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Northampton High School senior Pedro Mateo-Sanchez is an offensive lineman, defensive lineman, and drum major.

Northampton High senior is a three-way star

BY MARK MORING
Eastern Shore Post

It's a typical Friday night for Pedro Mateo-Sanchez, a senior at Northampton High School.

In the early evening, for a little more than an hour, he's down in the

trenches, blocking and tackling and grunting and grinding as a two-way lineman for the Yellow Jackets football team.

He's about 170 pounds, often going against players that outweigh him by 50 pounds or more.

Then, for about 15 minutes, cov-

ered in sweat, dirt, and grass stains, still clad in football cleats and pants and a grubby white T-shirt, he's up on a podium, the drum major, leading the Northampton marching band through its halftime show.

As soon as the last note is played,

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ACCOMACK

Cooper is top fundraiser as vote nears

Circuit court clerk candidates raise more than \$38K combined

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Candidates for Accomack County Clerk of Circuit Court have raised over \$38,000 combined for their campaigns, according to the most recent reports in a state database — and more money is expected to flow into their accounts as the elections get closer.

The contested race for the constitutional officer position follows state trends in campaign finance, which have set fundraising records this year even after accounting for inflation, according to data analyzed by Virginia Public Access Project, which operates the online database.

Cedrick L. Cooper and Talia Custis Taylor are vying for the circuit court clerk position, which does not have an

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Employees at Atlantic Union Bank in Exmore dress in all-black and wear masks on Halloween in bank robber costumes. Pictured from left are Julie Martin, Allyson Logan, Lizzie Garcia, Jakeia Beach, Karamiah Jimenez, and Jessica Castillo at the Exmore branch, holding money bags. Employers and businesses all over the Eastern Shore enjoyed dressing in costumes to get in on the Halloween fun.

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State Sen. Lynwood W. Lewis Jr., right, who has represented the Eastern Shore of Virginia for 20 years in the General Assembly before announcing earlier this year he would not run for re-election, was the guest speaker at the October meeting of the Eastern Shore Christian Businessmen's Association. Lewis, known for his bipartisan approach, said the divisiveness in the current political climate was a major factor in his decision not to seek re-election. At left is John Fiege, president of the ESCBA, a group that meets mostly to promote ethical decisions and Christian principles in all business dealings.

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- Master of Science Degree in Accounting, Wilmington University (*New Castle, DE*)

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Campaign funding

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incumbent candidate running for the first time in over 40 years.

As of Tuesday, Oct. 31, Cooper had raised \$25,454 and Taylor had raised \$13,052 for their campaigns, according to the public access project's website.

"The goal was to raise as much as necessary to run a successful campaign," said Cooper, who said he has held three fundraisers since July.

"When you're in a contested race, nobody would think about how much it costs to run for these positions," said Taylor, who said she has held one fundraiser since September.

In past years, contested races for local constitutional officer positions have drawn significant campaign dollars.

In 2019, Accomack County Treasurer James Lilliston raised \$21,568 for his campaign, which he won against Brandy Custis Childress.

Cooper and Taylor both said they have planned to run for the clerk of circuit court position for years.

"I just felt with my background that this was a job I could do really well," Taylor said, adding that campaign fundraising allows candidates to showcase those qualifications through newspaper and radio advertisements and signs.

"Fundraising is basically to get yourself out in front the public ... so people can see your qualifications, your intentions, your goals, and your aspirations, which supports why you're the better candidate for the position," Cooper said.

Taylor's top donation is \$6,695 from herself.

Cooper's top donation is from Cooper & Humbles Funeral Co. Inc., of Accomack, which donated \$5,700.

Cooper's father, Samuel H. Cooper Jr., the retiring circuit court clerk, is listed on the funeral home's website as its president.

Cedrick Cooper is also listed on the funeral home's website as a funeral attendant and its human resources director.

Previously, a circuit judge appointed a school board selection commission, which selected school board members in the county.

Candidate Alex Vargas has raised \$7,262 and incumbent Malcolm "Pep" White raised \$5,243 in the race for the school board seat in District 9, which includes Painter, Belle Haven, Craddockville, and nearby areas.

Vargas's top donations are \$1,000 from Devin Smith and \$600 from the Accomack County Republican Party. White's largest contributions are a \$2,013 loan from himself, in addition to 34 smaller donations of \$100 or less.

District 8 school board incumbent Ronnie E. Holden has raised \$4,480 and challenger Stefanie Jackson has raised \$3,898. District 8 includes Melfa, Wachapreague, Quinby, Keller, Pungoteague, Harborton, and surrounding areas.

Holden's top donor is himself with a contribution of \$3,500. Jackson's largest donations are \$600 from the Accomack County Republican Party and \$500 from Bill DeSteph for Senate.

In District 1, challenger Connie Burford has raised \$2,135 and incumbent Jesse Seidel has raised \$1,641. The district includes Chincoteague and part of the mainland near Wallops.

Burford's largest donations are \$600 from Jo Procter and \$500 from Bill DeSteph. Seidel's top donor is himself with a contribution of \$563.

In District 3, incumbent Lisa Cropper Johnson has raised \$1,830 and challenger Jessica Lewis has raised \$1,366. The district includes Oak Hall, New Church, parts of Wattsville and Temperanceville, and surrounding areas.

Johnson's top donation is \$200 from herself. Lewis' top donations are \$500 from Bill DeSteph for Senate and \$393 from Todd Burbage.

In District 4, challenger Glenn Neal has raised \$1,250 and incumbent Gary Reese has raised \$100. The district includes Parksley, Bloxom, Saxis, and nearby areas.

Neal's largest contributions are

\$500 from Bill DeSteph for Senate and \$450 from himself. Reese's donation was \$100 or less and therefore the donor's name was not reported.

Candidates for the Accomack County School Board's district 2, 5, 6, and 7 seats are on the ballot, but the races are uncontested.

Board of Supervisors

Contested races for seats on the Accomack County Board of Supervisors include in District 2, where Roger DeGeorges is challenging incumbent Ron Wolff to represent the district, which includes Atlantic, Horntown, Greenbackville, and nearby areas.

Totals from Oct. 31 show DeGeorges has raised \$3,000, all from himself. Wolff has raised \$475, including top donations of \$200 each from George Finlayson and Mark Majerus.

In District 5, incumbent Harrison Phillips has raised \$2,972 and challenger Calvin Washington has raised \$25. The district includes Mappsville, Modest Town, Nelsonia, Gargatha, and Metompkin.

Phillips' top contributions are \$750 from Calvert Seybolt and \$500 each from Bill DeSteph for Senate and Harrison Warren Phillips Jr. Washington's donation was \$100 or less and therefore the donor's name was not reported.

Vying for the District 4 board of supervisors seat are challenger Jeffrey Parks, who has raised \$1,629, and incumbent Paul Muhly, who has raised \$200.

Parks' top donations are \$260 from Rashid Chotani and \$104 from Leonard Boyer. Muhly's donation of \$200 is from David DiBetta.

Candidates for the Accomack County Board of Supervisor's districts 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, and 9 seats are on the ballot, but the races are uncontested.

No races are contested in Northampton County.

■ Visit www.vpap.org/localities/accomack-county-va/elections to read more about campaign finance in Accomack County.

School board

Contested races for seats on Accomack County's school board have also drawn significant donations, totals on Oct. 31 show.

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THE PAPER'S POSITION

Don't expect full election results on Tuesday night

The last day for voting on the Eastern Shore will be Tuesday, Nov. 7 — that is Election Day in Virginia. But we might not know that night who the winners are.

Not all the votes will be counted on election night. The totals you find that night at the Virginia Department of Elections website, elections.virginia.gov, will not be complete.

And if a race is especially close, it will be impossible for anyone — the state, the media, or the candidates — to determine on election night who won and lost.

Late-arriving absentee ballots will not be counted Tuesday — and none of the provisional ballots will be counted election night. The final tally will be completed on Monday, Nov. 13, provided there are no recounts and no tie votes.

Why is this?

In part it's because mailed absentee ballots post-marked up to and including on Election Day are legal and must be counted. It will take a day or two for all the mail to arrive.

Further, this election allows residents to both register to vote and vote on Election Day, and steps must be taken to ensure those provisional ballots are legitimate — along with all other provisional ballots.

It's somewhat of a tradition on the Eastern Shore to keep track of election returns as they come in. Election night parties held everywhere from restaurants to backyard garages are fashionable.

But if the races are close, there will be no clear-cut winners Tuesday night, regardless of what anyone says.

It will be like watching a football game in which viewers know the latest game score — but the final score could take days. On Wednesday morning, you will know who is ahead in local races — but if the races are close, you will not know the victor.

For candidates in close races, it will be prudent to refrain from claiming victory or conceding defeat until all votes are counted by local registrars' offices.

To repeat, that won't happen on election night.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

On the celebrant, football skirmish, and Accomack GOP

To the editor:

There were some items in the Oct. 27 issue of the Eastern Shore Post that stuck out.

To the lady at the Northampton courthouse who refused to marry the same-sex couple, this question is settled law.

Lady, either do your job or quit. You don't get to decide who can or cannot be married based on your own bigoted religious beliefs. And if you won't quit, the court should rid itself of you.

The response of the Accomack County School Superintendent to the incident and TikTok video following the Arcadia-Nandua football game is wholly inadequate.

Your earlier hiring of a \$10,000 motivational speaker for a teachers' conference in a county that can't retain staff was strike one.

Your failure to address the

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football game incident seems like strike two.

When it comes, we all know what strike three means.

The Accomack County Republican Party seems off the

chain, as we say. There are two ads placed by the Accomack Republicans that serve no positive end.

The doomsday screed in the Accomack Republican advertisement by the lady who claims we're on the eve of destruction serves no useful purpose except to reinforce President Franklin Roosevelt's famous warning that "the only thing we have to fear is fear itself."

It's like a Trump tweet only with better grammar and spelling.

And then in an adjacent ad there is the undocumented notice that three named school board candidates voted for transgender bathrooms. Cue the clutching of pearls and the taking to fainting couches. This is what is of most concern within the Accomack County School system at this time? Please.

Jim Burton
Cambridge, Md.
Formerly of Pungoteague

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A wedding deserves a celebratory officiant — not a bureaucrat

BY DAVID WENBERT
Guest columnist

My husband Clyde and I have been happily married for more than nine years — since before the U.S. Supreme Court’s Obergefell decision made same-sex marriage legal everywhere.

Then living in northern Virginia, we had to legally execute it in the District of Columbia at the time, with only paperwork from the courthouse and a self-officiated ceremony of the two of us.

A few days later, that was followed by our actual wedding in Arlington, with our 60 or so friends and loved ones, in a spiritual union ceremony officiated by our clergy.

Ted Shockley’s Oct. 27 column on the attempted Northampton County same-sex wedding, “A local marriage celebrant who admits to discrimination,” seemed to lack context on the subject.

Getting married is not like scrambling to have a document notarized to complete some legal transaction. It’s not like finding somebody to change a tire, or give you a quote on insurance.

It’s supposed to mean something — or why bother?

I cannot imagine treating a lifelong commitment as something so trivial that the closest bureaucrat in the building — any officiant — would do.

I cannot imagine anyone even wanting to be married by some random clerk — and one that didn’t affirmatively share the couple’s values, at that.

I’m aghast at the idea that anyone should be compelled to perform weddings with no discretion over whom they unite in matrimony.

There’s a lot of wrongheaded thinking to unpack there. But the first bit to unpack would be “Why?”

Why would such an officiant, who had conscientious objections to doing so, ever be acceptable as their officiant?

And why imply the officiant should be compelled to do so?

This smacks of a publicity stunt to embarrass Northampton County in order to force such compulsion upon officiants in the future. And, with Shockley’s column, it’s obviously working.

We took months finding the per-

fect officiant for us, a pastor, the Rev. Sally Knuckles, then of the Arlington Metaphysical Chapel, who celebrated our marriage, enthusiastically, with her heart.

Our spiritual ceremony was held Sept. 6, 2014, exactly one year after we first came to Chincoteague Island together, on a camp-out at Tom’s Cove, to watch the LADEE moon launch from Wallops, because that trip had been special for us.

Our Washington, D.C., legal union, a couple days earlier, took place at the National Air & Space Museum, with our hands both touching the Moon Rock on permanent display there.

Since it was just the two of us, self-officiating under Washington, D.C., law, and, probably contrary to the policies of the Smithsonian, the “legal” ceremony went something like:

“I do. Do you?”

“I do.”

“We’re done.”

But the execution of the legal paperwork in Washington, D.C., wasn’t what made it a marriage. Our spiritual bond, blessed by clergy, before our friends and family, did that.

We still have a plasma sphere we

bought at the Air & Space gift shop that day. It is glowing in our bedroom as I write this.

That December, we bought our home on Chincoteague and have been welcomed and surrounded by the love and friendship of everyone we’ve met here since then.

Why insinuate that there is some dark, nefarious discrimination in our midst that needs to be dealt with when the very concept of a compelled “celebrant” is morally repugnant?

The fact that someone who works elsewhere in the courthouse sometimes officiates at local weddings, but declined that one, does not imply that the system or Northampton County are, in any way, discriminatory.

The county is not in the business of marrying people. The couple should have taken it outside, as we did, and given it the due consideration the institution of marriage deserves.

Had they done so, they could have been crying for joy rather than some imaginary, nonexistent slight.

■ *The writer lives on Chincoteague Island.*

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Writer grateful for the Chincoteague candidates’ forum, which was ‘well done’

To the editor:

Like many residents I was saddened by the cancellation of the candidates’ forums sponsored by Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore.

Whatever the reasons candidates had for backing out, they denied the voters of the Eastern Shore the opportunity to ask questions and denied the candidates the opportunity to share their views with the voters.

I wish that even with the loss of some participants they had been held, but that was not to be.

This is where a big thank-you goes out to the Chincoteague Community Center for sponsoring a forum Wednesday, Oct. 25.

Candidates for Accomack Circuit Court Clerk, District 1 seat on the Accomack Board of Supervisors, and District 1 seat on the Accomack School Board all took part in the informative question-and-answer format.

Participants introduced themselves. Residents had the chance to submit questions, which were read aloud for candidate response.

This forum was well-attended — I would guess around 140 people were there. Folks actually did drive from other communities to attend.

What is sad is that there was no news coverage of the event and no reporter to share the information those in person received.

It was not recorded to my knowledge nor did it have the ability to be shown live.

At least in that way perhaps more folks could have seen it, even if they couldn’t submit questions.

This was the one opportunity folks had to

see candidates live and in-person in a forum event anywhere on the Eastern Shore to my knowledge.

There were no candidates for State Senate or House of Delegates and, of course, there were no candidates from other races in outlying communities present.

I know it was arranged quickly after the cancellation of the forum first planned, but what a loss for citizens who really want to ask questions that are important in those races.

So a huge thank you goes to the Community Center and those involved in arranging this forum — for picking up the pieces and putting together a forum for us.

It was well done. I just wish there had been more time to answer more questions.

Paula Nees
Chincoteague

Dismayed at article, full-page ads, about Cooper’s messy audit

BY BARREN WATSON
Guest columnist

I feel compelled to address the article, “Cooper, retiring court clerk, takes blame for messy audit,” in the Oct. 13 edition of the Eastern Shore Post, and the subsequent full-page advertisements paid for by the Accomack Republican Party in the Post concerning the audit.

Samuel H. Cooper Jr. has served Accomack County as the Clerk of the Circuit Court for nearly 40 years. This newspaper has published the Oct. 13 article and Republican Party advertisements, and it makes me wonder why.

Have audits of any other of the Accomack County departments been highlighted in articles or advertisements?

While I was born and raised in this county, I have not lived there for over 25 years. While I keep close ties with friends and family still there, I am not aware of coverage of all Accomack County audit reports for specific departments (Board of Supervisors, School Board, Sheriff’s Department, Treasurer’s Office, etc.).

This matter piques my interest in at least two ways. One, Samuel H. Cooper Jr. is my brother-in-law and is married to my sister, Sandra Cooper. Two, I have been a certified public accountant for 35

years and audited multiple Fortune 500 companies, state and local governments, not-for-profits, and middle market companies.

In the majority of these engagements, significant deficiencies were often discovered despite the size of the organizations.

This very fact was disclosed by Laurie Hicks, the state audit director responsible for the audit, according to the Post’s article: “It is not uncommon to have similar results in audits of circuit court clerks.”

As an experienced auditor, I feel this to be a statewide issue that is bigger than just Accomack County.

For context, the clerk of court’s budget is .65% of the total budget for the entire county but it is the only audit being spotlighted.

Perhaps the editor can enlighten us as to why departments comprising a larger percentage of the county budget aren’t worthy of coverage.

While I am in no way making excuses for the deficiencies, I want readers to understand the service that has been rendered to the citizens of Accomack County.

As reported multiple times in this newspaper, the clerk’s office encompasses over 800 duties.

To attempt to tarnish a stellar career and exemplary service provided to the citizens of Accomack

County is disingenuous and unwarranted based on issues that total less than 1% of the total duties required by the office.

Typically, when public servants sacrifice nearly 40 years of their life, congratulations are normally the order of the day.

Over the years, as I have visited my family on the Eastern Shore, I have personally witnessed residents calling or even stopping by Cooper’s home to request his advice relating to court business.

Not one time did he remind them that he was off duty or call him the next business day — he was always willing to help to the best of his ability.

He should be congratulated, not attacked over some petty political theater. The article indicated some of the deficiencies have occurred for multiple years, yet the newspaper only disclosed this upon his retirement announcement.

I am not one to speculate; however, the Oct. 13 article and subsequent full-page advertisements by the Accomack Republican Party seem like a political hit job even though Cooper is no longer a candidate.

On behalf of the residents of Accomack County, I thank him for his service.

■ *The writer lives in Georgia.*

Shore law enforcement will crack down on so-called skill games

BY JACK A. THORNTON III
Northampton County Commonwealth’s Attorney
SPENCER MORGAN
Accomack County Commonwealth’s Attorney
MICHELLE CLAYTON
County attorney for Northampton County
and JAN PROCTOR
County attorney for Accomack County

This letter is to the businesses of Northampton and Accomack counties.

Many of you and your businesses have purchased and made available for play machines commonly referred to as skill games, in which patrons pay money for the chance to win a substantial cash prize by playing the game.

These games often resemble video slot machines and often have themes such as “pirate ship battles,” “ghost stories,” “medieval dragon slaying,” “Old West adventures,” “undersea life,” and other such notions.

As you may or may not know, beginning in 2020, the General Assembly has sought to make such machines illegal and, in fact, did so.

On Oct. 13 of this year, the Supreme Court of Virginia vacated an injunction that had been in place enjoining the Commonwealth and/or localities from enforcing the ban on these so-called “games of skill.” (See Commonwealth of Virginia, et. al. v. Sadler Brothers Oil Company, d/b/a/

Sadler Travel Plaza, et. al., Record No. 230610.)

As such, the Commonwealth and the localities of Virginia’s Eastern Shore will resume and/or begin enforcement of these laws.

Criminal penalties relating to illegal gambling range from a Class 3 misdemeanor (maximum penalty of \$500) to a Class 6 felony (maximum penalty of five years imprisonment and \$2,500 fine, plus loss of some civil rights as a convicted felon).

Additionally, a civil penalty of up to \$25,000 per illegal machine is possible.

The Commonwealth understands that many of you have operated and

are operating these types of machines in good faith and as an investment in your businesses.

Accordingly, a grace period of until Dec. 1, 2023, will be available to allow you and your businesses to come into compliance.

If you have any questions regarding these matters, including, but not limited to whether or not your machines are lawful and what must be done to come into compliance, you should contact a private attorney for advice.

Neither the commonwealth’s attorneys nor the county attorneys will be able to provide any advice to the public.

Clarifying the state’s model policies for transgender bathrooms

BY VALERIE SPEIDEL
Guest columnist

There have been many misconceptions surrounding the transgender policy that was first discussed by the Accomack County School Board in 2021 then approved by the school board in 2023.

In August 2020, the United States Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals issued a 2-1 decision in the case of Grimm v. Gloucester County School Board.

The Grimm decision answered the question of whether a school’s refusal to allow a transgender student to use the school bathroom that corresponds with their gender identity violated the U.S. Constitution’s Equal Protection Clause and Title IX (discrimination based on sex).

The court held that the school’s actions violated both the Equal Protection Clause and Title IX.

As such, Grimm is the controlling law throughout Virginia, meaning all school systems must follow the precedent of the majority opinion when adopting policies.

Gov. Ralph Northam’s office released Model Policies 2021 (ensuring all students are treated with dignity and respect) in response to the Grimm decision and it was adopted on March 3, 2021.

The Virginia Department of Education issued this statement: “Pursuant to § 22.1-23.3 of the Code of Virginia, local school boards shall adopt policies consistent with these model policies by the beginning of the 2021-2022 school year.”

In 2022 the newly elected Gov. Glenn Youngkin developed his own model policies, making the previous Model Policies 2021 of Northam obsolete.

Youngkin’s Model Policies 2023 were adopted July 19, 2023. The VDOE maintained that school boards remain under legal duty per Va. Code § 22.1-23.3 and must adopt policies that are, at a minimum, consistent with the 2023 Model Policies, which Accomack’s school board did in their 2023 vote.

When some school boards hesitated to adopt the 2023 Model Policies, Youngkin reiterated that school boards assume all legal risk for non-compliance.

Attorney General Jason Miyares stated, “These policies are fully compliant with the law, and school boards across the Commonwealth should support and implement them. It’s not just common sense, it’s the law.

What Model Policies 2023 says about bathroom use:

Students shall use bathrooms that correspond to his or her sex, except to the extent that federal law otherwise requires.

A student’s parent must inform the school administration in writing that the child is transgender.

The child will be given the option to use a current unisex bathroom (i.e. nurse’s office or teacher’s lounge) or a single-use bathroom similar to what you would find at a pediatrician’s office or the family bathroom at Walmart.

This single-user bathroom should be made available in accessible areas with appropriate signage, indicating accessibility for all students, respecting and protecting all students.

These are the unembellished facts, not flamboyant political rhetoric.

Many times school board members are required by law to adopt certain policies or risk potentially expensive litigation and taxpayers’ money.

Grimm v. Gloucester has been a law since 2020. Adopting required policies in response to laws is the duty of a diligent and responsible school board.

■ *The writer’s husband is the District 1 incumbent candidate for the Accomack County School Board.*

Good school board members should be active and available in schools

BY CONNIE BURFORD
Guest columnist

Here is a little information about what the Accomack County School Board should do:

The school board hires every single employee in the school system.

Every. Single. One. Without. Exception.

Every employee is voted on by the school board, usually through the consent agenda. The superintendent only recommends hiring. The board ultimately does the hiring.

If a potential employee doesn’t get a majority of the votes, then that employee isn’t hired.

The board can also hire an attorney and request audits.

The superintendent runs the day-to-

day operations of the buildings but only at the discretion of the board.

As long as state and federal law allows, the board can choose to take a more active role should it choose to do so. Good board members should be more active and available in their schools.

A school board member is the taxpayer’s representative in the school system. The board’s job is to do what’s in the best interest of the students, teachers, and staff, while being good stewards of the taxpayers’ money. They are not there to protect the superintendent. School boards also approve/adopt policies that are derived from laws passed by elected officials.

Most recently in Accomack County there has been much concern about the transgender policy that could very well have been adopted in our schools.

When Gov. Ralph Northam was in office, he set model policies for the treatment of transgender students in our schools. Four school board members voted for that policy. All defended their votes by saying that they were afraid they would be sued.

Meanwhile, four others on the board saw that the policy was unsafe for the students and not very well thought out, so they voted against it. One member abstained from voting. As a result, the policy failed.

All totaled, only 14 counties out of 132 districts fully adopted those Northam model policies. Those policies were dangerous to the students and left our students vulnerable, as evidenced by what happened in Loudoun County, where a female student was assaulted by a male dressed

as a female in the female bathroom.

Currently, the Accomack County School Board has adopted Gov. Youngkin’s policy on treatment for transgender children and youth. My opponent did not vote for this policy. He was not at the meeting when it was voted on.

The Youngkin policy is a much better one. However, what would happen if another person was elected that thought like Northam? What would the vote look like then? I know how I would vote.

This is just a little bit to think about before Election Day. I would greatly appreciate your vote on Election Day. It would be my honor to represent you, your children, and our community on that board.

■ *The writer is a District 1 candidate for the Accomack County School Board.*

Cooper’s church video was ‘a call for unity’ and shouldn’t be compared to Bay Creek incident

To the editor:

Each week as I read the editorial of this paper and the responding letters, I have become increasingly frightened.

I’m not frightened of Black churchgoers standing together; not of brown folks coming across the border to work in our fields; not of Blacks with guns shooting shoppers, school children, concert goers, and bowlers; not of people of color trying to exclude me or take away my rights over my own body, and not of indigenous people treating this nation as though it were exclusively theirs while fouling the air, water, and soil with unbridled industrial production and consumerism because “regulation” is un-American.

I am afraid we never have, and never will, find our way to kindness and safety.

Ted Shockley’s Oct. 13 column, “Updating the Eastern Shore’s Racial Relations Scorecard,” brought it all together for me in how twisted the rhetoric has become.

His column was the height of absurdism by comparing a call for unity in church among people of color as somehow comparable to the implied racism of a White, exclusive neighborhood calling the police on a Black child in a golf cart.

Blacks were brought here against their will, separated from families in their countries of origin, and separated from their parents, spouses, and siblings by slave owners in this country for centuries.

Blacks continue to suffer the consequences of that terrible legacy.

Blacks in Tulsa who created a thriving community were burned out of their homes and businesses.

Blacks have been lynched for being Black with whole families coming to watch and collecting postcards of the event.

But now we cannot teach White children about that legacy because it may upset them.

Instead, we are elevating — to the highest levels of power — sympathizers with the White supremacy movement.

Our former president excluded Blacks from his properties; he gave equivalency to protesters in Charlottesville speaking out against police brutality with the protesting White supremacists. He did not condemn the slaughter by auto by one.

We have a speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives who did his best to overturn the results of a democratic election for president — along with half the country so inclined.

And yet people of color are expected to be inclusive and not call for unity?

Look what it may have cost a Black man running for office on the Eastern Shore who did not explain his call for unity sufficiently to his White friends — friends whose public condemnation might have cost him a seat at the table.

I am a privileged White woman and do not deserve to speak for the plight of the less White and/or less privileged.

I also suggest Shockley is not the best scorekeeper of White versus Black crimes against the other.

Nancy Schneider
Parksley

Northampton County marriage celebrant should do weddings for everyone or for no one

To the editor:

The information in Ted Shockley’s Oct. 27 column, “A local marriage celebrant who admits to discrimination” was quite disturbing.

By a recent Supreme Court ruling, a business or individual may discriminate for religious reasons if that person is doing wedding-related services privately and independently.

But an officiant who is one of the “county’s designated marriage celebrants” appears to be breaking the law by only marrying people her religion supports.

A couple is required to obtain a marriage license from the county. A wedding is a ritual outside of that license requirement.

Why does the county or state get involved in that at all?

Once you have that license, shouldn’t you be allowed to participate in whatever rituals you want?

If the county is going to refer couples to a celebrant to perform a ceremony, then the county must ensure that the celebrant is free from discriminatory bias, for whatever reason.

If that person will only do a ceremony for couples he or she deems “acceptable” to her or his religion, then he or she should not be on the county’s referral list.

The couple wished to be legally married. They could not have a wedding ceremony (as others could) at the county offices on that date, because the celebrant refused to conduct the ceremony (as she would do for others).

If the celebrant is not willing to perform marriage ceremonies for everyone, then county employees should not be referring marriage license applicants to her.

Susan and Richard Burger
Cape Charles

Muhly’s advocacy during petition for elected school board shows his ‘tenacity’

To the editor:

This election day marks a major milestone for democracy in Accomack County: the successful culmination of the long effort to have an elected school board.

To Supervisor Paul Muhly goes much of the credit for that transformation from a Jim Crow-era judicial appointment system to the fresh air of competitive elections.

It was he who started the multi-step change process, getting signatures on petitions to put the question on the ballot. I know because I helped him.

Anyone can see the “No Soliciting” signs at the top of the poles at the Food Lion parking lot, testimonials to the effort, put there solely because that’s one of the places we spent a lot of time accosting customers.

That novice effort failed, but Paul never gives up working — with excellent judgment, tenacity, and grit for what’s right and good for the citizens.

He researched the problem, he adjusted the approach, and he got it right. This perhaps unrecognized but truly grand accomplishment is just one among his very many contributions to the county, all of which should assure that he is the choice of the electorate for supervisor in his district.

Alan Silverman
Philadelphia
Formerly of Onancock

In Wachapreague, Joeckel has ‘a long-term vision for the town’

To the editor:

I will be voting for John Joeckel in the Wachapreague Town Council Special Election. He was first elected to the council in 2010 and served until 2016.

He is an individual with a long-term vision for the town. While on council, he had the responsibility as town treasurer and was in charge of the town council.

In 2014 he reduced the town real estate taxes by 25% and believes that with the increased revenues from the 4% meal taxes and \$580,000 in town and marina savings, the real estate taxes can be reduced further.

I urge you to vote for John Joeckel and put him back on the town council.

Stuart Bell
Wachapreague

Bayly Memorial Hall, one of Accomac's hidden historical gems

BY CHRISTOPHER NEWMAN

Guest columnist

One of Accomac's hidden gems of architecture and history, known as Bayly Memorial Hall, formerly Drummondtowne Baptist Church, stands on School Street just 100 yards east of the former Accomac Primary School.

The town of Accomac was originally named Drummondtowne after Richard Drummond, one of its early founders.

The town name was changed to Accomac in 1893. The building remains within Accomac's historic district along with the former Accomac Primary building, which was built in 1932.

The history of Bayly Hall, as Drummondtowne Baptist Church, is unique. On Dec. 3, 1849, Annie Taylor, a resident of Drummondtowne, allotted in her will the sum of \$1,500 toward the building of a Baptist church within town limits.

Taylor, although not a member of the church, thus provided the initial funds needed for its construction.

The original church building was constructed and dedicated on Oct. 23, 1870. The Rev. H. Petty served as pastor to the 20 members of the congregation.

Thirteen pastors and supply pastors had served the growing community when the Rev. A.B. Dunaway became pastor in 1911.

It was at this time members of the church decided to construct a new brick building as their sanctuary.

That beautiful building, resembling an English country church, with its solid tower and great north window above the choir loft, also has extraordinary stained glass windows and sophisticated landscaping.

It remains on the original church site, between historic

Back Street and Front Street. The church is alive and active today with the Rev. David R. Denny serving as pastor.

As stated previously, the church building was moved to School Street.

It was purchased by Evelyn May Bayly Tiffany and given to the Accomack County school system to be used as an auditorium and cultural arts center.

Tiffany, a native of the Eastern Shore, grew up on her family's Mount Custis estate north of Accomac.

After marriage she spent much of her time in Baltimore but always came home to Mount Custis for several months every year.

Tiffany's affinity for education also inspired her to create a scholarship that would benefit students from the two Eastern Shore counties seeking to attend the University of Virginia.

Her initial gift of \$130,000 has grown over time to \$16 million.

Thanks to the Bayly Tiffany Scholarship, about 60 students every year have benefited from receiving a college education at the University of Virginia.

Residents of the town of Accomac and members of Drummondtowne Baptist Church (today written without the ending "e" on Drummondtown) — and especially those who still remember the cultural events, educational activities, parties, dances, and more that took place at Bayly Hall — celebrate this building by placing an historical marker at its entrance.

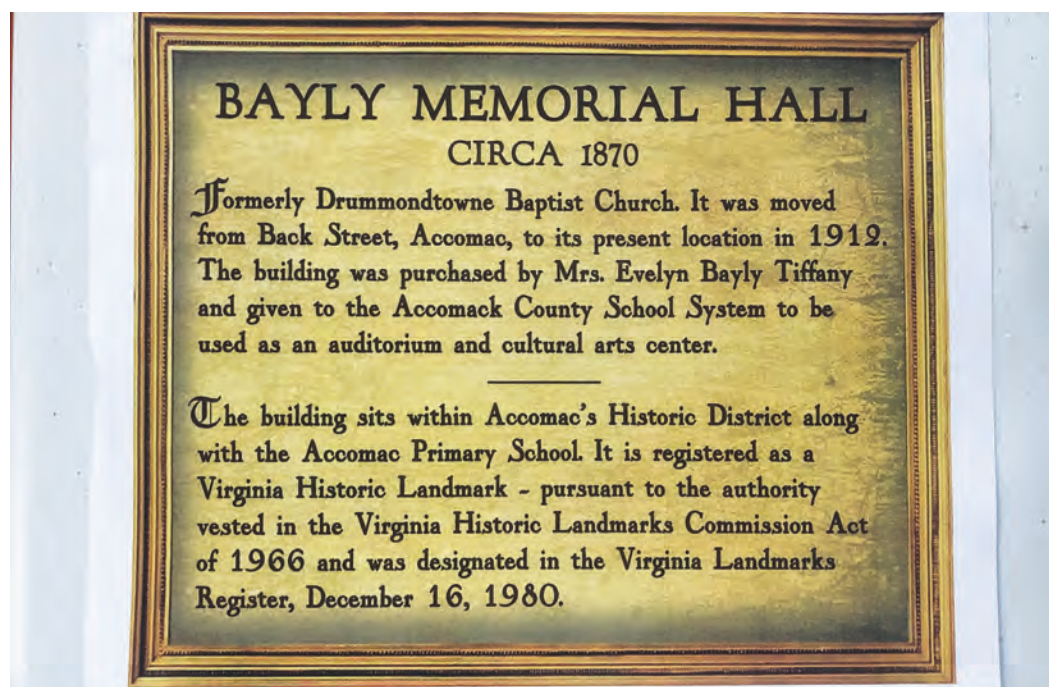
We also honor the memory and vision of the two women, Annie Taylor, who helped build a church; and later Evelyn May Bayly Tiffany, who through her generosity enabled hundreds of Eastern Shore students to attend U.Va.

■ *The writer lives in Accomac.*



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Christopher Newman's illustration of Bayly Memorial Hall, above, and the plaque affixed to the front of the building denoting its history.



ENTERTAINMENT

Eastern Shore Post

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.

■ **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., doors open at 6 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.chincoteague-ca.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” at 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, bird-houses, junk journals, quilts, seashell art, a bake sale table and more. Proceeds support youth missions.

■ **PLANT SWAP:** 9 to 11 a.m, There will be a house plant swap at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 66 Market St., Onancock.

Best bets...

■ **On Friday, Nov. 3, from 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.**

■ **Beginning Friday, Nov. 3, 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**

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.

■ **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, \$4 children, and free for children young-

er than 4. Contact the church for tickets at 410-957-1518 or buy them at the dinner.

■ **DINNER THEATER:** 6:30 p.m., doors open at 6 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.chincoteague-ca.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” at 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” at Arts Enter Cape Charles’ Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets

are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Monday, November 6

■ **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

■ **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:**

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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.

Calendar

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10:30a.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 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 municipal 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

■ **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.

■ **PAINT THE SHORE:** 6 to 8 p.m., The VES Land Trust arts show highlighting conserved land will be held at the Historic Onancock School and is free and open to the public.

■ **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" at Arts Enter Cape Charles' Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

Saturday, November 11 VETERANS DAY

■ **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.

■ **PET PHOTOS:** 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Santa will be at the SPCA Eastern Shore shelter in Onley to pose for photos with pets. For a \$15 donation, attendees will be able to choose their favorite shot from their pet's photo session and receive a 4-inch by 6-inch print of it in a Christmas card frame. Pets attending the event should be on a leash or in an appropriate carrier. For further information, contact the shelter by phone at 757-787-7385 or by e-mail at shorespca@gmail.com.

■ **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" at 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" at Arts Enter Cape Charles' Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are \$30 for adults and \$15 for students.

■ **OYSTER BASH:** 2 p.m., United Methodist Bishop Sue Hauptert-Johnson will be the guest at an oyster bash at Camp Occhannock on the Bay. RSVP by calling 757-331-6729.

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.

Wednesday, November 15

■ **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 16

■ **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.

Friday, November 17

■ **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.

■ **DESIGNER BAG BINGO:** 5:30 p.m. doors, 7 p.m. games, grounds of the Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St., Pocomoke City. Proceeds benefit the 2024 Great Pocomoke Fair. Admission is \$30 each and limited to 150 people. Call 410-726-8012.

OBITUARIES

Eastern Shore Post

David White

It is with heavy hearts and sadness that we announce the passing of **Mr. David Charles White**, beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather. David peacefully departed this world on Oct. 24, 2023, at the age of 85, leaving behind a legacy of love, compassion, and indelible memories.

Born on Christmas Day, Dec. 25, 1937, to the late Irving Linwood White and the late Lona May Griffith White, David's joyful spirit and generous nature touched the lives of all who were fortunate enough to know him. A proud resident of Salisbury, Md., he found contentment in the simplicity of everyday life, cherishing the company of his wife of 66 years, Mary Jane (Ward) White.

David graduated from Onancock High School with the class of '56. He



Mr. White

proudly served his country in the Virginia National Guard for 10 years. He loved his job of many years as a route salesman for Sealtest Milk Co. Alongside his wife Mary Jane, they owned Dave's Country Goodies, where he refinished furniture and made country crafts. David's work ethic never wavered, and even after retirement he worked several years with his son's business, Michael White Custom Homes.

David was a lifetime, faithful fan of the Phillies and Redskins. He had a huge place in his heart for dogs, a love for lighthouses and the outdoors, and especially working in his yard. His greatest passion was his family. You could always find him in the crowd or on the sidelines cheering on his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren at sporting

events or school functions.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Jane White; sons, Michael L. White (Michele) and Wayne C. White (Becky); bonus daughter, Rachel Greene; grandchildren, Pastor Mark L. White (Christine), Justin M. White (Anna), Courtney Ager (Joe), Phillip L. White (Amanda) and Peni Adams (Glen); great-grandchildren, Gabrilla, McKenna, Jase, and Savannah White, Judah Ager, Noah and Mollie Adams, Karys Greene, and William and Abby Keene; nephews, John Hurlbut, Joe Wrightson, and Ed Wrightson; and nieces, Hilda Flamholtz and Marion Smith.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, David C. White II; brothers, Bill, Herbert, and Jack; and sisters, Gladys and Dorothy.

To celebrate David's life, a funeral service was held on Saturday, Oct. 28, 2023, at 11 a.m. at 3C USA Church, 38238 Old Stage Road, Delmar, Del. A visitation was held from 10 to 11 a.m. Interment followed at Fairview Lawn Cemetery in Onancock.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations to be made in David's memory to Coastal Hospice, P.O. Box 1733, Salisbury, MD 21802.

Arrangements were in the care of Short Funeral Home in Delmar. Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.shortfh.com

Rosetta Wolfe

Mrs. Rosetta Elizabeth "Rosie" Wolfe, beloved daughter, granddaughter, sister, aunt, niece, partner, and best friend, passed away on Friday, Oct. 20, 2023. Rosie was born July 17, 1974, a daughter to Fred Elmer Wolfe and Cynthia Sue Barnard, in Medina, N.Y.

Growing up in New York, she loved hanging out with her family and enjoying the beauty of the outdoors. When she was a teenager, she met the man who would become the love

of her life, William Russell Landon. Russell took her to prom and they



Mrs. Wolfe

fell in love. The teenage sweethearts ended up going their separate ways. However, fate found its way, and although the years had passed, they found each other again. She moved with her soulmate to Saxis a few years ago. They enjoyed camping at Cherrystone, traveling to Niagara Falls, watching sunsets over the water, and relaxing at home together.

Funny and sassy, Rosie worked hard as a certified nursing assistant, but loved her job and her patients. She was a giving soul who took it upon herself to care for those who were unable to care for themselves. She spent many years working for Absolute Nursing Home in Gasport, N.Y., before moving to the Eastern Shore of Virginia and working for Shore Health & Rehab in Parksley.

Rosie enjoyed spoiling her nieces and nephews. She was a wonderful aunt and cherished the time she was able to spend with the little ones. She also loved her kitties, and her kitties loved her right back. Riley, her dog, saw just as much affection from Rosie (his heart is very sad, missing his Mama). Rosie's family was of utmost importance to her. If she wasn't cheering for the Buffalo Bills as a staunch member of the Bills Mafia, she could be found talking to her family on the phone. She rarely missed a chance to chat with them every evening.

Rosie is survived by her mother and stepfather, Cindy and William Barnard, of Gasport, N.Y.; father and stepmother, Fred and Sue Wolfe, of Gasport; soulmate, Russell Landon, of Saxis; sisters, Shannon LaForme,

of Middleport, N.Y., and Erin Barnard, of Niagara Falls, N.Y.; brother, William A. Barnard III, of Gasport; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews; and all of her fur babies.

Per her wishes, no public service will be held.

Memorial donations in Rosie's name may be made to the American Heart Association, 4217 Park Place Court, Glen Allen, VA 23060-9979 <https://donatenow.heart.org/>

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

Arrangements were by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Terry Windsor

Mr. Terry Milton Windsor left this earthly world on Tuesday, Oct. 24, 2023, as the sun was setting over the Chesapeake Bay at his home in



Mr. Windsor

Onancock, four days shy of his 69th birthday. Though Terry had faced many challenges over the last several years, his greatest heartache was known in the loss of his daughter, Amanda Hope Windsor, just two weeks prior to his passing. His grief turned to peace and solitude as they were reunited and he felt the warm embrace of his 'water baby.'

Terry attended Onancock High School and later enlisted in the U.S. Army, serving a majority of his time as a mechanic. Following his military service, he returned to his roots and began working as a tugboat cook and later worked as a florist. Whether working, boating, or sitting on his back porch, Terry was happiest when surrounded by the water or when the Miami Dolphins took home a win.

In his younger years, Terry was known

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to live life full throttle. His charisma, mischievous smile, and signature mustache kept him surrounded by a crowd of friends and always with a pretty girl at his side. There was never a dull moment in Terry's presence, and once you became his friend, you were friends for life. He loved as fiercely as he lived and would do anything for someone in need without the expectation of praise or reciprocation.

Over the last several years, Terry's health put his spirit to the test time and time again, yet he was often the one reminding others, "You gotta keep smiling!" His sheer will and determination were a great inspiration to his family and those closest to him as he continued to remain positive through the darkest of days.

Terry was one of four boys born to the late Virginius Milton "Jinks" Windsor and Marion Lee White Windsor of Onancock. In addition to his mother, he is survived by his fiancé, Linda Wheatley; son, Robert Lee "Bobby" Windsor and his wife, Angelica Marie, of Baltimore; brothers, Robert Arnold Windsor, of New Church, Tommy Lee Windsor and his wife, Sallye, of Lewes, Del., and David William Windsor, of Onancock; granddaughter, Bradlee Marie Windsor; grandson, Phillip Walter Hope; nephews, Thomas Warren Windsor (Allison), Andrew David Windsor, and Terry Hamilton Windsor (Rebecca); and his caregiver, Willie Mae Bailey, who has been devoted to his health and well-being for several years.

A funeral service will be held at Onancock Baptist Church on Sunday, Nov. 5, 2023, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Andy Cobb officiating. Interment will follow in the Mount Holly Cemetery. There will be a visitation at the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home on Saturday, Nov. 4, 2023, from 5 until 7 p.m.

Flowers will be accepted, or contributions in Terry's memory may be made to the Foodbank of the Eastern Shore, P.O. Box 518, Onley, VA 23418 or online at www.foodbankonline.org/give

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Janet Evans

Mrs. Janet Lou Evans, of Onancock, passed away Sunday, Oct. 29, 2023, at the age of 78. The youngest of seven children, she was born Oct. 8, 1945, in Fairmont, W.Va., to the late Harvey Jones and the late Ruth Cunningham Jones.

Never afraid of a hard day's work, Janet began her career in retail at a



Mrs. Evans

young age. Most recently she managed Dollar Tree and Rite Aid in Exmore, retiring in 2007. Janet loved going to yard sales and was always up bright and early on Saturday mornings to make sure she was first to find a good deal. She was a 25-year member of the Onancock Elks Lodge No. 1766, enjoyed word searches, and loved the challenge of a new puzzle.

Janet is survived by her husband of 28 years, Damon Royce Evans; children, John Harden and his wife, Tamarah, and Jackie Dickson and her husband, Mike, all of Alexandria, La.; sister, Kathy Jackson, of Richmond; brothers, Harvey Jones, of Tampa, Fla. and Edward Jones of Nahunta, Ga.; grandchildren, Cody Harden (Megan), Krista Messick (Brent), and Shania Dickson; great-grandchildren, Alexandra, Devon, Kristina, and Landon Harden and Ryan Messick; and several nieces and nephews and their families.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her sisters, Helen Scott, Betty Jones, and Doris Toothman.

Funeral services will be conducted from the graveside at the Mount Holly Cemetery on Friday, Nov. 3, 2023, at 3 p.m., with the Rev. Andy Cobb officiating.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Please submit obituaries by Wednesday at noon.

Katherine Mears

Mrs. Katherine Turner Mears died on Oct. 25, 2023, at Kendall Grove Point in Eastville, having lived a long, vibrant 92 years. She was a force of nature. She was predeceased by her parents, Wilson Price Hodges Turner and George Luther Turner, her husband, Benjamin William Mears Jr., her sister, Helen Turner Murphy, and her brother-in-law, William Tayloe Murphy Jr.

She is survived by her three children, Benjamin William Mears III



Mrs. Mears

(Cindy); Wilson Price Mears Clarke (Don); and Mariah Nottingham Mears (Burke); her seven grandchildren, Benjamin William Mears IV, Katherine Turner Clarke Crowley (David), Dorsey Clarke Hogan (Stephen), Benjamin Sumner Clarke, Carter Mears Pollard, Finnigan Connor Warren Pollard, and Albert Clarkson Pollard III; her four great-grandchildren, Ava Elizabeth Mears, Anna Katherine Crowley, Ezra Clarke Crowley, and Daniel Wilson Hogan; her nieces, Anne Carter Braxton Murphy Brumley and Claudia Turner Bagwell; and her nephews, Whitaker Holland Turner and Claude Albert Turner III.

Katty, as she was fondly called, was born in 1931 in Reidsville, N.C. and grew up in Richmond. There she attended St. Catherine's School, was named "June Scholar" upon graduating in 1949, and later became a member of the St. Catherine's School Board of Trustees. She also attended Sweet Briar College.

Katty spent most of her life at Kendall Grove Point, where she raised her family, nurtured her garden, and enjoyed welcoming friends and guests. She was a faithful member of Christ Episcopal Church, where she was senior warden of the vestry, lay reader, and served as a member of the altar guild.

With a lifelong interest in flower arranging, gardening, historic preservation, and people, Katty was involved in a number of local and state

organizations. Locally, she was past president of both the Garden Club of the Eastern Shore and the Debedeavon Garden Club. She also served as president several times for the Barrier Islands Center and the Eastern Shore Historical Society and was a member of the board for both Broadwater Academy and the Eastern Shore Community College.

Katty was past president of the Garden Club of Virginia as well as past chairman of its restoration committee. In 2000 she received the GCVa's Massie Medal for Distinguished Achievement. Additionally, she was an honorary member of the Garden Club of America.

Throughout the years, Katty served on the boards of Mercantile Bank (Eastville), the Chesapeake Bay Foundation, Scenic Virginia, Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden, Virginians for the Arts, and the Restoration of the Virginia Capitol Grounds and Governor's Mansion. She was board president of Preservation Virginia (APVA) and the Northampton Historic Preservation Society, which she helped to establish in 2013. She was a member of the Woman's Club (Richmond) and the National Society of Colonial Dames of America.

Katty had a keen eye and vibrant interest in all things. Her sartorial and decorative elegance and joie de vivre were greatly appreciated. Most of all Katty was engaged by people. When she met you, she truly recognized you and was honored by your presence. She was generous in her interactions, always taking interest in others. Her sharp wit and kind, insightful nature made you want to linger. She gave her full attention. Her prodigious energy and sense of fun meant that even until the last weeks of her life she was not going to miss out on a party. Above all, Katty loved her friends and family who will deeply miss her.

In her final years, Katty enjoyed getting to know and was thankful for her caretakers: Rachel Ames, Lokeisha Boggs, Tacquila Garcia, Kionna Heyward, Shamika Jones, and Margie Wescott.

A celebration of life service will be held on Saturday, Nov. 4, 2023, at

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11 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church, 16304 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA 23347, with burial in the church cemetery following the service.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial contribution may be made to Christ Episcopal Church, P.O. Box 367, Eastville, VA 23347.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

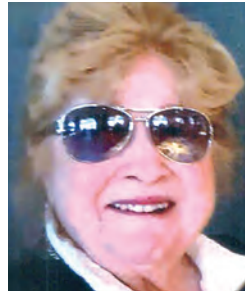
Billie Bonniwell

Mrs. Billie Louise Long Bonniwell was born on May 11, 1938, to the late William G. Long and the late Louise Doughty Long.

Billie was predeceased by her life companion, Joe Morris; and her three brothers, Larry Long, Phillip Long,

and Don Long.

Billie is survived by her sister, Diane Custis (Roy); her son, Reade Bonniwell (Stephanie); her daughter-in-law, Jodi Bailey (Jeff); her seven grandchildren, Jeremy Bonniwell (Jessica), Christy Baylis (Shawn), Cindy Daniels (Brian), Connie Cooper (Skyy), Brent, Leah, and Kendall Bailey; and six great-grandchildren, McKoy Bonniwell, Aid-



Mrs. Bonniwell

en Gaston, Connor and Caitlin Daniels, and Elyana and Ruby Cooper; her nephew, Steve Custis (Jessica); her great-nieces, Virginia and Marguerite Custis; and her niece, Kelly Long.

In the 1970s, Billie moved to Virginia Beach to pursue a career and retired from C&P Telephone. After enjoying many years across the bay,

she moved back to the Eastern Shore in 2020.

She took pleasure in cooking, talking on the phone, shopping, reading, gardening, and bird watching. Billie was interested in genealogy and could recite a family tree from memory. Billie's favorite day of the week was Thursday because it always began with a visit to her special friends at the Hair Loft.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to the charity of your choice.

Per Billie's request, interment will be private in Belle Haven Cemetery at a later date.

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

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

Sara Wood

Mrs. Sara Lewis Wood, 78, passed away at her residence on Thursday, Oct. 26, 2023. Her parents were

the late Harry Martin Lewis and the late Catherine Twyford Lewis. She was predeceased by her husband, Calvin Wood.

Sara operated a beauty shop in Nassawadox until she retired. She was a member of Cheriton Baptist Church in Cheriton.

She is survived by her brother, Thomas Lewis and his wife, Karla, from Bowling Green, Va.; her niece, Mary Frances Lowe and her husband, Dave; sons, Jacob and Anthony, of Chesapeake; and her nephew, David Thomas Lewis and his wife, Ratna, and children, Sita Clare and John Hanuman, of Mechanicsville.

Graveside services will be held Saturday, Nov. 4, 2023 at 2 p.m. at Belle Haven Cemetery in Belle Haven, Va. with the Rev. Dr. Charles Peterson officiating.

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

Arrangements are by Holland Funeral Home in Nassawadox.

HISPANIC HERITAGE NIGHT



RYAN WEBB / EASTERN SHORE POST

From left, Ana Baltazar, Blanca Sanchez, Erica Cuevas, Luis García, and Dannilo García Cuevas enjoy Hispanic Heritage Night, Tuesday, Oct. 24, at Northampton High School. There was authentic food, music, community resources, and more.



COURTESY PHOTO

Escandalo Norteño provides music while community members and students enjoy authentic Hispanic dishes in the cafeteria of Northampton High School in Eastville.

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Tremir Marshall, 5, and Trinice Duffy pose for a photo during Parksley's Trunk or Treat on Wednesday, Nov. 1. The annual event was postponed due to rain on Halloween.



EASTERN SHORE POST/CLARA VAUGHN
Trick-or-treaters, from left, Kamari Barker, 6, Kyahir Floyd, 4, and Khalil Barker, 9, pose for a photo during Parksley's Trunk or Treat on Wednesday, Nov. 1.



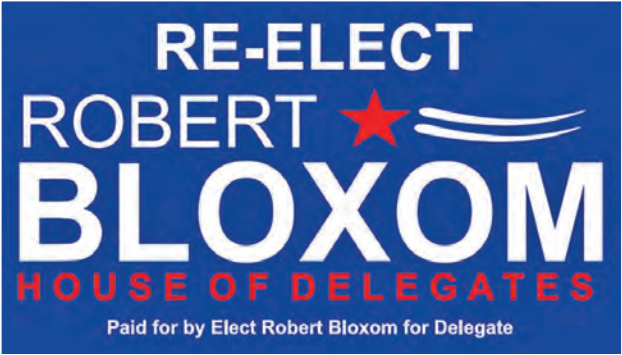
Thank you to all who have exercised their right to vote. I encourage those who have not yet voted, to do so by Election Day, November 7.

ELECTION NIGHT WATCH PARTY!

Join us at the Island House Restaurant on

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Cold, rainy weather dampens fishing action

The arrival of wind and rain on Halloween produced more of a trick than a treat for local anglers. Fishing action prior to the front's arrival had been some of the best of the autumn season.



Bill Hall

Unfortunately, the arrival of cooler weather will begin to push a portion of the large red drum population out of the lower bay, while flounder

action is likely to shift from inside the bay and seaside inlets to offshore around the ocean wrecks and submerged structures.

Speckled trout action may actually improve, as the fish tend to become more aggressive while they fatten up prior to their late fall migration.

The biggest impact may be on the striped bass population, as lower water temperatures are needed before we see the arrival of larger rockfish into the area as they follow the southern migration of menhaden and bay anchovies. Look for striper numbers to increase, but do not expect to see noticeable numbers of larger fish until after the Thanksgiving holiday.

Upper Shore

Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reported catches of rockfish (striped bass) in Tangier Sound, with several fish in the 25- to 29-inch size range. Most of the stripers were found around shallow water structures such as stump fields and rock piles, where



Doug Ellis, Frankie Newsome, and Sam Cook registered citation-winning blue line tilefish weighing up to 14 pounds, caught while deep dropping.

they were landed using Rap-10s, Rumble Fish, Old Skols, and Saltwater Assassins.

Other than that, Matt added that the lower Chesapeake is still holding some speckled trout and red

drum. Slot-sized rockfish are showing up in Chincoteague Bay.

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Chincoteague

Jimmy Vasiliou, at Captain Steve's Bait and Tackle, told me that the waters of Chincoteague Bay have been producing small black sea bass, large flounder, speckled trout, spot, kingfish (whiting), and a few sharks.

Puppy drum have been hitting cut bait and artificial lures in the back bay. Catches in the Assateague surf have consisted of whiting and spot, as well as a variety of sharks and rays. Captain Steve's Bait and Tackle will host their annual surf fishing tournament on Nov. 17-19. Registration can be made at the shop. Knothead black sea bass and some large tautog have been caught over the offshore wrecks. Captain John Chenault weighed in swordfish of 85 and 115 pounds.

Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul, aboard the charter vessel Almost Persuaded, commented that the fishing had finally picked up after the long span of windy weather prior to last week, only to have another front pass through earlier this week.

Flounder weighing up to 5 pounds were landed on baits of Berkley Gulp combined with either silversides or live minnows. The nice weather at the end of last week also saw catches of puppy drum and speckled trout.

The offshore wrecks have been producing black sea bass and flounder, as well as a few gray triggerfish.

Bluewater catches have consisted

of dolphin (mahi mahi), with a scattered tuna bite and an occasional marlin release.

Lower Shore

Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait & Tackle, told me that angling action had been good during the run of nice weather that occurred prior to the arrival of Tuesday's front.

He said that both the inshore and offshore wrecks were producing gray triggerfish, black drum, sheepshead, and black sea bass. Anglers drifting and slow-trolling Berkley Gulp and cut bait were reporting a nice class of flounder off Kiptopeke and around the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel.

Speckled trout action slowed, but persistent anglers were able to find a few quality fish.

Puppy drum schools are still being encountered along some of the lower bayside beaches.

There has been an increase in the abundance of schoolie-sized striped bass in the bayside creeks and under the nighttime shadow lines of lighted piers and docks.

Jeb is predicting that the recent cold snap's arrival should encourage a larger class of striped bass to begin their seasonal movements down the bay.

The lower piers have been producing mostly ribbonfish and spot.

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.

Accomack County Parks and Rec starts youth basketball registration

Accomack County Parks and Recreation will be accepting registrations for its 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.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Broadwater falls to Brunswick; is three seed in playoffs

BY KINSEY RAYFIELD

Special to the Eastern Shore Post

The Broadwater Vikings football team traveled to Brunswick Academy on Saturday, Oct. 28, and fell to the Brunswick Vikings by a score of 56-6.

Brunswick Academy came into the game having defeated common opponents of Broadwater such as Blessed Sacrament Huguenot 62-0, Kenston Forest 60-0, Southampton Academy 54-6, Richmond Christian 50-0, Fuqua 49-6, and The Covenant School 55-26.

Brunswick had won its three prior

games by a combined score of 177-0.

A positive for Broadwater was an 80-yard kickoff return for a touchdown by Jacob Seltzer. Defensively the Vikings were led by Olsen Pruitt and Luke Young.

The Vikings finished the regular season 5-4 and 4-2 in conference play. Broadwater is a member of the Virginia Independent School 8-Man Football League in Division II.

The Vikings earned the number three seed for the post-season playoffs.

The team will travel to the number two seed Blessed Sacrament Huguenot on Friday, Nov. 3 for a 7 p.m. kickoff in the VISF8L State Semifinals.

HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL

Lady Vikes lose in conference quarters; Smith named to All-Metro Team

BY KINSEY RAYFIELD

Special to the Eastern Shore Post

The Broadwater Lady Vikings volleyball team traveled to Denbigh Baptist Christian School on Thursday, Oct. 26, and fell to the Minutemen by a score of 3-0 (21-25, 22-25, 16-25).

This game was part of the Metro Conference Quarterfinals with the five seed Broadwater Academy traveling to the four seed Denbigh Baptist Christian School.

The Vikings were led on the night by Leah Smith with six kills, two aces, two blocks, and 10 digs.

Emma Caison had four kills, two

blocks, five digs, and 14 receptions.

Grace Johnson had 6 kills and Ramsey Revelle had 16 digs to lead the Vikings.

The Vikings will travel on Tuesday, Nov. 7, for the quarterfinals of the Virginia Independent School Athletic Association (VISAA) state tournament.

Junior Leah Smith was named to the 2023 All-Metro Conference Varsity Volleyball Team.

Smith led the Vikings in kills on the season and was the key component in many matches. Smith had 369 attacks, 152 kills, 47 aces, 39 blocks, 163 digs, and 215 receptions for the 2023 regular season.

Glow-in-the-dark disc golf set for Nov. 4 at HOS

There will be a glow-in-the-dark 18-hole disc golf competition at the Historic Onancock School on Saturday, Nov. 4 at 6 p.m. The entry fee is \$5, with an optional \$1 donation for the ace pot (currently at \$33).

Yellow Jackets top Firebirds, meet Nandua for district title

BY MARK MORING
Eastern Shore Post

It's remarkable what a difference a month can make in high school football.

In mid-September, Arcadia was 3-1, averaging almost 50 points a game, and hoping for a shot at the playoffs. Meanwhile, 46 miles down the road, Northampton was losing three of its first four, giving up almost 35 points a game, and just hoping for a victory.

Fast forward to last Friday night, Oct. 27, when Northampton's Yellow Jackets visited Arcadia's Firebirds for a key Eastern Shore District showdown. After a tight first half, the Jackets pulled away in the second for a comfortable 49-28 win.

Arcadia finished its season at 5-5, losing five of its last six games and missing the playoffs. Northampton, which improved to 5-4, has won four of its last five and

hosts Nandua (4-5) for the Eastern Shore District championship Friday, Nov. 3 at 6:15 p.m.

"This is exactly where we want to be," said Northampton senior lineman Gibson Hubbard. "If we play our A game, I think we've got a decent shot at winning the district."

Last week, the Yellow Jackets led 22-20 at halftime, and were only up a touchdown, 35-28, going into the fourth quarter. But as time went on, Northampton kept winning the battle up front, their line wearing down Arcadia's. The Jackets outscored the Firebirds 14-0 in the final stanza for the victory.

"Up front, tackle to tackle, that's where you win football games," said Northampton coach John Edney. "Our defensive linemen did a really good job in the second half, keeping them at bay."

Their offensive linemen did a great job too, paving the way for a whopping 321 yards rushing. Sophomore Jerry Sturgis ran for 112 yards and two scores,

followed by sophomore Elijah Hope (101 yards, 1 TD), and senior Tywone Sebastian (55 yards, 2 TD). Junior quarterback Brock Leland passed for 55 yards and a touchdown and ran for five yards and two scores.

Sebastian also caught two passes for 42 yards and on defense added five tackles, two assists, and an interception.

"We couldn't stop their inside running game," said Arcadia coach Alan Hall, whose team was missing one of its top players — his son Jacob Hall, a sophomore running back and defensive tackle who was suspended after being ejected from the Nandua game a week earlier on a targeting penalty.

For Arcadia, senior quarterback Bradley Hall passed for 161 yards and two touchdowns, including an 80-yard score to senior Carson Lucy. Hall also ran for 86 yards and a touchdown, while senior Brandon Harmon ran for 87 yards. Senior Rico Bugg added two touchdowns, one rushing and one receiving.



EASTERN SHORE POST / MARK MORING
Northampton's Jeremiah White follows his blockers.



EASTERN SHORE POST / MARK MORING
Yellow Jackets lineman Jordan Delk tackles Arcadia quarterback Bradley Hall.

HINTZ SIGNS WITH CONCORD UNIVERSITY



CLARA VAUGHN & MARK MORING / EASTERN SHORE POST

Reghan Hintz, an all-district pitcher for Nandua High School’s softball team, signed this week with Concord University. Hintz, second from right, signs Wednesday, Nov. 1 at Nandua alongside her brother Baylor Booker, mother Melanie Booker, and father Jay Booker. Hintz, a senior, has struck out more than 300 batters in her varsity career, with one more season to go. “I chose Concord because I just felt at home there,” Hintz said. “I love the coaches and my soon-to-be teammates.” Hintz, who has a 4.017 GPA, received athletic and academic scholarships from Concord, where she plans to major in biomedical science and then attend graduate school, with hopes of becoming a chiropractor. Hintz thanked all the coaches who have helped her along the way — Bobbi Jo Wert, Sarah Hoban, Lauren Illian, Lynn Williams, Leandra Metzger, Billy Davis and pitching coach Cheryl Harte. “Without all these coaches believing in me, spending their time with me, and pushing me beyond what I thought was possible, this dream would never have come true. I am truly thankful for each of them.”

HUNTING



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RJ Hasty with The Fallen Outdoors hosted a Veterans Goose Hunt for 10 veterans on Saturday, Oct. 21. The Fallen Outdoors is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization entirely run by active duty and veteran service members who volunteer their time and skill sets to help get service members outdoors doing what they love but may not be able to do, due to change of duty stations or other reasons.

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FUNDRAISING

N’hampton Education Foundation announces new donation drive

The Northampton County Education Foundation has announced the kickoff of its Season of Giving Matching Campaign.

This year’s campaign is again supported by Bay Creek, which will be matching the first \$25,000 raised in donations.

“We are beyond excited to have Bay Creek as our champion for education,” said Billie-Jean Bensen, foundation chair.

The Season of Giving coincides with the release of the NCEF 2022-23 Impact Report.

This report shares the accomplishments of the past school year, made possible through the support of the community.

The foundation took part in district initiatives including All District Reads, the Northampton Middle School STEM lab, dual-enrollment

scholarships, and Pre-K Camp. Additionally, the NCEF provided funding for the Kids’ Closet, classroom grants, and teacher recognition.

In total, the NCEF supplied \$68,979.67 directly to Northampton County Public Schools.

This year’s Season of Giving Campaign will supply funding so that the NCEF can continue its mission of promoting student performance and excellence in teaching in our public schools.

To find out more about the Northampton County Education Foundation or to make a tax-deductible donation, visit the foundation website at www.ncedufoundation.com

Donations can also be mailed to NCEF, P.O. Box 323, Cape Charles, VA 23310.

The foundation was established in 2006 and is run by an all-volunteer board of directors.

Orchestra of Eastern Shore to play in Salisbury

The Magi Fund will hold an all-new holiday event, “A Magi Christmas Concert & Veterans Day Tribute,” for one performance on Saturday, Nov. 11.

It will feature the National Christian Choir and the Orchestra of the Eastern Shore.

The show will be at 3 p.m. in the 1,800-seat Emmanuel Church auditorium at 217 Beaglin Park Drive in Salisbury, Md.

The Magi Fund, an all-volunteer nonprofit organization, has for three decades staged musical events as fundraisers for the Joseph House Center and the Christian Shelter.

Throughout its existence, the Magi Fund has devoted 100% of ticket proceeds and contributions to benefit those two charities, which provide housing and crisis intervention for vulnerable populations on the Del-

marva peninsula. The Orchestra of the Eastern Shore, located on Virginia’s Eastern Shore, is a chamber orchestra concentrating in classical repertoire. Tickets are \$20 and can be ordered through the Magi Fund website at www.magifund.com For additional information about the event or the Magi Fund, call Bonnie Luna at 410-749-1633.

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NORTHAMPTON

School budget input session set for Nov. 9

BY STEFANIE JACKSON

Eastern Shore Post

Northampton County parents and residents will get their first chance to make recommendations for their school system's 2025 operating budget on Nov. 9.

"In November, this is when it really starts kicking off," said School Superintendent Lisa Martin of budget season.

The new budget will not take effect until July 1, 2024, but the process of putting it together starts early in the school year.

At the Nov. 9 Northampton school board meeting, time will be set aside for the first public comments on the upcoming budget. It will begin following the 5:30 p.m. closed session at the school board office in Machipongo.

According to fiscal year 2022 data, the majority of Northampton schools' operating budget, about 65%, is spent on instruction and includes teacher pay and benefits.

The salary for a first-year teacher in Northampton County is approximately \$45,000, not including bonuses.

Far less of the budget, around 11%, is spent on school operations and maintenance.

Between 5% and 8% of the budget is spent on each of the following categories: school administration, attendance, and health; student transportation; school food services; and technology.

The Virginia Department of Education is expected to release the composite indexes for all the school divisions in the state sometime in November, Martin said.

The composite index is a number calculated by the state to

determine how much a locality can afford to pay for its public education in relation to what the state contributes.

For example, Northampton's composite index for the 2022-2024 biennium was 0.48, meaning the county was expected to contribute 48% of any school funding mandated within the state budget, such as money for teacher raises. The state paid the remaining 52%.

Accomack's composite index was lower, around 0.34, in part due to average property values in that county.

The lowest composite index in the state was just under 0.2. The highest possible composite index is 0.8.

Additional items that will affect the development of Northampton schools' budget include the school funding calculation tool for Gov. Glenn Youngkin's proposed 2025-2026 state budget. The calculation tool is expected to be released Dec. 15.

The Virginia House of Delegates and Senate calculation tools are expected to be released Feb. 29, 2024.

Budget requests from Northampton schools and departments are due Nov. 26 and will be discussed by administrators starting in December.

Teacher and parent advisory councils will hold budget discussions early next year, and the superintendent will present her proposed budget to the school board Jan. 25, 2024.

The school board will work on the budget during work sessions throughout the spring, with the expectations of voting on the budget on March 28, 2024, and presenting it to Northampton County supervisors on April 9, 2024.

ONANCOCK LIONS CLUB MAKES DONATION



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The Onancock Area Lions Club donated \$2,000 to the Eastern Shore Coalition Against Domestic Violence. Pictured are Ernie Swisher, Lions Club president, and Shelley Strain, ESCADV executive director.

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Santa photos will be taken with pets at the SPCA Eastern Shore on Route 13 in Onley on Saturday, Nov. 11, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Pet photos with Santa Nov. 11

Santa will be at the SPCA Eastern Shore shelter in Onley on Saturday, Nov. 11, from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. to pose for photos with pets.

For a \$15 donation, attendees will be able to choose their favorite shot from their pet's photo session and receive a 4-inch by 6-inch print of it in a Christmas card frame.

In addition, 8-inch by 10-inch prints suitable for framing can be purchased for \$20.

Those who supply an e-mail address will be sent digital copies of all the pic-

tures taken of their pet or pets.

All proceeds from pictures with Santa will benefit the animals at the shelter.

Pets attending the event should be on a leash or in an appropriate carrier.

For further information, contact the shelter by phone at 757-787-7385 or by e-mail at shorespca@gmail.com.

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Va. Organizing argues for affordable well, septic

On Thursday, Oct. 26, the Eastern Shore Chapter of Virginia Organizing held a media conference to announce its new campaign for access to affordable well and septic on the Eastern Shore. This effort is the beginning of a larger campaign on housing.

The Rev. Rick Willis moderated the conference and explained the process the group used to decide on the campaign.

“We held listening sessions in four communities: Horntown, Bayside, Whitesville, and Boston, and after these individual sessions, we pulled together in Gaskins Chapel, where we had a round table and ended up prioritizing three key things: housing, wells, and septic systems.”

“About 8 years ago my well went dry in Bayside, causing me to leave my residence,” said Dinita Warner, a resident of Accomack County. “Since then, for the last three years I have

lived in a home that has rust in the water. I had to share a well that has a major leak, causing my utility water pump to cost \$170-180 per month. Due to the recent discovery of the shared well and the massive leak, I needed a new well to be installed. I was quoted \$8,900 to fix this well. Most low-income families do not have this.”

Paul Berge, a retired planner for the Eastern Shore region, argued that the counties should build small wastewater treatment facilities for Bayside and other neighborhoods in unincorporated areas.

“The issue of sewers has become very critical. It’s really clear that many of these communities are on soils that are just not acceptable for a normal septic system. So you have to put in a \$30,000 system. You have to pay \$1,000 per year or more for maintenance. I suggest the counties should look at forming small treatment plants. If these communities don’t find a solution to sewer, they’re going to have to look at moving elsewhere,” Berge said.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE/COMMUNITY ORIENTED POLICE SERVICES

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

DRAFT FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT

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, Mapps, VA), 4. Accomack County Tower (located at/around 23323 Wise Court, Accomack, VA), 5. Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Center facility (located at/around 23201 Front Street, Accomack, VA), 6. Commonwealth of Virginia/State Police Tower (located at/around 23201 Front Street, Accomack, 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, Accomack, 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, Accomack, 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.

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Haitian group will meet with mayor about food truck regs

BY CLARA VAUGHN
Eastern Shore Post

Parksley officials and a member of a nonprofit advocacy group will meet to discuss a new town law governing food trucks after its effect on one business sent ripples through the community.

In a letter dated Oct. 29, Calherbe Monel, of Virginia Beach-based Christians United for Haiti, requested a meeting with Mayor Frank Russell “to discuss the potential impact of these decisions on our community’s cohesion and the well-being of our residents.”

“We want to sit down with the town to see what went wrong here,” Monel said in an interview Oct. 31.

“Certainly we’re going to have a meeting,” Russell said the same day.

The date for that discussion had not yet been set as of press time. After holding a public hearing in Septem-

ber, the Parksley Town Council on Oct. 9 passed new guidelines allowing mobile food vendors to sell their fare in town only during special events such as festivals that the town council has approved or sponsored.

Parksley had no rules governing food trucks prior to passing the ordinance, said Town Clerk Lauren Lewis.

The change impacts one business, a Haitian food trailer that opened on Bennett Street this summer.

Though no residents spoke out against the ordinance during a public hearing and only one sent Parksley a letter opposing the new guidelines, the new rules have stirred heated debate.

“I believe that to address the negative image this situation has cast over our town; we must engage in a dialogue and find a constructive solution,” Monel’s letter reads.

Town officials and owners of Eben-

Ezer Haitian Food Truck, Clemen Bastien and Theslet Benoir, give different narratives of the background that set the stage for the new ordinance.

Russell during town council meetings Sept. 11 and Oct. 9 said the truck had dumped grease into the town’s sewer system, leading to costly repairs.

“That grease from those food trucks completely screws up our sewage system. It costs us thousands of dollars every time” to replace the microbes it disrupts, he said during the September meeting.

Bastien in a letter published in the Post Oct. 20 said the water from the food truck did not go to the septic tank on the street and that a company hauls dirty water from the trailer.

A Virginia Department of Health inspector visited the food truck July 17 and found evidence that the truck

had disposed of mop water outside of the food truck on the ground, and of grease-laden water in buckets that appeared to overflow onto the ground, according to Health Director for the Eastern Shore District Jon Richardson.

A Health Department official visited July 24 and confirmed the issues had been fixed, Richardson said.

He said the business owners send the Health Department copies of receipts for getting the truck’s tank pumped out weekly.

“It’s a nightmare because they felt like they’ve been harassed (and) their business is on the brink of shutting down a few months from now after working so hard,” Monel said.

“It’s important to hear from the other side ... and see if there’s something else that can be done other than shutting them down,” he said.

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The Accomack-Northampton Alumnae Chapter Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. thanks all who made donations to its school supply drive. Pictured at Kegotank Elementary School in Mappsville are, from left, Ruth Tankard, assistant principal; Phyllis Smith, principal; Colleen Kean, assistant principal; and Janice Langley, chapter president



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Pictured at Occohannock Elementary School in Exmore are Faye Joyner, principal; and Janice Langley, chapter president.

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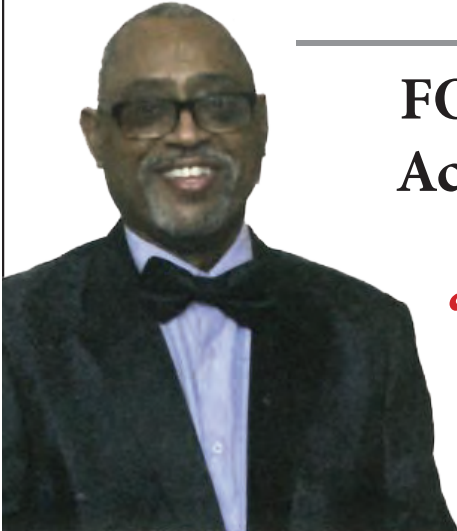
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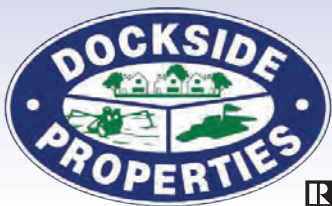


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Dockside Properties welcomes new agent Leigh Anne Chambers. Chambers is a resident of Cape Charles and originally hails from Nova Scotia, Canada. Before beginning a second career in real estate she had a background in the arts, received her MFA in Visual Art from the Vermont College of Fine Arts. She was a fellow at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts and still actively paints and teaches art throughout the state on the VMFA faculty. Leigh Anne loves the outdoors and traveling throughout the coastal communities in Virginia. She also enjoys kayaking and hiking and meeting new people.

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SUBMITTED IMAGE

At top, Jasmine Miranda-Romero (front, grade 8), Tina Lee (middle, grade 9), and Lisa Hemphill (back, grade 8), pose for a picture during a water break. The girls loved seeing their old classmates, participating in new activities, and having fun during the Big Feet Meet at Nandua High School on Oct. 13. Over 50 students from Nandua Middle School and Nandua High School participated in the half-day event, which aims to highlight student athletes with various ability levels. Many businesses along the Eastern Shore helped to sponsor the event with supplies, activities, and food.



SUBMITTED IMAGE

Kathy Payne addresses Broadwater Academy as Head of School Fray Ryan listens.

Kathy Payne lauded for 40 years at Broadwater

On Wednesday, Nov. 1, Broadwater Academy recognized the 40-year work anniversary of Eastville resident Kathy Payne.

Throughout her career, Payne has served in many capacities both inside and outside the classroom, throughout the hallways and playgrounds.

She has served throughout three generations of Shore families and has touched thousands of children, parents, grandparents, alumni, and friends of the School.

Payne currently is the receptionist at school and is the first person to greet anyone who arrives to campus. She is well-known and respected throughout the Shore and is a pillar of the Broadwater community, officials said.

Payne said she thrives on the energy and spirit of the youngest Broadwater students and is accepting of all children and parents.

Throughout these years of dedication, Payne has relied heavily on her faith and belief in the promise of the human spirit exhibited in children.

Communities are built on the dedication and exemplary loyalty of individuals like Payne.

SHERIFF DOUGHTY DISCUSSES HALLOWEEN SAFETY



SUBMITTED PHOTOS

Northampton County Sheriff David Doughty, far left in left photograph, and the Northampton County Sheriff’s Office recently visited Kiptopeke Elementary School to discuss Halloween safety. Children enjoyed meeting with McGruff the Crime Dog and other characters.



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Wachapreague mayor wins at Grand Ole Opry

BY STEFANIE JACKSON
Eastern Shore Post

It was a dream come true for Wachapreague’s “Music Mayor” Charles Elliott when he won a Josie Music Award at the Grand Ole Opry in Nashville on Oct. 21.

“The whole thing seemed unreal,” Elliott said of living his dream of being a part of the Grand Ole Opry, an aspiration the musician has had since childhood.

Elliott won a Songwriters Achievement award for “Life’s Too Short” in a bittersweet coincidence that was not lost on the singer, whose mother died six months ago.

He said he felt like his mom was with him on the trip to Nashville, where he was accompanied by his wife and three children.

It was important to Elliott that his family was a part of the experience, he said.

Now that Elliott is officially an award-winning songwriter, “endless opportunity” is ahead of him, he said.

At the Josie Music Awards event, which took place over a three-day weekend that included a festival and two days of award ceremonies, Elliott met many new contacts who can help him further his music career.

Among the people he met were re-



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Wachapreague Mayor Charles Elliott holds the award he won at the Grand Ole Opry in Nashville on Oct. 21.

cord label executives, music promoters, radio station representatives, and other musicians.

When Elliott isn’t busy fulfilling

his duties as a mayor, husband, and father (he also homeschools his children), he continues to write songs.

He has written 30 new songs that

he hopes will get him future award nominations and a return trip to the Josie Music Awards next year.

To promote his music, Elliott is planning a radio tour and a music tour that he expects to launch in the spring.

He wants to tour the East Coast over the summer and travel to a few states in the Midwest, such as Michigan, where he grew up, in time for their fall festivals.

Elliott expects touring will not impede his mayoral duties. The Wachapreague Town Council meets just once a month, and much can be accomplished by communicating via email, he noted.

“Everybody’s really cool here in town” and “very supportive” of his music career, Elliott said.

It’s not his first time wearing multiple hats at once – and those hats have come in a wide variety of styles.

While working on his music, Elliott has earned a bachelor’s degree in archaeology, received a minister’s license and officiated marriages, worked in a graveyard and buried the dead, and fulfilled government contracts as an officer for the U.S. Department of Defense.

He said, “If I have a goal, I just go after it until I feel like I’ve completed it. ... There’s always been music in everything I’ve ever done.”

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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

Chili Cook-Off to be held in memory of McDowell at Craddockville church

The Craddockville United Methodist Church Men's Club is hosting a Chili Cook-Off on Saturday, Nov. 11 from 5 to 7 p.m in honor of one of its recently departed members.

The cook-off will be held in the fellowship hall of the Craddockville UMC at 33464 Boston Road, Belle Haven.

Richard McDowell, who passed away in August, spent 28 years in the U.S. Air Force and retired in 1983 as a master sergeant. "Mac," as he was known to his brothers in arms, was involved in intelligence training and served in South Vietnam during that conflict.

McDowell also loved to cook and often brought his homemade chili to church for social gatherings.

The Men's Club felt it was fitting

to have a Chili Cook-Off on Veterans Day in memory of McDowell, a long-time member of the club.

There is no charge to enter or attend, but donations are welcomed.

Chili will be offered first in tastings and then as an entree. The judging will be done by tasters through their donation to the chili preparers. Salads, condiments, and other food items will be provided.

Proceeds from the event will go to fund scholarships for three summer campers for a week at Camp Occohanock on the Bay in 2024. One scholarship each will be awarded to an elementary, middle school and high school student.

The Men's Club is asking applicants for the elementary scholarship to submit a veteran's themed photo, and middle school, and high school students are asked to submit a veteran's themed one-page essay. The deadline is Nov. 11 at 5 p.m.

For more information or to enter, email craddockvillechurch@gmail.com.



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Three-way star

(Continued from page 1)

Mateo-Sanchez hustles back to the football team, puts his helmet, pads, and jersey back on, and goes back to the grind for two more quarters — rarely, if ever, coming off the field.

“Yeah,” he says, “it’s a lot.”

Mateo-Sanchez seems to thrive on doing “a lot.” He plays three sports for the Yellow Jackets — football, wrestling, and baseball. He’s a good student who hopes to someday be a band instructor himself. And hey, he was also in the Homecoming Court.

It’s a lot.

Along the way, Mateo-Sanchez has helped lead the Yellow Jackets to a 5-4 record. They host Nandua (4-5) on Friday, Nov. 3. at 6:15 p.m., for the Eastern Shore District Championship.

After a 1-3 start, Northampton has won four of its last five. “We’ve definitely progressed,” Mateo-Sanchez says. “I think we’re probably at our best right now. But Nandua’s a tough team, so we have to be ready.”

The band’s got to be ready too, for this last regular season game. And it’s Senior Night, so Mateo-Sanchez wants to finish on a high note — pun intended.

“Playing my last game at Northampton is a little sad,” he says. “But it’s been a fun ride.” He’ll be escorted for Senior Night by his parents, Jacinto and Sandra, and his three siblings, and maybe a few other family members.

Balancing football and band is quite a feat, but he’s been doing it since eighth grade.

“Somehow we make it work with my coach (John Edney) and my band instructor (Brad Ford),” Mateo-Sanchez says. “Coach Edney sometimes wants me at football practice when I’m with the band, but he supports us, and he knows this is something I want to do in the future.”

Mateo-Sanchez wants to study music at Virginia Commonwealth University and eventually be a band director, but says he first might join the military to earn some money to pay for college.

He was tapped to be drum major last spring when several of the band’s section leaders — he led the percussion section — interviewed for the position.

“I was really happy when I learned I would be drum major,” he says. “I wanted to help take the marching band to a successful and fun season.”

Mateo-Sanchez had to study hard for the job, learning how to read entire scores — for every instrument, not just the percussion section — in order to lead with confidence.

“I had to memorize the music to know the tempo, different parts of the composition, or be able to tell when someone or a section is off,” he says. “I’ve learned that I have a good ear for music, and I can tell when something doesn’t sound right.”



Northampton High School senior Pedro Mateo-Sanchez conducts the school’s award-winning band during a halftime performance, above. At left, Mateo-Sanchez lines up for a play during the football game.

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MARK MORING

Though the band won’t have any more football games after tonight, they will play in six holiday parades over the next month — in Norfolk, Cheriton, Exmore, Onancock, Chincoteague, and Pocomoke City. Northampton is the only high school on the Virginia Shore with a marching band.

Coaches and faculty speak of Mateo-Sanchez as “a good kid.” Edney elaborates on that: “Great behavior. And he does the little things — picking up trash on the practice field, making sure the locker

room’s clean, teaching younger guys what to do. He’s always respectful, absolutely a coach’s dream.”

If you come to Friday’s game, you’ll see him. He’s the one down in the middle, wearing No. 54, when the teams collide at the scrimmage line. He’s also the one up on the podium, conducting the band at halftime — in cleats, football pants, and a dirty T-shirt.

“My band director won’t let me wear the band jacket at halftime,” he says with a laugh. “Too sweaty, and he doesn’t want to have to wash it.”

No school for Accomack students on Election Day

Superintendent Rhonda Hall announces that on Monday, November 6, 2023, the first nine weeks will end and all of Accomack County Public Schools will be dismissing two hours early.

Tuesday, Nov. 7, is Election Day and there is no school for students, but teachers will have a teacher workday and must report to work.

The school system will resume a regular schedule on Wednesday, Nov. 8.

Science and Philosophy group to meet Nov. 3

The Science and Philosophy Seminar of the Eastern Shore of Virginia has scheduled a discussion. "Reflections of an Agent at the Siege at Waco."

The free 90-minute seminar will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 3 in Room 148 of the academic building of Eastern Shore Community College, 29300 Lankford Highway, Melfa.

Dave Dibetta will talk about his career as a feder-

al agent, the crack epidemic, the siege at Waco, the Oklahoma City bombing, and the Olympic bombing, among others.

Dibetta retired to the Shore after 26 years in federal law enforcement.

These seminars are occasionally rescheduled on short notice. Prospective attendees are urged to check the Seminar's website, www.SciPhi.org, shortly before a scheduled date.

The Science and Philosophy Seminar is an informally organized group that meets more or less regularly to explore and discuss a wide array of topics, ranging from philosophical speculation to scientific research. All seminars are open to the public. Admission is free.

Eastern Shore Art League schedules 'Paint and Sip' Nov. 18

The Eastern Shore Art League will hold a "Paint and Sip" at the Historic Onancock School in room 104 on Saturday, Nov. 18 from 2 to 4 p.m.

It is free to the public and all are welcome.

Come out to a fun night of creating a painting in acrylic with a fall theme. No artistic ability is required.

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Attendees must be 21 years old to participate. All materials provided. Seats are limited to 17. To reserve your seat email info@esartleague.org with your name and contact information.

Mental health awareness event is scheduled

The Pi Epsilon Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. will be hosting a Mental Health Awareness Workshop on Tuesday, Nov. 14, at 6:30 p.m. on Zoom.

There will be an opportunity to ask questions following the formal presentation. The workshop is being conducted by board certified psychiatrist Dr. Courtney Brewer, who has over 10 years of experience in the mental health field.

She currently works for the Department of Veterans Affairs and takes great pride in serving our nation's veterans.

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Keyona Grinage-Mapp, a kindergarten teacher at Metompkin Elementary School, recently organized a trunk-or-treat there. After obtaining the support of the principal, Michelle Buell, and enlisting the support of her colleague, Tanequa Crosby, they reached out to the sisters of the local Alpha Kappa Alpha chapter, area businesses, and other community members who helped. There were monetary and candy donations and more than 25 decorated trunk participants. The children dressed in their costumes and enjoyed the safety of getting treats in the school parking lot. Grinage-Mapp is a member of Pi Epsilon Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Pictured from left are Marie Billie, Keyona Grinage-Mapp, Shelia Mapp, Veronica Byrd, and Shelia Walker.

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Eastern Shore heads to polls for Nov. 7 elections

BY CLARA VAUGHN

Eastern Shore Post

A contested election season is about to conclude.

Eastern Shore residents can vote from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 7.

As long as voters are in line by 7 p.m., they will be able to cast a ballot, according to the Virginia Department of Elections website.

Local voters will determine races for state senator and delegate, as well as local positions on school boards, boards of supervisors, and constitutional officer positions.

Visit www.vpap.org/local-politics/elections to see a sample ballot of the candidates on your ballot. Scroll to “Where Do I Vote?” to find your polling place on Nov. 7.

Registered voters can also cast early ballots through Saturday, Nov. 4, at the Accomack and Northampton county voter registration offices. Residents do not need a reason to vote early.

In Accomack County, residents can vote early at the Office of Voter Registration and Elections at 24387 Joynes Neck Road, in Accomack, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 3 and 4, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

In Northampton County, residents can vote early at the Voter Registration office at 6404 Courthouse Road, in Eastville, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 3 and 4, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Curbside voting is available on request at both Accomack and Northampton counties' early voting locations.

State representatives

Voters in Accomack and Northampton counties are in Virginia's Senate 20th District and House of Delegates 100th District.

Candidates for the Senate 20th District are Republican William “Bill” R.

DeSteph Jr. and Democrat Victoria A. Luevanos, both of Virginia Beach.

Candidates for the House of Delegates 100th District are incumbent Robert S. Bloxom Jr., a Republican from Accomack County, and Charlena Jones, a Democrat from Northampton County, who serves on the Northampton County School Board.

County elections

At the local level, Eastern Shore voters will elect officials in contested races for the Accomack County Board of Supervisors and School Board in several districts, as well as a constitutional officer in a contested race for Accomack County's Clerk of Circuit Court.

Voters in Onancock, Wachapreague, and Bloxom will elect town council members.

Northampton County does not have contested local races, but residents will cast votes for representatives on the board of supervisors and school board, as well as for constitutional officers.

Accomack supervisors

- District 2 incumbent Ron Wolff and challenger Roger L. DeGeorges
- District 4 incumbent Paul Muhly and challenger Jeffrey A. Parks Sr.
- District 5 incumbent Harrison W. Phillips III and challenger Calvin L. Washington Sr.
- District 1 incumbent Billy Joe Tarr (unopposed)
- District 3 incumbent Vanessa K. Johnson (unopposed)
- District 6 incumbent Robert D. Crockett (unopposed)
- District 7 incumbent Jackie Phillips (unopposed)
- District 8 incumbent Donald L. Hart Jr. (unopposed)
- District 9 incumbent C. Reneta Major (unopposed)

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- District 1 incumbent Jesse W. Speidel and challenger Connie C. Burford
- District 3 incumbent Lisa M. Cropper Johnson and challenger Jessica J. Lewis
- District 4 incumbent Gary Reese and challenger P. Glenn Neal Jr.
- District 8 incumbent Ronnie E. Holden and challenger Stefanie A. Jackson
- District 9 incumbent Malcolm “Pep” F. White and challenger Alejandro “Alex” E. Vargas
- District 2 incumbent Edward F. Taylor (unopposed)
- District 5 incumbent Camesha A. Handy (unopposed)
- District 6 candidate John J. Weippert (unopposed)
- District 7 incumbent Janet Martin-Turner (unopposed)

Others in Accomack

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- Commonwealth's Attorney: J. Spencer Morgan III (unopposed)
- Sheriff: W. Todd Wessells (unopposed)
- Commissioner of the Revenue: Kimberly A. Satterwhite (unopposed)
- Treasurer: James A. Lilliston (unopposed)
- Soil and Water Conservation Board, two seats: James “Jim” A. Evans and Sands A. Gayle.
- Onancock Town Council: Incumbent Brandon J. Brockmeier and challenger Gregory T. Temple
- Bloxom Town Council: Rosemary G. Gibbons (unopposed)
- Wachapreague Town Council: Glenn J. Schagelin and John Joeckel

Northampton candidates

- Board of Supervisors: District 4 incumbent L. Dixon Leatherbury

(unopposed) and District 5 incumbent M.E. “Betsy” Mapp (unopposed)

■ School Board: District 4 incumbent Jo Ann P. Molera (unopposed), District 5 candidate Ian Brenson (unopposed), School Board At-large candidate Joseph E. “Joe” Andrews (unopposed)

■ Clerk of the Court: Traci L. Johnson (unopposed)

■ Commonwealth's Attorney: Jack A. Thornton III (unopposed)

■ Sheriff: David L. Doughty, Jr. (unopposed)

■ Commissioner of Revenue: Consuelo Gonzalez (unopposed)

■ Treasurer: Cynthia S. Bradford (unopposed)

■ Soil and Water Conservation Board, two seats: S. Kyle Sturgis and Sally Young Williams

Residents who are not registered to vote can vote using a provisional ballot, which the electoral board reviews to determine if the vote can be counted.

Visit www.co.accomack.va.us/departments/registrar or call the Accomack voter registration office at 757-787-2935 or 757-824-0525 for more information on voting in Accomack County.

Northampton voters can visit www.co.northampton.va.us/government/departments/elected_offices/voter_registration_and_elections or call the voter registration office at 757-678-0480.

Voters must provide their names, addresses, and an accepted form of ID such as a driver's license, passport, military ID, or student ID to vote in-person.

Visit <https://tinyurl.com/mr267m3m> for a list of accepted ID's.

Visit <https://www.elections.virginia.gov/registration/election-voter-faq/> for more information.

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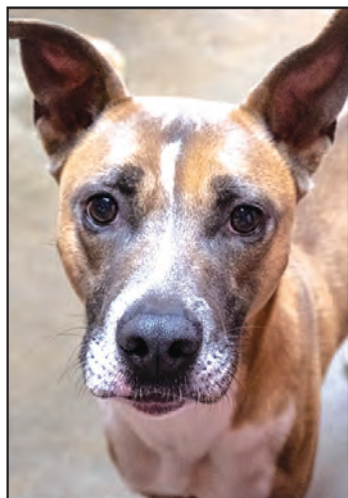


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Thomas B. Dix, Jr. will be moving his office to 23321 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, across from the Circuit Court Clerk's Office.

Henry P. Custis, Jr., (retired)
Thomas B. Dix, Jr., Esq.
23345 Counsel Dr.
Accomack, VA 23301

Help Wanted

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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Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting
applications for:

Jail Deputy at the Eastern Shore Regional Jail

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

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

Benefits include: VRS Retirement, Annual Leave,
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Applications may be obtained from the Eastern Shore
Regional Jail, 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347
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Open until filled.

**Apply in person at the Eastern Shore
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Help Wanted

Eastern Shore Rural Health System, Inc.

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.

Qualifications / Requirements:

- Current licensure as a Registered Nurse or Licensed Practical Nurse is required.
- Must demonstrate the ability to work with all life cycles in areas of health and lifestyle management. Requires close collaboration with medical providers and community organizations.
- A CDC Recognized Diabetes Prevention Lifestyle Coach and CPR Instructor certifications must be obtained within six months of employment and maintained thereafter.
- Individual must be professional, self-motivated and have strong attention to detail, communication, teamwork, customer service, and computer skills.
- 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:

View full job description by visiting <https://employees.esrh.org/Careers> or by scanning the QR code and clicking on Atlantic, Eastville or Onley Community Health Center > Clinical > Health Educator.



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

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

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

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

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

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Accomack County 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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Pets

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WATER/WASTEWATER OPERATOR

The Northampton County Department of Public Works is accepting applications for a full-time Water & Wastewater Operator. The primary duty of this position is to operate and maintain various county-owned water supply systems and wastewater treatment systems, including testing and reporting, as applicable.

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.



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The Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel is accepting applications for the following positions:

- **POLICE OFFICER**
- **HOURLY MAINTENANCE WORKER**
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Help Wanted

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

Hiring Range: \$32,415 - \$62,376.00

(Depending on qualifications)

To apply, visit: <http://www.dss.virginia.gov>

Accepts only online applications. Open until filled.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

Building Inspector

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

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

Requires valid Virginia Driver's License.

Excellent communication skills are essential. This salary ranges from \$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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Accomack County Social Services Family Services Specialist I/II

Hiring Range: \$36,993 - \$68,990

(Depending on qualifications)

To apply, visit: <http://www.dss.virginia.gov>

Accepts only online applications. Open until filled.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER



Financial Aid 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.

The Financial Aid Assistant will advise students, parents, and the general public regarding federal, state, and college-wide financial aid resources and determine initial eligibility for all types (grant, loans, scholarships, work study, etc.) for individual students. This position will also provide and clarify financial aid information, requirements, and application procedures, assist with the college scholarship and work-study programs as needed, and conduct workshops providing information regarding financial aid policies and procedures to new and continuing students in individual group settings, on and off campus.

ESCC is seeking applications for this full-time classified position that includes benefits. For additional details, qualifications, and application process, please visit: <https://jobs.vccs.edu/postings/67019>

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Accomack County Sheriff's Office is hiring a full-time

Administrative Assistant

Salary Range:

\$30,312.00 - \$34,950.00

Benefits Include:

Health, Vision, Dental and Life Insurance
Virginia Retirement System
Family Medical Leave
Employee Assistance Program
Paid Time Off / Holiday Time Off

Duties Include:

- Receives lobby visitors in a professional manner, determining type of assistance needed.
- Performs record keeping for all extra duty functions as received.
- 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.

**Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an
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REAL ESTATE TECHNICIAN I

Northampton County's Commissioner of Revenue is accepting applications for a full time Real Estate Technician I.

This position performs responsible, skilled clerical work updating and maintaining real estate records for assessment purposes; does related work as required. Work is performed under regular supervision. This position is also responsible for administering the land use and tax relief for the elderly/disabled program and the veterans tax relief program; as well as assisting the public and maintaining records and files.

Requires high school diploma or GED. The salary range for this position is \$28,955 to \$44,801 plus benefits.

Please submit completed County application form with cover letter to Human Resources, P. O. Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347 by **Friday, November 10, 2023.**

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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

PERSONAL PROPERTY TECHNICIAN - DEPUTY I

The County of Northampton 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. The salary for this position is \$28,955 to \$44,801 plus benefits.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS TO PERFORM WORK:

- Requires High 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.**

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Education: Graduation from an accredited high school or possession of a high school equivalency certificate.

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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 Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for a

Full Time Animal Control Officer

Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office at 23323 Wise Court, Accomack, VA 23301 or online at accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org

Applications must be returned to the Sheriff's Office by Friday, November 10, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

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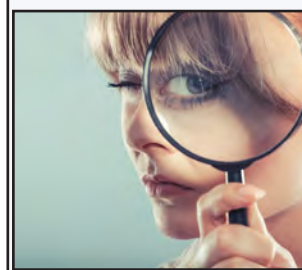
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for a Mixed Beverage Restaurant license
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Elen Osmanson, Member

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

PUBLIC NOTICE

Code of Virginia Title 58.1 Section 3911

Town of Cape Charles real estate and personal property taxes for 2023 are due on Tuesday, December 5, 2023.

Jerry Murphy
Treasurer
Town of Cape Charles

ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA VA. CODE §§ 1-211.1; 8.01-316, -317, 20-104

Case No. 23CL000828-00
Accomack County Circuit Court
23316 Courthouse Ave., Accomac, VA 23301

KYLIE JEWEL GRILLONE
v. N/A
The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A NAME CHANGE

It is ORDERED that GLORIA MARIE GRILLONE appear at the above-named court and protect his/her interests on or before DECEMBER 27, 2023.

October 27, 2023
Caretta S. Harris, Dep. Clerk

TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES Town Council – Public Hearing

The Cape Charles Town Council will hold a public hearing on Thursday, November 16, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. in the Cape Charles Civic Center, 500 Tazewell Avenue, to receive comment on the following requests:

A. A Zoning Map Amendment (ZMA) 2023-03 application from Cherrystone Investments, LLC to rezone Tax Map #90-A-1A6 from General Business/Light Industrial (GBI H-1) to Harbor District pursuant to Cape Charles Zoning Ordinance §§ 2.7.2 and 3.9.

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

TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE, INC. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Chincoteague Town Council will hold a Public Hearing commencing at 6:00 PM on November 16, 2023, in the Council Chambers of the Town of Chincoteague, 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague, VA 23336, to afford interested parties the opportunity to be heard or present written comments concerning the following proposed Ordinance to vacate property lines of a recorded plat of subdivision in the Town of Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia.

AN ORDINANCE VACATING PROPERTY LINES OF A SUBDIVISION PLAT

WHEREAS, the governing body of a municipality may vacate part of a recorded plat after the sale of a lot shown on said plat pursuant to §15.2-2272(2) of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, an Application has been filed by Jean Birch Sappenfield to vacate the property line between Tax Parcel 30A2-A-22 and 30A2-A-18A as shown and set forth on that certain plat of survey entitled “LANDS OF JEAN BIRCH SAPPENFIELD CONSOLIDATION PLAT”, dated August 25, 2023, and recorded in the Clerk’s Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, in Plat Book 89, page 231.

WHEREAS, the basis of said vacation is that:

1. Applicant is the fee simple owner of parcels 22 and 18A and the property line sought to be vacated lie within these lots.
2. That the said Jean Birch Sappenfield desires to remove the property line between the former Lots 22 and 18A so that it can become one new lot of record.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE:

1. That the property line between Lots 22 and 18A, as shown on that certain plat of survey entitled “LANDS OF JEAN BIRCH SAPPENFIELD CONSOLIDATION PLAT”, dated August 25, 2023, be and is hereby vacated, as shown on that certain plat attached to the Application. The “new plat.”
2. That as a result of said vacation of property line between the former Lots 22 and 18A shall result in one new parcel of land as shown on new plat.
3. That the Town Manager after the time for an appeal of the adoption of this Ordinance has expired, or if appealed the action of counsel is upheld, shall cause a copy of this Ordinance to be recorded in the Clerk’s Office for the Circuit Court of Accomack County.
4. That the effective date of the Ordinance shall be upon adoption by the Town Council for the Town of Chincoteague.

Handicapped assistance available by calling (757) 336-6519.

Mr. Michael T. Tolbert
Town Manager
Town of Chincoteague

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 County, 23316 Courthouse Ave., Accomac, VA or any such temporary 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 follows: 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 TURNING 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, VIRGINIA,” 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.

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

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing commencing at 6:00 p.m., on Wednesday, November 15, 2023, in the Board Room of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, to afford interested parties the opportunity to be heard or present written comments regarding the following ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR MONETARY BONUSES FOR CERTAIN COUNTY EMPLOYEES

The purpose of this ordinance is to provide one-time bonuses to certain Northampton County employees – the communication officers of the Sheriff's Office – resulting from a Virginia Department of Emergency Management FY 24 Staffing Recognition Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) Grant.

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

Handicapped assistance available: Call 757-678-0440.

Charles Kolakowski
County Administrator

Notice of Taking Proof of Debts and Demands of the Estate of Peter John Gerry

At the request of John P. Custis, Esquire as Administrator of the Estate of Peter John Gerry, I have fixed November 16th, 2023 at 4:00 p.m. as the time, and the office of J. Nicholas Klein III, Mapp, Mapp & Klein, 18249 First Street, Keller, VA 23401, as the place for receiving proof of debts and demands against said decedent or his Estate.

Given under my hand this 20th day of October, 2023.

J. Nicholas Klein, III
Assistant Commissioner of Accounts
of the Circuit Court
of Accomack County, Virginia



The Town of Onancock seeks sealed bids for CONTRACTOR SERVICES for rehabilitation at the Police Station and the Welcome Center. Bids must be received by December 15, 2023, at 3:00 PM at Town Hall, 15 North Street, Onancock, and clearly marked, "Police and Welcome Center Rehab." Bids will be opened immediately thereafter.

The Town will award the project on either an individual basis or as a lump sum bid and the town reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids in whole or in part to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding.

Specifications can be obtained at www.Onancock.com/rfps

Questions or comments may be directed to Matt Spuck, Town Manager, at 757-787-3363, or via email at Matt.Spuck@Onancock.com.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Accomack County Wetlands Zoning Ordinance, you are hereby notified of a Public Hearing that will be held in the Accomack County Administration Building Board Chambers, Room #104, 23292 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, Virginia at 10AM, Thursday, November 16, 2023 on the wetlands applications of:

James K. Casey Jr. & Jennifer Mister - VMRC # 2023-2226

This application is for the following described project:

The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction, is the proposed construction of a new 100 feet vinyl bulkhead, located in the Captain's Cove subdivision of Greenbackville, VA 23356, tax map#(s) 5A3-1-1343.

Zorylu Bonilla - VMRC # 2023-2255

This application is for the following described project:

The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction, is the proposed installation of two 30 feet long by 10 feet wide by 4 feet high quarry stone sills with a 10 feet gap. Also, one 15 feet long by 2 feet wide by 1 feet high trip sill, two 25 feet stone revetments, five face pilings, and approximately 2,590 square feet of beach nourishment, located in Onancock, VA 23417, tax map#(s) 83B-2-D-7, 6A, 6 & 5.

Alfred Russo - VMRC # 2023-2265

This application is for the following described project:

The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction, is the proposed construction of a new 120' +/- vinyl bulkhead, located in the Captain's Cove subdivision of Greenbackville, VA 23356, tax map#(s) 5A3-1-1425.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will meet on Wednesday, November 15, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia, to conduct public hearings on the following matters:

ZTA 2023-03: The Board of Supervisors of Northampton County is proposing a Zoning Text Amendment to revise sections which pertain to Signs in the 2000 and 2016 Zoning Ordinances.

ZTA 2023-04: The Board of Supervisors of Northampton County is proposing a Zoning Text Amendment to revise sections which pertain to Lighting in the 2000 and 2016 Zoning Ordinances.

The applications are open to public inspection in the County Administration Office, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA, and can be viewed electronically at go.boarddocs.com/va/northco/Board.nsf/Public

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

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



ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

PUBLIC HEARINGS

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will hold its regular meeting on **Wednesday, November 15, 2023**, at 5:00 p.m., in the Board of Supervisors Chambers, Room 104, 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Accomack, VA, with public hearings to afford interested persons the opportunity to be heard or present written comments on the following matter(s) beginning at 6:30 p.m.:

1. Conduct Public Hearing on an Ordinance Amending CHAPTER 102 OF THE ACCOMACK COUNTY CODE, ENTITLED "WATERWAYS" to Incorporate Changes in State Law Relating to Shoreline Projects and Notice of Public Hearings held by the Wetlands Board

The General Assembly adopted Senate Bill 1160, which:

- Requires localities to amend their Wetlands Ordinances prior to January 1, 2024.
- Eliminates the need for a wetlands permit to be notarized.
- Requires that notice of public hearings held by a wetlands board be:
 - published in a newspaper of general circulation at least once in the 7-day period prior to the hearing;
 - posted on the website at least 14 days prior to the hearing;
 - provided to the Virginia Marine Resources Commission;

MEETING DATE CHANGES

1. The Accomack County Board of Supervisors voted to change its December 20, 2023, regular meeting date and location.

The Board's December meeting will be held on **December 14, 2023**, will be held at the **Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company**, located at 5052 Deep Hole Road – Chincoteague, VA 23336, at 5:00 p.m.

Any citizen wishing to view documents, submit a comment, having questions, or needing special assistance for the disabled, may contact the County Administrator's Office by contacting:

Jessica Hargis: (757) 787-5700 / 824-5444 or
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Public Notice

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.



Advertisement for Stormwater Master Plan for the Industrial Park at Melfa, Virginia

At the request of the Economic Development Authority of Accomack County, Virginia (EDA), the Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission seeks qualified entities to prepare a stormwater master plan for the Industrial Park at Melfa, Virginia. The plan should provide adequate stormwater management for current park tenants while taking into consideration ultimate park buildout. **The Request for Proposal is available at www.esvaplan.org**

You may apply through letter to the Commission's Director of Planning accompanied by any additional materials that would more fully describe your proposal. Your letter or packet should include: 1) Statement of Interest in providing service to the EDA, 2) Demonstration of credentials and experience in delivering a stormwater master plan, including planning, engineering and design services, 3) Compliance with federal Title VI/Non-discrimination assurances, and 4) Other factors or information thought to be important to the EDA in considering the proposal. The successful proposer will need to supply a W9 and EIN/FEIN paperwork prior to start.

A Selection Committee will review the applications. Proposals must be submitted by **Noon on Tuesday, November 21, 2023**. They may be sent by electronic or paper format. Please submit your proposal to Anne Doyle, Director of Planning, Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission, 23372 Front Street, Accomac, VA 23301 or electronically to adoyle@a-npdc.org. Please contact Anne Doyle at 757-787-2936, extension 115, should you have any process questions.



Advertisement for Boundary Survey of the Industrial Park at Melfa, Virginia

At the request of the Economic Development Authority of Accomack County, Virginia (EDA), the Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission seeks qualified entities to perform a boundary survey to include a topographical survey and a wetland delineation survey. The survey will inform and lead to the development of the Industrial Park of Accomack County located in Melfa, VA. **The Request for Proposal is available at www.esvaplan.org**

You may apply through letter to the Commission's Director of Planning accompanied by any additional materials that would more fully describe your proposal. Your letter or packet should include: 1) Statement of Interest and relevant experience in providing service to the EDA, 2) Indication of ability to provide timely and efficient service, including a specification of how quickly EDA business could be acted upon, and 3) Compliance with federal Title VI/Non-discrimination assurances.

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Sports Trivia by Ryan A. Berenz

1. What member of the Los Angeles Rams' "Fearsome Foursome" defensive line of the 1960s was a commercial spokesman for FTD Florists?
2. Suzyn Waldman, Major League Baseball's first full-time female color commentator, works radio broadcasts for what team?
3. How many goals did Hockey Hall of Fame goalie Martin Brodeur score in his NHL career?
4. In Major League Baseball player trades, the abbreviation PTBNL stands for what?
5. What driver won the first NASCAR Cup Series ROVAL (road course and oval) race at Charlotte Motor Speedway in September 2018?

TRUSTEE'S SALE

21215 MILL STREET, CAPE CHARLES, VA 23310

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**

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2. The New York Yankees
3. Three (Two regular season, one playoff)
4. Player to Be Named Later
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The Northampton Marching Band, which recently earned a third-place finish in Group AA at the Tallwood Invitational, includes: front row from left, Rogelio Garcia, Vannesa Mateo, Jordan White, Pedro Mateo-Sanchez, Abbigail Locklear, Reymundo Martinez, and Avery Harloff. Second row: Emilio Gonzalez, Daniela Siegrist, Cristian Phillips, and Keysan Brittingham. Third row: band director Brad Ford, Josh Brown, Jose Alvarado Martinez, Jeanette Pike, Anna Temich, and Selbie Kratochvil. Fourth row: Ruben Pineda, Jeremiah Kellam, Elsie Irminger, Billy Pike, and Sean Hicks. Fifth row: Diana Ramirez, Anabel Clarke, Makiah Upshur, Savana Ruiz Vera, Steven Cardoza, and Kiera Bude nos. Sixth row: Maliyah Jones, Taliah Corney, Nathalia Mateo, and Denali Gonzalez. Seventh row: Candy Castaneda Cova, Mariam Mehdi, Sofia Jaramillo, Adriana Diaz Gaspar, Trinity Bynum, Iliah Banks, Jocelyn Huerta Torres, Kayla Hicks, and Kenya Banks. Eighth row: David Reyes Martinez, Wrenn Hadden, and Brycen Joseph.

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Yellow Jacket marching band fares well at Tallwood Invitational

The Northampton Marching Band traveled to Tallwood High School to compete in the Tallwood Invitational.

The band was moved up from Class A to Class AA, which is arguably the hardest class to be in

around the state because of its size.

The Northampton band earned third place in all catagories: Marching, Music, General Effect, Col-orguward ,and Percussion, and third overall in Class AA.

With the competition over, the band will wrap

up its halftime season on Friday. Nov. 3, for Senior Night in Eastville.

It now prepares for the many holiday events around the Shore including local parades and Festive Fridays in Cape Charles.

Cheriton firefighters get \$50K for new gear

U.S. Sens. Mark R. Warner and Tim Kaine announced \$50,000 in federal funding for the Cheriton Volunteer Fire Company to replace personal protective equipment and help ensure the safety of firefighters.

Specifically, the funding will be used to replace expiring turnout gear and self-contained breathing apparatus, which shield the body from extreme heat

and offer respiratory protection when firefighters enter smoky and toxic environments.

The funding was awarded by the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Rural Development division’s Community Facilities Direct Loan and Grant program, which provides funding to develop essential community facilities in rural areas, including public safety services like fire departments.

“Firefighters provide critical services to protect communities across the Commonwealth, and it’s important that they have the equipment

they need to stay safe. We’re glad this funding will upgrade protective gear for firefighters in Cheriton,” Warner and Kaine said in a joint statement.

Warner and Kaine have long supported firefighters. The senators helped pass the Fire Grants and Safety Act, legislation to ensure years of continued funding for grant programs that support fire departments and firefighters across the Commonwealth.

Kaine has also introduced legislation to support firefighter and first responder mental health.

PUBLIC RECORDS

Eastern Shore Post

Marriage licenses

- Adam Gladden Bowen, 27, and Brittany Catherine Glennon, 26, both of Cape Charles
- Stephen Scott Magnuson, 30, and Rachel Anne Finney, 29, both of Richmond

Northampton property transfers

- From Sandra Reilly To Steven and Corrine Miller Lot 45, The Colony, Bay Creek, Cape Charles For \$135,000
- From Mary Hall and Barbara Strand To Marvin Ames Lot, 30 x 36 yards, Middletown, near Nassawadox For \$20,000
- From Anthony Ramdass To Adam and Cindy Westhoff Tract A, 6.1 acres, Wilsonia Neck For \$185,000
- From Nataly Ramos Martinez To Francisco Guillen Hernandez Lot, 1/2 acre, near Eastville Station For \$20,000
- From Harold and Alice Howard To Ace Custis Enterprises Lot, 1.51 acres, Birdsnest For \$110,000
- From Terry Hunsicker and Jessica Greenberg To Mark Colson Lot, 2.5 acres, near Cheriton For \$50,000
- From Gregory and Renee Brickles, trustees To Lisa Meyer-Blachno Lot 5, Chateaux of Lake Allure, near Cheapside For \$825,000
- From ICC I FRE 5 Pack LLC To SMBC Leasing and Finance Inc. Lot, 58,080 square feet, Nassawadox For \$2,775,000
- From Kristin Mazur and Aaron May To Warren and Penny Birdsong Lot 24, Phase IV, The Colony, Bay Creek, Cape Charles For \$385,000
- From Joseph and Robin D'Angelo To Casa Investments LLC Lot 7, Sandhill Estates, Cheapside For \$35,000

- From James Elliott, special commissioner, and Jean Enterprises LLC To Thomas Edmonds Lot 2, 0.459 acres, Eastville For \$1,800
- From Alvin Williams, devisee To Genaro Gonzalez Barrera and Reyna Martinez Felix Lot, 50 x 150 feet, on highway near Treherneville For \$45,000
- From Beth and Carol Sabo To Jeffery Howard and Beth Healy-Howard Lot 10A, The Dunes of Bayridge, Capeville For \$140,000
- From Jack Russell Properties VA LLC To Cape Charles Rentals LLC Lots 328 and 329, Cape Charles For \$1,190,000

Accomack property transfers

- From Janet A. Hotcaveg To Diane T. Gillies 6 Marshall St., Onancock For \$337,000
- From CMH Homes Inc To Maria V. Anzualda and Gilberto Torres Rosales 37194 Blue Crab Circle, Waterside Village, Painter For \$272,463.07
- From Kathleen B. and Daniel W. Ingersoll Jr. To Saskia Jansen and William Cromley 7811 East Side Road, Chincoteague For \$580,000
- From JoAnn Cantamessa To Walter E. Ruppard Jr. 3 Lee St., Wachapreague For \$345,000
- From Ernest Dale Holston To Deborah B. and Donald Magnuson Sunnywood Manor property, Chincoteague For \$520,000
- From Violet Ann Mandracchia, trustee To Gary E. Ulmer Lot 17, Section II, Schooner Bay, Onancock For \$62,500
- From Kathryn L. and Michael K. Wolfe To Hagan Industries LLC and Quantum Real Estate Group Lot 90, Section 13, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$100

- From Marisa R. and Pedro Sanchez To Maribel Vicente Juan and Leonel Enriquez Martinez 29144 Turkey Run Road, Mears For \$45,000
- From Iglesia Cristiana El Candelero De Oro Inc To Marco Antonio Jochola-Zapon 22182 Lankford Highway, Accomac For \$12,500
- From Ersie Irene Wilkerson To Anneliese Helene Massey and Gregory Alan Ekberg 37735 Broadside Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$375,000
- From Shadell and Roy L. Bowser To Norma J. and Robert M. Schwarzkopf Lot 3, Eaglet Lane, Nock's Landing, Atlantic For \$45,000
- From Daniel E. Whealton To CMH Homes Inc. Lot 9, Little Bay Court, Seaside Landing, Wattsville For \$45,000
- From Angela L. and Bert J. Jones To Carolyn J. and Albin R. Bowen Lot 429, Unit 1, Trails End, Horntown For \$21,900
- From Thornton-Laird LLC To Kevin D. Dunn and Peter Beierly III 12 acres near Messongo Bridge, Mears For \$30,000
- From BRK Homes Inc. To Davidson Fils Aime 28141 Nelsonia Road, Nelsonia For \$225,000
- From Shane M. Clogg To Shannon and Michael Cappell Lot 125, Unit 1, Trails End, Horntown For \$20,000
- From Claudia C. and Ronald W. Harmon To Robert D. Mears Lot 36, Lee Street, Melfa For \$25,000
- From Diana and Kenneth Rager To Michelle L. Short and Keith B. Landon Lot 312, Unit III, Neptune Court, Trails End, Horntown For \$25,000
- From Diana and Kenneth Rager To Gwynn W. and John E. Webb Lot 311, Unit III, Neptune Court, Trails End, Horntown For \$20,000

- From Kimberly K. and John A. Murphy To Julie Lynn Lokken 7516 Doe Bay Lane, Chincoteague For \$410,000
- From Donald Richard Jones, trustee To Angela Brock and Matthew Martin Rienenrth 24 acres in Cashville For \$50,000
- From Annapolis Speciality Houses Inc. and Justin M. Gray To Annette L. and Phillip H. Dunn Lot 1, Section II, Hunting Creek Estates, Hunting Creek Lane, Greenbush For \$285,000
- From Chestnut Stump Tree Farm LLC To Kimberly Anne and John J. Payne 40 acres on Wachapreague Road, Melfa For \$170,000
- From Leander S. Roberts Jr. To Diana and Scott Dukes Lot 2, Section 7, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$3,500
- From CCG Note LLC To April Pavao 37362 Sea Winds Court, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$215,000
- From Deborah A. and Larry B. Breech To Cali E. and Ryan D. Bono 27431 White Tail Road, Melfa For \$290,000
- From Amy H. Fowler and Jonathan C. Hamilton To William L. Hamilton III 42 acres on Seaside Road, Melfa For \$415,000
- From Elizabeth and James Edward Gzemski To Casey and Nicholas Depaolis 3621 Main St., Chincoteague For \$465,000
- From Horace Webster Hall III To Madison Bloxom 15309 Parks St., Bloxom For \$143,000
- From CWC Capital Group LLC To M.C. Dodd Construction LLC 7220 Lankford Highway, Oak Hall For \$75,000
- From Juana Hernandez Gonzalez and Benjamin Gutierrez Gutierrez To Cecilia Bonilla-Franco 24157 Annis St., Parksley For \$175,000

- From Deborah Johnson and Mervin Hinmon To Oscar Topping 19135 Turner St., Parksley For \$24,000
- From Cathy S. and Grant J. Carey To Amy and Ross Gercie Lot 1263, Section 1, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$27,500
- From Lee J. Breitenbach To Marjorie and Kenneth W. Weary Lot 320, Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown For \$20,000
- From Yvonne O. Beckett, trustee To Victor Mendoza Solis 1/2 acre near Locust Mount, Melfa For \$65,000
- From Kathryn A. Bender To Caroline and Samuel Vaughan 15219 Blenheim Way, Melfa For \$720,000
- From Paula A. and Robert M. Aiello To Lori R. Daisey Lot 161 Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown For \$65,000
- From Gail Elizabeth and John H. Beard To Karin and Neal Jeffrey Musselman 5442 Main St., Chincoteague For \$675,000
- From Karin C. and Neal J. Musselman To Audrey A. and Michael P. Callen 6314 Cropper St., Chincoteague For \$429,000
- From B. Randolph Boyd, trustee To Mount Warren Farms LLC 452 acres on Upshur's Neck Road, Quinby For \$45,200
- From CCG Note LLC To R2Js LLC 37332 State Line Road, Greenbackville For \$725,000
- From Michelle M. Evans and Melissa A. Cold To Christopher Lee Stanley Lot 12A, Belinda Road, Sanford For \$47,000
- From Helen E. Munck and Judith Ann Pfeiffer To Karen M. and Steven P. Ressel Sr. 5372 McCleary Drive, Chincoteague For \$140,000
- From Donell and Gerald L. Francis Jr. To House Buyer of America Inc. 32570 Boston Road, Painter For \$20,000

TIDE TABLE

Seaside

Bayside

		Friday Nov. 3		Saturday Nov. 4		Sunday Nov. 5		Monday Nov. 6		Tuesday Nov. 7		Wednesday Nov. 8		Thursday Nov. 9
Assateague Beach	H L	12:53p.m. 6:38 a.m.	H L	1:48 p.m. 7:33 a.m.	H L	1:48 p.m. 7:32 a.m.	H L	2:47 p.m. 8:32 a.m.	H L	3:41 p.m. 9:30 a.m.	H L	4:28 p.m. 10:26 a.m.	H L	5:10 p.m. 11:17 a.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	12:56p.m. 6:34 a.m.	H L	1:51 p.m. 7:31 a.m.	H L	1:48 p.m. 7:32 a.m.	H L	2:44 p.m. 8:33 a.m.	H L	3:37 p.m. 9:32 a.m.	H L	4:27 p.m. 10:26 a.m.	H L	5:13 p.m. 11:17 a.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	1:49 p.m. 7:17 a.m.	H L	2:44 p.m. 8:12 a.m.	H L	2:44 p.m. 8:11 a.m.	H L	3:43 p.m. 9:11 a.m.	H L	4:37 p.m. 10:09 a.m.	H L	5:24 p.m. 11:05 a.m.	H L	6:06 p.m. 11:56 a.m.
Folly Creek	H L	1:42 p.m. 7:02 a.m.	H L	2:37 p.m. 7:57 a.m.	H L	2:37 p.m. 7:56 a.m.	H L	3:36 p.m. 8:56 a.m.	H L	4:30 p.m. 9:54 a.m.	H L	5:17 p.m. 10:50 a.m.	H L	5:59 p.m. 11:41 a.m.
Wachapreague	H L	1:18 p.m. 6:39 a.m.	H L	2:07 p.m. 7:35 a.m.	H L	1:59 p.m. 7:33 a.m.	H L	2:54 p.m. 8:29 a.m.	H L	3:51 p.m. 9:26 a.m.	H L	4:43 p.m. 10:22 a.m.	H L	5:29 p.m. 11:15 a.m.
Quinby Inlet	H L	12:53p.m. 6:17 a.m.	H L	1:48 p.m. 7:12 a.m.	H L	1:48 p.m. 7:11 a.m.	H L	2:47 p.m. 8:11 a.m.	H L	3:41 p.m. 9:09 a.m.	H L	4:28 p.m. 10:05 a.m.	H L	5:10 p.m. 10:56 a.m.
Machipongo	H L	1:23 p.m. 6:46 a.m.	H L	2:18 p.m. 7:41 a.m.	H L	2:18 p.m. 7:40 a.m.	H L	3:17 p.m. 8:40 a.m.	H L	4:11 p.m. 9:38 a.m.	H L	4:58 p.m. 10:34 a.m.	H L	5:40 p.m. 11:25 a.m.
Tangier Sound Light	H L	4:53 p.m. 10:40 a.m.	H L	5:50 p.m. 11:38 a.m.	H L	5:51 p.m. 11:39 a.m.	H L	6:50 p.m. 12:41 p.m.	H L	7:27 a.m. 1:40 p.m.	H L	8:17 a.m. 2:35 p.m.	H L	9:00 a.m. 3:25 p.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	5:16 p.m. 11:23 a.m.	H L	6:12 p.m. 12:21 p.m.	H L	6:12 p.m. 12:25 p.m.	H L	6:52 a.m. 1:32 p.m.	H L	7:52 a.m. 2:32 p.m.	H L	8:43 a.m. 3:25 p.m.	H L	9:27 a.m. 4:11 p.m.
Guard Shore	H L	5:08 p.m. 11:19 a.m.	H L	6:04 p.m. 12:17 p.m.	H L	6:04 p.m. 12:21 p.m.	H L	6:44 a.m. 1:28 p.m.	H L	7:44 a.m. 2:28 p.m.	H L	8:35 a.m. 3:21 p.m.	H L	9:19 a.m. 4:07 p.m.
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Onancock Creek	H L	4:57 p.m. 10:51 a.m.	H L	5:53 p.m. 11:49 a.m.	H L	5:53 p.m. 11:53 a.m.	H L	6:52 p.m. 1:00 p.m.	H L	7:33 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	H L	8:24 a.m. 2:53 p.m.	H L	9:08 a.m. 3:39 p.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	4:13 p.m. 10:05 a.m.	H L	5:09 p.m. 11:03 a.m.	H L	5:09 p.m. 11:07 a.m.	H L	6:08 p.m. 12:14 p.m.	H L	6:49 a.m. 1:14 p.m.	H L	7:40 a.m. 2:07 p.m.	H L	8:24 a.m. 2:53 p.m.
Nassawadox	H L	2:59 p.m. 8:22 a.m.	H L	3:53 p.m. 9:16 a.m.	H L	3:49 p.m. 9:16 a.m.	H L	4:46 p.m. 10:21 a.m.	H L	5:39 p.m. 11:23 a.m.	H L	6:28 p.m. 12:19 p.m.	H L	7:02 a.m. 1:09 p.m.
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally
Unlisted clue hint: ENGLISH COMMON —

- Accent
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Castles
- Channel
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Horn
Ivy
- Language
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Last week's answers

SARAH F O B O F F N B A G A M E S
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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Super Crossword

"MM, GOOD!"

ACROSS

- 1 Kiddie-lit elephant
6 Seder bread
11 Warren in the Pro Football Hall of Fame
15 Numbered work of a composer
19 "I'd love to help"
20 Fictional town in an Edgar Lee Masters title
22 Intensify, with "up"
23 Aged female horse that has won lots of singing awards?
25 Dog food brand
26 Flimsy
27 Hive swarm
28 "Lie Down With Lions" novelist Ken
30 Romanov royal
31 — -fi film
33 Michael of "Superbad"
34 Stephen of the screen
35 Time when everybody turned down their radios all at once?
41 — v. Wade
42 Aussie critter
43 Soporific drug
44 Electrolysis particles
45 Reading quickly in the Scandinavian manner?
50 Novelist Stout
52 Hammer or Spade
53 History topic
54 Hot tub sigh
56 Tranquility
60 Brainchild
62 Big meeting to discuss protective metal gear?
66 Foot the bill
69 A-bomb, e.g.
71 "— dare?"
72 — Lilly
73 "Tamerlane" poet
74 Cold, damp park birds?
79 Declare
82 Apia locale
83 Elton John's '70s label
84 Figure skater Midori —
86 Bet to win and place
90 Cloning stuff
92 Was an overly aggressive barber?
96 Cato's "to be"

DOWN

- 1 Strike with the horns
2 Court champ Arthur
3 Lead-in to "done that"
4 "Eek!"

- 5 Add ammo to
6 Emails or texts: Abbr.
7 Wet mo.
8 Come — halt
9 Body not staying at rest?
10 "My treat!"
11 Family in computer games
12 DuVernay of "Queen Sugar"
13 Flawless
14 Request in advance, in a way
15 Spoken exam
16 Sicily's capital
17 A gazillion
18 Brief plugs for political candidates
21 Bread variety
24 — Lube (STP alternative)
29 Chou En- —
31 Add fuel to
32 Groups on church risers
33 The Plame affair, informally
35 Hammer or spade
36 52-wk. units
37 Dad's partner
38 Longtime wire svc.
39 Moses' peak
40 Seltzer, e.g.
41 ICU VIPs
46 Imbiber's hwy. offense
47 "— be nice if ..."
48 Like taffy
49 Bea Arthur sitcom
51 Air-testing gp.
55 Hispanic "hello"
57 Intensify, with "up"
58 Loving sound
59 Previous to, poetically
61 12-hour clock toggle
63 Lowing sound
64 Fluid dram fraction
65 "Hawaii —" (Jack Lord series)
66 Acer offerings
67 Styled after
68 Orange tuber
70 Say aloud for transcription
75 Net access provider
76 Groom, e.g.
77 "The Dance" singer Brooks
78 Canned heat
80 Good Grips brand
81 Nursery cry
85 Dramatist Clifford
87 Merry-go-rounds
88 Not kosher
89 Hurry-scurry
91 For free
93 Furious state
94 Spill cleaner
95 Sony products
96 1962 Paul Anka hit
97 Tarnished
98 Tarnished
100 Chinese soup
104 Sort
105 Facet
106 "Surprised to run into you!"
107 University in Greenville, South Carolina
108 In a blazing brandy sauce
114 Fed Eliot
115 Ace or queen
116 Fruit drink brand
117 Tip jar bills
118 Nursery school, briefly
119 Play — (perform some songs)
120 Env. items
123 Receivable
124 John in court cases
125 High-tech organizer

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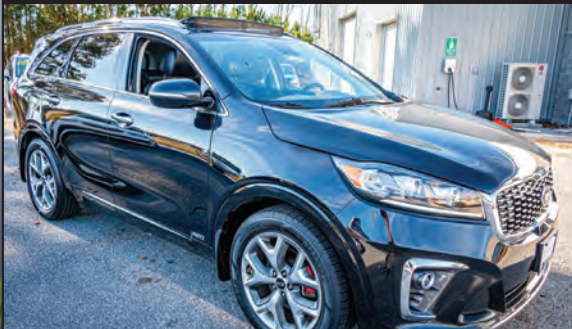


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