Commonwealth’s Attorney Candidate Has Liens, Reprimands

By Linda Cicoira

Carl H. Bundick, an Accomack lawyer who is running for Commonwealth Attorney, owes more than $100,000 in taxes, according to liens filed in Accomack Circuit Court by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS).

He has also been reprimanded three times by the Virginia State Bar.

An IRS representative could not elaborate on a payment plan or if the liens had been satisfied saying such things are not public information.

“It's a debt that I owe … much like a car payment or a house payment. Some liens have been paid and I continue to pay them.”

The reprimands have already been reported in the Eastern Shore Post, Bundick continued. “I am the same person that I was before. I do not believe that it impacts my character and I will practice as hard as I will ever practice … I’ve been doing this for 25 years.”

Bundick did not announce his intention to seek office when the Eastern Shore Post offered him the opportunity. He said he was not ready, although he had qualified, because he said he had to get financial matters in order.

Court documents show a lien for Shore Advocacy Group LLC and Bundick for $10,258. That was listed in the 941 category or Employer’s Quarterly Federal Tax Return and was dated in two instances in March 2015.

The records also have a tax lien for Bundick for $1,652 from Jan. 14, 2013 for tax code 6672, which “mandates an employer to withhold federal income taxes and social security taxes from employees’ wages.”

Another lien was for $52,182.45 and was also for code 6672. The tax

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Supervisors Approve $75 Per Hour Contract for Nunez

By Linda Cicoira

Katie Nunez is no longer Northampton County’s administrator, but she still has her hands in the finances.

A week after she was resigned from her job in a restructuring move last month, it was found she was still needed. So, on Aug. 29, Nunez signed a contract to provide consulting services to help the finance director “close out” the county’s fiscal 2016 books.

No, they didn’t trade positions. Not exactly. Finance Director John Andrzejewski is called the interim or acting county administrator. It was initially announced that he would do both jobs until a permanent administrator was found.

Nunez’s resignation was mutually agreed upon so a more “effective and efficient” government could be had. She got a $100,000 severance package. And now she is back for up to 100 hours through June 30, 2017, at $75 an hour.

The contract between Nunez and the board of supervisors was signed by Andrzejewski. The supervisors formally accepted her resignation on Aug. 22. Chairman Spencer Murray said the decision to restructure was made on the previous Friday.

When reached for comment about the contract with Nunez, Murray said the agreement wasn’t a contract despite that the first words on the document clearly state in capital letters, “THIS CONTRACT.”

Murray also said Nunez will be employed “on an hourly basis specifically to close and prepare for the audit. … No invoices have been rendered.”

Why was Nunez sought for the task? “Because she was running things,” said Murray. “She did the most part of the budget. She has prepared for the audit in the past. We gave him (Andrzejewski) the permission to do it. … It was not a secret.” he said.

3 Dead in Pocomoke Murder-Suicide

By Linda Cicoira

Three people died Monday in what the Maryland State Police are calling a “double murder-suicide” at a Groton Road home near Pocomoke.

The bodies of Marvin Wilmer Purnell, 78, Karen E. Purnell, 53, and Marvin Desmond Purnell, 46, were found just after 10:30 a.m. by Worcester County deputies who answered a call there, according to Sgt. DaVaughn Parker.

A friend of the dead woman had been unable to contact her and after going to the house reported a “strong disturbing odor coming from the residence.”

The relationship between the three people was not disclosed. All three were said to live at the 2200 block of Groton Road.

Marvin Desmond Purnell was identified as the suspect in the shooting of the other two. “Investigators anticipate the autopsy will verify the cause and manner of death,” Parker said. The chief medical examiner in Baltimore is in charge of that.

Deputies found the home “to be secure from the outside with no signs of forced entry,” Parker said. “As deputies continued attempts to

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Northampton Teachers Leave Because of Lack of Pay, Housing, and Social Connections, Says School Board Survey

By Ron West

While a starting salary of $35,000 a year may sound enticing to a newly minted teacher, the cost of living on the Eastern Shore, the shortage of affordable housing, student loans and skyrocketing medical insurance costs can soon whittle away at a monthly paycheck.

Those facts were among the results of a teacher retention survey received by the Northampton School Board last week. Board member Nancy Proto and Director of Administrative Services Melinda Phillips presented the results and gave recommendations to help keep new teachers from leaving the division after a year or two.

The top reason they go, regardless of their length of employment in Northampton, is money or more precisely, a lack of it.

Newer and/or younger teachers also find the lack of social connections limiting.

And some are dismayed that their workday does not end when it is over for most professionals. Teacher find themselves spending more and more time on school related things such as grading an endless amount of papers, contacting parents about students or preparing lesson plans.

Vice Chairman Randy Parks, a retired Northampton High School teacher, stressed how difficult it is for teachers to survive today. Proto said the system needs to focus on increasing teacher pay and improving consistency in discipline in the schools, administrative management styles and community relations.

A key could be helping newcomers learn about local opportunities and adapting to the lifestyle.

The board reviewed a spring competition field trip request from Band Director Kevin Schwenk for high school and middle school bands. The trip to Williamsburg would cost about $200 per student. One to New York is estimated at $750 each.

Superintendent Eddie Lawrence expressed concern over the high cost of the trips and time away from school. He noted the value of such an outing and how having to raise the funds would be a challenge for families living in the economically depressed area.

Suspect Apprehended in June Mappsville Murder

By Linda Cicoira

Officers apprehended a local murder suspect Sunday who was hiding on the Eastern Shore.

Tyqon Demetrius Robins, 24, of Deer Drive in Nelsonia, is being held in Accomack Jail without bond, according to records filed in Accomack General District Court. Eastville attorney Paul Watson was appointed Monday to defend him.

Robins was charged with first-degree murder of Fardale (also known as Fairdale) Antonio Johnson, 39, of Mappsville. Police had been looking for Robins ever since. He was also accused of using a firearm in the murder and shooting from a vehicle, both felonies. The incidents occurred at nearly 10 p.m. on Lankford Highway in Mappsville on June 24.

Sheriff Todd Godwin reported that his office was alerted to gunshots being fired between the occupants of two vehicles. A few minutes later, a second caller called authorities and said a gunshot victim was on Nathaniel Street in that town.

Deputies, troopers and rescuers arrived to find Johnson with gunshot wounds. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

In September 2010, Johnson was convicted of distribution of cocaine and given 20 years with 15 suspended. Three years of probation was set to begin upon release. He was out of prison less than 24 hours when he was killed.

Sgt. Anthony Bright of the Accomack County Sheriff’s Office investigated the murder case.
Lt. Gov. Ralph Northam, who aspires to be the second Eastern Shore native elected Governor of Virginia, served as the keynote speaker for United Way of Virginia’s Eastern Shore campaign kickoff breakfast last week.

“I don’t think there’s anything more important or rewarding than giving back and the United Way is a good place to start,” Northam told those in attendance.

Sen Lynwood Lewis introduced Northam and noted the last governor from the Shore was Henry A. Wise, who was elected in 1855. “It has been a long time coming,” he said.

Northam supports workforce development, creating jobs in arts and math and good-paying jobs for high school graduates.

Standards of Learning (SOLs) tests need revisions, Northam said. He explained that students need to “think creatively” and not be taught to take multiple choice exams. Northam further said all families need access to pre-K education because when some families can afford to send their children “the gap between students begins” and society eventually pays for that disparity.

Danny Vestal, president of the local United Way chapter, said reaching this year’s goal of $275,000 will help fund 150 non-profit organizations that provide services to Eastern Shore residents. He recognized the all-volunteer board of directors and allocations committee including Fund Raising Chairman Matt Parker.

Parker in turn recognized the coordinators who conduct employee campaigns. “The coordinators are the core of our campaign,” he said. “Our $275,000 goal is the minimum we expect to raise. I like to under promise and over deliver. With your help, we can have a record campaign.”

The chapter has raised $6 million since it was established in 1991.

For more information or to form a team, call Dawn Byrd at 787-5622 or email her at dbyrd@esunitedway.org

To contribute, send a tax-deductible donation to United Way of Virginia’s Eastern Shore, P.O. Box 605, Onley, Va. 23418 or go to www.esunitedway.org.
Matson: Zika Not Yet Detected on Eastern Shore, But Be Vigilant

By Ron West

A container as small as a bottle cap can hold enough water for mosquitoes to breed — including the Zika virus-transmitting varieties.

Vigilance is needed in watching out for those outdoor containers and in using insect repellent — top precautions against Zika, Dr. David Matson, director of the Eastern Shore Health District, advised Northampton supervisors Tuesday night.

Matson said of the mosquitoes known to transmit the virus, at least two are indigenous to the Eastern Shore. But no cases of the Zika have been attributed to them locally.

Of the 80 people in Virginia currently known to have the virus, they contracted it when traveling outside of the region or through someone who was out of the area. The virus can also be transmitted through sexual contact. Additional information on the Zika and precautions regarding it can be found at http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/epidemiology/zika-virus-update

Finance Director John Andrzejewski, who is also the acting county administrator, said Sheriff David Doughty developed a policy regarding outside groups, including towns hiring off-duty deputies. The policy contains fees for the deputies and for the use of county vehicles, such as patrol cars. In the past, Cheriton and Nassawadox used off-duty deputies to assist with policing and traffic control. Cape Charles, Exmore and Eastville have police forces and do not need to rely strictly on county officers.

The board approved a request by Ballard Fish Company to withdraw 83 acres from an Agricultural & Forestal District after holding a public hearing on the issue. The company intends to sell the Willis Wharf tract and reimburse the county for the tax benefit of $16,000 that it received through the district.

Chairman Spencer Murray noted the owner has the right to remove it regardless of the intended use. The property will still be zoned agricultural.

The supervisors also reviewed several amendments they had initiated, in an effort to improve or streamline the 2016 Zoning Ordinance. It was agreed to delete a request to remove fertilizer blending from acceptable uses in the county. The supervisors agreed that if the change were approved by the board, it could have a negative impact on area farmers.

The board decided to spend more time considering a request to change the designation for flexible-term rentals and asked staff to do more research.

During public comments, Martina Coker and Roberta Kellam requested additional funding from the county to support the annual Birding Festival. They wanted to expand the festival from its current weekend time frame to more than a week. The women said the change could increase tourism. Supervisor Larry LeMond said that the county is providing a $5,000 grant to support the festival this year, which is $2,000 more than last year’s event support.

Janice Williams, the assistant to the county administrator, mentioned the issue of mold in the courthouse. It was agreed that it required immediate remediation. A quote of $11,000 was approved for the task.

The board also approved a resolution that asks the Coast Guard to conduct an impact study regarding the proposed ship anchorage area west of the Cape Charles. Concerns about possible pollution by the vessels were raised at a previous meeting.

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period endings for that figure ranged from 2008 to 2011.
Yet another document, listed 1040 for a lien of $36,842.93 for Bundick. This could vary from involving the transfer or valuation of certain farm or real estate to an estate tax.

~ Murder-Suicide ~

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make contact” with whoever might be inside, they heard a “male” voice.

After retrieving a key, the deputies entered and “found two decomposing bodies … on the kitchen floor and a third body in the hallway opposite the kitchen,” Parker continued. They then left as a safety precaution and for about an hour attempted to make contact with whoever might be alive inside. Gas deployed through a window in an effort to force out any occupant resulted in a fire. The blaze was extinguished by Pocomoke firefighters.

When officers and firefighters later entered the structure, they found the suspect’s body had a rifle beneath it. An examination of him revealed “what appeared to be a single gunshot wound,” according to Parker.

The investigation is continuing.

In October 2009, “after due consideration of the evidence and the nature of the ethical misconduct … the three-judge court agreed” to reprimand Bundick and order him to take eight hours of continuing legal education in domestic relations, eight hours of civil litigation, endure a periodic review of “all pending matters,” and create and implement an office policy mandating regular information affecting their cases. The terms were related to a divorce case that Bundick handled.

In 2011, Bundick was reprimanded by the state bar for misconduct in violation of rules of diligence and communication in regard to handling guardianship of an estate.

In May 2015, the bar issued a reprimand with terms to Carl Herman Bundick for violating professional rules that govern scope of representation and declining or terminating representation. The case regarded the custody of two children.

The same records searches were made on Commonwealth’s Attorney Matthew Brenner and Assistant Commonwealth’s Attorney Spencer Morgan, who are also running for the office. No irregularities were found in those searches.

Mary N. Smith Scholarship

The Mary Nottingham Smith Alumni Association awarded two scholarships based on applicant essays. Kimberly Perry and Breanna Aker were presented this year’s scholarships by Thomas W. Roberts Sr., president of the Alumni Association. Pictured are Thomas with Perry, who is attending Eastern Shore Community College.

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By Linda Cicoira

An Accomack animal control worker who lost his job over an incident involving his state trooper girlfriend in early August was not prosecuted on felony counts of malicious wounding and abduction last Friday in Accomack Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court.

In a bargaining agreement, Billy Davis III, 26, of Lilliston Avenue in Accomac, pleaded no contest to assault and battery of a household member, Chelsie Lynn Smith, in exchange for the other charges being dropped.

Gordon withheld judgment for two years on the conditions that Davis be on probation during that time, take an anger management course at his own expense and within a reasonable time, remain drug and alcohol free, attend substance abuse classes and pay court costs before Oct. 7.

Davis was prohibited from having any contact with Smith and had to promise that he would not press charges against her for anything that occurred before Aug. 7. What those charges might be were not discussed publicly.

According to a summary relayed to the court by Stolle, Smith was detained from leaving the couple’s home for a short time on Aug. 1. When she was able to leave, she was pushed from behind and fell, striking her head.

Smith did not attend the proceeding.

“I have spoken to the victim at length and she has agreed to this,” the prosecutor said.

“I hope this has ended well,” Gordon replied.

Court records show Trooper Cameron Richardson was called to the scene. He wrote in the file, Smith was “removed from the scene” where Davis “had barricaded himself on the top floor. After a while, Davis … came out of the address” and was “placed under arrest.” Davis “admitted to pushing her (Smith) down and busting … Smith’s chin.”

According to Richardson’s notes, Smith got off work at 2 p.m. and knew Davis did not get off until 4 p.m. that day. “She decided to move her stuff out,” Richardson wrote. In the process, Davis came home and although he did not want her to go, he decided to help her.

“An argument broke out. Ms. Smith wanted to leave and call her father,” Richardson continued. “Mr. Davis … grabbed her and pinned her to the wall and tried to grab her phone and keys, which were in her bra. She fought … she stated she wanted to leave” but Davis “kept stepping in her way and blocking her from leaving.”

At some point, Davis “calmed down and started to move her stuff out to her new address. They came back to move more stuff. They started arguing again. She grabbed some stuff from the second floor as she went to go down the stairs. … Davis then walked up the stairs and kicked her almost down 10 stairs (and) made the statement he was going to kill himself.”

“Davis grabbed her,” the trooper continued. “Smith swung elbows and struck Mr. Davis in the left eye. She decided to leave and get her car. Mr. Davis then pushed her into the car. Ms. Smith’s chin struck the vehicle and knocked her out,” the record stated.

Eventually, “she got in her car and called her Dad to tell him what was going on … Davis pushed the vehicle window down and tried to stop her from recording” a message. Smith told the other officer, Davis “wouldn’t let her leave and told her he ‘would get her’.”

Sheriff Todd Godwin said his employees work at his will and that he had to let Davis go because of the incident.
Property Transactions

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  To the Sec. of HUD
  32054 Boston Road, Pungoteague
  For $92,000
- From David and Lorraine Cameron
  To William and Melanie Bundick
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  For $309,364
- From Larry Ward
  To Cindy Clady
  Lot 401, Unit 2, Trails End
  For $15,000
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  To George and Lisa Sepelak
  2257 Brigantine Blvd., Greenbackville
  For $150,000
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  To John Soter
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  For $13,000
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  Property in Cape Charles
  For $18,000
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NASA Aircraft to Measure Mid-Atlantic Greenhouse Gases

**Submitted Article**

NASA is conducting low-level aircraft flights measuring greenhouse gases over the mid-Atlantic region through September.

The flights are for the CARbon Airborne Flux Experiment or CARAFE, which will measure the exchange of greenhouse gases such as carbon dioxide and methane between the Earth and the atmosphere in the region. In addition, water vapor, temperature, and vertical wind measurements will be taken.

Randy Kawa, experiment principal investigator from NASA’s Goddard Space Flight Center in Greenbelt, Md, said, “The direct measurements of the atmospheric interchange of these greenhouse gases will allow us to demonstrate the capability of the new instrument system being flown.”

“It also will allow us to better understand the exchange processes in this area and compare and apply the data to existing atmospheric and ecosystem models,” he said.

The NASA Langley Research Center in Hampton, Va., and the NASA Ames Research Center in Moffett Field, Ca., also are supporting the mission.

During the flights, a NASA C-23 Sherpa aircraft from the Wallops Flight Facility will fly trajectories at various altitudes with the lowest being 500 feet above the vegetation or water.

The flights will be conducted over the Pocomoke Forest area on the Eastern Shore of Maryland; agricultural areas and tidal marshlands from the Eastern Shore of Virginia to southern Delaware; southern Maryland; the Chesapeake Bay and the Atlantic Ocean; the New Jersey Pine Barrens in the southern portion of the state; and the Alligator River and the Great Dismal Swamp in eastern North Carolina and southeastern Virginia.
**Accomack Circuit Court**

Four county residents pleaded guilty, in separate proceedings last week in Accomack Circuit Court, to charges ranging from theft to drug and firearm offenses.

Shelly Lynn Fox, 31, of Second Street in Keller, formerly of Chicken City Road in Chincoteague, pleaded guilty to credit card larceny, credit card fraud and two counts of credit card forgery that occurred in October 2015. Restitution of $340 was ordered. Fox was released on an existing bond until sentencing.

James Winston Scott, 46, of Guard Shore Road in Bloxom pleaded guilty to two counts of distribution of buprenorphine, a drug used by physicians to treat opioid addiction. The crimes occurred April 5 and Aug. 6, 2015. A total of seven pills were involved, according to court records. A presentence report was ordered. He was remanded to jail.

Dontrell C. Trader, 29, of Callen Street in Parksley pleaded guilty to possession of cocaine with intent to distribute. A charge of possession of a firearm while in possession of a controlled substance was not prosecuted. He was remanded to jail without bond.

Capeville Man Indicted in Murder, Attempted Murder

A 22-year-old Capeville man, who is accused of shooting his first-cousin to death, was indicted Monday by a Northampton Grand Jury on a count of second-degree murder.

The jury also formally charged Alexander H. Piccott-Cleveland with attempting to kill his father on the night of June 18. The incidents occurred at 29192 Arlington Road in the Chesapeake area in front of the house where the father and son lived. A count of using a firearm in the murder was also handed down.

A short time earlier, the defendant allegedly opened fire at a party in Exmore. Piccott-Cleveland is charged with maliciously wounding Mona Jones, Ranquise Coston and Andre Johnson, and use of a firearm in those crimes. Misdemeanor counts of brandishing a gun and recklessly handling it were included in the indictments.

Lt. Michelle Hallett of the Northampton County Sheriff’s Office gave information to the jury about the murder and related charges. Sgt. Jason Campbell of the Exmore Police Department testified before the jury regarding the other charges.

The defendant is continuing to be held in the Eastern Shore Regional Jail in Eastville without bond.

Two vials of his blood were taken just after Piccott-Cleveland was arrested about 12 hours after the incidents were alleged to have occurred. A State Department of Forensic Science report showed no ethanol, methanol, cocaine or benzoylcegonine, opiates, methamphetamine or MDMA, Phencyclidine, barbiturates, benzodiazepines, carisoprodol or meprobamate, fentanyl, methadone, zolpidem or alkali-extractable drugs were detected.

According to testimony at a preliminary hearing last month, the defendant told police he went out to a shed to get his 12-gauge shotgun during an argument and tussle with his father, who was not named in court documents. Ronald Graves, 30, of Portsmouth, his cousin, got in his path and was shot instead, Hallett said.

The defendant also told the officer that he purposely shot another man at a graduation party. That weapon was a .22 caliber handgun, evidence showed. Hallett said Piccott-Cleveland told her three others were unintentionally hit with gunfire during that incident.

Coston of Exmore testified he was shot four times in the back and spent 2 1/2 weeks in the hospital because of his injuries. “I was doing a lot of ducking, trying to get away ... I got shot four times ... I don’t even know who shot me.”

Hallett said the defendant told her, “They (Coston and others) were going to do something to me. I wasn’t going to let that happen ... I was trying to shoot him ... I unloaded my whole clip.”

Mona Jones of Trehernville, went to the Exmore party with Graves, who was her Godson, and the defendant. She was shot twice in the neck. “Everybody was talking to different people and everything,” Jones testified. “Next thing I know, somebody hollered out somebody had a gun ... I don’t think he meant to hit me. The gun went off.”

Jones said she didn’t realize how badly she was injured. Once they got to Chesapeake, she went to in to wipe off her wound and “heard some loud talking.” When she went back to the vehicle, Graves got out to talk to the defendant.

“I was sitting in the truck wiping blood,” she said. “Everything was behind me. I didn’t see anything.” When she got out, Graves was lying in the middle of the road. “I can’t even explain how I felt and his eyes were rolling back in his head.”

Andre Johnson of Jamesville said he was a passenger in a car that pulled up to the party area. He was struck in the face. “We didn’t have a chance to get out of the car ... The bullet came through the windshield.”

The incidents began at about 7:30 p.m. in Exmore. The defendant fled and was later captured.
Retired Transit Worker Dies

Mr. Carlton Terry Sr. passed away Aug. 16, 2016. Born to the late Moses Terry and Hattie Mack on March 13, 1936 in Norfolk, Va., he graduated from Booker T. Washington High School and was later drafted and served in the Korean War.

Mr. Terry was a dedicated worker and a loving father. He retired in 1993 from the New Jersey Transit Department after 25 years of service.

He is survived by his wife Cynthia Terry; daughters Sherree’ Terry, Larena Terry, CarLissa Terry, and Chavon Terry; daughters Sheree’ and a loving father. He retired in 1993.

Retired Lumberman and Deputy Passes

Mr. Roland “Brice” Walker, 87, husband of the late Colleen Burkhed Walker and a resident of Parksley, passed away at his home on Tuesday, Sept. 6, 2016.

Born Oct. 7, 1928 in Greenbush, he was a son of the late Roland Walker and Lula Mae Mears Walker. Brice worked for the former Lewis Bros. Lumber Company and the former Lassiter Lumber Company. Following his 34 years of combined service in the lumber business, he was a deputy with the Accomac County Sheriff’s Office, where he proudly served his community until retirement. He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church, formerly active in the United Methodist Men; and member of Central Lodge #300, A.F. & A.M. (and a Past Master of the former Parksley Mason Lodge #325, A.F. & A.M.).

Survivors include grandchildren Robie Mears and Brian Crockett; great-grandchildren Cameron and Lani Mears; and several nieces, nephews and their families.

Mr. Walker was predeceased by his wife and parents; his daughter Gay Walker Mears, and her husband Edward Lee Mears Jr.; sisters Jessie W. Rowley, Peggy W. Harmon, Marelia W. Baker and Tillie W. Johnson; and brother Ernest Walker.

A graveside funeral service with Masonic Rites was held at the Parksley Cemetery on Sept. 10 with Rev. Robert Lloyd officiating.

A Service of Triumph was held Aug. 27 at St. James A.M.E. Zion Church in Salisbury, Md., with Pastor David Appleby officiating.

Arrangements were made by the Cornish Funeral Home of Cheriton.

Woman Remembered for Love of Music and Art


A graduate of Cobb Station, she loved singing, playing music, cooking, drawing, art, and most of all her family. One of her favorite songs she loved to sing at church was “Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross.”

Mrs. Curtis spent many enjoyable days with her life-long friend Furlong Baldwin of Eyre Hall, her sister Daisy Johnson, and later in life, Thelma Peterson.

She is survived by her children Joyce Ramassar (Basdeo) of Sanford, Fla., Robert Curtis Jr. (Paulette) of Eastville, Phyllis Ramesar of Norfolk, Va., Dale Williams (Elijah) of Sanford, Fla., Kathy Meuse of Lake Mary, Fla.; Kendall Curtis (Heike) of Gainesville, Fla.; 20 grandchildren, 39 great grandchildren, 10 great-great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Mrs. Curtis was predeceased by her husband, Robert J. Curtis; three sisters; and son-in-law Bernard Meuse.

A Homegoing Celebration was held Sept. 1 at African Baptist Church in Cheriton with Rev. Robert Garris Jr. presiding. Interment followed at the church cemetery.

Arrangements were made by Cornish Funeral Home of Cheriton.

Retired Builder Dies

Mr. Charles Arnold Frazee, 94, husband of the late Gloria P. Frazee and a resident of Jamesville, passed away Sunday, Sept. 11, 2016 at his residence.

A native of Allenwood, N.J., he was the son of the late Harold Frazee and the late Mary DeVo Frazee. Mr. Frazee was a retired builder.

He is survived by daughters Gay Frazee and Pamela Frazee, both of Jamesville; a brother, Gerald Frazee (Gwendolyn), of Manasquan, N.J.; and a grandson, Lucas Frazee of Jamesville.

To honor his wishes, no public services will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to a charity of one’s choice.

Online condolences may be sent to www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Exmore Woman Dies

Mrs. Patricia Waterfield Atkinson, 78, wife of William I. Atkinson and a resident of Exmore, passed away Sunday, Sept. 11, 2016 at Hermitage on the Eastern Shore in Onancock.

A native of Pungoteague, she was the daughter of the late Roland L. Waterfield and the late Isabelle Custis Waterfield. She was a retired bookkeeper for Eastern Shore Physicians and Surgeons and a member of The Women of the Moose, Exmore Lodge #683.

Mrs. Atkinson is survived by her husband William; son Stephen Nuttall (Patricia) of Allen, Md.; sister Suzanne Peterson (Craig) of Virginia Beach; stepdaughter Carla Atkinson of San Antonio, Texas; granddaughters Kathryn and Allie Nuttall, both of Allen, Md.

She was predeceased by her brother R.L. Waterfield; sister Isabelle Otey and stepdaughter Lynn Atkinson Davis.

A graveside service was held Sept. 14 at Belle Haven Cemetery with Rev.
Retired School Bus Driver Passes

Mrs. Elizabeth Bounds “Nippy” Curtis, age 76, of Parksley, wife of the late James Wilson Curtis, died Sunday, Sept. 11, 2016 at Riverside Shore Rehabilitation Center of Parksley. Mrs. Curtis was born June 14, 1940, on Tangier Island. She was the daughter of the late Willie Thomas Parks and the late Eloise (Crockett) Parks.

She was a retired school bus driver for the Accomac County Public Schools and had attended the Faith Assembly of God Church in Lee Mont.

Mrs. Curtis is survived by her daughter Mary Anne Curtis Taylor (Elwood) of Parksley; sisters Betty Evans of Atlantic, Helen Johnson of Mears, and Debbie Taylor of Bloxom; grandson Joshua James Taylor; and a host of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, and brothers Willie Frank Parks and Danny Parks.

Funeral services were conducted Sept. 14 at Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley with Rev. Hyunho Lee officiating. Burial was in the Parksley Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Riverside Hospice, P.O. Box 615, Onley, VA 23418.

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

TOWN PARK BUILDING NEARS COMPLETION

By Ron West

A new multi-purpose building at the town park is almost ready for public use, Exmore Town Manager Robert Duer reported to the mayor and town council Monday.

Duer provided the officials with an application form and possible fees for the structure. Council members agreed to discuss the allowable uses and fees at a work session later this month. Citizens already have expressed interest in scheduling events there, according to Duer and Mayor Doug Greer.

Duer also reported the Royal Farms convenience store would close later in the year for up to three months while it is remodeled. That move would reduce the town’s income through fees and taxes until it reopens, he said.

Police Chief Angelo DiMartino said incidents of excessive speed continue to be recorded by his officers, especially along the Route 13. A recent incident included speeds in excess of 90 mph. Accidents have also been reported on the mile-long stretch. DiMartino and Duer requested a VDOT speed study to see if lowering the limit from 45 mph would be justified.

A public hearing on the proposed ordinance regarding inoperable vehicles is set for 6:45 p.m. on Oct. 3. The ordinance is designed to help eliminate the accumulation of vehicles that are not licensed and do not work. Vehicles that are kept inside would not be affected.
Nandua Outmaneuvers Arcadia for 27-14 Win

Nandua met Arcadia for a Nandua home game on Sept. 9. The rivals engaged in give and take scoring the first half, before the Warriors were able to pull decisively ahead in the second half for a, eventual 27-14 win. In the left photo, Arcadia running back Briden Bibbins (24) breaks away from the pack. Running back Contrel Brown (32) holds his ground (center photos) as three Nandua defensive team try to bring him down near the Arcadia goal line. On the right, Arcadia’s defense reaches for Nandua’s Daquan Bailey (21) as he makes a makes a run after receiving a hand-off from quarterback Reagan Kelly.

Photos by Connie Morrison

Congratulations to Nandua High School for receiving one thousand dollars from Fair Grounds restaurant for having the most faculty in attendance on September 10th’s teacher’s event. Seven local schools were given Fair Ground’s membership cards. The membership cards will be good for future discounts and special member only nights coming in the near future. Fair Grounds will be offering other schools and organizations their own membership cards soon.

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Northampton High School Falls to Northumberland 42-13

Story and Photo by Ron West

Northampton faced off against Northumberland last week in a home game, but the home field did not prove to be an advantage as Northumberland rolled to a 42-13 win.

Five minutes into the game, Northumberland scored a touchdown to take the lead by 6-0. Then, minutes later, Northampton returned the kickoff with Tamaze Brisco running the length of the field for a touchdown. By the end of the first quarter, Northumberland had racked up two additional touchdowns to bring the score to 20-7.

The second quarter was not much kinder for Northampton as Northumberland picked up two more touchdowns to extend their lead to 34-7. The fourth quarter saw Northumberland pick up yet another touchdown to lengthen its lead to 42-7. With only four minutes left in the game Northampton picked up a second touchdown leaving the final score at 42-13.

Stadium lights coming on at dusk over the Northampton football field during the home game against Northumberland High.

Fall Golf Outings

The Northampton County Education Foundation’s (NCEF) 10th Annual Golf Tournament will be held Friday, Oct. 14, at Bay Creek Golf Club in Cape Charles, on the Palmer Course. Driving range opens at 10:45 a.m. and a box lunch will be provided. A shotgun start is set for noon.

The $440 team entry fee covers greens fee, carts, lunch, awards reception, and prizes. Hole sponsorships are $250.00 for non-playing sponsors or $600 with a team. Major sponsorships are $1,000 which includes one foursome. Individual golfer’s fee is $125.

The registration form is available at www.ncedufoundation.com The entry should include names of team members, a contact phone number and an email address. Make checks payable to NCEF and mail to P.O. Box 323, Cape Charles, VA 23310. For more information, call Crosby Johnson 757-331-2932 or Richard Drury at 757-442-4905.

Art Show Reflects Nature

Artists living and working today in Chincoteague will showcase their work in an exhibit at the Ward Museum of Wildfowl Art in Salisbury University’s Welcome Gallery.

The works reflect the natural environment the artists call home, and explore connections between the people and landscapes of Chincoteague. The exhibit, Chincoteague Expressions: Artists In Their Environment will be on display Sept. 16, 2016- Feb. 12, 2017. A free opening reception on Friday, Sept. 16, from 5-7 p.m. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, call 410-742-4988 ext. 120.

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Local Indie Artist Releases First Album, Goes On Tour

Story and photos by Connie Morrison

When Angelica Garcia’s stepfather Cameron Randle left the record industry to become an Episcopalian priest, or “rector,” as they are known to Episcopalians, he answered an unlikely call to be a parish priest on Virginia’s Eastern Shore. A Kansas native, Randle was no stranger to rural life, but in 2011 Garcia and her mother — also named Angelica and a former pop recording artist in the 1990s — were stepping into a world unlike anything they had known. “It’s pretty much the opposite of L.A. in every conceivable way,” said Garcia, who grew up in El Monte, about 15 miles east of Los Angeles, and graduated from Los Angeles School for the Arts.

Perhaps it was natural that the then 17-year-old processed her new home and surroundings through a musical filter. Many young people bristle under the isolation of the Eastern Shore, but Garcia found she had time to focus on songwriting in addition to courses at Eastern Shore Community College. “It was the best thing I could have done,” she said, because it allowed her a couple of hours per day free of distractions.

As Garcia honed her craft, she sent demos to Warner Bros. record executives and landed a recording contract last year. Her first album, “Medicine for Birds,” debuts Sept. 30, launching Garcia into the commercial music universe. Already she has attracted interest from the New York Times and National Public Radio with her single “Orange Flower,” and last week, American Songwriter featured the music video of another single, “Little Bird.”

The album is an atmospheric extraction of Eastern Shore elements of local history, landscape, salt air, architecture, colloquialisms and cuisine distilled into bluesy-rock melodies with lyrics that veer from whimsical to haunting to gospel infused. Garcia believes Eastern Shore residents will recognize the regional influences “whether it’s a literal nod in lyrics, (or that) the music reflects the landscape sonically.”

For example, she says “The Devil Can Get In” is meant to sound like someone walking through an old house. It opens with an audio of wind blowing — not unlike the sounds of wind whipping around the 200-year-old rectory where Garcia was living with her parents when the song was written.

Garcia wrote most of the album’s songs at the Back Street rectory in Accomac and the parish house behind it. “If they weren’t written there, they were work-shopped there,” she said. The rectory is provided to her stepfather as pastor of the St. George’s Episcopal parish, which includes St. George’s Church on Bobtown Road in Pungoteague and St. James’ Church on Drummondtown Road in Accomac.

While the setting was rich in solitude and atmosphere, it was lacking in technical capabilities. “Here at the rectory, I had limited gear,” she said. Once she began working with a producer, there were “all these colors and textures I didn’t know about until I was in a studio.”

It has expanded her thinking, she said, for the next album. “It will be more fun the second time around,” she mused, and wants to experiment with other “sonic worlds,” and have more of a hand in production.

The coming album still seems surreal. “Creating something that feels so permanent is strange. Before, the songs kind of live in your head. … The nature of the work is to change with you. The record is a snapshot,” she said. “The day I can hold the record will be pretty crazy for me. Then it will be real.”

It will get real very quickly as Garcia moves from playing Richmond-area venues to opening several East Coast concerts for the Violent Femmes, a self-described American roots and indie band with three decades of music.

Before she and her “snapshot” are flung out into the larger musical stage on Sept. 30, Garcia and her band are having an album release party on Thursday, Sept. 22, at 8 p.m. at St. James’ Episcopal Church in Accomac.

Tickets are $20, and can be purchased at The Book Bin in Onley, Sound Idea Records in Onancock, or the St. James ticket office, 757-787-4892. Half of the proceeds will go toward restoring the rectory where much of the album was conceived, written, and refined.

“It was important for me to do this concert here because I feel such a connection,” Garcia said.

If you’re going:
Thursday, Sept. 22, 8 p.m.
St. James’ Episcopal Church
Drummondtown Road, Accomac
(between Front Street and Back Street)

Tickets are $20 and available at The Book Bin in Onley, Sound Idea Records in Onancock, and the St. James ticket office, 757-787-4892.

Seating is limited, so advance purchase is strongly suggested.
Members of the community are invited to attend this free event that supports the mission of the American Cancer Society. Funds raised support education, programs, research, and services for cancer patients and caregivers.

**HELD AT NANDUA HIGH SCHOOL, ONLEY VA., SATURDAY, SEPT. 17TH - 18TH, 2016**

**Event Schedule:**
**Saturday, Sept. 17, 2016**
11:00 a.m. Opening Ceremony
12:20 p.m. Zumba
2:30 p.m. Poetry
4:00 p.m. Line Dancing
5:00 p.m. Survivor Reception Dinner
All survivors are invited to attend with one complimentary guest.
R.S.V.P. to 1-800-937-9696.
7:00 p.m. Luminaria Ceremony
Bags lit in honor or memory of loved ones will burn throughout the night. To make a donation for a Luminaria tribute, call Peggy at 757-710-6766 or visit relayforlife.org/nanduava
Survivor and Caregiver Laps immediately follow
9:00 p.m. Lip Sync Battle Finals

**Sunday, Sept. 18, 2016**
7:00 a.m. Closing Ceremony and Awards

**FOOD!**

**GAMES!**

**ENTERTAINMENT!**

**GIANT RAFFLE BASKET!**
Eastern Shore native Dr. Antonio Baines has earned national recognition for his work in educating the next generation of toxicologists. The Society of Toxicology honored Baines with the Undergraduate Educator Award for his work mentoring students in the field of toxicology.

Baines earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Norfolk State University. He completed a doctorate in pharmacology and toxicology at the University of Arizona before joining the staff at North Carolina Central University.

Baines is the son of Cleveland and Georgia Baines of Belle Haven.

Marriage Licenses Issued

- Donald Wayne Downing, 64, of Birdsnest and Mei Li Wang, 50, of Flushing, N.Y.
- Daniel Vincent Lawton, 22, and Brittany Lynn Hines, 25, both of Greenbackville
- Robert Carroll Huether, 56, of Pungoteague and Christine Laura Nichols, 52, of Onancock
- John Wayne Williams Jr., 28, and Ebonya Nicola Matthews, 27, both of Melfa
- Maximo Tomas Ambrocio, 36, and Angela Miguelina Tema Lopez, 30, both of Parksley
- William Fleetwood Carpenter Jr., 51, and Melanie Jane Hill, 42, both of Pennsville, N.J.
- Justin Patrick Giles, 35, and Lauren Nichole Bourdon, 28, both of Salisbury, Md.
- Marcus Allen Thornton, 27, of Norfolk and Artima Zsalisa Taylor, 28, of Accomac
- Dee Nelson Fitch, 82, of Belle Haven
- Beverly Claire Gingell, 65, of Forty Fort, Pa.
- Paul Albert Harrison and Sandra Jean Heinlein, both 43, of Easton, Md.
- Michael Craig Dawson Sr., 59, and Betty Jo Smith, 46, both of Hallwood
- Alfonso Phil Johnson Jr., 43, and Joanne Kellam, 47, both of Belle Haven
- John Eric Grimes Sr., 47, and Carrie Ann Hounshel-Wach, 44, both of Franklin, Indiana
- Kristopher James Oliver, 29, of Woodstown, N.J. and Amanda Lauren Schlump, 29, of Pedricktown, N.J.
- Christopher Lee Lang, 37, and Alyssa Jacqueline Behr, 24, both of New Church
- Derrick Quinten Elzey, 24, of Millsboro, Del. and Katelyn Marie Tingle, 23, of Newark, Md.
- Joshua Aaron Taylor, 24, and Ashley Nicole Perry, 22, both of Greenbush
- Ernest Lee Chandler Jr., 66, and Sandra Roberta Dorsey, 56, both of New Church
- a son, born to Alicia Ames of Onancock Aug. 24
- a daughter, born to Courtney Chlebo and Jonathan Mears of Nelsonia Aug. 24
- a daughter, born to Rosa Sanchez and Jose Miranda of Parksley Aug. 25
- a son, born to Destini and Gary Perry of Pungoteague Aug. 28
- a son, born to Dionja Drummond and Trevor Lewis of Temperanceville Aug. 28
- a daughter, born to Erin and Jesse Beck of Onley Aug. 28
- a son, born to Caitlin and William Hart of Bloxom Aug. 28
- a daughter, born to Daisey Crockett and Neriz Estrada-Ramos of Onancock Aug. 30
- a son, born to Brittany and Matthew Killmon of Quinby Sept. 2
- a son, born to Shekia Davis and Michael Jenkins of Nelsonia Sept. 6
- a son, born to Cristina Morente and Edgar Morales of Saxis Sept. 7
- a daughter, born to Ashley and William Hector III of Onley Sept. 7
- a son, born to Kesi Harmon of Machipongo Sept. 7
Interested in being a vendor for this event? Call Matt Parker @ 787.4343 for more info!

8 of 15 Shore Public Schools Meet All State Benchmarks

Metomopkin Gets Worst Report

By Linda Cicoira

The most recent public school accreditation standings were released Wednesday by the Virginia Department of Education and show some great results for several Accomack and Northampton facilities.

Accomack County Public Schools

- Accawmacke, Chincoteague and Kegotank Elementary Schools met accreditation benchmarks in English, math, history and science.
- Arcadia, Chincoteague and Nandua High Schools met accreditation benchmarks for English, math, history, science and Graduation and Completion Index.
- Arcadia and Nandua Middle Schools met benchmarks for Math, history and science but did not meet benchmark or criteria for narrow margin or improvement for English.
- Metomopkin Elementary School did not meet the benchmark for history but is considered to be within a narrow margin. It also did not meet benchmark or criteria for narrow margin or improvement for English, math or science.
- Pungoteague Elementary School met the accreditation benchmarks for math, history and science. It did not meet benchmark or criteria for narrow margin or improvement in English.
- Tangier Combined School met the benchmarks based on a three-year average result for English and math. It also met accreditation benchmarks for history, science and Graduation and Completion Index.

Northampton County Public Schools

- Kiptopeke Elementary School met accreditation benchmarks for English, math, history and science.
- Northampton High School is accredited in English, math and science and is in a narrow range for accreditation for history and the Graduation and Completion Index.
- Northampton Middle School is accredited in Math, history and science and did not meet benchmark or criteria for narrow margin or improvement in English.
- Occohannock Elementary School is accredited in math, history and science and is within the narrow margin for benchmark in English.
Atlantic

Supervisor Ron Wolff will host his monthly constituents’ meeting on Monday, Sept. 19, at 7 p.m. at Wolff’s Sandwich Shoppe in Atlantic.

A representative of Eastern Shore Communications will speak about discuss broadband service on the Shore.

Chincoteague

Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge will hold the Annual Pass Photo Contest from Sept. 19 through Oct. 7.

The winner will be announced Oct. 20 and the submission will be featured on the front cover of the 2017 Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge Annual Pass.

To enter, submit a photo taken at the refuge any time over the last two years. Please do not submit images of the lighthouse, ponies or eagles because those subjects were previous winners. For rules, go to the website www.fws.gov/refuge/Chincoteague.

Bridgetown

Shorter’s Chapel AME Church is celebrating its 150th Anniversary with a special service at 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 25, featuring Pastor Vann of Shorter’s Chapel and Rev. Ruff of New Allen AME.

Craddockville

A special Blessing of the Animals Service will be held at Craddockville U.M. Church Saturday, Oct. 1, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. (rain or shine).

Informational booths will be set up and there will be a collection of supplies for various animal groups. Supplies needed are: dog food, cat food, canned dog food, canned cat food, kitten food, puppy food, dog treats, rawhides, bird seed, paper towels, bleach, laundry detergent, and Dawn dish soap.

Cape Charles

The annual Swine & Wine event, supporting the Eastern Shore Unit of Boys & Girls Club, will be held Saturday, Oct. 8. Last year’s gala sold out early.

This year’s Swine & Wine will again be held at Bill Parr’s barn at 24021 Seaside Rd. (Route 600), Cape Charles.

Held from 6 to 10 p.m., Swine & Wine will feature roast pig and chicken, plus wine and other beverages. Groove Junction, the same band that has provided the music for the past six years, only with a different name, will be performing during the night with dancing to follow dining.

A silent auction will feature Eastern Shore art, golfing trips, fishing gear and many other items.

Swine & Wine is the biggest fundraiser of the year for Boys & Girls Club, Eastern Shore Unit. The club has approximately 200 members with over 90 percent of the membership qualifying for free or reduced-price meals at schools and 55 percent coming from single-parent homes. Last year, the club served more than 24,000 meals at programs that are conducted after school from 3 to 8 p.m and all day on weekdays during the summer.

Sponsorships are available for Swine & Wine that will help the club meet its mission. A $1,000 Platinum Sponsor includes eight tickets to the event. A $500 Gold Sponsor receives four tickets. A $250 Silver Sponsor receives two tickets. There is also the $150 Angel Donation.

Tickets to the event are $50, and $40 for young adults 30 years and younger. For information on sponsorships or to purchase tickets, call Shannon Gordon at 787-7577 or go to www.swineandwineforthekids.com.

Chincoteague

The Chincoteague Masonic Lodge will have an open house from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 8 at 5292 Woodland Dr. on the island, just off Maddox Boulevard. Town officers will conduct a Child ID program. Free hamburgers, hotdogs and other refreshments will be served. The lodge meeting room will be open to the public and members will be there to answer questions.

Countryside Auction

REAL ESTATE & PERSONAL PROPERTY AUCTION
Saturday, September 17 @ 10:00 A.M.
Rain Date September 24 @ 10:00 A.M.

Directions: Turn east off Rt. 13 in Pocomoke, MD onto Rt. 366 area Stockton Rd. across from Arby’s & go 4 miles. Signs will be posted

REAL ESTATE To be Sold @ Noon

Real Estate consists of House with 3 bedrooms, kitchen, 1 1/2 baths, living Rm. & dining Rm., Central Air & 3 kinds of heat (Electric, Gas & Oil). 2 Out Buildings & Lot Approx. 3/4 ac.

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22 Cal. Bolt Action
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Walking Canes
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Comic Books & Big Little Books
3 - Old Tin Toys (1 in original box)
Collection of Flat Irons
Collect of Oil Lamps
(Peanut, Finger, Bracket, Alladin & others)

Folk Art Table
Oak Swivel Bookcase
w/Desk (unusual)
Oak Hotel Washstand
2 - Cedar Wardrobes
2 - Maple Beds w/New Bedding
Round Oak Table w/Claw Ft. & Leaves
Gun Cabinet
Safe
2 - Maple Chest of Drawers
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China Hutch
Sideboard
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Watch Paper for Other Auctions Coming Up
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<td>Bingo Fundraiser for the Heather Leigh and Christopher Robin Hill Foundation - Elks Lodge, Pocomoke - 410-726-1104</td>
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<td>Life Teach Series - Rachel/Leah Covenant Ministries Center</td>
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<td>Bingo (doors open at 6:30 p.m.) - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven</td>
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<td>AA mtg. - municipal bldg., 3305 Main St., Exmore</td>
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<td>Belle Haven UMC Selling Pickled Watermelon Rind, Baked Goods and Chicken Salad - in front of Exmore Antiques Emporium</td>
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<td>Zumba Class - YMCA, Chincoteague</td>
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<td>Overeaters' Anon. mtg. - Christ UMC, Chincoteague</td>
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<td>Antique Automobile Show - Atlantic Vol. Fire Dept.</td>
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<td>AA mtg. - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 66 Market St., Onancock</td>
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<td>1-3 p.m.</td>
<td>Kayaking Trip to Concrete Ships - Kiptopeke State Park - $9</td>
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<td>Demolition Derby - Great Pocomoke Fairgrounds</td>
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<td>Back-to-School Bash - New Allen Memorial AME Church, Exmore</td>
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<td>Discovery Center Gala - Delmarva Discovery Center &amp; Museum, Pocomoke</td>
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<td>Al-Anon mtg. - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock</td>
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<td>TOPS mtg. - Belle Haven UMC - 442-3984</td>
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<td>Bingo - Elks Lodge, Tasley</td>
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<td>Onancock Lions Club mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley - 787-2059</td>
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<td>Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg. - Grace UMC, Parksley</td>
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<td>AA mtg. - town hall, 18248 N.R. North St., Keller</td>
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<td>Accomack Cty. Taxpayers’ Assn. mtg. - Accomack County Administration Bldg.</td>
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<td>Al-Anon mtg. - Refuge Inn, Chincoteague</td>
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<td>MOMS mtg. - Onancock Baptist Church, upstairs - 709-9351</td>
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<td>Veterans’ Workshop - Virginia Employment Commission, Onley - 787-5862</td>
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<td>Bingo - Accomack Sr. Village, Onancock</td>
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<td>Duplicate Bridge - Sage Diner, Onley</td>
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<td>Church Women United mtg. - Hermitage, Onancock</td>
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<td>1-2:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Riverside Shore Hospice Grief Support Group mtg. - Cape Charles Baptist Church, Fidelis House, 509 Randolph Ave. - 789-5000</td>
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<td>Rachel Leah Ministries - 787-2486</td>
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<td>Bingo - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA</td>
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<td>AA mtg. - Trinity UMC, 109 Plum St., Cape Charles</td>
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<td>GED Class - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa</td>
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<td>Northampton Cty. Democratic Committee mtg. - American Legion Post 400, Eastville</td>
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<td>Bingo - smoke free - Cheriton VFC</td>
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<td>AA mtg. - Atlantic Methodist Church, 10044 Atlantic Rd.</td>
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<td>Kiwanis Club of Accomack County mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley</td>
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<td>TOPS mtg. - Market St. UMC, Onancock</td>
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<td>Alzheimer’s Caregiving Group -</td>
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<td>10 a.m.-noon</td>
<td>Accomack AARP mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley</td>
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<td>Soup Kitchen - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3431 Main St., Exmore</td>
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<td>11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Debedeavon Toastmasters’ mtg. - NASA/Wallops Base - Call Owen Hooks at 824-1941 for base access.</td>
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<td>AA mtg. - UMC, 75 Market St., Onancock</td>
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<td>2 p.m.</td>
<td>Children’s Story Hour - E.S. Public Library, Accomac</td>
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<td>5-7 p.m.</td>
<td>Soup Kitchen &amp; Clothes Closet - Grace and Truth Ministries, 19 Boundary Ave., Onancock - Donations: 789-5369</td>
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<td>5:30-6:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Free Meals for the Hungry - Epworth UMC, 4158</td>
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<td>Prayer Line Open (St. Matthew’s Church, Onley) -</td>
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<td>E.S. Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #62 mtg. - Market St. Grill, Onancock - 709-5212</td>
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<td>AA &amp; Al-Anon. mtgs. - RSMH, Nassawadox</td>
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<td>Man to Man Prostate Cancer Support Group mtg. - Riverside Shore Cancer Center, Nassawadox</td>
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<td>Veterans’ Employment Representative Avail. - Chincoteague Town Office</td>
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<td>Children’s Story Hour - library, Accomac</td>
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<td>Story Time - Cape Charles Memorial Library</td>
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<td>Chess Club - Cape Charles Memorial Library - all ages, levels welcome</td>
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<td>Shore Losers mtg. - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomac - $1 donation/week</td>
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<td>TOPS VA-550 mtg. - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099</td>
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<td>Kiwanis Club mtg. - St. Andrew’s Catholic Church, Chincoteague</td>
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11:30 - Insulated Dipped Cup, $200, Moultrie Game Camera, Gun Case, Penn 309m Reel, $50 Gift Certificate, $200, Rod/Reel Combo, Savage 64 22lr Rifle, Traditions 50cal Black Powder
12:00 - Rod/Reel Combo, $50 Gift Certificate, $200, Marlin 60 22lr Rifle, Hunting Blind, Calcutta Cup, Case of #8 Shotgun Shells, $200, Stevens Model 320 12ga Shotgun, $500
12:30 - $200, Fish Cleaning Station, Meat Processing at Eastern Shore Outfitters, Propane Cooker, Kershaw Knife, $50 Gift Certificate, Savage Mark II 22lr, $200, Rod/Reel Combo, Polaris 570 ATV Camo 4x4
1:00 - Lowrance Fish Finder, Fishing Rod Case, $200, Marlin Bolt Action .17 hmr, $50 Gift Certificate, Costa Glasses, Duck Decoys, $200, Rod/Reel Combo, Henry Golden Boy 22lr Lever Action
1:30 - $50 Gift Certificate, $200, Stevens Model 320 20ga Shotgun, Crossbow, Rod/Reel Combo, Deer Hunt with Assawoman Outfitters, Pointer Over/Under .410ga Shotgun, Kershaw Knife, $200, Rod/Reel Combo
2:00 - Fishing Kayak, $200, Rod/Reel Combo, Moultrie Game Camera, Food Sealer, Thompson Center Impact 50 cal Muzzle Loader, Goose Decoys, $200, Rod/Reel Combo, American Tactical Over/Under 20ga Shotgun
2:30 - Rod/Reel Combo, $200, Savage Model 320 12ga Shotgun, Cobra VHF Weather Radio Handheld, $200, Yeti 50 Cooler, Rockfish Trolling Rig, BFL Custom Cornhole Boards, Remington Model 783 .270 w/Scope, $1000
3:00 - Rod/Reel Combo, Moultrie Game Camera, Deer Stand, $200, Target Practice Accessories, Daisy Red Ryder, Thompson Center Venture 30.06, $200, Deer Cleaning Outfit, Polaris 570 ATV Camo 4x4
3:30 - $200, Moultrie Game Camera, Rod/Reel Combo, Springfield XD 9mm, Party in a Cooler, $200, Remington Versa-Max 12ga 3 1/2”, Costa Glasses, Ruger Hawkeye Compact .243, $500
4:00 - $200, Rod/Reel Combo, Smith & Wesson M&P .45 acp, $200, Calcutta 80 Cooler, Henry Big Boy, 44mag Lever Action, Del-Ton 316 AR15 .556, Beretta A400 Extreme 12ga 3 1/2”, Browning X-Bolt White Gold .308, John Deere Gator 590 4x4

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THANK YOU

The Gray family would like to thank friends and others who offered words of comfort, prayers, the expressions of kindness during the loss of our mom and grandmother, Ethel Lee Gray. To Heritage Hall and all the other healthcare facilities and staff that were involved in her care, a "special thank you" to Rev. James Nock of Snead’s United Methodist Church, the Ebenezer Baptist Church for the use of their fine establishment for the services, and Smith and Scott Funeral Home for the arrangements. You will forever remain in our hearts and prayers. May God bless you and forever keep you.

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I might try this. I’ve had real directional problems ever since high school when I learned that the Eastern Shore does not lie true north to south. Kinda just throws everything off. At least I have learned how to get home from points across the Bay. My sister taught me to just drive to the highest building I see and then I can get on the right roads. Hope no one ever out builds the Hoffler Tower. I’d then have to go back to my old way of driving all the way to the oceanfront and getting on Shore Drive. Kind of out of the way, but I knew where I was.

Anyway, I know where I’ll be tonight.

I’ll be out on my deck, admiring the Harvest Moon as I enjoy my pumpkin spiced frappuccino.

I urge you to submit your comments or a letter of support before the deadline on Oct. 1. Below you’ll find the link to the public comments page. Thank you in advance for your participation, and here’s to our region’s future!

Post Office Mail

Help Bring Triton to Eastern Shore

Dear Editor:

Two weeks ago the Navy released it’s Draft Environmental Assessment for the home basing and maintenance of the MQ-4C Triton Unmanned Aircraft System at one of three locations: Naval Air Station Key West in Fla.; Naval Station Mayport in Fla.; and National Aeronautics and Space Administration Wallops Flight Facility on the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

The assessment indicates that all three locations can receive equal consideration, and invites public commentary until Oct. 1.

Now is the time to show our support.

The selected East Coast home base location would be a permanent duty station for a $14-billion-dollar program bringing the possibility of equipment and opportunities to our Delmarva region. Triton is the Navy’s latest unmanned system program of record with a projected life cycle continuing over the next two decades. Our location provides abundantly for this program which would bring mutual benefits to the Eastern Shore.

Here’s how you can make a difference:

Town Manager Says, “Thanks”

Dear Editor:

I want to personally extend a thank you to the mayor and town council of the Town of Onancock for hosting the Meet the Town Manager event on Sunday, Sept. 11. I also want to extend a thank you to the town staff who assisted with this event. But I want to especially thank you, all of the residents who came out on a beautiful Sunday afternoon to meet my wife and me and provide a most gracious welcome to Onancock. I look forward to working with you to continue to make Onancock a great place to live and work.

Bill Kerbin
Town Manager, Onancock

Accept Tolls or Move

Dear Editor:

In regards to a discount for Eastern Shore residents for The Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel, we are receiving that discount with EZPass. When local residents make the trip over, we normally return within 24 hours, giving us the EZPass discount. Although it is available to everyone, tourists are usually going across on vacation and not returning within the 24-hour window. There is also a larger discount for commuters who travel over for at least 15 days a month. Yes, there are a number of people who do work in Virginia Beach.

I suppose that I came to accept this cost more easily after traveling on the Cape May-Lewes Ferry about 12 years ago. At that time, I paid $32 to travel one-way on the ferry.

For anyone who wants to continue to live on the Eastern Shore, we are going to be subject to this cost. The only option is to move elsewhere.

Nancy Goffigon

Post

For Candy Farlow

Native Americans called it the “Moon When the Plums are Scarlet” or the “Moon When the Deer Paw the Earth” or the “Moon When the Calves Grow Hair”. Others have called it the Full Corn Moon or the barley Moon because it coincides with the time of harvesting these crops. Today it is better known the Harvest Moon and it arrives tonight! I call it the full moon I love most, because, whatever its name, it is the full moon closest to the autumn equinox and the autumn equinox heralds my favorite season of the year.

This year the autumn equinox will occur Sept. 22 and for our area, it should happen at 2:21 p.m. That’s when the sun will be directly in line with Earth’s celestial equator. On this day there will be 12 hours of light and 12 hours of dark, a situation which won’t occur again until the spring equinox – my second favorite time of year.

Anyways, the arrival of the autumnal equinox brings with it several wonders of nature. We all know how the green chlorophyll disappears from the leaves of the trees, allowing us to see the underlying yellow and orange colors.

Then there are the geomagnetic storms which double in frequency making the aurora borealis or Northern Lights more prominent up north.

Animals become more active too, some prepping for hibernation or winter survival - like the black-capped chickadee. That little bird brain’s hippocampus grows by 30 percent with the arrival of autumn, likely to make it possible for the chickadee to remember the hundreds of places it hides seeds.

Other creatures experience autumn changes for other purposes. Let’s just note the testes of the male Siberian hamster expand up to 17 times their warm weather size. No further comment.

As far as humans go, it seems the autumn equinox creates an insatiable desire for all things pumpkin spiced. Yep, it’s time to curl up with your pumpkin spiced latte beside your pumpkin spiced aroma candle after your breakfast of Pumpkin Spiced Cheerios and giving your Chihuahua a – no kidding – pumpkin spiced doggie treat.

Why, the printer of this paper has even switched to pumpkin spiced printers’ ink!

Just kidding, but I made you sniff didn’t I?

The equinox also offers a unique opportunity for those of us who are directionally challenged. The day of the equinox is a chance to find due east and due west from your yard or wherever you might be. Just go outside around sunrise or sunset. Check the location of the sun on the horizon in relation to familiar landmarks. You will then be able to use those landmarks for those directions even after the sunrises and sunsets move with the Earth’s orbit.

I might try this. I’ve had real directional problems ever since high school when I learned that the Eastern Shore does not lie true north to south. Kinda just throws everything off. At least I have learned how to get home from points across the Bay. My sister taught me to just drive to the highest building I see and then I can get on the right roads. Hope no one ever out builds the Hoffler Tower. I’d then have to go back to my old way of driving all the way to the oceanfront and getting on Shore Drive. Kind of out of the way, but I knew where I was.

Anyway, I know where I’ll be tonight.

I’ll be out on my deck, admiring the Harvest Moon as I enjoy my pumpkin spiced frappuccino.

I urge you to submit your comments or a letter of support before the deadline on Oct. 1. Below you’ll find the link to the public comments page. Thank you in advance for your participation, and here’s to our region’s future!

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