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Supervisors Proceed With Accommodations for 'No Excuse' Absentee Voting

By Connie Morrison

Voters and public safety communications were on the minds of Accomack supervisors Wednesday night as they considered two major initiatives.

The first was characterized by supervisors as an unfunded mandate from the state: renovating a building to house the county registrar to accommodate the anticipated increase in absentee voters after the Virginia General Assembly approved a "no excuse" absentee voting law this year that goes into effect for the 2020 general elections next.

"The building and associated equipment must be in place much earlier than that," said County Administrator Mike Mason.

The traditional absentee ballot - with an excuse and beginning the 45th day before the election - will still exist. But there will also be an "no excuse" method closer to Election Day.

According to a summary of the law, any registered voter can vote "by absentee ballot in person beginning on the second Saturday immediately preceding any election in which he is qualified to vote without providing a reason or making prior application for an absentee ballot."

Higher absentee voting is anticipated under the new system, and counties



Turkey Time

Locally grown turkeys across the country and county unwittingly enjoyed their final days. The photo above of Midget White heritage breed turkeys was taken last year at La Caridad Farm on Parksley Road, which offered them again this year. In next week's edition, we will share other local ingredients readers incorporated into their Thanksgiving meals. Photo courtesy of La Caridad Farm.

around the state are under the gun to find facilities that are adequate in space and accommodations for the mobility challenged.

"We've been talking about this for a number of months now," said Mason. "The current registrar's office is not equipped, nor is it large enough to handle the anticipated additional turnout that we're going to get with no excuse voting."

The registrar's office, now in the circuit court building, will move to the

former parks and recreation building at Saw Mill Park.

As far as paying for the project, there is good new and bad news. "This is an unbudgeted expense," said Mason, but he was able to take some of the sting out of that news by informing supervisors that the county ended the 2019 fiscal year with a \$3 million surplus.

Compared to prior years, "We're in better shape, even with this issue in

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'Free Lunch for All' Program Back on the Menu for Consideration in Northampton

By Stefanie Jackson

The "free lunch for all" program is back on the menu for the Northampton school board's consideration as of its Nov. 14 meeting.

"This issue's just not going away, and if the board of supervisors is willing to ensure us that we're not going to lose that money... I don't see any other way around it," said Superintendent Eddie Lawrence.

The school board was criticized by parents, community members, and county supervisors for the decision made in June not to implement a program of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) called the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP), which provides free breakfast and lunch to all students at qualifying schools, with no applications to fill out.

Schools may participate if at least 40% of their students qualify through direct certification, meaning they receive government assistance such as food stamps or Medicaid.

As of 2019, 58.5% of Northampton students are directly certified.

But there's a catch. Northampton schools would need 62.5% of its students to be directly certified for the division to receive 100% reimbursement

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front of us to solve," Mason said.

The \$240,288 price tag for the new registrar's office includes a 20% contingency for overruns.

Supervisor Harrison Phillips asked if the project would yield a permanent location for the registrar.

"We're already starting to discuss what we'll do with her space," quipped Mason.

"Staff has looked at a number of places where we could go. This, by far, is the best place that we could find," said Supervisor Reneta Major. "I don't think it's too far off the beaten path."

The new location is about 1.1 miles, a 3-minute drive or a 22 minute walk, from the current location, according to Google maps.

The board voted unanimously to proceed with the project. Supervisor Ron Wolff was absent.

Public Safety Radio System

The Eastern Shore 9-1-1 Commission initiated a shorewide study of public safety radio communications in 2019. Eastern Shore 9-1-1 Communications Center Director Jeff Flournoy introduced CTA consultants Curtis Johnson and Rachel Soward who presented the study findings to supervisors.

One finding was that communications were not balanced: public safety workers in the field received messages much more regularly than they were able to send them, and the reliability of communications dropped rapidly as communicants moved away from U.S. Route 13.

"Mr. Chairman, this is near and dear to Mr. Tarr's and my heart," said Supervisor Robert Crockett, a former Accomack County sheriff. "There's nothing any worse than a deputy or a firefighter in a situation where they have no radio contact." Tarr is a retired police officer and a life member of the Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company.

The consultants also found most of the public safety radio communication equipment was at the end or beyond the end of its service life.

The consultants developed a slate of alternatives from "do nothing" to combining with the school system, joining the state's STARS system, upgrading the existing system, or building a new system.

They recommended a new system

that would cover 95% of both Northampton and Accomack counties, either as a stand-alone system or interconnected with a neighboring Maryland county. The estimated cost is \$7.6 million for the interconnected system and \$8.5 million for the stand-alone system, although there could savings depending on how the procurement process is undertaken.

Board of Supervisors Chairman Donald Hart asked Mason to draft a letter to Northampton County about the need to form a committee to examine the options.

Waste Tires

Board members had previously expressed concerns about waste tires accumulating on properties and asked Mason to see what solutions there might be. Mason found there is an existing Virginia law that addresses the issue.

It is a misdemeanor to have 100 waste tires on public or private property without a permit; a felony to have 500 or more without a permit. "The permit is basically the same type as you would have for a sanitary landfill," said Mason. Enforcement would be carried out by the sheriff's office.

Mason was directed to speak with outgoing Sheriff Todd Godwin and incoming Sheriff Todd Wessells.

Shields Bridge

Mason notified the board that the Virginia Department of Transportation will replace Shields Bridge in March or April 2023. Work is expected to be completed by June 2024. A detour will be in place during construction. Shields Bridge was determined to be "structurally deficient."

Household Hazardous Waste

Household hazardous waste, such as aerosols, acid cleaners, disinfectants, pesticides, insecticides, and pool chemicals are now accepted Wednesdays and Saturdays at the Painter Convenience Center from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. For a list of accepted items, go to: https://go.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/files/BHWUPT7274B5/\$file/Household%20Hazardous%20Waste%20Collection%20Program%20Flyer.pdf

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Northampton Approves Rezoning for Royal Farms Near Cape Charles Food Lion

By Stefanie Jackson

The Northampton board of supervisors approved rezoning that will allow gas station and convenience store chain Royal Farms to apply for permits to build a third location in the county, about seven miles from its Kiptopeke store.

"Unless we do things like this and invite sensible development on Route 13 in places where it's safe, we will continue to raise property taxes and we won't have the sales tax income and everything else that we need to move forward," said Chairman Spencer Murray Nov. 14.

Royal Farms requested the rezoning of 10 acres near Cape Charles from agricultural-rural business to commercial use. Combined with an adjacent three acres that is already commercially zoned, Royal Farms will have 13 acres on which to build its business.

The parcels are on Route 13, at the highway's intersection with Bayview Circle. The Royal Farms property is on the south side of the crossroad, with Corner Mart on the north side.

Rezoning the parcel would be consistent with the other commercial uses in the immediate area, Supervisor John Coker said, and the parcel in question was zoned for commercial use previously.

In an unconventional move, supervisors submitted the zoning application on behalf of Royal Farms. That drew criticism from one citizen during a public hearing.

Granville Hogg, of Cheriton, said the board cannot be an applicant, according to Section B of the zoning application.

An applicant may be "a consultant, a person with power of attorney, a leaseholder, a renter, and a contract purchaser," he read.

But the board of supervisors submitting a zoning application is not without precedent. The board has used the application previously to submit proposed changes to the county's zoning ordinance.

The difference in this case is that supervisors are intervening on behalf of a

single entity instead of the entire county.

"The reason we helped them out here ... we saved them probably \$100,000 in engineering fees up front," Coker explained.

If Royal Farms had submitted the zoning application, it would have been required to include fully engineered plans for the building.

"They didn't want to do it unless they knew they were going to be able to build it there," he said.

The board of supervisors has tasked the county planning commission with reviewing a proposal to no longer require fully engineered construction plans with zoning applications for special-use permits.

"So that offer's open to anybody?" Supervisor Robert Duer asked. "Yes," Murray said.

"Northampton County Board of Supervisors is acting as an applicant and a decision-maker. How much impartiality can this decision receive?" Hogg asked.

"It appears as a conflict of interest by the governing body, and that question should be directed to the board's legal counsel prior to further discussion," he said.

"There's an appearance that the chairman supports recreating the same traffic signal issue that exists less than 2,000 feet north to the entrance of the Mcdonald's and Food Lion shopping area," Hogg added.

Bill Parr, of Seaview, pointed out that no special-use permit had been granted, and supervisors' approval of the zoning change would only be "step one" of the building project.

For example, the Virginia Department of Transportation will conduct traffic studies of the area to ensure safety and the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality will require a stormwater management plan, he noted.

"Every community that I'm aware of is interested in shifting its tax base," Parr said.

When commercial business "carries the load" it lightens the tax burden on farmers and residents, he said.

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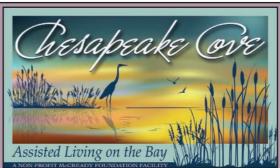
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velopment is about."

Ken Dufty, of Wardtown, said, "My issue here is that our current comprehensive plan encourages growth and development in the towns and off of 13, and I understand that. The other side of that is this county needs revenue."

Supervisor Oliver Bennett said, "In order for Northampton to grow, and to expand, and to pay bills, we need new money. This is new money."

Royal Farms employs more than 40 people in Northampton County, according to a letter from the company's president, John Kemp.

The new store will create additional jobs and generate more sales tax revenue, Murray said.

During the update of Northampton's comprehensive plan, "I think we're going to have to look very, very hard at Route 13 and what we can do with safe access," he added.

Duer questioned Kemp's statement in his letter that Northampton "should provide us with the necessary commercial zoning on its own accord ... otherwise, it is very unlikely that we will make any further investment, and the county will lose an important opportunity to build both its tax base and its employment base as well."

"I don't take it as a threat," Murray

Royal Farms has been a "good neighbor" who has supported the community, he said.

Kemp is considering using the additional 10 acres of land for a solar farm to help make the business self-sustaining, Coker said.

"They don't want to be viewed as just selling gas, they want to be viewed as good environmental and corporate citizens."

"This drives developers off," Murray said of the current zoning code. "If I have to spend thousands of dollars on something before I know whether I'm even going to get a special-use permit – hundreds of thousands of dollars – I'm not going to do it. I've got other places I can go and spend my capital."

Coker said, "We're just trying to make it more business-friendly. We're trying to create a situation where people can tell us what they want to do, and if it's reasonable, then we'll let it move forward."

Luria To Hold ESVA Office Hours Nov. 22

By Stefanie Jackson

U.S. Rep. Elaine Luria has announced that her team will hold mobile office hours Friday, Nov. 22, noon to 2 p.m., in Eastville, to provide constituent services.

"It is the honor of my lifetime to serve you in Congress. My top priority is to be a resource to you and to be an effective voice for our community," she told constituents in an email Nov. 20.

The congresswoman's team will be in the main conference room of the Northampton County administration building to help constituents with outstanding claims with federal agencies or other federal matters.

Available services include assistance with Social Security, Medicare, veterans' benefits, IRS issues, passports and visas, small business assistance, and federal grants and loans.

For more information, contact Caroline Bott at Luria's Eastern Shore office in Onley, at 757-364-7631.

The Northampton County administration building is located at 16404 Courthouse Road, in Eastville.

Bloxom and Lewis To Host Veterans Town Hall

Del. Robert S. Bloxom Jr. and Sen. Lynwood Lewis have rescheduled the Veterans Town Hall meeting originally planned for Oct. 22 to December 3, from 6-7:30 p.m.

They will discuss the accomplishments made and initiatives undertaken by the commonwealth to benefit the veteran population. The Secretary of Veteran and Defense Affairs Carlos Hopkins and the Executive

Director of the Hampton Veterans Administration Medical Center David Collins will be present to answer questions.

Bloxom and Lewis ask that veterans consider attending with friends, family, and neighbors.

The meeting will be held at Eastern Shore Community College Workforce Development Great Hall/Atrium, 29300 Lankford Highway, Melfa.



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Public Is the Heart of Northampton's Comprehensive Plan Update

Survey shows public wants focus on schools, economic development, and housing

By Stefanie Jackson

Northampton citizens attended a meeting hosted by the Berkley Group consulting firm Tuesday night, and they participated in a small-group activity that provided insight on how the county comprehensive plan should be updated.

The comprehensive plan will undergo changes with "meaningful public input as a cornerstone," Berkley Group CEO Darren Coffey said.

Before beginning the small-group exercise, Coffey informed citizens on the progress of the comprehensive plan update.

Starting in September, the Berkley Group surveyed Northampton citizens about their impressions of the county's strengths and weaknesses.

As of Nov. 19, 593 people had completed the survey, including 467 surveys taken online at Northampton County's official website and 126 written surveys.

Nearly 13% of the surveys were completed in Spanish.

According to the U.S. Census Bureau, Northampton's population was about 11,850 in 2017. Nearly 600 people, or about 5% of the county's total population, completed a survey.

Coffey said that's an "excellent participation rate" in his line of work, contradicting the doubt expressed by some audience members.

A fairly even distribution of age groups answered the survey. Less than 10% of the respondents were under age 20. Adults between the ages of 20 and 29 also accounted for less than 10% of participants.

The age groups of 30 to 39, 40 to 49, 50 to 59, and 60 to 69 each completed about 20% of the surveys. About 10% of the respondents were between the ages of 70 and 79. A few participants were age 80 or older.

About 30% live in Cape Charles,

20% in Eastville, 17% in Exmore, 13% in Cheriton, and 10% in Nassawadox.

According to the survey results, the three best qualities of Northampton County are its rural character, sense of community, and access to the water.

The top three areas of concern to Northampton citizens are the county's public schools, job opportunities, and access to healthcare.

A large majority, 70% of respondents, want the comprehensive plan to focus on schools.

About 50% want economic development - any kind of economic development - including more restaurants, retail stores, professional services, and healthcare services.

A majority also sees a need for all types of housing, including single family homes, duplexes and townhouses, apartments, and retirement communities.

The Berkley Group's next steps will be to close the survey period and conduct interviews with citizens. Coffev said. But several audience members were concerned that not enough people had received the opportunity to complete a survey, especially those without access to a computer or the internet.

Northampton Deputy Administrator Janice Williams said hard copies of the survey were available at the county administration building, and letters had been sent to every Northampton church on record to inform congregations about the survey.

The Rev. Kelvin Jones, of First Baptist Church in Capeville, said that information was incorrect, and many members of the African American community did not know about the first meeting on the comprehensive plan, which the Berkley Group held in September.

Coffey said he would recommend





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the board of supervisors extend the survey period until the end of November.

Following his presentation, small groups gathered around poster-size maps of Northampton County and used multi-colored highlighters to circle the towns that they believe most need improvement in economic development, recreation facilities, trails, natural preservation, safety of motor vehicles, bicycles, and pedestrians, and miscellaneous areas of concern.

After about 45 minutes, a representative of each small group reported to the whole group.

The consensus appeared to be that Exmore and Nassawadox were the two towns most ready for or in need of economic development.

Arthur Upshur's group noted that Exmore is a central location on the Eastern Shore with business infrastructure in place - namely, empty buildings in its downtown waiting to be filled.

In addition to Exmore and Nassawadox. Eastville was named as needing economic growth because employees of the new Eastville Community Health Center will need places to eat and shop.

Cape Charles - where economic growth has been concentrated – has become a tourist center lacking affordable housing, the small groups appeared to agree.

There was concern that more homes being used as Airbnb vacation rentals mean fewer homes that could provide affordable housing for families.

Skilled tradesmen such as electricians, plumbers, and HVAC technicians are needed in Northampton's workforce, one group leader said.

Upshur's group suggested building a Northampton campus of Eastern Shore Community College to teach students those trades and help them find jobs in the county after completing their training.

Broadband internet access will give students more learning opportunities, and it will enable people to stay or move here and open an online business or work from home, group members said.

Cape Charles and Exmore were

named as the two towns with the most traffic problems. Cape Charles hosts the majority of tourists visiting Northampton, Exmore has three major hotel chains, and the towns have the two largest shopping centers in the county.

Safer options are also needed for residents of towns to cross the highway on foot, on a bicycle, or in a wheelchair, participants said.

It was noted that Eastville has a high potential for future traffic issues because of poor access between the new health center and the highway.

Expansion of Star Transit was recommended to improve transportation. The public bus system currently does not operate on nights or weekends.

Some participants called for daycare for seniors and more after-school programs for children.

There was support for the new YMCA coming to the Cape Charles area and for the former Northampton Middle School in Machipongo providing opportunities for recreation. Citizens also were in favor of the "rails to trails" program.

Northampton citizens said they want "livable communities" - areas with housing, stores, and restaurants within walking distance.

They supported protecting the Eastern Shore's sole-source aguifer and safeguarding the coasts against overdevelopment and sea-level rise, preserving both the seaside and bayside.

The Nature Conservancy was commended on its restoration of eelgrass, a habitat for bay scallops. Not only will this effort help preserve nature, it could lead to the expansion of the Shore's aquaculture industry that is currently dominated by oysters and clams.

A church pastor offered a different perspective.

"We talk about preservation," Jones said. "If we don't have any dignity, which comes along with a good job, if we don't have housing - then having a bike trail doesn't matter, having aquaculture doesn't matter."

"A suggestion is that we look at how do we preserve the people of

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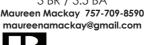
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Coffey called Jones' remarks "a tough act to follow."

The Northampton board of supervisors and planning commission were scheduled to hold a joint work session on the comprehensive plan Nov. 20 in the Northampton High School auditorium.

Additional work sessions will fol-

low in January, March, May, and July. Public comments are not taken at work sessions, but the public is welcome to attend.

A public open house will be held in mid-to-late summer 2020 for all who wish to view the draft of the comprehensive plan, with public hearings to follow for citizens to comment on any changes they would like made to the plan.

To complete an online survey about the comprehensive plan, visit <u>www.co.northampton.va.us</u>

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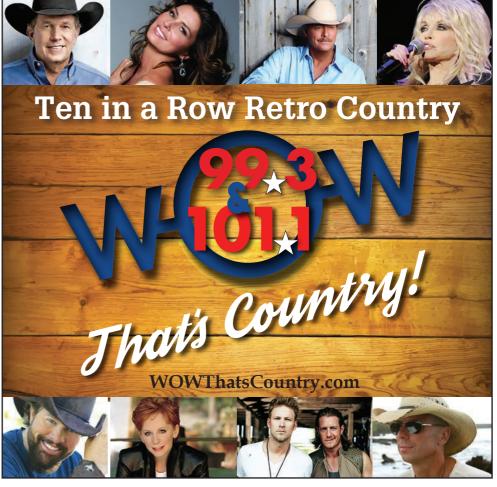
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OBITUARIES

John Addison

Mr. John Chewning Addison, 84, of Mechanicsville, departed peacefully from this life at his home Nov. 13, 2019. Johnny was a quiet man and true gentleman who loved his family, walked in faith, and led by example. The twinkle in his eye will be missed by all who knew and loved him. He was the son of John and Jane Addison,

of Eastville, and brother of Lucy Addison Restein.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife of 61 years, Byrd Addison; daughters, Lynn Hancock (Tim), Corinne Price (Greg), and



Mr. Addison

Eve Addison (Bert); grandchildren, John and Evie Price, Addison Burton, Richard and Thomas Hancock; sisterin-law, Barbara Tull; nieces, Jane Bailey and Carolyn Stiles; and nephews, Joe and Addison Restein.

Funeral service will take place at Christ Church-Eastville, Saturday, Nov. 30, 2019, at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Christ Episcopal Church, P.O. Box 367, Eastville, VA 23347 or The Chesapeake Bay Foundation at www.cbf.org

Lillian Edmonds

Mrs. Lillian Edmonds, 81, of Parksley, wife of Aubrey Edmonds, passed away Nov. 19, 2019, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Onancock.

Born Aug. 2, 1938, in Mount Holly, N.J., she was the daughter of the late James and Ethel Thomas Beebe. She was a homemaker, an avid sewer, and a

20-year employee of Walmart.

Other than her husband, Aubrey, Mrs. Edmonds is survived by two sons, Edward and Richard; a stepson, Aubrey Jr.; four daughters, Carole, Gloria,



Mrs. Edmonds

Nina, and Lorrain; 15 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; three sisters; and two brothers.

A funeral service will be held Friday, Nov. 22, 2019, at 2 p.m., at the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley, with the Rev. Robert Garris officiating. Interment will follow in the Modest Town Baptist Church Cemetery in Modest Town. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

Arrangements were made by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

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

Mark Glackin

Mr. R. Mark Glackin, 69, of Wallops Island, died Wednesday, Nov. 13, 2019, in his home. Born Feb. 21, 1950, in Baltimore, he was a son of the late Jesse Raymond and Mary Beard Glackin. A 1968 graduate of Perry Hall High School, Mr. Glackin enlisted in the U.S. Navy, serving two years active and two reserve,

including a tour in the Philippine Islands. Growing up in a large family, Mr. Glackin was the child who brought every lost, stray, and injured animal home for recu-



Mr. Glackin

peration including snakes, an alligator, a monkey, and pigeons. His love of animals encouraged him to take classes and later become a licensed master taxidermist.

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Mr. Glackin had a natural talent for carpentry that he did for most of his life. He worked at various locations, was self-employed, and in addition, built the barn, his home, and many outbuildings on his original Virginia property. While in Virginia, he briefly ran a country store that carried "most of everything" for the community shopping needs. Mr. Glackin was instrumental in the establishment of the Northampton Pregnancy Center in the 1990s serving the Eastern Shore area.

Mr. Glackin was an avid outdoorsman, and loved his farm and animals. He chose Wallops Island as his last home. He lived a practical life, living off the land and appreciating the resources it provided. His family commented that he will be remembered as a devout Christian who led a spiritual life.

He is survived by two children, Raymond Gabriel Glackin, of Airville, Pa., and Lillie Mae Merritt and her husband, Jeffrey, of Westover, Md.; four sisters, Nancy Foltz and her husband, Edward, of Bel Air, Md., Betty Contino and her husband, Francis, of Cockeysville, Md., Martha Glackin Bagley and her husband, Dennis, of Tucson, Ariz., and Mary Lyons of Globe, Ariz.; sister-in-law, Kim Glackin, wife of Mark's brother, Stephen, who preceded him in death in 2012; four grandchildren, Olivia Hope Merritt, Autumn Grace Merritt, Layla Faith Merritt, and Charlotte Joy Merritt; and two stepdaughters, Christa Ingoglia, of Florida, and Carey Ingoglia, of Maryland.

Mr. Glackin leaves many more family members, nieces, nephews, and cousins behind. His legacy would include his numerous friends who were much like family as well, both in Maryland and Virginia.

Graveside services were held Thursday, Nov. 21, 2019, in St. Mary's Cemetery, Pylesville, Md., with military honors presented by the U.S. Naval Honor Guard.

His family would appreciate memorial contributions to: Ascension Hermitage & Sanctuary, P.O. Box 52, Princess Anne, MD 21853 www.ascentionhermitage.blogspot.com

Arrangements were made by Harkins Funeral Home, Delta, Pa.

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~Free Lunch~

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for the meals it serves.

School division staff want to achieve the 100% reimbursement rate because school food service programs are intended to be self-sustaining, not operate at a loss to be covered by local government.

If Northampton schools had implemented the CEP program between 2015 and 2017, they would have had an annual budget shortfall of about \$170,000.

By 2019, the projected shortfall had fallen to about \$25,000.

Supervisors admonished school board members for not asking for the \$25,000.

The school division would also need around \$28,000 to hire two part-time cafeteria workers to handle the expected increased student demand for school breakfast and lunch.

Lawrence said he and members of the school board had recently received emails from Supervisor John Coker stating, "the board of supervisors is willing to subsidize our lunch program," up to about \$53,000, the combined cost of the projected budget shortfall and the two cafeteria workers.

Lawrence asked the school board to rescind their votes for delaying implementation of the "free lunch for all" program.

Northampton supervisors had learned from USDA that the school division could apply for a waiver allowing CEP to be implemented now instead of at the beginning of the next school year.

A request for a waiver had been written and signed and was waiting

approval by the school board so the document could be submitted.

Lawrence said there is no guarantee that the waiver will be approved.

"If they don't act on it, at least then we can say we applied," he said.

Northampton schools Chief Financial Officer Brook Thomas said it was "interesting" that USDA gave county supervisors information on the waiver program.

She had recently contacted the Virginia Department of Education and "they were unaware of a waiver program," including the director of school nutrition programs.

School division staff are attempting to work out strategies for feeding more students breakfast and lunch during regularly scheduled mealtimes without lengthening the school day.

Director of Operations Chris Truckner has also spoken with Accomack County Public Schools staff about how they implemented the CEP program this year.

They are purchasing prepackaged breakfasts that meet USDA's nutrition guidelines and allow students to be served more quickly.

The prepackaged meals of cold items like milk and cereal are expensive, but they help ensure every student gets served, Truckner said.

At the elementary schools, the meals are delivered to the classrooms so that "every kid gets breakfast as soon as they walk in the door."

Letters have been sent to the homes of Northampton students who recently became eligible for the division's current free and reduced school lunch program.

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Accomack School Board Pressed on Special Education and Policy Implementation

By Stefanie Jackson

A parent of a former Chincoteague student informed the Accomack school board Tuesday night about the unfairness of the manner in which its policies are enforced regarding out-ofzone students.

"I do believe that schools should not be permitted to pick and choose which out-of-zone students stay or go," said Jessica Lewis, of Chincoteague.

Lewis explained that her husband had finished building a home in New Church prior to their marriage that took place two weeks ago.

The couple has been staying in the new home, but Lewis maintains her Chincoteague residence and will continue to do so until her lease expires in February.

Yet the process was begun to withdraw her son from Chincoteague Combined School "as soon as they knew we got married," in spite of conversations with school administration that she and her son are still residents of Chincoteague.

does not cope well with abrupt change, Lewis said.

She and her husband scrambled to find three proofs of his residency at the New Church home to enroll her son at Arcadia Middle School.

Lewis believed it was unfair that "they were very quick to push my son out of Chincoteague Combined School when he was out-of-zone," even though other out-of-zone families send their children to Chincoteague schools.

Those families' addresses are in the areas of Atlantic and Wallops Island. One family uses the address of the NA-SA Visitors Center as their address on school forms, she said.

She called for an investigation and the withdrawal of all students who do not belong in Chincoteague schools according to school zoning rules.

Lewis said Chincoteague Combined School Principal Harold Holmes had advised her to contact Director of Secondary Education Karen Taylor about the concerns.

Lewis left messages for Taylor and Her son has autism and anxiety and Della Jordan, of student support services, but Lewis received no response, she said.

School board Chairman Paul Bull told Lewis that someone from the school district will contact her.

Connie Burford, of Bloxom, reminded the school board of deficiencies in its special education program.

Accomack schools lack a universal pre-K program, and sometimes there is a delay identifying students who need special education because they start school later.

Burford also called for aides in kindergarten and first-grade classrooms. She suggested if the school division cannot afford to hire aides, substitutes might be used to provide assistance to teachers.

"Before we know it, there is going to be a child that hurts another child in the classroom, and you all will be responsible for that happening."

Marie Gunter, of Bloxom, spoke about the need to establish a memorandum of understanding (MOU) between Accomack schools and the Accomack sheriff's office.

According to a new Virginia law, schools that use school resource officers must have an MOU with the local sheriff's department.

The MOU will protect students "from illegally being detained and questioned without parent or guardian representation."

Gunter said her nephew, who is also a special needs student, had his rights violated, "which continues to add to his trauma."

She spoke on behalf of her nephew's parents, who feared there may be repercussions for speaking out.

"We're trying to disrupt the schoolto-prison pipeline and cannot allow these injustices to continue without accountability," she said.

Gunter is also a member of nonprofit Virginia Organizing, which has offered on multiple occasions to help the school board "construct an MOU that will best protect and serve all parties involved.

"It is our hope that Accomack County will follow the lead of other districts ... and get community input for developing a comprehensive MOU.

"Please don't wait until something happens to another student in violation of this policy that the state has mandated to be followed."









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New Methods Could See the Return of Strawberries as a Shore Cash Crop

This is the first of two stories from the 16th annual Small Farm Conference held earlier this month at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore. The other story, about cultivating industrial hemp, will appear in next week's edition.

By Matthew Yoder

Earlier this month the University of Maryland Eastern Shore hosted its 16th Annual Small Farm Conference, with workshops and lectures geared toward the aims of smaller producers. Saturday's session highlighted a crop with historical significance to the Eastern shore of Maryland and Virginia.

Strawberries were at one time a reliable cash crop for Shore farmers, well suited to the soil and climate conditions here. Their demise came about in part because of an inability to bring the fruit out of the field. Michael Sigrist spent nearly 40 years working with the US-DA and now serves as the agriculture technician lead with the UMES small farm program. He was at one time a strawberry grower himself on the Shore and spoke to the challenges that largely

eliminated the crop from the area.

"Labor killed the strawberry industry here," said Sigrist.

He lamented the fact, because he spoke of the region we live in being ideal to support a robust crop of berries.

"We're in the mid-Atlantic, we're in a transition zone, we're blessed to be buffered by the Chesapeake and Atlantic," Sigrist said.

In an attempt to encourage strawberries' re-emergence on the Shore, Sigrist presented Kim Lewers, a plant geneticist with USDA's Beltsville Agricultural Research Center in Maryland. Lewers has been leading the USDA's research in the field of strawberries since 2001. Her research is part of the longest continually running strawberry program in the world, a program that is credited with creating the U-Pick model.

Her presentation offered new data to the public and did so in a part of the country she has strong family ties to. Her father's family grew up as tenant farmers in New Church, Va., picking tomatoes and strawberries. Lewers' research centers on the ability to skirt heavy labor demands and work towards securing a supplemental income in a niche market.

She spoke first of the effectiveness over the years for USDA research to advance the marketability of strawberries for little cost to the taxpayer.

"I'm proud to say my research costs less than a cent per taxpayer," said Lewers. "Our program is credited with producing strawberries as a commercial crop in the first place."

Lewers sees the ability for farmers here to compete against states like California and Florida by growing cultivars suited to the area and extending the season by constructing low tunnels.

The process was laid out step-by-step, first outlining the specific needs of varieties to thrive in this climate, such as rain tolerance, anthracnose resistance, and a low nitrogen requirement. Too much nitrogen can contribute to increased diseases, fewer flowers, and a subsequent lower yield, as well as berries suffering from a watery, bland flavor. Only cultivars that

meet the requirements were discussed, and Lewers recommended on several occasions growing multiple varieties.

A four-year field rotation serves as a basis to control pest management and help eliminate nutsedge. Lewers mentioned sudex cover crops that meet these aims but also listed garlic, onions, or carrots as offering similar benefits to these ends, crops that could also provide income.

The majority of Lewers' presentation, however, was in the construction of low tunnels. Growing in this manner, Lewers sees the potential to extend the growing season into the winter and get an early jump in the spring.

"You'll be the only ones growing for November and December. If you want to aim for the niche it will take effort but it can be done," said Lewers.

Paramount is investing in the proper system for season extension.

"You have to use low tunnels for repeat growing cultivars," Lewers said.

Lewers recommends in February setting out two rows of trickle line, 12 inches apart, covered by white-on-black





mulch, with straw between the beds for anthracnose, weeds, and erosion control. Planting is followed in March, with bare-root, day-neutral varieties, 12 to 15 inches apart in the row and 14 inches between rows. At that time it is crucial to raise your low tunnels, incorporating no less than one-fourth-inch stainless steel rods and clear plastic sheeting, preferably infrared diffusing.

"When I first build the low tunnels, I often have the sides down to keep the beds warm, the key is the bed temperature, that's where the crown is, the brain of the plant," said Lewers.

As spring temperatures intensify, Lewers believes a lot of people fear the heat will affect the plants, but in this system, she says it is not a concern.

"I keep the sides up until September or October, then lower them in the fall to trap the heat," said Lewers.

"People worry about it being too hot, but low tunnels are small enough that they don't change things."

What does change under the tunnels is how the plants convert light, and the results are surprising.

"Diffused light is less stressful on

the plants, the plants had relaxed leaves and under tunnels the plants use light more efficiently," said Lewers.

Converting that sunlight adds to what we all look for in strawberries, flavor.

"Sunshine equals sugar," said Lewers.

Under the tunnels the water retention is better too, though Lewers recommends only watering after a harvest.

The system comes with a cost but has been effective, and Sigrist spoke of not having to look very far to see the results.

"Kim Lewers does research right in our backyard and what's phenomenal is that it's in strawberries, you don't have look to Cornell, Florida, or California," said Sigrist.

That point can't be overstated.

"She is keyed in to this region and you need to find research that relates to this region," said Sigrist.

Another important note is that though lack of labor contributed to a strawberry hiatus here, Lewers system focuses on starting at a manageable level to determine your own results.

Lewers recommends starting with eight beds, 100 feet long, which is a size she can manage by herself. She also comments that cost efficiency is improved the closer you get to a square.

The dividends involved with commercial strawberry production can be lucrative, with numbers far exceeding corn and soybeans per acre. Her data listed upwards of \$60,000 per acre, depending on yield, taste, and time of year for harvest.

Lewers knowledge of strawberries was presented in a detailed, yet easily applicable fashion. Her passion is in plain view for anyone to see at the Agriculture Research Center in Beltsville. She's spent 18 years perfecting methods and developing flavor in one of America's favorite fruits.

"I wanted a crop of my own and when I got it, I threw everything into it, whatever crop I found I was going to put my heart into it," said Lewers.

She often referred to a new variety introduced by the USDA, Keepsake. She touted its qualities across the board and strongly urged growers and backyard gardeners to incorporate it in their fields and gardens. A June-bearing variety developed under her direction, Keepsake was described as having exceptional flavor and size, in addition to meeting the criteria to thrive in the mid-Atlantic.



Kim Lewers of the USDA delivers a presentation on extending your strawberry growing season. Photo by Matthew Yoder.

Travel to Beltsville on the right day and you might just find Lewers employing the help of her mother in the field.

"My greatest joy was to sit my 90-year-old mother in the border rows to pick and eat strawberries until she couldn't eat anymore," said Lewers.

She said her mother outworked teenagers, which further gave credence to the ability of those looking to secure a nice income on smaller plots and do so without a tremendous need for labor.

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Submitted Article and Photo

The Chincoteague Cultural Alliance's Holly Day Market and Wildlife Art Gallery presents an amazing array of arts and crafts along with the last farmers market of the year Saturday, Nov. 30, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m., at 6309 Church St. More than 80 vendors will offer everything from handmade decoys and jewelry to holiday decorations and fresh seafood. Admission and parking are free.

Exhibitors in the Wildlife Art Gallery inside the Amrien Activities Center include local carvers Jimmy Bowden and David Justice, painter Nancy Richards West, and many more. Next door, inside and outside CCA's Community Center for the Arts, visitors will find holiday decor, jewelry, woodwork, stained glass, photographs, pottery, knitted clothing, musical instruments, candles, soaps, toys, and other handcrafted items, along with antiques and collectibles.

In the farmers market section, look for produce, eggs, meats, seafood, baked goods, honey, jams, and plants. A list of all the Wildlife Art Gallery and Holly Day Market vendors is available at www.Chincoteagueca.

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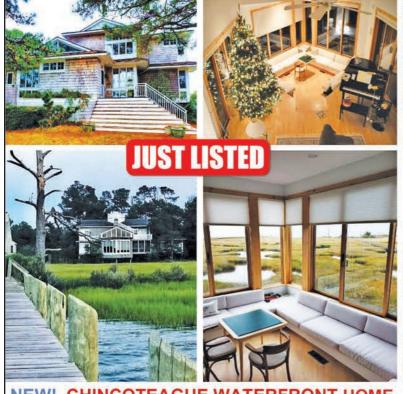
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Confusing, suspicious, and contested evidence surrounded the assassination: the number of shots fired, where the shooting came from, the fact that Oswald was a former Marine who had once defected to the Soviet Union, Oswald's killing before he could be thoroughly interrogated, and so on. Even after a federal commission concluded that Oswald was the sole gunman, the Kennedy assassination became the mother of all conspiracy theories.

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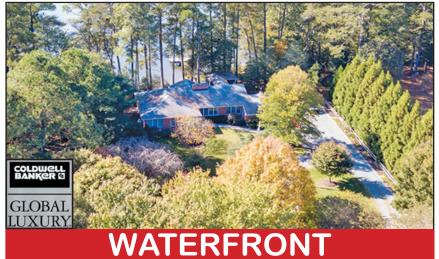
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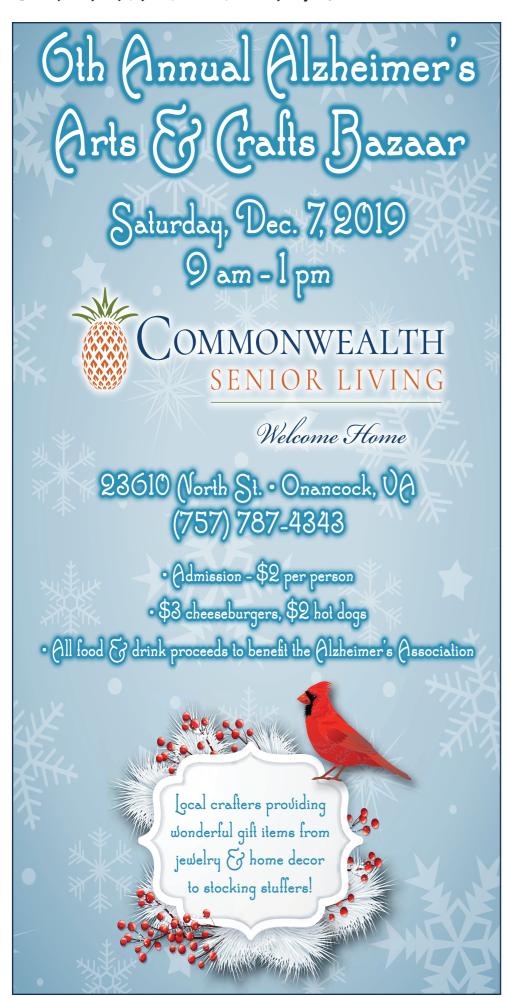
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Master Gardener Meets Roads Scholars: Joining Petal and Mettle

Submitted Article and Photo

It began with a neighborly chat and ended with the Eastern Shore of Virginia Master Gardeners guiding Roads Scholar service project volunteers to build a rain garden at the Museum of Chincoteague.

When the directors learned that Bob Shendock was a master gardener and interested in supporting community outreach at the museum, they made a proposal to get the Roads Scholars unit involved in supporting the goal to create a learning lab for environmental barrier island education. And it fit beautifully with the master gardener's goal to encourage and promote environmentally sound horticulture practices through sustainable landscape management.

The first project was held in the spring with a native plants educational program for the Roads Scholar volunteers and community and a native plant sale open to the community. The sale was a big hit and sold out in the first hour. Volunteers were also involved in replanting the museum grounds with native plants along with labeling those plants.

The fall project, a Rain Garden: Design, Construction and Maintenance presentation, was made, along with actual construction of a rain garden at the museum.

The presentation began with the explanation that a rain garden is "a functional landscape element to manage storm water collection, filtration, infiltration and/or discharge."

Among the elements of a rain garden that were discussed included:

- Inflow, ponding area, mulch, soil, and plant layers and an overflow feature.
- General location considerations, such as a recommendation of 10 feet or more from a building foundation.
- Adaptations required to accommodate the location at the museum. Since water gushing off the roof had to be captured close to the foundation, consideration had to be given to effectively

moving the water away from the building and protecting the sides from backsplash.

Rain garden construction tasks including excavation, framing installation, soil amendments, and construction of an outflow system were listed. These tasks were used as a plan for the work to be performed at the museum throughout the week.

The overall goal of this Roads Scholar service-learning project was to work at the Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge and the Museum of Chincoteague Island to help conserve the islands' wildlife, habitats, history, and culture.

Volunteers assisted with a variety of projects ranging from cleaning out barbed wire from Assateague Island to preserving the Chincoteague lighthouse and, of course, to work at the museum on the rain garden project.

Volunteers rotated throughout the various projects daily, each having an opportunity to participate in a variety of service work as well as experience the beauty of the Virginia barrier islands and its wildlife. With this overall goal in mind, Road Scholar volunteers selected this program for a variety of personal reasons.

Barry, from the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, was curious to learn more about the design of a rain garden since his background is in engineering. Jim and Mellanie were following their commitment to be involved in nature which, at their home in St. Louis, includes volunteering in a monarch butterfly collection and tagging project. Cynthia, from West Chester, Pa., wanted to learn more about the Eastern Shore of Virginia and about the rain garden project since she has had some exposure to the principles of stormwater management as a volunteer at Longwood Gardens. Linda, from The Villages in Florida, wanted to see the ponies. Madeleine, from Minnesota, wanted to be involved in service-learning and wanted to experience a new area of the country. Don. from Richmond, Va., came along with friends to try something new. And Gene and Dale, from Chesterfield, Va.,



Volunteers remove soil in preparation for a rain garden at the Museum of Chincoteague. Submitted Photo.

impressed with all the offerings in the Roads Scholar catalog, picked this one due to its relatively proximity.

But whatever their personal reasons were for signing up, they all left the week with a lot of in-depth knowledge about how to build a rain garden. And there were probably some sore muscles to boot! Thanks to Bob Shendock for his many hours spent planning, coordinating, and leading the project. And thanks to Jocelyn Grover for her leadership at the site and to Claude Taylor, Joyce Almond, Marianne Francavilla, and Victor Klein who provided guidance to the Road Scholars.

Hunters for Hungry Accepting Deer

Submitted Article

The Eastern Shore Chapter of the Hunters for the Hungry is pleased to announce the start of receiving deer donations to the program this year. Since 1997, the program has received and processed over 4.500 deer donations. The deer donated have been processed into more than 500,000 servings of this nutritious, lean meat to the clients of the Food Bank of the Eastern Shore and other agencies. There is no charge to the hunter to donate the deer, which must be properly harvested and registered, field dressed, and taken to one of the processors or collection points. The goal this year is 200 deer.

The program raises funds from local individuals, businesses, and civic organizations to pay deer processing costs. This year the cost of processing a deer is \$50. The processors help the program by processing the deer at almost half their regular cost. Since the program pays a per-deer processing fee, please consider a larger bodied deer. Processors have the right to refuse any

deer donation that has not been field dressed or cared for in a manner that ensures quality usable meat.

The processors this year are Brent Powell, Powell Processing, 21397 Trower Road, Wachapreague, 787-7107, and Scott Hines Eastern Shore Outfitters, 4306 Main St., Exmore, 442-4009. Collections points are The Food Bank in Tasley, 24530 Coastal Blvd, 787-2557, and B&B Market, 13001 Lankford Highway, Machipongo, 678-7236.

The program is a nonprofit organization and donations are tax-deductible as allowed by law. The program is a listed agency for the local United Way campaign. There currently is a dollar-for-dollar match for donations from businesses, civic organizations, and Ruritan clubs. Donations made out to Hunters for the Hungry may be sent to P.O. Box 1702, Parksley VA 23421. For further information, to arrange a speaker, or to help out, please call or email the local director, Worth Saunders, at 757-710-0049 or worth@ baysiderehab.com.



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ESCC Plans to Branch to New Building on Dec. 16

The Eastern Shore Community College move into its new academic building will begin on Monday, Dec.16, after the semester ends Dec. 13. The library closes on Dec. 13 to begin the move. The business office will remain open the week of Dec. 16 to accommodate the spring semester payment deadlines.

Doors open Monday, Jan. 13, to start the spring semester. The official ribbon cutting will be scheduled a later date.

ESCC will be providing special commemorative items and giveaways for students to celebrate the new building, and there will be various celebratory happenings staged throughout the day.

Registration is underway now for the new semester. ESCC will be open next Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 25 and 26, 8 a.m.-6 p.m., but closed for Thanksgiving Nov. 27 through Dec. 1. Submitted photos.

Clockwise starting from the top right: The chemistry lab takes shape.

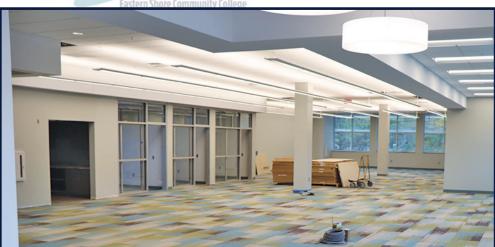
The college seal can be seen looking down from the second floor at the entry way. The striking foyer affords a view of the glass entrance, stairway, and the college seal. Big open room is the new LRC (library).

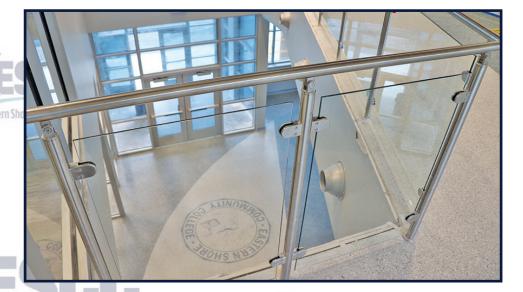
SGA members/students Graciela Diaz and Shaw Matthews tour the new building.













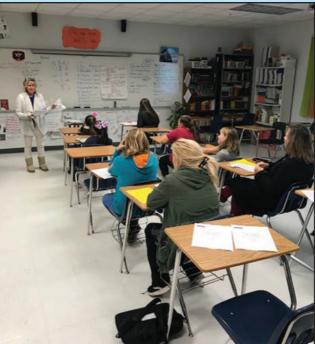
Welcome to Nandua Middle School's Welcome to Nandua Middle School's Studies have shown that strong family support contributes to student success.

Nandua Middle School held its third annual Winning at School Night on Wednesday, Nov. 13, from 5:30-7:30 p.m. It was a Title 1 event with the purpose of increasing and improving parent engagement. Photos by Susan Mears, special education, Nandua Middle School.









Far left: A delicious dinner was prepared and served to all who attended.

Left: The family and consumer services class, cheerleaders, and BETA club members helped throughout the evening.

Bottom: Informative workshops were presented by the teachers.



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EASTERN SHORE SPORTS

Northampton Wrestling Wins Big Off The Mat

WRESTLING

By Brennan Waldorf

The Yellow Jacket Wrestling squad is already winning tournaments before the season has begun. Head coach Matt Evans entered the team into a tournament in hopes of scoring some new gear. The proactive coach had little expectations but was delighted as his team continuously moved through the rounds eventually claiming the title and reward of new singlets for the entire varsity squad.

The tournament was hosted by Constant Pressure and pitted the Jackets against 49 other squads in a single elimination style tourney where each team had two days of voting before advancing to the next round or being eliminated. Teams advanced based off social media votes via likes on either Facebook, Ins-

tagram, or Twitter.

With over 50 teams involved from around the U.S., Northampton prevailed thanks to the outstanding community and student effort in the county. The Yellow Jacket squad had to win six rounds to take the crown and was backed by the voting of students from the middle and high school along with the Northampton County teachers and administrators. "This was such a fun competition and we would like to thank everyone who helped place votes for us to win this competition," said coach Evans.

The teams Facebook posts were shared hundreds of times by community members to encourage others to vote. The Yellow Jackets managed to amass 4,500 votes in the last two rounds, winning in the finals against a team from the wrestling powerhouse state of Michigan.

"That is the true sense of victory in that we came together as a community to defeat such bigger areas," coach Evans said of the tournament outcome.

The community will have a chance to see the new singlets in action this year as Northampton will be hosting two separate home tournaments. The first will be the Annual Jacket Invitational on Dec. 7, which will be the Jackets' first matches of the year with 10 teams competing in a double elimination tournament.

The Jackets will also host the Annual Fred Diem/Scott Miles invite which is a two-day round robin tournament set to begin Jan. 10. The tournament welcomes Northampton wrestling alumni to attend for free entry and access to the Jacket hospitality room. Any alumni who attends will be honored in between rounds on Jan. 11 starting at 9 a.m.

Ponies are Encouraging During First Practice

BASKETBALL PREVIEW

By Matthew Yoder

Tuned to the hum of basketballs reverberating on wood, the Chincoteague girls officially took to the court for the first time this season on Monday, working through their rust in full-length outlet drills and jump shots. The Ponies had an encouraging turnout on the first day of practice, with more than 20 girls excitedly filling the gym. Though they are returning four starters, the Ponies face the challenge of replacing an irreplaceable talent in guard Caroline Thornton. She filled the stat sheets last season, averaging more than 20 points per game, a number that is difficult to overlook and provided intangibles at such a key position on the court.

Coach Jimmy Bloxom recognizes the many skills Thornton displayed and is realistic in assessing what it takes to replace such a player.

"I gotta get a guard, it's hard to replace Thornton and we've got to find other ways to score," said Bloxom.

Beyond scoring, he recognizes the need for somebody to effectively move the ball up court and for his team, likewise, to pressure in defensive transition. Bloxom sees these as keys to victory.

"It's all about handling full-court pres-

sure," Bloxom said. "If you wanna build a lead then you have to try to pressure the other team and force turnovers."

If the Ponies are successful in making their opponents defend the half-court game, they will play to their strengths this year, size and grit.

Bloxom undeniably sees this as an asset for this year's squad.

"I've got bigs, we'll be scrappy," said Bloxom.

The team is filled with distinguished talent from this year's district champion volleyball team. Alanna Hall, Emma Jackson, and Caroline Shelley made significant contributions to that team, with Shelley and Jackson commanding respect at the net. The goal is to do the same at the rim, and they will be assisted by Lindsey O'Shea, a freshman with tremendous height.

"We will be just as tall as anybody in the gym, we shouldn't get beat on the boards," said Bloxom.

In addition to Hall, Jackson, and Shelley, Bethany Fosque is the fourth returning starter to a very successful Pony team from a year ago. Though these Ponies played significant minutes, Bloxom still thinks his team lacks experience in tight games.

"They're just a little green in how

much they played. I want to see how they handle the pressure," said Bloxom.

A lot of games will unquestionably be decided by which team executes the fundamentals best.

"If you make layups and foul shots you can stay competitive," Bloxom said.

Both aspects were addressed heavily on this first day of practice. They are a team with strength in numbers, built to compete now and for years to come. Bloxom does not believe they are a team that will create space from opponents, but is still optimistic for

the upcoming season. He appears quite adept at getting the best out of these kids, and if this year opponents sleep on the Ponies after losing Thornton, Bloxom is confident his squad will again reassert its will.

"I don't have four 20-point scorers, but every kid has a niche, a role," said Bloxom.

The Ponies have established a winning atmosphere, and in doing so have raised the attention of other local teams.

"We aren't going to sneak up on anybody. We're in the crosshairs now," said Bloxom.



Chincoteague girls take part in layup drills. Photo by Matthew Yoder.

All-District Nominations 2019 Volleyball Season

First Team All-District:
Lyric Sampson- #9 – Nandua
Yeats James - #8 – Northampton
Emma Jackson - #12 – Chincoteague
Emani Press - #2 – Arcadia
Alanna Hall - #5 – Chincoteague
Necole Stravino - #3 – Nandua

Second Team All-District: Caroline Shelley - #10 - Chincoteague Abigail Killmon - #5 - Nandua Jada Giddens - #22 - Northampton Jamie Wert - #15 - Nandua Haley McDaniel - #14 - Arcadia Imani Press - #12 – Arcadia

Honorable Mention:
Delilah Flores - #4 – Chincoteague
Logan Stapleton - #3 – Arcadia
Karen Pichardo - #2 – Nandua
Mariah Matthews - #6 – Northampton
Jacqueline Maldonado - #4 –
Northampton

Offensive Player of the Year: Emma Jackson - #12 – Chincoteague **Defensive Player of the Year:** Lyric Sampson - #9 – Nandua

Setter of the Year: Alanna Hall - #5 – Chincoteague

Libero of the Year: Necole Stravino - #3 – Nandua

All-Academic Team: Alanna Hall – Chincoteague Necole Stravino – Nandua Sarah Wenzel – Arcadia Taylee Thomas — Chincoteague
Jamie Wert — Nandua
Logan Stapleton — Arcadia
Caroline Shelley — Chincoteague
Mallory Hook — Northampton
Imani Press — Arcadia
Natalie Scelsi — Chincoteague
Payton Mullaly — Northampton
Skylar Stapleton — Arcadia
Lyric Sampson — Nandua
Layla Rodriguez — Northampton
Abigail Killmon — Nandua
Emily Kellam — Northampton



Lyric Sampson









Yeats James



Necole Stravino





Emma Jackson





Emani Press



Emani Press from Arcadia High School also made the All-District team. We did not receive her photo before press time last week.

Nandua Places in Top Ten at State Meet

11/16/19 - CROSS-COUNTRY

By Brennan Waldorf

Eastern Shore teams traveled to Salem, Va., last weekend to compete inthe Virginia State Cross Country tournament. Northampton and Chincoteague both had girls running in the Division I race while Nandua and Arcadia had runners participate in the Division II race.

The district champion and regional runner-up Nandua boys team took top honors for the Shore as they were the only team to advance. The Warrior squad has much to be proud of as the team finished as a top ten team in the state coming in 9th place at the event with 224 points. Nandua participated in a field of 104 runners representing 28 different teams with Union High School claiming first place.

The Warriors were led by Carlo Balmoria who finished 38th with a time of 17:52. Sebastian Bonilla finished 55th

with a time 18:52, Ethan Harrower placed 64th with a time of 18:50, and Panuncio Chavez finished 66th with a time of 18:54. The top runners for Nandua had a split time of 18:38 but the Warriors also had runners David Gastelum finish 69th, Bryan Tinoco finish 73rd, and Riley Bull finish 74th in the race as well. The Warriors will have plenty to build on next year with all runners being able to return apart from senior Panuncio Chavez.

In the girls division, Nandua's Areil Enriquez took top honors for the Shore as the Warriors' lone runner, finishing 59th with a time of 22:40. Arcadia's Gracie Perez finished 66th with a time of 23:19 and Arisbeth Gomez finished 88th with a time of 24:37. The girls competed against 103 of the best runners in the state with Radford High winning the state title.

In the girls Division I race, Northampton's district champion Daniela Gonzalez took top honors coming in 34th overall just two places away from tying the school's best finish in the race with a time of 22:34. Wendi Martinez, who had just recovered from injury, placed 61st with a time of 24:29. "We are very proud of our girls' accomplishments," said head coach Rich Wilfong and Kelly Driscole. Chincoteague's Carli Fradja was the lone runner from the island and placed 62nd in the Division I race with a time of 24:32.

The girls competed against 98 runners from 25 teams with George Wythe High School claiming the 2019 title.



Nandua boys warm up for their state meet held at Green Hill Park in Salem, Va. Photo by James Lawrence.





Nandua boys cross-country placed 9th in the state tournament held at Green Hill Park in Salem, Va. Photo by James Lawrence.

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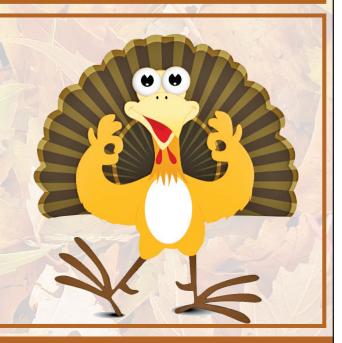
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Phoenix Fire Places First

Phoenix Fire placed first in its first competition of the 2019-2020 season in Maryland Saturday, November 16. This senior group consists of athletes ranging in age from 11 to 18. Blaze will compete in its second competition Dec. 7 in Upper Marlboro, Md. Joining them Dec. 7 will be Phoenix Fire's junior team, Inferno. Participants are Alexis G., Kyli H., Emma H., Maddie A., Chloe R., Ripley A., Ashley A., Allison G., Nyla A., Jessica K., Katie J., and Hannah M. Submitted photos.

SPORTS SHORTS

Advisory to the Public About Websites

The Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (DGIF) is putting out an advisory to the public about websites claiming to sell Virginia fishing licenses. The department reminds outdoor enthusiasts that gooutdoorsvirginia.com and dgif.virginia.gov are the only official websites to purchase fishing and hunting licenses and permits. Go Outdoors Virginia mobile app can also be used for license purchases.

E.S. Family YMCA Holds Karate Lessons

The Eastern Shore Family YMCA will be holding karate lessons on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 p.m., ages 6-12, and 7:30 p.m., ages 13 and up at the YMCA in Onley. The cost is \$35 per month for members and \$50 per month for prospective members. For more information, call 787-5601.

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Monster Buck from Pungoteague

This monster 12-point, 225-pound buck was taken in Pungoteague by Arlene "Red-Dog" Bush and "Hook-'Em." The pair spotted the buck stepping out of the brush and fired their rifles at the same time, felling their prize. Submitted photo.

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Game Results of E.S. Hockey League - Nov. 17

By Michael Garbacz

Game 1: Thornton Services Renegades 1, K&E Marine Capitals 6

The cold winds a-blowin' this day signaled some blowout tilts, as evinced by this one. Suffering a short bench, the 'Gaders still fought and outshot the Caps 23-22 but couldn't solve goalie Cabe Morgan. The Pat Trick rang up two goals and an assist; Brett Morgan upped the ante with a hattie and a helper; Sharkey Parks registered a goal and two assists; Jenny Hagler, Jack Smith, and Dalton McDaniel each picked up an apple. The Onancock Kid staved off a shutout for the Renegades with a little helper from Dustin Aigner and La Boca.

Game 2: EZ Loan Bruins 8, Neubeam Harambe 3

The Killer B's continued the trend set by the Caps, unsealing a tin of how-do-you-do on the gorilla squad. The Smooth Criminal alone registered enough for the W, with four goals and an assist; Bradley Colona contributed a hat trick plus an assist; Gabe Nock picked up the other goal; Pat Cornwell chipped in a trio of helpers; Garrett Baylis registered an assist. For Harambe, Zach Webb led the offense in the loss with two goals and an assist; Preston Shover threw in a goal and an apple; Luke Webb put up a pair of assists.

Game 3: Blues 0, 3 Knots Taphouse Whalers 5

Another game, another win by a 5-goal margin. This time it was the Whalers who whaled on the Blues and handed them a goose egg to boot. Brandon Morgan took the bull by the horns and rode 'im to the tune of a hat trick and an assist; Scott Millikin added a goal and an assist; New York Metzger scored. Michael Fanning did the goalie dance of joy upon earning the shutout. Blues netminder Ol' Plugalong, meanwhile, was seen repeatedly winding his watch, to no avail.

Game 4: Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 3, K&E Marine Capitals 5

It took four games to break the trend of the day, as the Caps edged the Wings. Leaping out to a 4-0 lead,

it did look like this one was well on its way to another laugher, but the Red Wings struck back late to make it interesting. Unfortunately for them, the hourglass ran out of sand before the comeback could be completed. The Pat Trick went helpers-only this time, accumulating 4; Sharkey Parks scored twice and threw in an assist; Brett Morgan tickled the twine two times; Keith Hagler scored; Jenny Hagler picked up an assist. For the Wings, the Huntsman figured in on every one of their goals, scoring twice and adding an apple; George Smith found the back of the net; Matt Sullivan and Wes Stapleton each added an assist.

Game 5: Thornton Services Renegades 0, EZ Loan Bruins 2

The Smooth Criminal had reality on a string in this one, slowing down and speeding up the game as he saw fit, confounding the 'Gaders to no end. Producing both goals, 12 of his team's 18 total shots, and almost as many as the Renegades had in total (13), there was no denying who the lord of the manor was this time around. Bradley Colona added an apple in the win for the Bruins; goalie Alex McCullough did the shutout dance.

Game 6: Blues 1, NeuBeam Harambe 7

Everything was going according to plan for the Blues in this one, until it wasn't. Up 1-0 heading into the third, the Blues were looking to register an extremely important win for themselves. The gorilla squad had other ideas, though, uncorking a wild 22shot, 7-goal final frame and bursting the dam on poor Ol' Plugalong. Zach Webb and Preston Shover each traded natural hat tricks, with Shover also adding an assist; Robbie Washington scored the other goal; Caleb Clark chipped in a pair of apples; Luke Webb, Johnny Irvin, and power forward Jennie Rice each added an assist. James Haley was the goal scorer for the Blues, assisted by TR Hoyt.

Game 7:3 Knots Taphouse Whalers 3, Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 4

The best game of the day came last, as the Wings managed to nar-

rowly edge out the Whalers in a fun, back-and-forth affair. Though they outshot the Wings 16-12, the fellas in green fell just short of overcoming goalie Brad Ford. Ethan Ayer led the way for the Red Wings in this one, picking up two goals and an assist; the Huntsman and Wes Stapleton rang up a goal and an assist apiece; Justin Wheeler chimed in with a pair of apples; George Smith and Michael Garbacz each added an

assist. For the Whalers, Brandon Morgan, Scott Millikin, and Ryan Parks all scored on remarkable individual efforts—all unassisted.

ESSHL Senior League action resumes Sunday, December 1 at 1:30 p.m. at Stapleton Rink in Parksley. Don't forget to check out the website at www.esshl.org for standings, stats, news, and more, and find ESSHL on Facebook. Happy Thanksgiving from the ESSHL family!

Early Edition for Black Friday!

Next week's Nov. 29 Black Friday edition will be distributed Wednesday, Nov. 27. Look for it at your favorite news spot Wednesday evening.



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Fishing from the Shore By Bill Hall



After a week that has seen coastal flooding, high waves, below average air temperatures for this time of year, and even a brief encounter with snowfall in some areas, firsthand fishing information has been mighty hard to come by, if not impossible. One tackle shop owner told me, with only a slight exaggeration, "the opening of deer season probably saved several local sportsmen from thoughts of suicide!" Let's hope he was just kidding, but there are a lot of frustrated fishermen chomping at the bit to get their shot at the schools of rockfish that are starting to improve in size.

The run of great speckled trout fishing off the lower shore has come to a halt as a result of the recent weather conditions. I am hoping this is just a temporary lull and the fish have sought more stable water temperatures by seeking deeper holes. If and

when the weather stabilizes, I am hoping there will be a limited fishery as the remaining fish return to the sun-warmed shallows. Good speckled trout fishing was still occurring inside Rudee Inlet early in the week.

The Virginia Beach and Ocean City offshore fleets are still experiencing excellent daytime sword fishing, with boats often getting double digit hookups per tip. Wahoo, some weighing around the century mark, are still being caught out of Virginia Beach. One giant wahoo tipped the scales at 116 pounds but was not eligible for recognition by the Virginia Saltwater Fishing Tournament because it was caught using an electric reel.

Upper Shore – Captain Matt Abell, of the Sea Hawk Sports Center, said that his last charter party, which occurred late in the week, fished over deep water structure, west of Smith Island, Md. Matt said that catching limits of fish was no problem as there were rockfish stacked over every rockpile that he fished in depths of 10 to 35 feet. Captain Abell reported that all of the bird activity that he has observed has been occurring from Hooper's Is-

land, Md., and north, but he expected to see the flocks of birds marking feeding fish shifting south as the falling water temperatures cause more and more of the stripers and the migrating baitfish to school up. In the Pocomoke River, crappie are cooperating for anglers casting small live minnows and 2-inch curly tails. Some of the best action is occurring near Nassawango Creek.

Chincoteague - Rockfish continue to be caught around the bridge pilings along the causeway as well as the Assateague Bridge, with best action occurring during periods of high tidal flow. Most of the fish have been under the 28-inch coastal striped bass minimum size limit. Expect to see more and larger fish arriving as the water temperature continues to fall. Small stripers and bluefish have been caught from the surf as well as at least one slot-sized red drum this week. Offshore, black sea bass and bluefish are available over the deep-water wrecks, but ocean conditions have been unfavorable for most boats to venture out of port.

Lower Shore – Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait & Tackle in Cape Charles, reports that the speckled trout fishing is starting to fade as the weather cools. He said that small stripers are abundant along the bayside but most fish have been under the minimum size limit. He said that anglers are hoping to see bigger fish as a result of the recent cold snap.

Mark Snook, at Chris' Bait & Tackle, reported that anglers have been finding rockfish in the 24- to 25-inch class along the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel. Mark said there have also been some stripers caught off the rocks/jetties out of Cape Charles. The pier at the Kiptopeke State Park has started to produce a few striped bass catches. Chris' Bait & Tackle will be having its annual Black Friday Sale on November 29, which will feature discounts throughout the store as well as 60 pairs of Costa Del Mar sunglasses on sale for under \$100/pair!

The Virginia Saltwater Fishing Tournament Committee, better known as the "Citation Program," met on Monday, November 18, at the Virginia Marine Resources Commission's new location at Fort Monroe in Hampton, Va. The committee inserted language into the program's 2020 tournament that will prohibit the controversial practice of towing live striped bass and cobia behind a moving boat. The program also



Don Mauzy with one of four swordfish boated on a recent trip out of Ocean City. Photo courtesy of the Seahawk Sports Center.

approved the addition of a state record category for tripletail, a southern fish that is showing up in increasing numbers in Virginia each year. It will take a fish weighing at least 8 pounds to qualify for the initial state record for the species. Tripletail are not currently eligible for citations in Virginia.

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 and is a Virginia Press Association award-winning sports columnist.



C.L. Marshall released this rockfish near the mouth of the Pocomoke River. Photo by Rick Huey.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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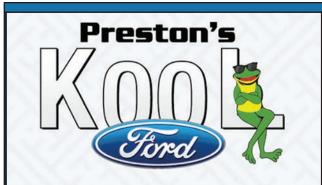
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In carrying out this project, Accomack County, its contractors and subcontractors will to the greatest extent feasible, utilize qualified persons who permanently reside within The County of Accomack for employment and training positions. All job openings will be listed with the local office of the Virginia Employment Commission. Persons qualified for the jobs listed should register at the following location:

Virginia Employment Commission Colonial Square Shopping Plaza 25036 Lankford Highway – Unit 16 Onley, Virginia

Additionally, the following contracts and procurements will be made:

General Building Contractors
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All above-referenced procurements will be made on a competitive basis. The names of businesses who respond to this notice will be included on procurement lists for this project. Names of job seekers will be given to contractors.



Chincoteague High 60th Year Reunion

The Chincoteague High School Class of 1959 celebrated its 60th year reunion on Sept. 28, at Etta's Restaurant in Chincoteague.

The attendees are pictured above from left: (front row) Etta Lou Hill, Gloria Tull, Darlene Floyd, and Mary Esther Lafferty; (back row) Emerson Liscum, Dickie Conklin, Kruno Filipic, Bill Gillespie, and R.G. Gall. Several were unable to attend and several had passed away. The group celebrated with them in spirit.



E.S. CRUISERS DONATE TO TASLEY VFD

James Bishop, vice president of the E.S. Cruisers car club, recently presented the Tasley Volunteer Fire Co. a check for proceeds earned at the 4th Annual Charles "Sonny" Moore Memorial Car, Truck, and Tractor Show held Aug. 17 at VFW Post 2296 in Tasley. The money will directly benefit the fire company's building fund for its new station, currently under construction. Pictured above from left are Fundraising Chairman Myles Belote, Fire Department President Don Amadeo, and Bishop.



Northampton October Students/Teacher of the Month

The Northampton High School October students of the month are pictured above with Principal Mike Myers, from left: Noelitza Nunez Vazquez, Marielle Rivas, Vashti Holmes, Brady Powell, and Mariela Montalvo.

Northampton High School October teacher of the month, the Rev. Charles Kellam (holding award), is shown at right with Principal Myers.





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Lady Bulls Visit Lady Monarchs

On Friday, Nov. 1, the Northampton Middle School Girls Basketball team, the Lady Bulls, took an educational and sports trip to see the Lady Monarchs of Old Dominion University as they hosted Christopher Newport University at an exhibition game. After the game, the Lady Bulls had a meet-and-greet session with the Lady Monarchs where the Lady Bulls learned about the college process and expectations to balance both academics and athletics. The Lady Bulls were guided by assistant coach and recruiting coordinator Brittany Young of ODU on a tour of the practice facility. The team has been invited back by the Lady Monarchs for an upcoming training and camp session. In the 2018-19 school year, the Lady Bulls placed second in both the district and the tournament. The Lady Bulls are coached by Ernest Bethel and assisted by Charlena Jones, a volunteer team coordinator.

Reminder

The second installment of the 2019 Real Estate and Personal Property taxes is due December 5, 2019.

Envelopes must be postmarked on or before December 5, 2019

or

10% penalty plus 10% interest per annum must be added.

Dana T. Bundick, Treasurer Accomack County, Virginia

Community Notes

Cape Charles

The Memorial Library will sponsor its second Townwide Book Read. The book is a New York Times Best Seller and the 1959 Pulitzer Prize Winner, "Advise and Consent" by Allen Drury.

Complementing the book read, on Feb. 18, 2020, at 7 p.m. there will be a book discussion at the Civic Center.

The movie "Advise and Consent" will be screened Feb. 23, 2020, at 2:30 p.m., at the Historic Palace Theatre.

Save the dates and get started reading the book now.

The Annual Oyster Roast will be Saturday, Nov. 30, from 4 to 8 p.m., at the Cape Charles Museum. Music will be by Mike Proffitt Band, silent auction, and 50/50 raffle. Tickets are \$50 each (\$40 for members).

The menu includes local oysters, fried chicken, potato salad, chowder, four bean salad, rolls, desserts, Brown Dog ice cream, coffee and soda, beer and wine.

Tickets are available at Periwinkles (credit cards incur \$2 surcharge) or at capecharlesmuseum.org

Chincoteague

The YMCA Turkey Trot will be Thursday, Nov. 28, at 8:30 a.m., starting and ending at Chincoteague High School. The run is open to all ages and abilities, everyone (including dogs) can walk, run, or leisurely stroll the 3.1-mile course.

Register at <u>www.classy.org/</u> <u>event/2019-y-turkey-trot-charity-</u> <u>5k/e245864</u>

Volunteers are needed. If interested, contact Katie O'Shea, executive director of the David Landsberger Family YMCA, at koshea@ymcachesapeake. org or call 336-6266.

Melfa

Del. Robert Bloxom and Sen. Lynwood Lewis will co-host a Veterans Town Hall Meeting Tuesday, Dec. 3, from 6 to 7:30 p.m., at Eastern Shore

Community College Workforce Development Center. For more information, call Jessie Williams at 787-1094 or Brittany Taylor at 824-3456.

Onancock

The Market St. United Methodist Church Faith In Action Sunday School Class will hold its annual Ernie Martin's Olde Virginia Brunswick Stew Fundraiser Saturday, Nov. 23, from 1 p.m. until sold out. Quarts are \$12. Proceeds benefit the Accomack Interfaith Crisis Council.

Onley

The Fall Festival will be Saturday, Nov. 23, from 8 a.m. to noon, at Onley UMC. There will be frozen casseroles, chicken salad, baked goods, soups, crafts, and more.

Painter

Boxes of free groceries for Thanksgiving will be distributed Saturday, Nov. 23, beginning at 9 a.m. (doors open at 6:30 a.m.), at Zion's Heart Ministry of New Mount Zion Baptist Church, 17450 Coal Kiln Road. For more information, call 678-5087.

Tasley

The Run for the Toilets will be Saturday, Nov. 30, beginning at 9:30 a.m., at Onancock Elks Lodge. The fundraiser will help with renovations to the restroom facilities.

Accomack County Public Schools

Accomack County Public Schools will be closing for three days, Nov. 27, 28, and 29, in observance of the Thanksgiving vacation. Classes will resume Monday, Dec. 2.

Send your Christmas events to angie@easternshorepost.com

Raffle/Cake Walk

Melfa Volunteer Fundraising Committee is hosting a raffle fundraiser and cake walk. A variety of gift cards, certificates, and items from local businesses being raffled. Lots of baked goods to walk for. Hot dogs and burgers for sale.

> November 23, 2019 Noon - until gone 28328 Hatton St., Melfa, VA 23410 757-787-4511

*All proceeds go towards new updated equipment for EMS apparatus.





Holiday Events Calendar

- Nov. 22: 5 p.m.–Holiday Tree Lighting–Custis Park, Onancock
- Nov. 22-Nov. 23: 7:30 p.m., and Nov. 24: 3 p.m.–Gift of the Magi–Historic Palace Theatre, Cape Charles–\$18/Adults; \$8/Students
- Nov. 23: 9 a.m.-1 p.m.–Onancock Holiday Market–Corner of Market and Ames street, Onancock–Music by Jeff Madsen and David Pruitt
- Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, and 20: 5-8 p.m.—Festive Fridays: Horse-Drawn Carriage Rides, Santa House, On-Street Entertainment, Movies—Cape Charles
- Nov. 29-30: 10 a.m.-5 p.m.–Artisans Guild Holiday Tour– Go to https://esvaartisansguild.org/studio-tour
- Nov. 30: 2-4p.m.–Kickoff to Christmas–Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven
- Dec. 5: 3-7 p.m.–The Nature Conservancy's Holiday Open House at Brownsville–Nassawadox

Times may vary. Please check with venue.

FRIDAY **NOV. 22**

★8 a.m. - Breakfast at the VFW -VFW Post 2296, Tasley - donations accepted

★11 a.m.-noon - Neuter Scooter 2019 - SPCA Eastern Shore, 26528 Lankford Hwy., Onley ★noon - AA mtg. - Onancock UMC, 75 Market St.

★12:30 p.m. - SciPhi Seminar - Garbage In/Garbage Out - ESCC, Melfa

★6-8 p.m. - Doorway Singers - Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles

★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. - Gift of the Magi (Nov. 22-23, Nov. 24

at 3 p.m.) - Historic Palace Theatre, Cape Charles

★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven - doors open at 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY ★8-10 a.m. -**NOV. 23**

Church Wide Clean Up -

Craddockville UMC

★8 a.m.-1 p.m. - Gigantic Rummage Sale - Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 26405 Horsey Rd., Oak

★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 a.m.-1 p.m. - Holiday Market corner of Market St. and Ames St.

★2-4 p.m. - Empowering Girls' Group - ESTACI, Exmore -757-656-3460

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

POST TIMES Nov. 22-28

SUNDAY *11 a.m. - Meditation Group - Train Station, **NOV. 24** ★Noon - Social Luncheon - Calvary Bible

Church, Accomac

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

*3 p.m. - November Birthday Celebration - St. John's

Baptist Church, Onancock - dinner served at 2 p.m.

★3 p.m. - Annual Brown Family and Friends Day - Mt. Hope Baptist Church, Stockton, Md.

★4 p.m. - Life Recovery of E.S. mtg. - Rock Church, Melfa

★5 p.m. - Church Family Thanksgiving - Craddockville UMC

NOV. 25

★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, Tasley

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

★6-8:30 p.m. - GED Class - Cape Charles Rescue

★6-9 p.m. - GED Class - Arcadia High School, Oak Hall

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

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

NOV. 27

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

★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

★6-7:30 p.m. - Free Beginners Line Dance Lessons - Little Italy, Nassawadox

★6-8:30 p.m. - GED Class - Cape Charles Rescue

★6-9 p.m. - **GED Class** - Arcadia High School, Oak Hall

★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

TUESDAY **NOV. 26**

★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

★6 p.m. - Rachel Leah Ministries - 787-2486 (call for location)

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

★6-8 p.m. - Free English for Speakers of Other Languages -

Pungoteague Elementary - 789-1761

★6-8:30 p.m. - GED Class - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa

★7 p.m. - U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary mtg. - Exmore Vol. Fire Dept.

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

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

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

★7:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Atlantic UMC

THURSDAY *9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Veterans' Employment Representative Avail. -Chincoteague Town Office - no appt. needed **NOV. 28** ★10:30 a.m. - Story Time - Cape Charles Memorial Library

★12-2 p.m. - Restoration Ministries Thanksgiving Dinner - Exmore Firehouse

★5:30 p.m. - Shore Losers mtg. - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomac - \$1/wk.

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

757-665-5405 *6-8 p.m. - Free English for Speakers of Other Languages -

Pungoteague Elementary - 789-1761

★6-8:30 p.m. - GED Class - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa

★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

Happy Thanksgiving from the Post!

Classified Ads, Real Estate Ads, Auctions & Legal Notices

Eastern Shore Trading POST

Announcements



Card of Thanks

The family of Laurence F. Hanratty would like to thank everyone for the donations, flowers, and prayers during this mournful period.

A special thank you to St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church and Bill's Seafood for their generous help and friendship.

-The Hanratty Family

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE FOR THEIR PRAYERS, CARDS, PHONE CALLS, AND CONCERNS DURING MY RECENT SURGERY. MY THANKS GO TO DR. JEANNE ROLL AT ATLANTIC MEDICAL CENTER, DR. PASCHALL AND STAFF AT RIVERSIDE IN ONLEY, DR. LEESCH AND STAFF AT RIVERSIDE IN NEWPORT NEWS FOR THEIR GREAT CARE AND ALSO TO PASTOR HYUNHO AND MIYEON LEE, AND MY WONDERFUL FAMILY. THANK YOU ALL.

Stanley (Bunky) Annis

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, all ads and obituaries for the Eastern Shore Post must be received by 1 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 25, for the Nov. 29 edition

Deborah T. Wessells Celebrates Her Birthday in Heaven November 25th

Missing You on Your Birthday

You were very kind and thoughtful with a warm & loving heart and when other people needed help, you always played your part.
You're thought of every single day whatever time of year, but somehow more than ever Now your special day is here

No present can be given and that's really very hard, but there's a world of love inside this special little card Each memory is shining bright & treasured dearly too But memories can't take the place of you

Love, your husband: Tyrone, son: T.W., daughters: Tyrontha, Renae, grandkids: Boogie, La'Meere, Jordan, Carmel, Desi, Derrick, Brandon & Germauri

The wife and family of William F. Dix Jr. would like to thank Parksley Volunteer Fire Dept. and Williams Funeral Home for all that they did to help us at our time of grieving and the passing of my husband and the kids' father. As well as all who attended the funeral service, and all who brought food to the firehouse, everything was wonderful.

Thank you for the help you gave, Trina and Stephanie. I want to thank my step-daughter, Trina Bradshaw, and step-granddaughter, Stephanie B. Chance, for making things a lot easier with the help they gave me during Bill's stay in the hospital and at his death.

Thank you all and may God bless all of you.

The loving wife of William F. Dix, Jr.,
Mrs. Janice Dix

The Eastern Shore Community Services Board is seeking candidates for the following positions:

- Developmental Disabilities Aide
- Crisis Stabilization Case Manager
- Part-time Driver (\$11.50 per hour)
- Mental Health Facility Technician
- Vehicle Maintenance Specialist
- Developmental Services Case Manager
 - Developmental Services
 Medical Records Associate
 - Emergency Services Clinician \$1000 Sign-on Bonus
 - FT benefits package includes Paid Maternity Leave
 - The ESCSB is a NHSC approved site for the Loan Repayment Program

For more information or to apply, please visit the ESCSB's website at www.escsb.org

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\$500 Sign on Bonus Immediate Openings!!! Public Transit CDL Drivers \$12.00/hr., Steady Hours, Paid Time Off, Paid Holidays. Good DMV record required. Apply: Star Transit, 21250 Cooperative Way, Tasley, VA Questions: 757-787-8322 EOE M/F/D/V

LIVE-IN CAREGIVER: Private home looking for live-in caregiver to provide care to maximum of 3 residents. Patience, flexibility, and caring is a must. Job duties will include ADLs, light housework, and meal prep. We cater to the geriatric population. All expenses paid. Private room. Weekly pay. Paid days off during week (negotiable). Paid vacation. Non-smoker preferred. This is a live-in position. Call 302-858-4559.

Help Wanted

Correctional Officer

Job will require shift work, nights, weekends and some holidays. *Qualifications*: over the age of 21 and have obtained high school diploma or GED. Certifications must be obtained within one year of employment.

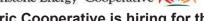
Applications may be obtained from the Sheriff's Office, 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347 or the Eastern Shore Regional Jail Office located at 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347, or online at www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: December 27, 2019.

Northampton County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



A Touchstone Energy® Cooperative K



A&N Electric Cooperative is hiring for the following positions:

Lineman, First Class System Operator II

Environmental, Health & Safety Coordinator

For full details on the positions, qualifications and application process,

please go to: www.anec.com/content/job-openings

Help Wanted (Cont'd)

A&B is looking for a yard worker and equipment operator (experience with vard 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. For further inquiries, please contact Jim at A&B's office #757-824-0106.



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Director of Nursing

Heritage Hall – Nassawadox has an immediate career opportunity for a Director of Nursing. This individual will be responsible for maintaining standards of resident care through the administration and evaluation of the nursing programs for the facility as well as developing and maintaining positive working relationships with the residents, nursing home staff, families, and visitors

Qualifications:

- BSN preferred
- · Must have current RN license in the state of Virginia
- Previous administrative and management skills in LTC
- · Ability to effectively manage nursing staff, maintain positive employee relations, and act as a liaison between the administrator and the nursing staff

We are also recruiting for:

- CNAs FT/PT 7a-3p & 3p-11p; PRN 11p-7a
- RNs/LPNs Weekends 7a-7p & 7p-7a
- Cook PT, Mornings & Evening shifts
 Housekeeping Aide PT, Mornings

For immediate consideration, please apply in person or forward your resume to:

Heritage Hall - Nassawadox 9468 Hospital Ave. Nassawadox, VA 23413 Fax: 757-442-9401 adrummond@ahc.cc

Or online at: www.heritage-hall.org Equal Opportunity/ADA/Affirmative Action Employer.

Emergency Medical Technicians:

Northampton County is accepting applications for fulltime Emergency Medical Technicians in the Emergency Medical Services Department.

Applicants must possess the following: Commonwealth of Virginia- Department of Health Emergency Medical Technician certification, Advanced Life Support Certification preferred, CPR, valid VA Driver's License with good driving record, Emergency Vehicle Operators Course, Hazardous Materials Awareness. Criminal Background checks are a requirement with this position.

An application can be obtained online at Northamptonems.org. A completed application form, cover letter, copies of current certifications, and copy of DMV driving record can be submitted to the Department of EMS 13294 Lankford Highway, Machipongo, VA 23405 or PO Box 235 Eastville, Va. 23347, Application will be received through noon on December 2, 2019. Northampton County is an EOE.

EASTERN SHORE RURAL HEALTH SYSTEM, INC.

is currently recruiting

Case Manager for the Franktown Community Health Center

Current certification as a Registered Nurse in the State of Virginia is required.

This position uses an integrative approach to promote wellness and address the medical, behavioral health, substance use, and social determinants of health of an assigned panel of patients. Functions as a member of the multidisciplinary treatment team to assess needs, and develop, implement and revise comprehensive care plans for children, adults, and families. Coordinates with the care team, and other community resources, to support and optimize outcomes.

This position requires a person with good communication verbally and nonverbally, interpersonal skills and the ability to focus on details. Excellent professional customatics are also as the communication of the communi tomer service skills are required. Knowledge of Word Processing software and Electronic Medical Records. Ability to organize and utilize time management skills, as well as the ability to analyze situations and be able to problem solve quickly and effectively. Bilingual skills are a plus.

Business Assistant for the Franktown Community Health Center (Dental)

Be the first to welcome ESRHS patients to our centers! Register patients, schedule appointments, create claims, answer the phone and provide outstanding customer service.

Requires a high school diploma or the equivalent. Work experience in a dental/medical or business office preferred. Individual must be professional, self-motivated and have strong attention to detail, communication, teamwork, customer service and computer skills. Bilingual skills are a plus.

Pharmacy Assistant for the **Eastville Community Health Center**

Requires a Business Assistant, Nurse, Medical Assistant or Pharmacy Tech. Must have knowledge of community organizations and programs offered by pharmaceutical companies to aid patients who cannot afford their medications. Requires valid driver's license, automobile insurance and reliable transportation.

Individual must be professional, self-motivated and have strong attention to detail, communication, teamwork

These are full-time positions with benefits. If you are a mission-driven person looking to make a difference, email an application to dhr@esrh.org before noon on November 29, 2019. Applications can be obtained from www.esrh.org.

Eastern Shore Rural Health offers a competitive benefits package and our campuses are Tobacco-Free Workplaces. EOE/M/F/Disability/Vet





Want to wish your customers or friends and family a Merry Christmas? Baby's First Christmas? Get your Christmas Wishes in the Eastern Shore Post. Email angie@easternshorepost.com

The Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting employment applications for the position of:

Jail Medic

This position will be working in the Eastern Shore Regional Jail and the job will require shift work, days, evenings, some weekends and some holidays.

Qualifications: You must be over the age of 21 and have obtained high school diploma or GED and current Driver's License. Applicant must possess at a minimum the following: A current LPN or higher certification with work experience preferred. Will be required to be on call at times. The Jail Medic is responsible for performing medical services for the inmates of the Eastern Shore Regional Jail. Work is performed under the general supervision of the Jail Physician (Mediko Correctional Healthcare).

Sheriff's Office applications may be obtained from the Eastern Shore Regional Jail, 5245 The Hornes Eastville, Virginia 23347, or online at https://www.co.northampton.va.us/government/jobs opportunities/job openings. Completed applications should be returned in person to the Jail.

Deadline for applications: December 27, 2019.

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Help Wanted

RECEPTIONIST (PART-**TIME)** - Apply in person (bring resume) at E.S. Foot Center, 25322 Lankford Hwy., Four Corner Plaza, Onley. ENERGETIC, EXPERI-ENED DIESEL TRUCK

MECHANIC - must have or accuire class B CDL within 3 months. Good pay & benefits. Must be willing to work overtime when needed. please call shop supervisor. $\overline{442}$ -7979.

DIESEL **MECHANIC NEEDED** to work on heavy equipment. See Karen Gray at T&W Block, 21075 Washington Street, Onley, VA

TRACTOR TRAILER Experienced CDL Driver needed. Clean driving record. Some experience with dump trailers. Contact Twin Cedar Farms at 757 -630-7489

MILLWRIGHTS-PIPE FITTERS/WELDERS MAINTENANCE MECHANIC * MIG - TIG - STICK

* FT - PT and Weekends * Exp'd only. * Valid Driver's License and Transportation. Day shift and night shift positions. DOUĞLAS REPAIRS, INC., SNOW HILL, MD. Call 410-632-1346 or 443-783-4125.

Boats, Etc.

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18-FT. MARITIME SKIFF - 50 h.p. Honda 4-stroke (174 hrs.), aluminum trailer, marine radio, GPS/fishfinder, compass. \$11,500. 757-678-5119. 4 CUSTOM DAIWA DEEP

SEA RODS with 9 or 10 reels. \$450. 443-477-2407.

14-FT. BOAT TRAILER
FOR SALE - \$750. Call 442-4923.



27-ft. McGregor Sailboat - With sails, tiller, retractable skag, depth recorder for shallow water, trailer w/electric mast, wench. Exc. cond. Reduced: \$2,100. 757-710-7146



'84 21-FT. KEN CRAFT - Pilot house, fresh water cooled, V8 inboard, pocket drive w/galvanized trailer. \$10,500. 757-665-6564.



20', 225 h.p. Yamaha, 2 axle trailer. Ready to go. *REDUCED*: \$7,000. Call 757-824-5748.



'86 27.2-FT. O'DAY SAILBOAT – 9.9 Yamaha, 4-stroke. Sails good, sleeps 4. Galley & toilet. Trailer & new winch. Draws 2'11". PRICE

& toilet. Trailer & new winch. Draws 2'11". PRICE REDUCED: \$5,000 OBO. Call Don at 757-656-8986.

CHAIRS with fighting gimbals. \$300. Call 443-477-2407.

16-FT. REBEL SAIL-BOAT – boat and trailer:

\$750. 757-709-3426.



FORMULA 233 THUNDERBIRD -

23-ft. 5-7 350 V8 (less than 50 hrs.) New stern drive (less than 10 hrs.) Great open deck, Cuddy Cabin, Loadrite trailer w/pwr. winch, well kept, exc. cond.

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BOAT WHEELS - 4-blade, 1 pair, 19" x 23-1½" shaft. REDUCED \$400. Call 757-999-3437 & leave msg. 2017 9.9 4-STROKE HONDA OUTBOARD -

25-in. shaft, electric start, new condition. \$2,000. Call 757-746-6136.

2014 14-FT. E-TENDER

2014 14-FT. E-TENDER ROWBOAT - Never used, like new. \$1,750. Call 757-746-6136.

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1959 15FT. CRUISERS INC. wood, Johnson outboard 50 w/trailer. This classic won't last long. \$5,000 OBO. Call (757) 787-4090.

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CONSOLE - Fiberglass,
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'87 26-FT. SHAMROCK

- With anchor puller, never been used, lots of extra equipment. Call 757-891-2426.

'90 22-FT. SEAPRO CUD- DY CABIN - Rebuilt OMC
225. 160-gal. fuel tank,
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FREE 26-FT. RANGER SAILBOAT in cradle w/ sails, rigging, cushions. Needs to be moved & repaired. 757-331-0315.

1983 Pro-Time 20-ft.
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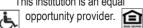


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GIGANTIC RUMMAGE SALE: Nov. 23, 8-1. Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 26405 Horsey Rd., Oakhall. Many new items. MOVING SALE: EVERY-THING MUST GO! 25467 Logan Rd., Accomac. Sat., Nov. 30, 8am-? Antiques: furn., BR set, hardware, tools, garden equip.; Almost New: bikes, telescope, fish. rods & reels; storage units; plus-sz. women's clothes; lots of misc.

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Legal Ads & Auctions

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 19154 CHURCH STREET PARKSLEY, VA 23421. In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated September 24, 2007, in the original principal amount of \$107,000.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Accomack County, Virginia as Instrument No. 200705351. 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 December 13, 2019, at 4:00 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: ALL THAT CERTAIN HOUSE AND LOT SITUATE NEAR WHITESVILLE, METOMPKIN DISTRICT, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, FRONT ING ON VIRGINIA STATE ROUTE 763, HEADING FROM PARKSLEY TO LEE MONT, AND BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS: ON THE EAST BY SAID PUBLIC ROAD ON THE NORTH BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF PERLINA PARKS ON THE WEST BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF FLOYD MATTHEWS AND ON THE SOUTH BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMER LY OF WILLIAM LEWIS. LESS AND EXCEPT THAT CERTAIN TRACT OR PIECE OF LAND CONVEYED BY DEED OF GIFT TO NOAH H. DAVIS AND CON-STANCE W. DAVIS, HIS WIFE, WHICH IS RECORDED IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA IN DEED BOOK 0663 AT PAGE 00664. THÍS CONVEYANCE IS MADE EXPRESSLY SUBJECT TO THE EASEMENTS, RESTRICTIONS AND RESERVATIONS CONTAINED IN DULY RECORDED DEEDS, PLATS AND OTHER IN-STRUMENTS CONSTITUTING CONSTRUCTIVE NOTICE IN THE CHAIN OF TITLE TO THE PROPERTY HEREBY CONVEYED, WHICH HAVE NOT EXPIRED BY LIMITATION OF TIME OR OTHERWISE BECOME INEFFECTIVE. 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'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-344673-1.

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

THE TOWN OF ONANCOCK, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff CIVIL CASE NO. 19-229

VS

JANICE BOYD HALL NATIONAL CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, LLC

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to enforce the lien of the Plaintiff for delinquent taxes against certain real estate described as follows:

All that tract of land in the Town of Onancock, Virginia, designated as Tax Map Number 085A304040008A0

standing in the name of Janice Boyd Hall, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 et seq. of the <u>Code of Virginia</u>.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Janice Boyd Hall, whose last known post office address is 164 Jacob Street, Apartment A, Onancock, Virginia 23417. It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before December 5, 2019, at 9:30 a.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 7th day of November 2019 Samuel H. Cooper Jr., Clerk

I ask for this: JAMES W. ELLIOTT, p.q. Attorney at Law P.O. Box 1410 7100 U.S. Route 17 Yorktown, VA 23692 (757)898-7000

ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

Case No. CL19000762-00 Accomack County Circuit Court, P.O. Box 126, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301

JORDAN LEE SPAULDING v. ROBERT ALAN SPAULDING The object of this suit is to: OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that ROBERT ALAN SPAULDING appear at the above-named court and protect his interests on or before DECEMBER 23, 2019 by 5 p.m.

October 28, 2019 Samuel H. Cooper Jr., Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, December 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.

Withdraw from Hare Valley AFD: GPSP LLC has petitioned to remove three parcels of land from the Hare Valley AFD totaling 97.93 acres. The removal of the 97.93 acres will cause the Hare Valley AFD to fall below the 200-acre core. The parcels are located off of Milton Ames Drive in Exmore. They are further described as Tax Map Numbers 15-A-114, 15-A-112, and 15-A-80A.

SUP 2019-10 Bed and Breakfast: Lynn Allison has applied for a minor special use permit for her property located at 11261 Johnson Town Road to be used as a Bed and Breakfast. This property is zoned H/R-Hamlet/Residential and is further described as Tax Map 40-A-12.

The Board of Supervisors shall also conduct public hearings on Tuesday, December 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.

Accomack County Invitation for Bids #727 Farm Lease

The County of Accomack is seeking an experienced farming entity, capable of managing and maintaining productive agricultural operations, willing to lease County-owned land, and actively use it for crop production. The tentative start date of this lease is January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2024 with an option to renew for one (1) additional three-year term. The property for farm lease is located near the Commonwealth Senior Living. (formerly "The Hermitage")

Tax Map Portion of 85-2-1A1 (5.9 Acres +/-)

The complete IFB may be viewed on the Accomack County website at www.co.accomack.va.us by clicking on the "IFBs and RFPs" tab and also on the eVA website at https://m.vendor.epro.cgipdc.com/Vendor/public/AllOpportunities. Contract documents may also be examined at the County Administrator's Office and at the Accomack County Airport.

Sealed bids may be delivered to the Accomack County Administrator's Office, 23296 Courthouse Ave., Suite 203, Accomac, VA 23301 or may be mailed to the Accomack County Finance Office, c/o Lucy Huffman, P.O. Box 620 Accomac, VA 23301 until Wednesday December 4, 2019, at 3:00 p.m. Immediately thereafter, all bids received by the due date and time will be publically opened and read aloud in the Board Chambers of the County Administration Building, Suite 104.

Withdrawal of Bids shall be according to procedure § 2.2-4330 of the Code of Virginia, as amended.

The OWNER reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to contact any Bidder prior to award for explanations or clarifications. The OWNER does not discriminate against any Bidder on any basis.

For more information, please contact the Accomack County Finance Office, Lucy Huffman, Procurement Specialist at 757-787-5709 or lhuffman@co.accomack.va.us.

PUBLIC AUCTION

of valuable REAL ESTATE LOT 185 AND 186, UNIT 3, TRAILS END ACCOMACK COUNTY TAX MAP #'s: 029-A1-02-00-0185-00 and 029-A1-02-00-0186-00

The undersigned Substitute Trustee by virtue of authority contained in a certain deed of trust from Perry Willey dated May 5, 2015, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for Accomack County, Virginia, as Instrument #150001500, upon being requested to do so by the noteholder, and that certain instrument appointing the undersigned Substitute Trustee, dated September 12, 2019, duly recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office as Instrument #190004076, will sell at public auction, subject to any and all terms and conditions contained in said deed of trust, to the highest bidder.

IN FRONT OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY IN ACCOMAC, VIRGINIA ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2019 AT 9:30 A.M.

the following tract of valuable real estate, to-wit:

All those certain lots or parcels of land situate and lying in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, and more particularly described as Lots Nos. 185 & 186, Unit 3, Sheet 7, of CHINCOTEAGUE BAY TRAILS END, as the same appears duly dedicated, platted and recorded among the deed records in the Clerk's Office for the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, on a certain plat made by E. D'Appolonia Consulting Engineers, recorded in Plat Book 19, at Page 25D, to which reference is hereby had for a more accurate description of said lot.

TOGETHER WITH all rights, easements, buildings, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

5-00 and 029-A1-02-00-0186-00

Substitute Trustee by virtue of auacertain deed of trust from Perry

SUBJECT TO valid recorded easements, covenants, reservations and restrictions in the chain of title to the property hereby conveyed, which have not expired or otherwise become ineffective.

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT BY A DEBT COLLECTOR TO COLLECT A DEBT.

TERMS

Ten percent (10%) of the purchase price will be required in cash on the date of sale with liberty to the purchaser to pay as much more in cash on that day as he might desire. The balance not so paid in cash to be evidenced by the note of the purchaser, payable thirty days from date with interest at 9% from date of sale, and with personal security should the undersigned Substitute Trustee require it. Title to the premises to be retained as additional security until the full amount of the purchase price has been paid. Bidders may be required to offer proof of a satisfactory financial condition prior to Substitute Trustee's acceptance of their bid.

The property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the time bid off; possession to be given on the day of sale, and real estate taxes for the year 2019 and prior thereto to be paid by the Purchaser. Property is sold in its "AS IS, WHERE IS" condition.

Upon payment in full of the purchase price the purchaser to be entitled to a deed for said property upon same properly prepared at his/her expense conveying said property with SPECIAL WARRANTY of title and tendered to the undersigned Substitute Trustee for execution.

For further information apply to the undersigned Substitute Trustee.

Given under my hand this the 7th day of November, 2019.

JOHN P. CUSTIS, Esq., Substitute Trustee 25020 Shore Parkway, Suite 2A Onley, VA 23418 757-302-4131

Notice of Taking Proof of Debts and Demands of the Estate of Anne B. Nock

At the request of Sarah B. Nock, Executor of the Estate of Anne B. Nock, I have fixed Friday, December 6, 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 19th day of November, 2019

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

ABANDONED WATERCRAFT

Notice is hereby given that the following watercraft has been abandoned for more than 60 DAYS on the property of: Jason Birchfield @ 37530 Bayside Drive Greenbackville, VA 23356, phone #4437221007.

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Application for Watercraft Registration/Title will be made in accordance with Section 29.1-733.25 of the Code of Virginia if this watercraft is not claimed and removed within 30 days of first publication of this notice. Please contact the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries with questions.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 7036 LONG POINT ROAD, EX-MORE, VA 23350. In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated August 17, 2007, in the original principal amount of \$143,000.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Northampton County, Virginia as Instrument No. 070002067. 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 December 13, 2019, at 2:30 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: PARCEL I: ALL THAT CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND SITUATE IN OCCOHANNOCK NECK, FRANKTOWN DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, BOUNDED AS FOLLOWS: ON THE NOŔTHEAST BY VIRGINIA STATE ROUTE 711; ON THE SOUTHEAST BY THE LANDS NOW OR FOR-MERLY OF CARROLL MATTHEWS TAYLOR, AND ON THE SOUTHWEST AND NORTHWEST BY OTHER LANDS NOW OR FORMERLY OF THE DEVISEES OF THE SAID WILLIAM S. PRETTYMAN. SAID LOT IS LOT 5 ON SUBDIVISION PLAT KNOWN AS SILVER BEACH EAST. PARCEL II: ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT PARCEL OF LAND, SHOWN AS LOT 6 ON A CERTAIN PLAT ENTITLED "PLAT OF SUBDIVISION NEAR SIL VER BEACH, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VA KNOWN AS SILVER BEACH EAST, THE PROPERTY OF WIL-LIAM S. PRETTYMAN, SURVEYED AND SUBDIVIDED AT HIS REQUEST", DATED SEPTEMBER 1982 AND MADE BY JOHN E. CHUBB, C.L.S., WHICH IS RECORDED IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE CIR-CUIT COURT OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGIN IA IN PLAT BOOK 12 AT PAGES 36 AND 37. REFER ENCE TO SAID PLAT IS HEREBY MADE FOR A MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE REAL ESTATE HEREBY CONVEYED. SAID LOT 6 IS CONVEYED SUBJECT TO THE RESTRICTION THAT THERE WILL BE NO MOBILE HOMES OR TRAILERS ON THE PROPERTY OTHER THAN ONE USED AS TEM-PORARY HOUSING WHILE THE MAIN HOME IS BE ING CONSTRUCTED, FOR A PERIOD NOT EXCEED ING ONE (1) YEAR. 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 Fore-closure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, 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-342106-1.

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The Town of Parksley will hold a public hearing on Monday, Dec. 9, at 6:30 p.m., in the council chambers located at 18444 Dunne Ave. The purpose is to receive comments regarding a proposed ordinance to change the election of the town council members and the mayor from May to November and extend the current terms of those affected by this change from June 30 to December 31, 2020. All affected individuals are encouraged to attend. The purpose of the proposed ordinance is to increase voter participation by all of the Town's citizens as it would allow town voters in presidential and congressional elections to simultaneously vote in town elections.

A full copy of the proposed ordinance is available at the town hall.

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2019 AT 10 A.M. 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. SUSE-000037-2019 Barrett Borry

A public hearing initiated by Barrett Borry to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-53 (22) to construct an Accessory Dwelling with an existing primary dwelling on the property and to exceed the allowable size of the Accessory Dwelling as defined by 48 square feet; the applicant is seeking to provide permanent housing for the manager of the horse business which operates at this premises. The property is located at Tax Map #53-A-89, 14086 Winterville Road, Bloxom, VA and is located in the Agricultural District.

B. SUPV-000049-2019 Paul & Susan Pullen

A public hearing initiated by Paul & Susan to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-78(a) (12) to permit an accessory structure on a parcel without a primary residence in the Residential Zone; the applicant is seeking to construct a garage (accessory structure) in advance of constructing a residence. The applicant is also seeking a 2 ft. variance to the height requirement for accessory structures and 15 ft. variance to the setback from any property line requirement, pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-84 (4). The property is located at Tax Map #109D-2-D-2 & 3, on Curratuck Rd & Mockingbird Lane, Painter, VA and is located in the Residential 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 http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public on the Friday prior to each meeting date.

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VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

RE: ESTATE OF JAMES T. LUNN, JR., deceased

Court File No. 201700078

SHOW CAUSE ORDER AGAINST DISTRIBUTION

It is Ordered that the creditors of, and all other persons interested in, the above estate show cause, if any they can, on the 5th day of December, 2019, at 9:30 a.m., before this Court, at its Courthouse, Accomack County Circuit Court Building, 23312 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, Virginia 23301, against the payment and delivery of the estate to the distributees without requiring refunding bonds.

It appearing to the Court that reports of the accounts of Jon C. Poulson, Executor of the above estate and of the debts and demands against the estate have been filed in the Clerk's office and that six months have elapsed since the qualification, and upon motion of the personal representative, it is further Order that the caption, style and first paragraph of the Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post, a newspaper of general circulation in Accomack County, Virginia.

ENTER: November 18, 2019 W. Revell Lewis, Judge

I ask for this: HOWARD C. WESSELLS II Virginia State Bar No. 31171 23318 Courthouse Ave., P.O. Box 30 Accomac, VA 23301 Telephone: (757)787-1077 Fax: (757)787-9294

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SHOREnough By David Martin

You're going to have a lovely time next Thursday. The food will be great. Your family will be loving. At the end of the day, you'll say, "This was the best Thanksgiving ever."

Unless Uncle Bill starts in about the impeachment hearings and Cousin Beverly grabs the electric carving knife and threatens to remove Bill's giblets, wherever those might be located on Bill. And your niece's boyfriend, the one with all the piercings, lectures everyone about 46 million turkeys being slaughtered at Thanksgiving so "I hope you enjoy your murderous flesh meal," to which Grandfather Kevin, who raises turkeys, throws a drumstick. Grandmother Karla claims heart palpitations and leaves the table clutching her chest. Uncle Ralph is

drunk. And you make a silent pledge to never, ever host family Thanksgiving again.

But you made that pledge last year and you'll host Thanksgiving next year so let's see what we can do to keep damage to a minimum.

Separate combatants. You have to assign seats at the table with the care of a U.N. summit meeting. Rachel is fresh from college and refers to Thanksgiving as "Thanks-taking" because that's what we did to the Indians (took everything from them). Don't sit her next to the football fan wearing a Redskins sweatshirt.

If things do start to heat up, don't say, "Calm down." Telling people to calm down almost always has the opposite effect. Instead, use some de-escalation techniques employed by police.

Like many police departments, the Seattle, Wash., police use LEED: Listen and Explain with Equity and Dignity. You listen to the person's complaint or problem, you explain what you're going to do about it and why your action is equitable, and then you take that action while treating the person with dignity. Seattle also advises its police to give warnings calmly, including a Taser "spark display." We do not recommend using a Taser spark display to get Uncle Bill to stop talking about impeachment, but we bet it would be effective.

You can also delay and divert.

Delay: "Rachel, dear, we would love to hear why you think redskins is a racial epithet but could you hold off until your father finishes carving the turkey? You know how he adores an audience."

Divert: "Bill, your mentioning impeachment reminds me of your mother's peach cobbler. Did those peaches come from your own trees?"

Here's an oddball suggestion: We could stop hating each other. In church we learned to hate the sin, love the sinner, but in politics and on social media

the practice has become oppose policies and hate opponents.

The hatred on Facebook and other social media is heartbreaking and, to give just two examples from politics: Democrats have called Republican supporters "deplorable," and Republicans have worn shirts declaring they'd rather be a Russian than a Democrat.

This has to stop. Whether things will improve at the national level or in social media is debatable, but we can start making changes at the Thanksgiving table. "I don't like your T-shirt, but you're a human, an American, and a member of my family. I love you."

Love is all powerful. Love is what made the Velveteen Rabbit become a real bunny. Ask Grandpa Kevin about bunnies. He says he can kill, gut, and dress a rabbit in under a minute. Tasers are legal for civilians in 48 states.

Editor Connie Morrison will write next week's column.

Climate Change Cause the End of Local Traditions and Economic Devastation

Dear Editor:

I have been coming to Chincoteague since 1975. We bought a house there in 2012 and moved permanently there in 2017. In the years since our first visit, we have seen dynamic migration southward and westward of the Assateague Island shoreline. The power of the ocean is massive over time. Experts are saying sea level will rise one to two inches a year if climate change is not addressed. Do the math, think what a 4+ foot rise in sea level will mean for your grandchildren. Much of the Eastern Shore will be permanently under water or dramatically affected by regular high tides, let alone storms.

The waterman culture and traditions so wonderfully preserved and honored will all but disappear, as will the aquaculture now proliferating. The economic impact of this sea level rise will be drastic. Tourism and the associated dollars will shrink tremendously. Yet politicians who deny this science and the inevitable bad outcomes continue to get votes. Voters who

really care about the long term future of the Shore need to think long and hard about the regional suicide being committed by those pols who refuse to deal with this.

Eleven months before the next election. Think about it and stay dry.

Richard Saunders, Chincoteague

Hats Off to Principal Myers, Breakfast Champion

Dear Editor:

October was National Principals Month. It's an opportunity to honor and celebrate principals in our communities. I'd like to recognize Principal Mike Myers for his hard work to promote Northampton High School's Breakfast After the Bell program.

One in seven children in Virginia lives in families that struggle with hunger. We know Breakfast After the Bell, a program that increases access to school breakfast by making it a part of the school day, is a proven way to help end childhood hunger.

There are also academic benefits: Research

indicates that eating breakfast at school helps children improve classroom performance, attendance and promotes healthy habits.

After Northampton High implemented a Breakfast After the Bell program in 2017, breakfast participation among free and reduced-price lunch eaters increased by 30 percent in a one-vear period.

Principal Myers is a breakfast champion and his support of Northampton High's Breakfast After the Bell program has ensured more high school students start their day ready to learn.

> Claire Mansfield, Virginia State Director No Kid Hungry

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