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## Homicide

Accomack County Sheriff's Department officers responded at about 4 a.m. Thursday to the scene of a shooting on Lankford Highway near Gargatha. The incident reportedly occurred in a grassy area outside of the old Godwin's Nursery, which was more recently being used a church/community center. Maj. Todd Godwin said the victim died while being transported by Parksley ambulance to Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital a short time later. The victim was identified only as a Hispanic man, pending notification of next of kin. At left, officers investigate what they believe was the victim's pick-up, found at the scene. Pictured are (from left) Godwin, Investigator Chuck McPherson, Lt. Gerald Goga and Capt. Shane Childress. Anyone with information about the incident is asked to call the Accomack County Sheriff's Department at 787-1131 or 824-5666.

Photo by Linda Cicaira

## Fire & EMS Funding Sparks Debate Among Supervisors

By Linda Cicaira

There wasn't any impropriety being alleged. But volunteer firefighters and rescue workers were the subject of debate among Accomack supervisors Wednesday regarding a policy that would oversee the way local companies spend \$1.2 million in tax revenue annually.

The plan was proposed to instill "accountability." But instead it wound up glaring of ingratitude and supervisors complained of discrimination and mistrust in the very people who save lives and property.

In a 6-3 vote, the board agreed to continue to allow the companies to have all their allotted funds to spend and save when and how they see fit. Chairman Donald Hart, Vice Chairwoman Laura Belle Gordy and Super-

visors Ron Wolff, Reneta Major, Wanda Thornton and Jack Gray favored the motion with stipulations that would require the companies to fill out financial forms and provide spending documents. But the issue didn't end there.

Supervisors Robert Crockett, Grayson Chesser and Sandy Hart Mears were opposed. Crockett and Chesser wanted the initial proposal that had been offered. Mears favored one with an emergency provision that would get funds to the companies when needed in a speedier fashion. She also suggested that audits be done of the companies. "It's a housekeeping item that will have to be done eventually," she said.

"We're not hiding anything," said Jody Bagwell, chief of the Bloxom unit and a member of the Fire and Rescue

Commission. "We agree with the concept. We would ask that you ... continue to do business ... with a January, March and July check ... and financial reports at the end of the year ... not too many companies will have money left over."

"Fuel and insurance (and equipment and building payments) will eat that up," said Bagwell. "We feel we've been accountable for what the county's asked for in the past."

In the end, the change proposal was unanimously tabled so staff could rewrite it, taking into consideration the noted concerns of the supervisors. In between there were votes on whether to call for the end of discussions, friendly and unfriendly amendments, the substitute motion and the taking

back of motions.

The proposal which was tabled was made by County Finance Director Mike Mason and initiated by Crockett. It called for the funds to be given after spending occurred and receipts were handed in. It also would have required unspent funds to be held in marked accounts by the county that would pay interest to the companies and would be overseen by Mason.

Unused money needs to be invested, Mason said, adding that the financial forms are still on the drawing board, but would be simple documents that "should not impact cash flow."

According to a county report, the issue began in April when the commission requested that the supervisors

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# Developer Cites Benefits of Proposed Atlantic Town Center

By Linda Cicaira

A Maryland developer said this week that his proposed Atlantic Town Center (ATC) housing and business project in Wattsville and a related wastewater facility planned for 62 acres near Atlantic would bring hundreds of millions of dollars to the area.

Managing Partner Christopher Carbaugh of Atlantic Group & Associates, Inc. of Berlin also said the treatment plant (which is opposed by neighbors) can't be too close to a runway or NASA Wallops and that no one in the area would be required to connect to it.

ATC "will provide a favorable impact on the local economy, as well as the county and state government agencies," he said, citing construction costs of \$386,560,000 and claiming that hundreds of jobs would be created. "Accomack County and the local school districts will share an increased tax base that will grow to approximately \$1,598,660 of annual taxes upon project build out," Carbaugh predicted.

He said the county and state "will

share approximately \$1,987,686 in recordation fees." In addition, Accomack will get \$1,470,000 and Virginia will receive \$30,000 in permit fees, he said. ATC projections show "the potential to create and accommodate 2,455 jobs" for "the proposed commercial, retail, office space, hotel, educational facility and community services."

"When Orbital Sciences Corporation announced their plans to utilize the Mid Atlantic Regional Spaceport (MARS) for ... sending supplies to the International Space Station, many considered this decision to be an excellent opportunity for the Eastern Shore and Accomack County," Carbaugh said. His project would eliminate dysfunctional septic systems likely causing "significant pollution and fecal coliform contamination found in the vicinity of the Wallops Flight Facility."

Carbaugh said his company did an "extensive analysis of available sites. ... The proposed Nocks Landing site is very unique ... it is approximately 40 feet above sea level with substan-

tial depths to ground water and sandy soils that can infiltrate large quantities of water. These conditions allow for recharge basins as a possible means of disposal. Without these soil conditions, other disposal alternatives would be required, such as spray irrigation or drip irrigation that may require 300 to 500 acres to accommodate 1,500,000 GPD (gallons per day)."

"One hundred percent of septic systems will fail. ... Sewage treatment facilities are expensive and heavily regulated ... as a result, it is inefficient, and often impossible, for individual landowners with failed and failing septic systems to design, obtain approval for and construct modern sewage treatment facilities," he said.

"Wastewater facilities are recommended to be located a minimum 10,000 feet (1.9 miles) from airport runways, aprons and taxiways. The ... site is approximately 11,000 feet from the Wallops Flight Facility runways. The planned growth area is not located adjacent to the wastewater facility so to avoid the Wallops Flight Facility Accident Potential Zones that do not recommend dense development within the zones that could result in a concentration of people."

"The wastewater facility will improve the environment and water quality of the coastal waters," he said. "Be-

cause of the high degree of treatment and nutrient reduction proposed, the facility represents a beneficial reuse of reclaimed water for the purposes of replenishing groundwater resources, reducing the potential of saltwater intrusion and protecting surface water quality and shellfish habitats."

The design would "resemble barns and other agricultural uses," he said. "The entire perimeter is buffered with earth berms and vegetated buffers ... by introducing public sewer to a community land values typically increase. ATC requires approximately 700,000 GPD. Therefore additional capacity is available for other areas ... including Wattsville, Atlantic and Chincoteague.

"Chincoteague has also long been plagued with troublesome septic systems and many businesses resort to expensive and inefficient packet plants for their treatment needs," Carbaugh noted. "Businesses unable to replace failing systems are required to pump and haul sewage several times each week."

Carbaugh said at a public meeting held in April 2009, "The plan is for "the wastewater facility ... to be owned and operated by a political subdivision, municipality or county. Those who choose to utilize the wastewater facility shall be responsible for the cost of construction and operation."

A group about 120 strong signed a petition last month in opposition to the treatment plan. They said the use is not compatible with the agricultural zone and complained that the system would damage the aquifer.



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# Lawyer Says County Could Collect More Taxes

By Linda Cicaira

A local attorney says Accomack officials are not doing everything legally possible to collect delinquent taxes.

The comments came in a letter Wednesday to Wesley Edwards, who lives near Craddockville and is an unofficial candidate for supervisor of District 9. Attorney John Hopkins of Belle Haven wrote that a simple judgment would allow the county to extend the collection period. Edwards brought the matter to the Board of Supervisors Wednesday.

Hopkins wrote, "We can't do anything to resurrect tax debts that are already unenforceable. However, there is much the county can do to enhance tax collections in the near future. For example, if Accomack County will merely bring proceedings in either the General District Court or the circuit court depending on the issue, by the last day of 2011, the time for collection of 1991 real estate taxes and for 2006 personal property taxes can be extended for another 20 years from that date of judgment."

The lawyer wrote that press reports

of county officials "appear to publicly indicate to tax debtors that the county had adopted a policy forbidding pursuit of personal property tax debts beyond five years or real property tax debts beyond 20 years."

"The ... reports indicate that county officials blame the predicament on state law," he continued. "I know that both" County Administrator Steve Miner and County Attorney Mark Taylor "are far too capable as attorneys to publicly state that you can correctly interpret" the law that way.

"For each personal judgment obtained, the county will then have available to it each remedy provided by the judicial system for the collection of a judgment, including wage garnishments or bank account garnishments, executions on personal property (seizure and sale even if the initial tax debt was for real property taxes) and a summons to answer interrogatories to determine what assets or income the debtor might have (allowable every 6 months for at least 20 years)," Hopkins explained.

"Obtaining personal judgments against the delinquent taxpayer does nothing to remove any other remedies or collection means the county might have or might use effectively; but it facilitates those remedies by extending the time they can be used by at least another 20 years," Hopkins wrote. "Other large creditors obtain dozens of judgments each court day in Accomack County Courts, and each court day, the clerk hands out thousands of dollars of checks from garnishees."

"Why doesn't the county announce and actually implement a simple policy of vigorous delinquent tax collection using all of the practical and lawful remedies available to the county for however long the period of limitations remains open in specific cases?" he asked in the letter. "Why couldn't the county issue an immediate clarifying statement indicating that, in many specific cases, it is lawful to collect personal property taxes for much longer than 5 years and to collect real property taxes for much longer than 20 years and that previous

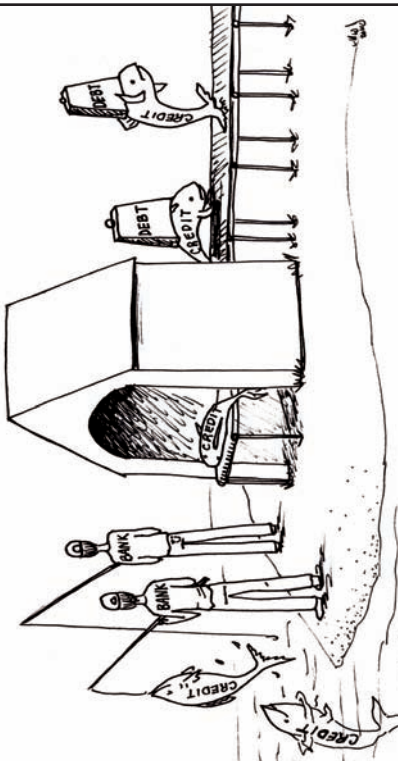
information to the contrary, whatever its source, is erroneous?"

Edwards asked the board, "I would also ask why you aren't tracking the collection or the lack of with some kind of report or graph. It is now \$15 million, \$20 million, who knows? Everyone in this room knows it is an election year, but there is no reason to put this off," he added.

While Edwards said he wanted to talk about other subjects as well, he only gets four minutes a month to do so and feels tax collection is the most urgent issue. "I would like to talk to you this evening about the need for a park in District 9," said Edwards. "I would like to talk to you this evening about the screening of fire departments. I would like to talk ... about illegal campaign funding from churches or non-profits ... about funding of county departments ... about jobs ... about education funding."

"By far the number one item should be \$13 million of uncollected taxes," Edwards said. He complained that the

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# New Northampton Superintendent Takes Helm During School Board Back-to-School Discussions

By Ron West

In a show of support for its current leadership, the Northampton County School Board voted unanimously to retain Dr. Richard Drury and Mickey Merritt to remain at the helm as chairman and vice chairwoman, respectively, for another year.

The board also agreed to keep its current committee assignments until the Board of Supervisors selects replacements for Calvin Brickhouse and Richard Bland, whose terms expired this year.

Northampton's new superintendent, Dr. Walter Clemons, addressed the board, stressing his goal of improving student achievement. "We need to set high expectations for our children," he said. His motto for the coming year will be, "Every Kid — Every Day."

The board discussed ability group-

ing of students in classrooms, as well as short-term suspensions that are recommended by school principals. Both matters were tabled for further review.

The Board voted unanimously to recommendations by Dr. Clemons regarding the reorganization and timing of School Board meetings. Under the plan, the monthly work session will be moved to the same day as the regular session, beginning at 5:30 p.m. A closed session will begin at 6 p.m., followed by the open session at 6:30 p.m.

Additionally, there will be Saturday public chat sessions three times per year, one at each of the three schools.

Dr. Drury quoted figures from Eastern Shore Community College that showed a marked decrease in the number of Northampton County students taking advantage of the dual enroll-

ment program.

Board member Kristin Webb stated that one factor in the decrease is likely related to the cost.

Board member Patrick Hand noted that if some of the faculty at the high school could become endorsed as instructors for the college, the classes could be taught in Eastville, thus saving students the travel time as well as expenses.

The board discussed re-establishing an in-house food services program at all three schools, having voted unanimously not to renew the food services contract for the coming year. Director of Operations Chris Truckner indicated he did not see any roadblocks to re-establishing the locally operated food service.

The board also considered a change to the standardized dress code for this

fall. On the recommendation of the three school principals, striped shirts and the color maroon will no longer be allowed. Black pants and skirts will be added to the acceptable list of colors. Principals had expressed concern over the color maroon, as it resembles red, which is a gang color and had reported difficulty in ruling on width of the stripes in some shirts. Dr. Drury suggested that making a change this late in the summer could cause some parents a problem if they had already purchased new school clothing for their children. Following additional discussion, the board voted 7-1 (Drury voting no) to make the color changes, effective this September.

In other business, the board voted unanimously to merge the school dental plan with that of Northampton County.

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strike the Annual Statement of Income and Expenditures Report requirement from its bylaws. After discussion, the supervisors directed Mason to develop the accountability fund plan.

"The county needs to develop a written policy that governs what these funds can be used for and establish mechanisms to ensure compliance," Mason said. "There has been no alleged inappropriate use of county funds or any other negative action that prompted this policy. ... Companies have done nothing wrong. ... The time to clarify permitted uses of funds and to improve accountability is not after a negative event has occurred but rather before to reduce the chance of one occurring."

"We need to be proactive ... so we have a policy in place that is clear," said Crockett, who motioned for the proposal to be adopted. "There is a county in Northern Virginia (that was) cited in an audit ... it's just a matter of time. I'm surprised we haven't already been cited." He said in comparison, departments within the county aren't allowed to roll over funds. If not spent, "that money is gone. In this case, the money does not revert to the General Fund."

"We can't ever do enough to pay these people back for what they do for the county," said Thornton. She complained that the policy would create "twice the paperwork. If we had to pay (for the services the volunteers provide), it would bankrupt this county," Thornton added.

"This would create more work for the county," she said. "I just can't understand why we would put on an additional burden."

Wolff agreed that the county owes the volunteers, but he stressed that the board has a responsibility to see "that taxpayers are getting a fair shake."

Speaking for Painter Volunteer Fire Company, Supervisor Reneta Major, said she doesn't want the department to be penalized. "If there was nothing wrong with the old policy, why fix it?" she asked.

"But there really wasn't

an old policy," said Mason. "I think this is long overdue."

"Of course they should be accountable for the taxpayers' money," said Gray. "I do have a problem with holding the money. They need a rainy day fund like we all do. They have managed their funds well. We're penalizing them. I don't see that. They need every penny."

Gray said his mother's house, which caught fire in 1942 in the middle of a war, is still standing today as the result of the volunteers' efforts. "Being accountable, they don't mind that," added Gray. "But I don't think we should hold their money." He wanted Mason to draw up a bookkeeping method for the companies to follow.

At Mears' suggestion, Mason said he could add a provision for emergencies that would get money to the companies faster when they need it. Gray made the substitute motion.

Gordy thanked Mason for the extra work. But she said, we're "not being fair to them. I think we should give them their money."

Hart also objected to Mason's proposal. He said the companies need the money up front for day-to-day operations, that the board doesn't require other panels (the library board and community college) to follow the proposal and that the money that could be held back as the companies save for equipment sometimes costing up to \$500,000 would be up for grabs "just like what happened with the drainage" funds. "A future board could make a

policy to take it."

Mason said the primary purpose of his policy "is to provide assurance that county funds disbursed to volunteer fire and rescue companies are used only for the public good (and) are accounted for in a clear and transparent manner." Mason said his proposed provisions "are very similar to those imposed by the state as a condition for receiving state categorical aid. We also looked at a number of other locality policies and practices. Most policies were more restrictive or more costly than what is proposed for Accomack," he said.

The proposal involved county fund sources and would permit spending for firefighting and Emergency Medical Services (EMS) vehicles and related expenses, personal protective clothing and equipment, training, education, volunteer stipends, facility construction, operation and maintenance. It would not include fund-raising activities, charitable contributions and in-kind services. "Each company's funds (would be) determined during annual budget cycle."

Advances would be permitted for large, upcoming purchases and funds

would be dispersed in February and July. The plan also called for "random sample each year of transactions and test for compliance." The changes for reporting requirements included going from an annual statement of income and expenditures to reimbursement/advance requests for funds, from a list of volunteers to Line of Duty Act Roster and NIMS (National Incident Management System) compliance reports, from maintenance records for apparatus to DOT (Department of Transportation) inspections, from submittal of PPCR (Pre-Hospital Patient Care Reporting) information to a copy of the current EMS license and any sanctions, and from a pump test for at least one pumper or tanker to tests for all engines used to support interior fire operations.

"An agreement has been crafted whereby the county agrees to provide public funds to companies in exchange for each company agreeing to abide by the accountability policy and to provide the county with required reports," the proposal stated. "Previous reporting requirements were embedded in the Fire Services Commission Bylaws.

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# Savage Explains Business License Policy

By Linda Cicaira

Accomack Commissioner of the Revenue Leslie Savage said this week that her stand on issuing business licenses to companies that owe personal-property taxes hasn't changed. She doesn't intend to issue licenses to those businesses unless state law or the county ordinance changes.

Savage said when she sent a note to County Attorney Mark Taylor last month saying she would be issuing the license to BIC Inc. of Wattsville in August, she did so with the understanding that the work for the county would be completed and payment from Accomack would automatically be used to pay the tax debt.

"It was my understanding that's what's going to happen," Savage said. "I won't release it (the license) until that's done," she said, adding, it is the same for any of the other 30-35 companies that haven't paid their taxes but applied for a business license.

The issue is only part of the con-

trovercy concerning county bids that were awarded to BIC despite its delinquency. The company is working on the Kegotank Landing Walk, Seawall and Boat Ramp project in Modestown and was awarded the project on May 18, 2011. A business license for the company has been withheld for delinquent taxes for three years. Recently it disputed the bill.

Savage said Wednesday that she usually increases business tangible property by 25 percent if companies don't send in their annual property list. Once the changes in property for BIC were noted, she went back as far as she could, to 2008, to make changes.

At the time the contract was awarded, it was believed BIC owed about \$4,000 in back personal-property taxes. But that bill was really \$15,330. BIC's bid on the contract was \$20,000 less than the next lowest bidder, or about \$28,000. Savage adjusted the company's tax bill by \$6,078 once she was alerted of BIC's changes in tan-

gible property, she said.

BIC still owes \$22,725 in real-estate taxes and has signed an agreement with Treasurer Dana Bundick to make payments for all its overdue taxes. Savage wrote to Taylor on June 28, "We will issue BIC Inc. (a) business license when the first payment is made on the payment agreement, which will be in Aug. 2011."

Taylor sent emails to county department directors advising them that when a company signs a payment plan to pay off tax debts, it is no longer considered delinquent.

Savage said she would release a list of the rest of the companies for which licenses have been withheld.

## County Pays for Board's Meals

By Linda Cicaira

Accomack taxpayers bought supper for the county Board of Supervisors during its last three meetings.

The cost was \$111.49 for the first two meetings, according to an email response from Finance Director Mike Mason, and \$52.49 for the third meeting, according to a county spokesperson.

"I don't recall any funds being expended for similar purposes in the prior two years," Mason said. "All expenses need approval. This is no exception."

According the spokesperson, the supervisors informally asked for sandwiches to be brought in because the session goes through the supper hour. The members have been taking a break from around 7 to 7:30 p.m. The expense comes from the county administrator's budget, the spokesperson said.

The meetings start at 5 p.m. Public hearings are routinely held at 7:30 p.m.

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## Court Postings

By Linda Cicaira

### Northampton Circuit Court

An Accomack woman pleaded guilty in Northampton Circuit Court Monday to 10 counts of forgery.

Bridgett Ollie Silvia, 46, of Keller initially was indicted on 20 counts — 10 of forgery and 10 of passing bad checks. A spokesperson for Commonwealth's Attorney Bruce Jones said he would not be prosecuting the charges of passing bad checks. The incidents occurred in October 2010. Sentencing was deferred for Silvia on the forgery charges pending completion of a presentence report.

### Accomack Circuit Court

Charles Michael Siegart, 20, of Adelaide Street in Parksley was given a three-year suspended sentence Tuesday in Accomack Circuit Court for burglary and a 90-day suspended sentence for petty larceny in connection with the same case. According to court records, the incidents occurred on Aug. 20, 2010, at the home of Henry Nicholson.

Wykia Shanell James, 19, of Harrington Drive in Nassawadox was sentenced to a year each for two counts of passing bad checks in November of 2010. The sentences were suspended. A third charge of passing a bad check was dismissed. James also was given a 30-day suspended sentence for giving false identification to a police officer.

## Not on the Dollar Menu

By Linda Cicaira

It will cost about \$642,500 to build the new McDonald's restaurant in Onley, according to a county building report issued for June. Construction is underway as the footers and foundation appear to be completed.

The McDonald's permit was the most expensive of 69 building permits issued in Accomack last month, with a fee just over \$6,100.

Other business building permits included in the report were for constructing accessory buildings at Mappsville Baptist Church in Mappsville and Tall Pines Harbor Campground in Sanford, installing a new roof at Rent A Center in Onley and renovating the Hermitage on the Eastern Shore in Onancock.

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# New Superintendent Addresses Supervisors

By Linda Cicoira

On his 20th day on the job, Accomack School Superintendent Dr. Bruce Benson told Accomack supervisors that he is in "listening mode" as he gathers input from stakeholders inside and outside the school system.

Even so, he was able to report the division's national achievements, the hiring of dozens of new teachers and the millions of dollars worth of scholarships earned by the county's latest graduating classes.

"Public education is a community effort," he said. "Everyone is moving at the same effort for a continued success."

Dr. Benson said 324 students graduated from the county's four high schools last month. The seniors were awarded more than \$4,169,000 in scholarships. "It speaks well of the preparation," Dr. Benson said.

The superintendent further stated that the division gained national recognition recently as third in the country in chapter display for building trades, 19th in welding and first in pipe welding. The program "not only wins awards, but gives kids choice career paths," he said.

In addition, Dr. Benson reported that preparations are being made for the next term. Forty-seven teachers were hired to fill vacancies and six schools will be online with broadband, which will provide instructional and administrative advantages.

Supervisor Grayson Chesser said he recently overheard how children are coming home to tell of his new program to help students with SOLs (Standards of Learning) at Arcadia.

"With 20 days on the job, at this point ... I can't take credit for anything," Dr. Benson said.

"The kids were giving it to you," said Chesser.

The supervisors welcomed Dr. Benson, who came to the county after serving as the Albemarle County assistant superintendent for operations and system planning. Dr. Benson started as a biology, chemistry and computer-science instructor, moving up the ranks over 28 years.

"I'm very excited to be here," the superintendent said.

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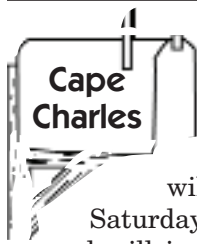
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## Community Notes



The Ninth Annual Cape Charles Fall Festival, presented by the Cape Charles Renewal Program,

will be held this year on Saturday, Sept. 24. The festival will include an old-fashioned, small-town parade, the Mason Avenue ArtWalk, a Kids' Event Central, and vendors.

Local, county and state officials; law-enforcement officers; volunteer firefighters with their firefighting vehicles; rescue squad volunteers and their vehicles; and all community, civic, social and student organizations and clubs are invited to participate in the parade. Call Joan at 331-4884, email CapeCharlesFallFestival@hotmail.com or send mail to P.O. Box 461, Cape Charles, VA 22310 for more information or for a registration package.

## Upcoming Town Meetings

MONDAY, JULY 25

- Nassawadox Town Council - 7 p.m., Northampton Free Library
- Onancock Town Council - 7 p.m., Council Chambers

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27

- Accomac Town Council - 7:30 p.m., Bd. of Supervisors Chambers

THURSDAY, JULY 28

- Bloxom Town Council - 7:30 p.m., Town Hall

## Cape Charles Council Discusses Town Improvements

*By Ron West*

Diane Davis urged Cape Charles Town Council last week to make more of an effort to require property owners to keep their lots in good condition. She remarked that some property owned by absentee owners has unwanted trees growing in their yards and unused construction materials stacked on it.

A letter to Town Council by Steve and Chris Mitchell echoed the comments by Davis and suggested that the absentee owners be held responsible for making repairs to the structures on their property, sell them outright, or have them demolished.

Bill Payne announced that he is working to get a youth vegetable garden established near the entrance to the town.

Town Manager Heather Arcos reported to Council that the golf cart and bike path connecting Bay Creek to the rest of town is open and being used by the public.

Harbormaster Smity Dize reported that income from the harbor slips over the Fourth of July weekend was just short of income received for all of July 2010.

Town consultant Bob Panek and Public Works Director Dave Fauber provided an update on construction of the new Wastewater Treatment plant. Fauber reported that construction was about 100 days behind but the delay is expected to be made up. The goal is to have the plant completed by the end of the year.

The C.A. Lindman Company was awarded a contract not to exceed \$75,000 to repair masonry work on the 1930 Town Municipal Building.

# Historic School Dedicated

*Story and Photo by Ron West*

An estimated 300 alumni, former staff members, state Sen. Ralph Northam and Northampton County's newest superintendent looked on as a highway marker (*pictured at right*) was unveiled recently to commemorate the historical significance of African-American public education in the county.

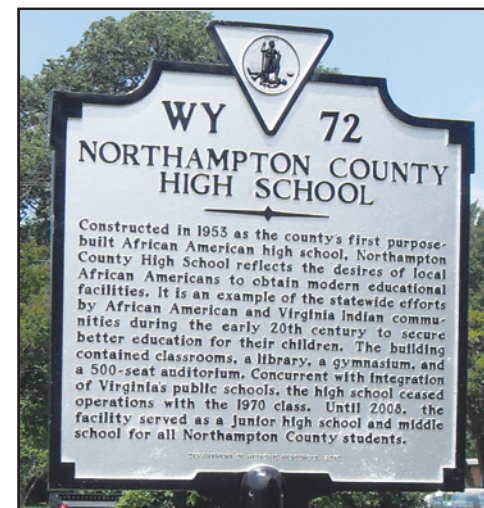
Prior to 1935, educational opportunities for African-American children in Northampton County were extremely limited. There were no publicly funded high schools for African-American children in the county. Tidewater Institute was established just south of Cheriton by the Baptist Association and operated from 1905-35. Families who could not afford to send their children there were left with the option of sending them to live with friends or relatives who resided in localities that did have high schools for them.

In 1935, Northampton County Public Schools began offering secondary education in the former Tidewater Institute building until that site was condemned. In the fall of 1940, Northampton County High School was moved to a small, three-story brick structure in Machipongo, which had been part of the Northampton County system. That building continued to be the only African-American high school in the county until money was appropriated for construction of a new high school in 1953. That building currently houses the county administration offices while offices in Eastville are being renovated.

Northampton County High School continued to provide an avenue for higher education until the end of segregated public schools in 1970 when the building became a junior high and later a middle school.

Calvin Brickhouse, the last surviving principal of Northampton County High School, was the guest speaker for the dedication. He has served for the past eight years on the county School Board.

The Northampton County High School Alumni Association (NCHSAA), formed in 1989 to help preserve the heritage of African-American public education, provides a number of scholarships.



Speaking of the former high school, Stephen Fox, remarked that for African-American children in Northampton, "the chance to attend Northampton County High School was the zenith of their lives."

Former school Superintendent George Young, who helped oversee the transition to integration for county schools, spoke of the importance of the dedication ceremony. He noted the value of former African-American administrators such as William Smith, Otis Bragg, John Worsley, and Clarence Arnold, who helped smooth the way.

Historical archives from the years that Northampton County High School existed are housed and on display at First Baptist Church in Cape Charles. Fox presented a framed photo and news article about Lt. Henry A. Wise, a product of Northampton County High School, to be added to the archives. Lt. Wise went on to attend college and became one of the famed Tuskegee Airman of World War II. After the war, Wise became a doctor and resided in the Baltimore area until his death three years ago.

Dr. Walter Clemens, who took over the helm of Northampton County Public Schools earlier this month, spoke of the importance of parents taking an active role in the education of their children. "It is incumbent on all of us to work together to provide the best education possible for our children that we can," he said. "We need to become role models for our children. ... We cannot afford to have a sub-par school system. It will be my task to get the job done."

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## George McMath Named Unsung Hero

Former state Del. George N. McMath of Onley recently was awarded the Unsung Hero Award by the Virginia Healthcare Foundation.



**McMath**

McMath served as chairman of Eastern Shore Rural Health System, Inc.'s capital campaign to build the new Onley Community Health Center. More than 80 volunteers agreed to serve on 11 committees to assist in the effort that has raised more than \$2 million. The new facility opened in July 2010.

## Ashby Awarded Northam Scholarship

This year's Thomas C. Northam Memorial Scholarship was awarded to James Ashby Turner Jr. of Broadwater Academy.

The \$1,000 scholarship, awarded in memory of the late coach, is offered to a student athlete who excels in the classroom and athletic field.

The scholarship was established by former members of Coach Northam and is sponsored by Onancock Elks Lodge 1766.

## Local Students Named to Va. Tech Dean's List

The following students enrolled at Virginia Tech were named to the Dean's List for the spring 2011 semester:

- Jason B. Kellam of Birdsnest, a junior majoring in political science in the College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences;

- James D. Long of Cape Charles, a second-year student majoring in agricultural technology in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences.;

- Elizabeth W. Richardson of Capeville, a sophomore majoring in history in the College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences;

- Megan E. Lawson of Exmore, a senior majoring in communication in the College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences;

- Justin G. Charnock of Machipongo, a junior majoring in psychology in the College of Science;

- Erinn N. Claffy of Marionville, a junior majoring in human nutrition, foods and exercise in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences;

- Kaitlin R. Kellam of Nassawadox, a junior majoring in English in the College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences.

To qualify for the Dean's List, full-time students must earn a 3.4 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale) during the semester.

## Jaclyn Allman Earns Master's Degree

Tangier native Jaclyn Pruitt Allman, the daughter of Chuck and Robin Pruitt, recently graduated from the University of Phoenix with a master's degree of arts in education and a GPA of 3.9.



**Allman**

She received her bachelor of arts degree in child psychology from Christopher Newport University and currently resides in Onancock with her husband, Greg, and daughter, Brooklyn.

This fall she will be teaching second grade at Accawmacke Elementary School.



- a daughter, born to Britany Bennett and Joseph Davila of Onancock July 10

- a son, born to Keeva Dennis of Nelsonia July 10

Nelsonia July 10

- a daughter, born to Ginger and James Turner of Greenbush July 10

- a son, born to Ana Martinez-Barrer and Alejandro de LaCruz of Mappsville July 11

- a daughter, born to Vilma Mejiaramos and Fredy Gutierrez of Mappsville July 12

- a daughter, born to Laura Hope Mackie and Gregory Bailey of Accomac July 12

## Two Graduate from Salisbury University

Recent graduates from Salisbury University include Louann Justice of Atlantic, who earned a bachelor of arts degree; and Joshua Taylor of Parksley, who earned a bachelor of science degree in mathematics.

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# Obituaries

## Newborn Passes Away

Baby Jack Thomas Patterson, son of Samantha Marie Ramsey and Jeremy Darek Patterson, passed away Saturday, July 2, 2011.

Services will be private.

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

Arrangements were made by Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

## Franktown Native Dies

**Mrs. Julia Marie Tatum Gibbons**, 91, of Hampton, Va., formerly of the Eastern Shore, passed away Wednesday, July 13, 2011, at Coliseum Park Nursing Home in Hampton.

Born in Franktown, she was a daughter of the late George Thomas Tatum and Katherine Thompson Tatum. Mrs. Gibbons was a homemaker, and had attended First Friends Church

in Hampton with her husband, the late Johnie Franklin Gibbons.

Survivors include her son, Carl Franklin Gibbons (and wife, Linda) of Hampton; sisters, Emma Shrieves of Onancock and Joyce Tanner of Alexandria, Va.; grandchildren, Teresa Gibbons of Edmond, Okla., Brian Gibbons (and wife, Cindy), Lisa Tarver (and husband, Larry), and Monique Deshotel (and husband, Ben), all of Hampton; great-grandchildren, Brian Jr., Ashley, Kyle, Dillon, Taylor, Devin and Jacquelyn; great-great-grandsons, James Jr. and Brian III; and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a sister, Ida Mae Trader; and three brothers, Edward, George William, and Allen Lee Tatum.

Funeral services were conducted from Williams-Onancock Funeral Home Monday, July 18, by Rev. Joe McKnight. Interment was in Belle Haven Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to Hollies Baptist Church, P.O. Box 7, Keller, VA 23401. Memory tributes may be shared with the family at [www.williamsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.com)

## Contractor Passes Away

**Mr. Oliver Eugene McNeal Jr.**, 62, of Cape Charles passed away Thursday, July 14, 2011, at his residence.

A native of Waverly, N.Y., he was the son of the late Oliver Eugene McNeal Sr. and Loesa Frances Ryan McNeal. He was a self-employed contractor and a Vietnam veteran, serving with the U.S. Army.

Mr. McNeal is survived by his children, Danny McNeal (and fiancée, Susie) of Jamesville, Va., and Kimberly McNeal (and fiancé, Gerald) of Hot Springs, Va.; grandchildren, Kristen and Ashley McNeal, Samantha and Paige McNeal, and Brandi and Zachary Price; sister, Jean Lumley of Florida; and brothers, Tom McNeal of Cape Charles and James McNeal of Ohio. Mr. McNeal was predeceased by a sister, Joyce Jones; and a brother, Stephen McNeal.

A Celebration of Life gathering was held at Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore Thursday, July 21,

Online condolences may be shared at [www.doughtyfuneralhome.com](http://www.doughtyfuneralhome.com)

## Eastville Resident Dies

**Mr. Steven Paul Burgess**, 56, of Eastville passed away Saturday, July 16, 2011, at Sentara Norfolk General Hospital.

A native of Exmore, he was the son of Martin L. Burgess Sr. and Mary Simpson Burgess.

In addition to his parents, survivors include his brother, Marty Burgess; sisters, Marianne Scarborough and Mamie Taylor; four children; and six grandchildren.

All services will be private. Memorials may be sent to a charity of one's choice. Online condolences may be sent to [www.doughtyfuneralhome.com](http://www.doughtyfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home, Exmore.

## Craddockville Man Dies

**Mr. A. Wilson Custis**, 77, of Craddockville passed away Sunday, July 17, 2011, at Sentara Virginia Beach Hospital.

The son of the late William Arthur Custis and Rose Wilson Custis, he is survived by his wife, Iris Evans Custis; sister, Shirley Harrison of Wilmington, Del.; sisters-in-law, Sue Dunton of Belle Haven, and Joan Gee and Kathy Payne of Eastville; nieces, Lucinda Cox, Carla Rouelle, Terry Goswellen, and Tammy Reese; nephews, Brad Payne and Eric Harrison; and loving cats, Misty, Fifi, and Cleo. Mr. Custis was predeceased by one nephew, Evan Payne.

A funeral service will be held today, July 22, at 11 a.m. from Holland Funeral Home in Nassawadox.

Memorial donations may be made to the charity of one's choice. Family and friends may sign the guest book at [www.hollandfuneralhome.net](http://www.hollandfuneralhome.net)

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supervisors haven't discussed the matter. "Yes, you are funding yet another study/audit. You are famous for studies: EMS, cost cutting, land use, water and sewer, just to name a few, and with little or no action to any. A quote from me (from) five years ago now seems appropriate, 'paralysis by analysis.'"

"If you don't address this issue, it will never be addressed," he said. "We as citizens and you as a board will never be able to have the kinds of things and service we deserve. We don't need new taxes. We need to collect the ones we have. A rate reduction would be nice. Is it a level playing field when 13,000 people or companies aren't paying their fair share?"

Edwards said he came up with that figure by multiplying the 460 pages of the delinquent list by the 30 lines per page. "This does not require rocket science, a collection department or two or three more lawyers which would be at no cost because legal costs can be added to the bill paid by those who are

delinquent."

## Wallops Research Park

The supervisors voted unanimously to continue their commitment to make Wallops Research Park a success. But that action did not include spending more than \$820,000 to swap federal park property and add more than 32 acres to the research facility lands.

Supervisor Wanda Thornton raised the issue. She asked for it to be on the supervisors' agenda last month after a majority of the board voted to stop paying a lobbyist to work on getting a bill passed that asks Congress to exempt Accomack from having to replace the property. Rep. Scott Rigell introduced the bill.

"I'm not sure the board is fully committed to Wallops Research Park (WRP)," Thornton said. She wanted to know where the others stood on the subject. "I don't want to be spinning our wheels ... if the bill doesn't pan (out), we'll have to buy a piece of land in the county. I'm doing everything I can."

Thornton said others needed to step up as well. Specifically, she called for Supervisor Grayson Chesser, who offered to use his Washington connections to help, and Supervisor Sandy Hart Mears, who also said she had a contact, to get to work. Mears said she was looking for phone numbers.

"I think we need to recognize that the active tenant is not going to work out," Chesser said of BaySys Technologies. He contended it was premature to take a vote on spending money for the land. "We told our folks we couldn't afford to do it," Chesser said of state and federal representatives. "We should wait until the report of the park committee" is made to take a vote.

Thornton complained that she got two calls from Washington this week regarding the high unemployment rate (12 percent) in Florida and how the NASA base in that state wants to stay busy, possibly causing NASA Wallops to have cutbacks. She also complained "respectfully" to Chesser that he has not been supportive of economic development.

Crockett told her there was no need to get personal. He later asked Miner if the rules of order they adopted in Jan-

uary apply to the remark. Miner said comments need to be addressed to the chairman.

But Chesser wasn't alarmed. He "respectfully" disagreed with Thornton. He said he has supported economic development. He thanked Crockett for standing up for him but said it wasn't necessary. "I'm a big boy."

Miner said the bill was in a subcommittee of the House, with the next step being a public hearing. "I don't know how many people will be needed" to speak at the session. He also reported that the WRP Advisory Council would meet this week to discuss the park and the status of BaySys as a tenant. He expects the panel to report back to the supervisors in September.

Crockett said he would need more information before spending \$800,000.

Thornton argued that the county wouldn't have a choice, "It cannot go forward until we rectify this piece of land" — 32.56 acres, she said. At one point, land was discussed for District 9.

Later Edwards said, "We in District 9 feel like we need a park. It would be one alternative. I know we can't afford it now."

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<p><b>F150 SUPER CAB</b> White, 3.7L V6, XL Plus - My Key, Cloth \$3,500 Customer Cash or 0% 60 Mos.</p>	<p><b>F150 SUPER CAB</b> Sterling Gray, 5.0L V8, Tailgate Step, Auto \$3,500 Customer Cash or 0% 60 Mos.</p>	<p><b>F250 CREW CAB</b> 4X4 Diesel Lariat, Royal Sunroof, Loaded \$3,500 Customer Cash or 0% 60 Months Loyal Ford Owners \$1,000 Additional</p>	<p><b>F150 CREW CAB</b> 4X2, XLT, EcoBoost, V6 \$3,000 Customer Cash or 0% 60 Mos.</p>

<p><b>'08 FUSION SEL</b> Redfire, V6, Auto, AC, Powertrain, Warranty <b>\$15,750</b></p>	<p><b>'08 F150 SCB XLT 4WD</b> 30K Miles, V8, Auto, All Power Warranty <b>\$24,800</b></p>
<p><b>'05 EXPLORER XLT</b> 4WD, Local Owner, Low Miles, Very Clean, Power <b>\$12,750</b></p>	<p><b>'05 JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE LTD</b> Hemi, V8, Auto, All Options, Leather, Nice, <b>\$15,350</b></p>

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- '01 SABLE LS - Tan, Auto, AC, Great MPG, All Power, HURRY!
- '04 F150 XL - Blue, Local 1 Owner, V8, Auto, AC, Longbed
- '04 EXPLORER XLT 4WD - Green, Local 1 Owner, Low Miles

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- '08 JEEP LIBERTY SPORT - Red, V6, Auto, Low 31,000 Miles, All Power, Sunroof!
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- '09 RANGER SCB XLT - White, Auto, AC, Power, Save \$. HARD-TO-FIND!
- '08 KIA SORENTO LX - Blue, Auto, All Power, Very Affordable!
- '08 LINCOLN MKZ - Blue, Factory Warranty, Leather, Loaded up!
- '04 F250 4WD - Diesel, Auto, Longbed, XL, Good Miles. HURRY! NICE!
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## Court Records



## Property Transactions

- From Winston Custis  
To Hermenegildo Rodrigues-Arias  
and Victoria Cabrera  
3 Parksley parcels  
For \$20,000
- From E.T. Trader  
To Eastern Shore Rural Health  
System, Inc.  
13.730 acres in Oak Hall  
For \$420,000
- From Pearl Wilmer  
To Richard Brickner  
Sanford parcel  
For \$15,000
- From Earle Bumbs  
To Virginia Robinson  
Lot 138, Unit 3, Trails End  
For \$5,500
- From Paul Huebner  
To Naomi Yenser

- Lot 426, Unit 1, Trails End  
For \$7,500
- From Andre Loder  
To Barbara, Andrew and Stephen Zubko  
Lot 366, Section 2, Captain's Cove  
For \$120,000
- From Stephanie and Steven Beldy  
To Jerri and Jonathan Deily  
Lot K at Butlers Bluff near Kiptopeke  
For \$70,000
- From Jeffrey and Penny Holland  
To Catherine & Thomas Anderson III  
Property in Elliott's Neck  
For \$358,000
- From Robert Hill  
To Henrietta Morris  
Property in Eastville  
For \$181,440
- From Harry, Francis, & Phyllis Walker  
To James A. Kelly IV  
Property in Bayford  
For \$55,000
- From A&E Properties, LC  
To Timothy J. Valentine  
2 parcels on Dunne Ave., Parksley  
For \$225,000
- From John and Elizabeth Hyde  
To Chincoteague Bay Trails End  
Association, Inc.  
Lot 432, Unit 1, Trails End  
For \$10,535
- From Special Commissioner James  
Elliott and Harrison Savage  
To Lianne Wallop  
Parcel near Atlantic  
For \$4,200
- From CNB and Felton Bank  
To Isabel Blanco  
3 parcels between Atlantic & Oak Hall  
For \$40,000
- From KYJA, LLC

- To Charles and Annette Parks  
2.510 acres near Onley  
For \$42,000
- From Special Commissioner James  
Elliott and Linda Gibson  
To Douglas Estes  
Property south of Horntown  
For \$2,500
- From James, Richard & Darlene Taylor  
To Francis and Lynn Hoyle  
2 Texacotown parcels  
For \$100,000
- From Special Commissioner James  
Elliott, Dorothy Ramsue, Savoyia  
Morgan, James and Solomon Ricketts  
and Kathryn Dixon  
To Sandra Hickman  
Parcel near Cashville  
For \$1,400
- From Wilson and Robin Patteson  
To Morss Lippincott  
Onancock parcel  
For \$790,000
- From Special Commissioner James  
Elliott and Ferenc Borbely  
To Cheryl Power and Ildiko Huszti  
Lot 176, Unit 3, Chincoteague Bay  
Trails End  
For \$5,500
- From Michael & Catherine Giacobbe  
To Thomas and Magdalene Peterffy  
Lot 25, Baldpate Ln., Onancock  
For \$100,000
- From Branch Banking and Trust Co.  
To John and Ruth Benedetti  
53.14 acres, Harmon Farm near Melfa  
For \$105,000
- From Mary Connors & Catherine Dever  
To Kenneth and Donna Boyd  
Lot 8, 2.1 acres at Bells Neck  
For \$255,000



## Marriage Licenses Issued

- Andrew Joseph Bell, 29, and  
Linda Faith Knitter, 25, both of Melfa
  - Joseph William Grove, 43, and  
Louise Jennifer Miller, 45, both of  
North Lima, Ohio
  - Clifford Donovan Webb, 42, and  
Bonnie Sue Pierson, 39, both of Parksley
  - Juan Luis Gonzalez Saucedo, 27,  
and Brenda Miranda Leyva, 19, both  
of Onley
  - Paulet Patrice, 25, and Gislaine  
Fleurant, 41, both of Pungoteague
  - Stevie Wendell Bailey Jr., 31, of  
Pungoteague and Toccara Cherelle  
Johnson, 28, of Birdsnest
  - James David Belk, 49, of Lan-  
caster, S.C., and Lori Ann Papa, 47, of  
Frazer, Pa.
  - Donald Wayne Kilmon Jr., 32, and  
Shawna Ann Porter, 33, both of Bloxom
  - Roland Lee Smith, 52, of Melfa and  
Loretta Maxine Bailey, 46, of Painter
  - Stephen Shane Wright and  
Patricia Marie Morgan, both 32, of  
Mappsville
  - Jonathan David Johnson, 33,  
of Parksley and Marquita Jenise  
Brown, 26, of Painter
  - William Keech Wilson Jr., 65,  
of Berlin, Md., and Diane Elizabeth  
Hall, 59, of Melfa
- From Virginia Historic Conservation  
Properties, LLC  
To Judd Brook Properties, LLC  
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**FRIDAY  
JULY 22**

★9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. - **Blueberry Festival (July 22, 23, & 24)** - Chincoteague Center - 894-2334

- ★10:30 a.m. - **Duplicate Bridge** - Sage Restaurant, Onley - 442-2474
- ★noon - **AA mtg.** - UMC, Onancock
- ★6 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.** - Family Life Center, Onancock - Simple Meal: \$6/person or \$10/family
- ★7 p.m. - **Life Teach Series** - Rachel/ Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
- ★7 p.m. - **NA mtg.** - Adventist Community Center, Exmore
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo (doors open at 6:30 p.m.)** - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

**SATURDAY  
JULY 23**

★8 a.m.-noon - **Farmer's Market** - Downtown Park, Main St., Chincoteague

- ★9 a.m. - **Zumba Class** - sponsored by Chincoteague YMCA - Senior Center, Chincoteague
- ★10 a.m. - **Health Fair** - St. Luke AME Church, Drummondtown Rd., Daugherty
- ★10-11 a.m. - **"Over the Waterfall": Hammered Dulcimer Performance for Children by Martha Giles** - Barrier Islands Center, Machipongo - \$5 - 678-5550
- ★1 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Holy Trinity Church, Onancock
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

**POST TIMES  
JULY 22 - 28**

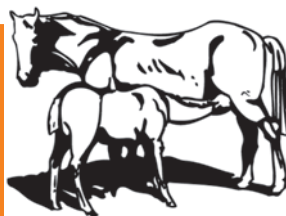
**SUNDAY  
JULY 24**

- ★11 a.m. - **Bikers' Blessing Service** - Jerusalem Baptist Church, Temperanceville
- ★2 p.m. - **Motorcycle Outreach Ministry** - St. John's Baptist Church, Onancock
- ★2:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Vietnam Veterans' Bldg., Main St., Onley
- ★3 p.m. - **5th Pastoral Anniversary** - Snead's Memorial Methodist Church, Keller
- ★3 p.m. - **Stokes Sisters in Concert** - First Baptist Church, Mappsville
- ★3 p.m. - **Camp Meeting Day Service** - Mt. Zion Independent Methodist Church, Withams
- ★6 p.m. - **New Hallelujah Singers Concert** - United Christian Church, 25271 Parksley Rd., Parksley
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **Vacation Bible School (July 24-29)** - Guilford UMC - 665-6391
- ★7 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ Episcopal Church, Eastville

**MONDAY  
JULY 25**

★9 a.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - UMC Fellowship House, Chincoteague  
★9 a.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Market Street UMC, Onancock - 787-3635

- ★9:30-11:30 a.m. - **GED class** - Head Start, Accomac - 787-1760
- ★10:30-11:30 a.m. - **Moms In Touch Int'l Prayer Group mtg.** - Cape Charles Baptist Church
- ★noon - **AA mtg.** - St. Peter's Catholic Church, Onley
- ★1:30-3:30 p.m. - **Workshop for Caregivers of Dementia Patients** - Hospice Bldg., 165 Market St., Suite 3, Onancock - 787-3310
- ★4 p.m. - **ARC mtg.** - Vocational Center Complex, Exmore
- ★5-6 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Market St. UMC, Onancock
- ★5-6:30 p.m. - **Parkinson's Disease Support Group** - Hospice Bldg., 165 Market St., Suite #3, Onancock - 787-3310
- ★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Elks Lodge, Tasley
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Celebration of 400th Birthday of King James Version of the Bible** - St. James Episcopal Church, Accomac
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg.** - Grace UMC, Parksley



*86th Annual  
Pony Swim*

**WEDNESDAY  
JULY 27**

★midday - **86th Annual Chincoteague Pony Swim** - Across Assateague Channel to Memorial Park  
★7:45 a.m. - **Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg.** - Sage Restaurant, Onley

- ★9 a.m. - **Women's AA mtg.** - Atlantic Methodist Church
- ★9:30-11:30 a.m. - **GED Class** - Head Start Ctr., Accomac - 787-1760
- ★10:30 a.m. - **Duplicate Bridge** - Sage Restaurant, Exmore - 442-2474
- ★2 p.m. - **Children's Story Hour** - Public Library, Accomac
- ★2 p.m. - **E.S. Brain Injury Survivors Exercise & Support Group mtg.** - Belle Haven- 442-9334
- ★3:15 p.m. - **Arts & Crafts Time** - Cape Charles Library
- ★6-8:30 p.m. - **Vacation Bible School (July 27-28)** - Shorter's Chapel AME Church, Bridgetown
- ★7 p.m. - **AA & Al-Anon mtgs.** - RSMH, Nassawadox
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Painter Vol. Fire Co., Painter

*86th Annual Pony Swim and Auction*

The Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. will sponsor the swim and auction on July 27 and 28. The swim across the Assateague Channel, just south of Memorial Park, will take place around midday on Wednesday, during slack tide. There will be a free shuttle bus beginning at 8 a.m. from the Chincoteague Combined Schools. Limited handicapped parking will be available at Memorial Park.

The auction will be held at the carnival grounds at 8 a.m. on Thursday. Last year, 59 ponies were sold and \$77,275 was raised.

**TUESDAY  
JULY 26**

★10 a.m. - **Bingo** - Accomack Sr. Village, Onancock - 787-3900  
★1:30-3 p.m. - **Hospice Grief Support Prgm.** - Downings UMC, 7291 Lankford Hwy., Oak Hall - 787-3310  
★4:15 p.m. - **TOPS weigh-in (prgm. @ 5)** - Belle Haven

- Presbyterian- 442-3984
- ★5:30-7 p.m. - **Hospice Grief Support Program** - Hospice Bldg., 165 Market St., Suite #3, Onancock - 787-3310
- ★6 p.m. - **Rachel Leah Ministries** - 787-2486
- ★6 p.m. - **Onancock Lions Club mtg.** - Sunrise Restaurant, Onley - 787-4278
- ★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA
- ★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - Classroom A-51, ESCC, Melfa
- ★7 p.m. - **NA mtg.** - Jerusalem Baptist, Temperanceville
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Order of the Eastern Star (Accomack Chapter #62)** - Masonic Lodge, Chincoteague
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - smoke free - Cheriton VFC
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Atlantic UMC - 824-5386
- ★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Atlantic Methodist Church

**THURSDAY  
JULY 28**

★8 a.m. - **86th Annual Pony Auction** - Chincoteague Carnival Grounds  
★9 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Veterans' Employment Representative Available** - Chincoteague Town Office

- ★11 a.m. - **Children's Story Hour** - Public Library, Accomac
- ★2 p.m. - **Children's Story Hour** - Northampton Public Library, Nassawadox
- ★5 p.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Baptist Bible Church, Accomac
- ★5:30-7 p.m. - **Caregiver Connection** - Hospice Bldg., 165 Market St., Suite #3, Onancock - 787-3310
- ★6 p.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Cape Charles Rescue Squad bldg., Cheriton
- ★6:30 p.m. - **Kiwanis' of Chincoteague mtg.** - St. Andrew's Catholic
- ★6:30 - 8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - Classroom A-51, ESCC
- ★7 p.m. - **NA mtg.** - Painter Garrisons UMC
- ★7:30 p.m. - **Organizational mtg. for the Barbara Custis Memorial Gospel Festival** - Randy Custis Memorial Park, Nassawadox

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| Candy cane | Gridiron    | Referee      | Ties  |
| Chipmunk   | Honey bee   | Skunk        | Tiger |
| Crosswalk  | Parking lot | Soccer pitch | Zebra |
| Flags      | Prison wear | Suits        |       |

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**Last Week's Answers**

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 OXEN SATIN SKIS DST  
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**Weekly SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★**

★ Moderate   ★★ Challenging  
 ★★★ HOO BOY!

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**Super Crossword WHIRLED TOUR**

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>ACROSS</b>                     | 62 Pro bono                       | to many                     | Brazil                       | 50 Baffle                | 98 Grenoble's river                |
| 1 Hollywood clashers              | 63 Summer quencher                | 111 Hum bug?                | 7 Relatives                  | 52 Nero's instrument     | 99 Beseched                        |
| 5 Out of line                     | 64 Gawk                           | 112 Perplexed               | 8 Actress Georgia            | 53 Scarecrow             | 100 Done                           |
| 10 Palindromic Parseghian         | 65 Israeli dance                  | 113 Artist Vincent          | 9 Plant pest                 | 54 Stuffing              | 102 Take on                        |
| 13 Haarlem export                 | 68 TV's "— Life"                  | 116 Stagger                 | 10 Hunt's "— Ben Adhem"      | 55 Bolger/Haley co-star  | 107 Way out                        |
| 18 '78 Bujold thriller            | 70 Brenda or Brandon              | 118 Haul                    | 11 Director Polanski         | 56 Singer Della          | 110 Anchored                       |
| 19 Lavished                       | 72 "Unforgettable" name           | 120 Impresario Hurok        | 12 Let up                    | 57 Moistened             | 112 Taken way aback?               |
| 21 Waggle                         | 73 South American designer?       | 121 Self-assurance          | 13 Anderson's "High —"       | 58 Starts a lawn         | 113 Endorse, with "for"            |
| 22 Meyerbeer masterpiece          | 76 Scandinavian sugar substitute? | 123 Biblical kingdom        | 14 News org.                 | 60 Still                 | 114 "The Sandbox" playwright       |
| 23 West Indian trouble-maker?     | 80 Muir or Miniver                | 127 Caribbean tree?         | 15 Raze                      | 66 Gun the engine        | 115 Wasteland                      |
| 25 Mideastern show tune?          | 81 By means of                    | 130 African palanquins?     | 16 Musical of 1919           | 67 Out on —              | 117 Enticed                        |
| 27 Aquatic animal                 | 82 Nobelist                       | 134 Where the buoys are     | 17 Unwind a rind             | 69 Stage whisper         | 119 Timber tree                    |
| 28 Appraise                       | 84 — gin fizz                     | 135 Fr. holy woman          | 20 Stage stuff               | 71 Sushi candidate       | 120 Sailboat, e.g.                 |
| 30 Compass pt.                    | 85 Gam and Wilson                 | 136 Beethoven symphony      | 24 Levin or Remsen           | 73 — donna               | 122 — Ball (arcade game)           |
| 31 Vacation sensation             | 88 Exec's deg.                    | 137 Ginger cookie           | 26 Extremely infrequently?   | 74 Cornerstone abbr.     | 124 Mozart's "— kleine Nachtmusik" |
| 34 Citrus fruit                   | 90 Concept                        | 138 Swelling                | 29 Slowly, to Sibelius       | 75 Tag                   | 125 Some underwear                 |
| 35 Brand or Chamberlain           | 92 Pointless                      | 139 Aunt or niece           | 32 Dispel                    | 77 Literary parson       | 126 Snake charmer's crew           |
| 38 Thames town                    | 96 Adult insect                   | 140 Bestow                  | 33 Head set?                 | 78 Din                   | 128 Bond rating                    |
| 41 Son of Noah                    | 97 Central American song?         | 141 "Guarding —" ('94 film) | 36 Sacred cows               | 79 Easter ends it        | 129 NBC comedy showcase            |
| 43 Touch down                     | 101 Addis —                       | <b>DOWN</b>                 | 37 Paul of "The Burning Bed" | 80 Med. test             | 131 Support                        |
| 45 "— Dinah" ('58 hit)            | 103 Rock's — Bravos               | 1 Narcissus' nymph          | 38 "Heavens to Betsy!"       | 83 Taylor or Trotta      | 132 Sgt. or cpl.                   |
| 46 Opening                        | 104 Ointment                      | 2 Big kid?                  | 39 "Little Man —" ('91 film) | 86 "F Troop" corporal    | 133 Cornfield cry                  |
| 47 — acid                         | 105 Ornamental vine               | 3 Fail to mention           | 40 Fall birthstone           | 87 Edna Ferber novel     |                                    |
| 49 One — customer                 | 106 Whip, for one                 | 4 Glossy cloth              | 42 Irritate                  | 89 Crooked               |                                    |
| 51 Gambols                        | 108 Family members,               | 5 Garment part              | 44 Mrs. David Copperfield    | 91 Spirited steed        |                                    |
| 54 Speechless, in Southeast Asia? |                                   | 6 — Paulo,                  | 47 "Blue —" ('77 hit)        | 93 Baudelaire's buddies  |                                    |
| 59 Church members                 |                                   |                             | 48 It's walked at Windsor    | 94 Church area           |                                    |
| 61 Hold up                        |                                   |                             |                              | 95 "Orinoco Flow" singer |                                    |

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# Classified Ads, Real Estate Ads, Auctions & Legal Notices

# Eastern Shore Trading POST

## Announcements

**Northampton High School Alumni**, classes '81-'90 **MEGA-CLASS REUNION** has been moved from Onancock to the remodeled Sunset Beach Grille in Kiptopeke. Sat., July 23, 2011. 6 p.m.-until.

**\$95 per person.**  
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[northamptonreunion.com](http://northamptonreunion.com) or call (757)695-8280.

## Help Wanted

### HELP WANTED

The Eastern Shore Community Services Board (ESCSB) is recruiting for a full-time Developmental Disabilities Aide to provide day support and residential services for adults with mental retardation. The work schedule includes day time hours and a Sunday 4 p.m.-midnight shift.

Minimum Salary is \$18,150 with a comprehensive benefits package that includes employer paid retirement with the Virginia Retirement System; shared cost for medical, dental, vision and behavioral health insurance; a minimum of 17 vacation and 15 sick days per year; and optional benefits such as deferred compensation plans and long term care insurance.

The successful applicant is required to have position-related knowledge, skills, and abilities to include the ability to work with individuals with challenging behaviors and/or physical handicaps. The successful applicant must have a valid driver's license and a satisfactory driving record in order to transport program participants. Applicants with an out-of-state license must submit a current copy of their driving record from their state. The individual accepting this position will be subject to a pre-employment drug test and nationwide criminal background.

Interested individuals may visit the ESCSB's website at [www.escsb.org](http://www.escsb.org) for more information or contact the Virginia Employment Commission, P.O. Box 9, Onley, VA 23418, ph. (757)302-2029, for an ESCSB application and job description. A thoroughly completed ESCSB application is required. A resume may accompany the application but will not be considered alone. Open until Filled.

ESCSB is an EOE



**Transportation Aid/ Ordering Clerk**  
**Part-time**  
**Valid CNA and VA Drivers license**

**Part-time Housekeeper**  
**Experience with commercial-grade supplies and materials required**

Applications available at the front desk

23610 North Street  
 Onancock, VA 23417  
 787-4343

**KOOL FORD** - Wanted: Immediate employment: Ford Factory Trained/Certified Technician for immediate opening at growing family owned & operated Ford dealership. **FORD CERTIFIED A MUST!!** Pay & benefits based upon experience. Please contact Laura or apply in person. 757-787-1209.

### NORTHAMPTON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENTS for 2011-2012

**Teacher for Gifted Program K-3**

**Tutors - Elementary and Secondary:**  
**Math, Reading, Early Intervention,**  
**Virtual Learning (Computer-based)**

**Behavioral Support Aides**  
**Substitute Teachers**  
**Substitute School Bus Drivers**  
**Cafeteria Workers**  
**Substitute Cafeteria Workers**

For more salary/qualification information, and to apply go to [www.ncpsk12.com](http://www.ncpsk12.com)

**Inquiries may be directed to:**  
 Susan Bradford - Director of HR  
 (757) 678-5151 ext. 2013 or  
[sbradford@ncpsk12.com](mailto:sbradford@ncpsk12.com)

Northampton County Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities.

### POSITION VACANCY

The County of Northampton County is accepting employment applications for:

#### Emergency Medical Technician or Above

Applicant must possess at a minimum the following: Commonwealth of Virginia - Department of Health Emergency Medical Technician - Basic (ALS certification preferred), Basic Life Support Provider/CPR, valid VA driver's license with good driving record, Emergency Vehicle Operators Course, Hazardous Materials Awareness. Job descriptions and applications are available online at [www.co.northampton.va.us](http://www.co.northampton.va.us) or at Northampton County Human Resources, P. O. Box 66, Eastville, Virginia 23347 (phone: 757/678-0440x 30). Deadline: 5:00 p.m., July 22, 2011. EOE.

### POSITION VACANCY

The County of Northampton County is accepting part time employment applications for:

#### Convenience Center Attendant

Solid Waste Department is looking to fill a part time Convenience Center Attendant position to work primarily at the Bayview Convenience Center location. Job descriptions and applications are available online at [www.co.northampton.va.us](http://www.co.northampton.va.us) or at Northampton County Human Resources, P. O. Box 66, Eastville, Virginia 23347 (phone: 757/678-0440x 30). Accepting applications til July 29, 2011. EOE.

**JOHNSON'S UMC**, 11175 Bayside Rd., Machipongo is looking to hire a Church Organist/Pianist. One Sunday worship service at 10 a.m. Salary negotiable. Call 757-787-4078 for info.



## Boats, Etc.

**BOAT FOR SALE** - 1997 17 foot fiberglass boat with center console and Bimini top. It has a Mercury Mariner 90 HP engine and has been well maintained. Slip at East Point Marina included for 2011. \$3000. Call 757-710-1675.

### Eastern Shore Rural Health System, Inc. is currently recruiting



#### Dental Assistant for the Dental Program

Must be a graduate of an accredited high school with Dental Assistant training or experience. Requires the ability to perform fourhanded dental assistance and the ability to work well with patients of all ages. Should have the ability to perform necessary clinical duties. Must be physically able to carry, lift, and handle equipment, supplies, and other work site materials.

This position requires a person with mature judgement, good communication, interpersonal skills and one who is able to focus on details. Applicants must be prepared to work in a busy office, have the ability to think quickly and act decisively, adhere to high standards of ethical behavior and maintain strict patient confidentiality. Computer knowledge required. Dental experience and ability to speak Spanish a plus.

This is a full time position with benefits.

If you are a mission driven person looking to make a difference, email [dlr@esrh.org](mailto:dlr@esrh.org) before Noon on July 29, 2011. Applications will only be accepted electronically. Paper copies will not be accepted.

**Resumes will not be considered alone and must be accompanied by an application. Applications are available at [www.esrh.org](http://www.esrh.org).**

EOE.



## RIVERSIDE

### Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital:

- Care Coordinator (RN)
- Registered Nurse
- Certified Pharmacy Technician

### Riverside Shore LifeCare at Parksley:

- Registered Nurse
- Licensed Practical Nurse

### Riverside Shore Healthcare at Home:

- Registered Nurse

### Therapy Opportunities:

- Physical Therapist at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital
- Speech Language Pathologist at Shore Healthcare at Home
- Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant at Shore Memorial Hospital

**Therapy Incentives Include:** Sign on Bonus, Relocation Assistance, 401K Plan with Company Match & Pension Plan, Educational Reimbursement, Health/Life/Dental Insurance.

To apply: [www.riversideonline.com/careers](http://www.riversideonline.com/careers)  
 Talent Recruitment Center (757) 534-5627



**19' DECK BOAT** - w/ Mercury 90 h.p. motor, Shoreline trailer, new VHF, AM-FM, control cables. \$3500. 757-787-8334.

**KENCRAFT 18 FT. BAY-RIDER (2007)** - 60 h.p. Yamaha 4-stroke outboard motor with low hrs. Loadrite galvanized trailer. Garmin fish/depth finder. Like new \$9950. Call 757-787-4291 or 757-710-2786.

**'91 SEARAY SUNDANCER** - 28', 10'6" Beam, Twin Mercruiser I/O 5.0LX Engines; A/C w/reverse cycle heat, nice galley, head w/ shower, sleeps 6, 2 custom canvases, much more. 787-3454

**ANTIQUE MERCURY 9.8 HP** - '64 outboard motor, serial #1613361 in good running order. Recent water pump & ready to go. \$395. 789-5141.

**'94 EXCEL** - boat, motor (90 h.p. Johnson), and trailer. WATER READY!! \$1950. OBO. Call 710-9224.

**19' CRUISE CRAFT** - Call 757-787-3870.

**VA. PEELER POT LICENCE** "Reduced Price". Leave message at 824-3442

**'77 20' PENN YAN Boat**. Hard top. Tunnel drive. No trailer. Needs motor repair. Transmission OK. \$1,295 or trade. 787-4136

**1999 JOHNSON OUTBOARD** - 115 h.p. \$1800. Can be demoed. Good condition. 757-442-1345.

**STAINLESS STEEL BOAT PROP** - 3 blade. 13 1/4"x16". \$145. Call 757-336-3558.

**'98 WELLCRAFT 21SL** Excel. 4.3 190hp Volvo 1/0 engine. Low hours, good condition. VHF, DS, Stereo, Trailer. \$7,950 - 302-1108 ask for John. Boat can be seen at East Point.

**29' PHOENIX**, flybridge, enclosed, twin Cummins diesel engines, 250 hrs., outriggers, off-shore ready. \$30,000 REDUCED \$25,000. Call 757-999-3437.

### Collectables

**CHINCOPICKER** - Will pay cash for oyster cans, old tackle, decoys, etc. Let me pick through your barn, shed, etc. Call Rip 410-212-0584.

## Commercial Buildings Rent or Purchase

**3008 SQ. FT. BLDG. 16,580 SQ. FT. BLDG. EXMORE, VA** - Sturdy well-built buildings. Good for church/bingo parlor; veterinarian clinic/ grooming facility; senior citizen activity center; church hall; child care; dance studio; gym; woodworking shop; artisan/craft guild; call center; internet business; bar & dance hall; mail-order shipping business; offices. Put your business here! CALL 757-678-7630.

**POCOMOKE, MD.** - 5,500 sq. ft. bldg. Newly renovated, secure— one of two best built bldgs. in town. Perfect for offices or one user, w/ parking. \$6.50/ sq. ft. CALL 757-678-7630

### Heavy Equipment

**580-C CASE BACKHOE** - w/extendahoe & forklifts. \$8,500 OBO. 757-999-3437 leave a message.

**POWERMATIC THICKNESS PLANNER** - 12" wide x 6" thick. \$850 . 757-999-3437 leave a message.

**36" CEMENT FINISHER** - w/Honda motor. \$750 . 757-999-3437 leave a message.

**PACKER** - w/Honda motor. Made by Stone. \$800 . 757-999-3437 leave a message.

### Misc. - For Sale

**FOR SALE : EXERCISE EQUIPMENT** - Electric treadmill, 2 lge. racks of weights, 2 ab machines. Call 757-442-3274.

**PEELER POT LICENSE AND 150 PEELER POTS**- 85 never used. Call (757)891-2352.

**JAZZY SCOOTER** - Go-Go model with adjustable seat height and till. 2 battery chargers included. Like new. 407-460-4746.

**NEW VOGUE PRIMA**: Above-ground pool. 24' round with auto cleaner. Must be moved. \$2,950 OBO. 757-709-0409

**CHINA CLOSET** w/3 doors. \$200 - 1900s blanket chest - Floral carved top made from old pump organ. \$500 - Antique chairs & tables. Also glassware & milk glass. 787-3635

**2 SETS CLAM TONGS** - Alfred Dise-757-891-2223  
**YAMAHA DIGITAL PIANO** - with tone generator. \$550, 757-789-5162.

**Pride Legend 4-WHEEL ELECTRIC SCOOTER** - Fully equipped. Excellent cond. W/ ramps. 442-2450 or 710-7582.

**24' DUAL AXLE CAR HAULER** - Never tagged. Ramp & side door, D-rings, etc. Cost \$7,948; asking \$5,500 OBO 757-442-7504  
**CONTRACTORS' SPECIAL** - New pre-hung solid two-panel int. doors 3 @ 3/0 x 6/8 & 1 @ 2/6 x 6/8 - All R/H. List price \$255 - \$500 takes all 4. 302-1325

### Mobile Homes

**WOW!!! NEW 4 bed 2 BA home over 2000 sq. ft.** Call for details 302-846-9100.

**3 BED, 2 BATH HOME** - \$250 deposit. Call 302-846-9100.

**BIRDSNEST** - 2BR mobile home for rent. W/D hook-up, quiet, peaceful. Sec. 8 welcome to apply. Call & leave message at 789-7654.

**RENT TO OWN** - Mobile homes starting at \$450/ mo. (includes lot rent). New Church Mobile Home Park - VA 757-824-0315

**MOBILE HOME PARTS** for sale. We also move mobile homes. Dreamland Homes, Rt. 13, Accomac, VA. 787-2823

We will pay **TOP DOLLAR** for your **TRADE IN**. Clayton Homes 302-846-0495.

**NEW 2 BED, 1 BATH BEACH COTTAGE** - \$23,900. Call 302-846-9100.

**FHA 100% FINANCING PROGRAMS AVAILABLE ATLANIS HOMES 410-957-2820**

**RENT - lots and mobile homes** at Modestown Pioneer Court. Newly renovated, 2BR, 1BA, W/D hookup, \$500/mo. Clean, quiet area. Call Carl at 410-262-3070.

**ZERO DOWN.** Let your land be your down payment. 302-84-9100.

**SECOND AND VACATION HOMES AS LITTLE AS 10% DOWN PROGRAMS AVAILABLE 1-800-946-2820**

**LAND HOME AND PARK PACKAGES AVAILABLE IN VA, MD, AND DE** Clayton Homes 302-846-9100.

### Pets

**WHISKERS** will spay or neuter for **FREE** any cat or dog adopted from the E.S. Regional Animal Control Facility in Melfa, 787-7091. Or call Whiskers at 1-800-298-8081 Access Code 55.

You'll Love The Classifieds

### Real Estate

**LOT FOR SALE** - Dogwood Dr., Melfa. .64 acre lot, \$15,000. Well & septic included. 757-710-5399.

**1.5-ACRE LOTS** for sale. Melfa. \$0 down. Owner financing. No credit check. Includes well & septic. Call 302-674-5540.

**SEASIDE FISHING VILLAGE** - Maintenance free ext. w/garage. Int. needs TLC. Owner finance. \$39,900. Call Gil York w/CB Harbour Realty at 757-710-2948.

**QUAIL WALK** - Craddockville, VA. Scarborough Lot 20, 1.63 acres. Electric & septic. \$40,000 OBO. Owner financing available. Call 757-694-5332.

**NEAR CHINCOTEAGUE BAY** - RV campground or mobile home park w/7 home sites. Well, septic, & elec. Now for sale. \$75,000. Call owner at Country Realty. 757-665-7355.

**CREEK BLUFF** - 21B Bending Stream Dr., Belle Haven. Ready to go building lot, 3 ac. with 2.5 cleared, level and ready for your New Home!! Tax and land assessment was \$74,000

**NOW ONLY \$65,000.** Call Sean or Crystal Hart at (757)710-9186 or email at [seanandcrystal@verizon.net](mailto:seanandcrystal@verizon.net)

### Rent or Purchase

**PUNGOTEAGUE** - 4-5 BR, 4200 sq. ft. home on 100 ac. with 3343 feet of waterfront with dock and swimming pool. New kitchen cabinets, appliances, granite counter tops, new roof, patios, decks, heated dog kennel, outside dog run. \$6800.00/ month unfurnished. **Can be rented or purchased, furnished or unfurnished. Call (757)678-7630.**

### Rentals - Apts.

#### NEW ROAD VILLAGE

3208 Thurgood Marshall Rd. P.O. Box 188 Exmore, VA 23350 (757)442-4173

Applications are being taken for one, two, & three bedroom apartments, New Road Village is a USDA Rural Development subsidized apartment complex in Exmore, Virginia. To receive an application, either call or report to the office. TDD VIRGINIA RELAY SERVICE 1-800-828-1140


**EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY**

### NEWTOWNE POCOMOKE

Warm, friendly community for mature adults 60+

Central Heat & Air Gathering room & Laundry inside under one roof.

VERY affordable rents to Rent based on income

Please call:  (410) 957-1562

#### Hartley Hall Senior Housing

in Pocomoke City, Md., is accepting applications for 1 bedroom and efficiency apartments in an elderly housing subsidized apartment complex. Possible immediate occupancy for successful applicant. Contact 410-957-2252 for application or visit office at 1006 Market Street in Pocomoke City.

Equal Housing Opportunity

**PETER CARTWRIGHT MANOR APTS.**, located in Exmore, Va., is taking applications for seniors 62 or older. No application fee. Electric is included in your rent. Call 757-414-0020.


#### EXMORE

#### VILLAGE I & II APARTMENTS

Spring into our affordable 1 bedroom units for low income persons 62 and older or persons with disabilities. Qualified applicants  will be placed on the waiting list. Call 757-442-9471

**ACCOMACK MANOR SPECIALIZES IN KEEPING SENIORS 55 OR OLDER YOUNG @ HEART.**

**NO CAR? NO PROBLEM! OUR COMMUNITY OFFERS SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES RIGHT IN YOUR OWN BACKYARD.**

**665-5848** 

**EXMORE** -- 2BR upstairs apt. \$600 a mo. Dep. req'd. 757-442-7507.


**NELSONIA AREA** -- Nice 1BR/1BA upstairs apartment (outside entrance), \$500/mo. + sec. dep. Call 757-710-8894.

**AVAILABLE AUGUST 1ST** -- Beautiful furnished bedroom, bathroom, use of washer/dryer and of kitchen. \$550 monthly utilities included. 757-678-2303. Cheriton, VA

### PINE STREET APARTMENTS

6 Carter Street Onancock, VA 23417 (757)787-4753

Applications are being taken for one- & two-bedroom apartments and will be added to our current waiting list. Pine Street Apartments is a subsidized apartment complex in Onancock, Virginia. To receive an application, either call or report to the office.

TDD #711 EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY 

**CAPE CHARLES** -- 2BR, 1BA DUPLEX. \$600/mo. plus gas & electric. \$200 sec. dep. Sec. 8 welcome. Avail. now. Contact George Riley 302-703-2073.

### Rentals - Houses

**MELFA AREA** - 2BR, 1BA. No programs. \$750 + security. Call for appt. 757-787-3129.

**PUNGOTEAGUE** - 3BR 2BA ranch. \$795 a mo. Call M + M Property Management. 787-7052.

**ONANCOCK** - 1BR house. \$650 a mo. M + M Property Management. 787-7052.

**PARKSLEY** - 4BR, 2800 sq. ft., new kit., pets case by case. Avail. long term, \$1150/mo.

**TEMPERANCEVILLE** - 3BR cape, garage & workshop, pets case by case, avail. long term, \$750/mo. Sec. dep. & references required. Chincoteague Resort Realty, 757-336-3100.

**WATERFRONT HOME** 2BR - Quinby/Painter area. Waterfront 2BR + sunroom, 1.5 BA, garage. Pets ok. \$775. 757-442-7275.

**WE BUY HOUSES IN ANY CONDITION.** M + M Property Management. 787-7052.

**LIST YOUR YARD SALE STARTING AT ONLY \$10 CALL ANGIE AT 757-789-POST**

**Services**

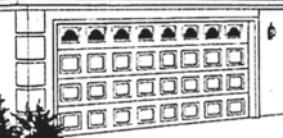
**MOVERS** - Load & unload rental trucks & storage. Full service pack & move. Hourly or flat rates. Local or long distance. 442-7575 [afriendlymovingco@yahoo.com](mailto:afriendlymovingco@yahoo.com)

**MARSHALL TREE SERVICE**  
CAPABLE, AFFORDABLE, DEPENDABLE  
ISA Certified Arborist (#MA-3138A)  
Licensed & insured  
Free estimates. 442-7540  
Now accepting 

**HANDYMAN FOR HIRE** - Quality work, reasonable rates. Painting, carpentry, plumbing & electric. Over 20 years' experience. Insured. 757-710-4889.

**PARKS PAVING** Paving, seal coating, hot tar crack filling, patch work, & all repair work, turn-arounds, curbs, etc. 757-710-9600.

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Automatic Openers  
Installation, Sales & Service



Affordable Rates  
Call 894-3151

**NEED A DRIVEWAY?**

**DRY SHELLS, STONE, TOP SOIL,**

**FILL DIRT, EXCAVATION, &**

**BACK HOE WORK**

**JUST CALL SITE WORK**

**SPECIALIST JOHN C. MILLER AT 757-665-4026**



**KELLAM'S TREE WORK**  
- Complete tree and stump removal. Over 30 yrs. experience. We are insured. Free estimates anywhere on the Shore. Phone 757-787-4380 or Cell 757-999-4380.

**SEPTIC PUMPING** - Shore Septic. Starting at \$175. Call 757-710-1040.

**CUSTOM SEWING &** alterations, clothes, miscellaneous items - Judie Gibbs - 442-6836.

**SIMPSON TREE & BOB-CAT SERVICE** - Tree trimming, removal and stump grinding. 787-2100 or 710-8477. FREE ESTIMATES.

**Storage**

**NANDUA MINI STORAGE**  
Rt. 650, Taylor Rd., Tasley. 757-787-3059. \$10 off 1st month's rent

**20' STEEL SHIPPING CONTAINERS FOR SALE OR RENT** - provide ground level storage - local delivery available. (757)710-1166 or 787-1304.

**BLOXOM SELF-STORAGE**  
First month is free  
**Lowest Prices Gated Entry** 757-665-5294

**Thrift Shops**

**PUNGOTEAGUE COMMUNITY CHURCH SELF HELP CENTER**  
Open from 8:30am-1pm on Saturday. Located at 30552 Lankford Hwy., Keller - Check out our selection of Oyster Cans -- 442-9596

**Tractors**

**1960 FARMALL CUB TRACTOR** - Good condition. \$2200 OBO. 824-0309 or 894-3952.

**Vehicles- Cars, Motorcycles RVs, SUVs, Trucks, Vans**

**'03 TOYOTA 4-RUNNER** - 4-wheel drive, 78K miles. \$13,000 OBO. 787-8082.

**'89 JEEP COMANCHE** pick-up. Rare find. 4x4. Excellent condition. \$4,500. 757-894-9738.

**2005 SUNLINE SOLARIS** - Series M-2553 travel trailer. A/C, heat, appliances, excel. cond. Can be seen in Belle Haven. 787-3000.

**'95 COACHMAN CATALINA** - 36 ft., 2 BR, sleeps 7-8. 1 lge. slide. \$6,850 OBO. 757-710-7230.

**'07 BUICK RENDEZVOUS** - \$12,900 fully loaded, garage-kept, power everything. Call 999-6771.

**'84 YELLOWSTONE** Travel-Trailer - excel. cond. Awning, AC, tub/ shower, complete kit., sleeps 4, can be seen on Chincoteague. **NOW \$2,500. 410-212-0584**

**'84 MONTE CARLO** - Classic. 45,000 actual miles, AM/FM cassette, power brakes & steering. \$8,800. 442-5009.

**'05 670 VOLVO TRUCK** - 475 h.p., Cummings engine, 10 spd., 10-22.5 alum. wheels & tires, A/C, air-ride w/220 wheel base. 757-693-5099.

**'01 CHEVY** pick-up w/service body. 3/4-ton. AC. Good running condition. \$3,500. 757-710-2646.

**'76 CHEVY IMPALA** 2-dr. sedan. \$1,800 firm. 442-2263 after 5.

**'55 T-BIRD** - Restored, red. For price, call Joe Justice at 336-5107 or 894-2031.

**'81 CADILLAC EL DORADO** Diesel. Very good cond. Low mileage. \$4,850. Call Rodney 665-4639

**'04 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY** 144,100 miles. 1 dent in tailgate/fact. installed child safety seat. Power locks/windows. Heat/AC. Very dependable car, runs great. Dk. Blue/gray int. \$4500. 757-665-5138.

**'04 F-350 SUPERCREW** - diesel, 4x4, long bed, lift kit, off-road tires, tinted windows, billet grille. \$17,500. Call 757-710-4144

**'80 HONDA CUSTOM 500 CX MOTORCYCLE** - 34,319 original miles. Fair shape. \$550. 757-710-8795

**'05 SPORTSTER HARLEY**, 2,000 miles, blue, \$7,500 negotiable, Excellent cond. 757-710-9107

**'86 HARLEY LOW-RIDER** - 30,000 miles. Great running cond. \$6,500. OBO. Call 710-9224.

**2007 HARLEY DAVIDSON**- Super Glide Custom. 2100 miles. Garage kept. \$16,000. 710-8676 (After 4 p.m. only, please)

**'04 HARLEY FAT BOY APEHANGERS**, Triple Exhaust, 6,773 miles. Asking \$9,500. Call 757-709-9112 or 757-709-4963.

**Vehicles - Parts**

**COMPLETE REAR AXLE ASSEMBLY** - low mileage, from '94 F150 pick-up. \$500. Call 757-824-0309 or 757-894-3952

**Wanted**

**LAND** -for small hunt club. No dogs. 20 years references. Call 757-620-2298 or 757-377-3235.

**PAYING CASH FOR JUNK CARS**



**QUICK REMOVAL 665-5000**

**WANTED: USED ENGINE OIL** - Paying \$1 per gal. for large quantities. Will pick up. Must not have gas or antifreeze mixed in. 757-710-8670.

**Yard and Estate Sales**

**HOUSE CONTENT SALE** - 3 Kerr St., Onancock. Antiques, collectables, new used furniture. Sat., July 23 and Sun., July 24. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. both days. **CASH. YARD SALE SATURDAY** - Electronics, home goods, kitchenware and more!!!! Saturday, July 23. 8 AM-3 PM. 3284 Broadwater Road, Exmore, VA. No early birds please!

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK

CASE NO. CL11-4815

JAMES DENNIS WALDROP, Plaintiff

vs.

ELIZABETH ELLEN WALDROP, Defendant

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION TO EFFECT SERVICE ON ELIZABETH ELLEN WALDROP**

The object of this proceeding is for the Plaintiff to obtain a divorce *a vinculo matrimonii* from the Defendant, Elizabeth Ellen Waldrop (f.k.a. Elizabeth Ellen Vickers) DOB 4/26/1977, on the grounds that the parties have lived separate and apart for a period exceeding one year.

It appearing by Affidavit that the Defendant's present whereabouts are unknown, and that diligence has been used by or on behalf of the Plaintiff to ascertain in what

county or city the Defendant is without effect, it is Ordered that Elizabeth Ellen Waldrop appear before this Court on or before the 19th day of August, 2011 and protect her interests herein.

It is further ORDERED that the above paragraphs be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post, a newspaper of general circulation in the County of Accomack, VA. The Clerk of this Court shall post this Order at the front door of the courthouse, and shall mail a copy of this Order to the Defendant at the address given in the Affidavit of the Plaintiff filed herein.

June 22, 2011  
DATE

GEORGE E. SCHAEFER, III,  
Deputy Clerk

I ask for this:  
G. Michael Price, Esquire  
Conner & Price, PC  
333 W. Freemason Street, Ste. 102  
Norfolk, Virginia 23510  
(757)627-5000 telephone  
(757)627-9411 facsimile

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Email: [fairhousing@dpor.virginia.gov](mailto:fairhousing@dpor.virginia.gov)  
website: [www.fairhousing.vipnet.org](http://www.fairhousing.vipnet.org)



**COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE**

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, August 2, 2011, at the Accomack County Circuit Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, VA 23301 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

**PARCEL A: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs PAULA J. ARMSTRONG**  
MAP NO. 01200A000001100

All that parcel of land being Lot 3 on Old County Road leading from Maryland line to the Village of New Church in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting for 70 ft. on said road and running back 150 ft. to the woodlands.

**PARCEL B: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs BARBARA CUTLER**  
MAP NO. 078A20200000000

All that parcel of land in the Village of Whitesville, near the Town of Parksley, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot O and situate on the South side of Garrison Street and facing said street 50 ft. and extending back to the dead line of the Parksley Land & Improvement Company.

**PARCEL C: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs RONALD DOUGLAS ELLIOTT, SR.**  
MAP NO. 005A30100156800

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 1568, Section 3, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

**PARCEL D: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs HOWARD P. ENNIS**  
MAP NO. 029A10300013000

All that parcel of land near Horn-town, Atlantic District, Accomack County,

Virginia, being Lot 130, Unit 3, Sheet 6, Chincoteague Bay Trails End.

**PARCEL E: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs JAMES A. FOGARTY**  
MAP NO. 005B0A000013700

All that parcel of land at Greenbackville, Accomack County, Virginia, on the South side of the road leading from Greenbackville to Horntown; beginning at a point on the southern boundary of said road; thence Southerly for 127 ft. along the boundary separating the land herein from Melvin Rappold; thence Westerly for 141 ft. along the boundary separating the land herein from Donald Lewis; thence Northerly for 127 ft. along the boundary separating the land herein from Marion Dryden to said road; thence Easterly along the edge of said road for 139 ft. to the beginning.

**PARCEL F: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs DAVID G. GOEBEL**  
MAP NO. 005A60100023100

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 231, Section 7, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

**PARCEL G: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs PATRICIA LINDSAY**  
MAP NO. 005A50300005100

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 51, Section 8, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

**PARCEL H: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs ROBERT MARSHALL**  
MAP NO. 06800A0000166A0

All that parcel of land near the Village of Bloxom, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, being 2.00 acres, more or less, bounded North, East and South by Anna F. Taylor, and West by a 20 ft. road which separates this parcel from Maurice

J. Ryan, Jr.

**PARCEL I: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs WAYNE MARSHALL**  
MAP NO. 069A0A000009400

All that parcel of land in the Town of Bloxom, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, on the southern side of a 30 ft. street shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 10, page 7, and known as 26022 Marshall Street

**PARCEL J: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs JOHN K. PETERS**  
MAP NO. 07900A000000500

All that certain parcel of land in Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, described in Deed Book 602, page 453.

**PARCEL K: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs HETTIE R. RESCH**  
MAP NO. 076A0A000002900

All that parcel of land on Virginia Route 658 (Bayside Road), Accomack County, Virginia, fronting 90 ft. on said road and beginning on the East side of said road at the line of Cynthia W. Gunter and running along the Western side of said road Northerly 90 ft.; thence Westerly 75 ft. to a point; thence Southerly 180 ft. to Mary V. Collins; thence Easterly 85 ft. to Mary V. Collins to the beginning.

**PARCEL L: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs BRYAN K. SELL**  
MAP NO. 029A10300009500

All that parcel of land near Horntown, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 95, Unit 3, Sheet 6, Chincoteague Bay Trails End.

**PARCEL M: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs CHARLES DANA STERLING, JR.**  
MAP NO. 030A11500017900

All that parcel of land in the Town of Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 179, Section B-2, Inlet View Campsites, shown in Plat book 92, page 86.

**PARCEL N: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs CHARLES DANA STERLING, JR.**  
MAP NO. 030A11500017800

All that parcel of land in the Town of Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 178, Section B-2, Inlet View Campsites, shown in Plat book 92, page 86.

**PARCEL O: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs AUSTIN TURNER**  
MAP NO. 005A70200013100

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 131, Section 12, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

**PARCEL P: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs WARWIL PROPERTIES, LLC**  
MAP NO. 005A90100004600

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 46, Section 18, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

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<i>Seaside</i>							
Assateague Beach	H 1:46 p.m. L 7:47 a.m.	H 2:39 p.m. L 8:31 a.m.	H 3:36 p.m. L 9:19 a.m.	H 4:32 p.m. L 10:10 a.m.	H 5:25 p.m. L 11:03 a.m.	H 6:15 p.m. L 11:58 a.m.	H 6:29 a.m. L 12:50 p.m.
Chinco. Channel	H 1:57 p.m. L 7:49 a.m.	H 2:50 p.m. L 8:33 a.m.	H 3:47 p.m. L 9:21 a.m.	H 4:43 p.m. L 10:12 a.m.	H 5:36 p.m. L 11:05 a.m.	H 5:49 a.m. L 12:00 p.m.	H 6:40 a.m. L 12:52 p.m.
Gargathy Neck	H 2:45 p.m. L 8:17 a.m.	H 3:38 p.m. L 9:01 a.m.	H 4:35 p.m. L 9:49 a.m.	H 5:31 p.m. L 10:40 a.m.	H 6:24 p.m. L 11:33 a.m.	H 7:14 p.m. L 12:28 p.m.	H 7:28 a.m. L 1:20 p.m.
Folly Creek	H 2:38 p.m. L 8:12 a.m.	H 3:31 p.m. L 8:56 a.m.	H 4:28 p.m. L 9:44 a.m.	H 5:24 p.m. L 10:35 a.m.	H 6:17 p.m. L 11:28 a.m.	H 6:30 a.m. L 12:23 p.m.	H 7:21 a.m. L 1:15 p.m.
Wachapreague Inlet	H 1:48 p.m. L 7:31 a.m.	H 2:41 p.m. L 8:15 a.m.	H 3:38 p.m. L 9:03 a.m.	H 4:34 p.m. L 9:54 a.m.	H 5:27 p.m. L 10:47 a.m.	H 6:17 p.m. L 11:42 a.m.	H 6:31 a.m. L 12:34 p.m.
Quinby Inlet	H 1:43 p.m. L 7:16 a.m.	H 2:36 p.m. L 8:00 a.m.	H 3:33 p.m. L 8:48 a.m.	H 4:29 p.m. L 9:39 a.m.	H 5:22 p.m. L 10:32 a.m.	H 6:12 p.m. L 11:27 a.m.	H 7:00 p.m. L 12:19 p.m.
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Guard Shore	H 6:03 p.m. L 12:15 p.m.	H 6:11 a.m. L 1:00 p.m.	H 7:03 a.m. L 1:50 p.m.	H 8:00 a.m. L 2:45 p.m.	H 9:01 a.m. L 3:40 p.m.	H 9:59 a.m. L 4:35 p.m.	H 10:53 a.m. L 5:27 p.m.
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Pungoteague Creek	H 5:11 p.m. L 11:04 a.m.	H 6:00 p.m. L 11:49 a.m.	H 6:11 a.m. L 12:39 p.m.	H 7:08 a.m. L 1:34 p.m.	H 8:09 a.m. L 2:29 p.m.	H 9:07 a.m. L 3:24 p.m.	H 10:01 a.m. L 4:16 p.m.
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of these non-historical programs to a very narrow slice of time. In large measure, many of their plots would be virtually undone by today's technology.

Now I'm not talking period pieces, in which writers and directors must be ever-vigilant for anachronisms. No, I'm talking contemporary stories whose only blame for neglecting technology is that it wasn't around at the time they were written.

For instance, the entire premise of "Gilligan's Island," though ludicrous enough in its day, would be even more untenable with one cell phone on the island, to say nothing of a GPS on the *Minnnow*.

And some sitcoms were changed mid-stream by technological progress. Whereas an early segment of "Seinfeld" found the starring quartet, sans cell phones, wandering a parking garage looking for each other, later episodes featured the mobile devices.

And take a movie like "Dial M for

Murder." Not only is its title archaic, but the defining moment of the film would be forever altered if there had only been Caller ID on that phone.

And the original "Rear Window" (yes, I know my Hitchcock) would not have had to rely on that crazy signaling with a flash attachment when a short buzz on a cell phone or even a text message would have sufficed.

Then there was that segment of "Friends" when Phoebe wanted to know where some obscure country is located. Hadn't anyone heard of the Internet? To say nothing of the episode when they all tried to name the 50 states.

And a bit of Caller ID certainly would have killed the comedy in "An American President," when Annette Bening's character mistook the president's voice on the phone for that of a colleague's imitation.

Even that crushing scene in "Casablanca" when Rick holds Ilsa's farewell letter while its ink runs in the rain would have had a totally different am-

biance with a simple text message.

And think what "Butterfield 8" would be with a cell phone. Heck, think what the title might be.

Or how would movies like "Jagged Edge," that rely on the vagaries of a specific typewriter, reveal the killer these days?

And how would "Pretty Woman" ever have gotten underway if Richard Gere had had GPS? And why doesn't Dora the Explorer have it? What's with that map of hers?

Then again, Marlene Dietrich's "plain blue stationery" upon which the entire court case turned in "Witness for the Prosecution" would have had another day in court if e-mail had been the order of the day.

I can only wonder how television viewers 70 years from now will be incredulous that a central character in a 2012 film could have succumbed to cancer, which will then be curable, or that we had to trudge through airport security lines when teleportation is available to everyone.

I primarily work from home now, and for me, that means I'm exposed to more television.

Newspaper editing and layout are lonely pursuits without a voice in the background, and so I find myself watching very old movies and reruns of now-defunct sitcoms. It's mainly stuff to which I can pay little attention — primarily because I've seen it umpteen times — but still follow what often is very little plot.

And I am struck by the connection

## Post Office Mail

### Tangier Church Opposes Creation of Palestinian State

Dear Editor:

At the 2011 Virginia United Methodist Annual Conference, Resolution Number 13 was passed which states "that a viable Palestinian state must have a sustainable financial foundation ... affirms strategies that will bring about an independent, sovereign Palestinian state ... (and) recognizes that the work of nation building is necessary and productive and without it there can be and will be no viable Palestinian state."

We are deeply troubled by this; no Christian Church is to involve itself in nation-building, but rather in soul-winning. The only nation the church is called to support is Israel. In Genesis 12:3, God gives this promise to the Father of the Jews, Abraham, saying, "and I will make of thee a great nation, I will bless thee, and make thy name great: and thou

shalt be a blessing. And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed."

While we love all people and believe humanitarian efforts such as food and medical supplies should be given to those in need, we cannot support the building of a nation that is a sworn enemy of Israel. A Palestinian state cannot be built on Israeli land, Joshua 14:9 states, "and Moses swore on that day saying, surely the land whereon thy feet have trodden shall be thine inheritance, and thy children's

forever, because thou hast wholly followed the Lord my God." Many will find that verse questionable, but the church should never question its validity.

Many wonder, "What about the Palestinian Christians?" We thank God for every one of them and pray for them. If Palestine does become

a nation, do we believe the Christians there will be allowed to worship openly? History gives us the answer to that question.

We call on the members of the Virginia United Methodist Conference to take a stand against this unbiblical resolution by contacting your pastor, district superintendent, and bishop, and standing on the Word of God.

*Members of Swain Memorial United Methodist Church, Tangier Island*

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