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## 'Build Back Better' Could Help Coastal Communities Address Flooding

By Stefanie Jackson

The Build Back Better Act, which the U.S. Senate will revisit in January, contains a "little-known provision ... that could help Virginia address increasingly frequent coastal flooding," stated Jack Alber, an associate of the Washington, D.C., public relations and communications firm, Signal Group, in an email late last month.

The Build Back Better Act, if passed, could include \$6 billion for coastal restoration, which would "help strengthen the state's natural coastline infrastructure and protect Virginia's iconic coastline from further loss to the most rapid sea level rise on the whole Atlantic coast," Alber wrote.

According to his research, the funding would impact about 164,000 Virginians who are at risk of coastal flood-

ing and whose number is expected to increase to more than 300,000 by 2050.

Virginia's coastal areas are home to 59% of the state's population, generating \$140 billion in annual income for the state and 63% of its gross domestic product as of 2018.

Virginia has more than 7,000 miles of coastline, much of which has receded due to the 14 inches of sea level rise that has occurred since 1930. Tidal flooding in the state has increased 132% since 2000.

Protecting coastal environments is key because they absorb carbon from the atmosphere and store it up to four times more efficiently than forests on land, Alber's report continued.

A 2017 study indicated that stimulus-supported coastal restoration proj-

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Water covers a parking lot at the Onancock wharf during a September 2020 king tide. File photo by David Martin.

## Accomack's New Countywide Meal Tax Begins Jan. 1

By Carol Vaughn

Businesses in Accomack County will have to collect a 5% meals tax starting Jan. 1 under a new county law.

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors in September approved the tax, which applies to businesses excluding those in incorporated towns

that already have a meals tax.

The tax will be due the 20th of each month, starting Feb. 20 for the month of January.

The tax applies to all food and beverages, including alcoholic beverages, purchased in or from a food establishment.

That doesn't include groceries but

does include items ready for consumption purchased from businesses such as restaurants, grills, coffee shops, cafeterias, cafes, snack bars, lunch counters, convenience stores, theaters, delicatessens, bakeries, drugstores, ice cream shops, food trucks, public or private clubs, resorts, bars, and loung-

es, among others named in a notice on the Accomack County website <https://www.co.accomack.va.us/businesses/food-beverage-tax>

The page includes a link to the one-page food and beverage tax coupon businesses must fill out and submit

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## ~ Meal Tax ~

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According to information on the coupon, a complete list of food and beverages subject to the tax, along with what is excluded, is in the Code of Virginia section that authorizes counties to impose the tax.

The section of state law, 59.1-3833, can be found online at <https://law.lis.virginia.gov/vacode/title58.1/chapter38/section58.1-3833/>

Items NOT to be taxed under the law include food sold through vending machines; at boardinghouses that do not accommodate transients; in cafeterias operated by industrial plants for their employees only; in public or private schools for students and employees; in hospitals, nursing homes, or senior living facilities to patients or residents; in day care centers; in group homes; and at local farmers markets and roadside stands, where the seller’s income from meal sales does not exceed \$2,500.

The law also excludes meals sold by churches, volunteer fire and rescue companies, or nonprofit educational, charitable, fraternal, or benevolent organizations as a fundraising effort, (up to three times a year and on the first \$100,000 of gross receipts per year after that); and meals served by churches to members as part of their religious observances, among other exemptions listed.

Customers who buy prepared foods that are ready to eat from a grocery

store or convenience store delicatessen counter will have to pay the meals tax on those items, but not on other grocery items.

Businesses in the county must register with the Accomack County Commissioner of Revenue office. They must collect the taxes and submit a monthly report and the taxes collected on or before the 20th of the month following the month in which the taxes were collected.

If the tax is not paid to the county by the due date, there will be a penalty and interest imposed.

No one spoke at an Aug. 18 public hearing about the tax, which affects 68 businesses.

Discussion of imposing a meals tax in the county was prompted initially by anticipated costs associated with the General Assembly’s enactment of the Virginia Overtime Wages Act, which required overtime pay instead of comp time for county employees. The legislation was expected to cost the county \$241,000 annually.

Still, in a special session earlier this year, legislators changed the act to define wages and pay to include the award of comp time.

The county is projected to collect at least \$300,000 annually in meals taxes, according to Accomack County Administrator Mike Mason’s presentation at the September board of supervisors meeting.

Northampton County has a 4% meals tax, which produced \$329,000 in revenue in fiscal year 2020.

Accomack County towns with a meals tax include Onancock, at 5%, Chincoteague, 5%, Parksley, 4%, and Onley, 4%.

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## ~ Coastal Restoration ~ (Continued From Front Page)

ects created 2,200 jobs.

More than 110 environmental groups, including the Virginia League of Conservation Voters, support the inclusion of funding for coastal restoration in the Build Back Better Act.

Pamela Mason, a Virginia Institute of Marine Science senior research scientist who participated in a Dec. 17 interview with the Eastern Shore Post, discussed current trends in building Virginia's coastal resilience and how to direct the attention of U.S. Congress members and federal funding to the Eastern Shore.

Her educational background is in tidal wetlands ecology, and most of her work has focused on shorelines: "how shoreline habitats provide valuable benefits to coastal communities and Virginians and how we can do our best around decision-making to minimize adverse impacts to those systems."

Her work focuses on natural and nature-based features (NNBFs) like beaches, dunes, tidal wetlands, non-tidal wet-

lands, and riparian wooded buffers and "translating that science to policy."

Mason is part of the VIMS Center for Coastal Resources Management (CCRM). She also is the co-chair of the Chesapeake Bay Program's Wetland Workgroup, which facilitates projects that protect, restore, and enhance tidal and non-tidal wetlands in the Chesapeake Bay watershed.

Her work for CCRM includes "wetland modeling ... that's focused on where wetlands are going to be in the future, and we're trying to use that information to better inform decision-makers about where they might look to do projects."

The Build Back Better funding would be useful to support projects that are more expensive and difficult to fund, such as in urban areas like Norfolk, Alexandria, Arlington, "and even your little town of Cape Charles," Mason said.

Acquiring land costs more in those areas since they consist of waterfront property, creating an additional limitation when pursuing federal funding. "I think that's particularly true in some of our rural communities, where the tax base is

driven by property values, and so there's reluctance to try to think about building a tidal marsh on the shoreline when you might be selling that to a developer for a high dollar amount," she said.

Much of the Eastern Shore is susceptible to storm surge and sea level rise: 52% of Accomack County and 42% of Northampton County has a land elevation of less than 10 feet, Mason said.

Even though Cape Charles has a beachfront, it is most likely to flood from the south, from the direction of the harbor, because it's such a low-lying area with little vegetation other than turf grass, she added.

(For more information on existing NNBFs in Accomack and Northampton counties and where new NNBFs are recommended, visit [https://www.vims.edu/ccrm/research/climate\\_change/adaptation/nbnfs/index.php](https://www.vims.edu/ccrm/research/climate_change/adaptation/nbnfs/index.php) and scroll down to "Locality Summary Reports.")

Accomack and Northampton, being rural areas, benefit from existing natural features like tidal marshes and coastal forests, but there is both public and private infrastructure that is lacking in NNBFs near the shoreline, Mason noted.

But "the water quality is critical" to the Shore's recreational and commercial fishing and aquaculture industries, and the NNBFs help preserve water quality by filtering the water and safeguarding it against impacts such as runoff from farming, she said.

Not only does marsh vegetation remove carbon from the air and decrease greenhouse gases in the atmosphere, it removes nutrients nitrogen and phosphorous from the water that infiltrates the soil, then converts the nutrients into plant material.

Another concern is that "the marshes are disappearing," Mason said.

One method for preserving marshes and other natural features is to apply thin-layer dredge material. This is already being done in parts of the Shore; for example, when the entrance to the Cape Charles harbor is dredged, the material tends to be sandy, so "they put it right back on the beach, generally," Mason said.

### Other Causes of Flooding

Not all flooding on the Eastern Shore is caused by sea-level rise due to climate change – some of it is due to storm surge (a short-term, abnormal

rise in sea level caused by high storm winds) or heavy rains.

Jon Derek Loftis, a research assistant professor at VIMS, is leading the StormSense Project in Tidewater, Va., focusing on inundation forecasting research to enhance emergency preparedness for flooding caused by storm surge, rain, and tides.

Loftis is known for his involvement in the annual "Catch the King" event in Hampton Roads, in which hundreds of citizens participate by using the Sea Level Rise iPhone and Android app, which is GPS-based, to map maximum inundation to improve the accuracy of models for predicting nuisance flooding.

"Catch the King" is named after extreme high tides called king tides, which occur several times a year when the moon is closest to the Earth during full and new moons.

"There's definitely a movement to try to link ... the rain and the tides. They come together when you get a storm," Mason said.

The key is finding natural storage spaces for the rain and stormwater, such as tidal and non-tidal wetlands and coastal forests, which have highly permeable soil.

If the lands are covered with dense vegetation, such as marsh grasses, shrubs, and trees, it creates friction and slows down waves and water flow, and it "minimizes how much erosion reaches whatever the upland is behind it, like the residential community or town that's behind it."

Local governments should attempt to minimize how development impacts existing NNBFs and identify areas where those features are missing, where restoration should be targeted.

A Build Back Better Act grant could possibly be used to create marshes, build beaches and dunes, or develop breakwater systems to protect existing beaches. "I think there's a lot of opportunities to do that work," Mason said.

Other federal programs, such as the Federal Emergency Management Administration or FEMA Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities or BRIC, already have gravitated toward natural-based solutions to coastal flooding and have laid the framework for what's possible in the Build Back Better Act.



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### Living Shorelines

Another VIMS researcher, Donna Bilkovic, co-edited the book “Living Shorelines: The Science and Management of Nature-Based Coastal Protection,” which was released in 2020.

Living shorelines, which are made of natural features like marsh grasses and oyster reefs, protect smaller shorelines – such as those along the Eastern Shore’s many creeks – without the adverse effects of traditional, non-natural installations like bulkheads.

Bulkheads for smaller water bodies like creeks are often over-designed, and even though they prevent erosion, they incorporate no natural features that filter the water, leading to reduced water quality and adverse impacts on aquatic life such as minnows and blue crabs, Mason said.

Due to the influence of thorough research, living shorelines are now Virginia law – erosion protection measures must include living shorelines unless it can be proved that a living shoreline would be unsuitable for a particular project, she said.

“In those quieter areas, what some-

times they call ‘sheltered coasts,’ building a marsh ... is a highly effective erosion-control habitat. That’s naturally what it does ... and that’s also been demonstrated through science,” Mason said.

Beaches and dunes offer protection in “high energy” areas where marsh grass doesn’t grow naturally.

Sand is highly permeable and absorbs wave energy in a process called “run up.” As waves run up the beach, some of the water “flows back, on the top ... but a lot of that water goes back down into the sand and returns, basically, underneath the surface, where you can’t see it,” Mason explained.

Research following Hurricane Sandy showed that dunes are the “first line of defense” against major storms like hurricanes. “Houses that are behind dune systems – the storm will pick away at the dune, and often, the houses then are preserved and protected,” she said.

Coastal riparian buffers work in a similar fashion. The term “riparian” literally means “along the river,” but it is also used to refer to vegetation buffering a creek. Ideally, that vegetation will be

native plants. For coastal Virginia, that means plants like loblolly pines, red maple trees, bayberry shrubs, and perhaps some grasses, depending on the thickness of the tree canopy, Mason said.

### Nationwide Impacts

“Virginia, including the Eastern Shore, is at really high risk to have adverse impacts to sea level rise and from coastal flooding. ... Nationwide, coastal Virginia has one of the highest rates of relative sea level rise,” Mason said.

There are coastal Virginia communities that would greatly benefit from federal funding for coastal restoration and resilience measures because those communities can’t afford to implement the measures on their own.

Some of Virginia’s coastal communities are underserved, low-income, or the locality’s “incomes are entirely based on property taxes and they can’t take the trade-off. ... In Virginia, a lot of our coastal economy is based on the fact that we are along the waterfront,” Mason noted.

Even though the Eastern Shore can be easily overlooked at the state and federal levels, Mason pointed out there are

“a lot of elements of the Eastern Shore that provide value to ... Virginia and the whole coastal economy,” and they go beyond tourism, including: Wallops Island (a home to NASA and the U.S. Navy), aquaculture, and agriculture, which also is subject to adverse impacts of coastal living via saltwater intrusion.

The percent of Eastern Shore citizens who are people of color may draw the attention of state and federal authorities concerned with matters of diversity, equity, inclusion, and justice, Mason added.

The Shore’s characterization as a rural, underserved region also is an attention-getter. Cost-share or matching grant programs challenge small, rural communities and create “limited access” to state and federal funding, she said.

“So once you start putting all that together, you get ... multiple ways that some of our coastal communities are not at the table and not getting as much funding,” Mason said.

“There’s a whole lot at stake, and so additional funding to make (coastal resilience projects) easier to do ... it would be great for Virginia at this time.”

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# Grant to Norfolk, Hampton Could Benefit Shore's Unmanned Flight Aspirations

By Carol Vaughn

A state grant awarded to the cities of Hampton and Norfolk could help gather information needed to develop a network of routes for unmanned autonomous systems and leverage state and federal investment in both maritime- and aviation-related facilities at NASA Wallops, the Accomack County Airport, Cape Charles, Fort Monroe, and other locations in the region.

Gov. Ralph Northam announced Dec. 20 more than \$3.5 million in Growth and Opportunity for Virginia (GO Virginia) grant awards for 13 projects around the state.

Included is \$100,000 for the Unmanned Autonomous Systems (UxS) Route/Corridor Network Study, awarded to Hampton and Norfolk.

Old Dominion University's Virginia Institute for Spaceflight and Autonomy (VISA) will look at "how a network of nodes and routes using air, ground, and water through unmanned systems could expedite the

transport of goods, services and travelers between currently underutilized entry points," according to the project description.

The study will provide information for the Autonomous Systems Strategic Playbook for Virginia's Region 5.

It also could leverage state and federal investment in facilities at Wallops, the Accomack County Airport in Melfa, and Cape Charles, among other places in the region, according to the description.

VISA was chartered "to grow the entrepreneurial ecosystems for space flight and autonomy," according to the institute website, <https://visaatodu.org/>

"GO Virginia allows us to address the unique needs of localities across the Commonwealth," said Northam. "This targeted support is critical, both for local projects and for encouraging long-term regional collaboration. These 13 projects will foster innovation, support entrepreneurs, and drive economic growth across the

Commonwealth."

The projects will receive an additional \$4.9 million in local and non-state resources.

"Virginia boasts a diverse economy, and each geographic region has distinct economic characteristics," said Secretary of Commerce and Trade Brian Ball. "GO Virginia has been effective in responding to those differences, as its regional approach fosters innovative ideas, programs, and strategies throughout the Commonwealth as demonstrated by these awarded projects."

Since the program began in 2017, GO Virginia has funded 208 projects and awarded around \$78 million to support regional economic development efforts.

"Congratulations to today's awardees and to their respective regional councils," said GO Virginia Board Chair Nancy Howell Agee. "GO Virginia has created a foundation over the past four years that is giving regions the tools to develop high-im-

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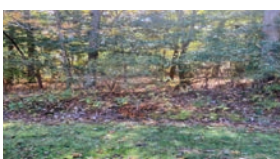
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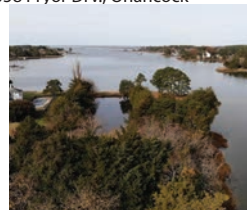
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# Nandua Graduates Step Up as Mentors at Boys & Girls Club

*Story and Photos by Bill Sterling*

Brock Custis and Javon Smith, separated by a grade at Nandua High School and now 33 and 32, respectively, work in tandem to improve the lives of the youth attending the Boys & Girls Club each weekday afternoon at the Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center near Accomac.

Custis makes sure the members are fed nutritious meals while Smith tends to their education and artistic interests.

Custis, a former sous chef at Omni Resorts and head chef at three restaurants, including Taste in Richmond, runs a food program at the Boys & Girls Club that extends well beyond the club's walls.

"We've been granted the opportunity to feed not just the kids here at the Boys & Girls Club but kids in general. I feed kids in both counties but also provide snacks to the athletes at Arcadia and Nandua high schools," said Custis, who was a four-year starter in football at Virginia State University and later played in the Arena Football League with the Richmond Revolution. "Everything is low sugar, but it definitely hits the food groups, and since we are always dealing with COVID, it is pre-packaged," said Custis, who has also taught culinary arts at the high school level and is the son of Kathy Custis, the longtime director of the Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Club.

During the height of the pandemic when the club was not meeting because schools had virtual instruction, Custis, driving the recognizable Boys & Girls Club van, handed out food in neighborhoods where he knew youth were in need of nutritious snacks. "I still go in those areas in Northampton County and up here in Accomack because I know there are kids whose parents might not be around and are in need of food," said Custis, who points out that none of what he does would be possible without the generous partnership of the Foodbank of the Eastern Shore.

## **Smith Is the Consummate Volunteer**

While Custis is on the Boys & Girls Club staff and also in charge of the teen program in addition to conducting the food program, Smith is a volunteer who spends as many hours as possible at the club when working



**Javon Smith, left, and Brock Custis, right, are dedicated to improving the lives of club members at the Boys & Girls Club.**

as a senior accountant at the Ginsberg Nottingham and Mapp accounting firm about a mile away from where the club meets. Smith is also working toward a master's degree and eventually his CPA. Like Custis, he is a graduate of Virginia State University.

"I've been here every day since the club opened at Mary N. Smith in September. That will certainly change after the first of the year when we are busy preparing tax returns, but I want to give as much time as possible because I know how mentoring can encourage kids. At a young age, education became my outlet, and I've always wanted to become a mentor and spread the importance of higher education," said Smith. "In the second grade I was placed in a Talented and Gifted Program (TAG), and by the time I got to the eighth grade I began to believe going to college was possible."

Smith has been a board member for the Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Club for four years, but when the club could no longer meet at Occohannock Elementary School due to COVID-19 issues and found a home at the Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center, he became much more involved.

"I was long an advocate for the Boys & Girls Club expanding in Accomack County, and I hope we can get back in Northampton County at some point," said Smith, "but here I know many

of the kids personally and know their parents too. My first objective was to work with Kathy just to get the kids into the doors."

Smith has formed a chess club at the Boys & Girls Club because he believes the game helps critical thinking and is fun at the same time. He is working with the Eastern Shore Scholastic Chess Club, which offers an interactive digital curriculum. Smith says the chess club now has 11 youth with most being 9 or 10 years old.

"I see kids here with potential and I want to share with them resources that will help grow their education," added Smith. "Also, I think it helps the kids to see adults like Brock and me who grew up here and earned an education that opened up doors to having a successful career. We have friends who also got an education and are helping their communities, but most of them move on somewhere else because it is not always ideal to come back to the Shore. Hopefully, we can relate to them and show them that education is key."

## **Boys & Girls Club Provides Safe Place for Youth To Learn and Have Fun**

The Boys & Girls Club now has almost 50 youth attending each weekday after school at Mary N. Smith, which is near capacity due to COVID-19 restrictions. The youth, from 5 to 18 years of age, attend Kids Cafe, where Custis

provides a nutritious meal. During the summer and when school is not in session, the Boys & Girls Club provides breakfast, lunch, and snacks. There's also Power Hour, where club members work on homework assignments with tutors, and Triple Play, which includes physical activity and sports. There's also a fine arts program which emphasizes arts and crafts, painting, dancing and other artistic pursuits.

The Mary N. Smith facility sat mostly vacant and neglected for years after its closing until 2011, when the Accomack County School Board donated the building to the newly established Mary N. Smith Alumni Association, with graduates ranging from the years 1935 to 1970, the last year the building was used as a high school.

The alumni's mission was to maintain the legacy of the late Mary N. Smith by continuing to award scholarships and to convert the building to a cultural enrichment and educational community center for use by all citizens of Accomack County.

Its biggest challenge was to restore the integrity of the building, badly in need of repairs and renovation after years of neglect.

However, a \$40,000 grant from the Eastern Shore Community Foundation and annual funding from United Way of Virginia's Eastern Shore, in addition to monies raised by the alumni association, have improved the building to the point it is used by various organizations in addition to hosting fundraisers, scholarship banquets, wedding receptions, dances, and many other events.

Perdue Inc., a close neighbor, also made a major gift to the Boys & Girls Club to help its transition to the Smith facility by improving the building to meet certain standards for club use.

Both Custis and Smith agree the now renovated facility is the ideal location to host the club, with its full kitchen, gymnasium and multiple classrooms that are suitable for all sorts for activities.

However, Smith said another important aspect of his involvement is fundraising. "I have been out in the community asking for business donations. "We need financial assistance to keep the club operating so we can continue to be mentors to these kids."



**Brock Custis and fellow staff member Derrick Bell stand beside the Boys & Girls Club van and food that will be delivered to neighborhoods on the Eastern Shore.**

The Eastern Shore Boys & Girls Club has been unable to hold the annual Swine & Wine event, its major fundraiser, for the past two years due to COVID-19 issues, and while many supporters have continued to provide funds, more is needed.

### **Custis, Smith Want To Give Back to the Community**

Custis said he realizes he could make more money living elsewhere, but he came home three years ago to help his mother care for his father, whose health was failing, and now he sees the Boys & Girls Club as a way of providing a service to the community. "It's my way of giving back," said Custis.

Smith said he feels a link to the new home of the Boys & Girls Club because he once was a student here when it was a middle school, and also because he is related to the school's namesake, Mary N. Smith, who was a prominent African American educator on her native Eastern Shore from 1920 to her death in 1951.

Smith points out, however, that he is not related to the well-known educator on the Smith side of his family, which was her married name, but through the Wrights, which was her mother's maiden name.

"The preservation of this school is so important for many reasons, and I am committed to working with the Mary N. Smith Alumni Association to see that this work can continue for years to come," said Smith.

Custis and Smith, though they work in different areas at the club, understand what they do goes hand-in-hand. "Kids can't learn when they are hungry," said Smith. And Custis adds, "With me, it's not just about the food. I give home-

work assignments when I give out food and tell them I will pick them up the next time I am out handing out food."

Custis adds, "We also tell kids college might not be for everyone, but you need to have a plan and work toward it."

Smith said the needs are great — more board members for the club, more volunteers with skills that can be taught to club members, more financial assistance, more transportation to get the kids to the club. "We also need to get the word out to let the kids know we are here because once the COVID issues ease up, we can see up to 150 kids."

Smith and Custis both said the younger children at the Boys & Girls Club are learning important socialization skills because much of their first two years of schooling was conducted at home virtually. "They come in very shy and not sure how to act around other kids, but you can see them becoming more comfortable every day and better at communicating," said Smith.

"Each family that sends their kids to the club pays a \$40 weekly fee plus a \$10 transportation fee. But Custis points out there are scholarships available, and Smith says he has raised funds that are targeted for families who can't afford the fees.

"I don't want any child unable to attend the club here for lack of money," said Smith.

To register or for more information, contact Boys & Girls Club director Kathy Custis at 757-709-3038 or email [easternshore@bgcseva.org](mailto:easternshore@bgcseva.org).

To make a financial contribution to the club, send a check payable to the Boys & Girls Club of SEVA and mail to P.O. Box 101, Melfa, VA 23410.

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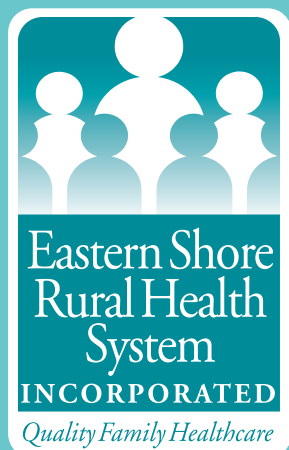
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## Frances Cantrelle

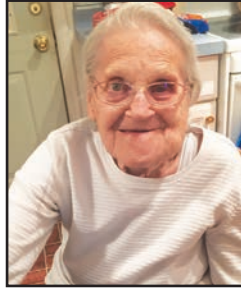
**Mrs. Frances Dorothy Cantrelle (Suklje)**, residing on Chincoteague Island for the past 32 years, left her battle with Alzheimer's disease behind to be with the Lord on Dec. 20, 2021. She was born in Reading, Pa., on May 15, 1927, a daughter to the late Mary and John Suklje. Frances worked for many years as a secretary/bookkeeper for several companies, most recently for Beltone Hearing Aids in Reading.

Frances was a loving sister, aunt, wife, mother, and grandmother. Upon retirement, Frances made the move to Chincoteague where she was the devoted grandmother to Joseph and Robert Kassab. She was instrumental in raising her grandsons and they were her source of great joy. Their outings included the beach, pool, library, soccer games, Little League games, basketball, car washes, church events, plays, speeches, and graduations to name a few.

Frances is survived by her daughter, Barbara Bugar (Cantrelle); her grandson, Joseph, and his wife, Madeline; great-grandchildren, Claire and Rebecca; her grandson, Robert; her sister, Louise Graybill; and numerous nieces and nephews. Along with her parents, Frances was preceded in death by her husband, Earl Cantrelle; her son-in-law, Dennis Bugar; her sisters, Catherine Springer, Marguerite Yaklich, and Anna Cowdrick; and her brothers, Robert Suklje and John Suklje.

A Funeral Mass was held at Saint Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church on Chincoteague Island, where Frances was a faithful parishioner, on Wednesday, Dec. 29, 2021, at 11 a.m., with Father Michael officiating. She was buried in Gethsemane Cemetery in Reading, alongside her husband, Earl Cantrelle, on Thursday, Dec. 30, 2021, at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 6350 Center Drive, Suite 102, Norfolk, VA 23502.

Services are entrusted to Salyer Funeral Home Inc. on Chincoteague



**Mrs. Cantrelle**

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## Olive T. Custis

**Mrs. Olive T. Custis**, 94 of Onancock, passed away Monday, Dec. 20, 2021, at Catered Living Assisted Care in Ocean Pines, Md., with her twin daughters at her side. She joins her predeceased husband, John Q. Custis, and close relatives of the Custis and Michell families.

She leaves behind a sister, Rose Michell, and her children, Chuck and Debbie. She also leaves her four children, Jack Custis (Marie), Glenda McIntyre, Joyce Spivey (Wil), and Jennifer Austin (Lawrence); eight grandchildren, Eric, Haley, Mac, Bryan, Michael, Jonathan, Bruce, and Shellie; 10 great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

She spent the first 20 years of her marriage as a Sunday school teacher, PTA president, and a football team sponsor and guided her four children into rewarding careers. She then pursued a successful career as a beautician. Upon retirement, she joined the Coast Guard Auxiliary and was a valued member between 1996 and 2012.

Funeral services were conducted from the chapel of the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home Monday, Dec. 27, 2021, at 1 p.m., with the Rev. Russell Fail officiating. Interment followed in the Fairview Lawn Cemetery. There was a visitation at the funeral home one hour prior to the service.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at [www.williamsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.com). Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

## Cleo Hodges Linvill

**Mrs. Cleo Hodges Linvill**, 82, of Hallwood, wife of George Barnes Linvill, passed away Dec. 21, 2021, in Salisbury, Md.

Born Oct. 19, 1939, in Peterstown, W.V., she was the daughter of the late James E. Hodges Sr. and the late Ruth Elizabeth Morgan. Cleo owned and op-



**Mrs. Custis**

erated Thornton Fashion Fabrics and Furniture and later Thornton Travel Agency for many years. She was a dedicated member and past Worthy Grand Matron of the Temperanceville #88 Eastern Star, a member of Accomack Chapter #62, and a past Grand Matron for the State of Virginia. She enjoyed working with her hands, as shown by her sewing, cross-stitch, needlework, and embroidery. She also loved cooking and baking, especially her fresh apple cakes. Christmas was a special time for Cleo, as she decorated her house with over 15 Christmas trees. She truly enjoyed the holidays and spending time with her beloved family.

Other than her husband, Cleo is survived by two daughters, Marie Thornton Rodgers (Sonny), of Chincoteague, and Debbie Thornton Baylis (Kevin), of Onley; five grandchildren, Christina Eulo Gardner (Neil), Nathan Eulo, Jason Thomas Hickman, Zachary William Baylis, and Garrett Morgan Baylis; a great-grandchild, Gavin Neil Gardner; her siblings, Ruth Smith-Fraser, Lieu Lewis, Vada Morgan Hayes, Patti West, and Joseph Milton Hodges; and several nieces and nephews.

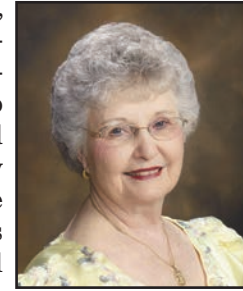
Other than her parents, she was preceded in death by siblings, Carolyn Hodges, Fran Wesley Smith, and James E. Hodges Jr.

A funeral service was held Monday, Dec. 27, 2021, at 2 p.m., from the Downings United Methodist Church with the Rev. Hodae Kim officiating. The family received friends one hour prior to the service at the church.

Should friends desire, memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, P.O. Box 840692, Dallas, TX 75284-0692, or to a charity of one's choice.

Arrangements are by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

To sign the guest book online, visit [www.thorntonfuneralhome.net](http://www.thorntonfuneralhome.net)



**Mrs. Linvill**

## James Alfred Rew Jr.

**Mr. James Alfred Rew Jr.**, 76, of Onley, passed away Dec. 21, 2021, in Cedar Park, Texas. Born Jan. 24, 1945, in Nassawadox, Jim was the son of the late James A. Rew Sr. and the late Ethel Finney (Ames) Rew.

He was a graduate of Onancock High School. He attended the University of Virginia in Charlottesville, Va., and graduated from Salisbury State College in Salisbury, Md.

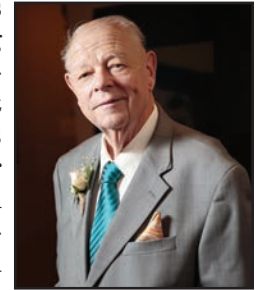
Jim was a lifelong lover of music. In his early years, he studied classical piano in New York City and became an accomplished pianist. One of his proudest accomplishments was performing on stage with acclaimed pianist Eugene List in his touring "Monster Concert," devoted mostly to the music of Louis Moreau Gottschalk. The "Monster Concert" featured a symphony of 10 concert pianos and ended with a rousing rendition of Gottschalk's multi-piano transcription of Rossini's "William Tell" Overture. In addition to his love of performing, Jim also built and managed the radio stations WEXM and WVES on Virginia's Eastern Shore. During his retirement years in Texas, he rebuilt Steinway pianos for fun. Jim never knew a stranger and made friends from all walks of life. He was a truly talented, special person.

He is survived by his three daughters, Jennifer (Rew) McGrath, of Conshohocken, Pa., Dr. Suzy (Rew) Lofton Bullis, of Round Rock, Texas, and Hyldie (Rew) Krebs, of Chesapeake, Va.; his stepdaughter, Tina LeCato, of Franktown; three grandsons, Foster McGrath, Jackson Bullis, and Rhett Bullis; his companion, Susan Brewer, and her daughter, Aniko Brewer, and son, Tom Brewer; and his beloved dog, Scarlet.

Interment will be at Mount Holly Cemetery in Onancock. A private memorial will be held at a later date.

Arrangements are being jointly handled by Beck Funeral Home in Cedar Park and Williams Funeral Home in Onancock.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network at <https://www.pancan.org/>



**Mr. Rew**

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# Anglican Church Foundation Found in Assawoman Backyard

*Story and Photos by Brice N. Stump  
Special to the Eastern Shore Post*

There's historical gold in Fitz Godwin's backyard in Assawoman, a rural neighborhood near Atlantic.

It was the color of grass that held the telltale clue that something special was just inches beneath the soil. Historians have long known that the Assawaman (original spelling) Anglican Church was built here in 1680. Soon after the Civil War, the church was in ruins and collapsed, quickly becoming a "lost" church. Finding it evaded the curious for almost a century.

Then one morning in February, Godwin made a significant chance discovery in his backyard.

"We had all this rain and I hoped something may have washed to the surface." He didn't find any artifacts but noticed a strange precise pattern indicated by changing colors of grass.

Using a steel probe, Godwin walked the yard pushing the sharp tip of the rod about 10 inches into the moist soil.

"Boom. Boom. Boom. Every foot, as I followed the line of greener grass, I hit something hard."

What could have been an outbuilding or even an early home site turned out to be significantly more important — Godwin found the foundation of the 1680 church.

He was excited and called fellow members of the Eastern Shore Chapter of the Archaeological Society of Virginia, David and Nancy Page, of Parksley, to share the news.

"I told them I thought I had discovered the foundation of the church. They said they'd be here within the hour. Sure enough they got here and we immediately dug."

They measured the four lines and came up with a rectangle 45- by 75- feet. Digging at a corner, they confirmed it is a brick foundation, 28 inches wide.

Thanks to the work of the late chemist and noted historian, Ralph T. Whitelaw, the measurements of the 1680 structure were revealed in his monumental two-volume tome "Virginia's Eastern Shore — A History of Northampton and Accomack Counties," published in 1951. They fit perfectly with those Godwin discovered.



**Taking part in the recent unveiling of a historical plaque noting the site of Assawaman Church of England built in 1680 in Assawoman are, from left: the Rev. Robert Coniglio, pastor of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Jenkins Bridge, holding a silver chalice used at the Assawoman church from 1749; Nancy and David Page, members of the Eastern Shore Chapter of the Virginia Archaeological Society; and Sue Boggs, whose ancestor, William Taylor, gave land for the church. Fitz Godwin, at right, chairman of the Francis Makemie Society, was instrumental in submitting documentation for the plaque and for coordinating efforts with state and private groups, on behalf of the society, to erect the sign. The site is on property Godwin owns.**

The east end was the "business end," Godwin said, where the chancel was located. The front door of the church was at the opposite end.

## Site Investigation Begins

News of the discovery traveled fast and within days, David Givens, director of archaeological excavations at Jamestown, was on the phone with Godwin for more details.

So important was the discovery that Givens used his vacation time in June to investigate the site. "I definitely wanted to come out here and help locate this church. This is an especially important site for this area and for me, because I don't often get to see 17(th) century churches and this is an opportunity to study the evolution of churches in Virginia. I'm a 'dirt surgeon' and I got to get out in the field and see my

patients," he said, laughing.

Using ground penetrating radar (GPR) to verify the underground foundation details, Givens was excited about findings. "There's no doubt that this is the 1680 church," he said.

"The GPR confirmed that the remains of the Assawaman Church of England are in my backyard," Godwin said with pride.

## Grave Shafts Identified

There was a another surprise discovery awaiting archaeologists and historians.

Givens's GPR system revealed 22 "grave shafts." Though it has been suspected for years that the churchyard contained graves, none are known to have been marked with stone, and the number and location was also unknown.

As a group of 14 volunteers reviewed

the GPR file on a TV monitor, the digital signature of lost graves appeared on the screen. "It was clearly evident, even to a layman's eye, that there are 22 graves in the northeast corner of the church yard," Godwin said "There are certainly more, as we only surveyed one corner of the overall site."

Givens was especially interested in the site as he wanted to know if there were graves within the foundation walls. That was an important issue for Givens and he was joined by Michael Clem in evaluating the site. Clem is Eastern Regional Archaeologist at the Virginia Department of Historic Resources. Knowing that graves are within foundations in period churches in Williamsburg and Jamestown, they wanted to know if the practice was also routine on the Eastern Shore. Surprisingly, preliminary



**Jamestown archaeologist David Givens pushes a ground-penetrating radar unit across the foundation site of the Assawaman Church that was built in 1680. John “JD” Barnes, left, and David Bundick, center, were among a dozen volunteers who recently helped survey the area.**

evidence indicates there are no graves within the foundation.

“We need to do another GPR survey and go over places we haven’t been yet. GPR might be considered the medical MRI equivalent in archaeology, and as important as this equipment is, it still comes down to archaeological excavation at a site. GPR is just another tool in our kit.

“It’s a lot of work, to survey this entire area, and will probably require someone walking eight miles to push and pull the unit over the site. We are working in one direction, so when you get to the end you have to walk the machine back, move over a few feet and go again, to survey our 100- by 100-foot area,” Givens explained. “This really is fun and I’m glad I’m spending my vacation here. The Eastern Shore is wide open for exploratory archaeology.”

Archaeologist Ed Otter, of Salisbury, Md., is intrigued and excited by the discovery.

Otter, president of the Eastern Shore Chapter of the Archaeological Society of Virginia, said he will ask to

be involved in excavations and projects at the site, and offering his professional skills, particularly with investigations of graves.

Are there really 22 graves?

“Ground penetrating radar is not 100% foolproof,” Otter said. “There are so many factors that influence survey results. That they had so many ‘hits’ is promising, and I’m hoping some turn out to be graves. It seems very promising.”

Tentative plans are to excavate down to a grave, to confirm its presence, but not into it.

“No doubt this is a unique site. Each site tells its own little story, adding another piece to the overall history of the Shore,” Otter said. “Certainly, for members of the Episcopal church, this has considerable historical significance. Archaeologically, this is a great find, to locate the remains of an 1680 church and related graves.”

One grave, Whitelaw suggests, will almost certainly be identifiable. In his will of May 1, 1696, John Stratton directed, “I will that my body be decently



**Volunteers and archaeologists search the site of the Assawaman Church built in 1680 and concentrate on one area that GPR suggested might have been a grave. At work are, from left, archaeologist Michael Clem, landowner Fitz Godwin, Nancy and David Page, archaeologist David Givens, and David Bundick.**



**Virginia archaeologist Michael Clem uses an iron probe to locate hard objects in the soil. Nancy Page, hoping to find a tombstone, digs into a spot that a GPR unit indicated was a “good hit” for something underground. Nothing was found.**

buried in the Church Yard of the upper Church and within five foot of the Church doore ...”

As for William Taylor, Godwin is pretty sure his grave is also here, but where?

“If there were tombstones here, where are they?” Clem asked.

Doug Furman said the stones may have been “pushed off into the woods on that hillside.”

His mother still lives in the house where he grew up, just yards from the church foundation.

“My bedroom was right over the site where ‘old glazed bricks’ were discovered when the house foundation was being dug in 1985.” Those bricks, according to Furman’s father, were said to have come from the floor of the church.

Furman said the site was once an asparagus patch and hungry goats kept the place clear of weeds and underbrush.

“It was a field and the last time it was plowed was in the 1980s, then

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goats were kept here.”

With a country boy’s curiosity, Furman was always exploring. “All my life I heard about a church being out here. When I was a boy I crawled every square inch of that hillside lookin’ for bottles. Found a lot, along with airplane doors and pieces of a rocket. Tons of stuff back in the woods, but no tombstones. I’m pretty sure the people who once lived here years ago also dumped their trash back there,” he said.

### Serendipity

What made this foundation discovery so serendipitous — if not remarkable — was Godwin’s role, beginning a year ago, relating to the recent placement of a state historical plaque noting the approximate site of the church.

In March of 2020, Sue Boggs, of Temperanceville, asked Godwin for help in having a marker placed honoring her ancestor, William Taylor.

“It was the 400th birthday anniversary of William Taylor, and Sue wanted to do something to honor his life and asked me for suggestions,” the retired lawyer said.

Godwin told Boggs a lecture series on family graveyards would serve that and other purposes, or perhaps a granite marker commemorating his birth could be set in the Boggs graveyard lot at Assawoman United Methodist Church, just a mile north of here.

Boggs, and her cousin, famed decoy carver Grayson Chesser, of near Jenkins Bridge, another Taylor descendant, were lukewarm on both proposals. Boggs wanted a historical plaque erected. Godwin explained there had to be something historically significant associated with Taylor to justify the state erecting a roadside plaque.

Taylor, born in England, Godwin learned, came to Accomack County from Jamestown. Within years he owned considerable property in the Assawoman area. Besides being prosperous, the Taylors married into the most prominent families of Virginia’s Eastern Shore, including the Teackle family. It was Littleton Dennis Teackle, of Accomack County, who built the famed landmark in Princess Anne in 1801—



**Workers placing a historical plaque near the site of the 1680 Assawaman Church site in the community Assawoman, walk past the former 1775 tavern that’s on a 5-acre site which contains the foundation and graveyard of the church.**

Teackletonia, or what is now known as Teackle Mansion. Taylor’s landholdings included the property on which the church would stand.

It was Taylor who had deeded the land on which the church was built.

That deed and the significance of the church was the link that could justify a state marker, Godwin told Boggs.

There were challenges ahead.

In June of 2020, Godwin drafted the application for the marker.

While dealing with Virginia’s Department of Historic Resources, to have the plaque become a reality, Godwin learned that “every sentence on a marker” had to be documented and verified.

With the required criteria met, the application paperwork was beefy

— almost 2 inches thick for the six sentences.

“First thing I learned that an individual can not file an application for a marker. It has to be an organization, so I filed it under the Francis Makemie Society.”

Godwin, chairman of the Francis Makemie Society, guides the group in the preservation and maintenance of Makemie’s home and gravesites near Jenkins Bridge. Makemie is known as the “Father of American Presbyterianism.”

Godwin figures into yet another coincidence. His property is about 1,000 feet away from a stream, just west of the foundation site, where Makemie operated a grist mill about 1706.

“Makemie was a businessman. His wife was Naomi Anderson, the daughter of a prominent politician of the day,

and she had a sister, Comfort. She married Elias Taylor, who was William Taylor’s son. I think, through the wives chatting, Makemie became familiar with the property. The stream could power a grist mill, and there’s a tremendous-size pond that feeds the stream.”

The remains of a wide man-made berm that surrounds part of the pond, Godwin said, is still there along with boards that diverted the water through the mill, centuries after the mill ceased operation.

The wording on the plaque notes Makemie owned the mill near the church. While Page and Godwin were scouting for the appropriate location of the marker noting the general location of the church by spring of 2020,



Fitzhugh, 76, noted a for-sale sign in the yard of a former tavern.

He was so taken by the 18th-century architectural appeal of the house that he asked for a tour.

Though he owned a late Victorian house in Onancock, which had been his a home for 20 years, and had no desire to shop for another, he inexplicably wanted this Assawoman landmark.

“I’ll take it,” he told the listing agent.

By the fall of 2020, Godwin was working on the house; he moved in Christmas Day and signed the deed in January 2021.

The foundation of the church shares space with Godwin’s house on a 5-acre parcel. A good-deed effort to help a friend with a history-related project had suddenly changed his life.

And there were more curious revelations.

“Sure, I was astonished that the ‘lost church’ was literally in my yard. And then I learned that the ideal location of the marker, which we thought would be in my neighbor’s yard, was in fact also on my property.”

When it rains, it can sometimes pour.

#### Coincidences and Peculiarities

The discoveries in Assawoman are part of a tale of coincidences and peculiarities.

Godwin’s house, said to have been built in 1775, is across the road from one of the most famous homes on Virginia’s Eastern Shore. It is picturesque Arbuckle House, built in 1774, once the home of James Arbuckle.

Arbuckle was a judge and his portrait hangs in Ker Place in Onancock. Not just any old painting — it is an original work by famed American artist Charles Wilson Peale.

Peale found himself a guest at Arbuckle’s while on the run escaping debts incurred in his saddle-making business in Annapolis in 1765. In exchange for the hospitality afforded him, the artist painted two portraits, one of the judge the other of his wife and son.

During his stay Peale would have certainly visited the church within a walnut’s toss from Arbuckle’s house.

Few places on Virginia’s rural Eastern Shore have so much history packed in an almost 1-acre area. Arbuckle House, the former tavern, and the site of the church, are all within 100 feet of each other and the mill 1,000 feet from the old tavern.

At one point, all four sites are believed to have been up and running at the same time, a small, but bustling, neighborhood.

The placement of the marker is the latest of history-making events in the area.

By late July, the state set a historical marker alongside the country road that waves and weaves through fields and woods, with dips and turns. It’s a much-traveled route for drivers beating the clock to get between two points. Hundreds pass the site daily.

#### Unveiling the Marker

In mid-August, about 50 attendees listened as Godwin spoke at a special ceremony to unveil it. David Wray, of near Westover, in Somerset County, Md., was recording the event as a digital video. At 11 years of age, he was the youngest member of the audience by at least 50 years.

His grandfather, David Pollock, serves on the board of directors for the Francis Makemie Society. Pollock attends Rehobeth Presbyterian Church, established by Makemie, which is across the road from the ruins of the often-photographed Coventry Parish (Anglican-Episcopal) Church. Built in the late 1700s, it’s just yards from the original church site dating to the late 1600s.

Pollock said he asked the boy to take photos of the event. “I did it because he’s not good with a camera,” the youngster said. He was using the camera belonging to his grandmother, Barbara. “Two years ago we discovered he had an interest in photography and an eye for it, so we let him use the camera.”

His favorite subject to photograph is



**David Wray, 11, of near Westover, Md., made the only extensive video of the unveiling ceremony of the state historical plaque noting the site of the Assawaman Church. The ceremony featured the display of a silver chalice, used in 1749 at the church that supposedly was found in a field almost a century ago.**

Church in Jenkins Bridge, showed the audience the chalice used at the Assawaman church in the mid-1700s.

It was a bit of history being made, too, when folks got to see the artifact, as this was believed to be the first time the coin silver chalice, made in London in 1749, had been back to the church site in perhaps 245 years.

And there’s more than just history here, there’s mystery and intrigue. How did the chalice, the only surviving artifact of the Asswaman church, end up in Jenkins Bridge, within walking distance of the home of Makemie’s daughter, Naomi?

Whitelaw had the answer.

“Long after the church fell into ruins, it was found in the fields on the plantation of Thomas Cropper, where it had been used by the slaves for a drinking cup.”

According to Whitelaw, the cup was given to Emmanuel as it was the sole surviving Episcopal church of the Accomack Parish in 1762.

“It was the principal church of Accomack Parish,” Godwin explained.

his pet chickens, a far cry from his obligations documenting the plaque unveiling. The images are a “bit choppy,” his grandfather said. The junior videographer said he was nervous about shooting in front of an audience and he wasn’t accustomed to holding the camera still for such an extended period.

Choppy or not, his 15-minute video was the only one made that day of the program and unveiling. It was important, as Rev. Robert Coniglio, pastor of Emmanuel Episcopal

“There were three churches in the parish; this was the oldest. There was one north of here referred to as the ‘new church’ which became the community of New Church, and one south of here near what is now Gargatha.”

It was the Revolutionary War, Godwin said, that broke the political power and financial support of the Anglican church in the colonies. “They were taxpayer supported, from the rector’s pay to the construction and maintenance of the churches and glebes,” Godwin said.

(Note: glebes is an archaic term for land especially land owned and/or yielding revenue to a parish church.)

As for the Assawaman church, its demise seems to have been fast after the Revolutionary War.

“In a letter written April 11, 1890, Edward Wharton Taylor said that he had been baptized in the church, went to school there, and saw the church fall down 60 years ago,” Whitelaw noted.

As to the fate of the thousands of handmade bricks in the church, Godwin suggested they may have been cleaned and “repurposed” over the years for other structures in the area.

A few dozen were eventually incorporated into a cross design in a sidewalk at Emmanuel’s in Jenkins Bridge.

Givens is hoping to return to the site and conduct an investigation of one of the grave shafts.

As for Godwin and his friends and Otter, the excitement and anticipation are building.

The text of the historical marker.  
**ASSAWAMAN CHURCH OF ENGLAND**  
 Fifty yards north on the hilltop stood Assawaman Church of the Anglican Accomack Parish, formed in 1663. The brick sanctuary was built after 1680 on land donated by William Taylor, a native of England who had settled on the Eastern Shore by 1637. Francis Makemie, a founder of American Presbyterianism, owned a gristmill on the adjoining lot. After the Church of England was disestablished following the Revolutionary War, Assawaman Church closed early in the 19th century and was used as a schoolhouse. A communion chalice from 1749-1750 inscribed “For the use of the Parish Church of Accomack at Assawaman” is in the care of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in nearby Jenkins Bridge.



# Class Schedule Spring 2022 Semester

ACC-105-H2	Office Accounting.	3/14-5/6	T	5:30-7:30pm
ACC-211-H11	Principles of Accounting I	1/10/-3/4	M	5:30-8:00pm
ACC-212-H12	Principles of Accounting II	3/14-5/6	M	5:30-8:00pm
ADJ-100-TV1	Survey of Criminal Justice	1/10-5/6	Online	Anytime
ADJ-111-TV1	Law Enforcement Org & Admin I	1/10-5/2	Online	Anytime
AIR-138-11	Sm Hermetic Commer Sys	1/10-3/4	T	5:30-9:00pm
AIR-154-11	Heating Systems	1/10-3/4	W	5:30-9:00pm
AIR-235-12	Heat Pumps	3/14-5/6	W	5:30-9:00pm
ART-101-Z1	History & Appreciation of Art I	1/10-3/4	T,R	1:00-2:15pm
AST-101-TV10	Keyboarding I	1/10-3/28	Online	Anytime
AST-242-TV16	Medical Insurance and Coding	1/10-5/2	Online	Anytime
BIO-101-V1	General Biology I	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
BIO-101-VL1	General Biology I	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
BIO-101-HL1	General Biology I	1/10-3/4	T,R	8:30-9:45am
BIO-101-HL13	General Biology I	1/10-3/4	M,W	5:30-8:15pm
BIO-102-V2	General Biology II	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
BIO-102-VL2	General Biology II	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
BIO-102-HL2	General Biology II	3/14-5/6	T,R	8:30-9:45am
BIO-102-H14	General Biology II	3/14-5/6	M,W	5:30-6:45pm
BUS-111-H11	Principles of Supervision I	1/10-3/4	T	5:30-6:45pm
BUS-190-V1	Coordinated Internship	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
BUS-200-V2	Principles of Management	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
BUS-240-V2	Intro to Business Law	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
BUS-290-V2	Coordinated Internship	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
CAD-201-V1	Comp Aided Drafting & Design I	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
CHD-146-H12	MTH, SCI and Soc St. for Child	3/14-5/6	T	5:30-6:45pm
CHD-165-V1	Obser/Participation in Primary	1/10-5/6	Online	Anytime
CHD-205-V1	Guiding Behavior of Children	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
CHD-210-H12	Intro to Exceptional Children	3/14-5/6	T	7:30-8:15pm
CHD-216-V2	Early CHD Prog. Sch & Soc Chg	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
CHD-265-V1	Adv. Obser/Part,in EarlyCh Pri	1/10-5/6	Online	Anytime
CHD-270-V1	Admin. of Childcare Programs	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
CHM-111-V11	College Chemistry I	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
CHM-111-V1	College Chemistry I	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
CHM-111-H1L	College Chemistry I	1/10-3/4	T,R	8:30-9:45am
CHM-111-HL11	College Chemistry I	1/10-3/4	T,R	6:00-8:15pm
CHM-112-V2	College Chemistry II	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
CHM-112-V12	College Chemistry II	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
CHM-112-H2L	College Chemistry II	3/14-5/6	T,R	8:30-9:45am
CHM-112-HL12	College Chemistry II	3/14-5/6	T,R	6:00-8:15pm
CST-110-V2	Intro. to Communication	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
CST-110-H2	Intro. to Communication	3/14-5/6	M,W	10:30-11:45am
CST-126-V2	Interpersonal Communication	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
CST126-H2	Interpersonal Communication	3/14-5/6	M,W	2:30-3:45pm
CST-126-Z2	Interpersonal Communication	3/14-5/6	M,W Online	2:30-3:45pm
ECO-150-V1	ECO Essentials Theory & App	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ECO-201-V1	Prin. of Economics I - Macro	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ECO-202-V2	Prin. of Economics II - Micro	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
EDU-200-VIS	Introduction To Teaching	1/10-5/6	Online	Anytime
EDU-235-V1	Health, Safety, Nutrition Educ	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime

ELE-132-V1	National Electrical Code II	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ELE-149-H12	Wiring Methods in Industry	3/14-5/6	T	5:30-8:40pm
ELE-156-H12	Electrical Control Systems	3/14-5/6	M	5:30-8:40pm
ENF-3-V1	Preparing/College English III	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ENF-3-V2	Preparing/College English III	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
ENG-111-V1	College Composition I	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ENG-111-H1	College Composition I	1/10-3/4	M,W	10:30-11:45am
ENG-111-H2	College Composition I	3/14-5/6	M,W	1:00-2:15pm
ENG-111-Z11	College Composition I	1/10-3/4	M Online	5:30-6:45pm
ENG-112-V2	College Composition II	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
ENG-112-H1	College Composition II	1/10-3/4	M,W	9:00-10:15am
ENG-112-H2	College Composition II	3/14-5/6	M,W	10:30-11:45am
ENG-112-Z12	College Composition II	3/14-5/6	M Online	5:30-6:45pm
ENG-115-V1	Technical Writing	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ENG-211-H1	Creative Writing I	1/10-3/4	T,R	10:30-11:45am
ENG-212-H2	Creative Writing II	3/14-5/6	T,R	10:30-11:45am
ENG-242-H2	Survey of American Literature II	3/14-5/6	M,W	2:30-3:45pm
ENG-252-V2	Survey of World Literature II	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ETR-160-H2	Survey of Microprocessors	3/14-5/6	M,W	9:00-11:25am
ETR-167-H1	Logic Circuits and Systems	1/10-3/4	M,W	9:00-11:25am
ETR-214-Z2	Adv. Circuits & New Devices	3/14-5/6	T Online	1:00-2:40pm
ETR-241-H1	Electronic Communications I	1/10-3/4	M,W	1:00-2:40pm
ETR-242-H2	Electronic Communications II	3/14-5/6	M,W	1:00-2:40pm
ETR-278-H1	Comp. Interfacing & Circ.	1/10-3/4	T,R	4:30-7:15pm
FRE-101-TZ1	Beginning French I	1/10-4/11	T,R	1:30-3:40pm
HCT-101-11	Health Care Technician I	1/10-5/6	M,W	4:30-7:30pm
HCT-190-11	Coordinated Internship	1/10-5/6	T	9:00-10:00am
HIS-111-Z1	History/World Civilization I	1/10-3/4	M,W	2:30-3:45pm
HIS-112-V2	History/World Civilization II	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
HIS-121-H11	US History I	1/10-3/4	W	5:30-8:15pm
HIS-141-Z2	African American History I	3/14-5/6	M,W Online	2:30-3:45pm
HLT-105-01	Cardiopulmonary Resus. (CPR)	1/14-1/15	F,S	9:00am-5:00pm
HLT-105-02	Cardiopulmonary Resus. (CPR)	3/18-3/19	F,S	8:00am-5:00pm
HLT-106-11	First Aid and Safety	1/10-3/4	W	5:30-8:00pm
HLT-106-12	First Aid and Safety	3/14-5/6	W	5:30-8:00pm
HLT-130-V2	Nutrition & Diet Therapy	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
HLT-130-V1	Nutrition & Diet Therapy	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
HLT-145-V2	Ethics for Health Care	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
ITE-100-V1	Intro to Information Systems	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ITE-140-H12	Spreadsheet Software	3/14-5/6	T,R	5:30-6:45pm
ITE-152-V1	Intro to Digit Lit & Comp Apps	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ITE-152-V2	Intro to Digit Lit & Comp Apps	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
ITE-152-H2	Intro to Digit Lit & Comp Apps	1/10-3/4	M,W	9:00-10:15am
ITE-152-H12	Intro to Digit Lit & Comp Apps	3/14-5/6	M	5:30-8:00pm
ITE-170-V2	Multimedia Software	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
ITE-180-V2	ITE 180 - Help Desk Support	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
ITN-100-V1	Intro To Telecommunications	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ITN-102-V1	Intro to Networked COS (LAN)	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ITN-109-V1	Internet & Network Foundation	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
ITN-257-V2	ITN 257 - Cloud Computing	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime

# Classes Begin 1/10/22

## Registration Rally on 1/4/22 10am-6pm

MDA-101-V1	Medical Assistant Science I	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
MDA-102-V1	Medical Assistant Science II	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
MDA-104-H2	Medical Assistant Science IV	3/14-5/6	T	9:00-11:00am
MDA-190-IN01	Coordinated Internship	1/10-3/4	Varied	6:30am-4:30pm
MDA-207-Z12	Medical Law & Ethics	3/14-5/6	Online	5:00-6:00pm
MDA-290-IN02	Coordinated Internship II	3/14-5/6	Varied	9:00am-5:00pm
MEC-165-V2	App. Hydra/Pneum/Hydros	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
MEC-211-H1	Machine Design I	1/10-3/4	W	4:30-7:15pm
MKT-100-V2	Principles of Marketing	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
MCR-4-H12	Lrning Supp for Quant Reason	1/10-5/6	T,R	9:30-10:20am
MCR-4-H12	Lrning Supp for Quant Reason	3/14-5/6	T,R	6:50-7:50pm
MCR-5-H11	Lrning for Stat Reasoning	1/10-3/4	M,W	4:40-5:40pm
MCR-5-H2	Lrning for Stat Reasoning	3/14-5/6	M,W	9:30-10:20am
MTH-154-H1	Quantitative Reasoning	1/10-3/4	T,R	10:30-11:45am
MTH-154-H12	Quantitative Reasoning	3/14-5/6	T,R	5:30-6:45pm
MTH-155-H2	Statistical Reasoning	3/14-5/6	M,W	10:30-11:45am
MTH-155-H11	Statistical Reasoning	1/10-3/4	M,W	5:45-7:15pm
MTH-161-H1	PreCalculus I	1/10-3/4	M,W	1:00-2:15pm
MTH-162-V2	PreCalculus II	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
MTH-162-H2	PreCalculus II	3/14-5/6	M,W	1:00-2:15pm
MTH-263-H1	Calculus I	1/10-3/4	T,R	1:00-2:40pm
MTT-1-V1	Dev. Math (Tech based) 1	1/10-2/4	Online	Anytime
MTT-1-V2	Dev. Math (Tech based) 1	2/7-3/4	Online	Anytime
MTT-1-V3	Dev. Math (Tech based) 1	3/14-4/8	Online	Anytime
MTT-1-V4	Dev. Math (Tech based) 1	4/11-5/6	Online	Anytime
PHI-220-V1	Ethics	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
PHI-220-V2	Ethics	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
PLS-135-H12	U.S. Government & Politics	3/14-5/6	T	5:30-8:15pm
PNE-136-01	Maternal, Newborn Pediatric	1/10-5/6	M,R	1:00-3:00pm
PNE-155-01	Body Structure & Function	1/10-5/6	T,R	3:30-5:30pm
PNE-162-01L	Nursing in Health Changes II	1/10-5/6	W,F	6:30am-3:00pm
PNE-162-01	Nursing in Health Changes II	1/10-5/6	R	8:00-10:00am
PNE-162-01	Nursing in Health Changes II	1/10-5/6	M	9:00-11:30am
PNE-173-01	Pharmacology for PNE	1/10-5/6	R	10:30am-12:30pm
PSY-200-V1	Principles of Psychology	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
PSY-200-H2	Principles of Psychology	3/14-5/6	T,R	10:30-11:45am
PSY-200-Z12	Principles of Psychology	3/14-5/6	M,W Online	4:00-5:15pm
PSY-230-V1	Developmental Psychology	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
PSY-235-V2	Child Psychology	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
SDV-100-V1	College Success Skills	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
SDV-100-V2	College Success Skills	3/14-5/6	Online	Anytime
SDV-100-H1	College Success Skills	1/10-3/4	T	10:30-11:45am
SDV-100-H2	College Success Skills	3/14-5/6	M	1:00-2:15pm
SDV-101-V1	Orientation Topics	1/10-3/4	Online	Anytime
SDV-101-H1	Orientation Topics	1/10-3/4	T	6:00-7:00pm
SOC-200-TV2	Principles of Sociology	3/14-4/29	Online	Anytime
SPA-201-Z1	Intermediate Spanish	1/10-3/4	W Online	8:30-9:45am
SPA-202-Z2	Intermediate Spanish II	3/14-5/6	W Online	8:30-9:45am
WEL-130-11	Inert Gas Welding	1/10-3/4	M,T,W,R	4:30-6:30pm
WEL-141-12	Welder Qualification Tests I	3/14-5/6	M,T,W,R	5:30-8:50pm
WEL-160-11	Gas Metal Arc Welding	1/10-3/4	M,T,W,R	6:40-8:50pm

## PROGRAMS

### Adult Education

- \*Digital Literacy
- \*ESL
- \*GED

### Business

- \*Management
- \*Office Professional
- \*Small Business Management

### College Transfer

- \*Education
- \*General Studies
- \*Liberal Arts
- \*Science

### Education

- \*Education
- \*Early Childhood Education

### Healthcare

- \*Coding & Billing
- \*CPR & First Aid
- \*Dental Assisting
- \*Medical Assistant
- \*Nurse Aide
- \*Practical Nursing
- \*Nursing

### Information Technology

- \*CompTIA
- \*Computer Software
- \*Internet Tech Support
- \*Google IT Support
- \*Webpage Development

### Professional Services

- \*Food Safety
- \*Customer Service
- \*Hair Braiding & Weaving
- \*Law Enforcement
- \*Leadership
- \*Office Professional

### Skilled Trades

- \*CDL
- \*Construction
- \*Drone License
- \*Electricity
- \*Electronics Technology
- \*HVAC
- \*Industrial Technology
- \*OSHA
- \*Welding

YOUR Eastern Shore Community College can help! Contact us for assistance with spring registration. Campus reopens on Monday, January 3, at 8am. Call 757-789-1720 or visit campus at 29316 Lankford Highway, Melfa, VA 23410.



# The Osprey-Eyed Contest is Back!

## This Week's Osprey-Eyed Reader Wins a 12-piece Super Tailgate From Bojangles in Onley

includes three large sides, six biscuits, and a half gallon of tea - Value \$31

- 26206 Lankford Highway, Onley
- Manager: Deborah Heath
- Sunday through Saturday: 6 a.m. to 9 p.m.
- Lobby open for eat-in and drive-thru!



### And We're on a Mission:

Poor old Saint Nick — he was so busy on Christmas Eve that he lost his jolly red hat seven different times! Here's what his hat looks like: Your job is to find seven hats (this exact one even though size and orientation may differ) in the pages of this edition; you can include the one here as your first. Find six more. Among the readers who find all seven hats, one lucky osprey-eyed contestant will be chosen to



win the Super Tailgate dinner from Bojangles in Onley.

#### The Rules

1. Find seven Santa hats (the exact one we're showing here) and give the page number and location on the page for each hat you find.
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2. Send this information to david@easternshorepost.com.
3. Deadline is noon Monday, Jan. 3, 2022.
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# Random Facts About ... the Corduroy Wedding Dress, Part II

By David Martin

At the conclusion of last week's story, an outwardly unattractive but inwardly beautiful young seamstress from the early part of the 20th century had told her three seamstress colleagues — outwardly beautiful young women who harbored malicious hearts — that she was engaged to be married and would be making her own wedding dress.

The three shallow seamstresses discovered that the betrothed woman was planning to make her dress out of corduroy. A corduroy wedding dress! The least wicked of the three wanted to tell the young woman what a colossal mistake she was making. The dress, made of different colored scraps of corduroy, would be humiliating, would make the young woman a laughingstock. But the other two wicked seamstresses said, "She thinks she's so smart getting married before any of us have even had proposals, let her make a fool of herself."

The plain seamstress never asked the others for an opinion about the dress she worked on, but they came around, false of heart, to tell her how

beautiful it was.

On the wedding day, the three mean seamstresses made sure they got aisle seats, the better to witness their colleague's total humiliation. "Look at the groom," said the seamstress who had followed the plain woman when she had dinner with her fiance. "I told you he was handsome."

As indeed he was. Dressed in a fine, expensive suit. Accompanied by equally dashing groomsman. Why can't we have men like that, each of the three seamstresses wondered.

The wedding music started and the plain young woman entered the back of the church. The finished corduroy wedding dress was even more of a disaster than the three envious women could have imagined. There seemed to be no plot or plan to the dress. Just scraps of brown and red and white corduroy, layered over each other in a heaping, haphazard manner.

The three young women were beside themselves, seeing their workmate's total humiliation.

The bride took a few steps when the

priest at the front of the church held up his hand. "The music will stop now. The bride and the groom have asked that we have absolute silence in the church. Not a sound, please."

Everyone complied as the bride began marching down the aisle, swinging her arms. She looked ridiculous. But then...then you could hear the sound all that corduroy was making as it rubbed together. It sounded like ... if a beautiful wedding dress had been described to you but if you had never seen a wedding dress ... the sound this corduroy wedding dress made as the bride came down the aisle was exactly what a beautiful wedding dress would

SOUND like. It whispered, it rustled, it softly sang.

One of the three seamstresses tapped her friends on their shoulders and pointed to the groom. His head was up, he was looking into space, eyes closed, concentrating on the sound of the corduroy wedding dress.

"Blind," said one of the three.

When the bride reached her groom, he found her hand and drew her into his arms. "At this moment, you are the most beautiful woman on earth."

One of the three seamstress, the one whose heart was not so shriveled as the others, wept as she told her two friends, "He's right."



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	Folly Creek	H 6:18 a.m. L 12:37 p.m.	H 7:13 a.m. L 1:35 p.m.	H 8:07 a.m. L 2:29 p.m.	H 9:02 a.m. L 3:21 p.m.	H 9:55 a.m. L 4:12 p.m.	H 10:46 a.m. L 5:03 p.m.	H 11:36 a.m. L 5:54 p.m.
	Wachapreague	H 6:02 a.m. L 12:18 p.m.	H 6:59 a.m. L 1:16 p.m.	H 7:57 a.m. L 2:11 p.m.	H 8:52 a.m. L 3:02 p.m.	H 9:45 a.m. L 3:50 p.m.	H 10:33 a.m. L 4:38 p.m.	H 11:20 a.m. L 5:25 p.m.
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	Guard Shore	H 9:45 a.m. L 4:50 p.m.	H 10:42 a.m. L 5:48 p.m.	H 11:38 a.m. L 5:41 a.m.	H 12:32 p.m. L 6:37 a.m.	H 1:24 p.m. L 7:32 a.m.	H 2:16 p.m. L 8:27 a.m.	H 3:06 p.m. L 9:24 a.m.
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Super Crossword OFF DUTY

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| <b>ACROSS</b>                   | 54 Song of thanksgiving  | 95 Take hold                                   | <b>DOWN</b>                 | 36 Hail — (yell "Taxi!")                | 83 — -cone (frozen treat)    |
| 1 Pillager                      | 56 Drink sample  | 98 Flanders on "The Simpsons"                  | 1 Perjurer, e.g.            | 37 Western mil. alliance                | 85 Actor — Zimbalist Jr.     |
| 7 Branch of Buddhism            | 57 Tattoos and piercings   | 99 Bucolic byway                               | 2 Leer at                   | 42 Dancer Duncan                        | 86 Robbed                    |
| 10 Mosque minister              | 59 Journalistic profession   | 101 Here-there linkup                          | 3 Earned more points than   | 43 Roman despot                         | 87 Stitched line             |
| 14 Stallone role                | 63 Childbirth assistant  | 103 Madam's partner                            | 4 — Bo (fitness system)     | 44 Global financial gp.                 | 88 Counts up                 |
| 19 Large lizard                 | 66 Two-spinoff CBS series  | 105 Plains tribe                               | 5 Register, to a Brit       | 46 Reaches                              | 92 Wave-tossed bobber        |
| 20 Shirt-pocket audio player    | 67 Quit sleeping   | 106 Shady giants                               | 6 Rushed toward             | 47 Jacuzzi sigh                         | 93 Voting "no"               |
| 22 Wine coolers                 | 68 Very manly  | 107 Earnings not allocated for necessary items | 7 Pimple                    | 49 Honshu port                          | 96 Exclusive group of people |
| 23 Gasohol, e.g.                | 72 Like gross profits ... or how the ends of eight answers in this puzzle might appear | 115 Very brave                                 | 8 Start for dermis          | 50 Saltpeper                            | 97 Lack of a response        |
| 25 Italy's largest port         | 75 Digital greeting  | 116 Adam's partner                             | 9 Many a fiction book       | 51 Fork out                             | 99 Fancy tie                 |
| 26 Apartment, e.g.: Abbr.       | 76 Illicit love affairs  | 117 Suffix with northwest                      | 10 Newborn                  | 54 Purple-brown book                    | 100 Copier ink               |
| 27 Sculling need                | 78 Helen's city  | 118 Provided with a meal                       | 11 Egyptian — (certain cat) | 55 School lobby gp.                     | 102 Agent, for short         |
| 28 That, in Spanish             | 79 4-point Scabble piece   | 119 Razor-honing band                          | 12 In the blink of —        | 58 Soaking spot                         | 104 "The nerve!"             |
| 29 America's Cup sport          | 81 Events to move merchandise for charity  | 122 It may be trespassed on                    | 13 Grinding tooth           | 60 One way to serve ham or pastrami     | 107 Wafers, e.g.             |
| 31 Passed-on value system, say  | 84 Redgrave of film  | 127 Move around like a baby                    | 14 "You said it!"           | 61 "It's Pat" star Julia                | 108 Prelim                   |
| 36 Ever and —                   | 89 Ending for Canton   | 128 Bristlecone, for one                       | 15 Transparency film        | 62 Tic-toe linkup                       | 109 Fine fiddle              |
| 38 "The Fresh Prince of — -Air" | 90 Leg bone  | 129 "Tru" subject                              | 16 "MIB" part               | 64 Leaves alone                         | 110 Prone to tilt            |
| 39 Volkswagen hatchback         | 91 Pro hoops gp.   | 130 Made of turf                               | 17 Ride to bust             | 65 "Yes, sorry to say"                  | 111 "The Wire" actor Elba    |
| 40 Ellipsis bit                 | 94 Tested the weight of by lifting   | 131 River through Flanders                     | 18 Plains tribe             | 68 Former fillies                       | 112 Trendy again             |
| 41 Serious moral offense        |  | 132 37-Down part: Abbr.                        | 21 Fashion                  | 69 Entertain                            | 113 Earthen pot              |
| 45 Big Apple airport code       |  | 133 Neighbor on "Seinfeld"                     | 24 Caribbean isle           | 70 Tailed orbiter                       | 114 Comparable (with)        |
| 48 Superbright colors           |  |  | 30 "El —" (1961 epic film)  | 71 Engine noise                         | 119 Feminizing suffix        |
| 52 "Relax, Gil!"                |  |  | 32 Oct. 24 observance       | 73 Dancing girl in "Return of the Jedi" | 120 Batik artisan            |
| 53 — Kippur                     |  |  | 33 Count (on)               | 74 VII times II                         | 124 Ending for cannon        |
|                                 |  |  | 34 Besides that             | 77 Boss of a cpl.                       | 125 Cribbage pin             |
|                                 |  |  | 35 Boisterous merriment     | 80 Actor Bert of "The Wizard of Oz"     | 126 Green-minded gp.         |

Last Week's Answers

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by Linda Thistle

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# Church News

## Boston

A New Year's Eve worship service will be Friday, Dec. 31, at 10 p.m., at Shiloh Baptist Church, 31559 Boston Road, Pungoteague. The service will be both in-person and virtual. Guest comedian James Lawson and music guest R.E.I.G.N. will entertain participants. For more information, call 757-442-2739, or go to [www.shilohbaptistva.org](http://www.shilohbaptistva.org)

## Cape Charles

In January, Emmanuel Episcopal will continue discussing Presiding Bishop Curry's book, "Love Is The Way."

Bishop Susan will receive and confirm new members and celebrate the Holy Eucharist Sunday, Jan. 30, at 9 a.m.

## Cheriton

Holmes Presbyterian Church will host the Second Sunday after Christmas service (with communion) Sunday, Jan. 2, at 11 a.m., at the church.

## Onancock

There will be a New Year's service Sunday, Jan. 2, at 10 a.m., at Market Street UMC, 75 Market St. The service will feature a hymn sing. The service on Sunday, Jan. 9, will include Communion and a potluck lunch. Beginning Jan. 16, there will be 8:30 a.m. coffee and fellowship, 9 a.m. Sunday school, and 10 a.m. worship.

## Pungoteague

The annual business meeting will be Tuesday, Jan. 11, at 7 p.m., at Pungoteague Community Church community center.

The food pantry will be open Wednesday, Jan. 12, from 6 to 8 p.m., at the church community center.

Adult Bible study will begin Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 6 p.m., in the Huether home.

## Downey to Speak at Prayer Breakfast

By *Bill Sterling*

Bill Downey, chief executive officer for the Riverside Health System, will be the keynote speaker for the annual prayer breakfast sponsored by the Eastern Shore Christian Businessmen's Association. The breakfast, set for Wednesday, Jan. 12, at 8 a.m., at the Elks Lodge in Accomac, is held each year to promote unity among elected leaders.

The breakfast is free to local ministers and students. ESCBA members can attend at no charge. Nonmembers can attend for \$20 a person. Seating is limited; RSVP by



**Bill Downey**

texting or calling John Fiege at 757-710-2489 as soon as possible.

Downey graduated from James Madison University and originally joined the Riverside team in May 1981 as an administrative extern. After receiving his master's in health administration from the Medical College of Virginia, he rejoined the Riverside team in 1985 as an assistant administrator.

Downey left Riverside in 1995 to become president and CEO of Lewis-Gale Medical Center in Salem, Va., and then CEO of Regional Medical Center Bayonet Point, Hudson, Fla., before returning to becoming CEO of Riverside in 2012.

Downey has been involved in many community organizations, including being the past chair of An Achievable Dream, the Virginia Living Museum, the United Way of the Virginia Peninsula, and is a former board member of the Virginia Health Network.

In 2018, Downey was recognized at the 50th annual Peninsula Humanitarian Awards presented by the Peninsula Chapter of Virginia Center for Inclusive Communities. The awards honored individuals and organizations promoting respect and understanding among people of diverse racial, ethnic, and religious backgrounds in the Peninsula community. Just recently, Downey was recognized by Hampton Roads Community Action Program with its 2020 Community Builders award which highlights individuals who make a positive impact on the Hampton Roads Region.

Downey and his wife have three grown children and reside in Williamsburg, Va.

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## COVID-19 VACCINE AND BOOSTER CLINICS

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# Community Notes

## Polar Duck Dip

The 14th Annual Polar Duck Dip, "Freezing For a Reason," will be Saturday, Jan. 22, 2022, at noon, at Camp Occohannock On the Bay in Silver Beach. Doors open at 11 a.m. Costumes are welcome.

Registration is \$20 and may be completed at [www.ootbay.org/polar-duck-dip](http://www.ootbay.org/polar-duck-dip). Money raised will support the camp and ministry.

## Horseshoe Drop and Polar Plunge

Ring in the New Year Friday, Dec. 31, at midnight, with the Pony Island Horseshoe Drop and Costume Promenade in Robert Reed Downtown Waterfront Park on Chincoteague Island.

Welcome 2022 the Chincoteague way with a dip in the Atlantic Ocean Saturday, Jan. 1, at 1:22 p.m., at the Polar Pony Plunge on Assateague Island National Seashore.

## Accomack Democratic Meeting

The Accomack County Democratic Committee's monthly general membership meeting will be a virtual platform via Zoom Wednesday, Jan. 5, at 6 p.m.

In addition to electing new members and the executive committee, the committee will host Luisa Boyarski, leader of the Virginia Grassroots Coalition, and Katherine White, co-founder of Network NoVA and host of Friday Pow-

er Lunch. The committee will also share ways members can get more involved in ACDC. For more information, contact Joy Kellam Tyler, secretary, at 757-607-7736 or [joykellam8@gmail.com](mailto:joykellam8@gmail.com).

Join the Zoom meeting at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5685136379> (Meeting ID: 568 513 6379; One tap mobile +13126266799,,5685136379# US [Chicago], +16465588656,,5685136379# US [New York])

## Chess Club

School-age students interested in playing chess are welcome to attend meetings every Sunday, from 2 to 4 p.m., at Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague.

Membership is open to fourth through 12th grade students, beginners or experienced, whether private-, home-, parochial-, or public-schooled. For more information, call Faith at 757-336-1993, or email [execdir@easternshorechess.org](mailto:execdir@easternshorechess.org)

## Home-School Meeting

There will be a Classical Conversations home-school meeting Monday, Jan. 10, 2022, at 6:30 p.m., to learn more about this program. This program starts at 4 years old and continues through high school. The junior high program will be added in the fall of 2022. Register here to learn more: <https://members.classicalconversations.com/events/get-event/node/259801>

## COVID-19 Vaccine Event

A family vaccination clinic offering first, second, and booster shots of Moderna and Pfizer COVID-19 vaccines will be held Wednesday, Jan. 12, from 6 to 8:30 p.m., at Eastern Shore Rural Health's Onley Community Health Center, 20306

Badger Lane.

At the clinic, Pfizer first and second doses are available to those age 12 and up; Pfizer boosters are available to those age 16 and up; and Moderna first and second doses and boosters are available to those age 18 and up. Johnson & Johnson is NOT available at the clinic.

Shots are free with no out-of-pocket cost. Participants do not have to be a rural health patient to participate. If you received your first two shots somewhere else, you need to provide proof of vaccination.

Appointments are required for the vaccination clinic. Call 757-787-7374.

## Al-Anon Meeting

The Al-Anon meeting will take place every Wednesday, at 7 p.m., at Franktown United Methodist Church, 7551 Bayside Road.

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Peggy's Clam Chowder	
Cobb Island Burger w/FF	\$14.00
TUESDAY	
Taco Tuesday	\$13.00
Oyster, Shrimp or Fish	
WEDNESDAY	
Hog Wild BBQ Sandwich w/ FF	\$13.00
THURSDAY	
Oyster Basket	\$13.00
FRIDAY	
(3) Crab Stuffed Wild Shrimp w/ 2 Sides	\$14.00
Baked Alaskan Halibut w/ Snow Crab Cluster & 2 Sides	\$29.00
SATURDAY	
BBQ Ribs - 1/2 Rack w/ 2 Sides	\$19.00
Full Rack w/ 2 Sides	\$28.00
SUNDAY	
Broiled Stuffed Flounder	\$24.00



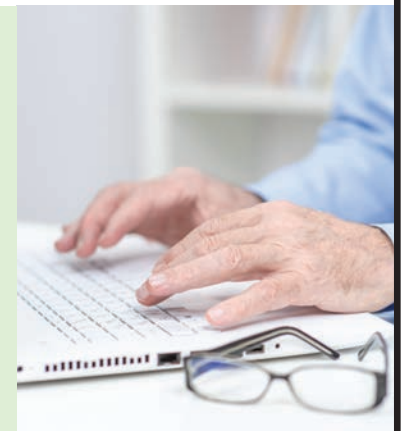
## EASTERN SHORE AREA AGENCY ON AGING/ COMMUNITY ACTION AGENCY

is launching a New Program

## Senior Tech Career Support (STCS)

### YOU MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- 55 and older
- Income Up to 200% Poverty Level
- Unemployed and would like to learn how to use a computer to gain employment
- Classes will begin in **JANUARY 2022 @ Eastern Shore Community College**
- Virtual and In-Person
- Laptop Computer is Provided
- Certification Upon Completion of Each Course



Telephone and Walk-In Intakes for the Program will begin now thru 12/31/21

For More Information please contact:

Linda Arvidson @ 757-442-9652 Ext.31 or email: [larvidson@esaacaa.org](mailto:larvidson@esaacaa.org)

The use of a computer in today's society offers seniors additional independence as well as entertainment, socialization and employment opportunities. ESAACAA is following COVID-19 Guidelines and is an Equal Opportunity Provider.

Happy New Year from  
all of us at the  
Eastern Shore Post





## Blue Water Donates \$75,000 to Northampton YMCA

Real estate developer and outdoors hospitality specialist Blue Water announced that it has donated \$75,000 to the Northampton County YMCA in Cape Charles as part of a new holiday season initiative to give back to the communities that play host to some of Blue Water's properties. The donation will specifically be going toward raising funds to cover the construction and expansion costs for the YMCA, which in turn will lead to the creation of youth programs, support for aging adults, swim safety, and healthy living access.



**Free COVID-19  
"first time"  
vaccinations for ages 5+  
and boosters for  
ALL individuals age 18+!**

**Vaccinations, including boosters, available with no out-of-pocket cost to you. You do not have to be our patient to receive a vaccination. You must have an appointment. Chincoteague patients age 5-11 vaccinated at Atlantic.**

**Free Community  
COVID-19 Testing @ Atlantic,  
Eastville & Onley Centers**

**See the COVID tab at [esrh.org](http://esrh.org) for details or call the center closest to you.**

**EASTERN SHORE  
Rural Health**

Atlantic	Eastville
757-824-5676	757-331-1086
Chincoteague Island	Onley
757-336-3682	757-787-7374

## Marriage Licenses Issued

- Kristin Amanda Callaway, 32, and Wilson Raymond Ballard, 29, both of Craddockville
- Rolaiza Damiano Garnica, 29, and Rusty Gene Stone, 51, both of Temperanceville
- Shelby Marie Smith, 21, and John Edward Mullans, 40, both of Hallwood
- Paula Danielle Turner, 44, of

- Salisbury, Md., and Jordan Nicholas Coleman, 38, of Berlin, Md.
- Shanna Leah Lilliston, 41, and Elias Gomez Morales, 39, both of Assawoman
- Stefani Lynn Kelly, 51, and David Olson Wright, 67, both of Melfa
- Ashley Jean Lang, 25, and Andrew James Landing, 28, both of Princess Anne, Md.



This is the age 9 to 13 gingerbread house first-place winner, submitted by Jakhandi Tull.



This is the age 14 to 18 gingerbread house first-place winner, submitted by Makayla Brown.



This is the age 9 to 13 gingerbread house second-place winner, submitted by Bradley Rogers.



This is the age 14 to 18 gingerbread house second-place winner, submitted by Mark Connon.

## 4-H Virtual Decorating Contest Results

Marcus Riley, 4-H youth development agent at the Virginia Cooperative Extension, announced the winners of last month's Virtual 4-H 2021 Gingerbread House/Cookie Decorating Contest. The winners include:

**Ages 9 to 13**  
first place – Jakhandi Tull  
second place – Bradley Rodgers  
**Ages 14 to 18**  
first place – Makayla Brown  
second place – Mark Connon

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## Announcements



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**Lark**

**Place your help wanted ad in the Eastern Shore Post and find help faster! Call Angie today for free pricing at 757.789.7678 — she'll help you out.**

*Happy 32nd Birthday, Terrez!*



We love and miss you so much! We hate that you had to leave us so soon but know that you are looking over us. We see signs and messages from you all of the time! Happy birthday and know that you are loved and missed dearly.  
I love and miss you so so much Dada.



Love,  
Hayven and family



**Billy Crutchley**

Dec. 30, 1953 - Oct. 3, 2021

This is the first birthday without you. We all miss you and struggle through the holidays. The only consolation is knowing you are no longer in pain.

In honor of Billy, do something nice for someone or adopt an animal that needs a family.

Love,  
The Family



Carol June Perry

*"Nanny Carol"*

January 1, 1954 -  
March 19, 2009

Happy Birthday to the sky! As the year ends and another one begins, we miss you more and more each day. Happy Birthday to the clouds on this very special New Year's day!

Happy Birthday in Heaven.  
With Love, Kimmy & Family

**Ivy's Very Merry Third Christmas!**  
**December 2021**



# Help Wanted

## NORTHAMPTON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

- Bus Drivers (paid CDL training will be provided)
- Family & Consumer Science Teacher
- Guidance Counselors
- Maintenance Worker – Safety/Water/Procurement Specialist
- Part-Time Custodian
- Substitutes-Teachers, Custodians, Cafeteria Workers, Nurses, etc.
- Special Education Teacher
- Tutor

For job descriptions, qualifications, salaries, and to apply go to [www.ncpsk12.com](http://www.ncpsk12.com)

Inquiries may be directed to:  
**Melinda Phillips - Director of Administrative Services**  
(757) 678-5151 ext. 2101 or [mphillips@ncpsk12.com](mailto:mphillips@ncpsk12.com)

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

## SEASONAL SHOREBIRD/WATERBIRD FIELD TECHNICIAN

The Nature Conservancy is soliciting applications for a short-term Shorebird/Waterbird Field Technician to assist with management activities for nesting birds on the islands of the Volgenau Virginia Coast Reserve. This position will last 18-20 weeks beginning in April 2022. Responsibilities include monitoring beach nesting birds, posting and patrolling bird colonies, and visitor education. Basic qualifications include coursework in wildlife biology or related field, bird monitoring experience, and boat operation/trailing experience. To see complete details for this position and to apply, go to [www.nature.org/careers](http://www.nature.org/careers), click *Current Job Opportunities*, search jobs by the position title and/or location, then click *Apply Now* to submit an online application by 11:59 p.m. on January 16, 2022. The Nature Conservancy is an Equal Opportunity Employer

The Eastern Shore Community Services Board is seeking candidates for the following positions:  
**Developmental Disabilities Aide (\$11.25/hour-\$2.50/hour-night & weekend differential)**  
**Part-Time Driver**  
**Part-time Health Information Technician**  
**Licensed Practical Nurse**  
**Peer Recovery Specialist**  
**Clinician**  
**Coordinator of Mental Health/Substance Abuse Outpatient Services**  
**Coordinator of Substance Abuse Outpatient Services**  
**Office Services Specialist**

For more information or to apply, please visit the ESCSB's website at [www.escsb.org](http://www.escsb.org)

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The Branch Community Group, LLC is seeking qualified EXPERIENCED direct support professionals to support developmentally disabled individuals with mental health challenges. TBCG shifts are weekdays 8 am - 8 pm / 8 pm - 8am and weekends 7 am - 7 pm / 7 pm - 7am. Salaries will be compensated based on education and experience. Contact Tameka Cummings at 387-0111 or Tammi Bagwell at 709-9001.

## Police Officer – Cape Charles, VA

We are currently accepting applications for a Police Officer. Duties consist of providing a full range of law enforcement services to the Town, working closely with the public, enforcing the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia and ordinance of the Town of Cape Charles. Applicants must have an unblemished record and character, possess a valid Virginia Driver's License, be committed to the highest level of professionalism and excellence, and successfully complete a background investigation. Minimum salary, \$41,000 DOQ. Full benefit package including the Virginia Retirement System. Submit resume and a Town Employment Application to the Human Resources, 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310 or by email to [humanresources@capecharles.org](mailto:humanresources@capecharles.org). An employment application is available for download at [www.capecharles.org](http://www.capecharles.org). **Submittals 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.*

## Accomack County Social Services- Local (765-01) Family Services Specialist I/II (Accomack) Child Protective Services

Position # L0010

Hiring Range - \$36,993 (May be higher depending on qualifications and budgetary considerations.)

For detailed job information and to apply, visit <http://www.dss.virginia.gov>. Accepts only online applications; open until filled.

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Come join our family friendly team! Now hiring PT CDL Bus Drivers for a local passenger service. \$16.00 / hr. Steady hours, PTO & paid holidays. CDL w/passenger endorsement required. Good DMV Record a must!  
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**Apply: Star Transit, 21250 Cooperative Way, Tasley, VA EOE M/F/D/V**

Accomack County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the following positions: **Full-Time Certified Law Enforcement Officer** and **Full-Time Correctional Officer**. Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at [www.accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org](http://www.accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org). Applications must be returned to this office by Wednesday, January 19, 2022, at 4:00 pm. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

## T'S CORNER – CORNER VIDEOS

Now Hiring: Part-Time and Full-Time Cashiers  
Weekends are required. Apply in person at  
6491 Lankford Highway, Oak Hall.

## Customer Service/Shipping Specialist

Wholesale nursery business in central Accomack Co. looking for individual to work in Customer Service, Logistics and Shipping. Must be able to multi-task and thrive in a busy seasonal office. Strong communications skills required working with customers and trucking companies. Must be competent with Microsoft Office. Plant knowledge a plus. Salary commensurate with experience. Benefits include Health Insurance, Life Insurance, paid holidays, and vacations and Profit Sharing Plan. Submit cover letter and resume to [rrinaca@esnursery.com](mailto:rrinaca@esnursery.com)

## Help Wanted

### OFFICE ASSISTANT

Peacewerks Center for Well-Being seeking experienced office assistant for immediate opening. Please send cover letter and resume to 3100 Main St., Exmore 23350 (or) [polly@peacewerkscenter.com](mailto:polly@peacewerkscenter.com). **NOC CUSTOMER SERVICE TECH** – The ESVA has a job opening. Apply through the website at [www.esvba.com](http://www.esvba.com)

**DRIVER NEEDED** Must have experience and a clean driving record. Must have a CDL license. Please contact us at (757) 824-3912.

### HVAC-R HELPER

**WANTED** – Must have mechanical abilities & dependable transportation. Call 757-442-4428.

### OFFICE ASSISTANT

Part-time (potential for full-time). Must have Quickbooks and Microsoft Office experience.

Daytime, Mon-Fri.  
**DOUGLAS REPAIRS, INC., SNOW HILL, MD.**  
Call 410-632-1346.

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Looking for full or part-time mechanic. Must have own tools & experience. Call 757-787-8630

### MILLWRIGHTS-

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vaccine mandatory.

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443-783-4125.

## TRACTOR TRAILER DRIVER

Experienced CDL Driver needed. Clean driving record. Local hauls. Home most nights. Contact Twin Cedar Farms at 757-630-7489

## CARPENTER RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION

L.J. Kellam Construction, L.L.C. is seeking framing and trim carpenters for high-end, custom residential projects on the Eastern Shore of Virginia. Experience and desire to maintain highest quality work a must. Excellent pay and benefits. Contact Luke at (757)710-2587.

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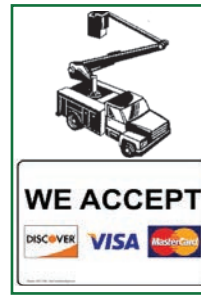
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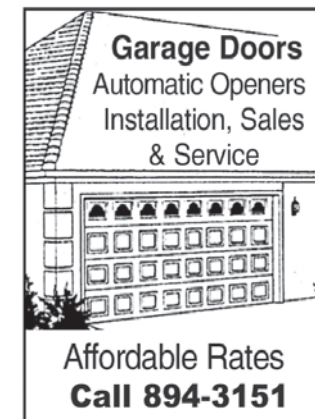
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# Legal Advertising and Auctions

## NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

THE ACCOMACK COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HOLD PUBLIC HEARINGS ON **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2022, AT 7:30 p.m. AT METOMPKIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETORIUM, 24501 PARKSLEY ROAD, PARKSLEY, VIRGINIA** TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:

### A. REZ-000218-2021: CCG Note LLC - Tax Map # 5-A-1

A public hearing on a request from CCG Note LLC to conditionally rezone 24.41 acres of land from Residential to Village Development. The property is located at 37332 State Line Road, Greenbackville, VA, and is currently zoned Residential. The conditional rezoning application is being sought to construct a 142 townhome and commercial mixed use development.

### B. CUSE-000219-2021: CCG Note LLC - Tax Map # 5-A-1

A public hearing on a request from CCG Note LLC for a Conditional Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-534(12) for construction of a 142 Townhome and Commercial Mixed Use Development on parcel number 5-A-1 located at 37332 State Line Road, Greenbackville, VA.

### C. REZ-000267-2021: Scout Energy/Jupiter Power - Tax Map # 27-A-103A

A public hearing request to rezone 11.6 acres of land from General Business and Agricultural to Industrial. The property is located at Tax Map # 27-A-103A located across from 32533 Chincoteague Road, Wattsville, VA. The application seeks rezoning to construct a utility scale battery storage facility.

### D. CUSE-000268-2021: Scout Energy/Jupiter Power - Tax Map # 27-A-103A

A public hearing request for a Conditional Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-128(1) for the construction and operation of a utility-scale battery storage facility utilizing a site of more than ten acres located at Tax Map # 27-A-103A located across from 32533 Chincoteague Road, Wattsville, VA.

Public hearing related materials are available for review at the Accomack County Planning Department, 23296 Courthouse Avenue - Room 105 - Accomack, Virginia and on the County's website at <http://www.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public> on the Friday prior to each meeting date.

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

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## VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

RE: ESTATE OF JOYCE BROWN MILLINER, deceased

Court File No. 202000087

### SHOW CAUSE ORDER AGAINST DISTRIBUTION

It is Ordered that the creditors of, and all other persons interested in, the above estate show cause, if any they can, on the 6th day of January, 2022, at 9:30 a.m., before this Court, at its Courthouse, Accomack County Circuit Court Building, 23312 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, Virginia 23301, against the payment and delivery of the estate to the distributees without requiring refunding bonds.

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

ENTER: December 15, 2021  
W. Revell Lewis III, Judge

I ask for this:  
HOWARD C. WESSELLS II  
Virginia State Bar No. 31171  
23318 Courthouse Ave., P.O. Box 30  
Accomack, VA 23301  
Telephone: (757)787-1077 Fax: (757)787-9294

## PUBLIC AUCTION NOTICE

This serves as a notice that on January 7, 2022, at 9:00 a.m., at the premises of KT Cars LLC, 15525 County Line Road, P.O. Box 292, Belle Haven, VA 23306, the undersigned will sell at a Public Auction for cash, reserving into itself the right to bid on following vehicles:

2014 Nissan Altima; 4D; Red; VIN: IN4AL3AP2EC421254

Vehicles must be paid for and moved from the premises by 4:00 p.m. on the day of the auction.

## PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to the Code of Virginia Section 15.2-2507, the Northampton County Board of Supervisors will hear public comments on the following proposed amendments to its Fiscal Year 2022 County Budget on Tuesday, January 11, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the County Administration Building, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia.

(1) A budget appropriation increase in the amount of \$7,243,330 representing adjustments to match the actual balances remaining in the 27-month grant cycle of the Federal Awards shown below which were originally appropriated in FY 21.

ESSER II	\$2,195,002
ESSER III (American Rescue Plan)	\$5,048,328
Total	\$7,243,330

Appropriation requested as follows:

Federal Grants Fund	
Instruction	\$2,360,138
Admin, Attendance & Health	\$90,651
Transportation	\$308,565
Operations	\$386,422
Facilities	\$4,000,000
Technology	\$5,000
<b>Federal Grants Fund Total</b>	<b>\$7,150,776</b>

School Food Service Fund	
Food Service	\$92,554
<b>Food Service Fund Total</b>	<b>\$92,554</b>

(2) A budget appropriation in the amount of \$7,356,539 to fund costs associated with the ABM Phase 2 Bundled Energy Solutions Project. These funds will be used to engage ABM to perform HVAC upgrades (installation of a geothermal system) at Occohannock Elementary School and LED lighting upgrades at the TECH Center, in addition to other project-related expenses, such as movers, boxes, etc. This amount is the project balance remaining after adjusting for the reclassification of \$53,180 that was appropriated on December 14, 2021 (using savings achieved on the KES ABM Project) as well as a \$4,000,000 contribution of Federal Grant Funding (ESSER II and ESSER III Awards) which was originally approved in FY 2021 with reconsideration occurring on January 11, 2022, following the required public hearing.

Persons interested in this matter should attend the public hearing in order to express their views. Handicapped assistance available: 757/678-0440.

*Charles Kolakowski, County Administrator*

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**ACCOMACK COUNTY  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
SPECIAL MEETING**  
Saturday, January 8, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.  
**Chincoteague Volunteer Fire House**  
5052 Deep Hole Road  
Chincoteague, VA 23336

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors hold a Special Meeting on Saturday, January 8, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. at the Chincoteague Volunteer Firehouse. This Special Meeting is being held for the Board to begin work on its Strategic Plan. There is no Public Comment during this meeting, but the meeting is open to the Public.

Any citizen having questions or needing special assistance for the disabled may contact the County Administrator's Office by contacting Jessica Hargis at 787-5700 / 824-5444 or by email: [administration@co.accomack.va.us](mailto:administration@co.accomack.va.us)

County's electronic Board Agenda at:  
<https://go.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public>

Meeting Audio will be posted no later than  
January 10, 2022:

<https://www.co.accomack.va.us/how-do-i/listen-to-meeting-audio>

**VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE  
CITY OF NORTHAMPTON**

**IN RE: Cooper Brookston Thomas-Outlaw**

**Civil No. CL 21-336-00**

**ORDER OF PUBLICATION**

The object of this notice is to obtain a name change for the minor child born of the parties.

It is ORDERED that **ERIC WAYNE OUTLAW** appear and protect his interest on or before Friday, February 18, 2022, which date is no sooner than fifty days after entry of this order of publication. And it is further;

ORDERED that this Order of Publication be published once a week for four (4) successive weeks in Eastern Shore Post, a newspaper having general circulation in this City.

ENTERED, this 16th day of December, 2021  
Traci L. Johnson, Clerk

**Legal Advertising  
(Cont'd)**

**VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE  
CITY OF NORTHAMPTON**

**IN RE: Jaxon Reed Thomas-Outlaw**

**Civil No. CL 21-334-00**

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**NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND  
APPLICATION**

William C. Parr, (2021071) has applied for approximately 24 acres of oyster planting ground in Mockhorn Bay situated in Northampton City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-14.6803 / W75-55.7080

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2021071):

[https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search\\_applications.php](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**

James M. West, (2021072) has applied for approximately 11 acres of oyster planting ground in Chincoteague Bay situated in Accomack City/County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-57.7290 / W75-20.4956

To view a map of the application, use this web link to search the application by number (2021072):

[https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search\\_applications.php](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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**A. Agricultural & Residential Ordinance Amendments in regards to the use of Recreational Vehicles (RV's) for human habitation.**

The Accomack County Planning Commission proposes to amend the Accomack County Zoning Ordinance to amend the Agricultural District Section 106-53(14) and the Residential District Section 106-78(11) to tie the use of travel trailers (RV's) for habitation to the construction of a dwelling on a property; as well as to amend Section 106-1 (Definitions) to broaden the definition of a travel trailer to include (but not limited to) Recreational Vehicles (RV's) and Motor Homes.

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# Post Office Mail

## Get Rid of 2.5% Grocery Tax

Dear Editor:

In "Eggs and Issues Takes Political Pulse" (Dec. 10 issue), Del. Robert Bloxom explained, inadvertently, what is wrong with government at all levels.

He explained about half of the grocery tax, currently 2.5%, benefits localities. No doubt these political deals are done to get support, but each government should tax only for its own area.

As an example, county and town roads would be taken care of by their taxes only, Virginia state roads would be taken care of by state taxes only, and interstate highways would be taken care of by federal taxes only.

Moving funds between governments, as is currently done, just creates more waste in the process and makes it difficult for the public to know the twists and turns of the process. That last part, no doubt, is by design.

It is time to kill the 2.5% food tax, which hurts the poor the most, as everyone has to buy food.

No more excuses.

**J. Trent Corbett, Chester, Va.  
formerly of Onancock**

## Northampton Salvation Army Thanks Community for Support

Dear Editor:

The Northampton County Salvation Army and the Department of Social Services greatly appreciates the many, many gifts that our community provided to families in Northampton County.

This year Salvation Army volunteers rang bells at the Food Lions in Exmore and Cape Charles, and the CBBT Welcome Center. We thank the many volunteers who donated two hours or more to stand by one of our red kettles. Kettle donations and donations sent to our address (P.O. Box 1274, Exmore, VA 23350) remain with the chapter and are important in providing needed assistance to our community. We

have also established a website to accept donations <https://www.salvationarmyeasternshoreva.org/>

The money raised during the holiday season enables us to provide joy not only at Christmas but 365 days a year. Because of your support, we will continue to provide services and funds to individuals who have experienced an emergency. We receive referrals from community organizations including social services and Northampton Social Ministries to support individuals and families recovering from fires, illness, homelessness, disasters, and other issues.

We just completed the annual Angel Tree and toy closet program. Done in cooperation with the Northampton County Department of Social Services, the program provided gifts to children from birth to 12 years of age. This year, more than 274 children received Angel Tree gifts and toys. The angels were adopted by churches, including Johnson's United Methodist Church, Saint Charles Catholic Church, and Franktown UMC. Also, many banks, the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel, and Edward Jones participated. Residents purchased clothing or provided funds to purchase a \$50 gift card from Walmart that could only be used for children's clothing.

Shannon DeCarlo, an employee of the Northamp-



**Shannon DeCarlo, of the Northampton County Department of Social Services, coordinated the Angel Tree program.**

ton County Department of Social Services, coordinated the Angel Tree program. In addition to Angel Tree gifts, each child received a stocking filled with age-appropriate items. The Democratic Committee of Northampton County organized a community effort to fill stockings for the 274 children. Located behind the stockings are bags of age-appropriate toys selected by the local Salvation Army volunteers and by the Tidewater Salvation Army and Marines in Tidewater. We especially thank the following for their support: Northampton County Social Services and Sheriff's Department, local media, CBBT staff, Walmart, Bless our Children, Edward Jones, community churches and the Virginia Housing Development Authority.

These programs are made possible by the generosity of our community and the volunteers who help make this happen. Thank you.

If you would like to participate in the Northampton County Salvation Army Chapter contact Richard Sterrett at P.O. Box 85 Craddockville, VA 23341, or by calling 757-442-4606.

On behalf of our families, THANK YOU, Eastern Shore, and may God bless you in this new year!

**Richard Sterrett  
Chair, Northampton Salvation Army Unit**



**Democratic Committee of Northampton County with stockings and toys selected by Salvation Army. Joanne Fitchett (left) coordinated the stocking project.**

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