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Oh, What a Tangled Web We Weave Nightmarish spiders cover the side of a building in Accomac. The Halloween decorations can be seen at the corner of Front and Cross Streets. Photo by Linda Cicoira.

# NOV. 5 ELECTION WILL DECIDE STATE, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVES

By Linda Cicoira

Voters on the Eastern Shore will choose between incumbents and their opponents at the polls Nov. 5 in races for state senate and delegate. There will also be seven other contested races for local offices in the two counties.

Sen. Lynwood Lewis, a Democrat, who practices law in Accomac, is being challenged by Elizabeth Lankford, a Republican, who owns a Melfa business.

Del. Robert S. Bloxom Jr., a Republican, who owns several Shore businesses, is being opposed by Phil Hernandez, a Democrat, from Norfolk, who has worked as a civil rights attorney.

In Accomack County, two are vying for the job of retiring Treasurer Dana Bundick. Her longtime clerk, James A. Lilliston Sr., of Melfa, wants the post as does Brandy Custis Childress, of Accomac, who manages the PNC bank in Chincoteague.

#### **Northampton Sheriff**

In Northampton County, Sheriff David Doughty, of the Cape Charles

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Lewis



Bloxom



Childress



Lankford

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#### Police Identify Woman Found Dead Last Week Near Quinby

#### By Linda Cicoira

The woman who was found dead near Quinby last week has been identified, Sheriff Todd Godwin announced Tuesday afternoon. The cause of her death was ruled accidental.

The body of Patsy Ellen Kitabayashi, 66, of Quinby, was taken Monday to the Norfolk medical examiner's office, where an autopsy was performed.

Godwin said his office received a report of an abandoned vehicle

near the pond at Virginia Landing at about 7:15 a.m. Oct. 25. "Upon further investigation, the body of a deceased female was found near the vehicle," the sheriff stated. "An investigation into this incident is ongoing."

Anyone with information about the incident is asked to contact the Accomack County Sheriff's Office at 757-787-1131 or 757-824-5666. Tips may be also be submitted through the sheriff's website at www.accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org

#### Bloxom Urges Decision on HRSD in Time for State Budget Request

**By Connie Morrison** 

If local officials want funding in the state budget for the proposed mid-Shore force-main sewer project along U.S. Route 13, time is of the essence, Del. Rob Bloxom told a room full local officials and interested citizens last Thursday, Oct. 24.

Counties and towns should join the Hampton Roads Sanitation District via petition to the circuit court, "sooner than later, if I'm going to Richmond and sell anything," he told the assembly, "because after Jan. 15, budget amendments are dead."

The first phase of the proposed project is a force main from Nassawadox to Accomack to collect sewage and carry it to the Onancock wastewater treatment plant. The Onancock plant treats about 230,000 gallons per day but has capacity for 750,000 gallons of wastewater daily.

Local units of government would be responsible for costs to build the local systems that collect sewage from homes and businesses and get it to the force main, which is proposed to run generally along U.S. Route 13, much of it in the railroad right of way. Pump

stations would be built in Nassawadox, Exmore, and Accomac.

The cost to construct is estimated at \$24 million, with annual operating costs around \$75,000. HRSD would pay the construction costs through its capital fund. Any state, and possibly federal funding, would be used to retire the debt on existing treatment plants in Onancock and Exmore. HRSD will not take on outstanding infrastructure debt

"The overall diversification of funding is something we're going to pursue after the petition is filed," said Jeff Holland, who chairs the steering committee that evaluated the feasibility of a regional wastewater system. "That existing debt is why we are looking at diversifying the funding."

Exmore owes about \$500,000 and Onanocck owes about \$4.5 million.

Participating localities would contract with HRSD through an operating agreement, to convey and treat the wastewater and potentially operate the collection system, too. In phase one, that would allow Exmore and

Onancock to turn over existing wastewater collection systems to the district for operation and maintenance.

"Historically, all of the territories within HRSD have transferred their assets and now HRSD is fully responsible for the collection, conveyance, and treatment of sanitary sewer" in those communities, said Holland. Municipalities typically want to transfer that risk, but it is ultimately up to each municipality to decide.

HRSD would also set customer rates. The 2023 estimated charge to convey and treat wastewater is \$10.15 per 1,000 gallons. HRSD's monthly fee for maintaining the collection system is estimated at \$5.78 per 1,000 gallons, for a total rate of \$15.93. The maintenance rate could vary locally, so customers are advised to contact their towns or counties for local estimates.

If a town wants to connect to the system and not located along U.S. Route 13, and therefore away from the conveyance pipeline, the sanitation district would cover costs to run a connection line up to two miles off the main sewer line. Anything beyond two

miles, as well as the local collection system, would be a local responsibility.

The proposed 6-inch to 12-inch diameter force main is sized to meet the projected flow to the Onancock treatment plant out to year 2050 and would replace the existing force main south of Melfa and the commercial areas of Onley, officials said.

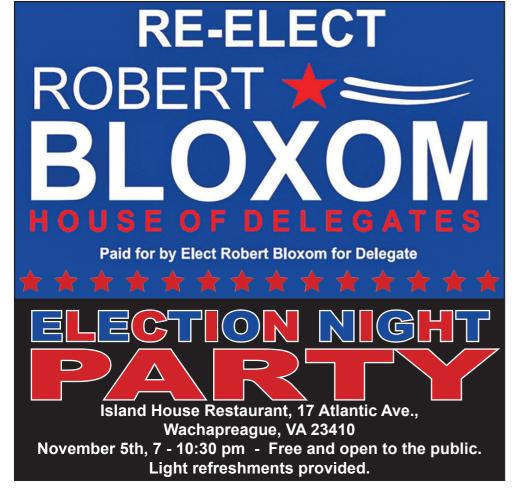
Chincoteague was mentioned as a possible second phase and southern Northampton County as a possible third.

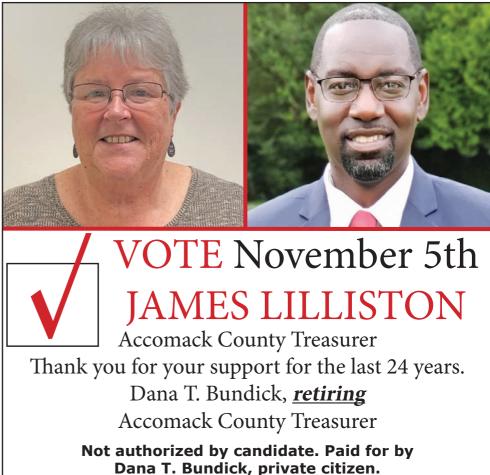
If the court rules favorably on the petitions, the local governments would then have access to the wastewater conveyance system, whether in the first proposed phase or some future phase. Towns that join the district are not obligated to enter an agreement with HRSD or to build sewage collection systems.

"The counties and the towns have HRSD as an option on their list of choices as relates to how they would manage wastewater," said Holland.

The district is empowered, under law, to compel property owners to connect if "required by such reasonable rules and regulations as shall be pro-

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"It's time to do away with elected officials that are just doing the bare minimum to get themselves reelected. We need problem solvers, not politicians." - Elizabeth Lankford

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mulgated by the Commission."

"The commission has never had cause to utilize that clause," Holland said.

Among the other powers granted to the HRSD commission are exercising eminent domain and issuing bonds.

The legislation does not address representation on the commission once a new territory is added. If the petition is successful, "It is perfunctory to go and then have the legislature amend the enablement," said Holland, in a follow-up interview.

He gave the example of Surry, which was added to the district. The enabling legislation was later amended to include Surry with other southern territories for representation.

Even though a person wasn't appointed to represent just Surry, by adding Surry to one of the representation districts specified in law, the governor would be free to choose a person from Surry as a commissioner for the district. Commissioners are expected to act in the best interest of the commonwealth, rather than the area they rep-

resent, Holland said.

He anticipates similar treatment for the Eastern Shore

Steve Mallett, chairman of the Eastern Shore Chamber of Commerce Public Policy and Advocacy Committee, read a statement from the chamber board supporting the project. "To build prosperity and economic opportunities on the Eastern Shore, our chamber supports critical infrastructure," he read from the letter, giving the examples of broadband internet access, community health facilities, and education. "Noticeably absent is adequate sewage treatment facilities," which the letter says will promote economic expansion and protect the environment upon which area natural resource-based industries rely.

But the first step is petitioning the court to add Eastern Shore counties and participating towns to the HRSD. Getting the petition approved by Bloxom's Jan. 15 deadline is not likely given actions needed by local government and the hearing process. The project timeline allocates 6 months for court petitioning process.

At Thursday's meeting, those in attendance agreed to a goal of hav-

ing local decisions made by Dec. 31 to demonstrate local commitment for state budget purposes.

HRSD was created in 1940 as a political subdivision of the commonwealth, governed by an eight-member commission appointed by the governor. The body serves about 1.7 million people in the Hampton Roads area through its

16 treatment plants (nine major plants and seven smaller plants), more than 500 miles of pipes, and more than 100 pump stations. Its combined capacity is 249 million gallons per day.

The full enabling legislation can be read at <a href="https://law.lis.virginia.gov/authorities/hampton-roads-sanitation-district-commission/">https://law.lis.virginia.gov/authorities/hampton-roads-sanitation-district-commission/</a>

#### Coast Guard Advises Use of Cold-Water Gear

As long as you are wearing it when you get wet, just about any life jacket will help you survive longer during cold water immersion events. But just like most products, life jackets are specialized for open ocean, nearshore, PWC's, skiers, and other water sports.

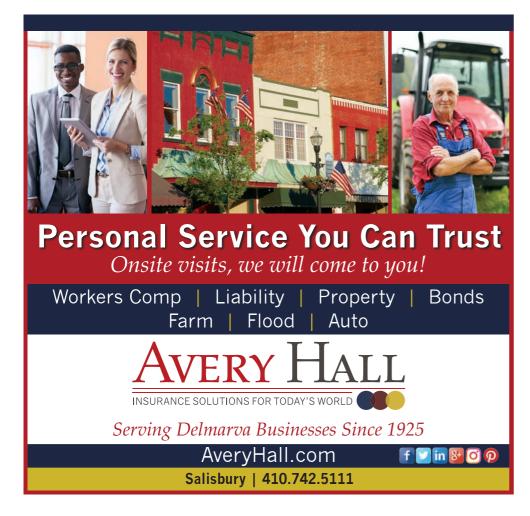
The same is true for the life jackets you need for cold water. Realize that those life jackets you have for the summer will simply not protect you very much in cold water. Most clothing that will keep you warm in cold air will be much less effective when they get wet. So, if you practice lots of cold-water sports do yourself and your loved ones a favor and invest in a proper cold weather suit.

The simplest cold-water gear is a float coat which combines floatation with some

protection for your vital organs, but it will not protect legs at all. In cold water the only type of suit you should wear is a custom fitted dry suit with multiple warm layers beneath a waterproof covering.

These suits have tight neoprene seals around the neck and arms and no openings around the legs with a single water proof zipper across the chest along with waterproof gloves and head cover. These are the same suits we wear during winter patrols and will keep you warm in ice water for over an hour. One thing, however: survival suits are not life jackets so you need to wear an external life jacket.

This message is a public service of Flotilla 12-02 (Painter) of the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary. The auxiliary's next meeting is Nov. 26, 7 p.m., at the Exmore firehouse.





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area, is seeking another four-vear term. Raymond Lee Gunter III, of Belle Haven, a former Northampton deputy, is running a write-in campaign for the post.

#### **Accomack School Board**

There are two contested races for school board in Accomack. It will be the first time voters will get to choose those leaders as they were previously picked by the school board selection commission, a panel appointed by the circuit court judge.

Appointed member Gary S. Reese, of Parksley, a former coach and physical education teacher, and Connie C. Burford, a school activist, from Bloxom, who worked to get the board elected through a referendum, are vying for the District 4 post.

Janet Martin-Turner, a former school board member, who was not reappointed to the board by the selection commission after she clashed













**Doughty** Gunter

**Burford** 

Reese

**Martin-Turner** 

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with other school board members who didn't want her to speak publicly about issues, is seeking the District 7 seat held by George Waldenmaier, who was her predecessor and is not seeking election. Martin-Turner also worked to get a referendum for an elected school board.

Also seeking the District 7 seat, Thomas E. "T.J." Johnson III. a former school administrator, who was one of a dozen people laid off from the Eastern Shore Community College, works at a Maryland school division. Both Martin-Turner and Johnson live in the Accomac area.

#### **Northampton Board of Supervisors**

In Northampton, there is a hotly contested race for the District 4 seat on the board of supervisors. Supervisor H. Spencer Murray, of Franktown in that district, the longtime chairman, is not seeking re-election. L. Dixon Leatherbury, a Machipongo

#### **Route 178 Bridge Replacement** over Occohannock Creek **Accomack County**

Willingness to Hold a Public Hearing

Find out about the proposed plans to replace the Route 178 (Shields Bridge Road) Bridge over Occohannock Creek in Accomack County. The current bridge was built in 1933. The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) has deemed the bridge to be structurally deficient and in need of replacement. The project is expected to go to advertisement in December 2022. A detour will be required for traffic on Shields Bridge Road during construction.

Review the project information and National Environmental Policy Act document in the form of a Programmatic Categorical Exclusion (PCE) at VDOT's Accomac Residency located at 23096 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, Virginia 23301, 757-787-5856 or VDOT's Hampton Roads District Office located at 7511 Burbage Drive, Suffolk, VA 23435, 757-956-3000, TTY/TDD 711. Please call ahead to ensure the availability of appropriate personnel to answer your questions.

If your concerns cannot be satisfied, VDOT is willing to hold a public hearing. You may request that a public hearing be held by sending a written request to Ms. Hayden Hill, Virginia Department of Transportation, 7511 Burbage Drive, Suffolk, VA 23435 on or prior to November 13, 2019. If a request for a public hearing is received, notice of date, time and place of the hearing will be posted.

VDOT ensures nondiscrimination and equal employment in all programs and activities in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. If you need more information in regards to your civil rights on this project or need special assistance for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency, contact Ms. Hayden Hill at the phone number listed above.

State Project: 0178-001-704.P101. R201. M501. B608 Federal Project: NHPP-001-5(062), BROS-001-5(063), BROS-001-5 (064), BROS-001-5(064) UPC: 113030

#### **COUNTRYSIDE AUCTION** Hopeton, Va.

2 Day Auction Coming out of Pennsylvannia

Saturday, November 2, 2019 @ 10 A.M. Sunday, November 3, 2019 @ 12 P.M. Directions: Located approximately 60 mi. South of Salisbury, MD, and 60 mi. North of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel. Turn West Off Rt. 13 onto Rt. 676 (Dennis Drive) just North of Parksley and follow signs to Auction. Signs will be posted at Rt. 13.

Saturday

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Furniture & Glassware Lots, Lots & Lots of Box Lots & Other Items

Sunday

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Oak Chest of Drawers & Dresser w/Mirror (2) 3 Pc. Mahogany Bedroom Suit

Brass Bed

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farmer who is chairman of the county planning commission and husband of Commonwealth's Attorney Beverly P. Leatherbury, is seeking the post. David L. Kabler, a real estate broker, also of the Machipongo area, wants the job. too.

#### **Accomack Board of Supervisors**

An incumbent Accomack supervisor is being opposed in District 5. Supervisor Harrison W. "Harris" Phillips III is being challenged by James D. Rich. Both men live in the Bloxom area

Longtime District 7 Supervisor Laura Belle Gordy is not seeking re-election. Miriam E. Riggs and Howard "Jackie" Phillips, both of Cashville, are vying for the seat.

#### **Uncontested Races**

For Accomack School Board, Jesse W. Speidel, of Chincoteague's District 1; Edward F. Taylor, of Assawoman, in District 2; Camesha A. Handy, of the Parksley area in District 5; Paul C. Bull, of the Accomac area in District 6; and Ronnie E. Holden, of the Onancock area in District 8 were all appointed by the commission and

are seeking election for the first time without opposition.

In District 9, Naudya Mapp, an appointed member, is not seeking election. Malcolm "Pep" White, of Painter, is running for the seat without opposition. School board member Aaron Kane, of District 3, is also not seeking election. Lisa C. Johnson, a Horntown minister, is running unopposed for that post.

Vanessa K. Johnson, an Accomack County employee from New Church, is seeking the District 3 seat on the board of supervisors. Supervisor Grayson Chesser is not seeking re-election.

District 1 Accomack Supervisor William J. "Billy Joe" Tarr, of Chincoteague, is seeking re-election without opposition as are Supervisor Ronald S. "Ron" Wolff, of District 2, who lives in Assawoman; Supervisor Paul E. J. Muhly, of District 4, who lives in Parksley; Robert D. Crockett, of District 6, who lives in Onancock; Donald L. Hart Jr., of District 8, who lives in Keller; and C. Reneta Major, of District 9, who lives in the Painter area.

Capt. Todd Wessells, of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office, lives in the Painter area, and is unopposed in his quest for sheriff. Sheriff Todd Godwin is retiring.

Commonwealth's Attorney J. Spencer Morgan III, of Onancock, and Commissioner of the Revenue Deborah T. Midgett, of Parksley, are not opposed in seeking their first full four-year terms. Both were elected to fill the unexpired terms of previous constitutional officers.

In Northampton, District 5 Supervisor Robert Duer, Exmore's town manager, is not seeking another term. Former Supervisor Betsy Mapp, of the Jamesville area, is running unopposed for the seat. The board of supervisors and the school board in Northampton are on staggered terms so not all the members' terms will expire at the end of the year.

Beverly Leatherbury is seeking reelection as Northampton commonwealth's attorney with no opponents. In addition to holding the top prosecutor's job, she serves as the county's attorney, which is not an elected position. Commissioner of Revenue Charlene P. Gray, of the Machipongo area, and Treasurer Cynthia S. Bradford, of Exmore, are also seeking four-year terms without opposition.

Charlena Jones, who ran an unsuccessful write-in campaign during a previous election, is officially running for the at-large Northampton school board seat held by Nancy Proto, who is not running. School board members Jo Ann P. Molera, of District 4, and William J. "Skip" Oakley, of District 5, are seeking reelection. Molera lives in Franktown and is the director of the county's Victim/Witness Program. Oakley, the school board chairman, lives in Exmore.

S. Kyle Sturgis and Robin L. Rich-Coates are running for the two seats on the Eastern Shore Soil and Water District Board of Directors. Rich-Coates is an incumbent. Sturgis is a newcomer.

A special election will be held to fill the unexpired term of J. Wesley Travis, who resigned from the Cheriton Town Council. Jason P. VanMarter is unopposed in his bid for that job.

# MIRIAM 'TINA' RIGGS FOR SUPERVISOR



Accomack County
District 7

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- √Work to expand Internet access throughout the county.
- ✓ Work to protect and improve water quality.
- ✓ Work to improve programs focused on families such as schools and the public library.

- ✓ Work to balance the poultry industry's contributions and challenges.
- ✓ Work to ensure climate change and sea-level rise are addressed in the county's planning process.
- Work to protect our most vulnerable citizens the poor, elderly and disadvantaged.

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#### **Court Postings**

By Linda Cicoira

#### Sub With Guns Pleads Guilty to Reduced Charge

A former Nandua High School substitute teacher, who was initially charged with two felony counts of keeping firearms in his car while he was working, pleaded guilty last week in Accomack Circuit Court to misdemeanor carrying a concealed weapon.

Judge W. Revell Lewis III sentenced Phillip Gordon Stewart, 64, to a 10-day suspended jail sentence. Steward was fined \$250. The reduced charge was part of a plea-bargaining agreement with Commonwealth's Attorney Spencer Morgan.

Stewart lived on Nock's Landing Road, in Atlantic, when it was reported to the county sheriff's office that he kept a concealed weapon in his vehicle at the school. Soon after the report was made, Deputy Jessica Young, the school's resource officer, spoke to Stewart outside Nandua High's gym. Stewart admitted he had a gun in his car and consented to a vehicle search.

Beneath some clothes in his trunk, a shotgun was found, the deputy testified at a preliminary hearing. A handgun was under a towel in the backseat. Defense lawyer Thomas Northam argued at the hearing that an unloaded firearm can be kept in a closed container. He said the trunk and backseat could both be considered containers. "Both were locked," he added. "There were no rounds in either chamber. When you pull the trigger you want it to go bang," the defense lawyer continued. "None of these were out in the open and they were locked up."

Morgan said, "That weapon is loaded," if there is ammo in the gun. Morgan also said he did not consider the trunk and backseat as being containers.

According to court records, Stewart told Young that "He put the firearms in (his) car for safekeeping from his ex. He did not realize he could not bring (a gun) on school property." Stewart was held in Accomack Jail for about two days without bond due "safety concerns" and "presumption" — a rule of law that allows a court to assume a

fact is true until it is rebutted by the greater weight of the evidence against it.

At press time Thursday, Morgan had not returned a reporter's query about the outcome of the case.

## Fraud Charges Certified Against Murder Suspect

Probable cause was found last week in Accomack General District Court to certify six felony charges against a man accused of first-degree murder.

The grand jury will likely decide in December whether Bronta Jamar Ames, 22, of Killmontown Road in Melfa, should stand trial for credit card larceny, credit card fraud, conspiracy to commit credit card fraud, and three counts of grand larceny. A count of attempted grand larceny was dismissed. The offenses occurred May 28 and involved property belonging to Kathline Stauffer.

A preliminary hearing regarding the charges of murder and use of a firearm in connection with the May 29 shooting death of Alvin Lee "Derek" Rogers, 40, of Mill Run Lane in Belle Haven, is set for Nov. 18.

After a complaint of shots being fired on Boggs Road, in Painter, was received by the Accomack County Sheriff's Office on May 29, deputies found Rogers' body inside a vehicle. A medical examiner determined Rogers died from a gunshot wound to the torso.

Court records state there "appeared to be a bullet wound in his chest" and "three bullet holes in the windshield of the vehicle."

In September, Allison Elaine Stauffer, 20, of Keller, pleaded guilty to obtaining a credit card by false pretenses, three counts of grand larceny, and three counts of credit card fraud in connection with March incidents. That property belonged to Kathline Stauffer. It was unclear if the two women are related.

Allison Stauffer was charged in October with being an accessory to murder and robbery in connection with Rogers' death. The accessory charge involves "receiving, relieving, comforting, or assisting Bronta Ames after knowing that such person had committed a homicide offense punishable by death or as a Class 2 felony." She was also charged with being an accessory before the fact in an attempt to rob Rogers of marijuana by "putting the

victim in fear of serious bodily harm, threats or by presenting a firearm or other deadly weapon."

#### Indictments Made Public

Sealed indictments handed down by an Accomack grand jury earlier this month were made public Tuesday.

Jerry Antoine Satchell Jr., 20, of Fleming Road in Horntown, was indicted on counts of maliciously wounding Monae Odom and felony destruction of property belonging to Doanne Gayle. The incidents occurred June 12. Satchell was indicted Oct. 7. State police Special Agent Scott Wade, head of the Eastern Shore Drug Task Force (ESDTF), investigated.

In another case, Elijah Jordan Carpenter, 25, of Exmore, was indicted on counts of possessing or transporting a firearm after being convicted of a violent felony and knowingly selling a firearm to a felon. ESDTF Agent J. Marsh investigated.

## Conservation Writer Charged With Baiting

Eighty-year-old conservation writer George W. Reiger was charged earlier this month in U.S. District Court in Salisbury, Md., with distributing bait and taking or attempting to take migratory birds at his private pond in Locustville in January. He was convicted of the misdemeanor baiting in 2015 when he made a plea agreement and paid a \$1,200 fine.

Reiger was nominated for a Pulitzer Prize for his 1983 book, "Wanderer on My Native Shore: A Personal Guide and Tribute to the Ecology of the Atlantic Coast," and is known for his articles in Field & Stream magazine.

According to a complaint filed with the court Oct. 17, Reiger is accused of distributing bait, namely milo seed, at a freshwater impoundment, "which is within the operational control of the commander of the U.S. Coast Guard Group Eastern Shore," in order to take migratory birds, contrary to agreements between the U.S. and Great Britain in 1936, Japan in 1972, and the U.S.S.R. in 1976. The charges were made by U.S. Attorney Robert K. Hur. A hearing is scheduled for Dec. 6.

In the first case, court records show Officer Darin Dick of the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries said on Nov. 18, 2014, "while conducting a waterfowl enforcement patrol, observed the defendant taking/attempting to take protected migratory waterfowl" over his pond. "Reiger had admittedly taken one drake green wing teal. There were four other individuals present participating in the hunt on the same pond that Reiger was hunting. Once clear from the group, a state officer and I returned to the pond where the group was hunting and observed a large amount of milo seeds scattered (around) the pond in the same area where Reiger and the other four ... were hunting that evening."

Dick interviewed Reiger on Nov. 21, 2014. Reiger "admittedly placed the milo on his pond prior to hunting ... to ensure a good hunt for his guests."

## Atlantic Man Guilty of Animal Cruelty

An Atlantic man, initially accused of a felony involving the unnecessary death of a companion dog on April 25, was found guilty of misdemeanor cruelty to an animal.

Cleo Billings, 65, of Greta Road, was fined \$150 and given a 30-day suspended sentence. He was ordered to be on good behavior for two years and was asked to forfeit his weapon.

Billings told officials the "dog was after his chickens and displaying aggressive behavior," a court document disclosed.

In another case, William Thomas Reid, 63, formerly of A.S. West Road near Painter, was charged with driving after being declared a habitual offender. The incident occurred Oct. 23. A preliminary hearing was set for Dec. 16. Reid is being held without bail. Deputy T.K. Fitchett, of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office (ACSO), investigated.

Thomas Leandres Wharton Jr., 48, with addresses on Beartown Road and Groton Town Road in Mappsville, was charged with the Sept. 25 offense of making a bomb or burn threat to a building, place of assembly, or means of transportation to Dorothy Ivey and Geraldine Moorefield. Wharton was arrested Oct. 21. A preliminary hearing was set for Dec. 16.

## Woman Acquitted of Child Abuse Charges

An Exmore woman was acquitted Monday in Northampton Circuit Court of three felony counts of child abuse/ neglect in connection with an incident that occurred April 5.

Alexandria Colburn Settle, 35, was found guilty of driving while intoxicated. Court records showed Settle crashed her PT Cruiser on Cemetery Road. There were three children, ages 9, 12, and 14, in the vehicle. She tested at .18 grams per 210 liters of breath. The legal limit is .08.

Settle was given a 30-day suspended sentence and fined \$500. Her driver's license was suspended for a year.

In another case, Shawn Rodney Thomas Jr., 27, of Wilson Court in Cheriton, was convicted of possession with intent to distribute between a half-ounce and five pounds of marijuana on Jan. 31. He pleaded not guilty to the crime. A presentence report was ordered. Sentencing was set for Feb. 4, 2020.

Daniel Shane Wood, 29, of Ann Avenue in Exmore, was sentenced to three years in prison each for two counts of forgery with two years and 320 days suspended. The crimes occurred in December 2018 and in January 2019. He was put on supervised probation for two years.

Fred Kennedy Kellam Jr., 30, of Occohannock Neck Road in Exmore, was convicted of the felony of endangering the life of a five-year-old child and the misdemeanor assault and battery of a juvenile on March 1. Sentencing was set for Feb. 10, 2020. Counts of child abuse, misdemeanor contributing to the delinquency of a minor, and of committing a willful act of omission in the care of the child "that was so gross, wanton and culpable as to show a reckless disregard for human life" were not prosecuted.

Jamel Anthony Norwood, 26, of Mandrian Loop in Virginia Beach, Va., was sentenced to three years and 45 days in prison for selling between a half-ounce and five pounds of marijuana on March 26. All but 45 days was suspended. Norwood's driver's license was suspended for six months. Supervised probation was ordered for two years.

#### Prison for Eluding

A Mappsville man was given a prison term recently in Accomack Circuit Court for eluding police. Marcos Josue Ortiz-Roblero, 20, of Pettit Street in Mappsville, was sentenced to five years in prison with all but two years suspended for felony eluding on July 30, 2018. He was ordered to be on good

behavior for five years and indefinite supervised probation.

In another case, Zachary Justin Peterson, aka Zacharey Justin Peterson, 39, of Willow Street on Chincoteague, pleaded guilty to embezzling a generator that was valued at more than \$500 from Mummert Construction on the island and grand larceny of a pressure washer belonging to Thomas Harmon III. The offenses occurred Dec.10, 2018, and Sept. 16. Sentencing was deferred until Dec. 12. Peterson was remanded to jail.

Cheryl Travis, 28, of Taylor Street in Hallwood, was convicted of felony assault and battery of Deputy Cody Hodgson, of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office, on March 2. She is free on bond pending sentencing on Jan. 16, 2020.

Tommy Anthony Brown Jr., of Oak Hall, was denied bond. He is being held on counts of selling cocaine on Oct. 23 and 25, 2018. He was charged in a direct indictment filed Oct. 8.

## Four Arrested on Felony Charges in Northampton

Four people were arrested recently and charged with felonies, according to records filed in Northampton General District Court.

Delmar Lopez-Gomez, of Melfa, was accused of possession of a Schedule I or II drug on Oct. 20. He was arrested the same day and is being held in the Eastern Shore Regional Jail. A preliminary hearing was set for Jan. 9, 2020.

Shelton Lamont Shields, age and address unavailable, was charged with two counts of forging coin and bank notes on Oct. 14. Records show him in custody of the police. Shields was arrested Oct. 18. A preliminary hearing was set for Jan. 16. Officer J. Gonzalez and Deputy S.R. Adams investigated.

Brian Dixon, of Eastville, was charged with failure to stop for a traffic accident in which there were damages of \$1,000 or more on Sept. 17. He was arrested Oct. 19. Dixon was released on his own recognizance. A preliminary hearing was scheduled for Dec. 5. Trooper K.J. Johnson investigated.

Ernest Stith, of Cheriton, was charged with possession of a gun by a nonviolent felon on Sept. 26. He was arrested the same day. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for Nov. 7.

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#### **Property Transactions**

#### **Accomack County**

- •From SNEHA 93 LLC To SERAGU Equity LLC 6273 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague For \$3.5 million
- •From Patrick and Gail Miglio To Howard Poe Lot 182, Unit 3, Trails End For \$12.500
- •From Lynwood Lewis and Robert Turner, trustees To Calvin and Rosanna Martin 3330 Main St., Chincoteague For \$180,000
- •From Linda Copper To Peggy Matthews 13 Liberty St., Onancock For \$197,500
- •From Jean Didaniele To Claire Lucien 20426 Market St., Onancock For \$109,500
- •From John Lord To Dylan Donnelly 14115 Cattail Rd., Mears For \$138.500
- •From Raymond Leonardo To Michele Ragonese and Brett Scully 37287 Sail Court, Greenbackville For \$196,000
- •From RKL Mortgage Corp. To Juan Godoy 15407 Macedonia Circle, Bloxom For \$28,000
- •From Carole Hutchinson To Richard and Katrina Wright Lot 133, Unit 3, Trails End For \$31,000
- •From Maria Mantilla To Amanda Combs Lot 471, Unit 2, Trails End For \$49,000
- •From Penny Goodwill To White Cut Woods LLC 10 acres, Lankford Highway, New Church For \$32,000
- •From Robert Cold To Daniel Nock Jr. and Deborah Linton 9410 Southwind Dr., Atlantic For \$180,000
- •From Ralph and Patricia Forbush To Burton and Brenda Mason 6504 Coach's Ln., Chincoteague For \$165,000
- •From John and Laura Jacon To John Mackleer III 24358 Adelaide St., Parksley

For \$175,000

- •From Michelle Evans To Linda Lambert and Michael Fontenot Lot 1, Azalea Woods, Cashville Road, Onancock For \$58,000
- From Deborah Tormey To Barry Kwasny and Laura Zarelli 6382 Teal Ln., Chincoteague For \$160,000
- •From Barbara Wise and Kenneth Roscher To Shakia Scarborough 18135 N.R. North St., Keller For \$70,000
- •From Gennaro Marrone To John and Barbara Mroczka Lot 58, Ocean View, Parksley For \$5,000
- •From George Shapard To Nicholas and Sarah Lepore 5021 Bream Dr., Horntown For \$51,500
- •From Carol and Robert Ruby To Jerry and Inez Pruitt Tangier parcel For \$25,000
- •From Robert Van Ness To Raymond Glackin Lot 175, Unit 3, Trails End For \$64.800
- •From William Branch To Rudolph and Ann Weber 20369 Pintail Ln., Onancock For \$161,450
- From James Nobel and Maria Nobel-Alvarez
- To Richard and Judith Casey Lot at Boggs Wharf, Melfa For \$140,000
- •From Ocean Bay Enterprises Inc. To MCMA LLC Property on Route 181, Belle Haven
- For \$100,000
  •From the Secretary of Veterans' Affairs
  To Jeffrey and Vicki Weakley
  24109 Maxwell St., Parksley
  For \$170,000
- •From Edward and Melanie Cadle To Jillian and David Laughman Lot 79, Unit 3, Trails End For \$5,000
- •From Walter Prichard To Robert and Sandra Sacks 32214 Horntown Rd., New Church For \$195,000
- •From Mary Rotkowski To Cody and Morgan Burdette

16092 Cosby St., Painter For \$73.000

- •From Arlene and Terry Parks To Dorsey Crockett 5091 Pete Dise Ln., Tangier For \$110,000
- •From Dorsey Crockett Jr. To Stephen Dise Tangier parcel For \$60,000
- From Diane Fahey
  To Mary Kulina
  31465 Sunset Dr., Painter
  For \$65,000
- •From Gene Taylor To Phillip Ettinger Lot 117, Pefley's Beach, Saxis For \$35,000
- •From Arthur and Deborah Liston To Ricky and Theresa Stanfield 3045 Ridge Rd., Chincoteague For \$189,000
- •From Patricia Howard To Emilio and Dianne Arenas 18220 Gospel Temple Rd., Melfa For \$144,000
- •From Nationstar HEXM Aquisition Trust and Wilmington Savings Fund Society To Aristeo Escalante and Yolanda Velasquez 36374 Seaside Rd., Painter For \$40.000
- •From Matthew and Patricia Bell To Jason and Betty Nicholson 8048 Atlantic Rd., Wallops Island For \$123,000
- •From Christopher Rubert To James and Kimberly Meiklejohn Lot 48, Unit 3, Trails End For \$7,000
- •From Ocean Land Trust Ltd.
  To Marian J. Kolodgie, trustee, and living trust
- Lot 91, Phase 1, Olde Mill Pointe For \$19,900
- •From Vincent Walter To Iva Wilson 13502 Smith Ln., Pungoteague For \$5,000
- •From William and Julie Ricken, trustees To Donna Melhorn 4205 School St., Chincoteague For \$215,000

#### **Northampton County**

From Sandra Holmes, Edward Barnes, Leatrice Orange, and Chandra Page
To Lionarda Rodriguez
22585 Banks Road, aka Baileys Lane, Cape Charles
For \$4,500
From Christine Faircloth To David Andrews and Carolyn Small Lot 40, Butlers Bluff, Section VI, near Kiptopeke Beach For \$29,000

- •From Mary Ann McDevitt To David and Danielle Weisner 543 Mason Avenue, Cape Charles For \$297,500
- •From Bay Creek LLC and Baymark Construction Corporation To Bay Creek Development LLC Various parcels at Heron Pointe and Palmer Course, Cape Charles For \$1.500.000
- •From Deborah Harless and Suzanne Hiller

To John Dent Parcel, .66 acre, Morley's Wharf For \$225,000

- •From Jennifer Johnson To Susan Christian Lot near Exmore For \$6,300
- •From Stephen and Susan Husak To Jennifer Barker 606 Fig Street, Cape Charles For \$20,000
- •From Wayne and Rebecca Creed To Laura and Richard Manzolina II 548 Monroe Avenue, Cape Charles For \$445,000
- •From Lindsey and Billy Horne Jr. To Marshall and Patricia Timm Lot 85, Bay Creek, Cape Charles For \$390.000
- •From James and Mary Lovett To John and Vicki Harlow 3 Kings Bay Drive, Cape Charles For \$447,900
- •From Michael and Ruth Goodboe To James and Mary Lovett 102 Arnie's Loop, Cape Charles For \$575,000
- •From Kathy Bailey, Doris Hubbart, and Lynwood Turner Jr. To Eastern Shore Holdings LLC Lot near Cheriton Station For \$25,000
- •From Susan Stubbs To Elisa and Henry Jones III 17588 McCotter Lane, Cape Charles For \$244,000
- •From Margaret Rux To Lawrence Smith 2 parcels, 1/2 acre, Red Bank Landing For \$193,000
- •From Richard James and Jennifer Kelley To James and Mary Gray 2 parcels, Cedar Hall, Nassawadox

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#### **OBITUARIES**

#### Page Bryan Ashby

Mr. Page Bryan Ashby, 76, of Spartanburg, S.C., died Friday, Oct. 25, 2019, peacefully at home. Born June 18, 1943, in Newport News, Va., he was the son of the late Page Cornelius Ashby and Mabel Bryan Ashby.

In 1966, he earned a Bachelor of Science degree from North Carolina State University where he excelled as quar-

terback of the football team and a sprinter on the track team. With over 50 years served in the textile industry, Mr. Ashby was the founder and president of Carolina

Cotton Works, Inc.



Mr. Ashby

He was a longtime supporter of the Wolfpack Club and enjoyed duck hunting, bass fishing, golf, and spending time with his family.

He is survived by his wife, June Shelley Ashby; sons, Page Bryan Ashby Jr. and wife, Kim Ashby, of Boiling Springs, S.C., and John Hunter Ashby and wife, Mary Caggiano Ashby, of Spartanburg, S.C.; four grandchildren, Ben, Spencer, Thomas, and Mason; sister, Elizabeth Ashby Quinn, of Virginia; stepchildren, Lucy Shelley Boland (Ben), Laney Shelley Nix (Philip), and Spencer Shelley Plaisted (Nick), all of Spartanburg, and Jake Shelley (Geena) of Charlotte, N.C.; and six step-grandchildren, Reece, Louise, and Charlie Boland, Harris and Jay Nix, and Alden Marie Plaisted. He is also survived by his cousins, Donald (Kay) and Richard Ashby. In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his first wife, Suzanne Ballard Ashby.

A service honoring his memory was conducted Sunday, Oct. 27, 2019, at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 309 Fernwood Dr., Spartanburg, SC 29307, by the Rev. Steve Wise.

A graveside memorial service will be conducted Saturday, Nov. 2, 2019, at 11 a.m. in Franktown Cemetery, Franktown, Va.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to the Cancer Association of Spartanburg and Cherokee Counties, P.O. Box 1582, Spartanburg, SC 29304.

An online guest register is available at www.floydmortuary.com

Arrangements were made by Floyd's Greenlawn Chapel, Spartanburg, S.C.

#### Patsy Lou Corbin

Ms. Patsy Lou Corbin known to many as just "Pat," "Ma Pat," "Aunt Pat," "Sis," or "Grandma," was born March 15, 1947, to the late James and Cynthia Taylor. She departed this life onto Glory Oct. 23, 2019.

Ms. Corbin was educated in Accomack County Public Schools. One of her biggest accomplishments in

this life was, after raising children, furthering her education to proudly become a CNA and work in a field that allowed her to use her hands and her heart.



To know Pat Corbin was to love

Ms. Corbin

her. If you loved her, you loved her food, for cooking was her passion. If she was cooking, EVERYONE was eating! She was a lady who enjoyed the simple things in life, and she was a giver. She loved God; she loved her family. Known for saying "When we leave here, we can't take nothing with us," Patsy Lou Corbin has taken on with her a piece of the hearts of those who knew her throughout this earthly journey.

Ms. Corbin is survived by daughters, Pamela Parks (Daniel), Denise Taylor, Kathleen Taylor, and Angela Sturgis (Dave Jr.); sons, Harry James Fisher, Thomas Wayne Fisher, and William James Corbin; a sister, Linda Rivera; grandchildren, Daniel Parks, Joshua Parks, Michael Jones, Dustin Fisher, Brittany Fisher Ferguson (Robert), James Thomas Fisher, Clifford Savage, Jamal Savage, Jasmine Savage, Malcom Justice, Trent Taylor Jr. (Kayla), Melissa Dawn Taylor, Destiny Taylor, William James Lee Corbin, Ariel Lynn Helms, Malik Padgett (Venus), Isaiah Padgett, and Shania Dickerson (Garrett); great-grandchildren, Chevenne Burton, Devon Nieves, Allyson White, Gravsvn White, Matson Goff, Lila Tavlor, Bradley Taylor, Brayden Dwayne Dickerson, Dwayne Dickerson, Marley Grace Dickerson, Ja'Niya Savage, Amelia Savage, Aubree Savage, Ja'keise Ames, Kay'san Ames and Serenity Ferguson; special niece, Cynthia Haggins; along with several nieces, nephews, cousins, sister and brother-in-laws, and special friends who will all miss Patsy Lou.

Other than her parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Wayne Thomas Corbin; a daughter, Elizabeth Ann Fisher; and a granddaughter, Mary Taylor.

A funeral service was held Saturday, Oct. 26, 2019, from the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley with Pastor Wayne Hart officiating. Interment followed in the Taylor Family Cemetery in Guilford.

Arrangements were made by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

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

#### Dolly Fizer DeBoodt

Mrs. Dolly Fizer DeBoodt, 91, wife of the late Julius A. DeBoodt and a resident of Onancock, passed away Sunday, Oct. 27, 2019, at Commonwealth Senior Living, formerly Hermitage on the Eastern Shore, in Onancock. A native of Lenoir, N.C., she was the daughter of the late Jay C. Setzer and the late Mary Setzer. She was a retired insurance agent and a member of the Red Hat Society.

She is survived by five children, Sandra Parks, of Painter, Sheilla Taylor, of Exmore, Dr. J.W.Wilson, of Belle Haven, Kathryn Woodall, of Spout Spring, Va., and Dr. Jennifer DeBoodt, of



Mrs. DeBoodt

Orlando, Fla.; a loving stepson, Kenneth Fizer Jr., of Dyke, Va.; a brother, Donald Setzer; two sisters, Jadean Galloway and Brenda Collier; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a brother, James Setzer.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, Nov. 2, 2019, at 2 p.m. at Doughty Funeral Home with the Rev. Rick Woodall officiating. Interment will follow in Belle Haven Cemetery.

Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's

Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave., Fl. 17. Chicago, IL 60601.

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

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

#### Virginia Ewell Godwin

Mrs. Virginia Ewell Godwin, 87, of Indian Head, Md., passed away Oct. 23, 2019, at the University of Maryland Charles Regional Medical Center in La Plata, Md., surrounded by her family.

Born in Mears, Va., Sept. 26, 1932, she was the daughter of the late Estelle Hart and the late Oscar Brantley Ewell.

Mrs. Ewell was an Avon sales rep-

resentative for over 40 years. Her greatest accomplishment, however, was the love she shared as a wife, mother, grandmother, and greatgrandmother.



Mrs. Ewell is survived by her Mrs. Godwin

loving husband of 66 years, Reginald Godwin; daughter, Debbie Godwin Brown and husband, Bill, of Chincoteague; two sons, Reginald Godwin Jr. and wife, Dawn, of La Plata, and Edward Godwin and partner, Lisa Prather, of Cobb Island, Md.; six grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; additional children related by love; and several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held Friday, Nov. 1, 2019, at 10:30 a.m., at Raymond Funeral Service, 5635 Washington Avenue, La Plata, MD 20646. Burial will be at Groton Cemetery in Hallwood, Va., at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the following: Indian Head Volunteer Fire Department, 4095 Indian Head Highway, Indian Head, MD 20640 or the Potomac Heights Volunteer Fire Department, 73 Glymont Road, Indian Head, MD 20640.

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#### Colton Thomas Parks

Master Colton Thomas Parks, age 5, of Wallops Island, went to be with the angels and explore the universe Saturday, Oct. 26, 2019. Born Oct. 19, 2014, in Nassawadox, he was the son of Steven Michael Parks and Crystal Lee Kellenberger, of Wallops Island.

Colton loved the movie, "Toy Story," and favored the character, Woody, and

he especially loved anything with wheels – from firetrucks to monster trucks to matchbox cars. He attended preschool at Agape Christian Children's Community Cen-

ter, where he had



**Colton Parks** 

many friends and was adored by his teachers. Always eager to help others, Colton was the first to volunteer during clean-up time or help one of his friends in class. He loved the Lord and looked forward to Sunday service with his family at Grace United Methodist Church. With his heart of gold, sweet smile, and joyful spirit, Colton was the center of his family's world.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his paternal grandparents, Tim and Sharon "Boo Boo"; maternal grandparents, Sharon and Bill; godbrother and sister, Kai and Amerikiss; and his dog and best bud, Achilles, who slept by his side every night. He was predeceased by his maternal greatgrandmother, Joyce Hancock.

Funeral services will be held at Grace United Methodist Church Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019, at 2 p.m., with visitation one hour prior. Private interment will be held in the Parksley Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests those who attend bring a toy to the service so they may personally share with his friends and classmates in Colton's memory.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at <u>www.williamsfuneralhomes.com</u>

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

#### Billye Sue Powers

Mrs. Billye Sue Hopkins Powers, 75, wife of the late Richard Powers and a resident of Nassawadox, formerly of Chincoteague, passed away Sun-

day, Oct. 27, 2019, at Sentara Leigh Hospital in Norfolk, Va. A native of

Exmore, she was the daughter of the late Charles Hopkins and the late Nellie Tucker Gardner. She was a retired clerk for the Chincoteague ABC Store. She is survived



Mrs. Powers

by a son, Stewart Jenkins and his wife, Valerie, of Painter; a daughter, Angela Renee Marshall, of Parksley; two sisters, Anne Gibbs, of Virginia Beach, Va., and Betsy Jester and her husband, Wayne, of Florida; four grandchildren;

and numerous nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be conducted Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019, at 2 p.m. at Belle Haven Cemetery with the Rev. Jonathan Carpenter. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Exmore Moose Lodge #683, P.O. Box 1227, Exmore, VA 23350 or Heritage Hall Healthcare Activities Fund, P.O. Box 176, Nassawadox, VA 23413.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at <u>www.doughtyfuneralhome.com</u>

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

#### John "Jack" West

Mr. John "Jack" Bowdoin West, 95, of Nelsonia, husband of Blanche Middleton West, passed away Oct. 28, 2019, at his residence.

Born Dec. 6, 1923, in Accomack County, he was the son of the late John Hanson West and the late Blanche Bundick West. Mr. West graduated from Bloxom High School

and then attended Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

He was a poultry farmer, a serviceman for William R. Lewis at Delmarva Feed Company and then Holly Farms, and a real



Mr. West

estate salesman for C. Roy Kelly Real Estate. He then owned and operated John B. West Realty, where he worked alongside his wife, Blanche. Mr. West was a member of Modest Town Baptist Church, where he was a deacon for 50 years. He was also a member of the Sea-Bay Metompkin Ruritan Club, the Onancock Rotary, and was a former president of the Eastern Shore Realtors Association. He loved to travel, enjoyed his coffee groups, and eating at the former Owl Restaurant, the former King of the Sea, and the Club Car Cafe.

Other than his wife of 71 years, Mr. West is survived his daughter, Teresa Ann West (Tony Smith), of Ocean Pines, Md.; two sons, William Carey West (Laura), of Tuscaloosa, Ala., and John B. West Jr., of Nelsonia; a brother, William "Bill" H. West (Priscilla), of Nelsonia; several nieces and nephews, Susan Moran, Polly Johns, William Hansen West Jr., Ronald Bailey, Richard Everson, Anita Bailey, Karen Zawalick, Kevin Wrenn, Mary Catherine Bailey-Adams, Jo Anne Bartlett, Tommy Bailey and Colin Wrenn; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by an infant brother, John Hanson West Jr., and a niece, Marilyn Hagen.

A funeral service will be held Saturday Nov. 2, 2019, at 2 p.m., from the Modest Town Baptist Church in Modest Town with the Rev. John Cullop officiating. Interment will follow in the Modest Town Baptist Church Cemetery. A reception will follow at the church. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the church.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to Modest Town Baptist Church Memorial Fund, c/o Tina Wessells, P.O. Box 7, Modest Town, VA 23412.

Arrangements were made by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

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

#### Nedra Smith Williams

Mrs. Nedra Smith Williams, 77, a lifelong resident of Tangier Island, was reunited with her beloved husband, Barry Morton Williams Sr., and son, Edwin Smith "Eddie" Williams, Wednesday, Oct. 30, 2019. Born Jan. 18, 1942, on Tangier, she was a daughter of the late Norman Smith and the late Helen Moore Smith.

Mrs. Williams was an active lifelong member of Swain Memorial United Methodist Church, where she served on the board, sang in the choir, and happily volunteered in any capacity when needed. In addition to her involvement within the church, she faithfully devoted her life in service to her Lord and Savior through the women's prayer band, the women's society, and in the many ways she selflessly gave within her community. Mrs. Williams loved to share her passion for

cooking with any and all. For more than 40 years, she worked as the cafeteria manager at Tangier Combined School and never visited a friend or neighbor without fudge or brownies in hand.



Mrs. Williams

Mrs. Williams was a people person who graciously spread her joy, warmth, and happiness wherever she went. Her legacy of faith and giving will be forever remembered in the hearts of the countless lives she touched.

Survivors include her loving children, Barry Morton Williams Jr., of Tangier, and Angela Williams Parks and husband, Harry "Duke," of Clayton, N.C.; grandchildren, Dillon Smith Parks, Alexis Paige Parks, Samantha Marsh and husband, Scottie, and Charlie Williams; great-grandchildren, Carter, Cohen, and Callie Marsh; daughter-in-law, Caroline Williams; and several nieces and nephews, including Mary Crockett and Dawn Hilton, with whom she shared a special bond. In addition to her husband, son, and parents, she was predeceased by her siblings, Angela Davis and Ed, Jack, and Norman Smith.

A memorial service will be held at Swain Memorial United Methodist Church. The date and time will be announced.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in Mrs. Williams' memory may be made to the Swain Memorial United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 199, Tangier, VA 23440.

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

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

#### NAACP CELEBRATES LEGACY, RECOGNIZES COMMUNITY LEADERS

#### Submitted Article

For over a century, the NAACP has supported the community in creating a legacy based on the collective courage of people of all races, nationalities, and faiths, united in one premise, that all men and women are created equal.

The evening of Saturday, Oct. 19, members of the Northampton County chapter of the NAACP, along with friends and distinguished guests, gathered at the legendary Giddens Do Drop Inn, of Weirwood, to celebrate their legacy, remember their past, rejoice in their accomplishments, recognize the efforts of the community, and look to the future as they work together in brotherly love to unite their counties and communities, working in harmony for the betterment of all citizens.

Over an amazing meal provided by Jane Cabarrus and her folks at the inn, Judith Brooks-Buck, a veteran public school educator with over 25 years of teaching and administration in four states and West Germany, delivered a poignant talk on the state of

public education and the local, as well as global, myths associated with public education that hold people back.

With its focus on education, the NAACP, with help from corporate sponsorship, has awarded more than 60 scholarships since 1985 to students from Northampton and Accomack counties for post-secondary education.

After dinner and the keynote address, Cabarrus, NAACP area chairperson, Eddie Lawrence, superintendent of Northampton County Public Schools, and Barbara Boggs, of Accomack County Parks and Recreation, recognized area educators and presented them with plaques in appreciation of their unwavering support and leadership in the community and their accomplishments in educating children and preparing them for a lifetime of learning, growth, and achievement.

The assembly also recognized Bruce Kenneth Griffin Sr., retired after 34 years with Northampton County Public Schools.



The Northampton County NAACP congratulates Community Service Award winners Shavonne Ruffin, Kiptopeke Elementary School teacher, Subrina Owens Parker, KES principal, and Sucora Owens Robinson, Nandua Middle School assistant principal, pictured with Northampton schools Superintendent Eddie Lawrence. Not pictured are Community Service Award winner Annette Gray-Thomas, former Northampton schools Assistant Superintendent, and NAACP Trailblazer Award winner Willie C. Randall. Submitted photo.



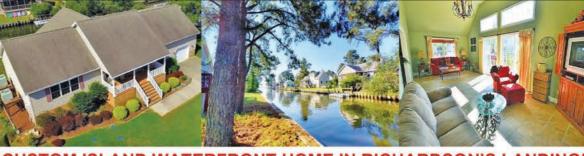






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#### Saturday's Antares Rocket Launch Should Be Visible Along East Coast

#### By Linda Cicoira

Northrop Grumman's Antares rocket is scheduled to be launched Saturday, Nov. 2, 9:59 a.m. from the Mid-Atlantic Regional Spaceport at the NASA Wallops Flight Facility and will carry supplies to the International Space Station.

The launch may be visible, weather permitting, to residents throughout the mid-Atlantic region and possibly the East Coast of the United States.

The NASA Visitor Center at Wallops opens at 6 a.m. on launch day for public viewing. Additional locations for catching the launch are Robert Reed Park on Chincoteague Island or Beach Road spanning the area between Chincoteague and Assateague Islands. The beach at the Assateague Island National Seashore/ Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge will not be open during the launch.

Visitors are reminded that alcohol, pets, and firearms are not allowed on the NASA Visitor Center grounds. Because of limited parking, campers and recreational vehicles will not be able to park there.

Those who can't make it to the launch can visit <a href="https://sites.wff.nasa.gov/wm-">https://sites.wff.nasa.gov/wm-</a>

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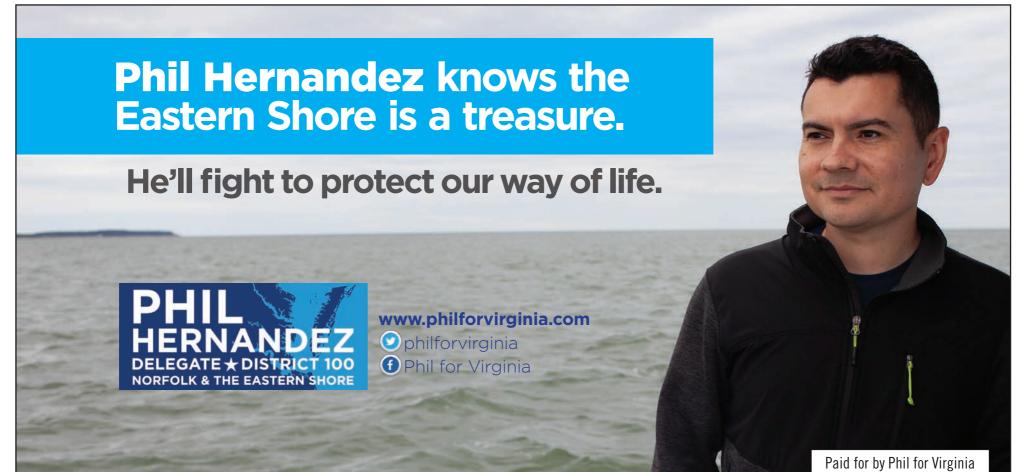
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Concentric circles show the time delay (in seconds) for when the rocket will be visible from various locations. Image courtesy of NASA.

sc/#/home to see a live video of the blast-off. Live coverage will begin at 5 a.m.

Launch updates will be available on the NASA Wallops Facebook and Twit-

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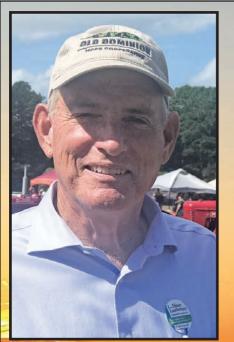






#### All Fired Up

The Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Co. held an open house to show off its newly completed firehouse (left). As part of the festivities, the public was invited for a short ride aboard a firetruck. Pictured above are James and Catherine Burke.



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# VOTE SHORE VOTE ROB BLOXOM

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Guests at Cape Charles Brewing Co. who support the re-election of Sen. Lynwood Lewis enjoyed this "incumbent burger" as part of a food political poll Oct. 29.

#### CAPE CHARLES DINERS VOTE WITH TASTEBUDS

#### Story and Photo by Stefanie Jackson

In celebration of upcoming Election Day, several Cape Charles restaurants held a political straw poll Tuesday, Oct. 29, in which diners signified their choice for state senate by selecting one of two special menu items.

For example, at the dining counter at Rayfield's Pharmacy, customers could choose a breakfast of two eggs, toast, and coffee, with either a sausage "lank" for Republican challenger Elizabeth Lankford, or wood-smoked bacon for Democratic incumbent Lynwood Lewis.

It's about "doing something fun together and getting the community involved," said Berkley Rayfield, of Rayfield's Pharmacy.

It's a day for restaurant owners to not worry about competing with one another but to focus on a different kind of competition – the state senate race – in a fun and creative way.

For lunch, Rayfield's offered a grilled ham ciabatta with blue crab soup, a reference to Lankford's business, Blue Crab Bay Co., in Melfa. The alternative was a Shrimp Louis ciabatta with fries, representing Lewis.

"Vote your gut!" the menu exclaimed. Over at Cape Charles Brewing Co., Lewis supporters could enjoy the "incumbent burger," a half-pound of hamburger made with a blend of ground sirloin, brisket, and short rib, topped with pulled pork, onion rings, cheddar cheese, lettuce, and tomato, on a brioche bun.

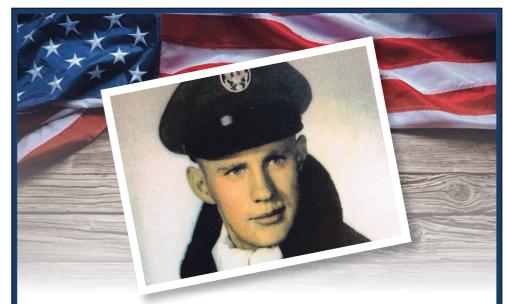
For Lankford fans, there were "lanky loaded fries" with seasoned ground beef and beer cheese.

Later in the evening, Lankford showed up at Cape Charles Brewing Co. and ordered the fries named for her, Rayfield said, and "a good time was had by all."

Other participating restaurants were Kelly's Gingernut Pub, on Mason Avenue, featuring "left wings" and "right wings"; Cape Charles Distillery, at its new location, also on Mason Avenue; Tim's Place, on Peach Street; and Coach House Tavern, on Clubhouse Way, in Bay Creek.

Rayfield thanked everyone who participated and helped "create chatter" in the week leading up to the election.

Voter turnout was light on that cloudy Tuesday, but the race was tight. With 100% of the "precincts" reporting by Wednesday afternoon, Lewis won with 45 votes, or 50.5%. Lankford finished in a close second with 44 votes, or 49.4%.



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by Linda Thistle

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# PARENT TO NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL BOARD: TAKE BULLYING SERIOUSLY

By Stefanie Jackson

Bullying in school is a problem that should be taken seriously and acted upon sooner rather than later, a concerned parent informed the Northampton school board at its Oct. 24 meeting.

"If you think that, 'Oh, they're just teasing,' or, 'This is what we did as kids' – you can't look at it that way. That is bullying," said Charlena Jones, the parent of a Northampton student and an unopposed candidate for a seat on the school board.

Jones, who has been regularly attending school board meetings in preparation for her future role on the board, switched to her "parenting hat" during her Oct. 24 public comments to implore the school board to act on behalf of her daughter and other students who have been bullied.

When her daughter was a victim of bullying twice in one week, it "hit home" for Jones and inspired her to be a "voice of change."

Stopbullying.gov defines bullying as "unwanted, aggressive behavior among school-age children that involves a real or perceived power imbalance," Jones read.

"The behavior is repeated, or has the potential to be repeated, over time. Both kids who are bullied and who bully others may have serious lasting problems," she continued.

The three main types of bullying are verbal, social, and physical. Examples of verbal bullying include "teasing, name-calling, inappropriate sexual comments, taunting, and threatening to cause harm," she said.

Jones described the domino effect of how one instance of bullying leads to more bullying.

First her daughter was bullied, then the child was bullied into not telling her mother about the incident, and she was bullied again two days later when she refused to engage in a physical altercation.

"She was bullied if she told her mom ... and then she was bullied because she chose to do what was right," Jones said.

She told the school board to act on the bullying problem now and "do not wait until it gets as big as other places."

Jones said her daughter was moved to tears by the experience and asked to be homeschooled, Jones said.

A 2017 report by the National Center for Education Statistics and Bureau of Justice stated that about 20%

of students ages 12 to 18 were bullied.

According to <u>stopbullying.gov</u> during one study, nearly half of children in grades four to 12 reported being bullied at least once within the last month. Approximately 30% of children admitted to bullying others.

About 70% of both students and teachers have witnessed bullying. More than half the time, bullying stops within 10 seconds when bystanders intervene.

Later in the meeting, board member Nancy Proto responded to Jones' concerns.

Proto said she knew another parent who homeschools her children to protect them from bullying, and Proto agreed that bullying has a lasting impact on children.

"My son was also bullied, and he's 47 and carries those scars even though he's gone on and he's been successful," she said.

"He had his father and myself to help him transcend that time and explain to him, 'Eighth grade isn't your life. It's a difficult time in your life, but it's not your life, and better things are coming."

Kids who are bullied may contemplate suicide, but they can be spared becoming "statistics" if they have a "support system," Proto said.

Her fear is that some children lack that support system.

Proto suggested the school board set aside funds in next year's budget for anti-bullying measures.

Superintendent Eddie Lawrence said Northampton schools' social-emotional learning program addresses bullying, but the division does not have a specific anti-bullying program in place like the popular Olweus Bullying Prevention Program.

"Bullying has changed," he said, pointing to cyber-bullying as a prime example.

Moreover, cyber-bullying can be difficult to prove when content is deleted after it has been posted, resulting in "one kid's word against the other," he said.

An increasing number of parents are complaining about social bullying, that kids feel "isolated" or "not popular." Lawrence added.

School board members Jo Ann Molera and Maxine Rasmussen were concerned that individuals of all ages participate less in religious and community organizations that provide a sense that "you belong to somewhere," Rasmussen said.

"People are more isolated now, even adults."



Paving the Way to the New Tasley Firehouse
Progress continues on Tasley Volunteer Fire Company's new station. The parking lot was blacktopped Monday. Interior work is being completed and the company hopes to be in its new home by early next year. Photo by Linda Cicoira.



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#### **RESOLUTION**

BE IT RESOLVED by the Northampton County Board of Supervisors, this 8th day of October, 2019, that the regular meeting of the Board, scheduled for Tuesday, November 12, 2019, commencing at 5:00 p.m., in the Board Chambers of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, be changed to Thursday, November 14, 2019; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, following this meeting, the date, time and place of the regular meeting of the Northampton County Board of Supervisors shall revert to the 2nd Tuesday of each month, commencing at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers of the County, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia.

Adopted this 8th day of October, 2019.





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If you cannot attend the workshop and want to share your ideas, please contact Darren Coffey.

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Replicas of the Things He Loves, His Home and His Boats

By Linda Cicoira

When 83-year-old Glenwood "Sonny" Bennett, of Onley, had a heart attack 20 years ago, he had to give up fishing, a job he had for almost four decades.

"After a couple of years, I felt like doing something because I was just laying around," he said Tuesday. So, Bennett decided to recreate the boats he operated over the years.

"I starting doing one boat, the last boat that I owned, which was called Amazing Grace. After that I just kept on building."

Bennett has constructed 25 boats. "I've given most of them away, sold a couple," he said. "I have eight here at the house now. I just do this as a hobby."

He even made a replica of the house where he and Maybelle, his wife of 61 years, live. And he made every piece of furniture in the house.

Dr. Lloyd J. Kellam, a local cardiologist, was lucky enough to recieve one of Bennett's Chesapeake Bay buy boats. Kellam didn't hestitate to take a break from his busy day last week to smile and pose with the beauty, which is appropriately named Riverside, for the local hospital where the doctor practices. It is displayed in his offices there.

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Bennett is a patient of Kellam's. He gets to visit his boat whenever he has an appointment and hear how much Kellam appreciates it.

"I'm glad that he enjoys it," Bennett said. "I had him come over here and look at it. He really loved it, so I said he could have it. I thought it would be wonderful to name it Riverside."

It took Sonny Bennett, shown above with the replica of his home, a year to build the model and make all the furniture inside.

At right, Dr. Lloyd J. Kellam, the Eastern Shore's cardiologist, poses with the boat that Bennett, who is one of his patients, gave to him.

Photos by Linda Cicoira





#### Chesapeake Bay Foundation To Close Fox Island Environmental Ed Center

#### By Linda Cicoira

The circa 1929 hunting and fishing lodge that turned into an Environmental Education Center on Great Fox Island more than four decades ago is in its last season. It will close sometime in December due to sea level rise.

About 70 percent of the island is already gone. Once nearly 360 acres, it is down to 34. What's left is less than 24 inches above the surf. It will likely be sold, and classes will move to the Port Isobel Island facility near Tangier.

Fox Island is a string of marshes in the midst of the Tangier and Pocomoke sounds and accessible via Saxis Harbor. The lodge was built by the Fox Island Rod and Gun Club and was later donated to the Chesapeake Bay Foundation.

Elsworth Linton, of Saxis, remembers hunting the area with his dad, Dulany Linton, when the younger Linton was 12, 13, and 14 years old. He's 95 now. "It's washing away bad," he said of Fox Island. "When it blows it washes the dirt and sand somewhere else."

Linton was a waterman and bought and sold crabs. "I've seen it all," he said. "I think it's rising more all the time. Been going on

ever since I was a boy. The high tides. Every time there was a storm, it would flood up there," he said of parts of Saxis.

Despite the changes that come with the rising sea levels, Linton said he's made it to his age because of the water. "Saltwater makes you live longer. It keeps everything."

According to the foundation's website, "From its unique perch in the middle of the Chesapeake, we've provided life-changing learning experiences for tens of thousands of the watershed's teachers and students for more than 40 years. Many of them went on to pursue careers in science, public service, education, and environmental advocacy. It's a testament not only to the magic of the island but also to the exceptional cast of CBF educators and staffers who stewarded its shores for so long."

"It's hard to imagine CBF without it," the website continued.

Sea level rise is affecting more than the islands. Carroll Lee Marshall, a local carver, said, "Saxis doesn't get flooded nearly as much as Sanford does." After getting water in his house that was up four cinderblocks high, they lifted the



The Chesapeake Bay Foundation's Environmental Education Center on Fox Island will close soon. Photo courtesy of Chesapeake Bay Foundation.

house to 11 blocks and put in 270 loads of fill dirt in 2003. "We just like Sanford. We enjoy it," he said of himself and his wife.

The sea level rise "doesn't bother duck hunting too much," Marshall continued. "The ducks are decreasing. We don't know why. Don't know if they are getting fed up north or are going to irrigation ponds that have been dug" locally. "When I hunted, I hunted on the regular marshes. There are still hunters going to Cattail Creek and Messongo Creek and around Saxis," he said.

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The foundation says coastal Virginia has seen the highest rate of relative sea level rise on the Atlantic coast with more than 14 inches since 1930.

"It was just a great place," said Accomack Supervisor Grayson Chesser, a renowned carver. "I've been in it a couple of times. I used to hunt up to Fox Island and it was just ... like a symbol of a bygone era. It was such a landmark. You could see it coming out of

Broad Creek and coming out of Crisfield. On a clear day, if you rode down to the end of the dock in Saxis, you could see it. For some reason, it was just nice knowing it was there. I knew a lot of the people who were guides there and worked there. I guided for one of the members of the club -- Billy Werber -- Duke's first All-American basketball player, he broke in with the Yankees with Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, led both leagues in stolen bases, was the first man to ever bat on a televised baseball game."

# Posted at Sea Level

The right to vote is a sacred thing that I have been doing since I turned 18 years old. That was more than four decades ago. I haven't missed an election. I will go if it is raining or so beautiful outside that one would enjoy playing hooky from the world. I usually remind my friends not to forget to vote.

I can vividly recall when I registered to vote for the first time. I was excited to be part of the process. It was 1976 and the 48th quadrennial presidential election saw Jimmy Carter, of Georgia, defeat President Gerald Ford, of Michigan.

People have been making excuses not to vote ever since I can remember. They have been arguing for years about whether or not their vote can make a difference.

Well, I think it can.

The controversy is understandable in national elections where electoral votes rule the outcome. Most people aren't in favor of that college, yet the system continues to be used over and over again. We all know presidential elections have the best turnout, so it makes me believe that voters have high hopes.

So push all those doubting thoughts aside and get out there on Nov. 5. We don't use the electoral method for local elections, and on the Eastern Shore, it has been repeatedly proven that every vote is important. Yippee! Yes, we've seen it happen!

Mayor Matt Hart, of Onley, won by a

single vote in 2018 against Bill Ferguson. It was a monumental event in local history. Google it and you will see.

In 2014, Sen. Lynwood Lewis won his seat by 11 votes and defeated Wayne Coleman, a Hampton Roads businessman. It was a difference of nine votes before the recount. So two votes were stirring around for a while. That was my vote and your vote in there somewhere.

A lot more people are voting absentee these days. And that is fine. I did it only once and that was in 2000 when my mother died just a few days before Election Day. I was living in the Shenandoah Valley and needed to come back home, so I cast my ballot before I traveled.

But I prefer to vote at the precinct. Mine is the Painter firehouse. It is a ritual for me. The line is never that long and everyone is very professional. I know my vote is kept private. That's important when you work for a newspaper. I don't vote in party primaries because someone might accuse me of being partisan.

No one agrees with everyone else all the time, and we never really know what others do when they get that ballot in their hands. I think it's a perfect way to have a secret.

You are free to do as you please. That also means if you don't like the way an unopposed candidate is performing, you can withhold a vote for that person while still casting a ballot for other offices. It's powerful and it sends a silent message.

So I urge all the voters in Accomack and Northampton counties to get out and vote, wear the sticker that says you voted proudly, and give a friend a ride to the polls. Yippee!

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The Phoenix Fire Inferno hold one another up. Photo by Matthew Yoder.

#### By Matthew Yoder

TJ Smith opened the competition with a reverential, pleasing rendition of the national anthem, and by the end of the evening he was overcome with raw emotion celebating, as coach, with his Arcadia Firebirds, victorious in the region 2A cheer competition.

The victory Tuesday night came exactly one week following a second place finish to Nandua in district competition.

Clutching the regional trophy amid throngs of spectators who flooded the court after the results had been announced, Smith was elated,

speaking to a roller-coaster of feelings for his squad.

"It was hard last week," Smith said. In districts, Arcadia sat on its home court, visibly shaken by the results as Nandua celebrated. Both teams stood above their competitors on that night, and for the regional competition they both equally upped their effort. Nandua ultimately finished third, leaving it just beyond qualifying for the state



tators who flooded the court The victorious Arcadia team. Photo by Matthew Yoder.

competition, but the players left no doubt in their high energy, formidable routine that they came to win. Arcadia just seemed focused to hold court this time and give their enthusiastic home fans something to rejoice in.

At stake for the six teams competing was a trip to the state cheering competition at Virginia Commonwealth University in Richmond. In addition to the local teams, Arcadia's gym was enlivened by the spirit of the Prince Edward Eagles, Poquson Bull Islanders, Windsor Dukes, and King William Cavaliers. The Cavaliers were the final team to perform, and their strong effort ultimately bumped Nandua from moving on to states.

The evening also hosted up-andcoming talent from Arcadia, in the renditions of youth teams, the Phoenix Fire Inferno and Phoenix Fire Blaze.

Their smiling kids and coaches helped cut the tension on what was a more decidedly tense night. Missing on the evening was an all-squads dance prior to results. Tuesday the teams sat and waited as judges sifted through difficult assessments. From a spectator's perspective the decision seemed pared down to a three-squad affair, with Arcadia, Nandua, and King William expertly blending dance and athleticism with spirited volume. The

loudest noise on the evening, however, came as the Firebirds were introduced as winners and the celebration that ensued might likely still be ongoing.

Coach Smith talked of 13 long years to get to a point that will resonate a lifetime.

"I will never, ever, forget what happened October 29," said Smith.

Nandua ignites the crowd with thunderous cheers. Photo by Matthew Yoder.

### Vikings Win One Lose One

10/19/19 - VOLLEYBALL BROADWATER 3 ISLE OF WIGHT 2

10/26/19 - VOLLEYBALL STONE BRIDGE 3 BROADWATER O

#### By Brennan Waldorf

The Broadwater Vikings avenged two regular season losses Oct. 19 when they traveled to Isle of Wight for a quarterfinal showdown in the Metro Conference. The Vikings had previously been swept by the Chargers in three straight sets on two separate occasions this season but were ready for them in conference play. They took the Chargers to five sets (26-14, 25-23, 15-25, 21-25, 15-10) and pulled off the upset as they were seeded lower than their counterpart.

The Vikings upset victory advanced them to the conference semifinals where they were matched against volleyball goliath Stone Bridge. The Cavs were 30-4 on the season and won the state title in 2016 and 2017 but fell in the semifinals last year. They are the second-ranked team in division III and are poised to take the title this year. They beat the Vikings in three straight sets (25-11, 25-9, 25-13) as all six of their starters made the All-Metro Conference team.

## Archangel Warriors Glide Over Vikings

#### 10/26/19 - FOOTBALL ST. MICHAEL 55 BROADWATER 14

#### By Brennan Waldorf

The third-ranked team in the VISAA Division III came to Exmore last Saturday to face off against the Broadwater Vikings. The St. Michael the Archangel Warriors had only 15 players dressed for their bout against the Vikings, but it was all they needed.

The Warriors were a well-oiled and disciplined machine as they controlled the ball and clock most of the game. The Vikings' defense made several big plays on the day, often putting the Warriors in third and long situations. They were dialed in against the run but broken coverage on passing plays often allowed for wide-open Warrior scores.

The Warriors started with the ball after the Vikings deferred. It would take seven plays for them to get into the end zone behind the leadership of senior quarterback Jalen Smith. With a series of short passes, the Warriors found themselves on the Broadwater 19 facing a third-and-11 when they completed a wide-open pass to Chase Wormley. The extra point was good, and they were up 7-0 with 7:45 left in the first quarter.

The Vikings struggled on offense all day against the Warriors stout defense. Their first possession was a three and out, putting the ball back into the hands of the Warriors who would score on another broken coverage play. Down 13-0 after a failed 2-point conversion, the Vikings took over from their own 49 after a sizeable return from Gunnar Gustafon but poor blocking allowed the Warriors to break through and record a sack that lead to a Brant Bloxom fumble.

Good field position allowed the Warriors to score another passing touchdown to running back Shymarr Wright. Down three scores, the Vikings desperately needed to get something going to stay in the game. Gustafon answered that call when he torched the Warriors' special teams' unit for over 70 yards before being hawked down at the Warriors' 2-yard



Viking defenders were frequent visitors of Jalen Smith in the Warrior backfield. Photo by Brennan Waldorf.

line. The specialist then capped the drive off with a rushing touchdown to the right before passing a two-point conversion to Clay Wardius.

The Warriors took over possession with the score at 20-8 with 11:47 left in the half. The Vikings defense, still making plays, found themselves facing a fourth-and- 1, but the Warriors converted and would find the end zone again with a pass to Wright. The Vikings stalled on their next possession recording a three and out but bounced back on defense, recording a three and out of their own after a Caleb Floyd sack forced a Warrior fourth and long.

With short time and good field position, the Vikings' offense went to work. Brant Bloxom connected with Clay Wardius for a 19-yard gain followed by a 13-yard run up the middle from Gustafon. With the ball on the Warriors' 3-yard line, Gustafon punched in the go-ahead touchdown but would fail on the 2-point conversion attempt.

The score was 27-14 with 1:31 left in the half. The Vikings' defense continued to make big plays when they recorded back-to-back sacks, one of which by Clay Wardius resulted in a fumble recovery for the Vikings. With 22 seconds left, Brant Bloxom delivered a strike to Gustafon for 34 yards on a pass over the middle in double coverage. Gustafon then attempted a run up the middle but fell short, ending the half.

The Vikings' offense did not find the end zone again in the game as the Warriors disciplined defense contained the run and got to the quarterback. The Vikings' defense continued to make plays but allowed the Warriors to score four more touchdowns in the half, falling 55-14. The Vikings move to 3-5 and will have their hands full on senior day, Nov. 2, as they face a 7-1 Fuqua, who are number one in the division.





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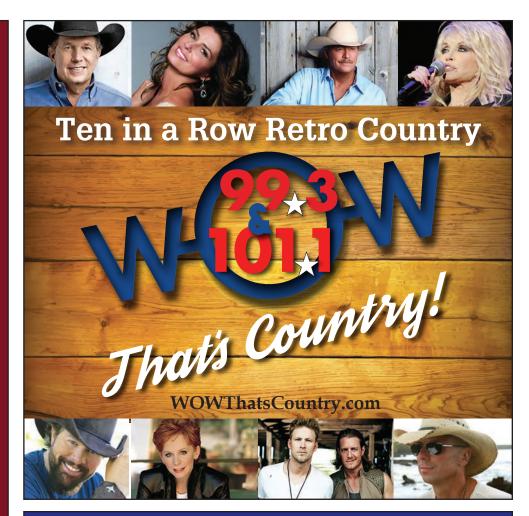
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#### Ponies Keep Heads High After Battling a Season of Losses

#### 10/25/19 - FOOTBALL MODEL SECONDARY 42 CHINCOTEAGUE 7

#### By Matthew Yoder

The greatest testament to a Chincoteague team battling through a winless season is that all the kids continue to show up and compete. It's inevitable that teams will lose games, as well as lose players to injury along the way, but the Ponies haven't seen a reduction in their roster as a result of athletes quitting. Last Friday's 42-7 loss in Washington, D.C., to the Model Secondary School for the Deaf dropped Chincoteague's record to 0-8, but the level of pride and fight continues to encourage the Ponies' coaches deep into the schedule.

"With these kids there's no quit, these guys have got a lot of grit," said Chincoteague coach Tony Nock.

For Chincoteague the season has boiled down to putting a healthy squad on the field and defending well against individual and team mismatch concerns. The two tend to go hand-in-hand, and the

battle has been an uphill one for the Ponies from the beginning. Without fresh, healthy legs to rotate, games have been lost to speed and the big play, and the Eagles were the latest team to exploit the Ponies' deficiencies. Chincoteague trailed by only 14-7 at halftime, with Wes Britton finding the end zone for the Ponies, but a deeper roster, larger line, and play of star receiver, Joshua Kinner, proved too much to overcome in the second half.

"Number 5 can play college ball somewhere. We didn't have the secondary to keep up with him," Nock said of Kinner. He scored on a skinny post formation on the first play of the game for the Eagles, and that was just one of a number of big plays that eliminated Chincoteague's chances for victory.

However, like Nock, Chincoteague assistant coach, Contrel Brown, felt inspired by his team's effort, particularly against a deeper team. "I think it was our best overall game played. I don't think we played any worse against them than any other team would have," said Brown. Football needs to trigger a short-term memory mentality in its

players, especially in ones struggling to end a season-long slide, so the shift is always on to what's next, and this week's matchup with Blessed Sacrament-Huguenot will be the final opportunity for Chincoteague's seniors to find the win column in 2019.

Exiting practice Monday evening, the Ponies were just as energetic as they were back in August, "Their focus is on Friday night," Nock said.

They have been through a lot this season. A devastating, horrific injury to one of their stars, Dakota Bowden, losses to teams with blinding speed, and some questionable officiating along the way has seemingly not disrupted their enthusiasm to play. Tonight in Chincoteague will be the final opportunity for a number of players to suit up and play a game you have to love to get this far.

Nock believes the trials of the 2019 season will aid many of his players moving forward, and he is pleased that so many have endured the challenges.

"In life these kids will learn a lot from this, and it's their own self-will that all of them are still here," said Nock.



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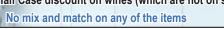
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Shown above from left are (sitting) Ashley Chavez, Football Queen, and Monikka Sabatino, Queen; and (standing) Jahiem Bailey, Football King, and Jagger Robbins, King. Submitted Photo.



#### **Northampton High**





Pictured above from left are students Baron James Applegate and Baroness Mariah Matthew (9th grade); Lord Alonzo Capers and Lady Lauryn Taylor (10th grade); Prince Tyrell Crockett and Princess Ivory Sellers (12th grade); King Howard Rayfield and Queen Layla Rodriques (12th grade); and Duke Kobe Lyons and Duchess Cassidy Chapman (11th grade). Submitted Photo.

#### **Broadwater Academy**



Pictured at left are Homecoming Queen Logan Harmon and Homecoming King Charles Hickman.

Not pictured: Freshman Representatives: Faith Johnson, Princess, and Will Petka, Prince. Sophomore Representatives: Jazmine Floyd, Princess, and Garrett Miles, Prince. Junior Representatives: Katie Brown, Princess, and Tucker Arcos, Prince. Senior Representatives: Logan Harmon, Mary Blake Leland, and Olivia Hart, Princesses. Submitted Photo.

# Nandua Wins the Battle of Trenches

## 10/25/19 - FOOTBALL NANDUA 10 ARCADIA 7

#### By Brennan Waldorf

Last Friday Oct. 25 the Nandua Warriors cemented their standing as the district leader with a Warrior victory over the Arcadia Firebirds. The second meeting between the two teams saw an adjusted start time because of a fight after two games earlier in the season in Oak Hall. Senior night for the Warriors resulted in a defensive stalemate with both teams battling in the trenches to control the line of scrimmage.

The Warriors started the game on offense, but a stingy Arcadia defense wouldn't allow them to gain much momentum. The Firebirds' defense in the first half was almost pristine as they busted through the Warriors' offensive line with numbers leaving Joe Teasley scrambling. The same could be said for the formidable defensive front the Warriors presented. The rivalry between the two teams was in full force on defense as each team played with a chip on its shoulder.

The Warriors opened scoring at the end of the second quarter after a short Firebird punt put them on the Arcadia 36-yard line. It took seven plays for the Warriors to find the end zone. They attempted to run but found no room and short passes were immediately met by Firebird defenders for a loss. Nandua ran the clock down to :51 seconds before calling a timeout with the ball on the Arcadia 37-yard line.

Facing third and long, the Warriors took a shot down field to Zykeese Davis advancing the ball inside the 10-yard line. Senior Joe Teasley then had a run that put the Warriors in the end zone for their only touchdown of the night.

Arcadia would get a chance on offense, with 28 seconds on the clock, and they took it but a pass down field was intercepted by Tyler Greene and the half would close with Arcadia down 7-0.

The halftime ceremony honored seniors Larry Jones, Richard Peoples, Markay Collins, Joseph Teasley, and Collin Fritzgerald, who will be ending their careers at Nandua after the season. The

Firebirds mounted a 15-play series that burned eight minutes off the clock. They alternated between backs and moved the chains advancing the ball into the Warriors' 20. They looked poised to score but a crucial false start stalled their momentum and put them at a disadvantaged as they looked at a first and 15.

The Warriors' defense locked in and controlled the line once again recording tackles for a loss against the run. "Our run fits were tremendous on defense and we tackled in the open field, we did a great job eliminating big plays," said coach Thomas Rotkowski of the Warrior defense. A bad snap then forced Tiair Bibbins to run the ball, and he was able to gain 9 yards but a fourth and long was up next and the Arcadia pass fell short, turning the ball over on downs to Nandua.

The Warriors took over on the Arcadia 17 and put another 3 points on the board when Julian Major nailed a 43-yard field goal. Down 10-0 with 11 minutes to go in the game, the Firebirds took over on their own 20 after a touchback. Arcadia didn't get much going as they committed several penalties partnered with dropped passes that backed them up to their own 5-yard line.

They were forced to punt putting the Warrriors on the 50-yard line, but off side penalties continued to rain in for the Firebirds. The Warriors taking advantage of penalties found themselves inside the 1-yard line after a tough run up the middle by Joe Teasley. Arcadia then stopped the Warriors in their tracks with their goal line defense controlling the line and stuffing the Warriors on four straight run plays. "They're a hard team to run on and they get after you," said Nanduas' Rotkowski of the Arcadia defense.

Arcadia took over from their own 1-yard line and looked to score with 3:29 left on the clock. Determined to find the end zone, they needed only two minutes when Lethon Williams reeled in a pass, taking it 52 yards to the house. After the extra point the Firebirds attempted an onside kicked but Nandua fell on the ball and went on to win the game, running the clock out.

The Firebirds outgained the Warriors with 210 total yards compared to the Warriors' 125 yards but would fall for the second time by 3 points. "We

knew we were going to get their best punch; our kids kept their composure throughout the game and kept believing," Rotkowski remarked.

The Warriors great effort on defense and the Firebirds'penalties and dropped passes ultimately cost Arcadia. They move to 4-4 on the season and will be at home for a 7 p.m. kickoff against Washington High. Nandua will travel to Eastville for a 7 p.m. matchup against district rival Northampton.



Somewhere beneath the wreckage, Jaheim Bailey gets within inches of putting the game away on fourth and goal. Photo by Brennan Waldorf.

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# Eastern Shore Cross-Country Tournament

## 10/24/19 - CROSS-COUNTRY NANDUA IST PLACE **ARCADIA 2ND PLACE** NORTHAMPTON 3RD PLACE CHINCOTEAGUE 4TH PLACE

#### By Brennan Waldorf

The Eastern Shore district meet was held last Thursday Oct. 24 on Assateague Island. Runners from all the schools on the Shore met on the island for a 10:30 a.m. start time.

The Nandua boys won the district with a perfect score as their top runners finished in the top five finishing with a score of 15. Arcadia landed in second with 64 points, Northampton placed third with 87 points, and Chincoteague finished in fourth with 105 points.

The girls district title goes to Arcadia as they finished with 30 points. Nandua followed in second with 63 points, Northampton finished in a close third with 66 points, and Chincoteague finished with 75 points.

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Northampton and Chincoteague will travel to Williamsburg Nov. 6 to compete in the Division I Regionals. Arcadia and Nandua will travel to Bruton High School to compete in the Division II Regional tournament next Wednesday as well.

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The schedule includes: Might Mite League, ages 5 to 6 from 8:30 a.m. to 9:10 a.m., Pee Wee League, ages 7 to 8 from 9:10 a.m. to 9:50 a.m., Boys/Girls Minor League, ages 9 to 12 from 9:50 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., Boys/Girls Junior League, ages 13 to 15 from 10:10 a.m. to 11:20 a.m., and the Boys/Girls Senior League, ages 16 to 18 from 11:20 a.m. to noon.

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Fishing from the Shore By Bill Hall

Speckled trout remain available from Saxis down to Fisherman's Island, but the size and quantity of fish appears to increase as you travel south. Rockfish remain abundant in the bayside shallows, though the overwhelming majority are below Virginia's 20-inch minimum size limit. A finger of warm water from the Gulf Stream pushed inshore within reach of the Virginia Beach offshore fleet, producing outstanding catches of wahoo, tuna, and mahi. Lots of swordfish catches have also come from both the Virginia Beach fleet to our south and the Ocean City fleet to our north, but this fishery has generated very little interest or effort locally.

Upper Shore - Captain Matt Abell, of the Seahawk Sports Center, had three charters this week, catching easy limits of rockfish on each trip while fishing on the Maryland portion of Tangier Sound. Captain Abell said that the stripers are still in their shallow water pattern, particularly around submerged structure and shorelines; he did run into one school of fish in open water under bird play. Anglers live-lining spot off Crisfield have been finding a little larger fish. Water temperatures have been fluctuating from the high 50s to the low 60s. A little farther south, in Pocomoke Sound, speckled trout and a few puppy drum are being caught in the shallows, along with plenty of rockfish, mostly 19 inches and smaller. Abell said one of his customers is still catching a few large red drum out of Occohannock Creek. On the seaside, Abell said that flounder fishing has been "slow, at best." One customer had three keepers, plus a speckled trout and a puppy drum while fishing out of Wachapreague, while another landed and released a large red drum in the surf. Black sea bass fishing over the offshore wrecks has been good when boats could get out.

Chincoteague – Jimmy Vasiliou, at Captain Steve's Bait & Tackle, told me the Blackfish Banks wrecks have started to produce tautog and black sea bass, as well as a couple of floun-



The crew of the Teaser with Captain Keith Neal enjoyed a productive day deep dropping off Wachapreague. Photo courtesy of the Wachapreague Inn.

der. He said that a few flounder are still hanging around inside the inlet. Inside the bay, a variety of small fish are still active including puffers, spot, small black sea bass, lizardfish, and an occasional sheepshead. A few speckled trout have been caught in the bay by Captain Bob's Marina, but the north side of the island continues to produce the majority of the trout. Bluefish have been caught in the bay, as well as in the surf where slot-sized puppy drum have been pulled from the beach near the Coast Guard Station.

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zella, at the Wachapreague Inn, reported that Captain Keith Neal with Teaser Sportfishing enjoyed productive back-to-back charters late last week. Last Thursday, Montana Large, Zack Thornton, and Frank Large recorded a late season blue marlin release and catches of dolphin (mahi) during the trolling portion of the charter, then the trio boated a nice catch of black-bellied rosefish, bluelined tilefish, golden tilefish, black sea bass, and hake while deep dropping. Then the following day, Keith guided Frank Large, Dalton Wood, and Bob Althauser on a deep dropping trip, producing streamer bass, black-bellied rosefish, blueline tilefish, hack, and black sea bass. The blueline tilefish season closed on November 1.

Lower Shore - Mark Snook, at Chris' Bait & Tackle, reported that speckled trout and puppy drum action was occurring off Kiptopeke on the bayside and off Fisherman's Island on the seaside. Mark said that he had not seen any catches of sheepshead lately but tautog were starting to show up along the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel and on the offshore wrecks, which are also holding black sea bass. Lots

of small striped bass have been caught along the Cape Charles jetties; the largest that Snook had heard of measured 26 inches. Anglers are allowed one fish per person, with a slot limit of 20 to 36 inches through the end of the year in the Chesapeake Bay. The pier at the Kiptopeke State Park is producing a variety of small fish, especially sea mullet (whiting) and undersized black sea bass.

Jeb Brady, of Bailey's Bait & Tackle, reported that speckled trout fishing is still "very good." He said anglers are reporting limits of fish, mostly in the 18- to 22-inch size range. A few puppy drum have been caught along the shoreline on the lower bayside as well as off the Cape Charles Fishing pier. He has heard reports of black sea bass on the offshore wrecks. One group of anglers encountered some late season black drum while fishing over the Triangle wrecks.

Bill Hall was the first Eastern Shore resident to achieve Virginia Salt Water Master Angler Status. He has been named Virginia Saltwater Angler of the Year and Virginia Saltwater Release Angler of the Year and is a Virginia Press Association award-winning sports columnist.





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Clowning Around in Bloxom
The clown above was part of the Hall Street Haunted House held

through Oct. 31 to benefit the Bloxom Volunteer Fire Company. Photo by Angie Huether Crutchley.

# Raffle/Cake Walk

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

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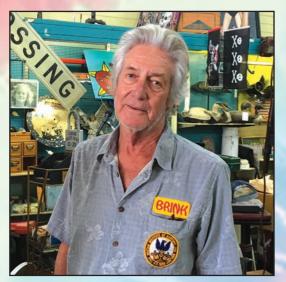
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# 'Be-Bop-A-Lula' Kid at Heart Bruce Brinkley Makes



Bruce Brinkley. Photo by Stefanie Jackson.



A folk art representation of two sisters dressed as shepherds for a play. Submitted photo.

By Stefanie Jackson

Bruce Brinkley is the product of a bygone era of flower children, free love, and yellow submarines, and it shows in his art.

Brinkley, who hails from Princess Anne County, moved to the Eastern Shore 13 years ago after he was introduced to the area for work and he and his wife realized, "Virginia Beach wasn't our hometown anymore."

The Shore reminded him a bit of what Virginia Beach was like in his youth.

It was a different place and time that left Brinkley with some far out memories.

He remembers African American women who practiced hoodoo and fashioned mojos that they hung around the necks of their children for protection.

Brinkley later practiced his own version of the ritual, waving a mojo over his band, Big Brewster and the Blue Rocks, before every performance.

Mojos are also a part of one of Brinkley's most recent folk art pieces, which he was working on when a reporter met him for an interview in the art studio at Custom Picture Framing in Cheriton.

It is one of many works that begin with a single staircase post or porch column. Brinkley enjoys salvaging old building materials and furniture parts and making them into something new.

When it's complete, the piece will feature a real, working hypnotic wheel.

The artworks that seem to be closest to his heart are the ones of humans or humanlike creatures.

Brinkley carves the wood and incorporates found objects into the pieces to create facial features and body parts.

The first such artwork was a carving of Macey and Wynn Neville, the daughters of Brinkley's friend, Scott Neville, also of Cheriton.

Brinkley's reference for the piece was a photo of Macey and Wynn costumed as shepherds for a play at the Palace Theatre in Cape Charles. He aimed to capture the playfulness of Macey prodding her sister's face into a smile.

The artwork was based on a real-life subject, but there is one element of the fantastic hidden in plain sight: Macey has wings like an angel.

Brinkley carved his first true angel six years ago. Her name is Jill, just like one of the characters in Brinkley's children's novel, "The Be-Bop-A-Lula Kid."

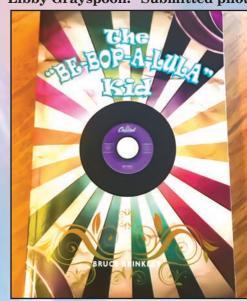
Jill resembles an Egyptian queen, and her most unique feature is her huge wings with hundreds of shiny gold and silver-colored house keys as feathers.

Libby is another angel fashioned similarly out of a salvaged wood column. Her delicate wings are made mostly of souvenir spoons, with a key or two nestled among them.

Libby wears a pink evening gown with a hem



"Libby Grayspoon." Submitted photo.



Brinkley's novel, "The Be-Bop-A-Lula Kid."
Photo by Stefanie Jackson.

# Far Out, Fantasy and Myth-Inspired Folk Art in Cheriton

made from a wooden gear that would have been used in turn-of-the-century, industrial machinery. Her hair is made of metal acanthus leaves that give the appearance of boxer braids.

Both Jill and Libby have made their home with an art dealer in Maine.

Another angel, Icey Moon, is kept in nearby Bay Creek. Perhaps it's fitting that the angel who stayed behind in the little beach town of Cape Charles is the one holding ice cream cones.

Brinkley's latest celestial creation is Lucy, "the angel of Chesapeake Bay mermaids."

Lucy is twice as fantastic as her predecessors, since she is both an angel and a mermaid.

Lucy's face is carved out of the wood column that also serves as her body, and her arms are table legs. The jewels that cover her chest are beach glass and other trinkets. Her bronze-colored wings are small and dainty.

Appropriately, the angel of Chesapeake Bay mermaids recently visited Cape Charles Beach for a photo-op.

Brinkley earned a living as a fire inspector and fire marshal, but he made a life as an artist, whether that meant playing a rock 'n' roll song, writing a story, or carving an angel.

Now he and his wife are both retired and "my main goal is to keep her happy."

He spreads a little of that happiness around with every new piece of art he creates as he captures the wonder and whimsy of youth and times gone by.

As one of Brinkley's favorite sayings goes, "Time flies like the wind, fruit flies like bananas."







Top, right: Brinkley at work in the studio on a new piece featuring "three major mojos," two of which are animal bones that are visible in the photo. Photo by Stefanie Jackson.

Bottom, left: "Jill," who shares her name with a character in Brinkley's novel, appears to be an innocent angel, but she has a dark side. She has the face of a red devil on her reverse. Submitted photo.

Bottom, right: "Lucy," also known as "the angel of Chesapeake Bay mermaids," poses in the studio at Custom Picture Framing in Cheriton. Like the sculptures of Macey and Wynn Neville, the inspiration for "Lucy" originated with a child of one of Brinkley's friends. Photo by Stefanie Jackson.



## A Look Under the Hood

This pumpkin mechanic is part of a display of Halloween cheer in the front yard of a Tasley home. Photo by Linda Cicoira.



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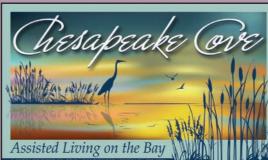
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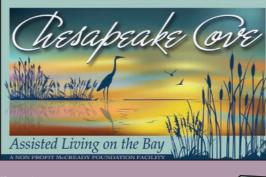




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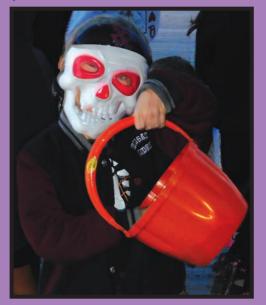
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# Scaring up Tricks or Treats at Cape Charles Haunted Harbor



The Gerber sisters trick or treat as a trio of Taco Belles.

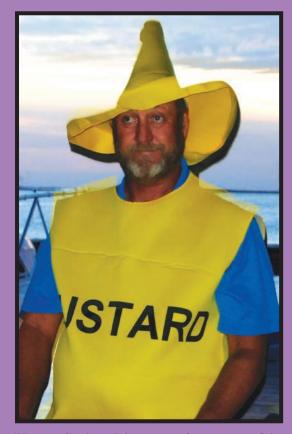


A skeleton-masked little trick-ortreater is eager to fill his bucket with candy.



Trick-or-treaters must beware the ghosts and ghouls in the harbor.

## Photos by Stefanie Jackson



Mayor Smitty Dize cuts the mustard in his Halloween costume as he hands out candy to the youngsters.



Passengers on this boat docked at the haunted harbor don't appear to have a problem with Halloween candy going straight to their thighs.



Izaak Martin is a spooky vampire.

# Health Matters Open Enrollment Starts Today

#### Courtesy of the State Corporation

Commission any Virginians will soon shop for coverage during the open enrollment period for the 2020 health insurance marketplace under the federal Affordable Care Act (ACA). The open enrollment period runs from Nov. 1 through Dec. 15. After this date, consumers may only buy ACA plans if special enrollment conditions apply to them. Don't miss the chance to pur-

Whether thinking about changing health insurance plans or purchasing new coverage, the State Corporation Commission's (SCC) Bureau of Insurance encourages Virginians to review their health insurance needs and thoroughly explore all options.

chase coverage.

"Not all health plans are the same. and some are not insurance," said Virginia Insurance Commissioner Scott A. White. He encourages Virginians to protect themselves when shopping for

health insurance by fully understanding the coverage, costs, and protections before they sign up for any health plan. "Understand enrollment periods, what ACA-compliant plans must cover, and where to turn for legitimate information. If you have questions, the Bureau of Insurance can help."

Consumer protection laws govern some types of health coverage, such as plans purchased through an employer or through the federal health insurance marketplace. Other types of plans, such as a health care sharing ministry (HCSM) and discount plans, might be less expensive than health insurance plans subject to the ACA, but they are not insurance and do not offer the same protections as ACA-compliant plans.

Short-term, limited-duration (STLD) health insurance plans are not available through the health insurance marketplace, but they are regulated health insurance plans. While they may, in some cases, be less expensive than plans offered through

the health insurance marketplace, they often cover less than ACA-compliant marketplace plans, may deny eligibility for coverage or exclude services because of preexisting conditions, and may apply dollar limits on the amount they will pay. Before signing up for any health insurance plan, the Bureau of Insurance encourages Virginians to carefully consider what health care services their families will need.

#### Consumers should:

 Find out whether anticipated services are covered, and any limits on coverage under each health care coverage option they are considering. • Check to see if their doctors and any medications consumers and their families need is covered by the plan being considered. • Pay careful attention to monthly premiums, as well as costs that coincide with using health services, such as co-pays, co-insurance. and deductibles.

#### Especially during open enrollment, keep the following in mind:

• Do not provide personal information or agree to send money in response to unsolicited calls or emails. • Ask for details of any health plan in writing – including cost and coverage - and make sure you understand what you are purchasing.

- · In Virginia, www.healthcare.gov is the official website to buy ACA plans. • For a list of companies recognized in Virginia as selling short-term, limited-duration plans, go to www.scc.virginia.gov/boi/ pubs/stldplans.pdf
- · To verify that an insurance agent, agency, or company is licensed in Virginia, visit the bureau's website at www.scc. virginia.gov/boi/ConsumerInguiry/default. aspx. • The open enrollment period for the 2020 health insurance marketplace under the ACA ends Dec. 15. Anyone contacting you to sell individual health insurance plans through an "enrollment period" outside of that is not selling an ACA-compliant policy. • Be wary of telemarketers from the "national enrollment center," "national healthcare center," or other official-sounding name. The federal government will not call to sell you health insurance. • Look for a disclosure indicating whether the health plan complies with the ACA.

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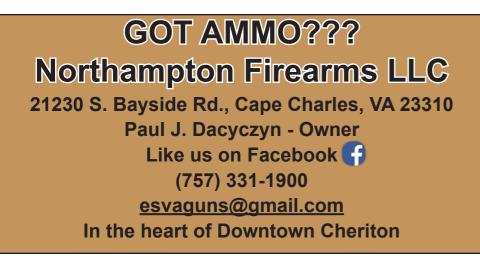
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## SophisAKAted Ladies Raise Big Bucks

Pi Epsilon Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc. participated in the 2019 Relay for Life Walk held at Nandua High School Sept. 7. The members of Pi Epsilon Omega, team name SophisAKAted Ladies, were able to raise \$5,700 in support of finding a cure for cancer.



# **DAR Cleans Patriots' Burial Sites**

Members of the local Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) met at Scott Hall Cemetery in Onancock to help clean up the burial site of two Revolutionary War patriots, Commodore Zedekiah Whaley and Col. George Corbin. Fitz Godwin, a member of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Historical Society, gave an informal talk on the cemetery. Pictured above from left are Sarah Bingman, Godwin, Roberta Dean, Lynn Schreiber, and Carol Vincent.



# Marriage Licenses Issued

- Stephen Tyler Hrubes, 31, and Rebecca Bradshaw Pruitt, 29, both of Melfa
- Ruthanna Lynn Longacre, 31, of Withams, and Carl Berkley Docteur, 32, of Port Deposit, Md.
- David Henry Cherrix, 48, and Tammy Leigh Ewing, 56, both of Salisbury, Md.
- William Wat Tyler, 56, of Onancock, and Diane Huggman, 57, of Melfa

- Troy Carroll Clayton and Emily Marie Jefferson, both 27, both of Melfa
- Julian Tyler Sharp, 27, and Chelsea Megan Porter, 29, both of Temperanceville
- Richard Steven Lawrence 2nd, 41, and Nikia Lynn Annis, 35, both of Pocomoke, Md.
- Fred Douglas Poulson, 71, and Lillie Marie Abbott, 64, both of Parksley
- Zachary Alan Tanner, 30, and Anna Elizabeth Hines, 31, both of Onancock

- Brian Wade Richardson and Pamela Ann Sheehan, both 62, both of Chincoteague
- Peter Joseph Talarico, 31, and Stacey Orfeo, 41, both of East Aurora, N.Y.
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- Ralph Anthony Ponte III, 58, and Bernadette Ann Faulkner, 56, both of Honey Brook, Pa.
- Fantonis Kantrelle Warner, 32, of Parksley, and Chelsea Morgan Thornes, 27, of Birdsnest

- Jason Michael Kelley, 46, and Jessica Rose Barth, 43, both of Hampstead, Md.
- George Alfert Brown, 35, and Misshala Cornise Downing, 35, both of Atlantic
- Ernest Lewis, 32, and Rita Carpenter, 33, both of Birdsnest
- Stanley Osmolenski, 31, and Mary Kanaskie, 33, both of Cape Charles
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# Community Notes

# Accomac

The Mary N. Smith Alumni Association will meet Saturday, Nov. 2, at 10 a.m., at the Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center.

# **Cape Charles**

The Fall Bazaar will be Saturday, Nov. 2, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., at Trinity UMC. There will be a bake table, pocketbook/jewelry table, a silent auction, local crafters, chicken salad by the pint, and a hot dog lunch. For more information, call Kathy Griffith at 757-647-1842.

# Chincoteague

The Wallops Island Regional Alliance meeting will be Thursday, Nov. 7, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the new Chincoteague Fire Station. The cost is \$10 for members and \$25 for nonmembers.

## Onancock

Onancock International Films will host a free movie, "Coco," Sunday, Nov. 3, at 2:30 p.m., at the Roseland Theatre. The movie is in Spanish with English subtitles. There will also be free popcorn and a soda. For more information, call 787-5687.

# **Painter**

Opening day for the new regional collection of household hazardous waste for Accomack and Northampton county residents will be Wednesday, Nov. 6, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., at the Painter Convenience Center, 16490 Wayside Dr.

# Saxis

The Town of Saxis 7th Annual Oyster Roast will be Saturday, Nov. 2, from 5 to 8 p.m., at Shore Seafood Oyster House at Saxis Dock. The all-you-can-eat seafood menu is \$50 per person and includes

steamed oysters, New England clam chowder, and the barbecue menu. For non-oyster-lovers, tickets are \$25 and includes pulled pork sandwiches, coleslaw, and chips, and drink. Tickets may be purchased by calling Denise Drewer at 710-4747 or online at www.saxisisland.com

# Temperanceville

A fried chicken dinner sale will be Sunday, Nov. 3, from 12:30 to 4 p.m., at Temperanceville Masonic Lodge. Dinners are \$8 and include chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, and dessert. A bake table and silent auction will also be available.

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Accomack County Public Schools will be closed on Monday, Nov. 4, for a Staff Development Day and Tuesday, Nov. 5, for a Teacher Work Day. The first nine weeks will end Nov. 1 and the second nine weeks will begin on Nov. 6. Report cards will be issued on Nov. 12.

No School for Accomack County Students Nov. 4 and 5

# Honor Loved Ones

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Tree lighting ceremony Friday, Dec. 6, 5:30 p.m., Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital.



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\*noon - AA mtg. - Onancock UMC, FRIDAY 75 Market St. NOV. 1

★12:30 p.m. - SciPhi Seminar: The

Opiate Crisis - ESCC, Melfa

★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

★7 p.m. - **AA mtg.** - Christ **Episcopal** Church, 16304 Courthouse Rd., Eastville

★7 p.m. - Life Teach Series - Rachel Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486

★7:30 p.m. - **Bingo** - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

#### SATURDAY NOV. 2

★9 a.m.-1 p.m. -Farmers and Artisans

Market - Community

Center for the Arts, Chincoteague - flea market: 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

★9:30 a.m. - E.S. Cancer Support Group mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley -\$5/Breakfast

★1 p.m. - Free Art Class for Kids -Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St.

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



SUNDAY NOV. 3

**★8 a.m.** - United Methodist Men mtg. -Craddockville UMC

★11 a.m. - Meditation Group - Train

Station, Onley

★2 p.m. - Bingo - VFW Post 2296, Tasley

#### MONDAY NOV. 4

★11 a.m. - Northampton Chap. AARP mtg. - Cheriton Rescue Squad

★1-4 p.m. - CIAO Presents Gameplay Monday: Card,

Word, and Board Games - Theatre Annex, 4076 Main St., Chincoteague

★5:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Onancock UMC, 75 Market St.

★5:30-6:30 p.m. - Al-Anon mtg. - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock

★6 p.m. - Bingo - Elks Lodge, Tasley

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

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

★6:15 p.m. - Central Shore Lions Club mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley

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

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

#### VEDNESDAY NOV. 6

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

★10 a.m. - TOPS mtg. - Market St. UMC, Onancock -

787-4718

★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - Veterans' Employment Representative Avail. - ESCC, Melfa - no appt. needed

★10:30-11:30 a.m. - Overeaters Anonymous mtg. - Rock Church, Onley -757-655-4834

★10:30 a.m.-noon - Riverside Shore Hospice Caregivers' Support Group mtg. - Onley UMC, 25642 E. Main St. - 789-5000

★11 a.m.-1 p.m. - Soup Kitchen - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3431 Main St., Exmore

★11:30 a.m-12:30 p.m. - Debedeavon Toastmasters' mtg. - NASA/Wallops Base - Call Owen Hooks at 824-1941 for base access

★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. - Accomack Cty. Democratic Committee mtg. - Chamber of Commerce, Melfa

★6-7 p.m. - Prayer Line Open - St. Matthew's Church, Onley - Call 665-7403, 387-7021 or 894-1521 w/prayer requests

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

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

★6:45 p.m. - Bingo - St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Onley - doors open at 5:30 p.m.

★7 p.m. - AA and Al-Anon mtgs. - Franktown UMC

★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Painter VFC

# NOV. 5

\*8:30 a.m.-noon-Veterans' Employment Representative

Avail. - Accomack Cty. Dept. of Social Services - no appt. needed ★9 a.m. - **Al-Anon mtg.** - Refuge Inn, Chincoteague

★10 a.m. - Zumba - Franktown UMC

★10 a.m. - Bingo - Accomack Senior Village, Onancock - 787-3900

★10:30 a.m. - Duplicate Bridge - Island House, Wachapreague - 787-2432

★5:30 p.m. - Onancock Business and Civic Assn. mtg. - Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church, Onancock

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

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

★6-7:30 p.m. - Girl Scouts mtg. - Craddockville UMC

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

Pungoteague Elementary - 789-1761

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

★6:30 p.m. - Addiction Support Group mtg. - Anointed Word of Deliverance COGIC, Melfa - 757-350-5039

★6:30 p.m. - Vietnam Veterans' E.S. Chapter 614 mtg. - Chapter Bldg., 25534 Main St., Onley

★7 p.m. - Northampton Cty. Democratic Committee mtg. -

Northampton Cty. Social Services Bldg., Eastville

★7:15 p.m. - Disabled American Veterans' mtg. - Chapter Bldg., 25534 Main St., Onley

★7:30 p.m. - Central Masonic Lodge mtg.

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

★7:30 p.m. -AA mtg. - Atlantic UMC

# NOV. 7

THURSDAY ★10:30 a.m. - Story Time - Cape Charles Memorial Library ★5:30 p.m. - Shore Losers mtg. - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomac - \$1/wk.

★5:30 p.m. - TOPS VA-550 mtg. - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099

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

Pungoteague Elementary - 789-1761

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

★6:30 p.m. - Kiwanis Club mtg. - St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Chincoteague

★6:30 p.m. - **Al-Anon. mtg.** - Trinity UMC, Cape Charles

★6:30 p.m. - American Legion Post 101 mtg. - Chapter Bldg., 25534 Main St., Onley

★7 p.m. - Republican Party mtg. - Little Italy, Nassawadox

★7 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery Group mtg. - Chincoteague Church of God, 5252 Woodland Dr.

★7 p.m. - NA mtg. - Painter Garrison UMC

★7-8 p.m. - **Debedeavon Toastmasters' mtg.** - Market St. UMC, Onancock

★8 p.m. - AA mtg. - Christ UMC, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague

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

# Eastern Shore Trading POST

## **Announcements**



In Remembrance of
Chris Floyd
on his birthday in Heaven
November 2.
Miss you more every day.
Love, Darlene Floyd

In Memory

Larry Wayne McAllen

The rolling stream
of life rolls on
But there's still a
vacant chair
We recall your love,
your voice, and
your smile
And we miss you
sitting there
Happy birthday in
heaven.
We love and miss you
very much.



Margaret, Heather, Mark, Madison, Jessica, Keith, and Max



Fall Back: Don't Forget to Set Your Clocks Back This Weekend. Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 3.

## **Help Wanted**

#### Children's Harbor—Employment Opportunities

We value early care and education professionals.

Check out the benefits of working with our children at

Children's Harbor.

~ Wayne C. Bell Jr, Interim CEO

We currently have part-time and full-time opportunities available for:

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- Preschool teachers
- · Infant and toddler teachers

#### Please contact:

Human Resource Department Children's Harbor Corporate Office Office: 757-397-2981 Cell: 757-678-6383 Email: wayne@childrensharbor.cc

#### Our Locations:

Children's Harbor Chesapeake 2400 Strawberry Lane Chesapeake VA 23324-3113 (757) 543-4221

Children's Harbor Ghent 1900 Llewellyn Avenue Norfolk VA 23517-2233 (757) 622-0900

Children's Harbor Olde Towne 620 London Street Portsmouth VA 23704-2402 (757) 397-2980

Children's Harbor Suffolk 1020 Champions Way Suffolk VA 23435-3728 (757) 483-2693

Accomack County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the following position: **Full-Time Dispatcher.** Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at <u>accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org</u>. Applications must be returned to this office by Monday, November 18, 2019 at 5:00 pm. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Request for Proposals: Seeking Bookkeeping/Accounting Services

Local, well-established business looking for part-time bookkeeping services, estimated at 15-20 hours per week. If interested, please submit: Hourly rates for bookkeeping and accounting services. Principal staff bios and qualifications, as well as qualifications of staff members who would work on the account, Accounting software capabilities, Business references

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Email resume and qualifications to: A.B.C., P.O. Box 517, Onley, VA 23418

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#### Senior Clinician/Clinician Emergency Services Clinician

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

- Developmental Disabilities Aide
- Crisis Stabilization Case Manager
- Part-time Driver (\$11.50 per hour)
- Mental Health Facility Technician
- Vehicle Maintenance Specialist
   Developmental Services Case Manager
- Developmental Services
   Medical Records Associate

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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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9.9 Yamaha, 4-stroke. Sails good, sleeps 4. Galley & toilet. Trailer & new winch. Draws 2'11". PRICE REDUCED: \$5,000 OBO. Call Don at 757-656-8986.



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**2017 9.9 4-STROKE HONDA OUTBOARD** - 25-in. shaft, electric start, new condition. \$2,000. Call 757-746-6136. **2014 14-FT. E-TENDER** 

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

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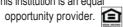
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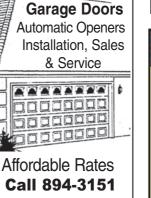
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**2001 KAWASAKI VUL- CAN 1500 -** Locking bags, highway bars, water cooled. \$2,950 OBO. 757-894-8561.

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# Yard/Estate Sales

**OPEN HOUSE -** 126 Market St., Onancock. Nov. 1, 2, 3. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Largest sale of the year. We are participating in the local Shop Hop. The Onancock Peddler.

Put your Yard Sale ad in the Post. 5 lines/\$11 757.789.7678.

# Legal Ads & Auctions

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NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the first of two required newspaper legal notices. Objections should be registered at <a href="https://www.abc.virginia.gov">www.abc.virginia.gov</a> or 800-552-3200.

#### TRUSTEE SALE 27414 Gargatha Landing Rd, Parksley, VA 23421-3244 Accomack County

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of \$57,350.00, dated November 26, 1997 recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the Accomack County, Virginia, in Document No. 970005130, in Book No. 0755, at Page 00255, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, on November 14, 2019 at 11:30 AM the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

Lot 18, Gargatha Estates, 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. (**72447**)
5040 Corporate Woods Drive, Suite 120
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462
757-457-1460 - Call between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. or visit our website at <a href="https://www.siwpc.net">www.siwpc.net</a>

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town of Chincoteague has identified an unsafe structure (residence) located at 6049 Peterson Street currently owned by Joseph & Diana Chmiel. The wall system on this structure has several openings and the roof system has failed. Failure to make the necessary repairs on this structure or demolish said structure within 30 days shall result in the removal of such by the Town of Chincoteague. The owner has the right to appeal to the Board of Building Code of Appeals within 30 days of this notice.

Kenny L Lewis Zoning Administrator

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 9078 SAMPLE COURT, NAS-SAWADOX, VA 23413. In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated June 25, 2008, in the original principal amount of \$80,000.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Northampton County, Virginia as Instrument No. 080001486. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Northampton County, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia on November 25, 2019, at 12:30 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PAŘCEL OF LAND CONTAINING SEVENTY-FOUR HUNDREDTHS ACRES, MORE OR LESS (0.74 A.±), SITUATE NEAR NASSAWADOX, FRANKTOWN DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, AND DESIGNATED AS LOT 6 ON A CERTAIN PLAT ENTITLED "THIS PARCEL OF LAND WAS SUBDIVIDED AT THE REQUEST OF JAMES SAMPLE, LOCATED NEAR NASSAWADOX, FRANKTOWN DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA" DATED JULY 18, 1977 AND MADE BY GRANVILLE F. HOGG, C.L.S. WHICH PLAT IS ATTACHED TO AND MADE Á PART OF A CERTAIN DEED OF GIFT DATED NOVEMBER 15, 1993, WHICH DEED OF GIFT IS RECORDED IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE FOR THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA IN DEED BOOK 264 AT PAGE 833, AND REFERENCE TO SAID PLAT IS HEREBY MADE FOR A MORE PARTICU-LAR DESCRIPTION OF THE REAL ESTATE HEREBY CONVEYED. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com. Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 2101 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1004, Arlington, VA 22201. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com. VA-343633-1.

#### **PUBLIC AUCTION**

# 8 Louis Tunnell, Jr. #145 Henry Tull # 28 Alan Martin #161 Michael Brown # 33 Amanda Daisey #167 Corwin Burkett # 100 Mashonda Beckett #191 Verna Tazwell # 103 Nichole Fazekas #192 Vernia Fletcher

TAYLOR LOCK-N-STOCK STORAGE 30433 CHINCOTEAGUE RD., NEW CHURCH, VA 23415 NOVEMBER 2, 2019 AT 10:00 AM RAIN DATE: NOVEMBR 9,2019

#### **Public Notice**

The Northampton County Wetlands Board will meet Wednesday, November 20 at 9:00 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 matters under public hearing and to conduct regular business. The Board will assemble at 8:00 a.m. to conduct site visits.

VMRC 2019-1747: George C. Walker III is applying for a permit to repair an existing rip rap revetment that is collapsing due to tidal waves and backwash and for a permit to construct a rip rap marsh sill. Approximately 75 linear feet of rip rap will be added and installed as a triangular wedge over and against the existing seawall. No clearing or grading will be required. The primary purpose of this project is to protect the property from erosion due to boat wakes and nor'easters and to reinforce the existing jetty that is suffering from backwash due to tidal action and waves. The secondary purpose of this project is to provide safer access to the existing pier and to provide a stable buffer area on the north side of the property. The property is located at 7258 Walker Lane in Franktown, VA. It is further described as Tax Map # 19-A-16.

Anyone interested in the above matters should attend the scheduled public hearing. The applications 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, Chairman Wetlands Board

# $\frac{\text{NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND}}{\text{\underline{APPLICATION}}}$

Christian Lee Seay, (2019045) has applied for approximately 2 acres of oyster planting ground in Hungars Creek situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-24.9275 / W75-57.6633

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019045):

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

# 6 Auctions by A&M Auctions

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# On-Line Only Auction – Machipongo, VA!

Personal Property located at: 12257 Wilsonia Drive, Machipongo, VA

<u>Auction Held Online Only</u> with Bidding ending Wed. Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019 starting at 5 PM!! **Auction conducted online at www.AMauctions.com.** 

2011 CADILLAC CTS, 1997 JEEP CHEROKEE, ANTIQUE FURNITURE, CASE CLOCK, GRAND PIANO, JEWELRY, STERLING SILVER, COLLECTABLES AND MORE! VAAR#2907003739

Personal Property Preview: Monday November 4th from 4 PM - 6 PM

# On-Line Only Auction – Salisbury, MD!

Personal Property located at: 28235 Nanticoke Road, Salisbury, MD Auction Held Online Only w/Bidding ending: Wed. Nov. 13th, 2019 Starting at 5 PM! Auction conducted online at www.AMauctions.com.

2018 FORD F150, 2007 GULF STREAM INDEPENDENCE RV, TORO ZERO TURN MOWER, KAYAKS, TOOLS, TRAILER, HONDA MOPED, EQUIPMENT, PRIMITIVES, FURNITURE, SELECTION OF MODEL TRAINS AND AIRPLANES & MORE!

Personal Property Preview: Monday Nov. 11th, 2019 4-6 PM

#### Fall 2019 Sportsman's Auction – Parsonsburg, MD!

Auction Held Online Only w/Bidding ending: Wed. Nov. 20th, 2019 Starting @ 5 PM
Auction conducted online at <a href="https://www.AMauctions.com">www.AMauctions.com</a> Via HiBid.com
Auction conducted at the A&M Facility - 8000 Esham Road, Parsonsburg, MD

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**Preview:** Monday Nov. 18th, 2019 from 5-7 PM or Preview online.

# On-Line Only Auction Sale – Parsonsburg, MD!

Selling for a Living Estate from Chestertown, MD and Several other local consignors!

Bidding Ends Wednesday December 11th, 2019 Starting @ 5PM – Auction conducted online at <a href="https://www.AMauctions.com">www.AMauctions.com</a>.

Items located @ the A&M Auction Facility, 8000 Esham Road, Parsonsburg, MD

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Personal Property Preview: Friday Dec. 6th 5 - 7 PM & Monday Dec. 9th, 2019 5-7 PM

(1) Upcoming Onsite Online Only Auctions to Include: FALL 2019 Online Only Auction – 616 Hunting Park Drive, Salisbury, MD. Auction Held Online Only w/Bidding ending: At a date to be scheduled in the Fall of 2019. To include a selection of Housewares, Glass, China, Collectibles, Furniture & more!

(1) Upcoming Auctions at 8000 Esham Rd, Parsonsburg, MD: Friday Feb. 7th, 2019; 14th Annual Firearm & Men's Night Out Auction @ the A&M Facility. We have already consigned over 300 Quality Firearms for this Auction.

View Website for Additional Information, Terms, Directions, Online Bidding & Pictures!



Auctioneer - Dave Allen 410-835-0384 or 302-545-1903 www.AMauctions.com

#### **Cape Charles Grounds Maintenance**

The Town of Cape Charles is accepting bids for grounds maintenance for the 2020 season. The bid package includes three separate and individual scopes of work to be bid under separate covers:

- 1. Mowing and trimming of some 25 parcels in town ranging in size from .25 acres to 3 acres.
- 2. Maintenance of Central Park Grounds
- 3. Mowing of Stone Road from Rt 13 to the Cape Charles Brewery

Interested parties may pick up bid packages from the Town Clerk's office upstairs at 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles or downloaded from the Town's website at <a href="https://www.capecharles.org">www.capecharles.org</a>, under Bid Opportunities. Bid packages must be submitted no later than 2 PM Tuesday, November 26, 2019. A pre-bid meeting will be held on Wednesday November 13, 2019 at 2 PM. The pre-bid meeting is not mandatory. Prior to entering into contract, the selected bidder must produce proof of insurance and obtain a Town business license.

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Accomack County Wetlands Zoning Ordinance, you are hereby notified of a Public Hearing that will be held in the Accomack County Administration Building Board Chambers, Room #104, 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Accomac, Virginia at 10 a.m., Thursday, November 21, 2019 on the wetlands application of:

#### Chincoteague Hotel LC-VMRC# 2018-1680

This application is for the following described project:

The portion of the project which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction is the installation of 122 feet of coral rook stone revetment, dredging of an existing canal, and the installation of 160 feet of low profile sheeting. The property is located on Chincoteague Island, VA 23336, Tax Map# 30A5-A-96A.

All interested parties will be afforded the opportunity to be heard or to present written statements. Applications are on file and may be examined in the Office of Environmental Programs in Accomac, Virginia. Handicapped assistance is available. Please call (757) 787-5728.

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#### Cynthia Freeman-VMRC# 2019-1550

This application is for the following described project:

The portion of the project which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction is the addition of 95 feet of class II riprap scour apron in front of the bulkhead. The property is located on Chincoteague Island, VA 23336, Tax Map# 30A2-20-3.

All interested parties will be afforded the opportunity to be heard or to present written statements. Applications are on file and may be examined in the Office of Environmental Programs in Accomac, Virginia. Handicapped assistance is available. Please call (757) 787-5728.

#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Project: Site Construction for Multi-Use Trail, Phase III Cape Charles, Virginia

The Town of Cape Charles, VA will receive sealed bids for the furnishing of all equipment, labor, and materials and the performance of all work as specified in the Specifications and Contract Documents for the above described project until **2:00 p.m. Prevailing Time, November 26, 2019** at the Cape Charles Town Hall, 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310, where bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at that time. Bids are to be submitted on the Bid Proposal form included in the Specifications in sealed envelopes with all other required documents bearing the Bidder's name and address and clearly marked 'Bid on Site Construction for Multi-Use Trails, Phase III Cape Charles, Virginia." Documents required for bidding purposes, including Drawings and Specifications, may be obtained from the Town of Cape Charles Town Hall, 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310; Builders and Contractors Exchange, 1118 Azalea Garden Road Norfolk, VA 23502; or A&E Reprographics, Inc., 100 Aragona Blvd., Suite 103, Virginia Beach, VA 23462 at a cost of \$50.00 per set. Plans can be picked up between 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. NO REFUND OR RETURN OF PURCHASE PRICE WILL BE MADE. ALL BIDDERS ARE ADVISED THAT A 5% DBE RE-QUIREMENT HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR THIS PROJECT. An Optional Pre-bid Conference will be held at 11:00 a.m. on November 8, 2019 at the Civic Center, 500 Tazewell Ave., Cape Charles, VA 23310.

The work includes: construction of concrete sidewalk, curb and gutter, asphalt roadway improvements, parking areas, asphalt paving, utility adjustments, landscaping, and associated appurtenances along South Peach Street.

#### END OF ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Accomack County Wetlands Zoning Ordinance, you are hereby notified of a Public Hearing that will be held in the Accomack County Administration Building Board Chambers, Room #104, 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Accomac, Virginia at 10 a.m., Thursday, November 21, 2019 on the wetlands application of:

#### Joseph & Kristen Pechacek-VMRC# 2019-1639

This application is for the following described project:

The portion of the project which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction is the installation of two 47 feet by 8 feet by 3-3.5 feet of quarrystone sills and a 14 feet by 6 feet by 2.5 back sill. A marsh toe rip rap apron with a total width of 4 feet (plus or minus), and height of 2-2.5 feet will also be installed. The property is located in Harborton, VA 23389, Tax Map# 90-A-14C.

All interested parties will be afforded the opportunity to be heard or to present written statements. Applications are on file and may be examined in the Office of Environmental Programs in Accomac, Virginia. Handicapped assistance is available. Please call (757) 787-5728.

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# NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

Dennis Bryan Nordstrom and Katrina VK Nordstrom, (2019079) have applied for approximately 3 acres of oyster planting ground in Nassawadox Creek situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long; N37-28.5161/W75-56.2153

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019079): 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

## NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

HOLLY POINT, LLC, (2019080) has applied for approximately 4.9 acres of oyster planting ground in Occohannock Creek situated in Accomack City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-33.2239 / W75-53.3646

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019080): 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

# NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

Henry S. Jones III, (2019081) has applied for approximately 40 acres of oyster planting ground in South Bay situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-12.0921 / W75-52.2131

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019081): 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

# NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

Lance Scanlan, (2019082) has applied for approximately 10 acres of oyster planting ground in North Inlet situated in Accomack City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-27.4161 / W75-41.0376

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2019082): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search\_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineer-

ing/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

# Legal Ads & Auctions (Cont'd)

#### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 27036 WITHAMS ROAD, WITHAMS, VIRGINIA 23488 COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

In execution of a certain deed of trust dated 03/25/03, in the original principal amount of \$283,000.00 recorded in the County of Accomack, Virginia, as Instrument No. 200302051, as amended by an instrument appointing the undersigned as Substitute Trustee, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the building housing the Circuit Court of the COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VA located at 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, Virginia, 23301 on November 8, 2019, at 12:00 PM, the property described in said deed of trust. located at the above address, with improvements thereon and more particularly described as follows: CONTAIN-ING NINE AND ONE-HALF ACRES (9 1/2 A.), MORE OR LESS, ATLANTIC MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT, COM-MENCING AT A POINT ON THE SOUHERN SIDE OF COUNTY HIGHWAY NO. 703, BEING SAME LAND RE CORDED IN DEED BOOK 488 AT PAGE 515, IN THE COUNTY ACCOMACK. TERMS OF SALE: Neither the Substitute Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust will deliver possession of the property to the successful bidder. The purchaser at the sale will be required to pay all closing costs. Real estate taxes, water/ sewer fees and other public charges will be prorated as of the date of sale. The risk of loss or damage to the property passes to the purchaser immediately upon the conclusion of the Substitute Trustee's sale. Terms: A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%)of the sale price or ten percent price (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject deed of trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within 20 days at the office of the Substitute Trustee. The Substitute Trustee reserves the right to suspend bidding prior to completion of the sale. Time is of the essence as to the closing date and the payment of the purchase price. If payment of the balance does not occur within twenty days of the sale date, the deposit will be forfeited. Seller shall not be responsible for any costs incurred by the purchaser in connection with their purchase or settlement, including, without limitation, state and local recording fees, title insurance or research, or any other costs of purchaser's acquisition. Trustee shall have no duty to obtain possession for purchaser. All risks of casualty pass to successful bidder at conclusion of bidding. The property and the improvements thereon will be sold "AS IS" and without representation or warranties of any kind. The sale is subject to all liens, encumbrances, conditions, easements and restrictions, if any, superior to the mentioned deed of trust and lawfully affecting the property. 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, as well as to post-sale confirmation and audit of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower(s) 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 the Purchaser's deposit without interest. Additional terms to be announced at the sale. For more information contact: Nadeem Tariq, Esq., member of Surety Trustees, at 301-490-3361 or www.mwc-law.com.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 10754 JOHNSONTOWN ROAD, BIRDSNEST, VA 23307. In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated December 17, 2007, in the original principal amount of \$30,000.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Northampton County, Virginia as Instrument No. 070003295. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Northampton County, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia on November 25, 2019, at 12:30 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND, WITH THE BUILDINGS AND IM-PROVEMENTS THEREON, SITUATED NEAR JOHN SONTOWN, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA COMMENCING AT AN IRON STOB ON THE EDGE OF THE STATE HIGHWAY MARKING THE SOUTHEAST-ERLY CORNER OF THE LAND CONVEYED BY ANNA B. GIDDENS, SINGLE, TO ONE JULIA GIDDENS, ON JUNE 7, 1949; THENCE S 46 DEGREES 21 W 180.9 FEET TO A PIPE; THENCE N 46 DEGREES 26 W, 235.9 FEET TO A PIPE; THENCE N 44 DEGREES 31 E, 192.2 FEET TO AN IRON STOB; THENCE N 43 DEGREES 44°W, 245.9 FEET TO THE STOB FIRST MENTIONED, OR POINT OF BEGINNING, AND BE-ING, AT THE PRESENT TIME, BOUNDED ON THE EAST BY VIRGINIA STATE HIGHWAY #618; ON THE NORTH BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF DA-VID SMITH AND WIFE` ON THE WEST BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF THE HEIRS OF WALTER H. STEVENSON, DECEASED; AND ON THE SOUTH BY THE LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OF MARY P. ASHBY; THE AFORESAID PARCEL OF LAND DESIGNATED AS TRACT "C" ON A MAP OR PLAT OF "ANNA B. GID-DENS PROPERTY", MADE BY G.H.BADGER, JR. DEPUTY COUNTY SURVEYOR, ON DECEMBER 21, 1948, AND CHANGED ON APRIL 9, 1949, ATTACHED TO AND MADE A PART OF A DEED DATED JUNE 7. 1949, FROM ANNA B. GIDDENS TO JULIE GIDDENS. TO WHICH PLAT OF SURVEY REFERENCE IS HERE BY MADE FOR A FULLER AND MORE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY HEREBY CON-VEYED. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com. Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 2101 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1004, Arlington, VA 22201. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com. VA-343648-1.

ALL DRESSED UP LLC, Trading as The Tump Tavern, 5030 Chicken City Road, Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia 23336

The above establishment is applying to the VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC)

for a Beer/Wine on Premises/Mixed Beverage on Premises license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages.

Caroline Mummert, owner

NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the first of two required newspaper legal notices. Objections should be registered at <a href="https://www.abc.virginia.gov">www.abc.virginia.gov</a> or 800-552-3200.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 29392 STUARTS WAY, CAPE CHARLES, VA 23310. In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated October 21, 2016, in the original principal amount of \$267,633.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Northampton County, Virginia as Instrument No. 160001741. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Northampton County, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia on November 25, 2019, at 12:30 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, SITUATE, LYING AND BEING IN NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, AND BEING KNOWN, NUMBERED AND DESIGNAT-ED AS LOT 11, AS SHOWN ON THAT CERTAIN PLAT ENTITLED "KIPTOPEAKE LANDING, PHASE TWO, SUBDIVISION OF PARCEL A (PLAT BOOK 33, PAGE 40) TAX PARCEL 112-A-38, CAPEVILLE DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA," DATED JUNE 27, 2005, MADE BY MSA, P.C., RECORDED IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE IN PLAT BOOK 34 AT PAGE 69 AND 70 AS INSTRUMENT NUMBER 050002619. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com. Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 2101 Wilson Blvd., Suite 1004, Arlington, VA 22201. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com. VA-342301-1.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on Thursday, November 14, 2019, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, to consider leasing of the following described property, to-wit:

That certain building which comprises a part of the Old Northampton County Court House Green, specifically a former jail building, which is depicted respectively as "1-S-B" on a certain plat entitled "Property of the Northampton County Court House, Eastville, Virginia' of record in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Northampton County in Plat Book 6 at Page 23, and which is also known as the "1907 Jail."

The Board proposes to enter a lease with Northampton Historic Preservation Society for restoration and use of the building for its own business, including without limitation, its meetings, educational seminars, tours and as a museum and exhibit space for the benefit of the general public.

Any party interested in leasing the above mentioned property should contact the County Administrator's office for detailed specifications. The County of Northampton reserves the right to lease the property to best serve the County's interest.

HANDICAPPED ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE: Call 757/678-0440.

FAMILY DOLLAR STORES OF VIRGINIA INC., Trading as Family Dollar #21289, 2611 Lankford Hwy., Exmore, Northampton County, Virginia 23350 The above establishment is applying to the VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC)

for a Wine and Beer Off Premises license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages. Sandra L. Boscia, Assistant Secretary

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#### ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

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

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

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

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

#### NOTICE FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT & INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

Date of Publication: November 1, 2019

Accomack County

Mike Mason

P. O. Box 388, Accomac, VA 23301

757-787-5700
TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS: On or about November 22, 2019, Accomack County will request that the Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD) release Federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) to be

used for the following project:
Gospel Temple/Adams Crossing Neighborhood Improvements Project
Activities Include: Demolition of 3 vacant, dilapidated structures.
Replacing 5 single-family unrepairable houses with new houses on existing footprint. Installing new wells and septic systems to serve the 5 replacement houses.

Located: Within the Community of Gospel Temple Road and Adams Crossing, Accomack County, Virginia
Budget: \$735,000
FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT
It has been determined that much records.

It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, Accomack County has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Policy Act of 1969 (PL91-190). The decision is based on the fact that the project involves only activities that are categorically excluded from an environmental assessment including the rehabilitation of existing houses, the demolition of abandoned structures, and the construction of new single-family houses to replace unrepairable houses on existing building lots that are zoned for such use. Additional reasons include:

a) No historic structures or archaeologically significant sites have been identified within the project area, and development at any future identified structures or sites will be contingent on reviews and approvals by the Virginia Department of Historic Resources. b) All new construction will be single-family on existing building lots zoned for such use.

c) Demolition will be limited to vacant, dilapidated structures and unrepairable houses that will be replaced with new construction. An Environmental Review Record respecting the Project has been made by Accomack County which documents the environ-mental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. The Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying, upon request, at the Accomack County Administration building between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. No further environmental review of this Project is proposed to be conducted prior to the request for release of Federal funds. All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by Accomack County to the office of the undersigned. Such written comments should be received at the address specified on or before November 17, 2019. All such comments so received will be considered and the County will not request the release of Federal funds or take any administrative action on the Project prior

to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

Accomack County will undertake the Project described above with Community Development Block Grant Funds from the Virginia and County and County and County Block Grant Funds from the Virginia and County Block Grant Funds f ginia Department of Housing and Community Development. The County is certifying to DHCD that Accomack County and Mike Mason, in his official capacity as County Administrator, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the Federal Courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision making, and action; and that these responsi-bilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, Accomack County may use the Community Development Block Grant funds, and DHCD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. DHCD will accept an objection to its approval of the Release of Funds and acceptance of the Certification only if it is on one of the following bases: (a) that the certification was not in fact executed by the chief executive officer or other officer of applicant approved by DHCD; (b) that applicant's Environmental Review Record for the project indicates omission of a required decision, finding, or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process; (c) another Federal agency acting pursuant to 40 CFR Part 1504 has submitted a written finding that the project is unsatisfactory from the standpoint of environmental quality. Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58), and may be addressed to:

VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

ATTN: PROJECT MANAGEMENT OFFICE 600 EAST MAIN STREET, SUITE 300 RICHMOND, VIRGINIA 23219

Objections to the release of funds on bases other than those stated above will not be considered by DHCD. No objection received after December 6, 2019 will be considered by DHCD. Mike Mason, County Administrator, Certifying Officer

Accomack County P.O. Box 388, Accomac, Virginia 23301

# NOTICE ABANDONED WATERCRAFT

Notice is hereby given that the following watercraft has been abandoned for more than 60 DAYS on the property of: Jeffery A. Hall, 20183 Sunnyside Drive, Melfa, VA 23410, 757-789-3431.

Description of watercraft: Make: Bluefin; Length: 12' 0"; Year Built: 1985; Color: Green/Silver; Registration Number: VA2884AN

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

#### NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2019 AT 10 A.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, AC-COMAC, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

A. VAR-000025-2019 Christi & Kenneth Burlew A public hearing initiated by Christi & Kenneth Burlew to request a variance of six feet from the front setback requirements in the agricultural district pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-56; the applicant is seeking to construct and replace the existing home. The property is located at Tax Map #14-A-8 at 36495 Red Hills Road, Horntown, VA and

Public hearing related materials are available for review at the Office of the County Zoning Administrator at 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Room 105 – Accomac, Virginia or http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public on the Friday prior to each meeting date.

is located in the Agricultural District.

Handicapped Assistance available, call: (757) 787-5726 or 824-5223

#### Request for Proposals #303 **Treasurer Turnover Audit**

The County of Accomack is accepting proposals from qualified independent certified public accounting firms for the purpose of performing a "turnover audit" for the office of the Accomack County Treasurer to establish the outgoing treasurer's accountability on the date the office is vacated by same.

Proposals will be accepted in the Office of the County Administrator, 23296 Courthouse Ave, Suite 203, Accomac VA 23301 or may be mailed to the Accomack County Finance Department, c/o Lucy Huffman, P.O. Box 620, Accomac, VA 23301 until 4:00 p.m., on Monday, November 18. 2019.

The complete RFP may be found on the Accomack County website at www.co.accomack.va.us by clicking on the "IFBs and RFPs" tab; documents may also be found on the eVA website (VBO/ Business Opportunities): https://eva.virginia.gov/index.html.

The County of Accomack does not discriminate against faith-based organizations in accordance with the Code of Virginia, §2.2-4310 and 2.2-4343.1 Code of Virginia as amended, or against a bidder or offeror because of race, religion, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, or any other basis prohibited by state law relating to discrimination in employment.

# Legal Ads & Auctions (Cont'd)

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

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Wednesday, November 20, 2019, at the Accomack County Circuit Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

PARCEL 1: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. LESTER ALLEN BROUGHTON MAP NO. 094001000000200 23353 STONEHOUSE ROAD

All that parcel of land near Locustville, Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia, containing 3.00 acres, more or less, shown as Parcel 2 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 91, page 119.

PARCEL 2: COUNTY OF ACCOMACK vs. JAMES WARNER CORBIN MAP NO. 094A0A000001200 26582 LOGAN ROAD

All that parcel of land between Onley and Locustville, Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting 60 ft. on a public highway and extending back between parallel lines 150 ft., bounded East by the highway; South by Eva Snead Brown; West and North by Warner Basil Brown.

PARCEL 3: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ANTHONY CRIVELLA MAP NO. 005A10100052400 LOT 524, SECTION 1, CAPTAIN'S COVE

PARCEL 4: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. KIMBERLY DICKERSON MAP NO. 014A00100A00002

All that parcel of land near Horntown, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting on a certain 20 ft. right of way adjoining Horace Pitts for 100 ft. and extending back between parallel lines 200 ft., being a part of Parcel 'A' on a survey recorded in Deed Book 302, page 222.

PARCEL 5: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. KIMBERLY DICKERSON MAP NO. 014A00100B00017 35191 COLD KALL ROAD

All that parcel of land just off the road leading from Horntown to Sign Post, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting 100 ft. on a certain 20 ft. private road leading between this lot and Eloise Fletcher and having an even depth of 200 ft., being 0.46 acre, more or less, bounded West by the 20 ft. private road separating this land from the lot of Virginia Fletcher; North by John W. Dickerson; East by John W. Dickerson; South by Christine Wise.

PARCEL 6: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. DARRYL W. HURLEY MAP NO. 07700A0000003A0

All that parcel of land West of the Village of Lee Mont, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting on a gut of Hunting Creek for 350 ft., more or less, and being approximately 156 ft. wide, bounded Southwest and Northwest by a gut of Hunting Creek; North by a tide gate and Hunting Creek; South and East by a private road leading from Virginia State Route 670.

PARCEL 7: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ROSETTA MAE JONES MAP NO. 026D001000009A0 6495 WITHAMS LANE

All that parcel of land near the Village of Withams, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, containing 0.467 acre, more or less, being Lot 9 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 97, page 54.

PARCEL 8: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. NATASHA B. LIVERPOOL MAP NO. 078A20100043900 23518 LESLIE TRENT ROAD

All that parcel of land near the Town of Parksley, Accomack County, Virginia, known as the Shetzline House and Lot and beginning at the southwest corner of the intersection of Whittaker Street and Staunton Avenue running West along the south boundary line of Whittaker Street 50 ft.; thence running south parallel with Staunton Avenue 150 ft. to an alley; thence running east and parallel with Whittaker Street 50 ft.; thence running north 150 ft. along the west boundary line of Staunton Avenue to the point of beginning.

PARCEL 9: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. IRA G. MERRITT, III MAP NO. 099A00100000200 13257 HACKSNECK ROAD

All that parcel of land in Pungoteague District, Accomack County, Virginia, shown as "Juanita Adell Parker," with "2" in a circle, on a plat recorded in Deed Book 336, at page 110.

PARCEL 10: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. SHIRLEY NOCK MAP NO. 102A00100001100

All that parcel of land near Grangeville, Pungoteague District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 11 and 14' of Lot 12, as shown on a plat recorded in Deed Book 542, page 377.

PARCEL 11: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ARCHIE W. RANTZ, II MAP NO. 02500A0000074D0 6203 Bullbeggar Road

All that parcel of land near the Village of Bullbegger, Atlantic District, Accomack

County, Virginia, beginning at a point on the East side of Virginia State Highway Route 701, same being the southwestern corner of the land of Sidney Revels and running southerly along the Eastern side of Virginia State Highway Route 701 230 ft., more or less, to a point; thence a straight line parallel to the southern boundary line of Sidney Revels in a easterly direction 200 ft., more or less, to a point; thence Northerly in a line parallel to Virginia State Highway Route 701 230 ft., more or less, to the center of a ditch between the herein land and Sidney Revels; thence Westerly along the center of a ditch between the herein land and Sidney Revels to the point of beginning.

PARCEL 12: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100008100

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90 and 91, Section 1, Pefley's Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 13: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. CLINTON E. WARD
MAP NO. 005A70100021100
LOT 211, SECTION 13, CAPTAIN'S COVE

PARCEL 14: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ATORIA WASHINGTON MAP NO. 119C003000004A0

All that parcel of land near Belle Haven Station, Accomack County, Virginia, shown as "MARY TOLLIVER 1.00 A" on a plat recorded in Plat Book 4, page 6.

PARCEL 15: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. PHILLIP WESLEY WILLIAMS MAP NO. 03900A000004400 9315 MARSH MARKET ROAD

All that parcel of land in Messongo, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being 60 ft. across the front in width and 210 ft. in length, bounded North by Tom Jackson; East by Charlie Bloxom; South by Emma F. Tapman; West by the County Road leading from Grotons to Hallwood.

PARCEL 16: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. PHILLIP WESLEY WILLIAMS MAP NO. 03900A0000042B0 9359 MARSH MARKET ROAD

All that parcel of land near Messongo, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting on Route No. 698 and running back between parallel lines to the land of George G. Woods and Jack A. Scott, bounded West by the State Route No. 698; East by George G. Woods and Jack A. Scott; South by Phillip Wesley Williams.

PARCEL 17: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. PHILLIP WESLEY WILLIAMS MAP NO. 03900A0000042A0 All that parcel of land near Messongo, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting on Route No. 698 and running back between parallel lines to the land of George G. Woods and Jack A. Scott, bounded West by State Route No. 698; East by George G. Woods and Jack A. Scott; South by Albert W. Foster, Jr.

PARCEL 18: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. PHILLIP WESLEY WILLIAMS MAP NO. 02300A000004100 23136 SAXIS ROAD

All that parcel of land at Sanford, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded Southwest for 50 ft. by the Sanford-Saxis State Road; Southeast for 89 ft. 5 in. by the State Road leading to Hallwood; Northeast for 53 ft. 5 in. by Henry Linton; Northwest for 90 ft. by Henry Linton.

PARCEL 19: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. LEANNA WISE
MAP NO. 069A0A000000400
15119 BACK STREET, TOWN
OF BLOXOM

All that parcel of land in the Town of Bloxom, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded West by Virginia Route 2501; North by Charles Taylor; East by Roosevelt Taylor, Sr. and Linda K. Taylor; South by Edward T. Wessells.

PARCEL 20: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. LEANNA WISE MAP NO. 102B01100000900

All that parcel of land in the Town of Melfa, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot No. 9 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 1, page 159.

PARCEL 21: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CAROLE L. WOLFE MAP NO. 09800A0000014A0

All that parcel of land in Pungoteague District, Accomack County, Virginia, being 14.00 acres, more or less, bounded Southwest and Northwest by John W. Robertson; Northeast and Southeast by Margaret A. Casto and husband.

The terms of sale require a deposit of 25% of the bid price with the balance due in ten days.

Additional terms will be announced at the sale.

Each sale shall be subject to confirmation by the Court.

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#### Virginia Senate, 6th Dist.

Dear Editor:

It's the greatest privilege of my life to represent this very special part of Virginia in the State Senate. I was born and raised here on Virginia's Eastern Shore in a farming family in Parksley, and I'm now raising my 13-year-old son on our family farm. That's why in Richmond, I've been working with both sides of the political aisle to build a better future for our Eastern Shore community.

We have gotten a lot done: building extensive broadband infrastructure before any other rural area in the Commonwealth; developing the Spaceport; leading the charge in combating the opioid crisis; working to protect our fragile aquifer and drinking water; establishing a state dredge fund to keep our creeks open and helping our farmers, especially with increased best management practice cost share funding. Virginia is rated the #1 State for Business, we passed the largest teacher pay raise in over a decade, and expanded health insurance coverage.

That's why I have been endorsed for re-election by the voice of small business, the National Federation of Independent Business as well as the Virginia Farm Bureau AgPAC, the Virginia Education Association and the League of Conservation Voters. While I don't always agree with these organizations, they recognize my knowledge of the issues and my willingness to always listen. In this district, encompassing the Eastern Shore, Norfolk, Mathews County, and part of Virginia Beach, I have put in the hard work to develop solid relationships with community leaders and residents.

We have a lot more to do. In the State Senate, I will continue to fight to raise teacher pay and provide badly needed funds for school infrastructure. I will continue to support our Community College and Workforce training programs. I will continue my leadership efforts in the General Assembly on sea level rise and flooding, as well as ending partisan gerrymandering so that voters can pick their elected officials instead of politicians picking their voters. I will continue to work to bring Democrats and Republicans together to get things done in the Virginia Way. That's why I ask for your vote on Tuesday, Nov. 5.

Lynwood Lewis

## Virginia Senate, 6th Dist.

Dear Editor:

I am Elizabeth Lankford, the Republican nominee for the 6th Senate District. I am a small business owner and problem solver.

Much of the 6th district hasn't seen adequate business development over the past

decade. On the Eastern Shore, we

# Candidate Letters

face problems with our infrastructure, lack of broadband and septic and sewer system issues. While in Norfolk I have seen similar problems with infrastructure — expensive tolls and the impending cost of sea level rise. We must invest in our infrastructure to entice businesses to come and help grow our tax base.

Additionally, the rising health insurance costs are placing extreme burdens on us, that's why I am in favor of implementing Association Plans to help businesses pool together their employees to lower their cost and expand coverage.

It is key that we maintain business friendly policies such as Right to Work and maintain a low minimum wage.

One of the biggest drivers for me in getting in the race was our current representative's voting record.

- Senator Lewis sponsored the most radical abortion bill that I have ever seen.
   Even the Governor said it would allow abortions up to the moment of birth.
- He called for Governor Northam to resign the day after his racist photo became public, but never called on Lieutenant Governor Fairfax to resign after he was accused by two women of rape and sexual assault. All victims of sexual assault deserve the respect to be heard and hold the accused accountable.
- Senator Lewis signed a pledge to oppose "any and all" tax increases. Since then, he has consistently voted to increase taxes, including the largest tax increase in the history of Virginia.

I've been knocking on doors across the district and in your neighborhoods and have heard so many stories of tragedy and triumph, from the struggles of caring for an ailing parent to problems with our public schools and lack of opportunity to grow in jobs. I hear you and I will fight for you.

I would like to ask for your vote on Nov. 5.

Elizabeth Lankford

## House of Delegates, 100th Dist.

Dear Editor:

Thank you for the opportunity to speak to the voters of the 100th District.

In 2014 the voters of our district gave me the honor and privilege of representing them as their delegate in the Virginia General Assembly. During that campaign I promised to represent them to the best of my ability through dedication, hard work, and integrity. Since being elected, I have millions of dollars to the Eastern Shore including VIMS, Wallops/NASA, our school divisions, The Eastern Shore Public Library, and many more.

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I have lived on the Eastern Shore my entire life which has afforded me the opportunity to get to know the people and their concerns, not through politics, but through everyday life. I pride myself on no negative advertising, but the attacks leveled against me have forced me to address certain issues. My opponent's attacks on my character, my businesses, and me are not who we are on the Eastern Shore, but rather the tactics of a California lawyer who was not raised "here," as his advertisements would have you believe. Hopefully the voters on Election Day will send a message that such tactics are not accepted on the Eastern Shore.

In closing, the challenges we face in the coming years are complex and need to be approached in a common sense manner. Ask yourself, who is best for the Eastern Shore in this election? Is it a person who was born here, raised here, educated here, raised his family here, and makes his living here? Or is it a person who moved to Norfolk just a few weeks before the filing deadline to run for our seat in the House of Delegates? My experience and seniority in Richmond serve us well. With your help, we can continue to have the Eastern Shore represented by an Eastern Shoreman. I humbly ask for your vote on Nov. 5.

Rob Bloxom

#### House of Delegates, 100th Dist.

Dear Editor:

A native Virginian, I was born and raised in Hampton Roads by a single mother who ran a daycare out of her living room to make ends meet. Service is a key value in my family: I was a Boy Scout for a number of years and I volunteered with local organizations, including the Virginia Symphony. Most importantly, I served my sister — who was born deaf — by interpreting with American Sign Language everywhere we went.

I attended local public schools and went on to attend William & Mary on a full merit scholarship, becoming the first in my family to graduate from college. From there, I worked in President Obama's White House, where I helped to coordinate the response to the BP Oil Spill and protect coastal communities along the Gulf of Mexico. After attending law school, I became a civil rights attorney with a



focus on helping people find good jobs.

In that same spirit of service, I decided to run for office to fight for the needs of everyday Virginians. For too long, we have underfunded public education and underpaid our teachers, which diminishes the future of our young people. My very first bill will be to increase teacher pay. When it comes to healthcare, instead of figuring out ways to expand mental health services, better serve our veterans, and lower prescription drugs, the legislature has voted on bills that would take away coverage for people with pre-existing conditions. That's the wrong direction. Finally, when it comes to our environment, we should aim to become a center of excellence for coastal resiliency and attract good-paying jobs in clean energy.

Since the beginning of this campaign, I have knocked on thousands of doors to listen to people. I have worshipped with congregations in every corner of the district. I've had countless meet-and-greets and meaningful conversations with people from all walks of life. Here's what I know: there's so much goodness in our community.

I'm asking for your vote on Nov. 5. But more fundamentally, I'm asking for you to imagine with me the better future that's within our reach.

Phil Hernandez

#### Northampton Supervisor, Dist. 4

Dear Editor:

David Kabler here — District 4 Candidate for Northampton County Board of Supervisors.

I've lived on the Shore for 30 years and raised my five children here — they attended Northampton High School and have gone on to satisfying careers with families of their own. I've served on the county Planning Commission and served for 3-terms on the county Parks and Recreation Advisory board, and am currently the Chairman.

I am committed to the long-term well-being of the county in many ways: developing a skilled workforce to support new business and better jobs, improving educational opportuni-

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ties, from preschool to the community college, moving forward on technology and broadband for business and entrepreneurs, protecting our air, drinking water and creeks and bays from contamination by industrial poultry farming or from sprawling residential development, assuring that our elderly population has the emergency services and access to health care they need, making sure government is open and listens to all the voices in the community, and assuring that our young people have good healthy recreational opportunities.

It's very important to me to protect the natural and human resources that so many depend on for jobs in our traditional industries—agriculture, aquaculture, tourism, and for the services of the health care industry and small businesses. We can't leave anyone behind as we move into the future.

I will always make myself available to listen to the residents of District 4 to know the voters' concerns and hear their new ideas. I want this county to be a safe, healthy, decent place for our children and grandchildren to grow up in.

I ask for your vote on Election Day. I would be honored to serve as your Northampton County District 4 Supervisor.

David Kabler

#### Northampton Supervisor, Dist. 4

Dear Editor:

To Northampton County District 4 voters — As I visited residents throughout the district over the past few weeks, I have been reminded of the beauty of our Eastern Shore: its rural charm, its breathtaking panorama on both bay and sea sides, its wooded habitats, and our historic towns. It is these things that have brought many new residents to us as they also appreciate that beauty. But I cannot overlook the economic disparity and associated challenges that affect so many of our citizens.

The real dilemma is how to utilize and leverage the County's limited resources to benefit of all residents. Zoning to allow multi-family dwellings, public wastewater treatment, the expansion of broadband, and expanded public transportation are examples of help in this area. We must be open to new sources of revenue for the County for these and other strategies to hold real estate taxes in check.

We must enforce the Chesapeake Bay Protection Act, which increases in importance as we look long term at the potential effects of sea level rise. Good practices in the Act also protect both agriculture and aquaculture, the base of Northampton's economy.

The Board of Supervisors will miss the service of Chairman Murray and Supervisor Duer. While I have not agreed with all their decisions, their experience and leadership will be sorely missed. To have a smooth transition to a new Board on January 1, experience and knowledge over a broad base of community issues is needed by their replacements. I have been endorsed by both Spencer Murray and Robert Duer. Betsy Mapp will replace Robert Duer, has served on the Board previously, and will step up to her role with confidence. I bring to you years of experience on Northampton County's Board of Zoning Appeals, Planning Commission, and business experiences including running my own companies for 40 years, serving as a bank director, and numerous positions in civic organizations. I have the leadership ability, the skills and the desire to work with citizens to move Northampton forward. I would be honored to serve as your next Supervisor for District 4.

Dixon Leatherbury

#### **Accomack Supervisor, Dist. 7**

Dear Editor:

I have been out in our community, talking to citizens about what matters most to them. I frequently hear concerns about adequate teacher pay, educational opportunities, internet access, increasing flooding, protecting our natural resources, and good job options for our children. As a candidate for the District 7 seat for Accomack's Board of Supervisors, I am eager to help move the County forward on these issues.

For many years I have informed myself and spoken out on issues of significance to the County, including subdivision planning, wetlands protections, stormwater management, and protection of our groundwater. It is now time for me to give back to the community that has supported me for so many years, and I look forward to doing more than just speaking out.

If elected, I will focus on strengthening our public education system and supporting opportunities through the new library. I will support expansion of internet services on a fast track. I will support good planning measures to minimize storm and flooding impacts and protect our solesource aquifer. I will work to protect property values and the public services our citizens need.

I will work to make well-informed decisions, seeking to balance economics, quality of life, and environmental protection. Most importantly, I will listen. My first priority is to be accessible and listen to your concerns, includ-

ing having regular meetings to keep you informed, and to make sure your voice is heard.

I look forward to your support Nov. 5.

Miriam Riggs

#### **Accomack Supervisor, Dist. 5**

Dear Editor:

I was born, raised and educated here on the shore. After college I returned home to work in the family business, Jaxon's in Parklsey where I currently manage the hardware store. I live in Modest Town with my wife Shannon and we will be celebrating our fifth anniversary November 7th. I am very grateful that the voters in District 5 had the confidence in me four years ago to be their voice in Accomack and I have done my best to represent every one of them.

Over the last four years I have fought to keep taxes low while also enhancing services offered to our citizens such as increased fire and rescue coverage throughout the county. I also worked to bring the new Regional Library and Eastern Shore Heritage Center to Parksley which is now under construction. My most important accomplishment during my first term in office was helping save Shore Health & Rehab from closing in 2017. Without this facility many of our seniors would have to go across the bay for the long term care and rehab they need. This would have made it much harder and more expensive for their friends and family to visit.

I have been working with the Economic Development Authority to bring new jobs to our County and to find businesses to locate in our underutilized Industrial Park in Melfa. Saving our current industries and jobs is equally important and we were able to save over 120 jobs when we helped find a buyer and facilitate a sale for Shore Health & Rehab in Parksley. The new owner is investing around \$3M in this facility so we can have a nice facility for our seniors for years to come. I am always available for any question or concerns you may have about Accomack County and will do anything I can to help. I would appreciate your support on Tuesday Nov. 5 and vow to continue to be a representative for all the people in District 5.

Harrison Phillips

#### **Accomack Treasurer**

Dear Editor:

My fellow Accomack County citizens, we are almost at the finish line with this campaign! I'm running for Accomack County Treasurer because I know I can make a difference to that office. I started thinking about running for treasurer because of my personal frustration when dealing with the office, and ultimately decided to run to make a difference for you, the tax payer. While campaigning I have heard

from many citizens that shared my frustration. Many of you have told me stories about your check taking weeks if not months to clear the bank. Delayed funds entering the bank is lost revenue for the county. You have told me how frustrated you are of the low tax collection rate. These are only a couple of examples of the things that need to be improved upon within the office. I want to put my experience and skills to work for you.

I have 25 years of banking experience with the last 15 years managing bank branches. I have leadership experience. I am a proven leader. Within those 25 years I have continued to work on the teller line leading by example. I am responsible for managing my staff, budget and the day to day operations of the branch. Most importantly I am responsible in assuring my branch follows policy and procedure. I have been responsible for making loans and making sure of repayment of those loans. I undergo audits making sure I'm complying with FDIC procedures. If I can stress nothing else it is policy and procedures and following them.

My community involvement is something I'm very proud of. Giving back to my community that has given so much to many of us is what it's all about. From co-chairing the Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Ball to working with March of Dimes, making a difference has always been my goal. Making a difference within the Treasurer's office is also my goal. Help me reach my goal and vote Brandy Custis Childress on Nov. 5. Many thanks to everyone for your support.

**Brandy Custis Childress** 

#### **Accomack Treasurer**

Dear Editor:

Hello, I am James Lilliston candidate for Accomack County Treasurer. I would like to thank God for this opportunity. To everyone that has helped me to this point, I cannot thank you enough. I realize that you must remain humble and be yourself and I believe I have done just that.

For those who have not yet made a decision, I ask you to "believe in experience!" I have worked in the Treasurer's office for 3,500 days. On the job training has been the best education. I am prepared to take over as Treasurer on Jan. 2.

To date, collections in Accomack County are up and I will continue that trend. Our office currently has a system in place that electronically deposits taxpayers' checks daily. Collection methods, not "tools in the toolbox," are already in place. These meth-

ods will be implemented consistently and assertively when necessary.

I believe that experience is powerful and is the key to success. You must have a strong foundation or that foundation will crack and crumble. This strong foundation was built by my 14 years in the Treasurer's office. Accomack County gave me an opportunity many years ago. I believe, that same county is prepared to give me a new opportunity this November.

I continue to ask you for your prayers, your support, and your vote on Nov. 5.

James Lilliston

#### **Accomack School Board, Dist. 7**

Dear Editor:

To the voters of District 7: I would be honored and humbled to serve you as a School Board member for our district. I have many ties to Accomack County Public Schools. I was born and raised on the Eastern Shore. My wife is a teacher and my two daughters attend ACPS. For over twenty years I have worked as a teacher and administrator in Accomack County Public Schools and at the Eastern Shore Community College. I consider myself to be a career educator. I also hold a Virginia State Superintendent's License.

In my career, I have served honorably on other local and regional boards. I would represent our district with knowledge and professionalism. If elected, I would work together with fellow school board members and the Board of Supervisors to better our school division. My decision making would be guided by one simple question, "What is in the best interest of our students?" Initiatives and priorities such as Pre-Kinder-

garten for all, STEM education, increasing teacher pay and strengthening partnerships with local business and industry would be most important to me.

A vote for me is a vote for Proven Leadership. **Thomas "T.J." Johnson** 

#### Accomack School Board, Dist. 7

Dear Editor:

Our school division has some challenges, and I want to address them. We must focus on quality instruction, starting with hiring and retaining the best teachers. We should address areas where we fall short (special education services, workforce and college readiness, community support and engagement). As a school board member I won't be afraid to ask questions and stand up for our students and teachers. I enjoy talking with parents and teachers and look forward to their input if elected to the school board.

School: I have worked as a school volunteer in many capacities over the last 17 vears. At the elementary school I focused on staff appreciation and on broadening the students' horizons through assemblies. As the NMS PTA president, I implemented after school enrichment programs (Chess, YMCA swimming and golf, 6th grade orientation, theater program to name a few) and advocated for student safety. Working closely with the high school faculty I organized and implemented Poetry out Loud and the Model Judiciary Program. I served on a Parent Advisory Council to several ACPS superintendents to work on challenges faced by schools throughout the county.

Enrichment programs are valuable in helping students become more interested in school, promoting parent involvement and creating a better school climate. I am well-versed in creating and implementing change at the school level, and am eager to bring these skills to the county level.

Family: My husband, Bob and I have enjoyed raising our 3 children here, all attended Accomack County Public Schools. We live near Accomac and enjoy spending time with our family, friends and neighbors as well as volunteering in our community.

Professional: I have a master's degree in social work and have been employed as a clinical social worker on the Eastern Shore for 30 years. I've worked with individuals and families that suffer from addiction, emotional challenges or chronic health issues. Social Workers are experts at understanding and using community resources. I am a community organizer and worked to have an elected school board.

I am asking for your vote on Nov. 5 so that I can put my skills to work for our school division.

Janet Martin-Turner

#### Accomack School Board, Dist. 4

Dear Editor:

I want to begin this letter by thanking CBES, AEA, and the Women's Club of Accomack County for offering the candidates the opportunity to meet with voters and express their thoughts on the issues. Also, thanks to the Eastern Shore Post and WESR for covering every event.

When my son was diagnosed with Autism, I knew absolutely nothing about his disability and what it meant for him educationally. It was very important to make sure that my son, and every other child coming after him, had what they needed to achieve success in the Special Education classroom. We fought many battles, but in the end, the victory was sweet. My son has soared to heights that would never have happened without our persistence.

When elected to the Accomack School Board, I will continue to be available to teachers, staff, parents, and students to discuss any issues that arise. I believe it is my duty to be informed about what is going on in the school buildings at all times. I would prefer to hear about it from inside the school rather than read it on social media.

As board members, we should be addressing teacher shortages now by hiring interested, qualified individuals possibly using them as substitutes, elementary classroom aides, or anything else they are needed for in order to have them in place for next year. We cannot continue to have buildings operating while not meeting the Standards of Quality. We should be establishing the "Grow our Own" educators plan by incorporating the VDOE guidelines.

Our school board currently lacks diversity. It needs more women and members interested in representing our special education students. It's always best to have someone on the board in your district who is committed to the schools in that district. I would appreciate your support on Nov. 5.

Connie Burford

# Northampton Schools Say 'Thanks!'

Dear Editor:

The Northampton High School Homecoming Committee would like to thank all our community members and leaders for supporting the transportation efforts of Virginia State University's marching band for our homecoming Sept. 27. We are truly thankful to Cape Charles Rotary, Mrs. Maxine Rasmussen, Mrs. Darlene Burton, Mrs. Jo Ann Molera, Dr. Paul Bibbins, Mrs. Nancy Proto, Hungars Church, Agape Counseling, American Legion Northampton, Rock Autobody, Mr. Willie Randall (Edward Jones), Ms. Onnie Davis, Exmore Rotary, Northampton County High School Alumni, Dr. Catherine Turlington, and Ronica Wynder.

The Northampton Middle School Student Government Association would like to thank all our community members, leaders, parents, teachers, Northampton Free Library, Northampton EMS, Northampton Sheriff's Department along with Deon Rogers and our farmers community

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for our hayride.

Northampton High Homecoming Committee and Middle School Student Government Association

## Solar Energy at a Premium

Dear Editor:

As related to the letter "Candidates' Alternative Energy Statements Questioned" in the Oct. 18 edition of the Post, Mr. Phillips' statements, from what I have seen printed, appear to be correct for the Eastern Shore.

In regards to the cost of solar energy, I refer readers to the October 2019 issue of Cooperative Living, page 25. It says you can buy all your energy needs from solar, but there is a \$5.42 cost for every 50-kilowatt block of solar energy purchased. It states it is higher than standard electricity. Without federal subsidies from taxpayer dollars, solar energy would be much higher than just stated.

As for the issue of solar panels on agricultural lands, it is a major political issue in Maryland, Delaware, and

North Carolina. Articles concerning this have appeared in the Delmarva Farmer Magazine, Delmarva's principal magazine for the agricultural industry.

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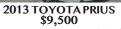
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