7:20 a.m. 1:47 p.m.	H L	8:08 a.m. 2:38 p.m.	H L	8:55 a.m. 3:26 p.m.	H L	9:42 a.m. 4:14 p.m.	H L	10:28 a.m. 5:01 p.m.	H L	11:15 a.m. 5:49 p.m.	H L	12:04 p.m. 6:40 p.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	8:13 a.m. 2:32 p.m.	H L	9:02 a.m. 3:23 p.m.	H L	9:49 a.m. 4:13 p.m.	H L	10:36 a.m. 5:01 p.m.	H L	11:22 a.m. 5:50 p.m.	H L	12:09 p.m. 6:40 p.m.	H L	12:57 p.m. 6:25 a.m.
Folly Creek	H L	8:06 a.m. 2:17 p.m.	H L	8:55 a.m. 3:08 p.m.	H L	9:42 a.m. 3:58 p.m.	H L	10:29 a.m. 4:46 p.m.	H L	11:15 a.m. 5:35 p.m.	H L	12:02 p.m. 6:25 p.m.	H L	12:50 p.m. 7:19 p.m.
Wachapreague	H L	7:44 a.m. 1:57 p.m.	H L	8:34 a.m. 2:50 p.m.	H L	9:24 a.m. 3:40 p.m.	H L	10:13 a.m. 4:27 p.m.	H L	10:59 a.m. 5:13 p.m.	H L	11:44 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	H L	12:30 p.m. 6:50 p.m.
Quinby Inlet	H L	7:17 a.m. 1:32 p.m.	H L	8:06 a.m. 2:23 p.m.	H L	8:53 a.m. 3:13 p.m.	H L	9:40 a.m. 4:01 p.m.	H L	10:26 a.m. 4:50 p.m.	H L	11:13 a.m. 5:40 p.m.	H L	12:01 p.m. 6:34 p.m.
Machipongo	H L	7:47 a.m. 2:01 p.m.	H L	8:36 a.m. 2:52 p.m.	H L	9:23 a.m. 3:42 p.m.	H L	10:10 a.m. 4:30 p.m.	H L	10:56 a.m. 5:19 p.m.	H L	11:43 a.m. 6:09 p.m.	H L	12:31 p.m. 7:03 p.m.
Tangier Sound Light	H L	11:28 a.m. 5:55 p.m.	H L	12:15 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	H L	1:01 p.m. 6:45 a.m.	H L	1:46 p.m. 7:28 a.m.	H L	2:29 p.m. 8:11 a.m.	H L	3:14 p.m. 8:56 a.m.	H L	4:01 p.m. 9:46 a.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	11:52 a.m. 6:41 p.m.	H L	12:39 p.m. 6:47 a.m.	H L	1:25 p.m. 7:31 a.m.	H L	2:09 p.m. 8:15 a.m.	H L	2:53 p.m. 8:59 a.m.	H L	3:38 p.m. 9:44 a.m.	H L	4:26 p.m. 10:31 a.m.
Guard Shore	H L	11:44 a.m. 6:37 p.m.	H L	12:31 p.m. 6:43 a.m.	H L	1:17 p.m. 7:27 a.m.	H L	2:01 p.m. 8:11 a.m.	H L	2:45 p.m. 8:55 a.m.	H L	3:30 p.m. 9:40 a.m.	H L	4:18 p.m. 10:27 a.m.
Chescon. Creek	H L	11:19 a.m. 5:49 p.m.	H L	12:06 p.m. 6:40 p.m.	H L	12:52 p.m. 6:39 a.m.	H L	1:36 p.m. 7:23 a.m.	H L	2:20 p.m. 8:07 a.m.	H L	3:05 p.m. 8:52 a.m.	H L	3:53 p.m. 9:39 a.m.
Onancock Creek	H L	11:33 a.m. 6:09 p.m.	H L	12:20 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	H L	1:06 p.m. 6:59 a.m.	H L	1:50 p.m. 7:43 a.m.	H L	2:34 p.m. 8:27 a.m.	H L	3:19 p.m. 9:12 a.m.	H L	4:07 p.m. 9:59 a.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	10:49 a.m. 5:23 p.m.	H L	11:36 a.m. 6:14 p.m.	H L	12:22 p.m. 7:04 p.m.	H L	1:06 p.m. 6:57 a.m.	H L	1:50 p.m. 7:41 a.m.	H L	2:35 p.m. 8:26 a.m.	H L	3:23 p.m. 9:13 a.m.
Nassawadox	H L	9:32 a.m. 3:45 p.m.	H L	10:20 a.m. 4:36 p.m.	H L	11:06 a.m. 5:25 p.m.	H L	11:51 a.m. 6:13 p.m.	H L	12:36 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	H L	1:22 p.m. 6:46 a.m.	H L	2:09 p.m. 7:32 a.m.
Occhohan. Creek	H L	9:57 a.m. 4:38 p.m.	H L	10:45 a.m. 5:29 p.m.	H L	11:32 a.m. 6:18 p.m.	H L	12:19 p.m. 7:05 p.m.	H L	1:06 p.m. 6:53 a.m.	H L	1:51 p.m. 7:37 a.m.	H L	2:36 p.m. 8:23 a.m.
Cape Charles	H L	8:23 a.m. 2:53 p.m.	H L	9:10 a.m. 3:44 p.m.	H L	9:56 a.m. 4:34 p.m.	H L	10:40 a.m. 5:22 p.m.	H L	11:24 a.m. 6:10 p.m.	H L	12:09 p.m. 6:59 p.m.	H L	12:57 p.m. 6:43 a.m.
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Last week's answers

AISLE DAB SILT SPRITE
RAPID FIRE POOR TIESUP
AGED GRACEFULLY ON FIRE
BOA EELS AMAZING GRACE
KNITS OXEN TAI AHAS
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by Linda Thistle

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Super Crossword

FOLLOWING CONCEPTION

ACROSS

- 1 Vocalist Vaughan
6 Falsely present as genuine
12 Wizards-Magic matchups, e.g.
20 Brand of spaghetti sauce
21 Illicit moneylender
22 Legendary lost city of gold
23 Carjacking or kidnapping
25 Guys playing in central positions in team sports
26 Whirling, old-style
27 Vase variety
28 Disgrace
30 Major Dutch banking corp.
31 "I believe," on the internet
32 Metabolism or reproduction
37 Places for petri dishes
39 Old Delta rival
40 Actress Anderson
41 Haul to court
42 Attempt to give a bias to news coverage
46 Bottom-line deficit
50 Ed of "Up"
51 With 98-Down, have a meal around noon
52 Bend in ballet
55 Playwright Jean
56 Burns' "— Lang Syne"
59 Market condition that eventually "bursts"
62 Mammal with secretions used in perfumery
66 Vessel spar
67 Marked down
68 Billfold bill
69 Geometric design used to calibrate a video display
73 Imbibe slowly
74 "Sakes alive!"
77 "Va-va- —!"
78 Boxes of toy building blocks
81 They patrol on horseback
85 Historic NYC club, with "the"
86 Wolf in "The Jungle Book"

DOWN

- 1 Tanning lotion stat
2 Aids for walking tours
3 Scarlet tanager
4 Old film critic James
5 Biblical peak identified with Sinai
6 Ending for eye or mouth
7 Fancy word for "kiss"
8 Little donkey
9 Round rubber gasket
10 Masc. opposite
11 Plaster painting
12 Kathmandu native
13 Zeppelin, e.g.
14 Not favorable
15 Gunky stuff
16 Still lifes, e.g.
17 Ike's first lady
18 Utopias
19 Jukebox selections
24 Supreme Court's Samuel
29 Solo of "Solo"
31 "Casablanca" heroine
33 Embrace fully
34 Not healthy
35 Surpass in firepower
36 Tabloid VIPs
38 Move furtively
43 Gunky stuff
44 Cry of cheer
45 Siouan tribe
46 Pos. opposite
47 Safe, in hardball
48 Give a convincing argument
49 Brews, as tea
52 Pre-coll. exam
53 Itemize, e.g.
54 Recon data
57 River of forgetfulness
58 Subpar grade
60 Savory taste of MSG
61 A beatnik may beat it
62 Partners of poppas
63 Disjoin, as a pair of oxen
64 Transitioned smoothly
65 Answers an invite
70 Honk
71 Casual shirt
72 Fun activities, for short
75 Airing past midnight, say
76 — Island (Big Apple borough)
79 Mayberry boy
80 Yemeni capital
82 Poppa
83 — -Magnon
84 Unit of corn
89 Source of a purple fruit
91 Augmenting
92 Start to get tiresome
93 Witty Bombeck
95 Nation within a nation
96 Golfer Michelle
97 Hip-hop "Dr."
98 See 51-Across
100 Mmes.' counterparts
101 Wood cutter
102 Software revision, e.g.
105 Pack away
106 Violin cousin
107 Get frosty
108 Facilitates
109 Proportion
110 Lacking skill
111 Thees and —
117 Em, to Dorothy
119 Hurdle for some college srs.
120 "2 funny!!!"
122 Relatives, casually
123 "— a pity!"
124 Casual shirt

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**Homesteader 7x12
Hydraulic Dump Trailer**



\$9,999

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2019 NISSAN SENTRA



65K MILES

\$17,900

STK#S4667

2004 CHEVROLET MALIBU MAXX LS



120,335K MILES

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STK#S4744

2012 NISSAN JUKE



\$10,900

2019 CHRYSLER 300S AWD



59K MILES

\$23,400

STK#S4607

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128K MILES

\$21,900

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