# Local COVID-19 Cases Spike in Accomack Going Into Holiday Season

### By Carol Vaughn

COVID-19 cases on the Eastern Shore are increasing.

"Over the past two weeks we have definitely seen an increase in our number of cases," said Jon Richardson, chief operating officer at the Eastern Shore Health District, in a Nov. 23 email.

Richardson said the health department is keeping a close on eye on the situation.

"It is concerning," he said.

Accomack County reported eight new cases Monday and now has a seven-day average of seven daily new cases, or a seven-day average rate of 22 new daily cases reported per 100,000 population.

One new hospitalization and no new deaths were reported Monday in Accomack County.

Accomack County has had 1,308 cases, 105 hospitalizations, and 21 deaths since the pandemic began.

Northampton County reported two new cases Monday and now has a seven-day average of one new daily case, or a seven-day average rate of 8.5 new daily cases per 100,000 population.

Northampton County had zero new hospitalizations and zero new deaths reported Monday.

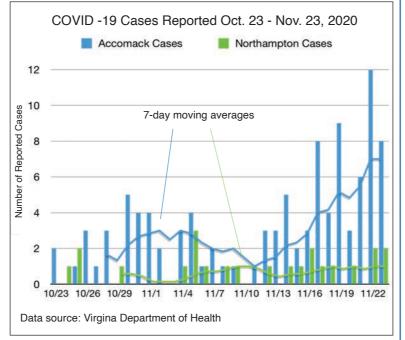
Northampton County has had 339 cases, 49 hospitalizations, and 31 deaths since the pandemic began.

The Eastern Shore has had 17 outbreaks since the pandemic began, with 891 associated cases: four in long-term care facilities; 10 in congregate settings; one in a correctional facility; one in a healthcare setting; and one in a K-12 school.

There have been 149 cases among healthcare workers associated with outbreaks.

There have been 18,214 PCR tests administered in the Eastern Shore Health District and the current seven-day test positivity rate was 5.7% as of Monday.

"(I)t's important for the community to know that as current community transmission trends are



on the rise, there is more risk of outbreaks. While things have remained fairly calm in the poultry plants and schools, there is no guarantee for that to continue as case counts continue to rise," Richardson said.

The current increase is not attributable to any one facility or gathering, according to Richardson.

"Many of these cases resulted from close contact with other positive cases," he said of recently reported cases.

Last spring, many local coronavirus cases were traced to either nursing homes or Accomack County's two poultry processing facilities.

Richardson said nursing homes are testing staff and patients regularly, based on federal guidelines.

"This has helped to quickly catch positive cases to isolate them from others," he said, adding the health department has seen "very few cases" in long-term care facilities over the past several months.

Similarly, the health department has seen very



# Neighbors Express Thanks to One Another

Levin Champlin, of Daugherty, gets into the Thanksgiving spirit by offering free cookies to passersby outside his house, including to neighbor Eddie Clark. Recipients responded with their own generous offerings. Photo courtesy of Jane Clark.

few cases among poultry workers over the past several months, according to Richardson.

After local schools resumed in-person classes, one outbreak has been reported in a school. That was a total of two cases at Nandua High School.

"We have seen other cases amongst staff and students at different schools but they have not resulted in outbreaks," Richardson said, adding that the health department is not seeing transmission within

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the schools.

"For the most part, we have identified students and staff who have tested positive were exposed outside the school setting," he said.

The health department anticipates case numbers could climb over the next couple of months as people gather to celebrate the holidays.

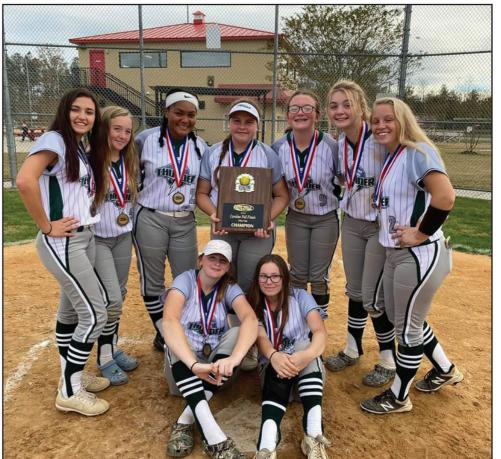
"Masks, social distancing, and frequent handwashing continue to be our best prevention methods," Richardson said.

The health department follows up on all complaints related to Gov. Ralph Northam's executive orders related to the pandemic.

Northam last week during a press conference said the Virginia Health Department will continue to enforce safety measures outlined in the orders.

"So far, educational efforts have resulted in compliance with the executive orders, so we have not had to take any enforcement action," Richardson said.

"We need to continue to do our best with our prevention methods. Wash your hands frequently, wear a mask in public, and maintain social distancing between yourselves and those outside of your household," Richardson said, adding, "Continuing these practices will absolutely help keep case counts down. The science supporting that is undeniable. We will get through this by looking out for each other as a community."



Thunder Rolls to Big Win
The Eastern Shore Thunder girls softball team won 16/18-under division of the Softball Nation Carolina Fall Finale in Elizabeth City, N.C., this past weekend. The Thunder was the only 14-under team competing in the tournament and still managed to knock off several teams with older players. Submitted photo.



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EPA has opened a 30-day public comment period for the consent order. The comment period begins November 27, 2020 and ends December 28, 2020.

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# Gov. Northam Signs Revised 'Very Progressive' State Budget

### By Carol Vaughn

Gov. Ralph Northam announced at a press conference last Wednesday he had signed the revised biennial state budget sent him by the general assembly — calling the budget "very progressive."

The budget includes provisions to protect Virginians from evictions and utility shutoffs, Northam said.

"This budget gives us the tools we need to contend with the challenges brought on by the ongoing pandemic," Northam said in a press release, adding, "I am grateful to our partners in the General Assembly (for) their work in crafting a revised spending plan that protects the most vulnerable Virginians, stays true to our shared values, and puts the Commonwealth in a strong position to weather this public health crisis."

The signed budget finalizes previously announced funding allocations that Virginia received under the federal CARES Act, including:

Vaccination Program: \$22 million for the Virginia Department of Health's vaccination preparation and planning through the end of 2020

•K-12 Schools: \$220 million for COVID-19 preparedness and response efforts in K-12 public schools, with all 132 school districts receiving at least \$100.000.

•Higher Education: \$116 million to support ongoing COVID-19 response at public colleges, universities, and medical schools and \$22 million for the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia to provide payments to private institutions of higher education.

• Child Care: \$65.8 million to increase access to child care and continue child care incentive grant program established in April.

•Small Business Assistance: \$70 million to establish the Rebuild VA economic recovery fund providing grants to small businesses and non-profit organizations impacted by the pandemic and \$30 million in additional funds to continue the program.

• Broadband Accessibility: \$30 million to fast-track broadband projects in underserved localities.

•Home Health Workers: \$73 million to provide hazard pay to home health personal attendants who served high-risk populations during the early months of the pandemic.

•Workforce Training for Unemployed Virginians: \$30 million to established the Re-Employing Virginians initiative providing scholarships to individuals who enroll in programs in high-demand fields.

•Rent and Mortgage Relief: \$12 million to expand the Virginia Rent and Mortgage Relief Program launched in June.

•Food Banks: \$7 million to help Virginia food banks meet increased demand for food assistance.

•Medicaid Day Support Providers: \$25 million to fund monthly retainer payments for day support programs that provide services for Virginians with developmental disabilities.

• Free Clinics: \$3 million to reimburse members of the Virginia Association of Free and Charitable Clinics for COVID-19 expenses.

It also includes \$100 million in coronavirus relief funds to support utility shutoff protection for customers facing financial hardship, as well as prohibiting evictions for rent non-payment through Dec. 31, 2020.

After Jan. 1, 2021, the budget requires landlords and tenants to work together to access rent assistance, including through the Virginia Rent and Mortgage Relief Program, before proceeding with an eviction.

Northam said commonwealth officials continue to take actions "to support our frontline workers and protect taxpayer dollars."

He has asked the federal government to extend Title 32 status for the National Guard through next year — which would mean the federal government would continue to pay for the Guard's assistance.

Federal authority over Nation-

al Guard members falls under Title 32 of the U.S. Code. This is considered federal active duty for specific state missions and full-time Guard positions.

"Throughout this pandemic, our Virginia National Guard has been a critical partner, helping move supplies and especially helping provide manpower and logistics for testing events," Northam said.

Northam said Virginia's small businesses continue to face difficulties.

"I've said many times, we have both a health crisis and an economic crisis — and we are focused on both of them," he said.

Northam said the commonwealth is working to give support to businesses through the Rebuild Virginia Plan.

A few weeks ago, eligibility was expanded for the grant program and additional money was put into it.

Northam said nearly 15,000 applications for grants have been received. To date, more than \$55 million in grants have been approved,

with almost 39% of the amount going to businesses in low-income communities.

"But I know that everyone from

laid-off workers to businesses continues to struggle," he said, adding, "We are encouraging Congress to pass another stimulus package."

"Now that the election is behind us...Congress needs to come together to get this done — and they need to get it done now," Northam said.

# Safe Boating Tips From Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 12-02

### Submitted Article

This week we have suggestions for a few utilitarian items useful for protecting boats this winter.

A simple long-lasting cover can be purchased for a boat of any size. To get the proper cover, measure the entire length of the boat (including all pulpits and platforms), then measure the width of the boat at its widest point. Those measurements will aid in selecting the proper size cover to fit your boat.

Boaters wrapping their boats or installing boat covers may find desiccant dehydrator kits useful. These are very

reasonably priced and effective.

Do-it-yourself winterizing kits are also a useful suggestion for preparing vessel power units and potable water tanks for the winter season. Or simply purchase a bottle of gasoline preservative to add to your fuel tank.

Finally, we still have \$15 gift certificates for Coast Guard Auxiliary boating safety and other classes. With most class registrations costing \$20, you save 25%. Contact Russell Vreeland at 757-442-7029 for certificates.

In our next column, we will finish this segment with some last-minute stocking stuffers.

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# Chincoteague's Island Community House Ready To Shine at Open House

By Carol Vaughn

The Island Community House on Chincoteague will hold an open house Saturday, Dec. 5, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., to formally introduce the facility and its offerings to the public.

The house, formerly known as the Selby House, has been renovated and converted into a community gathering place. It is at 6246 Mumford St., behind the movie theater.

The Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce will hold an outdoor ribbon-cutting ceremony at 11 a.m.

The open house is an all-day event to allow for small groups and social distancing.

Local artisans and holiday treats will be at the event, as well as information about upcoming ICH activities. Team Brianna Town Park fundraiser items also will be available to purchase.

The community house got its start when David Landsberger purchased the house, which needed renovations, with the intent to turn it into a place where Chincoteague's senior citizens, children, and others could gather for activities.

"He decided he was going to renovate it. ... They made it into a beautiful, open floor plan. ... There are so many possibilities for this place," said Cindy Faith, who recently took on the job of ICH coordinator.

There had been discussions over the years about Chincoteague's senior citizens in particular needing a place to gather, after senior services formerly provided at what is now the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance building ceased.

"There just really hasn't been anything to replace it," Faith said.

The community house opened a little over a year ago and was just gaining momentum when the COVID-19 pandemic hit, forcing it to shut down.

The goal of the open house is to create awareness of the facility and explain its offerings — including senior and youth activities; community events; guest speakers; yoga, art, and other classes; satellite classes from Eastern Shore Community College; a commercial kitchen; and rental space



The Island Community House open floor plan provides flexibility for a variety of uses. The venue is holding an open house Saturday, Dec. 5, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Submitted photo.

for private gatherings.

Not all of those activities are happening right now due to pandemic restrictions, but Faith said, "We want it to be a place for the community. I want them to feel like it's their house."

The building "couldn't be in a better location," right downtown, Faith said, not-

ing there is ample parking nearby and the trolley stops right across the street.

> Team Brianna Playground Fundraiser

The Island Community House is serving as the nonprofit host for the Team Brianna Town Park fundraiser.

Donna Leonard and Cindy Faith are



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The Mumford Street building formerly known as the Selby House has been renovated and is now home to the Island Community House. The Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce will hold an outdoor ribbon-cutting ceremony Saturday at 11 a.m. Submitted photo.

heading up the fundraiser.

Land for the park, which is on Smith Street, was purchased by Landsberger and donated to the town, with the request that it be used for a playground and an athletic field.

Faith credited Landsberger with supporting "almost every nonprofit on this island this year and (helping) them survive this year, quietly."

Money raised will go to create a sensory playground named in honor of Brianna Merritt, who died last year at age 11 after battling cancer for three years.

"Her upbeat attitude and request that everyone 'Be Kind' has spurred a real movement in the island and beyond. It's really an incredible thing to see," said Faith.

Teams around Chincoteague are planning creative fundraisers for the playground, such as Capt. Steve's 2020 Annual Surf Fishing Tournament, held recently to benefit the project.

"We are reaching out to the community and beyond to help support the finances of this park," Leonard said.

A sensory playground is one that con-

tains accessible playground equipment and activities that stimulate children's senses — touch, movement, smell, taste, sight, hearing, and balance.

That could include items such as outdoor musical instruments, among other equipment.

While sensory playgrounds are geared somewhat toward children with special needs, all children can enjoy them, according to Leonard.

A presentation from a professional playground designer from the company Third Little Pig will be made at the Dec. 8 meeting of the town recreation and community enhancement committee, at 5 p.m., Leonard said.

"Brianna's wish was for everybody to be kind — to do something kind for somebody every day," Leonard said, adding, "So we are carrying that wish throughout the playground. It might be just little quotes here and there; it might be a pile of seashells that are decorated with "Be Kind" quotes; it might be rocks that people paint; it might be signs."

The park in addition to the playground will include a multiuse athletic

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field — a place for the town's youth soccer players to practice and play, among other uses.

Organizers are hoping to raise enough money to also build a fitness trail for adults, with workout stations around the park's perimeter.

The Team Brianna challenge is open to business, individuals, and organizations. Organize and name a squad, plan a fundraiser, and register a Team Brianna Squad with Faith at Island Community House by dropping off the information at 6146 Mumford St., Monday through Friday, noon to 3 p.m.; mailing a completed form to P.O. Box 97, Chincoteague, VA 23336; or emailing to info@islandcommunityhouse.org

Information also is on Facebook at Brianna's Wish.

Call with questions about the Team Brianna Town Park fundraiser to 757-894-1953 or 757-990-1022 or email donations@islandcommunityhouse.org

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Donor gift cards are available at Shore Post Parcel and Business Center. which also is the retail headquarters for Team Brianna T-shirts, coffee cups, window stickers, hoodies, tote bags, Christmas ornaments, masks, aprons, and more.

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The Shore Post and Parcel Business Center Squad challenged other island businesses to match their donation of \$150. Businesses that have accepted the challenge so far are Daisey's Island Cruises, Morrison Dental Clinic, Sundial Books, Refuge Inn, The Bike Depot, and Miss Molly's Inn.

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# Chincoteague Approves Staff Raises, Additional EMS Staffing

### By Carol Vaughn

Chincoteague Town Council members voted to give town employees a raise that had been delayed in July due to budgetary concerns related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The council voted unanimously at the Thursday, Nov. 19, meeting to give the raise starting with pay period 10, deferring until May a decision on an option to make the raise retroactive to the start of the fiscal year.

The annual cost of the raise is \$59,285.

Chincoteague Town Manager Mike Tolbert updated the council about distribution of federal CARES Act funds, saying the town has awarded 99 grants to small businesses and watermen, totaling \$398,000.

The council voted to spend part of the remaining nearly \$60,000 allocated to the town on a new dispatch system for the police department.

The cloud-based system involves minimal equipment and will cost around \$20,000 for equipment and installation, plus a maintenance fee.

The \$1,000 per month fee matches the amount the town charges the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, starting last year, for dispatch service, according to Tolbert.

Other suggested expenditures for the remaining federal funds include remote message display boards, personal protective equipment, and cleaning supplies, among other items.

Emergency Management Coordinator Bryan Rush updated the council on the COVID-19 pandemic state of emergency.

Chincoteague has had a total of 40 cases, including two additional cases since Monday, he said.

He spoke about a point of distribution plan for a vaccine to be administered, when available, to active EMS volunteers and town employees in the first phase of vaccinations.

"Today, I have been informed that the CDC and the Virginia Department of Health are projecting a phase 1 rollout of vaccinations by mid- to late De-

cember," Rush said, adding, "Our frontline healthcare providers are going to be first in line."

The council approved an EMS staffing proposal Rush presented to help better meet response demands.

He noted the department has been short two full-time employees for some time due to a surgery and an injury on the job.

The department normally has eight full-time employees besides Rush, as well as 11 part-time employees.

Minimum staffing of two people per shift is happening between 40% and 55% of the time at present, meaning there is no local response for a second ambulance call during those times.

"We're looking at a 12- to 25-minute mutual aid response" from an ambulance off the island to handle a second call. Rush said.

The budget and personnel commit-

tee in consultation with the Chincoteague Vol. Fire Company recommended hiring more part-time employees to fill the gaps.

Rush said he plans to go from 11 to 15 part-time staff, which will cost around \$102,000 for the rest of the fiscal year.

Still, \$55,220 remains in the current budget and the department is \$31,000 under total projected expenses for the year to date, so the additional amount needed is around \$17,000.

The council voted unanimously to approve the plan.

The council in other action approved a conditional use permit for David Landsberger to allow use of a separate building at his residence as a bedroom. The building formerly housed his office, which he since moved into a former bedroom in his house.

No one spoke at the public hearing.

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# Nurse Goes Beyond Cosmetic To Help Clients Feel Confident

By Stefanie Jackson

A registered nurse who recently opened a medical spa in Cape Charles is looking for new opportunities to give back.

"Women want to feel good and confident when they go out," said Stephanie Holvick, owner of R.N. Faces.

Women who are older or disabled are no exception, and working with these clients is Holvick's specialty.

One of the services she offers is micropigmentation, or permanent makeup. She provides this service free to women who are blind, and she is seeking referrals for new clients.

It's difficult for a woman to apply her makeup when she literally can't see what she's doing, and for 27 years Holvick has been providing permanent makeup services for free to the visually impaired.

She also offers areola repigmentation at no cost to breast cancer survivors who have undergone breast reconstruction.

Holvick also is a breast cancer survivor. She had a lumpectomy in 2008 and radiation. She opted to remove the tattoos doctors had placed on her body as targets for her radiation treatments.

"Some women choose to leave the marks there as a badge of honor – and that's their choice," she said via her website, www.rnfaces.com

"I chose to rid myself of the constant reminder of cancer every time I looked in the mirror. I wanted to take back control of my body, and that was my choice."

Micropigmentation is done by tattooing. Holvick has three different tattoo machines and prefers her traditional coil tattoo machine but also owns a smaller, quieter one preferred by some clients, particularly those who get the permanent makeup.

A full face of permanent makeup includes eyebrows, eye liner, and lip liner, and gives the client the "first line of defense" against aging, Holvick said.

Permanent makeup is a solution for older women who have lost color in their faces with age, particularly as their hair thins out, including eyebrows and eyelashes. Permanent makeup al-



Registered nurse Stephanie Holvick in her med spa/clinic, R.N. Faces, in Cape Charles. Photo by Stefanie Jackson.

so eliminates the difficulties of applying makeup on older skin that has less elasticity, with hands that may be less steady than they once were.

The permanent makeup design is drawn onto the client's face so she can wear the look home and show her family before deciding whether or not she wants to commit to the procedure.

The permanent makeup will begin to fade with time, despite its name, and should be touched up every two years, Holvick said.

Her specialty in mature skin also includes the removal of minor skin imperfections.

People over 50 tend to accumulate skin tags and brown spots, and people of color are susceptible to developing a skin condition called dermatosis papulosa nigra, in which small, dark moles or "Morgan Freeman spots" form on the face, Holvick noted.

These imperfections can be removed by non-laser treatment with a machine called the Skin Classic, which uses direct high frequency.

Other available skin procedures include microdermabrasion and microneedling.

Microdermabrasion breaks up and

removes dead skin cells, resurfacing and polishing the skin.

Microneedling makes tiny punctures in the skin, and new collagen is formed as the micro-wounds heal, rejuvenating the skin and reducing the appearance of fine lines and uneven skin tone.

Holvick said she prefers the Skin Classic because laser treatments are more expensive and less effective.

The high frequency typically is effective in one session and can be done in minutes. For example, one client had a skin tag under each eye, and his treatment took about three minutes on each side, Holvick said.

Her husband, Michael Holvick, is a retired chiropractor who went back to school in 2005 to learn skin procedures. He works alongside her with the Skin Classic, which they have owned since 2007. They also teach other clinicians how to use the machine.

Stephanie Holvick has been a registered nurse since 1982. She was introduced to aesthetic nursing while she was working in the field of plastic surgery.

Holvick received her first training in micropigmentation about 10 years into her nursing career, and she was hooked on the concept. She has been providing permanent makeup for free for the blind since 1993.

She also has had rewarding experiences helping burn victims and clients with alopecia, multiple sclerosis, or Parkinson's disease.

The Holvicks have traveled all around the country, working and training other

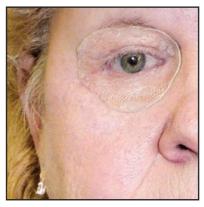
clinicians on the Skin Classic.

They were in Southern Shores, a town in North Carolina's Outer Banks, when Hurricane Sandy hit in 2012.

During the aftermath of the storm, curiosity drove them to visit Cape Charles for the first time to see if the town had sustained any damage.

Like many couples before and after them, the Holvicks "fell in love" with Cape Charles and decided to make it their home.

Both are retired from their previous





Above are photos of a woman who lost her eye to cancer, before and after she received a prosthesis that attaches to the face with adhesive, as well as eyebrow reconstruction via micropigmentation by Stephanie Holvick. Images courtesy of Stephanie Holvick.

careers and have been enjoying their "last hurrah" in Cape Charles since last August.

Stephanie Holvick decided that after Breezes Day Spa closed, it was the right time to open her own business. A spring opening was not possible due to COVID-19, but R.N. Faces is now open and accepting clients.

The Holvicks no longer travel to train clinicians on the Skin Classic; now Stephanie Holvick holds trainings every Monday at her office in Cape Charles.

She also plans to offer Botox and fillers at the clinic by Dr. Frances Williams, who is associated with Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Onley.

R.N. Faces is located at 712 Randolph Ave., Cape Charles, and is open by appointment only. To make an appointment or to refer a potential client who may qualify for free services, contact Stephanie Holvick at stephanie@rnfaces.com or call 719-859-0707. To learn more, visit www.rnfaces.com



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# **OBITUARIES**

# Ronald Gary Dimsey

Mr. Ronald Gary Dimsey, 69, a resident of Exmore, passed away Tuesday, Nov. 10, 2020, in Virginia Beach. A native of Vienna, Va., he was the son of the late Calvin Julian Dimsey and the late Jane Dimsey Sturgis. He was a retired auto body shop manager.

He is survived by two brothers, Calvin J. Dimsey II, of Exmore, and Rich-

ard Dimsey and his wife, Judy, of Sterling, Va.; a sister, Jeanne F. Shadoan, and her husband, Michael, of Centerville, Va.; three nephews, Rick Dimsey Jr., Eric Dimsey, and Frank D. Pelli:



Mr. Dimsey

and two nieces, Ashley Pelli and Hailey Shadoan. He was predeceased by his stepfather, Jack Sturgis, and sister, Cynthia Dimsey Pelli.

Family joined friends Friday, Nov.

20, 2020, at Doughty Funeral Home to celebrate Ronald's life. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Riverside Shore Cancer Center, P.O. Box 430, Onancock, VA 23417.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at <a href="https://www.doughtyfuneralhome.com">www.doughtyfuneralhome.com</a>

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

# Mary Jordan Heil

Mrs. Mary Jordan Heil, a retired Accomack County school teacher known for her light-up-the-room smile and for inspiring generations of Eastern Shore students, died Friday, Nov. 20, 2020, after a battle with cancer. She was 80 and lived in Poplar Cove.

Heil is survived by her brother, Joseph Jordan, of Toledo, Ohio, and sister,

Kathleen Diller, of Medford, N.J. She leaves behind her daughters, Martha Riordon Heil, of Los Alamos, N.M., and Emily Heil, of Washington, D.C.; her son, William Coston, of Hackensack.



Mrs. Heil

N.J.; and granddaughters, Mary May and Nicole Jean Riordon Heil, of Los Alamos.

When Heil arrived in Onancock more than 40 years ago, little had prepared her for life on the Eastern Shore — a life that she would come to love. Growing up in Toledo, she wore a starchy Catholic school uniform; later, as a young secretary in Washington, D.C., she donned heels and gloves to attend fancy cocktail parties in Georgetown. But after she and her husband, Nicholas Heil (deceased), settled in Poplar Cove, she often found herself in jeans and a flannel shirt, tending to a flock of 40,000 chickens on the family's property. The unlikely country girl never complained about the pungent, ramshackle chicken houses, the broken-down tractor, or anything else, really. No matter what it was, she saw the good within it.

Heil was born in Buffalo, N.Y., in 1940. She earned a bachelor's degree from Marquette University and a master's degree from Old Dominion University. She taught in the Accomack County school system for more than 30 years, where she was known as an uncommonly kind and empathetic educator.

As a fifth grade teacher and later an instructor in the talented-and-gifted program, Heil filled her classrooms with fun. Children would paint flowers on the windows and pull wild costumes from the dress-up box of cast-off clothing that she collected. Though many people find middle-schoolers unbearable, she loved being around them and seeing their identities take shape. She loved to teach reading, helping many adults master language in her free time.

Heil was happiest when her home was filled with laughter. When her daughters were little, she threw birthday parties with candy-stuffed pinatas and cakes in the shape of cats. On Halloween, she hand stitched bumblebee and mosquito costumes. Later, she led troops of girls to the Dream roller rink and served tacos for endless slumber parties. In recent years, she delighted in making cupcakes — topped with pink frosting, always — with her beloved granddaughters.

For decades, Heil engaged in near-constant banter with her husband, Nicholas, the love of her life. They met on Capitol Hill in the mid-1960s. At the time, she was working for the House Judiciary Committee, and he was a lawyer for Congressman William Cahill. They married in 1970 and moved to the Eastern Shore eight years later, trading the intensity of politics for the peace of the marshes. Year after year, they strolled the beaches of Chincoteague and lovingly matched wits over the Sunday newspapers.

Heil welcomed hundreds of guests to Poplar Cove, inviting them to sit down at the round oak table in her kitchen. It was the hub of family life, where she served dinner every night and coffee so strong, people said it could stand up without a cup. She made visitors feel at home and took in all kinds of strays, from friends of friends to political volunteers to foreign exchange students. Always a good listener, she would grip people's arms tightly as they spoke, making them feel that every word was important. During the holidays, she made sure everyone left with a heavy tin of homemade cookies.

Everyone will remember Heil's signature laugh, warm and heartfelt. Her children joked that they could locate her at the grocery store just by listening for it — surely, she had found a friend in one of the aisles. Her laugh expressed her boundless optimism, her appreciation for the good and the goofy in each moment, in each person she shared it with.

The Heil family will hold a private service at their home in late November. They plan to invite extended family and friends to a celebration of Mary's life next summer, or as soon as it is safe to gather.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

# Robin Melton Hickman

Mrs. Robin Melton Hickman, 78, of Onancock, former longtime resident of Concord Wharf, passed away peacefully on Thursday, Nov. 19, 2020, at her home. Born Nov. 23, 1941, in Beltsville, Md., she was the daughter of the late Alvis Kermit Melton and the late Elinor Lee Griffith Melton.

Following high school, Robin attend-

ed the University of Mary Washington, where she received a bachelor's degree in education. She loved teaching and often spoke of her first career teaching middle school, particularly her



Mrs. Hickman

time at Cheriton School where she rewarded good behavior and grades with a ride home in her convertible Mustang. She was a frequent substitute and volunteer at Broadwater Academy and continued sharing her love of reading by volunteering with the Literacy Council and UNA Familia. In addition to her many years as an educator, Robin worked part time as a clerk for the U.S. Postal Service, serving in the Willis Wharf and Melfa offices. Robin was one of the founding members of Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore, a member of the Ye Accawmacke Garden Club, a devoted member of the Episcopal Church, and enjoyed playing bridge and was grateful for the many friendships made through various bridge clubs over the years. She enjoyed baking and reading, and loved playing games with her granddaughters, Ellie

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and Anne, both of whom she very much adored.

Robin is survived by her husband of 52 years, Milton T. "Buddy" Hickman Jr., of Onancock; their daughter, Susan H. Mason, and her husband, John E. Mason III; granddaughters, Eleanor D. "Ellie" Mason and Anne T. Mason, both of Accomac; brother-in-law, Thomas A. Hickman; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her siblings, Joan E. Melton, Marianne M. Goetting and her husband, Thomas, Peter W. Melton, and Michael T. Melton; and sister-in-law, Dickye P. Hickman.

The family would like to express their deepest gratitude to Robin's caretakers, Connie Williams and Brenda Harmanson, whose love, compassion, and care was limitless over the last several years.

A graveside service will be held at the Belle Haven Cemetery at a later date.

Contributions in Robin's memory may be made to the Eastern Shore's Own Arts Center, P.O. Box 147, Belle Haven, VA 23306 (<a href="www.esoartscenter.org/donate/">www.esoartscenter.org/donate/</a>) or to the University of Mary Washington, UMW Office of University Advancement, Jepson Alumni Executive Center, 1119 Hanover St., Fredericksburg, VA 22401 (<a href="www.giving.umw.edu">www.giving.umw.edu</a>).

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

# Rosie L. Holloman

Mrs. Rosie L. Holloman, 89, of Melfa, departed this life on Friday, Nov. 13, 2020, at her residence.

Born in Nandua, Rosie was the daughter of the late Smallwood Sr. and Maggie Kellam. She was married to the late Horace E. Holloman. Rosie held many occupations throughout her life that included cook, nurse's aide, and a factory worker.

Graveside services were held Saturday, Nov. 21, 2020, at Shiloh Baptist Cemetery in Painter, with the Rev. Jessie Thomas officiating.

She leaves to



Mrs. Holloman

carry on her legacy: two brothers, John Kellam and Garry Horsey; eight nieces; 11 nephews; two goddaughters; one sister-in-law; special niece, Carsandra "Ann" Walker; Mary N. Smith class of 1950; and a host of special friends, other relatives, and friends.

Arrangements were by the Cooper & Humbles Funeral Co., Accomac.

# Patricia Kappes Jacob

Mrs. Patricia Kappes Jacob passed away Nov. 18, 2020, at her home in Uvalde, Texas, surrounded by her immediate family. She was known as "Patty" by her friends and "Gran" by her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Patty was born Jan. 22, 1934, in Accomack County, to Karl and Mildred

Kappes. She grew up on the Eastern Shore of Virginia where she attended school in Onancock. In 1955, Patty married William Custis "Bill" Jacob Jr. Soon thereafter, she moved



Mrs. Jacob

to Uvalde as a young bride, with Bill, who was in the produce business. For many years, Patty assisted Bill in the produce business in the Uvalde area in the winter months, and on the Eastern Shore of Virginia in the summer months.

Patty and Bill had three children, William Custis Jacob III, Karla Jacob Davis, and Tricia Jacob, all of whom attended school and graduated high school in Uvalde. She was very close to her children, especially after Bill passed in 1985. Then with grandchildren, and later, with great-grandchildren, Patty's main focus was always family. A phenomenal cook, everyone enjoyed Gran's meals. Patty was a member of the First Baptist Church of Uvalde.

Her survivors include her brother, Jerry Kappes, and his wife, Jackie Kappes, of Bethany Beach, Del.; her son, William Custis Jacob III, and his fiancé, Mandy Pruitt, of Uvalde; her daughter, Karla Kappes Davis, and her husband, John Allen Davis Jr., and their children, John Jacob Davis and his wife, Elizabeth Davis, Kyle Allen Davis and his wife, Chelsea Davis,

and Kali Ann Davis; as well as greatgrandchildren, Case, Emma, Bradford, Campbell, Annie Kyle, and Mary Kyle, all of Midland, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Karl and Mildred Kappes; her husband, William Custis Jacob Jr.; and her youngest daughter, Tricia Jacob.

Patty will be missed by family and friends. However, she has fought the fight and finished the race. Because of her deep faith and assurance of salvation through Jesus Christ, we know she is in a better place.

Private interment was held at the Edge Hill Cemetery in Accomac. The family plans to hold a memorial service on the Eastern Shore once it is safe to gather.

Contributions in Patty's memory may be made to the Lupus Foundation of America, 2121 K St. NW, Suite 200, Washington, DC 20037 (www.lupus.org) or to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 (www.stjude.org).

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

# Lois Ann Mears

Mrs. Lois Ann Mears, of Southside Chesconnessex, passed away Nov. 18, 2020, at Shore Health and Rehabilitation Center in Parksley. Born Feb. 6, 1929, in Accomack County, she was the daughter of the late Johnny Braden Gibbons Sr. and the late Myrtle Spence Gibbons.

Lois was a homemaker and a member of Riverview United Methodist Church, in her earlier years. She adored her family, and she especially loved being a grandmother and greatgrandmother. She enjoyed reading and gardening, and rarely met a stranger throughout her life, always lending a helping hand to those in need. For many years after her husband's pass-

ing, she looked forward to her morning ritual of meeting her brothers and childhood friends at Hardee's for coffee.



Mrs. Mears

During her time at Shore Health and Re-

hab, Lois made quite the impact on the wonderful staff and residents, always sharing what she had. She was particularly fond of Faith Crockett and Ruby Rew. Lois' family will remain forever grateful for the incredible care she received.

Lois was predeceased by her husband, Robert Olin Mears, and their sons, Robert O. "Bobby" Mears Jr. and R. Dale Mears.

She leaves behind her daughter, Joann Mears-Russell; son-in-law, Tom Russell; two grandchildren, Bobbi Jo Mears, of Cheriton, and Tommy Russell, of Oahu, Hawaii; great-grandchildren, Elijah Robert Mears, Bella Mears, Donald Mears, and Lilly Anna Mears.

Lois will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Private interment was held at the Mount Holly Cemetery.

Contributions may be made in Lois' memory to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22478, Oklahoma City, OK 73123 or online at www.cancer.org

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

Arrangements were by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

# Edward M. Parker

**Mr. Edward M. Parker,** 82, of Accomac, departed this life on Thursday, Nov. 12, 2020, at Heritage Hall Nursing Center in Nassawadox, with his family by his side.

Born in Keller, Edward was the son of the late Wilbur Hatney and the late Recie Parker. He was raised by

his loving grandparents, Major and Lucille Parker. He was affectionately known as "Ed" by his beloved late wife, "Daddy" by his children, and "Grandpop" by his grand-



Mr. Parker

children. He was joined in holy matrimony to the love of his life, Hazel Drummond, on Aug. 18, 1954. He was employed by Accomack County Public Schools as a custodian for 25 years before he retired. Additionally, he worked part time as a barber. He began cutting hair out of his home, then later moved to Ed's Barbershop in Accomac in the early 1970s.

Graveside services were held Saturday, Nov. 21, 2020, at Nedab Cemetery in Daugherty, with the Rev. Fred Crawley officiating.

He leaves to cherish his precious memories: three sons, Edward Parker Jr., Gregory Parker, and Clayfort Parker; one daughter, Gwen Dorn; 11 grandchildren, one whom he was instrumental in rearing, Deametrious Bagwell; 13 great-grandchildren; one brother, Joseph Parker; one sister, Mattie; a sister-in-law whom he reared, Betty Fletcher; special cousins, William and Barry Parker; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and many friends

Arrangements were by the Cooper & Humbles Funeral Co., Accomac.

# Pauline A. Poulson

Mrs. Pauline A. Poulson, 72, of Temperanceville, entered into eternal rest on Thursday, Nov. 12, 2020, at Sentara Norfolk General Hospital in Norfolk.

Born in Messongo, Pauline was the beloved daughter of the late Woodrow and Estella Harris. She was employed as a poultry worker and later

at NASA until her health began to fail. Pauline was married to Michael L. Poulson for 23 years.

Graveside services were held Saturday, Nov. 21, 2020, at Groton Community



<u>Irs. Poulson</u>

Cemetery in Messongo, with the Rev. Brenda officiating.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories: her husband, Michael Poulson; sister, Delores Jacobs; brother, Woodrow Harris; mother-in-law, Edna Poulson; and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family, other relatives, and friends.

Arrangements were by the Cooper & Humbles Funeral Co., Accomac.

# John Miles Williams

Mr. John Miles Williams, 73, husband of Jo Ann Hand Williams and a resident of Exmore, passed away Saturday, Nov. 21, 2020, at his residence. A native of Cape Charles, he was the son of the late Frank Allen Williams and the late Flora Mary Miles Williams. He was employed at Bayshore Concrete for 42 years and retired as vice

president and was a former member of the Northampton County Social Services Board. John enjoyed playing golf and watching the Washington Nationals baseball games.

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Mr. Williams

In addition to his loving wife of 51 years, he is survived by two children, Amy W. Bundick and her husband, John, of Exmore, and Alan T. Williams and his wife, Susan, of Charlotte, N.C.; a brother, Frank A. Williams Jr., of Richmond; four grandchildren, Isabella Bundick and her fiancé, Joe, of Cheriton, Owen Miles Bundick, of Exmore, and Maggie Williams and Lottie Williams, both of Charlotte; a greatgranddaughter, Nora Beall, of Cheriton; numerous nieces and nephews; and his companion dog, Chance. He was predeceased by sister, Nancy W.

To honor his request, no public service will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Food Bank of the Eastern Shore, P.O. Box 518, Onley, VA 23418.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at  $\underline{www.doughtyfuneralhome.com}$ 

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

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- •From James Elliott, special commissioner, and H.J. Rail LLC To Casa Bella Vista LLC Lot 47, Block B, Cape Charles For \$9,100
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•From Kathy Bailey, Doris Hubbart, Lynwood Turner Jr.

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•From Richard and Frances Williams To John and Hilary Bauer Parcel D, 6.43 acres, family division of Rat Hall Farm, near Dalbys For \$245,000

•From Michael Breedlove To Matthew and Margaret Heilman Lot 8, Oyster For \$199,500

•From James Bishop and Joan Bailey To Mark and Lisa Davis Lot 4, 2.23 acres, subdivision of Clear View, Occohannock Neck For \$30,000

•From James Bishop and Robin Von Hollen

To Hillegonda and Edward Hartley IV Lot 25, 1.17 acres, Occohannock Neck For \$260,000

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•From James Elliott, special commissioner, and Elizabeth Romo To Charles Grizzard Lot 7, Savage's Neck For \$8,500

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•From John Mastriania To Jerri H. Toomey Trails End Lot 206 Unit 3 Sheet 3, Horntown For \$29,000

•From Patricia G. Tawney and Melissa G. Lessard To Robin L. and Bruce A. Brooks Jr. Trails End Lot 395 Unit 1 Sheet 1, Horntown

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- From Tanya L. Jenkins and Vincent M. Thompson Jr.
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# Kiptopeke Students Help Select New Historical Markers

# By Stefanie Jackson

A Kiptopeke Elementary School educator and two of her former students participated in an online event with Gov. Ralph Northam Oct. 29 as he announced 10 new historical highway markers that will honor Black Americans who made history in Virginia.

These signs can be seen on Virginia roadsides and are easily recognized by their distinctive shape, silver background, black lettering, and the official state seal.

The Black history-makers to be honored on the new highway markers were nominated by Virginia elementary school students last year for a contest started last February by Chief Diversity Officer Janice Underwood, who attended the virtual event.

Shavonne Ruffin, Kiptopeke Elementary's sixth grade special education case manager, also participated and described how she had attend-

ed a conference where she met Katherine Johnson, an African American mathematician who worked for NASA and helped make the Apollo 11's moon landing in 1969 a success.

The story of Johnson and two other African American women who were NASA computers was told in the 2016 film, "Hidden Figures," which the KES sixth-grade team showed in the

After seeing the movie, the sixth graders decided to nominate Johnson for the Black history contest.

Two of those students participated in the October online event: Maliyah Jones, who is now a Northampton Middle School student, and Kaela Joyner, who currently attends Great Neck Middle School in Virginia Beach.

Kaela described how the story of Katherine Johnson inspired her to become a mathematician, and Maliyah introduced Virginia's first lady, Pamela



**Shavonne Ruffin** 

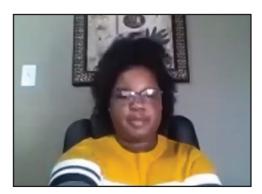
Northam.

Other participants in the virtual program included Laurel Ridge Elementary School student Javier Rodriguez-Aragon, Virginia Secretary of Education Atif Qarni, and Virginia Secretary of Natural Resources Matt Strickler.

Black Americans are underrepresented on Virginia's historical markers, with their stories being told on about 350 of 2,500 markers, said



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Gov. Northam.

Maura Keaney, a technology coach for Fairfax County Public Schools, discussed how her students discovered this inequity while they were learning Virginia history.

Every year, Keaney sends fourth grade Virginia Studies students, dubbed the History Hunters, on a history scavenger hunt.

Part of the project is finding Virginia historical markers, either in person or online. A student gets one point for finding a marker, 10 points for writing a summary of the information provided, and bonus points for taking a selfie with the historical marker.

Last year, Virginia history students were impressed by the story of 16-year-old Barbara Johns, who led her peers on a strike in 1951 for equal education at their high school in Farmville.

The fourth graders were "shocked, sad, and even angry" that there was no historical marker recognizing Johns' contributions to the civil rights

ty recognizing the history of Native Americans or women.

Keaney researched how to get a new historical marker installed by the Virginia Department of Historic Resources, but it would cost nearly \$2,000 and would need to be approved by Farmville officials.

# movement. They learned there were also few or no historical markers in Fairfax Coun-

# The 10 Black Virginians whose stories will be told on the new historical markers, and the future location of each marker, are:

That led to a classroom discussion

She later learned about the Virgin-

ia Black history contest, and her stu-

dents nominated Johns, who was se-

lected to be featured on one of the new

about "how money and power influence

whose story gets told," Keaney said.

- Angela (a slave with no last name), Jamestown
- Evelvn Butts, Norfolk

highway markers.

- William H. Carney, Norfolk
- Barbara Johns, Farmville
- Katherine Johnson, Hampton
- Ona Judge, Mount Vernon
- Gowan Pamphlet, Williamsburg
- Maggie Lena Walker, Richmond
- Wyatt T. Walker, Chester/ Petersburg
- Camilla Ella Williams, Danville

Northam said, "It's important that we value our historic and cultural sites and preserve them when we can, so that the next generation can see and really touch the past."

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# Cape Charles Festive Fridays Canceled

# Staff Report

Cape Charles has canceled its popular Festive Fridays celebrations, which would have begun the Friday after Thanksgiving, but Mason Avenue businesses want everyone to know their doors will be open and there will be plenty of Christmas cheer.

Participating businesses will be open until 8 p.m. every Friday from Nov. 27 through Dec. 18.

"Each night will feature different

sales, promotions, giveaways, music, carriage rides, and other fun and festive activities for the entire family," said a press release issued by the businesses. "As we navigate Covid during the holidays shop with us in a safe and festive small town."

The group's Facebook page will stay updated with promotions and specials: https://www.facebook.com/Holiday-Happenings-in-Cape-Charles-108897874377194/?view\_public\_ for=108897874377194



# Reminder

The second installment of the 2020 Real Estate and Personal Property taxes is due December 7, 2020.

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10% penalty plus 10% interest per annum must be added.

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James A. Lilliston, Treasurer Accomack County, Virginia

# EASTERN SHORE SPORTS

# The Vikings Season Comes to an End



Chloe Hall records a kill over Denbigh blocker Peyton Gary.



Senior Hannah delivers another hard blow over freshman blocker Peyton Gary.

### Story and Photos by Brennan Waldorf

The Vikings wrapped up postseason play last week, advancing to the semifinals of the Metro Conference tournament. Broadwater was a fourth seed after a tie for third place turned in favor of Atlantic Shores Christian. The Vikings received home court advantage in the first round where they squared off against Denbigh Baptist Christian Nov. 16. After defeating the Minutemen, Broadwater traveled to Chesapeake to take on the Stone-Bridge Cavaliers.

For the first time this season, the Metro Conference convened and elected to allow a small number of spectators in to watch the playoffs. Home teams were admitted 13 fans and the traveling team was allowed 12.

The Vikings had already defeated the Minutemen twice in the regular season. Both times Emily Nordwall was on the court and head coach Benji Rew was on the sideline. On this evening both were absent as Broadwater played sophomore Molly Brown, and assistant coach Heather Hall took the reins. "Proud of the girls. They worked together when they needed to," said Hall.

Sophomore Hope Parrish has been the focal point of attack for the Minutemen. She's been used in a variety of ways, racking up 38 kills in the two prior games, mainly from the middle back row and as an outside hitter. Slowing her down was critical to victory as Suzanna Long took the task personally, often jumping at the net as the lead blocker and finding great success on the night. As she jumped at the net the back row stepped up behind filling the gap as the ball was either deflected or rolled off fingertips of blockers. The young Vikings have struggled with recognizing when to move up or stay back in those situations in past games but were near perfect last Monday night.

Communication was key and the Vikings used it, calling out tips and diving for digs fluidly. Gaps in communication weren't a common occurrence but happened occasionally especially in set three when the Minutemen overcame the Vikings, putting them in grasp of a comeback after falling behind in the first two sets.

Taylor Leland had another strong performance doing several things for the Vikings that go unmarked in the stat sheet. She assisted on nearly all of the plays but being vocal in where she sent the ball was critical to the team's success as the Vikings defeated the Minutemen, halting their comeback. The Vikings' versatility was on display once again with several players delivering hits that allowed them to defeat the Minutemen in four sets (25-21, 25-13, 19-25, 17-25).

The Vikings were led in attacking by Chloe Hall with eight kills. Molly Brown led in serves, recording five aces. Suzanna Long led in blocking with seven. Seniors Hannah Davis and Sammi Yeung contributed three kills apiece.

After defeating the Minutemen, the

Vikings found themselves once again facing off against Metro Conference goliath StoneBridge. The Cavaliers are favored to win the entire tournament as they're undefeated in the conference and haven't dropped a set to any opponents all year. Freshman Amelia Matson is a force to be reckoned with, leading her team in kills with 173 on the season. Matson and company made quick work of the young Vikings, defeating them in three straight sets (25-13, 25-5, 25-14).

The loss ended the Vikings season but the team "overall accomplished a lot. Some games we were behind and were able to overcome. This group of girls meshed well together and everyone felt like part of the team," said Hall on the season. The Vikings will lose seniors Sammi Yeung and Hannah Davis and will need some players to step up to be successful next year. Hall admitted that the team will lack height next year and will need to establish a middle blocker and libero.

# Former Broadwater Student Athlete Set to Play for Barton College



Six-foot-four-inch, 170-pound Jordan Yarrell plans to play shooting guard for the 2007 NCAA Division II national champions Barton Bulldogs. Photo courtesy of Gary Yarrell.

# Story by Brennan Waldorf

Jordan Yarrell is a 6-foot-4-inch guard who averaged 11.6 points, 6.7 rebounds, 3.8 assists, and 1.6 steals in three seasons for the John Paul II Catholic Saints. Before moving to Greenville, N.C., the Delaware-born Yarrell lived in Melfa and starred on the Broadwater Vikings squad. Yarrell started on the Vikings JV team as a seventh-grader before bumping up to the varsity squad for his eighth- and ninth-grade seasons. He averaged 14 points, 3.6 assists, and 5.7 rebounds in two seasons for the Vikings before transferring to John Paul II Catholic to play for head coach Greg Mullins.

Yarrell's all-around game helped the Saints make the playoffs where he was the team's MVP for three seasons. The versatile guard racked up over 1,000 points in his high school career, landing on the all-conference team three times, including a freshman appearance. Playing primarily as a shooting guard, Yarrell saw some action in the wing position and played power forward occasionally, becoming the team's defensive player of the year leading the team in steals.

COVID-19 travel restrictions limited

Yarrell's recruiting but he drew interest from Highpoint University, University of North Carolina Greensboro, Christopher Newport, and Averett University. He ultimately chose Barton college because of the program's rich history of success and it being close to home. Barton College is a Division II school that competes in the Conference Carolinas where Barton won the NCAA National Championship in 2007.

Yarrell will be competing for a shooting guard position for the Bulldogs, which finished last year's season with a 11-9 record in their conference. Along with the 40-minute commute from home, Yarrell chose Barton because of the relaxed coaching style Ron Lievense uses. "He's a player's coach. He allows you to play your game and adjusts as needed," said Yarrell.

The young guard credits his success on the court to a quick release and his ability to deliver the ball to teammates. With gyms being closed for the majority of the year, he's been working out at home trying to improve his footwork and ability to catch and shoot. He'll be pursuing a degree in sports management as he tries to crack into the senior lead Bulldogs starting five.



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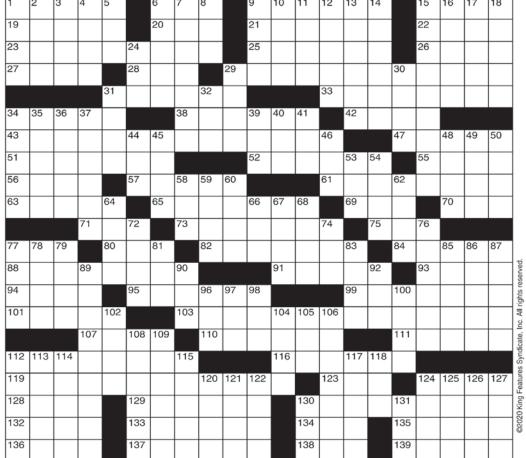
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# Osprey-Eyed Reader Contest: Gobble 'Til You Wobble!

# **Last Week's Contest:** Find the Pizza Man!

In last week's edition, we hid five little, mustachioed pizza men on pages 6, 20, 23, 27, and 35. These little wascals were well-hidden and not that many readers were sufficiently osprey-eyed to find them, but among those who did we randomly chose Katie Jackson, of Pocomoke City, Md., to receive the \$25 gift certificate to Panzotti's Pizza & Waffles in Onley.

# This Week's Contest: Find the Uncooked Turkey

We've hidden turkeys but pay attention: you must find photographs (not cartoons or illustrations) of live (not cooked) turkeys. We're not going to tell you how many but the readers who find them will become contestants. Among those contestants, we will randomly choose one to win the Super Tailgate chicken dinner from Bojangles in Onley. See sponsor box on this page.

The rules:

Runners-Up

- Find the turkeys and tell us where you found them (page number and location on the page). Send this information to david@easternshorepost.com.
- You can start sending your entries now. Entries MUST have your first and last names and your town. Include a photograph if you choose to submit one and tell us a little something about the picture.
- Entries will be accepted until noon on Monday, Nov. 30. Entries arriving after noon on Monday the 30th will not be entered in the contest.
- Anyone submitting a photograph must have taken the picture or have permission to use it.
- Multiple entries, corrected entries, and entries with explanations will not be counted.

The winner and as many runners-up as possible will get their photographs in the paper. If you don't want to use a photo of your child or a pet — or a holiday vest. Just no feet.

your own picture, you can submit turkey breast, a heron at rest, or a red



Katie Jackson, of Pocomoke City, Md., was one of the very few, select readers who had osprey eyes sharp enough to find the diabolically well-hidden five little pizza men in last week's edition. Having been randomly selected from that elite group of contestants, Jackson wins a \$25 gift certificate to Panzotti's Pizza & Waffles in Onley.





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Patricia Voss, of Bloxom, is a regular osprey-eyed player. Standing in for her this week are her son, Asher, and nieces, Bristol (middle) and Kylie.



Brittany Pettit, of Parksley, claims that Oreo is not a camera hog but each time the camera comes out, guess who shows up?



A turkey with a Pilgrim hat, an American flag, and pumpkins — must be Thanksgiving at Rob Moore's house in Cape Charles.

Sure, Teri Collins, of Bloxom, found all five

pizza men but what's more newsworthy is she

Ana Zapata lives in Belle Haven, and Vincent,

her 8-year-old mutt, loves hanging out at Willis Wharf Marina, presumably with Zapata along.

If the two girls flanking Amy Taylor, of Cheri-

ton, look alike, it's because Emma and Taylor

are not only sisters, they're twins.

found Bigfoot and he-she-it is in Bloxom.



Georgia Youmans found all five pizza men and sent in this picture of her cat, which must be a member of royalty because her name is Princess. **Runners-Up Not Pictured:** 

Teresa Rudiger, Melfa Patricia Willey, Quinby Theresa Lattimore, Bloxom Allison Burton, Eastville

Happy Thanksgiving!

# Random Facts About ... Turkeys, Wild and Domesticated

### **By David Martin**

It's no surprise that on Thanksgiving week, our internet tubes were full of random facts about turkeys.

You have to think of turkeys in two distinct categories: wild and domesticated. Turkeys bred and raised for our Thanksgiving tables are large-breasted, overweight, and not too bright. In some cases, these domesticated turkeys become so big that they can hardly stand upright. The heaviest one ever raised was 86 pounds. Domesticated turkeys are artificially

inseminated, the males being too fat to breed naturally. The story of domesticated turkeys being so stupid that they keep looking up at the rain until they drown is not, however, true. These turkeys are unaccustomed to life outside the cage or poultry barn and have been known to panic in the rain, running into fences and piling up on each other with the ones underneath being crushed or suffocated.

Compare this to the wild turkey: an agile, intelligent creature who has been living by its wits for 10 million years. In short bursts, they can fly 50 mph and can run 20 mph. They are highly social animals, have intimate knowledge of their territory, and will curiously investigate new or novel items in their environment. Male turkeys are called toms or gobblers. Only the males gobble; the females cluck or chirp. The males also grow beards, which are specialized bristle-like feathers that grow out of the males' breast feathers. Only about 15% of females grow beards. By the time a gobbler is three years old, its beard can be a foot long and a few rare toms grow a second beard. Beards are prized trophies among turkey hunters with the record beard being 22.6 inches long. No one seems to know what purpose the turkey's beard serves. Maybe it helps attract females, the hens.

Toms do a lot to attract females. Several will surround a female and dance, puff up, spread their feathers, and gobble excitedly. Only one will get to breed. The featherless head of the turkey will change colors depending on the turkey's mood. Males that are

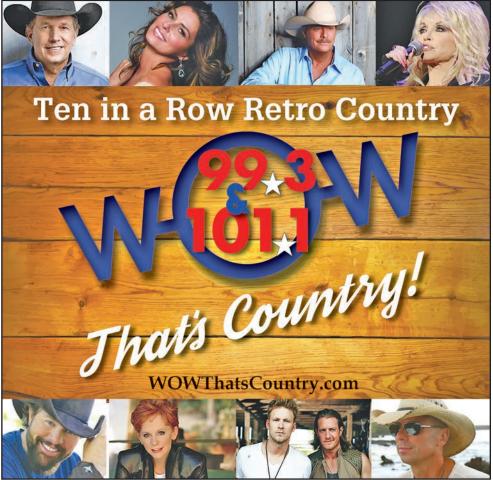
excited about breeding or fighting will turn bright red.

One explanation for how they got their name is that turkeys brought from the Americas starting in the 1500s came on ships that stopped first in Turkey and then sailed on to Europe. Arriving from Turkey, the birds were called turkeys. The English especially were fond of attributing food from the Americas to Turkey and originally called pumpkins "Turkish cucumbers."

The turkeys imported to Europe in the 1500s had been domesticated by the native peoples of South America and then brought to America by early European settlers. Of course, wild turkeys were already in North America when the settlers got here. There are stories of early pioneers, having heard that a large bird with a featherless head was delicious eating, shooting the turkey vulture by mistake and then trying to serve that carrion-eater for dinner. It is apparently inedible.

But the turkey-turkey is delicious, which is why we eat more than 46 million of them on Thanksgiving.







Landon Heath, 12, stands with his grandfathers, who started and made possible the roughly 70-piece, illuminated lawn display around them. From left are Billy Heath, of Townsend, who first interested Landon in the displays; Landon Heath; and Buck Gaskill, of Oyster, who spent more than three days with Landon setting up this year's display. The display may be viewed at 20190 Seaside Road, just north of Oyster.

# Extensive Outdoor Holiday Display Is Family Project to Spread Cheer

### Story and Photo by Jim Ritch

For anyone mourning the cancellation of Cape Charles' signature holiday events – the Grand Illumination, lighted golf cart parade, Festive Fridays, and Crab Pot Drop – there is yet a little bit of good Yuletide news.

Landon Heath, 12, and his grandfather, Buck Gaskill, have lit up their front yard with a roughly 70-piece show several weeks early this year.

"My wife was reading about all the stress with COVID and how if something makes you feel good, put it up early. So, we put it up," said Gaskill.

It's no mean feat putting up 33 inflatable pieces, 12 hard plastic illuminated molds, and innumerable wire frame pieces.

"We've put in three solid days, at least," unpacking, positioning, assembling, and wiring the pieces in a web of guy wires to anchor the pieces in place.

Some of the pieces date back more than 20 years to the early days of Gaskill's marriage to his wife, Mammy.

However, the project mushroomed when Landon, then living with his oth-

er grandparents, Billy and Cynthia Heath, of Townsend, became fascinated with the displays and began receiving them as gifts.

One of the first was a large Snoopy that is still on display and still much taller than Landon, who today is a lanky seventh grader at Northampton Middle School.

"We try to add one each year, but usually it winds up more than that," said Gaskill.

For the last five years, the growing display has been a fixture on Gaskill's

front lawn at 20190 Seaside Road, north of Oyster but technically within the Cape Charles ZIP code.

New this year and prominently displayed are a large inflatable turkey and Santa.

"We've had people stop when we're setting up and say, 'we look forward to seeing it every year," said Gaskill.

The costs in term of time and higher electrical bills isn't much of a concern to Gaskill.

"It's fun for us and fun for Landon," he said.

# Volunteers, Staffers Brave Pandemic to Welcome Visitors to the Eastern Shore

### Story and Photos by Jim Ritch

In an age when health risks make workers question their jobs, six volunteers are greeting strangers and helping staff the Eastern Shore of Virginia Welcome Center for free.

Since the center reopened from quarantine in July, the six have greeted and counseled visitors, donating a combined 147 hours of time.

"We need our volunteers. They're

essential to the success of the welcome center," said Christy Betz, assistant executive director of tourism for the Eastern Shore of Virginia Tourism Commission.



**Christy Betz** 

The volunteers are Chris Bannon, Randy Childs, Leslie McInnes, Terry and Mike Strub, and Valerie Travis, all of Cape Charles.

The volunteers usually work with a paid staff member, who opens and disinfects the center, then wipes the center down again at closing, said Betz.

During what is typically a two- to four-hour, midday shift, volunteers help during with busy times and allow paid staff members to tend other work and eat meals.

Feeling needed and confident that health protocols will prevent infection is key to motivating volunteers.

"It gives you a good feeling always, no matter how bad things are, that you can help people," said Paul Tiffany, of Cape Charles, a former volunteer turned paid staffer.

Not only do volunteers work behind plexiglass panes, but the number of people allowed in the center is limited to five.

Also, a table of sanitizers and signs greets visitors at the door.

Even before arriving at the table, visitors pass racks of brochures outside.

The racks, previously placed outside only when the center was closed, now stay outside when it's open.

And to shorten the time that volunteers have to spend with visitors, prefilled bags of brochures are at hand.



Four of the six volunteers who have continued through the COVID-19 restrictions to staff the welcome center for the Eastern Shore of Virginia Tourism Commission gather in front of paid staff members. In front row, from left are volunteers Terry and Mike Strub, Valerie Travis, and Chris Bannon. All are residents of Cape Charles. In back row are staff members Sally Williams, of Capeville; Myrtis Ames, of Capeville; Nicki and Paul Tiffany, of Cape Charles; Tammy Nottingham, of Cape Charles; Senie Burns, of Cape Charles; Mike Wajda, of Cape Charles; H.H. Scott, of Townsend; and Robert "Bo" Lewis, of Cheriton. Volunteers not pictured: Randy Childs and Leslie McInnes.

But perhaps the best defense is empowering the volunteers to enforce the rules.

"I have no trouble saying, 'I'll get you a mask,'" on the infrequent occasions that visitors arrive without one, said Tiffany.

The control given volunteers and staff to enforce the protocols and regulate the health risks is total.

Administrators don't pressure volunteers to work if they don't feel safe, and the same policy applies to staff.

"We're volunteering to work, because we don't have to come in," said Tiffany.

Four additional volunteers have chosen to pause their service un-

til COVID-19 restrictions end, said Betz.

The spread of COVID-19 across America has altered the types of visitors coming to the center.

Largely gone are overseas travelers and their interesting accents, who were some of the most appealing to talk to.

In their place have come more visitors from the Midwest or who reside within an hour of the Eastern Shore.

The former seem to want to escape the growing contagion of their hometowns.

The latter often want to escape their homes. Many have never seen the Eastern Shore.

For both groups, the outdoors ac-

tivities and spacious vistas of the Eastern Shore offer safety and relaxation.

"The Eastern Shore has been so-

cially distancing since the early 1600s," said Robie Marsh, executive director of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Tourism Commission.

Despite the

tions, however, the



Despite the COVID-19 restric- Robie Marsh

work day for volunteers remains fundamentally as it was before.

"It's almost impossible not to engage with people," Tiffany said.

# Despite Restrictions, Church Delivers on Annual First Responders Luncheon



# Story and Photos by Jim Ritch

ry bags full of lunches.

About 150 first responders, and staffers who make their work possible, received lunches Nov. 18 courtesy of First Baptist Church Capeville. COVID-19 restrictions forced the former sit-down luncheon to become a takeout affair, said Pastor Kelvin F. Jones. "In spite of COVID, we found a way to make it happen. (First responders) have to do what they have to do."

Left: Charlene Gray, commissioner of revenue for Northampton County, right, adjusts her mask as she exits with Maj. Mike Smith, left, and retired Sgt. Frank Sterling.

Below left: Pastor Kelvin Jones, leading the luncheon despite a knee injury, left, confers with the luncheon's main coordinator, Mary Mitchell, of Eastville, culinary chairperson at First Baptist Church Capeville. Below middle: Lt. A.J. Ferebee, left, and Sheriff David L. Doughty Jr. car-

Below right: Lt. Francis Williams, of the Northampton Sheriff's Department, carries some of the 34 meals prepared for county officers and offices.







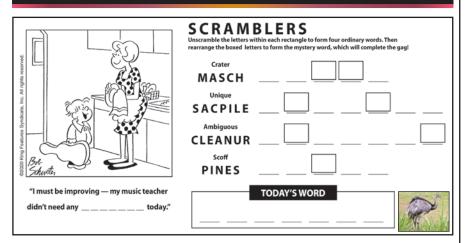
Left: Members of First Baptist Church Capeville who prepared the meals pause outdoors. From left are Mary Mitchell, culinary chairperson; Barbara Stevens, of Eastville; Melody Thomas, culinary co-chairperson, of Machipongo; Lillie Nottingham, of Cheapside; Bill Reynolds, of Cape Charles; Shirlean Stratton, of Culls; and Natoya Brown, of Cape Charles.

Right: Sgt. Carlos Moyano, of the Northampton County Sheriff's Department, loads a tray of side dishes destined for members of a training program.





# Kids' Puzzle Page



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# Puzzles4Kids

# CODED RIDDLE

Change each letter to the one that comes immediately BEFORE it in the alphabet to find a riddle and its answer.

Here's a copy of the alphabet to guide you:

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BQQMF MJCSBSZ?

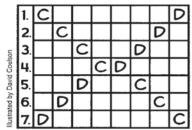
VTFZPVS JO-DJEFS WPJDF.



"WHAT ALWAYS REMAINS DOWN, even when it flies up in the air?" Connect the dots and find out.

Answer: A feather (look up the word "down").

by Charles Barry Townsend



AN ODD CHALLENGE! Problem: You must place 6 coins into 3 cups so that each cup contains an odd number of coins. Solution: The cup containing 1 coin is placed inside the cup with 2 coins. Each cup will now contain an odd number of coins.



KNOW YOUR AREA CODE! Pictured below are two puzzle grids for you to fill in. Hints are given for each word. The words in Grid B contain the same letters as the words in Grid A.

- 1. A unit of area.

2. The big dance. 3. A college student. 4. A flat-topped hill.

- 1. To be concerned. 2. To frolic boisterously.
- 3. Secret writing.
- 4. Conforming in every

# TODAY'S TOP SEVEN CD'S...

WORDS, THAT IS!

Using the definitions and anagrams below, you must find the seven eightletter words that fit into the framework pictured on the left. For each definition, the letters in the two anagram words must be unscrambled and used to form the word asked for.

### **DEFINITIONS:**

1. What Michelangelo did.

- 2. Expression of approval.
- 3. Kept apart from.
- 4. Short, amusing story.
- 5. Used to secure doors.
- 6. Enough to meet needs.
- 7. A household servant.

sled + cued coda + teen sold + pack quay + aced cost + dime

ANAGRAM:

lice + shed

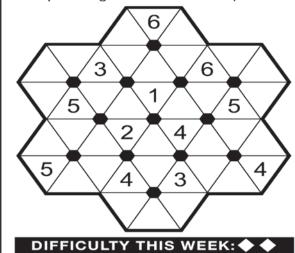
aced + cola

### V. Domestic.

t. Anecdote, 5. Padiocks, 6. Adequacy. Answers: 1. Chiseled. 2. Accolade. 3. Secluded.

There are 13 black hexagons in the

puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.





Answers: 1. Acre-care. 2. Prom-romp. 3. Coed-code. 4. Mesa-same.

# **Community Notes**

# ACPR Bicycle and Book Requests

Accomack County Parks and Recreation is accepting applications for free bikes and books for Christmas. Applications must be received no later than Wednesday, Dec. 2, by 5 p.m. To request an application, email parks@co.accomack.va.us or call 757-787-3900.

Bike donations are also being accepted. Drop-off locations include ACPR, Giddens Do Drop Inn, and WESR.

Bikes and books will be distributed Saturday, Dec. 19.

# Frozen Food Sale

The Woman's Club of Accomack County will be having a frozen casserole, soup, and baked goods sale Saturday, Dec. 12, from 9 am to noon, at the clubhouse on Richmond Avenue in Onley. This will be a drive-thru event only. A menu of available items will be available on the day of the sale.

# CCA Events and Cancellations

Because of the rise in COVID-19 infection rates and concerns for public health and safety, the Chincoteague Cultural Alliance (CCA) has canceled the Holly Day Market scheduled for Nov. 28. To reach many of the arts, crafts, and food vendors who would have been at the market, visit Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market on Facebook.

Shoppers can also browse and bid on hundreds of items in an online auction to benefit CCA. The auction features artwork, decoys, framed duck stamps, antique furniture, glassware, china, oriental rugs, a Nissan outboard engine, household items, and tools of all kinds. Bidding is underway now until Dec. 6. The online platform makes it easy to make a single or maximum bid and to keep track as bidding ends on each lot. Visit www.chincotagueca.org for details.

CCA's popular Kids Art classes have also gone virtual. Each month, supplies for new craft projects and videos about how to do them are available for free. Visit <a href="www.chincotagueca.org">www.chincotagueca.org</a>. to sign up for the next free craft packet.

Beginning Dec. 6, CCA is offering a variety or arts and crafts classes including making a natural wreath from fresh greens or a vintage paper wreath, painting shell ornaments, using Instagram for business, playing with alcohol inks, sketching the horse in motion, making beach-themed poured resin art, and making mosaic picture frames. Preregistration is required at <a href="https://www.chincotagueca.org">www.chincotagueca.org</a> Classes will be held at the Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague.

# **DCR Grants**

The Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation is accepting proposals for \$8 million in Land and Water Conservation Fund grants. Proposals must be for the acquisition of land for public outdoor recreation. Requests must be for a minimum of \$250,000 with a minimum total project cost of \$500,000. Applications are due no later than Dec. 15, at 5 p.m. Faxed and emailed applications will not be

accepted.

Instructions on how to compete for funding, the LWCF application manual, and the application are available at <a href="https://www.dcr.virginia.gov/recreational-planning/lwcf">www.dcr.virginia.gov/recreational-planning/lwcf</a>

Questions directly related to the LWCF application process can be emailed to RecreationGrants@dcr.virginia.gov.

# Festival of Lights Riverside Shore Memorial Hospi-

Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital's 37th Annual Festival of Lights will be a virtual celebration this year. The tradition of gathering at the hospital has been reinvented, just for 2020, as a Facebook event.

Lights can be purchased in any quantity for \$7 each, and there are opportunities to purchase larger ads as well. To participate, go to <a href="https://www.riv-ersideonline.com/shore/auxiliary/up-load/form.pdf">www.riv-ersideonline.com/shore/auxiliary/up-load/form.pdf</a> or find the link pinned to the top of Riverside Shore Memorial's Facebook page (<a href="https://www.facebook.com/riversideshorememorial">www.facebook.com/riversideshorememorial</a>), or call 757-302-2140.

Honorees will receive an acknowledgement of the gift.

Proceeds from the auxiliary's annual event support technology advances, patient care, and staff education at RSMH.

# Eastern Shore Public Library Closings

The libraries in Accomac, Cape Charles, and Nassawadox will be closed on Friday, Nov. 27, and Saturday, Nov. 28. Chincoteague Island Library will be open on Nov. 27 and 28, normal hours. Ebooks, registering for a library card, and other e-resources, as well as hours of operation during the pandemic, are available 24/7 at <a href="https://www.espl.org">www.espl.org</a>

# Church News

# Accomac

Fireside Carols and Nativity Service with Holy Communion will be held Thursday, Dec. 24, at 5 p.m., at St. James Church, Drummondtown Road. A Christmas morning online and outdoors prayer services will be Friday, Dec. 25, at 11 a.m., at the rectory front lawn on Back Street or at <a href="https://www.stgeorgesesva.org">www.stgeorgesesva.org</a> A Public Service of Healing is held every Thursday at noon.

# Cheriton

Holmes Presbyterian Church will host "The Pursuit" Thursday, Dec. 3, at 5:30 p.m.

Join the church online for an in-

formal discussion of a brief, historical reading in Christian ethics each week. People of all faiths or no faith are welcome to join. For a copy of the reading and instructions on finding the discussion on Zoom, visit <a href="https://pursuit.holmespresby.org">https://pursuit.holmespresby.org</a>

For more information, visit <a href="https://madness.holmespresby.org">https://madness.holmespresby.org</a>

# Onancock

The United Methodist Women of Onancock Market Street United Methodist Church have completed the 2021 Onancock Desk Calendar. The cost is \$7. The 2021 calendar contains the following pen and ink drawings: Harbormaster House, Hopkins & Brothers Store, the gazebo in the

Town Square, Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital, Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church, Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Corner Bakery, Market Street United Methodist Church, and much more.

The calendar is designed so that after the first complete calendar is purchased, on the following year just a refill is needed. The refills cost \$5.

Call the church office at 787-4873 to obtain a calendar. The office is open Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

# Pungoteague Traditional Candlelight Service

Traditional Candlelight Service Christmas Eve service will be Thursday, Dec. 24, at 7 p.m., at Pungoteague Community Church. The Children's Christmas Program will be Sunday, Dec. 20, at 10:30 p.m. The teen youth group will meet Fridays, Dec. 4 and 18, at 6 p.m., in the church social hall. Teen Bible study is every Monday afternoon in the church social hall beginning at 3:30 p.m. Women's fellowship will be Thursday, Dec. 10, at 6 p.m., at the Huether home. Men's fellowship will be Thursday, Dec. 3 and 17, at 6 p.m., in the social hall. Bible study is every Tuesday, at 6 p.m., at the Huether home.

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Fireside Carols and Nativity Service with Holy Communion will be held Thursday, Dec. 24, at 9 p.m., at St. George's Church, 15389 St. George's Circle.

# **Births Awards**

# **ESCC** and Food Lion Donate/Prepare

# **Food for Local Families** in partnership with Food Lion Exmore, helped support 20 ESCC families in need this year at Thanksgiv-

ing. Student ambassadors and SGA

members will sort, assemble, and

The ESCC Foundation and SGA, bag nonperishable items for students to pick up. Each order will contain items for healthy meals as well as cleaning supplies and paper products to keep families safe dur-

ing the pandemic.



**Ethel Britton** 

# 100th Birthday

Ethel Virginia (Bryant) Britton cellebrated her 100th birthday Nov. 7 on Chincoteague Island. She turned 100 two days earlier on Nov. 5.

Britton served as the pastor's wife at Halifax County's Bethlehem Baptist from 1953 to 1960 and, simultaneously, Darlington Baptist from 1953 to 1956.

With her pastor husband and sons, Raymond Jr., Donald "Butch," and Gary, she moved to Chinoteague Island in 1960. She has remained in the small coastal town ever since. For 61 years and up to her husband's death in 2003, Britton was married to the prominent pastor and revivalist, Raymond L. Britton Sr. Britton was born to Rensy and Ethel Bryant toward the end of the 1918-20 flu pandemic.



Trina Cooper

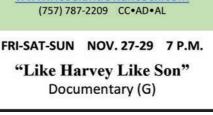
# **AKAs Honor Chapter Caregivers**

During the month of November, Pi Epsillon Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc., honored members of the chapter who are caregivers in recognition of National Caregivers month. The caregivers interviewed were Veronica Byrd, Bonita Byrd, Sylvia Stanley, Tracy Giddens-Jarett, and Mary Mitchell.

The president, Trina Cooper, interviewed several members of the chapter, past and present, who are serving the community. The caregivers shared their stories of the impact on their lives and how important it is to have patience for selfless service to make life better for others.

**Arggghh Matey:** Watermen, Farmers, **Crafters:** Put your ad in the Virtual **Farmers Market** for ONLY \$11/WEEK! **Call Angie Huether Crutchley** at 757-789-7678.







# Eastern Shore Trading POST

Classified Ads, Real Estate Ads, Auctions, and Legal Notices

# **Announcements**

The family of the late Wayne A. Greene is appreciative of the many acts of kindness and sympathy extended due to the loss of our loved one. May God bless you. ~Addie Greene and Family





All Hail your Royal Birthday-ness!! You reign as "Oueen of my Heart!" Celebrating Shirley Calloway 11-27-2020

MOM, if things get better with AGE; then you're approaching Magnificent! Here's to the next milestone, my Fabulous Queen. Happy Birthday!!!!!! All my Love, your son Angelo



HAPPY BIRTHDAY SIS, SHIRLEY GALLOWAY, WHO IS CELEBRATING HER 70TH BIRTHDAY TODAY 11-27-20. GOD BLESS U ON THIS DAY AND TO BE ABLE REACH THREE SCORE AND TEN, THIS IS A GREAT THANKSGIVING FOR 2-MILE STORM AGE.

LOVE U. SISTERS - SUE, PASTOR COOKIE F. BRACEY, AND YVONNE WHITEHURST, SON - ANGELO GALLOWAY, GRANDCHILDREN, NIECES, NEPHEWS, COUSINS, AND FRIENDS



Our children need you now more than ever.

# Start the Process Today!

We are taking every precaution to get you trained and certified during this time.

# **Become a Foster Parent!**

CONTACT US TODAY!

Trelle Warner 757-779-3100

# **Help Wanted**



# Part-Time & Full-Time Packing House Jobs: **Cherrystone Aqua-Farms**

- Packing house worker duties include working with clam/ oyster supervisors on all aspects of receiving clams/oysters harvested for sale.
- Help in grading and packaging of product for shipment to
- Assist the clam house supervisors in monitoring the quality of product and that packaging are of the highest standard
- Job may require duties such as manual lifting (40-50lbs),
- packing, and sorting.

   Be of good character, good work ethic, and a self-starter.
- Must be able to follow all guidelines set forth by the company. Hourly wage commensurate with experience.
- Overtime paid at 1.5 times hourly wage. Average 40-50

Please contact Will Leland @ 757-710-9555 for more information.

### Descripción de empleo de la casa de empaque a tiempo parcial: Cherrystone Aqua-Farms

- Las tareas de los trabajadores de la empacadora incluyen trabajar con supervisores de almejas / ostras en todos los aspectos de la recepción de almejas / ostras cosechadas para la venta.
- Ayuda en la clasificación y empaque del producto para su envío a los clientes.
- Asistir a los supervisores de la casa de almejas en el monitoreo de la calidad del producto y que los empaques sean del más alto nivel posible.
- El trabajo puede requerir tareas tales como levantar manualmente (40-50 lb), empacar y clasificar.
- Ser de buen carácter, buena ética de trabajo y emprendedor. - Debe poder seguir todas las pautas establecidas por la
- · Salario por hora proporcional a la experiencia.
- Horas extras pagadas a 1,5 veces el salario por hora. Promedio 40-50 horas por semana.

Póngase en contacto con Will Leland @ 757-710-9555 para obtener más información.

Accomack County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the following positions: Full-Time Correctional Officer and Full-Time Dispatcher. Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org. Applications must be returned to this office by Monday, December 7 2020, at 4:00 pm. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Full-Time Sales & eCommerce in Pocomoke City HIRING IMMEDIATELY. Base + commission. Jewelry store or banking experience preferred. Proficient in Word and Excel preferred.

Email resume with references to eileenkirkwood@yahoo.com

# Help Wanted (Cont'd)



Environmental Planner I or II F/T position with benefits Starting Salary: \$40,090 - \$47,050 (based on experience)

Accomack County is currently recruiting for a full-time Environmental Planner. This position reports to the Environmental Programs Director. The position provides technical advice that involves the review of plans, issuance of permits, the inspection of sites, and other tasks to assure compliance with County ordinances relating to erosion and sediment control, storm water runoff, wetlands, the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Ordinance, and other state and federal laws and regulations.

Minimum qualifications are: Associates degree with major coursework in drafting, surveying, civil engineering or closely related field; supplemented by one (1) to three (3) years previous experience and/or training reading and interpreting engineering drawings and writing technical letters and reports; proficiency in Microsoft Office suite; Possession of a valid driver's license; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience which provides the requisite knowledge, skills, and abilities for this job. Preferred qualifications would include designation of Combined Administrator Certification in both Storm Water Management and Erosion/Sediment Control or ability to obtain designation within the first year of employment.

Satisfactory completion of a background check, DMV records check and drug screening prior to employment. A job description and application instructions can be obtained from the County's website: <a href="https://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities">https://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities</a> Electronic applications are preferred but paper versions will be accepted, if complete. First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 8, 2020.

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AUTOMOTIVE TECHNICIAN – Must have experience, tools, and transportation. Pays \$15-25 an hour (depending on experience). Apply in person at Bayside Tire or call 757-787-4633.

# Fiscal Assistant III Northampton Social Services Bilingual Preferred

Position Number: L0020

Hiring Range: \$24,765.00 - depending upon qualifications

Location: Eastville, VA 23347

Application Deadline: November 27, 2020 at 4:30PM

### Office Associate III Northampton Social Services Bilingual Preferred

Position Number: L0027

Hiring Range: \$21,761.00 - depending upon qualifications

Location: Eastville, VA 23347

Application Deadline: November 27, 2020 at 4:30PM

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

**Equal Opportunity Employer** 



### WIC BREASTFEEDING PEER COUNSELOR POSITION #X3466

The Eastern Shore Health District has a wage position opening for a Public Health Outreach Worker / Breastfeeding Peer Counselor to support the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC). The position promotes breastfeeding as the preferred infant feeding method. Requires prior experience breastfeeding an infant. For detailed job information or to apply, visit <a href="http://jobs.virginia.gov/">http://jobs.virginia.gov/</a>. Virginia Department of Health (VDH) accepts only online applications; apply by December 2, 2020. EEO.

Secretary/ Bookkeeper

Part-time position in Parksley. General bookkeeping skills required using QuickBooks and Microsoft Office. Good communication skills needed and ability to maintain church website and Facebook page. Send resume to: graceesumc@gmail.com

# ACCOMACK C UNTY Virginia

Emergency Management Services Coordinator F/T position with benefits Starting Salary: \$43,571 – \$49,023 (based on experience)

Accomack County is currently recruiting for a full-time Emergency Management Coordinator. This position reports to the Public Safety Director. The position develops and coordinates emergency plans and plan updates for the County, including emergency operations plan, natural and man-made disaster response plan, mass casualty incidents, mass evacuation, comprehensive sheltering plan, hazardous materials response and industrial accident response plans; coordinates postevent damage assessments; and ensures all emergency plans are in accordance with regulatory requirements.

Serves as liaison between County departments, local businesses and non-profit organizations during declared emergencies to ensure public safety and welfare in the event of an emergency or disaster; maintains plans and procedures for obtaining and using such resources.

Minimum qualifications are: Associate's degree in emergency management or related field, supplemented by one (1) to three (3) years of experience in emergency management, fire or building inspection; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience which provides the requisite knowledge, skills, and abilities for this job. Possession of a valid driver's license; Preferred qualifications would include ability to use Microsoft Office suite and mobile devices; designation of certifications in Emergency Services Management, including IEAM certified Emergency Manager (CEM) and completion of NIMS Incident Command System courses, or, ability to obtain designations within the first eighteen months of employment.

Satisfactory completion of a background check, DMV records check and drug screening prior to employment. A job description and application instructions can be obtained from the County's website: <a href="https://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities">https://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities</a> Electronic applications are preferred but paper versions will be accepted, if complete. First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 8, 2020.

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# EASTERN SHORE RURAL HEALTH SYSTEM, INC.

is currently recruiting a



### Clinical Therapist for the Eastville Community Health Center

Individual must meet the following requirements:

- Requires a Master's Degree in Social Work, Counseling, or Doctor of Philosophy/Doctor of Psychology in Clinical Psychology.
- Certificates and Licenses: Licensed in the State of Virginia as Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC), or a Licensed Clinical Psychologist (LCP).
- Experience working in an integrated healthcare setting preferred.

Individual must possess:

- Great communication and collaboration skills
- Enjoys being part of an integrated care team
- Commitment and experience in working with the underserved population
- Excellent working knowledge of behavioral medicine and evidence-based treatments for medical and mental health conditions.
- Ability to work through brief patient contacts as well as to make quick and accurate clinical assessments of mental and behavioral conditions.
- Should be comfortable with the pace of primary care, working with an interdisciplinary team, and have strong communication skills.
- Ability to design and implement clinical pathways and protocols for treatment of selected chronic conditions.

If you are a mission-driven person looking to make a difference, apply by December 2, 2020.

Apply using the following link:

https://employees.esrh.org/Careers/

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

# Part-Time Graphic Designer Needed

Must be experienced in Adobe software (InDesign, Photoshop, Acrobat Pro) and available to work in the office two days per week. Pay DOQ. Send resume with samples of graphic design work to <a href="mailto:editor@easternshorepost.com">editor@easternshorepost.com</a>

# Help Wanted (Cont'd)

# **Certified VA Inspector Wanted Immediate Opening**

 Must Have VA Inspector Certification STOP BY TO PICK UP AN APPLICATION MON-FRI. 8AM-5PM, AT MOORE'S TOWING & REPAIR 15442 MERRY CAT LN., BELLE HAVEN, VA 23306 757-442-2734

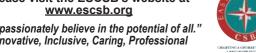


Come join our team!!! \$500 Sign on Bonus!! Now hiring PT CDL Bus Drivers for a local passenger service. \$12.36 / hr. Steady hours, paid time off, paid holidays. CDL w/passenger endorsement required. Good DMV Record a must! Questions: Contact Bill at 757-787-8322 Apply in person at Star Transit 21250 Cooperative Way, Tasley, VA EOE M/F/D/V

The Eastern Shore Community Services Board is seeking candidates for the following positions: **Developmental Disabilities Aide (\$11.25/** hour- \$2.50/hour-weekend differentral) Peer Recovery/Engagement Specialist Clinician

**Part-time Peer Recovery Specialist** Mental Health Facility Technician **Human Resources Coordinator** 

For more information or to apply, please visit the ESCSB's website at www.escsb.org



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# "We passionately believe in the potential of all."

### **Permit Technician/ Administrative Assistant Town of Cape Charles**

The Town of Cape Charles is accepting applications for a full-time Permit Technician to join the Code Enforcement Team. This position serves under the direction of the Building Official and must interact daily with the public. The ideal candidate will possess excellent customer service and organizational skills, be detail oriented, and have the ability to multi-task in a fast-paced office environment. Candidate must be certified as a Permit Technician or become certified within 18 months of employment. Proficiency in Microsoft Word, Excel, and Outlook is required. Any previous construction experience is a plus. Salary DOQ/DOE (hiring range: \$14.50-\$16.90 hourly), plus a full benefit package including state retirement Submit a cover letter, resume, three current professional references, and Town employment application (available at <u>www.capecharles.org</u> or by calling 757-331-3259 x 11) to Human Resources, 2 Plum St.,Cape Charles, VA 23310 or email to jodi.outland@capecharles.org. Resumes without a Town employment application will not be considered. Open until filled. We are an equal opportunity employer and value diversity. All employment is decided on the basis of qualifications, merit and business needs.



ASSIS-WORKPLACE **TANT** This part-time position provides support, assistance, and guidance to individuals with disabilities that assist the individual success on the job. Apply on our website today! http://careers.didlake.org/

### **DENTAL OFFICE**

Seeking a highly motivated team member for a full time position. Contact 757-331-1589

capecharlesdentistry.com

SERVICE MANAGER wanted immediately at Coastal Tire and Auto in Exmore. Salary based on knowledge and experience. Call 757-710-2866 for an appointment.

# NORTHAMPTON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS **VACANCIES – IMMEDIATE OPENINGS 2020-2021**

- Administrative Assistant-Human Resources
- Art Teacher-Elementary
- •Behavioral Support Aide
- Bus Monitor
- •Bus Drivers (paid CDL training will be provided)
- Cafeteria Workers
- ·Car Driver
- Custodians
- •Elementary Teacher
- •Family & Consumer Science Teacher
- School Psychologist
- •School Secretary-Part-Time & Full-Time
- •Secondary Mathematics Teacher
- Special Education Teacher
- •Substitutes-Teachers, Custodians, Cafeteria Workers, Nurses, etc.
- Technology Lab Assistant
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MOVING SALE - 8449 Bobby's Lane, Saxis, VA 23427. Fri., Sat., & Sun. Nov. 27, 28, 29. Fri. and Sat.: 8am to 4pm. Sun.: 11am to 4pm. Everything Must GO. Local artwork, furniture, Hummels, kitchen items, collectibles, glassware and much more. Follow Pink and White signs. Must wear MASK to enter sale. Park on Street, Driveway for Pick-up ONLY.

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# Legal Advertising and Auctions

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff CIVIL CASE NO. CL20-317

VS

The heirs and devisees of JOSHUA J. COSTON DONNIE COLLINS CREDIT ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION OB/GYN ASSOCIATES OF THE EASTERN SHORE Defendant

# ORDER OF PUBLICATION

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

All that parcel of land in Northampton County, Virginia, designated as Tax Map No. 00049-0A-BLK-00 0000134.

standing in the name of Joshua J. Coston, also known as Joshua J. Costen, pursuant to Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the <u>Code of Virginia</u>.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees and successors in title of Joshua J. Coston; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Donnie Collins, whose last known post office address is 7150 Martin Siding Lane, Machipongo, VA 23405; that there are or may be other persons having an interest in the real estate forming the subject matter of this suit, whose names and last post office addresses are unknown, namely the unknown heirs, devisees and successors in title of Joshua J. Coston.

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before December 30, 2020, at 9:30 a.m., in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 17th day of November, 2020 Lauren M. Brown, Dep. Clerk

I ask for this: JAMES W. ELLIOTT, p.q. VSB 016017 Attorney at Law P.O. Box 1410 7100 U.S. Route 17 Yorktown, VA 23692 (757)898-7000

# SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE NEAR ONANCOCK, VA, known as

18013 Northside Road, Onancock, Virginia 23417 Tax Map Number: 075B0A000001200

17503 Northside Road, Onancock Virginia 23417 Tax Map Number: 078000200B00000

17501 Northside Road, Onancock, Virginia 23417 Tax Map Number: 075B0A000001300

Pursuant to Virginia Code Section 8.01-96, et seq. and decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Virginia, Special Commissioner Henry P. Custis, Jr. will sell the above-referenced properties at public auction to the highest bidder at 9:00am on the 7th day of December, 2020, on the front steps of the Accomack Circuit Court.

**TERMS:** Announcements made at auction time take precedence over any print, electronic, or verbal information, including but not limited to minimum bids. Successful bidder will be required to deposit with Special Commissioner a deposit (non-refundable) in an amount equal to 10% of successful bid in cash or certified funds at time of sale, with the closing to occur within thirty days (30) of the date of said sale. There is no warranty relating to right, title, interest, or the like in this disposition. Property is being sold pursuant to Va. Code § 8.01-96, and title will be conveyed free and clear of all liens or encumbrances as provided in said authorizing order of the Court. All information for review by appointment only. Notwithstanding the announcements made at the time of sale, the Special Commissioner reserves the right to accept and/or reject all offers. Time is of the essence. Other conditions may be announced at the sale.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT: Henry P. Custis, Jr. Special Commissioner 757-787-2770 **Notice of Public Hearing** 

The Eastern Shore of Virginia 9-1-1 Commission (ESVA 9-1-1) will hold a public hearing on Thursday, December 3rd, 2020, at 6:30PM, in the Northampton County Board Chambers at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. In addition to regular business of the ESVA 9-1-1 Commission, public comment will be received on action for one-time additional personnel compensation to ESVA 9-1-1 staff. While the meeting will be in-person and open to public attendance, individuals have opportunity to submit oral or written statements on the proposed action to the ESVA 9-1-1 Center's Director's Office (P.O. Box 337, Accomac, VA 23301 or at jflournoy@co.northampton.va.us) no later than 3PM, on December 3rd, 2020. Any individual having questions or needing special assistance may contact 9-1-1 Director (Jeffrey Flournoy) at 757-787-0909 or at the above email address.

# NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

Harry L. Bowen Jr., (2020038) has applied for approximately 45 acres of oyster planting ground in Smith Island Bay situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-07.8697 / W75-55.1193

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2020038): 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

Wilson W. Cropp II, (2020040) has applied for approximately 24.5 acres of oyster planting ground in South Bay situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-14.9134 / W75-49.4950

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2020040): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search\_applications.php or contact the VMRC Engineering/Surveying Department at 757-247-2230.

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# Legal Advertising (Cont'd)

### **Public Notice**

The Northampton County Wetlands Board will meet Wednesday, December 16, at 10:00 a.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in East-ville, VA, to conduct regular business.

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

Marshall Cox, Chairman Wetlands Board

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, 23292 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, Virginia at 10AM, Thursday, December 17, 2020, on the wetlands applications of:

### Harvey Fisher- VMRC# 2020-1759

This application is for the following described project:
The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands
Board's jurisdiction, is the proposed construction of
approximately 175 feet of new vinyl bulkheading, located on Chincoteague Island, VA 23336, tax map# 30A3A-72.

### Gerald Quinn-VMRC# 2020-1944

This application is for the following described project: The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction, is the proposed installation of 310 linear feet of stone sill, 120 linear feet of rip rap marsh toe revetment, 3,200 square feet of beach fill nourishment, approximately 1,500 marsh plantings, and 6-8 10-foot fiber logs staked in place located in Belle Haven, Va 23306, tax map#(s) 117-A-23.

### Ryan McKinney-VMRC# 2020-1988

This application is for the following described project: The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction, is the construction of installation of a Living Shoreline for 132 linear feet, located in Belle Haven, Va 23306, tax map# 118A-6-28.

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 the Environmental Programs in Accomac, Virginia. Handicapped assistance is available. Please call (757) 787-5728.

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing commencing at 6:00 p.m., on Tuesday, December 8, 2020, in the Board Room of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, to afford interested parties the opportunity to be heard or present written comments regarding the following ordinances:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND REENACTING NORTHAMPTON COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 33, FINANCE AND TAXATION, SALES TAX, BY INSERTING SECTION 33.002, IMPOSITION OF ADDITONAL SALES TAX; USE OF REVENUES FOR CONSTRUCTION OR RENOVATION OF SCHOOLS

AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING ADDITIONAL USE TAX FOR CONSTRUCTION OR RENOVATION OF SCHOOLS

The purpose of these amendments is to implement the additional sales tax authorized by the November 3rd referendum.

A copy of the proposed ordinances are available for public review at the County Administrator's Office, Eastville, Virginia, during normal business hours.

Handicapped assistance available: Call 757/678-0440.

Charles Kolakowski County Administrator

### NOTICE JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE

On December 28, 2020, proceedings will be commenced under authority of Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the Code of Virginia to sell the following parcels located in the Town of Onancock, Virginia for payment of delinquent taxes:

Davis, Evelyn Rosenthal, Scot D. 085A30800001400 085A21800000800

The owner of any property listed may redeem it at any time before the date of sale by paying accumulated taxes, penalties, interest and costs thereon at the law office listed below. The pro rata costs of publication hereunder shall become a part of the tax and together with all other costs, including reasonable attorney's fees set by the court, shall be collected when payment is made whether or not court proceedings have been initiated.

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### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 13287 SHELL BRIDGE ROAD, PAINTER, VIRGINIA 23420 COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

In execution of a certain deed of trust dated 02/28/19, in the original principal amount of 92,631.00 recorded in the County of Accomack, Virginia, as Instrument No. 190000732, 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 December 22, 2020, at 4:00 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 1/2 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, DESIGNATED AS LOT 6 IN SECTION III IN PLAT BOOK 18, PAGE 3 REORDED IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CIR-CUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY VIRGINIA 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: Abby Moynihan, Esq., member of Surety Trustees, at 301-490-3361 or www.mwc-law.com.

### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 94.65 ACRES, 18461 RED HILL ROAD, PAINTER, VIRGINIA

In execution of a deed of trust from ANDREW B. HUDYMA and YVETTE C. HUDYMA (the "Owners") dated as of January 6, 2017, recorded in the Accomack County Circuit Court Clerk's Office as Instrument No. 170000127 (the "Deed of Trust"), one or both of the undersigned substitute trustees (collectively, the "Trustee"), at the request of the holder of the note secured by the Deed of Trust (the "Beneficiary"), will offer for sale at public auction, at the front door of the Accomack County Circuit Court Building, located at 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, Virginia, at 11:30 a.m., on Wednesday, December 9, 2020, the Owners' three (3) parcels of real property and improvements (collectively, the "Property") briefly identified as:

44 Acres Pungoteague District Tax Map No. 11100A000005200

26.65 Acres Pungoteague District Tax Map No. 111000300A00000

Property of Elizabeth Savage Tax Map No. 111000300B00000

Together with all associated personal property rights, pursuant to  $\underline{\text{Va}}$ .  $\underline{\text{Code}}$  §8.9A-604(a)(2)

TERMS OF SALE: Cash. The Property will be offered for sale "AS IS, WHERE IS" and will be conveyed by special warranty deed subject to all encumbrances, rights, reservations, covenants, conditions, easements, restrictions and statutory liens, if any, having priority over the Deed of Trust or over the associated personal property lien interests - - provided, however, that the Beneficiary has subordinated to the Deed of Trust its prior-recorded lien encumbering the Property (Instrument No. 160003093). The Trustee and Beneficiary otherwise make no representation or warranty whatsoever as to the existence, validity, survival or terms of any Property lease or occupancy arrangement and no credit shall be given against the purchase price for any security deposit(s).

Except for the special warranty contained in the deed, the Trustee and Beneficiary disclaim all warranties of any kind for the Property, including without limitation any warranty relating to the zoning, physical or environmental condition, fitness for a particular purpose and merchantability. The risk of loss or damage to the Property shall be borne by the successful bidder from and after the date and time of sale, and the purchaser shall assume all obligations for continuation of utility services to the Property. Securing possession and control of the Property shall be the sole responsibility of the successful bidder.

A bidder's deposit in cash or by certified or cashier's check of at least ten percent (10%) of the amount bid must be shown to the Trustee for such bid to be accepted, subject to bidder prequalification. Immediately after the sale, the successful bidder shall execute a contract of sale with the Trustee, a form of which is available for review upon request, and shall deliver to the Trustee the required deposit. Settlement in full shall be made in cash at 223 E. City Hall Avenue, Suite 201, Norfolk, Virginia, within 30 days of sale, time being of the essence. Additional procedures, terms and conditions may be announced at the sale, and shall control.

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# Legal Advertising and Auctions (Cont'd)

IN THE INTEREST OF: Mariah J Harris Born in 2009 Case No.: 2020-JC-000230 NOTICE OF PROCEEDINGS

STATE OF KANSAS to: ALLEN D HARRIS, FATHER; CHERI BULLY, PATERNAL GRAND-MOTHER; ANY KNOWN OR UNKNOWN MATERNAL OR PATERNAL NEXT-OF-KIN OF SAID CHILD; AND ANY OTHER PERSONS WHO ARE OR MAY BE CONCERNED.

A Petition and Motion for Termination has been filed in this court requesting that the court adjudge said child(ren) a child/children in need of care as defined in the Kansas Code for Care of children K.S.A. 38-2202(d), as amended and finds the parents of Mariah J Harris unfit to have custody of such child(ren) and make an order permanently terminating the parental rights of such child(ren)

You are required to appear before this court at 01:15 PM on Thursday, December 17, 2020, in the District Court, Juvenile Department, 1900 East Morris, city of Wichita, Sedgwick County, Kansas 67211; or prior to said time file your written response to said pleading with the Clerk of this court. Failure to either appear or respond may result in the court entering judgment granting the requested action.

Dana J Winkler, an attorney, has been appointed as guardian ad litem for the child(ren). Each parent or other legal custodian of the children has the right to appear and be heard personally either with or without an attorney. The court will appoint an attorney to represent a parent who fails to appear.

CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT

by: LaToya Clark

### TOWN OF ONLEY, VA REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) FOR LEGAL SERVICES

The Town Council of Onley, Virginia is seeking Request for Proposals (RFP) from a qualified individual attorney or firm interested in providing legal services as the Town Attorney. The Town Council intends to consider individuals or firms who possess the professional and administrative capabilities to provide the scope of services detailed in the RFP on our website. The complete RFP including Submittal Instructions can be found at <a href="https://www.townofonley.org">www.townofonley.org</a>. The Town of Onley is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will hold a Public Hearing beginning at 6:00 p.m. on December 8. 2020, to solicit input concerning the following matter: Northampton County's Proposed Community Development Block Grant funding for a Regional Housing Study for the Eastern Shore. Opportunity to comment on this project or other past CDBG projects will be available during the public hearing. Copies of the initial proposed workplan to be funded by the grant and proposed budget are available by contacting Russ Williams at (757)787 2936, extension 119. While this meeting will be in-person and open for public attendance, citizens have the right to submit oral or written statements on the proposed plan and priorities to the County Administrator's Office (PO Box 66, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA 23347 no later than 3:00 p.m. on December 8, 2020. Any citizen having questions or needing special assistance for the disabled may contact the County Administrator's Office by calling 757-678-0440.

### NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2020 AT 10 A.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMAC, VIRGINIA TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

### A. SUSE-000037-2020: Cellco dba/Verizon – Tax Map # 110-9-B1

A public hearing initiated by Cellco dba/Verizon to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-403(1) to build a 169 foot telecommunications tower. The parcel is located at Tax Map # 110-9-B1 adjacent to 16055 Pungoteague Road, Painter, VA and is zoned General Business.

# B. SUSE-000076-2020: Carol Gladden – Tax Map # 68-A-191B

A public hearing initiated by Carol Gladden to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-53(14) to place a travel trailer for habitation on her property for up to two (2) years while her main residence is being built. The parcel is located at Tax Map # 68-A-191B which is between 16470 &16550 Hopeton Road, Parksley, VA and is zoned Agricultural.

### C. VAR-000078-2020: Jonathan Wroblewski – Tax Map # 104-2-1B

A public hearing initiated by Jonathan Wroblewski to request a variance of a 100 feet pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-57 which states that the minimum frontage for permitted uses shall be 150 feet at the setback line. The parcel is located at Tax Map # 104-2-1B which is northeast from 24164 Bellevue Circle, Onley, VA and is zoned Agricultural.

# D. VAR-000079-2020: Creigh Harris - Tax Map # 104-2-1A

A public hearing initiated by Creigh Harris to request a variance of a 100 feet pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-57 which states that the minimum frontage for permitted uses shall be 150 feet at the setback line. The parcel is located at Tax Map # 104-2-1A which is northeast from 24164 Bellevue Circle, Onley, VA and is zoned Agricultural.

# E. VAR-000080-2020: Shirlene Shrieves - Tax Map #'s 92-5-B6B & 92-5-B6C

A public hearing initiated by Shirlene Shrieves to request a variance of 125 feet for parcel # 92-5-B6B and a variance of 135 feet for parcel # 92-5-B6C pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-57 which states that the minimum frontage for permitted uses shall be 150 feet at the setback line. The parcels are located at Tax Map #'s 92-5-B6B and 92-5-B6C which are located behind 18289 Airport Drive, Melfa, VA and are zoned Agricultural.

This Board of Zoning Appeals meeting will be held as a Hybrid - Electronic (Conference Call) and In-Person Meeting due to the restrictions put in place due to the COVID-19 pandemic. 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 <a href="http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public">http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public</a> on the Friday prior to each meeting date.

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### Request for Qualifications for General Consulting Engineering Services; Proposal No. M-21-002

The Chesapeake Bay Bridge and Tunnel District (CBBTD) has issued a request for qualifications for General Consulting Engineering Services to be received until **4:00 p.m. on Friday, December 18, 2020.** The District is inviting proposals from individual Consulting Engineering Firms or Corporations having a nationwide and favorable reputation for skill and experience to serve as the District's General Consulting Engineers. A **non-mandatory** virtual pre-proposal conference will be held on November 24, 2020, promptly at 10:00 a.m. by WebEx. All information regarding this RFQ may be obtained on our website at www.cbbt.com or by contacting Mr. Michael T. Crist, P. E., Deputy Executive Director, Infrastructure, at (757) 331-2960.

# Legal Advertising and Auctions (Cont'd)

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# FORECLOSURE SALE OF CANAL LOT WITH BULKHEAD IN CAPTAIN'S COVE

December 4, 2020, 10:00 AM

To be held at the Community Building in Captain's Cove Subdivision, 3370 Captain's Corridor, Greenbackville, VA 23356.

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posit (non-refundable) in an amount equal to the lesser of \$5,000 or 10% of successful bid in cash or certified funds at time of sale, with the closing to occur within thirty days of the date of said sale. Written one-price bids will be accepted for any of the properties pursuant to the terms set forth in Va. Code § 55.1-1833. There is no warranty relating to right. title, interest, or the like in this disposition. Property is being sold pursuant to Va. Code § 55.1-1833, and title will be conveyed pursuant to statute and subject to all liens or encumbrances as provided in said statute. All information for review by appointment only. Notwithstanding the Minimum Bid announced at the time of sale, the Trustee reserves the right to accept and/or reject all offers. Time is of the essence. Other conditions may be announced at the sale.

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# After the Election

Dear Editor:

Regarding the election, it is winding down, but we will see how it goes and any changes. Also, a very warm welcome to Amy Coney Barrett to the Supreme Court.

I sure hope Gov. Northam complies with the mask mandates preached about on television with small groups and enforces the law when all of these dysfunctional protesters decide to riot like they did over the summer.

Catholics and fellow Christian denominations: abortion is not in our beliefs. Joe Biden is Catholic and part of a party that supports women who abort babies, but not criminals who kill innocent people. That's hypocritical. Joe Biden, do you lack the backbone to fulfill the obligations of the faith you so much embrace? A child does not ask to be born; they are a gift from God, not a choice. Leadership reflects attitude, but you must able to lead first.

Attention, church folk: you cannot be Catholic and be a Democrat supporting abortion. That's actually any denomination that values Christian faith. If there's any question on that, look in the mirror and ask yourself what your faith means to you. If you can't look yourself in the eyes, then your ideals are questionable.

The president did not lock any children in cages. Don't believe everything you hear. First of all people who are detained have attempted to gain unlawful entry, meaning they didn't arrive legally or they would not be detained. Thats a no-brainer. Had the border wall been constructed decades ago, hard working Americans would not be paying for these mistakes with tax dollars and violent crime. Please come to our country, but legally.

All lives matter! Preach it, live it, love it, teach it, believe it, and embrace it. Everyone counts.

Fellow Republicans and conservatives alike, America will always be great but a Biden administration will be sketchy. He already met with Schumer

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and Pelosi in Delaware. What happened to working together? All I saw was three blind mice! I am saying what a lot of people don't want to say, but someone has to represent our values and keep it real.

Happy Thanksgiving to our military, law enforcement, and all hardworking Americans, gobble-gobble! We will always be the best country and the world. Thank you to President Donald Trump and your administration, congratulations on a job well done! Thank you for the best four years our country has seen in decades!

# John Woolaver, Cape Charles A Better Monument Solution

Dear Editor:

The closing paragraph in the letter from Bill Payne in the Nov. 20 Post conveys the message that the Confederate monument should be removed. There is a far superior alternative, but it will take time to plan and money to execute. That plan is to erect a statue of a Union soldier of recognizably African descent at the same site. Patience is required to allow that planning to be done.

We have a teaching opportunity here which, in its focus and its potential scope, is very likely without parallel elsewhere. Of those men from here who volunteered for the Union forces, nearly all had African ancestry. Of those men who volunteered for the Confederacy, nearly none had African ancestry.

These Union soldiers later formed on the Shore a remarkable six posts of the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR), the Union veterans organization.

The existing statue is not an aggrandizement of a Confederate general, it is just an individual soldier.

The statue was erected during the Jim Crow period, and this new statue might be thought of as reflecting the progress toward equality made since then. We can memorialize and name the individuals who served on both sides, but this is an opportunity to honor in particular those men who until now have had no public recognition of the part they played in the fight for our founding precept that all men are created equal.

Every person with whom I've so far spoken about this concept recognizes its excellence and that it's a novel, positive approach. These include, in addition to several local persons, the former curator of the Abraham Lincoln Collection at the Lincoln presidential library in Springfield, Ill.; the head of the GAR Museum and Library in Philadelphia; and a historian specializing in the U.S. Colored Troops.

My own experience may be an example of how one spark of knowledge prevented from extinction can create interest in further learning. I became aware of this whole subject because a deification image of Lincoln was discarded, by someone who was ignorant of its significance, into the old green box just by the Gaskins Chapel Church, from where it found its way to our home. Had the image gone to the landfill, I'd have remained ignorant. Today its story, including its connection to the history of the Shore, can continue to be told. Gaskins Chapel Church was also the site of one of those six GAR posts.

The new main library building in Parksley will contain the Heritage Center, where collected papers of local people from that era will reside - including many documents still with the descendants. but which will need a home eventually. These also are part of the fabric of local history which must be saved and studied.

The graves of these Union veterans remain largely unmarked as to their service, while many veterans elsewhere have GAR grave medallions. It may have made sense during Jim Crow not to provide targets, but that omission can be rectified now.

Teaching and learning of history (and

much history-related tourism, even without a battlefield) can flow from this project as its center, with both statues in place at Eastville alongside other relics there of the history of slavery. Much of great value will have been needlessly squandered if the Confederate statue is removed.

Alan Silverman, Onancock Trump Op-Ed Vindictive

Dear Editor:

Among the many questionable claims in this op-ed ("President in an Orange Jumpsuit," Nov. 20), this one stands out. Nixon "impeded Vietnam peace talks" to get re-elected. How would that help him get elected? Leftist protesters encouraged our enemies to delay peace. Just as leftist protesters encourage our enemies today.

Who got us into the Vietnam war? Eisenhower warned Kennedy not to send the army, only advisors. Kennedy sent the army.

How did Kennedy get elected? He looked better than Nixon on TV and many suspected Democrat corruption in Chicago and other cities. The media failed to report Kennedy's sexual promiscuity, something that would have repelled the electorate at the time.

This vindictive Post op-ed blames Trump for COVID-19 deaths. He ended flights from China over Biden and Pelosis' objections. He eased regulations on drug companies to aid research and development of a vaccine. The vaccine should be called the Trump vaccine.

The media has exposed every Trump scandal for decades and given him over 90% negative coverage. Most people can't understand their personal taxes, let alone those of a multinational business that has been audited for years. The IRS would have reported any problem by now.

As to foreign influence, China and a Ukrainian gas company paid Biden's son to do nothing. They have not bought Trump's sons or we would have heard about it. whereas the media has failed to report the many good things Trump has done.

Beverly R. Lynch, Painter



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