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Eastern Shore Post Celebrates 20 Years!



By Connie Morrison

Last year the Eastern Shore Post published its 1,000th edition. It was a major milestone for the Post, but just a teaser.

With our June 7 edition, we mark 20 years of publication. We have brought you some of the most heart-wrenching stories, and some of the most uplifting. You have trusted us with important milestones of your own, sending us birth,

wedding, and graduation announcements, and obituaries of your loved ones.

It is our privilege to continue to bring you a quality newspaper every Friday. Our special anniversary pages begin on Page 42. Take a stroll with us down memory lane.

And thanks for reading these past 20 years. We look forward to sharing the next 20 with you, too.



Image from frame of a video by Karrie O'Toole, who is serving in the U.S. Army in Kuwait

Graduation Congratulations Can't Wait: A Sister's Message from Kuwait

See Page 5 for a story about the extraordinary effort of one family made to ensure sure an Arcadia graduate could be surprised at his graduation by his sister, who is stationed in Kuwait.

Woman Who Kept Kids in 'Cages' Fashioned From Cribs Sentenced to 15 Years

By Linda Cicaira

A tragic story of a Mearsville family further unfolded Thursday in Accomack Circuit Court when it was disclosed that the mother, Malista Ann Ness-Hopkins, had mental disorders including depression and hearing negative voices caused by sexual abuse that began when she was 4 years old and were further complicated by her grief over the sudden death of her children's father in 2016, no car, and poverty.

Ness-Hopkins, 40, was sentenced to serve five years of active time in prison for abuse and neglect of her five young children in July 2017 after a social worker investigated a complaint and found a filthy, urine- and feces-smelling house where a 2- and 3-year-old were held in crib "cages" secured by 20 screws each, and mattresses for two other children were dirty, falling apart, and bare. The children had lice and flea bites.

Testimony at the sentencing also disclosed that three of the children have attention deficit hyperactivity disorder or ADHD, which caused behavior that overwhelmed Ness-Hopkins. They also were found to have post-traumatic stress disorder or PTSD, and other anxiety is-

ssues possibly caused by their abuse and neglect. Another of the children was reported to have recently choked a teacher and is being tested.

Judge W. Revell Lewis III sentenced Ness-Hopkins to three years for each of the five charges with all but a year suspended on each charge. The terms were set to run consecutively. Supervised probation and good behavior upon release were ordered for three years each. Her parental rights to the four youngest children were taken away in a previous action in Accomack Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court. "You did not behave as a mother should have behaved," Lewis said.

"You did not seek help. You did seek benefits ... that you were entitled to (after her partner's death she received benefits for the children totaling \$1,500 a month and food stamps) but you didn't seek help. ... Still, you mistreated them. A lot of cases there are not actual harm to the children," Lewis continued, noting drunk driving cases where there is not a crash. "In this situation, there is actual harm."

"It snatched the rug right underneath us," the defendant said of her partner's death. "It rocked us hard. He made it all possible. He really did and he was gone." Ness-Hop-

kins admitted to seeking grief counseling. "I stopped seeing him because there was no trust ... no rapport. ... It just did not work. I gave up hope. I did. I gave up hope." She also stated, "It was hard to find someone to watch all five. They were a handful. At the time they were young, young. I hate myself. If I had sought help, I would have been able to see what I was doing. All this wouldn't have happened. ... Since we've found the right therapist for me, she has opened my eyes in so many ways."

She could be sentenced to a maximum of 25 years in prison and fined \$12,500.

After a complaint was filed with the county's department of social services

last summer, a worker went to the defendant's Mearsville home and found the residence was filthy, it smelled of urine and feces, the children had lice and flea bites, and two of them were held in makeshift crib cages, Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Elizabeth Wolff told the court.

"It was wrong" to keep them confined, she admitted. "At times, I needed to be able to sleep. They were like ninjas. Those boys could get out of those cribs ... they would get into stuff. I wouldn't hear them get up ... that is the only time they were in those cribs when I needed to get sleep ... I should have reached out but I didn't know how. I couldn't see where I was. Mentally I was not there."

Belle Haven Man Found Dead From Apparent Gunshot Wounds

By Linda Cicaira

A 40-year-old Belle Haven man was found dead on Wednesday, May 29, from "apparent gunshot wounds," Accomack Sheriff Todd Godwin said last Friday in a prepared statement.

The sheriff's office received a report of shots being fired on Boggs Road in Painter at about 9:15 p.m. When deputies arrived at the scene, they found the

body of Alvin Rogers inside a vehicle.

The deputies were assisted by the state police.

No other details were disclosed.

The investigation is continuing. Anyone with information about the shooting, is asked to call 757-787-1131 or 757-824-5666. Tips may also be submitted through Godwin's website at www.accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org

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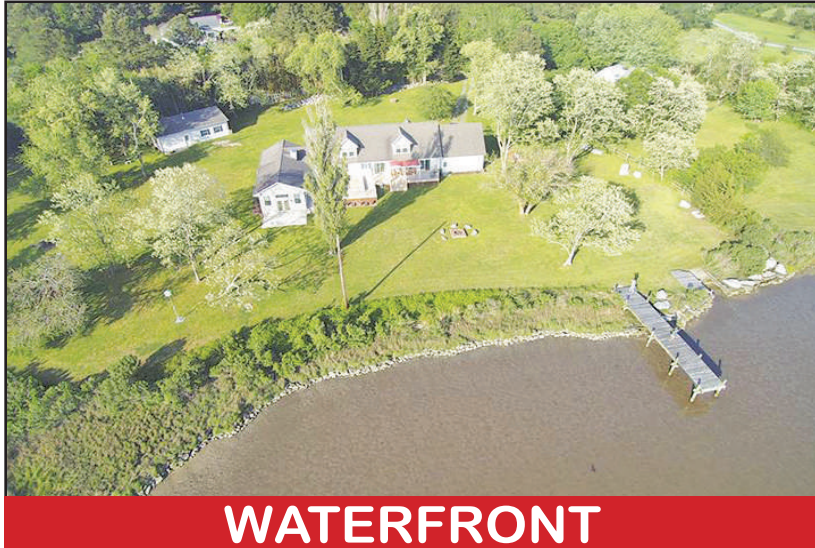
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Sister's Graduation Present to Brother: A Video From Kuwait

By Linda Cicoira

As this 20th anniversary edition of the Eastern Shore Post is being uploaded to our website, Austin Studebaker, of Parksley, is getting a surprise.

He's graduating from Arcadia High School and knows his big sister, Karrie O'Toole, who is serving in the Army in Kuwait, can't make it home for the milestone. But what he didn't know was she and her squad members made a video that is going to be played during the graduation.

They tried to keep the secret from

Shelley Studebaker too. She's Austin and O'Toole's mother. But, when it seemed like the surprise might not happen, a friend of O'Toole's called the mother to get help.

The mother called school activist Connie Burford for assistance. Burford got in touch with Principal Rose Taylor, who was out recovering from surgery. Taylor previewed the video and quickly approved it for the graduation. Taylor knows O'Toole since she graduated from Arcadia in 2012. "Connie Burford got through," Shelley Studebaker said.

Austin is the youngest of Shelley

Studebaker's biological children. "It's my baby," she said. Studebaker is in charge of the foreign exchange program on the Eastern Shore so she's getting two more students next year from Korea and has had "more than 30 kids over 30 years."

Those from the last few years came back, from Spain, Japan, and Germany, to see Austin graduate. Studebaker's daughter, who lives in Detroit, also traveled to the Shore for the graduation and her own 10-year Arcadia reunion.

"He's going to be embarrassed and hap-

py all together," Studebaker said of Austin. "He's really proud of his sister." That's why he is going into the National Guard. Austin got a full scholarship to the community college so he's going there too.

Austin was chosen for the Project Horizons program when he was in middle school based on an essay he wrote. The mentoring program is for promising underachievers and provides extra academic, social, and cultural boosts including free tuition. "Support that comes from the community college is amazing," Studebaker said.

June 11 Is Democratic Primary, Deadline for Local Candidates

By Linda Cicoira

Voters from Accomack and Northampton counties will be going to the polls this Tuesday, June 11, to cast their ballots in a race for the Democratic Party's nomination for state senate.

It is also the deadline for candidates to qualify to be on the ballot for local constitutional offices — treasurer, sheriff, commonwealth's attorney, and com-

missioner of the revenue, and for seats on the boards of supervisors. For the first time in Accomack, there will also be an election for school board members. Candidates must have all documents filed by 7 p.m. in the registrar's office.

In the Democratic Party's race, Sen. Lynwood W. Lewis Jr. is being contested by former Northampton Supervisor Willie C. Randall. Lewis is an Accomac

lawyer whose hometown is Parksley. Randall owns the Edward Jones Investment company in Exmore and lives in Cape Charles. The senatorial district includes both Eastern Shore counties and parts of Norfolk and Virginia Beach.

The polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. at regular precincts. Voters who used to go to New Church will be voting at Arcadia Middle School in the library.



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Town of Exmore Basks in Fiscal Health, Considers 'Road Diet'

By Stefanie Jackson

Exmore officially has more than \$3 million in the bank, and at Monday night's town council meeting Mayor Douglas Greer thanked everyone who helped the town reach its goal, including the council, the police department, and every town employee.

"I mean this from the bottom of my heart, because I can remember when we had nothing, I mean nothing. And that has seriously changed," Greer said.

"It's a team effort here. There's no one person that's running this rodeo. ... I just thank each and every one of you."

Town Manager Robert Duer said "it's been fun" getting Exmore to the \$3 million mark.

That doesn't mean Exmore has no financial woes. The town's sewer system needs a major overhaul that will cost millions, and even with a hefty sum in savings, Exmore will still have to borrow money to get it done.

But Duer is confident the town can handle the financing. If Exmore gets 900 customers for its sewer system – and it has nearly that many now – for

every \$1 million the town borrows, it will cost an extra \$5 on each household's monthly sewer bill, he said.

For example, if Exmore borrowed \$4 million, households would pay \$20 per month to build the infrastructure in addition to about \$69 per month the Hampton Roads Sanitation District would charge to provide sewer service, Duer said.

The town may be able to obtain a 0% interest loan from the Department of Environmental Quality for the project, he added.

That would give Exmore twice the borrowing power and reduce the extra charge on each monthly sewer bill from potentially \$20 to \$10.

Last month, Duer proposed replacing the public works department's old pickup truck with a smaller, less costly lightweight utility vehicle.

Employees said they would prefer a standard pickup truck, so they will get Director of Utilities and Zoning Administrator Taylor Dukes' "hand-me-down" work truck when it is replaced during the next budget cycle, saving

\$10,000.

"Might as well give them something they're going to work with than something we think they need," Duer said.

The council passed Exmore's budget for fiscal year 2020, totaling around \$2.1 million, with a surplus of about \$13,000.

The council also voted to accept a \$50,000 grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture to help pay for a new trash truck.

No certified police officers answered Exmore's job advertisement, so Police Chief Angelo DiMartino selected the most qualified applicant to attend the police academy for training, Tyler Hinman.

Duer called the decision an example of "management by solution, not excuse."

Dukes relayed a request from the owner of the former Sage Restaurant for financial assistance to demolish the building that closed after a fire nearly four years ago.

The owner estimated the demolition will cost \$25,000.

Council members agreed the building needs to be torn down. Duer noted

if the town condemns the building, it will have to tear down the structure and sue the owner for the cost of the demolition.

In either case, Exmore will have to spend money to remove the structure. Duer suggested offering 10% of the demolition costs or \$2,500, whichever is less. Councilman Thomas Lewis made the motion that passed with one "no" vote.

The town council will consider putting Exmore on a "road diet" – narrowing travel lanes to make room for a new improvement. In Exmore's case, the improvement would be a bicycle lane along most of Main Street and Willis Wharf Road.

Duer recommended making a memorial donation to Virginia Beach's public works department to honor the victims of the mass shooting at the Virginia Beach municipal building May 31.

Councilman Chase Sturgis suggested donating \$1,200 to represent the 12 people who died. The motion passed unanimously.

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Juneteenth Festival Will Feature Acclaimed Opera Singer, Shore Native Alvy Powell

By Stefanie Jackson

An Eastern Shore native who became a nationally recognized opera singer and member of the U.S. Army Chorus will open the annual Juneteenth music festival at Exmore Town Park to be held Saturday, June 15. The festival continues Sunday, June 16.

Alvy R. Powell Jr., who became known for his performances for U.S. presidents and foreign dignitaries, was raised in Cheriton with four older sisters who influenced his interest in music.

He grew up singing gospel music in the African Baptist Church.

Powell was first inspired to become an opera singer at age 14 when he heard a recording of William Warfield singing the part of Porgy in the opera, "Porgy and Bess," written by George Gershwin.

"I had never seen anyone black in something so classical. I knew it was right for me. I said I was going to sing it someday," Powell said.

He graduated from Northampton High School in 1974 and took a musical tour of Europe the following year.

Powell held various jobs; he was a DJ and he performed dinner theater in

Washington, D.C.

In 1983, he graduated from the University of Maryland with a degree in vocal performance and joined the U.S. Army Chorus.

Four years later, he got his wish to sing as Porgy from "Porgy and Bess" in Sydney and Melbourne, Australia.

Powell once described the difference between U.S. Army Chorus members and other soldiers. "We are taught to march, do our drill, and carry a rifle. What is different is that we are on call 24 hours a day to sing at VIP functions."

He sang solos at President Gerald Ford's funeral and the rededication of the Gerald R. Ford Presidential Library. One of Ford's favorite songs that Powell sang for him was "Ol' Man River."

He performed at George and Barbara Bush's Christmas parties before



Alvy Powell Jr.

George Bush became president, prompting Barbara Bush to ask Powell to sing an a cappella rendition of the national anthem at her husband's inauguration in 1989.

Powell left the U.S. Army Chorus in 1993 but returned in 2001.

Over the years, he reprised his "Porgy and Bess" role more than 2,500 times. Powell sang at Carnegie Hall in 2008

and 2009 and played in the BBC television production of "Amahl and the Night Visitors."

He was the Army's oldest enlisted soldier when he retired on his 62nd birthday, Oct. 31, 2017.

Juneteenth is a celebration of June 19, 1865, when Union soldiers arrived in Galveston, Texas, with the news that the Civil War was over and slavery had ended. Also known as June-

teenth Independence Day or Freedom Day, it's the oldest celebration of the end of slavery in the U.S.

The Exmore Town Park Juneteenth music festival begins June 15, 12 p.m. to 4 p.m. Powell and others will perform, including Billy Mercury, the Resurrection Gospel Group, Eastside Band, Purnell "DJ Satch" Satchell, and the ESVA Spartans Dancers.

The festival will continue June 16, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., with special guests the Rev. Roland Major and elder Dorothy Giddens, Ethel Giddens, New Hallelujah Gospel Singers, New Heavenly Wings Over Jordan, and Robert Boatwright.

Prizes will be awarded for the Save Our Youth poster contest.

There will also be karate presentations, local and state police K-9 demonstrations, Ident-A-Kid, a voter registration booth, health booths and exhibits, a bouncy house, games, snow cones, popcorn, and other food vendors. Admission is free.

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• From Janet and Richard Bruce
 To Christopher and Rebecca Bruce
 Lot 6, Ocean View, Parksley
 For \$24,000

• From Sandra Lee Farrell
 To Erik and Robin Herron
 7547 Beebe Rd., Chincoteague
 For \$190,000

• From Kathryn Rhodes
 To James and Mary Hoffangle
 4135 Captain's Corridor, Greenbackville
 For \$193,000

• From Alex and Fallon McCullough
 To Charles and Patricia Bundick
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 For \$192,724

• From Shore Waves LLC
 To Axarae Zacarias
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 For \$22,500

• From Joan Baumbach
 To Mark and Vicky Whittington
 31500 Sunset Dr., Painter
 For \$230,000

• From Joan Johnson
 To Christopher and Donald Rice
 Accomac parcel
 For \$5,000

• From James and Karen Hubbard
 To James and Cheryl McIntosh
 3488 Blackbeard Rd., Greenbackville
 For \$329,000

Court Postings

By Linda Cicaira

Accomack Indicts 28

Nearly 30 people were indicted Monday by an Accomack grand jury on counts that included bringing a gun to school, strangulation, burglary with intent to hurt a child, extortion, stealing oysters, and drug offenses.

Edwin Colon Matias, 32, of McComas Drive in Greenbush, was indicted on counts of breaking into the home of Yareni Gonzalez and burglary with intent to commit a violent crime. The indictment specifically listed rape. The incidents occurred March 6.

Lesby Roblero, a Greenbush babysitter, testified at a recent preliminary hearing that Matias was in the bedroom of her house trailer with a 26-month-old girl. The girl's diaper had been removed and her pants were pulled down.

Roblero said she found Matias after returning from getting her special-needs son from the bus stop. Matias had not been invited inside. Roblero said she had been out for "four minutes" and had left the girl in the living room with other children.

"I didn't know what to do," Roblero said. "Nothing like that has ever happened to me before. The man was in the room, the room where I sleep." In addition to the toddler, boys ages two months, four years, and six years were left at the home.

According to a search warrant, the girl's six-year-old brother told police, "He witnessed Matias enter the residence, take (his sister) to the bedroom" where Matias removed her diaper and "dropped his pants and manually removed his genitals from his underwear. The boy did not see if Matias touched (the child) ... sexually," the warrant stated.

Investigator Meghan Patterson, of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office, investigated and gave information to the grand jury.

In another case, Philip Gordon Stewart, 63, of Nocks Landing Road in Atlantic, a substitute teacher, was indicted on a count of possessing a

firearm at Nandua High School "designed or intended to expel a projectile by action of an explosion of a combustible material upon the property of a public high" school. The incident occurred March 27 and was investigated by Deputy Jessica Young, of ACSO.

Testimony at a preliminary hearing showed a shotgun was found in the trunk of Stewart's vehicle, and a handgun was under a towel on the backseat. Young said the vehicle was in the second row of the parking lot about 50 yards from the building. "He said he recently moved out of his residence and was keeping them there for safe keeping," the officer said.

In the case related to the theft of state-owned oysters, dredging oysters at night, and transporting a dredge at night in a boat, the indicted were Wesley Lamont Hodge, 45, of Duchess Court in Mears; Gary Joseph Fleig, 43, of Savannah Road in Hallwood; and Keith James Martin, 48, of Keith's Lane in Saxis.

The incidents occurred between Jan. 18 and 19, and on Feb. 1. Officers Allen Marshall and Marshall Reedy, of the Virginia Marine Police, testified before the grand jury about the incidents, which will be prosecuted by Jack Thornton, assistant commonwealth's attorney from Northampton County.

Cadeem Bresean Baines, 24, of Cutler's Court in New Church, was indicted on counts of unauthorized use of a vehicle and strangulation of Keshon Veney, on April 6. Deputy J. Sharp, of ACSO, investigated.

James Floyd, 56, of Dogwood Drive in Onancock, was charged with larceny from a person, Charlene Rowley, and the assault and battery of rescue squad members Wayne Marshall, Benjamin Cole Bonniwell, Kevin Holway, and Chris Casaro. The incident happened on April 2. Sgt. Bobby Taylor, of ACSO, testified before the jury about the incidents.

Sharmain Kyteal Miller, 35, of White's Neck Road in Parksley, was indicted on counts of possessing cocaine, possessing heroin, possessing a firearm while possessing cocaine with the intent to distribute, possessing a firearm while possessing heroin with intent to distribute, and abuse and neglect of a child "in a

manner so gross, wanton, and culpable as to show a reckless disregard for human life."

The crimes occurred Nov. 9, 2018. Special Agent Scott Wade, who heads the Eastern Shore Drug Task Force, gave information to the jury.

Kelly Elaine Smith, 32, of Woodland Park in Accomac, was indicted on counts of making a false statement in order to obtain a credit card, obtaining money by false pretense, and identity theft. The incidents occurred between March 1 and 31. Investigator A. Turner, of the ACSO, investigated.

Corbin Kenji Drummond, 39, of Smith Road in Atlantic, was indicted on a count of extortion by communicating a threat in writing to kill or do bodily harm to Yoshika Jones and making a threat to bomb, burn, or destroy a building. The incidents occurred Jan. 29. Deputy B.K. Misener, of ACSO, investigated.

Kelsey Elizabeth Kilmon, 32, of Mink Farm Road in Onancock, was indicted on a count of stealing money belonging to Tim Valentine, of the Club Car Cafe, on Feb. 15. Chief Greer of the Parksley Police Department investigated.

Paul Alan Cavey, 43, of Shore Acres Road in Arnold, Md., was indicted on a count of possessing cocaine on June 23, 2018. Sgt. Tyler Greenly, of the Chincoteague Police Department, investigated.

Charles Mullens, 58, of Chincoteague Road on Wallops Island, was indicted on a count of possessing cocaine Jan. 5. Deputy K. Reese, of ACSO, investigated.

Jimmy Louis, 41, of West Mount Vernon in Smyrna, Del., was indicted on a count of possession with intent to distribute between a half-ounce and five pounds of marijuana. The incident occurred Nov. 13, 2018. Trooper Jay Boone gave information to the grand jury.

Jonathan David Thornton, 32, of Carter Lane on Chincoteague, was indicted on a count of assault and battery of Trooper Boone. The incident occurred Feb. 2.

Trey Elijah Ballard, 20, of Cutler's Court in Mappsville, was indicted on counts of possession with intent to distribute between a half-ounce and

five pounds of marijuana on Dec. 19, 2018, and stealing a scooter belonging to Robert Kelly on Feb. 10. Deputy K. McGregor, of ACSO, investigated the drug offense. Parksley Police Department handled the theft.

Eric Dewine Harmon, 41, of Coal Kiln Road in Painter, was charged with assault and battery of Deputy C. Hodgson, of ACSO, in connection with a Feb. 2 incident. Hodgson gave information to the grand jury about the case.

Cheryl Travis, 27, of Taylor Street in Hallwood, was indicted on a count of assault and battery of Hodgson. The incident occurred March 2.

Zachary Justin Peterson, 39, of Willow Street on Chincoteague, was indicted on a count of embezzling property, a generator, and a Hitachi nail gun valued at more than \$500, from Mummert Construction on the island. The incident occurred Dec. 10, 2018. Peterson was arrested Feb. 24. Investigator C.A. McPherson, of the Chincoteague Police Department, investigated.

April Lynn Pruitt, 42, of Justice Farm Lane on Wallops Island, was indicted on a count of possessing cocaine on Dec. 27, 2018. Officer David Gladding, of CPD, investigated.

Michael Wayne Reed, 60, of Southside Road in Onancock, was indicted on a count of illegally possessing Oxycodone on Oct. 5, 2018. Boone gave information to the grand jury about the case.

Annabelle Cruz Vazquez, 47, of Elm Street in Exmore, was indicted on counts of making a false statement on a consent form to buy a gun and possession of a firearm by a felon Oct. 8, 2018. She was arrested Jan. 28. Trooper A. J. Rohnke gave information to the jury.

Hunter Douglas Weaver, 28, of Meadville Drive in Onancock, was indicted on a third offense of DUI in 10 years. The crime occurred Feb. 14. Officer T. Hedge, of the Onancock Police Department, investigated.

Vassean Maurice Armstrong, 37, of Lankford Highway in Oak Hall, was indicted on a count of possessing cocaine on Jan. 10. Hodgson investigated.

Lashanta Nicole Edwards, 36, of

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OBITUARIES

Harry Dowl Boteler

Mr. Harry Dowl Boteler, 80, husband of the late William Snyder Keyton Jr. and a resident of Machipongo, formerly of Berryville, Va., passed away Sunday, May 26, 2019, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Onancock.



Mr. Boteler

A native of Annapolis, Md., he was the son of the late William Stewart Boteler and the late Theresa Konopik Boteler. He was a U.S. Navy veteran.

Mr. Boteler had a rewarding 32-year career as administrator with the NALC Health Benefit Plan in Virginia, where he was dearly loved by his employees.

With no immediate family, he is survived by his adopted family on the Eastern Shore, Rhonda and George Annon and their children, Zack and Holly.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at a later date. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

Irene Lewis Harrison

Mrs. Irene Lewis Harrison, 89, wife of the late Warner Edward Harrison and a resident of Accomac, walked graciously into the arms of her Lord and Savior Thursday, May 30, 2019. Born Oct. 2, 1929, in Deep Creek, she was a daughter of the late Ira Lewis and the late Mary Murphy Lewis.



Mrs. Harrison

Mrs. Harrison was a graduate of Onancock High School and worked as a teller for Sun-Trust Bank for many years. She remained devoted to her faith throughout her life and was a loyal member of Leatherbury United Methodist Church, where she was a longtime Sunday School teacher. As the matriarch of the Harrison family, Mrs. Harrison led by example through her love for the

Lord and dedication to her family, all of whom will forever cherish and celebrate her memory.

Survivors include her sister, Lucy Shea, of Onancock; brother, George Lewis and wife, Norma, of Exmore; grandchildren, Charlene H. Johnson and husband, R.J., of Accomac, Robert Bradford and Molly, of Jonestown, Pa., and Steven Bradford and wife, Kate, of Tasley; daughter-in-law, Linda Bradford and husband, Larry, of Tasley; great-grandchildren, Chase, Chloe, Kristen, Reyanna, and Grayson; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to her husband and parents, she was predeceased by her son, Larry Edward Harrison.

Funeral services were conducted from the chapel of the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home, Sunday, June 2, 2019, with the Rev. Roland Major and the Rev. Charles W. Parks III officiating. Interment in the Fairview Lawn Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Leatherbury United Methodist Church, c/o Mrs. Linda Bradford, P.O. Box 36, Tasley, VA 23441.

Share tributes with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Kevin William Heath

Mr. Kevin William Heath, 67, husband of Patricia Marie Heath and a resident of Onancock, passed away Tuesday, May 28, 2019, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital. Born Jan. 6, 1952, in Jersey City, N.J., he was the son of the late William Heath and the late Claire Ennes Heath.

Following high school, Mr. Heath enlisted in the U.S. Navy and proudly served his country for four years. For more than a decade, he worked for Turner Sculpture and enjoyed being a part of their artistic process. Mr. Heath looked forward to days spent at Harrington Raceway & Casino with Pat at his side, especially when they were winning, and he never missed an opportunity to watch his New York Giants.

In addition to his wife of 39 years, he is survived by their daughter, Jennifer Heath and her children, Kylah and Xavier Johnson, all of whom he very



Mr. Heath

much adored.

A graveside service, with military honors, will be held at the Fairview Lawn Cemetery, in Onancock, Saturday, June 8, 2019, at 11 a.m. A reception will follow at the Vietnam Veterans of America, 25534 E. Main Street, Onley, VA 23418.

Share tributes with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

James Joseph Marvel Sr.

Mr. James "Jim" Joseph Marvel Sr., 68, of Exmore, died on Wednesday, May 22, 2019, at Peninsula Regional Medical Center in Salisbury. He was born March 5, 1951, in Salisbury,

A memorial service and Celebration of Life will be held on Sunday, June 9, 2019, at 6 p.m. at Lynnehaven Baptist Church, 1200 Lynnehaven Drive, Pocomoke City, MD 21851, with Pastor Rob Welsh officiating.

Arrangements are in the care of Eastern Shore Cremation & Funeral Service, 504 Franklin Ave., Berlin, MD 21811. To send condolences to the family, please visit www.easternshorecremation.com

Peggy Sims Novack

Mrs. Peggy Sims Novack, 79, beloved wife of the late Nathan Earl Novack and a resident of Wallops Island, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her loving family Saturday, June 1, 2019.

Born July 10, 1939, in Statesville, N.C., she was a daughter of the late Kenneth Sims and the late Stella Guy Sims. Mrs. Novack was a secretary for NASA and a longtime devoted member of Atlantic United Methodist Church since 1973. Her church activities included attending Bible studies, which she loved for furthering her knowledge and being around those who shared that interest; active in Sunday School classes; church historian; and singing in the church choir for many years. Mrs. Novack enjoyed reading, jigsaw puzzles, sudoku, her community Bible study held at Peggy Stephens' home, and loved to keep busy. She loved her family and treasured all the times they were able



Mrs. Novack

to gather. The memories of the love they shared will remain in many hearts for years to come.

Survivors include her three children, Steven Craig Novack and wife, Karen, of Pocomoke, Md., Natalie Novack Binder and husband, James, of Atlantic, Va., and Deanna Novack Johnson and husband, Danny, of Lake Mary, Fla.; seven grandchildren, Amber, Kelsey, and Stevie Novack, Tristan and Tanner Binder, and Kayla and Taylor Johnson; a sister, Judy Cohoon and husband, Ray, of Currituck, N.C.; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to her loving husband and parents, she was predeceased by a grandson, Craig Nathan Novack; a sister, Betty Brown; and three brothers, Jimmy, Harold and Bobby Sims.

A memorial service will be held at the Atlantic United Methodist Church Saturday, June 15, 2019, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Hodae Kim officiating. There will be a reception in the church social hall immediately following the service.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Atlantic United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 159, Atlantic, VA 23303.

Share tributes with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Larry Savage

Mr. Larry Savage, 55, of Cheriton, died Feb. 28, 2019. A funeral was held March 9 and he was interred at the Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery, in Franktown.

Mr. Savage was the son of the late Genevive Savage and the late Robert Lee Savage Sr. He was employed by Cherrystone Aquafarms, in Cheriton.



Mr. Savage

His family continues to grieve his sudden and mysterious death. He was a hard worker. Mr. Savage would give you the shirt off his back. His death is being investigated by the Northampton County Sheriff's Office and by a safety compliance officer from OSHA.

Thanks to the friends and family for acts of kindness during this time. To send condolences to the family, email telvissavage@gmail.com

David Henry Vance

Mr. David Henry Vance, 88, resident of Commonwealth Senior Living (formerly the Hermitage on the Eastern Shore) in Onancock, passed away Sunday, June 2, 2019. Born Nov. 15, 1930, in Bremerton, Wash., he was the son of the late Oscar Elno Vance and the late Ruth Florence Wichman Vance.



Mr. Vance

Mr. Vance attended the University of Washington State and later received his Bachelor of Science degree from Sophia University, in Japan. He attended the University of Maryland as a Ph.D candidate from 1960-1971, and then began working for the U.S. State Department, where he was a senior energy economist and foreign affairs officer. Throughout his career he had numerous speaking engagements with the State Department, including Washington, D.C., Honolulu, Hawaii, Houston, Texas, Tokyo, Japan, and Ottawa, Canada. He was an avid golfer and enjoyed traveling with his wife.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Vance was predeceased by his beloved wife in 2010, Kazuko U. Vance, as well as their three Siamese cats, Akachan, Dokochan, and Chiruchan. He was also predeceased by his sister, Mary Leona Tuthill and her husband, Curtis. Mr. Vance is survived by his niece, Lisa Carey and her husband, Ron, and their son, Jordan Carey.

Mr. Vance's family is eternally grateful for the care and kindness shown to him during his time at Bedford Court Senior Living, in Silver Spring, Md. Additionally, we extend our deepest appreciation to the staff at Commonwealth Senior Living (formerly the Hermitage) and the nurses at Riverside Shore Hospice for the great love and compassion he received over the last two and a half years.

Funeral services were conducted from the graveside at the Gate of Heaven Cemetery in Silver Spring, Md., Wednesday, June 5, 2019. Share tributes with his family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

NASA Give and Take

By Linda Cicoira

NASA Wallops Flight Facility wouldn't say why Wednesday it took away a \$200 million contract from one Columbia, Md., company and gave it to another.

"LJT and Associates ... was initially selected for the Wallops Range Operations follow-on contract in November 2018; since then, the company has been deemed ineligible for award," a NASA representative said. "That's all we can say at this time," he replied when asked why the corporation was considered as such and if there was any wrongdoing.

In December, LJT announced it was awarded a \$200 million contract to provide launch range operations support at WFF for "indefinite-delivery, indefinite-quantity contract includes cost-plus-fixed-fee and firm-fixed-price ordering capability over a five-year period."

Now NASA has awarded the contract to KBRwyle Technology Solutions LLC of Columbia, Md., from Aug. 10, 2019, to Aug. 9, 2024.

In the last six months, two criminal cases were linked to LJT.

LJT's former lab manager/quality assurance officer at the WFF's sewage plant, Monica Kristine Borowicz, 50, of Assawoman, pleaded guilty last month in U.S. District Court to falsifying records about discharges involving nitrogen in local waterways that could "lead to reduced levels of dissolved oxygen in the water and negatively impact aquatic plants and other organisms."

When Borowicz went on vacation in March 2018, another LJT worker began updating control charts and found lab records had discrepancies that couldn't be justified. In some cases, Borowicz didn't perform the tests. Virginia's Department of Environmental Quality has since rejected analyses conducted during those periods and has requested to have the suspect results removed and revisions submitted.

"LJT voluntarily relinquished their certification to conduct TKN testing and now all TKN testing from Wallops is contracted out to a third party at additional cost to the government," court records state.

In another case, Steve Eric Kremer,

53, who was living in Berlin, Md., admitted to stealing government funds and to receiving kickbacks from 2008 to 2015.

He pleaded guilty in December 2018. While he was WFF's chief of the Range and Mission Management, he oversaw \$191 million worth of contracts and awarded contracts for launch range operations support such as radar, telemetry, logistics, tracking, and communications services.

From December 2013 to March 2015, Kremer admitted he "directed the purchase of various promotional items to be given to extracurricular organizations involving a member" of his family and an associate at WFF. "Most, if not all, these promotional items were charged to Project 100 ... the funds for these materials (\$11,500) came directly from the range operation contracts."

From December 2013 to April 2016, Kremer sought funds from two contractors, who were referred to in court records at Firm 1 and 3, for the extra-

curricular organizations.

Firm 1 "is an aerospace engineering services company located in Columbia ... that delivers space and ground range services and base facility services to the Department of Defense, NASA, and civil customers." It "holds several contracts for operation and maintenance efforts at the WFF, and was the prime contractor" hired by Kremer.

A total of \$32,000 in donations was received from Firm 3, a subcontractor of Firm 1.

"Kremer sent an e-mail to certain employees of Firm 1 ... requesting Amazon gift cards be purchased on his behalf which he would purportedly use to purchase electronic reference books ... for himself and other ... government employees ... In total, \$7,000 in ... cards were procured for Kremer."

In January 2014, LJT was awarded a contract to perform institutional services at WFF at a maximum of \$257 million.

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Bowens Pleads Guilty to Conspiring To Commit Capital Murder in Murder-for-Hire Case

By Linda Cicaira

Aaron Jamarus Bowens, who witnesses say was paid \$1,000 for injuring an Eastern Shore Drug Task Force informant, pleaded guilty last week in Accomack Circuit Court to conspir-

ing with a prisoner to commit capital murder.

The plea came in an agreement between Commonwealth's Attorney Spencer Morgan and Bowens, also known as Easy and BOBO, 22, of Big

Pine Road in Painter. While Morgan does not believe Bowens actually shot the informant and his girlfriend in October 2017, two other defendants say he was one of several people asked to do the hit and he claimed responsibili-

ty and was paid for it. Bowens was also identified through cell phone and jail phone records.

The goal of the shooting was to prevent Nathaniel Johnson from coming to court to testify against Evron Strand, an inmate at Accomack Jail who was awaiting trial for cocaine distribution.

The deal called for Bowens to be sentenced to 20 years in prison with a portion of the time suspended. Judge W. Revell Lewis III accepted the agreement and will decide later whether or not the active time will exceed seven years.

Former Northampton Commonwealth's Attorney Bruce Jones publicly accused Bowens of murdering an Exmore man a few years ago although he was never charged with the crime. Bowens' home was searched after Johnson was shot and street gang-related notes were confiscated.

There was a \$3,000 contract for killing Johnson, according to court records. Morgan said Bowens was paid less because Johnson survived.

ROBERTA KELLAM WITHDRAWS FROM NORTHAMPTON SUPERVISORS RACE

By Stefanie Jackson

Roberta Kellam, of Franktown, is no longer running for the Northampton County Board of Supervisors in District 4. The announcement was made June 2 via Facebook.

"Family healthcare circumstances will require that I be off the Shore frequently during the upcoming campaign season," she wrote.

"This responsibility will keep me from connecting with the residents of District 4 in the way they have a right to expect from their candidate."

Kellam thanked her supporters, "from those who signed my petition to qualify for the ballot to the friends and family who gave me

words of encouragement," and she apologized for having to end her campaign.

She hopes that Northampton's next District 4 supervisor "will commit to protecting residential neighborhoods, improving public education, supporting the creation of living wage jobs, expanding broadband, and protecting our residents from the potential impacts of poultry house development."

Dixon Leatherbury, of Machipongo, is the remaining candidate for the District 4 Northampton supervisor's seat. He currently serves as the chair of the Northampton County Planning Commission.



Roberta Kellam

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~Court Postings~ (Continued From Page 9)

Leslie Trent Road in Parksley, was indicted on counts of stealing property valued at more than \$5,000 belonging to John Cool on July 11, 2018, using a credit card without the owner's consent, and two count of obtaining a credit card without the owner's consent between Sept. 16 and Oct. 7, 2018. Information about the crimes was given to the jury by Investigator Sam Castiglia, of ACSO.

Cory Anthony Kellam, 48, of Daugherty Road in Accomack, was indicted on counts of possessing cocaine, a third offense of DUI in five years and refusing to take a blood or breath test. The crimes occurred Jan. 18. Hodgson investigated.

Henry Lee Coleman, 64, of Mary N. Smith Road in Accomack, was indicted on a count of driving after being declared a habitual offender and refusal to take a blood or breath test on March 11. Records state Coleman admitted to drinking alcohol and smoking crack and marijuana prior

to driving. Deputy J.S. Rose, of ACSO, investigated.

Nicolas Keshon Drummond, 28, of Nedab Drive in Onley, was indicted on a count of possession of a firearm by a nonviolent felon on Jan. 25. Sharp investigated.

George Oswald Finney, 29, of Gargatha Landing Road in Parksley, was indicted on a count of possession of cocaine on Nov. 29. Rohnke gave information to the jury about the case.

Two Sentenced in Northampton

Two men were sentenced Tuesday in Northampton Circuit Court.

Robert Eugene Farquhar, 44, of Bamberg Place in Virginia Beach, Va., was convicted of the Aug 27, 2017, misdemeanor offense of driving after being declared a habitual offender. The charge was reduce from the initial felony for which Farquhar was indicted. He was sentenced to 90 days in jail with all but 10 days suspended. A felony count of failure to appear was dismissed.

John Junior Burton, 61, of Lankford Highway in Birdsnest, was sentenced to three years in prison with all but four months suspended for eluding police on July 3, 2018.

Four Accused of Felonies in Accomack

Four men were recently accused of committing felonies, according to records filed Monday in Accomack General District Court

Marshall Ray McKahan, 21, of Wade Avenue in Washington, Pa., was charged with two counts of intentionally damaging or destroying property, which belonged to Jason Whitefead and to Kevin Liddle. The incident involved throwing rocks at two vehicles that were in the Steamer's restaurant parking lot on Chincoteague May 27. The vehicles were worth \$1,000 or more. Pfc. Geno V. Gaminian, of the Chincoteague Police Department, investigated. A preliminary hearing was set for July 29.

Timothy McMillan III, 28, of 16th Avenue C in Birmingham, Ala., was

charged with a willful act or omission that showed total disregard for human life of a child in connection with a May 25 incident. He was also charged with misdemeanor DUI. Trooper Z.T. Beaver investigated. A preliminary hearing was scheduled for Aug. 19.

Carroll Dale Holland Jr., 51, of John Cane Road in Greenbush, was charged with five counts of uttering bad checks totaling more than \$370 on Jan 11. He was arrested June 1. Secured bail was set at \$2,000. The checks were made payable to Bloxom Mini Mart and H.W. Drummond. Deputy G. Lewis, of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office, investigated. A preliminary was set for July 29.

Tra'quan Terrell Timmons, 19, of Lankford Highway in Tasley, was accused of stealing a vehicle belonging to Johnny Irvin valued at \$500 or more. The crime occurred May 29. Deputy J. Sharp, of ACSO, investigated. Secured bail was set at \$2,000. Timmons was arrested May 31. A July 29 preliminary hearing was set.



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Bloxom Seeks Reelection to 100th District

Del. Robert S. Bloxom Jr. announced this week that he will be seeking re-election in November.

"I am both honored and motivated to be running for my fourth term," Bloxom said in a prepared statement. "I believe I have been a strong advocate and voice for the people of the 100th District and would like to thank my constituents for their support of my family and me. Representing this community is a responsibility that I do not take lightly. I have fought for worthwhile investments in our unique community and will always put Virginia and the 100th District first."

"I have been instrumental in bringing \$125 million in state projects to the 100th District," he continued. Those include the new Eastern Shore Community College building, the UAV runway at Wallops Island, a new campus for VIMS in Wachapreague, and support for the local library.

Bloxom lives in the Parksley area and is a Shore native. He and his wife, Lou, have three children, Blaire, Madison, and Brant. Bloxom graduated from the University of Richmond and returned to the Eastern Shore to take over the family business, Bloxom Auto Supply Co., in Mappsville. He also owns NAPA Auto Parts and Shore Tire & Auto, in Onley. In addition, Bloxom is the owner and operator of Egret Point Seafood Company.

Since 2014 when he first took office, Bloxom has been appointed to the Governor's Aerospace Advisory Council, the Joint Subcommittee to Formulate Recommendations to Address Recurrent



Lou and Rob Bloxom

Flooding, the Chesapeake Bay Commission, the Board for the Center for Rural Virginia, the House Agriculture, Chesapeake and Natural Resources Committee, House Finance Committee, and the Transportation Committee. He is a member of Grace United Methodist Church, the Onancock Rotary, and the Accomack Economic Development Authority.

The 100th District includes Accomack and Northampton counties and parts of Norfolk and Virginia Beach. Bloxom, a Republican, is being opposed by Philip "Phil" Hernandez, a Democrat, and a staff attorney at the National Employment Law Project, in Norfolk, Va.

Bloxom's father, Bob Bloxom, was a delegate who represented the Shore for decades.

Correction

Emma Douglas, 102, was misidentified in a photo that ran last week about the Memorial Day observance in Parksley.

She is wearing the purple heart hat for her son, fallen soldier Michael Dorn.

She lives in Withams.

We regret the error.



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Senator Tim Kaine: Federal Infrastructure Bill Should Be Focused on Rural Areas

By Stefanie Jackson

When U.S. Sen. Tim Kaine visited Cape Charles May 30 for a meeting with Northampton County leaders, the senator appeared to have the most confidence in the ability of Congress to pass an infrastructure bill that would benefit the Eastern Shore.

"It's the one area where the president and the Democrats have the most in common," Kaine said. "He's a builder, the Democrats were willing to vote for an infrastructure bill, so there's an opportunity there."

It could cost as much as \$2 trillion to fund a massive infrastructure bill, and "I think there's a bipartisan agreement that a lot of it should be focused on rural communities," Kaine said.

The bill would include funding for broadband internet, roads, railways, and school renovations, he said.

Northampton County Administrator Charlie Kolakowski told Kaine that it's difficult for locals to obtain financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) due to its policy of awarding grants and loans to

individuals earning no more than 50% of the median income for the area.

Northampton's median income is so low that hardly anyone makes 50% of that, so it's almost impossible to qualify for assistance, Kolakowski explained. Yet assistance is available for people who make more money in other counties, he added.

"There ought to be a fix for that," Kaine said. "That doesn't make any common sense."

Kolakowski suggested possibly aligning the income requirements with the federal poverty level.

There was discussion about which industry could do for Northampton what the Wallops Flight Facility did for Accomack. It not only brought jobs, it enhanced tourism, attracting visitors to watch rocket launches.

Kaine asked what kind of businesses the Northampton community wants, pointing out that Northampton is situated between Wallops Island and the Little Creek naval base in Virginia Beach, Va.

Kolakowski would like to see a military equipment refurbishing establish-

ment, as well as more small businesses, which help families break the cycle of generational poverty, he said.

He also wants to continue expanding access to broadband internet for people who want to move to Northampton for the lifestyle and telecommute to work.

Northampton County Farm Bureau President Steve Sturgis said tariffs are hurting farmers, with soybean prices hitting a 15-year low and the cost of doing business skyrocketing.

Farmers are seeking to diversify their crops, and the USDA Specialty Crop Block Grant Program can help (specialty crops include many vegetables, fruits, nuts, herbs, spices, flowers, trees, and shrubs).

But the research grant program requires matching funds on a one-to-one basis that universities like Virginia Tech can't afford. Sturgis said the grant matching requirement was dropped in 2014 but was later reinstated. He asked Kaine if the grant matching requirement could be dropped again.

Northampton County Director of Social Services Mozella Francis thanked Kaine for the bipartisan effort in Con-

gress to pass the Family First Act, which allows federal funding of mental health and substance abuse treatment for parents and in-home parenting programs to prevent the placement of children in foster care.

But there is a shortage of social workers, and federal funding is needed to help recruit them. "It's critical, because we do not have enough boots on the ground," Francis said.

Kaine said there would also be a bipartisan effort to reauthorize the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act that could help get social services the assistance it needs.

Donna Smith, CEO of the Eastern Shore Area Agency on Aging/Community Action Agency, emphasized the importance of Community Service Block Grants that fund programs to help families in poverty and support vulnerable populations like the elderly.

"When they cannot get the services that are needed from social services or any other program here on the Shore, they're knocking at our doors and ask-



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- Eastern Shore of Virginia Housing Alliance (Consumer Representative)
- A-N Planning District Commission (Two Citizen Members)
- Planning Commission (Districts 3 and 5)
- Eastern Shore Public Library
- Social Services Board (2 Members)
- Purchase of Development Rights Committee
- Recreation Board (Districts 1, 2, 3 and 5)
- Wetlands Board

If citizens are interested in serving on any of these boards or commissions, they should contact the County Administrator's Office and complete a Board Bank Application. The Board Bank Application is also available online at the County's website: www.co.northampton.va.us.

ing for help,” she said.

Jane Cabarrus, president of the Northampton County NAACP, voiced concern for the education and well-being of preschool children.

Emphasis is often placed on “school, church, and community,” but “home” should come first, she said.

“The little kids, we’ve got to catch them at this early age ... but we’ve also got to catch the parents. We’ve got to see the living conditions, the housing conditions ... before they even leave home.”

Northampton schools Superintendent Eddie Lawrence said the division had a universal pre-K program until federal funding decreased, but he is proud that Northampton’s pre-K program serves 80% of the county’s 4-year-olds.

He agreed that “we need the ability to reach out before children come to us and get them more prepared to enter school.”

Kaine acknowledged that Northampton is one of the localities that is “treated the worst” by the composite index, a figure that represents how much a locality can afford to pay for its public education.

According to the composite index, land-rich, cash-poor Northampton can afford to pay more per student than cit-

ies like Virginia Beach and Chesapeake, Lawrence said.

But Northampton School Board Chairman William Oakley pointed out that 75% of Northampton students qualify for free and reduced lunch.

Crosby Johnson, of the Northampton County Education Foundation, is concerned that as the charter school movement gains ground, public support and funding for public education will continue to erode.

Northampton County Sheriff David Doughty indicated the sheriff’s department has the same struggle as social services and the school system when it comes to recruiting and hiring qualified professionals for modest salaries.



Photo by Stefanie Jackson
U.S. Senator Tim Kaine met with Northampton leaders in Cape Charles May 30 to discuss county issues and what actions may be taken at the federal level to address them.

The starting salary for a deputy is \$31,000, and health-care costs compound the problem. Doughty said one of his employees has to spend one entire paycheck on healthcare every month.

The Rev. Kelvin Jones summed up the dilemma and its impact on the community. “When I’m making ... coming out the police academy, \$31,000 a year, to get shot at ... and one of my checks goes to healthcare, how do I feed my children? ... How do I hold my head up high and be proud?” he asked.

Affordable housing is also an issue. Murray added, “Somebody making \$31,000 a year is going to have a

very hard time finding a place to live in Northampton County.”

Jones believes Northampton needs to attract businesses that will bring jobs and give people marketable skills and a feeling of worth, restoring a sense of community pride that has faded.

Northampton Supervisor John Coker wrapped up the discussion with a suggestion for addressing the county’s infrastructure woes, but warned Kaine that he might not like the idea because “you don’t want to give the president a win.”

“If you’re willing to give \$1 trillion away to rich people and to big corporations, why not lend \$1 trillion or \$2 trillion ... for free?” Coker asked.

“You’ve got an asset on the books ... you’re not giving anything away. ... And maybe discount it to the poorer communities like we are, and the richer communities, you make them pay full price. ... You get the money back in 20, 25 years, just like you did to the banks.”

“We need infrastructure bad, up and down the Eastern Shore. ... We need some place to get the money. We’re not getting it from Richmond,” Coker said.

Kaine answered, “We’ll give the president a win on infrastructure.”



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State Changes to Pre-K Program Prompt New Coordinator Position

By Stefanie Jackson

Accomack County Director of Elementary Schools Maribeth Haines updated the school board on June 4 about changes the Virginia Department of Education is making to the Virginia Preschool Initiative that will require more pre-K classroom observations.

Through the Virginia Preschool Initiative, Accomack schools get state funding for their preschool programs because those programs serve at-risk 4-year-olds who do not attend Head Start, a federally funded preschool program.

Beginning in 2020, the school division must conduct observations of pre-K classrooms once every year, and outside evaluators will observe pre-K classrooms once every three years, Haines said.

Classes will be evaluated in three main categories: classroom organization, instructional support, and social-emotional learning support.

Haines requested the school board's

approval to create a new position to assist the pre-K program, an early childhood coordinator.

The position will be paid for with Virginia Preschool Initiative state funds, as well as Title I and Title V federal funds (for low-income students and programs that improve elementary and secondary education, respectively).

The school board approved Haines' request.

Accomack students in grades K-2 will also get new reading textbooks next year. The series is called Benchmark Advance, by the Benchmark Education Company, and it was the top choice at four of six Accomack elementary schools, Haines said.

The new reading materials are easy to use for less-experienced teachers and adaptable for use by veteran teachers, Haines said. About 50% of Accomack's K-2 teachers have five years of experience or less.

National Garden Week June 2-8

Submitted Photo

National Garden Clubs Inc. has declared June 2-8 as National Garden week.

This proclamation from the national organization promotes the importance of gardening.

It is on display at the Lilliston building in Onancock. A second proclamation is on display at the Book Bin in Onley, along with books about gardening.

The displays were arranged by Ye Accawmacke Garden Club.



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Wednesday

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Friday

Crab Combo: 2 Stuffed Mushrooms/
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Brews to Blues: Chincoteague's Interim Police Chief is Co-Founder of Cape Charles Brewing Co.

By Linda Cicoira

Interim Chincoteague Police Chief Mark Marshall was introduced Monday night by Mayor Arthur Leonard during a town council meeting.

Marshall retired in early 2018 in the middle of his second term as the Isle of Wight County, Va., sheriff. Before that, he was the chief of the Smithfield, Va., police department and previously worked for the Virginia Marine Resources Commission. He lives in Cape Charles and is involved with his family's business, Cape Charles Brewing Co.

Former Chief Randy Mills retired June 1.

Monday was Marshall's first day on the job and he was dressed in a suit, not the standard uniform. Town Manager Jim West said later the job is an advisory position that will last about three weeks and cost the town between \$3,000 and \$4,000.

"We also have an assistant chief who is keeping all the administrative functions going — the day to day operations," said West. Regarding Marshall, he said the town council didn't want to rush the process and wants to do the best job it can at finding a new chief. West said Marshall is a former international president of chiefs of police and is going to review the department's processes.

The Virginia Association of Chiefs of Police is also involved and will cost \$2,400 at most. "They went with them for the technical expertise," West said of the council.

In other action, islander LeRoy Andrews Jones was recognized by the town, the council, the mayor, relatives, friends, and other residents for his 100th birthday this week. Jones was born on Chincoteague June 6, 1919. He moved to Assateague Village when he was 1 and came back to Chincoteague 10 years later.

Jones "has remained a productive member of this community," said Leonard who read a tribute. "Mr. Jones is a faithful member of Union Baptist Church and throughout his life, he has demonstrated in countless ways his dedication to the welfare of others and has earned the respect and affection of people from all walks of life and all ages ... Hopefully, we can all live that long," the mayor said. "We wish him many more days."

Jones did not attend the council

meeting.

Councilman Ben Ellis, who serves on the finance committee, reported that health insurance did not increase as expected and will provide an additional \$40,000 for the town. An increase of 1% was proposed for the transient occupancy tax but will not be acted on until later in 2019 or early 2020. The committee is also considering providing an additional scholarship. This year Samantha Nicholson, who is going to UVA to study engineering, was awarded the \$2,000.

Residents from the Oyster II development attended the session to ask for something to be done about a derelict house in their community. Leonard promised the waist-high grass would be mowed. "A letter has been sent out... it will be cut," he said. "That's the town's procedure."

Maria Paccioretti, who spoke on behalf of the community of 48 homes, said the parcel is known as the Callaway property, was built in the 1970s, and has never been lived in since she

bought property there in the early 1980s. "Vermin" have been seen there, she said. The owners are several years behind in association dues. Paccioretti said she has been told they also owe back town and county taxes. "It is an eyesore and a safety issue for children and pets ... other houses are well-maintained," Paccioretti said.

"I have a breathing problem," another woman said. "This for me is a health issue. It's a black eye to the community."

Margaret Nichols, a real estate agent, said prospective clients ask to leave the neighborhood when they see the house. "Raccoons are living in the house. It is getting ready to fall down. It's affecting everybody's property values."

On another note, Paccioretti said, "Thank you for the dog park. It's great. The dogs love it. I love it."

The council also approved a zoning ordinance change that prohibits banners displaying vacation rentals or real estate for sale. No one spoke at the public hearing regarding the issue.



Mark Marshall

DIXON LEATHERBURY ANNOUNCES RUN FOR DISTRICT 4 SUPERVISOR SEAT

Submitted Article

L. Dixon Leatherbury has announced his candidacy for the Northampton County Board of Supervisors, representing District 4. A lifetime resident of Machipongo, Leatherbury served multiple terms on the Northampton County Board of Zoning Appeals and is currently chairman of the Northampton County Planning Commission.

"I am fortunate to have been raised on our Eastern Shore, and even more so to have been able to live here and raise my family.

"It is now my hope to be of service to the county by representing District 4 on the board of supervisors. Retiring chairman (Spencer) Murray will leave big shoes to fill, but if elected, I will do my best to do so.

"We must address the issues of broadband for all areas of the county, infrastructure for water and sewage to direct development to our towns, affordable housing, improved education, and employment opportunities, while supporting our existing businesses, protecting our natural resources, and maintaining



Dixon Leatherbury

a high level of service for citizens."

Leatherbury attended Johns Hopkins University studying engineering mechanics and received his Bachelor of Science degree in agricultural engineering from the University of Delaware.

He spent 40 years in the agricultural machinery business, with dealerships in Cheriton and Wakefield, Va. He still sells commercial irrigation equipment and is involved in growing hops for the craft brewing industry. He

was also a partner in Woodside Farms for 20 years, a 1,200-acre grain and vegetable farming operation.

Leatherbury was a board member and chairman of the audit committee of Shore Bank, has served as a board member and is a past president of the Virginia Equipment Dealers Association, is a past president of the Eastern Shore Chamber of Commerce, and is currently a lay member of the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary District Committee.

He is a lifelong member of Christ Episcopal Church in Eastville, where he has served as treasurer and senior warden, and multiple terms on the vestry.

He is currently chairman of the Old Dominion Hops Cooperative.

"District 4 has a diverse population, and I look forward to spending time with as many of those citizens as possible over the next five months. I look forward to that interaction and hearing the views of constituents as we attempt to move Northampton forward responsibly."

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Super Crossword

REAL AMERICANS

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- 1 Deal with mercifully
 9 Smooth-tongued
 13 Inlaid tile designs
 20 Shady protagonist, perhaps
 21 Inner Hebrides island
 22 Female graduates
 23 Famed pool hustler
 25 Reverberate
 26 Recap no.
 27 Neither go-with
 28 Mined rocks
 30 Actress Ekberg
 31 Founder of Tuskegee University
 36 "Don't put it off!"
 40 "Yes" vote
 41 Sports guard
 42 "Sideways" actress
 47 Many
 53 Just right
 54 Window above a door
 55 Interstellar dust clouds
 56 Amaz of TV
 57 Interim workers
 58 Mystery novelist who created Anna Pigeon
 60 Tree of Iowa
 62 Some iPods
 63 Authority
 64 Home: Abbr.
 67 "LOVE" stamp artist
 73 They work on mags
 74 Aleve targets
 76 Dueling tools
 77 Cleo's biter
 79 NFL MVP of 1989 and 1990
 81 Pleasantly warm outside
 85 Norwegian city
 89 Many pink-eyed animals
 90 Ban on trade
 92 Kilt design
 93 Publisher of Elle Decor
 94 Painter called "The Mother of American Modernism"
 96 Theta lead-in
 98 Big foot spec
 99 Map blowups
 100 "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof" playwright

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 5 That girl
 6 "Assuredly"
 7 Maine city
 8 Uncool

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 12 Port in Iraq
 13 Actress Mason
 14 Seville cheer
 15 Singer Boyle
 16 In a group of
 17 Arctic native
 18 Poem division
 19 Car variety
 24 GPS display
 29 "NFL Live" channel
 31 Be really hot
 32 BYOB part
 33 "— Hope" (old soap)
 34 "Bill & — Excellent Adventure"
 35 Ran in place
 36 Full of zeal
 37 Funny — (2003 Kentucky Derby winner)
 38 Very, to Fifi
 39 Mystery writer Marsh
 43 Ending for Manhattan
 44 Branch
 45 —law (acquired relative)
 46 Revise
 48 First family until 2017
 49 Big brass
 50 Really work
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 52 Plants with fronds
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 59 7, to Caesar
 61 Fire felonies
 62 Prefix with fire
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 65 French place of learning
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 68 Reno actions
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 70 Zellweger of "Case 39"
 71 "I love you," to Juan
 72 "No" vote
 75 Arabian chief
 78 Flag holders
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 84 Pasture call
 86 Not in peril
 87 Raise up
 88 Extolling poems
 91 Matzo — (Jewish fried dish)
 92 Writing tools
 94 Scottish Celt
 95 One of the Kardashians
 97 African fly
 100 Durations
 101 Patsy's sidekick on "Absolutely Fabulous"
 102 Neighbor of Mali
 103 Shearer of old films
 104 Inbox filler
 105 Curvy letters
 106 Stare at
 107 "The best — to come!"
 108 Venerate
 112 Regarding
 113 Spanish for "room"
 114 Winged god
 115 Beer holders
 117 Born
 119 "That's it!"
 120 Singer Jones
 121 Sizable vase
 122 Actor/singer Rogers

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EASTERN SHORE SPORTS

Perkins, Flynn, Harris Bring Home State Championships

By Krystle Bono

The Eastern Shore district outdoor track teams competed in the state tournament May 31 - June 1, in Elkton, Va.

Chincoteague's James Perkins won the state title in the shot put with a throw of 51-05, and was fifth overall in the discus. He earned his bid to the state finals upon winning the 1A Regional shotput championship May 23, in Sussex, with a throw of 50-9. He finished fourth in the region in discus.

Northampton's Forest Flynn earned another state title to his name in the pole vault at 12-9. Flynn also brought home the region 1A championship in the pole vault.

Flynn's teammate, Tyrease Harris, grabbed the state championship in the boys 300-meter hurdles, and was fifth in the 110-meter hurdles. He won the boys 300-meter hurdles at the region 1A meet, and was fifth in the pole vault.

Arcadia's track and field team took part in the Region 2A championship May 21-22, in Richmond, Va., with the 4x100 relay team finishing third. Kaylah Wharton placed fifth in the girls 100-meter dash. Norasia Harris was seventh in both the girls discus and the shot put, and the girls relay team placed seventh in the 4x100 meter race.

Junior Firebird Lethan Williams placed 6th in the state in 100-meter dash with a time of 11.31, and the 4x100 relay team 12th overall. The Firebirds other state qualifier, Jayquan Dorsey, was 23rd in the boys 100-meter dash finals.

The Nandua Warriors also competed in the Region 2A tournament May 21-22, with Brynden Sampson finishing second in the boys shot put and high jump. Amiyzah Harmon finished third in the girls 100-meter dash, and seventh in the 200-meter dash. Taylor Thornes

earned fifth in the girls 300-meter hurdles, and Amber Myers was seventh. The girls 4x100 relay team was fifth overall.

Tyrell Jones was fourth in both the 200- and 400-meter dash finals, with Gerald Pitt finishing sixth. Dominic Juran placed fourth in the 110-meter hurdles.

The boys relay team was fourth in the 4x100 meter and the 4x800 yard relay.

Harmon and Jones represented the Warriors at states, with Jones placing sixth in the boys 400-meter dash and sixth in the 200-meter. Harmon was 10th in the girls 100-meter dash.

The Yellow Jackets traveled to Sussex, Va., for the 1A regional meet May 23.

JyAsia Savage finished first in the girls 100-meter dash, and fourth in the 200-meter dash. The girls 4x100 relay was fifth.

Jaquan Langston was second in the boys 400-meter dash. The 4x800 relay team was fifth.

At the state finals meet, Savage earned second in the girls 100-meter dash, and was fifth in 200-meter dash.



Chincoteague's James Perkins won the state shot put championship.

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The Arcadia 4x100 relay team (L-R): Brynden Bibbins, Lethan Williams, Jayquan Dorsey, and Keith Grinage, and (front) Keevin Collins.

Chincoteague Community Tennis Association Annual Memorial Day Tournament

Submitted Article and Photos

The Chincoteague Community Tennis Association held their annual Memorial Day Round Robin Tennis Tournament on Saturday, May 25, at the public tennis courts at Memorial Park on Chincoteague Island.

The competition began at 9 a.m., and by noon, the winners had been determined based on the the total games won by each. First place for the men was awarded to Gene Taylor of Chincoteague. Second place was a three-way tie among Paul Knight of Captain's Cove, Timothy Taylor of Exmore, and Phil Stewart of Atlantic. Lois Snowe of Newton Square, Pa., won first place for the ladies. Maryjo Deloe of Captain's Cove took second, and Nancy Madison of Atlantic placed third. Afterward, the players, as well as many other members, enjoyed the potluck picnic that followed at the pavilion.

After the picnic, there was a special presentation honoring longtime member Jim "Lucky" Loeffert. Jim was instrumental in the founding and continuation of the CCTA and has been an avid tennis player and promoter of the sport for more than 70 years. The association named the center court Lucky Court and granted Lucky a lifetime honorary membership in the association. His presence on the courts will be

missed, but his spirit and love of the game will live on.

The next event to be held by the CCTA will be the July 4th Family Fun Day & Picnic, to be held on Thursday, July 4. As with all of the events organized by the CCTA, you must be a member to participate so please consider joining the association and taking part in the fun.

Anyone interested in playing tennis and or joining the CCTA contact Peter Lukacs by either email at community-tennisassoc.2013@gmail.com or by phone 301-370-8439.

Top Right: Jim "Lucky" Loeffert, pictured in the lime green attire in the back row, poses with CCTA members who participated in the annual Memorial Day Round Robin Tournament May 25.

Below: Winners of the tournament.



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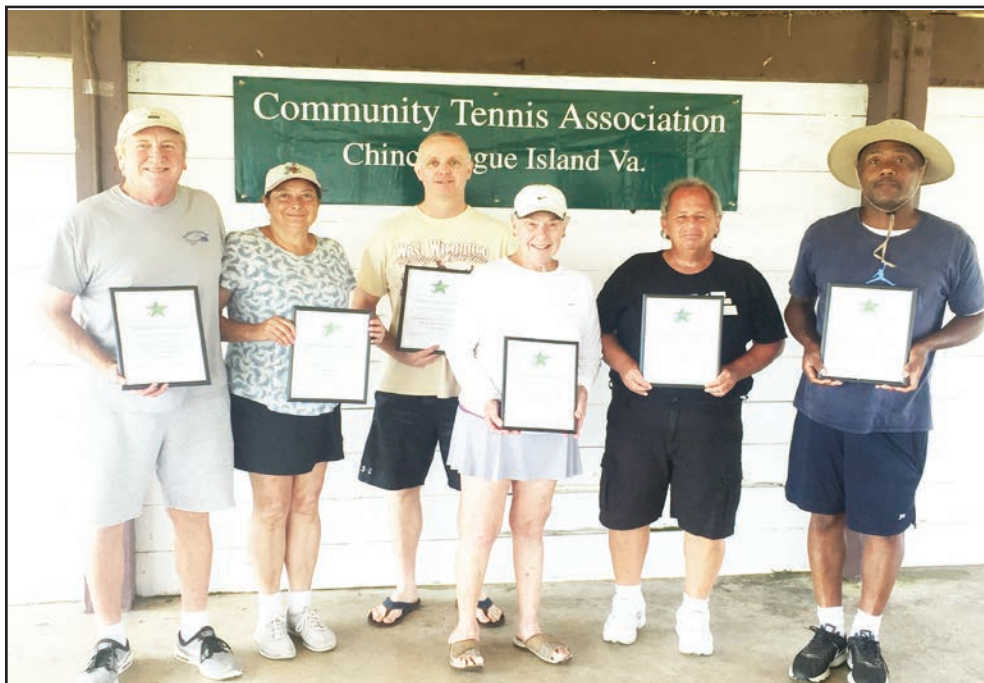
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Submitted Photo

Watson Lands a Striper

Debbie Watson landed this 36-inch striped bass off the beach of Wallops Island.

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To find an event near you, visit dgif.virginia.gov/freefishingdays

We look forward to seeing you on free fishing weekend, June 7-9!

Sellard to Talk Black Drum Fishing

The Eastern Shore of Virginia Anglers Club will hold its monthly meeting on June 10 in the conference room of the Sage Restaurant in Onley. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. and will feature a presentation by local black drum fishing ace Sam Sellard.

Sellard has specialized in black drum fishing in the spring, both in Chesapeake Bay and on the seaside. His talk and Powerpoint presentation will cover locations, tides, baits, rigs, rods/reels, and related subjects.

The public is invited to attend, and new or prospective members are welcome.

Children's Fishing Event a Success

Submitted Article and Photo

Sunny skies and a light breeze greeted Eastern Shore youngsters who gathered June 2 at Morley's Wharf Fishing Pier on Occohannock Creek. A few fish cooperated for the children, all of whom received a fishing rod and reel, and a great introduction to angling under the auspices of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Anglers Club.

After the rigors of baiting hooks and landing fish, the children enjoyed

hot dogs and soda and a presentation to the three youngsters who caught the largest fish. The free event was made possible by the Virginia Marine Resources Commission; Schmidt Baking Co.; Matt Abell of Sea Hawk Sports Center; Sherry Jo's Custom Baits; Bill and Sheila Wolfram; and volunteers from the Eastern Shore of Virginia Anglers Club.

Shown in the accompanying photo are a few of the boys and girls who participated in the event.



Jim Shuty Doormat Classic

Submitted Article

The first Jim Shuty Doormat Classic was a success, allowing fishing from Saturday, May 18, and concluding on Saturday May 25. The first-place fish, weighing 3.4 pounds, was caught by Paul Dodge, giving him the top prize of \$500 and a handcarved flounder. Second place was a 2.8 pound fish caught by John Eshleman, earning him a \$250 prize and a hand carved flounder. The third-place fish, caught by Melvin Crutchfield, weighed 2.6 pounds and gave him a \$100 prize with a hand-carved flounder as well.

The end of the tournament party

was a great time. The tournament's success would not have been made possible without the help of Seaworthy Marine Services, Major Excavation, and Spencer and Debra Murray.

A special thank you to our weigh stations and contributors, Oceans East Bait and Tackle and Chris' Bait and Tackle, and to Eastern Shore Events & Rentals for the tent, tables, and chairs that made our awards ceremony and dinner perfect. Everyone involved is so grateful for all of those who entered the tournament and look forward to an even bigger event next year!

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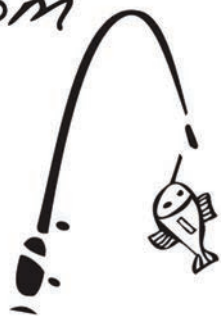
Dr. Sue Murray. Photo by Chris Glennon.





Fishing from the Shore

By Bill Hall



If the first week of June is any indication, this year may be one of the better fishing seasons in recent years. Already, the complete roster of summertime species has shown up, including spadefish as well as good numbers of cobia and Spanish mackerel. Gaffer dolphin (mahi), yellowfin and bigeye tuna, mako shark, and the first reported white marlin of the season have come from the offshore waters. More good news is that, with the exception of the black drum fishery, which has already peaked for the season, most of the other species populations should only improve, at least until the dog days of summer!

Chincoteague – Jimmy Vasiliou, of Captain Steve's Bait & Tackle, reported that the recent flounder fishing has been "really hot" and the shop has been selling Berkley Gulp 4-inch Ripple Shad for flounder at a "buy one pack, get one free" discount. Off the beach, bluefish to 36 inches have made sporadic appearances, and flesh bunker baits have been their top offering. Kingfish (whiting) have been the most dependable catch in the suds. The black drum fishing appears to be slowing down and Vasiliou thinks the bite will be over for the season in the next week or two. Spot and small croakers have made their early summer appearance and a couple of large sheepshead have been caught inside Chincoteague Bay. A little farther offshore, the shop's first spadefish catch of the season has come from a near shore wreck and good early season hauls of Spanish mackerel have been commercially caught, but he had not heard of any recreational catches. Vasiliou fished an unnamed wreck recently aboard a private boat and reported limit catches of black sea bass. The Close Enuf, with captain John Chenault, returned to port with an offshore catch of gaffer dolphin and a yellowfin tuna.

Donna Rae Roeske, at Captain Bob's

Marina, reports that the flounder fishing is continually improving. Fish in the 18-to-22-inch size range have been pulled from the north end of the Assateague Channel, in front of the Curtis Merritt Harbor, up through the canal and into the Chincoteague Channel as far north as the carnival grounds. Live minnows, sweetened with a strip of squid, cut bait, or Berkley Gulp are all proving productive. The best fishing for flounder, according to Roeske, has occurred during a couple hours on each side of high tide. Kingfish (whiting) action is still good from buoys 14-11, with live bloodworms as well as bloodworm scented artificial baits. The inshore run of coastal sharks has already started, with several in the 3-to-4-foot size range landed during last weekend. A combination of chum and any oily fresh chunk of fish on your hook has a good chance of hooking up with one of the toothy critters.

Lower Shore – Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Tackle Shop, reports that cobia fishermen have done well since the opening of the season last Saturday, with lots of boats reporting multiple catches and releases. Brady expects the season to improve as the waters continue to warm. Spadefish have made their appearance along the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel, while the Cape Charles fishing pier has produced catches of spot, croaker, and sea mullet (whiting).

Mark Snook, at Chris' Bait & Tackle, reports that there are still a few black drum catches being made out of Oyster and off Fisherman's Island, but lots of red drum are swimming around the third and fourth islands of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel. The start of the cobia season was described as "awesome" with fish being caught by both sight casting and bait fishing. The shop has plenty of live eels in stock, along with periodic deliveries of fresh bunker. Snook added

that there were a few mullet (whiting) and croaker being caught off Kiptopeke and spadefish are swimming around the rock islands of the bridge-tunnel.

Wachapreague – Captain Lindsay Paul, at Trident Tackle, confirmed that the flounder fishing was "picking up" out of Wachapreague, especially over the last five days, with a nice new run developing in front of the old Coast Guard Station, in Drawing Channel, and in Green Channel. A few black drum were still being caught in the inlet. Few boats have ventured offshore to take advantage of the recent dolphin bite, but boats running from the south were returning with large bigeye tuna and gaffer dolphin from the Norfolk Canyon.

Upper Shore – Captain Matt Abell, of the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reports that flounder fishing on the seaside has been "really good" this week, with the best bite occurring on the last of the flood time through the first part of the ebb, especially in the deeper water around the inlets. The new Gulp 5-inch grubs have been one of the better flounder baits. He described the cobia fishing as great, especially down along the Lattimore Shoal, with many boats getting their three fish per boat limits from the bridge-tunnel, all the way up to the

mouth of Onancock Creek. Speckled trout fishing in the shallows has also been productive as far north as Bloodsworth Island. Several red drum have also been part of the shallow water catch. The Maryland striped bass river season is now open and catches of legal rockfish have come from the Annemessex River north. Offshore, catches of gaffer dolphin and a few yellowfin tuna have come from the Washington Canyon, while the first reported white marlin of the season off the coast of Delmarva occurred last weekend, out of Ocean City.

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



Photo Courtesy of the Wachapreague Inn
Carissa Arillo and Angelina Watts hold four of their limit catch of flounder out of Wachapreague.

AGRICULTURAL NEWS

Snakes Are Abundant Now, But No More Than Usual

Submitted Articles

Contrary to popular belief, there aren't more snakes in Virginia than usual this spring.

That's according to J.D. Kleopfer, a Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries herpetologist.

"There's no science or evidence that (Virginia's) snake population is increasing," Kleopfer said, despite the past year's record-breaking wet weather.

Even if there aren't more snakes on the ground, Kleopfer advises people to avoid them. "Most snake bites occur when someone steps on one, or moves a rock out of place.

"Rule number one," Kleopfer said, "is just leave them alone. They're not after you by any means." He added that Hollywood blockbusters and social media sharing have created the impression that snakes are everywhere, and that they're bad. In fact, Kleopfer said, they are beneficial, particularly to farmers.

Daryl Butler, senior district field services director for Virginia Farm Bureau Federation, said he frequently encounters water moccasins or "cottonmouths" on his farm along the Blackwater River in Isle of Wight County.

"Water moccasins are not aggressive snakes," Butler explained. If one of them bites, "it's a defense mechanism." He added that the cottonmouth has a camouflage skin tone that makes it hard to see. "His bright white mouth is his way of showing you, 'Hey, I'm here.'"

Butler agreed that snakes can have a positive impact on a farm's ecosystem. "We store a lot of seed during the wintertime or during spring planting. In my shop, I have a black snake as big as your arm, and I don't bother him. He does not bother me; he's got a purpose ... the mice and rats that get in there, he works on them."

The key to avoiding snakes is

remaining aware of your surroundings. "So when you're taking your dog out in the evening, turn the yard lights on," Kleopfer advised. "Be careful where you put your hands if you're going out to get wood." If you're a gardener, make sure you use a rake to spread leaves or mulch out first.

Copperheads and cottonmouths are the two most common poisonous snakes in Virginia. Less common is the timber or canebreak rattlesnake. All three should be avoided.

Kleopfer added that it is illegal to kill a snake in Virginia unless your safety is threatened or the snake is a nuisance on your property.

National Survey to Gauge Trends of Women in Agriculture

Virginia women involved in agriculture are encouraged to participate in American Farm Bureau Federation's "Women in Ag" online survey to assess their goals and achievements in the industry.

Approximately 17 percent of Virginia's primary farm operators are female, according to the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services.

Women who are farmers, ranchers, farm employees, employed in agricultural businesses, pursuing ag-related higher education or supporting agriculture in other ways are invited to participate in the online survey. Respondents must be U.S. residents but are not required to be Farm Bureau members.

"It is vital that women in agriculture take advantage of this opportunity to have their voices heard and thoughts captured," said Roanoke County Farm Bureau President Dr. Megan Seibel, who also serves as director of Virginia Agriculture Leaders Obtaining Results.

"A diverse and robust demographic, women offer dynamic per-



spective on industry leadership and decision making that needs to be shared and fostered."

Data collected will be used to gauge trends related to achievements of women in agriculture, including leadership positions, business successes and election to public office. Findings are scheduled for release this fall and will be combined with findings from a similar survey conducted in 2014.

Participants will be entered in a drawing for five \$100 gift cards after the survey closes on June 21.

Find the survey at <https://bit.ly/2DtyDsB..>

Governor Visits Innovative Dairy During Virginia Ag Week

Virginia's dairy farms continue to struggle, but state officials learned recently how one dairy is changing to survive.

In 2017 there were nearly 650 Grade-A dairy farms in the state, but now there are fewer than 490. Coley Jones Drinkwater said her family's farm is similar in size to the ones going out of business. She explained to Gov. Ralph Northam and Virginia agriculture and forestry representatives how her family's Richlands Dairy Farm in Dinwiddie County is adapting.

"You either have to grow bigger, or diversify in some way to stay alive," Drinkwater shared on May 20 during a farm tour to mark the start of Virginia Agriculture Week.

Drinkwater said her family is close, and they want to stay that way. "We really have a passion for dairy farming, and to continue to farm together and stay together we had to create a new revenue stream." Their solution: a retail creamery.

"I've been wanting to add an on-farm creamery, where we can sell our own bottled milk and ice cream

for years. It took my family a while to come around," Drinkwater said with a chuckle. "We're truly betting the farm on this. We've put up our land, cows, buildings, equipment, everything, in the hopes that the creamery will help save the farm. This creamery is either going to make or break us."

Dairy prices have declined three different times since 2006, but this is the longest downturn farmers have faced since then, explained Tony Banks, a commodity marketing specialist with Virginia Farm Bureau Federation. He noted that dairy farmers were hopeful milk prices would increase, but trade issues with Canada, China and Mexico stalled any price resurgence.

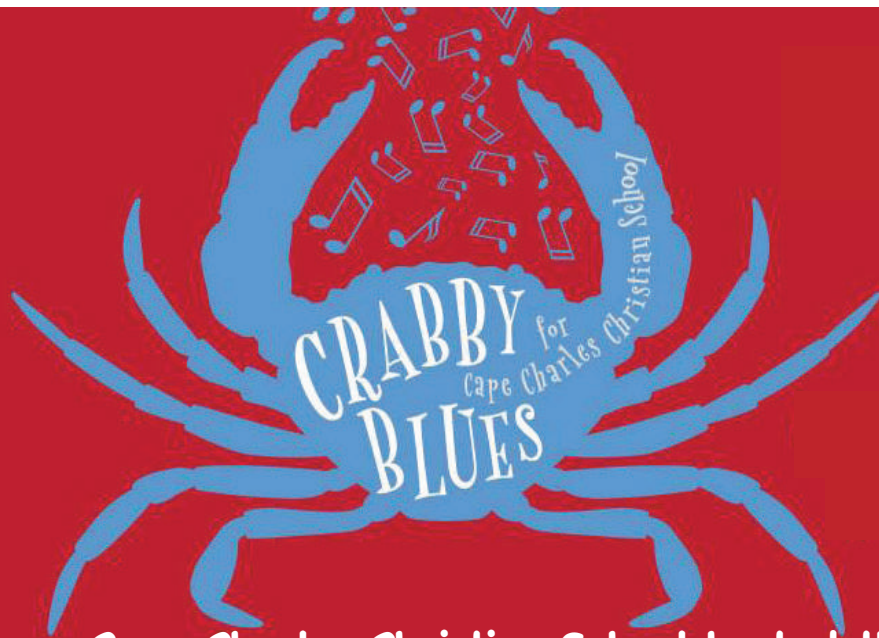
"Experts are saying dairy prices may increase later this year, but for many dairy farms, that's too late," Banks said. "I think it's great that there are some operations, like Richlands Dairy, that are expanding and finding new ways to increase their farming business."

Richlands Dairy hosts school field trips and includes agritourism opportunities like a pumpkin patch in the fall. The family hopes those ventures, combined with the creamery, will make their farm more profitable. They also enjoy having the public on the farm.

"We try to bring people to the farm and show them what we do and explain why we do it, and show them how well cared-for our cows truly are," Drinkwater explained. "With the creamery, now people who come to the farm can see the cows and how their milk is then turned into delicious ice cream."

Drinkwater said the family hopes to start bottling milk and making ice cream in June, with a grand opening later this summer. For more information, visit richlandsdairyfarm.com

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Cape Charles Christian School hosted the 8th Annual Crabby Blues fundraiser last Saturday in the Cape Charles Central Park, welcoming people from across the Shore to enjoy an evening of vendors, crafts, live music, and amusements.



Top Right: Gabrielle Duffman, Juliet Restein, Laila Holman, and Maddie Truslow enjoy the festival Saturday afternoon.

Left: Parker Travis, a student at CCCS, slides down the inflatable.

Right: Aven Lovelady takes on the obstacle course inflatable that was erected in the park.
Bottom Right: Kids take a break from the amusement area to participate in crafts.
Below: CCCS banner hangs by the entrance of the festival.



Second Largest Winnebago Rally

Photos by Kevin Willis

A Winnebago rally held at Sunset Beach Resort campground in Kiptopeke this week is the second largest gathering of Winnebago RVs. The rally, organized by Shore resident and Winnebago aficionado Pam Barefoot, is second only to one organized by the company itself. Barefoot organized the rally out of her love for her Winnebagos.

Left: Event coordinator Pamela Barefoot (left) and new assistant executive director of tourism for the Eastern Shore Tourism Commission Christy Betz plan on working together more closely for next year's rally.



Top Right: Pamela (foreground), Bob Kelly (left), of New Jersey, Eric Antich (middle) and Len Casella, of Pennsylvania, are some of the friends that help others with RV maintenance at no charge.

Middle: Dennise and John Sheridan came from New York City for the rally. A majority of attendees traveled from out of state.



Bottom: A panoramic view of the Winnebagos set up for the rally.



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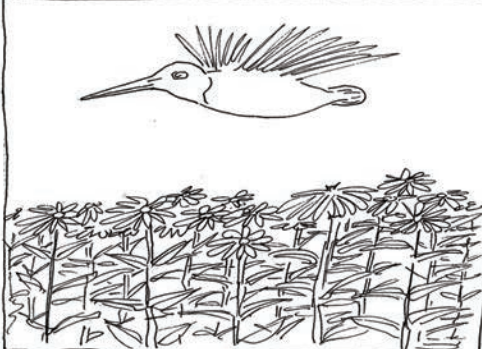
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	Sat. June 22	"SIGNAL 13" (Band)
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	Thu. June 27	"Corn Funk Revue" (Band)
	Fri. June 28	"H. M. Johnson" (Band)
	Sat. June 29	"NO SPARE TIME" (Band)
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The Eastern Shore's First Ukulele Festival



Hits Town June 14-16

By Connie Morrison

It's a little late in the season for the ukulele-toting tourists to "tiptoe through the tulips," as entertainer Tiny Tim famously sang in the 60s, when they descend on Cape Charles and surrounding areas Friday, June 14, through Sunday, June 16 for the Shore's first UkeFest. But organizers hope they will slow-stroll through area shops as part of a weekend meant to bring together ukulele lovers and to introduce new visitors to the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

"I want people coming to the Shore to find a new destination," said festival organizer Kristin Willis.

Willis is a member of the Sonic Ukes ukulele group, billed as the Eastern Shore of Virginia's very own ukulele band. Willis and fellow member Peg Volk cooked up the festival after Volk attended to a simi-

lar event in Ireland.

They hope to not only bring a new location but a new experience to festivalgoers. "Usually the conference takes place in a conference hall or a banquet room," of a hotel, she said. The venues for ESVA Uke were selected to show off some of what the Shore has to offer.

Parts of the festival are only for those registered; others are meant to invite in the public. Attendees will be welcomed with a jam session on the beach Friday night, followed by a full morning of workshops in Cape Charles, and then an open afternoon to explore. Area merchants have contributed coupons and are offering discounts to participants.

Its reach is meant to extend beyond Cape Charles. The organization received one of Northampton's tourism infrastructure grants.

“Our goal was to introduce people to the Shore who might not be coming here,” said Willis, “and hopefully have them return to the Shore.”

She and Volk also wanted to give local residents something different that they had not seen before.

The popularity of the ukulele, pronounced “OO-koo-lay-lay” by some to more closely mimic the Hawaiian origin of the word, has been skyrocketing. In the last decade, sales have increased from about 501,000 in 2009 to more than 1.7 million in 2018.

Willis believes its due to the instrument’s simplicity. “It’s not a pretentious instrument. It’s a fun instrument,” Willis said. “People associated with it usually carry the same characteristics.”

Festival registration is still open, and the Sonic Ukes always welcome new members. Their open jam is the first Thursday of every month, but the location varies, so check their Facebook page for the latest information.

For more information about UkeFest, go to <https://www.esvaukefest.com/>



Photo from Sonic Ukes Facebook Page

The Sonic Ukes, billed as the “Eastern Shore of Virginia’s very own ukulele band.”



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Experimental Film Virginia Enters Its Seventh Year



Photo courtesy of Experimental Film Virginia

By Connie Morrison

Things are about to get “reel” in Cape Charles.

For the seventh consecutive year, the town will host Experimental Film Virginia, a weeklong film-making residency that draws artists from all over the world to experiment on-camera with light, sound, and movement, drawing the inspiration from the a historic bayside railroad-town setting of Cape Charles.

From the launch party June 16 until the premiere on June 29, the town will be alight with creative energy.

Rather than following a narrative or storyline, the three-to-five-minute films produced on-site in Cape Charles over the two-week period are meant to evoke an emotion, inspire an idea, or capture a single moment. “We are innovative and entrepreneurial, created by artists for artists with audience and community experience in mind,” reads the website. “We see this as an es-

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essential part of the ecosystem of artistic exchange and sustainability.”

Camera-toting directors, dancers, and actors filming outdoors and in shops and restaurants are commonplace during the filming period. Some locals volunteer to participate as extras.

Experimental Film Virginia began with an Our Town grant from the National Endowment for the Arts, which sought to use the grants for creative and collaborative efforts to

help towns distinguish themselves through public spaces, sometimes called “placemaking.”

Since then, the Global Exchange Arts (GEAR) Roundtable was formed, a nonprofit that partners regionally, nationally, and internationally to promote arts, including sponsorship of the two-week long Experimental Film Virginia.

Stefanie Jackson contributed to this report.

EXPERIMENTAL FILM VIRGINIA KEY EVENTS

Launching Party: June 16

7:30 p.m. at the Historic Palace Theatre Cape Charles
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Free Screening of 2018 Films: June 17

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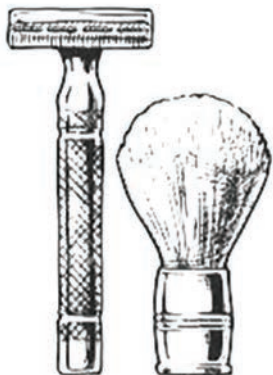
Art in a Barn: June 22

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'SUMMER OF LOVE' PLANS COME TOGETHER FOR 1960S THROWBACK

By *Connie Morrison*

There will be more to love in Cape Charles this summer as the town prepares to mark the 50th anniversary of the state tourism motto, "Virginia is for Lovers," and the 1969 Summer of Love. Cape Charles' 50-day celebration includes special events and offerings from July 6 until Aug. 24.

From free movies at the Historic Cape Charles Palace Theater to the Harbor for the Arts Summer Concert Series (see schedule on Page 39) to special love-themed drinks and dishes, the town is going all-out to share the love.

"This summer will be a total throwback to the 60s where everyone who lived it will experience moments of transcendence, and those who didn't will get to live it for the first time," said Cape Charles Main Street Coordinator Karen Zamorski.

It all kicks off July 6 with a Love Fest in Cape Charles Central Park,

where English Channel, a British band playing 60s and 70s pop, rock and progressive music, will help everyone get their groove on. There is no admission charge for the outdoor concert.

"Cape Charles Main Street is bringing some real 60s LOVE to the park with all kinds of decorations and activities for kids and adults alike — face painting, 60s dress-up station photo op, caricaturist, paper flower making, balloon artist, and more), said Zamorski. Citizens for Central Park is cosponsoring the event.

July 11 will see a LOVE Golf Cart Parade meandering through town and ending at the beach. Residents and/or visitors will be asked to decorate their golf carts in a 60s theme and congregate at the LOVE sign for the parade.

"Everyone is welcome — cart paraders or not — to bring their own picnic basket" and enjoy a bonfire while watching one of our breathtaking sunsets, said Zamorski. Some area residents will bring guitars for an informal beach concert/singalong.

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- ★ June 8, 7 p.m. - **Bingo** - Eastville Vol. Fire Co., 17202 Courthouse Rd., Eastville
- ★ June 11, 3-6 p.m. - **Cape Charles Farmer's Market** - 814 Randolph Ave., Cape Charles - great, fresh local produce, meats, honey, breads and more
- ★ June 11, 7 p.m. - **Bingo** - Cheriton Vol. Fire Co., 21334 Bayside Rd., Cheriton - doors open at 6 p.m.
- ★ June 14, 6-8 p.m. - **Flatfooting to Live Bluegrass** - Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles - 757-331-4327
- ★ June 14, 7 p.m. - **100th Anniversary Committee of the Cape Charles Memorial Library Presents Celebration Friday** featuring Narelle Kelvin - Cape Charles Public Library
- ★ June 14-16 - **1st Annual Ukulele Festival** - 814 Randolph Ave., Cape Charles - Beach jam, live music, workshops, swap meet, and more
- ★ June 16, 7:30 p.m. - **Experimental Film Virginia Launch Party** - Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles - tickets: \$15/adults, \$10/students - 757-331-4237
- ★ June 17, 5:30-7 p.m. - **Golf Cart Tour of Cape Charles** - Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles - 757-331-4327
- ★ June 17, 7:30-8:45 p.m. - **2018 Experimental Film Screening** - Historic Palace Theatre, 305 Mason Ave., Cape Charles - 757-331-4327
- ★ June 19, 5:30 p.m. - **New Roots Youth Garden Pop Up Garden Dinner Party** - 50 Fig St., Cape Charles - \$25/person - Music by Clark Lovelady and Sheila Sheppard
- ★ June 21, 6-8 p.m. - **Timber and Tide Opening Reception** - Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles - 757-331-4327
- ★ June 22, 12:30-2:30 p.m. - **Old-Fashioned Community Picnic** - Central Park, Cape Charles - Bring lawn chairs and a picnic lunch (no alcohol please) - Pony rides, games, face painting, and much more - Family event
- ★ July 4, 10 a.m.-9:30 p.m. - **4th of July Street Fair, Festival, and Parade** - Town of Cape Charles - Parade at 10 a.m., Street Fair at 10:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m., Fireworks at 9:30 p.m.
- ★ July 6, 7 p.m. - **Harbor for the Arts Concert: The English Channel** - Central Park, Cape Charles
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Harbor for the Arts Summer Festival Concert Series Returns for 2019

By *Connie Morrison*

The family-friendly Harbor for the Arts Summer Festival Concert Series is back this summer with a lineup that includes something for almost all musical tastes.

Citizens for Central Park is the force behind the series. The all-volunteer organization was formed “to transform the vacant lot that used to be the football field for the old Cape Charles High School,” said member Bill Prickett. Once the park was dedicated in 2010, the group has continued to raise funds, add features, and ensure that the park is an integral part of the community.

Prickett is one of several in the group who works year-round to raise money and line up a variety of

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Photo by Connie Morrison

A view of the Central Park gazebo, which serves as a bandstand during the summer concert series.



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performers who will appeal to a wide spectrum of musical tastes. "It's a lot of work, but it's worth it to see people come together to have a good time," Prickett said.

"It has become very popular not just with residents but with visitors, too," he said. As a place for the community to gather, socialize, and enjoy free music in a casual setting, "It adds to the experience of Cape Charles."

The series kicked off with the U.S. Air Force Rhythm in Blue Jazz Band May 24, which was a Friday, not a Saturday night, like the rest of the concerts. Prickett was a bit nervous

people would be confused and miss the Friday event but was relieved to find about 400 people on the lawn by showtime.

The series hit the pause button after the May 24 concert, until July 6 when English Channel will fill the gazebo stage. The group plays 60s and 70s British pop and rock in a tribute to the British Invasion. From then through Labor Day, music will fill the park every Saturday night until Aug. 31.

Prickett is looking forward to the July 4 weekend. "I get excited when I show up on Saturday evening and there are hundreds of people waiting to enjoy some free, family-friendly entertainment."

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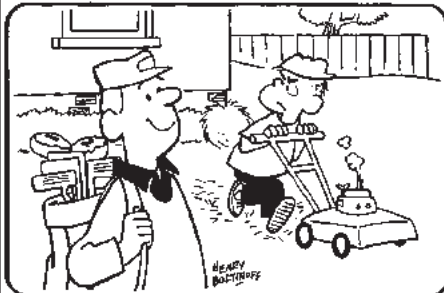
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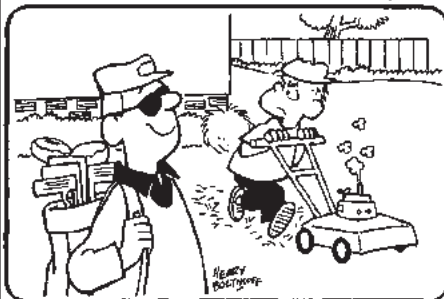
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTONOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Man is wearing sunglasses. 2. Window is missing. 3. Bushes added along fence. 4. More smoke coming from mower. 5. #2 missing from golf club. 6. More bricks have been added to foundation.

Harbor for the Arts Summer Festival Concert Series

Every Saturday night, beginning July 6 and continuing through Aug. 31 (Labor Day weekend).

All concerts begin at 7 p.m. in Cape Charles Central Park. There is no charge for admission.

English Channel: July 6 - 60s and 70s British pop, rock and progressive

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Bobby Blackhat: July 27 - blues

Jahfree Jones & the ES All Stars: Aug. 3 - original music and eclectic mix of cover tunes

Josh Grigsby & County Line: Aug. 10 - bluegrass

U.S. Navy Pops: Aug. 17 - popular music and show tunes

Forte Jazz Band: Aug. 24 - popular jazz and original compositions

Schooner or Later: Aug. 31 - high energy music of the 70s and 80s

There is a large grassy area in front of the gazebo and shaded areas on the sides. Concertgoers are encouraged to bring chairs and/or blankets for seating. Beverages will be available.

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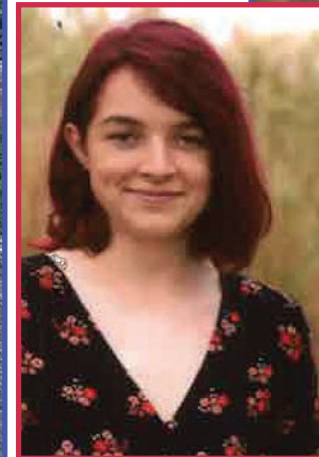


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Salutatorian
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Women Dominate Class of 2019

Submitted Photos

Four seniors graduated Monday from Tangier Combined School during a ceremony at Swain Memorial United Methodist Church on the island. From left, Valedictorian Schyler Parks, Sydney Parks, Salutatorian Brittany Pruitt, and Katrinia Ballard pose outside the church.



Above: (L-R) Rodrick Bailey, Jaylen Tankard, and Anthony Beckett show off their diplomas.

Below: (L-R) Leah Truitt, Parker Murphy, and Meg Morrison wait their turn to walk across the stage.

Bottom: The class of 2019 celebrates after moving their tassels.



Commencement Ceremony 2019

photos by Krystle Bono

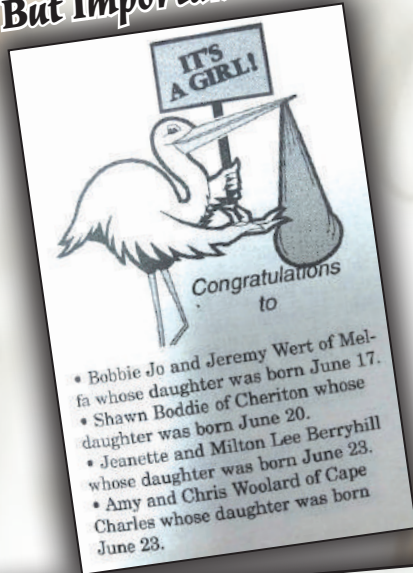


The Nandua class of 2019 Student Athletes of the Year, Cade McGregor and Baylee Justis.



Eastern Shore Post 20th Anniversary: Turning Back the Clock on Big Stories!

And Small,
But Important News



Top Left: Birth announcements from 1999.

Top Middle: The Post was on site for the opening of the relocated Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in February 2017.

Top Right: The entire Eastern Shore mourned with the Bloxom Fire Company and the Chew family when company volunteer chaplain and rescue lieutenant David Chew was killed on duty.



Above: The Antares rocket's failure to launch was the blast heard 'round the world on October 2014. Following the explosion, launches from Wallops were suspended for more than a year while repairs were made to the site.



Bottom Middle: The Eastern Shore Post was there for the opening of the hotly contested Walmart in Onley in July 2010.

Bottom Right: Sarah Goffigon Leatherbury and Scott Russell Chandler announce their engagement.



With 2 Years Under Her Belt, Northampton Reporter Stefanie Jackson 'Hopes To Be Here for the Next 20'

By Stefanie Jackson

Happy Birthday, Eastern Shore Post! I just marked my second anniversary working for the Post, so I missed most of the first 20 years, but I hope to be here for the next 20.

Thank you to our editor, Connie Morrison, for recognizing my potential and giving me a chance two years ago. I don't have a journalism background; my bachelor's degree is in English education and I taught once.

I never thought I would be a journalist

and don't consider myself one. I'm just doing my job as a reporter, keeping people informed about what's going on in local government and our public schools.

But I would call myself only a "staff writer" during my first year at the Post, so I'm making progress!

I think my love of literature helps me to be a good reporter. There are two sides to every story and I try to show that in my work.

I am proud to work for a local paper that still believes in fair and balanced

reporting. There's nothing "fake" about the Eastern Shore Post!

Northampton County is my territory as far as government, but I cover the school boards of both counties, which I'm very happy about, because education is still near and dear to my heart, even though I don't teach anymore.

Kids really are the future. I truly believe every ill in society could be prevented if all children were wanted, loved, and spared from abuse and neglect.

That counts for parents at home and teachers in school, too. We all need to do more for our kids.

I enjoy attending school board meetings because I get to listen to some very hardworking and caring school board members and administrators discuss and debate how to give our kids the very best. It's not easy when you have many challenges but few resources.

I also admire Northampton's supervisors and citizens who are not afraid to stand up for what they believe in and speak their minds. It makes for a good story, but more importantly, when both sides are heard and considered as hard decisions are made, the county becomes a better place for everyone to live in.

Sometimes it feels a bit odd that I'm so involved in Northampton County when I don't live there myself. I live in Accomack.

But Northampton is Accomack's sister county, and I care about it, too.



Stefanie Jackson

They may have some ideological differences, but they have more in common than probably any other two counties in Virginia.

I feel like Northampton is the football team and I am its official cheerleader. I don't care if that sounds corny.

When I'm at a meeting, it may look like I'm just taking notes, but believe me, I'm silently agonizing over every defeat and celebrating every victory right along with you.

Thanks for reading, and remember, if you ever have a Northampton or education-related story idea, please share it with me at stefanie@easternshorepost.com

Intern Isabeau Hanalei: We Work and Laugh Hard

By Isabeau Hanalei

To me, working at the Post means that no matter how my day has been going, I get to come to a place filled with some of the most friendly and hilarious people I've ever met! Though I've only been working here a short time, I already feel like I fit right in and am a part of the group. I can always count on my coworkers to lighten my mood, even when I think I can't get any happier.

Everyone works hard together here. This is absolutely a group worth celebrating. Happy 20th birthday, Eastern Shore Post!



Isabeau Hanalei

14-Year Veteran Reporter Linda Cicoira: 'I'll Probably Work Here Until I Die'

By Linda Cicoira

The Eastern Shore Post is my passion. This is my 14th year working for the paper and it never gets dull. I will probably work here until I die or keel over. It keeps the mind occupied so the "small stuff" doesn't get in the way of the constant learning.

I've met and interviewed some great people and I work with the most outrageous folks to ever walk the earth. There is no detail too small or too personal for them to talk about. What better training is there for a journalist? There is none.

Sometimes I want to scream. But, I love you all.

If I won the lottery, I might ask to downsize to working part time and travel six months of the year. What do you think my chances are of that happening?

I would have to say the things I find most interesting to write about are the bright attitudes of the elderly, the crime/court drama, and making photos. But that changes daily.

A reader recently compared the

Post to Grit, a magazine that started as a weekly newspaper more than 100 years ago. It was a great compliment. Look out world. We're still growing. Grit has a circulation of 150,000. That means we've only just begun.



Linda Cicoira



The Eastern Shore Post invites you to help celebrate 20 years of being your hometown newspaper.

Join us in the **Four Corner Plaza parking lot Friday, JUNE 14, from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.**, for hot dogs, drinks, chips, and cupcakes on us, **while supplies last.**

Enter your name for drawings for gift certificates to local businesses (no cost to enter, one entry per person). All winners will be published in the June 21 edition, so entrants need not be present to win.

20 Years: You helped get us there - come help us celebrate!



FROM BUSTED FLAT TO BUSTING OUT LAUGHING

By Angie H. Crutchley

When I walked into the Eastern Shore Post in that first month of 2008, my life was going nowhere quickly. I was having a hard time of my own making. My dad had just died the fall before and I wasn't living my best life. I made a promise that I was going to get back on track.

Since I was in middle school I had been a part of a newspaper in some capacity. I mainly was a reporter in my younger years and brought my resume and I wore my one good suit. I even brushed my hair that day.

The Eastern Shore Post was started by Cheryl Nowak and Candy Farlow while I was in college at Radford University. I knew Candy because she was my neighbor in Exmore when I was a kid. Her son, Buddy, and I were friends. It was the first time that I ever met Cheryl Sterling (she went by Nowak back then). I got a call back and was soon hired. Cheryl would remind me for years to come that I really fooled her with that suit. Said suit was never worn again. These two gave me a second shot at life and I've tried like a beaver making a dam across the Mississippi River to prove my gratitude to them and this paper for the last 11 years. It's

easier than it sounds when you're doing something you believe in and have a real affinity for the people you work with.

As far as my work family goes, we are a loyal and fierce bunch. To work at this paper, you better be willing to laugh harder than you normally would and drop all shame at the door. We get really weird at Four Corners. We've had a fair amount of leg wrestling competitions (I'm still reigning champion.). Working next to my desk is not for the faint-hearted. I'm an old, dirty hippie at heart and prefer to go shoeless. I like bears and turtles...a lot. I was given a nice little bear from a kind state trooper once. That bear was tormented, captured, and tortured by my coworkers. They placed Mr. Bear in empty candy containers. They left him in the bathroom unattended and in the dark (he's scared of the dark). And they wrote ransom notes. I was in a car accident when I was 16 and I'm often reminded by those same coworkers--in terms that would make a sailor blush--about the brain injury I got that day. Those coworkers forced our fearless leader, Connie Morrison, to have to build a second bathroom. I won't name names, y'all can guess. They all make me laugh

OUT LAUGHING

and I love every last one of them.

Many years from now when the zombie apocalypse comes and Mr. Bear and I retreat to our secret bunker, I may even let two or three of them in with us. I can't let them all in, I mean we've got to have somebody to laugh at running from the zombies. I'll be taking bets all week on who survives the apocalypse.



Photo by Kimberly Perry
Just another day at the office with Troy Justis and Angie Crutchley in a leg wrestling match refereed by Connie Morrison.

I've Gained Thicker Skin Working Here

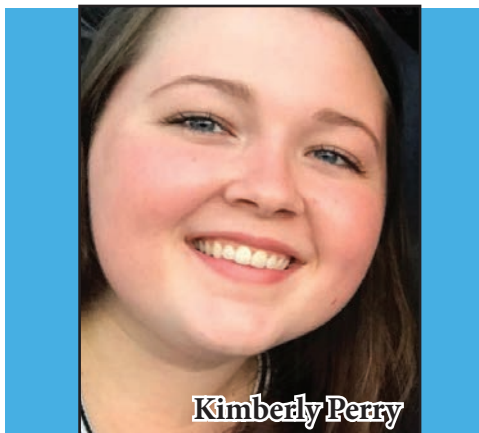
By Kimberly Perry

Working at the Eastern Shore Post has been one of the greatest adventures of my life. I have learned a lot being a part of the Post family. I started out as a high school graduate just looking for a way in this chaotic world. Now I am a mom to a beautiful little girl!

I have been here for almost three years, but it seems like just yesterday I was meeting everyone for the first time. In these three years I have learned about teamwork, building relationships, building on my creativity and more.

But one thing that I have gained from working here is having thicker skin. Yes, thicker, not just thick. It is still a work in progress but I have come a long way. You have to take the feedback and constructive criticism and grow from it. I will be the first to say that I was the complete opposite. I did not want to hear anyone's opinion towards my work or my attitude. I felt as though my work was fine. Probably about a year into this position is when

I started to grow. I started listening and was taking advice on what my coworkers were saying. Even though my job title is the graphic designer, I do other things to help around the office. That is because I have taken what has been given and used it to the best of my ability. This is one of the best skills I have learned while working at the Eastern Shore Post.



Kimberly Perry

We Are Dedicated to Getting It Right

By David Martin

I've edited and written for newspapers and magazines from San Francisco and Los Angeles to Chicago and Washington, D.C.—and I've never worked with people who were more fun and more dedicated to getting it right than the people at the Eastern Shore Post.

Getting it right here at the Post means reporters who are determined to make their stories as accurate and well balanced as possible and an advertising staff that

sweats the details to accommodate clients.

This culture of quality starts at the top with editor and co-owner Connie Morrison who told me a little more than a year ago when she hired me as a part-time copy editor and feature writer: "I want the Post to be a paper of excellence."

I congratulate, salute, and cheer the Eastern Shore Post for its 20-year journey toward being the best damn community newspaper anywhere in America.

Post Time Flies

By Krystle Bono

Twenty years ago, I was 10, sitting in a classroom watching the minutes tick down as I anxiously awaited summer break to begin. I spent most of my time counting down to whatever the upcoming milestone or holiday was. My parents always warned me not to do that, because when I got older, time would speed up. And boy, were they right.

Flash forward, I just celebrated my 30th birthday, and have an 8-year-old. September will mark three years with the Post. I know, I can hardly believe it either. But time flies when you are having fun, and let me tell you, it's a wonder we ever get any work done with the fun everyone has in the office. There are so many pieces that have to come together for that end project that comes to life every Friday, but somehow each week, we all bring it home, literally, to the Shore.

Something I'm incredibly grateful for is that my daughter has been able to share

Meet the Rest of the Post Staff



Sam Sellard
Ad Associate



Connie Morrison
Editor



Meg Morrison
Intern



David Martin

in the process. Family is important to everyone here, and family we have grown to be.

My dad has religiously picked up a paper every Friday for as long as I can remember. Just under three years ago, he began to get two copies; one for reading and one to put up to save. He has every copy since I began my journey. That's a lot of newspapers.

Twenty years of papers is a hefty stack, too. I would say I cannot wait to see what the next 20 hold, but I've already learned that lesson. I can wait, it's fine, take your time! For now, I'll just be sitting here doing the reverse of 10-year-old me, wondering how the day flew by so quickly, wishing time to slow down as I desperately try to find more minutes.



Krystle Bono

Former Post Owner Cheryl Sterling: 'I Am Profoundly Proud'

By Cheryl Nowak Sterling

There was no need for anyone to remind me that this past Sunday marked the 20th anniversary of the first issue of the Eastern Shore Post. I had been telling everyone myself in the preceding days. After all, a birthday is a birthday. And we had never expected to celebrate this one.

When the late Candy Farlow and I started the Post, we were much more concerned about it surviving until the next week; never mind watching the years, let alone decades, accumulate. But now, more than 1,000 editions later, I believe the Post just might be a keeper.

I well remember how Candy and I took piles of that first edition — June 2, 1999 — and personally handed

them out at Parksley's Spring Festival that day, uncertain as to how welcome they would be.

Throughout its formative years, the Eastern Shore Post has been through growing pains one might expect as it passed milestones presented by continually expanding technology, an economic recession, staff turnover (except for Troy Justis), and now different ownership.

The physical size of the pages changed, as did the printing company (twice) and even the day of publication (twice).

And though I am profoundly proud of creating the product that has flourished all these years, I am equally proud of the fact that when it came time to sell in 2016 — and it was time — we were able to keep ownership entirely local. I couldn't be more pleased

to watch the Eastern Shore Post thrive in the hands of Connie Morrison and Ace Seybolt. I sold the paper largely because I could see its potential and I knew I no longer had the energy to follow it through. But they did; and so my baby has grown in my absence, and I couldn't be happier.

You know, one of the ongoing, albeit trivial, dilemmas around the office as I contemplated the sale of the Post and my subsequent retirement was what I would do for a new license plate, since mine reads "ES Post." Upon completion of the sale, I procrastinated and debated, pondering a new identity to display, as it were. And the more I pondered, the prouder I became of the plate I have.

And shall keep.

Father's and Daughter's Lives Have Revolved Around the Post

By Troy Justis

Several years ago, my soon to be mother-in-law, the late Candy Farlow, approached me with a proposition regarding a new work adventure. It seems she and her former co-worker, Cheryl Nowak, had been in some discussions regarding a new adventure dabbling in their first loves — writing. Before I knew it, the Eastern Shore Post was born. A locally owned paper serving the Eastern Shore, we began with a circulation of 10,000 but quickly grew. Since this was a free paper distributed throughout the Eastern Shore, something had to pay the bills — thus I was recruited as salesperson and, two years later, became the advertising manager. After all, I knew a lot of people, and I have the gift of gab. Here we are 20 years after the first edition of the Eastern Shore Post and so much has changed.

Our original office was on the highway in Tasley. First a small building, then the two-story building beside it. We are now in Four Corner Plaza. Our staff was originally five and has grown to nine full-time employees with several part-time staff. We have branched into the social media world during the past 20 years. Several of my customers from 1999 still advertise in our paper. The company cats, Scoop and Snoop, would greet our walk-in customers during those early years. We came under new management with the retirements of Candy and Cheryl. In my personal life, I had two more children (the oldest

daughter graduated high school this week) and grandchildren. I lost my parents, another son, and my mother-in-law.

I would have to say that my job has given me a steady income to provide for my family, awesome co-workers, and great customers. It has also given me a work family that has grown over the years. Several things have changed in these last 20 years, but I thank God for the opportunity that Candy and Cheryl provided to me back in 1999. My daughters grew up at the Post and one is working here this summer. My mom and my sons delivered papers. The family is evident. The Post was started as a paper to serve the Eastern Shore community and quickly grew into a family. That was the purpose all along. It is a legacy that was left for me.

I am not sure what the next 20 years will hold, but I am sure that the Post will still be a large part of my life. Thank you, Candy and Cheryl, for your vision, your sense of community, your hard work and dedication and for bringing me along for the ride! Thank you, Connie, for coming in and keeping the family atmosphere. I look forward to coming through the door to my work family ever day!



Troy Justis

By Baylee Justis

Ever since I can remember, the Eastern Shore Post has been a part of my life. All I've ever known is the Post, and my life wouldn't be the same without it. Between my grandmother and my father, I've seen probably just as much as the employees have.

Many of my childhood experiences and memories occurred at the Post, and I've had some of the greatest times of my life, both in the new location and the old location of the Post. These memories remind me every day of how blessed I am to be a part of such an incredible business.

My father, Troy Justis, and my grandmother, Candy Farlow, were there from the very beginning. I can still remember when they both stayed up countless hours of the night writing articles for the paper. I also remember going to the old location of the Post in Tasley, almost every day after school with my little sister. My grandma used to bring my cousins there, too, and we'd always have a good time. It was a much smaller building, with fewer people, but this is where I had the chance to meet the original owner, Cheryl Nowak. We would do our homework at one of the desks, and after we were done, we would run around in the hallways and help Dad or Cheryl do whatever they needed us to do. But when we found out that the Post was moving to a new location, the kids, myself included, were upset. Most of our early childhood

had been spent here, and we really didn't know how it could ever be the same. However, nothing changed when the Post moved.

The friendly faces and the good memories all stayed the same.

While I have experienced many losses during my 18 years of life, I have also gained family — the Post family. This isn't just a place of work and writing newspapers, but a place of laughs, smiles, and love. It's a place that I can always come when life hasn't been the best, and it's been this way for as long as I can remember. I'm so glad that my father has been here for 20 years — and that I have gotten to be a part of this business. To see the Post grow and improve over the years has been an incredible journey.

The Post has had a huge impact on my life, and I'm grateful that Connie Morrison, the new owner, gave me an internship here this summer to continue making memories at this amazing place!



Baylee Justis

Health Matters Hepatitis A Increase in Virginia

Courtesy of the Virginia Department of Health

The Virginia Department of Health (VDH) has identified an increase in hepatitis A cases statewide, consistent with a rise in cases in many states across the country. After retrospective review of surveillance data, VDH has determined that Virginia now meets the criteria to be considered an "outbreak state" and has declared a statewide outbreak of hepatitis A.

Frequently Asked Questions About Hepatitis A

What is hepatitis A?

Hepatitis means inflammation of the liver. When the inflammation is caused by infection with the hepatitis A virus (HAV), the disease is called hepatitis A. Hepatitis A ranges in severity from a mild disease lasting several weeks to a severe disease lasting several months. About 3,000 cases of hepatitis A are estimated to occur in the United States each year; a smaller number of cases are actually reported to public health each year because many infected people have no symptoms or mild symptoms and do not go to see a doctor.

Who gets hepatitis A?

Anyone who has not been infected with HAV previously or has not been vac-

inated against hepatitis A can become infected and ill from HAV. People at greater risk of getting hepatitis A include those who travel to or live in countries where hepatitis A is common, those who have sexual contact with someone who has hepatitis A, men who have sex with other men, people who use recreational drugs, people who have clotting disorders, and household members or caregivers of a person infected with hepatitis A.

How is hepatitis A spread?

HAV can be found in the feces (stool) of infected people and their feces can contaminate surfaces, objects, food, or water. People get sick by swallowing the contaminated food or water or by putting their hands in their mouths after touching contaminated surfaces or objects. The virus can also spread from person to person through sexual activities and sharing contaminated needles.

What are the symptoms of hepatitis A?

Not everyone who is infected will have symptoms. If symptoms develop, they can include tiredness, poor appetite, fever, or nausea. Some people might also have vomiting or abdominal pain, clay-colored stool, or dark urine. Jaundice might appear. The disease is rarely fatal and most people recover in a couple of months. Infants and young children tend to have very mild

symptoms and are less likely to develop jaundice than are older children and adults.

How soon after exposure do symptoms appear?

Symptoms usually appear within 4 weeks after exposure, with a range of 15–50 days.

How is hepatitis A diagnosed?

Signs and symptoms are the same for all types of acute viral hepatitis, including hepatitis A. As a result, acute hepatitis A must be diagnosed by a specific laboratory test on a sample of blood.

What is the treatment for hepatitis A?

Unvaccinated people who have been recently exposed can be given the vaccine or a shot of immune globulin within two weeks of the exposure to prevent severe illness. Otherwise, there are no special medicines that can be used to treat a person once the symptoms appear. Generally, doctors recommend rest, good nutrition, fluids, and treatment of symptoms to help a person recover. A small number of people might need to be hospitalized. It might take a few months before people begin to feel better.

How can hepatitis A be prevented?

The best way to prevent hepatitis A is by getting vaccinated. The vaccine is recommended for the following groups: all children at age 1, travelers to countries where hepatitis A is common, family and caregivers of adoptees from countries where hepatitis A is common, men who have sex with men, users of recreational drugs (whether injected or not), people working with non-human primates, people with chronic or long-term liver disease (including hepatitis B or hepatitis C), people with clotting-factor disorders, and people with direct contact with others who have hepatitis A.

Hand hygiene is important. Always wash hands carefully after using the toilet, changing diapers, engaging in sexual activity that involves anal contact, and before eating or preparing food. Avoid eating raw shellfish taken from potentially contaminated waters. People with hepatitis A should not handle foods during the contagious period.

To clean contaminated surfaces, use approximately ¼ cup of 5.25% bleach in one gallon of water or use cleaning solutions containing quaternary ammonium and/or hydrogen chloride.

What should I do if I have been exposed to hepatitis A?

Close contacts of an infected person and other people who have been exposed to HAV (e.g., by a food handler or contaminated food) should call their doctor or local health department to see if they should get a shot of vaccine or immune globulin to reduce their chance of becoming ill.

How long can an infected person carry the hepatitis A virus?

The contagious period begins about two weeks before symptoms appear. Most people are probably no longer contagious after the first week of jaundice. People, especially children younger than 6 years of age, can spread the virus without having any symptoms.

Should an infected person be excluded from work or school?

Yes. People with symptoms should be excluded, especially children who attend day care and people who work in locations where there is an increased risk of spreading the virus, including restaurant, day care, and healthcare workers.

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Pictured above are: (photo on left) the girls from Troop 371 at Grace United Methodist in Chincoteague; (photo on right) Girls from Troop 1082 with Mr. Oakley at Epworth Methodist in Exmore.

Grads and Dean's List

John Leonard, of Chincoteague; Caroline Harvie, of Exmore; Hannah Hampton, of Onancock; Joshua LoFaso, of Onancock; and Maria Burns, of Temperanceville, graduated from the College of William & Mary this spring

John Buchholz, of Exmore; Hannah Hampton, of Onancock; Evan Lawrence, of Onancock; and Joshua LoFaso, of Onancock, were named to the College of William & Mary's dean's list for the spring semester.



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Soroptimist Club of Accomack County Donates to Community and Welcomes New Member

At a recent meeting of the Accomack County Soroptimist Club, the club made community donations to the E.S. Literacy Council, the YMCA's Learn to Swim Program, and the Onley UMC Coat Closet. Representatives of each of the organizations were present to accept the donations.

Also at the meeting, Shyreka Riley was inducted as a new member.

Pictured above are: (photo on left) from left, Diane Gladstone, E.S.Literacy Council, Andre Elliott, YMCA, and Bev McMath, Onley UMC Coat Closet; (photo on right) from left, Shyreka Riley and Club Director Lois Evans.



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- John Reinhard, 58, and Pamela Stalnaker, 52, both of Randallstown, Md.
- Kenneth Williams, 51, of Sandusky, Ohio, and Maryse Levy, 54, of Virginia Beach, Va.
- Darrell Danyel Bittle, 40, and Tiffany Lynne Jones, 39, both of Melfa
- Brandon Stevens Pruitt and Trinity Sierra Durst, both 22, of Melfa
- Brian Markis Handy, 30, and Donniequa Shada Stines, 25, both of Parksley
- Wayne Henry Shrieves, 55, of Melfa, and Sandra Yvette Stvil, 46, of Millsboro, Del.

- Christopher Michael Jackson Jr., 24, of Bloxom, and Nancy Amaryani Chun Sarmiento, 24, of Hallwood
- Herbert Lee Johnson, 66, of Cheriton, and Priscilla Laverne Pitt, 49, of Jamesville
- Masimmino Hernandez Perez, 37, and Lucrecia Marina Perez Soto, 35, both of Parksley
- George Hance Applegate Jr., 63, and Christine Claudia Berkeley, 60, both of Onancock
- Marvin Amilcar Gonzalez Lopez, 24, and Traci Lynn Mumford, 25, both of Parksley

- Rose D. Verdieu, 30, and Stanley Saint Jean, 31, both of Bloxom
- Anthony Jeannette III, 42, and Amanda Lynn Beckett, 51, both of Vineland, N.J.
- Rebecca Dawn Napier, 27, and Abigail Colleen Clark, 33, both of Chippewa Lake, Ohio
- Maria Chan Menchu, 40, and Pedro Marcelo Macario Y Macario, 32, both of Accomac
- Edward Kates Jr., 69, of Birdsnest, and Mary Goodwyn, 74, of Chesapeake, Va.
- Ray Demarkus Hall, 30, and Kenuatta Chavon Williams, 33, both of Painter

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Community Notes

Accomac

The Mary N. Smith Alumni Association meeting will be Tuesday, June 11, at 5:30 p.m., at the Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center.

The Summer Reading Program Kick-off event will be Friday, June 14, from 1 to 4 p.m., at the Eastern Shore Public Library. It was recently announced as one of five libraries in the United States that are winners in the Scholastic Read-a-Palooza Summer Reading Sweepstakes. As a Read-a-Palooza partner, the library will receive a turnkey event kit to host a family reading celebration at the public library in Accomac featuring a visit from both Clifford the Big Red Dog and Dav Pilkey's Dog Man. The event will also include registration for the library's Summer Reading Program, information about Shore summer activities, and the opportunity to take part in crafts, activities, photo-ops, fun giveaways, and more.

Cape Charles

The 100th Anniversary Committee of the Cape Charles Memorial Library will present its final Celebration Friday, June 14, at 7 p.m., at the Cape Charles Memorial Library. Narelle Kelvin will be sharing her journeys and adventures around the world. She has walked over 600 miles through France and Spain on the Camino De Santiago pilgrimage.

Cheriton

The Cheriton Fun Day will be Saturday, June 8, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the Cheriton Town Park. Arm bands are \$5 and includes four tickets to game booths. To become a vendor, call 331-8200.

Exmore

The Boys and Girls Club Keystone Club is holding a semiformal Daddy-Daughter Dance Friday, June 7, from 6 to 8 p.m., at Occohannock Element-

tary School. The cost is \$10 per couple, and any father figure is welcome. The dance is for all young ladies in elementary, middle, and high school. There will be a \$5 photo booth to keep this memory special. For more information, call 709-9695.

Onancock

Onancock International Films will present "Everybody Knows" Thursday, June 13, at 8 p.m., at the Roseland Theatre. Tickets will be \$8. Season passes are \$25 and available for purchase at The Book Bin.

Onley

Relay for Life of Nandua will hold a yard sale benefit Saturday, June 22, from 7 to 11 a.m., at Pizza Hut. To rent a spot for \$15, call Cheli West at 757-646-8451 or email chelinwest@gmail.com

Tasley

The Accomack-Northampton Re-

gion of the AACA will host the Region Auto Show Saturday, June 22, from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., at the Foodbank of Southeastern Virginia and the Eastern Shore. The show is open to cars, trucks, motorcycles, and scooters built on or before 1994. There will be dash plaques, prizes, a 50/50 raffle, and food truck. For more information, call 442-4843.

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Proposed Budget Fiscal Year 2019-2020

ESTIMATED INCOME

Consumption Tax ANEC	\$1,300.00
Interest	\$1,450.00
Meals Tax	\$19,000.00
Other Income	\$300.00
Real Estate Tax	\$25,000.00
Rent	\$3,600.00
Rolling Stock Tax	\$100.00
Sales and Use Tax	\$15,000.00
Traffic Fines	\$300.00
Vehicle/Trailer Decal Fees	\$7,000.00
Arts Grant	\$1,000.00
Fire Prevention Grant	\$10,000.00
TOTAL	\$84,050.00

ESTIMATED EXPENSES

Advertising	\$450.00
Commission to Library	\$600.00
Computer Expenses	\$250.00
Insurance	\$2,500.00
Office Supplies	\$300.00
Mayor's Discretionary Fund	\$200.00
Postage/Box Rent	\$350.00
VA Municipal League Dues	\$400.00
Salaries	\$9,000.00
Ditch Cleaning	\$1,500.00
Landscaping/Mowing	\$1,800.00
Trash Collection	\$32,000.00
Utilities-Electric	\$10,000.00
Arts Grant	\$1,000.00
Fire Prevention Grant	\$10,000.00
Office Utilities	\$360.00
Office Maintenance	\$750.00
ESO Donation	\$200.00
Free Run	\$100.00
RCMF Donation	\$3,500.00
Undesignated	\$8,790.00
TOTAL	\$84,050.00

Real Estate Tax Rate 0.14/100
Public Hearing June 24, 7 p.m. at
the Nassawadox Firehouse

**FRIDAY
JUNE 7**

★2 p.m. - **Book of the Month Club mtg.:** "Of Love and Other

Demons" - Pocomoke Library
★5-8 p.m. - **Station 1 Pizza Night** - 4264 Firehouse St., New Church - \$12/ pizza, \$1/additional topping (sausage and pepperoni) - drive-through and tables
★6-8 p.m. - **Musical Performance by Haze & Dacey** - Lemon Tree Gallery, Cape Charles
★7 p.m. - **Life Teach Series** - Rachel Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

**SATURDAY
JUNE 8**

★9 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Farmers and Artisans Market** - Community

Center for the Arts, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague - flea market: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.
★9:30 a.m.-noon - **Mary N. Smith RISE Mentor Prgm.** - Mary N. Smith Cultural Ctr., Accomac - boys ages 9 to 15 - lunch provided - wear sweats & sneakers - 709-3267
★9:30 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Vessel Safety Check Day** - Craddockville UMC
★2-4 p.m. - **Empowering Girls' Group** - ESTACI, Exmore - 757-656-3460
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

**POST TIMES
June 7-13**

**SUNDAY
JUNE 9**

★11 a.m. - **Meditation Group** - Train Station, Onley
★12:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Vietnam Veterans' Bldg., Main St., Onley

★3-5 p.m. - **Gospel Concert** - Downing's UMC Social Hall, Oak Hall

**MONDAY
JUNE 10**

★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - **E.S. Quilt Guild mtg.** - Drummondtown UMC, Accomac - business mtg., show and tell, lessons and demonstrations - 201-317-0586
★1-4 p.m. - **CIAO Presents Gameplay Monday: Card, Word, and**

Board Games - Theatre Annex, 4076 Main St., Chincoteague
★4-5 p.m. - **Alzheimer's Caregivers' Support Group** - Heritage Hall, Nassawadox - 1-800-272-3900
★5:15 p.m. - **Friends of Northampton Memorial Library mtg.** - library, Cape Charles
★5:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Onancock UMC, 75 Market St.
★5:30-6:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Elks Lodge, Tasley
★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - Cape Charles Rescue Service
★6:30 p.m. - **Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg.** - Grace UMC, Parksley
★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **Free English for Speakers of Other Languages** - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
★7 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery mtg.** - Onancock Baptist Church - food served at 6 p.m.

**TUESDAY
JUNE 11**

★9 a.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Refuge Inn, Chincoteague
★9 a.m. - **E.S. Community Service Board mtg.** - E.S. Behavioral Healthcare Center, 19056 Greenbush Rd.,

Parksley
★10 a.m. - **Zumba** - Franktown UMC
★10 a.m. - **Bingo** - Accomack Senior Village, Onancock - 787-3900
★10:30 a.m. - **Duplicate Bridge** - Island House, Wachapreague - 787-2432
★2:30-4 p.m. - **Riverside Shore Hospice Grief Support Group mtg.** - Downing's UMC, 7291 Lankford Hwy, Oak Hall - 789-5000
★3-6 p.m. - **Cape Charles Farmers Market** - 814 Randolph Ave.
★3:30 p.m. - **ESPL Board of Trustees mtg.** - library, Accomac
★5:30 p.m. - **Kid's Club mtg.** - Craddockville UMC
★6 p.m. - **Rachel Leah Ministries** - 787-2486 (call for location)
★6 p.m. - **Bingo** - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA
★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa
★6:30 p.m. - **Depression Support Group mtg.** - Anointed Word of Deliverance COGIC, Melfa - 757-350-5039
★6:30 p.m. - **American Legion Post 56 mtg.** - 21210 N. Bayside Rd., Cheriton
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Cheriton VFC - smoke free
★7:30 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Atlantic UMC
★7:30 p.m. - **Order of the Easter Star (Acc. Chap. #62 mtg.)** - Masonic Lodge, Chincoteague

**WEDNESDAY
JUNE 12**

★7:45 a.m. - **Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg.** - Sage Diner, Onley
★9 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Farmers and Artisans Market** -

Community Center for the Arts, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague
★10 a.m. - **TOPS mtg.** - Market St. UMC, Onancock - 787-4718
★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - **Veterans' Employment Representative Avail.** - ESCC, Melfa - no appt. needed
★10:30-11:30 a.m. - **Overeaters Anonymous mtg.** - Rock Church, Onley - 757-655-4834
★11 a.m.-1 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen** - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3431 Main St., Exmore
★noon - **Waste Watchers' mtg.** - Chamber of Commerce, Melfa
★5-7 p.m. - **Soup Kitchen and Clothes Closet** - Grace and Truth Ministries, 19 Boundary Ave., Onancock - Donations: 789-5369
★5:30-6:30 p.m. - **Free Meals for the Hungry** - Epworth UMC, 4158 Seaside Rd., Exmore - 442-6391
★6 p.m. - **Onancock Area Lions Club mtg.** - Club Car Cafe, Parksley
★6-7 p.m. - **Prayer Line Open** - St. Matthew's Church, Onley - Call 665-7403, 387-7021 or 894-1521 w/prayer requests
★6-8 p.m. - **Line Dance Party** - Little Italy, Nassawadox - Instruction at 5:30 p.m.
★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - Cape Charles Rescue Service
★6:30-8:30 p.m. - **Free English for Speakers of Other Languages** - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
★7 p.m. - **Drinking Liberally mtg.** - Charlotte Hotel, Onancock
★7 p.m. - **AA and Al-Anon mtgs.** - Franktown UMC
★7 p.m. - **Bingo** - St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Onley - doors open at 5:30 p.m.
★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Painter VFC

**THURSDAY
JUNE 13**

★8:30 a.m.-noon - **Veterans' Employment Representative Avail.** - Northampton Cty. Dept. of Social Services - no appt. needed

★10:30 a.m. - **Story Time** - Cape Charles Memorial Library
★2 p.m. - **History Tours of the Island** - Museum of Chincoteague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd. - Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays until August 31 - \$5/adults, \$3/children 2-12 - 757-336-6117
★2-4 p.m. - **Alzheimer's Association Orientation** - Onley Community Health Center, 20306 Badger Ln., Onley - registration required - 1-800-272-3099
★5:30 p.m. - **Shore Losers mtg.** - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomac - \$1/wk.
★5:30 p.m. - **TOPS VA-550 mtg.** - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099
★6-8:30 p.m. - **GED Class** - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa
★6:30 p.m. - **Kiwanis Club mtg.** - St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Chincoteague
★6:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Trinity UMC, Cape Charles
★7 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.** - Chincoteague Church of God
★7 p.m. - **NA mtg.** - Painter Garrison UMC
★7 p.m. - **E.S. Tea Party mtg.** - Market St. Grill, Onancock
★8 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ UMC, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague

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Announcements



Arcadia High School Class of 1994 - 25th Reunion

Saturday, June 8th @ Noon

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Pool and Activities

Donations gratefully accepted to cover main dish

All 90s era students welcome



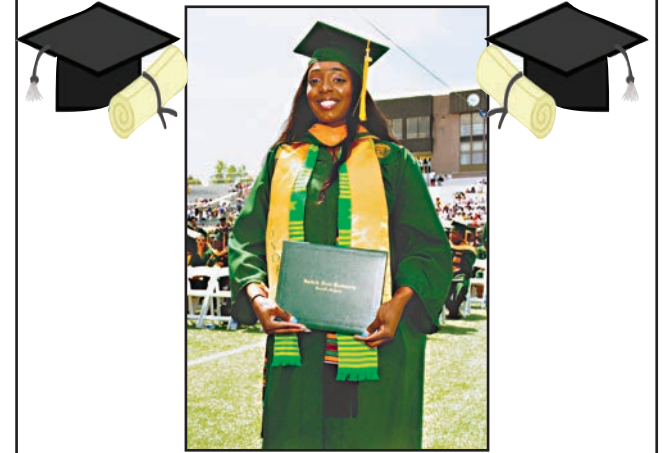
Meg Morrison



Baylee Justis

Congratulations to our two graduating seniors, Meg Morrison and Baylee Justis!! You both have made us proud.

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Congratulations Charvonnia Reid!!

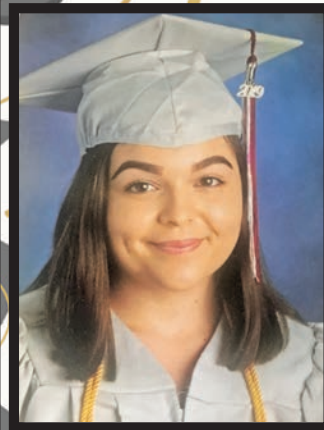
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie and Tryota Reid are proud to announce the well-deserved success of their daughter, Charvonnia Frantezia Reid, who graduated with honors from Norfolk State University on May 4, 2019, with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing. While studying, she worked as a CNA at Chesapeake Regional Medical Center. She is also the President of Chi Eta Phi Sorority Inc. We would also like to say that we are proud of her for never giving up! She is also serving in the Army National Guard! Thank you for your service. Thanks goes out to Nandua High School staff and principal, and a special thanks goes out to their nursing program and teacher, Mrs. Connie, who also helped push her to accomplish her dream. Charvonnia will be working at Sentara Medical Center in Norfolk, VA, while studying for her Master's Degree. Grandparents: Pastor Hattie Reid & Charlie Reid Sr., of Painter, VA

The family of the late Frank T. Peters would like to thank you for your many acts of kindness—calls, cards, thoughts, and prayers—during our time of bereavement. Special thanks goes to Riverside Shore Hospice.



CONGRATULATIONS

on your graduation and best wishes for your next adventure, Tracy!



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Family Services Specialist I/II Northampton County Social Services

Position Numbers: L00052
 Hiring Range: \$29,930.00
 Location: Eastville, VA 23347
 Application Deadline: June 21, 2019 at 4:30 PM

Previous Candidates Do Not Need to Reapply

Only information listed on the application will be used to screen for the minimum requirements.

For more information on these positions, please visit <https://jobs.agencies.virginia.gov>. Applications for these positions must be submitted electronically through this website (<https://jobs.agencies.virginia.gov>). Mailed, emailed, faxed or hand delivered applications and resumes will not be accepted.

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Accomack County Social Services- Local (765-01) Family Services Specialist IV

Position Number L0069

Hiring Range: \$36,886 (May be higher depending on qualifications and budgetary considerations)

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Heritage Hall – Nassawadox
 9468 Hospital Ave.
 P.O. Box 176
 Nassawadox, VA 23413
 757-442-9401– Fax/Attention: Amita Drummond
adrummond@ahc.cc

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Benefit Programs Specialist II Northampton County Department of Social Services

Position Numbers: L00014
 Hiring Range: \$27,366.00
 Location: Eastville, VA 23347
 Application Deadline: June 12, 2019 at 5:00 PM

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Eastern Shore Yacht & Country Club-Melfa, Virginia is seeking Experienced Waitstaff:

Responsible for lunch and/or dinner service, must be a team-player, high energy and motivated. Provide excellent customer service to our members, flexible hours. Please contact us at esycc@verizon.net for an employment application.

Eastern Shore Yacht & Country Club-Onancock, Virginia is seeking immediate position for a Pool Attendant:

Position includes but not limited to; maintaining a safe and clean pool area, knowledge of pool chemistry, checking in members & guests. Must be organized and able to communicate well with members, flexible hours. Seasonal position. Please contact us at esycc@verizon.net for an employment application.

SEASONAL PART-TIME LIBRARY ASSISTANT

The Town of Cape Charles is seeking a customer service-oriented individual with strong communication skills for a part-time Library Assistant position to work 8 hours per week at the Cape Charles Memorial Library. Duties include data entry and shelving. This position is for the afternoon shift of 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday and 12:00 to 5:00 on Sunday, July and August 2019. This is an hourly position. Must know Microsoft Word. Hourly wage is \$11.88. Application deadline is June 14, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. Submit resume and Town Employment Application to Town Clerk, 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310 or by email to clerk@capecharles.org. Submittals without a Town Employment application will not be considered. Applications can be obtained at www.capecharles.org under EmploymentOpportunities. EOE

Aide Needed: Must be 18 years or older w/high school diploma. Experience w/children appreciated. Please call Linda Taylor at Onley Preschool. 757-787-1867.

Police Officer

Job will require shift work, nights, weekends and holidays. Basic Law Enforcement Certification strongly preferred. Must be able to pass a physical fitness test. The Town of Eastville is one of the premier Police Departments on the Eastern Shore for Employment.

Qualifications: over the age of 21 and have obtained high school diploma or GED.

Please include Resume with completed Application. Criminal Background Checks are required and must be clear of any Criminal Charges.

Applications may be obtained from the Eastville Town Office located at 5250 Willow Oak Rd., Eastville, Va. 23347. Return Application and Resume to Town of Eastville Police Department Attn: Chief Eder
 Deadline for applications: **June 14, 2019.**

Town of Eastville is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

Administrative Assistant I - Finance
 F/T w/benefits | Salary Range: \$29,086-\$32,358
 (based on experience)

Accomack County is currently recruiting for a full-time Administrative Assistant in the Finance department office. The position is responsible for performing a variety of administrative support functions for the accounts payable, budget and payroll areas in the department. The position also compiles and submits required reports, answers the department's phones, prepares agenda items and proofreads meeting materials, orders supplies, and oversees the department's copier/network printer.

Minimum qualifications are: High school diploma or GED; supplemented by 1 to 3 years previous experience and/or training involving administrative, clerical or data input work; **Preferred qualifications include:** Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite, particularly Excel and Outlook; familiarity with an ERP finance or HRIS system; experience with Board Docs; ability to handle multiple priorities and sensitive information.

Satisfactory completion of a background check and pre-employment drug screening is required for all positions. Electronic applications are preferred. **First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on June 13, 2019.** Additional details may be found online:

<https://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities>.

The County of Accomack is committed to an inclusive and diverse workforce.

Help Wanted (Cont'd)

The Town of Onley has an immediate opening for a Full-Time Clerk. The successful candidate must have the ability to maintain an effective working relationship with Town Officials and the general public. A complete job description is available at www.townofonley.org. Applications will be received at the Onley Town Office, 25559 E. Main Street, Onley VA 23418. The Town of Onley is an equal opportunity employer.

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

Jail Medic

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

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

Sheriff's Office applications may be obtained from the Eastern Shore Regional Jail, 5245 The Homes Eastville, Virginia 23347, or on-line at www.co.northampton.va.us. Completed applications should be returned in person to the Jail.

Deadline for applications: July 31, 2019.

Northampton County is an EOE.

Help Wanted

JANITORIAL ASSISTANT 15-20 hrs. per week. Dusty environment, janitorial experience preferred. Serious inquiries only please. 757-710-4559.

STORE MANAGER

Electrical wholesaler looking for a reliable person to work Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., at our Onley, VA, store. Would be working counter, taking phone calls, placing orders on computer, stocking inventory. edsupply@yahoo.com

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The candidate needs a BS degree in Accounting or two years' experience in public accounting. First years' assignments will include accounting, bookkeeping, payroll services, and the preparation of financial statements as well as business and individual tax returns.

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Email resumes and references to: admin@shorecpa.com

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LEATHERBURY - BROACHE, P.C.
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ACCOMAC, VA 23301

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

- Senior Clinician/Clinician (Sign-on Bonus)
 - Developmental Disabilities Aide
 - Substance Abuse Outpatient Clinician (CSAC required)
 - Emergency Services Clinician
 - Peer Recovery Intern
 - Crisis Stabilization Case Manager
- Part-time Mental Health Facility Technician
- Part-time Driver

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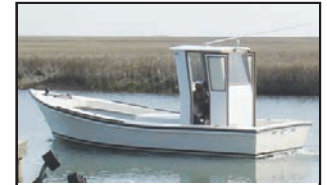
'79 18-FT. COBIA - 115 h.p. Mercury, radio, depth finder, fish finder, safety equipment, EZ Load trailer (roller type), \$3,500 \$2,500 OBO. 757-442-5019
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'84 21-FT. KEN CRAFT - Pilot house, fresh water cooled, V8 inboard, pocket drive w/galvanized trailer. **\$10,500.** 757-665-6564.



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'87 18-FT. WINNER Center Console Boat with a 150 h.p. Mariner motor on a 1999 Star trailer. REDUCED: \$2,900 OBO. Call 757-710-3726.

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'72 16-FT. BOSTON WHALER - 60 h.p. Mercury motor, just overhauled, teak console & bench, always kept inside, \$16,000 firm. 410-957-3259.

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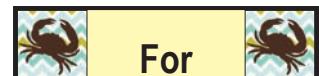
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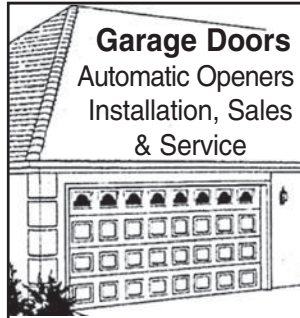
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ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

Case No. CL19000241-00
Accomack County Circuit Court, P.O. Box 126,
23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301

CORDELIA NAOMI DAVIS
v. KENNETH RAY DAVIS II
The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that KENNETH RAY DAVIS II appear
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before JULY 29, 2019 by 5 p.m.

June 3, 2019
Arisleydi J. Rodriguez, Dep. Clerk

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(2) **Onsite Online Only Auctions to Include: June 13th, 2019** Important On-Line Only Auction – Centerville, MD! Personal Property located at: 105 Turpins Lane, Centerville, MD. SHORT NOTICE AUCTION – THE FARM IS UNDER CONTRACT & ALL ITEMS MUST GO. Auction Held Online Only with Bidding ending Thursday June 13th, 2019 at 5 PM! Period Furniture, Antiques, Primitives, Tools, Generac Generator **FALL 2019** On-Line Only Auction – Machipongo, VA! Auction Held Online Only w/Bidding ending: At a date to be scheduled in the Fall of 2019 2015 Toyota Avalon XLE, 2011 Cadillac CTS, 1997 Jeep Cherokee, Antique Furniture, Case Clock, Grand Piano, Jewelry, Collectables and more! VAAR#2907003739
(6) **Auctions at 8000 Esham Rd, Parsonsburg, MD: July 10th, 2019:** On-Line Only Auction Sale. Bidding Ends Wed. July 10th, 2019 Starting @ 5PM – 2013 Lincoln MKX, Antique Furniture, Primitives, Collectables & more! **July 24th, 2019.** Single estate of Auction for Donald H. Wolfe of Elkton, MD. To be held July 24th, 2019 at 5 PM. 19 Gold Coins, Antique Furniture, Primitives, Sterling Silver, Tall Case Clock, WWII memorabilia Airplane Models, German Steins & more! **Aug. 14th, 2019:** Selling for several local Eastern Shore Estates and Consignors! Auction Held Online Only w/ Bidding ending: August 14th, 2019 Starting at 5 PM. Antique Furniture, Glass, China, Collectibles, Primitives & more! **Sept. 13th, 2019 - 13th Annual** Decoy and Wildfowl Arts Auction. Friday September 13th, 2019 @ 5:03 PM. Live Auction with Online Bidding will be available at www.amauctions.com via PROXIBID! 400+ Lots including 250 Decoys, Original Artwork, Primitives, Selection of Carved Fish Decoys & much more!
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View Website for Additional Information, Terms, Directions, Online Bidding & Pictures!



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Notice to Town of Onley Residents

Effective July 1, 2019, all meetings of the Onley Town Council will be held at 6:00pm unless otherwise posted. The meetings are at the Onley Baptist Church, 25501 W. Main St., Onley.

TRUSTEE SALE

**20182 Allen Lane, Onancock, VA 23417
Accomack County**

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of **\$158,698.00**, dated **May 21, 2013** recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the **Accomack County, Virginia**, in **Document No. 201302226**, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said Note, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the **Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack**, on **June 17, 2019 at 11:30 AM** the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the Village of Deed Creek, bounded on the Northwest by the land now or formerly owned by J. Courtney for a distance of 95 ft., more or less; on the Northeast by Virginia Route 805 separating the herein conveyed lot from the land now or formerly owned by J. R. Smith, for a distance of 82 ft., more or less; on the Southeast, by the land now or formerly owned by R. Williams for a distance of 95 ft., more or less; and on the Southwest by the land now or formerly owned by E. S. Allen for a distance of 82 ft., more or less, with improvements thereon.

Subject to any and all covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust, if any, affecting the aforesaid property.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH: A deposit of **\$20,000.00** or 10% of the sales price, whichever is lower, cash or certified check will be required at the time of sale, but no more than \$10,000.00 of cash will be accepted, with settlement within fifteen (15) days from the date of sale. Sale is subject to post sale confirmation that the borrower did not file for protection under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale which affects the validity of the sale, as well as to post-sale confirmation of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In any such event, the sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of his deposit without interest. Additional terms may be announced at the time of sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector attempting to collect the indebtedness referred to herein and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose.

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

This is a communication from a debt collector.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:

SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C. (70180)
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING THE ACCOMACK COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON **JUNE 12, 2019** AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

1. REZ-2019-002: Waterside Land Trust, LLC Conditional Rezoning from Agricultural to Residential Request initiated by Waterside Land Trust, LLC to conditionally rezone the following Tax Map Parcels from Agricultural to Residential: #125-2-9, 125-2-10, 125-2-25, 125-2-26, 125-2-43, 125-2-44, 125-2-45, 125-2-46, 125-2-47, 125-2-48, 125-2-49, 125-2-50, 125-2-80, 125-2-81, 125-2-82, 125-2-83, 125-2-84, 125-2-85, 125-2-86.

These properties are located within the Waterside Village Subdivision on Blue Crab Way, Rockfish Court and Blue Crab Circle.

Materials relating to this application may be reviewed at the Accomack County Planning Department, 23282 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, Virginia and on the County's website at www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public on the Friday prior to each meeting.

Handicapped assistance available; call: (757) 787-5726 or (757) 824-5324

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA**

Case No. CL-19-56-00
Northampton County Circuit Court
5229 The Hornes, Eastville, VA 23347

CARRINGTON MORTGAGE SERVICES, LLC
v. ANGELI P. SATCHELL, et al.

The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN AN ORDER QUIETING TITLE TO THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 23492 FAIRVIEW ROAD, CAPE CHARLES, VIRGINIA 23310.

It is ORDERED that BRANDON C. SATCHELL appear at the above-named court and protect his interests on or before **JULY 15, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.**

June 5, 2019
Lauren M. Brown, Dep. Clerk

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It is ORDERED that ANY UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, OR OTHER PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST SOUTHEY SATCHELL, JR., ALICE M. SATCHELL, OR ANDRE SATCHELL, DECEASED appear at the above-named court and protect his or her interests on or before **JULY 15, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.**

June 5, 2019
Lauren M. Brown, Dep. Clerk

NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

J. C. WALKER BROS., INC., (2019035) has applied for approximately 100 acres of oyster planting ground in Sandy Island Channel situated in Accomack City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-29.3410/W75-40.7824

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019035):

https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineering/Surveying Department at 757-247-2230.

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that SunTrust Bank, as holder, will pay over and deliver the proceeds of a certain bank account of William Heaton, deceased, within 30 days of the date of this notice, to Luke Heaton, the lawful executor of the Estate of William Heaton, said executor being duly appointed by the Surrogates Court of the State of New York, County of Suffolk. Said notice of transfer is being given pursuant to Section 64.2-609 of the Virginia Code Annotated. Kevin E. Rockitter, P.C., Attorney at Law, 180 Froehlich Farm Blvd., Woodbury, NY 11797 (516) 364-0600.

**TRUSTEE'S SALE OF
2694 Jolly Roger Drive
Greenbackville, VA 23356**

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of \$43,500.00, dated August 25, 2000, recorded among the land records of the Circuit Court for Accomack County on August 30, 2000, as Instrument Number 004219, at Page 02269, the undersigned appointed Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, at the **main entrance of the courthouse for the Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Ave, Accomack, VA on June 19, 2019 at 10:00 AM**, the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address and briefly described as: Lot 15, Section 9, Captains Cove, as the same appears duly dedicated, platted and recorded among the land records of Accomack County, Virginia in Deed Book 315 at Page 532, and in Plat Book 17 at Page. Tax ID: 005A50400001500.

TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of \$4,300.00 or 10% of the sale price, whichever is lower, will be required in the form of a certified or cashier's check. Cash will not be accepted as a deposit. Settlement within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Trustee may forfeit deposit. Additional terms to be announced at sale. This is a communication from a debt collector. This notice is an attempt to collect on a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

(Trustee # 585687)
Substitute Trustee: ALG Trustee, LLC, C/O Orleans PC PO Box 2548, Leesburg, VA 20177, (703) 777-7101, website: <http://www.orlans.com>

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

05/31/2019, 06/07/2019
Potential Bidders: For sale information, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800) 280-2832.
Towne #: 5000.2308

Notice

The Town of Chincoteague Town Council and Planning Commission will hold a joint public hearing at 5 PM on June 20, 2019, to afford interested parties an opportunity to provide comments on plans to change the Town's Zoning Ordinance. A change in Sec. 2.179 is proposed to define wayside vendors and requirements are proposed to be added to wayside vendors under Sec. 4.1.11, Sec. 4.4.29, Sec. 4.7.12, and Sec. 4.10.1. The changes are all relevant to wayside vendors operating within the Commercial Districts of the town. The complete proposed language changes are available for review in the Town Office.

James West
Town Manager

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA**

Case No. CA19000001-00
Northampton County Circuit Court, 5229 The Hornes,
P.O. Box 36, Eastville, VA 23301

Commonwealth of Virginia, *in re*
PRESTON SINCLAIR FLOYD
The object of this suit is to:
PETITION FOR ADOPTION.

It is ORDERED that AARON THOMAS CHILES appear at the above-named court and protect his interests on or before JULY 15, 2019.

May 22, 2019
Traci L. Johnson, Clerk

Public Notice

The Northampton County Wetlands Board will meet Wednesday, June 19, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA, for the purpose of considering the following wetlands/coastal primary sand dunes matter under public hearing and to conduct regular business. The Board will assemble at 9:00 a.m. to conduct a site visit.

A) VMRC 2019-0729: The Nature Conservancy is applying for a permit to replace a deteriorating bulkhead and its two return walls. The replacement bulkhead will be approximately 87' along the water frontage, approximately 48' along the southwest return wall, and approximately 49' along the northeast return wall. The replacement bulkhead along the water frontage and the southwest return wall will be placed in the same footprint. The replacement northeast return wall will be placed 2' channelward of its existing footprint. The primary purpose of this project is to reestablish safe and efficient working conditions to this working waterfront property. The restoration of the bulkhead is imperative to the continuation of oyster restoration and replenishment on the seaside. The property is located at Tax Map # 85A-3-15 and Tax Map # 85A-3-14B.

Anyone interested in the above matter should attend the scheduled public hearing. The application may be viewed in the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA. Written comments can be submitted to the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office P.O. Box 538, Eastville, VA 23347.

Handicapped Assistance Available: Please call (757) 678-0440 extension 516 at least 48 hours in advance.

Marshall Cox Sr., Chairman
Wetlands Board

**NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND
APPLICATION**

HIGHLAND PARTNERS, LC, (2019039) has applied for approximately 2 acres of oyster planting ground in Mattawoman Creek situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-23.7081 / W76-58.0024

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019039):

https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineering/Surveying Department at 757-247-2230.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in accordance with 2013 Virginia Code Title 15.2 - COUNTIES, CITIES AND TOWNS. Chapter 54.1 - Virginia Wireless Service Authorities Act, Section 15.2-5431.25 - Rates and Charges, on August 8, 2019, at 2PM, the Eastern Shore of Virginia Broadband Authority ("ESVBA") will hold a public hearing concerning proposed rates and charges for the use of ESVBA services at its offices located at 4174 Lankford Highway, Exmore VA 23350. Copies of the proposed rate structure can be obtained from the ESVBA during normal business hours.

NOTICE

On May 29, 2019, on behalf of Bible Broadcasting Network, Inc., an application was filed with the Federal Communications Commission, for renewal of license of FM Translator Station W218CQ, Channel 218, 91.5 MHz, Accomac, Virginia, with a transmitter located at North Latitude: 37° 43' 02" and West Longitude 75° 41' 01", operating with 0.08 kw Effective Radiated Power. W218CQ rebroadcasts Station WYFQ-FM, Channel 228, Wadesboro, North Carolina.

Comment is invited from Individuals who wish to advise the FCC of facts relating to the renewal application, and whether the station has operated in the public interest.

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This newspaper will not knowingly accept advertising for real estate that violates the fair housing law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis. For more information or to file a housing complaint, call the Virginia Fair Housing Office at (804) 367-8530. Toll-free call (888) 551-3247. For the hearing-impaired, call (804) 367-9753.

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



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Legal Ads and Auctions (Cont'd)

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will hold a Public Hearing beginning at 6:30 p.m. on June 19, 2019, to solicit input on a proposal to adjust the sewer rate for the Central Accomack Service Area from \$21.70 per thousand gallons to \$22.57 per thousand gallons, in the Board of Supervisors Chamber, Room 104 of the County Administration Building, located at 23296 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA. The proposed adjustment includes a pass-through of the increase currently proposed for treatment by the Town of Onancock.

Materials relating to this application may be reviewed at the Accomack County Planning Department, 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Suite 203, Accomac, Virginia and on the County's website on the Friday prior to each meeting: www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public

Handicapped assistance available; call: (757) 787-5726 or (757) 824-5324.

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on **Wednesday, June 19, 2019, at 6:30 p.m., in the Board of Supervisors' Chambers, Room 104, 23296 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, Virginia**, to afford interested persons the opportunity to be heard or to present written comments concerning the following:

- (1) Proposed Rules, Regulations and Minimum Standards for the Accomack County Airport.

The proposed document may be reviewed at the OFFICE OF THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR, 23296 Courthouse Avenue, Room 203, Accomac, Virginia, or the ACCOMACK COUNTY AIRPORT, 29194 Parkway N., Melfa, Virginia.

Handicapped Assistance Available by calling (757) 787-5700 or (757) 824-5444.

Michael T. Mason, CPA
County Administrator

INVITATION TO BID

The County of Northampton will accept sealed bids for Petroleum Products from registered ultimate vendors for the twelve-month period July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020, with the option of two one-year renewals. Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m., Friday, June 21, 2019.

Any comments or questions concerning the specifications or provisions of this INVITATION TO BID should be directed to the Public Works Director's Office, P. O. Box 66, Eastville, Virginia 23347, telephone: 757/678-0414.

The County has the right to reject any or all bids; to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bidding; accept or reject any or all items of the bid; and to accept other than the lowest bid should it be deemed in the best interest of the County.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY WITH HOTEL LOCATED AT 25297 LANKFORD HIGHWAY Parcel ID Nos.: 093C10100B00000, 093C10100B00004, 093C10100B00009

WHEREAS, by a certain deed of trust dated April 3, 2008 ("Deed of Trust"), recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia ("Clerk's Office"), on April 4, 2008, as Instrument No. 200801778, the real property referenced above (as more particularly described in the Deed of Trust, the "Property") was conveyed to Sam Beale, Trustee ("Original Trustee"), in trust, to secure certain indebtedness described therein in the original principal amount of \$2,472,500.00 (the "Indebtedness"), owed to Community South Bank ("CSB");

WHEREAS, by a Modification Agreement dated June 5, 2009, recorded in the Clerk's Office on August 6, 2009, as Instrument No. 200903415, the Deed of Trust was modified in certain particulars and the maximum amount secured thereby reduced to \$2,421,850.00;

WHEREAS, as evidenced by an Assignment of Deed of Trust dated effective October 23, 2014, recorded in the Clerk's Office on December 30, 2014, as Instrument No. 201404857, the Deed of Trust and the Indebtedness secured thereby were assigned to VFC Partners 35, LLC;

WHEREAS, as evidenced by an Assignment of Loan and Liens dated effective November 9, 2016, recorded in the Clerk's Office on March 7, 2017, as Instrument No. 170000814, the Deed of Trust and the Indebtedness secured thereby were assigned to Commercial Loan Investment VII, LLC ("Noteholder");

WHEREAS, Noteholder is the current holder of the Indebtedness and beneficiary of the Deed of Trust;

WHEREAS, by a Substitution of Trustees dated March 28, 2019, recorded in the Clerk's Office on April 29, 2019, as Instrument No. 190001454, the Noteholder appointed Trevor B. Reid and Stephen E. Scarce as Substitute Trustees, either of whom may act alone ("Substitute Trustees"), in the place and stead of the Original Trustee and any previously appointed substitute trustees;

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the Indebtedness;

WHEREAS, the Noteholder has instructed the Substitute Trustees to sell the Property;

NOW, THEREFORE, in execution of the Deed of Trust, the Substitute Trustees, in accordance with the provisions of the Deed of Trust and after having given all required notices, including fourteen (14) days' notice to the owner of the Property of the date, time, place, and terms of the sale, will offer the Property for sale to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the front entrance of the Accomack County Circuit Court, 23316 Courthouse Ave, Accomac, Virginia 23301, on June 24, 2019, at 1:00 p.m. local time.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. A deposit of Twenty-Five Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$25,000.00), cash or certified check, may be required at the time of sale, with settlement within thirty (30) days from the date of sale. The sale will be expressly subject to all easements, restrictions, and liens, including mechanics' liens whether filed or unfilled, which may lawfully affect the Property or be superior to the lien of the Deed of Trust. Conveyance shall be with special warranty. Purchaser shall assume any unpaid real estate taxes for the current year from the date of sale. The Property will be sold in bulk, in "AS IS" condition. Neither the Substitute Trustees nor the Noteholder will deliver possession of the Property to the successful bidder. The Substitute Trustees reserve the right to withdraw the Property from sale at any time prior to the termination of bidding, and to keep the bidding open for any length of time.

Neither the Substitute Trustees nor the Noteholder can or will make any representations or warranties as to (1) the value of the hotel located on the Property as a going concern, or (2) ability of the high bidder to assume the current hotel franchise or to obtain a new franchise. Bidders should conduct such due diligence as they deem appropriate.

Additional terms may be announced at the time of sale.
Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this is a communication from a debt collector; that this is an attempt to collect a debt; and that any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT: Trevor B. Reid and/or Stephen E. Scarce, Substitute Trustees, Parker, Polard, Wilton & Peaden, P.C., 6802 Paragon Place, Suite 300, Richmond, Virginia 23230, (804) 262-3600. Publication dates: June 7, 2019; June 14, 2019; and June 21, 2019.

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

TOWN OF CAPE CHARLES, VIRGINIA,
Plaintiff,

Civil Action No. CL19000134-00

vs.

CB SERVICES CORP., *et al.*,
Defendants.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The Plaintiff, the Town of Cape Charles, filed this suit pursuant to Va. Code § 58.1-3965, *et seq.*, to enforce its delinquent tax liens against the following real estate standing in the name of CB Services Corp., *et al.*:

Map and Parcel No.: 00090 0400 0000061
Brief Description: Cape Charles, VA

An affidavit having been filed that the Plaintiff used due diligence, without effect, to locate the unknown heirs, devisees and successors in interest to Sophie Chrostowski; and there may be others who have an interest in the property who names and addresses are unknown, including but not limited to those claiming through the aforementioned parties, all such persons made defendants as "Parties Unknown."

It is ORDERED that this Order be published at least once a week for two successive weeks in the *Eastern Shore Post*, a newspaper of general circulation in Cape Charles, Virginia, and that the parties named herein appear at 2:00 p.m. on June 30, 2019, in the Northampton County Circuit Court Clerk's Office and do what may be necessary to protect their respective interests.

ENTERED this 29th day of May, 2019.
TESTE: Traci L. Johnson, Clerk
By Lauren M. Brown, Deputy Clerk

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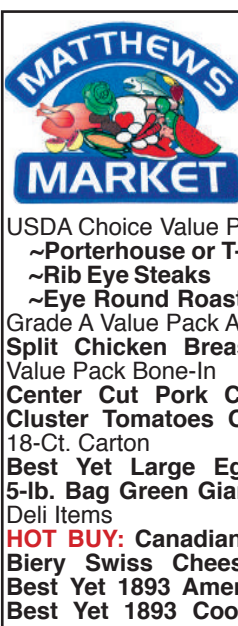
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Insurance Set Up To Be Adversarial

By Richard L. Saunders
Special to the Eastern Shore Post

All consumers come in contact with insurance in one form or another and it can be quite aggravating. This is due to the business model for most forms of insurance, excluding life insurance. The model is to collect as much as possible and pay out as little as possible. Thus, any insurance you buy, out of choice or necessity, creates a potential adversarial relationship, adversarial to the point that the consumer is punished for having to use the product/service that he/she paid for. Life insurance is pretty much an exception to this because it is binary, you are either alive or dead.

Auto insurance is something most of us come in contact with. The state mandates that you carry it but does not make it accessible on an affordable basis to all consumers. Some consider it an “unfunded mandate.” Driving may be a privilege, but try living in a rural area like most of Delmarva without the ability to drive. You are a captive audience to the insurance industry. There is little recourse.

Based on my experience in Pennsylvania, there were two agency models. The State Department of Banking and Securities, with whom we on the AARP Consumer Task Force worked closely, was very consumer oriented. The State Insurance Commission, on the other hand, was in the pocket of the insurance industry it was supposed to regulate. It was comprised of mostly political appointees, many of whom were retired pols or lobbyists. Consumers never had a shot.

Here is one example. Auto insurance

companies were allowed to use outside companies to do car appraisals in cases where a vehicle was totaled. This was a conflict of interest. Since insurance company business was a major revenue stream for the appraisal company, it was in their interest to keep the insurance company as a customer by low-balling the consumer, who had no practical recourse. Arbitrary cancellations were generally not addressed by this insurance commission, and neither were nonrelevant factors such as credit scores, which have nothing to do with

driving habits and risk exposure, and are allowed to be used to jack up insurance rates for consumers.

What can consumers do? Agitate for an ELECTED insurance commissioner. Some states have this. At least there will be some consumer input in such a model. Also, consumers should start to recognize the connection between climate change and insurance expenses. As our climate warms, natural disasters such as hurricane Harvey, extreme wildfires, and other similar things will become more prevalent. These natural disasters cost insurance companies huge amounts of money. The consumer picks up

the tab in the form of increased premiums. Increased premiums means the consumer has less to spend on other things, which means an obvious ripple effect through the economy. Climate change can have a similar impact on health insurance costs due to increases in chronic respiratory illnesses such as COPD, asthma, and the like. To the detriment of consumers, this whole issue has been politicized, ignoring the fact that climate change is slowly picking the pockets of all consumers.

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Editorial

In November 2017, more than 70% of Accomack voters said YES to the ballot question that would allow citizens to elect school board members, replacing the traditional appointments by a school board selection commission, which was itself appointed by a judge.

As of press time Thursday, there were only two districts with more than one candidate. Five of the unopposed candidates already hold school board seats, and only one current member is in a contested race.

It leads us to wonder: What was it that led more than 70% of voters to punch their ballots in favor of an elected school board?

Accomack was fresh off the fiasco of pulling the classic books “To Kill a

Mocking Bird” and “The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn” from library shelves while investigating a parent complaint. The move brought international attention — and derision.

Was the vote a knee-jerk reaction? If voters opted for an elected school board because they wanted change, they aren't going to get it with most of the current candidates. The school board selection commission just reappointed two of the same candidates and added a third. That's no knock on the candidates or the commission: The three candidates were unopposed, and those who put their hats in the ring were appointed.

Current members know being on the school board is an honor, but it's also work, and those who serve should expect

to put in the hours required to do justice to the trust placed in them by voters. Is it this understanding that keeps others from entering the race?

It's a new system. Maybe the deadline slipped up on some folks who would still like to get in the race. If so, they have until June 11 - Tuesday - to pick up and complete the candidate qualification paperwork, gather signatures, and return everything to the voter registrar.

If not, we'll assume everyone is happy with how things are and just wanted the ability to select their school board rather than have the decision made for them.

And if they change their minds, they can choose someone else in four years at the next election, presuming there are opposing candidates to choose from.

Proposed Wedding Venue Deserves a Chance

Dear Editor:

I've lived a peaceful life in Wellington Neck for over 20 years. My property adjoins John and Linda Cleaveland's on the West and directly across the street from the property under consideration for a wedding venue. There has been quite a controversy concerning the Cleaveland's request for a permit that would allow them to make their property available a few times a year for weddings. I have no objection to this application. The property is lovely and an ideal location for an outdoor wedding.

What started as an application with the planning commission for a wedding venue has become a major issue. The next planning commission meeting is June 12. Will the commission vote yes or no on the Wellington Neck wedding venue? Has our wannabe head of supervisors (Roberta Kellam, who opposes the plan) thought of the revenue that could generate from having this wedding venue? Restaurants, hotels, local bakeries and florist: the list goes on. It seems as though common sense has flown out the door.

The Cleaveland's property is in a VES land trust. The Cleavelands notified the trust concerning the proposed ven-

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ue. The planning commission received a letter from the Land Trust stating they had no objection. Now it seems as though the officials with the VES Land Trust might have a change of opinion. Ed Tankard and the directors of the Land Trust called for a board meeting to discuss this now-offensive wedding venue. From what I understand, the VES Land Trust is seeking legal counsel on how to proceed.

Is this Northampton politics at work for the people or the work of someone that has a vendetta against the wedding venue and will stop at nothing to make sure it doesn't pass?

I love Wellington Neck. If I believed this wedding venue would cause any of the problems Mrs. Kellam and others have expressed I would be one of the first to say so. People need to stop and think. Do they honestly believe jets can land on a private, small airstrip or a large marina can be built on Nassawadox Creek in front of the Cleaveland's home? If so, they have a better imagination than I do.

Patricia Kellam Boyer, Franktown
Editor's Note: Roberta Kellam withdrew from the board of supervisors race this week. The announcement, made on her campaign's Facebook page, cited "family healthcare circumstances."

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Posted at Sea Level



By Linda Cicaira

School's out for summer! Yippee!

The Eastern Shore Post is here to tell you what to do with yourself if you get bored or if the weather is stormy or too hot.

Wondering if the water is safe at the beach? Check the report at www.swimguide.org

At this writing, the water at both Assateague Island/Tom's Cove South and Guard Shore in Bloxom meet water quality standards based on samples taken May 31. Cape Charles Town Beach "passed water quality tests 60-95% of the time." This status was based on the latest sample taken May 28. Kiptopeke State Park beach "passed water quality tests at least 95% of the time," on the same day. Sunset Beach was listed, but no information for it was available.

When temperatures go above 85 degrees I say we should all go inside and have a film festival. Invite a few family members or/and friends over and ask each one to bring a favorite movie. Or turn on your favorite internet film site and start watching. In between each one, you could go outside and have water gun fights or run through the sprinkler. If you don't have a sprinkler, punch small holes in a two liter plastic soda bottle and attach it to the end of a garden hose with a cupling. Hang the bottle over a tree branch and enjoy. Oh yeah, don't forget to turn the spigot on and remember there might be water in the hose that has been warming up in the sun. Unless you are one of those people who always rolls their your hose..

You could psychoanalyze your friends with cloud pictures. Get everyone to say what they

think the clouds look like. Make a game out of it. Write your answers down first and see how many people see what you see.

Go to the library. They have great books, free Wi-Fi, access, and most importantly, a newspaper. You could also form a book club.

Learn a language at <http://www.bbc.co.uk/languages/> Watch this video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MmDqjJodCjU> for tips on how to win a watermelon seed spitting contest.

Cooking is always fun. But eating is better. Invent a new sandwich and post it to the internet to see if it will go viral. Learn to make Baked Alaska. Ummm.

Have an afternoon yard sale. Just because other people have their sales in the morning, doesn't make it right.

Recreate a photo from childhood by gathering all those who were in the original.

I'm going to make a kite and fly it with a few supplies and instructions from a video. Go to www.google.com and search "how to make a simple kite."

Visit a museum or an old historic building. Here are a few: the Onley Historic Train Station in Onley, the Eastern Shore Watermen's Museum and Research Station at the old Onancock School, the Oyster & Maritime Museum on Chincoteague, Captain Timothy Hill House on Chincoteague <http://www.captaintimothy-hillhouse.com/Home.html>, Accomack Circuit Court in Accomac, Assateague Lighthouse on Assateague, Cokesbury Church in Onancock, Debtors' Prison in Accomac, Hopkins and Brother Store in Onancock, Locustville Academy in Locustville, Kerr Place in Onancock, St. George's Church in Pungoteague, Barrier Island Center in Machipongo, the Cape Charles Light Station (watertower) in Cape Charles, Custis Tomb in Cheapside, or just about anywhere in Eastville.

I strongly suggest going around your yard and taking photos of interesting things like I did. Yippee!

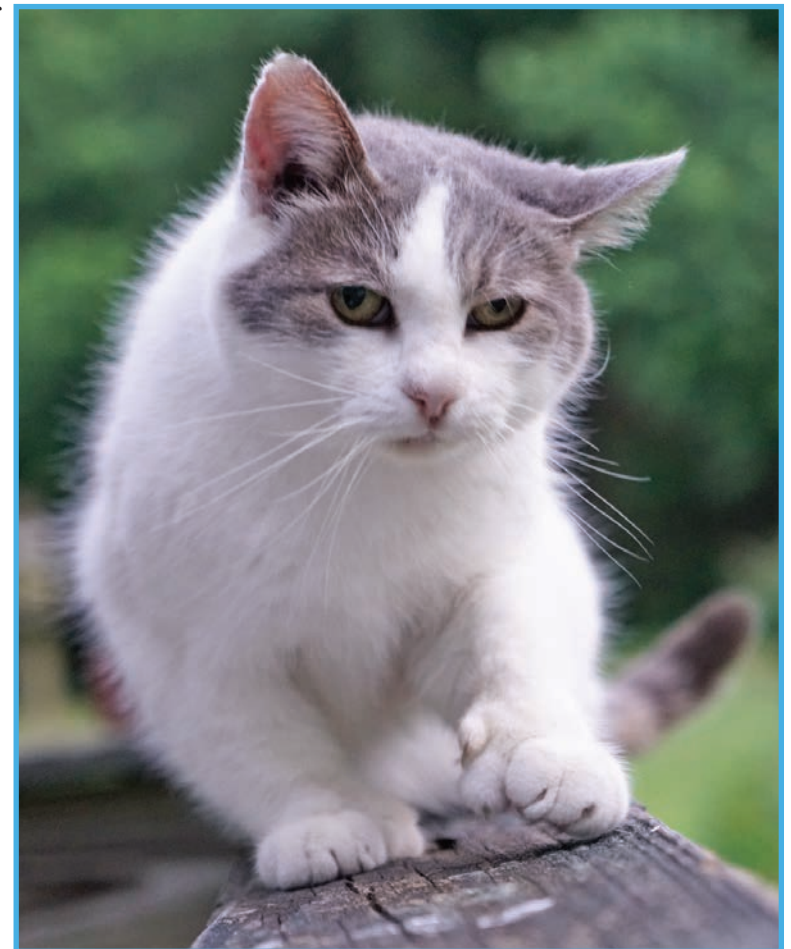
Photos by Linda Cicaira

At top, Little Bit walks along the deck rail. The extra digits on her front paws make her a Hemingway or polydactyl kitty. Sailors believed in having a such a cat aboard for good luck.

Just above, is poison ivy. Learn what it looks like so you can avoid it. If anyone wants to come and take mine away, they are welcome to do so.

At right, the remains of a tree stands in my front yard. I have gotten off the bark and I'm almost ready to start sculpting. I haven't been able to decide what it will be. It's my first try so I could wind up cutting it down to the ground.

At left, a beautiful lily that just bloomed.



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