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An aerial view shows construction at the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel's southernmost island. A parallel tunnel project scheduled to be completed last month now will be completed in 2027. Photo courtesy of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel.

## New tunnel will be five years late

**By Stefanie Jackson**

It will take almost five more years to complete the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel's new parallel tunnel, which was supposed to be completed last month.

Bridge-tunnel officials said a new substantial completion date of January 2027 has been set for the

parallel tunnel at Thimble Shoals.

Work on the project began in 2017 with an original July 2022 deadline.

Challenges with construction and the expiration of a federal marine-life impact permit, among other issues, postponed the original deadline, said Tom

Anderson, the bridge's deputy director of finance and operations.

Anderson said the COVID-19 pandemic played only a "minor part" in the delays.

Negotiations continue on whether the extra time will drive up the

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## Bloxom faces GOP challenger

**By Carol Vaughn**

Del. Rob Bloxom faces a challenge for the Republican nomination in the next election, after redistricting resulted in a second incumbent in the newly redrawn 100th district.



**Rob Bloxom**



**Tim Anderson**

Bloxom, 59, has represented the district in the House of Delegates since 2014, when he won a special election.

Del. Tim Anderson, a freshman Republican from Virginia Beach, who currently represents the 83rd district, is seeking the nomination.

"We've had a discussion between the two of us and his intentions are to run," Bloxom said.

The two will face off, likely in a primary next summer, to determine who will receive the GOP nomination.

Anderson said Bloxom "has a very left-leaning voting history" in recent years and that his own views will "resonate more" with Eastern Shore voters.

**'Vote heavier'**

Bloxom, who lives near Parkersley, owns Shore Tire & Auto in Onley, two NAPA Auto Parts stores, and Egret Pointe Seafood Company.

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## ~ Bloxom ~

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Anderson is an attorney and small-business owner.

With the redrawn lines, around 52% of the district's population is on the Eastern Shore and 48% in Virginia Beach, Bloxom said.

"We tend to vote heavier than they do," Bloxom said, noting the military presence in Hampton Roads means some residents there are not registered to vote in Virginia.

Bloxom said, typically, when redistricting results in two incumbents having potential to compete for the same seat, "you defer to the senior member and/or you go with the ... majority of the district — and I have both."

Still, Bloxom said Anderson "has every right to run and he has every intention to run, so we're just going to go, I guess, head-to-head."

Bloxom noted Anderson's record for getting legislation passed "is 0 for 25."

Bloxom spoke about the Shore's history of representation in Richmond.

"We've had representation from the Eastern Shore in the seat of government since the House of Burgesses. I don't think the Eastern Shore people are going to want to give that up. It's not about Republican; it's not about Democrat — I think it's more about us."

Bloxom noted Virginia Beach has additional representatives in the General Assembly.

"Virginia Beach has four delegates and one senator ... so they have representation. We would have nothing," he said, adding, "If it's me or someone else from the Eastern Shore — I want somebody from the Shore to be in Richmond."

Bloxom said after redistricting "there's a possibility, albeit slight — because some people are moving — but if no one moved, we could have 50% new senators and new delegates. That is chaos; that is awful for government."

### 'True conservative'

Anderson's campaign website, [www.timforva.com](http://www.timforva.com), includes on its homepage the statement, "The 100th District Needs a 100% True Conservative!"

"I am the delegate for Virginia Beach and the district is, population-wise, about 45% Virginia Beach and 55% Eastern Shore, so the district that I'm competing in is my current district in Virginia Beach," Anderson said in a telephone interview.

Anderson said he and Bloxom "have substantially different views on a variety of issues and I think that my views eventually will resonate more with the Eastern Shore population, specifically on menhaden fishing."

Bloxom said Anderson "is trying to score political points and trying to stir up controversy" with a call to ban menhaden fishing in the Bay.

The General Assembly in 2020, in legislation sponsored by Sen. Lynwood Lewis, handed oversight of the fishery to the Virginia Marine Resources Commission. Bloxom voted against the legislation and said this week he thought the General Assembly should have kept oversight of the fishery.

Still, he praised the VMRC's decision to limit discussion of the menhaden fishery to two meetings per year.

After a commercial fish spill off Northampton in July, Anderson wrote in a Facebook post, "There is a right side and wrong side of reduction fish[ing] in the Chesapeake Bay. Current Eastern Shore elected officials who are not trying to stop reduction fishing in the Chesapeake Bay are on the wrong side."

Bloxom said he called Omega Protein more than once about the cleanup of its July 5 spill, including with concern about a dumpster full of dead fish left at Morley's Wharf for several days.

Still, Bloxom said, according to the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission, menhaden are not currently being overfished.

Anderson also spoke about differences between the candidates on the topic of education, saying Bloxom voted against legislation that would allow homeschooled children to participate in public school athletics, something Anderson supports.

"Delegate Bloxom has a lot of bad votes," Anderson said, describing Bloxom as having a "very left-leaning voting history in the General Assembly over the past seven years. In a primary, a Republican primary, we're going to talk about that at length."

Anderson noted he won the June 2021 primary against incumbent Chris Stolle.

Anderson won that race with 1,479 votes to Stolle's 1,455.

"The people that voted for me last year I think will still vote for me next year, so I will hold Virginia Beach and I think we'll pick up a significant amount of people on the Eastern Shore," Anderson said.



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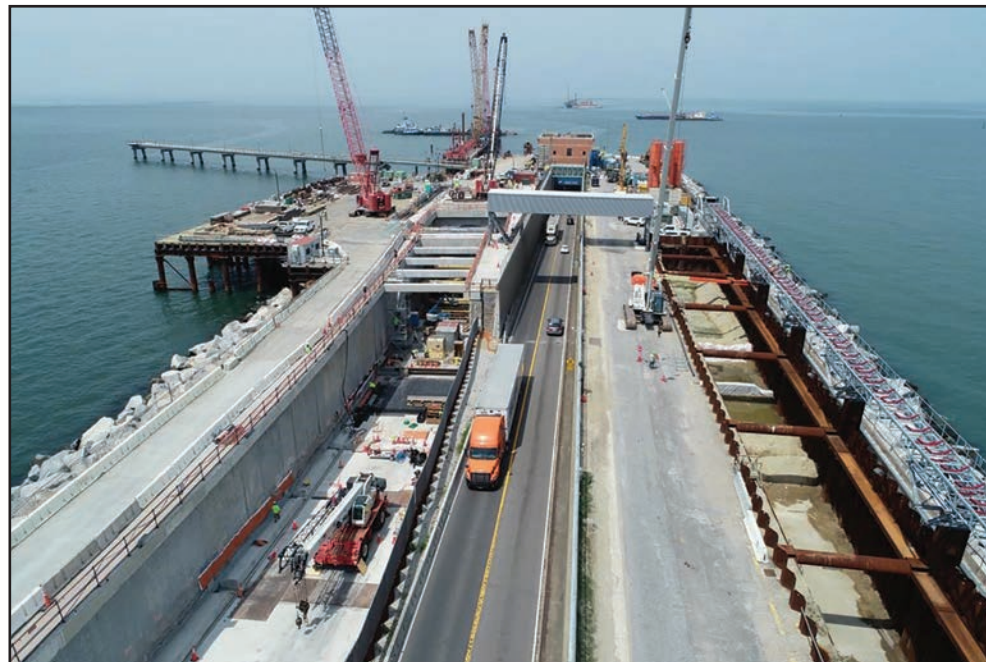
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The launch pit for the tunnel boring machine is shown from the inside. The launch pit is approximately 60 feet deep and 50 feet wide. The circle that will align with the cylindrical shape of the tunnel boring machine is 42 feet wide. Photo courtesy of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel.



An aerial view of One Island shows the east side of the island, left, where the tunnel boring will take its path, and the west side, where the road will be. Photo courtesy of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel.

## ~ Bridge-Tunnel ~ (Continued From Front Page)

project's cost. The total project cost of \$756 million remains unchanged, but toll increases will continue as scheduled.

The bridge's governing commission voted in 2013 to increase tolls 10% every five years until at least 2054, when the debt on the Thimble Shoals parallel tunnel project will be repaid.

Anderson and Michael Crist, the bridge's deputy executive director of infrastructure, said the contractor had to reapply for the federal marine life permit, which prompted a year-long delay.

Another year-long delay dealt with a contractor's inability to complete concrete walls for the receiving and launching pit

for the tunnel boring machine, they said.

The "armourstone" — the huge stone masses that gird the bridge's man-made islands — also have proven difficult to penetrate with steel pipes, resulting in delays.

Only one or two pipe-piles can be driven through the granite each day, they said.

The tunnel boring machine arrived this summer in pieces from the manufacturer in Germany, which had assembled the machine and tested it before dismantling it for shipping.

Some pieces are on the bridge's southernmost island, but most of them are still

in the area known as Little Creek, the location of the U.S. Navy base in Norfolk.

It will take approximately six months to assemble the machine, and boring is expected to begin next spring.

Crist said the bulk of construction currently is on the southernmost island. On the east side of the island is a muck bin, and on the west side the concrete slab road base is being prepared for the new southbound traffic lanes.

Work has started in the tunnel boring machine's launch pit to build a concrete cradle that will hold the cylindrical machine. That part of the project will take about one month.

The current price of a round trip across the CBBT, if the return trip is made within 24 hours, is \$20 for a ve-

hicle with an E-Z Pass transponder.

Without E-Z Pass, the toll is \$14 each way on off-peak days and \$18 each way on peak travel days, which are Friday through Sunday from May 15 to Sept. 15.

Toll prices are higher for buses, heavy trucks, and large RVs.

Tolls also will fund future construction projects, including building another parallel tunnel, this time at the northern end of the bridge-tunnel, at Chesapeake Channel.

Plans for the new northern tunnel are finalized, but work on that project will not begin until funding is more secured, likely in the mid-2030s.

The original bridge-tunnel was completed in 42 months at a cost of \$200 million.

# Northampton County shooting probed, two injured

## Staff Report

The Northampton County Sheriff's Office is investigating an Aug. 11 incident in which two people were shot and received injuries that were not life-threatening.

At 10:44 p.m., the sheriff's office received a report of shots fired on Bayside Road in Hare Valley.

When law enforcement units arrived on the scene, police discovered that, following a dispute, several shots

had been fired by an individual who was driving what was reported as a light-colored Ford Crown Victoria.

The vehicle and occupants left the scene prior to the arrival of law enforcement units. It was also discovered that another individual not connected to the vehicle had also discharged a firearm.

Following a search of the area, deputies located and recovered the subject vehicle approximately three miles from where the incident occurred. It was

also discovered that two individuals who were occupants of the vehicle received injuries that were not life-threatening, according to the sheriff.

The sheriff's office is investigating the incident and the Exmore Police Department provided assistance with the incident.

The sheriff's office is asking that anyone with information call 757-678-0458 or use the Tip411 Application.

# Accomack OKs pay hike for public safety

## The votes were met with applause from first responders in the audience

By Carol Vaughn

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors voted Wednesday to increase pay for Department of Public Safety first responders, following recommendations made last month by Director of Public Safety Charles R. Pruitt.

Supervisor Donald L. Hart Jr. made two motions related to first responder compensation, both of which the board approved unanimously.

The first vote was to use part of \$5 million in the county EMS fund to immediately increase pay by \$5,000 for advanced life support providers and by \$10,000 for paramedics, which will cost an estimated \$156,000, according to Pruitt.

In a second vote, the board approved

having DPS first responders' pay follow the same matrix as the sheriff's office, which will cost around \$256,000, according to Pruitt.

The votes were met with applause from first responders in the audience.

In a related vote, on a motion made by Supervisor Ron Wolff, the board instructed staff to investigate a salary study for all county positions.

The votes came after Accomack County Administrator had begun a presentation about compensation challenges for the county workforce, but before he got to finish the presentation.

Mason had noted the DPS was the focus of a targeted pay raise split over two years, fiscal years 2022 and 2023,

but said more was needed.

"We know we have a problem with retaining folks," Mason said.

Still, he said compensation challenges are "countywide; it is organizationwide."

He said the position with the highest turnover in the county is convenience center attendant.

In the past two years, the two positions that have been open the longest and the most difficult to fill are planner and network administrator.

He also noted 12 employees will require pay increases before Jan. 1 to meet the new required minimum wage of \$12 per hour.

Additionally, Mason said 41 county employees are paid hourly rates that do not meet the living wage for one adult with no children. That rate for Accomack is \$14.95, he said.

Before Mason and Human Resour-

ces Director Kathy Carmody could finish the presentation, Hart said it did not "have to do with" the agenda item, "Follow up on Board's Request to Discuss DPS compensation."

"I made a motion (last month) to focus on DPS," he said.

Supervisor Robert Crockett noted the funds that pay for DPS first responders come from a separate EMS tax, which goes into a separate fund from that used to pay for other county employees.

After additional discussion, Hart made the two motions that were approved.

In related action, the board voted, on a motion made by Crockett, to request staff to prepare an ordinance, to be considered at the September meeting, which would allow for reduction of personal property tax on one vehicle per volunteer first responder. The reduction hopefully will be an incentive to volunteers.

		
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# Local Man Keeps Boatbuilding Afloat

By Carol Vaughn

Walt Chandler is building a boat in the well-equipped workshop behind his house outside Onancock. The boat is so large, he will have to remove part of a wall to bring it outside when the hull is complete.

It's not the first boat Chandler has built. The 30-foot wooden Chesapeake deadrise will be his fifth, not counting canoes.

Chandler's family has lived on the Eastern Shore since the 1630s and has a rich maritime history.

His great-grandfather, John Asbury Chandler, born in 1865 in Cashville, was among the last schooner captains on the Chesapeake Bay.

Chandler has been a carpenter and woodworker 43 years, but, he said, "boats are my love."

His son, Seth, 33, is following in his footsteps as a carpenter.

Seth Chandler helps his father with the boat project whenever he can, Walt Chandler said.

"He's got a young family, and he makes a point to come by every day and help me just a little bit," he said.

Chandler, 65, describes the boat as his retirement project. He has been working on it 16 months so far.

"I just thoroughly enjoy it. I just enjoy the process," he said.

His plan is to use the boat to travel around the Chesapeake Bay.

The vessel Chandler is building is a pleasure boat, but the deadrise workboat, traditionally used on the Chesapeake Bay, is the official boat of the commonwealth of Virginia.

According to the Mariners' Museum: "Deadrise" refers to the V-shaped bottom at the bow and the angle formed from the keel as it levels off to a horizontal line with the rise from the keel upward to the chine (or sideboards)."



A screenshot of an artist's rendering of the 30-foot wooden boat Walt Chandler is building in his workshop near Onancock. Submitted photo.

The design was developed around the 1880s, according to the Mariners' Museum website.

The shallow draft the V-shape bottom draws makes it ideal for the shallows of the bay, according to the museum.

Chandler said he wouldn't really call the design of his boat a deadrise, but the architect did.

"I call it a 'Bay boat,'" he said.

People often stop by to see the progress Chandler is making — almost invariably they want to know when the boat will be finished.

There's no completion date targeted, but Chandler said, based on his experience with such things, it's about a 6,000-hour project.

As a point of comparison, it would take less than that to build a house.

Chandler works on the boat virtually every day.

A pleasant fragrance greets visitors to his workshop. That's from the Atlantic white cedar Chandler is using for the planking. The framing is Douglas fir.

The cedar has been hard to get — the ever-present supply chain issue since the pandemic also affects boatbuilding, apparently.

His supplier recently told Chandler only two sawmills, one in Georgia and one in North Carolina, mill the cedar he's using.

The construction method is called strip

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## ~ Boat ~

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planking, which entails attaching hundreds of thin strips of cedar, each .75 inches thick by 1.2 inches wide, to the frame.

The hull ultimately will be covered with fiberglass.

It's still a tossup whether the finished vessel will be painted white or flag blue.

Something that's different about this boat from the others Chandler has built is that he hired a naval architect to design it and draw up plans.

"It has been a really good experience and I've learned," Chandler said.

Despite having been around boats his whole life and having built boats in the past, "I've still learned the most in the last two years that I've learned the whole time," he said.

Chandler decided to hire an architect this time "because I wanted a certain look — and it's going to be a fairly expensive boat."

Deadrise builders in the bay region often use the "rack of eye" method, referring to building a boat without using drawn plans. The traditional

method has been passed down through hands-on training.

Chandler learned, in part, from his father, a hobbyist boat builder.

"My father built a couple of boats and that certainly instilled it in me. I love it. I've loved boatbuilding since I was 10 years old," Chandler said, recalling, "There was nothing but wooden boats when I was a teenager. All the workboats were wood. ... All the boats around here were wood — and I loved them, and I still do."

To hone his skills, Chandler since he was young has read everything he can about boatbuilding, visited boatyards, taken a class in lofting (the transfer of a lines plan to a full-sized plan), and tried to surround himself with people who work on boats.

In addition to using an architect, Chandler is doing something else new with this boat — he's documenting the construction on YouTube, under the name WaltWood. He's created three videos so far, which can be viewed at <https://www.youtube.com/user/waltwood24>



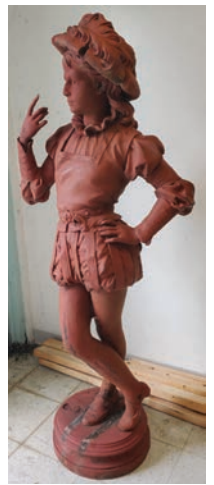
Walt Chandler stands beside the 30-foot boat he is building in his workshop near Onancock on Wednesday, Aug. 10. Photo by Carol Vaughn.

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# Townhouse developers respond to Captains Cove lawsuit

By Carol Vaughn

Captain's Cove Golf & Yacht Club Inc. (CCGYC) and CCG Note LLC have responded to a lawsuit filed against them in Accomack County Circuit Court by seven Captains Cove residents.

The residents filed the civil lawsuit in June against the company proposing to build a 140-unit townhouse development adjacent to the Captains Cove subdivision near Greenbackville.

The residents established a fund to pay their legal expenses.

The lawsuit alleges past and proposed actions by the development company, CCG Note LLC, by virtue of having a controlling majority of its own representatives on Captains Cove's property owners association board of directors (CCGYC), "represent self-dealing in breach of its fiduciary duty owed" to Captains Cove property owners.

The plaintiffs asked the court to declare their property rights, as established

in documents related to the subdivision, called a declaration; to find that CCG Note controls the property owners association; to award damages against CCG Note, in an unspecified amount; and to enjoin the developer and the property owners association "from taking any actions that interfere with or damage" residents' established property rights.

CCGYC in a court document responding to the lawsuit says the residents "have failed to allege a justiciable controversy" and ask the court to dismiss the lawsuit.

CCG Note LLC filed a similar document.

"We are not at all surprised by the CCG Note LLC's responses to the lawsuit. We definitely plan to move forward. The residents and lot owners of Captain's Cove are adamant about protecting their property rights and ownership of their great community," said Teresa Birkhead, chairperson of Concerned Citizens of Captain's Cove,

in an email to the Post Monday.

Birkhead is among the plaintiffs in the lawsuit.

CCGYC in the document says claims about "self-dealing in breach of (CCG Note's) fiduciary duty," which the residents made about actions between 2014 to 2016, are barred by Virginia's five-year statute of limitations for written contracts.

A document filed by CCG Note LLC includes a similar claim.

The actions are related to CCGYC's sale of property to the utility company that served the development at the time and CCG Note's sale of lots to the current utility company, along with CCGYC's granting of a perpetual easement to the utility company.

Additionally, the defendants say the residents' complaint "fails to raise any allegation of breach or prospective breach" of CCGYC's declaration (the basic governing document for the property owners association) and that

the residents' allegations the declaration was violated also are barred by the statute of limitation.

They also say the lawsuit improperly "seeks declaratory judgment on future or speculative acts."

Among the residents' allegations is that the developer proposes to supply water to the new townhouse development in violation of Captains Cove's current groundwater withdrawal permit and proposes to convey lots to the Greenbackville Volunteer Fire Department for nonresidential use, in violation of the CCGYC declaration.

The defendants say the residents' lawsuit "fails to establish ... that the plaintiffs will somehow suffer an irreparable harm" if they are not granted the relief they request.

CCG Note in a document filed July 29 says the company does not owe the plaintiffs a fiduciary duty and that the judgment the plaintiffs are seeking is based on "future and speculative facts."

In another document, CCG Note claims the residents who filed the lawsuit failed to attach any documents by which the residents establish ownership of Captains Corridor, which the residents say is a private street in Captains Cove subject to the declaration's restrictions.

The developer proposes to use the street to access the townhouse development.

CCG Note also asks for documents to be attached to the lawsuit that are related to the sale of land in the development for future sewer system use.



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56317: Beautiful 3BR/2BA rancher on well-manicured corner lot. Features include hardwood floors, fireplace, jetted tub and more! Access to community amenities included.  
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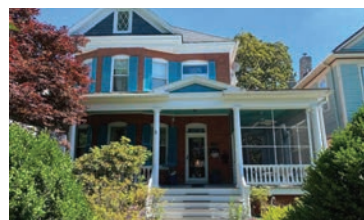
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# EDITORIAL

Eastern Shore Post

## Eastern Shore Post

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### THE PAPER'S POSITION

## Summer events are what we needed

It was a phrase overheard at the Chincoteague Pony Penning. And the Wachapreague Fireman's Carnival. And probably everywhere on the Eastern Shore where we have gathered this summer for a good time.

"We needed this," folks said.

And we did.

The coronavirus pandemic has caused pain and continues to. In recent months the Eastern Shore has had well more than 1,000 reported cases of COVID-19. We have lost family members, friends, and neighbors to this dreaded illness.

But vaccinations, distancing, immunities, and good common sense have lessened the threat. And that has enabled local social events to begin anew or continue at an increased capacity.

That's good, because life on the Eastern Shore is a social experience. On the roads, we wave at strangers. In the checkout lines, we renew old acquaintances. We are a friendly and caring lot.

Our events — carnivals and concerts, fundraisers and fishing tournaments, parades and potluck suppers, church events and craft-beer tastings — build our social capital. They all deepen our connections and create new ones.

These big and small events get us out among people. Studies show being social benefits mental and physical health and cognitive skills.

The pandemic isolated many people. As its impact slowly wanes, it is wonderful to see everyone at the Eastern Shore's wonderful events.

We needed them.

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### LETTERS

#### Lack of prayer isn't surprising

To the editor:

Jim and Donna Belote should not be surprised by the lack of prayer in Congress ("Senators should pray before they vote," letters, Aug. 12).

On June 28, 1787, at the Philadelphia Constitutional Convention, after almost five weeks of disagreement and little progress, Benjamin Franklin took the floor and gave a lengthy speech in which he chastised the Convention for not asking for divine assistance in framing the new constitution. At the end of the speech, he made this formal motion:

"I therefore beg leave to move — that henceforth prayers imploring the assistance of Heaven, and its blessings on our deliberation, be held in this Assembly every morning before we proceed to business, and that one or more of the Clergy of this City be requested to officiate in that Service."

Roger Sherman of Connecticut properly seconded the motion. You would think that this simple and obvious motion would pass

#### Guest columns and letters

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with overwhelming — if not unanimous — approval, but you would be wrong.

As Franklin recorded in his personal notes, only three or four spoke in favor of it. The opposition was so intense that the pres-

ident of the convention, George Washington, simply ended the day's business without taking a vote.

Indeed, the official Journal made no mention of the matter, and the subjects of God and prayer never came up again during the rest of the convention.

It should come as no surprise that our present day Senators are just as disdainful of prayer as the framers of our Constitution.

Brian Bloedel  
Accomac

#### Maybe they did pray

To the editor:

I write in response to the letter that questioned whether a certain legislative outcome would have differed, had senators prayed on the matter before voting. I wonder, did the authors consider the possibility that exactly such is what happened?

Tom Nicholson  
Troy, Va.

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# For a first-time Hayman grower, suspense — and varmints

Things were going just fine until the deer and bunny rabbits decided to dine in my patch of Hayman potatoes.

I looked in the garden one day and I was missing a swath of Hayman leaves. Some of the stems and vines were bare.



Ted Shockley

I found deer tracks nearby, which was proof enough. I didn't see any bunny rabbit tracks, but I know they live in the yard, so I decided to accuse them, too.

I stood there in the humid morning air and looked at our kitty cat, whom I had instructed to ward off varmints.

I fussed at the cat and reminded her that

someone once had thrown her in the trash, and we are providing for her now, and the least she could do was patrol my Hayman potato patch.

She turned around and walked away.

It was a low point in my fraught journey as a hobby gardener.

I know people who are such natural gardeners they could grow butter beans on a doorknob. I admire them.

Like everyone else, I've planted and harvested plenty of tomatoes, peppers, and squash.

But I wanted to grow Haymans, the white-

skinned sweet potatoes, to burnish my Eastern Shore credibility and earn some bragging rights.

Haymans, as many know, are mostly grown on the Eastern Shore and in northeastern North Carolina, and practically nowhere else.

As legend has it, a captain with the surname Hayman sailed some of the tubers up the Atlantic coast 175 years ago or so. A Methodist minister passed them around.

Haymans are knobby and ridged and unpredictable, but on the Eastern Shore, they're a staple of holiday dinners.

Few folks plant them much anymore, but a number of talented farmers on the Eastern Shore continue the tradition.

I bought three Hayman potatoes earlier this year at the Onancock Market. My father told me how to bury them in sand and transplant cuttings from the vines that sprouted.

Today, I have four rows of Hayman plants. I give them a pep talk each morning and rub them on the belly every night before bed.

Root crops are mysterious — I can see the progress of my peppers and tomatoes, but my Haymans build suspense by the day.

I look at the vines running here and there and hope an Eastern Shore tradition is growing underneath.

It will depend on whether I can keep the deer and bunny rabbits away.

The writer is editor and general manager of the Eastern Shore Post. Reach him at [editor@easternshorepost.com](mailto:editor@easternshorepost.com).



TED SHOCKLEY PHOTO

Hayman potatoes are an Eastern Shore tradition.

## GUEST COLUMN

# Northampton superintendent: 'Commitment to excellence'



Jaime Cole

I hope everyone had a wonderful summer break enjoying time in our beautiful community. I am thankful for the opportunity to take on this new role as superintendent of Northampton County Public Schools and want to welcome everyone to the 2022-2023 school year.

I appreciate the hardworking, conscientious professionals who have prepared themselves for our upcoming school year. Our success will be built on our district's commitment to excellence in education.

This summer we worked to develop a two-year strategic plan following input from the community and staff. We surveyed stakehold-

ers to find out the top priorities and values they would most like to see implemented this school year.

The results included an increase in honest and transparent two-way communication; use of a teamwork approach; and demonstrating appreciation, respect, and recognition for the students, staff, and community.

A few upcoming events include:

Aug. 22, welcome address and first day for the district

Sept. 1, open house at the schools from noon to 6 p.m.

Sept. 2, police safety training at Northamp-

ton High for all staff from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Sept. 5, Labor Day holiday

Sept. 6, first day of school for all students

Oct. 4, Title 1 Parent Nights at Occohannock and Kiptopeke elementary schools

In look forward to working with everyone this year and being part of this amazing community that puts kids first.

You have probably heard the proverb, "It takes a village to raise a child." That means as a community we provide for and interact positively with children for them to experience and grow in a safe, healthy environment.

The writer is superintendent of Northampton County Public Schools.

## Court Postings

By Nancy Drury Duncan

### Accomack Circuit Court

An Onancock man who was charged with several felony firearms violations after a roadway shooting pleaded guilty to four misdemeanor charges of reckless handling of a firearm in a deal with prosecutors.

Joshua Ryan Bale, 23, had been charged with several felony firearms violations.

In the early morning hours of Nov. 7, 2020, a witness told police a Ford F-150 pickup truck came up behind him at a high rate of speed with bright headlights, honking his horn.

He said the truck passed him and the driver fired six to eight shots as he went by, said Commonwealth's Attorney Spencer Morgan.

He said police were able to identify Bale as the driver from information obtained from cameras at a grading

shed on Mink Farm Road, where the incident occurred. The rifle was located and taken into evidence.

Bale will be sentenced Nov. 10.

An Accomack man pleaded guilty to a third offense in 10 years of driving under the influence of alcohol and felony eluding.

A state trooper using radar on U.S. Route 13 saw 25-year-old Erik Castillo Garcia driving at a high rate of speed and attempted to stop him.

Defense attorney Garrett Dunham asked that his client be evaluated for the CCAP program to get help for his substance abuse. He is set to be sentenced Oct. 13.

A Painter man was sentenced to three years of active prison time for two counts of felony eluding, destruction of cemetery property, and two firearms charges.

In June 2020, an Accomack County deputy recognized the vehicle of 31-year-old Keshawn Lamar Coston as one sought in connection with a firearms incident and tried to stop him, testimony showed.

Coston did not stop and a pursuit began, reaching speeds of 100 mph, said Commonwealth's Attorney Spencer Morgan. Coston drove into the cemetery of New Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Painter, damaging headstones, and then fled on foot.

A police dog did not locate Coston but found a bag containing methamphetamine. Coston eluded capture for almost a year.

In May 2021, he was spotted by police in the Onley area. Another chase began, ending with Coston crashing his car.

He got out and ran across U.S. Route 13 into the woods by the Bojangles restaurant, where he was apprehended.

Two South Carolina men pleaded guilty to drug charges in Accomack Circuit Court.

Jaheim Graham, 19, and Natha-

nial Singletary, 21, both of Myrtle Beach, pleaded guilty to felony eluding and possession of cocaine in a plea agreement.

In March 2022, a Virginia state police trooper working radar clocked a car going 74 mph on U.S. Route 13 in the Parksley area and attempted a traffic stop.

A chase ensued reaching speeds over 100 mph.

The car turned off the highway into a chicken farm and crashed into a tree. The occupants fled on foot.

A K-9 found the pair after a 911 caller reported two men near a shed on his property. When the men were taken into custody, police found a backpack containing crack cocaine and ammunition. A pistol discovered near the car was later found to be stolen.

Assistant Commonwealth's Attorney Michael Baker said he made the agreement and did not prosecute a firearm charge because there was not enough evidence to support a conviction in the case. Both men were sentenced to two years on each charge with all suspended but time served.

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### Hallwood town officer found guilty of DUI

By Nancy Drury Duncan

A Hallwood town police officer entered a conditional guilty plea to driving under the influence of alcohol in an off-duty incident and received a suspended jail sentence.

Allen W. Poulson, 42, who lives in Hallwood, was ordered to be on good behavior for one year. He also had his driver's license suspended for one year.

The suspension will not begin until a decision on an appeal made by Poulson's attorney to suppress evidence is known.

On Dec. 23, 2021, Poulson drove his vehicle into a ditch on Guardshore Road near Bloxom, damaging a culvert.

He reported to an emergency dispatcher that a deer ran in front of his vehicle. A homeowner nearby told police he saw the driver throwing beer bottles out of the vehicle, testimony showed.

A friend helped Poulson remove the vehicle from the ditch. An officer went to Poulson's home and found the vehi-

cle there.

An officer testified at an earlier hearing that Poulson's gait was unsteady, there was a strong odor of alcohol, and his speech was slurred when police arrived at Poulson's home.

Poulson denied drinking before the accident but said he drank several beers and had a few shots after arriving home.

A hospital blood test administered later showed a blood alcohol content of .141, considerably higher than the legal limit of .08.

Defense attorney Mario Lorello said the presence of the officers and their cars in Poulson's driveway the night of the arrest constituted a "show of force" and was intimidating.

The case was prosecuted by Jack Thornton, an assistant commonwealth's attorney in Northampton County, because a special prosecutor was needed.

# SHINING LIGHT ON WELLNESS



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# Property Transactions

## Accomack County

- From Robert D. Umphlett Sr. and Steven Lyle Liscum  
To Umpco Holdings LL  
Lot C, Nature's View, Chincoteague  
For \$50,000
- From Gemcraft Homes CC LLC  
To Anthony W. Massaro and Catherine M. Capozzi  
Captains Cove Lot 509 Section 1, Greenbackville  
For \$229,892
- From Myrna L. and John Michael Leja, trustees  
To Raymond and Mary Messler  
Captains Cove Lot 2199 Section 4, Greenbackville  
For \$2,500
- From Duane A. Dement and Cathy Jo Lilliston  
To Sandra T. and Aaron L. Bowen  
28403 Woodland Ave., Melfa  
For \$160,000
- From Donna Joy Armstrong  
To Linda L. and Daniel L. Snow

- Trails End Lot 138 Unit 3 Sheet 6, Horntown  
For \$21,000
- From Lisa M. and Rodney A. Funkhouser  
To Adele and Terry Williams  
Captains Cove Lot 1184 Section 1, Greenbackville  
For \$165,000
- From Alfred E. Fordan  
To Adam Heath Baker and Caroline Elizabeth Jones  
Captains Cove Lot 2551 Section 5, Greenbackville  
For \$188,075
- From CCG Land LLC  
To Gemcraft Homes CC LLC  
Captains Cove Lot 824 Section 1, Greenbackville  
For \$20,000
- From Captains Cove Land Company LLC  
To Gemcraft Homes CC LLC  
Captains Cove Lot 542 Section 1, Greenbackville

- For \$20,000
- From Janet Bernosky  
To Keri Moran Cook and Patrick Vernon Kimble  
8281 Sea Gull Drive, Chincoteague  
For \$54,120
- From CCG Note LLC and CCG Land LLC  
To Captain's Cove Land Company LLC  
15 lots, Captains Cove, Greenbackville  
For \$150,000
- From Wanda C. and Kenneth N. Bogush  
To Kayla and Alexander Reda  
4599 Main St., Chincoteague  
For \$500,000
- From B&L Rentals LLC  
To Juan Sanchez Gomez  
20139 Metompkin Road, Parksley  
For \$35,000
- From Diego A. Sanchez Ampie  
To Hannah and David L. Beaumont  
21367 Hopkins Road, Parksley  
For \$160,000
- From Melissa A. Cold  
To CMH Homes Inc.  
Lot 20 Section 2 Southwind, Atlantic  
For \$45,000
- From Eric Pruitt

- To Joyce and Donald Baitzell  
Lot 10 Pennewell, Onancock  
For \$10,000
- From Christine C. Murphy  
To Arline M. and John P. Curtis  
Captains Cove Lot 1956 Section 4, Greenbackville  
For \$10,000
- From Dianne L. and Clancy D. Herr  
To Janice Lynn and James Keith Hudson  
14509 Barn Woods Road, Onancock  
For \$390,000
- From Dianne L. and Clancy D. Herr  
To Janice Lynn and James Keith Hudson  
Parcel B2, Onancock  
For \$105,000
- From Danielle N. Harris  
To Our Five Sons LLC  
Lot 4 Wildcat South, Chincoteague  
For \$175,000
- From Ruble E. McFall, successor trustee  
To John Randall Earle  
Powell lot, Greenbackville  
For \$8,000

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## ~ Properties ~

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- From Grace Corporation of Chincoteague  
To NRG VA Investments LLC  
3 parcels on Maddox Boulevard, Chincoteague  
For \$1,500,000
- From David Arthur and June Bull Evans  
To Kevin Lawson Smith  
22 acres cut woods, Hacksneck  
For \$35,000
- From B&L Rentals LLC  
To Juan Sanchez Gomez  
20139 Metompkin Road, Parksley  
For \$35,000
- From Monica and Horace W. Hall  
To Cynthia A. and John R. Gibbs  
6 parcels on Cattail Road, Mears  
For \$155,000
- From Nancy E. Hebert  
To Christine C. Murphy  
Captains Cove Lot 1956 Section 4, Greenbackville  
For \$10,000
- From Annette L. Martin, Frederick Wayne Linton, and Vaden O'Neal Linton  
To Karl F. Peck Sr. and Wendy L. Patten

- 20129 Saxis Road, Saxis  
For \$60,000
- From Benjamin R. Parks  
To Richard E. Lewis  
22747 Leemont Road, Parksley  
For \$70,000
  - From Yong and Sunyo Kim  
To Fritz Vil and Chrislaine Simon-Vil  
25362 Main St., Onley  
For \$235,000
  - From Triple Enterprise LLC  
To John Philip Pruitt  
Lot 4 Section 3 Boston Park, Painter  
For \$60,000

### Northampton County

- From Larry and Pamela Reynolds  
To Derrick Kinsey and Penelope Lehman-Kinsey  
Two parcels in Cape Charles  
For \$789,000
- From Charles Dryden Jr.  
To Jonah and Beth Lathbury  
Lot 111, Vaucluse Shores subdivision, Church Neck  
For \$29,000
- From Addison Trower Custis, individually and as trustee

- To Robert and Deborah Andersen, trustees  
Lot 39, Vaucluse Shores subdivision, Church Neck  
For \$26,000
- From Maezell Kelley  
To CMH Homes Inc.  
Lot near Chesapeake  
For \$15,000
- From Betis Group Inc.  
To Cape Charles Ventures LLC  
Part of Lots 617, 620, and 621, Cape Charles  
For \$749,000

- From Matthew and Brittany Clark  
To Ware Neck Properties LLC  
Lot, south side of Jefferson Avenue, Cape Charles  
For \$215,000
- From Jeffery and Jaelyn Campbell  
To William Hogan and Lori Adams  
Lot 150, Vaucluse Shores, Church Neck  
For \$310,000
- From Ann Fritz, trustee  
To Francisco Tinoco Hernandez  
Lot, 4 acres, near Nassawadox  
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# Accomack County man pleads guilty to murder in 2019 death

By Nancy Drury Duncan

An Accomack County man pleaded guilty to first-degree murder and attempted robbery in connection with a May 2019 incident.

Bronta Jamar Ames, 26, of Melfa, also pleaded guilty to charges of credit card fraud and grand larceny in connection with an incident that took place two weeks before the slaying.

The victim, Alvin Lee Rogers, was backing out of his driveway when the shooting occurred. Bullet holes were found in the windshield of his van.

The autopsy showed Rogers was shot in the shoulder and in the stomach and died at the scene.

Ames also pleaded guilty to malicious wounding by a mob. That charge

came as a result of a May 2022 incident in the Accomack County Jail where another inmate was severely injured.

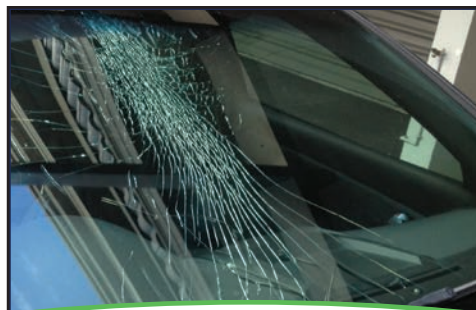
For these crimes, Ames was subject to a sentence of life plus 161 years.

Commonwealth's Attorney Spencer Morgan agreed not to prosecute several charges relating to the credit card and malicious wounding incidents in exchange for Ames' pleas of guilt.

The agreement recommends a sentence of 28 years of active prison time with decades of suspended time that could be reimposed if Ames commits further crimes.

Judge W. Revell Lewis III delayed accepting the plea agreement until the completion of a presentence investigation report. Ames' sentencing is set for Nov. 10.

Nyxavier Riekem Snead, who was 17 at the time of the slaying, has also been charged with the murder. He is set to be tried as an adult in April 2023.



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# OBITUARIES

## Evelyn Brown Annis

**Mrs. Evelyn Brown Annis**, 94, wife of the late Mitchell Annis, passed away peacefully Monday, Aug. 15, 2022, at Shore Health and Rehabilitation Center in Parksley. Born April 24, 1928, in Guilford, she was the daughter of the late Cornelius Vernon Franklin Taylor and the late Martha Brown Taylor.



**Mrs. Annis**

Evelyn graduated from Bloxom High School and worked for the former R&G Shirt Factory in Parksley for more than 30 years. Following the shirt factory's closing, she briefly worked for the former Holly Farms prior to retirement. Always one to enjoy the comforts of home, Evelyn preferred time spent with family and quiet afternoons read-

ing. She loved a good romance novel and looked forward to weekly deliveries of the TV Guide. Evelyn's all-time favorite movie was "Cinderella," which she often watched several times a day. She rarely missed her daily soap operas or an episode of "Murder She Wrote" and could never resist a good western. Evelyn was happiest with her dog, Ginger, by her side and was especially pleased when she awoke to the beauty of freshly fallen snow.

She is survived by her children, Martha "Jean" Taylor, of Bloxom, Peggy A. Barnes, of Saxis, Billy R. Annis, of Bloxom, and Fred Allen Annis, of Bloxom; daughter-in-law, Cindy Annis; grandchildren, Ronnie Taylor, Rodney Taylor, Rhonda Campbell (Donnie), Robin Lynn Blum, Tamara Johnson, Roberta Studebaker, Christina Barnes Leonetti, Michelle Lee Evans (Bryan), Robert Fletcher Barnes Jr. (Angela), Nikia Lawrence (Richard), Kirk Annis, Allena Annis Alfree (Brian), Stephen Mitchell Annis, and Mary Lyssa Jo Annis; and numerous great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren,

nieces, and nephews. In addition to her husband and parents, she was predeceased by her son, Robert M. Annis; sisters, Irene Annis and Roxanna Hicks; brothers, Noah R. Taylor Sr. and Elwood Taylor; and son-in-law, Robert F. "Bob" Barnes Sr.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, Aug. 19, 2022, at 3 p.m., from the chapel of the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home, with the Rev. Thaddeus Hackett officiating. Interment will follow in the Liberty Cemetery. There will be a visitation at the funeral home one hour prior to the service.

Contributions in Evelyn's memory may be made to the Eastern Shore SPCA, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418 ([www.shorespca.com](http://www.shorespca.com)), or to Saxis Volunteer Fire Company, P.O. Box 98, Saxis, VA 23427.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

## Jennie Johnson Cody

**Mrs. Jennie Johnson Cody**, 68, of Onancock, passed away in her home in Texas on Aug. 2, 2022, after a long battle with cancer.

Jennie is preceded in death by her father, James Lee Johnson, and her mother, Mary Mapp Johnson.

Jennie is survived by her spouse, Steve Alton Cody; her children and their spouses, Steven Tyler Cody and Heather Nicole Cody, and Jennifer Kristin Cody Watson and Christopher Adam Watson; her brother and his wife, James Lee Johnson Jr. and Michelle Anderson Johnson; her sister, Anne Charles Johnson; and her grandchildren, Emma Lou Cody, Brinley Paige Cody, Ashlin Claire Cody, Heath Allen Cody, Cole Anthony Watson, and Kit Alexander Watson.

Jennie was born in Nassawadox, to James Lee Johnson and Mary



**Mrs. Cody**

Mapp Johnson, on April 3, 1955. She attended Onancock School and later Broadwater Academy. She married Steve Alton Cody on Jan. 31, 1976, in Onley.

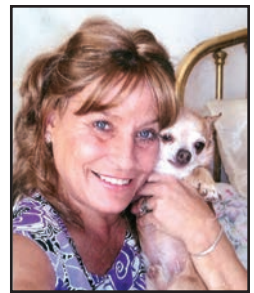
There is no doubt that Jennie was "Shore" born. She spent most of her life on the Eastern Shore of Virginia, and her love and adoration for it were evident. Whether it was dedicating her time at Broadwater, hosting a class pool party, preparing a five-star meal before prom, or volunteering for an event in the community, Jennie never stopped. She had a way of devoting her time to others. Early on, Jennie had a passion for retail. She pursued her passion and acquired experience in retail, namely at Glick's at Four Corners, before opening her own store in 2011, Marker 29 Design. When both of her children moved away after college, this helped her "keep going." In 2018, she sold it and left the Eastern Shore to be closer to her children. She and Steve moved to Texas near their son, Tyler, and his family. This allowed her to spend more time with her kids and grandkids, which she loved most.

Jennie's family will celebrate her life on Sunday, Aug. 28, 2022, at 2 p.m., at Market Street United Methodist Church in Onancock. A reception will follow immediately after the ceremony. All expressions of sympathy, including flowers, honorary donations to a favorite charity, and cards are welcome.

## Kimberly M. Cordle

**Ms. Kimberly Mechelle Cordle**, 55, of Exmore, passed away Thursday Aug. 11, 2022, at Sentara Norfolk General Hospital. A native of Newport News, she was the daughter of the late Max Hysmith and the late Carolyn Pagan Hysmith.

She is survived by her loving companion, Kerry Tittermary; three chil-



**Mrs. Cordle**

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dren, Candis Ann Bradford and her husband, Jeff, of Exmore, Marcus Cordle, of Hampton, and Branden Cordle, of Newport News; a sister, Angela Coxtan, of Tennessee; eight grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. Other than her parents, she was predeceased by a son, Christopher Cordle, and a grandson, Jace Clyde Bradford.

A Celebration of Life service will be held Sunday, Sept. 4, 2022, at 2 p.m., at the home of Kerry Tittermary, 13038 Skip Jack Drive, Exmore.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions to help with funeral expenses may be made to Doughty Funeral Home, P.O. Box 633, Exmore, VA 23350.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.doughtyfuneralhome.com](http://www.doughtyfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements are made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

## Bertha A. Crosby

**Mrs. Bertha A. Crosby**, 66, of New Church, answered the voice of her Lord and Savior on Aug. 7, 2022, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital, Onancock.

Born in Accomack County, she was the beloved daughter of the late Frank Crosby Jr. and the late Flossie Crosby. She was affectionately known as "Bert" by her family and friends. Bertha worked at Tyson Foods until her health began to fail.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Aug. 13, 2022, at the chapel of Cooper & Humbles Funeral Co., Accomac, with Elder Raymond Lee officiating. Interment was in the Groton Community Cemetery, Messongo.



**Mrs. Crosby**

Bertha leaves to cherish her memories: her daughter, Prestine Crosby; sons, Ralph Crosby and Regis Crosby; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; sister, Dorothy Rice; brothers, Robert and Dorsey Crosby; one brother-in-law; fiancé, William Corbin; and a host of other relatives and close friends.

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

## Thomas Maben Dick

**Mr. Thomas "Tom" "Tadpole" Maben Dick** passed away at 7:03 a.m. on July 30, 2022, after a brief battle with COVID-19. He was 80 years old.

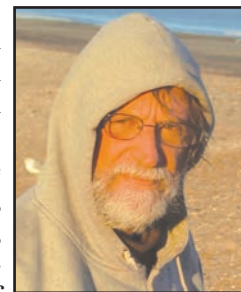
Tom was born Aug. 10, 1941, in Ferndale Borough, Cambria County, near Johnstown, Pa. He was the only son of Dwight and Nedra Dick.

Tom had a free-ranging childhood. He jumped trains and hitchhiked before he could drive. He loved the outdoors.

Tom made headlines when, at the age of 11, he fell off the 60-foot Ferndale Cliff near the Stony Creek River. He survived by landing in mud but had to wear a body cast for 11 months. The injury left him with a large scar on his shoulder and a slightly shortened right arm that would later disqualify him from the draft. The scar was fodder for many a made-up story, typically involving pirates and crocodiles, that he told to entertain his children.

A youthful prankster, Tom was expelled from Westmont High School for coloring the chemistry lab reagents with jujubes and after placing a mousetrap in a desk drawer to catch a teacher.

Tom became serious about his studies during his senior year at Johnstown High School, which he attributed to his social isolation. He was accepted to the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown and obtained a doctorate in veterinary medicine from the University of Pennsylvania. Tom and his wife, Sally (a medical doctor), got their first jobs in North Conway, N.H., but returned



**Mr. Dick**

to Johnstown in 1967. At the age of 26, Tom built the Richland Veterinary Hospital, where he worked until his retirement in 2006. Tom cared deeply about animals and remembered pet names more easily than those of their owners. He maintained a free rehabilitation clinic for wild animals, including bears, hawks, owls, vultures, and other wildlife. An orphaned red-tailed hawk, named Herbie, made local news after it imprinted on humans and dive-bombed a paper delivery boy.

Tom was passionate about environmental causes. He was president of the American Littoral Society, a coastal environmental group, and he founded the Allegheny Plateau Audubon Society (APAS) in 1984. He inspired others with his enthusiasm for birds, butterflies, geology, astronomy, and marine biology. An avid birdwatcher, Tom sought a hawk-watch site in western Pennsylvania to match the famed Hawk Mountain site in eastern Pennsylvania. He founded the Allegheny Front Hawk Watch, along the Somerset-Bedford County border, which has become one of the best places in North America to monitor migrating hawks and eagles.

His other big project was to create a wetland refuge for breeding waterfowl. He and Sally bought 175 acres of degraded farmland along Dunning's Creek, Bedford County, and worked with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Department to establish a network of lakes, ponds, and wetland habitats. The Dunning's Creek wetlands was an enormous success and remains a hotspot for threatened bird species. It is now a conservation easement under permanent protection and is managed by Tom's children and the APAS.

Tom was a committed runner, who ran 50-mile ultramarathons and jogged six miles each day for over 40 years. He loved to body surf with his grandchildren and was the last to leave the water. His grandchildren called him Tadpole, a nickname that his children also ended up using. He loved to tell stories about spelunking with Sally and his SCUBA trips to Florida.

Tom loved his daily walks with Sally and their dogs on their farm in Pennsylvania, and later in Chincoteague. His Chincoteague neighbors will miss

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seeing him walking his dogs through every kind of weather and his cheerfulness and sense of wonder.

Tom is preceded in death by his parents, Dwight and Nedra, and older sister, Jackie (Dennis) Rounsley.

Tom is survived by wife, Sally Dick; children, Christopher Dick (Mélida), Kim Moore (Bo), and Kelly Warshel (Brien); and grandchildren, McKenzie Warshel, Colby Warshel, Delainey Warshel, Cooper Warshel, Tucker Moore, Sally Moore, and Caitlin Dick-Ruiz.

There will be a memorial service for Tom on Oct. 16, 2022. Please make any donations in Tom's memory to the nonprofit Allegheny Plateau Audubon Society at <https://www.alleghenyplateauaudubon.org/donations-and-volunteering>

## Patricia Elaine Doughty

**Mrs. Patricia Elaine "Pat" Doughty**, wife of Robert F. "Bob" Doughty and a resident of Southside Chesconessex, Onancock, formerly of Virginia Beach, passed away Wednesday, Aug. 10, 2022, at the age of 71. Born May 7, 1951, in Wilmington, N.C., she was the daughter of the late Homer Garfield Phelps and the late Vivian Vestha Phelps.

Pat worked as a loan processor for Bank of America in Virginia Beach for 23 years, and in 1994, accepted a position as a finance specialist



**Mrs. Doughty**

with the Norfolk Redevelopment and Housing Authority (NRHA), where she remained until her retirement in May of 2006. Soon after retiring, Pat and Bob relocated to Southside Chesconessex, instantly adapting to the serenity and embracing the beauty and history of the Eastern Shore. Over the last decade, Pat was the docent manager for the Eastern Shore of Virginia Historical Society's Ker Place Historic House Museum. She was passionate about the Shore's history and enjoyed sharing her time and knowledge with all who visited.

In addition to her husband of 52 years, she is survived by her brother, Wayne Phelps, as well as several nieces and nephews and their families. Other than her parents, she was predeceased by her brother, Robert Phelps.

To honor Pat's wishes, no public service will be held. Should friends desire, contributions in her memory may be made to the Eastern Shore of Virginia Historical Society, payable to Shore History, P.O. Box 179, Onancock, VA 23417 ([www.shorehistory.org/donate-1](http://www.shorehistory.org/donate-1)), or as Pat would say, "Donate your most valuable possession: your time," as a volunteer for ESVHS.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

## Chavon E. Harmanson

**Mr. Chavon E. Harmanson**, 30, departed this life peacefully on Wednesday, Aug. 10, 2022, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital, Onancock.

Born in Nassawadox, Chavon was the beloved son of Charles Hope Sr. and Keiosha Harmanson. He was affectionately known as "Chuckie" by his family and friends.

Chavon was educated in the public schools of Accomack County. He graduated from Nandua High School in June 2010. He had a passion for music.



**Mr. Harmanson**

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2022, at the chapel of Cooper & Humbles, Accomac, with the Rev. Kelvin Jones officiating.

Chuckie is survived by his mother, Keiosha Harmanson; father, Charles Hope Sr.; sister, Tyquesha Harmanson; brothers, Zak'ar Hope, Elijah Hope, Charles Hope Jr., and Joshua Hope; grandmothers, Vivian Collins and Brenda Smith; three aunts; one uncle; and a host of other relatives and friends.

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

## Virginia Harton

**Mrs. Virginia Marshall Mason Harton**, 84, went to be with the Lord on July 21, 2022. Virginia was born in Delaware on Oct. 7, 1937, and grew up in Greenbackville. She called Virginia Beach her home for most of her life.

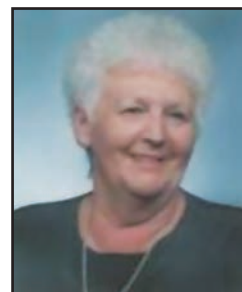
Virginia was predeceased by her parents, Wilfred and Ruth Mason, and sister, Sarah Jensen.

She is survived by children, Jack Harton Jr. (Gina), Ruth Cody (John), Jimmy Harton (Debbie), and Kelley Harton (Annette); grandchildren, Elizabeth Griffin (Kevin), Jennifer Harrison (Ryan), John Mason Cody, Brittany Harton (Nick), Tommy Harton, Megan Harton, and Mia Harton; sister, Eva Saylor; special family friend, Veronica Lockemer; 11 great-grandchildren; several nieces, nephews, and cousins; many that called her Mom, Grandma, Grandma Stay, and a host of friends who loved her and will miss her immensely.

Virginia was known for her love of people. She never met a stranger. She loved to laugh, make others laugh, and share food (her specialty – peanut butter fudge) with family and friends. She loved spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, whom she called "my precious." She leaves behind memories of rollerblading on the boardwalk, playing "Ring Around the Nosey" on their hands and knees, "Beauty Shop" in Vermont, and 1 a.m. brownie sundae adventures. Other memorable times they will treasure forever will stay just between them.

Virginia's family would like to express their appreciation for the kindness, support, and messages of sympathy and comfort. They especially wish to thank Comfort Care Hospice and all the remarkable nurses, nursing assistants, and staff who provided support and care with respect, dignity, love, and prayers for Virginia as she transitioned to be with the Lord.

A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, Sept. 3, 2022, from 1 to 3 p.m., at the Great Bridge Community



**Mrs. Harton**

Center, 212 Holt Drive, Chesapeake, VA 23322.

## Claire Morfit Hunkins

**The Rev. Claire Morfit Hunkins** passed away peacefully at her home in Oak Hall, surrounded by family, Monday, Aug. 15, 2022. Although sad to leave her children and friends behind, she was happily reunited with her husband, Robert Gale Beckwith Jr., who passed just a few weeks prior.

Born Oct. 16, 1950, in New Brunswick, N.J., and raised in Fredericksburg, Va., she was the only daughter of the late Edwin Fiske Morfit Sr. and the late Margaret Edna Muller Morfit. Having been raised in a Christian home, Claire remained close to her Episcopalian faith throughout



**The Rev. Hunkins**

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30 minutes before showtime.**

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life. In 1973, she received her bachelor's degree in animal science from the University of Kentucky and spent her career in science working for Owens Corning Science and Technology Center in Newark, Ohio. In November of 1988, Claire became the proud mother of five children, ages 7 to 16. She promised a forever home, opened her heart, and gave unconditional love and support to each of her precious children without hesitation or limitation.

Over the years, Claire's spiritual path continued to strengthen, and she decided to pursue her Master of Divinity, graduating from Bexley Hall Seminary in Columbus, Ohio, in 2006. In 2008, she relocated to the Eastern Shore of Virginia, where she became the longtime priest of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Jenkins Bridge. She enjoyed spending time in her garden, hiking, traveling, reading, and playing bridge.

Claire never pretended to be anything except who she was, and those she met felt her genuineness and compassion instantly. She was real, humble, honest, selfless — a truly remarkable human being.

Claire's life will forever be celebrated and remembered by her children, Christina Velasquez, of Flint, Mich., Petra Velasquez, of Fort Wayne, Ind., Jessica Velasquez, of Canton, Ohio, Eric Velasquez (Alex), of El Paso, Texas, and Larry Velasquez (Wanda), of Phoenix; brothers, Paul Morfit, John Morfit (Tanya), David Morfit (Debbie), Jeff Morfit (Theresa), and Eddie Morfit; 19 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; stepchildren, Amelia Beckwith (Hunter) and Brian Beckwith (Alex); as well as countless friends, all of whom are grateful to have shared this life with her.

A service in celebration of Claire and Bob's lives will be held at the Emmanuel Episcopal Church on Sunday, Aug. 21, 2022, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Robert Coniglio and the Rev. Linda Scholer officiating. The family will greet friends at the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home on Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022, from 4 to 6 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in Claire's memory to Emmanuel Episcopal Church, P.O. Box

186, Oak Hall, VA 23416, or to Intrepid USA Hospice, 165 Market St., Suite 2, Onancock, VA 23417.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

## April Millett Marquedant

**Mrs. April Millett Marquedant** passed away peacefully on Aug. 11, 2022, surrounded by her loving family. She bravely fought a long, hard battle with cancer. She was born April 15, 1940, in Portsmouth, Va., and grew up in Ocean View. Her parents were the late John C. and Helen B. Millett. April moved to the Shore in 1989, where she retired from the Eastern Shore Community Services Board after 19 years of service. She was the youngest of five children.

She was predeceased by her son, Paul Marquedant Jr.; her sister, Rose Marie Dickerson; and brothers, John C. Millett and Ejner Karlsen.

She is survived by her loving and devoted husband, Paul Marquedant Sr.; daughter, Michelle Marquedant Walsh; son, Mathew Marquedant; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Also left behind are her sister, Helen B. Trunkes, and numerous other family members and cherished friends.

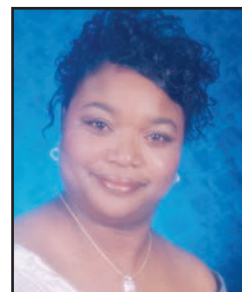
She was a loving, devoted wife, mother, sister, aunt, and grandmother, and was a trusted friend and advisor to many. She was a creative problem-solver who was always ready to try something new. She never missed an opportunity to help friends and strangers and taught many people to cope with difficulties, to re-think their issues, and face life with confidence and positivity. She was a selfless, generous, and kind human being who will be missed by many.

She loved working in her yard and creating beautiful flower gardens. She enjoyed cooking and was handy with a paintbrush when it came time to redecorate a room.

A Celebration of Life will be held at



**Mrs. Marquedant**



**Mrs. Poulson**

a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Cape Charles Rescue Service, P.O. Box 3009, Cheriton, VA 23316.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.foxfuneralhomes.com](http://www.foxfuneralhomes.com)

Arrangements are by Fox funeral Home, Temperanceville.

## Karen V. Poulson

**Mrs. Karen V. Poulson**, 53, of Painter, departed this life Sunday, Aug. 7, 2022, at Shore Health & Rehab Center in Parksley.

Born in Belle Haven, Karen was the beloved daughter of the late Francis H. Rogers and the late Ellen F. Bailey.

Karen entered the workforce upon graduation and held several positions throughout her life. In recent years, she began working for Community Service Board (CSB) in Exmore. She held this position until her health began to fail.

On Aug. 16, 2008, she married Kelvin L. Poulson Sr. This union was blessed with 14 years of love, until her untimely passing.

At an early age, Karen joined Ebenezer Baptist Church in Wardtown. Karen served as the vice president of the Women's Ministry of the Eastern Shore of Virginia and Maryland Baptist Association. She also served on the Women's Ministry of the Baptist General Convention (BGC).

Funeral services were held Saturday, Aug. 13, 2022, at Ebenezer Baptist Church, Wardtown, with the Rev. Milton P. Bunting officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her husband, Kelvin L. Poulson Sr.; son, Marcus A. Rogers; six grandchildren; siblings, Alice James, Francis Bailey, John Rogers, Alvin Rogers, Brenda Bailey, George Rogers, Alene Williams, William Rogers, and Anthony Rogers; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

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

## Frederick A. Savage

**Mr. Frederick Arthur Savage**, 80, died at home on Sunday, Aug. 14, 2022. He had an eight-month battle with cancer. He is survived by his wife, Sandra Koontz Savage, to whom he would have been married 59 years on Dec. 24. Fred was the son of the late Chauncey Savage and the late Wilda J. Suehowicz. He was predeceased by his daughter, Robin, who died Sept. 14, 2013. Fred was a member of the Onley United Methodist Church.

Fred will always be remembered for his personality, his smile, and always, always joking around with everyone. He had the most laid back personality and was always so easy going. Fred never met a stranger. He retired from Carroll County, Md., as a trainer for school bus drivers. After coming to the Eastern Shore, he worked for Kempsville Lumber until he retired again. Later he worked for Mark Hill Sand and Gravel until he retired for the final time.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his brother, Jack Hinkle, and his nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Services will be held at a later date.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.doughtyfuneralhome.com](http://www.doughtyfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

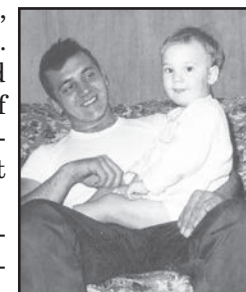
## Harrison J. Savage

**Mr. Harrison J. Savage**, 74, of Atlantic, departed this life Friday, Aug. 5, 2022, at St. Francis Hospital, Wilmington, Del.

Born in Horsey, Harrison is the son of the late James and Audrey Savage.

He was affectionately known as "Electric Arms."

Upon graduation, he earned an associate degree in electronic engineering from Norfolk State College. Harrison was a lead



**Mr. Savage**



**Mr. Savage**

maintenance mechanic at Perdue Farms in Accomac. He was also part owner and assistant to his mother Audrey Savage's travel tours.

On April 5, 1969, he was joined in holy matrimony to Deborah Williams and this union was blessed with 53 years of love. He was a faithful member of St. John's U.M. Church in Atlantic.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Aug. 13, 2022, at the chapel of Cooper & Humbles Funeral Co., Accomac, with the Rev. Gary Miller officiating. Interment was in the St. John's U.M. Church Cemetery, Atlantic.

Harrison leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife, Deborah Marie Savage; three sons, Derrick Williams, Harrison James Savage Jr., and Garrett Dickerson; four grandsons; one uncle; sisters, Evelena Carter, Joyce Mason, Diane Williams, Leona Parker, Darlene Savage, and Audrey Perdue; two sisters-in-law; two brothers-in-law; and a host of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends.

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

## Susie Linda Simpkins

**Miss Susie Linda Simpkins**, 69, of Accomac, departed this life Friday, July 29, 2022, at Lake Taylor Transition Care Hospital in Norfolk.

Born in Accomac, she was the beloved daughter of the late John E. and Sarah E. Simpkins.

"Linda," as she was affectionately known by family and friends, was educated in the public schools of Accomack County. Upon graduation, she entered the workforce and worked in several industries. Linda was a personal care assistant before her health began to fail.

Linda was a member of Macedonia AME Church in Accomac. She served faithfully for countless years. Linda was an intricate part



**Miss Simpkins**

of the Pastor's Aide Committee and the Culinary Committee. She worked tirelessly alongside her mother, sisters, and other family members in the kitchen at Macedonia over several decades. They were given the name "The Dream Team," because they organized stellar events for the church. They made sure each church function was blessed with delicious food and elegant décor.

Funeral services were held Friday, Aug. 12, 2022, at the chapel of Cooper & Humbles, Accomac, with the Rev. Milton P. Bunting officiating. Interment was in the Fairview Lawn Cemetery, Onancock.

She leaves to cherish her loving memory: her daughter, Tyvolia "Tai" Simpkins; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren, sisters, Althea Thomas, Teresa Parker, and Sarah West; brother, Moses Simpkins; a special nephew, Joseph Simpkins; two special nieces, Tineka Davis and Tia Simpkins; special friend, Archie Moore; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends.

Arrangements are by the Cooper and Humbles Funeral Co., Accomac.

## Jerry Conway Spence

**Mr. Jerry Conway Spence**, 87, husband of the late Ann Spence and a resident of Wachapreague, passed away Monday, Aug. 15, 2022, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital. A native of Wachapreague, he was the son of the late Elton Spence and the late Myrtle Spence. He retired from Coca Cola in Exmore.

He is survived by his daughter, Charlotte Powell, and her husband, Randy, of Wachapreague.

A graveside service will be conducted Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022, at 2 p.m., at Edgehill Cemetery in Accomac, with the Rev. Bill Moore officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Powelton Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 98, Wachapreague, VA 23480.



**Mr. Spence**

Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.doughtyfuneralhome.com](http://www.doughtyfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

## Shirley Ann Zamora

**Mrs. Shirley Ann Zamora** passed away Wednesday, Aug. 10, 2022, at the age of 77.

Shirley was born April 20, 1945, in Pomona, Calif., a daughter to the late Arthur Zamora and the late Winifred Knox Zamora. She attended the University of Southern California, where she earned a degree in occupational therapy. She then moved to Boston to practice her profession, and it was there, she met her husband, Jeffrey Barrett. Shirley loved to travel, and following college, she explored Europe as a single woman, where she later returned with her husband to live and travel for two years. Upon their return to the states, she and Jeffrey moved to Washington, D.C., residing on Capitol Hill. They continued their visits abroad and visited almost every state in this country.

To those who knew her, Shirley was known for her warmth and ready generosity. The basis of this was her idea of love. It is normal for a person to love another because of the qualities they see in that person which would enhance the life of the lover, but Shirley took this a giant step further. What delighted her most in her relationships with others was not the taking, but the giving. Shirley expressed love by keenly understanding other people and thinking about what she could do to help those people achieve what they wanted. She was very "other" oriented. The largest beneficiary of this kind of love was her husband. She unreservedly supported him with every loony idea he ever had, even when she



**Mrs. Zamora**

knew the idea was loony, as well as the ventures that proved successful.

Shirley's attitude of "others first" extended to community service. Her stint as mayor of Onancock was the least of her accomplishments. She spent 30 years heavily involved in charitable church and community events. She was always ready to help.

Shirley grew up around Los Angeles and lived in Washington, D.C., for many years, but in her heart, she was always a small-town girl. When she and her husband could afford it, she exuberantly leapt at the opportunity to live in Onancock and design the country home of her dreams.

Shirley learned the art of how to be a happy person. The foundation of this was her constant sense of gratitude. She was grateful for her family, her friends, her local community, and her country. She took delight in the small things of life: reading, knitting, and watching butterflies bobbing up and down in her cherished gardens. She had no need for great wealth, status, or recognition for her many gestures of generosity.

Shirley was mature enough to have a happy life. She was also mature enough not to fear death. Her greatest worry about death during a long decline in her health was leaving her husband behind to live alone. This was typical Shirley. It was always about the "other." When people like Shirley Zamora leave this earthly realm, the world is impoverished.

A service to celebrate Shirley's life was held Monday, Aug. 15, 2022, at 2 p.m., at Market Street United Methodist Church with the Rev. Charlene Harris officiating.

In lieu of flowers, please consider honoring Shirley's life with a monetary donation, or the gift of your time, to your charity of choice.

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

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

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# NASA to host public information event

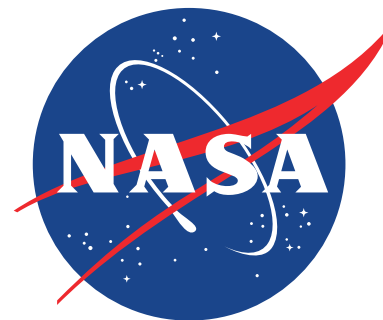
NASA's Wallops Flight Facility will discuss remediating an out-of-service wastewater treatment plant and an old construction debris landfill on facility property.

The public information outreach event is scheduled Wednesday, Aug. 24, from 4 to 6 p.m., at the NASA Wallops Visitor Center.

During the event, NASA's Wallops' Environmental Team will discuss and answer questions about a number of programs and initiatives on the facility.

In addition, personnel will be on hand to discuss NASA's ongoing work related to Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) at the facility. The visitor center exhibit gallery and auditorium will also be open for the public to visit.

Wallops conducts public information outreach events routinely at the visitor center, which is located on Virginia Route 175 about five miles from U.S. Route 13 and five miles from Chincoteague Island.



## PUBLIC INFORMATION SESSION AND 30 DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

### Wallops Flight Facility Proposed Cleanup Plan for the Old Wastewater Treatment Plant Operable Unit 6

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Wallops Flight Facility has worked in coordination with the United States Environmental Protection Agency and Virginia Department of Environmental Quality on selecting the remedial options and determining the preferred remedial alternative for the protection of ecological receptors at the Old WWTP. The alternatives considered were:

- Alternative 1 – No Action**
- Alternative 2 – Land Use Controls**
- Alternative 3 – Low-Permeability Cap Installation**
- Alternative 4 – Sludge Removal and Off-Site Disposal – Preferred Alternative**

#### Information Session Location:

**Wallops Flight Facility Visitor's Center**

**Date and Time: August 24 at 4 to 6 pm**

#### Public Comment Period:

**August 19 through September 18, 2022**

The Old WWTP documents can be viewed online or at local libraries:

<https://code200-external.gsfc.nasa.gov/250-WFF/operable-unit-06>

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#### **Let us know what you think!**

NASA will accept written comments on the Proposed Plan during a 30-day public comment period. Written comments should be addressed to:

**Mr. David Liu**  
NASA Restoration Program Manager  
NASA Wallops Flight Facility  
Building F-160, Code 250  
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Legal	\$ 1,000
Meetings	\$ 2,200
Printing & Publications	\$ 500
PO Box Rent and SS Taxes	\$ 90
Dues	\$ 200
Insurance	\$ 850
Town Sponsored Events/Parade	\$ 650
Donations	\$ 150
Litter Grant	\$ 1,330
Fire Grant	\$ 15,000
ESVA Grant	\$ 7,500
Telephone/DSL	\$ 1,800
Website	\$ 230
Office Supplies	\$ 800
Landscaping	\$ 50
Town Hall Maintenance	\$ 10,400
Election	\$ 500
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$112,550</b>

### PROPOSED REVENUES FOR PERIOD -

*Ending August 31, 2023*

Sales Tax	\$ 31,000
Real Estate Taxes	\$ 32,000
Personal Property Taxes	\$ 5,500
Litter Grant	\$ 1,330
Fire Grant	\$ 15,000
ESVA Grant	\$ 7,500
CATV Tax	\$ 3,900
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# September is Library Card Sign-Up Month!

This September, **Eastern Shore Public Library** (ESPL) is joining the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries nationwide for Library Card Sign-Up Month. This celebration is a time to remind everyone that a library card is an important step toward lifelong learning and academic achievement. During this month, ESPL encourages parents to register their children for their very own library card. With school starting, a library card will provide students with many resources that will aid them in their educational journey. What better gift could you give your child than a library card which will provide them access to books and e-resources that engage students in learning?

A library card grants readers with an endless physical collection of books, graphic novels, magazines, and audiobooks for all ages. A new collection at ESPL is children's VOX books in both English and Spanish. VOX books are books with a built-in audio player that allows children to listen and follow along with the story. These books provide new readers, language learners, and struggling readers with an opportunity to learn by hearing the words as they follow along.

In addition to books and audiobooks, Eastern Shore Public Library also provide **The Walking Classroom**: walkkits are mp3 players that feature prerecorded audio lessons with a wide variety of school subjects and lessons on mindfulness. These walkkits are available at Eastern Shore Public Library and Northampton Free Library for checkout. Walkkits are provided with a grant from Eastern Shore of Virginia Community

Services Board (CSB). ESPL and CSB encourage families to walk together using this fun educational device. To learn more about the Walking Classroom and how it can be used in schools, church groups, and family activities, visit:

[www.thewalkingclassroom.org](http://www.thewalkingclassroom.org)

*A budding reader shows off the new ESPL library card design.*

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Anyone who wishes to get a library card can visit one of four Eastern Shore library locations. Registration requirements are on the [espl.org](http://espl.org) website or you can call 757-787-3400 to learn more. While we encourage patrons to come in to set up their library card, you can apply for a card online at [espl.org](http://espl.org) and click on the "Apply for a Library Card." Please read the directions closely so that ESPL can get your card to you as soon as possible.

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# Random facts ... the embarrassment of riches

By David Martin

The classic line from the movie "Jaws" has become a clarion call for the world's superrich: "You're gonna need a bigger boat."

More megayachts are being built now than ever before. Last year, 887 superyachts were sold, doubling the number sold in 2020. These floating palaces cost up to a billion dollars ... "the most expensive item that our species has figured out how to own," according to a New Yorker article. Americans buy most of the big boats, followed by Russians and people from Asian countries.

The world has 5,400 superyachts (longer than 98 feet), 100 gigayachts (longer than 295 feet), and 10 million children (under the age of 5) on the brink of starvation.

Because vessels carrying more than 12 passengers must meet stringent maritime regulations, most of

the world's superyachts accommodate fewer than a dozen guests. The regulations don't limit the size of crew, so those handful of passengers are served by 50 or more crew and staff. The rich elite are pampered with luxuries beyond anything an absolute monarch could have imagined:

- Heated swimming pool, of course. On one yacht, the pool was mounted on gyroscopes so the water in the pool wouldn't slosh with movement of the boat. You can also get your pool table on gyroscopes, \$300,000.
- Helicopter, yes — use it to commute but also to run pick up bagels and champagne. Gotta have our bagels from Zabar's, what are we, barbarians?
- Submarine and submarine port in the bowels of the ship, natch.
- Million-dollar art on the walls, yes. In fact, the most expensive

painting ever sold (\$450 million) is hanging in a Saudi crown prince's gigayacht.

- 350 million children worldwide live in extreme poverty (having less than \$1.90 a day to live on) while in the U.S. 12 million children are in poverty.

Each day during the pandemic, a new billionaire was created worldwide. Now there are 2,668 billionaires holding \$12.7 trillion. During the first year of the pandemic, a new billionaire was created each week in the U.S. Now we have 745 of them with assets of \$5 trillion. For 25 cents a meal, a child can be rescued from starvation. Three million of the world's kids die of starvation each year.

One of the craziest things offered to the yachting rich, according to the New Yorker, was the chance to have a fancy meal in a freestanding restaurant helicoptered to a sandbar in the

ocean. After the meal, the restaurant is lifted away and the sandbar submerges. Back onboard, the richies might be served lobster cappuccino, sea bass with candied eggplant puree, carrot and white chocolate fondant with dark chocolate sorbet. FAB! A meal of rice, soy, and dried vegetables could prevent half of all children under 5 from dying of hunger ... as they now do worldwide.

During the French Revolution, regarding the famine, poverty, and disenfranchisement of the poor, Jean-Jacques Rousseau was quoted as saying, "When the people shall have nothing more to eat, they will eat the rich." And now there's a global movement, largely digital, based on resentment against the excesses of the superrich. It's called: Eat the Rich.

Maybe, instead of "You're gonna need a bigger boat," the superrich need to hear, "You're gonna need a bigger heart."

## Osprey-eyed contest has flown the coop

It's over. Created to bring some whimsy to the newspaper during a time of pandemic, the osprey-eyed contest ran for two and a half years with more than 5,000 entries and scores of readers examining every single page of the Post in search of the contest's clues

and answers. We thank those readers for their entries, for their wonderful photographs, and for their enthusiasm in support of the Eastern Shore Post.

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# SPORTS

Eastern Shore Post

## Local grid teams ready for the season

BY ADOLPHUS AMES

Eastern Shore Post

A new season of Eastern Shore high school football begins next week with each of the five local schools in action.

For those wanting an early peek at gridiron play, Arcadia will host Isle of Wight Academy at 7 p.m. in a special benefit scrimmage in Oak Hall. The event is sanctioned by the Virginia High School League.

### Northampton

The Northampton Yellow Jackets open the season by hosting Bruton High School at 7 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 26.

The Jackets went 8-2 last season before falling to West Point 41-37 in a home playoff game.

The Jackets' offensive game plan this year might not completely resemble their scheme last fall.

They will enter this season without several key players from last year's high-powered offense, including quarterback Liam Flynn and running backs Alex Courtney and Dustin Splawn.

Northampton is coached by John Edney.

### Broadwater

The Broadwater Vikings will also face significant team changes this season.

Last year, the Vikings played eight-man football and went 5-4, concluding their season with a 36-34 playoff loss against Southampton Academy.

Key players the Vikings lost to graduation include wide receivers Bradyn Washington and Willie Holden, running back Justin Etheridge, and Sawyer Johnson.

"We have a load of freshmen this year," said Vikings head coach Eddie Spencer. "We've also got more size this



ADOLPHUS AMES PHOTOS



Above, Broadwater Academy's football team conducts agility drills at the Exmore school during a recent practice. At left, Arcadia's football team takes a break for a photograph in the school's gymnasium in Oak Hall.

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# Killmon returns to Nandua High after pitching for UMES



UMES PHOTO

**John Mark Killmon pitches for the University of Maryland Eastern Shore earlier this year.**

When University of Maryland Eastern Shore graduate John Mark Killmon returns in the spring to Nandua High School's baseball field, it will be as an assistant coach.

"It's very exciting to assist the coaches and team I used to play for," he said.

Since he last played for Nandua, he distinguished himself on the field as a pitcher for the UMES Hawks baseball team.

He also distinguished himself in the classroom. Killmon was an All-Academic selection for the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference.

Killmon, son of John Sr. and Pamela Killmon of Modest Town, played multiple positions when he was a member of Nandua's varsity baseball team.

"I was mainly a middle infielder and catcher," he said.

Killmon became a pitcher when he took his baseball career to the collegiate level.

"I played second base at first and then they transitioned me into a pitcher in the fall of my freshman year," he said.

"I spent a lot of time learning the proper mechanics. It was rough my freshman year and my stats showed it."

Killmon got progressively better on the mound each year. Unfortunately, during his sophomore year, the COVID-19 pandemic hit and baseball season got cancelled.



**Adolphus Ames**

"As a team, we were really good that year, too," he said. "My junior year was also lost to the COVID-19 pandemic. Many of my teammates transferred after that. We lost a lot of key pieces."

The team bounced back Killmon's senior year and tied the program record in wins.

He had one of his best seasons statistically that year, with a .87 ERA through 10.1 innings pitched. He allowed just two hits and struck out 10 batters.

His senior season ended early because of a shoulder injury.

In addition to his coaching, Killmon will also help students off the field when he returns to Nandua. He graduated from UMES with a degree in exercise science with a concentration in health and fitness, and will be a physical education teacher.

Killmon is drawn to the competitive nature and uniqueness of baseball.

"You can't run the clock out," he said. "You have to throw the ball to the other team. That's what I love so much about it."

He first fell in love with the ballpark at 4 years old when he began playing T-ball. Afterward, he played Little League and summer baseball every year.

As he prepares to embark on the next phase of his athletic career, Killmon reflected on a path that has him returning to his high school.

"Luke Brankley was my coach when I played at

## ~ Onancock ~

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year than last year, but not the skill set."

"Some of our younger guys are going to have to step up," said Vikings' defensive coordinator Roland Weeden.

Broadwater will open the season with a 2 p.m. home game on Saturday, Aug. 27 against Covenant High School.

## Nandua

The Nandua Warriors finished last season 2-7 and will step on the field this year without quarterback Chayce Wayman, wide receivers Tyler Greene and Kamari Harmon, and several other two-way players.

Dennis McCall will replace Tom Rotkowski as the Warrior's head coach. McCall is not new to the Warriors' system, having previously served as an assistant coach and head of the offensive and defensive lines.

"We're going to have a whole new offensive and defensive look this year," said Warriors' wide receiver and defensive back coach Deshawn Johnson. "It should be a challenge at first, but once we find our rhythm and get in the flow of things everything should be good."

Nandua will travel to Rappahannock for a 7 p.m. game Friday, Aug. 26 for its opening game.

## Arcadia

The Arcadia Firebirds, who went 1-9 last fall, will play this season without wide receiver and safety Anthony Taylor, running back and linebacker Jalik Downing, and 10 other players.

That means there will be plenty of opportunities for everyone.

"We have an entire new personnel," said Firebirds' head coach Alan Hall. "We have some kids that haven't played football in a couple years. We've got a whole new scheme this year."

Hall believes the Firebirds will be strong up front.

"I'm looking forward to the performance of our line the most," he said. "Our offensive and defensive lines are the best we've had since before the COVID-19 pandemic."

The Firebirds will travel to play Windsor to begin their season on Friday, Aug. 26 at 7 p.m.

## Chincoteague

The Chincoteague Ponies are looking to improve from their 0-9 record last year in eight-man football.

The Ponies will host Blessed Sacrament-Huguenot at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 26.

"We're looking most forward to the team's improvement," said Ponies' head coach Wyle Maddox. "Each game last year we improved and this year's preseason camp built on that."

The Ponies lost five seniors to graduation, but have incoming freshmen players to fill the void.

"We've changed our offensive and defensive schemes slightly because of better personnel," said Maddox. "Specifically, we have better speed."

# Late-summer red drum run has begun in lower bay

The calendar may still say summer, but the movements of the fish populations are more consistent with the beginning of the autumn season.

Cobia and spadefish numbers continue to decline inside the Chesapeake Bay, with the fish beginning to stage at the mouth of the bay and inshore ocean waters.

The late summer red drum run has begun in earnest in the lower bay from Occohannock Creek down to the waters off Cape Charles.

Speckled trout and puppy drum numbers are increasing on both sides of the lower Shore.



**Bill Hall**

## Chincoteague

Joanne Schoeberl, at Captain Steve's Bait and Tackle, put in a big plug for the shop's Youth Croaker Tournament, which runs through Aug. 27.

The tournament is open to anyone up to age 17. The entry fee is \$15 and participants will receive a hat and package of Berkley Gulp.

Proceeds from the tournament will benefit the Chincoteague Elementary School third grade. Prizes will be awarded to the top five heaviest croakers.

In addition, there will be a flounder division, with the largest flounder earning a \$100 Captain Steve's gift certificate. The second largest flounder will receive a \$50 gift certificate.

Schoeberl added that anglers were catching sharks off the beach, while flounder fishermen in Chincoteague Bay were doing "pretty decent!"

## Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul, at Trident Tackle, describes the flounder bite out of Wachapreague as "very good."

Berkley Gulp combined with live minnows have been a very effective bait combination, he added.

Small croakers and kingfish (whiting) are prowling the same areas as the flounder.

Flounder and black sea bass have been the primary catch over the ocean wrecks.

Captain Paul described the blue water trolling action for tuna and marlin as "slow."



SUBMITTED PHOTOS

**Above, John Wingblade and Kevin Sullivan with their sheephead. Below, Koby Sparrow with his red drum release.**



## Lower Shore

Dez Louie, at Oceans East-Eastern Shore, told me that bottom fishing for cobia has started to improve a little.

He credits a combination of fish feeding after spawning activity as well as fish fattening up in preparation for their migration.

Sight casting to fish on the surface still remains the most effective technique as increasing numbers of cobia are stacking up around the buoys and

bridge pilings.

A mixture of big red drum and cobia are being caught from Cape Charles to the fourth island of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel by anglers using croaker, spot, and peeler crab baits.

The best action has occurred during the late afternoon and early evenings. Large numbers of sheephead have been both boated and released over the last week with many coming from the Cabbage Patch and along the concrete ships.

Spadefish numbers and sizes seem to be on the decline as the fish are leaving the bay for the ocean waters. This week has produced some of the best flounder fishing of the year, with several fish exceeding the 6-pound citation minimum. Jiggling large grubs under the high rise has been an effective flounder-catching method. Bluefish, Spanish mackerel, ribbonfish, and even lizardfish have been feasting on schooling silversides.

Got-Cha plugs, Stingsilvers, and trolled spoons have produced easy limits of blues and macks. Puppy drum and speckled trout numbers are improving along the lower bayside creeks.

On the seaside, slot-limit puppy drum have started hitting shrimp and crab fishing under popping corks. Anglers fishing from the Kiptopeke Pier have landed Spanish mackerel, ribbonfish, lizardfish, sea robins, and some larger-sized croaker over the last week.

Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait & Tackle, bragged on the recent sheephead action, saying that the bridge-tunnel pilings, the Cabbage Patch, and the Cell have all produced trophy-sized fish on crab baits.

Many fish have exceeded 10 pounds. Brady described the recent cobia action as "OK," with sight casting live eels being the most effective method.

He said that bottom fishermen were dealing with unwanted ray and shark action on their cobia baits. The area between the Plantation Light and the Cabbage Patch has been productive on Spanish mackerel and bluefish for anglers trolling spoons. Spadefishing at the fourth island and around the Plantation Light remains good for anglers fishing small clam baits.

The late afternoon and evening run of big red drum off Cape Charles is off to a productive start for anglers soaking cut bait. Ribbonfish and small croakers have been the primary catch off the Cape Charles Pier.

The writer was the first Eastern Shore resident to achieve Virginia Saltwater Master Angler status. He has been named Virginia Saltwater Angler of the Year and the Virginia Saltwater Release Angler of the Year. He also has won Virginia Press Association awards for his columns.

# School board OKs cellphone policy

BY STEFANIE JACKSON  
Eastern Shore Post

The Accomack School Board on Tuesday night unanimously approved changes to its cellphone policy, which were recommended by Della Jordan, Accomack schools' coordinator of student services.

The updated cellphone policy allows for the establishment of "green zones," such as hallways and cafeterias, where student cellphone use is permitted, and "red zones," including classrooms, where it is prohibited.

Jordan said the policy changes were recommended with the expectation that if students have more opportunities to use their phones — for example, to check text messages in between classes — they will be less tempted to use their phones during

instructional time.

She noted the committee that worked on the policy wanted to find a way to decrease the number of violations and the frequency of teachers and school staff members confiscating highly valuable personal property.

School board member Jesse Spidel was concerned about teachers who, in accordance with the previous cellphone policy, were allowing students to use their phones in class in certain situations such as using the calculator to solve a math problem.

Jordan noted that the updated cellphone policy must be consistently enforced to be effective, and students do not need their phones to complete their class work, as they have access to other devices such as laptops.



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# Gayle named to dean's list

Bobbi Gayle, of Parksley, was named to the University of Maryland Global Campus dean's list for the spring semester.

## Marriage Licenses Issued

- Justin Andrew Wheeler, 34, and Carol Lynn Handwerk, 58, both of Exmore
- Justin Taylor Olderman, 29, and Anna Severin Bridgforth, 27, both of Washington, D.C.
- Ryan Thomas Scott, 25, and Susannah Elizabeth Morey, 26, both of Franktown
- Frederick Hunter Frey, 23, and Skylar Marie McFadden, 25, both of Salisbury, Md.
- Cherell Lasha Townsend, 32, of Horntown, and Jeffery Jerome Beach, 55, of Exmore
- Johannah Carole Wilkins, 31, and Donald Carl Confer, 31, both of Bellefonte, Pa.
- Cynthia Marie Sagan, 62, of Dallas, Pa., and Domenick Anthony Turse, 65, of Hunlock Creek, Pa.
- Daisy Leal, 28, and Isaias Gonzalez, 25, both of Goose Creek, S.C.
- Rosa Idalia Gonzalez, 35, and Manuel Utuy Chuc, 39, both of Goose Creek, S.C.
- Jen Marie Seddon, 65, and William Randolph Kidd, 68, both of Ann Arbor, Mich.
- Elaine Barbara Flynn, 62, and Colin Francis Nicholl, 65, both of Collegeville, Pa.
- Marie Elizabeth Rackley, 47, of New Church, and Baris Bahadir Savur, 26, of Pocomoke City, Md.



Over 80 people listen to one of the speakers at the Mary N. Smith Community Meeting.

## Mary N. Smith hosts community meeting

The Mary N. Smith Alumni Association and the Cultural Enrichment Center Project Management Team (PMT) hosted a community meeting, with approximately 80 residents and local and state officials in attendance, on July 21, to discuss plans for a contingently awarded community development planning grant.

Representatives from some of the center's occupants, including Savage Elite Hoops Academy, the Boys & Girls Club of Southeastern Virginia-Eastern Shore Club, the C & E Technology Lab, and members of the alumni association, provided tours of the center.

Attendees heard a presentation that

provided a historical perspective of MNS school and recent accomplishments of the center. Most of the meeting focused on the results of the online survey, priorities of the survey and the Alumni Association Board, and criteria of the contingently awarded planning grant.

Next steps include meeting the contingencies for receiving the \$50K planning grant, further forming and expansion of the PMT, and securing a request for proposal for architectural and engineering studies that will allow the PMT to move forward with requesting a community improvement grant. For more information, contact Leslie West at [beyondnumbersconsulting@gmail.com](mailto:beyondnumbersconsulting@gmail.com).

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# Community Notes

## Zumba Class

There will be a free weekly Zumba dance fitness class at Indiantown Park in Eastville on Wednesdays from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., and donations are accepted. Any donations will support the teacher as well as Northampton County Parks and Recreation. Bring water and wear comfortable clothes you can move freely in.

## Poker Run

The Chincoteague American Legion Riders Chapter 159 will hold a poker run Saturday, Aug. 20, to benefit our veterans through Operation Comfort Warrior and Freedom Hunters. Registration is 9:30 to 11 a.m., at Royal Farms on 33620 Chincoteague Road, Wattsville. The last bike in is at 3 p.m., at the American Legion on Chincoteague Island. There is a \$20 entry fee for riders; \$10 fee for passengers; and \$5 for extra hands. Prizes will be given for first, second, and worst hands. There will be food, a 50-50 raffle, and a silent auction. All are welcome two, three, or four wheels.

## Cape Charles Book Donation Drop Off

The Friends of the Cape Charles Memorial Library will host a book donation drop off for gently used books (for adults or children) for the Cape Charles Memorial Library. Drop them off Friday, Aug. 26, from 9 a.m. to noon, behind the Cape Charles Civic Center, 500 Tazewell Ave., Cape Charles.

These books will be sold at the next book sale in September. Proceeds from the book sales support the local library.

## Community Health Fair at Riverside

The Community Health Fair will be Tuesday, Aug. 23, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., at Riverside Eastern Shore Family Medicine, 10085 William F. Bernart Circle, Nassawadox. Residents may come to the free health event for COVID-19 vaccines and boosters, heart health and blood pressure checks, one-on-one education from healthcare providers, as well as education on health issues and options. For more information, call 757-442-6600.

## Al-Anon Meeting

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

## Northampton High School 50-Year Class Reunion

Members of the class of 1972 from Northampton High School will host their 50-year class reunion on Saturday, Oct. 15, in Machipongo. For additional information about the event, call or email Matt Kellam at 717-552-8560, mattkellam7@gmail.com; or Evelyn White Joynes at 757-505-6284, evejoy5@verizon.net. Join the Facebook page at Northampton High School Class of 72 Reunion.

## DWR Land Acquisition Public Meeting

The Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources (DWR) will hold an informational meeting Wednesday, Aug. 24, from 6 to 8 p.m., in classrooms 147/148 on the first floor of the main academic building at the Eastern Shore Community College in Melfa, regarding the state's acquisition of 8,500 acres of land in Accomack and Northampton counties for migratory bird habitat, fishing, hiking, hunting, and other compatible activities. The property, which will be managed primarily for native wildlife and public access, represents a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to conserve priority coastal habitat.

At the meeting, the DWR will present maps and provide details regarding the properties being acquired. Citizens will have the opportunity to sign up

and provide comments at the meeting and to ask questions during the meeting. Interested parties may also submit questions or comments in advance of the meeting via the online portal at [www.dwr.virginia.gov/eastern-shore](http://www.dwr.virginia.gov/eastern-shore)

## Walk to End Alzheimer's

The Walk to End Alzheimer's will be Saturday, Oct. 8, at 8 a.m., at Eastern Shore Community College in Melfa, or participants may walk in their own neighborhoods with family and friends. For more information on creating or joining a team, go to [https://act.alz.org/site/SPageServer?pagename=walk\\_homepage](https://act.alz.org/site/SPageServer?pagename=walk_homepage)

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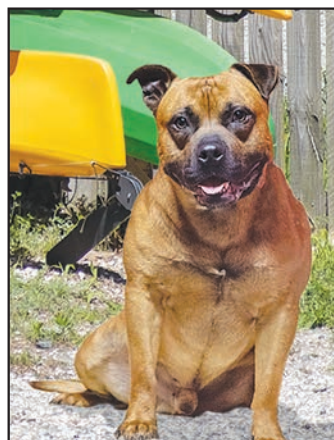
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Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting employment applications for:

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## Yard/Estate Sales

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## Yard/Estate Sales

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

HRSD Work Meeting for Wachapreague will be held Wednesday, August 31, at 7:00 PM, At VIMS Seaside Hall, 40 Atlantic Ave, Wachapreague VA.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING THE INTENTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF EXMORE, VIRGINIA TO PROPOSE FOR PASSAGE A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF A WATER AND SEWER REVENUE INTERIM NOTE IN A PRINCIPAL AMOUNT UP TO \$3,200,000

Notice is hereby given to all interested persons of a public hearing of the Town Council (the "Town Council") of the Town of Exmore, Virginia (the "Town") to be held on Monday, September 12, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as possible at the Meeting Room of the J. Guy Lawson Municipal Building, 3305 Main Street, Exmore, Virginia, 23350, concerning the intention of the Town Council to propose for passage a resolution entitled "A Resolution of the Town of Exmore, Virginia Authorizing the Issuance and Sale of a Water and Sewer Revenue Interim Note, Series 2022, and Providing for the Form, Details And Payment Thereof," authorizing the issuance of a revenue interim note of the Town in the estimated maximum amount of \$3,200,000. The proposed use of the water and sewer revenue interim note is to finance capital costs to improve the Town's sewer system and related costs, to be financed on an interim basis and then ultimately financed with a permanent financing through the United States Department of Agriculture. Persons may appear and present their views at the public hearing. A copy of the full text of the resolution is on file in the office of the Town Manager, J. Guy Lawson Municipal Building, 3305 Main Street, Exmore, Virginia, 23350 and is available for public inspection during normal business hours.

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### ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

Case No. CL22000234-00  
Accomack County Circuit Court, P.O. Box 126,  
23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301

BRITTANY LEE SMITH  
v. WOOD JERRY JEAN  
The object of this suit is:  
TO OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that WOOD JERRY JEAN appear at the above-named court and protect his interests on or before SEPTEMBER 28, 2022, at 9:00 A.M.

August 1, 2022  
Arisleydi J. Rodriguez, Dep. Clerk

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE  
COUNTY OF ACCOMACK

THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff  
CIVIL CASE NO. 22000339-00

vs.

The heirs and devisees of HANNELORE ALBRECHT  
MARA ARMSTRONG  
HEIKO ALBRECHT  
RAINER ALBRECHT  
RIVERSIDE HEALTHCARE ASSOCIATION, INC.  
dba RIVERSIDE HEALTH SYSTEM  
TOWN OF BELLE HAVEN, VIRGINIA

Defendants

#### ORDER OF PUBLICATION

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

All that parcel of land situate at Belle Haven, Accomack County, Virginia, being 0.75 acre, more or less and designated as parcel number 119A0A000004280.

standing in the names of Reinhard G. or Hannelore Calvin C/O M. Armstrong, pursuant to Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the names and location of all the heirs, devisees and successors in title of Hannelore Albrecht; that due diligence has been used to determine the location of Mara Armstrong and of Rainer Albrecht; that there are or may be other persons having an interest in the real estate forming the subject matter of this suit whose names and last post office addresses are unknown, namely, the unknown heirs, devisees and successors in title of Hannelore Albrecht; that the last known post office address of Mara Armstrong is 19523 Mink Farm Road, Onancock, VA 23417; that the last known post office address of Rainer Albrecht is Virginia; that Heiko Albrecht is a nonresident of the state of Virginia whose last known post office address is New Jersey.

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before September 10, 2022, at 9:30 a.m., in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 10th day of August, 2022  
Arisleydi J. Rodriguez, Dep. Clerk

I ask for this:  
JAMES W. ELLIOTT, p.q.  
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P.O. Box 1410  
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#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Chincoteague Town Council will hold a Public Hearing commencing at 7:00 p.m. on September 6, 2022, in the Council Chambers of the Town of Chincoteague, 6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague, Virginia, to afford interested parties the opportunity to be heard or present written comments concerning the following proposed Ordinance to vacate a property line of a recorded plat of subdivision in the Town of Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia.

#### AN ORDINANCE VACATING A PROPERTY LINE OF A SUBDIVISION PLAT

**WHEREAS**, the governing body of a municipality may vacate part of recorded plat after the sale of a lot shown on said plat pursuant to Section 15.2-2272 (2) of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended; and

**WHEREAS**, an Application has been filed by Bonnie Holloway Jones to vacate a part of a recorded plat of a subdivision in the Town of Chincoteague entitled "PHYSICAL SURVEY of LOT 16 and the Western One Half of LOT 17 OCEAN BOULEVARD DEVELOPMENT Chincoteague Island District Accomack County, Virginia for BONNIE HOLLOWAY JONES" which plat is recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, as Document Number 200705635; and

**WHEREAS**, the basis of said vacation is that:  
1. The property line between Lot 16 and western one-half of Lot 17 is a property line between two lots both owned by Applicant, Bonnie Holloway Jones.

2. That the said Bonnie Holloway Jones desires to remove the boundary line between the two lots to result in one parcel of land.

#### THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE:

1. That the division or property line between said Lot 16 and western one-half of Lot 17 as shown on a certain plat of survey entitled "PHYSICAL SURVEY of LOT 16 and the Western One Half of LOT 17 OCEAN BOULEVARD DEVELOPMENT Chincoteague Island District Accomack County, Virginia for BONNIE HOLLOWAY JONES" be and is hereby vacated, as shown on the plat attached to the Application. The "new plat".

2. That as the result of said vacation of property lines of former Lot 16 and western one-half of Lot 17 shall result in one (1) parcel of land as shown on the new plat.

3. That the Town Manager, after the time for an appeal of the adoption of this Ordinance has expired, or if appealed, the action of Counsel is upheld, shall cause a copy of this Ordinance to be recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office.

4. That the effective date of the Ordinance shall be upon adoption by the Town Council for the Town of Chincoteague.

Handicapped assistance available by calling (757)336-6519.

*Michael T. Tolbert  
Town Manager  
Town of Chincoteague*

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Chris and Krystine Hadley (VMRC #2022-0929) have applied for a permit from the Virginia Marine Resources Commission to construct 438 linear feet of bulkhead, no more than 2 feet in front of existing bulkhead at property (Tax Map #104-3-A, Bellevue Circle) adjacent to Burton's Bay in the County of Accomack.

Send comments/inquiries within 15 days to: Marine Resources Commission, Habitat Management Division, 380 Fenwick Road, Bldg 96, Hampton, VA 23651 or [jpa.permits@mrc.virginia.gov](mailto:jpa.permits@mrc.virginia.gov).

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Pursuant to Section 6 of the Accomack County Wetlands Zoning Ordinance, you are hereby notified of a Public Hearing that will be held in the Accomack County Administration Building Board Chambers, Room #104, 23292 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, Virginia at 10AM, Thursday, August 25, 2022, on the wetlands applications of:

**Bernard & Lisa Russell, Jr. - VMRC# 2022-1230**

This application is for the following described project:

**The portion of the project, which is in the Wetlands Board's jurisdiction, is the proposed installation of a series of sills along the shoreline. Approx. 170 linear feet of rock sill will have sand placed behind it and approx. 75 linear feet of rip rap revetment will be installed at the base of the embankment, located in Onancock, VA 23417, tax map#(s) 83B-A-1.**

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

## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, September 6, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. The purpose is to conduct regular business and review the following application to forward a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors.

**Minor SUP 2022-13:** Laurence Levin is applying for a minor special use permit to convert the second floor of an existing detached garage from a storage area to a two-bedroom, one bath accessory dwelling. The property is located 13543 Deerfield Trail, Machipongo, VA 23405. The property is zoned A/RB (Agriculture/Rural Business) and is further described as Tax Map 47-9-Y.

If the Planning Commission makes recommendation on the above and the application is not tabled, the Board of Supervisors shall also conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, September 13, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers. The application will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA.

Anyone wishing to comment on the above items is invited to attend the meetings and make their comments known. Written comments can be submitted to the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement/P.O. Box 538//Eastville, VA 23347.

Handicapped assistance available: Please telephone (757) 678-0440 at least 48 hours in advance.

## NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

THE ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2022 AT 10 A.M. IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS, ROOM 104, 23296 COURTHOUSE AVENUE, ACCOMAC, VIRGINIA, TO AFFORD INTERESTED PERSONS THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD OR TO PRESENT WRITTEN COMMENTS CONCERNING THE FOLLOWING:**

**A. SUSE-000324-2022: Chris McCabe - Tax Map #83B-2-D-3**

A hearing initiated by Chris McCabe to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-78(11) Travel trailers, located outside of travel trailer parks, which are to be occupied for habitation or storage of chattels. Mr. McCabe is representing the owners of this parcel who wish to dwell in an RV while they construct a dwelling. This unimproved parcel is located in the development of East Point and is Tax Map #83B-2-D-3 and is zoned Residential.

**B. APPL-000390-2022: Linda Hurley - Tax Map #84B-5-1&2, 84B-A-16**

An appeal initiated by Linda Hurley to appeal a Zoning Decision pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-252(1) which states the Board of Zoning Appeals shall hear and decide appeals from any order, requirement, decision or determination made by an administrative officer or zoning administrator in the administration or enforcement of this chapter or of any ordinance adopted pursuant thereto. Ms. Hurley is appealing the decision that the parcels in question are not "Non-Conforming Lots of Record". These unimproved parcels are located outside of Onancock, Tax Map # 84B-5-1&2 and 84B-A-16 and are dual zoned Agriculture and Residential.

**C. SUPV-000391-2022: Anne Kirkpatrick - Tax Map #84-A-44**

A hearing initiated by Anne Kirkpatrick to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-53(22) which permits an accessory dwelling and a Variance of 113 sq. ft. pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-1 which states no accessory dwelling may exceed 1,200 square feet in floor area. Ms. Kirkpatrick would like to place a 1313 sq. ft. accessory dwelling on the parcel. The parcel is located at 18192 Robbins Ln., Onancock, Tax Map #84-A-44, and is zoned Agriculture.

**D. VAR-000393-2022: Chris McCabe - Tax Map #83B-2-D-1&2**

A hearing initiated by Chris McCabe to request a variance of 10 feet pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-81 which states structures on all public rights-of-way shall be set back 50 feet or more from the edge of the right-of-way. Mr. McCabe is representing

the owners of the parcel who are building a dwelling on these unimproved parcels. They are located in the development of East Point, Tax Map #83B-2-D-1&2.

**E. SUPV-000394-2022: Richard Garlock - Tax Map #93-10-D**

A hearing initiated by Richard Garlock to request a Special Use Permit pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-53 which states a use of land not specifically listed as a use permitted by right or by special exception-special use in the agricultural district regulations, which is clearly similar and compatible with the uses listed therein and a 150 feet Variance pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-57 which states The minimum frontage for permitted uses shall be 150 feet at the setback line. Mr. Garlock would like to construct an accessory structure on this unimproved parcel that does not have any frontage on a public street. It is located outside of Onley, Tax Map # 93-10-D and is zoned Agriculture.

**F. Revocation Hearing for SUSE-000033-2020: GT Tires - Tax Map #79-A-32A**

A revocation hearing initiated by the Accomack County Board of Zoning Appeals pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-252(5) which states the board of zoning appeals shall have the power to revoke a special use permit if the board determines that there has not been compliance with the terms and conditions of the permit. No special use permit may be revoked except after notice and hearing as provided in Code of Virginia, § 15.1-495. GT Tires is in violation of several conditions of the SUP that was awarded in May 2020. It is located at 19336 Lankford Hwy, Parksley, Tax Map #79-A-32A and is zoned Agriculture.

**G. Revocation Hearing for SUP #10010 - Rt. 13 Auto - Tax Map #79-A-17A**

A revocation hearing initiated by the Accomack County Board of Zoning Appeals pursuant to Accomack County Code Section 106-252(5) which states the board of zoning appeals shall have the power to revoke a special use permit if the board determines that there has not been compliance with the terms and conditions of the permit. No special use permit may be revoked except after notice and hearing as provided in Code of Virginia, § 15.1-495. RT 13 Auto Repair is in violation of the SUP it was awarded in April 2015 by operating an unpermitted automobile graveyard at this location. It is located at 19045 Lankford Hwy, Parksley, Tax Map # 79-A-17A and is zoned Agriculture.

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

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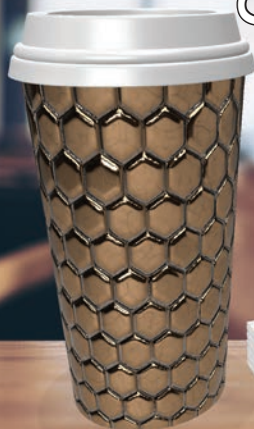
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that goal. She had barely started at ESCC in 2009 when disaster struck in the form of a terrible car accident. She said, “In addition to my children being injured in the crash, I suffered head injuries which resulted in some initial memory problems.”

As Danielle and her kids recovered, she worked as a nurse aide in home health, private duty, and rehab. “My memory issues had discouraged me from returning to my studies, so I concentrated on work and the recovery of my family,” she explained.

She first tried to return to college by enrolling at ECPI in 2016, but that didn’t work out for her. Three years later, in 2019, Danielle found her way back to ESCC to complete the prerequisites for the PN program.

But fortune turned its wheel again, as Danielle said, “This led right into the world

## “I Am An LPN”

going crazy with COVID-19 in early 2020. My kids having to remote learn brought my latest return to a screeching halt and once again I withdrew.”

In the spring of 2021, with only one class needed to complete the prerequisites for the PN program, Danielle received a letter admitting her into ESCC’s program. “I yelled with joy so loud my neighbors had to come check on me!”

Yet the wheel turned once more—Danielle suffered a fall and tore her ACL—but fortune favors the prepared. She said, “I showed up to my first class on crutches afraid I was going to be sent home, but my instructors, Ms. Bennett, Ms. Nordstrom, and Ms. Blake, all assured me that I would be fine and they would support me all the way.”

But Danielle still had to struggle through the injury and her education. She was unable to participate in clinical rotations at health-

care facilities, which put her many hours behind in her studies. This time, however, she had help. Danielle said, “I was ready to quit but the support I received kept me going through therapy and rehab, and I passed by board certification and officially became an LPN August 9 of this year.”

Danielle is now pursuing her RN on ESCC’s campus with the ultimate goal of becoming a nurse practitioner.

VP of Academics and Workforce, Dr. Patrick Tompkins, commented, “Danielle refused to quit on herself. That drive and the excellent care provided by our faculty demonstrates ESCC’s ‘YES!’ for student success.” He added, “Danielle’s story shows it’s never too late to pursue your dream through Your Eastern Shore Community College.”

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Brandon said, “I loved being at ESCC and getting used to college.” He continued, “I may be back to pursue some of the great opportunities that are happening at NASA-Wallops.”

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Dr. Patrick Tompkins, the VP of academics and workforce programs, added, “Walmart is advertising a starting CDL salary of \$100,000, and according to Indeed.com drivers who own their trucks average over \$188,000 in annual salary.”

He continued, “Whether a student is looking to reinvent themselves or answering a natural inclination like Brandon, Your Eastern Shore Community College has small



**Brandon Smith earned his CDL at 18 at ESCC, giving him a valuable skill in the workforce.**

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	Chinco. Channel	H 2:49 p.m. L 8:30 a.m.	H 3:45 p.m. L 9:25 a.m.	H 4:42 p.m. L 10:21 a.m.	H 5:37 p.m. L 11:18 a.m.	H 6:27 p.m. L 12:13 p.m.	H 6:41 a.m. L 12:57 p.m.	H 7:27 a.m. L 1:42 p.m.
	Gargatha Neck	H 3:45 p.m. L 9:15 a.m.	H 4:46 p.m. L 10:07 a.m.	H 5:46 p.m. L 11:00 a.m.	H 6:40 p.m. L 11:55 a.m.	H 6:52 a.m. L 12:48 p.m.	H 7:39 a.m. L 1:37 p.m.	H 8:22 a.m. L 2:22 p.m.
	Folly Creek	H 3:38 p.m. L 9:00 a.m.	H 4:39 p.m. L 9:52 a.m.	H 5:39 p.m. L 10:45 a.m.	H 6:33 p.m. L 11:40 a.m.	H 6:45 a.m. L 12:23 p.m.	H 7:32 a.m. L 1:22 p.m.	H 8:15 a.m. L 2:07 p.m.
	Wachapreague	H 3:05 p.m. L 8:36 a.m.	H 3:59 p.m. L 9:24 a.m.	H 4:58 p.m. L 10:15 a.m.	H 5:55 p.m. L 11:08 a.m.	H 6:45 p.m. L 12:02 p.m.	H 6:53 a.m. L 12:53 p.m.	H 7:40 a.m. L 1:42 p.m.
	Quinby Inlet	H 2:49 p.m. L 8:15 a.m.	H 3:50 p.m. L 9:07 a.m.	H 4:50 p.m. L 10:00 a.m.	H 5:44 p.m. L 10:55 a.m.	H 6:32 p.m. L 11:48 a.m.	H 6:43 a.m. L 12:37 p.m.	H 7:26 a.m. L 1:22 p.m.
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	Pungoteague Creek	H 5:36 a.m. L 12:02 p.m.	H 6:35 a.m. L 12:56 p.m.	H 7:39 a.m. L 1:54 p.m.	H 8:41 a.m. L 2:51 p.m.	H 9:34 a.m. L 3:44 p.m.	H 10:20 a.m. L 4:31 p.m.	H 11:02 a.m. L 5:14 p.m.
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	Occohan. Creek	H 5:24 p.m. L 11:21 a.m.	H 6:22 p.m. L 12:14 p.m.	H 6:33 a.m. L 1:08 p.m.	H 7:33 a.m. L 2:06 p.m.	H 8:32 a.m. L 3:02 p.m.	H 9:21 a.m. L 3:51 p.m.	H 10:03 a.m. L 4:34 p.m.
	Cape Charles	H 3:49 p.m. L 9:32 a.m.	H 4:48 p.m. L 10:26 a.m.	H 5:47 p.m. L 11:24 a.m.	H 6:43 p.m. L 12:21 p.m.	H 7:08 a.m. L 1:14 p.m.	H 7:54 a.m. L 2:01 p.m.	H 8:36 a.m. L 2:44 p.m.
	Kiptopeke Beach	H 3:33 p.m. L 8:57 a.m.	H 4:32 p.m. L 9:52 a.m.	H 5:31 p.m. L 10:50 a.m.	H 6:24 p.m. L 11:46 a.m.	H 6:47 a.m. L 12:39 p.m.	H 7:32 a.m. L 1:26 p.m.	H 8:14 a.m. L 2:09 p.m.

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### Last Week's Answers

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## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆

◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging  
 ◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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## Super Crossword

### NFL MIX-UP

**ACROSS**

1 Cheddar-like cheese	56 Headed up	93 NFL team whose logo is a cheese curd?	7 Lucky charm	48 Chachi player Scott	84 Like fillets
6 Pointy heel	57 Thurman of "Robin Hood"	58 NFL team whose logo is a steak?	8 "— done it!"	49 Volcano in Sicily	85 Movie-archiving org.
14 Catching with a lariat	58 NFL team whose logo is a steak?	98 Old film critic James	9 Fleur-de- —	50 Light meal	89 U2 vocalist
20 Love to bits	61 "— Fideles" (yule carol)	99 Justice Kagan	10 "A Nightmare on — Street"	55 "Who ya — call?"	90 Apartment sharer, to a Brit
21 Decorative park shelter	63 Go by ship	100 Oscar winner Witherspoon	11 Carrere of "True Lies"	57 Colorado tribe	91 Neat and wholesome
22 Intro	65 Pre-takeoff abbr.	101 NFL team whose logo is an amoeba?	12 Illuminator on a dime	58 Affront, informally	94 Nixing mark
23 NFL team whose logo is a red planet?	66 Biblical "ark-itect"	108 Arkin of film	13 Advent	59 Pupil, in Paris	95 High peak
25 Canadian metropolis	67 NFL team whose logo is a Lipitor pill?	109 San —, Italy	14 President on a dime	60 Suffragist — B. Wells	96 For every
26 Guitar ridge	72 Gillette razor	110 L-P link	15 Choose	62 "My Two Dads" actress Keanan	97 Old PC screen
27 Manning of the Giants	75 Rhinoplasty doc	111 Final Four org.	16 Floral parts	63 Karate teacher	98 Trojan hero
28 Co. kingpins	76 Nix from Nixon, say	115 "Honor Thy Father" author Gay	17 Nonsensical	64 Former name of Kazakhstan's capital	101 Birth-related
30 Cookout raiders	77 Like most slasher films	117 NFL team whose logo is a perfume bottle?	18 Pond wrigglers	65 Former name of Kazakhstan's capital	102 Thrill
31 NFL team whose logo is a prairie?	81 NFL team whose logo is a sword?	123 Lounging	19 Lawn stuff	66 "Moneytalks" rock band	103 Swansea locale
38 President of Syria	85 Diving seabird	124 Board, as a train	24 Catch on to	68 Prefix with 101-Down	104 Stockpile
41 Small-time	86 Wood chopper	125 Slabs	29 Baseballer Hersher	69 Ending for auction	105 Opposite of day, in Italy
42 Actresses Longoria and Mendes	87 Venus — (Louvre statue)	126 Alleviate	32 Tyrant Amin	70 Bridge beam	106 Soon to receive, as a treat
43 NFL team whose logo is a bracelet?	88 Brian of electronica	127 Half a school year	33 Light meal	71 Rile	107 Fa follower
48 Poet Jonson	89 Super-close buds	128 Really vexed	34 Prefix with cycle	72 "Moneytalks" rock band	108 Traffic marker
51 Estrada of "CHiPs"	91 Where a goatee grows	<b>DOWN</b>	35 Burglarize	73 You, quaintly	109 Singer Paul
52 D-Day invasion river	92 Just-OK mark	1 Baby cow	36 Actor Hugh	74 "The — of the Ancient Mariner"	110 Office helper: Abbr.
53 Here-there link		2 Smell	37 Artist's stand	78 Western lake	111 Iceland-to-Ireland dir.
54 Opposite of staccato		3 Be defeated	38 Amtrak train	79 Leaves	112 NASA lander
		4 "St. Elmo's Fire" bunch	39 Fathered	80 Concentrated	113 Chimp, e.g.
		5 Longing	40 Sarcastic	82 Put straight	114 Office helper: Abbr.
		6 King of wheat	44 Ladies' club policy	83 Taken eco-friendly measures	116 Iceland-to-Ireland dir.
			45 Target of the Million Mom March, for short		118 NASA lander
			46 What the weary have, in a saying		119 Chimp, e.g.
			47 Little cave		120 Denials
					121 Blast creator
					122 "Eureka!"

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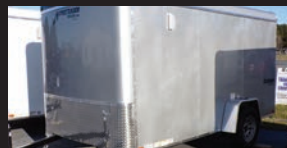
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