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The Cape Charles Beach still holds appeal on brisk winter days.

Cape Charles One of Happiest Seaside Towns

By Stefanie Jackson

Cape Charles is one of ten finalists selected from towns lining U.S. coasts from sea to shining sea, vying for the title of America's Happiest Seaside Town, in a contest conducted by Coastal Living magazine.

Northampton's premier tourism community is competing alongside some well-known beach destinations, like Ocean City, N.J., and Vero Beach, Fla. It is the only Virginia locale to make the cut.

Coastal Living's editor-in-chief, Sid Evans, said, "All of these towns em-

body two things we love about the coast: access to beautiful beaches and vibrant communities."

On its website, the magazine calls Cape Charles "a Cinderella of the Chesapeake" and an "up-and-coming Eastern Shore gem," featuring "great seafood, a buzzing downtown, and charming historic homes."

Finalists competing for the honor of America's Happiest Seaside Town were nominated on social media. Coastal Living editors determined the top ten by looking

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NASA's New Payload Processing Center Could Be Pay Dirt for Local Economy

By Linda Cicoira

Images courtesy of NASA

A \$20 million payload processing center funded by the state is being constructed near the old Coast Guard station at NASA and will allow more missions from the Mid-Atlantic Regional Spaceport's launchpad on Wallops Island.

"Right now NASA can put payloads together on two areas of the mainland but they are not secure," Del. Rob Bloxom said Tuesday. "They can't go top secret."

But that will change with the new facility, the delegate said.

The target customers, those involved with national security, "seem to be very pleased that we're building this," said Dale Nash, Director of the Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority.

Weather, communication and space crafts that deliver something, like supplies going to the International Space Station, are some of the other projects that could be expanded. Satellites are among the payloads.

The facility would be rented to agencies and schools for their projects. "It could be the Department of Defense or Old Dominion University or Virginia Tech," said Bloxom. The \$20 million is just for the building.

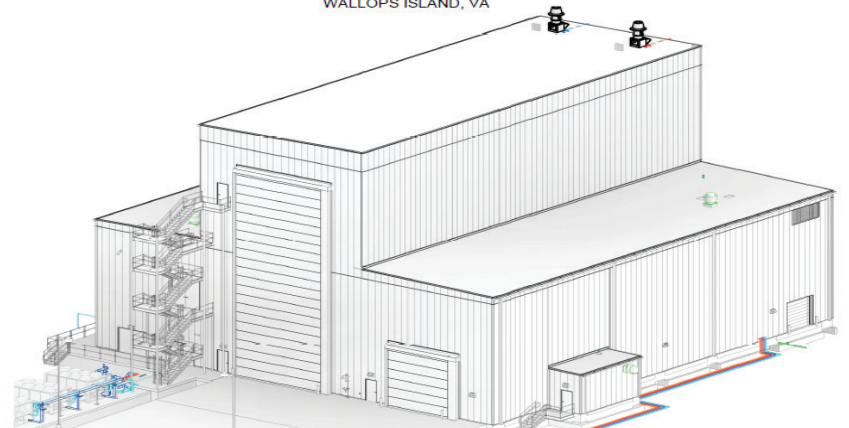
While related jobs include local businesses for construction, the actual projects would bring 15 to 50 people for short-term work (weeks to months) who would need lodging, food and other essentials, but would not be expected to put pressure on local services in-

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MARS PAYLOAD PROCESSING FACILITY

VIRGINIA COMMERCIAL SPACE FLIGHT AUTHORITY

WALLOPS ISLAND, VA



An architectural drawing of NASA's new payload processing center.

SUPERVISORS' GUIDANCE SOUGHT ON EXTENSION OF BIKE TRAIL NORTH TOWARD CAPE CHARLES

By Stefanie Jackson

Barbara Schwenk, transportation program manager at the Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission said in a Jan. 22 presentation to Northampton supervisors that bicycle trails are a "huge economic driver." She was there to brief supervisors on Phase III of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Bicycle Plan and solicit their input on the project.

The bicycle trail plan, completed in 2004, proposes to encompass a 25-mile round trip throughout the Cape Charles and Cheriton area, connecting the wildlife refuge, state park, and nature trail, as well as restaurants, accommodations, and other local businesses.

Phase I of the bicycle trail opened in 2011, beginning at the refuge visitor center and running for 2.6 miles to

Cedar Grove Drive. It was funded by a grant from the Virginia Department of Transportation, obtained by A-NPDC.

Phase II is out for bid, to be constructed in 2018. The 10-foot wide trail, with 2-foot shoulders, will extend 2.4 miles from Cedar Grove Drive to Capeville Drive, within the 66-foot wide railroad right of way owned by The Nature Conservancy.

Schwenk offered five possible locations for Phase III of the biking and walking trail, each presenting a costly dilemma. Running the trail along Old Stone Road would require widening the road and moving ditches. Other locations would require an overpass or underpass to cross Route 13. A-NPDC did not require an immediate decision, but asked supervisors for guidance in eliminating the least desirable options. Supervisors said safety is key, and they wish to avoid any option that would include a bicycle route along the road shoulder.

"Jobs, jobs, jobs," Northampton Supervisor Robert Duer declared as the county's top priority in 2018. Chairman Spencer Murray affirmed that statement, saying supervisors are going to "push economic development" this year. A full

story on Murray's discussion of goals for Northampton in 2018 appears on page 25.

The subject of jobs came up again when supervisors examined the county's resolution on offshore oil drilling. Gov. Ralph Northam recently submitted a letter to the U.S. Department of the Interior requesting Virginia be excluded from President Donald Trump's plan to expand offshore drilling.

Supervisor David Fauber said he is not a supporter of offshore drilling, but conceded it would bring jobs to the area, and wondered if those jobs would extend to the Eastern Shore. Supervisor Oliver Bennett said he would like to see a study presenting "unbiased pros and cons" of offshore drilling. Murray emphasized, "a spill would devastate aquaculture" and is not a risk worth taking; Supervisor John Coker agreed. The board unanimously approved the re-adoption of the resolution stating their opposition to offshore drilling.

Supervisors continued their debate over the new EMS garage to be built to house and protect the county's emergency services vehicles and equipment.

When the project was put out to bid in May 2017, estimates received were about \$100,000 higher than the original spending cap of \$250,000. Director of Public Works Chris Thomas reformulated the proposal to be re-submitted for bid, including a 40 x 60-foot building with three 12 x 12-foot vehicle storage bays, and one restroom. The new proposal includes framing the building with wood instead of steel to reduce overall costs.

This is not the first obstacle supervisors encountered with the EMS garage project. Northampton leased the site from George Drummond, who built the original structure. When the county purchased the parcel from Drummond in 2015, they were required to install their own utilities, including a well and septic system. Director of Public Works Chris Thomas was tasked with determining a feasible location for the new building on the small parcel. There is also a 16-inch-thick slab of concrete underground, where Route 13 once ran, which must be removed before the new building can be erected.

Correction

The byline in the Jan. 19 article about Northampton Victim Witness Advocate Jo Ann Molera was incorrect. The article was written by Eastern Shore Post reporter Stefanie Jackson.

January 27

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Aerial photograph of site preparation for new NASA payload processing center.

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Kelly Lidard, Author of Ponies Guide, Dies

By Connie Morrison

Kelly Lidard, 47, known for her photographs of Chincoteague ponies, many of which were featured in her regularly updated “Chincoteague Field Guide to Wild Ponies” and an annual Chincoteague ponies calendar, died Dec. 30 in Richmond, where she was receiving treatment for cancer. She was diagnosed last summer.

For years she had been a mainstay at art festivals on the island, selling photographs and her pony calendars, said her daughter, Raven Sobel. In 2014 she published “The Chincoteague Guide to Wild Ponies,” which proved to be very popular, according to Sobel and Jon Richstein, owner of Sundial Books on Chincoteague.

“People on Chincoteague swear by it,” he said. “They take it apart and put it in plastic” to protect it when out on the water. “It was a labor of love for her,” Richtein said.

Lidard’s mother, Geri Toland, said Lidard’s love for horses began at a young age. At 2 ½ she wanted a horse; by 4 she had saved enough money to buy one. At the time they lived just inside the Baltimore town limit, but Lidard didn’t see a problem with that. “We can give him Vernon’s room.” Vernon was her brother.

At 6, Toland took Lidard to see the

Chincoteague ponies for the first time. Toland said she spoke to a fireman about the ponies because Lidard wanted to know their names, and when they turned around they saw a woman leading a horse. “It turned out to be Maureen Beebe.” It was the beginning of a lifelong admiration.

Lidard left Chincoteague for a while. “She did photography in California for a lot of up-and-coming rock bands,” said Toland. She had a gift for always seeing stars as people; staying grounded. “I was proud of her.” But she eventually returned to the Shore, and returned to the ponies.

“She became a very special person on the island,” Toland said. “She put her heart and soul into this last book,” she added. “She knew it was her last book and calendar.”

Sobel said she hasn’t thought much about the future of the guide. “My knowledge ... is very small compared to hers,” she said. Lidard’s information reached back to the 1980s, but “she didn’t keep a lot of notes. A lot of it was in her head. When it came to the horses, she had an impeccable memory.”

Sobel said plans for a memorial service are in the works for Saturday, April 14, the weekend of Spring Roundup. It will be held at Robert Reed Park in the afternoon. A time will be announced later.

~ Cape Charles ~
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at each town’s rank on the Gallup-Healthways Well-Being Index, as well as beach condition, air quality, percentage of sunny days, walkability, crime rate, standard of living, financial well-being, commute times, and last but not least, “coastal vibe.”

If the statistics aren’t enough to convince you, let Cape Charles residents tell you for themselves why they’re so happy.

In a response to an Eastern Shore Post survey in December, Kay Goffigon Phillips said, “The people ... are so warm and friendly,” and at shops like Breezes Wellness Spa & Boutique. “The staff is genuinely nice.”

Nan Bennett said living in Cape Charles is “like stepping back in time to my childhood. Mayberry comes to mind.” She likes Brown Dog Ice Cream and “the beautiful beach and the pier because of the awesome sunsets,” and “Cape Charles Museum because it gives one a sense of who we are and how we came to be.”

Mike Strub likes the “relaxed atmosphere with plenty of talented diverse folks. The beach has clean white sand and

there is no litter. The sunsets are great.”

Bruce Brinkley said, “Art everywhere! Small town, big art.”

Thomas Purnell Powell, who was born and raised on Randolph Avenue, commented, “Small town, most people look out for others.” William Brown Fine, a former summer and holiday resident, agreed. “There was always great love and concern for the town. People from Cape Charles were different; just good caring people.”

Vote for Cape Charles at COASTAL-LIVING.com/HappyTown2018 The ballot is also at Coastal Living’s Facebook page. Voting began Tue., Jan. 23, and ends Tue., Feb. 6, at 5 p.m. You may vote once per minute. Coastal Living will announce the winner June 12.

Linda Cicaira contributed to this article

Notice

The John Stewart who lives in Jamesville wishes it to be known he is NOT the John Stewart who lives in Wardtown, who appeared in an article last week criticizing President Trump. John Stewart of Jamesville supports President Trump.

SEARCH FOR NEW COLLEGE PRESIDENT PAUSED DURING BUILDING CONSTRUCTION

By Linda Cicaira

The hunt for a long-term Eastern Shore Community College president has been delayed, according to an announcement made last week.

“After discussions with senior staff and the local board chair of the ESCC, I am delaying the search for the institution’s next permanent president,” Chancellor Glenn Dubois of the state community college system announced last week.

“The college is about to undergo its 10-year review for reaffirmation and accreditation with the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC),” Dubois explained. “This arduous process will consume a great deal of faculty and staff effort and attention not already focused on the students the college now serves. Now is not a preferred time to subject the ESCC to such an important and involved national search for its next president in the midst of the accreditation process.”

The chancellor appointed Billy Greer to serve as the interim president in No-

vember. Greer started the job Monday “and is working well through the transition process with President Thomas-Glover. Dr. Greer’s passion for and experience with the Eastern Shore com-

munity are not the only reasons I hired him,” he said. “Greer’s impressive career, which includes three college presidencies, also includes a great deal of successful experience with SACSCOC accredi-

tation processes. I am confident in his ability to work with staff and the board to provide the leadership that is most integral to lead the college through this review successfully.”

Chincoteague Chamber Awarded \$10,000 To Coax Workers to Use Their Vacation Days

By Linda Cicaira

A \$10,000 grant was awarded to the Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce & Certified Visitor Center Tuesday as part of the Virginia Tourism Corporation’s (VTC) ongoing efforts to encourage citizens across the country to utilize unused vacation days.

The VTC awarded \$250,000 to 25 tourism marketing projects in the state. More than 155 partners are expected to participate in the “Crush Friday Program,” which supports U.S. Travel’s “Project: Time Off.”

“We are delighted to promote our ‘Beautiful Land Across the Water’ to hard-working individuals desperately needing

a change of scenery,” said Evelyn Shotwell, executive director of the Chincoteague chamber. “Our wide open marshes, abundant wildlife, pristine beaches, hiking and biking trails, fresh coastal cuisine, and unique shopping experiences are just a few of the treats that await you. Did I mention we also have wild ponies?”

The chamber partnered with the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, Chincoteague Island Arts Organization, Christmas By the Sea, Historic Main Street Merchants Association, Toms Cove Aqua Farms, Eastern Shore of Virginia Tourism Commission and local restaurants and lodging businesses to supply matched marketing ef-

forts for the project.

“This innovative project will allow us to promote shoulder season visitation more aggressively with added funds to reach our target drive markets who can capitalize on a long weekend,” Shotwell said. “The economic impact will be felt across all industry sectors as visitors shop, dine, take nature cruises and explore all that Chincoteague and Assateague Islands have to offer.”

American workers left 662 million vacation days on the table last year. The project is aimed at changing the mindset of work martyrs and to show the benefit of even one day of vacation allowing for a three-day weekend.

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Court Postings

By Linda Cicaira

Woman Threatened To Blow Up Steamers

A Northern Virginia woman was charged with threatening to blow up a Chincoteague nightspot last weekend.

Kimberly Anne Simmons, 46, of Middleford Drive in Springfield, allegedly made the threat when being removed from Steamers Restaurant and Sports Bar by bouncer Jared Carter on Jan. 20. She is also accused of biting his finger (assault and battery) and obstruction of justice, both misdemeanors.

Simmons is being held in Accomack Jail without bond. Officer S.C. Lenhoff of the Chincoteague Police Department investigated.

Cheriton Man Sentenced To 31 Years For Drug And Uttering Charges

A Cheriton man was sentenced Monday in Northampton Circuit Court to 31 years in prison for drug and uttering charges.

All but four years was suspended for 56-year-old Melvin Andrew Benton Jr., a single parent who said he committed the crimes because he needed the money.

Judge W. Revell Lewis sentenced Benton to seven years in prison with five years suspended for possession with intent to distribute nearly an ounce of cocaine. Lewis gave Benton another five years for each of five counts of uttering counterfeit bills and suspended all but two years of that term for a total of four years to serve. Benton was ordered to make restitution of \$2,500 to Dollar General in Cape Charles.

Upon release from prison, he was ordered to be on good behavior for 10 years and supervised probation for three. He will also have a suspended driver's license for six months.

Commonwealth's Attorney Beverly Leatherbury said Benton used the counterfeit bills to load money to a credit card at the store. Then he went to the nearby Food Lion and took out \$200 at a time and transferred the remainder of the balance to his sister. When an officer went to arrest him, he was found with crack and powdered cocaine.

Benton asked for leniency and said

he "doesn't want to put blame on anyone else. I had what I thought was a good reason ... to make sure my son had a good education. ... I thought it was the right reason. ... I apologize for what I have done. I raised my son since he was two years old. ... Now he's being raised by my niece."

In another case, Kenneth Gray, 61, of Williamston, N.C., pleaded guilty in an Alford plea, which means he maintains his innocence but admitted to the charges because of overwhelming evidence, to possession of a controlled substance and possession of marijuana. Gray contended that his brother put the drugs in the car before he left New York on a return trip home. A presentence report was ordered.

Zachary Edward Sayers, of Cape Charles, was given a 90-day suspended sentence and was ordered to do 50 hours of community service in the next six months for assault and battery, a misdemeanor. He was initially charged with attempted malicious wounding, a felony. The victim was Bruce Nutter.

Evidence showed the late grandfathers of the two men had been friends and the men had a conflict regarding who owned tools that were left. Sayers confronted the Nutter while he was cutting grass and backed his truck up to hit him, according to two neighbors who did not know the men.

Judge Recuses Self From Strangulation Case Involving Local Teacher

A local judge recused himself from a criminal case involving a Nandua High School teacher last week because the defendant is the nephew of the court's clerk.

Judge Gordon Vincent of Northampton General District Court will not preside over a case involving a felony count of strangulation made against Jeffrey Antonio Wayman, 39, a physical education/driver education instructor with Accomack County Public Schools, because Clerk of the District Court Karen Sparrow Merritt is Wayman's aunt, according court documents.

Wayman, of Belle Haven Road in Belle Haven, is accused of strangling Tyler Combs, 21, of Seaside Road in Capeville, on Dec. 24, 2017, at Kelly's Gingernut Pub on Mason Avenue in Cape Charles. He was also charged with assault and battery of Combs and disorderly conduct.

Before recusing himself, Vincent set

a \$5,000 unsecured bond for Wayman, which was agreed upon by defense lawyer Paul Watson and Commonwealth's Attorney Beverly Leatherbury. The bond specified that Wayman "may not leave Virginia, no excessive alcohol, no possession of firearms or other dangerous weapons, no contact with the complaining witness and good behavior."

Gordon also removed himself from hearing the charges against Combs. He is accused of reckless handling of a firearm, disorderly conduct, brandishing a firearm and carrying a concealed firearm without a permit, all misdemeanors. Combs is also free on bond.

The Accomack School Board could have taken action to suspend Wayman from his job until the case is decided. However, no such action has been taken and Wayman continues to teach classes.

Cape Charles Police Chief Jim Pruitt said both men had been drinking. "Some words were exchanged and then the two got into a scuffle. It could have been a really bad situation. The other issue we have is nobody called and reported it" despite a reported room full of people in attendance.

No shots were fired. An ABC agent is "looking into it on the administrative side," Agent Chelsea Pfeifer said.

In other cases, Jeffrey Craig Bradford, 35, of Belle Haven Road in Belle Haven, and Robley Todd Hastings, 36, of Westfield Avenue in Exmore, were charged with burglary in connection with an incident that occurred on Jan. 15, 2018. They were arrested the same day. Both were released on unsecured bond of \$2,000. Deputy William Lewis of Northampton County Sheriff's Office investigated.

Devonte Sandy, 24, of Culls Drive in Cheriton, was charged with distribution of a Schedule I or II drug on Jan. 17, 2018. Deputy C.L. Forbes of NCSO investigated. He is being held without bond.

Charges Pending In Shooting At Mary N. Smith Center

A suspect has been interviewed and charges could be made pending further investigation in connection with the shooting of two men outside the Mary N. Smith Cultural Center near Accomack last weekend.

Sheriff Todd Godwin said Wednesday the man, who was not identified, is suspected as being the shooter of both Marquise Downing, 34, and Cymaine Banks,

33, of Parksley.

The incident was reported to the sheriff's office at 1:20 a.m., Sunday, Jan. 21. When deputies arrived at the former school, they found the two suffering from gunshot wounds. A private party was being held and several people were outside when a dispute occurred and gunshots were fired, Godwin said.

Downing and Banks were taken to Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital and then airlifted to Sentara Norfolk General Hospital. The sheriff's office was assisted by state police, and officers from Parksley, Onley and Onancock police departments.

Anyone with information about this or any other crime, is asked to call the sheriff's office at 757-787-1131 or 757-824-5666. Tips may also be submitted through the sheriff's website at accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org

Driver Charged With DUI in 4-Vehicle Crash

By Stefanie Jackson

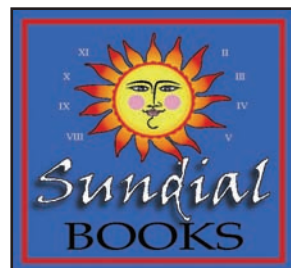
A Cheriton man who was driving under the influence caused a four-vehicle accident Saturday, Jan. 20, that sent him and his passenger to the hospital with "non-life threatening" injuries, according to Virginia State Police.

Brandon Owens, 30, ran his SUV off Route 13 across from Sting-Ray's Restaurant in Cape Charles, and hit three parked, unoccupied vehicles at approximately 1:32 p.m.

The Northampton County Sheriff's Office was called at 1:45 p.m. to assist, Sheriff David Doughty said.

The injured driver and passenger were air-lifted and transported to Norfolk Sentara Hospital.

Owens was arrested for DUI, reckless driving for failure to maintain lane, and possession of marijuana.



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OBITUARIES

Martha Elizabeth Hawkins Crumb

Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Hawkins Crumb, 91, of Roanoke, Va., died Saturday, Nov. 18, 2017. She was born Dec. 21, 1925 in Richmond, Va., child of William M. Hawkins and Inez Middleton Hawkins. Both her parents, an infant brother; and a special grandson, William Warner Bodine, preceded her in death.



Mrs. Crumb

Mrs. Crumb grew up in Richmond where she attended John Marshall High School and was a proud member of her high school orchestra, playing the concert bass (or "bass fiddle" as she loved to call it). She continued her education at Richmond Professional Institute (now Virginia Commonwealth University), excelling in her studies and earning a degree in medical technology.

In 1947, she married the Rev. Charles Warner Crumb and spent the rest of her life as a worthy and devoted helpmate in her husband's United Methodist ministry, sharing her skills and her loving spirit with her children and grandchildren. Mrs. Crumb was an avid reader, a wonderful cook and a devoted mother to her two daughters, by whom she wished to be referred to as "The Landlord." The Landlord laid down the law and expected compliance. She was rarely disappointed.

Loving survivors include her devoted husband of 70 years, Rev. C. Warner Crumb, her daughters, Elizabeth Snead (and husband, Bob) of Roanoke, Nell Bodine of Lynchburg, grandchildren Martha Facenda (and husband, Dave) of Kill Devil Hills, N.C., Elizabeth Bowdel (and husband, Jamey) of Roanoke, David Bodine (and wife, Kristen) of Richmond and Michael Bodine (and girlfriend, Natalie Farmer) also of Richmond. Also surviving are great-grandchildren Aida and Luca Facenda, Zoey Bodine, and Reagan Bowdel (appearing soon), former son-in-law Bill Bodine and a host of special cousins, nieces and nephews.

A memorial service was held at

Greene Memorial United Methodist Church on Saturday, Nov. 25, 2017, with the Revs. Gary Heaton, David Mucha and Bernard Via officiating, and inurnment at Forest Lawn Cemetery in Richmond deferred to a later date. The family expresses its deepest appreciation to the loving staff of the Hermitage Roanoke. Memorial gifts may be made to the West End Community Center, Greene Memorial U.M. Church Building Fund, or the Samaritan Fund of Hermitage Roanoke. Arrangements were made by Oakey's Roanoke Chapel and Crematory.

Dane Michael Jones

Mr. Dane Michael Jones, 36, a resident of Painter, passed away Friday, Jan. 19, 2018, at his residence. Born June 9, 1981 in Collinsville, Ill., and reared in Onancock, he was the son of Robert Bernie "BJ" Jones, of Painter, and Sherry L. Morgan and husband, Charles E. "Gene" Morgan Jr., of Onancock.

Mr. Jones graduated from Nandua High School, where he was praised for his skills on the football field and was known for his compassionate nature, sweet smile, and big truck. Following high school, he attended James Madison University, earning his bachelor's degree in finance and accounting. Mr. Jones worked as a logistics coordinator for Lockheed Martin, was a volunteer coach for Nandua's football team, and had recently been accepted as a substitute teacher for Accomack County Public Schools. He was a loyal fan of the Kansas City Chiefs, loved a good mud hop, and spent most of his free time at the YMCA lifting weights or helping others achieve their lifting goals. Mr. Jones will forever be remembered for his kind soul, beautiful heart, and unconditional love, which he graciously shared with all who knew him.

In addition to his parents and stepfather, Mr. Jones is survived by two stepsisters, Pam Lewis and husband, Tommy, of Exmore, and Shelia Belote and husband, Richard, of Onancock; two stepbrothers, Charles E. Morgan III and wife, Laura, of Quinby, and Shane Morgan and wife,



Mr. Jones

Maureen, of Machipongo; seven nieces and nephews, Morgan Lewis, Shelby Bonniwell and husband, Cole, Jade and Hayes Belote, Charlie and Coy Morgan, and Campbell Morgan; great-nephew, Benjamin Bonniwell; great-niece, Peyton Evans; many other extended family members; and countless friends.

A memorial service will be held at Oak Grove United Methodist Church in Melfa, on Saturday, Jan. 27, 2018, at 11 a.m., with Rev. Curtis Lucy officiating. The family will greet friends at the church a half hour prior to the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Oak Grove UMC, 17300 Main St., Painter, VA 23420.

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

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Donald L. Hart Sr.

Mr. Donald L. Hart Sr., 86, beloved husband of Rosalie Stevens Hart and a resident of Keller passed away Monday, Jan. 22, 2018, at Heritage Hall Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Nassawadox.

Born Jan. 8, 1932, in Bobtown, he was a son of the late L. Brooks Hart Sr. and Flora Berry Hart Etz. Mr. Hart's greatest passions in life were gardening, fishing, hunting, and most importantly, his family. As owner and operator of Buxus Nursery, Mr. Hart looked



Mr. Hart

forward to going to work and maintaining the fruits of his labor. He enjoyed reading and studying geography and history and he loved to travel, near or far, but was especially fond of long car rides with his wife, Rosie. Whether Mr. Hart was taking care of a loved one, playing jokes, or having treasure hunts with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren, family was always first. As a true patriarch, his legacy will live on through the unwavering love and support he showed throughout his life.

In addition to his loving wife of 64 years, he is survived by his son, Donald L. Hart Jr. and wife, Beth, of Keller; six grandchildren, Dereck Lee Hart and wife, Courtney, of Keller, Donald L. Hart III

and wife, Sasha, of Henderson, Nev., Kristin Hart Shockey and husband, Craig, of Madison Heights, Va., Avery Hart Long and husband, Patrick, of Belle Haven, Anna Lynn Hart, of Keller, and Hillary B. Robinson and husband, Cody, of Dover, Del.; 10 great-grandchildren, Dereck Lee Jr., Ethan Ray, Alysia, Dwayne, Aaliyah, Nevaeh, Lailani, Braelyn, and Kameron Hart, and Mason Talley; two brothers, Brann B. Hart and Peter V. Hart; three sisters, Joan H. Northam and husband, Leslie, Ingelow H. Swain, and Jeanne Frazier; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Other than his parents, he was predeceased by his son, Lemuel Ray Hart; and two brothers, L. Brooks Hart Jr. and Henry C. Hart.

Funeral services will be conducted from the chapel of the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home on Friday, Jan. 26, 2018, at 11 a.m., with Rev. Barbara Parker officiating. Interment in the Belle Haven Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Mears Memorial United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 100, Keller, VA 23401.

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

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Margaret Ann Morris Parks

Mrs. Margaret Ann Morris Parks, 95, wife of the late Upshur Warren Parks Sr., and a resident of Parksley, passed away at her home on Thursday, Jan. 18, 2018. She will be greatly missed by her family.

Born June 30, 1922, in Woodland, Del., she was the first of four children born to Harry C. Morris and Myrtle A. Parsons Morris. Mrs. Parks graduated from Seaford High School and worked as a switchboard operator for the telephone company until she met her



Mr. Parks

husband, Warren. They married and she moved to Virginia, working by Warren's side for over 40 years establishing their business, Parks Motor Company, and serving as the Secretary/Treasurer.

She joined Grace United Methodist Church, where she was a longtime active member. Among many roles at the church, she spent much time gath-

Ruth Mitchell West

Mrs. Ruth Mitchell West, 93, wife of the late Howard U. West and a resident of Oyster, passed away Friday, Jan. 19, 2018, at her residence. A native of Hog Island, she was the daughter of the late James T. Mitchell and the late Maggie Doughty Mitchell. She was a member of Travis Chapel United Methodist Church.



Mrs. West

She is survived by a son, Gary M. West and his wife, Sharon, of Cherrystone; five grandchildren, Angela West, of California, Kelly W. Webb and her husband, Kyle, of Franktown, Ken Lewis and his wife, Dawn, of Cheriton, Tony Lewis and his wife, Shawna, of Machipongo, and Karen Ferguson, of Pennsylvania; eight great-grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. She was predeceased by two sisters, Virginia M. Simpson and Mary M. Parsons, and one brother, Wesley Mitchell.

A graveside service was conducted Jan. 21, 2018, at Cape Charles Cemetery with Rev. Janet C. Allen officiating. Memorials may be made to Riverside Shore Cancer Center, P.O. Box 430, Onancock, VA 23417.

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

Arrangements were made by Wilkins-Doughty Funeral Home in Cape Charles.

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ering flowers every Saturday, for Sunday services, cooking turnip greens for dinners, and making fig preserves to sell at their bazaars. Mrs. Parks was an avid gardener, planting enough for the entire community, and gladly delivering her vegetables. She was a past member of Soroptimist International.

Survivors include two sons, Upshur Warren Parks Jr. and wife, Donna, of Justisville, and Jeffrey Arnold Parks and wife, Betsy, of Atlanta, Ga.; five grandchildren, Upshur Warren Parks III and wife, Kristin, Maegan Leigh Smith and husband, Pete, Jeffrey A. Parks Jr., Thomas Lee Parks, and Sarah Elizabeth Parks; four great-grandchildren, Brantley Parks Smith, Aston Warren Parks, Braeden Garrett Smith, and Brookelynn Leila Smith; two sisters, Eleanor M. Jamison of Seaford, Del., and Kathleen M. Abbott and husband, Howard, of Georgetown, Del.; one niece; and two nephews. In addition to her husband and parents, she was predeceased by a grandson, Dennis Sewell Parks, and a brother, John Morris.

Funeral services were conducted from the Grace United Methodist Church on Thursday, Jan. 25, 2018, at 2 p.m., with Mr. George Fulk officiating. Interment followed at the Liberty Cemetery in Parksley.

Memorial donations may be made to Grace United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 156, Parksley, VA 23421, St. Thomas United Methodist Church, c/o Robert Carr, P.O. Box 485, Parksley, VA 23421, or to the Parksley Volunteer Fire Company, P.O. Box 14, Parksley, VA 23421.

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

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Betty Jones Sharpley

Mrs. Betty Jones Sharpley, 87, died on Jan. 19, 2018. Born in Salisbury on Sept. 1, 1930, she was the daughter of the late Harry V. Jones and Ethel Kelley Jones.



Mrs. Sharpley

Mrs. Sharpley graduated from Wicomico High School in 1947. After marriage and a family, she lived away, returning to Salisbury in 1968 and beginning work

as a secretary for H.H. Hanna III and William J. Ahtes, retiring in 1995. After retiring she worked as administrative assistant to John (Chris) Davis, of Davis Properties, retiring in 2007.

She served many years as an election judge for the Wicomico County Election Board and also served as a bailiff for the Wicomico County Circuit Court.

She was a member of Bethesda United Methodist Church for more than 50 years, where she served and chaired many committees. She was also a member of the PRMC Junior Board Auxiliary.

She is survived by a son, Mark V. Holloway (Peggy), of Accomac; a grandson, Lewis Holloway, of Easton; a granddaughter, Kelley Holloway, of Accomac; four great-grandchildren, Madison, Adrianna, Owen, and C.J.; two nieces, Valerie M. Dawson (David), of Salisbury, and Stephanie M. Ray (Michael), of Westminster, Md.; great-nephew, Jonathan Ray, of Westminster, Md., and a stepdaughter, Cynthia Sharpley (Nicole), of White Plains, Md.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William C. Sharpley Sr.; son, J.R. Holloway III, and a sister, Mary Frances Macon.

The family would like to thank Dr. P.J. Mehta and his staff for all of their care and concern.

A memorial service will be held at Bethesda United Methodist Church, 406 N. Division St., Salisbury, MD 21801, on Saturday, Jan. 27, 2018, at 3 p.m. Friends and family may call one hour prior to the service. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to B.U.M.C. Endowment Fund or Coastal Hospice.

Please visit www.hollowayfh.com to express condolences to the family.

Arrangements were made by Holloway Funeral Home, P.A., 501 Snow Hill Rd., Salisbury, Md. 21804.

Donald G. Spady

Mr. Donald G. Spady, 95, died Friday, Jan. 19, 2018, at home in the house he built. He was born in Bridgetown, Northampton County, on the Eastern Shore. He was predeceased by parents Southey Robert and Nan Williams; sisters Mary Margaret Floyd and Nan Crockett; brother S. Robert Spady; and daughter-in-law Ann Boutchard Spady.

He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Eileen Howard; sons, D. Graham Jr. (Gladys R.), John Robert, and Howard Williams



Mr. Spady

(Fran); daughter, Paula Maria and fourth son, T. Patrick Cherry; grandchildren, Joseph (Sara) and Amy Spady, residing in Italy, Jonathan, Graham III, Emily Spady and Sarah Spady Duhamel (Mike), of the peninsula; two great-grandchildren; and other family members.

He left the Eastern Shore to attend national defense training and began working at Newport News Ship Building. He was called into military service and served in the U.S. Army in World War II as part of the 10th Infantry Division. He returned to the shipyard where he worked as a foreman until he retired in 1979. He started Spady Sheet Metal in 1953 and retired from Donald G. Spady Inc. as a general contractor in 2002.

Mr. Spady was always involved in community affairs. He was active in Chestnut Avenue Methodist, St. Rose of Lima, and Immaculate Conception churches. He was a founding member of Wesley United Methodist Church where he was involved in various committees and activities. In years past, he was involved in scouting (Pack 24, Troop 10), Toastmasters, City Unity Commission, and Hampton politics. He served many years on the boards of Riverdale Recreation Association and Seton Manor.

Always proud of his Eastern Shore heritage, he never really left the farm. He was an avid gardener and loved animals. He instilled in his children a love of nature and the environment. He enjoyed attending the symphony, Fort Monroe concerts, traveling, and reading. Visiting and talking about the Eastern Shore made him happy. Mr. Spady was a loving husband, father, grandfather, a good neighbor and a loyal friend.

A memorial service was held on Thursday, Jan. 25, 2018, at Wesley United Methodist Church, Hampton.

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

Arrangements were made by R. Hayden Smith Funeral Home in Hampton.

H.K. Lee Made a Lasting Difference for Shore's Developmentally Disabled

By Bill Sterling

Special to the Eastern Shore Post

It has been 34 years since H.K. Lee left the Eastern Shore to pursue career opportunities elsewhere, but the impact he had on this area and the opportunities he created for the developmentally disabled are still being felt here today.

Lee passed away peacefully at the age of 71 at his Virginia Beach home Jan. 12 with his wife Debbie by his side.

Lee left the Shore as a relatively young man of 37 after spending 13 years here. Never one to let moss grow under his feet, before joining the Mentally Retarded System Services, Lee taught school, sold life insurance, managed a restaurant, and worked in the trucking business.

However, he was best known on the Shore for the almost three years he served as executive director of the Mental Retardation Services System. In the time he headed up the vocational center for disadvantaged clients, several ventures went from losing propositions to profit-making operations, the enrollment increased nearly 100 percent and a residential home for 10 developmentally disabled adults was established.

"H.K. became very involved in the community and understood the value of getting the word out on what we could offer," said Cheryl Davis, who eventually succeeded Lee as director of the MRSS. "He was speaking before groups, attracting volunteers and raising funds to support our services. He had a huge impact and left us much better off than when he arrived."

Lee, who grew up in northern Virginia and then attended high school in Silver Spring, Md., left the Shore to assume a statewide position in Richmond as grants manager for the developmentally disabled. A graduate of Randolph Macon College, he furthered his studies at Virginia Commonwealth University and Old Dominion University.

Although Peggy Downing, one of the founders of the Association for Retarded Citizens, had very little contact with Lee after he left the Shore, she remembers him well for the empathy he had for the people he served. "H.K. really cared for both the clients and their parents," says Downing, now 91. "We were really sad to hear he was moving on, but understood it was a good move for him."

Another ARC founder, Leonard Sturgis, who today is its president though he is 92, recalls Lee as having made a major impact in his short time working with his group.

Jim Cannon, who was the head of the Community Services Board, which eventually assumed the programs of the MRSS, said Lee "had a unique set of skill sets which allowed him to succeed at most any venture he attempted. He had a good understanding of business principles and was a great people person who knew the importance of public relations."

Cannon and Lee stayed in touch through the years. Cannon traveled from his home in Florida to help Lee's wife care for him in his final months and was at the house when Lee passed away after a lengthy battle with cancer that brought on other complications.

Cannon says today's vocational programs, which include a Shorecrafts Store, greenhouse, vocational center and adult residential center, were just getting started when Lee arrived to MRSS and grew significantly under his leadership. "He always had a can-do attitude," recalls Cannon.



H.K. Lee

Lee married the former Bonnie Davis during his time on the Shore, and they had two sons, Greg and Michael, who both reside on the Shore. Following his divorce, he married Debbie, who was with him for the final 15 years of his life and at the end.

A memorial service for Lee was held Jan. 25 in Virginia Beach. Memorial donations may be made to the Eastern Shore Vocational Center, 3462 Main St., Exmore, Virginia 23350.

CAPITAL LETTERS



By Sen. Lynwood Lewis

We've finished up our first full week of the 2018 General Assembly session and we are moving at a break-neck pace. The week kicked off with

Gov. Northam's State of the Commonwealth address in which he laid out his goals and plans for the assembly.

The rest of the week was as busy as I can remember the first full week of session being, with long committee meetings and full dockets. I had several bills up in committee already, including my bills regarding beneficial use and recycling, nonpartisan redistricting, dredging and creating a cabinet position for coastal resiliency and flooding adaptation.

While my bill to adapt the Iowa model of nonpartisan redistricting – Senate Bill 427 – failed to report out of committee on a tie 7-7 vote, we are still exploring other avenues of a path forward for nonpartisan redistricting. I've also submitted a bill that would set only criteria for

redistricting and am hopeful that it will make it to the Senate floor. Our Coastal Resiliency Cabinet Position Bill, SB 265, reported out of the Agricultural, Conservation and Natural Resources committee and was referred to the Finance Committee on a 10-3 vote. Addressing resiliency and remedial flooding must be a priority for our commonwealth and this bipartisan legislation will put us in the best position to receive federal dollars and take real steps towards finding solutions. SB218 directs the Department of Environmental Quality to encourage and support beneficial uses and directs the department to provide an evaluation of Virginia's solid waste recycling rates, along with a set of recommendations for improving the reliability of the supply of recycled materials during the next 10 years in order to provide for beneficial uses. It was uncontested and passed the Senate. It will be heard in the House after crossover next month.

The bill I've introduced to create the Virginia Waterway Maintenance Fund, SB693, has particular importance for the Eastern Shore. It is accompanied by a budget amendment that would allow for

untransferred motor sales tax dollars to be absorbed by the fund and distributed for small commercial dredging projects. With dozens of our waterways here on the Shore in need of dredging or partial dredging, and with so many of our economic drivers depending upon these waterways' navigability, the establishment of this fund is critical. The bill was well-received by the Agricultural, Conservation and Natural Resources committee and was referred to the Finance Committee on a 14-0 vote. Delegate Bloxom has a companion bill in the House.

There are still several of my bills that have yet to be heard, including my legislation to create local and regional drug overdose fatality review teams. Several other legislators have signed on to this legislation, as addressing and finding real solutions for our growing opioid crisis has strong bipartisan and statewide support.

This week in our Agricultural, Conservation and Natural Resources committee meeting we heard a bill that I've already received a lot of concern about from watermen on the Shore. This bill would require that all crab pots sold in the Commonwealth be fit with marine-biodegrad-

able escape panels by January of 2019 and that all crab pots regulated by the Virginia Marine Resources Commission or used within the Commonwealth be retrofitted with these panels by July of 2020. I recognize the problems in the bill and am aware that the technology is not yet ready for prime time and that retrofitting is overly burdensome for our watermen. I also believe that this should have gone through the stakeholder process at VMRC. I voted against reporting the bill to a full floor vote and was surprised that this made it out of committee, but am working to ensure that it does not pass.

We have already had several groups visit from the Shore and the district, with several more on the calendar for visits in the coming weeks. With session in until March 10, I encourage everyone to visit us in Richmond and to continue to monitor the activities legislature on the General Assembly website VirginiaGeneralAssembly.gov I can be reached at our legislative email, District06@senate.virginia.gov, and while in Richmond by telephone at 804-698-7506. Please do not hesitate to contact me on issues with questions about legislation or on issues of concern.



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EASTERN SHORE SPORTS

VARSITY BASKETBALL ACTION

Story and Photos by Krystle Bono

The Broadwater boys started off the week with a win over Atlantic Shores Monday night in Exmore, 49-43.

Leading the Vikings were Jashawn Wharton with 15 points, Nathan Crumb scored 11 and Ahmad Scarborough netted 10. Scarborough had the most rebounds, grabbing eight.

The Viking boys dropped a 46-22 home loss to Hampton Christian Tuesday night.

Wharton led the team again, posting 17 to the scoreboard. Scarborough tossed eight and Clay Wardius threw six points. Wharton and Crumb tied for the team-high in rebounds with five.

Northampton traveled to battle Carver College and Career Academy Saturday afternoon in Chester, where the Yellow Jackets dropped a 71-61 loss to CCA.

Sheldon Payne led his varsity club with 18 points. Tamaze Brisco potted 15 and Vonte Coston scored 11 points. Brian Fisher grabbed the most rebounds with six.

The Yellow Jackets cruised to a 65-52 win over the Arcadia Firebirds Tuesday night in Eastville.

Payne led the pack again, posting 21 points. Coston scored 17 points and Jerron Jenkins tossed eight through the twine.

Brisco had the team-high in rebounds with 10.

Northampton faced Norfolk Academy Wednesday night in a road tilt, but fell to the Bulldogs, 72-38.

Leading the Yellow Jackets for the third-straight game with 17 points was

Payne. Trequan Spady hooped eight and Coston had seven. Aveyon Robinson-Taylor grabbed the most rebounds with four.

The Chincoteague Ponies boys varsity club suffered a deficit to the Salisbury Dragons on their home court Monday evening, 56-42.

Voshawn Davis tallied 27 points to lead the Ponies on the board. Skylar Alvarez potted five points and Trent Clark had four.

The Nandua Warriors boys fell to Pocomoke in Onley Tuesday night, 99-

64, but managed to come back to grip a close 53-52 win over the Firebirds Wednesday night in Oak Hall.

Tuesday evening, the Arcadia Firebirds girls grabbed a win over the Yellow Jackets in Eastville, 40-32. Northampton met the Firebirds on their home court fresh from a 58-49 road win over Greensville County Monday afternoon.

Kaylah Wharton led the Firebirds at the basket with 19

points. Normeia Harris tossed 13 and Denya Woolford posted six.

Maeyanna Delk led the Lady Jackets, hooping 10. Jada Giddens followed her lead with nine points and Brianna Bochman hooped eight.

The Firebirds earned another district win this week over the Warriors, 50-25, Wednesday in Onley.

Broadwater dropped a 70-18 loss to Atlantic Shores in Exmore on Monday.



Arcadia's Kaylah Wharton (15) led the Firebirds with 19 points against the Yellow Jackets Tuesday in Eastville.



Northampton's Jeremiah Major (45) battles Arcadia's Trey Ballard (24) and J. Dorsey (25) for the rebound during their game Tuesday night.

Our Mistake ...

In the photo caption for the NCPB youth basketball photo on Page 18 in last week's edition of the Post, a name was incorrect. The correct name for the player pictured is Amir Bailey.

NORTHAMPTON TAKES THIRD AT RURAL RETREAT INVITATIONAL

By *Krystle Bono*

The Northampton Yellow Jackets wrestling team brought home a third-place finish in the Rural Retreat Invitational at Rural Retreat High School Saturday afternoon. Rural Retreat finished in the top spot, followed by George Wythe in second.

Myles Lewis earned the highest placing individually, finishing first in the 120-pound weight class with a 2-0 record. Lewis defeated Jaden Poe of Carroll County by a technical fall of 17-1 in the semi-finals and then Mason Stewart of James River, 15-0, in the finals to claim his spot at the top of the podium.

Durrell Robinson placed second in the 195-pound weight class, finishing the day 2-1. Robinson topped Carroll County's Cameron Willis by a pin in 24 seconds in the quarterfinals, and then moved on to edge Branden Saunders, of Glenvar, by a 3-2 decision. George Wythe's Andrew Temple came out on top in the finals match by a 6-4 decision, placing Robinson in the second spot overall.

Jaquan Johnson also earned a second-place finish in the 182-pound weight class with a 2-1 record. Johnson pinned Kolby Barnes, of Galax, in the quarterfinals by a fall time of 1:26 and then retired Jesse

Carter, of James River, by a 5-2 decision. Ethan Martin, of Rural Retreat, took the finals match over Johnson by a fall time of 3:04.

Sean Patrick Marsh and Gary Peart III each earned third-place finishes in the 152- and 160-weight classes, respectively.

Marsh ended the day 5-1, falling in the quarterfinals to Brendon Kern, of Central, by a fall of 1:57, but battled back in the consolation rounds to the third-place match, defeating Micah Dunford, of George Wythe, by pin of 2:15.

Peart went 3-1 for the day, topping Adam Akers, of George Wythe, in the quarterfinals, 8-1, but falling to Caxton Vaught, of Galax, in the semis. He went on to win his consolation match by fall of 3:41 over Jackson Shumate, of Carroll County, and then the third-place match over Christian Smith, of Glenvar, 7-4.

Masen Ingram claimed fourth in the 220-pound weight class. Ingram pinned Trevor Hayes, of Central, in 49 seconds in the quarterfinals, but fell to Elijah Lee, of Marion Senior, by fall of 2:46 in the semis. He came back to pin Thomas Wimmer, of Graham, in the consolation semis, and Northwood's Zach Debusk won the third-place match by a pin over Ingram in 36 seconds.



Photo by Jennifer Ingram

Northampton's Myles Lewis earned first in the 120-pound weight class at Rural Retreat on Saturday.



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Submitted Article and Photo

Walker Sports Group Inc. sponsored eight Pre-College Awareness And Planning Workshops for high school students from Accomack and Northampton counties. With the belief that intervention in the early years of high school can put students on a successful path to college attainment and graduation, sessions were held on Oct. 21, Nov. 4, and Dec. 2, at Nandua High School. Seven sessions were conducted, including a parent/guardian informational session.

The workshops focused on encouraging students to see themselves as college bound, instilling the belief that college is accessible for everyone, building a strong foundation for students in and outside of the classroom by helping students choose a college preparatory course schedule in high school and encouraging extracurricular involvement. They helped students plan for standardized testing, building a student's self-motivation to pursue college and a support network of adult mentors to help reach that goal, and helping students assess their career interests and aspirations and begin researching colleges to pursue those goals.

Students discussed plans for taking required standardized tests, and participated in activities to motivate them to pursue a college education. A network of adult mentors provided support through assessing career interests, as well as researching colleges which might be a good fit for individual goals. Kindle Fires were awarded to seven recipients.

The Walker Sports Group thanks the volunteers, parents, participants, and local businesses for supporting the program, as well as presenters, Rev. Brandon McAfee, Devin Allen, Ashlee Hanna, Chevelle Mason, Adam James, Ronnie Holden and Willie Randall for taking the time from their busy schedules to provide valuable information to workshop attendees.

Walker Sports Group is a non-profit organization with the mission to create new opportunities for the youth of the Eastern Shore and surrounding areas through athletics, academics and enrichment activities. For more information, visit www.WalkerSportsGroup.com and follow us on Twitter and Instagram @ WalkerSportsGrp and on Facebook.

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If you have questions or would like to be added to the chapter email list, please contact Worth Saunders at (757) 710-0049, or send your email address to aes3ptocs@yahoo.com



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NCPR Spring Soccer Sign-Ups

Northampton County Parks and Recreation spring soccer sign-ups are underway. Deadline for registration is March 30. The season begins Saturday, April 7. Registration fee is \$35 per player and \$40 after deadline.

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

NCPR Co-Ed Volleyball Registration

Team registration is now open for Northampton County Parks and Recreation Co-Ed Volleyball. Registration deadline is March 19, and the season begins April 2 at Northampton Middle School.

Entry fees are \$125 per team of up to 10 players per roster, with a four male, two female minimum. There is a max of 14 teams.

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

SPORTS SHORTS

ACPR Youth Basketball Practice and Games

Accomack County Parks and Recreation youth basketball games and practices will be held at Arcadia High School, Saturday, Jan. 27, beginning at 9 a.m.

The schedule is as follows:

9 – 10 a.m.: ACPR Hornets & ACPR Heat Practice (ages 5-8)

10 – 11 a.m.: ACPR Knights & ACPR Wizards Practice (ages 5-8)

11 a.m. - Noon: ACPR Celtics & ACPR Lakers Practice (ages 5-8)

12 p.m.: ACPR Celtics vs. ACPR Cavaliers Game (ages 9-12)

1 p.m.: ACPR Lakers vs. ACPR Knights Game (ages 9-12)

2 p.m.: ACPR Heat vs. ACPR Braves Game (ages 13-15)

3 p.m.: ACPR Lakers vs. ACPR Celtics Game (ages 9-12)

Contact the Parks and Recreation office at 757-787-3900 or 757-824-0314 for more information.

Bust the Rust Nandua Softball Camp

The Nandua softball team will

hold its annual camp at Nandua High School on Saturday, Feb. 24, for players aged 8-12. All ability and skill levels are welcome.

Registration will take place from 8 to 8:30 a.m. and is \$35 per player. Camp hours will be from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

All proceeds will benefit the Nandua softball program. This will be a great way to shake off those rusty skills and get ready for the spring softball season. Contact Lynn Williams for more information at 757-710-4242 or find us on Facebook.

Request for Proposals

The Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission (A-NPDC) is seeking expressions of interest from consulting engineering firms who wish to be considered to provide professional engineering services for:

Preparation of a Preliminary Engineering Report and feasibility analysis for Phase III of the Southern Tip Bike/Hike Trail. This section of the trail will be located on approximately 6 miles of former railroad right-of-way currently owned by The Nature Conservancy. The ROW begins at Capeville Drive in Northampton County and continues north to the Route 184/Parsons Circle Road (Route 642) intersection after crossing Route 13 north of Kiptopeke Elementary School.

An optional pre-proposal conference will be held at the A-NPDC, 23372 Front Street, Accomac, VA 23301 on Thursday, February 15, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. Expressions of interest are due no later than February 21, 2018, at 3:00 p.m.

For full documentation contact **Barbara Schwenk** or **Curtis Smith** at 757-787- 2936 x127 or x114 or by email at: bschwenk@a-npdc.org or csmith@a-npdc.org.

The Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d to 2000d-4), and the Regulations, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

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EASTERN SHORE STREET HOCKEY LEAGUE GAME SUMMARIES

By Michael Garbacz

Game 1: Grounds Keepers Lawn Care Capitals 1, EZ Loan Bruins 2

Although the season just crested the halfway point, nearly every contest felt like it could have been conducted in the playoffs. The opener between the Bs and Caps was all that and a bag of chips, a very rough-and-tumble tilt that saw two shorthanded teams really muscling it out. Tayler Parks and the Smooth Criminal each found the back of the net in the first, and from there, each team sought to grind the other down.

A Julian Dedicatoria goal in the third frame gave the Capitals life, and they really threw the kit and caboodle at goalie Brad Ford. But the Bruins held on, and squeaked out a hard win. Chris Potter picked up a helper in the win for the Bs; Robbie Washington and the Pat Trick each earned one for the Caps in the loss.

Game 2: Charles E. Morgan Termite and Pest Control Penguins 1, Blues 2

Replicating the exact time of game that came before, right down to the final score, the Pens and Blues locked horns tight in a battle royale. The Blues just outshot the Penguins 19-18, but it felt like this one could have gone either way. Each respective defense was stifling, and there was not a lot of real estate to work with. After the General and Trae Merritt traded unassisted goals in the second period, Scott Millikin proved to be the difference maker in the final frame, edging in a far-side post goal to put his squad over

the top. Michael Pryor and Danny Tweedy picked up helpers on the game-winning goal.

Game 3: Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 4, Grounds Keepers Lawn Care Capitals 3 (SO)

In the third affair of the day, someone bumped the 'wild' knob up a couple notches. While no less evenly played, some serious offensive flash and skillful stickhandling displays presented themselves, each team putting 22 shots on goal. Early on, the Caps found themselves up 2-1 on the strength of a pair of Pat Trick goals, and held that same lead into the third. However, El Presidenté, the Huntsman and the Shovers were on the case, and made sure Ol' Plug-along was gonna feel it the next day. They managed to get two by him, and the Caps got one themselves, so to the shootout the game went.

In extra time, all three Wings shooters, Guy and Preston Shover along with El Presidenté made deposits in the net, while the Pat Trick failed to find the promised land after goals from Zach Webb and Logan Woermer, and that was that.

In regular time, Zach Webb picked up the Caps' third goal; for the Wings, the Huntsman registered two markers and an assist; El Presidenté had a goal and an assist; Preston Shover chipped in two helpers.

Game 4: EZ Loan Bruins 3, Charles E. Morgan Termite and Pest Control Penguins 4

After having the 'wild' knob turned up, the 'weird' knob also found an upward adjustment for the Bruins/

Pens tilt. If I were to tell you that all four Pens' goals came from the same stick, you'd probably guess it was the General's. And you'd be wrong! Youngster Ethan Ayer came alive, electrifying his team by scoring a natty hatty in the first and adding one just for fun. The Smooth Criminal resolved to get even, pumping an astounding fifteen shots on net, seventy-five percent of the team's total. But goalie Ray Johnson held on, and even though Bruins made things very interesting, the Pens managed to squeak by.

Even though they largely managed to contain the General defensively, the Bs were just not able to hit the offensive stride. Zach Mills and Wayne Ayer each picked up an assist in the winning effort for the Penguins. For the Bruins, the Smooth Criminal produced two goals and an assist; Tayler Parks had one marker and one helper; Dustin Aigner and Brandon Morgan registered an assist apiece.

Game 5: Blues 3, Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 2

In a day filled with exciting, one-goal games, the best was arguably saved for last. The 'wild' knob was up; the 'weird' knob was up; the 'grit' knob—let me tell you, the 'grit' knob was cranked to eleven. The Blues knocked off the mighty Red Wings in a tilt in which they got outshot almost 3 to 1. While the Wings produced the highest shot total of the day at 27, the Blues' defense largely kept the high danger chances in check, and the Parksley Original

turned in a career performance in net. Refusing to get bogged down in their own end, the Blues forced the issue whenever possible, scoring unexpected, opportunistic goals.

The Blues managed to tickle the twine seven seconds into the first period and stun the Wings. However, the redshirts' offensive pressure picked up and only kept growing as the game wore on. In the third period, down 3-2, the Red Wings threw the kitchen sink at Mark Stapleton. They threw the dishwasher. They threw the fridge and the cabinets, even the toaster! The irresistible force met the Parksley Original, and he didn't budge.

The Huntsman and Preston Shover were the goal scorers for the Red Wings in their maximum effort; El Presidenté assisted each one. For the Blues, Michael Garbacz led the parade, figuring in on each goal with a marker and two helpers. Scott Millikin and Danny Miller each had a goal; Michael Pryor picked up an assist.

ESSHL action resumes Sunday, Feb. 4, at 1 p.m., at Stapleton Rink in Parksley. For stats, standings, schedule and more, go to www.esshl.org or on Facebook.

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Northampton County Sheriff's Office Aids Stranding Team in Porpoise Rescue

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The Virginia Aquarium Stranding Response Team was on sight at Mermaid Bay last week, attempting to haul more than 300-pound porpoise off the beach and through the dunes, so the team could perform a necropsy on the animal at its headquarters in Virginia Beach.

After attempting to get the porpoise to the truck for transport, the team was unable to get the animal through the thick dunes. One quick phone call to the Northampton County Sheriff's

office later, Deputy J.W. Foisey came to the rescue.

Deputy Foisey lent his extra manpower to help get the porpoise to the truck – and at one point, even moving it by himself – where the stranding team then had to use a crane to lift the animal into the back of the truck.

With the porpoise safely secured on the truck, the stranding team was able to successfully transport the animal across the bridge, but this would not have been accomplished without the immediate attention from the Northampton County Sheriff's office and help from Deputy Foisey.





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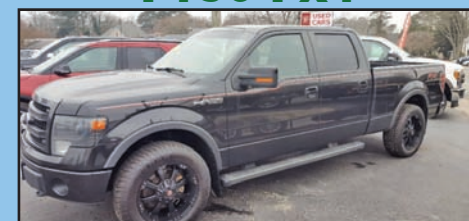
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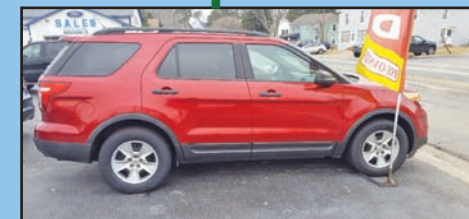
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Seaside	Assateague Beach	H 3:06 p.m. L 9:23 a.m.	H 4:09 p.m. L 10:28 a.m.	H 5:09 p.m. L 11:32 a.m.	H 6:06 p.m. L 12:31 p.m.	H 6:44 a.m. L 1:26 p.m.	H 7:37 a.m. L 2:17 p.m.	H 8:29 a.m. L 3:06 p.m.						
	Chinco Channel	H 3:10 p.m. L 9:22 a.m.	H 4:13 p.m. L 10:27 a.m.	H 5:13 p.m. L 11:31 a.m.	H 6:10 p.m. L 12:30 p.m.	H 6:48 a.m. L 1:25 p.m.	H 7:41 a.m. L 2:16 p.m.	H 8:33 a.m. L 3:05 p.m.						
	Gargatha Neck	H 4:02 p.m. L 10:02 a.m.	H 5:05 p.m. L 11:07 a.m.	H 6:05 p.m. L 12:11 p.m.	H 6:44 a.m. L 1:10 p.m.	H 7:40 a.m. L 2:05 p.m.	H 8:33 a.m. L 2:56 p.m.	H 9:25 a.m. L 3:45 p.m.						
	Folly Creek	H 3:55 p.m. L 9:47 a.m.	H 4:58 p.m. L 10:52 a.m.	H 5:58 p.m. L 11:56 a.m.	H 6:37 a.m. L 12:55 p.m.	H 7:33 a.m. L 1:50 p.m.	H 8:26 a.m. L 2:41 p.m.	H 9:18 a.m. L 3:30 p.m.						
	Wachapreague	H 3:41 p.m. L 9:31 a.m.	H 4:44 p.m. L 10:36 a.m.	H 5:44 p.m. L 11:40 a.m.	H 6:23 a.m. L 12:39 p.m.	H 7:19 a.m. L 1:34 p.m.	H 8:12 a.m. L 2:25 p.m.	H 9:04 a.m. L 3:14 p.m.						
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Bayside	Tangier Sound Light	H 6:45 a.m. L 1:29 p.m.	H 7:52 a.m. L 2:36 p.m.	H 8:58 a.m. L 3:39 p.m.	H 10:00 a.m. L 4:38 p.m.	H 10:57 a.m. L 5:33 p.m.	H 11:51 a.m. L 6:25 p.m.	H 12:42 p.m. L 6:31 a.m.						
	Muddy Creek	H 7:01 a.m. L 2:04 p.m.	H 8:08 a.m. L 3:11 p.m.	H 9:14 a.m. L 4:14 p.m.	H 10:16 a.m. L 5:13 p.m.	H 11:13 a.m. L 5:15 a.m.	H 12:07 p.m. L 6:11 a.m.	H 12:58 p.m. L 7:06 a.m.						
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by Linda Thistle

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Super Crossword

LETTER ADDENDA

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 4 Tangos, e.g.
 10 Singer Anka
 14 May greeting card salutation
 19 "C"— la vie" ("That's life")
 20 Tristan's love
 21 Up to the job
 22 Bayer brand
 23 Anorak, for Alaska?
 25 Set no spending limits?
 27 Injury-sorting process
 28 Tell a story
 30 Drum set?
 31 Brit Jones played by Renée Zellweger?
 35 "Barbarella" star Jane
 37 Suffix similar to -ette
 38 Baseball's Tony La —
 39 Frat letters
 41 Tenth mo.
 43 Actress Tomei
 46 Decide to order ravioli?
 50 Old comics girl
 53 Soap format
 54 Baseball's Pee Wee
 55 Place for actor Baldwin's lawn?
 57 Party food provider
 59 González in 2000 headlines
 60 Lovers' god
 62 "No" vote
 63 That miss Kennedy
 66 Agents, in brief
 67 Tyke sitting on a fireplace floor?
 72 Tibia locale
 73 Fresno-to-L.A. dir.
 74 Iniquity
 75 "... for — know"
 76 Empathetic comment
 77 Suffer humiliation
 81 Furnish supplies to Oregon's capital?
 84 Box in a den
 87 — borealis
 89 Friendly teasing
 90 Jet kept in reserve?

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- 1 Druggist's crushing tool
 2 Houston team
 3 Blemishes
 4 UCSD part
 5 Fluttery tree
 6 3 R's gp.
 7 Inferior dog
 8 Moose kin
 9 Arises
 10 GI's chaplain
 11 Call off, as a launch
 12 Forearm part
 13 Riga native
 14 Socrates' T
 15 Bygone
 16 Huge vitamin intake, e.g.
 17 Hams it up
 18 New York team
 24 Tiny bit
 26 Suit
 29 Best competitive effort, informally
 32 Big name in water filters
 33 Stole cattle
 34 "The Lady — Tramp"
 36 Kind of hawk
 39 Bog fuel
 40 With 56-Down, pre-talkies time
 42 — Bo
 43 — a wet hen
 44 One-named R&B singer
 45 Arena arbiter
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 61 — Na Na
 63 Slate source
 64 Employing person
 65 Hostile party
 67 Assembly aid
 68 Using uppercase
 69 Lanchester of old films
 70 Flying stat
 71 Abbott & Costello musical
 72 Parboil
 74 Titan's planet
 76 Atoll unit
 77 Comics cry
 78 Ordinance
 79 "... cup — cone?"
 80 Took the gold
 82 Llama cousin
 83 Laotian currency unit
 84 Conan's network
 85 Eighth U.S. president
 86 Disdainful people
 88 Good to go
 91 Portion
 92 Fond du —
 96 Iraqi currency units
 97 City in Spain
 98 Lillian — (gift retailer)
 99 Ring combo
 101 Author — Calvino
 102 Three-card street scam
 103 John of rock
 104 Milk: Prefix
 105 Bygone anesthetic
 106 \$\$\$ dispenser
 107 "Chiquitita" quartet
 109 Alamo rival
 110 Russo of film
 113 Boy toy?
 115 Brewed quaff
 116 Oversharing initialism
 117 Co. owned by Verizon

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Murray Outlines Northampton's 2019 Budget Priorities

By Stefanie Jackson

Northampton teachers, deputies, and farmers may be able to look forward to a brighter financial future in 2018. They are the top three budget priorities of the board of supervisors for the new year, according to Chairman Spencer Murray.

Supervisors will pursue increased pay for teachers and deputies, as well as some form of financial relief for farmers who have had a "rough three years," Murray said, with worries about falling grain prices and rising operating costs.

Northampton will continue building capital and paying down its debt in preparation to build a new high school. The county pays about \$3.3 million yearly on its current debt service, Murray said. While he cannot "guarantee" taxes won't be raised to help pay for the new school, Murray remains "optimistic."

The county comprehensive plan, published in 2009, has been a source of contention with citizens since it underwent review in 2011, a process which stalled and resumed under new leadership in 2014 when Jackie Chatmon became chair of the planning commission. Resolving this longstanding issue is another

priority of supervisors this year.

Virginia law requires county comprehensive plans to be reviewed every five years. Murray agrees Northampton's comprehensive plan should be "revaluated and updated with new numbers and data," but not necessarily re-written. While the review process is "not something that should be rushed," he indicated it is time to move the project towards completion.

Murray noted that "if appropriate," the board of supervisors would like to provide the planning commission with "additional guidance" on the comprehensive plan, possibly in the form of a joint meeting. He would also like to "circle back for public input." While the entire process may take a few months, Murray "hopes for a draft by the end of July."

Northampton's economy and jobs are another priority. Murray supports "leveraging the assets that we're blessed to already have," mentioning the Shore's clean water, broadband fiber optic network, short-line railroad, and Route 13 – which he dubs a "linear city."

Murray said supervisors are looking for a buyer for Bayshore Concrete in Cape

Charles, which was listed for sale by its Swedish-based parent company, Skanska. If a buyer is not found, the plant will close sometime in 2018 after its existing contracts are fulfilled. Murray's overall position on the economy is to "keep the jobs we have and add new jobs."

A conflict arose at supervisors' Jan. 9 meeting when Murray was re-elected chairman in a 3-2 vote, winning over Supervisor Oliver Bennett, who was hoping for a turn at the position. Murray defended supervisors' choice and said he believes he is "uniquely qualified" as chairman, feeling the need to continue in his position for at least one more year as he works with state legislators on issues affecting the local economy.

Murray is collaborating with Del. Robert Bloxom, Sen. Lynwood Lewis, and Gov. Ralph Northam on a legislative agenda item on Department of Environmental Quality regulations and Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act requirements, which Murray says are "overly restrictive." These laws require prohibitively high engineering costs for erosion and sediment control on any project involving more than 2,500 square feet of land dis-

turbance - an area approximately one-twentieth of an acre or larger.

Murray said a small development project for \$5,000 could easily incur engineering costs of \$10,000 under current state regulations, effectively tripling the project's total cost. Existing legislative measures "hurt development," and it's questionable how much real protection they offer to the Chesapeake Bay, Murray said.

The proposed legislative changes would give counties more control over erosion and sediment control measures, and allow Northampton to take full advantage of the two professional engineers it employs – Director of Planning and Zoning Susan McGhee, and Director of Public Works Chris Thomas.

Murray continues to wait for a response from Accomack supervisors to a proposed compromise to resolve a bi-county conflict over the Eastern Shore of Virginia Broadband Authority's board of directors. Murray believes the ESVA board needs "telecommunications experts" making the multi-million dollar decisions on how to propagate broadband across the Shore.



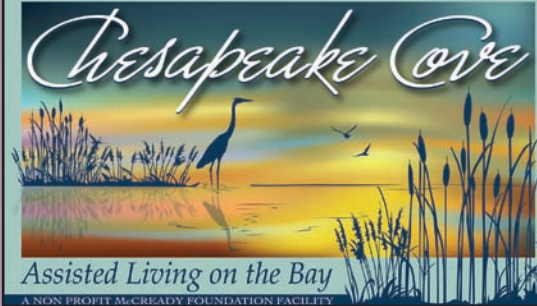
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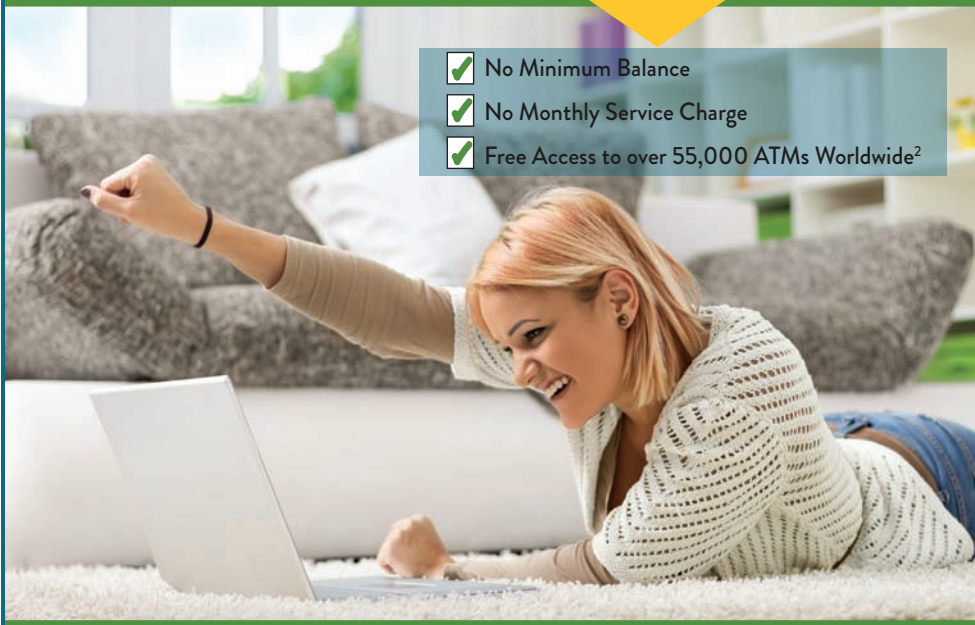


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Northampton School Division Hopes Coalition Will Give Legislative Leverage

By Stefanie Jackson

Northampton County Public Schools can benefit from the work of a new Virginia organization - the Small and Rural Schools Coalition - presenting a united front for underfunded, small, rural school districts needing to be seen and heard by legislators in Richmond.

The coalition held its first meeting Dec. 4 in Wytheville, about six hours southwest of Eastville. Northampton Schools Superintendent Eddie Lawrence is on the steering committee for the new organization, which he says is more like an "association" than a "coalition" - an opportunity to engage in a "dialogue about issues unique to small and rural schools."

Lawrence said Del. Robert Bloxom and Sen. Lynwood Lewis "do a good job ... but are one vote (each)," making it "hard for us to be heard" in small school districts. He commended Bloxom for getting Northampton \$75,000 in aid for schools with declining enrollment, funding originally established for districts in southwest Virginia where families are leaving due to the region's declining coal mining industry. Their struggle was the catalyst in forming the Small and Rural Schools Coalition.

The six-hour drive to Wytheville isn't feasible for Lawrence, but he collaborates with other members of the coalition whenever they convene in Roanoke for meetings of the Virginia Association of School Superintendents. The coalition meets before or after VASS conferences and also communicates electronically.

The Northampton County School Board adopted a resolution pledging its support of the Small and Rural Schools Coalition at

its Jan. 16 work session. It joins approximately 60 school districts in this effort.

About 80 of Virginia's 227 school districts are considered small, rural, or both. Since 2009, they have lost over 5,000 students, a 6 percent decrease in enrollment. Fewer students means less funding; the fact that since 2009, the state share to fund education has decreased by 4.7 percent, while the local share has only increased by 4.3 percent, compounds the problem.

Many students in rural school districts are disadvantaged; 50 percent are eligible for free or reduced lunch, and 18 percent live below the federal poverty level.

By increasing property taxes one penny, these 80 rural Virginia school districts "would have the ability to raise only \$19,469,500," and cannot fund public schools at the same level as wealthy districts, according to the resolution.

The composite index, a calculation used by the state to determine how much localities are responsible for the cost of their public education, with its reliance on real estate values, hurts counties like Northampton, where many disadvantaged students live near a lot of waterfront property. The higher the composite index score, the more a county is expected to pay. In the 2007-2008 fiscal year, Northampton scored .3925 on the composite index; a decade later, it scored .4910.

Stakeholders in small and rural school districts, including school boards, boards of supervisors, town councils, and chambers of commerce, "believe that PK-12 public education is critical to the vitality of their region and to the commonwealth as a whole," and "working collaboratively will enhance their collective voice in legislative and other matters," the resolution stated.

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors is expected to adopt its own resolution in February in support of the small and rural schools coalition.

Lawrence's report on estimated needs for the NCPS 2018-2019 operating budget addresses falling student enrollment, teaching positions that can be cut to offset the decline, and additional teaching positions that are still needed.

A public hearing on the division's budget for fiscal year 2018 will be held at Northampton High School, Feb. 8, at 7 p.m.

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Perpetrators of Child Sex Abuse Can Be Any Age — Even Other Children

By Linda Cicaira

Nearly 36 percent of kids nationally known to authorities to have committed sex offenses — in some cases as young as six years old — molested others who were also underage, according to a juvenile justice bulletin.

An Eastern Shore woman says parents should be aware because even the sweetest girl, one who, to further complicate this issue, is probably acting on a behavior she learned from an adult, can be a perpetrator.

The mother's name is being withheld to protect the identity of the victims. She says a 6-year-old girl acted inappropriately to her 5-year-old daughter last summer and she dares anyone to write it off by saying "kids will be kids" or "kids will experiment."

"The friendly little girl wasn't the friendly little girl," the mother said. "It's hard for me to believe it is the same person. It could happen to anybody. I know it could happen to anybody. It makes me feel like you can't trust anyone. If you (as a parent) can't trust anybody, how's your child going to trust anybody?" she asked. "It's been a big long roller coaster and I feel like I'm still on it and my child is still on it."

This woman hadn't just dropped her daughter off for a playdate. She stayed at the house with her child because she was friends with the girl's mother and grandmother. They had met at church.

Because of that relationship, she felt safe in allowing her daughter and the other child to go into another room without the adults. "What possible harm could there be?" she thought. It was two little girls. She did not realize what could happen in the walk-in closet until they had been visiting frequently for about a month and it was too late.

Children who commit sex offenses against other children are more likely than adult sex offenders to offend in groups and at schools, the justice bulletin continued. The number of youth coming to the attention of police for sex offenses increases sharply at age 12 and plateaus after age 14. Early adolescence is the peak age for offenses against younger children. One

in eight offenders is younger than 12. Females constitute 7 percent of juveniles who commit sex offenses.

During one week, while the woman was on vacation from work, she and her daughter went to the friend's house every afternoon and often stayed until it got late, enjoying barbecues and getting closer with the family.

There was a playhouse outside that wasn't air conditioned and the mother went to check on the girls, who were inside. "I could tell they stopped doing something ... I got weird vibes." But not enough to consider taking her daughter out of the situation. It was just two little girls.

Sometime later in the week, it was mentioned that the other girl had stayed overnight with another child in the neighborhood and came back asking "what sex was." That conversation set off an alarm.

"I never thought of a kid doing this to my daughter," she said. "It doesn't matter what age it happens. It is just as important as it is with an adult."

A few weeks later, she noticed her daughter was quiet as if she was thinking more. They were pulling into the grocery store parking lot and the mother asked what was wrong.

"I can't tell you. It's a secret, Mommy," the girl said.

"You only have secrets with Mommy. No secrets between us," the mother answered.

"I'm scared (the other girl) is going to get mad at me," the daughter answered.

"She wouldn't tell me," the mother said. So she tried to find out by asking the other mother.

She contacted the mother to ask what the secret was but didn't get anywhere. The secret was blamed on a death in the family, which at the time appeared to be reasonable. The other girl had learned a bit about the woman and her child during their visits.

Sometime later, the daughter said, "Mommy, I want you to ask (the girl) what game does she like for me to play, that I don't like to play." More time passed and she learned the girl "and I played boyfriend and girlfriend ... she has to decide if I will be

her girlfriend or she will stay being her grandfather's girlfriend."

That was the end of the visits. The parents were asked to get their child into counseling but refused. The police got nowhere with the case because the family didn't want an investigation and the girl was not cooperative.

So the girl who didn't like the game is going to counseling, but continues to have problems. She told her mother she knows about sex between a man and woman. The girl is now 6 and did not learn this at home.

"I got too relaxed and that is something I have to deal with," the mother said, adding, what happened between the girls is not a crime, she was told by authorities. She said she received the most help and support from the Eastern Shore Coalition Against Domestic Violence (ESCDV) in Onancock.

Sheriff Todd Godwin said the first thing to do if there is any question of abuse, sexual or otherwise, is contact

law enforcement. "You have to start the ball rolling. There's no way you could prosecute a six-year-old. I think it's hard to prove criminal intent. No way she knows what she's doing. She is just acting out, mirroring what she's seen" either by adults or other children. His office would also send people to the Eastern Shore Community Services Board for counseling.

"When in doubt, reach out," said Shelly Strain, executive director of the ESCDV.

"Speak to our advocate, school counselors, call our hotline, 757-787-1329. It's confidential" any time of day or night. Not every child will show the same symptoms. It's so individual."

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Although Eastern Shore Community Services Board cautions that not every child will show the same symptoms, here are some possible signs of sexual abuse from Project Harmony, an organization accredited by the National Children's Alliance that is geared at protecting and supporting children:

- Bruising in the inner thigh or genital area
- Have difficulty walking or sitting
- Complaints of genital or anal itching, pain, or bleeding
- Frequently vomiting
- Becomes pregnant at a young age
- Have a sexually transmitted infection
- Exceptionally secretive
- Advanced sexual knowledge, more than what is age appropriate
- Extreme compliance or withdrawal
- Overly aggressive
- Inordinate fear of males or females
- Seductive behavior
- Sleep problems; nightmares
- Crying without provocation
- Sudden onsets of wetting or soiling in their pants or bed
- Suicidal ideation or gestures
- Frequently running away
- Cruelty to animals, especially pets
- Fire-setting behaviors beyond curiosity
- Self-mutilation; cutting, burning, scratching themselves

Church News

Cape Charles

St. Stephens AME Church will host the Second Annual Eastern Shore Community Gospel Banquet at The Oyster Farm, on Saturday, March 17, from 7 to 10 p.m. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. The featured speaker will be Rev. Russell Goodrich, pastor of Cape Charles Baptist. The musical guest will be pianist Joanne Smith-Spady. There will be many other speakers and musical acts.

Admission is \$50 per person in advance. No tickets will be sold at the door. Tables can be reserved. Photos will be taken to commemorate the event and sold for \$10 each.

For more information or to purchase tickets, call 757-350-0883.

Trinity UMC will host Lenten Lunch every Wednesday from Feb. 21 to March 28, from noon to 1 p.m. Bring a sandwich and drinks and dessert will be provided. There will be a short message and fellowship.

The Accomack-Northampton Regional Housing Authority is soliciting comments on its Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program 5-yr Plan. The Plan outlines the agency's goals, objectives with regard its Section 8 Program and affordable housing. Copies of the Plan are available at the offices of the Accomack-Northampton Regional Housing Authority and on the agency website at <http://www.a-npdc.org/accomack-northampton-regional-housing-authority/>. This plan was adopted in 2015 and the Authority has not made changes to its goals or objectives in the interim. However, a public hearing to solicit comments will be held in on April 16, 2018, at 6 p.m., at 23372 Front Street, Accomac, VA. Please call (757) 787-2800 ext. 119 for additional information or if you need special accommodations in order to view the Plan or attend the public hearing. Comments may be submitted in writing. Please send comments to:

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Accomack-Northampton Regional Housing Authority
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Cheriton

Cheriton Baptist Church will host a simulcast of the Extraordinary Women Conference, on Saturday, Jan. 27, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will be no cost, no nursery, but donations will be accepted. RSVP by calling Patty Ferguson at 757-710-4780 or go to www.cbwings.com

Craddockville

Craddockville UMC will participate in the Polar Duck Dip at Occohannock On The Bay, on Saturday, Jan. 27, at 12 p.m. Sign-in is at 11 a.m. with a contest at 11:30 a.m.

Women's Bible Study is now meeting on Thursdays at 7 p.m. Men's Bible Study will resume in February.

The beginning of the sermon series, A Step In The Right Direction, will be Sunday, Jan. 28, at 9:30 a.m.

The Red Cross Blood Drive will be at the church on Thursday, Feb. 8, from 3 to 8 p.m.

Exmore

Maranatha Baptist Church will host The Anchormen in concert, on Friday, Jan. 26, at 7 p.m. There will be a love offering.

Horntown

Tabernacle Baptist Church will hold a Song Fest, on Sunday, Feb. 4, at 3 p.m.

Melfa

Oak Grove UMC will hold a Ham Dinner, on Friday, Jan. 26, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. The menu includes ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, baked pineapple, rolls, dessert and tea or coffee. Dinners are \$8 per person. For more information or to place an order, call 757-710-4920.

Oak Hall

Downing's UMC will host the gospel group, In His Name, on Sunday, Feb. 11, at 3 p.m. Special guests will be Reunion Quartet and Jack Andrews.

A Chili Cook-off to benefit Heart Haven will be held Friday, Feb. 23, from 6 to 8 p.m. The cost is \$8 for all-you-can-eat chili, dessert and beverages. To enter your chili, donate finger desserts, or to purchase tickets, call Amy at 757-710-2490.

Bible Study: Revelations will be held every Wednesday from 11 a.m. to noon.

Parksley

Grace UMC will open its Thrift Shop in the fellowship hall on Saturday, Feb. 3, from 9 a.m. to noon. Winter clothes, shoes, blankets, housewares and more will be available for bargain prices. Profits from the sale will be used to send a child to Camp Occohannock for a week and to support mission and outreach projects. For more information, call 757-665-4783.

Pungoteague

Pungoteague Community Church will hold Youth Group meetings, on Friday, Jan. 26, Feb. 9, and Feb. 23, from 6 to 9 p.m.

Snow Hill, Md.

All Hallows Episcopal Church will host the Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, on Tuesday, Feb. 13, from 4:30 to 7 p.m. The menu will consist of sausage, pancakes and baked apples. Tickets for dine-in service are \$7 for adults and \$4 for kids under 12. All take-out orders are \$7. Tickets will only be sold in advance. For more information or to purchase a ticket, call 410-632-2773.

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Community Notes

Cape Charles

Friends of Cape Charles Library will hold the first ever Dinner with Friends, with keynote speaker Dennis Custis, at the Oyster Farm, on Saturday, Feb. 3, from 6 to 9 p.m. Custis will talk about the early history of the Eastern Shore. The dinner includes choice of entree, mozzarella-stuffed chicken with broccoli and potatoes or shrimp and grits, plus appetizers, salad, dessert bar, and beverage. A cash bar will be open. Tickets are \$60 for Friends members or \$65 for non-members. For more information or to book a reservation, call 914-695-4192 or go to FriendsCCMLAnnualDinner.eventbrite.com

Craddockville

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive at Craddockville UMC, Thursday, Feb. 8, from 3 to 7 p.m. For more information, call 757-710-7360.

Machipongo

Eastern Shore Training and Consulting Inc. will host a winter workshop, "Welcoming and Celebrating Our Diverse Connections," at the Barrier Islands Center, Saturday, Feb. 17, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Early registration is \$30 per person, and \$35 after Feb. 10. There is a limit of 35 participants. For more information, contact Gerald or Polly Boyd at 757-656-3460.

Onancock

Onancock International Films will present "Marshall," at the Roseland Theatre, Thursday, Feb. 8, at 8 p.m. The film is based on an early trial in the career of Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall. As a young lawyer, Marshall defends a black chauffeur charged with sexual assault and attempted murder of his white socialite employer. The case serves as a template for the NAACP legal defense fund.

Wallops

The NASA Visitor Center will host the Engineering Program for Home-school Students, on Wednesday, Feb. 7, from 10 a.m. to noon. The event is for students age 5 to 15.

Registration is required. To participate in this free program, go to www.nasawallopsvc.eventbrite.com

CBBT Contest to Name Tunnel Boring Machine

The Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel and its partners on the Thimble Shoal Tunnel Project are sponsoring a naming contest for the Tunnel Boring Machine (TBM). According to traditions, a TBM can not begin work until it has been given a name.

All sixth graders may participate. Students must submit an essay of 200 words or less or a two-minute or less video that reflects his or her chosen name. All entries must be submitted by Friday, March 9, by 4:30 p.m. An appointed committee will select the Top 10 names and then the public will vote for the winner.

For more information and contest details, go to www.cbbt.com/TBMNamingContest

Accomack County Changes School Calendar

The School Board approved changes to the school calendar due to days missed from inclement weather.

The two exam days will be moved to Thursday, Feb. 1, and Friday, Feb. 2. There will be no early dismissal on these two days.

Monday, Feb. 5, will be a teacher work day, with no school for students. Tuesday, Feb. 6, will now be the first day of the second semester. It was originally to be a staff development day.

Report cards will be issued on Friday, Feb. 9.

CERT TRAINING

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training is available to Eastern Shore residents beginning Thursday, Feb. 1. The CERT training program prepares citizens and communities to take a more active role in emergency preparedness. CERT training gives the basic skills needed immediately following a major disaster. Participants will learn about disaster preparedness and response, basic fire safety, first aid, search and rescue techniques and terrorism preparedness. Students will have a chance to win door prizes at the conclusion of the class. All students will receive a backpack filled with emergency supplies.

The 20.5-hour free program consists of both lecture and practical exercises. The classes will be held on Feb. 1, 8, 15, and 27, from 6 to 10 p.m., and March 1 from 5:30 to 10 p.m., at the Eastern Shore Regional Fire Training Center, 28598 Beacon Rd. in Melfa. Participants must attend all sessions to receive credit. Class size is limited to 30, with a minimum of 10. For more information, call J.J. Justis at 757-302-4267.



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| (2) Willie Crockett Paintings (Originals) | Toby Mugs |
| Sleigh Bed | Children's Cups & Bowls |
| Victorian Walnut Bed | Depression Glass |
| Victorian Walnut Marble Top Dresser | Copper Luster |
| English Leather Top Desk | Hurricane Lamps |
| (3) Marble Top Tables (1 w/Picture Frame Top) | Pewter Coffee Set |
| Mantel Clock | Tea Pots |
| Mahogany Dining Table | Milk Glass |
| Set of 4 Dining Chairs | Collector Trucks |
| Large Office Desk (Very Nice) | Opalescent Glass |
| Victorian Lady's Chair | Victorian Fireplace Front |
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| Early Banquet Dining Table (Makes 2 Tables) | Small Tools |
| Colored Glass | (2) Blower Heater (Just Right for Shop) |
| Gas Wall Lamps | Bicycle |
| Dolls (Barbies, Beanie Babies & Others) | |
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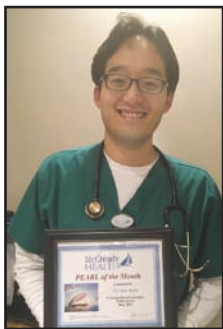
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McCready Health's Pearl of the Year & Longevity Awards

In a recent ceremony honoring all monthly Pearl Award winners, McCready Health named Registered Respiratory Therapist Peter Kim, RRT, of Salisbury, Md., the Pearl of the Year.

As a respiratory therapist, Kim provides care for critical patients and performs pulmonary function tests to help diagnose lung disorders. He also oversees the Cardiac Rehab program at McCready Health's Mozelle Saltz Wellness Program, where he provides blood pressure and heart rate monitoring for cardiac rehabilitation patients.



Peter Kim

Additional monthly Pearl Award winners recognized at the ceremony include Jill Rayfield, LPN; Myra Friedley, RN; Warner Rayfield; Kristen Ward, BS MLS (ASCP) CM; Lorene Colbourne; Maisie Grizzle, MS, CCC-SLP; Shelley Marshall; Marcia Johnson, RN; Michael White; Richard Chestnut and Tashia Campbell.

McCready Health also recognized employees celebrating five years of service to 45 years of service at its annual Longevity Awards program.

With 45 years of service now under her belt, Jill Sterling, LPN, began working for McCready in 1972 as a nursing assistant, and received her LPN license in 1975. Over the years, she worked as a hospital charge nurse, in the ER and in OB. In 1997, she joined the Outpatient Services Department

MILE POSTS



to work as Dr. Vijay's nurse, where she found her home and works to this day, well-known for her ever-ready smile and offers to help anyone in any way she can.



Kathleen Harrison & Jill Sterling

Susan Evans and Lana McCready, LPN, are both celebrating 20 years of service to McCready. Manika Borden, GNA (Nursing Home); Lillie Coleman (Environmental Services); Marta Melendez (Environmental Services); and Myrna Whittington (Dietary) are all celebrating 15 years of service to McCready. Susan Bradshaw, RN (Nursing Home); Charles Marsh (Radiology); and Lisa Tyler (Health Information Management) are celebrating 10 years of service. Debbie Landon (Activities), Margie Morgan (Administration), Tiffany Patton (Social Worker), Rommel Perilla (Information Technology) and Kristen Ward (Lab) were recognized for five years of service to McCready Health.

LOST: PHONE WITH FAMILY PICTURES

Our Samsung Galaxy S6 was lost in Walmart, in Onley, on Wednesday, Jan. 24, in the book section.

Please do the right thing and return the phone. It has all of my wife's pictures of our kids on it.

Call 757-710-0487.

Woodhurst Appointed to Virginia Realtors Property Managers Council

Patty Woodhurst, Associate Broker with Long & Foster Real Estate's Chincoteague office, has been appointed by the Virginia Realtors organization to serve on its Property Managers Council.



Patty Woodhurst

The Council is responsible for assisting members who are engaged in property management with education and professional opportunities. It also provides advice to other committees, including the Standard Forms and Public Policy committees, on issues important

to the property management profession.

"I'm very pleased to have an opportunity to share my years of experience as a property manager," Woodhurst said.

A realtor since 1988, Woodhurst has been affiliated with Long & Foster's Chincoteague office since 2015. Woodhurst also serves as the chair of the Eastern Shore Association of Realtors' MLS Committee. She has been a member of the Eastern Shore Association of Realtors since 1994.

Woodhurst enjoys living on Virginia's Eastern Shore with her husband, a retired plumber, and two golden retrievers, and she is an avid quilter. She raised her two children on the Eastern Shore, and both still live close by. When not working, she enjoys spending time with her grandchildren.



Service award recipients (from left): Jay Welch, Amy Shockley, Annette Edwards, Tina Stratton-Taylor, Carole Read, Bob Rhea, and Malcom White.

ESCC Presents Service Awards

Eastern Shore Community College presented service awards to staff and faculty members last week, during a special breakfast program at the Workforce Development Services building.

ESCC President Dr. Linda Thomas-Glover oversaw the presentations acknowledging and celebrating years of service to the college and to the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Honored were: Amy Shockley and Tina Stratton-Taylor (5 Years), David Branch and Jay Welch (10 years), Malcom White (15 years), Annette Edwards

(20 years), and Carole Read and Bob Rhea (25 years).



Shelly

This precious animal is available for adoption at the SPCA in Onley. Stop by today to give a pet a forever home!

Epiphany Party & Auction Results

The Epiphany Party & Auction, held in Cape Charles on Jan. 13, raised proceeds for charities. The money was allocated as follows:

- Citizens for Central Park \$2,325.54
- Wounded Warriors \$2,325.54
- Cape Charles Vol. Fire Co. \$750.00

**FRIDAY
JAN. 26**

★8 a.m. - **Breakfast at the VFW** - VFW Post 2296, Tasley - donations accepted
★10:30 a.m. - **Story Time** - Northampton Free Library

★11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. - **Alzheimer's Caregivers' Support Group** - Riverside Shore Rehab Center, 26181 Parksley Rd., Parksley - 665-5133 (Lori Wilson)
★noon - **AA mtg.** - UMC, Onancock
★12:30 p.m. - **Science & Philosophy Seminar: Half a Century Saving the Chesapeake Bay** - ESCC, Melfa
★6 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.** - Onancock Baptist Church
★7 p.m. - **Life Teach Series** - Rachel/Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

**SATURDAY
JAN. 27**

★9:30 a.m. - **1981 Class of Arcadia Class**

Reunion Planning mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley
★10 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen** - Faith Christian Tabernacle Ministries, Rt. 13, Accomac - 787-1811
★2-4 p.m. - **Empowering Girls' Group** - ESTACI, Exmore - 757-656-3460
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

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**SUNDAY
JAN. 28**

★9:30 a.m. - **AA mtg.** - Cokesbury Church, 13 Market St., Onancock
★noon - **Social Luncheon** - Calvary Bible Church, Accomac

★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Grace UMC, 18484 Wilson Ave., Parksley
★12:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Vietnam Veterans' Bldg., Main St., Onley

**MONDAY
JAN. 29**

★noon - **AA mtg.** - St. Peter's Catholic Church, Onley
★5-6 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Elks Lodge, Tasley

★6:30 p.m. - **Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg.** - Grace UMC, Parksley
★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **Free English for Speakers of Other Languages** - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
★7 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Rock Church, Onley
★7 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ Episcopal Church, Eastville

**TUESDAY
JAN. 30**

★9 a.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Refuge Inn, Chincoteague
★10 a.m. - **Zumba** - Franktown UMC
★10 a.m. - **Bingo** - Accomack Senior Village, Onancock - 787-3900

★10:30 a.m. - **Story Time** - E.S. Public Library, Accomac
★11 a.m. - **Duplicate Bridge** - Fairgrounds, Onancock - 787-2432
★5-6:30 p.m. - **Fathers' and Sons' mtg.** - Exmore - 757-656-3460
★6 p.m. - **Rachel Leah Ministries** - 787-2486 (call for location)
★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA
★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa
★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg** - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 66 Market St., Onancock
★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg** - Atlantic UMC
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Cheriton VFC - smoke free

**WEDNESDAY
JAN. 31**

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

★10:30-11:30 a.m. - **Overeaters Anon. mtg.** - Rock Church, Onley - 757-655-4834
★11 a.m. - **Prayer Time & Bible Study: Revelations** - Downing's UMC, Oak Hall
★11 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen** - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3431 Main St., Exmore
★5-7 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen & Clothes Closet** - Grace and Truth Ministries, 19 Boundary Ave., Onancock - Donations: 789-5369
★5:30-6:30 p.m. - **Free Meals for the Hungry** - Epworth UMC, 4158 Seaside Rd., Exmore - 442-6391
★6-7 p.m. - **Prayer Line Open (St. Matthew's Church, (Onley))** - Call 665-7403, 387-7021 or 894-1521 w/prayer requests
★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **Free English for Speakers of Other Languages** - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
★7 p.m. - **AA & Al-Anon mtgs.** - Franktown UMC
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Painter VFC

**THURSDAY
FEB. 1**

★10 a.m. - **Tales for Tots** - Chincoteague Island Library
★10:30 a.m. - **Story Time** - Cape Charles Memorial Library

★2 p.m. - **Book of the Month mtg.** - Pocomoke Library
★5:30 p.m. - **Shore Losers mtg.** - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomac - \$1/wk.
★5:30 p.m. - **TOPS VA-550 mtg.** - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099
★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa
★6-10 p.m. - **CERT Training Prgm.** - E.S. Regional Fire Training Center, 28598 Beacon Rd., Melfa - 302-4267
★6:30 p.m. - **Kiwanis Club mtg.** - St. Andrew's Catholic, Chincoteague
★6:30 p.m. - **American Legion Post 101 mtg.** - Chapter Bldg., 25534 Main St., Onley
★7 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.** - Chincoteague Church of God
★7 p.m. - **E.S. Shooting Club mtg.** - Exmore Fire Dept. Hall - 678-9038
★7 p.m. - **Republican Party mtg.** - Little Italy, Nassawadox
★7 p.m. - **NA mtg.** - Painter Garrison UMC
★7 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ UMC, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague
★7-8 p.m. - **Debedeavon Toastmasters' mtg.** - Market St. UMC, Onancock



Eastern Shore Trading POST

Announcements

The family of the late Reid H. Diggs Jr. would like to thank friends and neighbors for their thoughts and prayers during our father's passing.

We would also like to thank all of the doctors, nurses and staff at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital for the care and kindness they showed our father during his illness.

From the Diggs Family

The family of Horace W. Hall Sr. would like to thank Riverside Shore Hospice, Dr. Hoshino, the doctors, nurses and staff at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital, and Parksley Vol. Fire Co. Rescue Squad.

A special thank you to friends and relatives for the food, cards, flowers and prayers during his passing.

Help Wanted

IMMEDIATE OPENING FOR A MANAGEMENT POSITION in an automotive repair shop. Must have mechanical & computer knowledge. Salary and benefits based on experience and ability. Call 757-787-4837 for an appointment. If no answer, leave message.

Help Wanted

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Accomack County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the following positions: **Full-Time Certified Law Enforcement Officer and a Full-Time Correctional Officer.** Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org. Applications must be returned to this office by Friday, February 2, 2018, by 5:00 p.m. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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

Certified Law Enforcement 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.

Applications may be obtained from the Northampton County Sheriff's Office located at 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347 or the County's website www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: February 2, 2018.

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The Town of Cape Charles is accepting applications for a Police Officer. Duties consist of providing a full range of law enforcement services to the Town, working closely with the public, enforcing the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia and ordinance of the Town of Cape Charles. Applicants must have an unblemished record and character, possess a valid Virginia Driver's License, be committed to the highest level of professionalism and excellence, and successfully complete a background investigation. A current DCJS law enforcement certification preferred and 5+ years of police experience a plus. Salary DOQ. Submit resume and a Town Employment Application to the Town Clerk, 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310 or by email to clerk@capecharles.org by February 20, 2018. An employment application is available for download at www.capecharles.org. Submittals without a Town Employment Application will not be considered.

Libby Hume, Town Clerk



PART-TIME SERVICE COORDINATOR

Looking for a part-time Early Intervention Service Coordinator for the Parent Infant Program of the Eastern Shore. Must hold a Bachelor's Degree and enjoy working with children, infants, and their families in a home setting. Please fax resumes to (757)442-5438 or send via email to helen@lhfpeds.com
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MARINE FIELD TECHNICIAN

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Registered Dental Hygienist

Eastern Shore of VA: Dentist seeking a full-time Registered Dental Hygienist (RDH). Candidates should fax their resumes to the attention of HR Director at 757-716-4731.

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Help Wanted (Cont'd)

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

- **Developmental Services Community Coordinator**
 - IT Systems Analyst
 - Payroll Administrator
 - Senior Clinician/Clinician
 - **Developmental Disabilities Aide (PCAs & CNAs welcome)**
 - **Substance Abuse Outpatient Clinician (CSAC required)**
 - Part-time Driver
 - **Mental Health Skill-Building Specialist**
 - Residential Supervisor
 - **Mental Health Facility Technician**
 - Human Resources Assistant
- For more information or to apply, please visit the ESCSB's website at www.escsb.org
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Community caretaker wanted for a gated community on Folly Creek in Accomac. Position requires a mature, trustworthy individual with good customer service and communications skills. Ability to perform maintenance and repair chores on community facilities is required. Ability to solicit proposals, make recommendations and monitor performance of community contractors and vendors is a must. Position requires ability to operate community water taxi as required. Comfortable living accommodations are provided on site. Salary negotiable. Please email resumes or statements of qualifications to SEAVIEWPOA@gmail.com. Resumes will be accepted through noon on January 31, 2018.

Help Wanted

BOOKKEEPER - The ESVBA has an opening. Apply through the website at www.esvba.com

RECEPTIONIST (PART-TIME) - Apply in person (bring resume) at ES Foot Center, 25322 Lankford Hwy., Four Corner Plaza, Onley.

EXPERIENCED COOK NEEDED - Applications available at Moose Lodge in Belle Haven.

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CLASS A CDL DRIVER NEEDED - Full-time, long distance. Must have current physical, clean driving record, produce experience preferred, references required. Drug free workplace, good equipment, benefits available. CALL (757)678-5097.

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HELP WANTED Individuals who have roofing experience and general laborers needed on renovation site. Please call for interview. 877-503-2728.

Boats, Etc.

'07 17-FT. MAY-CRAFT Center Console, 40 h.p. Honda 4-stroke, recently conditioned, '06 long galvanized trailer, new: seats, Garmin g.p.s., VHF, tinted windshield, wiring & switches. \$6,500 OBO. 757-894-4470

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The patients live in a single room which must be clean. Meals are provided and the patients need to be brought to the table in their wheelchairs and escorted back to their rooms. No experience in the nursing field required we are willing to train. You will be working with a home health aide with over 25+ years experience. Salary negotiable depending on hours. Contact: Michael Thompson (973-868-3083)

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

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1997 PROLINE 21-FT. Cuddy Cabin Walk Around, 2010 200 h.p. Evinrude (low hrs.) Trailer & extras. \$11,000 OBO. 757-787-4528

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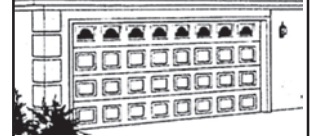
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Legal Ads

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff
 CIVIL CASE NO. 17-171

vs.

JUSTIN D. HARTFORD
 CB SERVICES CORP. TRUSTEE
 US MORTGAGE RESOLUTION LLC

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

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

All that parcel of land in the Town of Cape Charles, Northampton County, Virginia, being Lot 10, Plantation Pointe of Bay Creek Subdivision, and designated as Tax Map Number 00090-09-BLK-00 0000010.

standing in the name of Justin D. Hartford, 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 Justin D. Hartford, and 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 known post office addresses are unknown, namely, the unknown heirs, devisees and successors in title of Justin D. Hartford.

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 February 16, 2018, at 9:30 a.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 11th day of January, 2018
 Lauren M. Brown, Dep. Clerk

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

NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Hector Galvan and Naomi Galvan, (2017168) have applied for approximately 25 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Smith Island Bay situated in Northampton City/County and described as follows: **North By: New Inlet, Inc. PF #17533, Hardesty PF #17454, Hardesty PF #18538, East By: Vacant, South By: Vacant, West By: Vacant, New Inlet, Inc. PF #17533, Lat/Long: N37-07.6376 W75-55.6624**

Send written comments or concerns to:
 Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/Surveying Department, 2600 Washington Ave., 3rd Floor, Newport News, VA 23607
 For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Karen Terwilliger, (2017169) has applied for approximately 10 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Burtons Bay situated in Accomack City/County and described as follows: **North By: Vacant, East By: Accomack PG #42 (27), Kattau PF #15261, South By: Taylor PF #20294, West By: MLW, Lat/Long: N37-39.1353 W75-38.8123, Notes: Pending Survey of Kattau App #2015-287**

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NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Michael Chernesky and JUDY CHERNESKY, (2017167) have applied for approximately 5 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Mattawoman Creek situated in Northampton City/County and described as follows: **North By: MLW, East By: Kidwell PF #21062, South By: Mears PF #21248, West By: Upshur PF #21061, Lat/Long: N37-23.3354 W75-56.9733**

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NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Dan M. Bacot Jr., (2017165) has applied for approximately 10 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Parting Creek situated in Accomack City/County and described as follows: **North By: Vacant, East By: MLW, Northampton PG #10a, South By: Vacant, West By: Northampton PG #10a & PG #9, Lat/Long: N37-31.1700 W75-47.7404**

Send written comments or concerns to:
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NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Bob Boardman and Tim Rapine, (2017163) have applied for approximately 50 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Toms Cove situated in Accomack City/County and described as follows: **North By: P.C.G Area 1, East By: Vacant, South By: Vacant, West By: Boardman PF #s 18943 & 18637, Rapine PF #s 18659 & 19629, Lat/Long: N37-53.1287 W75-22.9866**

Send written comments or concerns to:
 Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/Surveying Department, 2600 Washington Ave., 3rd Floor, Newport News, VA 23607
 For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

Public Announcement

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, February 6, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located in the County Administration Building at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA. The purpose of the meeting is to conduct regular business and a public hearing on the following matter:

A.) ZTA 2017-08: The Northampton County Planning Commission proposes to amend the Northampton County Zoning Ordinance 04/12/2016, § 154.2.003 Definition of *Campground* from: An outdoor facility which accommodates paying guests for a stay of short duration in rustic cabins and shelters, tents, RVs, campers, or travel trailers owned by guests. Parking, playgrounds, office, and retail uses such as snack bars or general stores for use by campground patrons shall be allowed as accessory uses; to: An outdoor facility which accommodates paying guests for a stay of short duration in rustic cabins and shelters, tents, RVs, campers, or travel trailers owned by guests **or facility**. Parking, playgrounds, office, **recreational ponds** and retail uses such as snack bars or general stores for use by campground patrons shall be allowed as accessory uses. The Commission also proposes to amend Appendix A: Use Regulations (Category 2—Commercial Uses) to include #27

Campgrounds with accessory goods/services, Appendix A: Use Regulations (Category 6—Recreational Uses) to remove #12 **Campgrounds with accessory goods/services**, and §154.2.246 Nonconforming Uses, Lots or Buildings from: (A) *Uses*. Lawful nonconforming uses may be continued but not be enlarged or extended; to: (A) *Uses*. Lawful nonconforming uses may be continued but not be enlarged or extended; **except as provided in §154.2.082 Statements of Intent for Primary and Secondary Zoning Districts**.

The Board of Supervisors shall also conduct a public hearing on the above matters on Tuesday, February 13, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers. The applications will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA.

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

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

The Wachapreague Town Council will hold a workshop on Monday January 27, 2018 at 7pm in the town hall. The topics to discuss are Capital Projects.

On Tuesday, February 6, 2018, The Accomack County School Board will hold a public hearing on its proposed 2018-2019 Operating Budget. The hearing will be held in the auditorium at Nandua High School starting at 6:30 p.m.

*Greta L. Smith
School Board Clerk*

TOWN OF BELLE HAVEN, VIRGINIA NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING POLLING PLACE RELOCATION ORDINANCE

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 24.2-306 of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, that on February 6, 2018, at 7 p.m., in the Town Council Chambers, located at 15293 King Street, Belle Haven, VA 23306, the Council for the Town of Belle Haven, Virginia, will hold a public hearing on a proposed Ordinance to relocate the Town's polling place from the Eastern Shore's Own Art Center Building, at 15293 King Street, Belle Haven, VA 23306 to the Exmore Moose Lodge, at 15315 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven, VA 23306. Any person interested in the relocation of the polling place may appear and be heard. Following the public hearing, the Council will consider for adoption a proposed Ordinance. A copy of the proposed Ordinance may be requested via email at Townofbellehaven@gmail.com or viewed at the Belle Haven, Virginia Post Office.

For handicapped assistance, call 757-442-5031.

By Authority of the Council of the Town of Belle Haven, Virginia

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, February 6, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Va., for the purpose of conducting public hearings on the following matter:

A.) Joint Hearing with the Town Council of Eastville—Zoning Text Amendment 2018-01: The Town of Eastville has applied to amend section 15-2 of their zoning Ordinance as follows: **Section 15-2 "CN," "CG" and "ITFD" Districts:** The following signs shall be permitted and regulations shall apply in the CN and CG districts: (See also Section 15-10)

All applications will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Office of Planning, Permitting and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA. The file for Item A will also be available for public inspection in the Eastville Town Office, 5250 Willow Oak Road, Eastville, VA. Anyone wishing to comment on the above items is invited to attend the meetings and make their comments known.

Handicapped assistance available: Please telephone (757)678-0440, extension 516 at least 48 hours in advance.

**TRUSTEE'S SALE OF
26196 Savageville Road
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In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of \$48,720.79, dated September 24, 1997, recorded among the land records of the Circuit Court for Accomack County on September 25, 1997, as Instrument Number 970004147, in Deed Book 0750, at Page 00573, the undersigned appointed Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the **main entrance of the courthouse for the Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Ave, Accomack, VA on February 19, 2018 at 10:30 AM**, the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address and briefly described as: ALL THAT certain tract or parcel of land situate at Savageville, Lee Magisterial District, Accomack County, Virginia, containing 0.382 acres, more or less, as shown on a certain plat of survey captioned "Location Survey for Sarah Godwin," dated September 24, 1997, and made by John H. Plummer & Assoc. Inc., which plat is attached to and recorded with a certain Deed, dated the 17th day of September, 1997, from Robert Papetti, et ux, to Sarah E. Godwin, said lot or parcel being bounded generally as follows, to-wit: On the North, by the land now or formerly owned by Stella Nock Bagwell; on the East, by Virginia State Route 718; on the South and West, by other land of Robert Papetti and Ellen S. Papetti, his wife. Tax ID: 092A0A0000031A0.

TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of \$4,800.00 or 10% of the sale price, whichever is lower, will be required in the form of a certified or cashier's check. Cash will not be accepted as a deposit. Settlement within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Trustee may forfeit deposit. Additional terms to be announced at sale. This is a communication from a debt collector. This notice is an attempt to collect on a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

(Trustee # 576811)

Substitute Trustee: ALG Trustee, LLC, C/O Orleans PC PO Box 2548, Leesburg, VA 20177, (703) 777-7101, website: <http://www.orleans.com>
Towne # 5000.0777 - 01/19/2018, 01/26/2018

NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION

Edward Kattau, (2017166) has applied for approximately 50 +- acres of oyster planting ground in Bradford Bay situated in Accomack City/County and described as follows: **North By: Vacant, East By: Accomack PG #38 (28), South By: Vacant, West By: Vacant, MLW, Lat/Long: N37-34.8123 W75-41.5868**

Send written comments or concerns to:

Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/Surveying Department, 2600 Washington Ave., 3rd Floor, Newport News, VA 23607

For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

**NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SALE
33061 Taylors Cove, New Church, VA 23415**

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a Deed of Trust dated August 16, 2012, and recorded at Instrument Number 201203209 and re-recorded at Instrument Number 201204134, and a Loan Modification recorded on March 8, 2017 at Instrument Number 170000884, in the Clerk's Office for the Circuit Court for Accomack County, VA, securing a loan which was originally \$164,957.00. The appointed SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE, Commonwealth Trustees, LLC will offer for sale at public auction at main entrance of the Accomack County Circuit Court, located at 23316 Courthouse Avenue on:

March 29, 2018 at 1:30 PM

improved real property, with an abbreviated legal description of All that certain lot of parcel of land lying in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, shown and designated as Lot 4 on a certain plat of survey entitled "Stoney Creek Subdivision", made by Sutton and Mames, P.C., dated June 9, 1988, revised July 6, 1988, which plat is of record in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, November 15, 1988, in Plat Book 88, at Page 187 et seq., and to which plat reference is made for a more complete and accurate description of the land herein conveyed, and as more fully described in the aforesaid Deed of Trust.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be sold "AS IS," WITHOUT REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY OF ANY KIND AND SUBJECT TO conditions, restrictions, reservations, easements, rights of way, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust to be announced at the time of sale. A deposit of \$20,000.00, or 10% of the sale price, whichever is lower, in cash or cashier's check payable to the SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE will be required at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase price, with interest at the rate contained in the Deed of Trust Note from the date of sale to the date said funds are received in the office of the SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE, will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale. In the event of default by the successful bidder, the entire deposit shall be forfeited and applied to the costs and expenses of sale and Substitute Trustee's fee. All other public charges or assessments, including water/sewer charges, whether incurred prior to or after the sale, and all other costs incident to settlement to be paid by the purchaser. In the event taxes, any other public charges have been advanced, a credit will be due to the seller, to be adjusted from the date of sale at the time of settlement. Purchaser agrees to pay the seller's attorneys at settlement, a fee of \$445.00 for review of the settlement documents.

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

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

Rosenberg & Associates, LLC
(Attorney for the Secured Party)
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Bethesda, MD 20814
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Legal Ads (Cont'd)

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK
 RE: WILLIAM V. BIRCH, deceased
 Estate No. 201600228

SHOW CAUSE ORDER AGAINST DISTRIBUTION

It is Ordered that the creditors of, and all other persons interested in, the above estate show cause, if they can, on the 8th day of February, 2018, at 9:30 a.m., before this Court, at its Courthouse, against payment and delivery of the estate to the distributees without requiring refunding bonds.

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

ENTER: W. Revell Lewis, Judge
 DATE: January 22, 2018

I ask for this:
 Howard C. Wessells, II
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 23318 Courthouse Ave.
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 Accomack, VA 23301
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Notice of Public Hearing
 The Cape Charles Board of Zoning Appeals will hold a public hearing on February 5, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. in the Cape Charles Civic Center, located at 500 Tazewell Avenue, to receive public comment on a request for a variance from the rear yard setback regulations in the Residential-1 District. The applicant is requesting new construction of a rear addition to a single-family dwelling building at 114 Pine Street (tax map #83A3-13-A). The proposed addition is three-hundred (300) square feet in area. The Board of Zoning Appeals will hold a meeting immediately following the public hearing to consider the request for a variance. The application is available for public review in the Town Planner's Office, located at 2 Plum Street, during regular business hours. Please contact Town Planner Larry DiRe at 757-331-2036, or by email planner@capecharles.org if you have any questions or require additional information. Anyone interested in attending and needing special assistance please contact the Town at least forty-eight hours before the hearing.

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Posted at Sea Level

By Linda Cicaira

It was four decades ago that I worked at Pappy's at Four Corner Plaza in Onley, that pizza place where I found a second family. It was so much more than just a place to earn a few dollars. It was a fun place because of the coworkers. There was some truth to the slogan, "Pappy will make you happy."

The friendships that were made there have lasted even when years and years go by between visits. Facebook has helped make that easier as many have moved away.

I can still see H.K. Lee, then a local

teacher, who was also one of the managers at Pappy's. He would be wearing the red and white striped shirt and that styrofoam straw hat that was part of the uniform. Someone started the trend of taking a bite out of those hats so I imagine he was wearing one that was marred in that way.

He'd be smiling. We all thought he was pretty darn wonderful. He had the greatest laugh. We loved that guy.

H.K. died earlier this month. His accomplishments are discussed in another article in the Post. There were many of those for him. But for us it is so personal. Another part of our lives slipping away.

"H.K. was my teacher, but he was much more than just a teacher," Jani Savannah told me this week. "He was a friend to all who knew him." Jani is also from the Pappy's family and he was her boss for awhile.

"I had him for first period study hall and second period math at Parksley High School, which was great unless you didn't do your homework the night before."

"He was an amazing artist and he would doodle all year long on his desk calendar and then give it to one lucky student at the end of the year. That particular year, I was the lucky student," Jani said.

"I remember when one of our fellow classmates passed away. My best friend and I were so distraught," she said. "He tossed his car keys at us and said, go sit in my car where you can have some privacy."

"He had such a huge heart," Jani continued. "He often had students over to his house for dinner with his family and then he would take us to Bible study."

"He was all that and so much more," she said. "Smart, talented, always

smiling and laughing and loved by all who knew him. H.K., you have made a huge impact in this life and you will be greatly missed!" Jani added.

She summed that up pretty well. She and I are just among the many who expressed their sympathy to his family via Facebook, which is where I was reunited with H.K. in May of 2015 when he requested to be my friend. I was honored, of course, and kind of surprised with all the others he had mentored and helped. I never thought he would remember me. But that was the kind of guy he was. We were all as special to him as he was to us.

And sometimes, when we were really busy and I got nervous and jerky because of that player piano we had at Pappy's, he would look the other way when I unplugged it. Thanks H.K.!

'Come Heres' Drive Economy

Dear Editor:

A common question someone who has moved to the Eastern Shore of Virginia is asked is, "Where are you from?" And once determined that they did not hail from this peninsula, more often than not they are branded as a "come here." That tag, to most, is not often a compliment and seems to relegate the newcomer to a status less than stellar, in the eyes of those who use your origins as a barometer of who or what you are.

The reality is, unless we are of the Powhatan tribe, we are all "come heres." Captain John Smith, when he landed here in 1608, was not born on the Shore. He came here on the Phoenix and found what most "come heres" find — a fertile land, a vibrant fishery, an inviting climate, pristine waters, clean air, and a relatively friendly reception from the "been heres" (in his case, the friendly Powhatans).

Most of us "come heres," once discovering the Shore, bring significant investment once we settle. We pay real estate and personal property taxes, hire local contractors to build or remodel our homes, frequent local shops, restaurants, and grocery stores. We buy our fuel from local stations, and our electricity from the local cooperative. We give to local charities, support our volunteer services, and make very fine neighbors. In short, we contribute.

But many of us who have collectively invested hundreds of millions of dollars in Accomack County's economy are asking ourselves if we would have made that investment today as we look at hundreds of industrial poultry factories being constructed at a near-manic pace. We worry about our drinking water, air, community health, real estate values and even the scarring of our visual landscapes from these tin-clad monsters.

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors, perpetrators of this assault, proudly count their dollars as they roll in from mostly foreign investors in the poultry expansion. It is wild that these foreign nationals are

not dubbed "come heres" but are called "major drivers of the local economy," while the real drivers of this economy (us) are fiscally and environmentally pummelled.

Mary Strock, Sanford

Proud of Our President

Dear Editor:

I'm writing in response to your article in the latest edition of the Eastern Shore Post, "Shore Residents Sound Off on Trump's First Year." When referring to our president, it is disrespectful to refer to him without the title he earned, especially in a headline.

I noticed that several of the people quoted were disgusted with our president's first year because of their insurance issues. The blame for those issues rests with his illegal predecessor and Obamacare. We need a full repeal of the (un)affordable healthcare act. We need to open up competition across state lines so that an insurance company doesn't have a monopoly over a state. Tort reform would help keep costs down by reducing frivolous lawsuits and unrealistic "awards" for damages. Big Pharma is keeping us from low-cost, more effective treatments because they can't make any money if people are well. Don't you find it interesting that we're seeing ads for prescription medications for ailments caused by other prescription medications? Once you allow the free market to be the driver, costs for insurance, medical procedures, doctor visits, prescriptions, etc., WILL go down.

President Trump has had an amazing first year, in spite of opposition from both parties. We should NOT protect illegals in exchange for a wall. It's sad that OUR elected officials, paid by US, with OUR tax dollars, are holding our entire country hostage, putting illegal aliens above our military and U.S. citizens. My solution: send illegal families back to their countries on free flights, with \$100,000 per family in their pockets. They can fix their own countries with their taxpayer-funded, free, American educations.

I am proud of what our president has accomplished to date, in spite of opposition. Things he says do cause a twinge or two at times, but we elected him to Make

America Great Again. Caution: If you want to hold the president accountable for things he says, make sure HE actually said them, and they aren't words attributed to him by someone else. Dicky Durbin comes to mind here.

J. Maureen Saufley, Melfa

More 'Thanks' from Social Services

Dear Editor:

The Family Services Unit of the Accomack County Department of Social Services would like to thank the community for its support of our Children's Angel Tree Project. This project provided many children in need with wonderful gifts this Christmas. The Angel Tree's success is due to the continued support and generosity of the people of the Eastern Shore. The community's overwhelming support of this project is deeply appreciated by us and the families that were served.

A special thanks to Peebles Department Store in Onley for continuing to provide a "home" for our tree.

We thank you again and look forward to serving the community's needs at Christmas.

*Gail Godwin & Meghan Gaffney
Family Services Unit, Dept. of Social Services*

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