

# Proposed: 465-unit development near Onley Food Lion

BY CLARA VAUGHN  
Eastern Shore Post

Accomack County is considering a housing development that would add 465 apartments, duplexes, townhouses, and second-story lofts near the Chesapeake Square shopping center in Onley.

The project still has many regulatory hurdles to clear before developers can break ground — including a vote in next month's Accomack County Planning Commission meeting about whether to hold the first public hearing on the plans.

"We've heard for some time the need for housing for teachers, nurses

—just various, workforce-level residents in the county," said developer Chris Carbaugh, of Berlin, Md., company Atlantic Group and Associates Inc., who is spearheading the project.

Carbaugh attended a planning commission work session Tuesday, Jan. 23, where the group learned

more about the proposed plans.

The mixed-use housing project would create a new neighborhood on a 100-acre tract near Onley's Food Lion shopping center.

It would devote 20% of homes there to workforce housing, defined by Virginia Housing as residences

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## Food truck owners sue Parksley in federal court

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The owners of a Parksley food truck have filed a federal lawsuit against the town of Parksley and one member of its town council, alleging the town's decision to shut down the business was unconstitutional and retaliatory.

Clemene Bastien and Theslet Benoir, who own Eben-Ezer Haitian Food Truck on Bennett Street, filed a lawsuit in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, in Norfolk, on Tuesday, Jan. 23.

They are pursuing the case with Dylan Moore and Justin Pearson of the Institute

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Federal lawsuit  
against Parksley could  
have been prevented.  
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for Justice, a non-profit, public interest law firm.

"They didn't want to (file a lawsuit) initially," Moore said Tuesday,

but "the harassment and the bullying ... just kept coming."

"It's not the government's job to pick winners and losers in the marketplace. That choice belongs to consumers," Pearson said previously.

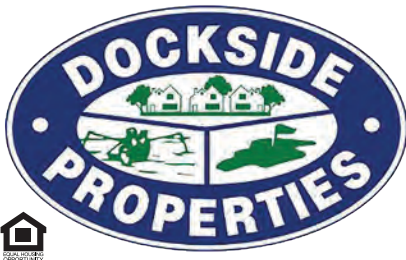
Bastien and Benoir are seeking compensation for the financial loss to their business, which remains closed, as well as for

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Food truck owners Theslet Benoir, left, and Clemene Bastien have filed a federal lawsuit against the town of Parksley.



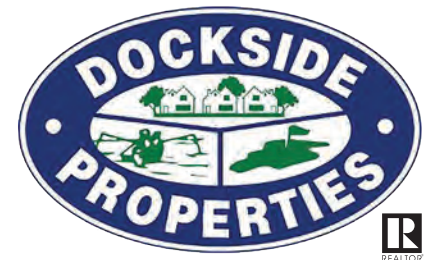
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# White rips new School Board's 'dissension'

BY TED SHOCKLEY

Eastern Shore Post

Accomack School Board member Malcolm White criticized other school board members during the Tuesday, Jan. 16, meeting, saying the possibility existed that his colleagues were holding "illegal" sessions — without providing evidence — and saying dissension among the group will inhibit progress.

Immediately afterward, School Board Chairwoman Janet Martin-Turner had to rap her gavel to quiet the outburst from White, who had interrupted Vice Chairman Edward Taylor.

"You're out of order," Martin-Turner said to White.

"I am not," White shot back.

"You're out of order," Martin-Turner



**Malcolm White**

the topic of bullying, saying it is inappropriate among students, administration, or teachers.

She subsequently warned everyone within earshot of trying to bully her.

"I would discourage anyone from attempting to bully me or intimidating me. It won't be tolerated," she

repeated.

It was a testy exchange during the second meeting for the nine-member board after it added three new members. But it wasn't the only unusual comment.

School board member Lisa Johnson broached the

said, without saying whether such an incident had happened.

The school board also distributed a list of possibilities for changing its meetings, including making Superintendent Rhonda Hall sit with staff in the audience, instead of her current seat among the elected school board members.

Other possible changes include video recording each meeting, arranging the dais so school board members can see each other, making meeting start times later, and having students on the board as non-voting members.

But it was White's diatribe about the possibility of secret meetings that overshadowed the board's meeting.

White, normally reticent, also cast doubt on whether the school

board could conduct any business because of friction among members.

"It's going to be hard to make any decision because there's a lot of dissension," White said.

"We've got nine members here and we're supposed to come together and make one decision," he continued, adding, "When one or two people make decisions, that is not considered a board."

White then pivoted to the possibility of illegal meetings, being more direct about his threat of a punishment than he was clear about whether illegal meetings were actually being held.

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Clothing is needed for a 3-week-old child, a boy who wears clothing sizes 8-10 and shoe sizes 4-5, and a female

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Items can be dropped off at 3196 Main St., Exmore; the Market Street Grill in Onancock; or Shore Creations on U.S. Route 13 in Onley.

An online fundraiser is being held at <http://tinyurl.com/52xurmz2>

## Two make SNHU president's list

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According to Sheriff W. Todd Wessells, between Jan. 19 and Jan. 23, there were multiple shootings into occupied dwellings.

The shootings were believed to be from a vehicle, he said.

On Jan. 19, at 11 p.m., the Accomack County Sheriff's Office received a report that an occupied residence had been shot at in the 32000 block of Hilltop Drive in the Wattsville area.

Upon deputies' arrival it was discovered that an occupied dwelling had received multiple bullet holes, Wessells said.

On Jan. 20, at 9:44 a.m., the sheriff's office received a report that a resident observed bullet holes in a home located in the 7300 block of Hillcrest Drive in the Wattsville area.

Upon deputies' arrival they observed the residence to have multiple bullet holes.

Deputies determined the dwelling was occupied at the time of the shooting and was believed to have been shot at during the incident that occurred

the previous night, Wessells said.

On Jan. 23, at 1:11 a.m., the sheriff's office received reports of shots fired on Welbourne Lane in the New Church area.

Upon deputies' arrival they found a home in the 4300 block of Welbourne Lane with bullet holes.

Deputies determined the dwelling was occupied at the time of the shooting.

On the same night at 2:44 a.m., the sheriff's office received a report of shots fired in the 20000 block of Bay-side Road in the Onancock area.

Upon deputies' arrival they observed the residence to have multiple bullet holes and that the residence was occupied at the time of the shooting.

No injuries were reported at any of the above-mentioned shooting locations.

An investigation into these incidents is continuing and anyone with information on these or any other incidents is asked to contact the Accomack County Sheriff's Office at 757-787-1131 or 757-824-5666 or tips may be submitted at [accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org](http://accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org)

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# EDITORIAL

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### THE PAPER'S POSITION

## Parksley food truck issue could have been avoided

Our governments should help the public achieve its entrepreneurial dreams. Governments should find solutions instead of only finding problems. They should be enablers and not disablers. They should partner and collaborate with residents, business owners, and taxpayers, for the good of them all.

No matter what happens with the federal lawsuit filed against the town of Parksley and Councilman Henry Nicholson by the owners of the Haitian food truck, it is apparent that the town was far from an enthusiastic partner or problem-solver in a wholly acceptable, routine, and legal business venture.

When it comes to the Haitian food truck, the town and Nicholson seem to have been the opposite of what good government should be. In doing so, they reflected negatively on Accomack County, the Eastern Shore, and especially the town of Parksley.

The Haitian food truck has sued the town and Councilman Henry Nicholson in federal court, alleging heavy-handed tactics, an unconstitutional closure, and retaliatory measures. The town will answer the allegations in a court filing in the coming weeks. We look forward to reading the town's defense and reporting on it.

Even if a court finds no wrongdoing by the town or Nicholson, this issue should have never escalated to a federal lawsuit. Food trucks and trailers of every stripe thrive in Cape Charles, on Chincoteague Island, in Exmore, in Cheriton, and in other Eastern Shore areas. The effort and money used to defend this lawsuit would have been better spent updating the town's commercial zoning in a way that accommodates food trucks.

Parksley's town attorney said because food trucks are not explicitly allowed in the zoning, the Haitian food trailer is illegal. But the ordinance doesn't explicitly allow a fire house, a farmers market, or an exercise studio, either.

Parksley is a great town with first-class businesses, amenities, and residents. Everyone who lives in the town should ask Parksley elected officials how this federal lawsuit could have been avoided.

### LETTERS

#### Wanted more coverage of King Day event

To the editor:

I was reading the Friday, Jan. 19, edition of the Eastern Shore Post and was happy to see that the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Service in Accomack County was included.

However, there could have been some more information regarding the service.

As a young Black man in the community, I feel as if we should be more involved with our history and the events going on in the community.

This also could have included more information that touched on the topics at the service and what the members discussed.

I would have been interested to know about events like this in advance as well as knowing if there would be any more in the future.

Casimir Chery  
Gargatha

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#### Selection of judge should not be 'political football'

To the editor:  
It is a shame that the circuit

judge position has become such a political football.

Anyone who has followed the career of former state Sen. Lynwood Lewis in the Virginia General Assembly might have criticized him for being too middle-of-the-road, but he has, in my view, done nothing but work with others in a productive way in Richmond since he first held office, with his Eastern Shore constituents as his first priority.

I was not a fan of Lewis' Realtor bill, but I dare say if you checked the war chests of every member of the General Assembly, you might find similar donations attributed to them. I doubt their constituents are criticizing their "shortcomings."

I could easily be wrong, but I think that members of the Eastern Shore Bar Association who voted for Gordon Vincent, a longtime district judge, had figured he would automatically move up to the circuit judge position.

Lewis disrupted that thinking  
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# Focusing on the ‘great divide that exists in Virginia’

The House of Representatives committees have met and the subcommittees have been assigned by the chairman.

I have been fairly treated by the majority party, having been assigned seven subcommittee appointments. This brings my workload to 11 committees.

The subcommittees are where the real work on a bill occurs. The bills are being referred by the speaker to the committee, where the chairman in turn assigns the bill to the subcommittee.

Hopefully, the subcommittee has expertise in the subject area. I mention this because there are 39 new members in the 100-member chamber.

This is a new level of challenge, as some members are still in “campaign mode,” when they feel the legislation from the opposing party must die.

This usually wears off after a few



Delegate  
Rob Bloxom

divide as either being Republican or Democrat. However, I look at it through a geographical and demographic lens.

This became quite clear to me when the introduction of the Agriculture Committee recently took place.

The closest rural Democrat is Del. Dan Helmer. His district includes a few wineries and horse farms but

weeks, when there is really no time for foolishness as the workload increases.

What I mainly want to focus on in this report is the great divide that exists in Virginia.

Some may look at this

has no large production in agriculture, as it is near Fairfax. Most residents are young and probably moved to Virginia fewer than 10 years ago. They are ethnically diverse and their parents or perhaps they might have endured some form of discrimination.

They all made comments about clean water, streams, trees, and parks and believe that government is part of the solution, as most of these work for either nonprofit organizations or government agencies.

Then when you look at the Republican mix of the committee, we have more years of experience than any other committee in the General Assembly.

We are from areas that have lost tobacco, furniture manufacturing, textile industries, coal, and major vegetable production, and we feel that the government is the problem.

As diverse as the two parties are and because there are many bills that we will never agree upon, meeting your fellow committee members is crucial.

Educating, building, and maintaining relationships are all important objectives that benefit the whole legislative body and benefit our commonwealth as a whole.

In the next few weeks I will address the legislation that I will patron.

I am happy to meet with the many constituents coming from the Eastern Shore and Hampton Roads and listen to their specific interests. Please feel free to contact me while I am in Richmond at 804-698-1000 or at my District Office in Mappsville at 757-824-3456.

If you are coming to Richmond, please visit me at my office in the new General Assembly Building. I am on the 7th Floor in Room 711.

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due to the gerrymandering that was beyond his control, and thus his future choices were altered.

Being a district judge is not a prerequisite. Retiring Judge W. Revell Lewis III entered at the circuit level as did former Judge Glen Tyler and many others on the Shore before them.

So we have a contest and it is a shame there are so many bad feelings.

We are such a small area — we do not need to tarnish the reputations of others.

Let the cards fall where they may without a lot of animosity. Let the best man win, as they say. Perhaps in the future this will be a contest between two women lawyers.

Sandra Beerends  
Franktown

## Accomack Salvation Army appreciates support

To the editor:

On behalf of the Accomack County Salvation Army Unit, I want to thank everyone for their financial support and thank the bell ringers for their volunteerism during the holiday season.

Everyone was incredibly generous with their time and monetary donations, which allow us to be of assistance to county residents during their time of need.

It is our mission to be of assistance to the residents of Accomack County. If you would like to join us by becoming a volunteer team member, please let us know.

Leah Trader, president  
Accomack County Salvation  
Army Unit  
Locustville

## Habitat for Humanity plans Freezin’ events

The Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat for Humanity will hold its annual Freezin’ for a Reason’ on Saturday, Feb. 24, at the Cape Charles beachfront.

Call 757-442-4687 for more information.

The celebrity dipper is Beth Sharpley, owner of Coastline Chemical and a member of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Chamber of Commerce and the Eastern Shore Madrigals.

The public is also invited to the BBQ and Brews kickoff for Freezin’ for a Reason, which will be held Friday, Feb. 23, from 4 to 8 p.m. at Cape Charles Brewing Company.

The BBQ and Brews costs \$50 per person and \$21 for attendees under 21. There will be craft brews, wine, barbecue, clam chowder, and live music.

The special guest is the Phun Doctors.

## Scholarships available for Shore students

The Eastern Shore Christian Businessmen’s Association is offering two scholarships, in the amount of \$1,500 each, for qualified graduating seniors from the public and private high schools and home-schooled students in Accomack and Northampton counties.

The deadline for submitting applications is April 30.

Scholarship information and applications may be obtained from guidance counselors at all public high schools, Broadwater Academy, and Holly Grove Christian School or by contacting Vernon J. Bell at 757-787-3920 or online at shorebells@verizon.net.



# ENTERTAINMENT

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### Friday, January 26

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **BENEFIT DINNER:** 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., chicken and dumplings at Melfa Volunteer Fire and Rescue Co., eat in or take out. Menu is chicken and dumplings, mashed potatoes, broccoli, a roll, and a drink for \$12. Desserts will be available for purchase. For more information or to pre-order, call 757-710-8031 or 757-710-4583.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open at 5 p.m., games begin at 6 p.m., at Arcadia High School, hosted by the school's Drama Club. \$20 for 20 games and bonus games are \$1 per board. Bring a nonperishable food or toiletry item and receive a free bonus card (limit four per person, benefits the Eastern Shore Foodbank). Prizes include baskets and surprises worth between \$50 and \$150. Concessions will be sold throughout the evening.

■ **BINGO:** 5 p.m. doors open, 6:30 p.m. games begin, Exmore Moose Lodge 683, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven.

■ **OYSTER ROAST:** 5 to 8:30 p.m. Eastern Shore Community College Foundation Oyster Roast at Eastern Shore Community College, 29300 Lankford Highway, Melfa. Menu includes roasted oysters, steamed clams, barbecue and sides, craft beer, wine, and more. There will be a silent auction. Proceeds fund scholarships. Live music by the Brandon Bower Trio. Tickets are \$65 and available at [www.eventbrite.com](http://www.eventbrite.com)

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 8 p.m., "Losing Alice," by Patricia Walker at The North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students. Visit [www.northstreetplayhouse.org](http://www.northstreetplayhouse.org)

### Saturday, January 27

■ **CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT:** Doors open at 9 a.m., play begins at 10 a.m. at the Exmore Moose Lodge, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven. Entry free is \$50 per team. There will be food and drink available for purchase. For more information, call 757-607-7299.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

### Be included

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

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 8 p.m., Alex Holt, Forrest Flynn, and Kevin Willis at the Great Machipongo Clam Shack, 6468 Lankford Highway, Nassawadox.

■ **SPORTSMAN'S DINNER:** 6:30 p.m., Sportsman's Dinner Fundraiser at the Elks Lodge, 22454 Front St., Accomac. Social time begins at 4:30 p.m. Includes a 30-item raffle and a live auction with Chester Jackson. Tickets are \$40. Contact the lodge at 757-787-7750.

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 8 p.m., "Losing Alice," by Patricia Walker at The North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students. Visit [www.northstreetplayhouse.org](http://www.northstreetplayhouse.org)

### Sunday, January 28

■ **WINGS FUNDRAISER:** Game day wings by the Eastville Volunteer Fire Co. Four pounds of wings is \$25. Call or text 757-678-6939 to order. Wings can be picked up from the Eastville Inn in Eastville.

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

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 2:30 p.m., "Losing Alice," by Patricia Walker at The North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students. Visit [www.northstreetplayhouse.org](http://www.northstreetplayhouse.org)

### Monday, January 29

■ **STORY TIME:** All day, any time story time at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, 24313 Bennett St., Parksley, and the Northampton Free Library, 7745 Seaside Road, Nassawadox.

■ **CRAFTS:** 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., kids' crafts at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, 24313 Bennett St., Parksley.

■ **GAME DAY:** 1 to 4 p.m., Game Day Monday at the Island Theatre Annex, 4074 Main Street. Bring a personal drink or snack. Card and table games available.

■ **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, January 30

■ **BOOK CLUB:** 5 p.m., Manga Book Club for teens at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, 24313 Bennett St., Parksley.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Cheriton Volunteer Fire Co., 21334 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton.

### Wednesday, January 31

■ **STORY TIME:** All day, any time story time at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, 24313 Bennett St., Parksley, and the Northampton Free Library, 7745 Seaside Road, Nassawadox.

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

### Thursday, February 1

■ **SUPPORT GROUP:** 10 to 11 a.m., the Eastern Shore Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group will meet at Bible Baptist Church, 24577 Front St., Accomac

■ **BENEFIT BINGO:** 6 to 8 p.m., bingo benefiting the Island Theatre at Teaguer's Pub, 5030 Chicken City Road, Chincoteague.

### Friday, February 2

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **BINGO:** 5 p.m. doors open, 6:30 p.m. games begin, Exmore Moose Lodge 683, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven.

■ **BENEFIT DINNER:** 5 to 7 p.m., Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St., Pocomoke City. Cheesesteak sub meal, \$10; chicken tender meal, \$8. Call 410-422-9195 to place a pickup order.

■ **PIZZA FUNDRAISER:** 5 to 8 p.m., drive-through pizza fundraiser at New

Church Fire and Rescue, New Church. Pepperoni, sausage, or bacon 16-inch pizzas for \$14, or combination pizzas for \$15.

■ **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.

### Saturday, February 3

■ **WINTER BIRD WALK:** 9 a.m., winter bird walk at The Nature Conservancy's Brownsville Preserve in Nassawadox. Event is free but reservations are requested by emailing [mvancielief@tnc.org](mailto:mvancielief@tnc.org) or calling 757-414-9227.

■ **DECOY SHOW:** 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., The Oyster Farm at Kings Creek presents the second annual Eastern Shore of Virginia Decoy Show in the Pearl Event Center, 700 Marina Village Circle, Cape Charles.

■ **CRAFTS, MUSIC:** 10 a.m. to noon, Winter Warm-Up with Katie O'Shea of Coastal Knitting Co. at Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The free event will include live music, coffee, hot chocolate, and pastries.

■ **STORY TIME:** 10 a.m., craft and story time with the Chincoteague Bay Field Station at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, 24313 Bennett St., Parksley.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **WINGS FUNDRAISER:** 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc. "Wings and Things" Scholarship Fundraiser at Shorter's Chapel A.M.E. Church, 10228 Bayside Road, Bridgetown. Wings are \$12 and come with one side. For more information contact Ivory Turner at 757-607-7537, Betty Sims Bell at 757-678-2944, Kim Johnson at 757-710-1535, or Subrina Parker at 757-678-6844.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 8 p.m., B.K. and Eddy Dixon at the Great Machipongo Clam Shack, 6468 Lankford Highway, Nassawadox.

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■ **COMEDY SHOW:** Doors open at 7 p.m., show begins at 8 p.m., Antoine Scott and Friends at the Historic Palace Theatre, 305 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. Featured on “Showtime at the Apollo,” “TV One,” and Bill Bellamy’s “Who Got Jokes?” Tickets are \$30 in advance and \$35 at the door. Tickets can be purchased at Lemontree Gallery, Rayfields Pharmacy locations in Cape Charles and Nassawadox, the Book Bin in Onley, and Kendall’s Kountry Kitchen in Onley.

## Sunday, February 4

■ **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:** 4 p.m., the 45-member Norfolk State University Concert Choir will perform at Hungars Episcopal Church, 10107 Bayside Road, Machipongo. It is free and open to the public. A free will offering will be accepted to sustain the series in the future.

## Monday, February 5

■ **GAME DAY:** 1 to 4 p.m., Game Day Monday at the Island Theatre Annex, 4074 Main Street. Bring a personal drink or snack. Card and table games available.

■ **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, February 6

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Cheriton Volunteer Fire Co., 21334 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton.

## Wednesday, February 7

■ **RABIES CLINIC:** 5 to 6 p.m., rabies clinic sponsored by the Pocomoke Animal Hospital to be held at the Exmore Moose Lodge, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven. Enter at back of the facility across from the tennis courts. The cost is \$5 per vaccine and is cash only. All cats must be in a carrier and all dogs must be on a leash. Proof of current vaccine is required to be eligible for a three-year vaccine.

■ **WINE WEDNESDAY:** 5 to 7 p.m., Wine Wednesday at Historic Onancock School, 6 College Ave., Onancock, featuring wine, chocolate, art, shopping, and more.

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

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., First Wednesday Open Mic Night at the Great Machipongo Clam Shack, 6468 Lankford Highway, Nassawadox.

## Thursday, February 8

■ **CARD PARTY:** 11 a.m., the Eastern Shore of Virginia Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution will have a card and game party fundraiser at the Island House Restaurant, Wachapreague. The \$40 admission includes lunch. A silent auction will be held. Proceeds support the scholarship fund for graduating seniors. RSVP by Feb. 1 at 757-442-4709.

■ **INTERNATIONAL MOVIE:** 7 p.m., “Radical,” presented by the Roseland Cinema and Entertainment Center at the Roseland Theatre, Onancock. Tickets are \$8 for single show and \$25 for the season.

## Friday, February 9

■ **BINGO:** 5 p.m. doors open, 6:30 p.m. games begin, Exmore Moose Lodge 683, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven.

■ **SECOND FRIDAY ART STROLL:** 5 to 8 p.m., sponsored by the Onancock Business and Civic Association. Businesses and restaurants will be open late with specials.

■ **HISTORICAL TALK:** 6 p.m., Jenean Hall will discuss her new book, “Another Day: More Stories from the Early Colonial Records of Virginia’s Eastern Shore,” at Ker Place, 69 Market St., Onancock.

## Saturday, February 10

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 8 p.m., Valentine’s Dance Party with the Soul Shakers at the Historic Palace Theatre, Cape Charles. Admission is \$15. Cash bar.

## Monday, February 12

■ **GAME DAY:** 1 to 4 p.m., Game Day Monday at the Island Theatre Annex, 4074 Main Street. Bring a personal drink or snack. Card and table games available.

■ **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, February 13

■ **BREAKFAST:** 8:30 to 10 a.m., the American Legion Post 159, Chincoteague,

is having a Veterans Café for all veterans and currently serving military on the second Tuesday of each month at 4023 Main St., Chincoteague.

■ **BENEFIT DINNER:** 5 to 7 p.m., Capeville United Methodist Church will have an all-you-can-eat pancake supper, including pancakes, eggs, sausage, scrapple, baked apples, coffee, and juice. The cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. Tickets are sold at the door and in advance. Call Pat Scott for tickets at 757-678-6742.

■ **BENEFIT DINNER:** 5 to 7 p.m., Pocomoke City Samaritan Shelter’s 11th annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner at the Pocomoke Elks Lodge, 1944 Worcester Highway, Pocomoke City. Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$6 for children age 3 to 6, and admission is free for children age 3 and younger. The menu is pancakes, sausage, apples, scrambled eggs, sausage gravy, biscuits, and beverage. Tickets can be purchased at the shelter, Market Street Deli, First Shore Federal, Christmas Sweets, and Enchanted Florist. Call 443-944-3889 for more information.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Cheriton Volunteer Fire Co., 21334 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton.

## Wednesday, February 14

■ **DRAWING:** The Pocomoke Area Chamber of Commerce is raffling a Valentine’s gift basket valued at more than \$300 to help raise funds for the Costen House Museum, the Delmarva Discovery Center, and the Samaritan Shelter. Raffle tickets are four for \$10. The drawing will be held Feb. 14. Purchase tickets at the Christmas Sweet, 129 Market St., Pocomoke City or by emailing pocomokechamber@gmail.com.

■ **LUNCHEON:** Noon, Pocomoke Area Chamber of Commerce General Membership Luncheon at the Market Street Deli, 1206 Market St., Pocomoke City. The guest speaker is Lauren Cooper of the Cricket Center. The cost for lunch is \$13, which includes the meal and beverage. Cash or credit cards will be accepted at the door. A meet-and-greet begins at 11:30 a.m.

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

## Friday, February 16

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Parksley Farmers and Artisans Market,

18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley.

■ **BINGO:** 5 p.m. doors open, 6:30 p.m. games begin, Exmore Moose Lodge 683, 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven.

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 8 p.m., “Crumbs From The Table of Joy,” featuring Nichanna Gholson-Dennis, Maliyah Kellam, James Rich, Aja Ruffin, and Madison Herold, at The North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and seniors and \$10 for students. See [www.northstreetplayhouse.org](http://www.northstreetplayhouse.org)

## Saturday, February 17

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 8 p.m., “Crumbs From The Table of Joy,” featuring Nichanna Gholson-Dennis, Maliyah Kellam, James Rich, Aja Ruffin, and Madison Herold, at The North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and seniors and \$10 for students. See [www.northstreetplayhouse.org](http://www.northstreetplayhouse.org)

## Sunday, February 18

■ **THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE:** 2:30 p.m., “Crumbs From The Table of Joy,” featuring Nichanna Gholson-Dennis, Maliyah Kellam, James Rich, Aja Ruffin, and Madison Herold, at The North Street Playhouse, 34 Market St., Onancock. Tickets are \$25 for adults and seniors and \$10 for students. See [www.northstreetplayhouse.org](http://www.northstreetplayhouse.org)

## Monday, February 19

■ **GAME DAY:** 1 to 4 p.m., Game Day Monday at the Island Theatre Annex, 4074 Main Street. Bring a personal drink or snack. Card and table games available.

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

■ **OPEN HOUSE:** 6 p.m., the Chincoteague Garden Club will be having an open house for potential new members at the Island Theater Annex on Main Street. Come learn about Garden Club projects and exchange information with other gardening enthusiasts. Light refreshments will be served.

## Tuesday, February 20

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 6 p.m., first game 7:30 p.m., Cheriton Volunteer Fire Co., 21334 S. Bayside Road, Cheriton.

## Wednesday, February 21

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



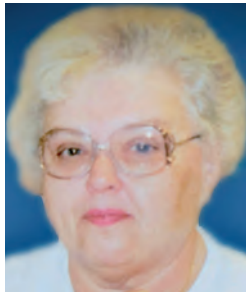
# OBITUARIES

Eastern Shore Post

## Pauline Small

Loving wife, mother, and grandmother, **Mrs. Pauline Isdell Small**, of Onley, passed away on Wednesday, Jan. 17, 2024. She was born in Onancock on Sept. 10, 1941, a daughter to the late Norman Isdell and the late Margaret Marsh.

Pauline was the beloved co-owner and operator of Redwood Gables for



**Mrs. Small**

over 20 years alongside her husband, Joseph Decormis "J.D." Small Jr. The couple met at a sock hop after a football game at Onancock High School. They

shared a dance and the rest was history. The two became one in March 1962. J.D. was drafted by the Dodgers and Pauline made sure he had a life to return to back on the Shore. They immediately went to Stockton, Md., and got married before his first at-bat.

The couple had two wonderful children, Trey and Paula. They spent summers at the local carnivals playing bingo or working in the restaurant. She volunteered for years in the Onley Fire and Rescue Women's Auxiliary.

Always kind and even-keeled, Pauline was the heart of the family. She rarely got angry and the kids can't remember a single time she ever yelled at them. Family was everything to her. She was never a showboat, always easy-going, and made sure that her husband and children knew they were loved.

Known as a hard worker, Pauline did take a little time for herself every so often. One of her favorite pastimes was going to Ocean City, Atlantic City, Dover, and Harrington to play the slots. She and her sister-in-law and mother-in-law would hop in the car, turn on some Elvis, and cruise for a few hours for a little relaxation under the neon

lights. When she had an afternoon off from work, she enjoyed cheering for Jeff Gordon or the Cowboys. Always an avid reader, she found contentment in the pages of a novel. Nothing brought her more pleasure than spending time with her grandkids. She will be remembered and missed for years to come.

Pauline is survived by her husband of nearly 62 years, J.D. Small; children, Paula Small, of Onley, and Trey Small (Jennifer), of Onley; grandchildren, Paul Thornton, Cole Siegle, Caylee Small, and Wyatt Chesser; great-grandchildren, Skylar Thornton and Evelynn Thornton; sister-in-law, Teresa Erdman; special niece, Joyce Henry; and several other nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Pauline was predeceased by her sister, Bonnie Young; brother, Robin Marsh; and great-grandchildren, Roreigh Thornton and Joseph Thornton.

A graveside memorial and inurnment was held Tuesday, Jan. 23, 2024, at 1 p.m., in Fairview Lawn Cemetery in Onancock, with the Rev. Robert Fletcher officiating.

Flowers will be accepted or memorial contributions in Pauline's name may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 870 Greenbrier Circle, Greenbrier Tower II, Suite 404, Chesapeake, VA 23320, <http://www.diabetes.org>

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at [www.williamsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.com)

Arrangements were by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

## Janet Pruitt

**Mrs. Janet Lee Pruitt**, 75, affectionately known as "Sis" to family and friends, passed away into the loving arms of her Lord and Savior on Thursday, Jan. 18, 2024. A lifelong resident of Tangier Island, Janet was born Jan. 8, 1949, to the late Kenneth Lawson Pruitt and Virginia "Ginny Belle" Pruitt.

Janet was the kind of person ev-

eryone knew they could call on in their time of need. Throughout her life she never wavered in her faith, her devotion to family, or her dedication and respect for her commu-



**Mrs. Pruitt**

nity. Having been raised in a Christian home, Janet remained an active member of Swain Memorial United Methodist Church.

As a young adult, she began her first job at the crab picking plant, using the skills she learned then to help her husband, Larry, at his crab house for many years. She was grateful to have had the opportunity to work alongside her mom at the waterfront restaurant, having made many precious memories with her during that time.

Although Sis wore many hats over the years, her favorite of all her jobs was working as a tour guide for the island ferry boats — the Chesapeake Breeze and the Steven Thomas. She thought the world of the captains and their crews and cherished the friendships made.

For Janet, there was no greater love than that she had for her family, especially Larry. Their true love and respect for one another was evident, as you would rarely see one without the other, and even then, all they'd talk about was each other. She loved spending time with her family and looked forward to her nieces' get-togethers, and she was grateful for her friends and treasured each and every one of them. Sis loved life and enjoyed every moment to the fullest, leaving lasting memories full of good times, shared laughs, and full hearts.

She is survived by her husband and best friend, Larry Pruitt; sister, Barbara Gail "Barb" McCready; special nieces, Ginna Giles and

Jackie Thomas; great-nephews, Brandon Thomas, Zachary Creedle, Christian Creedle, Kevin Thomas, and Tyler Giles; great-great-nephews, Wyatt, Liam, Layton, and Nash Thomas; sister-in-law, Charlotte Parks; special cousin and best friend, Mary Ellen Belote; and several cousins and friends. In addition to her parents, Sis was predeceased by her parents-in-law, Smith and Viola Pruitt and brother-in-law, Jackie Burton "Burt" McCready.

A service to celebrate Janet's life was held at the Swain Memorial United Methodist Church on Thursday, Jan. 25, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Charles W. Parks III and Elder Duane Crockett officiating.

Contributions in Janet's memory may be made to Swain Memorial UMC, P.O. Box 199, Tangier, VA, 23440 or Tangier Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 239, Tangier, VA 23440.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

[www.williamsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.com)

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

## Lois Webb

**Mrs. Lois Mae Webb**, 101, passed away Friday, Jan. 19, 2024, at her home, with her loving family by her side. A lifelong resident of Hacksneck, Lois was born April 28, 1922, to the late Robert and Annie Stevens.



**Mrs. Webb**

Lois' life revolved around her trust in the Lord and her devotion to family, creating a beautiful legacy of faith, love, and compassion for

over a century. She entered the workforce at a young age, having worked at the former Gregg Harriett Shirt Factory and Dulaney Foods for several

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years. Later she worked at the former Northampton-Accomack Memorial Hospital and at nursing homes in both Accomack and Northampton counties.

Lois preferred to stay busy, even when off the clock, and loved going fishing, cooking, gardening, and quilting. Over the years she picked many a bucket of blueberries at the Hacksneck Blueberry Farm and tugged thousands of sweet potatoes, which she looked forward to sharing with friends and neighbors.

She was a longtime member of the Community Church of God in Birdsnest, never wavering in her love for her Lord and Savior. Those who were fortunate enough to have known Lois' kind and generous heart are grateful for the memories (and sweet potatoes) shared.

In addition to her parents, Lois was predeceased by her husband, Edgar W. "Snooks" Webb; and brothers, Earl, Grover, Willie, and Paul Stevens.

She leaves to cherish her memory her sons, Frankie Lee Bennett, of Hacksneck, and Archie Mears Bennett Jr. and his wife Joan, of Brown Summit, N.C.; grandchildren, Michelle Bozovich, Rebekah McConnell, and Lisa Hagan; great-grandchildren, Laura McFayden, Rebekah K. Bozovich, Caroline Bozovich, Ike Mango, David Hagan, and April Hagan; and great-great-grandson, Jace Hagan.

Lois' family will be forever thankful for the care and compassion she received from her longtime caregiver, Nancy Killmon; as well as for the support of friends and neighbors, Jason and Heather Callaway, and the nurses at Riverside Shore Hospice.

Funeral services were conducted from the chapel of the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home on Thursday, Jan. 25, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Roland "Tommy" Kellam officiating. Interment was held in the Johnson's United Methodist Church Cemetery in Machipongo.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

[www.williamsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.com)

Arrangements were by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

## Carolyn Bradshaw

**Mrs. Carolyn Powers Bradshaw**, 80, of Wachapreague, passed away at her residence on Monday, Jan. 15, 2024. Born May 20, 1943, in Wachapreague, she was the daughter of the late Otho and Lucille Powers.

Carolyn graduated from Central High School in 1961, married in



**Mrs. Bradshaw**

1962, and later had two sons, JD and David, and moved to Smith Beach.

After returning to Wachapreague in the late 1970s, Carolyn worked as a substitute teacher for Accomack County Public Schools and at Roses Department Store in Onley for over 27 years, until she retired to care for her mother. She was a longtime member of Powellton Presbyterian Church and enjoyed reading the Bible.

Some of Carolyn's favorite performers were Kiss, Lynyrd Skynyrd, The Rolling Stones, Elvis, Tom Jones, and Jimi Hendrix. She was an avid Baltimore Ravens fan and enjoyed watching the Kentucky Derby. Her hobbies included, but were not limited to, gardening, birdwatching, going to the beach, yoga, taking her sons and their friends to rock concerts, and maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

She loved martial arts movies with Bruce Lee and her favorite actors were Don Johnson (Miami Vice) and Tom Selleck (Magnum P.I.). She also enjoyed listening to JD and David's music groups and was the loudest one in the crowd cheering them on throughout the years. For those who knew her personally, she enjoyed a good joke, loved to laugh, was always ready for a day trip to Ocean City, Md., and had a fondness for Ford Mustangs, Chevy Corvettes, a slice of pizza, and Utz potato chips. She loved her family very much and will be missed dearly.

She is survived by her sons, JD Bradshaw and his wife, Leslie, and David Bradshaw and his significant other, Nancy. She was also known as "mom" to Elden Riffle, Tom Brunner, and Tom Lutz.

Family and friends will gather privately to celebrate Carolyn's life. She will be laid to rest in Wachapreague Cemetery.

For those who desire, contributions in Carolyn's memory may be made to the Wachapreague Volunteer Fire Company, P.O. Box 390, Wachapreague, VA 23480.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

[www.williamsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.com)

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

## Albert Riggan

**Mr. Albert Francis "Frank" Riggan**, of Painter, passed away Sunday, Jan. 14, 2024, at the home of Jamie LeCates-Brown, whom he thought of as a daughter, and his great-great-nieces, Mia and Desiree. Born June 11, 1938, in Sanford, he was the son of the late Thomas Roosevelt Riggan and the late Laura Mae Riggan.

Following high school, Frank enlisted in the U.S. Air Force, honorably serving his country over the next five years.



**Mr. Riggan**

Upon discharge in 1960, he worked various jobs until 1970, when he opened a deli in Ramsey, N.J., which he successfully operated for 13 years.

Upon the sale of his deli, Frank enrolled at Hudson County Community College in Jersey City, N.J., where he received his culinary degree in 1985. After culinary school, Frank moved to Florida and began his longtime career with Amtrak, traveling the East Coast for many years. He enjoyed his time with Amtrak and was especially proud of his time as manager of the club car/café. He relocated to Pittsburgh in 1998 and retired from Amtrak in 2003.

Upon retirement he returned home to the Eastern Shore of Virginia, where he stayed busy working part-time at the former Captain's Corridor Motel in Melfa.

Frank is survived by his brother, Edward "Eddie" Riggan; caregiver, Jamie LeCates-Brown; great-great-nieces, Mia and Desiree; and several nieces and nephews and their families.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his sister, Mary Howard, and her husband, the Rev. Robert Miller "Bob" Howard Sr.; brothers, Vincent and Wayne Riggan; nephews, Robert M. "Rob" Howard Jr. and Gregory T. "Greg" Howard Sr.; great-nephew, Norval William "Trey" LeCates III; and great-great-nephew, Gage Barrett.

A private graveside service will be held at the Downing's Cemetery in Oak Hall.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

[www.williamsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.com)

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## William Melvin

**Mr. William Ervin Melvin**, "Barnacle Bill," of Chincoteague Island, passed away in his home on Jan. 21, 2024, at the age of 83, surrounded by his loved ones. Bill was born on Jan. 24, 1940, in his parents' home on Chincoteague.

Throughout his life, Bill wore many hats, including waterman, Saltwater Cowboy, salesman, contractor, and entrepreneur, but he was most known for his amazing storytelling and guided boat tours as Barnacle Bill.

Bill led the first shark tournament, as well as many other fishing adventures and competitions at Barnacle Bill's Bait & Tackle on Main Street. He had a passion for wild animals and could identify any bird from its call or flight.

He was the author of an e-book, "Tales of Chincoteague, the Adventures of Little Billy, and his Best Friend, Pete the Crow." He loved to share his passion for the island and had many unbelievable yet true tales to tell. In his own words, "I was born and raised in the same house that my dad was born and raised in on the island, and I love these waters and its wildlife." His most valued times were spent in frequent gatherings with his large family and on the water.

Bill is survived by his wife Linda "Winky"; his children, William



**Mr. Melvin**

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# Obituaries

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“Billy” Melvin, Lisa and John Hickman, Mel and Sonia Conser, Connie Miller and Ken McHoul, and Larry Conser and Melissa Barrett; grandchildren, David and Kristin, Michael Di Bisceglie, Alyssa and Howie, Alyson and Austin, Chris, Emily, Ellie, and Ava; and great-grandchildren, Nathan, Camden, and Carter.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, Ervin and Eva Melvin; his sister, Lois Daisey; and his son, Michael.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, Jan. 28, 2024, at Church By The Beach, Chincoteague Island.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to The Benevolence Fund at Church By The Beach, 5252 Woodland Drive, Chincoteague, VA 23336.

Online condolences can be given at [www.salyerfh.com](http://www.salyerfh.com)

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

## Robert Collins

**Mr. Robert James “Cookie” Collins Sr.**, of Hopkins, husband of the late Ruth Collins, passed away Sunday, Jan. 21, 2024, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital.

Born Nov. 7, 1945, in Hampton, he was the son of the late Roy Collins and the late Rosalie Marshall Collins.

Cookie retired from Shelton Refrigeration as an HVAC installer. He was also a former waterman who loved fishing, hunting, and being on the bay.

Survivors include his two sons, Robert James Collins Jr. and wife, Amy, of Watts-

ville, and William (Billy) Collins and his wife, Gemima, of Bloxom; his two sisters, Addie Hewitt and husband, Mike, of Clearwater, Fla., and Edwina McLean, of Houston; his brother, Eddie Wallace and wife, Jenna, of Salem; his grandchildren, Brittany Lynn Strauss, Omar Vasquez, William Collins Jr., Cristian Collins, Madison (Matt Matt) Collins, and Roosevelt Collins; seven great-grandchildren,

and numerous nieces and nephews.

Other than his wife and parents, Cookie was preceded in death by Vicki Hopkins and Pauline Collins.

Funeral services will be private at a later date.

To sign the guestbook online, visit [www.thorntonfuneralhome.net](http://www.thorntonfuneralhome.net)

Arrangements are by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

## Samantha Lewis

**Ms. Samantha Ann Lewis**, 35, of Cape Charles, passed away on Jan. 20, 2024.

Born on Sept. 18, 1988, she was the daughter of Lisa Lewis (Charles Burton) and Leland Wheatley.

Samantha is survived by her parents; grandmother, Carolyn Jean Shanley; sisters, Audrey Lewis Fickel (Jamie), Alexandria Lewis Vatis (Timmy), and Brittany Gebo; nephew, Bryton Fickel; niece, Jessie Lynn Fickel; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.



**Ms. Lewis**

She was predeceased by her grandfather, Robert William Shanley; aunt, Sharon Lewis; and cousins, Kasey Price and Randall Hickman II.

In life Samantha was a force to be reckoned with. She loved with her entire heart. She loved animals, children, and going to the beach, but most of all, she loved her family.

A memorial service will be held at Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore on Jan. 27, 2024, at 1 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Samantha’s name to SPCA Eastern Shore Inc., P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.doughtyfuneralhome.com](http://www.doughtyfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

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

## E. Phillip Hickman Jr.

**Mr. Edward Phillip Hickman Jr.**, of Horntown, died Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Born July 28, 1952, to E. Phillip Sr. and Lina Tarr Hickman, he was also raised by his second mother, Mary Louise Carey Hickman.

He was a member of Horntown Methodist Church and graduated from Atlantic High School in 1970. He was a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity in Blacksburg.



**Mr. Hickman**

He attended Virginia Tech from 1971 to 1974 and graduated with a bachelor of science degree in agriculture economics.

Phil formed a partnership with his brother, David, in 1973, known as Dublin Farms.

The Dublin Farm brand of potatoes became well known on the East Coast as their farming operation grew.

Other memberships of his include the Local Potato and Vegetable Growers Association; a gubernatorial appointment as a member of the State Seed Potato Board (18 years, serving as chairman for 5 years); the Accomack Committee for the USDA Farm Service Agency; Broadwater Academy Board of Trustees; the Pocomoke City Elks (as a trustee, and member for 46 years); the Accomack County Planning Commission (21 years, including as chairman); and the National Potato Board now trading as Potatoes USA (two terms of 6 years each).

During his time with Potatoes USA, he served on the Marketing Committee and Administrative Council for nine years, one of which as chairman.

He worked tirelessly with these groups to preserve the Eastern Shore for his grandchildren and their children.

He retired in September 2022 as president of Dublin Farms Inc. and assumed a consulting role to the farm.

An avid Hokie football fan, he took it to the extreme with his maroon pickup, orange Sailfish boat named “The Hokie High,” and his tailgate van.

Phil and his wife of 52 years, Sandy, traveled with friends and potato colleagues to various states promoting potatoes and relaxing in tropical climates.

He was known for his hearty laugh, big grin, and his business expertise. Like his father and grandfather before him, he did not know the word “lazy.”

He leaves behind his wife, one son, Phillip, and wife Michelle; their children, Logan and Elana; his brother John, and wife Kristy; their children, Carey (Luke) and Charles, and great-grandson Theo; his sister, Ann Schulmeyer and her son, Max; his brother, David and wife Chessie; their children Matt (Tara), Lee (Kim), Mark (Nikki), and all their children.

A celebration of life will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 30, 2024, at the Pocomoke Elks Lodge on 1944 Worcester Highway. Visitation is at 1 p.m. and the service is at 2 p.m. with fellowship to follow.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Signpost United Methodist Church, c/o Judy Elliott, 35028 Signpost Road, New Church, VA 23415; Virginia Tech, VT Foundation, Annual Fund 881012, 902 Prices Fork Road, Blacksburg, VA 24061; or Broadwater Academy, P.O. Box 546, Exmore, VA 23350.



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# January Happenings at Your Eastern Shore Community College

It's been a busy start to 2024 at your Eastern Shore Community College. In addition to the beginning of the new spring semester, ESCC has welcomed new team members and also seen existing employees take on new roles.

Amy Shockley has moved from Adult Education to the role of Director of Student Services. She will be working in that department with the new Financial Aid Coordinator K.C. Parks. Dr. Farid Safarmamad has come on board as the Coordinator of Institutional Research and Effectiveness, and at ESCC Workforce, Kiara Williams is the new Fast Forward Program Coordinator.



*New roles and new faces at ESCC include (L-R)  
Amy Shockley, Dr. Farid Safarmamad, K.C. Parks, and Kiara Williams.*

**Nursing Faculty  
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New opportunities also exist for nursing faculty at ESCC in 2024. For those interested in learning more about these upcoming positions, there will be an Information Session and Open House on Monday, January 29th from 6:00pm-9:00pm in the Main Academic Building on campus in Melfa. This will be held in-person in rooms 147/148 on the first floor with a Zoom option for those who would like to participate online. ESCC VP of Academics and Workforce Programs, Dr. Joseph Walter, will lead the presentation which will elaborate on these roles that are becoming available with ESCC's celebrated nursing programs.

In addition to the Friday, January 26th ESCC Foundation Oyster Roast (check online at [es.vccs.edu](http://es.vccs.edu) for ticket availability), the college has announced another event coming up on the calendar in February. The Eastern Shore art community will be in the spotlight for the newly announced February 24th Indoor Winter Art Walk, held exclusively at ESCC.

This first-time event will take place on both floors of the ESCC Academic Building from 10:00am-2:00pm. Designed as a "weather-proof" pre-festival season event for local artists and crafters, the Art Walk will give visitors a great sampling of the creativity that continues to emerge and flourish on the Shore.

Classrooms and atrium areas on both floors will be occupied by a wide variety of talents, in addition to ESCC club creations, live acoustic music, and food and beverage offerings. Applications are currently being accepted for those interested in participating. Forms are available online at [es.vccs.edu](http://es.vccs.edu) and at reception areas on campus. Registration fees are waived for the inaugural edition and there will be no admission charge for visitors that day.

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# Community rallies behind cheerleaders



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Saturday, Jan. 20 was a wonderfully positive experience for the Nandua Middle School Braves and the Chincoteague Middle School Ponies. After multiple failed attempts to secure a date and judges for an official cheerleading tournament, the annual event was canceled; however, each team was given the opportunity to showcase. Nandua opened its doors for friends and family of both teams to view the routines these young cheerleaders had worked so hard to create and perform. The entire gym cheered for everyone and positive sportsmanship was shared by all. Guest Virginia High School League judges offered feedback to each coach without determining a winner so both teams could see how they would have scored on the rubrics in a real competition. Three minutes of undivided attention for each team meant the world to these 27 middle school athletes. Pictured in the top row are Saniya Broughtin, Cheyenne Britton, Aja Custis, Ava Williams, Journey Eder, Faith Stadler, Captain Chloe Bacchi, Luciana Vasiliou, Grace Dietch, Jahzara Austin, Taliyah Grimes, Captain Jordyn Daley, Captain Emma Tyler, and Camden Scott. In the bottom row are Captain Alexis Toth, Gabby Martinez, Jayden Pace, Jayla Bailey, Haedyn Newsome, ZyNiya Davis, Morgan Daisey, Emma Dietch, Anastasia Tountas, Alyssa Phillips, Alyssa Boardman, Nyomi Wise, and Vera Breland.

## HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

# Hintz leads Nandua to victory over Broadwater

**BY KINSEY RAYFIELD**

Special to the Eastern Shore Post

The Broadwater Lady Vikings basketball team hosted Nandua on Thursday, Jan. 18, and fell to the Warriors 58-42.

The Warriors ran away in the first quarter on the homestanding Vikings 17-4. The momentum continued for the Lady Warriors in the second quarter as they outscored Broadwater 14-6.

The Lady Vikings' offense picked up in the third quarter — they scored 18 points to the Warriors' 12. But Nandua's sizable lead from the first half was never seriously threatened. The game ended with the Lady Warriors outscoring the Lady Vikings 15-14 in the fourth quarter.

The Nandua Lady Warriors were led by Reghan Hintz with 35 points.

The standout player for the Lady Vikings was Leah Smith with 24 points, 10 rebounds, three steals, two blocks, and one assist.



# N'hampton boys, Nandua girls win

BY MARK MORING

Eastern Shore Post

When Nandua High School's boys basketball team took a 36-31 halftime lead at Northampton on Tuesday night, Yellow Jackets coach Wayne Bell had some words for his players in the locker room.

The Jackets then outscored Nandua 30-15 in the third quarter and held on for a 74-61 victory.

Afterward, someone asked senior guard Quay Washington, "Did Coach Bell chew out the team at halftime?"

Washington just smiled and said, "No, he was just telling us about ourselves."

The "telling about" apparently worked.

"We just talked about pressuring the ball more for some turnovers to get easy baskets," said Bell. "I'm glad they stepped it up and made it happen, because Nandua had the momentum and we wanted to grab it back."

Northampton improved to 10-4 overall and 2-0 in the Eastern Shore District. With a Wednesday night loss to Pocomoke, Nandua now stands at 6-7 overall and 0-1 in the district.

Northampton traveled to Arcadia (9-6, 1-0) Thursday in a battle for first place in the league. The game finished after deadline.

On Tuesday, in a pregame ceremony, Yellow Jacket senior guard Ronyell Coston was honored for scoring his 1,000th career point in a recent game at Chincoteague. He then poured in 23 points to lead his team over Nandua. Junior guard Jaylen Anderson added 21 points and six assists, and Washington added 12 points, six assists, and five steals.

Senior forward Ny'Zir Dix led Nandua with 25 points, and senior guard Makai Dorn added 9. Nandua coach Trelle Warner also praised junior Cody Ragone for solid all-around play off the bench.

Warner agreed that the third quarter "definitely determined the outcome of the game. We have to be more disciplined when facing a scrappy team. Northampton applied a lot of pressure that creates turnovers. This was a tough loss but a learning experience."

Northampton's Washington said his team "just started clicking on defense" in the third quarter. "We capitalized on some stops and it just turned around. That's what we needed."

## Warrior girls win

In the earlier girls game, Nandua senior Reghan Hintz scored 42 points to lead the Warriors to an



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At left, Northampton's Quay Washington drives against Nandua's Makai Dorn during the Yellow Jackets' win. At right, Nandua's Reghan Hintz drives for two of her 42 points.

easy 60-23 win. Nandua led 18-0 before Northampton scored its first basket with about a minute left in the first quarter.

The Warriors led 41-6 at the half, and coach Lynn Williams played his subs liberally in the second half as Nandua coasted.

Nandua, which improved to 7-4 overall and 1-0 in the district, also got seven points from junior Keira Wheatley. The Warriors hosted Chincoteague (5-4, 2-0) on Thursday in a game that ended after deadline.

Northampton, led by eight points each from junior Ortavia Rogers and sophomore Jade Collins, fell to 0-10 and 0-2. The Jackets visited Arcadia on Thursday night.

Williams said his players still have much to learn, even in such a one-sided game.

"We try to work on our zone defense in situations like that," he said. "We have a lot of underclass players, and I'm just trying to get them acclimated — where they're supposed to be, what they're supposed to do, boxing out, rebounding, those kinds of things."

Before Thursday's game against Chincoteague and Friday's at Pocomoke, Hintz had 930 career points. If she can maintain her scoring average of 27.1 points per game, she could score her 1,000th career point at home against Arcadia on Monday, Jan. 29.



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# Development

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households earning 60% to 120% of the median income, which was \$52,694 according to the 2022 U.S. Census, said Accomack's Deputy County Administrator of Planning and Community Development Lee Pambid.

The conceptual plans also include trails, a playground, a fitness center, businesses, and other amenities in a walkable community.

"There's a sense of place that they're trying to develop here," Pambid said in his presentation to the planning commission.

If approved, the project would be built in phases, with an initial phase adding 225 housing units, he said.

However, that would not be for some time, given the project requires rezoning the land and the developer securing a conditional-use permit from Accomack County, among other regulatory steps.

The planning commissioners' questions at Tuesday's meeting centered on the scale of the project and how an influx of new residents could impact local schools, police departments, emergency responders, and other public services.

"Would you need another firehouse here, for example?" asked Planning Commissioner John Sparkman, who noted new homes could create a need for new schools, law enforcement officers, or other services that could impact taxpayers.

"This is going to be phased over time, so the impact ... of 465 units is not going to be felt at one time," Pambid said. He added the timeline for the project would be determined in the future.

County staff and the developer have spoken with school leaders and found that none of Accomack's public schools is at its capacity, he said.

A traffic study on the plans will wrap soon and the Virginia Department of Transportation has found "no significant impact" so far, Carbaugh said. The developer would be charged with completing any road improvements the state requires.

The development would connect to the Hampton Roads Sanitation Dis-



COURTESY IMAGE

**A proposed housing development near the Chesapeake Square shopping center in Onley would be built in phases if it clears regulatory hurdles. An initial phase would include sections 1 through 4, 5, 6, and 12, as shown.**

trict's new regional sewer system and to water service from Onancock, "and the capacity is there," Pambid said.

To move forward, the developer requires rezoning the 100-acre site from Agricultural and General Business to Commercial and Business Development district — a move that "fits in the with the future land-use recommendations in the (Accomack County) Comp Plan," Pambid said.

Carbaugh's group is also seeking four exemptions to the county's zoning rules in the conditional-use permit for the project.

One is an exception to the 40-acre maximum size for a village development project. The proposed project is more than double that at 100 acres.

Smaller exceptions include waiving the county requirement to provide two access points for developments that generate 250 trips daily.

The developers would provide one access point on Route 13 in the project's first phase, with plans to later add access points on Fairgrounds Road, at Chesapeake Square shopping center, and at A&N Electric Coopera-

tive, Pambid said.

The developer is seeking an exception to the 200-foot setback required from property lines for parcels zoned agricultural. The waiver request notes that for this project, these parcels are woodlands and not used for agriculture.

The final waiver request is to alter the county's parking requirement for shopping centers, from 1 parking space per 200 square feet of retail floorspace, to 1 parking space for every 300 square feet of shopping space.

The conceptual plans for the project include 11 rows of five townhouses, for 55 total townhouses; 13 apartment buildings, each with 24 units, for 312 apartments; 76 duplex units; and 22 loft apartments above businesses.

The buildings would be allowed a maximum height of 35 feet, or 45 feet with additional setbacks, according to Accomack County's zoning rules.

While the apartments would be rentals, the developer could sell some housing units, Carbaugh said.

His group works with Virginia Housing, an organization helping

Virginians attain quality, affordable homes, on other housing developments on Virginia's Eastern Shore.

"Hearing Virginia Housing and their interest in seeing projects like this come to the Eastern Shore is why we think it is important," he said, referencing the 20% workforce housing component of the proposed development.

Carbaugh sought to build what would have been Accomack County's first planned unit development over a decade ago near NASA Wallops Flight Facility, but the county's board of supervisors denied a rezoning application for part of the property and a conditional use permit for a sewage treatment facility there.

The Accomack County Planning Commission is slated to vote on whether to send the plans to a public hearing during its next meeting, Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 7 p.m. in the Board Chambers of the County Administration Building, 23296 Courthouse Ave., Accomac.

■ Visit <http://tinyurl.com/3u8p5ffe> for more information.



# Lawsuit

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attorney fees in the lawsuit.

"We don't have a dollar value to put on the damages right now ... (because) it is growing each day" that the food truck is closed, Moore said.

The lawsuit claims Parksley Town Council member Henry Nicholson trespassed on the food truck owners' private property and cut the water line to their mobile food unit.

Parksley Mayor Frank Russell said he has "absolutely no comment" on the lawsuit, which he had not yet received Tuesday afternoon.

Nicholson, who is being sued individually and in his official capacity as a town councilman, also declined comment.

"I'd be a fool to comment on anything anymore anyway because my words get twisted around," he said, adding, "People turn it around and try to make it racist."

The lawsuit also claims Parksley retaliated against Bastien and Benoir for seeking legal advice after they received a letter from Attorney André Wiggins, on behalf of Parksley, requesting their food truck "cease operation immediately."

That letter, dated Nov. 1, said Parksley's Town Zoning Ordinance does not name food trucks in uses allowed by right in the town's commercial district.

It stated individuals 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.

Bastien and Benoir opened the truck last summer after paying \$30 to Park-

sley for a one-year business license on May 14, 2023.

It was the first food truck to arrive in town, leading the town council to grapple with how to manage a new type of business.

On Oct. 9, the council voted 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, though the council was divided on the new rule.

The town council repealed that law Nov. 13, but the ordinance drew attention during its short time on the books — including from attorneys at the Institute for Justice.

The suit claims Parksley's town government unconstitutionally retaliated against the business owners, and that Nicholson trespassed on their private property. It sues the defendants under the First, Fourth, and 14th Amendments to the U.S. Constitution, the Civil Rights Act of 1871, and Virginia tort law, among others.

The town and Nicholson will be served with the legal notice by the end of the week, Moore said, and they will have 21 days to respond, though they may request an extension.

Wiggins did not return the Post's request for comment by press time.

"I'd like this lawsuit to be an example to the city," Bastien said in a translated interview with the Institute for Justice.

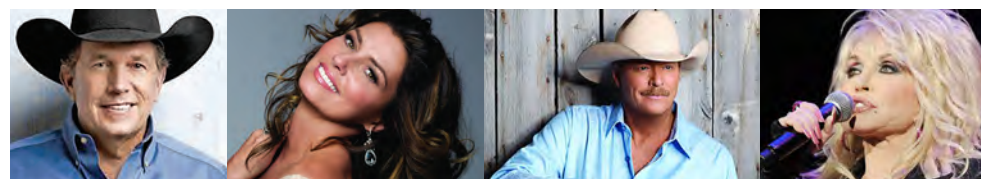
"When you're the mayor, you're the mayor of all people, and you serve all people," she said.

■ Visit <http://tinyurl.com/38drex7> to read the suit filed against the town of Parksley and Nicholson.



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The owners of this mobile food unit in Parksley have filed a lawsuit against the town and one councilman in federal court.



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# Supervisors discuss tax-relief options

BY STEFANIE JACKSON  
Eastern Shore Post

Northampton County supervisors are considering finding more ways to help elderly residents keep their real estate taxes paid and stay in their homes.

“I’d hate to see an old man or old lady lose their home that they built from the beginning and their income has ... gotten so low that they may not be able to take care of their taxes,” said Vice Chair Oliver Bennett on Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Finance Director John Chandler noted that Northampton County already has some tax relief programs in place.

Elderly and disabled residents whose annual household income does not exceed \$50,000 may qualify for tax relief.

Northampton County also offers real estate and personal property tax relief for disabled veterans or their surviving spouses.

“If they don’t qualify for the tax reductions that we already have in place, the treasurer will work out payment plans for people,” said County Administrator Charlie Kolakowski.

Bennett was concerned that the payment plan included penalties and interest that “constantly shoots up” and prevents property owners from being able to pay off their tax bills.

Chandler said that Virginia Code regulates the penalties and interest, which are a one-time penalty of 10% of the taxes owed, plus 10% annual interest on any remaining balance.

“If you’re late one day, or two years late, it’s 10% — that’s it,” John Chandler said of the penalty.

Kolakowski also confirmed that at least two years must pass before property may be sold to collect unpaid real estate taxes.

“I knew we had a plan where, if you can’t pay your taxes ... you don’t make enough money, you don’t have enough income, you don’t have a lot of cash in the bank, then we basically will abate your taxes to a lower level,” but a real estate tax payment program is “news to me,” said Supervisor John Coker.

Kolakowski clarified that Northampton County does not offer payment plans to individual taxpayers but is “eligible” to offer them.

“So we need to look a little deeper,” Bennett said. Coker agreed, “We need to work on that.”

Chair Betsy Mapp noted that payment plans are provided at the discretion of the county treasurer, and anyone seeking to set up a payment plan should contact the treasurer before taxes are due Dec. 5.



COURTESY IMAGE

Moose Member Chester Jackson, right, was presented with the Exmore Moose Lodge Member of the Year award at the annual Members’ Christmas Party by President Kenneth “Junie” Robbins Jr. Robbins said Jackson portrays what being a Moose member is all about — he is always willing to lead an auction for fundraising, he goes above and beyond to help other Moose members and members of the community, and is always willing to lend a helping hand in whatever capacity.

## CAMP OCCOHANNOCK FUNDRAISER



COURTESY IMAGE

Camp Occohannock’s 16th Annual Polar Duck Dip was held on Saturday, Jan. 20, with over 20 brave youngsters and adults jumping into the frigid waters. They helped to raise money to support the ministry of the camp. The camp had set a goal of \$50,000 to help future projects like finishing the two Super Cabins, among the plans for 2024. Camp Director Joel Coleman put out the challenge that he would jump into the water in a funky chicken costume when \$40,000 was raised. The total now stands at approximately \$33,000. Along with the dip, the camp had an online auction with the help of Zeb Barfield. The fund drive is still underway, and it is not too late to support the camp. For more information on the camp or to donate, go to [www.ootbay.org](http://www.ootbay.org) or call 757-442-7836.



NORTHAMPTON COUNTY INDICTMENTS

■ James Dagam Bowdoin, 33, of Mount Columbia Road, Manquin, Va., was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of robbery by physical force on Sept. 11, 2023. He also faces a misdemeanor charge of assault and battery and received a summons for public intoxication. Bowdoin was arrested Sept. 12, 2023, and held without bail. He was released later on Sept. 12, 2023, on \$5,000 secured bond.

■ Linda A. Boylan, 60, of High Street, Portsmouth, was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of check forgery on Sept. 25, 2023. She was arrested on Oct. 9, 2023, and released on \$1,500 unsecured bail.

■ Matthew James Burroughs, 27, of Lankford Highway, Cape Charles, was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of possession of a firearm while a protective order was in effect on Oct. 3, 2023. He was arrested Oct. 4, 2023, and held without bail. Burroughs was released Oct. 5, 2023, on \$5,000 secured bond.

■ Mike Carpenter, 61, of Prospect Lane, Cape Charles, was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of pick-pocket-

ing, stealing property worth \$5 or more, a cellphone, from a person on Aug. 18, 2023. He also faces misdemeanor charges of assault and battery, property damage of less than \$1,000, and stalking, causing a reasonable fear of death or assault. Carpenter was arrested Aug. 18, 2023, and released on \$2,000 secured bail.

■ Michael Wayne Cox, 49, of Robinson Tract Road, Pulaski, Va., was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of possession of methamphetamine, a Schedule I or II drug, on Aug. 17, 2023. He also received a summons for driving while intoxicated on Sept. 19, 2023. Cox was arrested Oct. 13, 2023, and released on \$1,000 secured bail.

■ Azzure Jebo Horsey, 19, of West 6th Street, Laurel, Del., was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of possession of methamphetamine, a Schedule I or II drug, on Sept. 11, 2023. The grand jury certified two misdemeanor charges: general reckless driving and reckless driving by speeds of 20 mph or more over the limit. The grand jury also certified four traffic infractions: failure

to pay a toll, driving a vehicle with defective or unsafe equipment, passing on the right shoulder, and crossing double yellow lines on the roadway. Horsey was arrested Oct. 19, 2023, and held without bail. She was released Oct. 31, 2023, on \$3,000 secured bond.

■ Ryan Patrick Long, 37, of Bay-side Road, Onancock, was indicted Jan. 8 on three felony charges: two counts of uttering forged checks on Sept. 28, 2023, and one count of attempted uttering on Sept. 30, 2023. He also faces multiple misdemeanor charges of petit larceny. Long was arrested April 26, 2023, and held without bail. He was released Dec. 7, 2023, on \$5,000 unsecured bond.

■ Jonathan Chase Melzer, 49, an inmate of Eastern Shore Regional Jail, Eastville, was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of burning or destroying correctional facility property while a prisoner on Oct. 8, 2023. He also faces a misdemeanor charge of property damage of less than \$1,000. Melzer was arrested for

the charges on Oct. 10, 2023.

■ Antron Kendall Morris, 39, of Spur Lane, Machipongo, was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of malicious shooting at an occupied vehicle on Oct. 2, 2023. He also faces a misdemeanor charge of reckless handling of a firearm. Morris was arrested Oct. 2, 2023, and held without bail. He was released Oct. 13, 2023, on \$2,500 secured bond.

■ Gregory L. Perron III, 27, of Stoner Trail Road, Fonda, N.Y., was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of eluding police and endangerment on Oct. 21, 2021. He also faces a related misdemeanor charge of reckless driving by speeds of 85 mph or more. Perron was arrested Aug. 24, 2023, and held without bail. He was released Sept. 7, 2023, on \$8,000 secured bond.

■ Andrew Christopher Starks, 26, of 38th Street, Newport News, was indicted Jan. 8 on a felony charge of possession of methamphetamine, a Schedule I or II drug, on June 26, 2023. He was arrested the same day and released June 30, 2023, on \$1,000 secured bond.

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# ALL announces spring schedule

Spring is coming and it is time to register for the Academy for Lifetime Learning's 2024 spring semester.

There are many interesting new offerings along with old favorites.

For a \$25 enrollment fee, participants can take as many classes as they can fit into their schedule.

Some classes begin in early February, others begin later. Classes continue until late May.

Whether an experienced cook or a novice, participants will learn something new from a cooking class called "Flavors: Secret, Magic Ingredients."

For those who want know more about classical music, noted musician Lee Jordan-Anders is teaching "The Life and Music of Mozart."

Participants can watch and discuss French films, learn to take better photos with a cellphone, or sign up for an introduction to theater.

For those interested in active pursuits, there are guided nature walks, a kayak trip, line dancing, pickleball, and bocce ball.

Learn about an Android phone, planning an estate, or how to prepare paperwork for a tax preparer. The popular Eastern Shore history class taught by local historian Dennis Custis is back again with something new.

To see course offerings, schedule, and class times and locations, visit [www.allesva.org](http://www.allesva.org)

Some classes will be held on Friday mornings at the Eastern Shore Community College, others will be held in other locations at other times.

The Academy for Lifetime Learning is an all-volunteer organization of individuals who share their interests and life experiences to provide a rich and varied menu of courses.

Membership fees go to pay the limited expenses of the organization.

The remaining dollars are given each year in scholarships to Eastern Shore high school graduates to enable them to continue their education.

# Child care, pre-K topic of upcoming meetings

Accomack and Northampton county public school systems are hosting child care and pre-kindergarten connections meetings.

The first will be held on Saturday, Feb. 3, from 9 a.m. to noon at the Accomack County Department of Social Services in Accomac.

The second will be held on Sat-

urday, Feb. 10, from 9 a.m. to noon at the Northampton County Department of Social Services in Eastville.

The school systems, Eastern Shore Head Start, Children's Harbor, social services departments, and Go and Grow Eastern Shore are partnering to host a joint Ear-

ly Childhood Care and Education enrollment informational event in both Northampton and Accomack counties.

These events are an opportunity for Eastern Shore families to come out and learn about child care and pre-K options available to them within each county, organizers said.

## TOPS GROUP WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Take Off Pounds Sensibly, or TOPS, Chapter 0681, recently had its holiday lunch. The group meets each Wednesday at 10 a.m. at Market Street Methodist Church in Onancock. Pictured are, clockwise from bottom left, Marianne Francavilla, Eileen Courtney, Naomi Scanlan, Mary Jordan, Connie Taylor, Donna Belote, Myriam Downing, Jo Ann Bell, Diane Lukasik, Pat McArdle, Ada Jo Amadeo, and Ann Lavelle.

## Northampton County Republicans to meet

The next Northampton County Republican Party monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, Feb. 1, from 7 to 8 p.m., at Eastville

Town Hall and Community Center. Everyone is welcome.

## Accomack schools' schedule announced

Superintendent Rhonda Hall has

announced that Accomack County Public Schools ended their first semester and second nine weeks on Thursday, Jan. 25.

All schools will be closed on Friday, Jan. 26, for a teacher work day, and Monday, Jan. 29, for a staff development day.



REGIONAL

# Little River Band, Firefall headline ChamberFest '24

BY TED SHOCKLEY  
Eastern Shore Post

The Little River Band and Firefall, two popular bands from the 1970s and 1980s, will perform on Saturday, May 18, in Cape Charles, at the Eastern Shore of Virginia Chamber of Commerce's ChamberFest, a marketing and networking event in its third year.

ChamberFest will take place in "the old rail yard," a large waterfront property between Cape Charles' business district and the Shanty restaurant, from 3 to 8 p.m.

The announcement was made by Robert Sabbatini, the executive director of the chamber of commerce and the Eastern Shore of Virginia Tourism Commission, on Friday, Jan. 19, live on WESR 103.3FM.

The chamber's website stated tickets are \$75 each plus a \$3 surcharge. Tickets go on sale Monday, Feb. 5, Sabbatini said.

Sabbatini said the location and the season have changed from the first two ChamberFest events, which were held near Onancock. The bands included Molly Hatchett, Sawyer Brown, and Jefferson Starship during the first two years, as well as local musical groups.

"We've had some big acts here," said Sabbatini.

Sabbatini said the new location in Cape Charles provides more space, is closer to the Hampton Roads area, and will feature "the beautiful backdrop of the Chesapeake Bay."

"We think it's just going to be the perfect location," he said.

Moving ChamberFest from the fall to the spring also avoids hurricane season.

"The committee thinks long and hard about hurricane season," said Sabbatini. "We don't want to run into any issues like that."

The Little River Band has sold more than 30 million albums and has had

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numerous top-20 singles, including "Reminiscing," which reached No. 3 in the late 1970s.

Firefall's biggest single, "You Are the Woman," peaked at No. 9 on the Billboard chart in 1976.

It is Fireball's second performance in the area — the band also performed at the former Upper Deck restaurant in Pocomoke City in 1993.

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# In Cheriton, a plan for ‘glamping domes’

**BY STEFANIE JACKSON**  
Eastern Shore Post

One Northampton resident has a creative idea for providing accommodations for visitors without opening more short-term vacation rental houses, which some say negatively impact the county’s available stock of affordable and workforce housing.

Jason Hahn, of Bayview Circle, near Cheriton, wants to build up to five domes or pods on his approximately five-acre property for “glamping,” a term that is a portmanteau of the words “glamorous” and “camping.”

“Glamping is for people like me that would never camp in their life but want a more luxurious stay when they’re enjoying the outdoors,” he said at the Tuesday, Jan. 9, Northampton Board of Supervisors meeting.

It’s a way for guests to get close to nature without sleeping in a tent on the ground and giving up comforts such as electricity or indoor plumbing.

Hahn’s glamping domes each would be 10 feet high and set on platforms about one foot off the ground.

Each dome would feature a bay window and a sun roof and be large enough to accommodate a king-size bed and a kitchenette with a coffee maker and mini fridge, Hahn said.

The domes would be used to host visiting friends, family, and other guests.

“Our goal with this is to work to bring Cheriton to kind of where Cape Charles is. When people visit this area, they always go to Cape Charles, which is great. It’s an amazing town,” Hahn said.

“But Cheriton is this lost, little,



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**Glamping domes, similar to this one, could be coming to Cheriton.**

cute town with these small businesses, and it used to be something that now it is not,” he said.

The project would be “a Cheriton thing,” and visitors would be directed to businesses in town to eat, shop for antiques, or get a haircut, Hahn said.

He wants to avoid the pitfalls of standard short-term rental homes and has decided not to permit motor vehicles, loud music, or smoking around the domes.

Hahn also plans to install a 6-foot fence to help hide the domes from view.

“This is a place for people to come and enjoy and relax and be peaceful,” he said.

Hahn has received letters of support

from his neighbors, Cheriton business owners, and a local church.

Realizing his goal will take close cooperation between Hahn and county staff and the approval of the board of supervisors.

Northampton’s planning and zoning director, Susan McGhee, told supervisors at their Tuesday, Jan. 23, meeting that Hahn could apply for a major special-use permit for his project, but only if the county’s zoning ordinance was changed.

Hahn’s property and home is in a town edge zoning district, which Supervisor John Coker called a “special place” where both residential and certain commercial uses, such as camp-

grounds, may be permitted.

However, Northampton’s zoning ordinance currently does not allow a campground and a single-family dwelling on the same parcel.

McGhee explained to supervisors that a zoning text amendment could solve the problem.

She suggested amending the definition of a campground to include not only “parking, playgrounds, offices, recreational ponds, and retail uses such as snack bars or general stores for use by campground patrons” but also a “single-family residence owned by the facility.”

By modifying only the definition of a campground but not the commercial use chart, campgrounds with single-family residences would be allowed by major special-use permit in not only a town edge district but also agricultural-rural business districts, villages, and waterfront villages.

Coker was amenable to the idea of allowing campgrounds with single-family residences in town edge districts but he didn’t want them “everywhere,” especially in an A-RB district.

McGhee said allowing the combination of a campground and a single-family dwelling only in a town edge district would require modifying the commercial use chart in Northampton’s zoning ordinance.

Hahn said he didn’t want to “open a can of worms,” and he would be willing to change his proposal if necessary.

Northampton supervisors unanimously voted to adopt a resolution referring the matter to the county planning commission and initiating the process of amending the zoning text.

## Fournier to discuss most recent book

On Tuesday, Feb. 20, from 6 to 7 p.m. Arthur Fournier will discuss his recent book, “Hope Makes Us Live! Hope Makes Us Die!” at the Eastern Shore

Regional Library in Parksley.

Fournier will be discussing his experiences bringing much needed medical care to Haiti and the unique culture and heritage that he has found in the Caribbean nation.

In his most recent publication, Fournier explores the rich and tumultuous culture of Haiti. In the 18th

century, Haiti was the richest colony in the New World. This aristocracy, however, dwindled as years went by and the enslaved people were finally able to exact their freedom. In the present day, lives of the Haitian peasants have become harder and harder.

Contact Tiffany Flores with questions about the event at [tflores@espl.org](mailto:tflores@espl.org) or at 757-787-3400.



# Schools detail plan for Accomac Primary

BY TED SHOCKLEY

Eastern Shore Post

The former Accomack Primary School, the stately, columned, vacant building set to be renovated into a school administration complex, will not have a parking lot in its front yard.

That's according to Bobby Bennett, Accomack County Public Schools' director of operations and management, who told the school board on Tuesday, Jan. 16, that the area in front of the building will be left alone.

Last June the school board voted to pursue restoring and remodeling the 1932 structure, which provides a beloved northern bookend to Court-house Avenue.

Bennett said the goal is to "preserve the character of the existing building." Architects will meet with school officials in February to discuss the project and should have a floor plan designed by March.

Tommy Hines and Christopher Newman, members of the Accomac Town Council, addressed the school board to ask that there not be a parking lot in front of the school.

Hines and Newman also asked for "transparency" from the school board about the renovation project.

"We just haven't heard too much going on," said Hines.

Newman asked if there could be more of a discussion with school board members on important topics of the day.

"I just urge you to think about this and see if you can't open up this meeting a bit more so we can communicate back and forth," Newman said.

## Eight-man football

Arcadia High School's incoming football coach and two others asked the school board's permission to field an eight-man football team in the

fall.

Timothy Hite, who said he was recently hired to be the coach, asked the board for its "full support" to transition the team from 11-man to eight-man football.

"This is my opinion of what would

be best for our student-athletes," Hite said.

He said he hoped to transition back to 11-man football after rebuilding the program, possibly after two years.

Chincoteague High School and

Broadwater Academy each play in an eight-man football league that has accepted Arcadia.

Two other speakers advocated for Arcadia to play eight-man football

The school board did not comment on the request.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Accomack County School Board recently recognized three teachers, from left, Julie Harrower, Michelle Hatcher, and Allison Tyler, who have passed rigorous assessments and instructional best practices assignments to earn the designation of National Board Certification. "They are masters of their professional craft — and we are proud to have them teach our students," said School Board Chair Janet Martin-Turner. National Board Certification is the most respected professional certification available in education and provides numerous benefits to teachers, students, and schools. It was designed to develop, retain, and recognize accomplished teachers and to generate ongoing improvement in schools nationwide.



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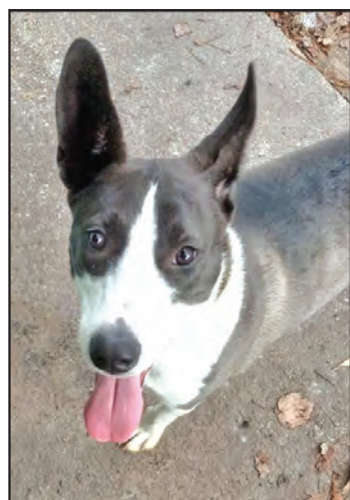


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**Upcoming projects/initiatives:** The successful candidate will play a critical role on the implementation team for a new ERP software platform; and serves on the County's leadership team.

**Minimum Qualifications:** A bachelor's degree with major coursework in business, accounting, finance, economics, public administration or related field and a minimum of 5 to 7 years of progressively responsible local, state, federal government or private sector experience in accounting, finance, or auditing. Advanced Excel proficiency. Previous supervisor experience; proficiency in the use of technology to enhance financial reporting and budget preparation.

**Preferred Qualifications:** Experience in government finance; CPA designation, Master's degree. Ability to provide analysis of extrapolated data as well as certify the integrity of the data used for strategic decisions in the County. Demonstrated ability to provide solutions to complex situations involving both people and data. Must understand the concept of a working manager and lead by example.

Excellent benefits package includes participation in the Virginia Retirement System, vacation, sick leave, life insurance, health insurance, and professional development expenses.

Application can be obtained from the County's website:  
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# Help Wanted

## ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

### Administrative Assistant I

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Accomack County is currently recruiting for a full-time position to provide administrative support for the Accomack/Norhampton Community Corrections local probation program grant. The program ensures court mandated adult participants comply with the terms of their court orders. This position provides administrative support to the program manager by answering phones, making appointments on Outlook calendar, inputting data, and other administrative tasks. Successful candidate will be self-motivated and able to maintain confidentiality in an office setting.

**Minimum Qualifications:** High school diploma or GED; supplemented by two (2) to three (3) years previous experience and/or training in data processing or administrative office support; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience.

**Preferred Qualifications:** Microsoft Suite proficiency, bilingual capabilities, and familiarity with court/legal terminology; satisfactory completion of a background check and drug screening prior to employment are required.

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### Regional Radio System Manager

**Position Re-Advertised – Part-Time/Hourly Employment Considered**

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

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

Interested individuals are requested to submit a cover letter and resume with salary expectations and professional references to the Director of the 9-1-1 Center, at [jflournoy@co.norhampton.va.us](mailto:jflournoy@co.norhampton.va.us), mailed 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](http://www.esva911.org). Any inquiries about this position should be directed to: Jeffrey Flournoy, 9-1-1 Director, at [jflournoy@co.norhampton.va.us](mailto:jflournoy@co.norhampton.va.us) or at 757-787-0909. The ESVA 9-1-1 Commission is an equal opportunity employer.



### Nutritionist Supervisor Senior Position #04006

The Eastern Shore Health District is seeking a qualified candidate to serve as Nutritionist Supervisor Senior. The position supervises all nutritional programs and supporting staff within the WIC Supplemental Food Program. Must meet requirements for use of title Dietitian/Nutritionist as authorized by Code of VA 54.1-2731. For detailed job information or to apply, visit <https://jobs.virginia.gov/>

Virginia Department of Health (VDH) accepts only online applications; apply by January 29, 2024. EEO.



## Join Our Team.

The Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel is accepting applications for:

### • CONTROLLER

Applicant must possess three to five years of accounting and auditing experience in public accounting, private accounting firms, or municipal government. Applicant must also possess a four-year undergraduate degree with an accounting major or equivalent course work in accounting and finance combined concentrations.

Salary range is \$65,672 to \$105,299 and includes a complete benefits package.

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### ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SPECIALIST Position #ES034

Performs environmental health duties at the entry level. Management of Septic Pump-out Program; notifies and advises homeowners and businesses of pump-out requirements and provides guidance as required; performs other EH duties as needed. For detailed job information and to apply, visit <https://jobs.virginia.gov/>

Virginia Department of Health (VDH) accepts only online applications; apply by February 1, 2024 at 11:55 p.m. EEO.

### FULL-TIME COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER

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

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

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

**Open until filled. EOE.**



### Accomack-Norhampton Planning District Commission

Hiring for one (1) F/T position w/Benefits;  
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### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR

This position focuses on implementing community development projects with an emphasis on housing, community and economic revitalization.

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A complete job description can be found at:  
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### NORTHAMPTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS ACCEPTING EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS FOR:

### LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

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

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

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

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### Building Inspector

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

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

Requires valid Virginia Driver's License.

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

Please refer to Northampton County's website for further job descriptions, requirements and county's application form <https://tinyurl.com/bdcb8hst> Please submit completed County application form with cover letter to Human Resources, P. O. Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347. Position open until filled.

**Northampton County is an EOE.**



# Help Wanted

## OPERATIONS TECHNICIAN SPECIALIST

C&E Family Farms, LLC., in Cheriton, VA has an immediate need for an Operations Technician Specialist. This position reports to the Operations Manager and collaborates closely with other staff and customers daily. Duties will be performed in the following areas: Purchasing, inventory management, records maintenance, logistics, IFCO account management, facility worklist, service writing, food safety, ordering supplies / services, maintaining contact lists, publishing planting schedules, answering incoming phone calls, office cleaning, cash sales, and other duties assigned as needed. Please call 757-678-5097 for more information.

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](http://www.accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org) Open until filled. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## EASTERN SHORE YACHT AND COUNTRY CLUB

Now is the time to join the Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club Team!

The Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club is seeking dedicated individuals to join our team in various roles. If you have strong customer service skills and are self-motivated and dependable, we want to hear from you! Explore the opportunities below:

### 1. Golf Course, Grounds, and Maintenance Staff:

**Responsibilities:** Maintain the beauty of our 125-acre property, ensuring the golf course and grounds are in pristine condition.

**Qualifications:** Strong work ethic, attention to detail, and a passion for outdoor maintenance.

### 2. Lifeguards for 2024 Summer Season:

**Responsibilities:** Ensure the safety of our members and guests at the pool during the summer season.

**Qualifications:** Lifeguard certification required. Positive attitude and excellent communication skills.

### 3. Sailing Instructors (Certified Preferred):

**Responsibilities:** Provide quality sailing instruction to members and guests.

**Qualifications:** Certified Sailing Instructors preferred. Individuals working toward certification or with significant sailing experience are encouraged to apply.

Applications can be completed online at [esycc.com](http://esycc.com) or picked up at the Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club. For inquiries, contact us at [contact@esycc.com](mailto:contact@esycc.com).

## Help Wanted

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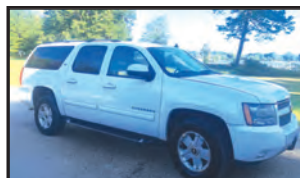


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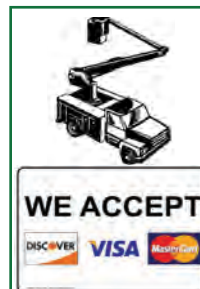
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1. What American track and field athlete -- who appeared on Season 17 of the CBS reality series "Survivor" -- was stripped of her 2004 Athens Summer Olympics gold medal after admitting to using anabolic steroids?
2. Name the Baseball Hall of Fame pitcher -- regarded as the best knuckleballer in Major League Baseball history -- who played 24 seasons from 1964-87.
3. In April 2001, Australia defeated what national soccer team 31-0 in a FIFA World Cup qualifying match?
4. In the 1973 season, what NFL team activated offensive coordinator Zeke Bratkowski to be the emergency backup quarterback (though he did not play)?

Answers

1. Crystal Cox
2. Phil Niekro
3. American Samoa
4. The Chicago Bears

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## Legal Ads

### BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH, 2024 AT 10 A.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

**A. SUSE-000592-2023 – John Pellegrino – 15000 block of Taylor Creek Drive, Pungoteague**

The applicant requests a special use permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-53(53) which permits a use of land not specifically listed as a use permitted by right or by special exception-special use in the agricultural district regulations, which is clearly similar and compatible with the uses listed therein.

The applicant wishes to construct a 28'x40' accessory building on this unimproved parcel. The unimproved 3.19-acre site is located on the west side of Taylor Creek Drive, approximately 2,000 feet northeast of its intersection with Harborton Road and is on Tax Map #100C-3-19.

The parcel is zoned Agriculture and is partially located in a 5BFE and 6BFE flood zone.

**B. VAR-000598-2023 – Zahid Hassan – 33368 Sign Post Road, New Church**

The applicant requests request a 149.87' variance from Accomack County Code Section 106-232(f)(5) which requires a two hundred (200) feet setback from any property line. The 26.26-acre site has a confined poultry operation that has been out of production since June 2019. This confined poultry operation has four (4) poultry houses, three (3) sheds and a dwelling located on the parcel. The parcel is located at 33368 Sign Post Road, at the intersection with Outten Road. It is Tax Map #13-A-3A

The parcel is zoned Agriculture and is partially located within the Chesapeake Atlantic Preservation Area, Resource Protection Area RPA.

According to the applicant's narrative, he wishes to re-open this farm as a confined poultry operation that has ceased use for longer than two years.

Public hearing related materials are available for review at the Office of the County Zoning Administrator at 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Room 105 – Accomack, Virginia or <https://tinyurl.com/2p92ccr2> on the Friday prior to each meeting date.

Handicapped assistance is available, call: (757) 787-5726 or 824-5223.

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# Legal Ads

## TRUSTEE SALE 31318 Lawrence Drive, Atlantic, VA 23303 Accomack County

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of **\$108,007.00**, dated **August 24, 2018** recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of **Accomack County, Virginia, in Document No. 180003213, at Page 001 and re-recorded in Document No. 190002091**, at the request of the holder of the Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the **Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, on February 28, 2024 at 3:00 PM** the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

**Parcel "H", containing 3.111 Acres, Pine Grove, with any improvements thereon.**

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

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

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

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## VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY

NANCY SINIBALDI

Plaintiff  
CIVIL CASE CASE NO. CL23000259-00  
vs.

MATTHEW S. SINIBALDI  
NINA T. BURKE  
CAROLYN T. DOERR  
and  
UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL  
SINIBALDI

Defendants

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

In this proceeding, the Plaintiff seeks to quiet title to, or in the alternative to acquire legal ownership by Adverse Possession of, a certain parcel of real property located in the County of Accomack, and which is described as follows:

All that property situate and being near Onancock, Lee Magisterial District, Accomack County, Virginia, described as Lot No. 34, Section IV Schooner Bay as the same appears duly dedicated, platted and recorded among the deed records of Accomack County, Virginia, on a certain plat entitled "Plat Survey Schooner Bay, Section IV, Located Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia" dated March 28, 1978, made by Shore Engineering Company, recorded in Plat Book 23, at Page 21, to which reference is hereby had for a more accurate description of said lot.

It appearing to the Court, pursuant to Section 8.01-316(A)(2) and an affidavit filed with the Court, that Carolyn T. Doerr, Matthew Sinibaldi, and unknown heirs of Michael Sinibaldi cannot be found to respond to the Plaintiff's Complaint. Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED that Carolyn T. Doerr and any and all unknown heirs of Michael Sinibaldi shall appear on or before March 6, 2024, to do what is necessary to protect their interests in the subject matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post, a newspaper of general circulation in the County of Accomack, Virginia. It is further ORDERED that a copy of this Order be posted to the door of the courthouse of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, for fifty (50) days after due publication of this Order in the Clerk's Office of the same court.

Given under my hand this 9th day of January, 2024  
Caretta S. Harris  
Deputy Clerk of Circuit Court

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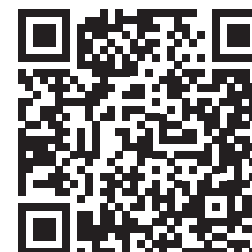
PURSUANT TO COUNTY CODE SECTION 94.03, Northampton County has determined that the following structures endanger the public health and safety of other residents of the locality and that said structures must be removed, repaired, or secured within thirty days of this publication.

Property Owner	Property Address
Arlenia F. Howell c/o Mondray Isureal	5202 Cobbs Station Rd 00077-0A-00-0000060
Cavalier Advisors LLC	Salt Works Rd 00013-0A-00-0000032
James H. Ayres (Dec'd) c/o George Levin Ayres Jr.	Near 15574 County Line Rd 00004-0A-00-0000031
Theodore Roosevelt Townsend Jr	Bannister Street 0040B-10-00-000056A
Olester Taylor Manuel Vernon Reddix Taylor Larry Lynwood Taylor Oasteen Taylor Thomas	10169 Johnstontown Rd 0030A-01-00-0000005
David Y. Trower Shelia L. Trower	22070 Aster Lane 00084-0A-00-0000128

If the owner(s) of the above referenced parcels fail to remove, repair, or secure the structure within 30 days of this publication, the County will remove the structure and the cost of the removal shall be chargeable to the owner(s) of the structure and shall be collected as taxes are collected. Inquiries may be directed to Forest Flynn at [forest.flynn@co.northampton.va.us](mailto:forest.flynn@co.northampton.va.us) or 757-678-0445 Ext. 526

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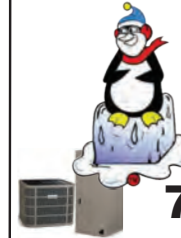
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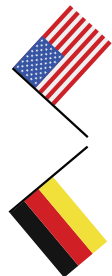
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■ Joslin Rheanne Shaffer, 20, of Temperanceville, and John Philip Charnock, 22, of Harborton  
■ Anita Paige Marriner, 77, of Salisbury, Md., and Guy Lee Siebold, 79, of Greenbackville  
■ Maria Toliver Davis, 56, and Thomas Lee Davis Sr., 66, both of Parksley  
■ Catherine Gail Glaser, 31, and Briar Willis Card, 26, both of Melfa  
■ Claudia Ines Mendez Perez, 46, and Mario Lopez Ramirez, 44, both of Hallwood  
■ Aaliyah Constania Bernier, 21, and Najee Elijah Wharton, 26, both of Mappsville  
■ Becky Marie Victoria Chandler, 54, and Wayne Mathias Petit, 49, both of New Church  
■ Melanie Brooke Hazelwood, 32, and Haley McKee Matthews, 32, both of Mechanicsville  
■ Amy Lynn Logan, 49, and Merl Michael Wolfe, 46, both of Wallops Island

### Northampton property transfers

■ From Sandstone Holdings LLC  
To Edward Lynch and Lauren Schultis  
2 lots near Nassawadox  
For \$365,000  
■ From Bay Creek Development LLC  
To Beacon Custom Homes LLC  
Lot L113, Village L, Phase 1C, Bay Creek, Cape Charles  
For \$162,750  
■ From Benjamin Gardner Jr.  
To Donna Wilkins and Michael Ryan  
Lot 7, Block G, Exmore  
For \$15,000

■ From Patrick Parks and Jacqueline Skinner  
To Richard and Frances Williams  
Lot 72, Vaucluse Shores, Church Neck  
For \$37,000  
■ From Maria Mitchell  
To David, Julie, and Kyle Cantrell  
Lot B, 0.964 acres, F & F Estates, near Machipongo  
For \$15,000  
■ From Donna Sebacher  
To Laura, Sonia, and Silvia Mays  
Lot 312, Vaucluse Shores, Church Neck  
For \$36,000  
■ From Paul and Shirley Dominic  
To Brandon and Caley Nunnally  
Lot H, Cape Charles  
For \$565,000

### Accomack property transfers

■ From Kimberly Rose Smith and Earl K. Carpenter Jr.  
To Mary Ann and Wayne A. Wingard  
Lot 920, Section 1, Broadside Drive, Captains Cove, Greenbackville  
For \$35,000  
■ From Fannie Mae Federal National Mortgage Association  
To Rudy Lopez Escalante  
31503 Boston Road, Painter  
For \$70,000  
■ From Lillian C. and Pieter J. Waldenmaier  
To Bridie Roseanne Farmer  
25038 Saxis Road, Temperanceville  
For \$150,000  
■ From Ruth C. Estes  
To Kalli M. and Robert M. Folk  
6230 Poplar St., Chincoteague  
For \$305,000

■ From Lisa and Thomas Littleton, co-trustees  
To Amy Kathleen Lewis and Erica Catherine Webb  
0.6 acres on Maxwell Street, Parksley  
For \$33,000  
■ From Leoma W. and Glen P. Atkinson  
To Mark W. Berry  
7209 Mason Drive, Chincoteague  
For \$355,000  
■ From Daniel E. Whealton  
To Grace E. Malone, trustee  
31074 Chincoteague Road, New Church  
For \$19,000  
■ From Gregory Van Daley  
To Genevieve Delores Metro and Bradley Scott Corbin, trustees  
1529 and 1531 Stockton Ave., Greenbackville  
For \$5,000  
■ From Sylvia J. and Steven A. Stetz  
To Dorothy K. and Louis A. Wachter Jr.  
Lot 322, Trails End, Horntown  
For \$30,000  
■ From Kurk D. Van Daley  
To Genevieve Delores Metro and Bradley Scott Corbin, trustees  
1529 and 1531 Stockton Ave., Greenbackville  
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■ From Daniel E. Whealton  
To Roberta and Jeremiah Greenfield  
8150 Zed Ayers Lane, Chincoteague  
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■ From Patricia H. and Harry T. Parker  
To CMH Homes Inc.  
Lot 5, Bethel Branch Estates, Fletcher Road, Bloxom  
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■ From Patricia H. and Harry T. Parker  
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■ From Lee R. Tessier and Tammy R. Moses  
To Sirius Wanderlust Escapes LLC  
11 Saxis Road, Temperanceville  
For \$2,777

■ From Natalie and Patrick Reid  
To Courtney R. and Justin K. Messick  
Lot 276, Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown  
For \$55,000  
■ From Martha E. and Roger W. Matthews  
To Jean Anuce and Yvrose Paul  
19018 Seaside Circle, Parsley  
For \$185,000  
■ From Daniel T. Doughty  
To Mountaire Farms of Delaware, Inc.  
Farmer's Call property, Lankford Highway, Belle Haven  
For \$150,000  
■ From Connie Pryor Savage  
To Chestnut Stump Tree Farm LLC  
43 acres in Onancock  
For \$80,000  
■ From Jennifer A. and Guy C. Edgar III  
To Jessica L. Crumley and Joshua S. Stowe  
Lot 417, Unit 2, Trails End, Horntown  
For \$57,000  
■ From Shawanna Francis  
To Catarina Renoj Bucup and Efrain Lolcux  
24040 Church Road, Accomack  
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■ From Frances A. and Kentrel S. Bailey  
To Ayanna Cooper  
27396 White Tail Road, Melfa  
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■ From Leelia Y. and Julian B. Dixon III  
To Crystal Rodgers and Bradley Moore  
Lot 263, Unit 3, Trails End, Horntown  
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■ From Jan Cremeans-Nelson and Christopher D.W. Nelson  
To Beverly and Arthur R. Birch  
5376 Pearl Drive, Chincoteague  
For \$225,000  
■ From Iris J. Smith  
To Eric D. Davis  
20676 Bayside Road, Onancock  
For \$176,000

■ From Patricia K. Devenny  
To Sarah E. and Daniel B. Maurice  
Lot 100, Phase 3, Corbin Hall, Horntown  
For \$35,000  
■ From William H. Chandler Jr.  
To Tiara L. Tracy, trustee  
27 Ames St., Onancock  
For \$215,000  
■ From Robin Miller  
To Patricia Meyer  
4 Lee St., Wachapreague  
For \$245,000  
■ From Elizabeth F. Waring  
To Linda L. Maley  
14 Lake St., Onancock  
For \$346,000  
■ From Adam Pearce  
To Ivy Land Company LLC  
Lot 16, Benson Drive, New Church  
For \$10,000  
■ From Willard W. Ward Sr.  
To William L. Ross  
Lot 102, Unit 4, Trails End, Horntown  
For \$35,000  
■ From Jamie D. and Jay R. Aigner  
To Stacy A. Krueger and Charles Robert Hadfield  
4 Brooklyn Ave., Wachapreague  
For \$420,000  
■ From David D. Crow and Chris E. Willey  
To Yadira Gomez Morales and Marco Tulio Ortiz Gonzalez  
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■ From David D. Crow and Chris E. Willey  
To Geronimo Ramirez Gumerindo  
Property on Savannah Road, Hallwood  
For \$60,000  
■ From Jeffrey R. Lewis  
To William Wayne Fox  
5142 Serenity Lane, Chincoteague  
For \$35,000

### Literacy Council receives Imagination Library grant

The Eastern Shore Literacy Council announces a \$5,000 grant award from The National Home Library Foundation to support the local Dolly Parton Imag-

ination Library book gifting initiative.

This grant award will support the distribution of books each month to registered age-eligible children. More than 1,100 children have received 15,000 books since the Fall of 2021, when the Eastern Shore Literacy Council joined with the Dollywood Foundation to bring Dolly Par-

ton's Imagination Library to children in Accomack and Northampton counties.

Dolly started the Imagination Library in 1995 for children in her home county. Today her program reaches five countries and distributes more than 2 million books each month through community partners in the United States,

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Find out more about the Dolly Parton Imagination Library or register a child at [www.imaginationlibrary.com](http://www.imaginationlibrary.com) or at the Eastern Shore Literacy Council at [www.shoreliteracy.org](http://www.shoreliteracy.org) or by calling 757-789-1761.



# TIDE TABLE

Seaside

Bayside

		Friday Jan. 26		Saturday Jan. 27		Sunday Jan. 28		Monday Jan. 29		Tuesday Jan. 30		Wednesday Jan. 31		Thursday Feb. 1
Assateague Beach	H L	8:27 a.m. 3:04 p.m.	H L	9:05 a.m. 3:39 p.m.	H L	9:42 a.m. 4:13 p.m.	H L	10:19 a.m. 4:48 p.m.	H L	10:56 a.m. 5:24 p.m.	H L	11:34 a.m. 6:02 p.m.	H L	12:15 p.m. 6:42 p.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	8:24 a.m. 2:51 p.m.	H L	9:03 a.m. 3:28 p.m.	H L	9:41 a.m. 4:04 p.m.	H L	10:19 a.m. 4:39 p.m.	H L	10:57 a.m. 5:14 p.m.	H L	11:36 a.m. 5:48 p.m.	H L	12:19 p.m. 6:25 p.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	9:23 a.m. 3:43 p.m.	H L	10:01 a.m. 4:18 p.m.	H L	10:38 a.m. 4:52 p.m.	H L	11:15 a.m. 5:27 p.m.	H L	11:52 a.m. 6:03 p.m.	H L	12:30 p.m. 6:41 p.m.	H L	1:11 p.m. 7:06 a.m.
Folly Creek	H L	9:16 a.m. 3:28 p.m.	H L	9:54 a.m. 4:03 p.m.	H L	10:31 a.m. 4:37 p.m.	H L	11:08 a.m. 5:12 p.m.	H L	11:45 a.m. 5:48 p.m.	H L	12:23 p.m. 6:26 p.m.	H L	1:04 p.m. 6:51 a.m.
Wachapreague	H L	8:51 a.m. 2:59 p.m.	H L	9:30 a.m. 3:35 p.m.	H L	10:06 a.m. 4:09 p.m.	H L	10:40 a.m. 4:42 p.m.	H L	11:14 a.m. 5:14 p.m.	H L	11:50 a.m. 5:49 p.m.	H L	12:28 p.m. 6:29 p.m.
Quinby Inlet	H L	8:27 a.m. 2:43 p.m.	H L	9:05 a.m. 3:18 p.m.	H L	9:42 a.m. 3:52 p.m.	H L	10:19 a.m. 4:27 p.m.	H L	10:56 a.m. 5:03 p.m.	H L	11:34 a.m. 5:41 p.m.	H L	12:15 p.m. 6:21 p.m.
Machipongo	H L	8:57 a.m. 3:12 p.m.	H L	9:35 a.m. 3:47 p.m.	H L	10:12 a.m. 4:21 p.m.	H L	10:49 a.m. 4:56 p.m.	H L	11:26 a.m. 5:32 p.m.	H L	12:04 p.m. 6:10 p.m.	H L	12:45 p.m. 6:50 p.m.
Tangier Sound Light	H L	12:27 p.m. 6:59 p.m.	H L	1:00 p.m. 6:48 p.m.	H L	1:33 p.m. 7:27 a.m.	H L	2:07 p.m. 8:08 a.m.	H L	2:44 p.m. 8:52 a.m.	H L	3:25 p.m. 9:40 a.m.	H L	4:10 p.m. 10:33 a.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	12:57 p.m. 7:03 a.m.	H L	1:31 p.m. 7:42 a.m.	H L	2:03 p.m. 8:20 a.m.	H L	2:36 p.m. 8:57 a.m.	H L	3:10 p.m. 9:37 a.m.	H L	3:46 p.m. 10:18 a.m.	H L	4:25 p.m. 11:04 a.m.
Guard Shore	H L	12:49 p.m. 6:59 a.m.	H L	1:23 p.m. 7:38 a.m.	H L	1:55 p.m. 8:16 a.m.	H L	2:28 p.m. 8:53 a.m.	H L	3:02 p.m. 9:33 a.m.	H L	3:38 p.m. 10:14 a.m.	H L	4:17 p.m. 11:00 a.m.
Chescon. Creek	H L	12:24 p.m. 6:57 p.m.	H L	12:58 p.m. 6:50 a.m.	H L	1:30 p.m. 7:28 a.m.	H L	2:03 p.m. 8:05 a.m.	H L	2:37 p.m. 8:45 a.m.	H L	3:13 p.m. 9:26 a.m.	H L	3:52 p.m. 10:12 a.m.
Onancock Creek	H L	12:38 p.m. 6:31 a.m.	H L	1:12 p.m. 7:10 a.m.	H L	1:44 p.m. 7:48 a.m.	H L	2:17 p.m. 8:25 a.m.	H L	2:51 p.m. 9:05 a.m.	H L	3:27 p.m. 9:46 a.m.	H L	4:06 p.m. 10:32 a.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	11:54 a.m. 6:31 p.m.	H L	12:28 p.m. 7:04 p.m.	H L	1:00 p.m. 7:02 a.m.	H L	1:33 p.m. 7:39 a.m.	H L	2:07 p.m. 8:19 a.m.	H L	2:43 p.m. 9:00 a.m.	H L	3:22 p.m. 9:46 a.m.
Nassawadox	H L	10:36 a.m. 4:52 p.m.	H L	11:11 a.m. 5:25 p.m.	H L	11:45 a.m. 5:58 p.m.	H L	12:18 p.m. 6:29 p.m.	H L	12:52 p.m. 7:01 p.m.	H L	1:28 p.m. 7:23 a.m.	H L	2:09 p.m. 8:09 a.m.
Occohan. Creek	H L	11:02 a.m. 5:49 p.m.	H L	11:39 a.m. 6:23 p.m.	H L	12:15 p.m. 6:53 p.m.	H L	12:50 p.m. 6:55 a.m.	H L	1:27 p.m. 7:36 a.m.	H L	2:06 p.m. 8:23 a.m.	H L	2:50 p.m. 9:18 a.m.
Cape Charles	H L	9:28 a.m. 4:01 p.m.	H L	10:02 a.m. 4:34 p.m.	H L	10:34 a.m. 5:05 p.m.	H L	11:07 a.m. 5:37 p.m.	H L	11:41 a.m. 6:09 p.m.	H L	12:17 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	H L	12:56 p.m. 7:16 a.m.
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally  
Unlisted clue hint: **Jewelry Worn Around the Wrist**

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging  
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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Super Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Grappler, backwoods-style  
8 Skylit courts  
13 Astronaut Wally  
20 "The Stranger Beside Me" true-crime writer  
21 Flowers in the iris family  
22 Some sweatshirts  
23 Swift warship for law enforcement?  
25 Finales  
26 Makes mother's milk  
27 Comic Radner  
29 "How about that!"  
30 Lugosi of "The Raven"  
33 Hefty books  
34 Defectively built flat-bottomed boat?  
36 Pumpkin's color  
38 Resident of Tehran  
40 Makes a choice  
41 Light, speedy boat transporting Oreos?  
45 Just barely  
48 Indian state known for silk  
49 United  
50 In a smoothly elegant way  
53 Neon, e.g.  
56 French mime master  
59 High-sterned ship orbiting Earth?  
61 "Brooklyn Nine-Nine" star Andy  
65 Central Canadian tribe members  
67 Upscale hotel quarters  
68 Small combo  
69 Discovering a sharp-bowed rowboat?  
74 Safe, at sea  
75 Do a tally of  
77 "Get what I'm sayin', man?"  
78 Zealous  
80 Paint a passenger ship?  
83 Soapmaking solution  
86 Auditing org.  
87 Message on a tombstone  
89 Kabuki sash  
90 Enthusiasm  
95 Prison, in London  
96 Very fast ship decorated with shrubbery?  
99 Coll. reunion attendee  
102 Father  
Sarducci of old 3-Down  
104 Quick-witted  
105 Racing boat with lots of mollusks attached?  
109 Fill with joy  
113 Lyric verses  
114 Billiards stick  
115 They make up molecules  
116 Abstruse  
118 Reproductive organs  
120 Sub-sinking ship full of aquariums?  
125 Lay aside  
126 Bert's pal  
127 Introductions  
128 In clothes  
129 Actors O'Neal and Reynolds  
130 Says "OK"

DOWN

- 1 Jay-Z's music  
2 Year, in Portugal  
3 NBC skit show, in brief  
4 Indian Ocean island nation  
5 — Brasi (role in "The Godfather")  
6 One voted in  
7 Book page opposite a verso  
8 Severe  
9 Samples something  
10 Singer Diana  
11 With  
13-Down, thick glacial mass along a polar shore  
12 BB shooter  
13 See 11-Down  
14 Magazine publisher Nast  
15 Wannabe surfer  
16 Exiled Amin  
17 Key into a cash register  
18 Acting king  
19 Good traits  
24 He-sheep  
28 — may be so bold ...  
30 — Raton  
31 Lovers' deity  
32 Neighbor of Thailand  
34 Clayey fertilizer  
35 Herd of seals  
37 — a break!  
39 Gave a new interior design to  
42 Welsh canine  
43 Mom's bro  
44 Ball supporter

- 45 Org. for cavity fillers  
46 Doc's warm treatment  
47 "For" votes  
51 Like thrift store goods  
52 — facto  
53 Sly deception  
54 Prices to play  
55 Variety of trapshooting  
57 Spot's noise  
58 Etching liquid  
60 Husband of Eva Perón  
61 Actress Keanan  
62 Enthusiasm  
63 Gold-fancying king  
64 Boxers' event  
66 Waffle brand  
70 No, to Nikita  
71 Torres with  
12 Olympic swimming medals  
72 Antique item  
73 "Hooray!"  
76 "Guilty" or "not guilty"  
79 Onetime TV host Philbin  
81 Debut on Wall St.  
82 Zippo  
84 Woofing pet  
85 Actor Vigoda  
88 Olympic skier Mahre  
91 Meeting building regulations  
92 Tater  
93 Head, in Metz  
94 Mining strikes  
95 Big inits. in SUVs  
97 Certain deer leather  
98 Hamlet's duel opponent  
99 Peace treaty  
100 Shutter piece  
101 Fidgetiness  
102 Valuable rock  
103 Long, loose outerwear  
106 Nitpickers split them  
107 Olympic skier Mahre  
108 Sprayed, with "down"  
110 Mining strikes  
111 Downed  
112 Electric car producer  
116 Sicilian resort city  
117 Investments for later yrs.  
119 Home: Abbr.  
121 Suffix with budget  
122 — and yang  
123 Doc for head colds  
124 Blog feed format inits.

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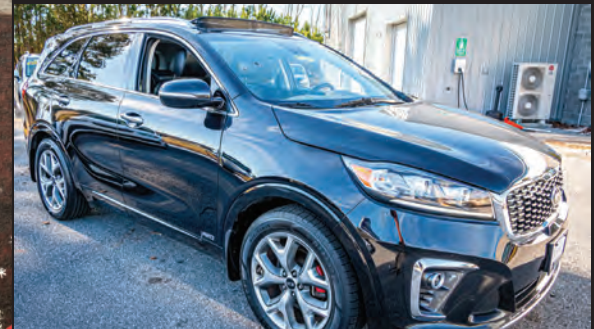
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