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# From West Ridge to Meat Soup: A Tangier Homecoming

Tangier Island Homecoming was last weekend. The annual event brings friends and family from all across the country back to the island for a reunion held on the airport tarmac. Pictured above left (from top) are reunited sisters Eugenia Pruitt, Edwina Nelson, and Rita Pruitt. The sisters married three brothers. They are looking at a portrait of their grandmother, who was featured in National Geographic, photographed by former Eastern Shore Post photographer Erin Anderson. Pictured above right (from left) are Alyssa McCready, Evan McCready, and his grandmother Michelle McCready, on a golf cart ride across one of the bridges of Tangier. For more pictures see Page 31.

# Quail Run and Maddox Campground Sell

#### By Linda Cicoira

The new owners of the former Quail Run Assisted Living Facility/Arcadia Nursing Center, which was closed down last year, has a connection to Commonwealth Senior Living (CSL), formerly known as The Hermitage, in Onancock.

But the Gargatha facility is not likely to be geared towards older folks in the future.

The joint \$2.6 million former 60-bed skilled nursing home and 42-bed assisted living facility was purchased for \$250,000, on Aug. 13, according to records filed in Accomack Circuit Court. The property is at 17405 Lankford Hwy.

The buyer, Parksley Place LLC, has a principal office in Charlottesville, Va., at the same address as the company that owns the Onancock facility.

Mark Hubbard, a spokesman for CSL, said Wednesday the property was purchased because "it has great potential for investment. I can tell you that senior housing did not work

at that location. It is our plan to look at alternative uses that would provide jobs and will benefit the community."

Hubbard would not list the possibilities the new owners would be considering. "We don't have specific plans," he said. Parksley Place LLC and CSL are owned by the same larger group. "We're glad that there's local interest. We look forward to continuing our relationship with the Eastern Shore community," Hubbard added.

#### Chincoteague Properties Sell For \$15M

Meanwhile, on Aug. 2, the former Maddox Family Campground site and new water park properties sold for a total of about \$15 million in two transactions. Island Waterpark LLC sold the water park visible from Maddox Boulevard to Sun Maui Jack's Waterpark LLC, of Southfield, Mich., for \$4,156,000. That nearly 8.3-acre site was assessed at \$3.281,800.

The rest of the park was sold by Oceanside Resort LLC, which has the same address as Burbage/Melson

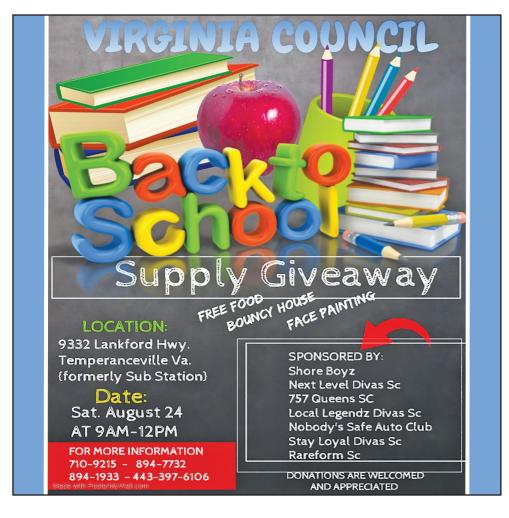


Photo by Linda Cicoira

Maui Jack's sold for over \$4 million earlier this month.

Inc., of Berlin, Md., for \$11,015,000. The property included 97.222 acres including Piney Island marshland and was assessed at about \$4.7 mil-

lion. It was bought by Sun Chincoteague Island LLC, with the same Michigan address as Sun Maui Jack's Waterpark LLC.





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# Wise Teaches African American History to Fellow U.N. Delegates

#### By Stefanie Jackson

This week, news publications across the country observed Tuesday, Aug. 20, 2019, as the 400th anniversary of the beginning of slavery in America, suggesting the date marks the beginning of African American history. But that's "not true," said Ava Wise, a United Nations delegate from the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

According to the Virginia Department of Historic Resources, on Aug. 20, 1619, "twenty and odd" African slaves arrived on a Dutch ship in Point Comfort, known today as Hampton, Va.

But the Dutch, French, and Spanish have all documented the presence of Africans in the Americas more than 100 years prior, and those Africans weren't all slaves, Wise said.

For example, Juan Garrido, an African conquistador, is known as the first free black person to set foot on American soil. He arrived in Puerto Rico in 1508 and traveled to Florida with Juan Ponce de Leon around 1513.

Teaching African American history to her fellow U.N. delegates is essential to Wise's work on the U.N. Economic and Social Council, which includes raising awareness of the U.S. "southern black belt," a crescent that connects 600 poor, rural counties where a majority of descendants of former black slaves live, and the effects of systemic oppression and poverty still resonate more than 50 years after civil rights legislation was passed.

Accomack and Northampton counties are at the northern tip of the crescent.

"A lot of people don't like to hear this," but America's southern black belt closely resembles a developing nation, sharing the same issues with poverty, education, health, and mortality rates, Wise said.

As part of her work with the U.N., Wise wrote a document called "Understanding the Role of National Identity in Global Politics." It referenced laws passed in America in the 1600s that eroded the personal rights and identities of African peoples.

America gradually declined into slavery – it didn't happen overnight,



**Ava Wise** 

ed an act passed in November 1682 that, according to the Univer-

Wise said.

She not-

sity of Virginia website, Virtual Jamestown, "joined Native Ameri-

cans and Africans into one racial category – 'negroes and other slaves.'"

It's one reason why, in America, generations of African descendants have disagreed on how they should be identified – Negro, colored, black, or African American, Wise said.

Other terms used have included POC (people of color) and ADOS (American descendants of slaves).

The lack of identity is "stifling our ability to move beyond," Wise said.

Another of Wise's recent projects was a reparations exhibit shown at the U.N. headquarters in New York from July 8 to July 18. The video compilation included an excerpt from a speech Martin Luther King Jr. made in preparation for the Poor People's March on Washington of 1968:

"At the very same time that America refused to give the Negro any land through an act of Congress, our government was giving away millions of acres of land in the West and the Midwest.

"But not only did they give the land, they built land grant colleges with government money to teach them how to farm.

"Not only that, they provided county agents to further their expertise in farming.

"Not only that, they provided low interest rates in order that they could mechanize their farms.

"Not only that, today, many of these people are receiving millions of dollars in federal subsidies not to farm, and they're the very people telling the black man that he ought to lift himself by his own bootstraps. This is what we are faced with, and this is the reality. "Now, when we come to Washington in this campaign, we are coming to get our check."

But how will disadvantaged groups around the world "get their check" and be lifted out of poverty?

The U.N. held a summit in 2000 that resulted in the development of eight Millennium Development Goals to reduce extreme poverty by 2015.

In 2015, those goals were expanded to 17 with the U.N.'s adoption of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

Wise led the group that drafted a position paper on the eighth goal, "decent work and economic growth."

That goal includes achieving 7% economic growth in all countries by 2030.

But reaching that goal may not positively affect the most vulnerable populations, Wise cautioned.

In the early 2000s, Wise was invited by the University of Georgia to participate in a study on poverty in America's southern black belt, commissioned by U.S. Senator Zell Miller, of Georgia.

The study, "Dismantling Persistent Poverty in the Southeastern United States," focused on seven of 11 states east of the Mississippi River, including Virginia.

Through her participation in the study, Wise learned that the conventional, "build it and they will come" strategy to reduce poverty – building infrastructure to attract industries that create jobs – doesn't necessarily help the people who already live in the areas that need economic growth.

One example is Appalachia, a region that includes all of West Virginia and parts of 12 other states. The economic condition is largely unchanged there, even though much of the area has been well-developed, she said.

Wise sees the need to "equip the local labor force to be able to take advantage" of economic developments. Workforce development is among the community's needs. If a major manufacturer came to the area, "we'd be unprepared," she said.

The groundbreaking University of Georgia study remains relevant and is still used by Congress members today, Wise said.

Sometime after the study, Wise's thoughts turned to three communities that are all committed to the issue of poverty but don't always communicate well with each other: the academics who collect and analyze data on poverty, the legislators who make policies that impact people in poverty, and the community-based organizations that directly assist people in poverty.

She realized the United Nations is one forum where all three of those communities come together. She first considered applying for consultative status with the U.N. Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) around 2004 or 2005.

Wise obtained temporary credentials with the U.N. in 2014, the same year she spoke at an ECOSOC panel and raised concerns that the council was planning an agenda that focused solely on urban areas and excluded rural areas.

Rural areas are not a "wasteland" – they are important to the "ecosystem of economics," Wise said in a recent interview.

More people live in urban areas, yet rural areas are still significant, she said.

Wise officially received special consultative status with ECOSOC through her organization, the United States Sustainable Development Corporation, in 2015.

Few other U.N. delegates from the United States are engaged in efforts to eliminate poverty in their country. Most the of U.S. non-governmental organizations (NGOs) associated with the U.N. are large foundations that focus their efforts abroad, she said. She elaborates in her recently published article, "The Global Community Met To Address Goals To Change the World By 2030, But Where Was America?"

Wise plans to continue her consultative work with the U.N., submitting oral and written statements, creating exhibits, and hosting side events.

"You don't change the world overnight, you plug away at it from your corner of the world as best you can."

# Former Hallwood Clerk Waives Right to Preliminary Hearing

#### By Linda Cicoira

Angela Hinman "Angel" Taylor, the former Hallwood town clerk who was charged with 65 felony counts of embezzlement in connection with that job, waived her right to a preliminary hearing Monday in Accomack General District Court, clearing the way for a grand jury to determine if she will be bound over for trial.

Judge Gordon Vincent certified the charges to the jury. He explained that by waiving the hearing, Taylor, 46, of Hall Street in Hallwood, gave up her right to cross-examine the prosecution's witnesses before trial. Vincent allowed Taylor to remain free on \$5,500 bond.

Taylor sat at the defense table with her lawyer, Carl Bundick, as she signed her name on the back of each of the 65 warrants, part of what is required to waive the hearing. The next time the grand jury will convene is Oct. 7.

Hallwood Mayor Jackie Poulson; Special Agent A. Pittman of the state police, who investigated complaints from town officials; and Amber Bowen, an ANEC worker were subpoenaed to appear at the hearing and were in attendance when the decision to waive was announced. The case had been continued three other times. Commonwealth's Attorney Spencer Morgan is handling the charges.

"The only thing he (Morgan) told me is he was going to come to the town meeting and tell us what is going on," Poulson said. The next town meeting is on Tuesday, Sept. 3. Poulson said he won't close the meeting to the public. "I think everyone should hear what is going on."

Immediately after the October 2017 fire that destroyed Taylor's car, which she said was full of town records, Taylor quit her job by leaving a note about her departure and details about the fire in the town office for officials to find. Taylor wrote that she put the records in the car to take to the auditor in Atlantic.

The fire occurred a couple of days before the financial documents were scheduled to be turned over to a local bookkeeper for a long-overdue audit, town officials reported. Taylor lives about 350 yards from the town office and mostly did the town work at her home. The fire occurred about five miles from Hallwood on Wessells Farm Road. The vehicle was hauled to a local salvage yard, crushed, and taken away before the town found out about it, Poulson has said.

At one point, the mayor reported that more than \$32,000 was either paid from town coffers to Taylor for more than her usual salary or was used to pay the electric bill for her home and at her husband's auto business. It is alleged that she had the payment for the electric bills set up for automatic payment by the town through the utility.

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After Taylor quit, Shrieves was given the job of clerk for \$350 a month, the same salary Taylor was supposed to be paid. Poulson has also said that a laptop computer that belonged to the town was missing. He believes it is still in Taylor's possession.

The town wound up waiving taxes, trash collection fees, and car decal fees for some residents because it couldn't prove the bills hadn't been paid. Poulson said when cash was collected it was not deposited. Records that were obtainable from the bank showed the town paid \$987 to get grass cut that should have totaled about \$500.





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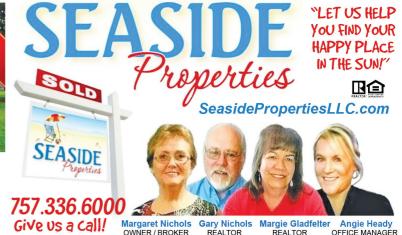


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# Meet-and-Greet for Accomack **County School Board Candidates** This Monday Evening

#### By Stefanie Jackson

As Accomack County citizens prepare to elect a school board for the first time this November, the Accomack Education Association plans to host a meet-and-greet with the candidates Monday, Aug. 26, 6 p.m., at Nandua High School.

"The purpose of the forum is to hear the candidates' vision for Accomack County Public Schools and how they plan to represent the views of their magisterial district on the school board," stated James Fedderman, the president of the Accomack Education Association.

All candidates for the Accomack school board are invited, regardless of whether or not they are in a contested race.

The candidates and their respec-

tive districts are: Jesse Speidel, of Chincoteague, District 1; Edward Taylor, of Assawoman, District 2; Lisa Johnson, of Horntown, District 3; incumbent Gary Reese, of Parksley, and challenger Connie Burford, of Bloxom, District 4; Camesha Handy, of the Parksley area, District 5; Paul Bull, of Accomac, District 6; Thomas "T.J." Johnson III and Janet Martin-Turner, both of the Accomac area, District 7; Ronnie Holden, of Onancock, District 8; and Malcolm "Pep" White, of Painter, District 9.

The event is free and open to the public, and light refreshments will be served.

Fedderman will moderate the forum, and anyone who has a question for the candidates may submit it to drjfedderman@gmail.com

# Meteorite Formed Chesapeake **Bay 35 Million Years Ago**

#### By Linda Cicoira

Ocean sediment cores recovered in June from 250 miles northeast of the impact site confirmed the meteorite that hit the Earth near Cape Charles and thereby forming the Chesapeake Bay did so 35 million years ago.

According to the data, researchers found traces of radioactive debris. The impact showered the surrounding land and water with shards of glass, known as microtektites.

In a report published in the journal of Meteoritics and Planetary Science, Arizona State University researchers stated microscopic zircon, gemstones that can survive underground for billions of years, were lodged in a sediment core taken from roughly 2.150 feet below the surface of the Atlantic Ocean.

According to www.space.com, "by comparing the ratios of specific helium, thorium, and uranium isotopes in each mineral sample, the researchers calculated approximately how long ago the zircon crystals solidified and started to decay. The team found that the 21 crystals ranged widely in age, running the gamut from about 33 million to 300 million years old. The two youngest samples, which had an average age of about 35 million years old, fit in with previous studies' estimates for the time of the Chesapeake Bay impact. A closer examination showed that the zircons also bore a cloudy appearance and deformed surface, two signs the minerals were kicked through the air and water by a great impact."

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# HERTRICH CHEVROLET, BUICK & CADILLAC CAR SHOW ROUTE 13, POCOMOKE, MD. AUGUST 24, 2019 10 A.M. - 2 P.M.

# **Court Postings**

By Linda Cicoira

# Marijuana Found Growing In Mears

A Mears man was arrested last week and charged with manufacturing marijuana, according to papers filed in Accomack General District Court.

Frederick Richard Sharon Jr., 35, of Turkey Run Road, is accused of growing seven to eight plants, some of which were more than eight feet tall. He is free on a \$2,000 secured bond. The offense occurred Aug. 6. Sharon was arrested the same day. Deputy Cody Hodgson, of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office, investigated. A preliminary hearing was set for Nov. 4.

In another case, Brock Joshua Williams, 22, of Saxis Road in Saxis, was charged with abduction, sexual battery, and two counts of intentional damage in connection with incidents that occurred Aug. 16. Williams was arrested the same day. A preliminary hearing was set for Oct. 28. Deputy S.E. Henning, of ACSO, investigated. Williams has retained attorney James Broccoletti, of Norfolk, to defend him.

Adam David Zuwallack, 33, of Westcliff Drive in Pasadena, Md., was charged with burglary at a Poplar Cove residence on Aug. 1. Zuwallack was arrested Aug. 12. A preliminary hearing was set for Oct. 28. Hodgson investigated.

Amanda Kelly Fleig, 30, of Savannah Road in Hallwood, is accused of an Aug. 5 burglary. Fleig was arrested Aug. 8. She is free on a secured bond of \$1,000. Deputy K.A. Reese, of ACSO, investigated. A preliminary hearing was scheduled for Oct. 21.

# Bloxom Man Charged with Rape of Youth

An Accomack Juvenile and Domestic Relations judge found probable cause recently to certify a charge of rape, involving a 12-year-old victim, to a grand jury.

Abner Hernandez, 21, of Shoremain Drive in Bloxom, was charged with the May 10 crime. The case was certified to a grand jury by Substitute Judge William Williams on Aug. 9. Hernandez was arrested May 20. Investigator Sam Castiglia of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office investigated. The grand jury is not scheduled to meet until October.

# Onancock Resident Sentenced

An Onancock man was sentenced to a year in jail last week in Accomack Circuit Court in connection with an incident during which an infant was knocked to the floor during a fight.

All but two months was suspended for Dustin Earl Godwin, 31, of Allen Lane, for a misdemeanor count of destruction of property that occurred Aug. 2, 2018. Godwin was initially charged with felony property destruction and burglary. Heather Corbin said she opened her door because she heard her sister's voice and Godwin pushed his way inside, started fighting and knocked her newborn, who was in a nearby bed, to the floor. Godwin was remanded to jail to serve his sentence.

In another case, Gloria Marie Grillone, 32, of Mason Road in Bloxom, pleaded guilty to two counts of cocaine possession that occurred in July and November 2018. A presentence report was ordered. Sentencing was set for Sept. 12.

Kendrell Lee Davis, 29, of Shell Bridge Road in Painter, pleaded not guilty to possession of cocaine and possession of a firearm while in possession of cocaine. He was convicted, a bond was revoked, and he was remanded to jail to await sentencing set for Sept. 19.

A secured bond of \$10,000 was set for Terrance Baines, 37, of Fisher Circle in Melfa, who is accused of arson of a dwelling and animal cruelty of a companion dog. The dog died in the incident that occurred July 5. Baines has been held without bond since July 7.

#### Two Charged in Northampton General District Court

Two people were charged with felonies, according to records filed in Northampton General District Court.

Juanita Barrett Waters, of Eastville,

#### Exmore Man Sentenced for Involuntary Manslaughter

By Linda Cicoira

An Exmore man will serve two years behind bars for involuntary manslaughter and other charges in connection with a traffic crash that caused the death of a teenager last December near Cape Charles.

Calvin Earl Berryhill Jr., 41, was sentenced Monday in Northampton Circuit Court to five years in prison with all but a year suspended for involuntary manslaughter and 12 months in jail for DWI with child. He was given 30 days each with all suspended for three misdemeanor counts of contributing to the delinquency of a child. Berryhill was also fined \$500 for the manslaughter charge.

The crash was reported at 2:45 a.m., Dec. 24, 2018, at the 23000 block of U.S. Highway 13, south of Parsons Circle. An officer determined that a 2003 Saturn VUE, driven by Berryhill, was going north on the highway, ran off the road, overturned, and struck several trees.

Trevonne Avant Stith, 17, of Banks Road in Cape Charles, died at the scene. Three other juvenile passengers, who were not identified, were able to escape from the vehicle and run to a nearby residence for help. The children were later taken a Norfolk, Va., hospital for injuries that were not life-threatening. Tracy Stith, the victim's mother, was in the front seat of the vehicle. She was taken by rescue squad to a hospital, also with injuries that were not life-threatening.

"All this is devastating to me," Berryhill testified at his trial. "It's a difficult feeling. Lost my stepson. It's hurtful every day. Thinking about this all the time ... I know I made a bad mistake ... I miss being around her (Tracy Stith) and her family, Shore life."

Judge W. Revell Lewis accepted a plea agreement between Berryhill and Commonwealth's Attorney Beverly Leatherbury. The prosecutor reduced the aggravated manslaughter charge to a lesser manslaughter count in exchange for the guilty pleas so witnesses would not have to testify.

At a preliminary hearing, Tracy Stith testified Berryhill was going faster than 100 mph. "She was adamant that this has been such a tragedy for the whole family including the defendant," said Leatherbury. "She had forgiven the defendant. She saw the trial as more pain on top of pain."

was accused of committing burglary on July 27. She was arrested the same day. Officer Robert Stubbs, of the Eastville Police Department, investigated.

Waters was released on her own recognizance. A preliminary hearing was scheduled for Sept. 5.

Leroy Dequan Poole Jr., of Hempstead, N.Y., was charged with possession of a Schedule I or II drug in connection with an Aug. 10 incident. Poole was arrested the same day and released on his own recognizance. Officer P. W. Spreder, of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel Police Department, investigated. A preliminary hearing was set for Sept. 26.

# Three Felonies Heard in Northampton Circuit Court

Three felony cases were heard in Northampton Circuit Court this week. Dylan Paul Sokaitis, 25, of West Main Street in Onley, pleaded guilty to felony destruction of property valued at \$1,000 or more, burglary, and grand larceny in connection with Jan. 9 incidents at Northampton Lumber Company. A presentence report was ordered. Sentencing was set for Nov. 25.

Christopher Martin Custis, 48, of Cove Lane in Belle Haven, pleaded guilty to orally threatening a school employee, which is a misdemeanor. He was initially charged with communicating a written death or injury threat at a school-sponsored event on Oct. 30, 2018. Custis was sentenced to six months in jail with five months and 23 days suspended.

Garrett Evan Waters, of Exmore, pleaded guilty to stealing property valued at more than \$200 with the intent to sell. The offense occurred June 24, 2018. A presentence report was ordered and sentencing was scheduled for Nov. 18.

# **O**BITUARIES

#### Jacqueline Lee Baldwin

Mrs. Jacqueline Lee Baldwin, 89, wife of the late Dr. Robert Edmund Baldwin and a resident of Belle Haven, passed away Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2019, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Onancock.

A native of Belle Vernon, Pa., she was the daughter of the late John Stuart Gaul and the late Myrtle Gaul. She was a retired schoolteacher for Accomack County

Public Schools, a Girl Scout leader, and a volunteer for the Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore bike tour. She loved quilting, making many for her family, as well as working with the Ladies of Belle



Mrs. Baldwin

Haven United Methodist Church, where she was a member, making quilts for the church bazaars. Mrs. Baldwin was an avid gardener and, along with her husband, Bob, enjoyed growing many varieties of roses, vegetables, and other flowers. She also enjoyed fishing, the beach, and baking all kinds of cookies for the holidays to give to friends and family.

She is survived by two daughters, Laura Lee Goldstein and her husband, William, and Roberta Baldwin, both of Jamesville; two grandsons, Zachary Baldwin Webb and Luke Garrett Webb, both of Accomac; a granddog, Sable; a grandcat, Pat; a sister, Constance Jane Ceccarelli and her husband, Lou, of Belle Vernon; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Riverside Shore Cancer Center, P.O. Box 430, Onancock, VA 23417.

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

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

#### Agnes Sterling Gillespie

Mrs. Agnes Sterling Gillespie, of Mappsville, passed away Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2019, at Shore Health and Rehabilitation Center in Parksley. She was 101 years young.

Mrs. Gillespie was the devoted wife of Harry William Gillespie Jr. and one of seven children born to John Major Sterling and Mattie Melson Sterling, all of whom predeceased her. She is survived by her nieces, Linda Stevens, of Edgewood, Md., and Lou Ann Crowson and husband, Charles, and their son, Doug Crowson, of Newport News, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie were inseparable throughout their marriage. Always dressed to impress and very social, they enjoyed going out on the town, especially Mrs. Gillespie, who loved to dance. The kindest of souls, Mrs. Gillespie was adored by all, both human and four-legged, often taking in stray cats and dogs. When she wasn't socializing, dancing, or caring for others, you'd find her relaxing while soaking up a little sun.

Funeral services were conducted from the chapel of the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home Friday, Aug. 16, 2019, with the Rev. John Cullop officiating. Private interment was held in the Parksley Cemetery.

Memorial contributions in Mrs. Gillespie's memory may be made to the S.P.C.A., P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418.

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

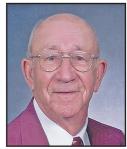
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#### Fred Lee Heaster

Mr. Fred Lee Heaster, 95, husband of the late Lorene Turner Heaster and a resident of Exmore, passed away Friday, Aug. 16, 2019, at Heritage Hall Healthcare in Nassawadox. A native of Mapleton Depot, Pa., he was the son of the late Joseph Heaster and the late Hazel Chilcote Heaster. Mr. Heaster was a retired warehouse manager for Boggs Water and Sewage and a member of Epworth United Methodist Church.

He is survived by two sons, Dennis L. Heaster, of Richmond, Va., and Bryon P. Heaster, of Exmore. Mr. Heaster was predeceased by three brothers, Oliver J. Heaster Sr., John W. Heaster, and Bower R. Heaster, and a sister, Grace J. Morder.

A graveside service was held Monday, Aug. 19, 2019, at Belle Haven Cemetery with the Rev. Mikang Kim and the Rev. Tammy Estep officiating. Memorials may be made to Epworth United



Mr. Heaster

Methodist Church, PO Box 488, Exmore, VA 23350 or Community Fire Company, PO Box 706, Exmore, VA 23350.

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

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

#### Gladys "Sicky" Hicks

Ms. Gladys "Sicky" Hicks, 74, of Hallwood, passed away Friday, Aug. 16, 2019, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Onancock. Born May 4, 1945, in Nassawadox, she was a daughter of the late William Thomas Curtis and the late Lillian Poulson Curtis.

For many years, Ms. Hicks worked at the Moose Lodge in Nelsonia, though most will remember her from the decades she spent working as a clerk at Matthews Market in Mappsville. Ms. Hicks

graciously volunteered her time for the Bloxom Volunteer Fire Company when needed, served on the Hallwood Town Council for 18 years, was a member of the Nelsonia Moose Lodge, and unless



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ill, never missed a Wednesday or Sunday at Hallwood Baptist Church. She loved all



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Survivors include her three children. Angela Taylor and husband, Greg, of Hallwood, Pam Idoni and husband, Mark, of Salisbury, Md., and Larry L. Harrell, of Kentucky; brothers, Clyde Curtis, of Hallwood, and Stephen Curtis, of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; four grandchildren, Brook Taylor, who was the apple of her eye, Beckey Leonard, Savannah Vasquez, and Katie Snow; three great-grandchildren, Maddox and Gabriel Leonard and Isaiah Snow; special niece and nephew. Michelle Hinman and Tommy Bundick; dear friends and Matthews Market co-workers, Patty and Paula; and many other extended family members. In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her sisters, Bonnie Sue Bundick and Thelma Janie Jones: and brother. William Thomas Curtis Jr.

A memorial service will be held at the Hallwood Baptist Church on Saturday, Aug. 24, 2019, at 3 p.m., with the Rev. Danny Shrieves officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Bloxom Volunteer Fire Company, P.O. Box 132, Bloxom, VA 23308 or to the S.P.C.A., P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418.

Memory tributes may be shared with the

family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

#### Larrie Rima Krafick

**Mrs. Larrie Rima Krafick**, 72, wife of John H. Krafick and a resident of East Point, formerly of Brewster, N.Y., passed away peacefully Tuesday, Aug. 13, 2019, surrounded by her loving family.

Born Oct. 21, 1946, in Farmingdale, N.Y., and reared on Long Island, N.Y., she was the daughter of the late Paul W. Rima Sr. and the late Mildred Rima. Mrs.

Krafick retired from Bedford Central School District where she shaped and inspired young minds for more than 30 years and where she was a longtime language arts consultant. Upon re-



Mrs. Krafick

tirement, she and John relocated to the Eastern Shore and joined the Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club, enjoying all the leisure of their spare time.

In addition to her husband, she is

survived by seven stepchildren; 14 great-stepchildren; one great-great-stepchild; and two nieces. Other than her parents, she was predeceased by her brother. Paul Rima Jr.

To honor Mrs. Krafick's wishes, a public service will not be held.

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

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

#### Trueman "Paul" Smith

Mr. Trueman "Paul" Smith, 89, husband of Ann Carol Smith and a resident of Onancock, passed away Thursday, Aug. 15, 2019, at Commonwealth Senior Living. Born Nov. 16, 1929, in Silver Spring, Md., he was the son of the late Trueman Paul Smith and Elizabeth James Smith.

Mr. Smith served his country as a radar man in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War, and as destiny would have it, he met Ann soon after discharge. Together, they shared 66 beautiful years of marriage and made countless memories along the way. With Mr. Smith being a career salesman, the couple relocated many times over the years. In 1980, he accepted a transfer to Onancock as the manager of the Peoples

Life Insurance office. An avid fisherman and outdoorsman, Mr. Smith quickly fell in love with the Eastern Shore and its nature. He especially enjoyed fishing in the bay and seaside waters, arrowhead



Mr. Smith

hunting, and bird-watching. Mr. Smith was a longtime participant in the Road Scholar program and was credited for organizing volunteer groups for the Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge and the Chincoteague Field Station's Marine Science Consortium. His sense of humor and quick wit always brought a smile to those around him.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by their son, Steven Paul Smith, and many other extended family members and friends. Other than his parents, he was predeceased by his daughter, Faye Ellen Wills, and sister, Barbara Talbert.

To honor Mr. Smith's wishes, no public service will be held.

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# Local Activists Don't Want To Lose ESVA's Only Water Source

#### By Linda Cicoira

Local aquifer activists don't want the Eastern Shore of Virginia's only water source to be replenished with treated wastewater, a group representative told members of the local water board Tuesday.

Ken Dufty, head of Citizens For Open Government, was taking a proactive approach since, he said, the Hampton Roads Sanitary District. just across the Chesapeake Bay, will soon be pumping "120 million gallons of treated sewage into the Potomac aquifer every day." Dufty said he wanted "to share pretty much collective feelings about the prospects of pumping treated sewage into our drinking water supplies. The message was simple. First, their (HRSD) plans to supplement their drinking water with treated sewage is a result of the lack of good comprehensive oversight and foresight regarding their sole source aquifer."

"They apparently did not have a John Coker, or a Paul Muhly, or a Bob Meyers, and the rest of the (Eastern Shore) groundwater committee watching every drop of rain that goes in, and every drop that goes out of their aquifer, like we do have here on the Shore," Dufty said, praising the local panel that he sometimes criticizes.

"It seems that after dropping the Potomac (aquifer) over 200 feet to near critical levels over the last five decades of unrestricted outflow, regulators and managers simply search for the magic bullet rather than stemming the flow and implementing strict control measures to preserve their drinking water supplies," said Dufty.

Over pumping in the early 1980s landed Hampton Roads with the resulting \$500 million pipeline from Lake Gaston.

"Here, thanks to an impassioned citizenry and an aggressive ... groundwater committee, we have been able to be more proactive than reactive, and we are hovering near a sustainable drinking water supply from all 4 of our aquifers - Columbia, Upper, Middle, and Lower Yorktown/ Eastover resources."

"We can either learn our lesson from what we see happening in the Hampton Roads area by aggressively managing and protecting our sole source aquifers, or we can try to collect as much sewage as we can and direct it to one place," the Onancock sewage plant.

"For us, it is not too late," he said.
"Many commenting on the potential
for wastewater injection into our pristine aquifer do not think it is much of
a tourist draw."

The website for Sustainable Water Initiative for Tomorrow (SWIFT),

the Hampton Roads project, states it "takes highly-treated water that would otherwise be discharged into the Elizabeth, James, or York rivers and puts it through additional rounds of advanced water treatment to meet drinking water quality."

Dufty later said DEQ and the State Water Control Board failed miserably to protect drinking water supplies in the Hampton Road area. "They have no practical option to supplement their supplies of groundwater. We do," Dufty said of the Shore. "It is called the Columbia Aguifer, and if DEQ did its job as mandated and allowed by the General Assembly to force the poultry industry to use our shallow aquifer for their cooling water needs which are 70% of their total needs, we would not have to be talking about flushing our toilets into the Yorktown. We already have our 'magic bullet' and it is right beneath our feet."

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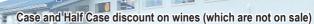
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#### OFFICIALS MEET WITH HR SANITATION DISTRICT REPS

#### By Stefanie Jackson

Hampton Roads Sanitation District representatives met with Northampton and Accomack citizens, officials, and other stakeholders Aug. 15 to outline HRSD's proposal to take over sewer service in parts of both counties and get several towns "out of the sewer business" by 2023.

"We protect public health and the waters of Hampton Roads by treating wastewater effectively" is the pledge from the HRSD website, which HRSD representatives echoed at the Thursday night meeting that packed Exmore's town hall.

As a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Virginia, the Hampton Roads Sanitation District is required to serve Eastern Shore towns if they request to join the district.

The towns considering joining HRSD are Nassawadox, Exmore, Melfa, and Onancock. The towns would be connected to Onancock's wastewater treatment facility, which has excess capacity.

The Onancock facility received major upgrades in 2012, and it can treat up to 750,000 gallons of wastewater per day.

Accomack County would also connect its public buildings in its county seat, Accomac, to the Onancock facility.

The Hampton Roads Sanitation District would pay about \$20 million to \$24 million to construct the main sewer pipe that would run along Route 13 (possibly in the railroad right-of-way) and carry wastewater to the Onancock treatment plant.

The pipe is called a "force main" because the wastewater is pumped, or forced, through the main pipe to the plant.

HRSD would take over the sewer business, both service and billing, in each participating town.

Towns would be alleviated of the headaches of receiving 24/7 service calls and billing customers, and HRSD would collect the money, resulting in a "win-win" scenario for the towns and the district.

The Hampton Roads Sanitation District charges each customer, no matter where they live in the district, a flat, base rate of less than \$55 per month – with one caveat.

HRSD will pay for the main sewer pipe, but each town will have to pay for the system that will carry the town's wastewater to the force main.

Exmore, for example, currently has 350 customers (homes or businesses) connected to its sewer system. If the town wants to make sewer service available to its entire population and reach 900 customers, it would need to do a buildout that would cost about \$5 million.

That new debt and about \$500,000 of old debt on Exmore's sewer system would be shared by customers in Exmore, adding more than \$20 to each sewer bill, for a monthly total exceeding \$70.

Because HRSD does not take on debts, its Eastern Shore customers could also become responsible for the debt remaining on Onancock's wastewater treatment plant, about \$4.5 million.

That could give Exmore customers a monthly bill of more than \$80.

No town would be required to join the Hampton Roads Sanitation District, but without Onancock and its wastewater treatment facility, HRSD would have to completely rework its proposal.

Towns that want to join the Hampton Roads Sanitation District must petition the second circuit court. That process is expected to happen between October 2019 and March 2020.

HRSD and the participating localities will likely sign a contract between January 2020 and June 2020.

It will take about one year, until April 2021, to procure the funds for the project. Construction will take about two years, with project completion expected in April 2023.

The Hampton Roads Sanitation District started in 1940 and provides sewer service for 20% of Virginia's population, 1.7 million people in 18 localities.

There are more than 500 miles of sewer pipes in HRSD's collection system. HRSD operates more than 100 pumps, nine major wastewater treatment plants, and seven smaller wastewater treatment plants.

The Hampton Roads Sanitation District has the capacity to treat 249 million gallons of wastewater per day.



# Bailey Investigates Uncool Fraud

#### By Linda Cicoira

The diligent work of fraud investigator Frances Bailey, of the Accomack County Department of Social Services, is saving thousands of dollars for the local agency.

Bailey reported Tuesday that she kept \$8,350 in cooling assistance benefits from being fraudulently distributed in the last three months by making sure that only those who were eligible received air-conditioning units for their homes.

"Clients submitted over 38 applications and 25 applications were denied," she said of the period from June to August 2019. Twelve were denied in June. 11 were denied in July, and two were denied in August.

"The clients filled out applications stating they didn't have any AC units," said Bailey. "However, upon field investigations/home visits, it was found that several clients already had AC units in their home" despite that their forms stated that they didn't. Some applicants also

didn't list everyone who was staying in the home because total "income would've potentially disqualified them."

"I don't want to see anyone without AC," Bailey said. "However, they have due diligence to be truthful on the applications and allow the Department of Socials Services to make the decision."

Last year, between June and August, 15 of 27 applications were denied for fraud. Of those, three were received in June, seven in July, and five in August. "Only those found eligible for the AC units received them," she reported.

For those months, Bailey saved the agency \$6,510 in cooling assistance benefits or a total of \$14,860 for the two summers.

"I have also helped the agency recover \$10,742.11 in unpaid claims so far for the year 2019," Bailey said. "Unpaid claims are benefits that clients were overpaid due to fraud and have to pay back." Bailey was able to intercept tax refunds "when the client no longer pays voluntarily."





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# ABC Announces Record-Breaking Year and Distribution of Funds

#### By Linda Cicoira

The latest figures show nearly \$6.4 million worth of alcohol was sold at the five ABC stores on the Eastern Shore in the 2019 fiscal year, which ended on June 30.

That's an increase of \$1.6 million from 2014, \$700,000 more than in 2017, and \$500,000 above last year's sales, according to comparisons of annual reports.

Statewide the trend is up too. The Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Authority announced another record-breaking year last week with revenues in excess of \$1 billion, a hike of \$71.8 million compared to the previous year.

Chief Executive Officer Travis Hill explained, "ABC's revenue growth is primarily the result of adding stores around the state to improve customer convenience, a robust series of targeted seasonal promotional campaigns and changing consumer trends."



The number of stores on the Eastern Shore remained the same in that time. The Onley store, in Accomack County, is still the top moneymaker in the two-county area. The 2019 fiscal year saw \$1,931,532 in sales in Onley, an increase of \$132,583.

The Cape Charles store, in Northampton, was the second-highest seller locally and followed with \$1,494,426, or an increase of \$159,578.

The Oak Hall store brought \$1,014,729 in sales. Exmore was next with \$970,915. The store on Pension Street on Chincoteague had \$970,915 in sales.

Tito's Handmade domestic vodka is the most popular item statewide and on the Eastern Shore. The item brought in \$126,054 in sales in Accomack and \$112,162 in Northampton, in 2019. Other favorites that brought more than \$100,000 in Accomack were Jack Daniel's 7 Black Tennessee Whiskey, Crown Royal, and Fireball Cinnamon cordial. Hennessey VS was the number two item in Northampton at \$63,561.

Statewide, of the five top sellers, Tito's "saw the most impressive leap in sales, from \$33.5 million to \$42.1 million, a 26% increase followed by Hennessy VS from \$33.2 million to \$35.3 million, a 6.5% increase over fiscal year 2018," the recent announcement stated.

In fiscal 2019, there were 840,122 gallons of liquor sold statewide. Of those 86,319 were sold on the Eastern Shore, an increase of 1,273 com-

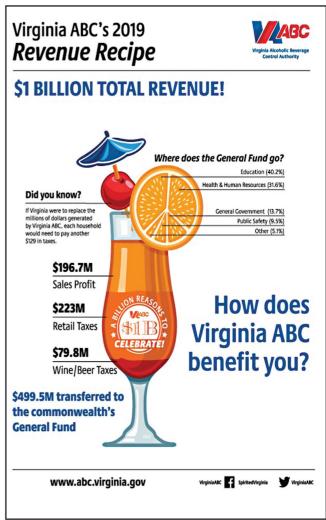
pared to 2017 or nearly 2,000 gallons in 2015. A total report for the most recent fiscal year is still being compiled.

"Customers aren't necessarily drinking more; they're buying more premium products that have a higher per bottle price tag," said Hill. "Additionally, they're choosing distilled spirits over other products."

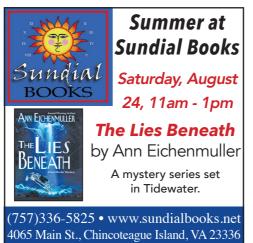
The gross profits for the local stores totaled \$2,106,663 in the last fiscal year.

According to a recent announcement, "each year, per the Code of Virginia, Virginia ABC disburses earnings back to the commonwealth. For the 2019 fiscal year, ABC disbursed a total of \$499.5 million, an increase of \$34.8 million over the previous year. These profits reflect \$196.7 million in sales, \$223 million in taxes (retail) and \$79.8 million collected in wine and beer taxes."

Dawn Eischen, of Virginia ABC, was unable to determine how much of the \$499.5 million would go back to the Eastern Shore for government programs/ services. "ABC does not determine what programs, agencies or localities receive funds from the commonwealth's general fund. The General Assembly determines that."



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This graph from ABC shows a distribution of funds across the state.





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# Accomack County Announces Coffers Are In The Black

By Linda Cicoira

Accomack is in the black allowing for long-overdue projects to be funded from county coffers including renovations and a new HVAC system at the circuit courthouse and refurbishing of Folly Creek's boat ramp.

Revenue in the fourth quarter of Accomack's 2019 fiscal year was up by 5.5% compared to the same period in 2018 and all major revenue streams for 2019 exceeded the previous year by 4.5%, according to County Administrator Mike Mason. The total surplus from fiscal 2019 is estimated at \$2.5 million.

"This year was the best that we've seen since 2011" when there were special circumstances because Accomack had just begun to bill for taxes twice a year, Mason said. "Actual revenue from both real estate taxes and personal property taxes were strong ... Personal property tax collections were up by 15% compared to the previous year due to increased delinquent tax collections," Mason said. "Sales and use tax collections were over 11.5% more than

the previous year and well above the current vear estimate."

The top priority was the courthouse, in Accomac, a project that will cost \$1,116,692 based on a third-party assessment. Money was put aside but the only bid received was for nearly \$159,000 more than anticipated. That project was funded Wednesday by the board of supervisors.

The low bid for the boat ramp, a project Supervisor Laura Belle Gordy has been trying to get done for years, was \$481,411 or double the lowest bid in 2016. Only \$165,900 had been earmarked for the project, which caused the delay. The supervisors approved the addition of \$351,011 to get it started. The board also voted to add \$168,006 for sewer extension from north of Onley.

Assistant County Administrator Stewart Hall and Accomack schools Superintendent Chris Holland reported going on a tour of the Accomac library as the building will revert to the county once the new library is completed in Parksley. There is talk that it could be used for school administration, which would free up space in the administration building for other county uses.

"A 10-thousand-square-foot building and great location," said Holland. "We still need to look at it. We have professional people on it but I think we need more professional advice ... We're expanding; we have sites at Arcadia. We have to look at what's good for the school system and what's good for you," the superintendent said.

Chairman Donald Hart wanted to know if the building was worth remodeling. Supervisor Ron Wolff reminded the others that architectural renderings had been done before.

"We need to have an open mind," said Supervisor Reneta Major. "If we can't use the building, ... maybe to tear down and start again."

Supervisor Paul Muhly said, "It's a terrific location. Ideal to keep here. Nicely landscaped." He said the alternative was "another empty building" in Accomac. There's "a brand-new heating system in there," Muhly added.

In an anticipated move, the board voted to transfer property on Tangier to the Marine Resources Commission. The parcel is needed for a jetty to protect the island.

Eastern Shore of Virginia Broadband Authority Executive Director Robert Bridgham said the buildout is continuing with 350 customers and more than 100 orders awaiting service. Plans for engineering for 19 towns will be completed by the end of 2019. A preliminary plan was made for Tangier. which will be a microwave link. Assawoman will get the link when the authority goes through to Atlantic.

Residents who aren't part of the plan but want to be can now work as a community to let the authority know they have 10 or more residences that want to be connected, Bridgham said. "We've had a neighborhood in Watts Bay all underground and we've got that community online. We continue to find creative ways to get funding."

Getting to Sanford and Saxis is also in the near future, he said.



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# Have a hot news tip?

Send it to Linda Cicoira at shoredog@verizon.net or Stefanie Jackson at stefanie@easternshorepost.com

# STOP SPREADING CHICKEN MANURE IN THE FALL

The disposal by dispersal method is outdated and harmful to the Eastern Shore. Spreading chicken feces all over the farm fields only to have the fall and winter rains wash it off or melt it into the ground is just FLAT out NASTY. It is loaded with all kinds of bacteria, pathogens, nitrogen and phosphorus that are harmful if used in this way. We can do better than that. Put it in the manure sheds in the fall and wait until spring to use it. We are also making too much chicken manure and we must get it off the Shore.

My idea is to put it on railroad cars and ship it out west where it is needed. Think about it: a few big pole buildings, front-end loader and some belt conveyers and we can have manure moving off the Shore.

Our tourism and seafood industries are in jeopardy. Who is going to want to fish and play in polluted water? Please let your elected officials know the manure has to go!



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by Linda Thistle

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# Back-to-School Information for Northampton County 2019-2020 School Year



# Northampton County Public Schools 2019 - 2020 Calendar

August 22	School Board Meeting at CO 6:00pm - 7:00pm
August 29	Open House 12:00pm - 7:30pm
September 2	Labor Day Holiday: No School
September 3	First Day of School
September 12	School Board Work Session 6:00pm - 7:00pm
September 26	School Board Meeting at CO 5:30pm - 6:30pm
October 3	End of the Interim
October 10	Interim Reports Go Home
	School Board Work Session 5:30pm - 6:30pm
October 15	2:00pm Dismissal: Parent-Teacher Conferences
	2:30pm - 6:30pm
October 24	School Board Meeting at KES 5:30pm - 6:30pm
November 4	End of the 1st Nine Weeks
November 5	Staff Work Day: No School for Students
November 11	Report Cards Go Home
November 14	School Board Meeting at CO 5:30pm - 6:30pm
November 27-29	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 10	End of the Interim
December 12	School Board Meeting at OES 6:00pm - 7:00pm
December 17	Interims Go Home
December 23-Jan. 3	Winter Break
January 20	Martin Luther King Holiday: No School
January 27	2:00pm dismissal: Teacher Work Day
February 3	Report Cards Go Home
February 11	2:00pm Dismissal: Parent-Teacher Conferences
	2:30pm - 6:00pm
February 17	Presidents' Day Holiday: No School
February 27	End of the Interim
March 5	Interim Reports Go Home
March 13	Teacher Work Day: No School for Students
March 31	End of the 3rd Nine Weeks
April 7	Report Cards Go Home
April 13-17	Spring Break

End of the Interim

Interims Go Home

Last Day for Seniors

Teacher Work Days

Report Cards Issued

2:00pm Dismissal

Memorial Day: No School

Last Day of School, 2:00pm Dismissal

# A Message From Northampton Superintendent Charles "Eddie" Lawrence

On behalf of the Northampton County School Board, it brings me great pleasure to extend this opening message to the community of Northampton County for the 2019-2020 school year. As I enter my sixth year as superintendent, my focus will be on continuous school improvement. It is our goal for all schools to demonstrate growth in all academic areas, including benchmarks set by the Virginia Department of Education as well as the United States Department of Education.

During the 2018-2019 school year, Occohannock Elementary and Northampton High School achieved full school accreditation. Northampton Middle and Kiptopeke Elementary are conditionally accredited. Our high school improved its mathematics pass rate to 93%. Student attendance will continue to be a point of emphasis.

The summer is going by quickly, and we are extremely busy in preparation for the upcoming school year. Central office and building administrators are in the process of attending various workshops and trainings. The Human Resources Department has been working diligently

to fill staff vacancies. Finally, our Building and Grounds Department has been making repairs and upgrades to all of our campuses.

I urge you to support the Northampton County Education Foundation and join the Parent Teacher Association (PTA). These organizations are extremely vital to the division and provide support in various areas including grants, awards, fundraisers, materials and supplies.

I invite all parents and students to attend Open House on August 29, 2019, from noon until 7:30 p.m. at each school respectively. I hope to see you at Open House or during the school year. Thanks for your time, and please feel free to contact me at elawrence@ncpsk12.com or 757-678-5151 x 2002 if you have any questions or would like to learn more about Northampton County Schools.

Sincerely,

Charles Lawrence Division Superintendent

#### Northampton County Public Schools Meal Prices for 2019-2020

<b>PK-6 Meal Prices</b>		Adult Meal Prices
Lunch	\$2.10	Lunch \$3.25
Reduced Lunch	.40	Breakfast \$2.25
Breakfast	\$1.25	Milk .50
Reduced Breakfast	.30	
Milk	.50	
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Lunch	\$2.60	lunch, please visit our website @
Reduced Lunch	.40	ncpsk12.com to obtain an application.
Breakfast	\$1.25	
Reduced Breakfast	.30	
Milk	.50	

# Evanses Retire From The B&B Life After 25 Years

By Stefanie Jackson

A Cape Charles couple proved there's life after 50 when they recounted the adventures they had running a bed-and-breakfast for nearly 25 years after retiring from their corporate careers.

Bruce and Carol Evans, who owned and operated Cape Charles House, the second bed-and-breakfast ever opened in town, recently retired just shy of the inn's 25th anniversary on June 24.

But the story behind Cape Charles House began more than 40 years ago, when Bruce Evans moved to Richmond for his job as a Sears project manager.

It was there that Bruce Evans met his future wife, Carol Evans, a Sears executive whose work included teaching in-store cooking classes and doing product demonstrations on the sales floor to promote a new appliance that was being introduced to consumers – the microwave.

They married and created a blended family – each was a single parent of two children between the ages of 9 and 12 when they met.

The couple took turns planning their wedding anniversary celebration every year.

In 1991, when were living in Chesapeake, Va., Bruce Evans took his wife across the bay for an anniversary trip to a surprise location – Cape Charles. They stayed at the only bed-and-breakfast in town, the Sea Gate.

They immediately fell in love with the town. There was "a charm and friendliness here that was just unbelievable," Bruce Evans said.

It was the couple's first time staying at a bed-and-breakfast, and they kept their host up half the night talking about the "beautifully renovated" former HUD home.

The host was convinced the Evanses had the right personality to run their own bed-and-breakfast and arranged for them to meet a real estate agent the next morning, a Sunday.

They would wind up buying the first house they saw that morning, although not until two years later.

Bruce and Carol Evans' original plan following their fateful weekend getaway was to wait 10 years,



Photo by Stefanie Jackson Carol and Bruce Evans retire after 25 years.

retire, buy a home in Cape Charles, and transform it into a bed-and-breakfast.

But in 1993, they were offered an early retirement package by Sears, and they took it.

Carol Evans said she and her husband "always knew they would do something together," but they didn't know what or how soon. They also didn't know what a success it would be.

They had difficulty hiring workers to fix the house on Tazewell Avenue, so they decided to do the work themselves, even though they had barely picked up a hand tool before. They enjoyed the work, and Bruce Evans even learned to do electrical work.

They reserved the third floor of the home as an apartment for themselves, which they lightheartedly called "the penthouse."

Cape Charles House opened and Bruce Evans was "surprised how quickly it caught on," even though it didn't have an online presence in the beginning. Its first listing was in a travel book.

In 1999, a travel writer from the Eastern Shore nominated Cape Charles House for the Virginia Tourism Corporation's annual Outstanding Hospitality Award. It won, overtaking about 700 other nominees.

As a result, Cape Charles House got exposure and advertising that the Evanses couldn't have afforded otherwise.

Then they got a call from the producers of the HGTV show, "If Walls Could Talk."

The film crew arrived one morning, intending to spend "a couple hours," but they were at the inn until 7 p.m.

Even the filmmakers were taken in by Bruce and Carol Evans' hospitality. The couple recommended Ray's Shanty for dinner, then forgot about it. They showed up at the restaurant, where they encountered the filmmakers and engaged them in conversation for three hours.

Cape Charles House stayed successful through the years as the Evanses kept things fun and lively with their personal touches.

They served wine and cheese in the evenings with herbs from their garden and held cooking school weekends.

They hosted murder mystery weekends. They sent guests on scavenger hunts that led them up and down the Eastern Shore.

Bruce and Carol Evans were good at making friends, and 50% of their guests repeatedly returned to Cape Charles House. More than 500 of their guests bought homes on the Shore.

One of those guests bought Cape Charles House after it spent four years on and off the market. She was a first-time guest who was captivated by the home and the town just as the Evanses were more than 25 years ago.

Cape Charles House will become a private home once again. The Evanses now live across the street, in one of the four units in the apartment building they own.

They are happy about what they have done at Cape Charles House and the "incredible friendships with people from all over the world, from all walks of life."

Perhaps it's their hospitable nature that prevents Bruce and Carol Evans from taking all the credit for their success. Their secret?

"We have only the best guests."

# TOWN OF PAINTER PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Town of Painter Planning Commission will hold a special meeting to consider certain zoning matters referred to it for study by the Town Council. The special meeting of the Planning Commission is scheduled for Monday, August 26, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. at the Town Office located at 17118 Wayside Drive, Painter, VA 23420. No public hearing is scheduled for 8/26/2019, but the meeting is open to the public. If a public hearing on the zoning matters being considered should come to be required, a public hearing will be scheduled for a later date with such advance notices to the public and affected persons or entities as are required by law.



# Days of Keller Fair Fondly Remembered

By Bill Sterling

From about 1878 — although accounts vary as to the year it started — until 1956, the Keller Fair was a homecoming of sorts for Eastern Shore residents who gathered at the fairgrounds outside Keller.

Known originally as the Granger Fair, it was organized as an outgrowth of some farm products and was the oldest continuous agricultural fair in the country when it closed. The Keller Fair was the largest and most popular of several fairs held on the Eastern Shore every summer. It was held the last week of August with the big day being Thursday. With segregation in existence at the time, similar fairs were held for African Americans in Weirwood and Tasley. And on Fairgrounds Road in Tasley, a separate fair was held across the road for whites.

Though it was last held 63 years ago, there are still some who have vivid memories of days of the Keller Fair and the activities held there.

"Keller Fair was the highlight of the summer for many an Eastern Shoreman," said Dolores Bott, now 88. She



Photo by Bill Sterling Dolores Bott recalls going to the Keller Fair as a young girl.

grew up in Northampton County on Myrtle Grove Farm near Machipongo, but recalls heading north every Au-

gust to attend the fair with her family. which included her parents and their four daughters. "When you made that turn in Keller and then took the bend in the road to the fairgrounds, it was hard to contain your excitement. We would park under those tall pine trees and scamper out of the car. We saw people we had not seen since the year before and had so much fun. The camaraderie was just great, and there was so much to do and see," said Bott, who recalled winning a blue ribbon for making an apron as a 4-H member when she was a teenager. She said ribbons were handed out for cooking, canning, sewing, and other household skills. There were also ribbons awarded for livestock and produce. Among the entertainment were carnival rides, games, and sideshows featuring exotic animals and people including two-headed animals and a bearded lady.

Bott said that after seeing everyone and checking out all the exhibits, she liked to go to the grandstand to watch the horse racing. "A lot of the farmers back then raced horses, some as a hobby and some were really serious about it and did very well. Of course, horse racing is like farming. You do it long enough and you are going to have some lean years."

Bott's father, James W. Downing, was one of those farmers who had some good horses and raced them at the Keller Fair and at tracks up north. She then married into a horse-racing family with her husband, Finn Bott, and her father-in-law, known as Big Finn, also racing horses.

Horse racing was one of the most popular pastimes held each year at the Keller Fair, but over the years there were car races, baseball games, wrestling, boxing, and track and field events.

According to the late historian, Nora Miller Turman, "Keller Fair was also handshaking time for aspirants to political offices from justices of the peace to United States Senators and Congressmen."

Butch Harmon grew up in Melfa and would walk more than two miles just to reach the Keller Fair. "I didn't



Photograph Courtesy of Eastern Shore Public Library Horse racing was a staple at the Keller Fair. Here, spectators watch a harness race that probably included a few local horses trained on area farms.

have a bicycle, but me and a few guys would walk there. In the week before the fair, we would ask everyone around town if they had jobs for us so we could make a dime or maybe a quarter to get in the fair. But there was a time or two that I sneaked in under the fence when I didn't have any money. When the fair was going on, everyone wanted to be there because there was so much to see and do."

Harmon has a photograph from the former newspaper Peninsula Enterprise showing Alice Bright, a famous race horse of the Eastern Shore from the late 1870s, shortly after the opening of the Keller Fair. The horse was owned by Jimmie Harmon, his great-grandfather.

Horse racing was a staple of the Keller Fair from the beginning right to the last years. Through the years, it included jockeys riding thoroughbreds and drivers in sulkies urging on both trotters and pacers in harness racing. In the years of the Keller Fair, baseball and horse racing were the sports garnering most of the attention in the sports pages with few having interest in pro football or basketball.

Henry A. Wise, in his book "Yesteryears on the Eastern Shore," published in 1968, wrote, "Virginia's East-

ern Shore has long been known for three things — fast horses, sweet potatoes and pretty girls, all in the order named. At the Keller Fair these all came together."

One horse that put the Eastern Shore on the map was Adios Boy, owned by John Slator Turner of Exmore and later by his son, J. Slator Turner Jr. Although Adios Boy probably did not race at Keller Fair, being too busy running and often winning major races at tracks throughout the country with Howard Camden as the driver, there was a special day at Keller Fairgrounds in 1953 where the public had the opportunity to see the horse that just set a new world record for one mile in 1:58 and 3/5 seconds.

Other locally owned horses who ran at the Keller Fair and also were well known beyond the Shore were Hail Worthy, Sallie D., My Nan, Morgan Hanover and Jane Azoff. Among the families who raced at the Keller Fair were the Nottinghams, Jameses, and Floyds of Northampton County and the Bulls, Turlingtons, and Parkses of Accomack. It was said there were as many as a dozen racetracks on the Eastern Shore where local horses were trained.

There was no organized betting on

the horses at the Keller Fair, but more than a few recall one side of the fairgrounds where money probably exchanged hands depending on the result of the races.

#### Keller Fair Was a Family Affair

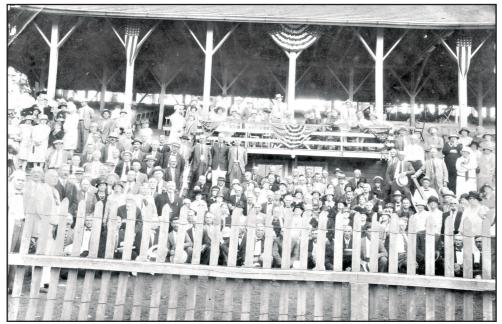
Peggy Downing, in her book "Backward Glances," wrote fondly about her memories of going to the Keller Fair with the family packed in her father's secondhand 1936 Chevrolet. "I can't remember which I was the most excited about, going to Keller Fair, seeing my friends, or wearing my new dress. ... Some people traveled to the fair in farm trucks, with extra passengers sitting in the back on blankets, hay or chairs. Some came in the rumble seats of cars, some in horse-drawn wagons, but most arrived in family cars."

Downing wrote that in those days of limited travel, she often did not see her school friends or distant cousins from the end of school in June until the week of the Keller Fair.

Downing recalled the senses of entering the fairgrounds: "The sights — crowds of people, tents, bright colored exotic signs, with flashing lights — and the sounds were enough to capture the imagination of even the most sluggish. The intoxicating aroma that drifted thought the masses was a combination of fresh popcorn, fried hamburgers and onions, hot dogs, clam fritters, fried chicken and other



Photo by Bill Sterling Peggy Downing shows a china dog she won in a game of chance at the Keller Fair as a young girl.



Photograph Courtesy of Eastern Shore Public Library This photograph of a well-dressed crowd at Keller Fair was believed to have been taken in the 1930s.

delicacies. To add to the atmosphere the wonderful organ music from the merry-go-round, along with the music of the Ferris Wheel and the numerous other rides and shows, sent our imaginations racing."

Downing still has a small white china dog with brown spots that she won at one of the numerous games of chance held at the Keller Fair.

Ice cream and taffy were also popular foods sold by vendors at the fair from small buildings as you entered the grounds. Adding to the aroma were the home-cooked lunches packed into picnic baskets brought by many families.

George McMath remembers many fun times there. One of his first recollections of the Keller Fair was when H.C. Watson, who was president of the association that ran the fair, asked McMath to open the activities by singing "God Bless America."

"I recall walking across the racetrack, accompanied by mother and my brother, Joe, and climbing up the judge's stand. I guess I was around seven when I stood there and belted out the song, accompanied by Joe on the clarinet," McMath remembered.

Noting that time proved he was not a vocalist, he doesn't believe his singing had anything to do with the fair closing since it was many years later.

McMath also recalled sometimes one of the acts had a man being shot

out of a cannon to land in a net. "We always wondered whether it was a 'dummy.' If it were a real man, he probably was a dummy," said McMath.

"Keller Fair was the place to be in its heyday," said J.T. Holland recently. "It had a little bit of everything."

Bill Mapp, who grew up nearby in Wachapreague, said as summer came to an end, the Keller Fair was all everyone thought about. "I can still see the performers, especially the trapeze acts high in the air. I tried to get there every chance I could. I remember one year I skipped football practice at Central to go see the Indy cars race. When my coach found out, he was not happy and it was a long year for me."

Mapp said the lure of the Keller Fair was that the big names you would see on TV, whether it was wrestlers, stockcar racers, Indy drivers or entertainers, were the same people who would be there.

Mapp, who spent his career in agricultural marketing, also recalled that at the time there were numerous farm equipment dealers with their exhibits at the fair. "You had your John Deere, Ferguson, Allis-Chalmers, Ford dealers and others with all their new tractors and combines. They were not so fancy compared to today's equipment, but they were modern for those times."

According to Mapp, the band of Joe Bazille and its marching music was popular with all ages. One act intended for adults only was the burlesque show, also called the hoochie-coochie acts. "It was the aspiration of the young boys to become old enough to be admitted to those shows," said Mapp with a laugh. However, the fair closed for good before Mapp ever reached that age.

Mapp, now 81, said he saw the fair go from a bustling, crowded gathering to some lean times in the final years. He recalled being there in 1956, the fair's last year of operation, having just graduated from high school and about to leave for college, when there was hardly anyone there. Mapp said in addition to families traveling greater distances for recreation and the growing popularity of television, the emergence of the town carnivals probably hurt attendance at the Keller Fair. "Many of the midway rides at the Keller Fair could now be enjoyed at the carnivals that were almost in every town. Wachapreague also often had the same entertainment as the Keller Fair, so why go to the fair when you could see the same thing at the carnival?"

The aforementioned H.C. Watson was one of the ardent supporters of the Keller Fair, along with J. Milton Mason and the general manager, Harry Mears. They kept it running well after it became unprofitable before reaching the decision to close it. The fairgrounds with the racetrack were sold to the late Carrol Bull, a successful produce dealer who trained horses. Today, the property is owned by George Colonna.

The route of the old race track still can be seen at Keller Fair Road and Racetrack Road just outside Keller. There is little activity there now, but memories of the Keller Fair live on in the minds of a generation that recalls simpler times and tastes.



Photo by Bill Sterling Keller Fair glassware from 1907 and 1908 owned by Sydney Downing.

# NHS Yellow Jackets Buzzing With Preseason Optimism

## Story and Photos by Brennan Waldorf

The returning two-time district champion Yellow Jackets kick-started their season Aug. 1, looking to claim another title and extend their streak. The 2018-19, 8-3 Yellow Jackets, which made it to the Region A playoffs last year, retired 17 seniors last year and will look to a young core group of sophomores to step up.

If there's one takeaway from last year's winning team, it's that they've got to be tough. Coach Edney said, "The team's young but strong; they committed to the program and put a lot work in the weight room."

A team that lost nearly all of its defense with nine players not returning and lost two 1,000-yard rushers on offense put in a lot of off-season work. "This is one of the strongest teams we've had recently; they've made great strides, breaking almost all the most recent weightlifting records and approaching on the school's all-time records," according to Edney.

The team won't be without leadership this year, as remaining seniors (Owen Bott RB/DL, Tyrell Crockett RB/DB, Landon Custis WR/DB, Jeremy Major TE/DL, Landen Sayers RB/LB, and Crescencio Sugia OL/DL) will look to lead their young core to victory. They'll have to guide their peers and instill the same toughness that allowed them to overcome a 26-7 halftime deficit on the road against Colonel Richardson last year. The



Coach Palmer overlooks passing drills as Tyrell Crockett goes up for the catch.

Northampton staff composed of Raymond Wells, Charles Kellam, David Farlow, Aaron Palmer, Del Long, Phil Sweet, Keith Brady, Austin Gregory, and Brian Jardine has a lot of work to do. "The biggest challenge we have this year will be gaining experience and getting used to the speed of the varsity games," Edney said.

Edney, who has been coaching for eight years, enters his fourth season with the Yellow Jackets and his fourth year as head coach. He says his biggest challenge is "getting players out before school starts; statewide numbers have been low, transportation and communication is important."

This year the Yellow Jackets had 35 players commit to a team that

saw more than 45 last year. Edney recommended the young players, saying, "they don't miss practices," which run in the evenings from 5-7 p.m., Monday through Friday at Northampton High, which is in need of renovations. When asked about the condition of the football team's equipment and field, Edney said, "Fields are looking good. David Farlow did a tremendous job maintaining the fields, best they've looked in a while." The team also had some equipment donated last year and does its best to maintain the older stuff.

For now, the team looks to its season opener, which will be a district game

8/23 (scrimmage) 6 p.m. (home) Bruton/Southampton 8/29, 7 p.m. (home) Arcadia (Open House) 9/6, 7 p.m. @ Northumberland 9/13, 7 p.m. (home) Surry **County (Alumni Night)** 9/20, 7 p.m. (home) Windsor (Black Out Night) 9/27, 7 p.m. (home) West **Point (Homecoming)** 10/4, 7 p.m. @ Middlesex 10/11, 7 p.m. @ Altavista 10/25, 7 p.m. @ Colonel Richardson 11/1, 7 p.m. (home) Nandua (Senior Night)

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against Arcadia. "We love our community support, and players enjoy seeing the stands filled, they've worked hard and deserve it, that crowd atmosphere really impacts the game" said Edney, who'd like to fill the stands every game. Game entry is only \$5, season passes available, with most games played on Fridays at 7 p.m.

11/8, 7 p.m. @ Arcadia



Lineman drills are moved in to the cafeteria briefly due to some lightning in the area.



Sophomore Quarterback Liam Flynn started five games last year for the Yellow Jackets and will be starting QB for 2018-19 season.

# AHS Firebirds Ready to Fly Into Football Season

#### Story and Photo by Matthew Yoder

This year's Arcadia High Firebirds are determined to build upon the positive results of last season, which ended with the team's first foray into playoff football in a number of campaigns.

Head Coach Alan Hall is entering his second full season and his disciplined, confident approach has improved his squad and put other local teams on notice. Asked when preparation began for this season, coach Hall boisterously responded, "The day after the season ended last year."

"We're pumped, we have 17 seniors eating at the bit, ready to go," Hall said.

His sentiment is shared by the more than 60 varsity and JV athletes practicing through the twilight in 88 degree, challenging August conditions.

"I know we're going to be able to go somewhere this year," said captain and starting left tackle Ryan Rose.

Rose, who is only in his second year playing organized football, has wowed coaches with his skill and determination. He answers questions wisely and candidly, and speaking about 2018 said, "Last season was a taste of something, and before you're successful you taste it."

One thing very apparent as coaches and players take a break to share thoughts in the heat is the mutual respect they feel and extend to one another. A lot of these athletes have been competing with one another from an early age, but the coaching staff is relatively new and they came aboard intent on strengthening the concept of team, teaching proper technique, and encouraging their players to set a strong example in the community.

Their effect is evidenced by the mature, respectful demeanor of the players.

Senior captain and wide receiver Airey Finney said of Hall and his staff, "They know the tactics of the game, there was a big difference when they came in."

"They give us respect, we give it back," Finney added.

The proof is also in the results. Wins, school records in points last year, and a group of strong athletes distinguished this team as fifth most improved out of 307 teams statewide.

With such a dramatic turnaround,



Coach Hall, center, examines his players passing drills last week.

Coach Hall wanted his team to expand beyond the shore and challenge his team this preseason with intimidating competition. This past weekend the team traveled with 22 players to Edenton, N.C., to scrimmage with teams from the 5A and 6A divisions, teams sporting D-1 and D-2 collegiate talent. Coach Hall believes the best path to becoming, "bigger, stronger, faster," is to play "bigger competition," and in this condensed weekend Hall believed his team, "kept pace with everybody."

Hall was particularly fond of his team's comraderie and inquisitiveness. He spoke of how they had meaningful interactions with opposing teams outside of the games and they picked the brains of the players and coaches they competed against. The Firebirds themselves used the scrimmages to test new schemes headed into the regular season. The team will travel this weekend with their full squad to Dagsboro, Del., to compete in another similar multiteam scrimmage.

A first-time observer of this team sees the goals are large and the urgency with so many seniors is palpable.

Senior captain and quarterback Lethon Williams said the path they've all been striving toward is the first home playoff game and win in years. As captain he appears to relish his position to "keep everybody on track and shine down on my teammates as a role model."

Back on the practice field the coaches are not quick to single out games and rivals headed into this season.

For some players, rivalries are more definable.

Tiair Bibbins, captain and standout on the defensive end of the ball, was very well spoken when talking of where this team has come.

"Last year's home game with Nandua made us," he said.

In that game the defense made an end of the game goal line stand to preserve victory.

Bibbins talked of how Arcadia "were always the outcasts," but the disciplined approach of coaches has helped to bring everybody together and Bibbins said, "the level of chemistry on this team is rising."

So much was said of Coach Hall and his staff, a group complemented by physical therapists, a radiologist, and veterans, with Hall himself a combat veteran.

"I hire good people, we're all professionals," Hall said.

On this muggy August evening a group from the Fellowship of Christian Athletes is also present, handing Popsicles during breaks and serving as another set of eyes, and ultimately spirit to foster the sense of community and pride growing here.

Hall believes these kids are buying into a system that works and sees it extending beyond just the game.

"They know in life situations we are here for them," Hall said.

Wins will ultimately measure success for this team on the field in 2019 for Hall, but "watching the children strive to improve on the field and in 2019 ARCADIA SCHEDULE



8/29, 7 p.m. @ Northampton 9/6, 6 p.m. @ Decatur (Berlin, Md.) 9/13, 7 p.m. (home) Nandua 9/20, 6 p.m. @ Snow Hill 10/4, 7 p.m. (home) Colonel Richardson 10/11, 7 p.m. @ Bruton (Williamsburg, Va.) 10/18, 7 p.m. (home) Milford Mill Academy 10/25, 7 p.m. @ Nandua 11/8, 7 p.m. (home) Northampton

life," is of equal importance for coaches.

"We're building a stronger support system all around and excitement from the community is growing," said Bibbins.

It's apparent through spirited passing drills and conversation this team believes it can win in bunches.

"Last year's hard losses have reinforced the program," said assistant coach Dan Macca.

And when this year's Firebirds enter the field, competition and rivals will be, "Anybody on the field with us that day," said Macca.

Arcadia opens the season this Thursday on the road in Eastville against Northampton High School.

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# SPORTS SHORTS

#### 3rd Annual Sundog Tournament

The 3rd Annual Sundog Tournament will be Saturday, Sept. 28, beginning at 9 a.m., at the Central Accomack Little League Complex in Onancock. The cost is \$325 per team. The tournament is double elimination, and single elimination championship game. All money raised will benefit CALL.

For more information, contact Billy Justice at centralaccomacklittleleague@gmail.com

# **Central Accomack** Little League Fall Sign-Up Central Accomack Little League

will hold sign-ups for fall ball on Saturdays, Aug. 24 and 31, from 9 a.m. to noon, and Tuesday, Aug. 27, from 6 to 8 p.m., at the concession building at the Onancock ball field. The registration fee is \$45. There is limited space so first come, first served. Only four teams will be formed for boys and four for girls. Shirts will be provided.

Boys can join only if they are eligible to play 9-10 or 11-12 next spring 2020. Girls can join only if they are eligible to play 9-10 or 11-12 next spring 2020.

Games will begin Friday, Sept. 13, and all games will be Friday nights.

For more information, contact Billy Justice at centralaccomacklittleleague@gmail.com

#### Mary N. Smith **Alumni Association** To Host Golf Outing

The Mary N. Smith Alumni Association is hosting its first Annual Charity Golf Tournament Sept. 14 at the Great Hope Course in Westover, Md.

The cost is \$90 per golfer or \$350 for a foursome. Registration starts at 8 a.m. with a shotgun start at 9 a.m. Contact 240-832-1387 to sign up and for more information mnsgolfevent@gmail.com



# ESYCC Hosts Youth Sports Camp

\$138,700

Southwind Rd

The Eastern Shore Yacht & Country Club recently hosted approximately 25 youth for a sports camp, which included instruction for tennis, golf, and swimming. Mike Varricchilo served as tennis instructor while Alan Moore provided golf instruction. This was the second sports camp hosted by the club this summer.



#### In the Island **Theatre Annex** Monday, August 26, 7 p.m. "The Celts: Music, Myth and Mayhem" **Bill Troxler** A listening and learning experience about the Celtic cultural origins and traditions that shaped centuries of music from ancient times to today. Admission: \$5.00. Beer and wine cash bar. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. 4076 Main St., Chincoteague One of a series of Monday night performances sponsored by the Eastern Shore Post





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Sea Winds, Captain's Cove



Fishing from the Shore By Bill Hall As we approach the last full week of August, we are starting to see the beginning of a sea-

sonal transition in the fishing action. Red drum and speckled trout numbers in the lower bay are on the increase, as are spot numbers throughout the Chesapeake Bay. Offshore, wahoo catches are on the rise. Barring any major storms or disruptive cold fronts, anglers should enjoy some of the best fishing activity of the year for the next five to six weeks, until cooling water temperatures start to trigger some of the warmer water species into their seasonal migrations offshore and to more southern waters.

Chincoteague – Jimmy Vasiliou, at Captain Steve's Bait & Tackle, reported that the surf was producing catches of spot and kingfish/whiting. A citation 27.5-inch Spanish mackerel was landed off the Main Street Pier, where croaker, a few keeper flounder, and small sea bass have dominated the catches. Offshore fishing has slowed, while the inshore wrecks are holding some barracuda, giving anglers an opportunity to add a new species to their catch list when the fish aren't being pursued by spearfishermen. Kevin Quinn brought in a 30.5-pound golden tilefish caught while deep dropping. The shop will be hosting its annual croaker tournament beginning on Aug. 23 and running through Sept. 8.

Donna Rae Roeske, at Captain Steve's Bait & Tackle, reported that the flounder fishing is still holding up on both sides of the Queen Sound bridge, jumbo minnows and Gulp combinations are still the top bait producers. Gray trout are being caught off Chincoteague Point, with some fish coming off Tom's Cove. Peeler crabs and bloodworms have been the top trout baits. The whiting/ kingfish bite has been coming from around buoys 15, 14, and 13, with both real and artificial bloodworms putting these tasty panfish into the cooler. Sharks are the main quarry from the mouth of the inlet to buoy 6 and as far south as the Four Mouths area. The surf off Assateague is producing mostly small panfish, a few Spanish mackerel, and sharks. Offshore anglers are still fishing the area around the Parking Lot in search of dolphin/mahi. On Blackfish Banks, flounder fishing has slowed, with spadefish, triggerfish, small black sea bass, and a few tautogs showing up in the catches. Larger black sea bass are coming from the wrecks located 8 to 12 miles offshore, according to Roeske.

Wachapreague – Captain Lindsay Paul, of Trident Tackle, reports that the inshore flounder fishing remains steady, with some keeper-sized fish and lots of throwbacks being encountered. Croaker and sand mullet/whiting are mixed in with the flounder catches. Spanish mackerel are still around just out-

side the inlet. Some spadefish and cobia have come from the structures near buoy 10, but the flounder fishing has fallen off substantially. In the blue water, a few dolphin and marlin have been caught, but tuna remain scarce.

Lower Shore - Chris Snook, of Chris' Bait & Tackle, reported that croaker numbers are picking up out of especially near the Chimney and buoy 262. Spanish mackerel fishing remains pretty good in the lower bay with a nicer class of bluefish mixed in with the macks. Spadefish action still concentrates around Plantation Light and the fourth island of the bridge-tunnel. Cobia action is still occurring around buoys 16 and 13, but sharks still heavily outweigh the number of cobia. Red drum are being caught in the same locations late in the afternoons/evenings. Flounder are still being targeted around the fourth island and along the bridge-tunnel span. The bayside creeks and seaside inlets are seeing increasing numbers of speckled trout. Ribbonfish are being caught by trolling as well as casting Got-Cha plugs and Bill Lewis lures. One hot spot for the ribbons has been off the Kiptopeke Pier at night.

Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait & Tackle, reported that the Spanish mackerel fishing is still good with decent numbers caught last weekend. Cobia fishing still remains strong around buoy 36-A and along the bridge-tunnel, with big red drum showing up in the evenings. Shallow water fishermen are reporting some nice sized speckled trout with a 4-pound, 12-ounce speck brought in last weekend. The Cape Charles pier is seeing an abundance of ribbonfish along with some croakers. The Ditch and the bridge-tunnel is where most anglers are finding flounder.

Upper Shore – Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reports that a recent charter produced four cobia and three red drum releases while fishing in the lower Chesapeake Bay. Trolling out of Onancock has produced catches of Spanish mackerel, with speckled trout and small rockfish coming from the shallows. Flounder fishing inside the inlets remains good, considering how late it is in the season, but the flounder action has taken a nosedive over the inshore wrecks. A few tuna and wahoo have begun to show up in the offshore catches, but Abell noted that the offshore effort has really slowed down.

Bill Hall was the first Eastern Shore resident to achieve Virginia Salt Water Master Angler Status. He has been named Virginia Saltwater Angler of the Year and Virginia Saltwater Release Angler of the Year. Bill is an I.G.F.A. International Committee Representative and a longtime member of the Virginia Saltwater Fishing Tournament Committee. He is the Virginia Recreation Fishing representative on the ASMFC Striped Bass Management Panel and is a past recipient of the CCAVA Virginia Outdoor Writer Conservation Leadership Award.

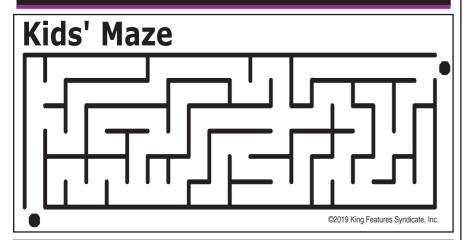


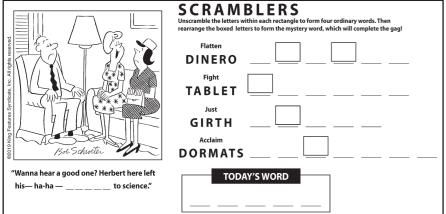
Photo Courtesy of Chris' Bait & Tackle This 64-pound cobia was caught with Kenny Louderback and the Fish Freaks Guide Service.



Photo Courtesy of Captain Bob's Marina Tommy Watson caught this 4-pound, 5-ounce, 22-inch speckled trout inside of Tom's Cove.

# Kids' Puzzle Page





# Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

# **WORD FUN**

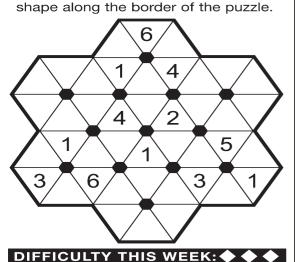
Study the two words on each line to find the ONE letter in the left column that is NOT in the word in the right column. Write the extra letter on the blank space. Then read DOWN to answer this riddle:

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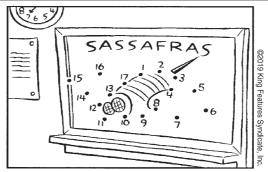
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# SNOWTLAKES by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon

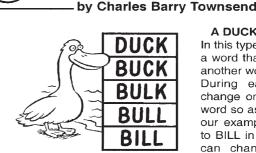


Medium



**CONNECT THE DOTS** and find out what's more wonderful than a talking dog!

Answer: A spelling bee.





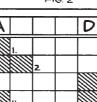
ANOTH can't pick No stack the cups fingers (Fig. 2).

**ANOTHER BETCHA!** Bet your friends they can't pick up six plastic cups with one hand. No stacking allowed. The secret is to arrange the cups in a circle (Fig. 1). Next, place your fingers in the five outer cups and squeeze (Fig. 2). You can now pick up all six cups.

FIND-A-WORD! On the top line is our mystery word. You need to fill in the missing letters. Clue words (smaller words contained in letter-by-letter order within the mystery word) are defined below.

- 1. To make repairs.
- 2. A result, an outcome.
- 3. A statement of approval. 4. Pieces used in chess.

Answers: 1. Mend. 2. End. 3. Amen. 4. Men. Mystery word: Amend.



#### A DUCKY SET OF PUZZLES!

In this type of puzzle you are given a word that must be changed into another word in a series of moves. During each move, you must change one letter in the previous word so as to form a new word. In our example, we changed DUCK to BILL in four moves. See if you can change the following five words in four moves.

- 1. BLUE to SMOG
- 2. GOOD to WILL
- 3. WALK to RIDE
- 4. TIDE to LAND
- 5. CAPE to HERO

6. CAPE, CARE, HARE, HERE, HERO, 2. GOOD, GOLD, GILL, WILE, WILE, WIDE, RIDE, RIDE, RIDE, SUCC, SMOG.

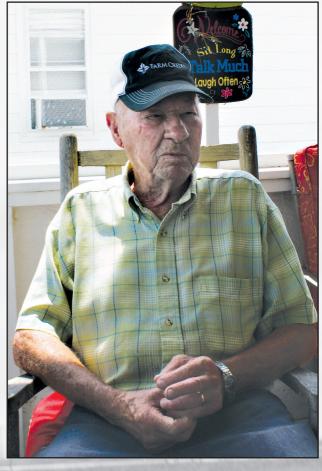
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# TANGIER HOMECOMING 2019: PORTRAITS FROM THE ISLAND

PHOTOS BY ANGIE H. CRUTCHLEY









Pictured clockwise from top left:

Austin Pruitt helps prepare the food on the airport tarmac for the annual Tangier Homecoming.

John Charnock, town sergeant, patrols the "mean streets" of Tangier.

Fred Pruitt, 82, has some tea and a chat on his front porch. He's been married for more than 60 years to his wife, Eugenia.

A game of baseball brings out the neighborhood athletes.

Mayor James "Ooker" Eskridge takes a break from cleaning up the yard to pose for an Eastern Shore Post photographer in front of his house. The Tangier water tower is in the background.



# 'Art Rocks the Inns' in Cape Charles

# Photos by Stefanie Jackson



Hand-painted glassware inspired by the Cape Charles "LOVE" sign, by Jamie Ward.

Art rocked the inns of Cape Charles for the seventh year in a row on the afternoon of Sunday, Aug. 18.

Art filled the porches of participating inns and spilled out onto the lawns, shaded by tents.

Admission was free to the public, who were welcome to take the art tour on foot or by bicycle, golf cart, or car.

From fine art to folk art, there was something to suit every taste and every budget.

The artists were on hand to add an extra-special, personal touch to the event, chatting with visitors about their creations and the places and experiences that inspired them.

Event guests were also invited to escape the summer heat and tour the beautifully restored, historic inns that included Alyssa House, Bay Haven Inn, Fig Street Inn, and the Northampton Hotel.







Kate Meyer, of Chatham Flower Farm, offers a selection of flower arrangements as well as her paintings.

Christine Huether (left) makes pencil drawings like this one of Misty of Chincoteague.





A mother gazes at art at the Alyssa House.

Photo by Marty Bull

BULL REELS IN 50-INCH RED DRUM ABOARD MEAN JEAN Abigail Bull, fishing aboard the Mean Jean, caught her biggest red drum ever. The drum was 50 inches. The fish qualified for a VA Release Citation. Thirteen red drum were landed and this was one of five citations for the boat. Also on boat was her dad, Marty Bull, and Sam and Jean Sellard.

# Eastern Shore Literacy Council Announces Upcoming Eastern Shore Restaurant Week

#### Submitted Article

The Eastern Shore Literacy Council announced that it was sponsoring the first Eastern Shore Restaurant Week during the week of Oct. 7 through 13. Participating restaurants will offer a selection of lunch and dinner specials during the week where a portion of the sale receipts are donated to the Literacy Council.

Participating restaurants can be found on the webpage <a href="www.shoreliteracy.org">www.shoreliteracy.org</a> or on Facebook at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/easternshore.literacycouncil/">https://www.facebook.com/easternshore.literacycouncil/</a>

This is an opportunity to support the Eastern Shore Literacy Council and the free tutoring it provides to adult learners as well as enjoy the offerings from local restaurants. For more information, call the office at 789-1761 or email esliteracy@gmail.com









### Peart and Bunce Receive Rotary Scholarships

The Exmore Rotary presented the 2019 scholarship to Gary Peart, from Northampton High School, and Greta Bunce, from Broadwater Academy. Pictured above, Peart and Bunce flank Scott Schreiber, club president.

Peart will attend UVA and Bunce will attend Virginia Tech this fall.



# Marriage Licenses Issued

- David Whiteley, 67, of Ocean City, Md., and Nancy Poole, 66, of Lutherville, Md.
- Melvin Rowley, 54, of Nassawadox, and Kathy Cary, 59, of Baltimore, Md.
- Stephen Wood, 32, of Forest Hill, Md., and Johanna De Luigi, 33, of Bel Air, Md.
- Cartez Marion Lilliston, 37, and Jamie Larae Jacobs, 38, both of Parkslev
- Mauro Jimenez Garcia, 35, of Bloxom, and Luz Arely Hernandez Perez, 28, of Parksley
- Michael Joseph Majewski, 38, and Lauren Elizabeth Nonnemaker. 31, both of Audubon, Pa.
- Karen Lee Arsenault and Robert Wayne Wright Jr., both 44, of Harriman, N.Y.



# Packsley High School Class of '69

The Parksley High School class of 1969 celebrated its 50th reunion recently. Out of the graduating class of 42, 21 were in attendance. Seven classmates from that class have passed away.

Pictured above from left are (front row) Angela Ewell Benton, Nancy Baker Dix, Alice White Hart, Norma Hall Hurst, Kathy Hargis Redman, and Charlene Bloxom Jacob; (middle row) Jimmy Ayres, Faye Clayton, Maurice "Cracker" Dix, Larry Mears, Tommy Dix, Barry Mills, and Greg Fogle; (back row) Chuck Doroski, Terry Langley, Sammy Bloxom, Gary Richardson, Carey West, Durwin "Judd" Justis, and Judge Revell Lewis. Michael Bundick was present but not in the photo.

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# Community Notes

# **Cape Charles**

The Harbor for the Arts Summer Festival will feature a performance by the Forte Jazz Saturday, Aug. 24, from 7 to 9 p.m., at the Cape Charles Central Park.

The Friends of the Cape Charles Memorial Library will hold a book sale Friday, Aug. 23, from noon to 5 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 24, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Sunday, Aug. 25, from

noon to 4 p.m., at the Cape Charles Civic Center. Buy books individually or fill a brown bag for \$5.

# Chincoteague

The Chincoteague Cultural Alliance's final Music at the Dock will feature a performance by steel drum band CIASO Saturday, Aug. 24, at 7 p.m., at Robert Reed Park.

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The Chincoteague Island American

#### Craddockville

Legion Riders Chapter 159 will host a

Poker Run To Benefit Our Veterans Sat-

urday, Aug. 24, with registration from

9:30 to 11 a.m., at A.C. Cycles, 7120

Lankford Hwy. The entry fee is \$20/rid-

er, \$10/passenger, and \$5/extra hands.

Prizes will be awarded. The last bike

in is at 3 p.m. at the American Legion

on Chincoteague. For more information.

call 894-0219, 894-0050, or 336-9749.

The Men's Club of Craddockville UMC will be selling 1/4-grilled chicken lunches Friday, Aug. 30, at the church. Tickets are \$8 each and can be purchased in advance or at the event. The meal includes chicken, baked beans, cole slaw, and a roll.

#### Onancock

The Roseland Cinema and Entertainment Center will present its second annual Movie Under the Stars with a free viewing of "Mary Poppins" Saturday, Aug. 24, at 8 p.m., at the Historic Onancock School. The movie and the popcorn is free. There will be food trucks on-site beginning at 6 p.m. as well. The rain date is Aug. 31.

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The Sunday of Hope celebration will be Sunday, Aug. 25, during regular service, at Market Street UMC. Luminaria bags are available for purchase by contacting Amy Savona at amysavona@yahoo.com or by calling 757-619-1635. The luminaria with a loved one's name printed on it will decorate the track during the Relay for Life event Sept. 7 and 8.

# Onley

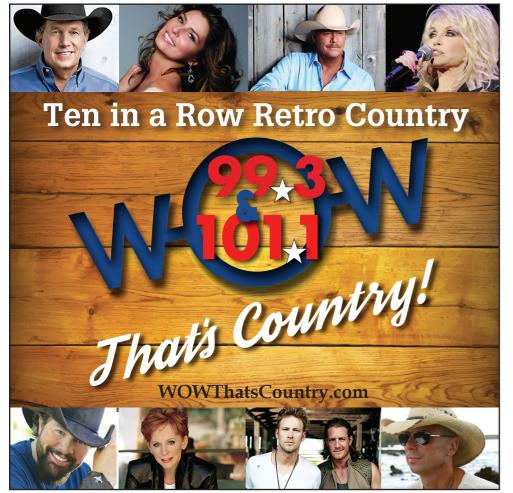
The Accomack Education Association will host a meet and greet for the candidates for the Accomack County School Board Monday, Aug. 26, at 6 p.m., in the auditorium at Nandua High School. Members not in a contested position are also welcome.

#### Shakespeare on the Shore

A free performance by the Brown Box Theatre Project of Shakespeare's "Measure for Measure" will be Sunday, Sept. 1, at 7:30 p.m., at Robert Reed Downtown Waterfront Park, Chincoteague, and Friday, Sept. 20, at 7:30 p.m., at the Exmore Town Park.

#### Medicare Educational Seminars

Free Medicare Educational Seminars will be held Tuesday, Aug. 27, from 1 to 3 p.m., at the Accomack Farm Bureau (RSVP: 757-787-4208), 23157 Front St., Accomac, and from 6 to 7:30 p.m., at Northampton Farm Bureau (RSVP: 757-678-5158), 15527 Lankford Hwy., Eastville.







# FRIDAY

787-7285

★8 a.m. - Breakfast AUG. 23 at the VFW - VFW Post 2296, Tasley -

donations accepted

★11 a.m.-noon - Neuter Scooter - SPCA Eastern Shore, 26528 Lankford Hwy., Onley -

★noon - AA mtg. - Onancock UMC, 75 Market St.

★7 p.m. - AA mtg. - Christ Episcopal Church, 16304 Courthouse Rd., Eastville

★7 p.m. - Life Teach

Series - Rachel Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486

**★**7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

**★**9 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Farmers** and Artisans Market - Community Center for the Arts, Chincoteague -

flea market: 9 a.m.-2 p.m

★9:30-3 p.m. - American Legion Riders Chapter 159 Poker Run - check-in at A.C. Cycles, 7120 Lankford Hwy., Oak Hall - \$20/entry fee-rider, \$10/ entry fee-passenger, \$5/extra hands - call Scott Edwards for more information: 757-894-0219

★11 a.m. - Cookies and Coloring - Pocomoke Library

★2-4 p.m. - Empowering Girls' Group -

ESTACI, Exmore - 757-656-3460

★7 p.m. - Music at the Dock: C.I.A.S.O. Steel Drum Band - Robert Reed Downtown Waterfront Park, 6150 Community Dr., Chincoteague

★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

★8 p.m. - Free Outdoor Movie: Mary Poppins -Historic Onancock High School, 6 College Ave. - food truck available at 6 p.m. - rain date is Aug. 31



AUG. 25

**SUNDAY** ★11 a.m. - **Meditation Group** - Train Station,

★Noon - Social Luncheon - Calvary Bible

Church, Accomac

★12:30 p.m. - Bingo - Vietnam Veterans' Bldg., Main St., Onley



★1-4 p.m. - CIAO Presents Gameplay Monday: Card, Word, and **Board Games** - Theatre Annex, 4076 Main St., Chincoteague ★5:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Onancock UMC, 75 Market St.

★5:30-6:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock

★6 p.m. - Bingo - Elks Lodge, Taslev

★6 p.m. - Accomack Cty. NAACP mtg. - Abba's House, Mary N. Smith Cultural Ctr., Accomac - 757-709-3753

★6:30 p.m. - Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg. - Grace UMC, Parksley

★6:30-8:30 p.m. - Free English for Speakers of Other Languages - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761

★7 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery mtg. - Onancock Baptist Church - food served at 6 p.m.

# **AUG. 28**

WEDNESDAY ★7:45 a.m. - Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley ★10 a.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Market St. UMC, Onancock - 787-4718

★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - Veterans' Employment Representative

Avail. - ESCC, Melfa - no appt. needed

★10:30-11:30 a.m. - Overeaters Anonymous mtg. - Rock Church, Onley -757-655-4834

★11 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen** - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3431 Main St., Exmore

★4 p.m. - Life Sized Chutes and Ladders - Pocomoke Library

★5-7 p.m. - Soup Kitchen and Clothes Closet - Grace and Truth Ministries, 19 Boundary Ave., Onancock - Donations: 789-5369

★5:30-6:30 p.m. - Free Meals for the Hungry - Epworth UMC, 4158 Seaside Rd., Exmore - 442-6391

★6-7 p.m. - Prayer Line Open - St. Matthew's Church, Onley - Call 665-7403, 387-7021 or 894-1521 w/prayer requests

★6:30 p.m. - GEAR School of Dance Open House - Historic Palace Theatre, 305 Mason Ave., Cape Charles

★6:30-8:30 p.m. - Free English for Speakers of Other Languages - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761

★6:45 p.m. - Bingo - St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Onley - doors open at 5:30 p.m.

★7 p.m. - AA and Al-Anon mtgs. - Franktown UMC

★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Painter VFC



★9 a.m. - Al-Anon mtg. - Refuge Inn, Chincoteague

★10 a.m. - **Zumba** - Franktown UMC

★10 a.m. - Bingo - Accomack Senior Village,

Onancock - 787-3900

★10:30 a.m. - **Duplicate Bridge** - Island House, Wachapreague - 787-2432

**★1-4** p.m. - Veterans' Employment Representative Avail. -Cape Charles Civic Center (old library) - no appt. needed

★1:30-3 p.m. - Riverside Shore Hospice Grief Support Group mtg. - Downing's UMC, 7291 Lankford Hwy., Oak Hall - 789-5000

★3-6 p.m. - Cape Charles Farmer's Market - 814 Randolph Ave. ★6 p.m. - **Rachel Leah Ministries** - 787-2486 (call for location)

★6 p.m. - Bingo - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA

★7 p.m. - E.S. Cruisers' Car Club mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley

★7 p.m. - Coast Guard Auxiliary mtg. - Exmore VFD Community Room

★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Cheriton VFC - smoke free

★7:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Atlantic UMC

★7:30 p.m. - Order of the Eastern Star (Acc. Chap. #62) mtg.

- Masonic Lodge, Chincoteague

★10:30 a.m. - **Story Time** - Cape Charles Memorial Library

★5:30 p.m. - Shore Losers mtg. - Drummond-

town Baptist Church, Accomac - \$1/wk.

★5:30 p.m. - TOPS VA-550 mtg. - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099

★6:30 p.m. - **Kiwanis Club mtg.** - St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Chincoteague

★6:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon. mtg.** - Trinity UMC, Cape Charles

★7 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery Group mtg. - Chincoteague Church of God, 5252 Woodland Dr.

★7 p.m. - NA mtg. - Painter Garrison UMC

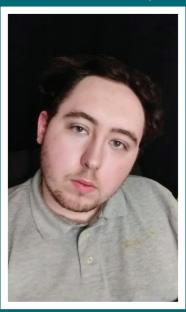
★8 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ UMC, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague

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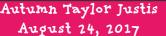
## Eastern Shore Trading

#### **Announcements**

Happy 24th Birthday, Charles!



**We Are All So Proud Of You Keep Up The Great Work** Love, Mom, Dad, **Grandmom and Starr** 



Ali Tish Justis August 28, 2018



Happy Birthday to our beautiful granddaughters! Autumn (Boogie) is a BIG 2 years old! Ali (Momma) is ONE! We love you! T-Pop, Gij, Baylee and Darbee

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# Darbee Pearl Justis August 22

Happy 17th Birthday! You are one beautiful girl inside and out. We love you! Mom & Dad





Accomack County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the following position: Full-Time Jail Medic. Qualified applicants must possess a valid Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) or higher certification from the Virginia Department of Health. Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org. Applications must be returned to this office by Monday, September 9, 2019 at 5:00 pm. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

A&B is looking for someone with experience with yard equipment; skid steer, fork lift, excavator, bobcat, loader, etc. Driver's license is mandatory. Will train the right person, pay based on level of experience. Also hiring CDL Class A Drivers. For further inquiries, please contact Jim at A&B's office #757-824-0106.

## **Help Wanted**



Cherrystone Family Camping Resort seeks qualified applicant to manage the retail operation and recreational rentals for their Bait & Tackle shop located on Virginia's Eastern Shore. Candidate should possess a strong work ethic and willingness to learn in a fast paced, dynamic environment. Qualified applicants will have experience with sales, customer service, cash register operation and handling, and managing a successful retail team. This position is responsible for ensuring staff gives exceptional customer service as well as monitoring the financial performance of the Bait & Tackle shop.

In-season the position will have long hours and include weekend and holiday work, but has significant flexibility from November-March.

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#### Algae Technician

Cherrystone Aqua Farms, a large cultured shellfish producer on Virginia's Eastern Shore, is currently seeking an Algae Technician for our seaside hatchery in Willis Wharf, VA. Candidate should possess a strong work ethic and willingness to learn in a fast paced, dynamic environment.

The Algae Technician reports directly to the hatchery's Algae Production Manager and works with batch, semi continuous, and continuous reactors to meet the ever-expanding needs of the commercial shellfish hatchery. The candidate will work both independently and as part of a team in all aspects of algae growth including, but not limited to general quality control, cleaning tanks and glassware, setting up and taking down reactors, preparing and sterilizing media, using chemicals and transferring algae under sterile conditions.

#### Requirements:

- · Basic understanding of algae.
- · Attention to detail.
- Ability to carry out repetitive tasks.
- Excellent timé management skills.
- Ability to lift 50lbs and climb stairs multiple times per day.
- Willingness to work in both indoor and outdoor environments.
- Reliable transportation to and from work.
- · Assist in other areas of the hatchery as needed.

This position requires a seasonal requirement to work weekends, evenings and/or holidays as requested. Arriving to work on time is crucial.

Position will be classified as seasonal (November to June) with the potential for a permanent position.

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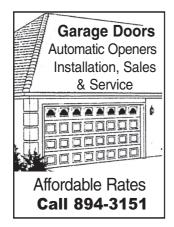


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# Legal Ads and Auctions

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING **Proposed Sale of Real Property**

The Town of Cape Charles hereby gives notice that the Town Council will hold a public hearing concerning the proposed sale of town-owned real property located on Madison Avenue (Tax Map No. 83A1-1-174).

The public hearing will be held before the Town Council at 6:30 p.m. on September 5, 2019, at the Cape Charles Civic Center, 500 Tazewell Avenue, Cape Charles, Virginia 23310.

This notice is advertised pursuant to §15.2-1800 and §15.2-1813 of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended. Interested persons may appear at the public hearing and present their views.

Additional information regarding the sale of the foregoing real property is available for review at www.capecharles.org under Agenda and Minutes, Town Council or in the Clerk's Office at 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles.

These items will be discussed and brought to a vote by the Town Council at the regular meeting on September 19, 2019.

#### NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND **APPLICATION**

Kirk Webb and JOSHUA HUNTER WEBB, (2019063) have applied for approximately 12 acres of oyster planting ground in Hog Island Bay situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-22.8332 / W75-46.9165

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019063): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/ search\_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineering/Surveying Department at 757-247-2230.

Send written comments or concerns to: Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/ Surveying Department, 380 Fenwick Road, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064

#### NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND **APPLICATION**

Stephen C Bunce Jr, (2019064) has applied for approximately 8 acres of oyster planting ground in Hog Island Bay situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-23.5332 / W75-42.7590

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019064): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/ search\_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineering/Surveying Department at 757-247-2230.

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#### **Notice of Public Hearing**

The Council of The Town of Cheriton along with the Cheriton Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 7PM. The Purpose of this Public Hearing is to Amend an ordinance amending an ordinance NO. 20190305; the zoning of the Town of Cheriton, Virginia; by establishing Floodplain Districts; by requiring the issuance of permits for development; and providing factors and conditions for variances to the terms of the ordinance.

The meeting will be held at the Cheriton Town Office located at 21314 South Bayside Road, Cheriton VA 23316.

All interested parties should be present.

Handicap assistance available upon request.

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, September 3, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. The purpose is to conduct regular business and review applications to forward recommendations to the Board of Supervisors.

ZMA 2019-04 A&N Electric Cooperative: The A&N Electric Cooperative have applied to rezone one parcel from Bayview PUD - Planned Unit Development District to A/RB-Agriculture/Rural Business District. The property is identified as Tax Map 84-A-142A and is located at 22893 Bayview Circle. The parcel is currently fallow agricultural field with a derelict building. A&N currently owns the parcel and is proposing to construct and operate an electric substation with an electrical equipment enclosure and 40' x 60' industrial building.

The Board of Supervisors shall also conduct public hearings on Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers. The applications will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA.

Anyone wishing to comment on the above item is invited to attend the meetings and make their comments known. Written comments can be submitted to the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement//P.O. Box 538//Eastville, VA 23347.

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

#### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 31436 Finney Road Wachapreague, VA 23480

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of \$255,526.00, dated April 25, 2008, recorded among the land records of the Circuit Court for Accomack County on May 22, 2008, as Instrument Number 200802718, the undersigned appointed Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the main entrance of the courthouse for the Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Ave., Accomac, VA on September 11, 2019 at 11:30 AM, the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address and briefly described as: CONTAINING SEVENTEEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED NINE-TY SQUARE FEET (17,590 SQ. FT.), MORE OR LESS, AS SHOWN ON A CERTAIN SURVEY ENTITLED "SURVEY OF PROPERTY OF KURT A WALLACE ET UX", DATED JULY 26, 1991 AND MADE BY EAST-ERN SHORE SURVEYORS, LTD., WHICH PLAT IS ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF A CERTAIN DEED DATED MARCH 29, 1999, FROM KURT A WALLACE AND TERESA R WALLACE, HIS WIFE, TO M LEE PAYNE, WHICH DEED IS RECORDED IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, IN DEED BOOK 794 AT PAGE 432. SAID LOT IS BOUNDED GENERALLY ON THE NORTH, BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF THE GALILEAN FISHERMAN AS-SOCIATION; ON THE EAST, BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY BILLY RAY BRADY, EARLIER OWNED BY WILLYE HARGIS FOX, ET VIR, ET ALS.; ON THE SOUTH BY A RIGHT-OF-WAY OUT TO THE PUBLIC ROAD KNOWN AS OLD FINNEY ROAD; AND ON THE WEST BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF AURELIA WEAL. Tax ID: 113A-A-19.

TERMS OF SALE: A bidder's deposit of \$11,000.00 or 10% of the sale price, whichever is lower, will be required in the form of a certified or cashier's check. Cash will not be accepted as a deposit. Settlement within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Trustee may forfeit deposit. Additional terms to be announced at sale. This is a communication from a debt collector. This notice is an attempt to collect on a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Substitute Trustee: ALG Trustee, LLC, C/O Orlans **PC** PO Box 2548, Leesburg, VA 20177, (703) 777-7101, website: http://www.orlans.com

The Vendor Auction.com will be used in conjunction with this sale

Potential Bidders: For sale information, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832.

*Towne #: 5000.2446* 

(Trustee # 557247)

#### NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND **APPLICATION**

Gregg Finney and Addison Matthews, (2019011) have applied for approximately 20 acres of oyster planting ground in Metomkin Bay situated in Accomack City/ County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-41.6366 / W75-36.6954

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019011): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/ search\_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineer-

ing/Surveying Department at 757-247-2230.

Send written comments or concerns to: Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/ Surveying Department, 380 Fenwick Road, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064

# Legal Advertising

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 2481 STONE ROAD, CAPE CHARLES, VA 23310. In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated November 30, 2016, in the original principal amount of \$74,770.96 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Northampton County, Virginia as Instrument No. 160002109. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Northampton County, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia on September 20, 2019, at 11:00 AM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: ALL THAT ĆERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, TOGETHER WITH THE BUILD INGS AND IMPRÓVEMENTS THEREON, SITUATE AND ABUTTING ON THE NORTH SIDE OF VIRGINIA STATE ROUTE 184, FORMERLY U.S. ROUTE 13. ABOUT ONE MILE EAST OF THE TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES, CAPEVILLE DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, AND HAVING A FRONTAGE ON THE SAID ROAD OF NINETY-TWO FEET (92 FT.), AND RUNNING BACK IN PARALLEL LINES THEREFROM A DISTANCE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIX FEET (156 FT.), AND BOUNDED GENERALLY AS FOL-LOWS: ON THE NORTH AND WEST BY THE LANDS NOW OR FORMERLY OWNED BY THE VON CANON FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP; ON THE EAST BY THE LANDS NOW OR FORMERLY OWNED BY LOU-ISE P. SMITH; AND ON THE SOUTH BY VIRGINIA STATE ROUTE 184. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com. Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 2101 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1004, Arlington, VA 22201 For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website:

www.bwwsales.com. VA-341757-1.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 31510 SUNSET DRIVE, PAINT-ER. VA 23420. In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated September 9, 2011, in the original principal amount of \$207,706.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Accomack County, Virginia as Instrument No. 201103422. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Ave., Accomac, VA on September 20, 2019, at 9:30 AM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND SITUATE AT CEDAR VIEW, IN PUNGOTEAGUE MAG-ISTERIAL DISTRICT, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, SHOWN AS LOT 22 IN SECTION B ON A MAP OR PLAT OF THE SUBDIVISION OF CEDAR VIEW BEACH, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, MADE BY KENTON B. PATRICK, ENGINÉER, ON JUNE 23, 1970. WHICH MAP OR PLAT OF THE SUBDIVISION IS AT-TACHED TO AND EXPRESSLY MADE A PART OF A CERTAIN DEED FROM GEORGE T. VINCENT, SR., ET ALS, TO BEATRICE E. VINCENT, DATED JULY 7, 1970, AND RECORDED IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, IN DEED BOOK 290, AT PAGE 499, WHICH PLAT IS RECORDED IN THE AFORESAID CLERK'S OFFICE IN PLAT BOOK 16, AT PAGE 30, TO WHICH PLAT REFERENCE IS HÉREBY MADE FOR A MORE ACCURATE DESCRIP-TION OF THE PROPERTY HEREIN CONVEYED. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at <u>www.bwwsales.com</u>. Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC 2101 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1004, Arlington, VA 22201. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com. VA-340989-1.

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Toll-free call (888) 5513247. For the hearing-impaired, call (804) 367-9753.

Email: fairhousing@dpor.virginia.gov website: www.fairhousing.vipnet.org

## NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

Brant W. Shin, (2019061) has applied for approximately 11 acres of oyster planting ground in Occohannock Creek situated in Accomack City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-33.5628 / W75-54.0828

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019061): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search\_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineering/Surveying Department at 757-247-2230.

Send written comments or concerns to: Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/ Surveying Department, 380 Fenwick Road, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064

## ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

Case No. CL19000056-00 Northampton County Circuit Court 5229 The Hornes, P.O. Box 36, Eastville, VA 23347

CARRINGTON MORTGAGE SERVICES, LLC v. ANGELI P. SATCHELL, et al.
The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN QUIET TITLE ORDER TO PROP. 23492
FAIRVIEW RD., CAPE CHARLES, VIRGINIA 23310.

It is ORDERED that ANY UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SOUTHEY SATCHELL, JR., ALICE M. SATCHELL, OR ANDRE SATCHELL, DECEASED appear at the above-named court and protect his or her interests on or before OCTOBER 18, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.

August 16, 2019 Lauren M. Brown, Dep. Clerk

739 ENTERPRISES LLC, Trading as
The Island House Restaurant, 17 Atlantic Ave.,
Wachapreague, Accomack County, Virginia 23480
The above establishment is applying to the
VIRGINIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE
CONTROL (ABC) AUTHORITY

for a Mixed Beverage Caterer Limited license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages. Blake Johnson, Managing Member

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

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# Legal Ads & Auctions (Cont'd)

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING
THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING
APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2019 AT 10 A.M.
IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS,

IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMAC, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

A. SUPV-000017-2019 County of Accomack

A public hearing initiated by Stewart Hall, Deputy County Administrator of Public Works on behalf of the County of Accomack to request a Special Use Permit for an office building pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-53 (11) and to request a variance of 30.5 feet from the front setback requirements in the agricultural district pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-56; the County is seeking to construct an annex to the existing Parks & Recreation Office Building to locate the Voter Registration office. The property is located at Tax Map #87-A-38 at 24387 Joynes Neck, Road, Accomac, VA and is located in the Agricultural Zoning District.

B. SUSE-000020-2019 Patrick Lopez

A public hearing initiated by Patrick Lopez to request a Special Use Permit to construct and maintain an outdoor professional live fire pistol and long gun (rifle) range on 4 acres of wooded land pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-53 (1) Special Use Permit for Recreational facilities, including main and accessory buildings and parking areas. The property is located at Tax Map #93-A-42 on Redwood Road, approximately 400 feet to the north of Gaskins Road on the right side of Redwood Road, Onancock, VA and is located in the Agricultural District.

C. VAR-000016-2019 Stephen Bennington

A public hearing initiated by Stephen Bennington to request a variance of 7.7 feet from the height requirements in the residential district pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-84 (4); the applicant is seeking to construct an accessory structure pole barn at a total height of 19.7 feet within 7.6 ft. of the side property line. The property is located at Tax Map #121B-A-85 at 35466 Walter St., Qunby, VA and is located in the Residential District.

D. VAR-000018-2019 Corinne Vincent

A public hearing initiated by Corinne Vincent to request a variance of 10 feet from the side yard setback requirements in the agricultural district pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-58 (a); the applicant is seeking to construct an attached garage to the house (main structure). The property is located at Tax Map #85D-1-5 at 19115 Greenway Circle, Onancock, VA and is located in the Agricultural District.

Public hearing related materials are available for review at the Office of the County Zoning Administrator at 23296 Courthouse Avenue — Room 105 — Accomac, Virginia or <a href="http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public">http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public</a> on the Friday prior to each meeting date.

Handicapped Assistance available, call: (757) 787-5726 or 824-5223

#### <u>NOTICE</u> JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE

On September 24, 2019, proceedings will be commenced under authority of Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the <u>Code of Virginia</u> to sell the following parcels located in the County of Northampton, Virginia, for payment of delinquent taxes.

Matthews, William D. & Vivian R. 00013-06-BLK-00 000000A White, Boyd & Deborah and Parks, Peter & Deborah 38A1-1-72

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

CYNTHIA BRADFORD TREASURER NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

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

## ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

Case No. CL19000056-00 Northampton County Circuit Court 5229 The Hornes, P.O. Box 36, Eastville, VA 23347

CARRINGTON MORTGAGE SERVICES, LLC v. ANGELI P. SATCHELL, et al. The object of this suit is to: OBTAIN QUIET TITLE ORDER TO PROP. 23492 FAIR-VIEW RD., CAPE CHARLES, VIRGINIA 23310.

It is ORDERED that BRANDON C. SATCHELL appear at the above-named court and protect his interests on or before OCTOBER 18, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.

August 16, 2019 Lauren M. Brown, Dep. Clerk

#### Notice of Taking Proof of Debts and Demands of the Estate of Barbara Taylor

At the request of Lloyd Tyler and Rosalie Dailey as Administrators c.t.a. of the Estate of Barbara Taylor, I have fixed Thursday, September 5, 2019, at 4:00 p.m. as the time, and the office of J. Nicholas Klein, III, Mapp, Mapp & Klein, 18249 First Street, Keller, VA 23401, as the place for receiving proof of debts and demands against the said decedent or her Estate.

Given under my hand this 15th day of August, 2019.

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

## Legal Ads & Auctions (Cont'd)

## FORECLOSURE SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN CAPTAIN'S COVE

September 20, 2019, 1:00 PM

To be held at the Marina Club in Captain's Cove Subdivision, 3323 Dock Ct., Greenbackville, VA 23356.

## The following properties will be auctioned:

Section/Lot:1-0531, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100053100 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:1-0546, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100054600 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:1-0587, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100058700 Assessed Value: \$600.00

Section/Lot:1-0595, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100059500 Assessed Value: \$600.00

Section/Lot:1-0596, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100059600 Assessed Value: \$600.00

Section/Lot:1-0799, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100079900 Assessed Value: \$14,400.00

Section/Lot:1-0816, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100081600 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:1-0843, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100084300 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:1-0979, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100097900 Assessed Value: \$384,100.00

Section/Lot:1-1142, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A10100114200 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00 Section/Lot:2-0113, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A20100011300 Assessed Value: \$4,300.00

Section/Lot:2-0254, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A20100025400 Assessed Value: \$4,300.00

Section/Lot:3-1406, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A30100140600 Assessed Value: \$57,500.00

Section/Lot:3-1619, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A30100161900 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:3-1733, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A30100173300 Assessed Value: \$2.500.00

Section/Lot:4-2149, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100214900 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:4-2311, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40100231100 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:5-2413, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A40300241300 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:6-0034, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A50200003400 Assessed Value: \$206,400.00

Section/Lot:7-0059, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A60100005900 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:7-0127, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A60100012700 Assessed Value: \$196,300.00

Section/Lot:7-0148, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A60100014800 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:7-0162, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A60100016200 Assessed Value: \$2.000.00

Section/Lot:7-0226, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A60100022600 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00 Section/Lot:9-0181, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A50400018100 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:9-0212, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A50400021200 Assessed Value: \$2,500.00

Section/Lot:10-0049, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A60200004900 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:12-0053, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70200005300 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:12-0059, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70200005900 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:12-0072, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70200007200 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:12-0085, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70200008500 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:12-0094, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70200009400 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:13-0063, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70100006300 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:13-0064, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70100006400 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:13-0211, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70100021100 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:13-0296, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70100029600 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:13-0299, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A70100029900 Assessed Value: \$2,000.00

Section/Lot:16-0056, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A90300005600 Assessed Value: \$900.00 Section/Lot:16-0093, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A90300009300 Assessed Value: \$900.00

Section/Lot:18-0021, Captain's Cove Tax Map No. 005A90100002100 Assessed Value: \$900.00

Section/Lot:18-0137, Captain's Cove Tex Map No. 005A90100013700 Assessed Value: \$900.00

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# **Post**ed at Sea Level



By Linda Cicoira

"Crank up that AC till it's blowing snowballs," has got to be my favorite saying for summer and the thought of "It was so cold last night that the bluebirds flew off the wallpaper and got under the covers with me" has consoled me through the 90-plus temperatures. I can't wait for fall and winter.

Johnny Carson once told his audience, "It was so hot today I saw a robin dipping his worm in Nestea." Another one I liked, and I don't know who said it first, is, "It's hotter than the devil's armpit." I recently learned that people in South Carolina have been known to refer to a bear when speaking of a heatstroke. "The bear got him." Whew.

Somebody else said to me recently. "People are crazy. Keyboard commandos. So sorry you have to take the heat." He described one person in the conversation as "crazier than an outhouse rat." I can only imagine that

residing in an outhouse would not drive one to be happy.

Here's another saying that a friend from the Shenandoah Valley sent me, "There's no education in the second kick of a mule."

Oh, to live in the South, and hear the expressions! Yippee!

I also spent some time looking at the Merriam-Webster Dictionary this week. I learned some terms I didn't know about hair. Mine is curly and just loves the humidity on the Eastern Shore that accompanies all this heat. "Frowze" is frizzed hair, specifically a frizzed wig. Mine the real thing and definitely frizzy. A "trichologist" to me sounds like a throat doctor. Nope. It's a hairdresser. "Glabrous" is a smooth surface without hair. There was a picture with the definition of a woman rubbing her hand over a bald man's head.

"Chevelure" is a good head of hair, usually referring to an infant born with a lot. A "lovelock" is a long lock of hair worn over the front of the shoulder, especially by men in the 17th and 18th centuries. A "soaplock" is a lock of hair plastered down with soap. A "frisette" is a fringe of hair or curls worn on a woman's forehead. A "forelock" is a lock of hair growing from the front of the head and a "quiff" is a prominent forelock. The term, "goldilocks," is now being used by astronomers to describe "an area of the planetary orbit in which temperatures are neither too hot nor too cold to support life." Too funny. A "hop-

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head" has nothing to do with a hairdo. It is a drug addict and in some places a beer enthusiast.

"Garbage time" no longer just means a trip to the convenience center. It is "the final moments or minutes of a game in which one side has an insurmountable lead." EGOT is not a bird. It is the acronym that stands for winning an Emmy, a Grammy, an Oscar, and a Tony.

If you thought "purple" came about from mixing red and blue, you are correct. But now it also can refer to a geographical area where voters are split between Democrats and Republicans.

Here's one that ought to make a few of you chuckle. The "silly season" refers to late summer in September "when the mass media often focus on trivial or frivolous matters for lack of major news stories." I call it fluff.

"Valetudinarian" sounds to me like a mix between a valedictorian and a veterinarian. But instead, it is a "person of a weak or sickly constitution." To "lionize" something is to treat it with great importance and probably comes from a lion being a king of the beasts.

A "logophile" is a lover of words. I'm one of those. My favorite is "ort," a morsel of food that is left on a plate. "Liminal" describes marshy landscapes that are neither really land or sea. A "bibliophile" is a lover of books. "Elysian" is blissful or delightful. And "Yippee!" Is used to express exuberant delight or triumph. Yippee! I made it through another week.

## Teacher Article Brings Joy

Dear Editor:

Let me begin by saying how much I enjoy your paper. Having moved away a year ago, it's so nice to have a comprehensive resource to keep up with the news and events on the Shore, it truly gives me a way to feel so much more connected.

Your article in the Aug. 2 edition, "I Can't Wait for the First Day of School," about two hometown teachers, Coleby Burford and Amber Giddings, left my heart so very full and extremely proud! What a wonderful gift to the Shore they are! My own daughter is a school teacher who started her teaching career at Chincoteague High School just a few short years ago. When she first began searching for jobs, I was blown away by how many vacancies there are within the school systems across Virginia. So many kids today are choosing other occupations that not only pay more, but also offer greater rewards without so much frustration. On the Shore, that problem is compounded by the fact that as kids leave to go away to college, so very many of them will never return, as they seek positions with better opportunities than what they can find back home. The fact that Ms. Burford has chosen to allow her heart to guide her in her career choices in admirable, but add to that the bonus that she has chosen to return to her roots, to offer her talent and gifts to the school system which nurtured and developed her love of learning is a blessing, both for the Shore as well as her students.

This heartwarming article shows the beautiful continuity of the Shore and offers hope and inspiration for generations to come.

Jane W. Lucy Virginia Beach

## Post Office Mail

### **Apology From Proto**

Dear Editor:

This letter is to apologize to the NCPS School Board members, superintendent, administrators, and community members who were in attendance at the Aug. 8 school board meeting for my outburst as stated in the Aug. 9 edition of the Eastern Shore Post. This statement was made following a series of issues I brought up for discussion that were met with either ill-founded or poorly informed opposition and discussion – my opinion.

Yes, I was outraged that Dr. Carter and I were both shut out of the district's Restorative Practices/Restorative Justice Committee. Dr. Carter is the one who has been bringing the need for Restorative Practices to the attention of the Northampton County School Board for years. I independently attended a training in January, made a presentation to the school board and made the motion to establish a community/school committee. The offensive reasoning that we would not be "open minded" was the proverbial last straw. Nonetheless, my remarks were unprofessional and for that I apologize.

Also, I want to state that I have no problem with Ms. Rasmussen, Ms. Molera, or any of the other proposed members being on the committee. I only have a problem with Dr. Carter and me not being on it.

While I apologize for the remark, I do not apologize for my level of frustration. I would also like to clarify that while I presented ideas at the meeting, the ideas were not mine. I was advocating for us to simply follow Virginia Department of Education Guidelines which were created because of the "lack of objectivity used to evaluate super-intendents" and suggesting that we, in accordance with the guidelines, solicit "input from peers, subordinates..." I was also advocating for the superintendent to provide the school board with his goals as required by the terms of his contract and to utilize the documents adopted by the school board for purposes of goal setting and evaluation.

NCPS has many wonderful people who work very hard for our district. We as school board have a responsibility to exercise due diligence in all matters of school governance. There are areas in which we need to improve – my opinion.

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