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EASTERN SHORE MADRIGALS CHRISTMAS SHOW



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Eastern Shore Madrigals singers, from left, Ben Askew, Laura Mays, Allen Hamilton, Christy Kellam, Amanda Lawrence, and Sara Reedy (bearded, in front), dress as Santa's elves as they rehearse for their Christmas show. Performances are Friday, Dec. 1, and Saturday, Dec. 2, both at 7 p.m., and Sunday, Dec. 3 at 2:30 p.m. at North Street Playhouse in Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students 12 and under and can be purchased by calling 757-787-2050 or at www.northstreetplayhouse.org

NORTHAMPTON

School project contract inked for \$81 million

Supervisors approve award with no real-estate tax increase

BY STEFANIE JACKSON

Eastern Shore Post

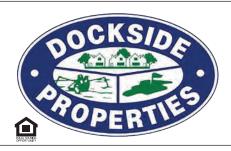
Northampton County supervisors on Wednesday, Nov. 15, unanimously voted to award a contract for \$81.3 million for the Northampton middle and high school improvement project.

"I want to start with really good news ... there is not a scheduled real estate tax increase or any additional debt required in order to do this project," said Finance Director John Chandler.

The Wednesday night decision was the culmination of a five-year effort by a committee that included members of both Northampton's board of supervisors and school board.

The effort hit a wall in August 2022 when the low bid received for the project was \$84 million, and county supervisors had agreed to spend no more

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It will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event is for industries that would like to learn more about doing business with the Virginia Spaceport Authority.

The meeting will be an opportunity to exchange vendor capabilities and discuss the Spaceport's forecast of opportunities.

The authority owns and operates the Mid-Atlantic Regional Spaceport at Wallops. It is a tenant organization of the NASA Wallops Flight Facility.

For more information or to register, visit www.vaspace.org

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\$239,000

Man gets prison time in repeated assaults of woman

BY NANCY DRURY DUNCAN

Eastern Shore Post

An Accomack County man was sentenced to four years in prison after pleading guilty to stabbing a woman with a screwdriver, punching her in the jaw, and urinating on her.

Christopher Ryan Collison, 35, of Keller, also was ordered to pay \$8,722 in restitution to the woman for moving and other expenses she incurred as a result of his violence.

In an earlier agreement with the prosecutor's office, Collison pleaded guilty to unlawful wounding and two counts of assault and battery.

Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Fox told the court he made the agreement because the woman said she could not bear to see Collison again and could not come to court to testify.

The plea agreement capped his active sentence at four years.

At a sentencing hearing Fox read a lengthy and detailed letter to the court written by a woman who was violently assaulted by the defendant on nine separate occasions. Her name is being withheld by the Eastern Shore Post.

The woman detailed both the physical and emotional scars that remained from her relationship with Collison.

She described the physical injuries she suffered and said she is still suffering from the effects of his violent attacks.

She wrote she feared Collison would also assault her son. She said he never did, but threatened repeatedly to harm him.

The crimes occurred in June 2020, Fox said at Collison's September trial.

When the woman went to the emergency room as the result of an attack in late June, she reported multiple earlier assaults by Collison.

On one occasion, she said he came to her house when she was sleeping and pulled her by her feet off the bed onto the floor.

She said he caused her to hit her head on the corner of a nightstand, causing it to bleed profusely.

While she was on the floor, she said he kicked her repeatedly. On another occasion, he punched her in the jaw, knocked her to the floor, and began kicking her.

Another time, he stabbed her with a screwdriver, said Fox.

She said he held her against her will and that he sometimes urinated on her.

The woman reported suffering chronic pain from the beatings and said her son is now afraid of men.

She said she had to move from her home to get away from Collison. She said she suffers from post-traumatic stress disorder as a result of the beatings and takes multiple medications.

After listening to the woman's statement of what she suffered, Judge W. Revell Lewis III ordered Collison to spend four years in prison and to pay restitution in the amount of \$8,722.

He also ordered that a protective order be in place to keep him from having any contact with her.

Collison will be on probation for five years and required to be on good behavior for 10 years after his release.





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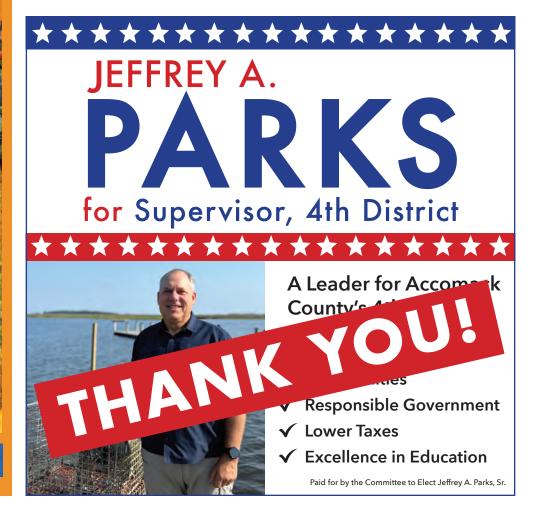
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LIONS CLUB DONATES TO KIPTOPEKE



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The Cape Charles Lions Club recently made a donation to Kiptopeke Elementary School. School nurse Constance Buege, left, accepts the donation from Karen Kolet of the Lions Club.





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CHILI WINNER



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Mary Margaret Browning, left, was the winner of the inaugural Chili Cook-Off sponsored by the Men's Club at Craddockville United Methodist Church in honor of the late Richard McDowell, a past member who often brought chili to social functions at the church. Fittingly, the event was held on Veterans Day since McDowell served in the Air Force for 29 years. Browning bested eight cooks in a competition decided by donations from those attending the event, winning an apron depicting her title. Also entering was McDowell's daughter, Saira, right, who entered her father's chili recipe. Proceeds from the event will go to fund scholarships for campers at Camp Occohannock on the Bay.





EDITORIAL

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THE PAPER'S POSITION

Lack of concession calls indicative of our times

There is a long history in our country of the losing candidates in an election telephoning to concede and congratulate the winning candidates.

It is a courteous and gracious gesture — a sign that an election's sharp edges and spirited emotions have yielded to acts more civil and dignified.

After elections big and small, calling to concede and congratulate is a way of mending and moving on. It is a classy and cultured response to defeat.

To publicly concede — as candidates for high offices sometimes do — is a way to reunite communities divided by an election and its result.

Unfortunately, what is courteous and gracious is sometimes absent in the wake of elections these days — both nationally and locally.

At this writing, more than a week after many contested Nov. 7 elections, there have been far fewer concession calls than we expected from losing candidates to winning candidates.

There may have been more, but we know of one for certain — Accomack Supervisor Harrison Phillips called to congratulate supervisor-elect Calvin L. Washington Sr., and to concede. That's a respectable, humble, and admirable response from a dedicated public servant like Phillips.

Other winning candidates have said, off the record, that they have heard nothing from the opponents who lost in elections.

That's unfortunate. We hope this editorial reminds them of the importance of such an action. And we hope they soon reach out with a message of concession and congratulation.

CORRECTIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Appreciates Owens' stance

To the editor:

Thank God for Mable Owens having the courage to maintain her religious convictions.

The United States Supreme Court ruled in favor of Gerald Groff, an evangelical Christian postal worker, who refused to work on Sundays.

Northampton County should be able to accommodate Owens who, in her own words, stated, "I don't do those marriages. I don't want to" because samesex unions are contrary to her religious beliefs.

> Colleen Daley Onancock

Eastern Shore needs emergency vet

To the editor:

There is no emergency vet service on Virginia's Eastern Shore.

Guest columns and letters

The Eastern Shore Post welcomes your letters and guest columns. Letters and columns must include a phone number and a town of residence for verification.

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

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

If there is an emergency with our pets, we have to go to Virginia Beach or Maryland — and that's only if you call first and there is an opening.

There is a need for emergency service on the Shore.

It would be great if the local veterinarians could get together and organize an emergency response system so that when one of our pets needs immediate, after-hours help, that help is available somewhere on the Shore.

Our pets are our family and it's so sad and unnecessary when they die because there was no one to help them when they were involved in an emergency situation.

Deborah Barban Cape Charles

Appreciated story on student

To the editor:

Thank you for the story on Northampton High School senior Pedro Mateo-Sanchez in the Nov. 3 edition of the Eastern Shore Post, "Northampton High senior is a three-way star."

This is a young man who deserves recognition.

Let's start a scholarship fund to help him get to college.

Sally McNeilan Cape Charles

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After unsuccessful re-election bid, a day to remember

BY RON WOLFF

Guest columnist

As a student of U.S. history, Tuesday, Nov. 7 — Election Day — is as important as it gets for our democracy.

It provides our citizens with the most significant role in our form of government — to have their voices be heard in the election process.

I have been fortunate to have been a candidate in six of those election processes.

I was given the opportunity to serve not only the residents of District 2 but also all the residents of Accomack County for the last 20 years.

It has been my distinct honor and privilege to be the second-longest-serving member of the Accomack Board of Supervisors.

On Tuesday, Nov. 7, my bid for re-election was turned back as the peoples' voices spoke.

As the election results settled in, the next morning my phone began to light like an old switchboard.

It began early, around 8 a.m., and continued until well after 10 p.m.

The calls from friends, colleagues, and citizens expressing concerns for my loss were very heartfelt.

But it was the comments that fol-

lowed, in each of the many calls, that led to the most humbling and emotional day in my life.

State Sen. Lynwood Lewis, Delegate Rob Bloxom, members of the Northampton County Board of Supervisors, our county administrator, our county attorney, my fellow board members, residents from my district both past and present — including from Tangier Island — called to say I was able to work with them to bring about positive change for the district and the county as a whole.

As a result of 20 years on the board of supervisors, relationships have been formed, contacts have been es-

tablished, and a working history has archived many accomplishments that have moved the county forward in a most positive way.

Words cannot express my thanks and appreciation to all who made contact on Wednesday, Nov. 8, and the days that have followed, and to all the citizens of Accomack County for giving me the opportunity to make, for the last 20 years, a better place to live, work, and thrive in our community.

I hope that my successor will share the same satisfaction of accomplishment that I have had over the last 20 years.

GUEST COLUMN

Virginia Farm Bureau annual convention in Va. Beach

BY PAM WILEY

Guest columnist

Virginia Farm Bureau Federation's 2023 Annual Convention and Meeting of Voting Delegates will be held Nov. 27-29 at the Virginia Beach Convention Center. Its theme is "Navigating Agriculture's Future."

Jason Brown, a former NFL player and current owner of First Fruits Farm, will deliver keynote remarks at the Nov. 28 Farm to Table Luncheon.

Brown chose to pursue community service through agriculture after his departure from the NFL, purchasing a 1,000-acre farm in Louisburg, N.C., in 2012. The farm has since yielded 1 million pounds of produce for area food pantries and churches.

American Farm Bureau Federation President Zippy Duvall will address the Annual Meeting of Voting Delegates about national Farm Bureau policies on Nov. 29.

Duvall, who farms in Georgia, helped shape the 2018 Farm Bill and is working to ensure the 2023 Farm Bill effectively supports farmers and ranchers.

Keighley Gore, the 2023 VFBF Distinguished Farm Bureau Woman, will speak during the Nov. 29 Fellowship Luncheon.

Through her work with the Frederick County Farm Bureau Women's Committee, Gore has been integral in advocating for agricultural education. She serves on the Frederick County Public Schools Agriculture Advisory Board, as well as the Virginia FFA Foundation board.

Three educational sessions have been planned for Nov. 28:

- Nontraditional Succession in Family Farm Business: presented by Dick Wittman of Wittman Consulting.
- Courts & Ports: A Look at Legal & Economic Issues Facing American Agriculture, led by AFBF Deputy General Counsel Travis Cushman and AFBF Senior Economist Veronica Nigh.
- Farm Equipment: Navigating Repairs and Emerging Technologies, featuring representatives of AgCO, John Deere, Kubota, and New Holland.

During the Nov. 29 Annual Meet-

ing of Voting Delegates, county Farm Bureau leaders will help shape VFBF state and federal policies for the coming year. Policies related to national issues will be submitted to the AFBF for consideration at that organization's annual convention in January.

Delegates also will take part in elections for five seats on the VFBF board of directors.

Additionally, judging will take place Nov. 28 for the Young Farmers Discussion Meet and the Virginia FAIRS Agricultural and Forestry Innovation "Bull Pen" Challenge. Winners will be announced during the convention. On the evening of Nov. 29, Farm Bureau will present its annual Distinguished Service Award and County Farm Bureau Awards of Excellence.

With almost 135,000 members in 88 county Farm Bureaus, VFBF is Virginia's largest farmers' advocacy group. Farm Bureau is a non-governmental, nonpartisan, voluntary organization committed to supporting Virginia's agriculture industry.

LETTER

Some thoughts on Veterans Day

To the editor:

With Veterans Day having just passed, I hope all my fellow veterans get the VA News.

Knowledge is power and here is the link: https://news.va.gov

There are lots of good resources in here and you can sign up for the weekly email.

Veterans Day could be a broader opportunity to instill patriotism, unity, and faith in God.

Think of this in terms of a benchmark pattern for success, empowering today's families and youth for a stronger country tomorrow.

I encourage all Americans to reserve time in their lives to honor the privilege of wearing the uniform of military service.

> John Woolaver U.S. Navy Retired Cape Charles

ENTERTAINMENT

Eastern Shore Post

Friday. November 17

- 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 open, 7 p.m. games begin, 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.

Saturday, November 18

- YARD SALE: 7 a.m., Multi family yard sale and bake sale to benefit the Church of the Nazarene mission programs. Held at 15230 Bethel Church Road, Bloxom, behind the church. Clothes, glassware, housewares, holiday items, baked goods, antiques, children's items, and lots more.
- FALL FOOD SALE: 8 a.m., Onley United Methodist Church, 25642 E. Main St., Onley, is holding a Fall Food Sale. Frozen casseroles, chicken salad, soups, cheeses, and a wide variety of baked goods will be available. There will also be plants for sale. No pre-orders will be accepted for this sale. All items are first -come, first-served.
- SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT: 9 a.m., North Accomack Little League will have a coed slow-pitch softball Turkey Tournament. The concession stand will be open and stocked. It will be held at the North Accomack Little League complex on Chincoteague Island.
- FARMERS MARKET: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m, The Onancock Market's Pre-Thanksgiving Holiday Market will be held at 22 Market St., Onancock. There will be baked goods, art, preserves, meats, local produce, music, artisan crafts, and holiday decorations. Visit www.onancockmarket.com
- FARMERS MARKET: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m, Farmers Market at the Oyster Farm, 500 Marina Village Circle, Cape Charles.
- CRAFT SHOW: 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Kiwanis Club of Accomack annual Craft Show at Nandua High School, Onley. There will be more than 60 Delmarva crafters, artisans, and artists. Admission is \$4 or \$3 with a canned food item for the Foodbank of the Eastern Shore. Children aged 10 and

Best bets...

- On Saturday, Nov. 18, from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., the Kiwanis Club of Accomack wil hold its annual Craft Show at Nandua High School, Onley. There will be more than 60 Delmarva crafters, artisans, and artists. Admission is \$4 or \$3 with a canned food item for the Foodbank of the Eastern Shore. Children aged 10 and younger are admitted free.
- On Saturday, Nov. 18, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m, The Onancock Market's Pre-Thanksgiving Holiday Market will be held at 22 Market St., Onancock. There will be baked goods, art, preserves, meats, local produce, music, artisan crafts, and more.

younger are admitted free.

- FARMERS MARKET: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.
- TURKEY SHOOT: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., the Saxis Volunteer Fire and Rescue Co. will have its 38th annual Turkey Shoot. There will be turkeys and hams, 50/50 rounds, and refreshments will be sold. There is a barrel limit of 30 inches. Adults can only use 12 gauge shotguns and children can use .410 shotguns.
- PAINT AND SIP: 2 to 4 p.m., The Eastern Shore Art League will hold a "Paint and Sip" at the Historic Onancock School in room 104. 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. Enjoy a glass of wine or water while you paint along with our instructor, then take home your masterpiece. 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.
- OYSTER ROAST: 2 to 5 p.m., "Eastern Shore Polar Bears: This One's For Tate" is sponsoring its second annual oyster roast at the Barrier Islands Center in Machipongo. All proceeds benefet the Make-A-Wish Foundation. Purchase tickets in advance at Bailey's Bait & Tackle, Quail Cove Farms,

OBS Eastville, the Barrier Islands Center, or text 757-693-1182. Tickets are \$80 each and include a bottomless souvenir beverage cup.

■ LIVE MUSIC: 7 p.m., Brittany Lewis, soprano, performs "My Favorite Things: A Concert of Well-Loved Songs," at the Mar-Va Theater, Pocomoke City. \$15 with proceeds benefitting the Samaritan Shelter. Visit marvatheater.com

Sunday. November 19

■ 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.

Monday. November 20

- GAME DAY: 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organzation. 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 21

- 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 22

- 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, bulemia, 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@islandcommunity-house.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org
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- BINGO: Doors open at 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Painter Volunteer Fire Co., 17116 Wayside Drive, Painter.

Thursday, November 23 THANKSGIVING

■ BENEFIT RUN: 9 a.m., Chincoteague David Landsberger YMCA annual 5K Turkey Trot. Proceeds benefit YMCA's annual fund. Register at https://runsignup.com/Race/Register/?raceId=97825

Friday. November 24

- FARMERS MARKET: 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.
- HOLIDAY TOUR: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.,

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Artisans Guild of the Eastern Shore 21st annual Holiday Tour. There will be 18 stops at studios, historic locations, and a winery, featuring the work of 52 total local artisans and artists. Visit esvaartisansguild.org

- FESTIVE FRIDAYS: 5 to 8 p.m., Festive Fridays Winter Wonderland in the Cape Charles shopping district. Enjoy Santa and Mrs. Claus, a petting zoo, horse-drawn carriage rides, and more. Shops and restaurants will be open late.
- LIVE MUSIC: 5 to 8 p.m., The Doorway Singers at the Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles.
- TREE LIGHTING: 5:30 p.m. Snow Hill's mayor and town council will hold a Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony at Sturgis Park, 100 River St., Snow Hill. There will be a visit from Santa, a recital of 'T'was The Night Before Christmas," and Christmas carols. Following the ceremony there will be a DJ, a Charlie Brown Christmas Tree contest, a hot chocolate bar, cupcake decorating, and other holiday crafts.

Saturday. November 25

- 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. Also includes annual Holly Day market. 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.
- BOOK SALE: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., the Holiday Sale for Friends of the Eastern Shore Public Library will take place at the Friends Book Shop, located in the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library and Heritage Center, 24313 Bennett St., Parksley. There are books on all subjects for \$2. Christmas children's books will be \$1 and classic books are \$5. The group will be selling wonderful Friends of the ESPL canvas boat or book bags for \$20 and ESPL Foundation caps for \$15 and Friends shopping totes for \$2.50 to carry everything home. Call 757-787-3400 for more information.
- FARMERS MARKET: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.,

Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

- HOLIDAY TOUR: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Artisans Guild of the Eastern Shore 21st annual Holiday Tour. There will be 18 stops at studios, historic locations, and a winery, featuring the work of 52 total local artisans and artists. Visit esvaartisansguild.org
- OYSTER ROAST: 4 to 8 p.m., Cape Charles Historical Society & Museum's annual oyster roast fundraiser will be held on the museum grounds. It will include live music by Ghost Town Union from 4 to 8 p.m. Food will be served from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Live auction details to be announced. The menu includes roasted oysters, raw oysters, fried chicken, and clam chowder. Accompaniments include potato salad, bean salad, desserts, tea, and soda. Beer and wine will be available by purchasing a \$20 wristband.
- TREE LIGHTING: 5 p.m., Chincoteague's annual Holiday Tree Lighting ceremony will take place at the Robert Reed Downtown Park. There will be a special appearance by Santa and friends, holiday music, shopping, and a performance by the Chincoteague Pony Drill Team. Attendees also are invited to bring a toy for the Accomack County Sheriff's Office "Stuff The Car" toy drive. The event is sponsored by the Historic Main Street Merchants Association.

Sunday. November 26

■ 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.

Monday. November 27

- FARMERS MARKET: 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.
- BINGO: 1 p.m., Community bingo at the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague.
- GAME DAY: 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organzation. 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.
- CHRISTMAS PARADE: 7 to 9 p.m.., 51st Pocomoke Christmas Parade, Pocomoke City. Parade will proceed north on Market Street and end at the Pocomoke River.

Tuesday, November 28

- 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.
- MOON WALK: 5:30 p.m., Moon Walk at Brownsville Preserve in Nassawadox — a free moonlit stroll with The Nature Conservancy. Contact mvanclief@tnc.org or 414-9227 for more info or to register.

Wednesday, November 29

- 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.
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- ACTIVITY: 6 to 8 p.m., chess club at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Info: 757-336-1992, info@islandcommunityhouse.org, www.islandcommunityhouse.org
- BINGO: Doors open at 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Painter Volunteer Fire Co., 17116 Wayside Drive, Painter.

Thursday, November 30

- 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.

Friday, December 1

- FARMERS MARKET: 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.
- CHRISTMAS MARKET: 4 to 8 p.m. Snow Hill Rotary Club Christmas Market held at the old fire hall at 201 W. Green St. Vendors, gift items, and baked goods.

- BENEFIT DINNER: 5 to 7 p.m., Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St. Cheesesteak sub meal, \$10; chicken tender meal, \$8.
- EVENT: 5 to 8 p.m., Christmas Tree Village at the Museum of Chincoteague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Enjoy a collection of Christmas trees decorated by area businesses and individuals in the legacy pavilion. The event is free to the public but visitors can purchase holiday tokens that can be used to vote for their favorite tree. At 6 p.m., enjoy a presentation and book reading for children with Philip Martin, author of "Tails from Tibet."
- FESTIVE FRIDAYS: 5 to 8 p.m., Festive Fridays Winter Wonderland in the Cape Charles shopping district. Enjoy Santa and Mrs. Claus, a petting zoo, horse-drawn carriage rides, and more. Shops and restaurants will be open late.
- LIVE MUSIC: 5 to 8 p.m., The Shoal Shakers at the Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles.
- FIRST FRIDAY: 5 to 8 p.m., Snow Hill First Friday Arts on the River event. Galleries and shops open late, light refreshments, street vendors. music.
- PIZZA FUNDRAISER: 5 to 8 p.m., New Church Volunteer Fire Co., 4264 Firehouse St., New Church, is selling cheese or pepperoni pizzas for \$15 and combos for \$16. Freshly made, pull around the fire hall to
- BINGO: 6 p.m. doors open, 7 p.m. games begin, Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. bingo, 5052 Deep Hole Road, Chincoteague Island. \$5 admission, 20 games with \$500 blackout at the end sponsored by Megan Oliver Clarkson, Long & Foster Realtor. Two bingo cards for \$1 with extra cards available for purchase. Food and soda will be for sale. Must be at least 16 years old to attend.
- CHRISTMAS EVENING: 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Pocomoke City Mayor's Old-Fashioned Christmas Event, 101 Clarke Ave., Pocomoke City. Bonfire, holiday music, and refreshments. Children can decorate an ornament.
- LIVE MUSIC: 7 p.m., The Eastern Shore Madrigal Singers, under the direction of Patricia Davis and accompanied by Michelle Marsh, will present "Christmas: On Stage Again!" at the North Street Playhouse in Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students 12 years of age and younger. Visit northstreetplayhouse.org/ tickets, or call North Street Playhouse at 757-787-2050.

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Saturday, December 2

- FARMERS MARKET: 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.
- EVENT: 10 a.m to 4 p.m., Christmas Tree Village at the Museum of Chincote-ague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd., Chincote-ague. Enjoy a collection of Christmas trees decorated by area businesses and individuals in the legacy pavilion. The event is free to the public but visitors can purchase holiday tokens that can be used to vote for their favorite tree.
- TOUR: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Homes for The Holidays Tour and Sale, Chincoteague Island. Tickets are \$20 per person and are available at Hollyhocks on Main, Sundial Books, or online at www.hollyhockson-main.com All proceeds benefit Manna Cafe. Tour books will not be available until the day of the event at The Annex.
- GRAND ILLUMINATION: 5:30 p.m., the town of Cape Charles will hold its Grand Illumination as Central Park's lights come alive for the holiday season. Festivities also will include a lighted golf cart parade, music, cookies and cocoa, and kids' crafts.
- PARADE: 6 to 8 p.m., 43rd annual Chincoteague Old-Fashioned Christmas Parade, Main Street, Chincoteague. This year's theme is "A Gingerbread Christmas." The Chincoteague Police Department will be collecting new, unwrapped toys for its annual Toy Run during the parade. Attendees are asked to consider making a donation of a toy. For more information, call 757-336-6161. The event is sponsored by the Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce.
- LIVE MUSIC: 7 p.m., The Eastern Shore Madrigal Singers, under the direction of Patricia Davis and accompanied by Michelle Marsh, will present "Christmas: On Stage Again!" at the North Street Playhouse in Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students 12 years of age and younger. Visit northstreetplayhouse.org/tickets, or call North Street Playhouse at 757-787-2050.
- TOY SWAP: 7 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., the Boys & Girls Club along with the Center for Community Development will be hosting a Buy, Sell, or Swap fundraising event at the Boys & Girls Club housed at the Mary N. Smith Center in Accomac. Organizers are looking for families who would like to

set up to sell their books, games, and toys during the event. The cost to be a vendor is \$15, which will include one or two tables and chair. To reserve a place or to receive more information, call Kathy Custis at 757-709-9665 or email easternshore@bgcseva. org, or call Brenda Holden at 757-710-8835 or email centercfd@gmail.com.

■ THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE: 3 p.m., "The Best Christmas Ever: A Musical," at Historic Palace Theatre, 305 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. \$20 for adults; \$10 for students. Visit artsentercapecharles.com

Sunday, December 3

- 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.
- LIVE MUSIC: 2:30 p.m., The Eastern Shore Madrigal Singers, under the direction of Patricia Davis and accompanied by Michelle Marsh, will present "Christmas: On Stage Again!" at the North Street Playhouse in Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students 12 years of age and younger. Visit northstreetplayhouse.org/tickets, or call North Street Playhouse at 757-787-2050.
- LIVE MUSIC: 4 p.m., Advent and Christmas concert at Hungars Church. 10107 Bayside Road, Bridgetown. The event features Eric and Mary Dolch (organists) on the church's 2013 Holtkamp pipe organ, the Rev. Janet Wheelock on recorder, and an assembled choir of members and friends of Hungars Cure Parish. There will be a reception to follow in the Parish House.

Monday. December 4

- FARMERS MARKET: 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.
- GAME DAY: 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organzation. 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.
- PARADE: 7 to 9 p.m., Snow Hill Christmas Parade, sponsored by the Snow Hill Lions Club. The parade begins on South Church Street and turns onto West Market Street to the Worcester County Court House. There will be high school marching bands, floats, firetrucks, and a visit from Santa.

Tuesday, December 5

- 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, December 6

BENEFIT DINNER: 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., the Kiwanis Club of Chincoteague will hold its annual pancake supper at Bill's Prime Restaurant on Chincoteague Island. The cost is a \$10 donation. Tickets are available from any Kiwanis member or at H&H Pharmacy.

Thursday, December 7

- EXMORE EVENT: 5 to 8 p.m., "An Old-Fashioned Christmas in Exmore," hosted by the town of Exmore. Relaxed, after-hours holiday shopping and art stroll with festive illumination along Main Street and throughout the downtown area. There will be refreshments in shops and boutiques.
- CRAFT EVENT: 5 to 7:30 p.m., New Ravenna's annual Holiday Craft Faire, 3268 Broad St., Exmore. Vendors will sell candles, art, embroidery, jewelry, treats, food, and more.
- LIVE MUSIC: Peter Mayer's Stars and Promises Christmas tour will be performing at the Exmore Moose Lodge, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven. Tickets are \$35 and are available at www.petermayer.com Doors open at 4 p.m. From 4 to 6 p.m., the Moose Lodge's dining room and bar will be open for dinner and drinks. Call 757-919-0337 or 757-709-4333 for more information.

Friday, December 8

- EVENT: 5 to 8 p.m., Christmas Tree Village at the Museum of Chincoteague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Enjoy a collection of Christmas trees decorated by area businesses and individuals in the legacy pavilion. The event is free to the public but visitors can purchase holiday tokens that can be used to vote for their favorite tree.
- FESTIVE FRIDAYS: 5 to 8 p.m., Festive Fridays Winter Wonderland in the Cape Charles shopping district. Enjoy Santa and Mrs. Claus, a petting zoo, horse-drawn carriage rides, and more. Shops and restaurants will be open late.
- LIVE MUSIC: 5 to 8 p.m., Tidewater Bluegrass Revival at the Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles.
- DINNER AND SHOW: 7 p.m., "Blue

Dog Christmas" at the Mar-Va Theater, Pocomoke City, Md. \$65 for dinner and the show; \$25 for the show. Purchase tickets at www.marvatheater.com

THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE: 7:30 p.m., "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer Jr." at the North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. \$15 tickets are available at www.northstreetplayhouse.org

Saturday, December 9

- Belle Haven United Methodist Church, 35446 Belle Haven Road, Belle Haven, will have a bake sale and photos with Santa on Saturday, Dec. 9, from 1 to 5 p.m.
- COOKIE TRAIL: 2 to 5 p.m., The Historic Cape Charles Cookie Trail will have homes and participating bed-and-breakfast inns in the Cape Charles Historic District inviting visitors to tour their homes to enjoy the architecture and festive decorations and share a seasonal snack. Participants should register at the Almeta Café in the Hotel Cape Charles, 235 Mason Ave., pick up a map, and visit as many homes as they would like along the trail. The Northampton Hotel is a stop on the tour and will sell a specialty cocktail for the event. The entry fee for this event is the contribution of a non-perishable food item that will be donated to the Eastern Shore Food Pantry and Food Bank. Ornaments, produced by Sunday Table Company in Richmond, will be on sale with proceeds benefiting the Cape Charles Volunteer Fire Department. Cash donations are also welcome.
- THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE: 2:30 p.m., "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer Jr." at the North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. \$15 tickets are available at www.northstreetplayhouse.org
- TOOL MANIA: The Cape Charles Volunteer Fire Co. will hold its 17th annual Tool Mania on Dec. 9 from 3 to 9 p.m. at the fire hall in Cape Charles. Tickets are \$25 each for adults, \$10 for children aged 4 to 12, and \$3 for children 3 and under. Children's tickets are not included in the raffle. Drawings will be held every 10 minutes. There will be additional raffles, silent auctions, and door prizes. Beer will be sold and there will be free refreshments and food. The grand prize package is a Stihl battery-operated push mower and a Stihl battery-operated string trimmer. Winners do not have to be present to win but the ticket stub will be needed to claim prizes.
- EVENT: 5 to 8 p.m., Christmas Tree Village at the Museum of Chincoteague Island,

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7125 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Enjoy a collection of Christmas trees decorated by area businesses and individuals in the legacy pavilion. The event is free to the public but visitors can purchase holiday tokens that can be used to vote for their favorite

- PARADE: 6 p.m., the annual Exmore Christmas Parade sponsored by the Community Volunteer Fire and Rescue Co., Exmore. Rain date is Saturday, Dec. 16, at 6 p.m.
- DINNER AND SHOW: 7 p.m., "Blue Dog Christmas" at the Mar-Va Theater, Pocomoke City, Md. \$65 for dinner and the show; \$25 for the show. Purchase tickets at www.marvatheater.com
- THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE: 7:30 p.m., "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer Jr." at the North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. \$15 tickets are available at www.northstreetplayhouse.org

Sunday, December 10

- 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.
- HOLIDAY EVENT: 1 to 4 p.m., American Legion Post 56 in Cheriton will hold its third annual Holiday Sip and Shop. There will be a variety of local artists and vendors. The event is open to the public. Food and beverages will be available for purchase and there will also be a raffle held during the event.
- PARADE: 5 p.m., Onancock Christmas Parade, Market Street. Lineup is on College Avenue.

Monday, December 11

- GAME DAY: 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organzation. Info: 757-702-2170.
- 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. December 12

■ 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, December 13

LUNCHEON: Noon, Pocomoke Chamber of Commerce luncheon and Christmas party at The Christmas Sweet, 129 Market St., Pocomoke City. Door prizes, business meeting, \$15 buffet lunch. RSVP at 410-957-1919 by Dec. 11.

Thursday, December 14

- OPEN HOUSE: 3 to 7 p.m., The Nature Conservancy's Holiday Open House at Brownsville will be held at 11369 Brownsville Road, Nassawadox. Tour historic Brownsville House, visit with Nature Conservancy staff and volunteers, and warm up with apple cider and holiday treats. The event is free and open to the public. For questions, please call 442-3049 or email mvanclief@tnc. org.
- FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS: 5:30 p.m., The Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital's 40th annual Festival of Lights will celebrate the holidays with a traditional in-person gathering under the canopy in front of Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital. Names of loved ones being honored or memorialized by light purchasers will be presented digitally both in person and on Facebook on December 14th. The recognition may be shared digitally with loved ones near and far and may be accessed for months to come. Lights can be purchased in any quantity for \$10 each, and there are opportunities to purchase larger ads as well. To participate, look for a post on Riverside Shore Memorial's Facebook page (www.facebook.com/riversideshorememorial), or call 757-302-2140. Credit card purchases are available for a light, ad or ornament online at https://donatenow.ne,tworkforgood.org/ festivaloflights
- INTERNATIONAL FILM: 7 p.m., Onancock International Films presents "Roise and Frank," at the Roseland Theatre in Onancock. Sponsored by the Roseland Cinema and Entertainment Center.

Friday, December 15

■ FESTIVE FRIDAYS: 5 to 8 p.m., Festive Fridays Winter Wonderland in the Cape Charles shopping district. Enjoy Santa and

Mrs. Claus, a petting zoo, horse-drawn carriage rides, and more. Shops and restaurants will be open late.

■ LIVE MUSIC: 5 to 8 p.m., Neil Young Tribute at the Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles.

Saturday, December 16

- TRAINS: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Santa's Train Wonderland, Delmarva Discovery Museum, 2 Market St., Pocomoke City. Enjoy the train displays and a visit from Santa. Santa will arrive by boat on the dock of Cypress Park.
- LIVE MUSIC: 7:30 p.m., Virginia Symphony presents Holiday Brass at Historic Palace Theatre, 305 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. \$30 for adults; \$15 for students. Visit artsentercapecharles.com

Sunday, December 17

- TRAINS: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Santa's Train Wonderland, Delmarva Discovery Museum, 2 Market St., Pocomoke City. Enjoy the train displays and a visit from Santa.
- 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.

Monday, December 18

- GAME DAY: 1 to 4 p.m., game day at the Island Theatre annex, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague, sponsored by the Chincoteague Island Arts Organzation. Info: 757-702-2170.
- 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. December 19

- 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.

Thursday, December 21

■ LIVE MUSIC: 7:30 p.m., "An Italian Christmas with Gerry Gennarelli," at Historic Palace Theatre, 305 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. \$30 for adults; \$15 for students. Visit artsentercapecharles.com

Friday, December 22

■ FESTIVE FRIDAYS: 5 to 8 p.m., Fes-

tive Fridays Winter Wonderland in the Cape Charles shopping district. Enjoy Santa and Ms. Claus, a petting zoo, horse-drawn carriage rides, and more. Shops and restaurants will be open late.

■ LIVE MUSIC: 5 to 8 p.m., Allen and Emma Philpot at the Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles.

Sunday, Dec. 31

- CELEBRATION: 5 to 6 p.m., Snow Hill Family New Year's Eve Celebration at the old fire hall, 212 W. Green St. Free hot dog dinner and games.
- BALL: 6 p.m., Delegate's Ball at the Chincoteague Community Center, 6155 Community Drive, Chincoteague, sponsored by Del. Robert Bloxom. There will be a dinner buffet, open bar, and a New Year countdown. Cost is \$200 per couple. Tickets at www.eventbrite.com
- NEW YEAR'S EVE: 9 to 10 p.m., Cape Charles New Year's Eve celebration including the "Dropping of the Crab Pot." Held at Mason Avenue across from the Cape Charles Memorial Library.
- NEW YEAR'S EVE: 11 p.m., Pony Island Horseshoe Drop and Costume Promenade, Robert Reed Downtown Park, 4083 Main St., Chincoteague Island. The Pony Island Horseshoe Drop is an end-of-year celebration that culminates in a promenade of crazy costumes just before the countdown to the stroke of midnight. That's when the lighted horseshoe drops just in time to ring in the New Year.

Monday, January 1

■ POLAR PLUNGE: 1:24 p.m., New Year's Day Polar Plunge at Assateague Beach. Dress up, dress silly, no fee. For more information, visit https:// www.chincoteaguechristmas.com/ plunge.html

Saturday, January 6

■ BINGO: 6 p.m. doors, 7 p.m. games begin, Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. bingo, 5052 Deep Hole Road, Chincoteague Island. \$5 admission, 20 games with \$500 blackout at the end sponsored by Megan Oliver Clarkson, Long & Foster Realtor. Two bingo cards for \$1 with extra cards available for purchase. Food and soda will be for sale. Must be at least 16 years old to attend.

OBITUARIES

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Robert Murphy

Mr. Robert Thomas "Bob" Murphy, 86, husband of Estelle Jett Murphy and a resident of Nassawadox, passed away Monday, Oct. 30, 2023, at Sentara Leigh Hospital in Norfolk.

A native of Norfolk, he was the son of the late George S. Murphy and the



Mr. Murphy

late Sarah Elizabeth McDaniel Murphy. He was a U.S. Army veteran, retired Virginia State Police special agent, member of Broadwater Lodge #71 AF &

AM, past master of Suffolk Lodge, and member of the Elks B.P.O.E., and Virginia State Police Association.

In addition to his loving wife, he is survived by a grandson, Joshua Scott Murphy; and a daughter-in-law, Valerie Gordy Murphy.

He was predeceased by his son, William Lawrence Murphy.

To honor his request, no public services will be held.

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

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

Garry Pinkston

Mr. Garry Pinkston went to be with our Lord on Nov. 11, 2023. He was born on Dec. 5, 1953, in Concord, N.C. Garry was the son of the late Olen and Mary Lee (Pinion) Pinkston.

He is survived by his brother, Roger Pinkston, and his wife, Andrea, of Stafford, Va.; his sisters, Sandy Bowden and her husband, Jimmy, of Assawoman, Diane Massey and her husband, Jamie, of Greenbackville, and Debbie Cherrix and her husband, Jake, of Chincoteague; his nephews, Jamie Bowden (Erin), Jimmy Bowden Jr. (Debbie), and William Herold; his nieces, Pamela Brinza (Nick),

Lauren Linkous (Ryan), Denise Godwin, and Marcia Lewis (Bryan); and several great-nieces, great-nephews, and cousins.

Garry was predeceased by his mother and father; sister, Kathy Brett; and nephew, Aaron Herold.

Garry worked for the Southland Corporation in Fredericksburg for over 20 years as a tote washer operator and drove a forklift. He moved to Chincoteague in the early 90s, where he worked for a short time driving an 18-wheeler. He later worked for the Town of Chincoteague for several years before retiring.

He served as Fredericksburg's Santa for many years, greeting children in the Spotsylvania Mall, in the



Mr. Pinkston

town Throne Room, and riding on the fire truck in the annual Christmas parade. He often told stories of how he listened to the children's special requests

write personal letters to some of the special kids who touched his heart. Of course, he also made personal visits to family and friends to share the magic of Christmas.

Garry loved volunteering at the drink stand with Joe Ruffing, Ricky Betts, and Ronnie Malone at the annual Chincoteague Fireman's Carnival. He was always faithful in making sure he was there in plenty of time to fill the ice chests and get the stand open and running.

His love and respect for the military was strong. He often spoke of the men and women who served our country and how they should be respected ... always thanking them for their service and sacrifice. Those coming on the Island would often see him in his red, white, and blue helmet, holding the American flag and

a sign that read "Thank You Veterans and God Bless You." It is very fitting that he passed away on Veterans Day.

Garry also volunteered for the Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce with Evelyn Shotwell and Joanne Moore. He always looked forward to parking the cars at the annual Oyster Festival and Seafood Festival. When he had finished parking cars, he would grab his veteran sign and walk around the campground.

Garry was a hard worker with a huge heart. He would do anything for anyone and loved making people laugh. He will be missed.

Funeral services will be held Friday, Nov. 17, 2023, at 2 p.m. at Union Baptist Church on Chincoteague Island, with the Rev. Eley officiating. There will be a viewing one hour prior.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company, P.O. Box 691, Chincoteague Island, VA 23336. Online condolences can be given at www.salyerfh.com

Services were entrusted to Salyer Funeral Home, Inc.

Nanci Whiteley

Mrs. Nanci Lee Whiteley, 79, of Salisbury, passed away peacefully at Coastal Hospice at the Lake on Oct. 23, 2023. Born Nov. 7, 1943 in Baltimore, she was the daughter of the late Walter and Gladys Chaney.

Nanci worked for Acme Markets for 30 years until her retirement. After



Mrs. Whiteley

that she worked at several stores for the Wicomico County Liquor Control Board. She also had a few side jobs here and there for a little extra "fun money." You could

say she was one hard working woman!

Throughout her life she enjoyed traveling, concerts, boating, and gambling, yet nothing compared to her having fun with family and friends.

Nanci is survived by her two daughters, Dawn Llinas, of Salisbury (ex-husband Chris, of Connecticut), and Laura Crockett (Billy), of Parksley; four grandchildren, Chazaq and Elijah Llinas, both of Oregon, Daisey Crockett and Willie Crockett IV (Kaitlyn), of Virginia; two great-grandchildren, Damien Meilhammer and Sadie Estrada-Ramos, of Virginia; her prince charming, John Simms, of Salisbury; and his two daughters, whom she loved dearly, JoAnne Enke and Christinia Broyles.

Other than her parents, Nanci was preceded in death by her husband, Norman Whiteley; his sister, Carolyn and her husband, Delbert Jensen; her sister, Irene "Renee" Wolf; and those who helped guide her through life, former in-laws, Frances and John "Jack" Chaney and Doris and Richard Mullineaux.

A celebration of life will be held at Holloway Funeral Home, 501 Snow Hill Road, Salisbury on Sunday, Nov. 26, 2023 at 1:30 p.m. The service begins at 2 p.m.

A friends and family gathering will follow at Chucks Backyard adjacent to Back Street Grille, located at 409 Snow Hill Road, Salisbury from 3 to 5 p.m.

Come and tell stories that couldn't be told at the service, enjoy good food and have a drink for Nanci. She would love it!

Grace Crawley

Mrs. Grace Ruth Crawley passed away on Nov. 6, 2023, at Shore Health and Rehabilitation Center in Parksley.

She was born in Babylon, N.Y., on Dec. 7, 1925, the daughter of the late Edith R. (Hinman) and Robert C. Dunlop. She grew up in Babylon and graduated from Babylon High School.

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Obituaries

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After graduation she attended Katharine Gibbs secretarial school. This led to her first job on 5th Avenue in New York City, where she also did some modeling.

Grace next worked as an executive secretary at Republic Aviation in Farmingdale, N.Y. She told of getting up early in the morning to exercise horses at the racetrack before going to work. Grace rode her horse, O'Boy, in shows and fox hunts on Long Island.

It was at Republic that she met the love of her life, Matthew J. Crawley.



Mrs. Crawley

They were married on Nov. 13, 1955. Matt and Grace loved to travel and attend shows in New York City. They loved animals and had many special dogs and cats,

and a horse named Christopher. Matt passed away unexpectedly on Oct. 8, 1982.

As a legal secretary, Grace became a founding member and executive director of the Suffolk County Chapter of the NY Civil Liberties Union, and in 2006, she was presented with the NYCLU Equality Award.

When she retired in 1990, she moved from her lifelong home in Babylon to Belle Haven with her mother, brother, and sister-in-law. While she continued her commitment to humanitarian causes, she was also caregiver to her mother. This led to her becoming a dedicated and valuable volunteer with Hospice of the Eastern Shore. She was the volunteer coordinator for over 12 years.

Many people benefited from Grace's compassion and care. She rescued many animals and either adopted or found homes for them. She was an avid reader and letter-writer, with interests in current events, history, poetry, gardening, horses, and fashion.

Grace was predeceased by her parents; her husband, Matt; her brother, Robert F. Dunlop; and her sister-in-

law, Margaret (Peggy) Dunlop.

She is survived by her nephew Robert P. (Lynn) Dunlop, of Babylon; and her nieces, Laurie D. (Lauren) Johnson, of Norwich, N.Y. and Nancy Dunlop (Stephen) Gilhooley, of Delmar, N.Y.; seven grand- and great-grandnieces and nephews; a cousin, Lenore Roberts, of Georgia; a very special friend, Mary Wazlak, of Belle Haven; and her beloved cats, Mulberry and Timmy.

To honor her wishes, no public service will be held.

Memorial donations in Grace's name may be sent to Eastern Shore SPCA, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418, www.shorespca.com

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Isabelle Ayers

Mrs. Isabelle Ayers, 73, a resident of Melfa, passed away Sunday, Nov. 12, 2023, at Shore Health and Rehab in Parksley. She was born Dec. 13, 1949, to the late George W. and Mary E. Ayers. She was the bookkeeper of her business, C&G Auto Repair Shop in Camden, N.J. She loved to eat out at restaurants, travel, sew pillows, and spend time with her friends Miss H and Miss Emma.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Gene A. Jones; two sons, Isacc R. Clax and Eric Jones; sister, Myrtle Jenkins; and brother, George W. Ayers Jr.

Her children and siblings who are left to cherish her memory include three daughters, Chevelle Mason, Yolanda Mills, and Brenda Hodge; son, James Clax; brother, George Stevens Andrea; sister, Deborah Daniels; and a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, family, and friends.

To honor her wishes, services will be private.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at $\underline{www.doughtyfuneralhome.com}$

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

Please submit obituaries by Wednesday at noon.

Harvey Muller III

Mr. Harvey Arthur Muller III, 79, of Greenbackville, peacefully transitioned from this earth the morning of Nov. 9, 2023, surrounded by love and his family after a valiant battle with Alzheimer's Disease.

Harvey, fondly known to all as "Chick," was born to Jeanne Elizabeth Bushnell and Harvey A. Muller Jr. on Jan. 8, 1944, in Ann Arbor, Mich.

When Chick was still an infant, the family relocated to Annapolis, Md.,



Mr. Muller

where Chick's father was an assistant coach for the U.S. Naval Academy.

Chick attended Annapolis Senior High School and graduated in 1962, where he was active in

sports and the Nu Phi Nu Fraternity. He later attended the University of Maryland.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army on Aug. 2, 1966, and was honorably discharged on July 26, 1968.

Chick is survived by his beloved wife of 39 years, Carol Evans-Muller (formerly of Cumberland, Md.); his two daughters, Lisa Ann Imler (husband, John), of Stevensville, Md., and Kara Lynn Leddy (husband, Michael), of Annapolis; and his two brothers, Robert (Bob) and Kurt Muller, both of Annapolis. Chick was blessed with one granddaughter, Mariah Lynn Dove, also of Annapolis.

Chick and Carol established homes in the Loch Haven community of Edgewater, Md., in Selbyville, Del., and built their current home in 2008 in Captains Cove, Greenbackville.

Chick was very active in his community and loved being on the water volleyball team. He was loved by many and had a wonderful personality with an infectious smile.

He loved sports, especially the Baltimore Ravens, Orioles, and Maryland basketball. He enjoyed cooking and boating and was always ready to lend a helping hand to others. He had a deep appreciation for antiques and was a small business owner in the industry for many years.

While Chick left us too soon, the impact he had on our lives will be felt for years to come.

A celebration of life is planned for Saturday, Nov. 18, 2023, at 2 p.m. at the Salyer Funeral Home, Inc. in Chincoteague, with the Rev. David Jones officiating.

All who knew him and wish to attend are invited.

A service will also be held at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, 1101 Bay Ridge Ave., Annapolis, Md. at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Greenbackville Volunteer Fire Company, P.O. Box 156, Greenbackville, VA 23356.

Services were entrusted to Salyer Funeral Home, Inc. on Chincoteague Island.

Condolences may be made online at www.salyerfh.com

Evelyn Barefoot

Mrs. Evelyn Sue Barefoot, 69, of Wasilla, Alaska, originally of Hopeton, wife of James Barefoot, passed away on Nov. 6, 2023.

Born on June 12, 1954, in Nassawadox, she was the daughter of the late Ralph and Lillian Miller. Evelyn had a doctorate in counseling and taught school for 28 years. She was also a director of reading. She immensely enjoyed living in Alaska.

Other than her husband of almost 48 years, James, Evelyn is survived by her son, Jamie Barefoot, of Nome,



Mrs. Barefoot

Alaska; daughter, Tanzie and her husband, John, of Seattle, Wash.; grandchildren, Seth, Liam, and Grace; brothers, Randy Miller and wife, Dawn,

and Joe Miller and

wife, Paula; nephew, Brandon Miller and wife, Allison; niece, Mary Jo Miller; great-nephew, Wyatt Miller; sister-in-law, Judi Barefoot; and her mother-in-law, Helen Barefoot.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by a nephew, Little Randy Miller.

A memorial service will be held next year on June 12 in Alaska.

SPORTS

Eastern Shore Post

Anglers landing many large rockfish this fall

The cast of available fish species is quickly dwindling as the water temperatures continue to fall.

The lower Shore speckled trout population has started to depart for more southern waters, while the



Bill Hall

puppy drum population continues to linger a little longer.

Striped bass are beginning to become the focus of most anglers and will continue through the end of the year.

Submerged structures from the mouth of the Chesapeake out several miles into the Atlantic continue to harbor gray triggerfish, black sea bass, and increasing numbers of tautog.

Upper Shore

Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reported that his clients and guide service have witnessed an expected seasonal decline in the variety of species available to anglers in the Tangier and Pocomoke sounds; however, the quality of the remaining and arriving fish, primarily striped bass, continues to improve.

Rockfish are scattered from deepwater structures to shallow water creeks. Rapala Rap-10's and Opening Night-Assassins have been the most productive lures recently, with the Assassins rigged on 1/4 to 3/8-ounce jig heads. Matt said that the fish seemed to be most aggressive during the tidal periods on each side of low water, and fan casting to cover lots of water surface was the key to finding the striper schools.



PHOTO COURTESY TANGIER SOUND CHARTERS

Ross Kendall boated this striper while fishing over submerged structure in Pocomoke Sound.

Captain C.L. Marshall, of Tangier Sound Charters, called me on the way home from one of his early week charters to let me know that the striper fishing on the Choptank River is the best that it has been in many years. He

said that if the anglers are willing to travel up to the area, they are almost guaranteed to find schools of rockfish feeding under flocks of working birds, with catches of 50-plus fish almost commonplace.

A large number of the fish are measuring above the 31-inch maximum size slot limit. Marshall added that there is a tremendous amount of bait (bunker) in the area and the stripers are gorging themselves on the menhaden.

The most consistent action has been occurring over submerged structure in 3- to 8-foot depths, with Storm lures being one of the most productive artificial baits.

Chincoteague

Captain Steve's Bait and Tackle is hosting the shop's Annual Surf Fishing Tournament this weekend. The entry fee is \$25 and participants can sign up at www.stevesbaitandtackle.com or at the shop on 6527 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague.

Prizes will be awarded for the heaviest catch in several species, including striped bass, red drum, black drum, bluefish, trout, and kingfish (whiting).

In addition, there will be prizes for the three heaviest fish overall: First place will earn a St. Croix Rod/Penn Reel combo. Second place receives a Star Rod/Penn Battle LE Combo, and third place gets a Tsunami Rod/Penn Fierce Combo.

The largest bluefish will earn a \$100 Captain Steve's gift certificate. All entered fish must meet Virginia Recreational Fishing regulations.

Fishing begins on Friday, Nov. 17 at 5 a.m. and runs through 5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 19.

There will also be a potluck dinner on Saturday, Nov. 18 at the tackle shop for all registered participants. Call the shop at (757) 336-0569. Jimmy added that the shop has received a supply of fresh bunker and spot baits.

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Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul, aboard the charter vessel Almost Persuaded, told me that there has been very little angling activity out of Wachapreague over the last week.

Flounder numbers are on the decline, but there should still be a few fish around for the taking.

The offshore wrecks still support a good population of black sea bass and triggerfish, as well as increasing numbers of tautog.

Lower Shore

Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait & Tackle, described the puppy drum action as "decent" in the lower bayside creeks and along the seaside marshes, with most of the fish being caught on soft plastics fished under popping corks.

The remaining population of speckled trout was described as "few and far between," but the fish that were caught hit on Mirrolures and soft plastics.

Schoolie-sized striped bass numbers continue to increase, with striper catches coming from the bayside creeks and around lit docks and piers after sundown.

Jeb remains hopeful that the population of larger-sized rockfish have begun their southerly migration from the northern portion of the Chesapeake Bay.

A few flounder catches are still being made off Kiptopeke and along the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel.

The ocean wrecks continue to hold good populations of black sea bass and gray triggerfish.

Tautog catches should improve with the falling water temperatures.

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

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

Vikings fall in VISF8L State Championship; Hickman, Abbott, Duer to play in Senior Bowl

BY KINSEY RAYFIELD

Special to the Eastern Shore Post

The Broadwater Vikings football team traveled to Dinwiddie Sports Complex on Saturday, Nov. 11, to face undefeated Brunswick Academy.

Broadwater fell 70-0, earning runner-up in the Virginia Independent School 8-Man (VISF8L) Division II State Playoffs.

Broadwater defeated conference opponents during the regular season: Kenston Forest (48-18), Southampton Academy (14-12), Fuqua School (50-0), and Richmond Christian (42-0).

The Vikings earned the No. 3 seed for the playoffs, and traveled to the No. 2 seeded Blessed Sacrament Huguenot and emerged victorious (20-7).

The Vikings finished second out of seven conference teams for the regular season and playoffs.

The VISF8L concludes the season with a senior bowl game following the playoffs. Seniors are selected from both Division I and Division II to participate in the game.

Seniors Rufus Abbott, Logan Hickman, and Luke Duer were selected from Broadwater Academy to play in the senior bowl.

The Virginia 8-Man Senior Bowl Team will play the North Carolina 8-Man Senior Bowl Team on Sunday, Nov. 19, at Brunswick Academy.

All-State players will be announced at the beginning of December for the eight-man league.

HIGH SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Northampton runs in state championships

On Saturday, Nov. 11, two members from the Northampton High School girls cross country team — junior Lizania Uscanga Morales and freshman Sophie Tayloe — along with the entire boys team, competed in the Virginia High School League Class 1 State Championship at Green Hill Park in Salem.

Morales finished 31st in the 5,000 meter race with a time of 22:55.10. Sophie Tayloe finished 44th with a time of 23:55.10. Both girls recorded personal best times for the state competition. This was Morales' third time competing at states, and she looks forward to qualifying again next year as a senior.

The boys team earned an eighth place finish in the state competition. Sophomore Dickinson Tayloe placed 25th in the 5,000 meter race with a time of 18:09.30. Sophomore Grayson Brown finished 30th with a time of 18:21.60. Freshman Eli Philpot finished 36th with a time of 18:33.00. Freshman Juan Perez Palacio placed 59th with a time of 19:30.70. Freshman Kendrick Collins finished 69th with a time of 19:53.90. In 95th place was senior Robert Hein with a time of 22:45.40, and 96th place went to sophomore Anthony Castillo with a time of 24:21.20.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Pictured from left are coach Ernest Bethel, Nolan Hein, Anthony Castillo, Kendrick Collins, Grayson Brown, Dickinson Tayloe, Eli Philpot, Juan Perez Palacio, Lizania Uscanga Morales, Sophie Tayloe, and coach Kelly Lewis. On the ground are Adrian Rosales Reyes and Fernando Palacio Panuco.

Warriors, Yellow Jackets fall in state playoffs

BY MARK MORING

Eastern Shore Post

The magic ran out for Nandua and Northampton last week in the first round of the state high school football playoffs.

Both teams had been off to slow starts this fall but found their groove in the final month and were playing well heading into the postseason. But both fell to higher seeded teams on the road: Northampton dropped a 27-22 decision at West Point, seeded third in Region 1A. And Nandua lost 20-6 at Poquoson, the top seed in Region 2A.

West Point 27, Northampton 22

Northampton (5-6), seeded sixth, almost pulled off the upset against a team that had beaten the Yellow Jackets 47-6 in September. Last Friday night, West Point (8-3) took advantage of two costly Northampton turnovers to take a 21-0 halftime lead.

But the Yellow Jackets roared back to go up 22-21 when quarterback Brock Leland scored on a 1-yard run with 8 minutes left in the game. But the host Pointers sealed the win when Jack Lewis ran in from the 1 with less than a minute left.

"It is a 48-minute game," said Northampton coach John Edney, "and we played like we were capable of playing in the second half, taking care of the football and communicating effectively on defense."

Leland finished with two rushing touchdowns, and Elijah Hope ran for 130 yards and a touchdown for the Yellow Jackets, while Tywone Sebastian caught three passes for 51 yards. Hope, Jerry Sturgis, and Joel Robinson were in on 10 tackles each for Northampton.

Edney said his team turned the season around after a 1-3 start by adhering to the old "one game at a time," improving incrementally but consistently each day. He praised his seniors for leading the way.

"This senior group embodied that ideology over the past several years," he said. "I have no doubt that they will continue on with that same effort and commitment to improvement in whatever chapter lies ahead of them in life, bringing them success. They are a great group of young men."

Poquoson 20, Nandua 6

The Warriors (5-6) saw a four-game winning streak come to an end against a Poquoson team with a strong running game. The host Islanders (8-3) went up 7-0 in

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PHOTO COURTESY VIRGINIA LONG

Northampton's Elijah Hope (10) follows the block of Gibson Hubbard.



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Nandua's Nazere Blake (23) takes a handoff from Isaac Stodghill and follows blocker Keron Matthews (52).

Football

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the first quarter, and Nandua looked like it would knot up the score early in the second when quarterback Isaac Stodghill hit Makai Dorn on a short touchdown pass. But the two-point conversion failed, and the Warriors trailed 7-6.

Poquoson stretched its lead to 17-6 on a field goal and touchdown in the second quarter, but the Warriors had a chance to make it close when Jai'mir Bailey intercepted a pass and returned it to the Poquoson 20 with less than a minute remaining in the first half. Three plays later, on a first-and-goal at the 5, Stodghill bobbled the snap, and Poquoson recovered the ball and ran out the clock.

It was as close as the Warriors would get the rest of the way, as they failed to drive past midfield in the second half. Poquoson added a third-quarter touchdown for the final score.

The Islanders held Nandua's normally strong running game in check, limiting the Warriors to 55 yards rushing. Stodghill threw for 113 yards and a touchdown with one interception, and Eli Parker caught five passes for 56 vards. Defensively, Nazere Blake had 11 tackles and Dorn had 10, including two for losses.

"We knew they were going to be tough against the run," Stodghill said. "They definitely tackled well against powerful backs like Nazere and Makai. Our defense kept producing stops, but the offense couldn't get in the end zone as much as we should have. But we gave it our all,"

"We made a lot of mistakes," added Blake. "But the season went really well."

Nandua coach Dennis McCall lauded his players for the way they fought back after losing five of their first six games, many of those a result of a rash of injuries.

"I want to credit the seniors," he said. "They could have laid down and quit (after that 1-5 start), but they didn't. We fought back, made the playoffs, went toe-to-toe with the number one team in the region, and with a few plays going our way, it could have been a different outcome."

Bikes and Books for Christmas Drive now accepting applications

Accomack County Parks & Recreation, Saxis and Parksley fire departments, Eastern Shore Public Library, and WESR are having a Bikes and Books for Christmas Drive.

Bike donations are being accepted at WESR, 22479 Front St, Accomac, VA 23301 and at the Accomack Parks & Recreation Office, 24401 Joynes Neck Road, Accomac, VA 23301. Eastern Shore Public Library will donate the books.

Applications for bicycles are located on ACPR's website, WESR's website, or at the Accomack County Parks and Recreation office.

Applications must be received by 5 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 8. Bikes and books will be distributed on Saturday, Dec. 16 at the Accomack County Sawmill Park (Pavilion Area) located at 24401 Joynes Neck Road. Contact the Accomack Parks and Recreation Department at 757-787-3900, 757-824-0314, or 757-710-1947 for more information.

17th annual Tool Mania set for Dec. 9

The Cape Charles Volunteer Fire Co. will hold its 17th annual Tool Mania on Dec. 9 from 3 to 9 p.m. at the fire hall in Cape Charles.

Tickets are \$25 each for adults, \$10 for children aged 4 to 12, and \$3 for children 3 and under. Children's tickets are not included in the raffle.

Drawings will be held every 10 minutes. There will be additional raffles, silent auctions, and door prizes on sale. Beer will be sold and there will be free refreshments.

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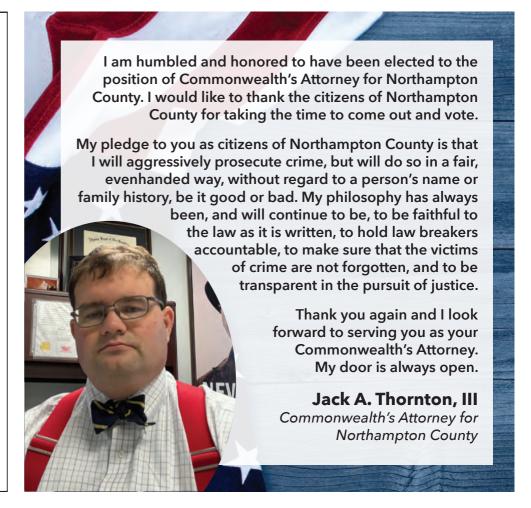
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NORTHAMPTON

Planners to consider short-term rental regs

BY STEFANIE JACKSON

Eastern Shore Post

Northampton supervisors are seeking to regulate short-term rental vacation homes, which some citizens say are negatively impacting their quality of life.

According to the proposal drafted by Northampton's planning commission, any new short-term rental will be allowed only by a minor special-use permit that will expire after five years.

A public hearing on the proposal will be held at the Northampton Planning Commission meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 6 p.m. Planners then will make a recommendation to supervisors on the proposal.

Short-term rental homes have been officially allowed in Northampton County by right without a permit – since 2019.

Since then, the number of homes rented to tourists and other visitors has increased, as have the complaints from neighbors about nuisances such as noise and trash.

Requiring permits to operate short-term rental homes will pro-

When you go

A public hearing on the proposal governing short-term rental regulations will be held at the Northampton Planning Commission meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 6 p.m. Planners then will make a recommendation to supervisors on the proposal.

vide a mechanism for enforcing their regulation.

The board of supervisors will be able to suspend, revoke, or cancel a permit if a short-term rental operator violates the conditions of the permit, fails to collect or remit transient occupancy taxes, or receives three or more substantiated complaints within a 12-month period.

The county will request that any short-term rental owner who is not a local resident provide the name and phone number of a "responsible person" who will be available to respond to complaints and correct issues at the short-term rental home within a "reasonable time."

Additional proposed regulations of

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the joys and perils of living among humans.



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short-term rental homes include:

Off-street parking at a shortterm rental home must not detract from the character of the house or neighborhood.

Recreational vehicles, trailers, buses, or watercraft cannot be used as short-term rental homes.

A short-term rental stay must at least be overnight but may not last more than 30 days.

No more than three people per bedroom are permitted to stay in a short-term rental home.

Short-term rental homes must meet all applicable building codes, including those about carbon monoxide and smoke alarms, and the operator must include a five-year septic pump-out certification letter with the permit application.

In other news, a Portsmouth

property manager is applying to rezone two parcels totaling nearly six acres on the east side of U.S. Route 13, on Cedar Grove Drive and Seaside Road, near Kiptopeke. The planning commission also will consider the request on Tuesday evening.

The applicant, Curtis Raeford Eure, is acting on behalf of the property owner, Virginia Beach restaurateur Dimitri Hionis.

He is requesting the rezoning of a four-unit mobile home park and a piece of farmland, around three acres each, to a hamlet.

A hamlet is a neighborhood of single-family residences, not more than two per acre, that may also contain small-scale businesses, according to the Northampton County comprehensive plan.

Rezoning the land would allow a developer to build around 12 single-family homes on the property that was intended, in part, for agricultural use.

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Nanotechnology is topic of talk

Science and Philosophy Seminar of the Eastern Shore of Virginia has scheduled a seminar, "Nanotechnology, the next Industrial Revolution." The free 90-minute seminar will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 17 in Room 148 of the Academic Building of Eastern Shore Community College.

Hungars Church hosts concert

There will be an Advent and Christmas Concert at Hungars Church, 10107 Bayside Road, Bridgetown, on Sunday, Dec. 3, at 4 p.m.

It features Eric and Mary Dolch on the church's 2013 Holtkamp pipe organ, the Rev. Janet Wheelock on recorder, and an assembled choir of members and friends of Hungars Cure Parish.

There will be a reception to follow in the Parish House.

I want to thank the voters of Election District 6 for their continued support in allowing me to represent them on the Accomack County Board of Supervisors. I will continue to work in the best interest of the county to the best of my ability. Thank you, Robert D. Crockett

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The public is being asked to vote on the 2024-2025 school calendar for Accomack County Public Schools.

Rhonda Hall, superintendent of Accomack County Public Schools, asked that those interested go to Accomack County Public Schools' website, click on the Survey Monkey link, then the Options link to view each suggested calendar.

Next select Option A, B, or C. Participants have until Monday, Nov. 27 to vote.

Accomack County Republicans to meet

The Accomack Republican Party invites the public to its monthly meeting on Monday, Nov. 20, at 7 p.m., at the Sage Diner in Onley.

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

Public library sale planned for Nov. 25

The Friends of the Eastern Shore Public Library is holding a Holiday Sale on Saturday, Nov. 25, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library and Heritage Center, 24313 Bennett St., Parksley.

There are books on all subjects for

\$2. Christmas children's books are \$1 and classic books are \$5.

Also for sale are Friends of the ESPL canvas boat or book bags for \$20, ESPL Foundation caps for \$15, and Friends shopping totes for \$2.50.

Call 757-787-3400 for more information.

Salvation Army bell ringers sought

The Cape Charles Rotary Club will participate in the Salvation Army's Holiday Bell Ringing campaign at the Cape Charles Food Lion.

The Rotary invites community friends and neighbors to join this holiday tradition on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from Nov. 24 until Dec. 23.

To ring the bells and help those less fortunate enjoy the holiday season, call Bill Payne at 757-390-7253.

Holly Day Market is Nov. 25 on island

The Holly Day Market, sponsored by the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, will be held Saturday, Nov. 25, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St.

There will be holiday gifts from over 50 vendors featuring handmade holiday decor, crafts, jewelry, toys, clothing, and much more.

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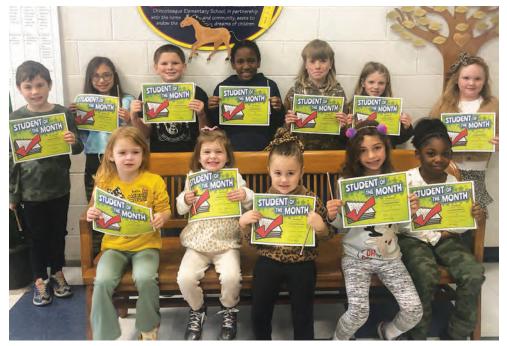
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CHINCOTEAGUE STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Student of the Month awards for October recently were given at Chincoteague Elementary School. Students honored include, front row from left, Kennedy Pace, Amy Smith, Aurora Breland, Emmalynn Lagunas, and Journey Watson. Back row: Colton Lewis, Scarlett Forney, James Ross, Gilbert Johnson, Colton Baker, Addilyn Baker, and Beckley Farrell. Absent from photo is Ava Toth.

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Abandoned Nassawadox hospital coming down

BY STEFANIE JACKSON

Eastern Shore Post

Five years after Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital relocated to Onancock, ideas of repurposing the old hospital building in Nassawadox have been abandoned and demolition is underway.

Heavy equipment arrived at the demolition site in October. Three outbuildings have been removed, but the main hospital building temporarily remains.

The demolition is expected to be complete in January 2024.

The building opened as Northampton-Accomack Memorial Hospital in 1970, which replaced the original 25-bed facility that had opened in 1928.

Northampton-Accomack Memorial Hospital was the Eastern Shore of Vir-

ginia's first hospital. Its history dates back to the 1910s, when the hospital auxiliary was founded and fundraising began.

Even though the old hospital building will not be reused, the land could serve a new purpose.

Northampton County received a \$70,000 grant from the Department of Housing and Urban Development Industrial Revitalization Fund, which was used to pay for a study of the 15-acre site by professional planners.

Possible plans for housing, including apartments, duplexes, triplexes, and senior cottages, were presented to Nassawadox residents at a public meeting in August.

However, Riverside has not offered the former hospital property for sale, and no formal plans for redevelopment have been made.

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The former Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Nassawadox, which opened in 1970, is being razed.





'I think that folks were looking for a change'

After challengers knock off three longtime incumbents on the Board of Supervisors, many perspectives about voters' desires

BY CLARA VAUGHN

Eastern Shore Post

Voters in the Nov. 7 election ousted all challenged incumbent candidates running for the Accomack County Board of Supervisors.

The results might mirror a larger, nationwide trend in overall discontent with the political system.

"I think that folks were looking for a change," said Calvin L. Washington Sr., who beat incumbent Harrison W. Phillips III by 67 votes, or 8%, for the District 5 board of supervisors seat.

He will represent Mappsville, Modest Town, Nelsonia, Gargatha, and Metompkin on the board starting in January.

Voters were "not feeling that they've been heard and not happy with the direction things are taking," said Jeffrey A. Parks Sr., who beat incumbent Paul Muhly by 37 votes, or less than 4%, to win the

"When an incumbent has an opponent, that's a real election and the voters have a voice."

Paul Muhly Accomack County Board of Supervisors

District 4 seat that represents Parksley, Bloxom, Saxis, and nearby areas.

Challenger Roger DeGeorges led longtime Supervisor Ron Wolff by 113 votes, or 9%, to become the new District 2 supervisor to represent Atlantic, Horntown, Greenbackville, and nearby areas.

He attributed his win to voters in Captains Cove, where he said discontent with real estate assessments and tax increases motivated residents to visit the polls.

A Pew Research Center survey released in Sep-

tember found that voter disillusion comes at the same time as historically high levels of voter turnout in national elections.

In Accomack County, over 45% of registered voters cast their ballots in last week's election.

The Pew survey found only 4% of Americans believe the political system is functioning well or very well, and under one-quarter believe it operates somewhat adequately.

"When an incumbent has an opponent, that's a real election and the voters have a voice," said Muhly, who served two terms of four years each on the Accomack board of supervisors.

"The voters had a choice in three of the supervisors races and in (five) of the school board races, and that is how democracy is supposed to work," he said.

"I think each race had its specific issues and reasons why some lost, some won, but all-in-all it was a healthy thing," he said.

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He, Wolff, and Phillips served a combined 36 years on the board of supervisors.

The supervisors-elect have several goals as they take on their elected official roles next year.

DeGeorges said addressing tax burdens and improving county schools will be priorities as he joins the board of supervisors.

Parks said his focus will be "to help make government work better," including lowering tax burdens for residents.

Washington plans to learn more about the priorities in his district as he takes on the role of supervisor.

"I'm one of those who believe in being proactive rather than reactive and I hope that we'll start being proactive in our community," he said.

"I am very excited to be able to have that opportunity to have a seat at the table and be a voice for the people in Accomack County," he said.

All unopposed incumbents won their board of supervisors seats in Accomack's Districts 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

The new supervisors will begin serving on the board Jan. 1, 2024.



FLAGS FOR FIRST GRADERS

American Legion Northampton Post 56 Adjutant and Past Post Commander Bill Stramm recently presented "Flags for First Graders" to the children of Cape Charles Christian School, Kiptopeke Elementary School, and Occohannock Elementary School. The first grade children learned about flag courtesy and watched the video "George Learns the Pledge."

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Retiring Sen. Lewis honored by state chamber of commerce

At the 2023 Virginia Chamber of Commerce Annual Luncheon, the chamber presented state Sen. Lynwood Lewis with a Lifetime Achievement Award for his outstanding support over the course of his legislative career of the principles and initiatives outlined in the chamber's long-term economic development plan, Blueprint Virginia 2030.

Blueprint Virginia 2030 is a plan of action to ensure the Commonwealth strengthens and secures its position as a leader in the global economy and is the best state in the nation for business.

The Virginia Chamber collected input by bringing together leaders in business, economic development, workforce, education, housing, and other areas to ensure statewide representation of priorities for Virginia's economic prosperity.

"I am humbled and honored by this recognition from the Virginia Chamber," said Lewis. "It has been a privilege to play a part in maintaining and growing our Commonwealth's reputation as the best in the country to do business. I look forward to seeing this growth continue in the years to come under the collaborative Blueprint Virginia 2030 action plan."

Lewis' bipartisan work to support a growing and changing workforce, promote business growth and enhance economic development across the Commonwealth is something he hopes will leave a legacy long after his retirement in January.



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Retiring State Sen. Lynwood Lewis accepts a Lifetime Achievement Award from the Virginia Chamber of Commerce.

Northampton Reliability Project Open House

Old Dominion Electric Cooperative (ODEC) is planning for new transmission infrastructure between Exmore and Cheriton to provide increased electric reliability and system resiliency to the community. You're invited to an Open House to learn about the project, ask questions, and provide community feedback.

Open House #1

Thursday, November 30 1 – 3 p.m. Northampton Fire & Rescue 10239 Pine Avenue Nassawadox, VA 23413

Open House #2

Thursday, November 30 5 – 7 p.m. Cape Charles Fire Company 501 Mason Avenue Cape Charles, VA 23310

For more information, visit odec.com/esva.







Town repeals food truck ban — but zoning issue remains

BY CLARA VAUGHN

Eastern Shore Post

Food trucks could be back in business in Parksley, but the town's only mobile food vendor remains closed.

The Parksley Town Council on Monday, Nov. 13, repealed a new town law that had effectively barred food trucks from doing business in town.

However, an attorney writing on behalf of Parksley said food trucks are not included in uses allowed in the Parksley Zoning Ordinance, regardless of that law — meaning Parksley's food truck ordinance was moot anyway.

"This zoning ordinance, like many others, sets forth what is allowed in a given zone rather than what is prohibited," Attorney André D. Wiggins said in an email Nov. 15.

"If one looks at the commercial section of the Parksley Zoning Ordinance, you will see the many allowed or permitted uses and related definitions. The operation of a food truck is not included among the many permitted uses," Wiggins wrote.

Those violating the ordinance can face fines of up to \$250 and imprisonment in the county jail for up to 30 days for each day they break the town code.

Clemen Bastien and Theslet Benoir had not reopened Eben-Ezer Haitian Food Truck on Bennett Street as of Nov. 15, after they received a letter from Wiggins, writing on behalf of



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Eben-Ezer Haitian Food Truck sits closed on Bennett Street on Tuesday, Nov. 14. Food trucks are not named as allowed uses in the Parksley Zoning Ordinance.

Parksley, requesting they "cease operation immediately."

The letter dated Nov. 1 came after the Parksley Town Council voted Oct. 11 to pass an ordinance limiting mobile food vendors to selling their fare in town only during special events such as festivals that the town council had approved or sponsored.

Even though council members repealed the ordinance after a month,

it had drawn a series of responses during its short time on the books.

"We're very happy that the city council repealed the food truck ban," said Institute for Justice Senior Attorney Justin Pearson, who with Litigation Fellow Dylan Moore sent Parksley officials a letter on Nov. 6 calling on them to repeal the food truck rules.

"They never should have passed

that food truck ban in the first place, and so repealing it doesn't undo all the harm, but it's a step in the right direction," Pearson said.

"That is awesome news for the town, for the residents, and for the city council," said Calherbe Monel, of Virginia Beach-based advocacy group Christians United for Haiti, who has been working with the owners of the Bennett Street food trailer.

He wrote a letter to Parksley Mayor Frank Russell Oct. 29 requesting a meeting to discuss "what went wrong here," which they plan to hold this weekend.

Bastien and Benoir declined to comment on the repeal of Parksley's food truck ordinance, but thanked those who have supported them.

"That letter scared them, and that's a reasonable reaction," Pearson said. "That letter would've scared anyone and it's clear that that was the entire reason it was sent."

He said the next steps in addressing Parksley's relationship with food trucks will unfold with new action by the town.

"People are going to be watching them," Institute for Justice's Moore said.

Of the town issuing a business license to Eben-Ezer Haitian Food Truck when food trucks are not included in the zoning ordinance's permitted uses, Wiggins said: "I am not in a position to answer that question."

The business paid \$30 to Parksley for the business license on May 14, 2023.



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than \$65 million.

About a year later, the project was resubmitted for contractor bids, but the lone bid received was not lower, but higher —almost \$99 million.

Since September, committee members have worked to reduce the cost of the project and scrape together more money.

The biggest cost reduction was in delaying the renovation of Northampton High School's career and technical education building, a savings of \$6 million.

About \$4 million was saved through value engineering — flexibility in the brands and types of materials and equipment used, saving money without sacrificing quality.

The entire project will cost about \$89.8 million, but some costs were excluded from the contract to be awarded to M.B. Kahn, of Columbia, S.C.

Among the excluded costs was nearly \$5.7 million for furniture, furnishings, and equipment, which will be purchased throughout the three phases of construction as funding becomes available.

Permits, fees, inspections, and other soft costs also were not included.

The \$89.8 million total project cost will be attained through the following funding sources:

- A \$50 million bond, or loan, that Northampton County previously acquired
- A \$16.8 million state grant from the School Construction Assistance Program
- About \$8 million from Northampton's undesignated fund balance or "rainy day" fund, which currently totals around \$15 million
- Nearly \$7.5 million expected to be added to the undesignated fund balance over the next five years
- Almost \$2.5 million from the Northampton schools capital fund
- About \$1.9 million in estimated future interest
- Around \$1.25 million in Virginia Department of Education school construction funding

- About \$1.1 million in anticipated future revenues from Northampton's 1% additional sales tax
- County funds of \$700,000 to extend Eastville's water line.

The project will include demolishing most of the original 1954 high school building, renovating the 1978 addition, and new construction.

When the project is complete, Northampton Middle School, which shares a campus and school building with Northampton High School, will have its own classroom wing, gym, and separate space in the cafeteria. The two schools will share an auditorium.

Before voting on the matter, some supervisors needed reassurance that their nearly \$90 million investment would be protected.

Supervisor Betsy Mapp said she was "shocked at the lack of maintenance" of older school buildings like the former Northampton Middle School in Machipongo.

Superintendent Lisa Martin noted that a Northampton County Public Schools maintenance plan and new capital improvement plan were forthcoming.

Director of Operations Chris Truckner pledged, "I'm not going to allow anything to happen on my watch" to interfere with school maintenance.

The push to renovate or rebuild Northampton High School began around 2007, when a structural study revealed that much of the building was in poor condition.

Once construction begins, the school improvement project will take about 30 months to complete.

Renovation of the CTE building has not been canceled but postponed until additional funding can be obtained.

Board of Supervisors Chairman John Coker conveyed the urgency to award the contract without further delay.

He said, "Pretty much everybody we could talk to that has done any kind of project like this, they're saying, 'Listen, sign it now ... because next year it's going to be \$3 to \$5 million more."

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

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

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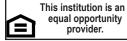
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Applications may be obtained from the Northampton County Sheriff's Office located at 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, VA 23347 or the County's website.

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Accomack County 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.

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

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 FOF

Accomack County Social Services Administrative Office Manager

Hiring Range: \$35,452 - \$68,219 (Depending on qualifications)

To apply, visit: http://www.dss.virginia.gov Accepts only online applications. Open until filled.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

Accomack County Social Services Social Services Assistant Director II

Hiring Range: \$60,671 - \$116,748

(Depending on qualifications)

To apply, visit: http://www.dss.virginia.gov Accepts only online applications. Open until filled.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

Accomack County Social Services Fraud Investigator I/II

Hiring Range: \$34,752 - \$63,544 (Depending on qualifications)

To apply, visit: http://www.dss.virginia.gov
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EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

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

Administrative Program Assistant I Northampton County Social Services

Recruitment #: 1501

Hiring Range: \$26,831 (higher based on qualifications)

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

Closing date: November 28, 2023

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., Accomac, VA 23301, by visiting www.esva911.org, or by using this fillable form link: https://forms.gle/oBhgBsv97a2uJAdW8 (requires a Google account).

For more information, please contact the 9-1-1 Center at 757-787-0911.

Applications are due by Friday, November 24, 2023 @ 5 p.m. The ESVA 9-1-1 Commission is an equal opportunity employer.

Feed & Seed

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

Farm & Lawn Equipment

1953 ANNIVERSARY JUBILEE 600 FORD TRACTOR - \$3,500. 442-7507.

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SEASONED OAK AND CHERRY FIREWOOD CUT 16"-18" – Call 757-678-2566.

Produce

PRODUCE - Turnip greens, curly kale, collard greens, purple top turnips: \$16/bushel. Red sweet potatoes: \$17/box. Please call 410-603-7205.

Rentals - Houses

NUEVA Casa- 3 Recamaras, 2 Banos Solo \$500 Deposito - Llame para los requisitos: 302-846-9100.

NEW 3BR, 2BA \$500 DE-POSIT CALL FOR DE-TAILS: 302-846-9100.

Misc. For Sale

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

POOL TABLE - Brunswick 9' pro pool table and everything that goes w/ it. Your job to move. \$999. 757-336-6903 or 757-336-1314.

FOR SALE - Full-sized bed and futon for couch. Call 757-505-9219.

Services

DIVORCE uncontested \$475 + \$86 costs. **WILLS** \$295. Hablo espanol. Hilton Oliver, Attorney. 757-490-0126. hilton@hiltonoliverattorneyva.com

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Tree trimming, removal and stump grinding. Call 757-710-8477. FREE ESTIMATES. We accept credit cards.

Pine, Oak, Walnut, Cherry and more for sale. Rough cut or planed available or we saw your logs. Portable Sawmill.

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Boats, Etc.

BOAT WHEELS - 4-blade. 1 pair, 19" x 23-1.5" shaft. JUST REDUCED \$150. Call 757-999-3437 & leave msg.

LOADMASTER TRAILER - New and used. 757-588-1950. No calls after 7 p.m.



Classic '77 Wellcraft V20 with '21 Suzuki 150 (30 hrs runtime). new hydraulic wheel steering, bimini canvas top, on '21 Vantage trailer

\$16,500

757-331-0315



1989 27' Regal Commodore **Need 3-axle trailer** to move. Will make a good house boat: sleeps 6; 1/2 bath and kitchen. Must see to appreciate. Call (757) 470-8385.

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Rentals -**Residential**

CASHVILLE - 2 bedroom, central heat/AC, water view, no pets, \$900/mo. Call 757-787-8429.

1 BR UPSTAIRS APART-MENT FOR RENT - Has w/d hookup. Close to Cape Charles. \$800/mo. w/ 1 month security. Please call 570-977-5282 and leave a voicemail.

Yard Sale

YARD SALE - Church of the Nazarene, 15230 Bethel Church Road, Bloxom, Va 11/18/23 @ 7am behind the church. Clothes, glassware, housewares, holiday, baked goods, antiques.

HUGE CLOSING SALE @ A-Z IN EXMORE - 4218 Main St. Everything must go. Prices so low, it's almost free! Sofas, chairs, misc. household items, books, movies, & more. Nov. 17-18, 21, 25, & 28, 10AM-4PM. Everything will be free on Nov. 25 & 28! 757-824-4418 for more details.

ESTATE SALE

4670 Main St., Chincoteague

Fri., Nov. 24 & Sat., Nov. 25 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Furniture, kayaks, wall cabinets, shelves, collectibles, housewares, Christmas.



MISSING "Chester"

Large, orange, neutered, male tabby w/ left ear clipped, has been missing from Willis Wharf since September 18th. Please call/text 410-430-7128 with sightings or info. He is greatly missed!!

Yellow Building 3327 Main St.

XMAS IN NOVEMBER

& Willis Wharf Rd Exmore, VA 23350 SAT., NOV 18 & 25, 2023 8:30AM - 3:30PM

MANY NEW PIECES ADDED FOR THIS XMAS IN **NOVEMBER SALE**

Get ready for the holidays CRAFT SUPPLIES. Ribbons, boxes of floral and Xmas décor, Xmas wreaths, trees, greenery, Create your own crafts/ wreaths and decorations with new craft supplies. Entire sets of unused furniture from sample house. bedroom, living room, dining room set, office furniture, chairs, lamps. Bookcases, books, antique door hardware, rugs, dishwasher, pictures, paintings, frames, end tables, loveseat,

tall and triple dresser, chandelier, bicycle, games, plush toys, twin bed, Life-sized MARBLE **GARDEN STATUE**

pedestals, lady busts, ammonite bath sinks, slate & wrought iron table w/ glass top, 4 bar-height chairs, 4 pc. mosaic garden seating sets, dozens of new boxed

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ROSEYDAZE BOUTIQUE

is reopening Saturday, Nov. 25 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. 25584 Coastal Blvd., Onley Come see one-of-a-kind clothing!

Call Ryan at 757-789-7678 to place a classified ad!

The **November** edition of **Shore First** is now available!

Scan the QR code below to email Ryan



REMINDER Our office

is now at 3257B Main St.. Exmore

Please submit any classified or legal ads for the Friday, Nov. 24 edition by **noon** on Monday, Nov. 20.





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This newspaper will not knowingly accept advertising for real estate that violates the fair housing law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.

For more information about /irginia's Fair Housing Law or to file a fair housing complaint, call the Virginia Fair Housing Office at (804) 367-8530. Toll-free call (888) 551-3247. For TDD users, please call the Virginia Relay by dialing 7-1-1.





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EV1100 California 15,235 miles, new tires, new battery, \$4,500 OBO. 757-678-6650



2007 1100 HONDA **SHADOW**

\$4,000 or best offer. Excellent bike with new upgrades. Bike has no issues. Very well maintained. Please call 757-350-0415 for more information and to schedule showing. VIN:1HFSC18027A103019 MILEAGE: 69,210

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'64 COBRA w/high end suspension. Many performance parts. Scary fast. Must be seen & driven to be appreciated. \$60,000 OBO. 757-693-2154

4 PIECE SET - 2021 to 2023 Ford Maverick pickup 17" aluminum XLT standard rims. As new condition. \$450. Call 757-442-5459 after 5 p.m.

2022 ATV - 4 wd w/ auto trans. Side by side. Camo w/ dump body. Winch. Only has 7 miles. Like brand new. \$7,500. 607-437-4782.

INTERNATIONAL PROSTAR - 450hp, 10 speed manual, many upgrades, 487k miles, ready to work, \$18k OBO call 757-302-3222.

> Thanks for reading the Post!



2006 PONTIAC SOLSTICE ROADSTER CONVERTIBLE

Only 8,300 original miles! 100% garaged, Black ext./int., 2.4L 4 cylinder DOHC. 5-speed manual trans., Limited slip differential. Anti-lock brakes. Leather, A/C, cruise control. Halogen/fog lamps, AM/FM/CD, \$15,000 757-442-3812

Call after 6 p.m.



Leather interior; 3 rows of seats; 1 owner.

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'91 JEEP YJ MODEL Hard & soft top included. \$4,200 OBO. Very good condition. 757-695-6202 (text only).

¡Gracias por leer el Post I



2006 ACURA MDX-SHAWD

Nav/Ent/Leather New tires/shocks/ AC pump Drives like new. \$7.500 757-999-4140

 Got a boat or truck you want to sell? Put it in the **Eastern Shore Post** for only \$40 until sold (\$55 with photo). Call Ryan at 757.789.7678.

Find what you're looking for in the classifieds.

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SHERATON STYLE WALNUT HUNTBOARD

Gallery back with star inlay. Satinwood banding and escutcheon on drawer. One long drawer and two side drawers. Arched apron and tapered and reeded legs. Circa 1820.

Length: 55 1/2"; Depth: 21"; Height: 49 1/2"

This antique huntboard was part of the Althea and Bootie Shelton estate. It is still located at the Happy Union Farm in Nassawadox.

It was appraised by a professional antique appraiser for \$15,000.

I will accept any reasonable offer. Delivery is not available. It will need to be picked up upon arrangements.

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THE DEADLINE **FOR OBITUARIES. CLASSIFIED ADS. AND LEGAL ADS IS WEDNESDAY** BY NOON.

Place classified ads in **English & Spanish** Buy one & pay 1/2 price for the translation 757-789-7678

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet and conduct public hearings on Tuesday, November 21, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. The purpose is to conduct regular business and review the following applications to forward a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors.

ZTA 2023-05: The Board of Supervisors of Northampton County is proposing a Zoning Text Amendment to revise the sections which pertain to Short Term Rentals in the 2000 and 2016 Zoning Ordinances.

The applications, as well as the full text of the proposed amendments, are on file and open to public inspection in the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA, and can be viewed electronically at https://tinyurl.com/5n98xx3k

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 Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement // P.O. Box 538//Eastville, VA 23347, and via email to olivia.bennett@co.northampton.va.us for consideration at the November 21, 2023, Planning Commission meeting.

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

Town of Onley Notice of Joint Public Hearing

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Onley and the Planning Commission of the Town of Onley will conduct a Joint Public Hearing at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, December 4, 2023, at the Onley Town Office located at 25308 Lankford Hwy., Onley, Virginia for the purpose of receiving comments from members of the public concerning a Special Use Permit Application (SUP) submitted by Briarpatch Rentals, LLC (c/o Paul Thornes). The applicant has applied for a Special Use Permit (SUP) to remove the existing single wide mobile home located at 25418 Virginia Ave. (Tax Map #93C1-A-128) and replace it with a new manufactured home, same size, same or similar footprint, to meet the minimum setback.

A copy of the SUP application/proposal is available for public inspection at the Onley Town Office, Monday through Friday from the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The regularly scheduled monthly meeting of the Mayor and Council will immediately follow the Public Hearing.

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The Mayor and Council of the Town of Onley and the Planning Commission of the Town of Onley will conduct a Joint Public Hearing at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, December 4, 2023, at the Onley Town Office located at 25308 Lankford Hwy., Onley, Virginia for the purpose of receiving comments from members of the public concerning the Adoption of a Resolution to Grandfather Current Permitted Residential Homeowners from Existing Zoning in Reference to Lot Area, Lot Frontage and Yard Regulations (side and rear yards).

A copy of the resolution is available for public inspection at the Onley Town Office, Monday through Friday from the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or the Town's website, www.townofonley.org The regularly scheduled monthly meeting of the Mayor and Council will immediately follow the Public Hearing.

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 Planning Commission - Public Hearing

The Cape Charles Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 20, 2023 at 6:00 pm in the Cape Charles Civic Center, 500 Tazewell Avenue, to receive comment on the following request:

A. Zoning Map Amendment (ZMA) 2023-04 application from Municipal Corporation of Cape Charles to rezone Tax Map #83A3-1-644 & 83A3-1-641 (11,301.22 square feet) from Commercial -1 (C-1) to Residential-1 (R-1) pursuant to CCZO Section 2.7.2 and Section 3.2.

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

ISLAND COMMUNITY HOUSE INC
Trading as Island Community House
6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague, VA 23336
Accomack County, Virginia
The above establishment is applying to the
VIRGINIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE
CONTROL (ABC) AUTHORITY

for an Annual Banquet - Wine and Beer On Premise license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages. Katie O'Shea, Executive Director

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 OF PROTEST AND ERROR

Any "marriage of incorporated entities" established or combined as Joint Venture properties pertaining to KEVIN DUANE CLOSE and VICTORIA CLOSE and the STATE OF VIRGINIA are dissolved by Mutual Consent and Declaration, and all assets thereof are claimed by the presumed Donors: Kevin Duane Close and Victoria Close of Lewisberry, Pennsylvania.

TRUSTEE'S SALE 26098 SAXIS ROAD, TEMPERANCEVILLE, VA 23442

In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated October 26, 2021, in the original principal amount of \$272,045.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Accomack County, Virginia as Instrument No. 210005770. 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 15, 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 PÅRCEL OF LAND, LOCATED ON THE ROAD LEADING FROM TEMPERANCEVILLE TO SANFORD, ATLANTIC MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, SHOWN AS PARCEL A CON-TAINING AN AREA OF 0.91 ACRES (29,468 SF) ON A CERTAIN PLAT OF SURVEY ENTITLED, FAMILY SUB-DIVISION LANDS OF CINDY MILBURN RIFFERT & GAIL R. MILBURN SHOWN HEREON AS TAX PARCEL #25-A-26 LOCATED NEAR JENKINS BRIDGE ATLAN-TIC DISTRICT ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA," DAT-ED OCTOBER 1, 2019, CERTIFIED BY MARSHALL B. PARKS, A LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR, AND MADE BY ACCOMACK-NORTHAMPTON SURVEYING & MAPPING, PLLC, WHICH PLAT IS RECORDED AS IN-STRUMENT NO. 190005021 IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA. TOGETHER WITH A 20-FOOT INGRESS EGRESS EASEMENT ACROSS THE REMAINDER OF TAX PARCEL #25-A-26 TO STATE ROUTE 695, ALSO KNOWN AS SAXIS ROAD, ALL AS SHOWN ON THE SAID PLAT. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale and the Purchaser may be given the option to execute the contract of sale electronically. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 8100 Three Chopt Road, Suite 240, Richmond, VA 23229. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com

NOTICE

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the Heirs or Descendants of Walter Lewis, who was married to Karla L. Lewis A/K/A Karla L. Judd A/K/A Karla Lockhart Judd, who lived near New Orleans, La., please contact Don Paul Landry, APLC, Attorney, at 1308 Paul Maillard Rd./P.O. Box 21, Luling, LA 70070 or by calling (985) 785-5494.

Notice of Public Hearing

The Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Commission (ESVA 9-1-1) will hold a public hearing on Thursday, November 30th, 2023, 5:30PM, at the Accomack County Emergency Operations Center at 28598 Beacon Road, Melfa, VA 23410. In addition to regular business of the ESVA 9-1-1 Commission, public comment will be received on action for one-time additional personnel compensation to ESVA 9-1-1 staff resulting from a Virginia Department of Emergency Management (VDEM) FY24 Staffing Recognition Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) Grant.

While the meeting will provide interested parties the opportunity to be heard or present written comments, individuals also have the opportunity to submit oral or written statements on the proposed action to the ESVA 9-1-1 Center's Director's Office, P.O. Box 337, Accomac, VA 23301 or at jflournoy@co.northampton.va.us no later than 1PM on November 30th, 2023.

Any individual having questions or needing special assistance may contact 9-1-1 Director (Jeffrey Flournoy) at 757-787-0909 or at the above e-mail address.

NOTICE JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE

On December 18, 2023, proceedings will be commenced under authority of Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the Code of Virginia to sell the following parcels located in the Town of Bloxom, Virginia for payment of delinquent taxes

Durham, Rosa L. Durham, Rosa L. 069A00400003200 069A00400003100

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

TREASURER TOWN OF BLOXOM, VIRGINIA

JAMES W. ELLIOTT Attorney at Law 7100 Route 17 Yorktown, VA 23692 (757) 898-7000 www.vataxsale.com

View archived legal ads on the Post's website: https://easternshorepost.com/category/legal-ads/

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town Council of Town of Exmore will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, December 4, 2023, at 7:00 pm in the Meeting Room of the J. Guy Lawson Municipal Bldg., located at 3305 Main Street, Exmore, Virginia, to hear public comment on Ordinance No. 227. A copy of the proposed ordinance is available at the Town Office located at 3305 Main Street Exmore, Virginia.

ORDINANCE NO. 227

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 224 AND SUPERSEDE ANY PREVIOUS ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO "ESTABLISH CHARGES AND CONDITIONS FOR WATER RATES, SEWER AND TRASH FEES."

BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Exmore:

To amend and re-enact Ordinance No. 124, which passed June 20, 1994 entitled "An Ordinance to Supersede and Amend any Previous Ordinances Pertaining to Establish Charges and Conditions for Water Rates, Sewer and Trash Fees" to become effective July 1, 2024 with the following changes:

Section 1 is changed to read ...

"Water Fee: \$16.50 minimum up to the first thousand gallons and \$.25 cents per one thousand gallons from one thousand one (1001) gallons up to ten thousand gallons (10,000), and \$.45 cents per one thousand gallons from ten thousand one (10,001) gallons and up"

"Sewer Fee: \$40.00 Operation and Maintenance Fee per single family (housing) unit monthly

Plus \$8.00 per 1,000 gallons Effluent Treatment Fee monthly."

Sewer Fee for Households Without Town Water Meter:

\$40.00 base per month

\$12.00 per person living in household

Establish a Residential Flat Rate:

Single family residential customers using a significant amount of water not discharged into the sanitary sewer system (typically irrigation or swimming pools) can establish a flat rate account with the Town.

The Director of Utilities or Town Manager may approve a flat rate if the requester provides sufficient evidence that there is a significant amount of water not discharged into the sanitary sewer system relative to average residential water consumption.

Residential sanitary sewer system users who are not municipal water users will have a flat rate determined by the Utilities Director based on an estimated water usage by the home. Such residents are strongly encouraged to install water meters to ensure accurate usage, but where such cannot be accomplished a flat rate will be determined.

Establish a Business Sewer Rate:

All businesses within the Town of Exmore will be subject to a business sewer rate effective January 01, 2024.

Rates shall be:

0-5000 gallons per month:

40.00 base fee plus \$8.00 per 1000 gallons of metered water

5001 gallons and above:

HRSD's yearly rate schedule for the Eastern Shore Businesses will also be subject to High Strength or Unusual Waste Surcharges as dictated by HRSD's yearly fee schedule. Such surcharges will be determined by HRSD's Characterization Procedure and any accompanying surcharge will be assigned by HRSD. Exmore will only pass through said surcharges each month.

Section 2 remains ...

"Water Fee: \$21.50 minimum up to the first thousand gallons and 2.75 per one thousand gallons from one thousand one (1001) gallons up to ten thousand gallons (10,000), and \$5.00 per one thousand gallons from ten thousand one (10,001) gallons to twenty thousand (20,000) and \$5.50 per one thousand gallons from twenty thousand one (20,001) and up."

Section 3 remains ...

Utility bills are due upon receipt and

on all accounts not paid in full within twenty (20) days from the date of the bill, ten percent (10%) will be added to the net amount due. If any bill is not paid within forty-five (45) days after the due date, service to the customer will be discontinued. Service will not be restored until all past due bills have been paid in full and all accrued penalties, plus a reconnection charge have been paid.

3 months of average service charges as deposit on water, sewer and trash accounts."

"\$35.00 returned check fee"

"\$60.00 reconnect fee if turned off for non-payment"

"\$20.00 temporary turn on/off service (if requested by owner, should be billed to landowner)."

"\$20.00 + labor/equipment charges for service calls not pertaining to problems with the system."

Section 4 remains ...

"Added to each water bill for water customers will be a charge of Sixteen Dollars (16.00) for Limb and Brush service as well as Trash Pickup for the first Trash Can of at least 95 gallon capacity, and Ten Dollars (10.00) for every subsequent trash can."

Section 5 remains ...

Landowners that disconnect properties from water or sewer service for a period greater than 29 days shall be subject to a reconnection of services fee in the same amount as a new connection fee, both of which are as follows:

3/4" water line and meter: \$2000.00

1" water line and meter: \$3000.00

 $1\frac{1}{2}$ " water line and meter: \$4000.00

2" water line and meter: \$5000.00

4" water line and meter: \$6000.00

6" water line and meter: \$7000.00

8" water line and meter: \$8000.00

Per ERC for Sewer: To Be Determined at a Later Date

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SALE 37288 Jib Court, Greenbackville, VA 23356

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a Deed of Trust dated September 21, 2020 and recorded at Instrument Number 200003799 in the Clerk's Office for the Accomack County Virginia Circuit Court, Virginia, securing a loan which was originally \$196,000.00. The appointed SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE, Commonwealth Trustees, LLC will offer for sale at public auction at the main entrance of the Accomack County Circuit Court located at 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, VA 23301.

December 11, 2023 at 1:00 PM

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

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in Captain's Cove Development, near the Village of Greenbackville, Atlantic Magisterial District, Accomack County, Virginia designated as Lot 381, Section 2, CAPTAIN'S COVE, as the same appears duly dedicated and recorded among the land records in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia in Deed Book 285, at Page 94, and in Plat Book 15, page 82, et seq, reference to which is hereby expressly made for a more particular description of the property herein conveyed.

It being all that certain lot or parcel of land conveyed to Cheryl A. Burris by Deed dated September 9, 2020 from Louis William Shockley, Jr., Trustee of the Trust Agreement of Louis William Shockley, Jr., dated May 15, 2007 and Barbara T. Shockley, Trustee of the Trust Agreement of Barbara T. Shockley dated May 15, 2007 and recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office immediately prior hereto.

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

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

Additional terms will be announced at the time of sale and the successful bidder will be required to execute and deliver to the Substitute Trustees a memorandum or contract of the sale at the conclusion of bidding.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT

Rosenberg & Associates, LLC (Attorney for the Secured Party) 4340 East West Highway, Suite 600 Bethesda, MD 20814 301-907-8000 www.rosenberg-assoc.com FORECLOSURE SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN CAPTAIN'S COVE

Monday, Dec. 4, 2023, 10:00 AM To be held at the Marina Club in Captain's Cove Subdivision, 3323 Dock Ct., Greenbackville, VA 23356.

The following properties will be auctioned:

Section/Lot: 4-1905, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100190500 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot:4-1927, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100192700 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1931, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100193100 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1939, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100193900 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1947, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100194700 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1962, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100196200 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1976, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100197600 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1981, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100198100 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1985, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100198500 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1986, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100198600 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-1996, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100199600 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2054, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100205400 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2057, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100205700 Assessed Value: \$5,000 Section/Lot: 4-2067, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100206700 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2070, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100207000 Assessed Value: \$231,200

Section/Lot: 4-2072, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100207200 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2073, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100207300 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2087, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100208700 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2118, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100211800 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2123, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100212300 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2126, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100212600 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2128, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100212800 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2130, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100213000 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2139, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100213900 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2143, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100214300 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2146, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100214600 Assessed Value: \$5,000

 ${\bf Section/Lot: 4-2149, Captain's Cove} \\ {\bf Tax Map No. 005A40100214900} \\ {\bf Assessed Value: \$5,000} \\$

Section/Lot: 4-2150, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100215000 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2155, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100215500 Assessed Value: \$5,000 Section/Lot: 4-2158, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100215800 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2162, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100216200 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2164, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100216400 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2165, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100216500 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2170, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100217000 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2189, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100218900 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2197, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100219700 Assessed Value: \$5,000

Section/Lot: 4-2209, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100220900 Assessed Value: \$5,000

TERMS: Minimum Bids will be announced prior to the start of the auction on the date of sale. Announcements made at auction time take precedence over any print, electronic, or verbal information, including but not limited to the Minimum Bid. Successful bidder will be required to deposit with Trustee a deposit (non-refundable) in an amount equal to the lesser of \$5,000 or 10% of successful bid in cash or certified funds at time of sale, with the closing to occur within thirty days of the date of said sale. Sale will be conducted pursuant to the terms set forth in Va. Code § 55.1-1833. There is no warranty relating to right, title, interest, or the like in this disposition. Property is being sold pursuant to Va. Code § 55.1-1833, and title will be conveyed pursuant to statute and subject to all liens or encumbrances as provided in said statute. All information for review by appointment only. Notwithstanding the Minimum Bids announced at the time of sale, the Trustee reserves the right to accept and/or reject all offers. Time is of the essence. Other conditions may be announced at the sale.

TRUSTEE: Pender & Coward, P.C., 222 Central Park Ave., Virginia Beach, VA

Phone: (757) 490-6261 Email: capcove@pendercoward.com

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Town Council of Town of Exmore will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, December 4, 2023, at 7:00 pm in the Meeting Room of the J. Guy Lawson Municipal Bldg., located at 3305 Main Street, Exmore, Virginia, to hear public comment on Ordinance No. 228. A copy of the proposed ordinance is available at the Town Office located at 3305 Main Street Exmore, Virginia.

ORDINANCE NO. 228

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF EXMORE TO AMEND AND SUPERSEDE ANY PREVIOUS ORDINANCES PERTAINING TO DOGS RUNNING AT LARGE

THE TOWN COUNCIL OF EXMORE, OF THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON, COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 193 of the Town of Exmore provides for the imposition of fines for violations in the Town of Exmore for which punishment in the form of fines is prescribed; and

WHEREAS the schedule of fines in Ordinance No. 193 is out of date.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by Council of the Town of Exmore, Virginia that Ordinance No. 193 of the Town of Exmore is amended and replaced by Ordinance No. 228, on this date December 4, 2023, and is enacted as follows:

BE IT ORDAINED BY TOWN COUNCIL, FOR THE TOWN OF EXMORE:

SECTION 1. DEFINITIONS

The following words, terms, and phrases, when used in this Ordinance, have the meaning ascribed to them in this section:

DOG: "DOG" shall include both the male and female sex of the canine species and unsexed males and females of said species.

OWNER: "OWNER" Shall include any person who:

- · Has a right of property in an animal;
- · Keeps or harbors an animal;
- · Has an animal in his/her care; or
- · Acts as custodian of an animal.

RUNNING AT LARGE and RUN AT LARGE:

A dog walking, roaming, loitering, running, self-hunting or destroying property of others (such as garbage cans, gardens, flowers, shrubs, lawns, etc.) off the premises of its owner or custodian without being caged, physically carried, or held by leash or lead attached to a collar or harness under the control of a responsible person capable of physically restraining the dog.

SECTION 2. REGULATION OF DOGS

- (a) It shall be unlawful for the owner of any dog to allow or permit any such animal to run at large with the incorporated limits of the Town of Exmore even though the animal may be lawfully licensed and vaccinated against rabies.
- (b) It shall be unlawful for the owner of any dog to allow, cause, or permit such dog to enter any public building, office, or store during the time that such business establishments are open for public business, unless the dog is a seeing eye dog or trained service animal on a leash or lead attached to a collar or harness and under the control of the owner.
- (c) (1) Any dog found at large may be confiscated by the County Animal Control Deputy or other authorities and if not claimed within twelve (12) days, it shall be disposed of pursuant to VA Code 3.1-796.96.
- (2) In the event that any dog confined pursuant to this section is claimed by its rightful owner, such owner shall be charged with the actual expense incurred in keeping the dog impounded. Before the dog is released, the owner shall execute an affidavit of ownership, present the proper dog license, and pay all the expenses incurred in keeping the dog confined.

SECTION 3. PENALTIES

- (a) It shall be the duty of Exmore Police Officers to enforce all provisions of this ordinance.
- (b) Any person who violates any provision of this ordinance may be guilty and subject to a civil penalty of \$100.00 per dog so found.

[State law references: VA Code 3.2-6538]

Questions regarding this ordinance should be directed to Exmore Police Chief Angelo DiMartino at $757-442-3114 \times 1007$.

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Sports Trivia

by Ryan A. Berenz

- 1. Who portrayed sportscaster Howard Cosell in the 2002 TV movie "Monday Night Mayhem," which dramatized the origins of "Monday Night Football"?
- **2.** Name the Indian-American gymnast who won a silver medal at the 2004 Athens Summer Olympics and has an uneven bars salto named after her in the Code of Points.
- **3.** The Norfolk Neptunes, Hartford Charter Oaks, Wheeling Ironmen and Charleston Rockets were teams in what pro football league that played five seasons from 1965-69?
- **4.** What two English Premier League football clubs from the West Midlands compete in a rivalry known as the Black Country derby?
- **5.** What boxer, known as "The Harlem Hammer," was sentenced to nearly 30 years in prison for the 2004 slaying of sports journalist Sam Kellerman?
- **6.** In 1995, sportscaster Bob Papa succeeded Jim Gordon as the radio play-by-play voice of what NFL team?
- 7. What member of the Kentucky Colonels was selected No. 1 overall by the Chicago Bulls in the 1976 ABA dispersal draft?

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7. Artis Gilmore

6. The New York Giants

5. James Butler Jr.

4. Wolverhampton Wanderers & West Bromwich Albion

3. The Continental Football League (COFL)

2. Mohini Bhardwaj

1. John Turturro

Answers

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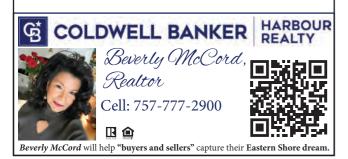




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PUBLIC RECORDS

Eastern Shore Post

Marriage licenses

- Melanie Crystal Bradshaw, 30, and William Lee Bradley, 28, both of Mears
- Wisena Charles, 46, and James Clermeus, 44, both of Pocomoke City, Md.
- Margaret Louise Arvidson, 25, and John Dennis Diamond, 39, both of Melfa
- Meagan Elizabeth Broadwater, 21, of Temperanceville, and Cody Nathaniel Lewis, 22, of Mears
- Carmel Marie Savage, 52, and Mark Ashley Ross. 50. both of Painter
- Cyrille Celine Castel, 60, and Peyton Roberston Ford, 52, both of Bethesda, Md.
- Shelby Nicole Colona, 30, and Benjamin James Davidson, 30, both of Onancock
- Elise Jasmin Bale, 21, and Shawn Shimano Evler, 22, both of Fairfield, Pa.
- Corinthia Nicole Evans, 27, of Bloxom, and John William Pippin Jr., 41, of Chincoteague
- Mariah Lee Plantier, 43, and Shawn Richard
- Noonan, 28, both of Moosup, Conn. ■ Selene Benavides, 42, and Agustin Mendoza Rodrigues, 31, both of Nassawadox
- Tiarra Roaer, 30, and Jarvis Dean Anderson. 50, both of Woodstock, Ga.
- Samantha Grace Doss, 26, and Stephen James Knorr, 26, both of Townsend
- Carrie Elizabeth Hawker, 51, of Melfa, and Steven Thomas Downing, 49, of Virginia Beach
- Sara Vela Blankenship, 35, and Donald Wayne Brock Jr., 37, both of Parksley
- Brenda Guzman Morales, 23, and Maxwell Ryan Horne, 23, both of Bloxom
- Alexis Cheyanne Widger, 24, of Greenbush, and Ryan Thomas Milliner, 27, of Parksley
- Ashley Justice Sawyer, 39, and Rojohn Maurice Singleton, 41, both of Atlantic
- Erik Preckel Lohse, 43, and Holly Hanson Ackiss, 43, both of Norfolk

Northampton property transfers

- From Jacob Foisev To Joseph and Christina Iwanowicz Lot 1. near Wardtown For \$160,000
- From John Willis To Molly Austin Lot on Cherrystone Road, Cheriton For \$90,000

- From Philip and Irene Morris and Barbara Ives, attorney-in-fact To Beach Town LLC 2 lots near Cape Charles For \$140,000
- From Bay Creek Development LLC To Robert and Erin Knape Lot L-29, Village L, Bay Creek, Cape Charles For \$895,000
- From Hannah Darby To Yong Chen Lot, 1 acre, near Silver Beach For \$255,000
- From Patricia Duncan To Yolanda and Thomas Edmonds Lot 7, New Road community, Exmore For \$1,000
- From Patricia and Woodford Daves Jr. To Eastern Shore Holdings LLC Lots near Cheriton For \$200,000
- From New Road Community Development **Group of Exmore Inc.** To Destiny Capital and Development LLC Lot 51, New Road, Exmore For \$135,000

■ From Rebecca Richardson, successor

- To Jacob and Azucena Charnock Tract, 25 acres, near Shadyside, Eastville district For \$330,000
- From Paris and Karen Leventis To ESVA Shore Properties LLC Parcel B, 48 acres, near Bayford For \$650,000

Accomack property transfers

- From Jackie S. and Stephen M. Speights To Nicholas Schroeder Lot 46, Section 9, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$9,000
- **■** From Rasmussen Property Management LLC

To Marilyn M. Parrott 37428 Castaway Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$321,900

From Dolores M. Wels To Virginia E. and Brian L. Bobitka Lot 2, Ridge Road, Chincoteague For \$80,000

- From Jennifer J. Justis To Clifford Paul Taylor and Lane E. Farlow 30 acres between Greenbush and Accomac
- From Kimberly A. Cavallari To Joy Milliner and Robby Scott Custis 41 Ames St., Onancock For \$589,900

For \$6,000

- From Annmarie and Raymond W. Adkins To Racing Moon LLC 7622 East Side Road, Chincoteague For \$427,000
- From Hannah and Jeffrey Duston To Ruth J. and Mark Z. Smolnik 37119 Saber Court, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$228,000
- **■** From Phillip P. Ettinger To Joan and Clarence Hatcher Lot 289, Section II, Oyster Bay, Chincoteague For \$92,000
- From Anthony J. Gennaro To Tracy Taylor and Douglas Alfred Morris 13189 Nandua Road, Painter For \$555,000
- From Richard F. Hall III To CMH Homes Inc. Lot 41, Doe Crossing, Melfa For \$35,000
- From Woods & Water LLC To Chestnut Stump Tree Farm LLC 20.5 acres on India Lane, Onancock For \$30,000
- From A. Thomas Young To Chestnut Stump Tree Farm LLC 22 acres on Plantation Road, Onancock For \$40,950
- From Regina A. and Jonathan O. Hall To Haas Properties Inc. 4282 Main St., Chincoteague For \$595,000
- From Llewellyn S. Allison To Colette L. Devine Lot 10, Block C, East Point, Onancock For \$250.000
- From Patricia H. and Harry T. Parker To Kimberly C. Hart and Matthew Hubler Lot 4, Fletcher Road, Mappsville For \$49,000
- From Linda and Michael B. Hazard To Allan and Ellen McCollum Lot 31, Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown For \$185,000

- From Ted L. and Clarence W. Lewis Jr. To Daniel Mason Matthews 1/2 acre on Winterville Road, Bloxom For \$2,000
- From Sea Star Cafe Inc. To La Vang Inc. 6429 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague For \$625,000
- From David L. West To B. Lyn and Thomas A. Jester 5073 Sailfin Drive, Trails End, Horntown For \$12,381
- From Elizabeth Galanakis, trustee To Spears Development Group LLC Lot 113, Coventon Lane, Greenbackville For \$175,000
- From Eastern Shore Mini Storage Inc. To Ashore Storage LLC 33229 and 33225 Railroad Ave., Painter For \$425,000
- From Linda A. Douglas and Katresa Johnson To Patriot House 1776 LLC 29118 Withams Road, Oak Hall For \$50,000
- From Varletta Dennis To Foresure LLC Johnson Lot 402, Parks Street, Parksley For \$1,000
- From GenWealth Estates LLC To Iris Mendez Gabriel 1/2 acre on Lankford Highway, Mappsville For \$35,000
- From Jermaine L. Fisher To Tiffany Marshall 13149 Maraschino Lane, Mappsville For \$155,000
- **■** From Michele A. Ragonese To Christine A. Fressola Lot 321, Section 7, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$2,000
- From Jennifer Lynn and Robert Keith Bennett To Elizabeth Renae and Kert Jay Parkhust II

Parcel near Cashville, Onancock For \$21,000

■ From Linda Hurley To Danielle L. and Matthew V. Moore 28310 Gargatha Landing Road, Parksley For \$232,000

- From Diana A. and William D. Saunders To Megan and Ryan Viator Lot 1611, Section 3, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$13,000
- **■** From Sheri Perini To Craig S. James Lot 257, Nautilus Drive, Trails End, Horntown For \$65,000
- From Lori A. Cox and James A. Craig To Laura and Oliver G. Beckmann Lot 1, The Greens, Pungoteague For \$30,000
- From John P. Custis, special commissioner To Harrison-Byrd Investments LLC 19540 Deerfoot Road, Melfa For \$130,000
- From Lisa Marie Lambert To Pauline and Michael Stevenson 7454 Pony Swim Lane, Chincoteague For \$465,000
- From Delores A. Welch and Terry A. Komlo To Charles Spencer Crawford 8272 Bay View Lane, Chincoteague For \$100,600
- **■** From The Economic Development Authority of Accomack County, Va. To Heirs Holding Company LLC Lot A-1-C, Accomack Airport Industrial Park, Melfa

For \$70,000

- From Drue Anne Mears To Trent P. Lewis 16472 Metompkin Road, Modest Town For \$45,000
- From Susan H. and Ted R. Mitchell To Alyson L. and Christopher A. Ingle 5050 Cedar Drive, Trails End, Horntown For \$40,000
- Fink III To Kayla R. and Joel S. Peterman 6060 Bluebill Drive, Trails End, Horntown For \$29,600

■ From Lindsay Lynn and William Henry

- From Monica M. Hall To Jean Max Ineus 18318 Staunton Ave., Parksley For \$160,000
- From Gemcraft Homes CC LLC To Carrie and Michael Carignan 38177 Castaway Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville For \$475,910

		Friday Nov. 17		Saturday Nov. 18		Sunday Nov. 19		Monday Nov. 20		Tuesday Nov. 21		Wednesday Nov. 22		Thursday Nov. 23
Assateague Beach	H L	10:39 a.m. 5:27 p.m.	H L	11:33 a.m. 6:25 p.m.	H L	12:31 p.m. 6:17 a.m.	H L	1:33 p.m. 7:23 a.m.	H	2:37 p.m. 8:31 a.m.	H	3:39 p.m. 9:39 a.m.	H L	4:36 p.m. 10:45 a.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	10:41 a.m. 5:19 p.m.	H L	11:38 a.m. 6:15 p.m.	H L	12:38 p.m. 6:12 a.m.	H L	1:40 p.m. 7:24 a.m.	H	2:42 p.m. 8:34 a.m.	H	3:41 p.m. 9:41 a.m.	H L	4:38 p.m. 10:42 a.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	11:35 a.m. 6:06 p.m.	H L	12:29 p.m. 7:04 p.m.	H L	1:27 p.m. 6:56 a.m.	H L	2:29 p.m. 8:02 a.m.	H	3:33 p.m. 9:10 a.m.	H	4:35 p.m. 10:18 a.m.	H L	5:32 p.m. 11:24 a.m.
Folly Creek	H L	11:28 a.m. 5:51 p.m.	H L	12:22 p.m. 6:49 p.m.	H	1:20 p.m. 6:41 a.m.	H	2:22 p.m. 7:47 a.m.	H	3:26 p.m. 8:55 a.m.	H	4:28 p.m. 10:03 a.m.	H	5:25 p.m. 11:09 a.m.
Wachapreague	H L	11:15 a.m. 5:31 p.m.	H L	12:09 p.m. 6:29 p.m.	H	1:05 p.m. 6:28 a.m.	H L	2:04 p.m. 7:36 a.m.	H	3:05 p.m. 8:41 a.m.	H L	4:07 p.m. 9:45 a.m.	H L	5:03 p.m. 10:47 a.m.
Quinby Inlet	H	10:39 a.m. 5:06 p.m.	H L	11:33 a.m. 6:04 p.m.	H	12:31 p.m. 7:03 p.m.	H L	1:33 p.m. 7:02 a.m.	H	2:37 p.m. 8:10 a.m.	H	3:39 p.m. 9:18 a.m.	H L	4:36 p.m. 10:24 a.m.
Machipongo	H L	11:09 a.m. 5:35 p.m.	H L	12:03 p.m. 6:33 p.m.	H L	1:01 p.m. 6:25 a.m.	H L	2:03 p.m. 7:31 a.m.	H	3:07 p.m. 8:39 a.m.	H	4:09 p.m. 9:47 a.m.	H L	5:06 p.m. 10:53 a.m.
Tangier Sound Light	H L	2:35 p.m. 8:08 a.m.	H L	3:32 p.m. 9:09 a.m.	H	4:34 p.m. 10:18 a.m.	H	5:39 p.m. 1:30 a.m.	H	6:45 p.m. 12:40 p.m.	H	7:27 a.m. 1:48 p.m.	H L	8:27 a.m. 2:51 p.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	2:53 p.m. 8:58 a.m.	H L	3:47 p.m. 9:54 a.m.	H L	4:47 p.m. 10:58 a.m.	H L	5:52 p.m. 12:09 p.m.	H	6:59 p.m. 1:23 p.m.	H	7:49 a.m. 2:34 p.m.	H L	8:50 a.m. 3:39 p.m.
Guard Shore	H	2:45 p.m. 8:54 a.m.	H L	3:39 p.m. 9:50 a.m.	H	4:39 p.m. 10:54 a.m.	H	5:44 p.m. 12:05 p.m.	H	6;51 p.m. 1:19 p.m.	H	7:41 a.m. 2:30 p.m.	H L	8:42 a.m. 3:35 p.m.
Chescon. Creek	H	2:20 p.m. 8:06 a.m.	H L	3:14 p.m. 9:02 a.m.	H L	4:14 p.m. 10:06 a.m.	H L	5:19 p.m. 11:17 a.m.	H	6:26 p.m. 12:31 p.m.	H L	7:16 a.m. 1:42 p.m.	H L	8:17 a.m. 2:47 p.m.
Onancock Creek	H	2:34 p.m. 8:26 a.m.	H L	3:28 p.m. 9:22 a.m.	H	4:28 p.m. 10:26 a.m.	H	5:33 p.m. 11:37 a.m.	H	6:40 p.m. 12:51 p.m.	H	7:30 a.m. 2:02 p.m.	H	8:31 a.m. 3:07 p.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	1:50 p.m. 7:40 a.m.	H L	2:44 p.m. 8:36 a.m.	H L	3:44 p.m. 9:40 a.m.	H L	4:49 p.m. 10:51 a.m.	H	5:56 p.m. 12:05 p.m.	H	6:46 a.m. 1:16 p.m.	H L	7:47 a.m. 2:21 p.m.
Nassawadox	H L	12:37p.m. 7:10 p.m.	H L	1:32 p.m. 6:57 a.m.	H	2:33 p.m. 8:01 a.m.	H L	3:38 p.m. 9:11 a.m.	H	4:44 p.m. 10:25 a.m.	H	5:48 p.m. 11:36 a.m.	H	6:47 p.m. 12:40 p.m.
Occohan. Creek	H L	1:12 p.m. 6:48 a.m.	H	2:04 p.m. 7:43 a.m.	H L	3:00 p.m. 8:48 a.m.	H L	4:01 p.m. 10:02 a.m.	H	5:03 p.m. 11:13 a.m.	H L	6:06 p.m. 12:22 p.m.	H	6:51 a.m. 1:31 p.m.
Cape Charles	H	11:24 a.m. 6:11 p.m.	H L	12:18 p.m. 7:09 p.m.	H	1:18 p.m. 7:10 a.m.	H	2:23 p.m. 8:21 a.m.	H	3:30 p.m. 9:35 a.m.	H	4:36 p.m. 10:46 a.m.	H L	5:36 p.m. 11:51 a.m.
Kiptopeke Beach	H L	10:58 a.m. 5:39 p.m.	H L	11:54 a.m. 6:37 p.m.	H L	12:56 p.m. 6:35 a.m.	H L	2:02 p.m. 7:48 a.m.	H	3:10 p.m. 9:04 a.m.	H	4:15 p.m. 10:15 a.m.	H L	5:14 p.m. 11:20 a.m.

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Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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Hollywood

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prez	of Chicago
51 Southwestern	102 Historical
grassy plain	records
54 Feature of	103 Birthday
"Christmas"	topic
55 Raises	104 Ascot, e.g
56 San — Zoo	106 — Spuma
	107 Sauce bra
	108 Doctrine
	111 Prima
	ballerina
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	her "Dying
	Swan"
	114 Courtesar
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	prez 51 Southwestern grassy plain 54 Feature of "Christmas" 55 Raises 56 San — Zoo 58 Soda holders 60 Inflict on 61 "Su-u-ure" 62 1947 Tony winner for "Brigadoon" choreography 66 Suture

1989 68 Zodiac cat 26 Winning 69 "Water" star Michael 27 Sinuous 71 Greek vowel 28 2003 Tony 73 Imitated

winner for "Movin' Out choreography 30 Vamp player in "Singin' in the Rain" 36 Choose

37 Writer Jaffe 38 Vast period 39 Doggy doc 40 Part of TNT 42 "The Wedding Singer"

director Frank 44 Magical land of C.S. Lewis 46 Noted performer in a Greek tunic and

bare feet

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combinations 131 Smell bad 132 Deficient 133 "-- Fi" (Marines Shakespeare motto)

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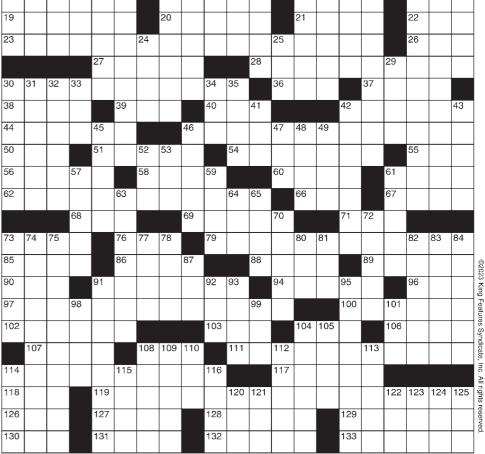
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