Accomack Would Like a Little Help From the State

By Cheryl Nowak

The Virginia Association of Counties (VACo), which is charged with protecting and promoting the state’s counties, has called on the commonwealth to use its newfound $261.9 million budget surplus to “reverse the shifting of state programs to localities and reinforce county budgets.”

And Accomack County would agree.

“I think it is a fair demand to make,” said Accomack County Finance Director Mike Mason, “that now with the state enjoying surpluses, they should begin to reverse the trend of shifting state programs to localities. If they created it, they should have to administer it and fund it.”

Among the unfunded state mandates and costs the state has turned over to its counties, VACo cites: Aid to Localities, which has been reduced; the Line of Duty Act (LODA), for which responsibility has shifted to the localities; pension changes, which now require employee benefits, but don’t fund them; and constitutional officer liability insurance, which localities must purchase from the state risk management program.

VACo argues, “LODA should be returned to the commonwealth and state pension reforms should not be mandated on local governments. Localities should not be mandated to purchase risk insurance from the state when comparable insurance at a lower cost can be purchased through competitive bidding.”

And when it comes to teachers, VACo notes, “The adopted FY2014 state budget mandates general funding for the VRS Board approved rates for teachers. This state cost is estimated to be $160 million in FY2014. A growing problem for localities is the past unfunded teacher pension liabilities. In previous years the state budget reflected funding for lower rates, thus leaving the teacher program with a growing liability. The state should assume its fair share of these liabilities that have grown in recent years.”

Additionally, localities are going to be required to claim unfunded liabilities for teacher retirement plans, which now stands at $15.2 billion.

Commenting on the situation with respect to Accomack, Mason said, “Just the few mandates mentioned (by) VACo ... cost county taxpayers approximately $1 million in FY13.”

“Each new mandate slowly siphons away the county’s ability to provide the core services most taxpayers associate with local government,” Mason added. “In fact, each of the past two Board of Supervisors meetings has included information on at least one new unfunded state mandate that Accomack has had to deal with. In June it was the new stormwater regulations that will cost Accomack County approximately $50,000 annually. In July it was the state’s VLDP program which requires the county to provide certain disability benefits to its employees.”

“Perhaps the most disturbing problem referenced,” said Mason, “is that of...”

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By Linda Cicoira

Police are looking for four suspects accused of forcing a Painter man into his home last week, robbing him and then shooting the family dog before fleeing.

Accomack Sheriff Todd Godwin said the incident on Shell Bridge Road was reported at around 1 a.m. July 23. The suspects are described as “black males, wearing dark colored clothing.” One had short dreadlocks, Godwin said.

When deputies arrived at the scene, it was determined that the victim, who was not identified, had been confronted by the masked men outside the house.

Godwin is asking anyone with information about the incident to call his office at 787-1131 or 824-5666. Tips also may be submitted through website www.accomackcountysheriffs.office.org.

The dog, Lefty, was taken to Atlantic Animal Hospital in Accomac for treatment. The veterinarian’s office posted information about the incident on its Facebook page. “She arrived at … hospital in shock and bleeding from a huge wound in her shoulder which tore up her muscles and shattered her humerus bone. She is doing very well after emergency treatment.”

That report, written in the words of Lefty, said the four suspects “entered my family home while my parents and the children were sleeping. They tried to shoot at my Dad — but I jumped in the way and the shotgun blast hit me instead.”

The posting also asks for donations because the family cannot afford to pay. “They want to get her home as soon as possible because the children are very afraid without her.”

Lassie’s got nothing on Lefty, now recuperating from his injuries.

~ State Mandates ~
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the unfunded teacher pension liability. Much of this liability was created by the state's decision to set annual contribution rates lower than those recommended by the Virginia Retirement System (VRS). ... This ‘kick the can down the road’ approach has resulted in a $15.2 billion net pension liability for the State’s Teacher Retirement Plan as of June 30, 2012. Since Accomack is required to fund a portion of teacher retirement contributions, we will ultimately pay for the state’s mistake. Recent information released by VRS places Accomack’s share of the current $15.2 billion liability at $52.3 million. With a liability this large, we can expect elevated contribution rates for the foreseeable future, again redirecting local tax dollars away from local initiatives.”

Re-Correction

Hard as this may be to admit, I need to correct my correction in last week’s paper. I beg forgiveness of the Wachapreague mayor, whose name I once again misspelled while supposedly correcting the previous week’s error.

His Honor’s name actually is Fred Janci. This, I trust, is correct or I’m turning in my editor’s credentials.

~Cheryl Nowak

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Here’s How Much They Make

By Linda Cicoira

The top-paid Accomack officials continue to make more money than in previous years while the starting salaries for deputies remain lower than for other law-enforcement agencies, according to figures gathered from county sources.

County Attorney Mark Taylor has the highest salary. He brings in $127,769 annually. In 2012 he made $120,822. That’s the same figure reported in 2008 for Taylor. In 2007, he was paid $117,875. Taylor is contracted by the Board of Supervisors.

Commonwealth’s Attorney Gary R. Agar holds an elected position. His annual salary is currently $120,903. That’s up from 2012 when he was paid $114,329 — the same as in 2008. The average pay for those who work in Agar’s office is $42,590.

County Administrator Dr. Steve Miner is paid $119,935 annually. That’s up $6,500 from last year. He also is a lawyer and has a contract with the county. In December of 2006, his salary was listed as $107,948. It was $110,647 in 2007. The average pay for the employees in his office is $40,416.

The salary for Circuit Court Clerk Sammy Cooper is $109,366, nearly $6,000 more than in December 2008. In 2006, Cooper earned $99,441. The average pay for his employees is $32,644.

County figures show Sheriff Todd Godwin brings in $103,474 annually compared to $97,847 last year. His predecessor, Sheriff Larry Giddens, made $105,459 a year in 2008. Former Sheriff Robert Crockett, who is now on the Board of Supervisors, made $105,845 annually in 2007 and $102,403 in 2006.

The annual pay for a newly hired Accomack deputy is about $28,235. After a year, that salary increases to about $30,860. A state trooper brings in about $36,200 in the first year and can make approximately $41,000 after an initial probation period, while an officer for the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries starts at $35,215 annually and after two years brings in about $37,000.

In addition, dispatchers who work for the sheriff’s office start with a yearly salary of about $23,725, while a state police dispatcher is hired at around $31,350.

There are more than 60 workers employed by the sheriff’s department. The average salary is about $34,110.

Finance Director Mike Mason has an annual salary of $90,840. That’s up from $85,900 in 2012. He oversees Central Accounting, which includes Information Technology. The average finance worker makes $51,202.

Director of Building & Zoning David Fluhart makes $78,936, up from $74,643 in 2012. The average pay for workers in his department is $36,211.

Commissioner of the Revenue Leslie Savage makes $76,176 or about $4,140 more than in 2012. The average salary for her employees is $29,217.

Treasurer Dana Bundick’s salary is $76,556. She made $72,393 in 2012 and has six employees with an average salary of $28,013.

Parks & Recreation Manager Wayne Burton makes $65,764 a year. That’s up from $62,188 in 2012. Bill Allen, the previous director of that department, was paid $74,366 in 2008. The average salary for employees is $29,894.

Director of Planning and Community Development Rich Morrison is paid $85,657. Morrison made $81,000 in 2012. The average pay in his office is $40,434.

Public Safety Director Jeff Terwiliger makes $78,857. He did not work for the county the last time the salaries were disclosed. His employees make an average of $42,775.

Public Works Director Stewart Hall makes $78,983 a year, up from $74,689 in 2012. Hall has 41 employees who make an average of $31,222.

County Assessor Brent Hurdle is paid $78,525, $4,270 more than in 2012. The average yearly pay in his office is $39,319.

Mason said the increases are due to state mandates. “This mandate shifted the 5 percent employee pension contribution rate from the employer to the employee, resulting in a 5 percent reduction in employee net pay. It also mandated that the county provide a matching 5 percent salary increase to cover this expense.”

“When we performed an analysis of the impact it would have on an employee’s net income, we determined that a 5.75 percent increase was needed to keep take-home pay from decreasing,” Mason explained.
Whom Do YOU Trust?

By Linda Cicoira

Accomack Supervisor Robert Crockett, the county’s former sheriff, and George McMath, former president of Atlantic Publications, were chosen by local residents recently as the most trusted people on the Shore.

Other top picks in an email survey conducted by the Eastern Shore Post were “Mom” and former Del. Robert S. Bloxom, who retired in recent years as the state’s first secretary of agriculture. Survey participants most often named Rev. Billy Graham and former Secretary of State Colin Klein of Keller.

J.W. Jeffries of Chincoteague Island picked Ralph Nadar for the countrywide title. Locally, he said, Maury Enright, a former English teacher at Chincoteague High School and the pastor of Wattsville United Methodist Church, got his vote of confidence.

“We love Michelle Obama,” Jeanne Whaley of Acomac said of her pick for most trusted American. She couldn’t always feel Robert Crockett was trustworthy also.

Bobby Carroll Huether of Pun-goteague said, “Everyone has his own agenda (so it is) hard to pinpoint just one in America.” But locally he put his trust in Attorney J. Nicholas (Nick) Klein of Keller.

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“We love Michelle Obama,” Jeanne Whaley of Acomac said of her pick for most trusted American. She couldn’t choose just one for the Shore. “Our area has a wonderful group of church and community folks who work together to help our local people,” Whaley wrote.

Dan Hillman of Locustville had a difficult time deciding. “Not because there are many choices, on the contrary, because there are so few to consider. … One of my favorite people is Charles Krauthammer not only for his intellectual brilliance but for the incredible challenge he faced and conquered following his accident that left him paralyzed.” Krauthammer is a Pulitzer Prize-winning syndicated columnist, political commentator and physician.

Hillman picked McMath as the most trusted local resident.

The survey also asked participants about their habits and abilities. The top choices for important summer attire were flip-flops, dresses, bathing suits and shorts.

Half the survey-takers said they wear hats regularly. About 87 percent consider themselves right-handed. Many did not realize that they have a dominant eye. Of those who were aware, 79 percent said their right eye is supreme. Half of the participants said they put their left leg in first when putting on their pants. Sixty-three percent put their socks on after their pants.

“Yes, wide brim (hats) in the sun,” said Belote. “I haven’t had a strand of hair on my head in 20 years. Got to have it.” Belote also has his own ritual for dressing. “This is going to seem weird, but a few years ago I started putting my socks on while standing on one foot at a time without touching anything. I was thinking it would help me keep my balance in my old age.”

Patrick McGuire of Onancock said he doesn’t need to wear a hat. His reasoning is simple. I still have a full head of hair.” He refused to divulge how he puts his pants on. It’s “none of your business,” he wrote.

Another man, who also never disclosed which leg he goes in first, was concerned that the answer might kick off some kind of psychological analysis. “I am fearful, now, of how I put my pants on!! My socks?? Never take them off, except to have them washed!!”

“I don’t often wear a hat except for hiking and sitting on the beach,” said Whaley. “Hats don’t seem to stay on my head in the wind as when I’m on an open boat. Sweatshirt and jacket hoods seem to be more practical for me. But I love hats. I think they look great. Women dressed up for church on Sundays with lovely hats look great. Oh yes and straw hats provide great shade while gardening.”

Linda Regula of Machipongo wears a baseball cap because “it keeps the sun off my face and when I get out of the pool I can hide my wild hair. I also wear a wide brim fishing hat to kayak. It keeps my ears from burning.” She chose flip-flops as her most prized summer clothing. “I have at least 15 pairs. After all, they are evening wear too.”

Fifty-seven percent said they bathe or shower in the morning. Twenty-one percent like to get clean at night and another 21 percent reported that they bathe at both times of the day. Seventy percent of the participants also disclosed that they sleep on the left side of the bed.

Survey takers also were asked the most interesting trivia they know. Vic Peppler of Wachapreague said, “Some perfumes use whale vomit as an ingredient.”

Belote said, “Pluto isn’t a planet anymore.”

“My family has had a direct bloodline to the Pungoteague area since the first Waterfield came as an indentured servant in the early 1700s at a mill near Taylor Creek,” said Huether. “He worked through his indentured service, then continued to work there until he had saved enough money to buy the mill.”

Vicki Weiskopf of Chincoteague reported, “There are as many as 300 seeds inside each mature Shasta daisy pod.” Debra Bergner of Hacksneck said, “My late father-in-law, Allen Bergner, was one of the five admirals who sat on the Board of Inquiry for the USS Pueblo.”
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A former Wachapreague resident was sentenced last week in Accomack Circuit Court to a total of 15 years for welfare fraud, according to court records.

Wanda Stratton, 33, of Goodward Road in Onley, who pleaded guilty to Walmart in Onley on Dec. 16, 2012; to grand larceny of property belonging Highway in Onley, who pleaded guilty to grand larceny of property belonging

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Christopher A. Bornaschella, 29, of Hampton Bays, N.Y., will not be prosecuted on a count of causing property to burn while being an inmate in Accomack Jail, according to records filed in Accomack General District Court. Bornaschella was in the facility for about 45 days after being picked up for an alleged Nov. 20, 2012, probation violation. He previously lived on Chincoteague. The jail incident occurred on June 21. He was charged six days later.

“I observed Mr. Bornaschella using his bunk to make tattoo ink,” William Hartshorn of Accomack County Sheriff’s Office (ACSO) wrote in a warrant. “After further investigation, I found that the bunk was burned in the process. Af-

Harold Ralph Snead III, 29, of Chincoteague was charged with two counts of felony property damage, as well as burglary and a third or subsequent offense of petty larceny. James Joseph Gooldrup, 18, of Chincoteague was charged with burglary and grand larceny that allegedly occurred on July 7. Lynise Onay Mears, 30, of Onley was charged with two counts of assault and battery of a police officer on July 14. Trae Preston Rantz, 18, of Oak Hall was charged with attempting to steal property valued at more than $200 on July 19 and felony property damage. Rontrez Marquese Savage, 20, of Parksley was charged with felony burglary on July 7. Corbin Desmond of Pocomoke, Md., was charged with grand larceny occurring July 15. Joseph C. Demarco, 56, of Atlantic was charged with a third or subsequent offense of shoplifting that allegedly occurred on July 17. Brian Thomas Taylor, 40, of Atlantic was charged with embezzlement on June 5. Quarmeine Deshon Bailey, 22, of Painter will not be prosecuted on counts of participating in a criminal act by a street gang and reckless handling of a firearm, occurring May 18. Mark Lannell Drummond, 29, of Colonna Road in Pocomoke, Md., will not be prosecuted on counts of distributing a Schedule I or II drug on Jan. 9. Court records also show he will not be prosecuted for possession with intent to distribute a Schedule I or II drug, transporting drugs into Virginia illegally, eluding police and destruction of more than $1,000 worth of property, all allegedly occurring May 9.

From left to right: Scott Schreiber, Tom Mears, Linda Gaskill, Adam James, Brian Laird, Shannon Sharp, Doug Cook

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Large Property Auction Starts Aug. 15

A U.S. Bankruptcy Court has approved the upcoming auctions of thousands of acres of farmland in Florida and Virginia beginning Thursday, Aug. 15. Assets to be sold include labor camps, packing facilities, homes, farm equipment, and trucks owned by East Coast Brokers and Packers, and the Madonia family and certain affiliates.

“Logistics dictated that some dates be changed ... to facilitate bidding on various types and locations of properties,” said Ken Nofziger, president of Murray Wise Associates, LLC, which will conduct the auctions in cooperation with Crosby & Associates, Woltz & Associates and Weeks Auction Company. “The biggest change is that the major farmland assets ... will be sold on separate dates. ... We felt it would be wise to streamline and simplify the process wherever possible,” Nofziger said.

Local auctions are planned for the following dates and locations:

- **Monday, Aug. 19, 3 p.m.** at the Aqua Restaurant, Cape Charles — Cape Charles area properties, including two luxury homes in Bay Creek, a colonial style house just south of Painter, and a home just west of Oyster, as well as a home surrounded by water on Marsh Island just outside Chincoteague;
- **Tuesday, Aug. 20, 1 p.m.** at Exmore Moose Lodge 683 — 31 properties (primarily farmland) totaling approximately 3,228 acres, produce packing houses, labor camps, and several homes in Accomack and Northampton counties;
- **Wednesday, Sept. 4, 9 a.m.** at Byrd Foods Packing House, Greenbush — live and online auction of farm equipment.

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Please visit www.tinyurl.com/esarecfieldday2013 to register for the event.

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If you are a person with a disability and desire any assistive devices, services or other accommodations to participate in this activity, please contact Carrie Potts at 757-414-0724 (TDD number: (800) 828-1120) during business hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. to discuss accommodations.

If you would like more information about this topic or are interested in sponsoring this event, please contact Lauren Seltzer at 757-414-0724 ext. 11 or email at mlpeyton@vt.edu.
Community Notes

The Chesapeake Bay Bridge and Tunnel (CBBT) District will hold a public information meeting Tuesday, Aug. 6, from 5 to 7 p.m. at Shore Financial Corporation Headquarters in Onley to discuss plans to accelerate construction of the Thimble Shoal Channel Parallel Tunnel as well as to increase the toll rate for bridge crossings.

The session will incorporate 15 informational stations that detail variables of the tunnel acceleration. Opportunities will be available to submit written comments to the CBBT Commission.

To view the information that will be available at the session, visit www.cbbt.com

Exmore Council Proposes Budget for Public Hearing

Ron West

Exmore Town Council continued to iron out the final details of the town’s FY 2014 budget at Friday’s special work session, the second in a week.

Town Manager Zeke Jackson presented the $1.7 million draft budget, asking council to schedule a public hearing on it. Council slated the hearing for Aug. 19.

Council agreed to a recommendation by Jackson to raise water and wastewater rates by $1.50 each month. Mayor Douglas Greer Sr. also recommended that council consider raising trash collection fees by $1 or $2 per month. The prospect of an increase in tipping fees by the county and the need for additional revenue to cover it prompted a discussion on raising trash collection fees. Additionally, council agreed on the need to charge customers who used more than one 96-gallon trash collection can.

Dave Scanlan recommended that council investigate the possibility of adding a recycling program in the town as has been done in other parts of the state. Having a company pick up the recyclables could cut the amount of trash that costs the town tipping fees.

Councilman Charles Ward recommended that the town seek additional customers for the water and wastewater services to increase funding. As in the past, Ward suggested that the town consider obtaining a truck to use for pumping septic systems in town, thus saving the cost of contracting with outside companies that bill the town.

A final question of the evening was raised about hiring a seventh town police officer. Greer responded that he is in discussions with the police chief regarding the need for the additional officer and that no final decision has been made.

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Addison Wallace earns Photography Award

Addison Wallace, a Nandua Middle School student, attended the 92nd Annual Virginia State PTA Conference in Richmond on July 13 to receive an award of Outstanding Interpretation for her photography entry in the 2012-13 PTA Reflections program.

In addition to the award granted to Addison, the following Eastern Shore students received a state award for their Reflections entries: Emma Cathey, Award of Excellence, Music Composition; Savannah Matthews, Award of Excellence, Photography; Chandler Webb, Award of Excellence, Visual Arts; Rebecca Pase, Award of Merit, Dance Choreography; and Liam Sherwood, Award of Merit, Literature.

Internist Joins Metomkin Clinic

Internist Azza Abdel Hak, M.D., is joining the medical practice at Riverside Shore Medical Center at Metompkin just north of Parksley.

Abdel Hak received her medical degree from the University of Damascus in the Syrian Arab Republic and completed an internal medicine residency at Lincoln Hospital Medical Center in New York, N.Y. She is fluent in English and Arabic.

Abdel Hak is familiar with the area because her husband, Dr. Foad Aban-deh, joined Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital last year as a hospitalist. “I like the area, quiet and green, and I like the people here,” she said. “I’m excited to be a part of the Riverside family.”

Abdel Hak joins Dr. Dante Richardson at the Metompkin practice. She will begin seeing patients on Aug. 22.

“My focus is on adult patients of all ages,” she said, “helping them to manage chronic illness such as diabetes, high blood pressure, hyperlipidemia and obesity, as well as preventing illness in the first place. Through education, I’ll help patients be in charge of their medical condition so that they can stay healthy or work toward a healthier lifestyle.”

Davis Named VIADA VP

At the recently held convention of the Virginia Independent Automobile Dealers Association, Jamie Davis of Davis Auto Center in New Church was elected secretary of the 850+ member association.

Davis will assist the president of the VIADA during the coming year and support the staff as they inform, educate, and represent independent dealers.
Mrs. Mildred Elizabeth (Beth) Parks Graham, 89, died in her sleep Tuesday, July 9, 2013, at Gracemore Nursing and Rehab in Brunswick, Ga.

Born in Onancock, she lived in the house her grandfather built. She graduated from Onancock High School and from nursing school in Baltimore, Md., as an R.N. She married the love of her life, Richard (Dick) Graham Sr., and enjoyed life as a Marine wife and registered nurse as they traveled across the country to various duty stations. Mrs. Graham was very proud to have been a tour guide at The Claiborne Horse Farms in Kentucky, home of Secretariat and Seabiscuit.

After her husband retired from the Marines, she was director of nursing at the hospital in Phenix City, Ala. The Grahams retired home to Onancock.

Mrs. Graham is survived by her son, Richard Stuart Graham Jr. (Debbie) from Brunswick, and her granddaughter, Lindsay Leigh Graham of Gainesville, Ga.; nephews, J.D. Ball (Bonney) of Virginia Beach, Va., and Bill Ball (Kati) of Baltimore; niece, Jeanne Burger of Norfolk; several grandchildren; and one grandnephew.

Memorial services will be conducted Sunday, Aug. 4, at 3 p.m. from Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, and a graveside service will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, Aug. 5, at Mount Holly Cemetery; both locations are in Onancock.

Memorial donations may be made to Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 66 Market St., Onancock, VA 23417. Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com.

Arrangements were made by Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Mrs. Emma Marion Tilghman, 87, of Exmore passed away Wednesday, July 24, 2013, at her residence.

A native of Exmore, she was the daughter of the late James Rosser Marion and Gladys Bell Marion Richardson. Mrs. Tilghman was a retired teacher’s assistant for Northampton County Public Schools and a member of Exmore Baptist Church.

Mrs. Tilghman was predeceased by her husband, Cecil Francis Tilghman Sr.; and a grandson, Harry Tilghman.

Survivors include her children, Margaret Smith (and husband, Jim) of Craddockville, Cecil F. Tilghman Jr. (and wife, Darlene) of Painter, Julie Ann Tilghman Culbertson (and husband, Jerry) of Crisfield, Md., and Tracy T. Dunn of Onley; sister, Jean M. Parker (and husband, Jerry) of Culpeper, Va.; five grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 27, at Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore, with Rev. Jonathan Carpenter officiating. Interment was in Belle Haven Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to Exmore Baptist Church, 11624 Occohannock Rd., Exmore, VA 23350. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com.

Mrs. Gillian Mary Foltz, 69, of Exmore passed away Tuesday, July 23, 2013, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Nassawadox.

Born in Holbeach, St. Johns, England, she was the daughter of the late Arthur Stanley Stevenson and Gladys Jones Stevenson Cleaton. She grew up in Bargoed, Wales, studied nursing at the Royal Cardiff Infirmary, and delivered more than 900 babies as a nurse midwife. She also traveled the world as a captain in Queen Alexandria’s Royal Army Nursing Corps and served as an R.N. at both Virginia Beach General Hospital and Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Foltz is survived by her husband, Randall Foltz; children, Joriel Carwen Foltz (and husband, Ben), of Seattle, Wash., and Dreagn David Foltz (and wife, Carrie) of New York, N.Y.; sister, Marjorie Ann O’Brien (and husband, John) of Canberra, Australia; brother, John Edward Stevenson (and wife, Megan) of Tenby, South Wales, U.K.; and grandchildren, Sagan Foltz Haley, Kepler Foltz Haley and Dashler Bayley Foltz.

A celebration of life will be held on Mrs. Foltz’s 70th birthday, Saturday, Sept. 28, at 1 p.m. at St. Paul on the Shore Lutheran Church in Hailwood.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army at www.SalvationArmyHRVA.org or Salvation Army, Tidewater Area Command, 5525 Raby Rd., Norfolk, VA 23502. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com.

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Mr. Morris is survived by his loving wife, Doris “Susie” Morris; sons, Tommy Morris (and wife, Michelle) and Richard Morris (and wife, Maggie), all of South Dakota; step-son, Michael Baker (and wife, Mindy); step-daughter, Terri Tilghman (and husband, Timmy); grandchildren, Jami, Rachel, Heath, Jackie and Michael Morris; step-grandchildren, Shane and Chad Tilghman; sister-in-law, Rhonda Morris; and several nieces, nephews and cousins. He was preceded in death by his brother, Tommy Morris.

Funeral services will be private.

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

Arrangements are by the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

Animal Lover Dies

Mrs. Joan Beach Williams, 54, of Onancock, formerly of Northampton County for many years, passed away Friday, July 26, 2013, at her residence.

Born in Warrenton, Va., she was the daughter of the late Norman T. and Jewel Upshur Beach. She was a graduate of Broadwater Academy and a homemaker, who greatly enjoyed gardening and her pets, including her “four-legged” friends, Darla Faye, G. Puddin’ Lee, Dakota, B.B., Deany, her favorite, Rosie, and others who showed up on any given morning, all of whom provided her much happiness. Mrs. Williams will be remembered for her kindness and compassion shown to her family and friends.

Survivors include her husband, Clark Hickman Williams; her sons, Will Mears (and partner, Mandi Moore) of Eastville, with whom she was greatly anticipating the arrival of her first grandchild; brother, Tad Beach of Machipongo; several cousins, including Claudia Bagwell of Onancock and Nan Mears of Texas; and best friend, Emily Custis.

A memorial service was conducted from Market Street United Methodist Church in Onancock Tuesday, July 30, by Rev. Robert M. Chapman II.

Memorial donations may be made to the SPCA, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418; or to Hospice of the Eastern Shore, 165 Market St., Suite 3, Onancock, VA 23417. Memory tributes may be shared at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Roses Retiree Dies

Mary Elizabeth Byrd Ames Croom, affectionately known as Bisper, 82, of Nassawadox, formerly of Exmore, died Friday, July 26, 2013, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Nassawadox.

A native of Exmore, she was the daughter of the late Charles L. Byrd Jr. and Elizabeth Turner Byrd. She was a beloved mother, grandmother, homemaker, sales associate for Roses Department Store in Onley for 17 years, accomplished bridge player and member of Belle Haven United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her children, Peggy A. Parks (and husband, Jimmy) of Machipongo, Ruth A. Soccio (and husband, Joe) of Newark, Del., Charles P. Ames Sr. (and wife, Jean) of Exmore, Paige T. Ames (and wife, Suzanne) of Exmore, and Cheryl C. Conrow (and husband, Jeff) of Cape Charles; sisters, Jean Page Steelman (and husband, David) of Acacoma, and Nancy B. Brown of Monticello, Ky.; 14 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a sister, Peggy Byrd.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, July 30, at Doughty Funeral Home by Rev. Jeff Conrow. Interment was in Belle Haven Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to a charity of your choice. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Former Postmistress Dies

Mrs. Connie Duer Bonniwell, 77, of Belle Haven passed away Saturday, July 27, 2013, at her residence.

A native of Belle Haven, she was the daughter of the late Calvin R. and Melfa Retiree Dies

Mrs. Nancy Ann Custer, 76, of Harborton passed away Saturday, July 27, 2013, at her residence.

Born in Baltimore, Md., she was the daughter of the late Clarence Lee Lichliter and Ruth Taylor Lichliter.

Mrs. Custer was predeceased by her husband, Maurice Custer Jr.; and a son, Jonathan Custer. She is survived by her son, Jeffrey Custer (and wife, Nancy) of Jacksonville, Fla.; daughters, Nancy Barker (and husband, Tom) of Laurel, Md., and Barbara Custer of Harborton; sister, June Hilbert of Florida; brother, Durwood Lichliter (and wife, Bernadine) of Kent Island, Md.; 10 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren; and daughter-in-law, Linda Custer.

Funeral services will be held at a later date in Ellicott City, Md.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of the Eastern Shore, 165 Market St., Suite 3, Onancock, VA 23417.

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

Arrangements were made by Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

Melfa Resident Passes Away

Mr. Frank Aloysius Savannah, 93, a resident of Melfa for the past 21 years, formerly of Port St. Lucie, Fla., and Bayville, N.J., passed away Saturday, July 27, 2013, at his residence.

Born in Newark, N.J., he was a son of the late Frank A. and Louise Harding Savannah. Mr. Savannah was an electrical instructor in the Belle Glade, Fla., prison system, and had worked as an electrician at Fort Monmouth in New Jersey. He was a devout Christian and a current member of Rock Church of the Eastern Shore. Mr. Savannah served in the U.S. Marines in the Pacific Theatre during World War II, aboard the USS CVE 113 Puget Sound, which was among the first ships to enter Tokyo Bay, Japan, around 1945.

Mr. Savannah was predeceased by his wife, Mary Ella Vanote Savannah; two sisters, Elaine Oest and Jacquelyn Zollo; and a grandson, Shane Savannah. Survivors include his children, Dawn Schneider (and husband, Roger) of Bedford, Va., Frank W. Savannah of Destin, Fla., Harry Savannah (and wife, Karen) of Milesburg, Pa., Dean C. Savannah (and wife, Jani), and Mark M. Savannah, all of Melfa; grandchildren, Carrie, Donna, Frankie, Michelle, Andrea, Brian, Christian, James, Leslie, Tom, Paul, Spring, Jess, Matt, Amanda and Kristen; 32 great-grandchildren; brother, Richard Savannah (and wife, Betty) of Port Jervis, N.Y.; and several nieces and nephews.

There was a visitation at Williams-Onancock Funeral Home Wednesday, July 31. Funeral services will be conducted from O’Brien Funeral Home in Wall Township, N.J., Saturday, Aug. 3, at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Fairview Cemetery in Middletown Township, N.J.

There will be a visitation at O’Brien Funeral Home tonight, Aug. 2, from 7 until 9.

Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of the Eastern Shore, 165 Market St., Suite 3, Onancock, VA 23417; or to Rock Church of the Eastern Shore, P.O. Box 830, Onley, VA 23418. Memorial tributes may be shared at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com or www.obrienfuneralhome.com
Lot 3, Folly Creek, Daugherty
For $157,000
• From George Harris
To Idalia Ramirez
Lot 15, Block 1, Smith’s Development
Project north of Accomac
For $10,000
• From George, Phyllis & Marielle Gough
To Harry Lovejoy
Lot 225, Unit 1, Trails End
For $2,000
• From Brenda Loprete
To Sharon Dutton and Lonnie Knisley
Lot 463, Unit 1, Trails End
For $12,000
• From Michael and Donalyn Parker
and Herman Walker
To Donald and Kelly Minniear
Lot 66 at Bay Creek
For $45,000
• From Marilyn Chandler and Mary Samuels
To Timothy and Karen Parker-Bishop
12307 Commonwealth St. in Exmore
For $10,000
• From Jeanette and Robert Kauffman
To Lloyd and Susan Thatcher
Lot 193 at Vaucluse Shores
For $289,900
• From Gerald and Margaret Hutchings
To Horton Gafford
Lot 2 at Kings Creek Landing
For $235,000
• From Barbara Jones, Robert Jones,
and Pamela Lilliston
To Jenna and Michael Bassette
Property in Nassawadox
For $101,000
• From the Virginia Housing Development Authority
To Edward Cummings
3249 Wardtown Rd. in Exmore
For $79,900
• From Jackie and Mary Simmons
To Susan McKinney
Property near Eastville
For $133,000
• From The Jack Everett Wilkins Revocable Living Trust
To George and Roseann Chin
Lot 101 in Bay Creek
For $20,000
• From Federal National Mortgage Assn.
To Thomas Rich

Property Transactions

To receive public comment on the proposed FY 2013-2014 Budget

| Unrestricted Beginning Balance | N | N | N | N | $ 468,967.00 |
| Restricted Beginning Balance | N | N | N | N | $ 53,702.00 |
| Total Beginning Balance | N | N | N | N | $ 522,669.00 |
| General Fund Revenues |
| Taxes | N | $ 913,532.00 | N | $ 881,985.00 | $ 906,706.00 | 2.80% |
| Zoning Income | N | $ 90.00 | N | $ 792.00 | $ 440.00 | -44.44% |
| Police Fines | N | $ 261,593.00 | N | $ 405,000.00 | $ 288,800.00 | -28.69% |
| PPTRA | N | $ 11,200.00 | N | $ 11,200.00 | $ 11,200.00 | 0.00% |
| Misc Income | N | $ 5,893.00 | N | $ 11,091.00 | $ 5,000.00 | -54.92% |
| Grants, Categorical and Non | N | $ 47,958.00 | N | $ 49,762.00 | $ 49,762.00 | 0.00% |
| Misc Police | N | | N | $ 4,809.00 | $ 2,000.00 | -58.41% |
| Income Other | N | $ 679.00 | N | $ 35,454.00 | $ 36,877.00 | 4.01% |
| Total General Fund Revenue | $ 1,228,130.00 | $ 1,240,945.00 | $ 1,228,130.00 | $ 1,400,093.00 | $ 1,300,785.00 | -7.09% |
| Enterprise Fund Revenue |
| Water | $ 253,000.00 | $ 295,673.00 | $ 253,000.00 | $ 120,435.00 | $ 240,604.00 | 99.78% |
| Sewer | $ 153,000.00 | $ 153,275.00 | $ 153,000.00 | $ 58,740.00 | $ 133,688.00 | 127.59% |
| Sanitation In General Fund | $ 88,570.00 | $ 58,740.00 | $ 42,068.00 | $ 95,094.00 | 126.05% |
| Transfer from General Fund | $ 33,635.00 | $ 33,635.00 |
| Total Enterprise Fund Revenue | $ 439,365.00 | $ 537,518.00 | $ 439,365.00 | $ 221,243.00 | $ 469,386.00 | 112.16% |
| Total Revenue | $ 439,365.00 | $ 1,778,463.00 | $ 1,667,495.00 | $ 1,621,336.00 | $ 1,770,171.00 | 9.18% |
| Total Funds Available | $ 1,621,336.00 | $ 2,292,840.00 | 41.42% |
| General Fund Expenditures |
| Administration | $ 266,237.00 | $ 389,026.00 | $ 266,237.00 | $ 336,924.00 | $ 422,665.00 | 25.45% |
| Police | $ 550,151.00 | $ 506,361.00 | $ 550,151.00 | $ 516,890.00 | $ 386,785.00 | -25.17% |
| Transfer to Enterprise Fund | $ 33,635.00 | $ 33,635.00 |
| Public Works | $ 246,360.00 | $ 279,772.00 | $ 285,570.00 | $ 337,105.00 | $ 252,403.00 | -25.17% |
| Firemen's Fund | $ 9,343.00 | $ 9,416.00 | $ 9,416.00 | 0.00% |
| Total General Fund Expenditures | $ 1,228,130.00 | $ 1,184,502.00 | $ 1,135,593.00 | $ 1,200,335.00 | $ 1,136,032.00 | -5.36% |
| Enterprise Fund Expenditures |
| Water | $ 177,285.00 | $ 160,046.00 | $ 177,285.00 | $ 171,677.00 | $ 252,403.00 | 47.02% |
| Sewer | $ 262,350.00 | $ 162,167.00 | $ 262,350.00 | $ 206,487.00 | $ 289,978.00 | 40.43% |
| Sanitation In General Fund | $ 38,485.00 | $ 37,243.00 | $ 469,386.00 | $ 81,985.00 | $ 120.14% |
| Total Enterprise Fund Expenditures | $ 439,365.00 | $ 360,698.00 | $ 439,365.00 | $ 415,407.00 | $ 624,366.00 | 50.30% |
| Surplus | $ 1,676,495.00 | $ 1,545,200.00 | $ 1,575,228.00 | $ 1,615,742.00 | $ 1,760,398.00 | 8.95% |
| Total Ending Balance | $ 69,646.00 | $ 92,437.00 | $ 5,593.00 | $ 9,773.00 | $ 522,669.00 | 532,442.00 |
What is Lyme disease?
Lyme disease is a tick-borne illness caused by infection with the bacteria Borrelia burgdorferi.

How is Lyme disease spread?
The bacteria that cause Lyme disease are transmitted through the bites of infected ticks. In the Eastern U.S., the only tick known to spread Lyme disease is the blacklegged tick (formerly called the “deer tick”). Spread of the Lyme disease bacteria from an infected tick to a person is not likely to occur unless the tick has been attached to the person’s body for at least 36 hours. Lyme disease is not known to be spread from one person to another.

What are the symptoms?
Typical symptoms include fever, headache, fatigue, and a characteristic skin rash called erythema migrans (pictured). If left untreated, infection can spread to joints, the heart, and the nervous system.

How is Lyme disease diagnosed and treated?
Lyme disease is diagnosed based on symptoms, physical findings (e.g., rash), and exposure to infected ticks; laboratory testing is helpful if used correctly and performed with validated methods. Most cases of Lyme disease can be treated successfully with a few weeks of antibiotics.

How can Lyme disease be prevented?
Steps to prevent Lyme disease include using insect repellent, removing ticks promptly, applying pesticides, and reducing tick habitat. The ticks that transmit Lyme disease can transmit other tickborne diseases as well.

Before You Go Outdoors
Know where to expect ticks. Ticks live in moist and humid environments, particularly in or near wooded or grassy areas. You may come into contact with ticks during outdoor activities around your home or when walking through leaf litter or near shrubs. Always walk in the center of trails to avoid contact with ticks.

Products containing permethrin kill ticks. Permethrin can be used to treat boots, clothing and camping gear and remain protective through several washings.

Use a repellent with DEET on skin. Repellents containing 20 percent or more DEET (N,N-diethyl-m-toluamide) can protect up to several hours. Always follow product instructions. Parents should apply this product to their children, avoiding the hands, eyes, and mouth.

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• Shower soon after being outdoors.
• Check your body for ticks after being outdoors.

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### FRIDAY, AUGUST 2

- **10 a.m.** - Duplicate Bridge - Sage Restaurant, Onley - 442-2474
- **5-8 p.m.** - Station 1 Pizza Night - 4264 Firehouse St., New Church - $8/pizza
- **6 p.m.** - Celebrate Recovery Group mtg. - Family Life Center, Onancock - Meal: $6/single or $10/family
- **7 p.m.** - Life Teach Series - Rachel/Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
- **7:30 p.m.** - Bingo (doors open at 6:30 p.m.) - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 3

- **Cape Charles Clam Slam (Saturday & Sunday)** - Cape Charles harbor
- **9 a.m.** - Zumba Class - Chincoteague YMCA - $5 - 336-3535
- **9:30 a.m.** - Mary N. Smith Alumni Assn. mtg. & Election of Officers - Mary N. Smith High School, Accomac
- **9:30 a.m.** - (Registration & last bike out at 11 a.m.) - Poker Run - Cycle Creations, New Church - 709-9176
- **noon-2 p.m.** - Backpack Giveaway - The Cellular Connection, Exmore & Pocomoke
- ***Community Cookout* - New Hope Community Church & Outreach Center, 27205 Saxis Rd.
- **7:30 p.m.** - Bingo - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

### MONDAY, AUGUST 5

- **10 a.m.** - TOPS mtg. - Market Street UMC, Onancock - 787-3635
- **11 a.m.** - Northampton Chapter AARP mtg. - Cheriton Rescue Squad
- **noon** - AA mtg. - St. George’s Episcopal Church, Bobtown Rd.
- **5-6 p.m.** - Al-Anon mtg. - Market St. UMC, Onancock
- **6 p.m.** - Bingo - Elks Lodge, Tasley
- **6:30 p.m.** - Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg. - Grace UMC, Parksley

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7

- **7:45 a.m.** - Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley
- **9:30-11 a.m.** - Parent Workshop: Surviving Middle School (Morning Session) - Arcadia Middle School, Oak Hall
- **10:30 a.m.** - Arts & Crafts Time - Cape Charles Memorial Library
- **11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.** - Debedeavon Toastmasters’ mtg. - NASA/Wallops Base - Contact Owen Hooks at 824-1941 for base access.
- **2 p.m.** - Children’s Story Hour - E.S. Public Library, Accomac
- **3:30 p.m.** - Chess Club - Cape Charles Memorial Library
- **5 p.m.** - Kids Movie Night - Cape Charles Memorial Library - 331-1300
- **6:30-8 p.m.** - Parent Workshop: Surviving Middle School (Evening Session) - Nandua Middle School, Onley - 854-2824
- **7 p.m.** - Northampton Parks & Rec. Line Dance Classes - Indiantown Park, Eastville - $5/person - 678-0468
- **7 p.m.** - AA & Al-Anon mtgs. - RSMH, Nassawadox
- **7:30 p.m.** - Bingo - Painter VFC
- **7:30 p.m.** - AA mtg. - Downing’s Methodist Church, 7291 Lankford Hwy., Oak Hall

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 8

- **10:30 a.m.** - Children’s Story Hour - E.S. Public Library, Accomac
- **2 p.m.** - Children’s Story Hour - library, Nassawadox
- **6 p.m.** - TOPS VA-550 mtg. - Zion Baptist Church, Social Hall, Parksley - 787-2903
- **6:30 p.m.** - Kiwanis’ Club of Chincoteague mtg. - St. Andrew’s Catholic Church
- **6:30 - 8:30 p.m.** - GED Class - Classroom A-51, ESCC, Melfa
- **7 p.m.** - NA mtg. - Painter Garrisons UMC
- **7:30 p.m.** - AA mtg. - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 66 Market St., Onancock

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

- **9:30 a.m.** - AA mtg. - Old Onancock School, 6 College Ave.
- **noon** - Annual Stratton Family & Friends’ Day - Grace IMC, Wachapreague
- **2 p.m.** - Bingo - VFW Post 2296, Tasley
- **3 p.m.** - Family & Friends’ Day - First Baptist Church, Mappsville
- **3 p.m.** - 10th Anniversary Celebration - New Hope Community Church & Outreach Center, 27205 Saxis Rd.
- **7:30 p.m.** - AA mtg. - Christ UMC, Chincoteague

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

- **9 a.m.** - Al-Anon mtg. - St. Andrew’s Catholic Church, 6288 Church St., Chincoteague
- **10 a.m.** - Bingo - Accomack Sr. Village, Onancock - 787-3900
- **5:30 p.m.** - New Student Orientation - ESCC, Melfa - Students wishing to obtain an ESCC photo id may arrive at 4:30 p.m.
- **5:30 p.m.** - TOPS mtg. - Belle Haven Presbyterian Church - 442-9776
- **6 p.m.** - Rachel Leah Ministries - 787-2486
- **6 p.m.** - Bingo - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA
- **6:30 p.m.** - AA mtg. - Trinity UMC, 109 Plum St., Cape Charles
- **6:30-8:30 p.m.** - GED Class - Classroom A-51, ESCC, Melfa
- **7 p.m.** - Onancock Business & Civic Assn. mtg. - Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church, Onancock
- **7 p.m.** - Vietnam Veterans’ E.S. Chapter 614 mtg. - Chapter Bldg., 25534 Main St., Onley
- **7 p.m.** - NA mtg. - Jerusalem Baptist, Temperanceville
- **7:30 p.m.** - Bingo - smoke free - Cheriton VFC
- **7:30 p.m.** - Al-Anon mtg. - Atlantic UMC - 824-5386
- **7:30 p.m.** - Central Masonic Lodge mtg.

### AARP Safe Driving Program

An AARP Driver Safety Program class will be held Monday, Aug. 19, and Tuesday, Aug. 20, at The Hermitage in Onancock, from 1 to 5 p.m. There will be an auto insurance discount for three years. The price is $12 for AARP members and $14 for non-members. Send check payable to AARP to: Brooks Wallace, P.O. Box 475, Belle Haven, VA 23306. Call 442-7211 before mailing check and to sign up.

A new volunteer instructor will be needed beginning in 2014 as this is the last year Wallace will be teaching the class. Call 442-7211 for more information on how to become an instructor.
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The many tributes to Robert Savage following his recent death at the age of 54 mostly mention one common word — humility.

That is certainly how I recall him from covering sports over 30 years ago. It would be hard to say I have a favorite athlete from the six-year span I covered sports on the Shore from 1974 to 1980, but Robert would easily be in the top five.

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Robert's athletic ability when recalling him. “Robert was such a gentleman, a well-mannered young man who took his education seriously,” Thomas remembers.

Robert played football at VMI, and after leading his team in receiving his sophomore year and averaging 15 yards a catch his junior year, in addition to being the team's top punt and kickoff returner, he switched to defense his senior year because the defensive secondary had been depleted by graduation.

In 1978 it was Savage who made a 45-yard circus catch that helped the VMI Keydets defeat the Virginia Cavaliers 17-9 for the third year in a row. He also had a 70-yard touchdown return that season, averaging 25.1 yards on kickoff returns.

When asked to switch to defense, Savage was, as he had been in high school, a coach’s dream.

The VMI football media guide from 1980 said “his tremendous athletic talent and great attitude as a team player helped him make the switch with ease.”

He made 35 solo tackles that season with 11 assists and two interceptions.

But football wasn’t all that Robert played at VMI.

According to the 1981 VMI yearbook bio for Savage, he played baseball his freshman year and JV basketball his junior year and ran track his senior year, while making the Dean’s List his junior year as an economics major.

Robert’s nickname at Atlantic was “Coco,” but it soon was shortened to “Coke” at VMI, where almost everyone had a nickname.

Andrew Kolesar, a VMI classmate and leading environmental-law attorney in Cincinnati, recalls being impressed with Savage’s ability on the court.

“The VMI basketball team would have been very pleased to have Coke on the squad, but that would have been very difficult for Coke given his football commitments as well as his academic and other responsibilities at VMI. I remember Coke as a very well-grounded, mature and honorable classmate and as a fine gentleman. I can honestly say I never heard an unkind word spoken by or about Coke,” says Kolesar, a starter on the Keydets’ basketball team, Academic All-American, and member of the VMI Sports Hall of Fame.

Donny White, then the assistant football coach and now the athletic director at VMI for the past 15 years, recruited Savage and convinced the school to give him a football scholarship after watching him play pickup basketball at Atlantic.

“There was no football film on Robert, but after watching him play basketball, I told the coaching staff we did not have anyone on the team with the athleticism of Robert,” White said.

Savage returned to the Eastern Shore following his VMI career, passing up opportunities to leave the Shore so he could help his mother, Galina, who had lost her husband, Robert Savage Sr. He also was dedicated to his wife, Glynis, and daughter, Kyesha. A former production supervisor with Perdue Foods, Savage was most recently employed with Valley Proteins when he was diagnosed with cancer about seven months ago.

At the funeral, about 15 of his VMI classmates, or Brother Rats, as they call themselves, attended the overflowing service at St. Paul’s Church in Atlantic. Donald “Corky” Mitchell, Savage’s roommate at VMI, knew Robert (Bobby to his family) as “Coke.” He also knew him as “a gentleman, a man of deep faith, a true friend who absolutely never let you down, the ultimate optimist and a great leader.”

In his reflections on Robert to the congregation, Mitchell added, “The only thing I could fault my friend was the fact he was far too humble.”

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By Bill Sterling

White Bite, captained by Wayne Evans, won the 32nd annual Eastern Shore Marlin Tournament last weekend out of Wachapreague. It was the first time in the club’s history that a boat had repeated after the White Bite also won last year’s tourney.

Twenty-two boats entered the tournament, with White Bite landing three of the seven marlin caught in the tourney. Jazmine Evans, 13, caught the first white marlin of the tourney and earned the Junior Angler Award. Kris McGlothlin and Ron Anson also caught marlin on the White Bite, a 33-foot Bertram owned by Wayne and Kate Evans.

Miss Molly was the second boat overall with one white marlin landed. Relentless won third place with a white marlin release. Ties were broken by the earlier fish caught.

The largest tuna was a 78.6 pound yellowfin caught by Shawn Gibson on the American Maid, captained by Billy Gingell.

The largest wahoo was 66.6 pounds, caught by Craig Bohlman on the Caneelin, captained by Randy Bohlman. Mark Bohlman, also fishing on the Caneelin, caught the largest dolphin at 14.4 pounds.

Dan Wilt, fishing on the Relentless with Mike Lewis, caught an estimated 600-pound blue marlin on Saturday and earned a Catch of Merit award.

Edge Rider, captained by Scott Peterson, earned top boat honors on Sunday with a white marlin release by Warren Kibbler.

Don Varney, owner of Don’s Tackle Shop on Wachapreague Road, won the Bob Fate Award, given to a member who has worked tirelessly for the club. Varney has been a major supporter of the tournament.

A moment of silence was observed for Ray Parker, a longtime Wachapreague charter boat captain who often fished in the tourney and was generous in providing information to club members. Capt. Parker passed away earlier this year.

Roger Matthews, longtime member of the club, served as emcee. Ron Anson is the club’s president.
Richardson Competes at National Junior Olympics

Preston Richardson placed 23rd out of 54 competitors at the National Junior Olympics in Greensboro, N.C., last weekend with a throw of 144’3” in the discus and 27th out of 45 in the shot put with a throw of 48’8”.

Richardson, a rising senior at Broadwater who was ranked in the top 10 in both events among all Virginia competitors this season, was well under his personal best in both events at the national meet.

Richardson, a co-captain, had attended football camp with his Broadwater teammates at the University of Virginia earlier in the week and had been busy this summer with work and weightlifting sessions for football. According to his father, Richardson did his best to overcome fatigue and a lack of practice, but could not match his best performances this season.

His season-best discus throw of 167’10” would have placed fourth at the national meet.

In the shot put, Richardson had two fouls among three throws with only one toss counting. His personal best of 55’5.5” would have placed him eighth in the event.

Broadwater track coach Eric Hack made the 10-hour trip to see Richardson compete in the discus.

Richardson plans to enter indoor events following the football season.

Webb Earns First Saves with RiverDogs

Former South Carolina standout Tyler Webb picked up the six-out save, his first as a Charleston RiverDog, and allowed a run on one hit with three strikeouts in a 3-2 win over the Greensboro Grasshoppers last Saturday night.

Then on Wednesday Webb earned his second save with a two-inning effort in a 3-1 win over the Hickory Crawdads. Webb allowed one hit and a run to earn the save.

Webb, a 2009 Northampton graduate, has struck out 16 batters in 13 innings for Charleston after not allowing a hit in five innings for Staten Island before being promoted from Rookie League to Class A.

In addition to the save last Saturday, the 6-foot, 6-inch southpaw has a 1-1 record with two holds as a reliever.

Charleston is in the same league as the Delmarva Shorebirds of Salisbury, Md., but does not have the Shorebirds on its schedule for the remainder of the season.

Webb is the son of Kirk and Kristen Webb of Nassawadox.

At South Carolina, Webb made third-team All-American with 17 saves this season. He also set a career record as a pitcher with 110 appearances.

If you would like your ad to run in the Post’s Sports Section, call 789-7678.
**Nolz Soccer Camp Aug. 5-9**

Paul Nolz, head soccer coach at Nandua High School, will be hosting his 27th annual soccer camp at the Onancock School Aug. 5-9, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Athletes will be divided by age and ability into smaller groups. Participants must bring water, shoes and a well-marked ball.

For information, call 787-7625 or 787-7415 or email rock.church.onley@verizon.net

**Youth Flag Football**

Northampton County Parks and Recreation is offering a youth flag football league for ages 5 to 16. Players will learn the fundamentals of football and will put their skills and talents to the test during weekend games.

The league will begin play Sept. 14 at Indiantown Park. Weekly practices will start Aug. 5. Practice days will be up to the coaches. Registration is open until Friday, Sept. 6, by 4 p.m.

The department is looking for volunteer coaches for this program.

For more information about this new program or coaching, call 678-0468 or email parks@co.northampton.va.us

**Accomack Youth Football Announced**

Accomack County Parks and Recreation is accepting registration for its 2013-14 Youth Football Program. Parents may register their child/children at the Parks and Recreation offices from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday or Saturday, Aug. 3, at Nandua High School from 9 a.m. to noon. The registration fee is $65 per child. All participants must have a current physical. The age groups are 5-8, 9-11 and 12-14. Participants must weigh at least 60 pounds.

A mandatory parent meeting has been scheduled for Aug. 10 at 10 a.m. at Nandua High School.

Contact Parks and Recreation at 898-3900 or log on to Accomack Parks and Recreation’s website for additional information.

**Arcadia Booster Club to Meet**

Arcadia High School Booster Club is having the first 2013-14 school year meeting at 5:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 5, in the cafeteria. All are welcome.

**Northampton practices**

Practices for Northampton varsity and JV football will begin Monday, Aug. 5, at 8 a.m. Varsity and JV field hockey practice will start that day at 5:30 p.m. Varsity and JV volleyball will begin Aug. 5 at 8 a.m. Boys’ and girls’ cross country practice will begin Wednesday, Aug. 14, at 7 p.m. Golf begins Monday, Aug. 5, at 10 a.m. at Bay Creek Golf Club.

Athletes must have current physicals before reporting to practice.

**Broadwater To Host Football Jamboree**

Broadwater Academy will host the first annual Eastern Shore High School Football Kickoff Jamboree on Saturday, Aug. 17, at 5 p.m.

Arcadia, Chincoteague, Nandua, Northampton, and Broadwater have been invited to participate. The Kickoff Jamboree will feature scrimmage as well as game type playing conditions, with game officials.

Cheerleaders and pep bands are invited. Broadwater will have its snack bar open. Admission is free at the Broadwater football field in Exmore.

**CTA Offers Free Tennis Lessons**

The Community Tennis Association will give a free tennis lesson on Tuesday, Aug. 13. Lessons for adults (16+) will be from 9 to 10 a.m. and for youths (7-15) from 10:15 to 11:15 a.m. Participants must wear tennis shoes. Racquets will be provided for those without.

Call Debbie Ullmann at 410-292-7872 or Rick Willis at 757-894-4068 for more information and to register. Walk-ons will be permitted as space and equipment permit.

**Travel Softball Team Sign-ups**

The Eastern Shore Thunder travel 16U softball team will be holding tryouts for all interested on Sunday, Aug. 11, and Sunday, Aug. 18, at 2 p.m. at Nandua High School. The coaches also are looking to add a 10U, 12U or 14U girls’ softball team and a 14U boys’ travel baseball team. Tryouts for these age groups will be on the same date.

Call Keith Justis at 757-710-1164 or Billy Davis at 757-710-3976 if there are any questions.

**Soccer Camp**

Northampton Parks and Recreation Department will host a Challenger Sports soccer camp Aug. 5 to 9 in Eastville.

Information is available online at pbrierley@challengersports.com or contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 678-0468.
Pungoteague Ruritans Hold Bayside Poker Run on Placid Seas

The Pungoteague Ruritan Club’s 2013 Bayside Poker Run held Saturday, July 27, featured 20 small boats cruising the Chesapeake Bay in this seventh annual navigational competition.

A crowd estimated at 100 people attended the bayside cook-out awards celebration at Monadox Point on Nandua Creek at the end of the day.

This year’s small-boat competition once again included the “Chesapeake Challenge” as the navigational component of the event. This challenge required the crew of each boat to compete in a physical activity at each checkpoint. This year’s activities at checkpoints included a crab pot emptying competition, Cornhole, life ring-throwing and a croquet competition on the lawn at the Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club checkpoint.

When the final points appeared on the leader board, the Whatever, captained by Bob Loving of Onancock Creek, was declared the winner with a score of 147 points out of a possible 169. Runner-up scores of 146 were posted by Capt. Sam Sellard’s crew of the Mean Jean, Capt. Mark Freeze’s crew of the Margaritaville Express and Capt. Gil Griffith’s crew of the Sho’ Nuff. Griffith’s pontoon boat was also labeled by the crowd as the “most spirited” entry in the event for its “pirate” style boat décor.

The “Chesapeake Challenge” prize was $375 and poker-hand winner Wanda Custis of Nandua Creek won a weekend vacation prize of equal value while making the run aboard her 22-foot pontoon boat, Some Beach.

Thanks to the generosity of Davis Wharf Marine, International Auto, Don’s Tackle Shop, Eastern Shore Outfitters, Exmore Western Auto, HW Drummond, Island House Restaurant, K&E Marine, Sandpiper Marine, Shore Marine, Kool Ford, Sea Hawk Sports, Shore Tire, Seaworthy Marine, E.S. Animal Hospital, Big’s Restaurant, and Wachapreague Marina, hundreds of dollars worth of additional “dock prizes” were won by various participants.

Lucky raffle winners also went home with a Karen Pruitt print, a Billy Crockett carving, and a Willie Crockett original painting. In addition to thanking the businesses for their contributions, event coordinator Paul Custis also expressed appreciation to the three artists, as well as Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 12-2, the Eastern Shore Post, Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club, Occohannock on the Bay, St. George’s Episcopal Church, WESR Radio, the Eastern Shore Post, Guy Doughty, and East Point Marina for helping to make the event possible.

Carla Lauer of Hacks Neck received a huge thank-you from the crowd for hosting the awards ceremony at her home on Bay Breeze Farm overlooking the Chesapeake Bay and Nandua Creek.

The activities portion of the Bayside Poker Run was won by Bob Loving and his crew. Paul Custis, Poker Run coordinator (second from right), presents the first-place check to the crew, which included (from left) Jayanne Bridges, Loving, Sherry Sterling, Vicky Loving and Laura Mackie.

Proceeds from this year’s annual event will go toward the club’s handicapped access ramp projects and its scholarship program. The Pungoteague Ruritan Club builds wheelchair ramps for citizens in need in the club’s service area as part of its community service outreach activities and also awards college scholarships to local students.

Wanda Custis won the poker hand in the Bayside Poker Run with a straight. Ruritan member Glenn Sterling confirms the winning hand.

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Announcements

Wesley Smith
They say there is a reason & that time will heal.
But neither time or reason will change the way I feel.
For no one knows the smiles.
Special memories will always be with us.
You touched so many people with your love & kindness.
We will always love & miss you Wesley.
Mom, Edward, Lisa & boys

FREE SEMINAR & BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES
Makesi Anyika comes to share his six-figure success from working a typical 9-5 job to creating financial freedom, better health and more family time. Join us Saturday, August 10, 2013 at Holiday Inn Express & Suites, 3446 Lankford Highway, Exmore, VA 23450. Seminar times: 12 pm and 3 pm. Please RSVP to: accomackcounty29@gmail.com

Help Wanted

FT Clinical Unit Manager - RN or LPN
Heritage Hall Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center – Nassawadox, managed by American HealthCare, LLC is seeking Full-time Clinical Unit Manager candidate for our 145-bed center, located at 9468 Hospital Avenue in Nassawadox, Virginia.
As a Clinical Unit Manager, you will be responsible for supervising and directing the nursing staff and nursing aides in rendering resident care services. Candidates must have an ASN or BSN from an accredited nursing program, and hold an active RN or LPN license in the state of Virginia. We offer a highly competitive salary and benefits. Please send your resume to alewis@ahc.cc or mail to P.O. Box 176, Nassawadox, Virginia, 23413 or call the facility at 757-442-5600 to set up a confidential interview.
Applications will also be accepted in person at 9468 Hospital Avenue in Nassawadox, Virginia.
Equal Opportunity/ADA/Affirmative Action Employer.

FT Universal Certified Nursing Aide Positions
Heritage Hall Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center – Nassawadox managed by American HealthCare, LLC seeks FT Certified Nursing Aides for our 145-bed center, located at 9468 Hospital Road in Nassawadox Virginia.
As a Universal Certified Nursing Aide, you will be responsible for the direct care of residents. Your responsibilities include providing physical, psychological and social support as a primary caregiver. This position is unique from any other C.N.A. position. In this position you are required to perform activity duties and housekeeping duties. This position also pays a higher hourly rate than the regular C.N.A. position.
Qualified candidates must have good communication skills, capability to recognize and respect residents’ abilities and promote their individuality, and work as a team player. Must have completed an approved certified nursing aide program or possess a valid CNA license in the state of Virginia.
We offer a flexible work schedule combined with the security of working for an established company. Send resume to alewis@ahc.cc or mail to P.O. Box 176, Nassawadox Virginia 23413 or call the facility at 757-442-5600 to set up a confidential interview.
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Kiptopeke State Park has Seasonal Job Openings for the Following:

Trades Technician I (Maintenance) performs the recurring grounds care, maintenance, light construction, and cleaning tasks necessary to operate State Park facilities. Includes cleaning bathhouses, mowing grass, raking/removing leaf litter, trash and litter removal, cleaning campsites, cabins, meeting facility, linen storage building and office, cutting and stocking firewood for sale. Basic knowledge of hand- and power-tools required. A valid driver’s license is required.

Applications available at Kiptopeke State Park office located at 3540 Kiptopeke Drive, Cape Charles, VA 23310.

Landscape Foreman F/T, year round. Must have valid VA driver’s license. Must have good communication skills and be a team player. Pay based on experience. Call 757-678-5600. Se habla espanol.

FT Experienced Veterinary Assistant Wanted - Lower Northampton Ct. Please fax resume to 757-216-9253.

Arcadia Nursing & Rehab Center Full-time Director of Nursing Contact info: Apply within (757)665-5555 or email resume to sue.myatt@afshealth.org.
Arcadia Nursing & Rehab Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Arcadia Nursing & Rehab Center Dietician Contact info: Apply within (757)665-5555 or email resume to sue.myatt@afshealth.org.
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SALES
Great opportunity for hard-working, energetic person. Work from home. Computer literate, Internet access preferred.

Automotive Sales
New car dealer on VA Eastern Shore looking for experienced sales associate to expand our new and used car sales. Call Ross Kool at Kool Ford for more details. 757-787-1209

Carpenter Needed- Must have experience, hand tools, transportation & valid driver’s license. Call David Williams @ 693-0517

Kool at Kool Ford for more used car sales. Call Ross Kool @ 693-0517

BOAT WHEELS - 4-blade, 1 pair, 19” x 23-1/2” shaft. $650. Call 757-999-3437 & leave message.

BOAT WHEELS - 3-blade, 1 pair, 22” x 23-1/2” shaft. $650. Call 757-999-3437 & leave message.


30’ Sportscraft 300 Sea Eagle. Updated 350 Vortex 315 h.p. Low hrs. Reduced to $10,000 OBO. Selling due to illness. 854-1834

'98 Sunbird Cutty-Cab - 130 h.p. Evinrude, 222 hours, w/trailer. $5,000. 757-709-1191, leave message.

2005 22’ FT Trophy Pro - W/A, 150 h.p. Mercruiser Saltwater, color d/f/g/p/s., Bimini cover & full cockpit enclosure. 1 new batt., seat covers, exc. cond., $11,500. NOW $16,500. 757-999-0002

17’ FT Center Console Pro-Line - w/115 h.p. Johnson. Great shape! 757-710-6459

83 Chris-Craft - 31’ Commander, flying bridge, twin TAMD 41 Volvo diesels, low hours, all new electronics, offshore fishing gear available. $17,000. Call 757-999-0002

For no one knows the smiles.
Special memories will always be with us.
You touched so many people with your love & kindness.
We will always love & miss you Wesley.
Mom, Edward, Lisa & boys
**Rentals - Houses**

**ONANCOCK** - Small 2BR house, LR/DR area, 1BA, Kit. w/appl., 1 yr. lease, 1 mo. sec. dep. $875/mo. Call 757-767-1045.

**Nelsonia** - 4BR, 2BA, Central Heat/Air, W/D hook-up, $900/mo. + sec. Call 757-894-1025 after 6 p.m.

**EXMORE** - 2BA w/ garage, central heat & air, $775/mo. 757-705-7204. M & M Property Management.

**HOME FOR RENT** - 1,900 sq. ft., gas heat, central air, 3BR, 2.5BA, Ige, open kit./den combo, Ige LR, master bed & bath, 2 sheds w/at-home office, over 1 acre lot in nice area between Atlantic & Temperenceville, VA. $800/mo. w/$800 sec. dep. No programs. Call 757-824-3212.

**BLOXOM** - 2BR, 1BA, Central heat & air, No programs. $675/mo. + sec. dep. 710-1104.

**2BR, 2BA, 2-STORY HOME in bayside village of Barborton, 9 mi. south of Onancock, $850/mo. w/util. Some pets welcome. Call for appointment: 757-709-9483**

**2BR FURNISHED HOUSE IN ONANCOCK** - 1BA, furnished, handicap-easy access, no pets. $800/mo. 757-710-0070.

**LOCATED OUTSIDE MELFA** - 2BR home for rent - no pets - $750/mo. + security. Call for details: 757-787-3199.

**ONANCOCK (Mgmt. Prosp.)** - $750/mo. Call 787-3516.

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### Room for Rent

**ONLEY** - Quiet location near Walmart. $250-350 (includes utilities & Wi-Fi.) 757-710-8526.

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### Seniors

**ATTENTION SENIORS**

Has there been a significant change in your life? Have you recently been hospitalized? Do you know what options are available? Call the Eastern Shore Area Agency on Aging for information and assistance at 442-9652.

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### Affordable Rates

**Call 994-3151**

**100% ORGANIC MULCH IN BULK**

You pick up or we deliver.

**442-7540**

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### Services

**MOVERS** - Load & unload rental trucks & storage. Full service pack & move. Hourly or flat rates. Local or long distance. 442-7575.

**PARKING**


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### Sporting Goods

**CASH FOR GUNS** - Highest prices paid. Licensed dealer. 38 years. 757-442-5459.

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### Storage

**NANDUA MINI STORAGE**


**Video Surveillance**

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### Vehicles - Cars, Trucks, RVs

**TOY HAULER FOR SALE** - 415 Road Warrior by Heartland. Only used 3 times. 3-7TVs, refrigerator, 1.5BA, generator, $50,000. Located in Painter, 442-8785.

**WILLY’S ARMY JEEP** - Runs, needs work. $4,500. Call 787-9151 or 787-8456.

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### Vehicles - Motorcycles


**‘94 HARLEY FAT BOY APEHANGERS** - Triple Exhaust, 6,773 miles. Asking $9,500. Call 757-709-9112 or 757-709-4963.

**BMW MOTORCYCLE - K100RS** - 52K miles. Has bags, fairing, & windshield. $3,000 OBO. 50 m.p.g. Call 757-694-5332.

**2007 HARLEY DAVIDSON - Super Glide Custom. 2100 miles. Garage kept. $4,600.00. Now Only $13,000. 710-8676 (After 4 p.m. only, please)**

**‘05 SPORTSTER HARLEY** - 2,000 miles, Blue, $7,500 negotiable. Excel. cond. 757-710-9107.

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### Yard/Estate Sales

**ONANCOCK EASTPOINT** - Estate Sale. Sat., August 3. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. 15280 Locust St. The gentleman of the house was an avid fisherman, sports car enthusiast & book collector. The workshop is full of tools & fishing tackle. The vintage car, fishing & other magazines go back as far as 1952. House is full of furniture & 2 upright freezers. Watch for pink & black signs. Be sure to check the website for pictures & more information. www.rare-line.com.

**SAT., AUG. 3 & AUG. 10** - 8 a.m.-7 p.m. Lee St., Melfa. Small appliances, Christmas, radios & more.


**MULTI-FAMILY YARD SALE** - Sat., Aug. 3. 12 Church St., Wachapreague. 7 a.m.-1 p.m. Golf clubs, slot machine, antiques.

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**LIST YOUR YARD SALE STARTING AT ONLY $10**

Call The Eastern Shore Post at 757-789-705.
ORDER OF PUBLICATION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
Acomack County Circuit Court
23316 Courthouse Avenue Acomack, VA 23301

in re
WILLIAM THOMAS MERRITT
v. BEATRIZ MONTEIL MERRITT

The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that BEATRIZ MONTEIL MERRITT appear at the above-named court and protect her interests on or before SEPTEMBER 9, 2013.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
Acomack County Circuit Court
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in re
HARRY N. CROCKETT, JR.

The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that the object of this suit be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA

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 lying on the County Road leading from Craddockville, being 0.25 acre, more or less, and designated as parcel no. 10900A0000900.

standing in the name of Southey W. Wright, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 of the Code of Virginia.

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 August 30, 2013 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 17th day of July, 2013
Nancy-Jo Revell, Deputy Clerk

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

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TERMS: Announcements made at auction time take precedence over any print, electronic, or verbal information, including but not limited to the Minimum Bid. Successful bidder will be required to deposit with Trustee a deposit (non-refundable) in an amount equal to Minimum Bid or 10% of successful bid (whichever is greater) in cash or certified funds at time of sale, with the closing to occur within thirty days of the date of said sale. Written one-price bids will be accepted for any of the properties pursuant to the terms set forth in Va. Code § 55-516. There is no warranty relating to right, title, interest, or the like in this disposition. Property is being sold pursuant to Va. Code § 55-516, and title will be conveyed pursuant to statute and subject to all liens or encumbrances as provided in said statute. All information for review by appointment only or one hour prior to auction time at auction location. Notwithstanding the Minimum Bids set forth above, the Trustee reserves the right to accept and/or reject all offers. Time is of the essence. Other conditions may be announced at the sale.

TRUSTEE: Pender & Coward, P.C.,
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Email: capcove@pendercoward.com
In the July 26, 2013 issue of the E.S.Post, The Town of Exmore posted Ordinance No. 178 in error.
Effective August 5, 2013 the Town of Exmore will enact and enforce Ordinance No. 188 “An Ordinance to Establish Rules and Regulations For Water Conservation Under Normal Conditions and Water Emergencies and Conservation”. The Ordinance prohibits the unauthorized use of water that includes but is not limited to the following:
- Watering of outside shrubbery, trees, lawns, grass, plants, home vegetable gardens, or any other vegetation except from a watering can or other container not exceeding five (5) gallons in capacity.
- The limitation shall not apply to commercial greenhouses, nursery stocks and sod growing, which may be watered in the minimum amount required to preserve plant life between 6:00 pm and 8:00 am.
- Washing of automobiles, trucks, trailers, or any other type of mobile equipment, except in licensed commercial vehicle wash facilities.
- Washing of sidewalks, streets, driveways, parking lots, service station aprons, exteriors of homes or apartments, commercial or industrial buildings or any other outdoor surface, except where mandated by federal, state or local law.
- The operation of any ornamental fountain or other structure making a similar use of water.
- The filling of swimming or wading pools requiring more than five (5) gallons of water, or the refilling of swimming or wading pools that were drained after the effective date of the declaration of emergency, except that pools may be filled to a level of two (2) feet below normal, or water may be added to bring the level to two (2) feet below normal, or as necessary to protect the structure from hydrostatic damage.
- The use of water during outdoor recreational activities. This limitation shall not apply to water utilized for drinking and sanitary purposes during such activities.
- The use of water from fire hydrants for any purposes other than fire suppression and related training exercises, unless otherwise approved by the Town Manager.
- The serving of drinking water in restaurants, except upon request.
- The operation of any water-cooled comfort air conditioning that does not have water-conserving equipment in operation.

Penalty for violation. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, or of any of the conservation regulations promulgated by the Town of Exmore pursuant thereto, shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine of $250.00. Each act or each day’s continuation of a violation shall be deemed a separate offense.

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

All that parcel of land in Exmore, Northampton County, Virginia, being Lot “A” shown on a plat attached to a deed in Deed Book 180, page 626 and designated as parcel no. 010A1-0A-BLK-00-063.

standing in the name of Michael Hutchinson, also known as J. Michael Hutchinson, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to determine whether Michael Hutchinson is living, or if deceased, to ascertain the names and location of all of his heirs, devisees and successors in title; and 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 Michael Hutchinson; that Jane G. Hutchinson is a nonresident of the state of Virginia, whose last known post office address is 212 Christy Lane, Trussville, AL 35173.

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 3, 2013 at 9:30 a.m. in the Clerk’s Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 26th day of July, 2013
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the excellently maintained and operated CBBT.

The plan is to insure the CBBT stays 
way so that those who feel they 
can meet a medical appointment, catch a flight from 
the airport, or just run errands without the exten-
sive delays and gas-guzzling stoppages that are a 
regular occurrence on the HRBT.
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seems to be subjugated to the personal economic 
interests of the crowd agitators. They should spend 
time more in the daily Hampton Roads Bridge-Tun-
unnel (HRBT) traffic jams and accidents to appreciate 
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A major birthday milestone is in 
my future. In just a few months, I will 
celebrate a magical two-digit number 
that ends with a "5." It’s not the all-en-
compassing evil one that ends in a "0" 
but it’s darn close and getting closer all 
the time.

I don’t particularly want to be a 
senior citizen. I definitely don’t want 
to be matronly. I don’t even want to 
be cougarish. I’m not sure if that last 
word is a word but I thought it would 
give a few of you a laugh.

And that brings up another thing 
that becomes less and less tolerable 
as the years pass by. It’s called the dic-
tionary. I use it a dozen or more times 
a day. It’s a necessary and much hated 
tool. Call me old school, but I am still 
among those who find it difficult to 
look up a word without knowing how to 
spell it. That dilemma is always worse 
when I am taking notes and a simple 
term is tossed around for which the 
spelling totally escapes me. It gets me 
off rhythm as I freeze for a second or 
two. Calling a time-out is usually im-
possible.

Thankfully, search engines and spell 
check make things a little easier. But 
the faster one can go, the faster one ex-
pects him or her self to go. It all falls 
back to expectation and perception.
The dictionary isn’t much help with 
either of those. And both differ as one 
moves up through the age brackets of 
life. It’s like being born on the cusp be-
tween two great astrological signs. Am 
I in my early years of this decade or have I pushed ahead to the latter ones?

July so that it costs an additional average of $4.20 
for every tank of gas. Do you hear the protests about 
that? From last Monday’s Northampton Board of Su-
peachers meeting, there have been no complaints yet 
for the huge costs of sewer services for a few that iare 
to be borne by every county resident, even though 
they will never be using this system.

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