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Murder Trial Suspended

By Linda Cicaira

Just before the start of the second day of the Ronnie Washington murder trial in Accomack Circuit Court Wednesday, prosecutor Matthew Brenner became ill and the case was continued until the two sides could come up with a date to proceed.

The delay came in the middle of testimony from Derimon (Mac) Hargis of Mappsville, who said he saw defendant Robert James (R.J.) Northan Jr., 30, of Daugherty Road in Onley shoot Washington along Bear Town Road where the victim's body was found. He said the two men had gotten out of the car to urinate, leaving Hargis, who was driving, in the vehicle.



Washington

But I didn't know he had it that night. ... It was some kind of Glock. I don't know what caliber it was." Hargis held his hands about 18 inches apart and said, "I saw fire about this long coming out of it."

"The front door (of the car) was still open (from where Washington had gotten out); the back door was closed," where Northan had been sitting. There were "no lights on inside the car," Hargis explained.

"I seen him drop back and tried to come forward," Hargis said of Washington. "I just ducked and tried to take cover." The witness said he heard four or five more shots. "I'm not entirely sure." After the shots stopped, there was a 20- to 30-second delay before

"I seen the first one," Hargis said of shots. "I was scared to death for my life. ... I didn't know he (Northan) had the gun on him that night ... he always toted a pistol. Every time I seen him.



Photo by Linda Cicaira
Murder suspect Robert James Northan Jr. is escorted from court to jail by Deputies

Northan got back in the car and directed Hargis to drive away," the witness testified.

Hargis said they went back to get Christina Huffman at the Mappsville trailer park, where the three men had been earlier. Hargis also lived at the park.

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More Areas Want Paid Responders

By Linda Cicaira

Isolated areas in Accomack County can make rescue operations difficult. But in an age of fewer volunteers, one answer seems to prevail — more paid workers.

There's a proposal that will help alleviate the problem in lower Accomack County with a countywide 3-cent per \$100 valuation hike on the real-estate tax rate. That would pay for six new fire medics to run the Painter service and three more to fill in when others take sick time and vacations throughout the county.

Representatives from Saxis and Greenbackville volunteer companies told the supervisors Wednesday that help is needed in northern Accomack too. They suggested a 5-cent tax rate hike to take care of both areas. Supporting petitions signed by 250 people were presented.

Jimmy Dennis of Saxis complained that he lost a house and contents worth \$300,000 to a fire for lack of responders. "We have one of the nicest fire companies. The boys are good boys, but they work every day. If they had been on the job there, they could have gotten it out ... two people were on the scene, that was it."

Chuck Bradford of New Church mentioned the money volunteer companies make off ambulance billing even when the responders are from the county's Department of Public Safety (ADPS). He said a portion of that could be used to pay for more fire medics.

C. Ray Pruitt, ADPS director, had a plan to put an additional ambulance at Oak Hall Rescue, which serves Saxis and Greenbackville. He admitted that at times there hasn't been paid staff there. The Sprint program which brings a response person closer to the areas went unstaffed 16 percent of the time in 2015.

Pruitt presented a drive-time analysis for last year. He said 989 calls were answered within 8.5 minutes, 1,906 took between 8.6 and 11 minutes, 2,192 were between 11.1 and 16 minutes, 159 calls were answered between 16.1 and 21 minutes and 166 took more than 21 minutes to answer. The county's standard is 20 minutes.

Pruitt said of those over 21 minutes, 96 were to Greenbackville EMS District, 46 were to Chincoteague Bay Trails End and 24 were to Saxis District.



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Crockett Wants More Money for County Employees

By Linda Cicaira

Accomack Supervisor Robert Crockett said Wednesday he thinks the county should give more money to county employees in FY2016-17.

Crockett suggested the board consider giving the workers a 3 percent raise rather than the proposed 2 percent. He said an additional \$70,000 will come from the state. Those funds and the \$270,000 already set aside would allow the board to provide the same hike to county employees that state workers will get. Crockett said he would motion for the move at the appropriate time. A budget hearing was to take place the following day (after the Post's presstime).

In other business, Shirley Watkinson of Chincoteague Road reminded the supervisors how precious the 110-year-old Assawoman United Methodist Church is to local folks. The structure is in the NASA rocket Hazard Zone. She fears the stained glass windows could get break in a blast.

Watkinson quoted Chairman Ron Wolff as saying, "NASA doesn't ask anything from the county. It's asking a lot from the individual people who live in the area." She included property restrictions and property values, higher insurance rates and "certainly quality of life" in that equation. "Somebody is paying... so I urge you to put people who will speak up for the individuals ... not just the big entities."

The board later appointed Supervisor Grayson Chesser; Garnett Kellam, who lives close to the launch site; and Tommy Clark of Chincoteague to the new Accomack Wallops Working Group. NASA, the Navy, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (F&W) and the county Planning Commission also will appoint members to the nine-member panel.

The supervisors also:

- agreed to apply for a \$10 million Transportation Investment Generating Economic Recovery (TIGER) transportation grant for F&W to move the beach, parking and trails on Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge, and appointed Supervisor Billy Joe Tarr to represent the county in an environ-

mental assessment regarding those refuge changes;

- reported they are still awaiting answers from the county school division regarding \$6 million in funds earmarked for capital projects;

- accepted a bid for \$85,000 to renovate the former bank building in Parksley purchased for the Department of Public Safety.

- appointed Blake Johnson of the Island House Restaurant to the Eastern Shore Tourism Commission, Kenneth J. Savage of Chincoteague to the Eastern Shore Resource Conservation and Development Council, and Supervisor Paul Muhly as a liaison to the county treasurer's office to help with the collection of delinquent taxes;

- reappointed Tammy Pruitt of Onancock to the Eastern Shore Area on Aging Community Action Agency;

- agreed to adopt a resolution supporting a jetty project for Tangier;

- extended waiving of landfill tipping fees for brush until April 2 to allow cleanup from Winter Storm Jonas.

- received a report from County Attorney Cela Burge regarding a bill that is awaiting the governor's signature and would make the intentional release of hunting dogs without a landowner's consent a Class 3 misdemeanor.

- agreed to a consent order with the state Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) that includes a penalty of \$19,000 for causing erosion which allowed soil to enter a stream without a permit on property the Wallops Research Park leases from NASA. The county expects to recover the funds from a contractor who "cut trees and grubbed the roots in an area near an intermittent stream. ... The contractor has repaired the area according to a remediation plan approved by DEQ."

Correction

Steven Atkins, who is running for mayor of Parksley, is an ex-councilman.

Laura Atkins is an incumbent councilwoman seeking re-election.

A story in last week's Post incorrectly described the two candidates.

The Post regrets the errors.

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Police and Court Postings

By Linda Cicaira

Northampton Grand Jury

A 38-year-old Cape Charles man was indicted Monday by a Northampton Grand Jury on 42 counts of sex crimes involving children.

Lenny Rock Kenner was indicted on counts of sexual abuse, fondling, aggravated sexual battery, object sexual penetration and 38 counts of possessing child pornography. The alleged crimes occurred in November 2015. He was arrested Nov. 26 and is being held in Eastern Shore Regional Jail (ESRJ) in Eastville.

Cheyenne Khiji Addison, 21, of Exmore was indicted on counts of breaking and entering on Dec. 14, 2015, credit card theft on Feb. 19, 2015, and credit card fraud on Jan. 1, 2015.

Sharif R. Akbar, 27, of Centreville was indicted on two counts of assault and battery of a police officer and vehicle theft on Nov. 2, 2015. He is being held in ESRJ.

Jeffrey Allen Baker, 45, of Newport News, Va., was indicted on a count of possession of a firearm by a felon, occurring Jan. 1.

Keshaun Lamar Coston, 24, of Wach-

apreague was indicted on a count of stealing a firearm on Nov. 5, 2015. He is being held in Accomack County Jail.

Markiece O'Bryant Harmon, 30, of Parksley was indicted on counts of burglary, grand larceny and stealing a credit card on Dec. 15, 2015. He is being held in ESRJ.

Cory Eugene Johnson, 36, of Nassawadox was indicted on a third or subsequent offense of larceny, occurring Nov. 21, 2015.

Malik Javon Johnson, 17, of Birdsnest was indicted on three counts of burglary, possession with the intent to distribute between a half-ounce and five pounds of marijuana, and three counts of grand larceny, occurring May 9 and 13, and Dec. 14, 2015.

Earl Leon Pryor, 66, of Exmore was indicted on a count of possession of a gun by a felon on Oct. 31, 2015.

Gavin S. Sample, 34, of Exmore was indicted on a count of robbery, occurring Dec. 30, 2015. He was arrested the same day and is being held in ESRJ.

Javon Fonta Scarborough, 25, of

Norfolk was indicted on counts of possession with the intent to distribute cocaine, possession with the intent to distribute between a half-ounce and five pounds of marijuana, possession of a firearm by a felon, obstruction of justice, a third offense of driving on a suspended license within 10 years, and possession of a firearm while possessing a Schedule I or II drug with intent to distribute. He is being held in ESRJ.

Barry Kevin Simpson, 53 of Exmore was indicted on a count of felony eluding, occurring Jan. 15.

Khalil Ahmadge Upshur, 20, of Machipongo was indicted on counts of burglary, grand larceny and credit-card theft on Dec. 15, 2015. He was arrested Jan. 14.

Marquese Damon Washington, 22, of Cheriton was indicted on counts of robbery and assault and battery on Dec. 11, 2015. He was arrested the next day.

Washington Javon Smith III, 24, of Cape Charles was indicted on a count of malicious wounding on Oct. 17, 2015. He was arrested two days later.

Khiry Di-Frederick Washington, 18, of Cape Charles was indicted on a count of burglary that occurred on Oct.

28, 2015. He is being held in ESRJ.

Accomack Circuit Court

Joellyn Rice, 30, of Hopkins Road in Parksley woman was given a three-year suspended sentence last week in Accomack Circuit Court for abuse and neglect of a child younger than 18 on July 14, 2014.

Accomack District Court

A Saxis man who was charged with felony embezzlement last July was convicted Monday in Accomack General District Court of a misdemeanor.

Darrell Dean Marshall, 56, of Saxis Road was initially charged with embezzling property belonging to Food Lion. For the lesser charge he was given a 30-day suspended sentence.

In another case, James R. Weakland, age unavailable, of Assawoman was charged Sunday with possession of a Schedule I or II drug. He was arrested the same day and is being held in Accomack Jail.

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with carrying a firearm while a preliminary protective order (PPO) was in effect was convicted of the offense in Accomack General District Court Monday.

Joel Roberts Addison, 34, of Beckett Lane in Painter pleaded not guilty to the misdemeanor. He claimed that the person who sought the order on behalf of a child is now deceased.

“No sir,” he said, informing retired Judge Stephen Helvin of Charlottesville, who presided over the case, that he did not think he was doing anything wrong. Addison thought he was under the protective order for one year, not two. He said he discussed the issue with OPD Chief John Sprivey.

Spivey confirmed Tuesday that “Joel Addison no longer works for the ... police department.” Wednesday he said,

“Any open cases have been re-assigned to other officers.”

Addison worked for the town for about a year when he was arrested. The PPO was in effect from Jan. 30, 2014, to Jan. 29, 2016, and was issued in Chesterfield, Va.

The officer was charged with the firearm offense on Jan. 26 when a check was made of his driver’s license after he hit a deer on Lankford Highway near Melfa. Addison was in uniform, wearing a side arm and driving a squad car when the crash occurred. He had a shotgun in the trunk, which was said to be customary.

Addison was fined \$5. Costs were \$250. The judge apologized to him for having to convict. “I see both the facts and the law,” Helvin said. The low fine

was to set an example.

“It’s not that this defendant caused any problem with his firearm,” said Commonwealth’s Attorney Gary Agar, who praised Trooper D.P. Tudor for writing the warrant. “The police officer appropriately did her job. It’s not a good idea for one officer to protect another police officer. In a way, it’s a technical wrong ... we have met the burden.”

Accomack Sheriff’s Office

Two 16-year-olds were arrested late last week and charged with crimes that occurred on Quail Lane near Pungoteague, according to Accomack Sheriff Todd Godwin.

The names of the youths, one from Painter and the other from Norfolk, were not released because of their age.

Godwin said a report of “suspicious

individuals” was made by a neighborhood resident at nearly 3 p.m. March 11. When deputies arrived, they “saw someone fleeing from the rear of an unoccupied residence and into the woods.

“A check of the residence revealed that a burglary had occurred,” the sheriff said. “Two juveniles were taken into custody a short distance from the scene and several items that were stolen from the residence were recovered.”

The suspects were charged with burglary, grand larceny and possession of a firearm by a minor. They were taken to Norfolk Juvenile Detention Center pending a detention hearing.

“This incident was resolved in a timely manner due to an observant resident who contacted the sheriff’s office,” said Godwin.

FEDS SCRAP EAST COAST OFFSHORE DRILLING FOR OIL & GAS

By Linda Cicoira

Citing a price slump and environmental concerns from coastal areas, including Accomack and Northampton counties, the Obama Administration Tuesday reversed a proposal to open the Atlantic coast to oil and gas drilling.

The decision also cited conflicts with competing commercial and military ocean uses. The possible adverse effects of an oil spill was the local fear.

“Today’s announcement is an opportunity to work with the Department of Defense (DOD) to address the concerns they have raised and to ensure that any offshore energy exploration is coupled with a revenue sharing agreement that benefits our commonwealth,” Gov. Terry McAuliffe said.

Through his PAC, “Let’s Grow, Virginia!” Republican Ed Gillespie, who plans to run for governor in 2017, said he was “incredibly disappointed that yet again this administration has blocked exploration for and development of our offshore energy resources in the Atlantic Ocean. The Interior Department has estimated that there could be 3.3 billion barrels of recoverable oil in the waters impacted, along with 31 trillion cubic feet of natural gas.”

Gillespie said “development off our deep sea coast would have meant the creation of thousands of good paying jobs. ... This decision is a bad one for Virginia’s economy and workers, and for U.S. national security.”

“Today is a historic day for Virginia, for our country, and our planet,” Shorekeeper Jay Ford of Belle Haven said Tuesday. “President Obama’s decision protects our coasts and the future generations who inherit the consequences of our decisions. We want to thank the Virginia localities, trade associations and thousands upon thousands of citizens who made their concerns known to the administration. Accomack and Northampton counties led the way for the commonwealth.”

Sen. Tim Kaine said, “I have long believed that the moratorium on offshore drilling, based on a cost-benefit calculation performed decades ago, should be re-examined. Today’s announcement ... suggests that they have grappled with this question and concluded that the risks of such production outweigh potential gains. I am particularly struck by the material objections of the DOD. ... I have participated in this debate for over a decade as a governor and member of the Senate Armed Services Committee. The DOD has been relatively quiet during this public debate and has never shared their objections with me before.”

“I take seriously the concerns the DOD and NASA have raised about the potential impacts of energy exploration and development along the Atlantic coast,” Sen. Mark Warner said. “I look forward to getting a full briefing from the Navy and NASA Wallops about ... their concerns.”

“Over the past several years, we have worked to educate Virginians about the reality of offshore drilling,” said Caroline Wood, mid-Atlantic campaign organizer for Oceana, an international advocacy organization focused solely on ocean conservation. “Virginians from

the Eastern Shore, in Hampton Roads and across the state elevated their voices and were tenacious in their defense of Virginia’s spectacular coastal environment and the valuable industries it supports. ... The federal administration listened to the people of Virginia.”

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COMMUNITY NOTES

Exmore

The Chesapeake Bay Foundation is seeking volunteers to plant a buffer of native shrubs at a farm near Silver Beach on Wednesday, March 23. Planted buffers along waterways like this help keep pollution out of rivers, creeks, and the Chesapeake Bay.

Volunteers should prepare to be outside and wear long pants and sturdy shoes that can get muddy. Snacks will be provided, but participants should bring drinking water and lunch. Tools and work gloves are available, or volunteers can bring their own. This event is suitable for children closely supervised by adults in a one-to-one ratio.

The event will be held rain or shine at 5225 Occohannock Neck Rd. in Exmore from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Volunteers are welcome to participate any time during the planting, and are not required to stay for the whole event.

Signs will be posted from Route 13

in Exmore, parking is onsite.

Please contact Tatum Ford for more information or to RSVP at 757/971-0366 or tford@cbf.org

The Friends of Cape Charles Memorial Library website — www.friendscapecharleslibrary.com — has been updated with new information, pictures of the afternoon teas, and an up-to-date calendar.

Wallops

NASA will conduct a static burn of a Peregrine solid rocket motor at NASA's Wallops Flight Facility in Virginia between 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., March 19. Results and analyses of the burn will be applied to two other Peregrine motors at Wallops.

This burn will not include launching the motor. The Peregrine motor is being placed into a stand and will be static fired in a horizontal position.

People near Wallops Island may hear a slight rumble during the burn which may last up to two minutes.

Cape Charles

Nassawadox Town Resident,

You have been sent a bill from the Town of Nassawadox for your town 2016 car/truck and trailer vehicle tag fees. The cost for all cars and trucks is \$33, and the cost for all utility and licensed boat trailers is \$18.

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The Town will also employ the use of the license registration renewal "HOLD" mechanism provided through the DMV, which will prevent you from renewing a license plate or driver's license until you have paid your account in full with the Town of Nassawadox, and paid the fee for "holding" your licenses through the DMV.

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You may take your bill for your vehicle(s) and trailer(s) to the Northampton Free Library to make payment and obtain a receipt there, as has been customary in the past. If there are any discrepancies in what you have been billed for, and the vehicle(s) or trailer(s) you currently own, please bring your registration with you so that any errors can be validated and corrected.

We request your understanding that this procedural change will have some "growing pains." We need and appreciate your assistance in making any eliminations, changes, or additions to our database. We wish to make this procedure as accurate and fair as possible for everyone.

Yours truly,
Edward Gibb, Mayor



Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Evelyn Shotwell presents check to Chincoteague Town Manager Robert Ritter.

Chincoteague Training Promotes Tourism

Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce recently presented the Town of Chincoteague a check for \$10,000 raised through DRIVE Tourism Workshop training.

The program was initiated by Virginia Tourism Corporation to provide participants a thorough understanding of the State Tourism Plan and their role in it.

Partners included, the Town of Chincoteague, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, National Park Service, NASA, the Museum of Chincoteague Island, Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, Chincoteague Center, hotels and

restaurants.

The group identified ways to enhance tourism.

Tommy Clark, Donna Leonard, and Jeannie Rose were elected to the Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors for another three-year term. Sue Steward will begin her first term. Mary Alice Birch, Chris Bott, Brian Domino, Kim Granger, Dale Holston, Jimmy Vasilou and Benjy Holloway make up the remaining 11-member board. Outgoing board member Kelly Conklin was thanked for his years of dedication to the chamber board.

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Former President of Fire Company Running for Chincoteague Town Council May 3

Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company's two-time past president, Denise Bowden, has declared her candidacy for Chincoteague Town Council.

Born and raised on Chincoteague, Bowden said she is at a stage in her life when she can dedicate herself to the job at stake and wants nothing more than to continue to serve her community in any way she can. "It's time for my generation to step up to the plate and get more involved with town government," she said.

Bowden's grandfather, Alfred Johnson, was a town councilman, vice mayor and the town's police commissioner in the early '70s. He also served in the fire company.

Bowden also said that although she feels the town is in good shape overall, there is still a lot that needs attention. She said her priorities include:

- Continued beach access with the same beachgoer experience;

- Finding a suitable place where seniors can gather for recreation (like the old Senior Citizens' Building on Church Street);

- Working with the Army Corps of Engineers to solve the flooding on the south end of the island which occurs because the mouth of the inlet is so large;

- Finding a solution to the post-office parking issues;

- Keeping our watermen working without more regulations.

"We have a duty to work hard to make sure that our island that we call home remains safe and economically strong for our future generations," Bowden said.

She is the former owner of Wine, Cheese & More and Four Seasons Florist, which she co-owned with her mother. Bowden now owns and operates her own lawn-care company.

"I am a Chincoteaguer through and through and I love this island so much



Bowden

I have it tattooed on my arm," she said.

Town elections on the Shore are slated for May 3.

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Supervisor Sells Meals for Board Sessions

By Linda Cicaira

For at least five years, Accomack supervisors have been eating take-out sandwiches during the supper break of their monthly meetings at the expense of taxpayers.

In recent times, those meals, “an assortment of subs cut up,” have been provided by Chairman Ron Wolff’s Atlantic restaurant at about \$58 per meeting.

Learning that a reporter had in-

quired about the arrangement, Wolff came down from room where the board was eating to show the check and explain. He said his price is about \$35 cheaper than when the county bought the sandwiches from a local Subway store. “We’re saving the county money,” he said. “I provide plates ... plus I deliver. If I didn’t own a restaurant, I wouldn’t be bringing them some sandwiches.”

Wolff said the supervisors had requested that he bring the meals, though they never voted on it.

After the session, Supervisor Robert Crockett said Wolff was asked to bring the sandwiches for a special meeting by a consensus of the board. “We enjoyed” them and asked him to continue. “We’re talking about sandwiches for nine board members and a few of the staff members and two bags of potato chips. I have no issue at all. It’s such a small issue as far as the dollar amount, as far as the product amount. He presents a bill. It’s above board ... he did that at our request.”

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Beta Champs Going to New Orleans

Story and photo by Linda Cicaira

Accomack’s School Board voted unanimously Tuesday night to spend about \$30,000 to send 56 elementary and 17 high-school students to national BETA competitions in New Orleans in June. The students are state champions.

It will take three buses to make the 18-hour trip or if the price is right, the older students may go by airplane.

Superintendent Chris Holland said

the 53 chaperones for those students will foot their own bills.

School Board member Camesha Handy thought she could get a good price for the high-school students to fly to the event and will report back to the others. She said a recent trip there cost her only \$30. Transportation also would be needed from the airport. The hotel rooms are about five blocks away and are within the convention center.

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~ Murder Trial ~ (Continued From Front Page)

He said he, Huffman and Northan then went somewhere in Maryland, where Northan purchased cocaine. Huffman then drove them to Ocean City, Md., where they walked on the boardwalk for about 90 minutes and Northan bought new clothes and changed in the bathroom there, Hargis said.

Defense lawyer Tucker Watson said he did not expect the rest of the case to be heard this week. Judge W. Revell Lewis III said he had just spoken on the phone to Brenner, who said he would be going to the hospital for care.

Brenner was still questioning Hargis when the first day of court ended Tuesday. The prosecutor had set up equipment so videos of the crime night from several locations could be viewed. Watson had not yet cross-examined Hargis.

Northan entered pleas of not guilty to premeditated murder of Washington, use of a firearm in the murder, robbery of Washington and use of a firearm by a felon in connection with

the July 2015 incidents.

The defendant was already in jail when the indictment for those charges were handed down in August. He was being held on charges of shooting at an occupied vehicle and putting the life of the occupant in peril, possession of a firearm by a felon, brandishing a firearm and discharging a firearm in or near a public road, all occurring in February 2015.

He waived his right to a jury in the murder case.

Huffman also is expected to testify. It was unclear if Northan would take the stand. Watson complained that Brenner had not given all the information that he was due during discovery. He had asked the judge to stop the trial the previous day so more information could be gained, but Lewis refused.

Dr. Wendy Gunther, who performed Washington's autopsy, said the victim died from multiple gunshot wounds. He had 11 gunshot wounds, including some to the face that knocked out teeth, and shots to the shoulder, chest and groin. Gunther said nearly half of the shots would have killed him without the oth-

ers. Two bullets were recovered from the body. Washington also had a \$100 bill plus \$1.03 and a cell phone in his pocket.

A search warrant for that phone was filed with the court. It stated that a woman spoke to Washington at about 11 a.m. that day. "She advised that he was going to meet someone in the Mappsville area." The friend said, "she tried to call him again at noon and did not receive an answer on his cell phone."

Hargis said it was about 4 a.m. when the three men left the trailer park. They went to get gas and then stopped on the road, where the shooting took place.

Investigator Sam Castiglia testified that he told Hargis that he was a murder suspect when the witness was first questioned, although there is no plan to charge Hargis. Castiglia said Hargis and Huffman have been in hiding across the state to protect them.

The murder weapon hasn't been found.

Watson said the DNA evidence would not connect his client to the shooting. He disputed the robbery, noting the money that was found in the victim's pocket.



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Obituaries

Former Store Manager Dies

Mrs. Ruth Thornton, 97, wife of the late Dorsey Thornton, and a resident of The Hermitage on the Eastern Shore in Onancock, previously of Parksley and Onancock, passed away Monday, March 7, 2016, at The Hermitage.

Born in Parksley, she was the daughter of the late William E. and Matilda Budd Justis. Mrs. Thornton and her husband were co-managers of the former Greenberg's Department Store and Coffman-Fisher Clothing Store in Onancock. Mrs. Thornton was a lifetime member of Zion Baptist Church, where she was very active in the Women's Mission Union and previously served as a Sunday School teacher.

Mrs. Thornton is survived by several nieces and nephews and her special friends and caretakers, Tom and Bobbie Wilson and Ruth Taylor of Parksley.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, March 13, at Zion Baptist Church by Rev. Andrew Matthews. Interment was private.

Memorial contributions may be made to Zion Baptist Church Memorial Fund, c/o Nora Lee Parks, 25291 Baylys Neck Rd., Accomac, VA 23301. To sign the guest book online, visit www.thorntonfuneralhome.net

Arrangements were made by Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

Poultry Farmer Dies

Mr. Rickey Kildare Rantz Sr., 74, of Withams, husband of Marlene Rantz, passed away Tuesday, March 8, 2016, at his residence.

Born in Withams, he was the son of the late "Beanie" and Violet Linton Rantz. He was a poultry farmer and a member of Downings U.M. Church.

Other than his wife, survivors include his daughters, Leanora Caslin, Vickie White and Violet Modiri; sons, Rickey K. Rantz Jr., Tim Richardson, Tony Richardson, Darryl Richardson and Greg Richardson; brother, Larry Rantz; 12 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a brother, Archie Rantz; and a sister, Sarah Mae Rantz.

A graveside service was held Satur-

day, March 12, at Downing's Cemetery, with Rev. Donald Blagg officiating.

Memorial donations may be made to Intrepid Hospice, P.O. Box 770, Onley, VA 23418. To sign the guest book online, visit www.thorntonfuneralhome.net

Arrangements were made by Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

Hermitage Resident Dies

Mrs. Dorothy Marie Bradford, 88, of Accomac, wife of the late Ralph Gooner and the late William Bradford, passed away Thursday, March 10, 2016, at the Hermitage on the Eastern Shore in Onancock.

A native of Tasley, she was the daughter of the late Fuller and Ruth Davis Crockett. She was raised in Tasley by her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis, as her parents both died when she was 1 year old. She said she never lacked for parents as they thought as much of her as they did their own children. Mrs. Bradford went to live at the Hermitage in 2011 and often said everyone was nice to her there. She was known as a kidder in a nice way and never to hurt feelings.

Mrs. Bradford is survived by her son, Richard Gooner of Athens, Ga.; a very special cousin, Gloria Godsey (and husband, Red) of Accomac; and numerous other cousins. She was predeceased by five uncles and an aunt.

A celebration of life service was conducted Sunday, March 13, at the Hermitage by Pastor Robert Fletcher.

Memorial donations may be made to SPCA Animal Shelter, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418; or Drummondtown U.M. Church, P.O. Box 267, Accomac, VA 23301. Online condolences may be sent to www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

Coca-Cola Retiree Dies

Mr. Warren Lee Scanlan Sr., 91, of Exmore, husband of the late Helen Zuccherio Scanlan, passed away Friday, March 11, 2016, at Riverside Shore LifeCare in Parksley.

A native of New York, he was the son of the late Warren Francis Scanlan and Nina Bruce Scanlan. He was a World War II U.S. Navy veteran, retired service manager for Exmore Coca-Cola and a Pilgrim and member of Exmore Moose Lodge 683.

Mr. Scanlan is survived by his daughter, Patricia S. Schoonover (and husband, James) of Montrose, W.Va.; son, Michael L. Scanlan (and wife, Gloria) of Virginia Beach, Va.; grandchildren, Holly McGee, Heather Scanlan, and Richard Schoonover (and wife, Carrie); great-grandchildren, Tiffany Lloyd, Alexandra, Abigail and Maxwell Schoonover; and great-great-grandson, Riley James Lynch. He was predeceased by a son, Warren Lee Scanlan Jr.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, March 15, at Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore by Rev. Jonathan Carpenter. Interment was in Belle Haven Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of one's choice. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Tangier Woman Dies

Mrs. Josephine Daley Thorne, 90, of Tangier Island, loving wife of John Wesley "Jack" Thorne, died Friday, March 11, 2016, at Arcadia Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Parksley.

Born on Tangier, "Joey," as she was affectionately called, was a

daughter of the late Henry Austin Daley and Addie Jane Crockett Daley. She was a homemaker, member of Swain Memorial U.M. Church, and loving wife, mother, grandmother and sister.

In addition to her husband, to whom she was privileged to have been married for 70 years, survivors include her son, John W. Thorne Jr. (and wife, Beverly) of Atlantic; sister, Evelyn Thorne (and husband, Don) of Tangier; grandchildren, April Thornton (and husband, Chris) of Hayes, Va., Greg Allman (and wife, Jaclyn) of Onancock, Jonathan Thorne of Baltimore, Md.; and Ashley Thorne of Exmore; great-granddaughters, Brittany Thornton and Brooklyn Allman; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brother, Jackie Daley, and his wife, Darlene; and her son, Michael L. Thorne.

A memorial service was held Tuesday, March 15, at Swain Memorial U.M. Church, with Rev. John Flood officiating. A private urn interment was held in the



Mrs. Thorne

The family of Wendy Sue Holston expresses sincerest thanks for all the wonderful ways in which people have reached out to us during the time of her illness and in these recent days following her death. The prayers, the meals, the gifts, the companionship, and every act of love and concern have brought us comfort that is immeasurable.

Our church, the Chincoteague Church of God, as well as the entire community, have been mainstays for us.

It is virtually impossible to provide adequate thanks to every individual and organization, and we hope that this means of communication will somehow convey the heartfelt appreciation that we have for you. May God bless all of you!



**Sincerely,
Chris Holston and Family**



Thorne Family Cemetery on Tangier.

Memorial donations may be made to Swain Memorial U.M. Church, P.O. Box 199, Tangier, VA 23440. Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

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

Ex-Onancock Resident Dies

Miss Mary Helen Parker, 87, of Riverside Shore Rehabilitation Center in Parksley, formerly of Onancock and Philadelphia, passed away at her residence Saturday, March 12, 2016.

Born in Jamesville, Miss Parker was the daughter of the late John Stanley Parker and Cynthia Pepler Parker. She was a graduate of Onancock High School, worked with Tastykake Corporation in Philadelphia, attended the Assembly of God Church in Leemont, and helped many in need in her own quiet way, as she was able.

Survivors include her twin brother, James Willard Parker (and wife, Nora) of Melfa, and their four sons and families. She was predeceased by a brother, Louis Franklin Parker; and an infant nephew.

Services will be private.

Memorial donations may be made to the charity of one's choice. Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Horntown Man Dies

Mr. James Paul Houser "Capt. Jim of the Enforcer," 76, of Horntown died Saturday, March 12, 2016, at his residence.

He was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., the son of the late Morton D. and Francis K. Houser.

Mr. Houser is survived by his loving spouse of 18 years, Donille Houser; sons, James D. Houser (and wife, Diana) of Joppatowne, Md., and Steven D. Houser (and significant other, Danielle Thompson) of Aberdeen, Md.; daughter, Paula J. Regan



Mr. Houser

(and husband, Dan) of Sykesville, Md.; grandsons, Jason Houser of Joppa, Md., Joe Houser of Edgewood, Md., and Patrick Regan of Sykesville; granddaughters, Christina Houser of Joppa, Jamie Houser of Edgewood, Allison Regan of Sykesville, and Maggie Regan of Sykesville; and great-granddaughter, Rylie Houser of Edgewood.

A private family memorial will be held at a later date.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. Condolences may be offered at www.salyerfh.com

Arrangements were made by Salyer Funeral Home, Chincoteague Island.

NOAA Retiree Passes Away

Ms. Barbara Corinne Knight, 86, of Sanford passed away Saturday, March 12, 2016, at Hospice at the Lake in Salisbury, Md.

Born in Savage, Md., she was the daughter of the late James W. and Effie M. Ridgway Hackley. She was retired from NOAA and was a member of Hallwood Baptist Church.

Ms. Knight is survived by her son, James C. McClister (and wife, Laura) of Atlantic; brother, Frank Hackley of Minnesota; and several special nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Audley Hackley and Louis Hackley; a sister, Wanda Palmer; her first husband, Charles M. McClister Jr.; and her second husband, Bobby Knight.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, March 16, at Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley by Rev. Danny Shrieves. Interment was in Downing's Cemetery in Oak Hall.

Memorial donations may be made to Coastal Hospice at the Lake, P.O. Box

1733, Salisbury, MD 21802; or Hallwood Baptist Church, P.O. Box 36, Hallwood, VA 23359. To sign the guest book, visit www.thorntonfuneralhome.net

Retired Architect Dies

Mr. Frederick G. Wilson Jr., 88, husband of the late Jane Melton Wilson and a resident of Arcadia Nursing Home in Nelsonia, passed away there Monday, March 13, 2016.

Born in Suffolk, Va., he was the son of the late Frederick Guy Wilson Sr. and Ira Cain Wilson. He graduated from Maury High School in Norfolk in 1945 and was a World War II Army Air Corps veteran. Mr. Wilson graduated from the University of Virginia's School of Architecture and was a member of the KA fraternity. He specialized in modernistic architectural design and later, historic preservation. Mr. Wilson was a member of Christ Anglican Church at Union Chapel, Bath County, Va.

He is survived by his children, Frederick Guy Wilson III (and wife, Star) of Norfolk, Va., Thomas F. Wilson (and wife, Bobbie) of Parksley, Susan Adams Wilson of Norfolk and Anna Leigh Moore (and husband, Shawn) of Ra-

leigh, N.C.; 10 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild. He was preceded in death by his wife, Jane Melton Wilson of Washington, N.C.

A private family service is planned for the immediate family at a later date.

Arrangements were made by Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

Services Tomorrow

Graveside services for **Ms. Doris Jean Austin**, 85, of Cape Charles, who died Sunday, March 13, 2016, at Heritage Hall Nursing Home in Nasawadox, will be conducted Saturday, March 19, at 11 a.m. at African Baptist Church Cemetery in Cheriton.

Rev. Robert Garris will officiate. A visitation will be held tonight, March 18, from 6 to 7 at Gray's Funeral Home in Cape Charles.

Ms. Austin was born in Edenton, N.C., to the late Lillie Austin Hill. She attended the public school system in Edenton.

Ms. Austin leaves treasured memories for her children, Lillie J. (Jimmy) Perkins of Lawrenceville, N.J., and Clinton Austin of Cheriton; three grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and a host of cousins and friends.

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CAPITAL LETTERS



*By Sen.
Lynwood Lewis*

The 2016 Virginia General Assembly included a two-year state budget that includes specific items of importance to the Shore.

We have a half-million-dollar appropriation for a new library as well

as the state's share of the Tangier Seawall project, and a \$850,000 appropriation to support the development of unmanned vehicle technology.

We also have had significant political back-and-forth over the filling of a vacancy on the Virginia State Supreme Court. The issue appeared to have been finally resolved with the appointment of former Attorney General Ken Cuccinelli for a 12-year term on the Supreme Court bench, but his name was withdrawn. This vacancy has been highly politicized, which is unfortu-

nate for the court. However, the State Supreme Court has a strong bench and will survive.

The Certificate of Public Need issue, which had significant ramifications for our hospitals, has been put off until the 2017 Session. This issue is simply too complex to have been dealt with in a hurried fashion. I was one of two senators to vote against the bill in the Health and Education Committee, but by the time it reached the Senate floor, concerns among more senators resulted in its being carried over. Reforms of the Certificate of Public Need process are worthy of consideration, but in a much more deliberate fashion.

In the closing days of the Assembly, my office sent out 5,000 letters to Honor Roll students across the 6th Senate District. Congratulations to all the hardworking kids in the 6th Senate District.

We will return to Richmond on April 20 for the constitutionally-required reconvened or "veto" session. We will consider then the governor's vetoes of various pieces of legislation as well as amendments that he may make. In addition, the governor can make amendments to the state budget.

I have returned to my office in Accomac and can be reached at P.O. Box 760, Accomac, VA 23301; 787-1094; district06@senate.virginia.gov



*By Del.
Rob Bloxom*

Hi, this is Rob Bloxom with this week's Capitol report from home on the Eastern Shore. The 2016 General Assembly session adjourned Friday at

8:45 p.m., completing its work ahead of schedule for the second year in a row. The early adjournment will save taxpayers over \$25,000.

This year, the House of Delegates worked tirelessly to strengthen Virginia's economy, improve our educational system so all children have the opportunity to succeed, and chart a responsible fiscal course for the future.

One of the most important tasks of

the General Assembly is crafting the two-year state budget. I am happy to report that the House of Delegates passed a conservative, responsible, and structurally-balanced budget that invests in the core functions of government while protecting precious taxpayer resources. Some of the highlights of the 2016-18 state budget are eliminating state liabilities, reducing borrowing and making one-time investments rather than committing to long-term spending. We are investing over \$900 million in new funding for K-12. Our funding also gives local school divisions added flexibility. We are providing over \$114 million in new funding for higher education to hold down tuition costs for Virginia families, while not raising taxes or fees.

Three of the four pieces of legislation I carried this year passed and have been signed into law by the governor. The first bill of importance to the 100th District

will expedite permits for beach restoration (HB 327), directing the Virginia Marine Resources Commission to develop an accelerated process for issuing permits for emergency sand restoration on publicly owned beaches when the erosion is caused by a discrete, identifiable weather event that was the subject of a local or state declaration of emergency.

In addition, along with Sen. Lewis, I included many budget amendments that will benefit the Eastern Shore. The Accomack Public Library will be granted \$500,000 as seed money for the new library construction in Parkesley. We appropriated \$850,000 to establish the Unmanned Systems Commercial Center of Excellence to work in collaboration with the Mid-Atlantic Aviation Partnership and the Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority. This center will develop a strategic plan and a road map for the recruit-

ment and expansion of Unmanned Aerial Systems companies. And lastly, \$236,000 was designated for Virginia's share of an Army Corps of Engineers project to construct a seawall to preserve the harbor on Tangier Island.

I have joked in the past about not being safe until the General Assembly adjourns. My fellow senators and delegates and I can now return to our home district and live under the new laws that will go into effect July 1. I must thank my staff at Bloxom Auto and at Shore Tire and Auto. Without their dedication and hard work covering for me when I am in Richmond, I could not do this job.

It is a privilege and honor to represent you in the Virginia House of Delegates. Please do not hesitate to contact me if I may be of assistance to you in any way. My email address is delrbloxom@house.virginia.gov or you can reach me by phone at Bloxom Auto at 824-3456.

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Nepal Missionary visits Eastern Shore, March 20

Come and meet Katherine T. Parker, a missionary with the General Board of Global Ministries of The United Methodist Church. Parker began serving in 2013 as part of the Health Team of the United Mission to the earthquake victims in Nepal, focusing on water, sanitation, and hygiene. She will be visiting the Eastern Shore this month as part of her trip to the United States to raise funds. You are invited to her presentation to learn of the efforts being made to bring aid and comfort to the people of Nepal and find out ways you can help. A reception will follow the presentation. Everyone is welcome.

When: Sunday, March 20, 4pm

Where: Drummondtown United Methodist Church, Accomac

Parker will also be serving at these March 20th Sunday morning worship services:
Drummondtown UMC, Accomac beginning 10 am
Metropolitan UMC, Onancock beginning 11:30 am
Christ UMC, Chincoteague on Monday, March 21, at 5:30 pm

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**FRIDAY
MARCH 18**

★12:30 p.m. - **Science & Philosophy Seminar: Ecological Reflections** - ESCC, lecture hall, Melfa

- ★5-7 p.m. - **Pancake Supper** - St. John's UMC, Atlantic - 824-6241
- ★6 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.** - Family Life Center, Onancock - Meal: \$6/single or \$10/family
- ★6-7 p.m. - **Domestic Violence Prevention Prgm.** - ESTACI, Exmore - 709-5113
- ★7 p.m. - **Life Teach Series** - Rachel/Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
- ★7-9 p.m. - **Owl Prowl Hike** - Kiptopeke State Park - 331-2267
- ★7-10 p.m. - **Winter Astronomy and Night Sky Series** - NASA Wallops Flight Visitor Center
- ★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Municipal Bldg., 3305 Main St., Exmore
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo (doors open at 6:30 p.m.)** - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

**POST TIMES
March 18-24**

**SATURDAY
MARCH 19**

★9 a.m. - **Zumba Class** - Chincoteague YMCA - 336-3535

- ★9-11 a.m. - **Ebb & Flow Beach Safari** - Kiptopeke State Park, Waterfront Shed - 331-2267
- ★10 a.m. - **Overeaters Anon. mtg.** - Christ UMC, Chincoteague
- ★11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Delta Sigma Theta Sorority 20th Anniversary Celebration** - Elk's Lodge, Accomac
- ★noon & 7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
- ★1:30 p.m. - **Life on a Lighthouse Program** - library, 7745 Seaside Rd., Nassawadox
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Eastville VFC

**SUNDAY
MARCH 20**

★9-11 a.m. - **Wildlife Hike** - Kiptopeke State Park, Picnic Area Gazebo - 331-2267

- ★9:30 a.m. - **Palm Sunday: Easter Cantata** - Assawoman UMC
- ★9:30 a.m. - **AA mtg.** - Cokesbury Church, Onancock
- ★11:15 a.m. - **Palm Sunday: Easter Cantata** - Downings UMC, Oak Hall
- ★2 p.m. - **Seven Day Avengers in Concert** - Bethel AME Church, Onancock
- ★2 p.m. - **Bingo** - VFW Post 2296, Tasley
- ★2:30 p.m. - **Family & Friends Day** - Grace IMC, Wachapreague
- ★3 p.m. - **New Heavenly Wings Over Jordan** - Burton's Chapel, Wachapreague
- ★7 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ Episcopal Church, 16304 Courthouse Rd., Eastville
- ★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Grace UMC, 18484 Wilson Ave., Parksley

**MONDAY
MARCH 21**

★11 a.m. - **Children's Story Hour** - library, Nassawadox

- ★3:30 p.m. - **Women's Day** - St. James UMC, Pocomoke City, Md.
- ★5-6 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Holy Trinity Episcopal, Onancock
- ★5:30 p.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Belle Haven UMC - 442-7050
- ★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Elks Lodge, Tasley
- ★6 p.m. - **Central Shore Lions Club mtg.** - Sage Diner, Onley
- ★6-7:30 p.m. - **Choice-Based Anger Control Class** - ESTACI, 3100 Main St., Exmore - 709-5113
- ★6-9 p.m. - **GED Class** - Arcadia High School, Oak Hall
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg.** - Grace UMC, Parksley
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Accomack Cty. Taxpayers' Assn. mtg.** - Accomack County Administration Bldg.

**TUESDAY
MARCH 22**

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

- ★10 a.m. - **Bingo** - Accomack Sr. Village, Onancock
- ★11 a.m. - **Duplicate Bridge** - Sage Diner, Onley - 442-2474
- ★1:30-3 p.m. - **Riverside Shore Hospice Grief Support Group mtg.** - Downing's UMC, Oak Hall - 789-5000
- ★5 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - St. James' Episcopal Church, Accomac
- ★6 p.m. - **Onancock Lions Club mtg.** - Sage Diner, Onley - 787-2059
- ★6 p.m. - **Rachel Leah Ministries** - 787-2486
- ★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA
- ★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **English As a Second Language Class** - Arcadia High, Oak Hall
- ★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Melfa
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - smoke free - Cheriton VFC
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Order of the Eastern Star (Acc. Chap. #62) mtg.** - Masonic Lodge, Chincoteague

**WEDNESDAY
MARCH 23**

★7:45 a.m. - **Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg.** - Sage Diner, Onley

- ★10 a.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Market St. UMC, Onancock - 787-4718
- ★10-11:30 a.m. - **Women's Support Group** - ESTACI, Exmore - 709-5113
- ★1 p.m. - **Floral Arranging Program** - Woman's Club, Onley
- ★2 p.m. - **Children's Story Hour** - E.S. Public Library, Accomac
- ★4:30-5 p.m. - **Girl's Support Group** - ESTACI, 3100 Main St., Exmore - 709-5113
- ★5-7 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen & Clothes Closet** - Grace and Truth Ministries, Onancock - Donations: 789-5369
- ★5:30-6:30 p.m. - **Free Meals for the Hungry** - Epworth UMC, 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
- ★6-9 p.m. - **GED Class** - Arcadia High School, Oak Hall
- ★7 p.m. - **AA & Al-Anon. mtgs.** - RSMH, Nassawadox
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Painter VFC
- ★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Downing's Methodist Church, Oak Hall

**THURSDAY
MARCH 24**

★9 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Veterans' Employment Representative Avail.** - Chincoteague Town Office

- ★10:30 a.m. - **Children's Story Hour** - library, Accomac
- ★10:30 a.m. - **Story Time** - Cape Charles Library
- ★4 p.m. - **Chess Club** - Cape Charles Memorial Library - all ages, levels welcome
- ★5:30 p.m. - **Shore Losers mtg.** - Drummondtown Baptist, Accomac - \$1/wk.
- ★5:30 p.m. - **TOPS VA-550 mtg.** - Zion Baptist, Parksley - 787-7099
- ★6-7:30 p.m. - **Substance Abuse Recovery Group** - ESTACI, 3100 Main St., Exmore - 709-5113
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Kiwanis Club of Chincoteague mtg.** - St. Andrew's Catholic Church
- ★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **English As a Second Language Class** - Arcadia High School, Oak Hall
- ★6:30 - 8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Melfa
- ★7 p.m. - **NA mtg.** - Painter Garrison UMC
- ★7 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Atlantic UMC
- ★8 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ UMC, Chincoteague



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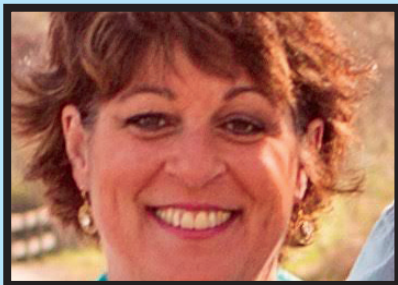


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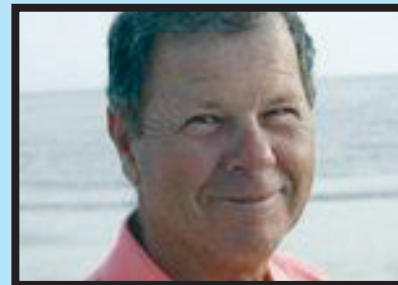
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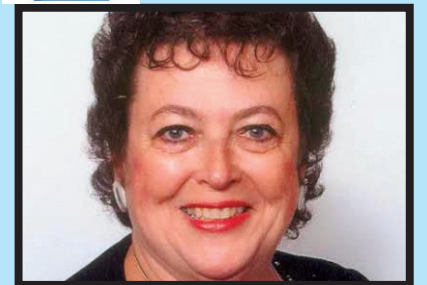
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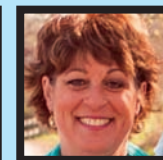
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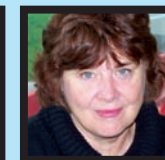
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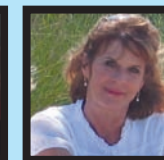
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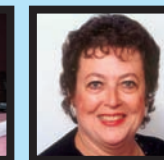
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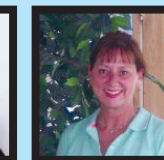
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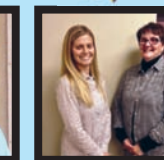
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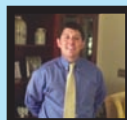


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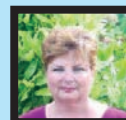
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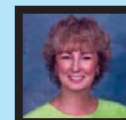
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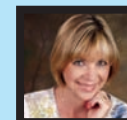
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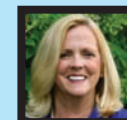
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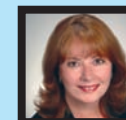
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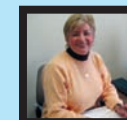
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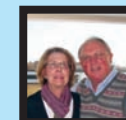
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Matt Parker would like to personally thank the following vendors who helped contribute to the fun, entertainment and success of this year's "Easter Family Fun Day".

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- Cape Charles Carriage Horses
- Back Yard Amusements
- Beritt Conelly w/ Face Painting
- Betsy Manning and Lauren Lilliston w/ Photography

A special thanks goes to the Staff and Volunteers who helped make the event run smoothly with over 500 visitors visiting the Hermitage Community. The Hermitage was also able to raise over \$900 through grill and bake sale goods to help support the Alzheimer's Association!

We appreciate all the families who came to support The Hermitage and Alzheimer's Association on this very special day!





SPORTS

Golfers Humbled But Come Back for More

par the remainder of the day.

My new plan is not to think. Sometimes the head is the body part that gets in the way of playing well.

The best part of golf is the association with other golfers, who share your misery and joys on the links.

One of my favorites is George Savage, who will turn 88 next month and still plays with men 30 years younger. He not only plays with them, but he often shoots his age and usually takes their money at the end of the day. This day, our group included my longtime golfing buddy Charlie Cameron, college fraternity brother Steve Warren, and the always affable Glenwood Pruitt.

Last week, George was telling us about a Honda Classic golf tournament in Florida he was attending many years ago. He was standing near the tee watching Gary Nicklaus, the son of legendary golfer Jack Nicklaus, prepare to hit his drive.

As Nicklaus, who only had a brief PGA career, was going through his pre-shot routine, Savage turned to the guy next to him, wearing a baseball hat pulled down low and dark sunglasses, and commented, "He's as slow as his old man," referring to Jack Nicklaus, who was well-known for being deliberate on the course.

Even though we could guess what was coming next, with great laughter, George told us the man next to him turned out to be Jack Nicklaus himself.

George then told us a story about a golfer asking Ben Hogan how to "back up" a 7-iron, meaning making the ball spin backward when it hit the green.

"How far do you hit a 7-iron?" asked Hogan.

The man replied, "About 125 yards."

Hogan replied, "Why would you want the ball to stop?"

This past weekend, I was part of a twosome with my stepson, Josh. We were paired with two other golfers upon arriving at the course. Golf clubs often make

foursomes to keep the speed of play consistent when the course is crowded.

Introductions were made at the first tee with no last names needed. Your worst fear is that the other golfers are way better than you. Both Mike and Matt shot better scores than we did, but we were close enough that the day was enjoyable, particularly since the pair was attentive to our games and applauded our good shots. We did the same.

All golfers are equal on the course. Very little is discussed about what you do off the course.

I did learn Mike, who always seemed to be smiling and having fun, ran a Jaguar dealership for many years. When he learned I covered sports and wrote a weekly column, he said he had a friend who often said upon hitting

a great shot, "I couldn't hit that more perfect," adding that I should use that in my next column. I just did.

The other great thing about golf, compared to, let's say, tennis, is the great venues where the game can be enjoyed. A tennis court at Hilton Head is just like the tennis court anywhere on the Shore, but every golf course is unique and has its own special qualities.

I've been fortunate to play great courses at Pinehurst, including the famous #2, Homestead, the Golden Horseshoe in Williamsburg, Myrtle Beach and on the Robert Trent Jones Trail in Alabama.

They've all created great memories, and from each I can recall at least that one great shot everyone says keeps you coming back for more humble pie.

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I read an item recently penned by Tom Verducci, a longtime Sports Illustrated writer, stating the most emotionally powerful words in the English language are monosyllabic.

"Love, hate, born, die, sex, kill, laugh cry, want, need, give and take" were the words cited by Verducci as examples.

With all due respect to Verducci, one of my favorite sports writers, I think he forgot one — golf.

Golf is often humiliating and humbling, but I can't wait to do it again.

It was back to the links for me last week after a five-month hiatus due to cold, rain and otherwise dreary weather over the winter. I played a midweek round at Bay Creek in Cape Charles and then on the weekend played the Birkdale Club, a Chesterfield course.

I was consistently inconsistent with the two rounds. My scores were 43-53 and 54-43. Thus, you if added my two best nines, I had a very respectable 86, but if you took my two worst, it would be a shabby 107.

The truth is I am not as good as the lower score nor as bad as the triple-digit number. I usually shoot in the low to mid-90s with an occasional foray in the 80s. My short game and putting hold me back from being a consistent 80s golfer. If I say so myself, I drive like a champ. But, sadly for me, I have to hit the ball again.

Golf is a game that can lure you into getting ahead of yourself. In that first round after five months of not playing golf, I was 2 over par after seven holes with three pars and a birdie and no double bogeys.

On the eighth tee, I started thinking about breaking 80, something I have only done once in my life. I had a double bogey on 8 and made a triple on 9 to shoot a disappointing 43 on the front nine. So much for breaking 80. I never made another

SPORTS SHORTS

Run for the Animals April 10 in Onancock

Registration has opened for the 2016 Run for the Animals, which is set for Sunday, April 10, at the Historic Onancock School.

Choose either the half marathon (13.1 miles), 10K (6.2 miles) or the 5K (3.1 miles) noncompetitive walk. All distances can be completed with or without your leashed canine companion. Baby joggers/strollers are welcome.

Registration and check-in will be from 6:45 to 7:45 a.m. The pre-race meeting is at 8 a.m. with the race to start at 8:30 a.m. Awards will be presented at 11:30 a.m., with lunch at noon.

The early entry fee is \$40 (\$50 after March 31). The student fee is \$20 (\$25 after March 31). All net proceeds support the animal organizations that serve the Virginia's Eastern Shore. This event is rain or shine.

For more information on registering, volunteering, fundraising or sponsoring, visit www.RunForTheAnimals.com or call 757-999-4999.

Safe Boating Course

Cape Charles Yacht Club and the Coast Guard Auxiliary are jointly sponsoring a Safe Boating Course on Saturday, April 9, at the Cape Charles Civic Center (500 Tazewell Ave.), from 8 a.m. until about 4 p.m. (this includes the time for a multiple-choice exam at the end).

This course is open to the general public. To register, go to <https://www.register-ed.com/events/view/74764> and click on the link.

These courses tend to fill quickly, so register soon.

Taking this course (and passing the test at the end) will satisfy Virginia's requirements for getting a Boater Education Card, which is currently required for all boaters 50 years of age and younger. As of July 1, 2016, all boaters of any age in Virginia must have it.

The state is donating the books and materials, and members of the auxiliary are donating their time to teach the course; the Town of Cape Charles is donating the use of the Civic Center, so this course will be free to all participants.

Soccer, Tumbling at Y

Spring Soccer league starts at the Y beginning April 11. This league is for grades 1st-8th and is designed to teach basic skills of soccer to children who have never played the game and improve the skills of those who have. Games will be held on Fridays starting at 5:30 p.m. The cost is \$35 for members and \$45 for prospective members before April 5. After April 5 the cost will be an additional \$10 if space is available.

The YMCA offering an intermediate to advanced level tumbling clinic on Saturday mornings beginning April 9 from 9am-11am. The cost is \$40 for members and \$50 for prospective members.

Call the Y for more information at 787-5601.

Adult Softball Leagues

Northampton Co. Parks & Rec. will begin its adult men's softball league Tuesday, April 12 and adult coed softball league Friday, April 15.

Teams need to register by Friday, April 1 in order to participate in either league. Team registration fees are \$200. Teams are able to have up to 20 players. Games will be held at Indiantown Park in Eastville; game times will be 6:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m., and 8:30 p.m.

To register or for more information, call 757-678-0468 or email parks@co.northampton.va.us

Truck Pull, Family Day

A Truck Pull and Family Fun Day to benefit local chapters of Special Olympics Virginia and the Law Enforcement Torch Run will be held Saturday, April 10, at the Elks Lodge in Accomac.

The entry fee is \$150 per team with up to six per team. Pull Tasley's VFD brush truck carrying 300 gallons of water 25 feet. Fastest time gets a trophy and shirt for team members.

There also will be Bouncy House, Corn Hole, Face Painting and Kids Crafts in addition to booths and food vendors.

Contact Sany Tayler at 414-1212 for more information or an entry form. Contact Gina Williams at 336-1202 or SOVAarea19vendor@gmail.com for a vendor application.

Easter Decoy Festival Set for March 25-26

The 37th Annual Easter Decoy & Art Festival will be held Friday, March 25, and Saturday, March 26, at Chincoteague Combined School. Show hours are noon to 6 p.m. on Friday and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday.

Exhibiting carvers and artists include Michael and Karla Adcock, Vic and Ellen Berg, Roy Bohn, Jimmy Bowden, Marge and Brad Bradach, Dale Buffington, Matt Burton, Jay Cherrix, Bill Cowen, Rocky Detwiler, Shannon Dimmig, Corky Dize, David Farlow Jr., Russell Fish, Michael Fleming and Brenda Poist, Robert Gray Jr., Bill Hickson, James Johnson, Ronald Justis, George Kalwa, James Kinnett, Ed Kuhn, Larry Linton, Carroll Marshall, Cork McGee, Robert and Rebecca Mende, Ann and Nancy Mitchell, Don Parks, Lawrence Reader, Ron Roiszewski, Ron Stevens, Bill Veasey, Ray Whetzel, Ryan Wooster, Grover Cantwell, David Hughes, Ellen Lawler, Paul Makuchal, Kevin McBride, Chris Stuebbe, Rose Taylor, Donnie Thornton, Richard Toft, Mary Lou Troutman, John and Patty Waterfield, and Nancy Richards West.

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This year's silent auction of Pre-Loved Treasures will help support the Museum of Chincoteague Island's Miles Hancock Carving Workshop Project. Life histories will be shown during the event. The Pre-Loved Treasures auction and the decorated wooden eggs silent auction will begin at noon Friday and end at 3 p.m. Saturday. Ribbons will be awarded for Best Art Display, Best Carver, Best Photograph of Chincoteague or Assateague, and The Curtis Merritt Award of Excellence.

The island's Salt Marsh Ramblers band will perform Saturday morning and afternoon. The Easter Bunny will make an appearance Saturday.

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Broadwater's Riopel, Burrows Both in NCAA Division III Final Four

By Bill Sterling

There are not likely many high schools — at least any the size of Broadwater — that can claim to have two former players in a Final Four in basketball, but that will occur this weekend when Amherst's Michael Riopel and Christopher Newport's Brendon Burrows will have a reunion at the Division III Final Four in Salem, Va.

Amherst defeated Tufts 86-73 Saturday to advance to Friday's semi-final versus Benedictine of Illinois, 30-0. Riopel, the sixth man for Amherst, scored 12 points in 25 minutes of action, hitting 3 of 7 shots from the floor and all but one of his six free-throw attempts.

Averaging over 20 minutes a game, the 6'5" sophomore connected on 48.7 percent of his shots this season, with a 40.9 percentage from beyond the 3-point line. He shoots 82.7 from the foul line.

Amherst advances to its third NCAA Final Four in the last four years and



Riopel



Burrows

seventh overall. The Purple and White won national titles in 2007 and 2013.

Christopher Newport is 30-1 with a 21-game winning streak. Burrows started all but one game. Although the 6'4" inch forward plays limited minutes and averages about 2 points a game, CNU coach John Krikorian likes the energy Burrows brings to the team and doesn't want to break up a winning combination.

Burrows also competes in track at CNU, winning the conference championship in the discus as a freshman with a 46.11-meter toss. He also placed seventh in the league in the weight throw and competed in the hammer.

CNU advanced to the Final Four in Salem with an 81-61 win over Wooster in Oswego, N.Y., last Saturday. The Captains will play St. Thomas of Minnesota Friday night in a national semi-final at the Salem Civic Center.

A win by both CNU and Amherst Friday night would set up a championship game on Saturday with Riopel and Burrows, once Broadwater teammates, on opposing teams.

BA's Bloxom Also Advances in Playoffs

Broadwater also had another alumna go deep into the Division III basketball tournament.

Madison Bloxom, a senior at Christopher Newport University and a 2012 graduate of Broadwater, was a member of the women's CNU team that went to the Sweet 16 and ended the season with a 24-5 record.

Bloxom had planned to play basketball at CNU after scoring more than 1,000 points in her Broadwater



Bloxom

career while also playing volleyball and softball. But she switched sports to star in track and made All-Conference in the javelin throw.

Bloxom also has placed in the top 10 in the Capital Athletic Conference in the hammer throw, long jump and triple jump, while also competing in the 200 and weight throw.

After suffering a torn labrum and undergoing an operation following her junior season, Bloxom will likely redshirt for her senior track season with plans to compete as a graduate student next year. She decided to join the basketball team, and although she saw limited time while averaging 1.6 points a game, Bloxom says she has enjoyed her time with the team.

Look for more on Bloxom and her journey in next week's *Postin' Up* in the Eastern Shore Post.

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Erica Head (left) and Kennedy Webb (right) scored goals in a 4-0 Northampton win over Franklin Tuesday in the Jacket season opener.

Jackets Top Franklin 4-0 in Soccer

Northampton took a 4-0 halftime lead over Franklin in its season opener Tuesday and blanked the Broncos by that margin.

Kennedy Webb scored the first goal, with Ashlyn Arnold and Taylor Webb following with goals of their own.

Erica Head finished the scoring about three minutes before half off an assist by Arnold.

"Taylor Webb had some outstanding crosses through the entire game,"

said Jacket coach Tabi Webb. "All girls played well for our first game. Although we did not score in the second half, we had good scoring opportunities, and their goalie made some key saves. Karla Benavides had an excellent stop in the defensive position, and she and Brenda Guerrero played very well. With several newcomers in the defensive positions, I was pleased with their performance," said Webb.

Wachapreague Flounder Tournaments Set Dates

Warmer weather has anglers thinking about fishing, and on the Eastern Shore flounder is a staple of spring.

Captain Zed's 26th annual Spring Flounder Tournament will be held April 15 to 24 with a \$2,500 first-place prize, a \$600 second-place prize, a \$300 third-place prize, a \$250 fourth-place gift certificate to the Wachapreague Inn and a fifth-place \$100 gift certificate to Trident Tackle/Island House.

There is a free T-shirt for the first 400 entrants. All entries must be received before 7 a.m. April 15.

Entries by March 31 are eligible for a drawing for a \$50 gift card.

Go to www.theislandhouserestaurant.com to register or call 789-3222 or 787-4242 and ask for Debbie.

The Wachapreague Marina has announced its annual 2016 Spring Flounder Tournament will be held from April 15 to April 24. Deadline for entries is April 14.

First prize is \$2,000, second prize is \$1,000, third prize is \$750, and fourth prize is a \$250 gift certificate to the Wachapreague Inn. Fifth prize is a \$100 gift certificate to the Wachapreague Marina Tackle Shop.

Register at wachapreaguemarina.net or in person at the tackle shop. Call 787-4110 for more information.

If you would like your ad to run in the Post's Sports Section, call 789-7678

Vikes Lose Opener

The Broadwater baseball team lost its season opener 9-2 to Isle of Wight last Friday on the road.

The Vikings gave up five runs in the first inning and never recovered. "We had some costly errors in the first inning," said first-year Broadwater head coach Billy Murphy.

Ben Farlow led the Viking attack with two hits and an RBI. Austin Murphy, Daniel Rohde and Sean Hart each had a single.

Farlow and Murphy shared the pitching duties, with Farlow striking out five of the 16 batters he faced. Murphy allowed three runs in three innings, striking out a pair.

BA Softballers Drop Pair

The Broadwater softball team dropped a pair of games last week, falling to Isle of Wight 10-0 on Friday and Southampton Academy 15-1.

Kerry Ford, an eighth grader, got the lone Viking hit against IWA, with a triple but could not score.

Natavia Wharton pitched 3.1 innings, with Parker Murphy finishing the final 1.2 innings, allowing one earned run.

On Saturday, the Lady Vikings managed only two hits against the always strong Southampton team.

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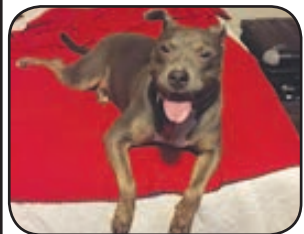
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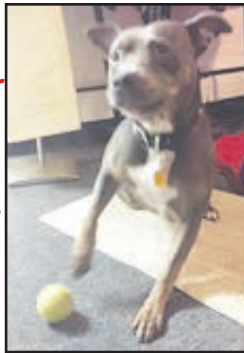
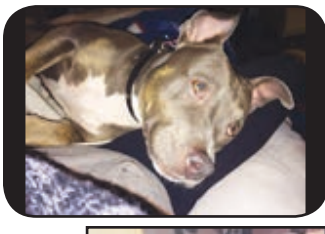


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**Her name is Rosie and her
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Help Wanted

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

Jail Medic

This position will be working in the Eastern Shore Regional Jail and the job will require shift work, days, nights, weekends, holidays, and required to be on call at times.

Qualifications: over the age of 21 and have obtained high-school diploma or GED. Applicant must possess at a minimum the following: LPN or higher certifications preferred with work experience or EMT B and higher preferred with work experience.

Applications may be obtained in person from the Eastern Shore Regional Jail, 5245 the Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347 or ESRJ applications are also available online at www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: April 4, 2016.
Northampton County is an EOE.

WANTED:

- Commercial & Agricultural Tire Technician and
 - Lead Automotive Technician
- Northampton County Repair Shop. Call 757-710-1957.

EASTERN SHORE RURAL HEALTH SYSTEM, INC.

is currently recruiting

IS Coordinator Corporate Office

Prefer a minimum of 2 years' experience with computer and information systems. Prefer technical certifications (CompTIA, Cisco) and system and network administration experience. Must be able to research, develop, implement, maintain and monitor information systems. Must be able to provide hands-on service for technical equipment and be able to work alone or in a group setting.

A person in this position must have mature judgment, good interpersonal, communication and computer skills. Bilingual skills are a plus.

Must be able to lift, carry and handle equipment, supplies and other work site materials based on position duty requirements.

Outreach Worker Onley Community Health Center

Previous experience in related outreach/community work is a necessity for the Outreach Worker. This position requires a person of mature judgment, good communication skills and strong knowledge of community resources. Must demonstrate cultural sensitivity and be able to work independently. Must have reliable transportation, valid driver license and car insurance. Ability to provide bilingual patient care is a plus.

These are full-time positions with benefits.

If you are a mission-driven person looking to make a difference, email an **application** to chr@esrh.org before noon on March 25, 2016. Applications can be obtained from www.esrh.org. Resumes may accompany the application but will not be considered if sent alone.

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



General Office Clerical Position

Locally owned business is seeking full time highly motivated individual to join its multifaceted fast past team. Individual would have responsibilities in the areas of receptionist and general office functions including data entry. Applicant must be versed in Excel and Word. Quick Books experience is a plus! Salary and benefits commensurate with experience. Please send resume to: Employment Opportunity, PO Box 1137, Exmore, Va. 23350

MOSQUITO CONTROL TECHNICIAN

The Town of Chincoteague is accepting applications for part-time, seasonal mosquito control positions. Responsibilities include operation of a fogging vehicle and other mosquito reduction tasks. Applicants must obtain a Virginia Pesticide Registered Technician license prior to starting work. Applicant must also have a valid driver's license. Pay starts at \$10.96/hour. Applications are available at 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague VA 23336. EEO.

Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting employment applications for:

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 Eastern Shore Regional Jail Office located at 5245 the Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347 or the county's website www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: April 4, 2016.
Northampton County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

EASTERN SHORE HYGIENIST: Are you an organized team player? Are you happy & like to work with all ages?

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EASTERN SHORE RURAL HEALTH SYSTEM, INC.

is currently recruiting

Medical Business Assistant (2 positions) Atlantic Community Health Center and Dental Program

Requires a high school diploma or the equivalent. Work experience in a medical or business office preferred.

Individual must be professional, self-motivated and have strong attention to detail, communication, teamwork, customer service and computer skills. Ability to provide bilingual patient care is a plus. These are full-time positions with benefits.

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Melfa, Virginia

Dean of Workforce Development Services (full-time)
Minimum Requirements: Master's degree from accredited institution, prior supervisory experience, proven leadership / management skills, experience developing, implementing and managing unit budgets.
Minimum Salary: \$65,953 plus state benefits package.

Welding Instructor (full-time)

Minimum Requirements: Associates degree or Applied Associates degree in Welding, or Associates degree or Applied Associates degree in relevant discipline with Welding Certification. Will consider Associate degree, Diploma, or Certification in a relevant discipline with several years' career experience as a certified welder.
Salary Range: Rank and salary are commensurate with experience and qualifications, plus state benefits package.

See web site www.es.vccs.edu for additional information.
 ESCC is an EEO/AA and E-verify employer

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ELECTRICIANS AND HELPERS - We are currently seeking qualified journeymen/foremen, apprentices & helpers for work in the Eastern Shore Area. Please call 757-563-9777 for interview.

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CENTER DIRECTOR ECMHSP is now accepting applications for Center Director to supervise the operation of a Migrant Head Start Program. Contact Lynn Bowen - lbowen@ecmhsp.org

LINE COOK, SERVER, LIFEGUARD

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Boats, Etc.

2006 SWEETWATER PONTOON BOAT \$13,500 OBO - 24 ft., 90 hp, 4-stroke Honda motor, trailer. (757) 710-8427. budexter@verizon.net

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PONTOON BOAT - '08 Aqua Patio 24-ft., 3-gate fish & cruise, ski tow bar, vinyl deck, 27" pontoons, performance pkg.; '08 Loadrite tandem trailer; 115 h.p. Honda (200 hrs.), spare propeller. NADA low retail value: \$22,400, SALE: \$19,000. 442-2131 or 710-4876.

20' 4" OPEN C-HAWK - '95 Mercury 200 outboard, trailer. \$7,800. 710-2958.

'98 SUNBIRD CUTTY-CAB - 130 h.p. Evinrude, 222 hours, w/trailer. \$3,500. 757-709-2371, leave msg.

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'06 18' SUNDANCE CC BOAT - 90 h.p. Yamaha motor, Loadrite trailer, low hrs., good cond. \$7,000. Call 757-442-3680.

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'77 22' CATALINA SAILBOAT - Swing keel, new fiberglass, clean cabin, good sails, 6 h.p. Yamaha long shaft, Load-rite trailer. REDUCED: \$2,800. 442-1132

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23' BAYLINER - 5.7 I/O, 9.9 aux. motor w/hyd. lift, anchor puller, sink, fridge, stove, head, sleeps 4, trailer. \$8,995. 757-302-1185.

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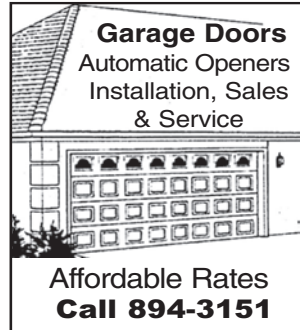
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Williamsburg James City County Community Action Agency, 312 Waller Mill Road, Suite 200, Williamsburg, VA 23185
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In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of **\$113,272.00**, dated **December 20, 2007** recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the **Accomack County, Virginia, in Document No. 200800855 and modified in Document No. 201305338**, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the **Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack**, on **April 18, 2016 at 10:30 AM** the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

Lot 17, Cherry Valley Estates, with improvements thereon.

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

This is a communication from a debt collector.
FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
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 Accomack County

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Tract 1: ALL that certain lot or parcel of land situate about 1/4 of a mile South of the Town of Parksley, it being the Easterly One-Half of a certain 77 foot by 90 foot lot, and designated as Lot 12, on a certain plat of the lands known as the J. White land, and the Northwest and Southwest extremities of said lot being marked by two certain iron stobs and bounded as follows: On the North, by a certain 12 foot alley; on the East, by Tract 2 hereinafter described; and on the South and West and:

Tract 2: Beginning at the Southwest corner and running North, for a distance of 75 ft.: thence East, for a distance of 90 ft. thence South, for a distance of 75 ft.; thence West, for a distance of 90 ft. to the original stating point, and bounded as follows: on the North, by the land now or formerly of L. F. Johnson; on the East, by a 12ft. alley; on the South, by the land formerly owned by R. Edwards; and on the West, by Tract 1 above, with improvements thereon.

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SOMERSET COUNTY, MD REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS INSTALLATION OF THREE (3) GENERATORS

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Sealed bids from qualified firms will be accepted by the Somerset County Commissioners, c/o Department of Technical & Community Services, 11916 Somerset Avenue, Room 211, Princess Anne, MD 21853, until 2 p.m. on **Tuesday, April 19, 2016.**

A Mandatory Pre-Bid meeting will be held on Tuesday, **March 29, 2016, at 10 a.m.** at the Somerset County Office Complex, Room 211, 11916 Somerset Avenue, Princess Anne, MD, 21853, with a Site Visit included as part of the Pre-Bid Meeting.

Request For Proposal documents may be obtained in person or by mail, from the Department of Technical & Community Services, 11916 Somerset Avenue, Room 211, Princess Anne, MD 21853, or by calling (410) 651-1424. The documents are also available at the County's Website at www.somersetmd.us on the "Bids/Proposals" page.

Funding for this activity is made available through the federally-funded Community Development Block Grant Program. Somerset County is an equal opportunity employer, and strongly encourages submissions by minority and women business enterprises and Section 3 businesses.

For more information, please contact the Somerset County Department of Technical & Community Services at 410-651-1424 or at gpusey@somersetmd.us

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Chincoteague Town Council will hold a Public Hearing commencing at 7:00 PM on April 4, 2016, in the Council Chambers of the Town of Chincoteague, 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague, Virginia, to afford interested parties the opportunity to be heard or present written comments concerning the following proposed Ordinance to vacate a property line of a recorded plat of subdivision in the Town of Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia.

AN ORDINANCE VACATING A PROPERTY LINE OF A SUBDIVISION PLAT

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

WHEREAS, an Application has been filed by Thomas W. Bowden, Sr. and Yvonne M. Bowden to vacate a part of a recorded plat of a subdivision in the Town of Chincoteague entitled "Ocean Boulevard Development, Chincoteague Island, Accomack County, Virginia", which plat is recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, in Plat Book 4, page 80.

WHEREAS, the basis of said vacation is that:

1. The property line between Lots 67 and 68, is a property line between two lots both owned by the Applicant, Thomas W. Bowden, Sr. and Yvonne M. Bowden.

2. That the said Thomas W. Bowden, Sr. and Yvonne M. Bowden desire to remove the boundary line between the two lots to result in one parcel of land.

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

1. That the division or property line between said Lot 67 and 68 as shown on a certain plat of survey entitled "Ocean Boulevard Development, Chincoteague Island, Accomack County, Virginia", dated April 16, 1935, and recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Plat Book 4, page 80 be and are hereby vacated.

2. That as the result of said vacation of property lines former Lots 67 and 68 shall result in one (1) parcel of land.

3. That the Town Manager after the time for an appeal of the adoption of this Ordinance has expired, or if appealed the action of counsel is upheld, shall cause a copy of this Ordinance to be recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County.

4. That the effective date of the Ordinance shall be upon adoption by the Town Council for the Town of Chincoteague.

Handicapped assistance available by calling 336-6519.

Robert G. Ritter
Town Manager
Town of Chincoteague

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA**

Case No. 16CL037
Accomack County Circuit Court
23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, VA 23301

DAVID LEE LYBARGER
v. SYBILLE SEBER LYBARGER
The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that SYBILLE SEBER LYBARGER appear at the above-named court and protect her interests on or before APRIL 21, 2016.

February 24, 2016
Caretta S. Duncan, Dep. Clerk

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WHEREAS, an Application has been filed by David Wayne Knight and Jacqueline Dawn Knight to vacate a part of a recorded plat of a subdivision in the Town of Chincoteague entitled "Ocean Breeze Mobile Home Sites, Section B, Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia", which plat is recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, in Plat Book 22, page 93.

WHEREAS, the basis of said vacation is that:

1. The property line between Lots 36B and 37B, is a property line between two lots both owned by the Applicant, David Wayne Knight and Jacqueline Dawn Knight.

2. That the said David Wayne Knight and Jacqueline Dawn Knight desire to remove the boundary line between the two lots to result in one parcel of land.

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

1. That the division or property line between said Lots 36B and 37B as shown on a certain plat of survey entitled "Ocean Breeze Mobile Home Sites, Section B, Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia", dated May 9, 1978, and recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Plat Book 22, page 93 be and are hereby vacated.

2. That as the result of said vacation of property lines former Lots 36B and 37B shall result in one (1) parcel of land.

3. That the Town Manager after the time for an appeal of the adoption of this Ordinance has expired, or if appealed the action of counsel is upheld, shall cause a copy of this Ordinance to be recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County.

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Robert G. Ritter
Town Manager
Town of Chincoteague

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 16-03

vs.

EMILY B. HICKMAN
HAZEL HICKMAN
IRVING EVANS
LINDA ANN EVANS
CONSTANCE EMILY WISE
GWENDOLYN MARIE LOGAN

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 certain parcel of land in Makemie Park, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, containing two-thirds of an acre, more or less, bounded North by County Highway No. 695, and designated as parcel no. 04100A000001700.

standing in the names of Irving Evans, Linda Ann Evans, Constance Emily Wise and Gwendolyn Marie Logan pursuant to Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees and successors in title of Gwendolyn Marie Logan, but without effect; that due diligence has been used to determine whether Irving Evans is living, or if deceased, to ascertain the names and location of all of his heirs, devisees and successors in title, but without effect; that there are or may be other persons having an interest in the real estate forming the subject matter of this suit, whose names and last post office addresses are unknown, namely, the unknown heirs, devisees and successors in title of Gwendolyn Marie Logan and Irving Evans; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Hazel Hickman, Linda Ann Evans and Constance Emily Wise, but without effect; that the last known post office address of Hazel Hickman is 28496 Saxis Road, Temperanceville, VA 23442; that the last known post office address of Linda Ann Evans is 30219 Paige Fisher Road, Oak Hall, VA 23416; that the last known post office address of Constance Emily Wise is 32080 Temperanceville Road, Oak Hall, VA 23303.

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 April 12, 2016 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 3rd day of March, 2016
Nancy-Jo Revell, Deputy Clerk

I ask for this:
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Hearing on Northampton County Zoning was Despicable

Dear Editor:

I had the opportunity to attend and speak at the March 9 public hearing on the amendment to the 2009 zoning ordinance.

After a brief presentation by our \$3,000/week county administrator (whose salary and benefits are paid by a poor county with only 12,000 people) who, by the way, has mismanaged this county to the brink of fiscal collapse, Planning Commission Vice Chairman Dixon Leatherbury took on the Board of Supervisors, expressing his frustration that the 2015 zoning ordinance was being challenged. He forgot to mention that his wife, Bev Leatherbury, was a co-author of the new commercial real-estate manifesto, as she is part of the county's legal team who has been on the front lines of this ridiculous scheme.

He is joined by Mike Ward on the commission, another major player on the planning team running the ball toward the 2015 goal post and a major contributor to the pending rewrite of the Comprehensive Plan (and wait 'til you see that!). Mr. Ward never mentions that his wife is in real estate for Coldwell Banker while at the same time he pushes for the 2015 zoning ordinance that will break up Northampton County in a manner similar to commercial development in Virginia Beach and Ocean City (whose real-estate taxes because of that scheme are nearly twice that of Northampton County's).

Next up was a slew of "Yellow Shirts" (except for ousted Supervisor Rick Hubbard, who wore instead a bright yellow sweater) who, while complaining that the supporters of the 2009 zoning ordinance were using "scare tactics and misinformation," waved their arms and stamped their feet, basically arguing that they should be able to do anything and everything they want and to blaze with law and code. "This is America," they yelled! "Bring on the chicken houses, build those condos and high rises on our waterfronts ... don't get in our way! ... We need more tax revenue by commercializing this county!" Note that if they are successful, we will be the first county in America where our taxes go down after we pave over our farmland, stop our rainwater from replenishing our drinking water supplies, and put multiple developments like Royal Farms where our crops once grew.

But what was truly incredible was the number of yellow-dressed real-estate agents who belittled the new board members simply because they were doing what they promised to do (repeal the private-interest-driven 2015 code) when we overwhelmingly elected them last November.

One of the most bizarre attacks on the supervisors was delivered by Pat Coady, who ripped off his yellow shirt (that says Support the 2015 Zoning Ordinance) after attacking our new board member Robert Duer by saying this fine man only cares about Exmore (a wholly unsupported and false claim).

The entire night reminded me of a really bad Monty Python show and was, simply put, a disgusting show of thuggery by the yellow shirts, in complete disregard for the will of the majority of residents (reflected in our current Comprehensive Plan and supporting 2009 ordinance) and thumbing their nose at code and law.

During my speech to the supervisors and planning commissioners (I say the Planning Commission now represents nothing more than a poor joke given their dismal track record), I asked where the yellow shirts were over the last two years when thousands of citizens were working to right the impending wrongs of the expensive and ill-conceived zoning fiasco. And I took the liberty by answering it by saying they remained "sleeping" because they seemed to know that they had the old board in their hip pocket and were guaranteed that the board would ram the new zoning down our throats before they were ousted from their positions last December. Men behind the curtain, if you will.

While the yellow-clad thugs may feel they won the day by their nearly surreal performance during the public hearing, most of us left the room feeling we had just been to a Trump rally, and I want to say this: No amount of Yellow Shirts can "trump" Virginia Code and law, or override the fact that we are a nation of laws and civility, and the yellow-clad bidie vigilantes who wish we were not need to revisit their approach. Frankly, it did them no favors — and that goes for the Planning Commission who is now the laughing stock of the county and, due to their self-serving underperformance since Commissioners Coker and Kellam have resigned, have rendered their very administrative existence meaningless (except for Commissioner Fauber, that is).

Leo Kellam, Franktown

Action To Repeal Zoning Changes Was Rash

Dear Editor:

Thank you for your thorough coverage of the debate over Northampton County's "zoning mess." Just when you think it could not get any more absurd, it does.

You wonder how three members of a newly constituted board of supervisors, without public discussion or notice to constituents, could at their first meeting, take it upon themselves to resolve to repeal an entire zoning ordinance enacted by the prior board, after years of study and debate. Their urgency was such (and their preparation so flawed) that they had to be reminded by counsel of the laws governing the timely notice of such actions.

What this panel of three also overlooked was that the reason they gave for their action (conflict of the

2015 ordinance with the Comprehensive Plan) directly contradicted the official position taken by the county just six days earlier. In a lawsuit then pending in the Circuit Court of Northampton County, the complaining party had, like the three supervisors, alleged that the 2015 ordinance violated the Comprehensive Plan. The County roundly denied this allegation, stating, "There is no requirement that a zoning ordinance be consistent with a locality's comprehensive plan, only that it be considered."

Actually, under the law, there are over 20 things "to be considered"; but under Virginia law, none of these are of such pre-eminence as to mandate the repeal of a zoning ordinance. So at the time the panel of three was justifying its unprecedented rush to judgment, they were acting in the teeth of the official position of the county itself.

I have no doubt that fault can be found in both versions of the ordinance, but I can say this: After 40 years of working with laws of every variety, federal, state and local, Northampton's 2009 zoning ordinance falls just short of the IRS Code in obfuscation.

Walkley Johnson, Exmore

Post Story Misrepresents Accused Murderer

Dear Editor:

It would be greatly appreciated if your reporters (Linda Cicoira, in particular) would use factual information in their articles and not report invalid, inaccurate, imprecise hearsay that circulates the Eastern Shore. My remarks are prompted by your front page article entitled, "2 Charged with Murder," which was published in your paper on Friday, Feb. 19.

This particular article contains statements that have yet to be justified in court. Notably, the Cicoira article states that Jahad Arell Triggs was arrested on the 11th of February. In actuality, he turned himself in on that date with the assistance of his attorney. As published, your article insinuates he was picked up off the streets. This article is a complete defamation of this young man's character. The only factual information is the age of Jahad Triggs and the fact that he does not have a criminal record.

Anyone that knows Jahad Triggs is aware that he is an awesome kid who was an A-B student in school, and received Advance Proficiency on EVERY state standardized test he took. He was even in your paper as a great basketball player.

Articles such as the one written and published by the Eastern Shore Post about Jahad Arell (not "Areil") Triggs are damaging to the outcome of his case and potentially detrimental to his future. When publishing articles of this nature, it is imperative that the information published in your newspaper is as factual as possible. If there is any doubt as to the accuracy of any of the information, the ethical thing to do is to verify it or omit it.

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