By Bill Sterling
Special to the Eastern Shore Post

The four delegates who have served the 100th District and the Eastern Shore of Virginia in the House of Delegates for the past 55 years were all gathered at the Eastern Shore Christian Businessmen’s Prayer Breakfast recently to hear Virginia Gov. Ralph Northam, another native son of the Shore.

Starting in 1963 with the election of George N. McMath at the age of 31, then the youngest member of the House of Delegates, the seat has been held continuously by the quartet, with McMath serving 14 years, Robert “Bob” S. Bloxom serving 28 years, Sen. Lynwood W. Lewis Jr. serving 10 years, and Del. Robert “Rob” Bloxom Jr. elected in 2014. The span of service surpassing a half century, with all four legislators still living, is likely unmatched by any area in the state.

Both Lewis and Bloxom Jr., the current holder of the 100th seat, say turnover in the representation is greater than in past years. Lewis started at 99th in seniority and moved up to the low 30s when he left the House to successfully run for the state Senate seat, a position he held for the next five years, Bloxom Jr. is already 13th in seniority when he left 2014 to devote more time to being chairman of the Republican Party, a position he held for the next five years, leading significant gains for the GOP.

While McMath agrees that a quick turnover in seats is prevalent today, he notes he was 13th in seniority when he left in 1977 to devote more time to being chairman of the Republican Party, a position he held for the next five years, leading significant gains for the GOP.

McMath’s position as head of the Republican Party was somewhat ironic because he was first elected as a Democrat when there were only five Republicans in the House. McMath and several other state legislators switched parties in 1972 when George McGovern was nominated for president and Henry Howell gained control of the state Democratic Party. “There wasn’t any room for conservative Democrats during that time,” recalls McMath.

McMath Finds His Successor

One of McMath’s jobs as party chairman was to recruit candidates for seats in the House of Delegates and the Senate. One of the first candidates he recruited to run for the seat he was vacating was Bob Bloxom, who owned an auto parts dealership in Mappsville. Bloxom resisted at first and then finally relented, calling McMath by the initials F.P. “What does F.P. mean?” asked McMath. “Friendly persuader,” responded Bloxom.

The makeup of the House was entirely different in McMath’s time.

In 1963, there were 99 men and one woman with no African-Americans in the House.

With the 2016 election, there are now 18 women and 12 African-Americans, a composition Lewis notes is much closer to representing our population than it was 55 years ago.

Sometimes the issues don’t change all that much, but the numbers are much different. McMath notes that in his time, there was a great debate about raising a teacher’s minimum annual salary from $3,400 to $3,600. Bloxom Jr. says the two-year budget is now about $115 billion.

Even in 1973, McMath could secure a room at the Jefferson Hotel for as little as $15.50 a day, with no additional charge when your spouse visited Richmond. In McMath’s early years, his hotel room also served as his office, but in 1970 the state bought two nearby hotels and converted them into offices for the legislators.

During McMath’s first term, legislators were paid $126 per week and nothing when not in session. Today, delegates are paid $17,640 per year ($18,000 for the Senate).

Both Lewis and Bloxom say the positions are stretching way beyond the annual sessions. “With the budget issues we are facing and the various commissions, committees and study groups we serve on now, the time we spend in Richmond gets longer every year,” says Lewis.

Lewis Tested on Bridge-Tunnel Issue Early

Lewis says one of the greatest challenges he faced as a delegate was an attempt by several legislators from both the House and Senate to overthrow the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel Commission, use toll revenues for other state transportation projects and kill the tunnel expansion plan.

Obviously, with the recent start of the tunnel construction and the commission still in place, the effort to create a regional bridge and tunnel authority that would include the Chesapeake Bridge-Tunnel span was unsuccessful.

Lewis said helping get the Spaceport at NASA Wallops to the next level with the introduction of Orbital ATK, (Continued on Next Page)
the dredging of waterways on both the Shore and the Northern Neck, the addition of broadband and, just recently, steps to battle the opioid crisis are some of the key pieces of legislation in which he’s been involved that have given him the most gratification representing the Eastern Shore.

Although he represented a different party than his two predecessors, McMath and Bloxom, Lewis cites their bipartisan-ship when it came to serving the Eastern Shore. “I was maybe 10 when I was at one of George’s election parties, so I don’t recall much about his time in the General Assembly,” says Lewis. “However, I knew he was a man with an outstanding reputation who was to be admired. I watched Bob closely for years in the House of Del-egates and saw he represented the Shore in what we call the ‘the Virginia Way.’ He was a true gentleman who often made decisions that were in the best interest of Eastern Shore but not necessarily sup-ported by his party. I’ve tried to live up to that standard.”

**McMath and the Million Dollar Conversation**

McMath says that looking back, establishing Eastern Shore Community College in Melfa is one of his proudest achievements. “We had an Eastern Shore branch of the University of Virginia at Wallops when the community college bill was proposed and included the transfer of the branch into the community college system,” recalls McMath.

McMath adds, “There was an uproar and Eastern Shoremen spoke loud and clear they wanted to maintain the association with UVA.”

McMath visited Governor Linwood Holton with Robert Bloxom, the school’s advisory committee chairman, and Lu-cius Kellam III, past chairman, and Gov. Holton asked the group, “What would it take for you to agree to the transfer of your local college to the community college system?”

McMath responded, “Give us a million dollars for a new building and locate it centrally on the Eastern Shore.”

McMath recalls, “The governor literally rose from his chair, slapped his hand on his desk and said ‘You’ve got it.’”

Noting that Holton seemed re-lieved, McMath adds that he doesn’t think the Eastern Shore has ever regretted the decision.

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McMath says that that dredging on the Intracoastal Waterway was another major project for which he helped obtain funding. But he is quick to add that it was often the smaller projects that were met with the most enthusiasm. “I helped get the Oyster and Maritime Museum $15,000 when the people of Chincoteaque were trying to build it. Today it is the Museum of Chincoteaque. There could not have been a more appreciative group of people.”

**Bloxom Opposed Only Three of 14 Elections**

One of the challenges of being a Virginia delegate is having to run for re-election every two years. All four past and current delegates say it feels like you are constantly campaigning once elected.

However, Bob Bloxom realizes he was fortunate to have opposition only three times in 14 elections. His son, Rob, count-ing a special election, already has faced opposition three times in three elections. “I tell Dad I must be doing something wrong,” says the younger Bloxom.

His father says it was a sign of the times that often no Democratic or Independent candidate would enter the race against him. It was also the bipartisan manner that Bloxom represented the Eastern Shore that kept opposition at bay.

“One of the main reasons I left after 28 years was the party wanted to dictate to you how you should vote, and I thought then it was time for someone else to run,” says Bloxom Sr.

Ten months after leaving office, Bloxom was appointed to be the first Virginia Secretary of Agriculture by a Democratic governor and remained in that position when a Democratic governor was elected two years into his six years of service.

The senior Bloxom says that seeing the community college grow during his years, getting the Farmers Market established on the Shore, opening a state park near Kiptopeke and developing the Spaceport were major milestones during his 28 years.

“The truth is it takes many people to accomplish anything in Richmond,” he says. “It was a team effort, and I was glad to be a part of it.”

Bloxom Sr. represented only the Eastern Shore of Virginia during his first term, but then Middlesex was added to his dis- trict, and later, that county was exchanged for Mathews. “They tried to tell me it was a shorter drive for me after I had gotten to know the people in Middlesex. It was all of five minutes closer,” recalls Bloxom.

Later, the district was redrawn to include portions of Norfolk and Ocean View.

But Bob Bloxom was best known for being from the Eastern Shore and using “show and tell” tactics to explain his bills. More than once, a photo appeared in the Richmond Times-Dispatch of him holding up a crab pot on the floor of the General Assembly and explaining how it works.

**Times Are Different for Rob Bloxom**

The younger Bloxom says it is hard to bring a crab scrape on the floor of the General Assembly, but recently he gave an explanation of crabbing that included the terms “jimmies” and “sooks.” An urban leg-islator raised his hand following Bloxom’s presentation and said, “I’m sorry, but I didn’t understand a word you said.”

Rob Bloxom, a Republican like his father, says that at the state level it’s not always about party lines, but urban versus rural interests. “I work with Lynwood on many issues that affect the Shore, and I have a Republican friend who often votes against me because he represents an urban area,” Bloxom Jr. adds that urban areas have made huge gains versus rural areas in representation since his father served in the General Assembly.

Rob Bloxom says sometimes the real work gets done in closed sessions when he has to stand up to a senior legislator and fight for the Eastern Shore.

One example is when Bloxom learned approximately $17 million was being appropriated for a crab hatchery in Gloucester. He argued that the Virginia Marine Institute of Science laboratory in Wachapreague could much better reproduce the growing conditions needed and that aquaculture is already a major industry on the Eastern Shore. Consequently, a similar amount was spent for new build-ings at VIMS in Wachapreague in addition to renovating the existing structures.

Bloxom, like McMath many years before, feels that often it’s minor issues very important to a particular segment of his constitu-en cy that give him the most gratification.

“Dad always told me it’s a good day when you can help somebody, and he said in this position you can help a lot of people.”

Bloxom Jr. says his father often gives him valuable advice or points him to a person who can help with legislation, but the senior Bloxom’s offer of file cabinets he once used to store his records was turned down. “My father said, ‘What do you mean you don’t need any file cabinets? I had files stacked on files, and my car was jammed with them when I came home.’”

The younger Bloxom told his father he only had a few papers he could easily carry and everything else he needed was stored on his computer or iPad.

There was a time every legislator would have six or seven huge bill books. All that information is now sent electronically.

One other major change noted by Rob Bloxom is that when he first opened his office in Richmond, he took only one coffee cup with him. “I recall Dad bringing home boxes of coffee cups that were given to him by different groups. I think I have only been given one coffee cup in four years,” says Bloxom with a chuckle.

His larger point is that new ethics laws have impacted how legislators spend their time. “In Dad’s day, there were always nice affairs that included all kinds of food and entertainment. That’s just not done anymore. If I am invited to a meal or an event that is more than $50, I have to report it. If it’s more than $100, I can’t accept it.”

Despite being a fairly new delegate, the younger Bloxom has a long history with the 100th District, noting he was in middle school when his father was elected to the House of Delegates, seeing him serve for 28 years. Rob Bloxom’s son was also in middle school when he was elected.

But the “big money” in the campaigns disturbs him as he looks to the future. “It’s insane that some of these campaigns are spending a million bucks for a position that pays less than $18,000.”

**Some Things Never Change**

Some things in the General Assembly never seem to change. McMath says one of the most controversial issues he dealt with during his tenure was a proposal to allow bingo to be played. He says some churches and many firehouses made significant revenue from holding weekly bingo games, but with many legislators having moral issues about gambling, it wasn’t an easy decision.

Now, with the Supreme Court allowing the expansion of gambling to states other than Nevada, Virginia legis-lators soon will be faced with similar questions about how far gambling should be legalized.

McMath, who wrote about his experi-ences from his 14 years in the Virginia House of Delegates, probably summarize-d the life of a delegate or any legis-la-tor with the title of the book, “You Win Some, You Lose Some.”
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By Linda Cicoira

Native Americans who once inhabited northern Accomack County called their shellfish gathering place “Gingo-teague” or “beautiful land across the water.” The island, now known as Chincoteague, continues to produce the tastiest oysters and intoxicate residents and visitors with awesome sunsets.

Chincoteague is a stepping stone for “swiftly moving water,” or Assateague, another island that has been the home of the Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge for the last 75 years. The refuge is one of the most visited parks in the country with 1.5 million people passing through annually. The park is so popular because of its pristine beach and its herd of wild ponies made famous by Marguerite Henry’s book, “Misty of Chincoteague.”

The Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company owns the herd. Firefighters are allowed to graze up to 150 ponies on refuge land through a Special Use Permit from the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. They graze in two designated areas on the refuge. The firefighters, also known as saltwater cowboys, round up the herd during their annual Pony Penning. The ponies swim the channel to Chincoteague on the last Wednesday in July and run up the streets to the carnival grounds. This year the swim will be on July 25. Some foals and yearlings are sold at auction on the following day to benefit the company.

Hundreds are expected to turn out at 6:30 a.m. for the Sunrise Pony Walk on Monday, July 23. The cowboys will escort a large group of ponies down the beach from the northern area and to a corral on Beach Road in preparation for the swim.

The Chincoteague refuge includes more than 14,000 acres of beach, dunes, marsh, and maritime forest. It was established in 1943 to provide habitat for migratory birds with an emphasis on conserving greater snow geese. Now it provides habitat for waterfowl, wading birds, shorebirds, and songbirds as well as other species of wildlife and plants. The refuge also provides wildlife-dependent recreational opportunities such as fishing, hunting, wildlife photography, observation, interpretation, and environmental education.

Crabbing is one of the most popular activities at the refuge. Crabbing is per-

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Proposed changes for the 2018-2019 Budget
1. Water rate increase (over the minimum 2,000 gallons) $1.00 per thou. gallons in each tier
2. Real Estate tax increase of $.01 per hundred; from $.32 to $.33 per hundred.
3. Residential trash collection increase of $3.00 per month, from $12.00 to $15.00 per month

The Proposed 2018-2019 Budget will be considered at a Public Hearing in the Council Chambers, 18444 Dunne Ave., Parksley VA at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, June 4, 2018 and voted on at the regular meeting, Monday, June 11, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers. Interested persons are invited to attend.

### Scammers Target Elderly

By Linda Cicoira

Beware. With warmer weather come scam artists who will attempt to take advantage of you or your loved ones.

Residents should ask for credentials before entering into an agreement with those offering their services for home improvements and call the county sheriff’s office if they feel pressured or become suspicious, said Accomack Sheriff Todd Godwin. “And don’t pay until the job is completed.”

“First thing I’d ask is to see their business license,” the officer continued. He noted telephone scams occur too as one happened to his neighbor who lost $10,000 in the recent deal. “If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is,” said Godwin. “She was elderly and lived by herself.”

Building and zoning officials told Godwin a contractor’s license is not needed for work under $1,000. But a business license is required to do work in Accomack County.

Another scammer went to the home of a local grandmother, who has dementia and is in her 80s. He falsely claimed to have done work there and wanted payment. It happened on May 8, in South Chesconessex, her granddaughter said.

“A couple of guys from South Carolina came to my place one day and wanted to paint one of my buildings,” a Painter woman told the Eastern Shore Post. “They’d probably never painted anything in their lives. Friends sent me articles about some South Carolina families who defrauded people for a living.”

Her 94-year-old mother “lives alone and I sometimes think she pays people too much to do stuff for her,” the daughter said. “She was brought up to always pay for what she got, but (she) is too trusting, like most good people.”

“They offer to paint roofs and such and then scam people, especially older generations,” another woman added to the conversation. They use “watered down paint” and bring along “stacks of empty paint buckets” as they charge by the can.

An Onley woman has been suspicious of those who have asked her for work. “That must be the same couple of guys who have come here to the farm, not at the same time, maybe twice a year, wanting to paint my barn roof. Had one walk all the way out in the back pasture when I was on the tractor last year. Then earlier this year, the same guy pulled up in the driveway to the back door and honked his horn. I have always told them no thanks, but thought it was suspicious.”

“You would be amazed at how many contractors browse the obituaries looking for recent widows to victimize,” a Pennsylvania man wrote on the Post’s Facebook page. “Selling new roofs, heating systems, etc., that are not necessary. I had a funeral home trying to sell me a headstone” for his son’s grave. “I don’t even have a son,” the man said. He used an internet search engine search and “found a gentleman in Lancaster County with the same name as me whose son had recently been killed in Iraq. The funeral home apparently saw this information in the local newspaper and decided to prospect for business.”

“Talk to your seniors about these maggots, lest they get scammed,” the man said.

“Lots of druggies trying to scam people, especially the elderly,” a local resident wrote. “I am elderly and very distrustful of ‘handymen.’ Years ago, I had someone try and scam me and (I) had him locked up. His girlfriend paid the money back. I had a so-called ‘plumber’ do some work for me a couple of years ago and it was a mess and ended up costing me more to fix his screwups. Now I do a criminal background check before hiring anyone.”

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**TOWN OF PARKSLEY**

**PROPOSED 2018-2019 BUDGET**

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Waterside Village has invited USDA Rural Development to participate in a Home Ownership Event at its community recreational area on June 6th from 3:30 to 6:30. Light refreshments will be served.

Anyone interested in owning their own home with zero out of pocket expenses and low interest is encouraged to attend. Learn how the program works from representatives of the USDA Rural Development Program. Tour the beautiful properties available and look at house plans. If interested, get pre-qualified while you are there.

Waterside Village is located on the corner of County Line Rd. and Seaside Rd. in Painter, VA. Look for the tent in the recreational area by the pond fountain. Visit our website at www.newwaterside.com or call us at 757-678-7631.
Suffolk Man Charged

A Suffolk, Va., man was charged Friday with stealing money from a Regal Inn customer's room in Onley, assaulting an officer, and related accusations, according to Sheriff Todd Godwin.

At about 8:30 a.m., Friday, Godwin's office was notified of the larceny. When a deputy arrived at the scene, it was determined the suspect fled in a burgundy Blazer and headed south on Lankford Highway.

About two hours after the incident was reported, a deputy observed a vehicle at a body shop on Gospel Temple Road in Keller. The vehicle was a match for the one that fled the Onley scene, Godwin said.

“A deputy approached the suspect in an attempt to take him into custody,” the sheriff said. “The suspect began to assault the deputy, attempting to take his service weapon. After a brief struggle, the suspect attempted to leave in a vehicle and crashed after driving a short distance. He was apprehended by other deputies who had arrived on scene.”

Edward C. Brabham, no age available, was charged with grand larceny, attempting to flee from the law, assault and battery of an officer, attempting to disarm an officer, possession of marijuana, obstruction of justice, and failure to drive in the right lane. Brabham was denied bail. He is being held in Accomack Jail.

The sheriff's department was assisted by the state police and officers from Parksley and Onancock. Anyone with information on this or any other crime is asked to call the sheriff's office at 757-787-1131 or 757-824-5666. Tips may be submitted at accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org

Greenbush Woman Faces Assault Charges

A Greenbush woman was charged with assaulting a police officer and a rescue squad member last week, according to records filed in Accomack General District Court.

Jenna Nicole Holmes, 19, of Acomac Road, was walking in traffic and shouting obscenities at passing drivers when Deputy John Rose of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office was called to the scene. Holmes is accused of assault and battery of Rose; assault and battery of April Fununcli, a paramedic; disorderly conduct; and possession of marijuana. The incidents occurred May 16.

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In another case, Nicole M. Selby, 26, with addresses of Carter Street in Onancock and Woodland Avenue in Melfa, was initially charged with burglary and grand larceny in connection with a March 24 incident. She was convicted of the lesser offenses of trespassing and petty larceny of property belonging to Willie Taylor and Joshua Mariner.

Selby was given a 90-day suspended sentence for trespassing and fined $50. She got 94 days with 90 suspended for theft and a $150 fine.

Rogers Brothers Indicted

Three brothers were accused of selling cocaine and other drugs in indictments brought by a Northampton Grand Jury earlier this month. The court records were made public Monday.

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Roquan Rogers and another brother, Rovonte L. Rogers, 22, with addresses at Madame CJ Walker Lane and Banneker Road in Exmore, were indicted on six drug offenses on March 28, 2017, incident. He has not yet been sentenced for that crime. Like his brother, Rovante Rogers, Akeem Rogers was also charged with cocaine distribution in a Jan. 4, 2017, incident. That charge has not yet gone to trial.

In 2012, Akeem Rogers was convicted of selling marijuana on both March 13 and 23, 2011, and of selling a Schedule I or II substance on March 23, 2011. He was sentenced to 10 years in prison each with all but a month suspended and indefinite probation. Two other marijuana distribution charges made that year were not prosecuted.

It was unclear what his violent felony conviction was.

Johnson, 31, who has had addresses at Linhaven Circle where he was shot three times on Oct. 31, 2017, and at Nassawadox, has had his own problems. He was sentenced in Accomack Circuit Court in 2006 for a burglary and grand larceny that occurred in June 2005, when he was 19. He got two five-year suspended sentences, lost his driver’s license for six months, was on probation for five years and indefinite supervision.

In October 2012, he eluded police and got five years in prison with all but a year and a half suspended. His driver’s license was suspended for 90 days.

In October 2015 in Northampton Circuit Court, he was charged with hit-and-run with injury and driving with a revoked license. Johnson was sentenced to three years with all but nine months suspended to run consecutively with 12 months for the license offense. All but two months of the latter term was suspended.

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Obituaries

Cherry Scott Edwards

**Mrs. Cherry Scott Edwards**, 73, wife of the late E. Dean Edwards and a resident of Onancock, passed away on Friday, May 18, 2018, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Onancock.

Born Aug. 15, 1944, in Nassawadox, she was a daughter of Marie Chambers Scott, of Onancock, and the late Joseph Lynwood Scott. Mrs. Edwards retired as a bookkeeper with Accomack County Schools and was a member of Market Street United Methodist Church.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by her two sons, L. Scott Edwards and wife, Jennifer, of Greenbush, and D. Brent Edwards and wife, Karen, of Onancock; sister, Jane S. James, of Onancock; four grandchildren, Brad Taylor, Kayla Turner and husband, David, Ashleigh Edwards, and Ryan Edwards; great-granddaughter, Allisson Turner; and nephew, Adam James.

Funeral services were conducted from the graveside at the Fairview Lawn Cemetery in Onancock, May 22, 2018, with Pastor Robert Fletcher officiating.

Memorial donations may be made to the Eastern Shore of Virginia throughout their marriage, with Mrs. Thomas choosing to settle year-round in Onancock shortly following her husband’s death in 1997.

Mrs. Thomas was a mezzo-soprano, well known for her beautiful, professionally trained voice. In addition to sharing her gift in church, weddings, and other music programs throughout her life, she also toured with the Millsaps Singers, was a professional singer in the Miami Metropolitan Opera Guild of Greater Miami, which was a grand honor, served as president for the Homestead Community Concert Association, and was counselor to the MacDowell Music Club in Homestead, Fla.

Mrs. Thomas’ daughters write: “Mom’s devotion to us through the years was invaluable. She had the talent to go further in her musical career yet sacrificed her dreams to be there for us day to day. She was greatly appreciated, a wonderful mother, and will be missed by all who knew her.”

Mrs. Thomas is survived by her daughters and sons-in-law, Jewel and Bill Magee, of Blowing Rock, N.C., Dorothy Nell Thomas, of Onancock, Anita and Joe Leitch, of Haines, Alaska and Folkston, Ga., and Christie and Fred Escalona, of Folkston, Ga.; five grandchildren, Elizabeth Magee Bennett (Jason), Harry Sheaffer, Caroline Magee Jensen (Eric), Billy Magee (Elizabeth), and Anita Escalona; three great-grandchildren, Austin Sheaffer, Darcy Magee, and Walker Magee; and numerous nephews, nieces, and great-nephews and nieces. Additionally, Mrs. Thomas is survived by her loving and loyal ‘companionship family’, with her current long time ‘family’ being Lokisha Bogg, Renee Crockett, Reny Taylor, and Helen Ayers, as well as others, both current and preceding, who remain part of our extended ‘family’ and Avon Garrison, who has been part of the family for over 50 years. Among others, Mrs. Thomas was predeceased by her husband, Harry C. Thomas; her grandson, Harry Sheaffer; and her sisters, Jerry Lamar and June Brent.

Funeral services were conducted from the chapel of the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home on May 22, 2018, with the graveside at the Fairview Lawn Cemetery in Onancock, May 22, 2018, with the Rev. Robert Fletcher officiating.

Mrs. Thomas will be interred next to her husband and other family members in Crystal Springs, Miss.

Memorial gifts may be made to one of the following: Thomas Caregiver Education Fund, to enable some of Mrs. Thomas’ devoted caregivers to further their education (non-deductible, 24326 Finney Dr., Onancock, VA 23417); Hermitage on the Eastern Shore/Employee Christmas Fund, to benefit those who served Mom (23610 North St, Onancock, VA 23417); or Riverside Hospice/Camp Fragile Hearts which will be earmarked for the Youth Bereavement Camp (25379 Lankford Hwy, Onley, VA 23418).

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

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

**Nell G. Thomas**

Onancock resident **Nell G. Thomas** passed to heaven peacefully, on May 19, 2018, surrounded by loved ones in her home.

Mrs. Thomas was born in Mississippi on April 10, 1926, to William Ernest and Jewel B. Garland. She was one of three daughters.

She graduated from Crystal Springs Consolidated School and attended Millsaps College in Jackson, Miss., for two years before marrying Harry C. Thomas on Nov. 8, 1946. They lived in both Homestead, Fla., and the Eastern Shore of Virginia throughout their marriage, with Mrs. Thomas choosing to settle year-round in Onancock shortly following her husband’s death in 1997.

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Northampton Students Help Build the Future of Shore Soccer

By Stefanie Jackson

Northampton High School building trades students recently gave back to the community by constructing a concession stand and a storage shed for Shore Soccer, a recreational soccer league in Nassawadox for youth ages 5 to 18.

Several of the students who worked on the buildings are also members of Shore Soccer.

Liz Jones, a Shore Soccer organizer, said the league has grown “exponentially in the past four years,” with almost 400 players.

Having outgrown its original storage space (in Jones’ attic), the league needed a permanent storage solution.

Shore Soccer applied for and was awarded an $8,000 grant from the Eastern Shore Community Foundation for the materials to build the two 12-foot square buildings.

Jones contacted Northampton building trades instructor, Billy Davis, about allowing his students to donate their efforts to construct the buildings, who answered, “Absolutely.”

Davis incorporated the project into his class, which teaches woodworking, and students completed construction of the buildings over the course of six months.

Shore Soccer treated the building trades class to pizza as a thank-you for all their hard work.

The Eastern Shore Community Foundation was established in 2004 as an affiliate of the Hampton Roads Community Foundation, formerly the Norfolk Foundation.

Thanks to its generous donors, the foundation’s permanent endowment has $3 million in unrestricted funds to support the capital needs of local organizations, helping them keep their doors open and continue their missions, Executive Director Julie Badger said.

The Eastern Shore Community Foundation has awarded up to $50,000 to many local organizations, from Shore Little League to Eastern Shore Community College.

For more information, visit www.esvcf.com or for assistance with a grant application, contact Julie Badger at esvcf2016@gmail.com or 757-789-0910.

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By Stefanie Jackson

At least one Northampton citizen wants to know how many ambulances one small county needs and if it is necessary to spend more than $300,000 on a new garage to house them when there is extra space in at least one of four existing facilities.


“I was amazed at the number of citizens that did not have knowledge of the number of ambulances there were that served the county. They indicated they would just like to have one come when they called,” Hogg said.

There are currently seven ambulances serving Northampton; two in Cape Charles, two in Machipongo, one in Nassawadox, and two in Exmore. Only the two stationed in Machipongo are owned by the county, EMS Director Hollye Carpenter said. The other five are privately owned by nonprofit agencies.

Northampton EMS helps fill staffing needs at volunteer rescue stations across the county. It frequently offers 24/7 assistance to Cape Charles and Exmore and provides service to Nassawadox during weekdays and Machipongo on nights and weekends.

Staffing needs are based on a performance measure set by the Northampton Fire and Rescue Commission, a 20-minute response time 90 percent of the time.

The performance measure, which was instituted about 15 to 20 years ago, is low, according to Carpenter.

Northampton emergency calls are well-managed, with three ambulances staffed during the 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. shift and two or three ambulances staffed during the 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. shift, Carpenter said. EMS was able to serve the tourist population last summer without any additional staffing.

Hogg said, “It appears there are more ambulances than can be staffed at any moment in time, which leads me to believe … if there are more ambulances than needed, then county staff and county ambulances could be accommodated at the (current) facility.”

He noted there is one garage space available at the Cape Charles EMS building, but Carpenter indicated she has no control over the use of that space since it isn’t owned by the county.

The existing EMS facility in Machipongo provides parking only for Northampton’s two ambulances, one of the reasons supervisors planned for construction of a 40-by-80-foot garage on the parcel. One of the ambulances has been used since 2012 and the other was acquired in 2017.

Northampton EMS also has an emergency service SUV that enables one additional high-level staff person to respond to critical calls.

Hogg said he voted for the initial purchase of the Machipongo property and acknowledged the need to garage emergency service vehicles there but only as an “interim measure” until issues with Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital and Eastern Shore Rural Health were settled.

The hospital relocated from Nassawadox to Onancock more than a year ago, and groundbreaking for the Eastville Community Health Center is expected next month, but there is still no EMS garage in Machipongo.

Carpenter said talks about building the garage began more than five years ago.

Supervisors authorized the project on March 26 of this year.

The Machipongo location is of “primary importance” because it is centered between Cape Charles and Exmore, the two largest EMS service areas in the county, Carpenter said.

Hogg questioned why Northampton needs to spend more than $300,000 on a garage and “equipment that could be rented at Machipongo when we have other pressing expenses. We bought one jail and are paying for it dearly today.”

“The public just needs to be aware of the debate and the decisions of how their money is being spent.”
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Woodland Trail. This paved trail is for walking and biking and is also wheelchair accessible.

Marsh Trail is a half-mile trail along the Wildlife Loop. It is unpaved and includes an observation platform overlooking Snow Goose Pool. It is only open to walkers.

Woodland Trail is 1.5 miles and goes through a pine forest and includes an overlook where wild ponies can sometimes be seen. The trail is wheelchair accessible.

Just off the beaten path of Woodland Trail is Bivalve Trail, where one can take a self-guided hike through the maritime forest leading to Toms Cove where a glimpse of the old lifesaving station can be had. This trail is not paved or wheelchair or bicycle accessible.

Foot traffic is also permitted on the 7.5-mile service road. Bicyclists can access the trail for 1.25 miles to the D-Dike Beach access area. Cars are not permitted with the exception of over-sand vehicle permit holders, who are accessing the North zone for fishing.

Some of The Federal Junior Duck Stamp Program’s winning artworks from Virginia are being displayed at the refuge visitor’s center. The most current junior duck stamp can also be purchased at the center for $5. The program was specifically aimed at getting children outside and familiar with wetlands and waterfowl.

Waterfowl Weekend will be Nov. 22-25. Thousands of snow geese from the northern tundra breeding grounds come to the milder climate of the Chincoteague refuge for the winter. A variety of ducks and swans also show up. Entry to the refuge is free for several days during the year. Sept. 22 is one of those occasions and is being offered as part of the celebration of National Public Lands Day. Free admission will also be Oct. 14, to kick off National Wildlife Refuge Week; Nov. 11, for Veterans Day; Jan. 21, 2019, for Martin Luther King Jr. Day; Feb. 18, 2019, in celebration of Presidents Day; and May 11, 2019, in honor of World Migratory Bird Celebration.

The refuge will remain open all night on Aug. 11 for the Perseid Meteor Shower so visitors can discover the night sky. On July 13, NASA’s Wallops Flight Facility, the Delmarva Space Sciences Foundation, and Assateague Island National Seashore will offer presentations at 7:30, 8, and 8:30 p.m. at the Herbert H. Bateman Center auditorium. Space is limited to 140 per session. Then from 8:30 to 9:45 p.m. join the Delmarva Space Sciences Foundation and the Assateague Island National Seashore for stargazing with telescopes and binoculars.
Local Business Owners Request No Increases in Cape Charles Taxes

By Stefanie Jackson

Ahead of the Cape Charles summer tourist season and the finalization of the town budget for the upcoming fiscal year, local business owners submitted requests to the town council to not raise meals taxes or transient occupancy taxes.

Miriam Elton and Donna Kohler, who run a local ice cream shop and bed-and-breakfast, respectively, wrote letters expressing their expectation that there are enough new businesses in town to generate additional revenue without raising taxes.

Kohler listed an abundance of new businesses that will generate more tax revenue for the town, including a hotel with a 122-seat dining room, cider house, brewery, distillery, candy shop, and a bookstore.

Meals and transient occupancy taxes are “a good source of additional income for Cape Charles,” but “there is a fine line between an acceptable tax charge and an unreasonable one,” Elton said.

“We are not New York City, Washington, D.C., or even Virginia Beach. We in no way have all the amenities that these cities offer, or any of the services” to justify a tax increase, she continued.

Kohler pointed out that in Cape Charles, meals taxes are 1 percent higher and transient occupancy taxes are .7 percent higher than in the county at large.

In 2015, the town’s transient occupancy tax was raised from 3.3 percent to 3.7 percent. That figure added to the state sales tax of 5.3 percent and the county tax of 2 percent brings the total tax on accommodations to 11 percent – which generates complaints by some guests, Kohler said.

Business owners are concerned that the town council may be considering a 1 percentage point increase to the transient occupancy tax.

Kohler urged council not to raise the tax and put “a higher fiscal burden on the people you are trying to attract to our town in the first place.”

Interim town manager Bob Panek said letters had been sent to Cape Charles business owners inviting them to attend the council’s May 31 work session.

The council updated residents on the recruitment process for the new town manager. A total of 63 resumes were received, and the selection committee narrowed down the applicants to five finalists.

Social media screenings are complete for the top five applicants. The next step is the first round of interviews, to be conducted through video conferencing. The following round of interviews will be in person with the town council. Mayor George Proto invited mayor-elect Smitty Dize and council members-elect Tammy Holloway and Paul Grossman to sit in on that proceeding to share their input on the candidates.

Holly Hubbard, head of Cape Christian School, requested the council’s support of an application to the Virginia Department of Transportation to make the area in front of the school a no parking zone during school hours, between 7 a.m. and 3 p.m., for the safe unloading and loading of students. That request was granted.

The Bay Creek resort and club offered the town a corporate membership for use by the mayor and town employees. It would cost the town a one-time fee of $5,000, and individual membership would cost each town employee $1,200 annually.

Interim town manager Bob Panek recommended the corporate membership because it would attract new employees to the town and offer long-term health benefits and lower health insurance costs, he said.

No motion was made to accept Bay Creek’s offer and the matter was dropped.

Panek also presented three budget amendments for what he termed “pop-up” projects the town took on: $28,000 for the wave study done at the town harbor, $10,000 to extend the golf cart path to the new brewery, and $10,000 for parking and lighting improvements on Strawberry Street. The council accepted all three amendments.
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EASTERN SHORE SPORTS

Varsity Baseball and Softball Action

*Story and Photos By Krystle Bono*

It was a tough week on the home stretch for some of the Eastern Shore district varsity teams, with some beginning their regional playoff runs.

The Nandua Warriors softball team dropped a 6-0 game to King William Monday afternoon in Onley.

Baylee Justis, Madison Greer, and Lyric Sampson led the Warriors with one hit apiece.

Parker Murphy shouldered the loss, throwing just over five innings and striking out two, with three walks, six runs, and eight hits.

The girls will face Bruton Friday at 5 p.m. in Onley for their first regional tournament matchup.

Nandua’s varsity baseball club also suffered a defeat Monday afternoon on their home diamond to King William, 7-3.

Cade McGregor led the Warriors’ offense, going 2-for-3 with one RBI.

Austin Atkinson took the loss, tossing just over two innings. He retired four batters and gave up three walks, five runs, and six hits.

The boys are back in action Friday afternoon on the road against Poquoson at 5 p.m. for the first game of their regional bracket.

In Eastville Wednesday afternoon, the Northampton Yellow Jackets girls varsity softball team hosted Lancaster in the regional quarterfinals.

Despite a strong performance on the mound by Mollie Travis, who threw a complete game for Northampton notching 11 strikeouts and allowing just two walks, three runs, and seven hits, the Yellow Jackets came up short, 3-1.

Mackenzie Widgeon led the Yellow Jackets at the plate, unleashing one hit and one RBI during her four at-bats. Travis and Maeyanna Delk each collected a hit, with Arianna Wilson scoring the Yellow Jackets lone run.
**Local Iron Man Brings Home First Place in Bench Press Competition**

**Submitted Article and Photo**

Iron man Red Hart of Greenbush competed in the Bench Press Competition at Flex Gym in Virginia Beach April 28.

Hart lifted in the Master Division (60 years and older) 152-pound weight class, winning first place with a bench press of 245 pounds.

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**Rang Rings in a Citation Red**

Dick Rang shows off a 48-inch Virginia Citation red drum caught fishing aboard the Mean Jean, captained by Sam Sellard. This fish was one of four citations landed out of 16 red drum caught.

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Northampton Girls Soccer Defeat Nandua, Clench District Title

By Krystle Bono

The Northampton Yellow Jackets girls varsity soccer team topped a scoreless Nandua Warriors club Friday night on Hamilton Field, 3-0.

Yaylin Cruz went 5-hole first for the Yellow Jackets. Yeats James upped the count by one and Liz Gildo also lit up board, putting one shot between the pipes to earn Northampton the 3-0 victory, and the Eastern Shore District Tournament championship. The girls finished the season, 7-5-1.

The Lady Jackets, ranked No. 5, will begin their regional run tonight (Friday) against the No. 12 seeded Franklin. Nandua and Arcadia, seeded 13 and 15, respectively, will also have a regional matchups tonight. The Warriors are slated to face the No. 4 Middlesex and the Firebirds are set to take on No. 2 Northumberland.

Nandua boys varsity soccer team will face their first 2A regional rival May 28, as they have a first-round bye. The Warriors enter the brackets as the highest seed, sporting a flawless record of 13-0 for the 2017-18 season. The boys will face the winner of No. 4 seeded Maggie Walker and No. 5 Poquoson match up tonight.

The Arcadia Firebirds boys varsity soccer squad, ranked seventh, will face the No. 2 Goochland tonight at 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday night, the Chincoteague Ponies boys varsity team, ranked second in Region 1A, faced No. 5 Windsor on the road. The Ponies fell, 9-1, to end their tournament run. Windsor moves on to go head-to-head with the Northampton Yellow Jackets, seeded fourth, tonight in Eastville at 6 p.m.
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American Legion 11th Annual Golf Tournament
The American Legion Post 56 will host the 11th annual golf tournament June 1,
at Bay Creek Resort and Club. Registration begins at 11 a.m., with a 1 p.m. shotgun
start. Dinner and awards will follow.
Cost is $400 per foursome or $100 per individual. Dinner is $10 per guest. Prizes
will include first through third places, “Closest to the Pin,” and “Longest Drive.”
The format will consist of Captain’s Choice, ladies red tees, and men white
tees (< 60), gold tees (60-69), and red
tees (70 and up).
There will also be many giveaways after dinner, including clams, gift cer-
tificates, oysters, and rounds of golf. Sponsorships also available.

For more information, contact Scott Heneghan at 757-619-2510.

Summer Feeding Program
Accomack County Parks and Recreation Nutrition Fitness and Enrichment Summer
Feeding Program will open on Monday, June 25 from 7:30 a.m to 5 p.m., and run Monday-
Friday through August 3. Youth attending will receive a free breakfast and lunch
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Organizations or communities that are interested in participating in the
Summer Feeding Program must attend a training on Thursday, May 30, at 6 p.m.
at the Parks and Recreation office located at 24387 Joynes Neck Rd., Accomac. For
additional information contact the office at 757- 787-3900 or 757-824-0314.
Submitted Article

The Eastern Shore Senior Hockey League (ESSHL) wrapped up the 2017-2018 Senior League season this past weekend with the championship series. At the end of it, Donnie “Smooth Criminal” Williams led his Bruins to the Parksley Cup over Pat Luckenbach and his Capitals, looking to three-peat in the championship. Before the Bruins took on the Capitals, they had a date with the top-seeded Red Wings two weekends ago to see who would play in the championship.

That weekend was a wild series between the Bruins and Red Wings. To quickly recap, the Red Wings jumped to an early lead in Game 1 and took it in their favor, 4-2 in the end. The Bruins facing elimination in Game 2 played scrappy and were fighting for their lives when they were down 2-0, but in the third period, the Bruins came to life and ended it, 3-2 forcing a game 3.

In the final game, with the winner moving on and the loser ending their season, both teams fought hard throughout the first and second periods, but in the end, the Red Wings were the victims and couldn’t match the defensive-style playing and passing of their opponent and the Bruins moved on, winning 3-1 in the final game.

The championship series looked to be a good one with a well-rested Capitals and the hungry Bruins looking to take the cup home from fourth place. Both games of the day were very much evenly tilted with great defense and goaltending from both teams.

In Game 1 of the championship series, neither team could come by with much, with the game ending in a one-goal difference in favor of the Bruins, 3-2. Game 2 was much more of a thrilling match-up with the Capitals looking to stay alive, but the Bruins offense and defense was in high gear and kept a 2-0 lead most of the game. The Capitals clawed back, and Zach Webb eventually tied the game with under a minute left and they were forced into overtime. Once overtime began, it was a battle of wits and a very good chess match between the teams to see who would make the mistake first. It didn’t take long into overtime, but off a bad deflection, the Bruins Dustin Aigner scored the game-winning goal and brought home the trophy for the Bruins.

Congratulations to all Senior League teams that played this season. The ESSHL will have weekly summer pick-up games on Monday nights, starting at 6 p.m. in Parksley for anyone that would like to come out and experience hockey for free.
Fishing from the Shore

By Bill Hall

Despite the recent trend of rainy weather which would have had Noah contemplating building another ark, local fishing activity has been on the productive side.

Drum action from both the red and black varieties continue to be strong, with an 84-pound black drum coming from the surf. Along with drum, striped bass continue to be caught in the surf.

Most of the early summer species have arrived including speckled trout, bluefish, and whiting.

**Lower Shore** – Mark Snooks at Chris’ Bait & Tackle reported that drum fishing has held up, despite being impacted by the recent run of late afternoon storms. Drum anglers are now having to deal with a recent influx of sea mullet, which have become proficient at stealing the sea clam baits that are intended for the larger drum.

Bloxom’s Josh Yunker has served notice that there is a new fisherman on the block, as he held on to win the shop’s 4th Annual Black Drum Chase Tournament. Yunker actually had the two largest fish in the tournament, with the largest one tipping the scales at 80.2 pounds. Parksley’s Ray Willet finished in second place with a fish weighing 66.9 pounds, with Tommy Hastings claiming third place with a 58-pound drum.

Red drum continue to be abundant on the seaside, especially behind the breakers of Fisherman’s Island and on Nautilus Shoals. Flounder action has slowed down due to dirty water conditions from all the recent rainfall. Sheepshead fishing has also slowed, but the shop did recently register a citation for a fish breaking the 15-pound mark.

**Wachapreague** – Debbie Shrieves at Trident Tackle reported that flounder fishing continues to be productive when not being affected by the wind and rainy conditions. Black drum action has been good out of Quinby, with the shop’s Capt. Lindsay Paul recently weighing a couple of fish for customers that were just shy of the 80-pound citation mark. The shop did register a release citation for Stewart Hall for a red drum released from the barrier island surf.

**Chincoteague** – Donna Rae at Captain Bob’s Marina described the recent fishing conditions as “horrible,” with the recent heavy winds and rain keeping most of the local charter trips in port. The shop is hoping for better conditions as it gears up for its upcoming flounder tournament, which starts on June 7 and runs through June 10. The heaviest flounder will earn the lucky angler a cash prize of $1,500!

Jimmy Vasilou at Captain Steve’s Bait & Tackle announced the winners of his recent surf fishing tournament, which was held last weekend. In the striped bass category, Cain Taylor took first place with a 29-pound, 14-ounce rockfish, second went to Brandon Morgan (29 pounds, 11 ounces), in third place was Kenny Cross (28 pounds, 4 ounces) and Sung Ho Chung (26 pounds, 15 ounces) finished fourth in the division.

Dave Holtzman proved that you don’t have to have a boat to catch a monster-sized fish, as he took the black drum division with an 84-pound behemoth. “Lucky” Chucky Leganeaux (30 pounds, 12 ounces) fishing in second and Chung (24 pounds, 12 ounces) took third place. Dave Holtzman took the bluefish category with a snapper weighing 1 pound, 12 ounces.

**Upper Shore** – Captain Matt Abell, of SeaHawk Sports Center reported that black drum and rockfish action was still good on the beach. Josh Barfield and a group of surf anglers had brought in a mixed catch of rock and drum. Abell had returned from running three flounder charters out of Wachapreague and Gargatha, with clients returning with 5-pound, 8-ounce keepers, while Atlantic’s Jeff Oshaven had a recent eight keeper trip. Silversides were the most productive baits.

On the Chesapeake, red drum catches were being made in Pocomoke Sound, while a few speckled trout have been caught in the shallows by anglers soaking peeler crab baits. Rockfish and specks were also hitting lures. The state of Maryland has lowered the minimum length for legal rockfish to 19 inches this week.

Bill Hall was the first Eastern Shore resident to achieve Virginia Salt Water Master Angler Status. He has been named Virginia Saltwater Angler of the Year and Virginia Saltwater Release Angler of the Year. Bill is an I.G.F.A. International Committee Representative and a longtime member of the Virginia Saltwater Fishing Tournament Committee. He is the Virginia Recreation Fishing representative on the ASMFC Striped Bass Management Panel and is a past recipient of the CCA-VA Virginia Outdoor Writer Conservation Leadership Award.

Photo Courtesy of Captain Steve’s Bait & Tackle

Dave Holtzman with an 84-pound black drum caught off the Assateague Island beach.
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Thank You

to our first responders for their service to our community.

RIVERSIDE
Shore Memorial Hospital
Nature Conservancy Seeks Public Awareness

By Stefanie Jackson

The benefits brought to the Eastern Shore by The Nature Conservancy, an international organization for land conservation with more than 1 million members worldwide, are still unrecognized by more than half of local residents.

In a recent Nature Conservancy survey, 48 percent of respondents viewed the organization’s work on the Shore as “favorable” and only 9 percent saw it as “unfavorable,” but 44 percent were “neutral.”

Jim McGowan is the Land Protection Manager of the Virginia Coast Reserve, which monitors the 33,000 acres owned by the Nature Conservancy including 14 of the 18 Virginia barrier islands. He hopes that more transparency about the work being done by the reserve will help “strengthen connections to local residents and communities.”

One of the first steps to create public awareness of the Nature Conservancy’s contributions on the Shore was McGowan’s May 18 presentation, “Virginia Coast Reserve: Protecting Land and Waters,” at the Barrier Island Center in Machipongo.

McGowan discussed the Virginia Coast Reserve’s five main goals: land protection, marine conservation, migratory bird conservation, coastal resilience, and education and outreach.

The Nature Conservancy has helped protect the Shore through land acquisition since 1969. It also helps private landowners with conservation easements. The Virginia Coast Reserve monitors 13,000 acres protected by conservation easements in addition to the 33,000 acres owned by the conservancy.

The economic benefits of conservation easements can be misunderstood because they protect land from development, but not all profitable uses are prohibited on conserved lands, which can be used for recreation, forestry, agriculture, and aquaculture.

The pristine waters preserved by The Nature Conservancy support local farming of the Cherrystone clam and Sewansecott oyster, helping make Virginia the number one producer of hard clams in the country and the top oyster producer on the East Coast.

The Virginia Coast Reserve’s marine conservation efforts include restoring the habitat of another popular bivalve once commercially harvested on the Shore, the bay scallop.

In the 1930s, a disease killed off most of coastal Virginia’s eelgrass, the primary habitat for bay scallops. The Chesapeake-Potomac hurricane further devastated the coastal bays, eliminating the eelgrass and the bay scallops that grew there.

Eelgrass was rediscovered in the 1990s. Since then, through a partnership with the Virginia Institute of Marine Science, 7,000 acres of eelgrass have been restored on the seaside. There is a facility in Oyster where eelgrass restoration continues and bay scallops have been reintroduced to the environment. Recreational or commercial bay scallop harvesting may be possible again in the future, McGowan said.

The Virginia Coast Reserve also works closely with state and federal agencies to protect federally threatened and endangered shorebirds, from the migratory red knot to the Virginia native, the Wilson’s plover. Visitors are welcome to most islands owned by the Nature Conservancy, but are cautioned against disturbing the shorebirds’ sandy nesting areas.

The Nature Conservancy is a leader in developing the Coastal Resilience tool, a computer application that helps predict sea level rise and erosion and determine conventional or natural solutions to these challenges.

The Virginia Coast Reserve’s education and outreach efforts center on its program for Accomack and Northampton schools. Collaboration with local educators created field experiences for grades 5, 7, and 10 that align with the Standards of Learning.

All students observe and study natural habitats and do hands-on activities during their watershed experience. Older students go kayaking and 10th graders visit Parramore Island and hike a trail across the island to the oceanside.

It is through these and other outreach programs that McGowan hopes the community will become aware of the Nature Conservancy and Virginia Coast Reserve’s work and realize they are “fighting for the little guy.”

For more information, contact Outreach Coordinator Margaret Van Clief at mvvanclief@tncc.org or 757-414-9227.
Wallops Launches ATK Antares Rocket with Cygnus Onboard

By Linda Cicoira
Orbital ATK’s Antares rocket with its Cygnus spacecraft onboard launched from the Mid-Atlantic Regional Spaceport at NASA’s Wallops Flight Facility Monday. The cargo ship was bolted onto the International Space Station at 8:13 a.m. Thursday.

The successful liftoff was made at 4:44 a.m., May 21, and left neon-blue noctilucent clouds in the horizon — some visible for a half hour after the launch.

Upon Cygnus’ arrival, the space station’s robotic arm was set to capture the 7,400-pound payload of experiments and supplies, including critical materials supporting dozens of science and research investigations.

TOWN OF MELFA
NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL

Notice is hereby given that the Town of Melfa Town Council will hold a special meeting to consider, pursuant to Virginia Code Section 24.2-228, an interim appointment to a vacant position on the Town Council for the remainder of a term expiring on December 31, 2018. The special meeting of the Town Council is scheduled for Friday, June 1, 2018, at 5:30 p.m. at the Town Hall located at 19539 Main Street, Melfa, VA, 23410.

Call Owner/Broker
Margaret Nichols 757.336.6000

Photo by NASA/Aubrey Gemignani
The orbital ATK Antares rocket, with the Cygnus spacecraft onboard, launches from Pad-0A May 21, from NASA Wallops Flight Facility.
Northampton and Accomack County Primaries Announced

By Linda Cicoira

Primaries will be held on Tuesday, June 12, in Accomack and Northampton counties by both Democratic and Republican parties.

Two Virginia Beach, Va., residents are vying for the Democrat’s nominee for the 2nd District of the House of Representatives. They are Elaine G. Luri, a Navy veteran, and Karen Powers Mallard, a public school teacher.

Three men are seeking the Republican nomination for U. S. Senate. They are Corey A. Stewart, chairman of the Board of Supervisors in Prince William County; state Del. Nick J. Freitas, a former Green Beret from Culpepper, Va.; and E.W. Jackson, a minister and lawyer, who lives in Chesapeake, Va.

The chosen one will run against Sen. Tim Kaine, a Democrat.

For the 2nd District House of representatives, incumbent Rep. Scott W. Taylor, a former Navy SEAL, wants to continue to be the Republican candidate. Mary K. Jones, a former member of the James City County Board of Supervisors, also wants the party’s nomination.

Polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Absentee voting for the Dual Primary Election has already begun. Requests for absentee ballots by mail must be made by 5 p.m., Tuesday, June 5. Absentee ballots that are made in person, must be cast by 5 p.m., Saturday, June 9.

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Reminder

The first installment of the 2018 Real Estate and Personal Property taxes is due June 5, 2018.

Envelopes must be postmarked on or before June 5, 2018 or 10% penalty plus 10% interest per annum must be added.

Dana T. Bundick, Treasurer Accomack County, Virginia
### Town of Chincoteague, Inc. FY’19 Proposed Budget

#### Public Hearing to be Held Monday, June 4, 2018 at 7 PM in the Town Council Chambers

6150 Community Drive, Chincoteague Island, VA 23336

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#### The Following Rates Have Been Proposed for the Current Tax Year Within This Budget:

- **Real Estate Tax Levy**: $0.07 per $100 of Assessed Value
- **Personal Property**: $0.85 per $100 of Assessed Value
- **Excise Tax (Meals)**: 5%
- **Excise Tax (Transient Occupancy)**: 4%
- **Motor Vehicle License**: $27.00
- **Solid Waste Collection**: $2.00 per week
- **Personal Property Tax Relief**: 70%
MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCES

Memorial Day is Monday, May 28. Parksley and Cape Charles are holding Memorial Day ceremonies. The Parksley tribute event begins at 10 a.m. at the Jerry C. Burkhead War Memorial. The Cape Charles commemoration is at 11 a.m. on Mason Avenue.

State and federal offices, banks, and many other offices, and public schools in Accomack and Northampton counties are closed Monday in observance of Memorial Day.

The Eastern Shore Post’s office will also be closed Monday, and will re-open Tuesday, May 29 at 9 a.m.

CORRECTION

Last week we reported Northampton student Jada Smith earned her Associate degree from Eastern Shore Community College in general studies. Her degree was in liberal arts. We regret the error.

Boston

Shiloh Baptist Church, 31559 Boston Rd., will recognize college graduates at its May 27 Collegiate Day, 10 a.m. The day will also include awarding its Shiloh Baptist Scholarship to Eastern Shore Community College.

Cape Charles

Trinity UMC will offer Life Line screening — ultrasound to identify cardiovascular and osteoporosis risk factors — Wednesday, June 20. Appointments are required. Call 1-888-653-6441 or visit www.lifelinescreening.com/community to make an appointment.

Cashville

Foundation of Faith Ministries, founded by Bishop David Sabatino, has joined The Bridge Network of Churches (formerly Accomack/Northampton Baptist Association). The Bridge Network exists to serve local churches as they work to fulfill The Great Commission by connecting people, cultivating leaders, and coaching churches. To learn more, contact Bishop Sabatino at 757-709-9392 or ffwc2002@gmail.com.

Cheriton

Full Gospel Church, 22340 Bayview Circle, is holding a Sumner Bazaar featuring a yard sale, crafts, and baked goods, June 16 from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. Proceeds will support the church building fund and music program. To reserve a table to sell, call Mandy Thomas at 678-6278 by June 9.

Melfa

His Way Fellowship is hosting a Youth Yard Sale Saturday, May 26, at 8 a.m. The church is at the corner of Route 13 and Spruce Street.

Oak Grove UMC will have a Chicken Salad Dinner Friday, May 25, from 4:30-6:30 p.m. A platter with chicken salad, slaw, potato salad, dessert and coffee or tea is $8. Eat in or carry out. Chicken salad will be available to purchase by the pint for $8. For orders or questions, call 757-710-4920 or 757-787-1508.

St. Mark Baptist Church will host its annual Women’s Day on Sunday, May 27, at 9 a.m. The guest pastor will be Pastor Hazel Kellam of Harvest Time Deliverance Center in Belle Haven, Va.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Sanitary Landfill/Transfer Station and the Birdsnest, Bayview, Wardtown, Hare Valley, Cheapside and Eastville Waste Collection Centers will be closed on Monday, May 28, 2018 in observance of Memorial Day. Please plan your solid waste disposal accordingly.

Eastern Shore Health

Somerset County’s only not-for-profit facility, Tawes consistently receives high marks for quality care and has an unmatched reputation for personalized, skilled-nursing and rehabilitative care. Each resident’s care is coordinated by a multidisciplinary team of professionals that also includes the resident’s family. Medicaid waivers accepted, and respite care and hospice services are available.

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<td><strong>10 a.m. - 1 p.m.</strong> - <strong>Soup Kitchen</strong> - Faith Christian Tabernacle Ministries, Rt. 13, Accomac - 787-1811</td>
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<td>**11 a.m.-2 p.m. - <strong>Fish Fry</strong> - Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center, Accomac - $10/drum, $8/trout includes coleslaw - call to place orders - 709-3267</td>
<td>**11 a.m. - <strong>Dutch Oven Outdoor Cooking</strong> - Pocomoke Library</td>
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<td>**11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. - <strong>Alzheimer's Caregivers' Support Group</strong> - Shore Health &amp; Rehab, Parksley - 665-5133 (Lori Wilson)</td>
<td>**11 a.m.-4 p.m. - <strong>Smith Island Arts Festival</strong> - Smith Island Cultural Center, Ewell, Smith Island - 410-425-3351</td>
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<td>**5 p.m. - <strong>4th Street Friday Festival</strong> - Downtown Pocomoke, Md.</td>
<td>**2-4 p.m. - <strong>Empowering Girls' Group</strong> - ESTACI, Exmore - 757-656-3460</td>
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<td>**7:30 p.m. - <strong>Bingo</strong> - Eastville Volunteer Fire Co.</td>
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<td>**1-3 p.m. - <strong>Community Bingo</strong> - Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague</td>
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<td>**1-4 p.m. - <strong>Gameplay Mondays</strong> - Theatre Annex, Chincoteague</td>
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<td>**6-7 p.m. - <strong>Accomack Cty. NAACP mtg.</strong> - Abba's House, Mary N. Smith Cultural Ctr., Accomac - 709-3753</td>
<td>**10:30 a.m. - <strong>Duplicate Bridge</strong> - Island House, Wachapreague - 787-2432</td>
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<td>**6 p.m. - <strong>Bingo</strong> - Elk's Lodge, Tasley</td>
<td>**3-6 p.m. - <strong>Cape Charles Farmers Market</strong> - Cape Charles Museum, Randolph Ave.</td>
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<td>**6:30 p.m. - <strong>Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg.</strong> - Grace UMC, Parksley</td>
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<td>**6:30-8:30 p.m. - <strong>Free English for Speakers of Other Languages</strong> - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761</td>
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<td>**10 a.m. - <strong>TOPS mtg.</strong> - Market St. UMC, Onancock - 787-4718</td>
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<td>**10 a.m.-2 p.m. - <strong>Veterans' Employment Representative Avail.</strong> - ESCC, Melfa - no appt. needed</td>
<td>**5:30 p.m. - <strong>Shore Losers mtg.</strong> - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomac - $1/wk.</td>
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<td>**10:30-11:30 a.m. - <strong>Overeaters Anonymous mtg.</strong> - Rock Church, Onley - 757-655-4834</td>
<td>**5:30 p.m. - <strong>TOPS VA-550 mtg.</strong> - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099</td>
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<td>**11 a.m.-1 p.m. - <strong>Soup Kitchen</strong> - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, 3431 Main St., Exmore</td>
<td>**6-8:30 p.m. - <strong>GED Class</strong> - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa</td>
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<td>**5-7 p.m. - <strong>Soup Kitchen &amp; Clothes Closet</strong> - Grace and Truth Ministries, 19 Boundary Ave., Onancock - Donations: 789-5369</td>
<td>**6:30 p.m. - <strong>Kiwanis Club mtg.</strong> - St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Chincoteague</td>
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<td>**5:30-6:30 p.m. - <strong>Free Meals for the Hungry</strong> - Epworth UMC, 4158 Seaside Rd., Exmore - 442-6391</td>
<td>**6:30 p.m. - <strong>Crafting with Denise Wagner: Pebble Art</strong> - Pocomoke Library</td>
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<td>**6-7 p.m. - <strong>Prayer Line Open (St. Matthew's Church, Onley) - Call 665-7403, 387-7021 or 894-1521 w/prayer requests</strong></td>
<td>**7 p.m. - <strong>Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.</strong> - Chincoteague Church of God</td>
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<td>**6:30-8:30 p.m. - <strong>Free English for Speakers of Other Languages</strong> - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761</td>
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<td>**7 p.m. - <strong>AA &amp; Al-Anon mtgs.</strong> - Franktown UMC</td>
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<td>**7:30 p.m. - <strong>Bingo</strong> - Painter Garrison UMC</td>
<td><strong>8 a.m. - Breakfast at the VFW - VFW Post 2296, Tasley - donations accepted</strong></td>
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Help Wanted

The Eastern Shore Community Services Board is seeking candidates for the following positions:

- Senior Clinician/Clinician
- Developmental Disabilities Aide (PCAs & CNAAs welcome)
- Substance Abuse Outpatient Clinician (CSAC required)
- Mental Health Skill-Building Specialist
- Mental Health Facility Technician
- Mental Health/Substance Abuse Case Manager
- Senior Nurse
- Peer Recovery Specialist
- Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist
- Emergency Services Clinician

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

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- Maintenance Worker- Safety/Water/Procurement
- Bus Drivers (must possess a CDL)
- Coordinator of Health Services (Part-Time)
- Hybrid Position: Custodian/Bus Driver (must possess a CDL)

2018-2019 SCHOOL VACANCIES

- Art Teacher-Middle School
- Director of Technology
- Elementary Teachers PK-6
- Earth Science Teacher
- Gifted Education Teacher
- Instructional Assistant
- Secondary Mathematics Teacher
- Special Education Teachers
- Technology Lab Assistant

For job descriptions, qualifications, salaries, and to apply go to www.ncpsk12.com

Inquiries may be directed to:
Melinda Phillips - Director of Administrative Services (757) 678-5151 ext. 2013 or mphiilips@ncpsk12.com

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

Help Wanted

SUMMER PROGRAM
PART-TIME TEMPORARY SEASONAL JOB OPENINGS AVAILABLE

Accomack County is currently hiring part-time temporary seasonal staff for Parks and Recreation Department’s summer program. This program is made possible in part by funding from a Nutrition Fitness and Enrichment USDA grant. The temporary positions include: Recreational Aides and Assistant Site Supervisors. This limited run program starts on June 25 and runs through August 3, 2018. Due to the nature of the program, the schedule will average 7 or 8 hours daily based on a five day work week and with a firm ending date of August 3. Applications and job descriptions are available online: www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities.

The County of Accomack is committed to a diverse and inclusive workforce.

NCPR SUMMER CAMP COUNSELORS

Northampton County Parks and Recreation is seeking 2018 summer camp counselors. Under the supervision and guidance of the Northampton County Parks and Recreation Department Director, the Summer Camp Counselor is responsible for creating a high quality experience for every camper. Ensure the safety, well-being and personal growth of campers. Be an active and supportive member of the Summer Camp team and a positive member of the entire staff. Counselors must demonstrate positive, professional role modeling at all times, acting in a manner that is consistent with the staff code of conduct and the philosophy, goals, and objectives of the Northampton County Parks and Recreation Department.

Summer Camp begins Monday, June 18, and will run until August 24, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Northampton County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. ADA requires the County to provide adequate accommodations to qualified persons with disabilities. Prospective and current employees are encouraged to discuss ADA accommodations with management.

Apply at http://www.co.northampton.va.us/jobs.html, or in person at Northampton County Parks and Recreation office.

Cooperative Extension Unit Support Staff

Provide support for Virginia Cooperative Extension programs within the Accomack County VCE Unit in Accomac, VA. Job duties include, but are not limited to, providing clerical/administrative support to faculty & staff; effectively communicate with diverse individuals and groups; maintain and reconcile financial, personnel, and inventory records; comply with Commonwealth of Virginia accounting policies and procedures; experience and Excel database, Banner & Quicken. For further information and to apply, please visit: http://listingsjobs.vt.edu/postings/84911

Dental Assistant

Morrison Dental Group is seeking a full-time Dental Assistant. We are willing to train the right candidate! Previous experience in Customer Service required. Please e-mail your resume to lmacdonald@morrisonodontalgroup.com

NOW HIRING AT NEW RAVENNA, EXMORE

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Due to expansion in our operations, we are looking for responsible team members to work in our saw departments. We offer on-the-job training for all positions. Hours will be 12 hour shifts; 3 nights on, 3 off; 4 nights on, 4 off; then repeat; rotating 7 days a week. Other shifts will be 2:30 PM to 11:00 PM; Monday – Friday w/occasional overtime.

MOSAIC & FIELD APPRENTICES

Mosaics: You will be taught by a Mosaic artisan to create beautiful mosaics. It’s actually a tough job to learn; it’s hard on your hand and arm muscles. You will be nipping hard marble all day long. You need to be a quick learner, have a knack for color blending, like a creative challenge and learn from the bottom up. Mosaics Apprentices are paid by piece rate.

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To apply for any of these positions please stop at New Ravena, 3268 Broad Street, Exmore, VA. An application can be completed or send your resume to mharris@newravena.com. No phone calls please.

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Help Wanted

PROGRAM DIRECTOR
WELLNESS/SPORTS/CAMP YMCA OF SOUTH HAMPTON ROADS, EASTERN SHORE FAMILY CENTER Responsible for the operations to the departments of Youth and Adult Sports Programming, Personal Training, Group Exercise and other fitness programs, Summer/Schools out Day Camps, and Home School P.E. programs and a leadership role in the annual support campaign. Visit website for additional information and to apply. https://www.ymcashr.org


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Seeking a highly motivated individual. Will train. Full-time position. Call 331-1589 for interview.

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Real Estate

MACHIPONGO - 64-acre lot. Rent $1100/mo. Call 757-789-5217

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1.7-ACRE BUILDING LOT IN MELFA Includes well & septic. Perfect for Mfgd. Land/Home Pkg. $28,900. Call Larry at 757-292-9909.

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Contact site manager at (757) 787-7213 Mon-Fri 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

TDD 1-800-828-1140 onancock@tmamgroup.com Onancock Square Apts. 160 Jacob Street Onancock, VA 23417

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Real Estate


DOWNTOWN ONANCOCK 2BR/1BA LR, DR, Kit.-newly renovated: paint, carpet, range, fridge, DW. Water & sewer, lawn care & garbage pu included. Credit score & references required. Available May 1st. $900/month. Call 757-710-2262.

NASSAWAXED 2BR, Lk/Dm. area, 1BA, CAC, all appliances incl. W/D $750/mo. No smoking. No pets. 1 yr. lease, 1 mo. sec. dep., credit ck. req’d. View this apt. at shorepropertyrentals.com 757-7640.

LITTLE INLET LAWN CARE Mowing & Landscaping services. Lower Northampton County. 757-678-6311.

Rental Homes

ONANCOCK - 3BR, 2BA, Central Air/Heat, Wall-carpet, laundry room. Located To Greenbush Road in Tasley, 757-787-3059. 26’ Premier Bullet Ultra Lite, 89K mi., excellent condition, no rust, garage kept. $6,500. 757-710-5175.

2016 Viking 18-ft. Ultra Lite 16 RBD, bought new, never used. $12,950. Call 757-331-0315.

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1993 CHEVROLET DUMP TRUCK – 1-ton dump body, $5,000. Call 757-990-9480.


1997 MERCEDES 300 - Turbo diesel, 4-door, $1,500. 757-990-9480.

'04 F150 4X4 FORD XLT LARIET - All options, 200K mi., mechanically & physically sound. $7,800. Call 757-620-9042.

'89 Classic BMW 325i Convertible White, black interior w/black rag top, mint cond., 89K mi., never seen weather. $6,500. Call 516-369-1749.

Yard/Estate Sales

ONANCOCK: 126 Market St., Sat., May 26, 8AM, Rain or Shine, Super Sale, front porch, inside the house, antiques, collectibles. Parking in rear.

YARD SALE – Saturday, 8AM-2PM. 30407 Big Pine Rd., Pungoteague. If you don’t see it, ask! Estate buyers welcome!

1226 CHURCH NECK ROAD, MACHIPONGO, VA 23455 VAULCUSE ANNUAL YARD SALE This year’s Vaulcuse Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, June 2, from 8 to 1. Stop at the pool house for a map of participating members. Jun. 02 8:00 AM-1:00 PM Rain or Shine

VENDOR 2119371 Main St. - Melfa, VA (757-787-7697) 20% Off Thurs. Fri. Sat. & Mon (10-5), Sun (12-30-5) COMMUNITY YARD SALE by Kiptopeke Elementary PTA Sat., May 26, 8-2, at Kiptopeke Elementary. Baked goods, food, drinks, car wash, activities for kids! Clothing, books, household items, toys, jewelry & more. Spaces: $1- ($5 addl table). Call Cora at 757-710-1501 or email cjburnome@hotmail.com

ONANCOCK ESTATE SALE 14271 Westwind Dr. Saturday, May 26, 2018 9-3. Watch for pink & black directional sign. Very nice two story home on bay water. Lots of Hidden Treasures. For information and pictures see the web site at www.rare-fine.com

5TH ANNUAL GARAGE SALE SAT. MAY 26, 8 a.m. until? 14 Lake St., Onancock. Antiques, collectibles, yard art, vintage trunks & furniture, 1908 Chattam Mill grain bagging attachment, vinyl records, 2 mountain bikes, 8’ cherry pedi. something for everyone! Rain or shine!

VENDOR 2119371

YARD SALE CHINCOTEAGUE Fri. May 25 & Sat. May 26 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Some Unique, Some Antique, Some Actually Useful! Not To Miss!
Proceeds to support Capt. Timothy Hill House 5122 Main St., take a left off the bridge, north of high school

6th Annual Parksville Community Yard Sale Saturday, June 2 Starts at 7 am in Parksville Town Park Grace UMC will have an early bird Preview Night in the fellowship hall from 5-7 pm on Friday, June 1. Admission on Friday night is $3. No admission charge on Saturday. Dozens of vendors – Thousands of people! Fresh Clam fritters sandwiches, hamburgers, hotdogs and cold drinks, & food booth next to Grace UMC. Vendor space still available - call 665-4783 for information Sponsored by Grace United Methodist Church

CAPEVILLE FLEA MARKET - Huge yard sale and flea market. Saturday, May 26, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., 26475 Lankford Hwy. Capeville Flea Market next to Sting Ray’s restaurant. Anyone wanting to set up and sell, it’s free, so come on down. Call for a free spot. 757-678-7197, 757-331-3293, 757-693-0125, 757-331-4930

ONANCOCK. MULTIFAMILY YARD SALE 51 Kerr St., Onancock, May 26th, 8:00 AM-2:00 PM Rain date: (6/2)

PAINTER MAJOR YARD SALE on Main St., Sat. May 26, 8 AM, household/kitchen items, small & large appliances, sofa bed, chairs, towels, sheets, lamps & more.

YOUTH YARD SALE SATURDAY MAY 26TH @ 8AM HWY 13 & SPRUCE IN MELFA

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Site Development for Dredge Material Placement Site

The County of Northampton, Virginia is accepting sealed bids for the site work required to redevelop a dredge material placement site in Willis Wharf, VA for the future dredging of the Willis Wharf Harbor. Bids will be received at the office of the County Administrator, 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA 23347 until 3:00 p.m., May 31, 2018. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately thereafter. The successful contractor will be responsible for the preparation of a previously used dredged material placement site, including sand cleaning, approximately two acres of trees, excavation of the site, construction of perimeter berms, and other work as specified and detailed in the Contract Documents.

Contractors can obtain copies of the drawings, specifications and contract documents from the Public Works Director’s Office at PO Box 66, Eastville, Virginia 23347, (757) 678-0414, or cthomas@co.northampton.va.us.

The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bid.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

2018-001 Public Water Main Extension

The Town of Eastville, Virginia is soliciting sealed BIDS for a public water main extension to the Town’s existing water system. The project will consist of the addition of approximately 2,000 linear feet of 6-inch diameter water main located on the east side of the railroad tracks, to primarily serve Station Lane. Bid contingencies shall include additional stone bedding, dewatering for water pipe construction and silt fence installation.

Sealed BIDS will be received at the Office of the Town of Eastville, 5250 Willow Oak Drive, Eastville, Virginia or may be mailed by the deadline to Town of Eastville, P.O. Box 747, Eastville, VA 23347, ATTN: Chief David Eder. The due date and time for receipt of bids is Friday, June 15, 2018 at 2:00 pm. Bids will be opened at said office and read aloud. BIDS received after such time shall be returned unopened.

A Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on Friday, June 1, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. at the Town Office.

Each BID must be submitted in a sealed envelope and plainly marked on the outside as “2018-001 PUBLIC WATER MAIN EXTENSION” and the envelope shall bear on the outside the name of the BIDDER, address, and contractor’s license number for Virginia.

Bid documents may be examined at the Town Office. To receive a copy of the BID DOCUMENTS visit the TOWN OFFICE between the hours of 9am and 1pm at 5250 Willow Oak Drive, Eastville, VA. Questions regarding this BID should be addressed to Chief David Eder at 757-678-6627 or email at deder@townofeastville.com

The TOWN reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to contact any Bidder prior to award for explanations or clarifications. The TOWN does not discriminate against any Bidder on any basis.
NOTICE OF OYSTER GROUND APPLICATION
Joshua L. Williams and Brandon Morgan, (2018070) have applied for approximately 26 acres of oyster planting ground in Beasleys Bay situated in Accomack City/County and described as follows: North By: Vacant. East By: Vacant. West By: Vacant. Lat/Long: N35-50.848 W75-40.7889.
Send written comments or concerns to: Marine Resources Commission, Engineering/Surveying Department, 2600 Washington Ave., 3rd Floor, Newport News, VA 23607
For more specific application location information call (757)247-2230.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
Case No. 18CL381
Accomack County Circuit Court, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, in re
GEORGES PENEYON
v. MARIE HELENE DORENA
The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A DIVORCE.
It is ORDERED that MARIE HELENE DORENA appear at the above-named court and protect her interests on or before JUNE 20, 2018.
April 20, 2018
Arisleydi J. Possien, Dep. Clerk

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
Case No. 18CL398
Accomack County Circuit Court, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, P.O. Box 126, Accomac, VA 23301
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, in re
ROBERT J. WEIR
v. MARY JANE WEIR, 2118 WILSHIRE BLVD., APT. 257, SANTA MONICA, CA
The object of this suit is to:
OBTAIN A DIVORCE.
It is ORDERED that MARY JANE WEIR appear at the above-named court and protect her interests on or before JULY 2, 2018.
April 27, 2018
Caretta S. Duncan, Dep. Clerk
All that parcel of land in Whitesville, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 445 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 6, page 82.

PARCEL 9: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RONALD THOMAS SAVAGE MAP NO. 078A20100004600 23556 LESLIE TREAT ROAD

All that parcel of land in the Village of Whitesville, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, being the western one-half of Lot 446 as shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 6, page 82.

PARCEL 10: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. SAMUEL G. SAVAGE MAP NO. 042A2A000005100

All that parcel of land situate on Wishes Point Road, near the Village of Atlantic, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting 28 ft. on Wishes Point Road and running back 38 ft., bounded North by the aforesaid road; East by Holiness Church and Joe Turner; South by Charlie B. Matthews; West by Saint John’s Methodist Church.

PARCEL 11: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CARL M. SHRIEVES MAP NO. 070000A0000128A0

All that parcel of land near the Village of Modest Town, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, beginning at a wooden stake along the eastern boundary of a private outlet road to Metompkin Road, which point is the southernmost point of the boundary of said outlet road upon the property owned by the Sandifer heirs and which point is collinear with, but west of, the southern boundary of Modest Town Pioneer Court, Inc.; thence from starting point approximately 200 ft. in a southern direction along the eastern boundary of the outlet road to another wooden stake along said boundary; thence an eastern direction 358 ft. to another wooden stake; thence a northern direction 200 ft. to another wooden stake at a point which is collinear with, but east of, the southern boundary of Modest Town Pioneer Court, Inc., which point is 318 ft. to the east of the stake at the beginning; thence a northern direction along a line collinear with the southern boundary of Modest Town Pioneer Court, Inc. 318 ft. back to the stake at the point of beginning.

PARCEL 12: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. TNT CONSTRUCTION, LLC MAP NO. 042A2010000400 31054 GRETA ROAD

All that parcel of land on the South side of the public road leading from U. S. Highway 13 to the Village of Atlantic, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded Northeast by said public road for 100 ft.; Southeast by a right-of-way 18 ft. wide for 200 ft.; Southwest by Larry K. Rantz for 100 ft.; Northwest by Linda Robin for 200 ft.

PARCEL 13: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100000100

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, Section 1, Peley’s Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 14: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100002600

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48 and 49, Section 1, Peley’s Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 15: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100005700

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 57, 58, 59 and 60, Section 1, Peley’s Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 16: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100006100

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71 and 72, Section 1, Peley’s Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 17: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100007300

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79 and 80, Section 1, Peley’s Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 18: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100008100

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90 and 91, Section 1, Peley’s Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 19: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RUTH TALMADGE MAP NO. 022A00100009200

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lots 92, 99, 102 and 103, Section 1, Peley’s Beach, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 14, page 67.

PARCEL 20: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. DENNY M. TAYLOR MAP NO. 005A20100011000 LOT 110, SECTION 2, CAPTAIN’S COVE

PARCEL 21: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ALAN D. TEAFORD MAP NO. 030A5A000638A0 3542 ACCOMAC STREET TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE

All that parcel of land in the Town of Chincoteague, Accomack County, Virginia, being 3,113 sq. ft., shown as Parcel “A” on a plat recorded in Deed Book 673, page 535.

PARCEL 22: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. NOLAN LEE THORNTON MAP NO. 041A00000011100 29125 SAXIS ROAD

All that parcel of land situate near the Village of Makemie Park, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting on the Northern side of the State Road leading from Makemie Park to Temperanceville 70 ft. and extending back to the land of Harry White, bounded North and East by Larry White; South by the State Road leading from Makemie Park to Temperanceville; West by May Bloomax.

LESS AND EXCEPT a conveyance recorded in Deed Book 605, page 732.

PARCEL 23: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. JOANNE RUTH TRADER MAP NO. 029A20500000500

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 5, Unit III, Sheet 5, Chincoteague Bay Trails End.

PARCEL 24: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. JOANNE RUTH TRADER MAP NO. 029A20500000600

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being 0.50 acre, more or less, bounded North by an outlet road; East by Stewart Young; Southeast by the County road leading from Leemont to Grape; Southwest by Alexandria Lewis.

PARCEL 25: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. L L TURCHI MAP NO. 077BA000003800 19212 BAYSIDE ROAD

All that parcel of land in the Village of Leemont, Accomack County, Virginia, being 16.78 acres, more or less, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 27, page 44.

PARCEL 26: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. AURELIA WEAL MAP NO. 113000A000034A0

All that parcel of land near Wachapreague, Accomack County, Virginia, being 1.00 acre, more or less, bounded South by the Locousmouth-Wachapreague Road; North, East and West by Ed B. Finney.

PARCEL 27: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. RENELDA K. WHITE MAP NO. 109A001000008B0

All that parcel of land near Pennsville, Accomack County, Virginia, being 0.70 acre, more or less, shown as part of Lot 8 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 11, page 6.

PARCEL 28: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. DAWN WILSON-CAIN MAP NO. 005A301000173300 LOT 1733, SECTION 3, CAPTAIN’S COVE

The terms of sale require a deposit of 25% of the bid price with the balance due in ten days. Additional terms will be announced at the sale.

Each sale shall be subject to confirmation by the Court.
COMMISSIONER’S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Wednesday, June 6, 2018, at the Accomack County Circuit Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

PARCEL 1: COUNTY OF ACCOMACK
vs. ROSE ANNIS
MAP NO. 07700A000002800
18515 JOHNSONS LANDING ROAD

All that parcel of land situate at Johnson’s Wharf, Accomack County, Virginia, being 3.00 acres, more or less, bounded Northwest by a State Road leading from Leemont to Johnson’s Wharf; Southwest by Norman Bundick; Southeast by Fletcher Shrieve, now owned by Hefner. LESS AND EXCEPT a conveyance of Deed Book 624, page 748.

PARCEL 2: COUNTY OF ACCOMACK
vs. ROBERT A. BORTZ
MAP NO. 030A21300000700
8064 LUNN ESTATE ROAD

All that parcel of land in Islands District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 7, Lunn R. V. Estates, as shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 28, page 3.

PARCEL 3: COUNTY OF ACCOMACK
vs. ROBERT A. BORTZ
MAP NO. 030A21300000900
8066 LUNN ESTATE ROAD

All that parcel of land in Islands District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 9, Lunn R. V. Estates, as shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 28, page 3.

PARCEL 4: TOWN OF ONANCOCK
vs. SUZETTE CARTER
MAP NO. 085A3A000007700
11 CHURCH STREET

All that parcel of land in the Town of Onancock, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded South by a street, John Carter and Mary Grant.

PARCEL 5: TOWN OF ONANCOCK
vs. SUZETTE CARTER
MAP NO. 085A3A000007800
9 CHURCH STREET

All that parcel of land in the Town of Onancock, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded North by Claude L. Northam; East by Georgiana Loffland; South by a street separating the land herein from the land of Ellison Wise and West by James Snead.

PARCEL 6: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. JAMES E. DAVIDSON

MAP NO. 102B00100000500
19332 COUNCIL STREET

All that parcel of land in the Town of Melfa, Accomack County, Virginia, measuring 150 ft. on a certain 30 ft. street and extending back between parallel lines 173 ft.; bounded Northeast by a street; on the Southeast by Lottie Guy; on the Southwest by William H. Hickman and J. E. Harmon; on the Northwest by a street.

PARCEL 7: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. JOHN R. EDWARDS
MAP NO. 093B0010000900

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, known as Lots 9 and 10 on a recorded in Plat Book 9, page 53. LESS AND EXCEPT a conveyance of Deed Book 471, page 527.

PARCEL 8: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. JOHN R. EDWARDS
MAP NO. 10200A000004B0

All that parcel of land between Onley and Melfa, Pungoteague District, Accomack County, Virginia, containing 3.88 acres, more or less.

PARCEL 9: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. JOHN RONALD EDWARDS
MAP NO. 093B00100001500

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 15 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 9, page 53.

PARCEL 10: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. JOHN R. EDWARDS
MAP NO. 093B004000A0000

All that parcel of land containing 16.00 acres, more or less, in Accomack County, Virginia, being a portion of Tract A and all of Tract B on a plat recorded in Plat Book 13, page 78.

PARCEL 11: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. JOHN R. EDWARDS
MAP NO. 09300A00000600

All that parcel of land containing 4.00 acres, more or less, near Onancock, Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded North by VA Route 638; East by Joanne V. K. Smith; South and West by Warrington Branch of Onancock Creek.

PARCEL 12: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. CROTHER GODWIN
MAP NO. 026C00600000800
30220 PAIGE FISHER ROAD

All that parcel of land near Oak Hall, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 8 on a plat recorded in Deed Book 257, page 129.

PARCEL 13: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. SHIRLEY HARMON
MAP NO. 02500A00001000
25453 SAXIS ROAD

All that parcel of land near Jenkins Bridge, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being 0.25 acre, more or less, beginning at a pipe at the southernmost corner of land herein, said pipe being 0.65 miles northwesterly from the intersection of VA Route 701 and VA Route 695, at its intersection with VA Route 695 and land of Howard and Madeline Melbourne; thence N. 62 deg. 00 min. 00 sec. W. 80 ft. to a pipe; thence N. 26 deg. 04 min. 50 sec. E. 146.60 ft. to a pin; thence S. 64 deg. 26 min. 00 sec. E. 79.80 ft. to a pin; thence S. 24 deg. 10 min. W. 147.25 ft.

PARCEL 14: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. CRAIG MARTIN HASTINGS
MAP NO. 093C00000000C0
26073 EAST MAIN STREET

All that parcel of land in the Town of Onley, Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 22, page 34.

PARCEL 15: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. MANUEL H. HERNANDEZ
MAP NO. 088B0A00003400
21355 TAYLOR ROAD

(TRACT 1): All that parcel of land in the Village of Tasley, Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia, being 0.5132 acre, more or less, described by a survey recorded with a certain deed in Deed Book 189, page 96.

AND

(TRACT 2): All that parcel of land in the Village of Tasley, Accomack County, Virginia, shown as “A” on a plat recorded with a deed in Deed Book 209, at page 148.

AND

(TRACT 3): All that parcel of land near Tasley, Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia, being approximately 15.15 ft. in width and bounded East by Margaret L. Copes; South by the right of way of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company; West by Merry’s Branch, which separates the lot herein from Farmers Exchange, Incorporated; North by the road separating the lot herein from Eastern Shore Public Service Company of Virginia.

PARCEL 16: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. KENNETH B. JOHNSON
MAP NO. 04200A000002A0
31032 GRETA ROAD

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 13, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 205, page 145.

PARCEL 17: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. WILBERT JOHNSON
MAP NO. 079F0010000002
26328 S. FORK ROAD

All that parcel of land near Rue, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, being 1.50 acres, more or less, shown as “B” on a plat recorded in Plat Book 20, page 75.

PARCEL 18: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. WILBERT JOHNSON
MAP NO. 08700A00011600
22024 LANKFORD HIGHWAY

All that parcel of land near the Village of Pastoria, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting 50 ft. on U. S. Highway 13 and running back 218 ft., bounded on the Southwest and Northwest by Viola Giddens, et als, and Dorsey L. Wharton; Northeast by Lorenzo Justis and April Victoria Davis; Southeast by U. S. Highway 13.

PARCEL 19: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. ROBERT HOWARD KERNAN, JR.
MAP NO. 010000200000700

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 7, Bay Watch, containing 3.70 acres, more or less, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 2005, page 145.

PARCEL 20: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. MARK M. SCHWEITZER
MAP NO. 010000200000800

All that parcel of land in Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 8, Bay Watch, containing 3.44 acres, more or less, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 2005, page 145.

PARCEL 21: ACCOMACK COUNTY
vs. DEBRA A. KYGER
MAP NO. 028E00200000400
33238 EVERGREEN DRIVE

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 4, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 88, page 59.

The terms of sale require a deposit of 25% of the bid price with the balance due in ten days. Additional terms will be announced at the sale. Each sale shall be subject to confirmation by the Court.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, June 5, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA. The purpose of the meeting is to conduct regular business and public hearings on the following matters:

Zoning Text Amendment:
A. ZTA 2018-02: The Northampton County Board of Supervisors propose to amend the following section of the Northampton County Zoning Ordinance adopted 04/12/2016: §154.2.193 PERMITTED SIGN STANDARDS, Section (B) Freestanding identification signs on properties used for non-residential purposes. (1) Each non-residential establishment, except for planned developments, home occupations, and shopping centers shall be allowed a total of one freestanding sign per lot or parcel not exceeding 64 square feet and 30 feet in height. In addition, each business located on U.S. 13 or Business U.S. 13 may have one informational sign for approaching traffic from each direction within 2 miles of the business advertised subject to Virginia Department of Transportation regulations, property owner’s permission, and not to exceed thirty-two square feet.

AFD applications to be considered for renewal and/or withdraw:
A. Renewal for Mapp-Machipongo AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
B. Renewal for Mason Farm AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
C. Renewal for Milford Farm AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
D. Renewal for Newsted Farm AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
E. Renewal for Outten Farm AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
F. Renewal for Plantation South AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
G. Renewal for Pony Neck AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
H. Renewal for Savages Neck AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
I. Renewal for Seaside AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
J. Renewal for TB Road AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
K. Renewal for The Hermitage AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
L. Renewal for Turner-Hurtt AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
M. Renewal for Walker Bros. LLC AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
N. Renewal for Webb Island AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
O. Renewal for Weirwood AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
P. Renewal for Woodland AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
Q. Renewal for Woodside AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.
R. Renewal for Yeardley AFD a ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect.

*For a listing of all parcels within each AFD, please visit or contact the Department of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement or the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

The Northampton County Board of Supervisors will also conduct public hearings on the above items on Tuesday, July 10, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers.

The full applications will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Department of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA. Anyone wishing to comment on the above items is invited to attend the meetings and make their comments known.

Handicapped assistance available: Please telephone (757) 678-0440, extension 516 at least 48 hours in advance.

FORECLOSURE SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN TRAIL’S END
June 9, 2018, 10:00 AM

To be held at the Clubhouse in Chincoteague Bay Trail’s End Subdivision 5360 Trails End Dr., Horntown, VA 23395.

The following properties will be auctioned:

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TERMS: Minimum Bids will be announced prior to the start of the auction on the date of sale. 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 10% of successful bid in cash or certified funds at time of sale, with the closing to occur within thirty days of the date of said sale or within such time set by Trustee in Trustee’s sole discretion. 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. Notwithstanding the Minimum Bids announced at the time of sale, the Trustee reserves the right to accept and/or reject all offers. Time is of the essence. Other conditions may be announced at the sale.

TRUSTEE:
Pender & Coward, P.C., 222 Central Park Ave., Virginia Beach, VA Phone: (757) 490-6261 Email: trailsend@pendercoward.com
NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE’S SALE OF
10380 Brickhouse Dr., Nassawadox, Virginia 23413
(Northampton Co., VA)

In execution of a deed of trust, from GREGORY BROWN and VANECIA PARKER, dated October 25, 2002, in the original principal amount of $67,611.51, recorded in the Circuit Court Clerk’s Office of the County of Northampton, Virginia, as Instrument Number 020002668, (Seth E. Twery, P.C. having been appointed Substitute Trustee under instrument of record as Instrument Number 15000003565 in said Clerk’s Office), due to default in payment of the debt secured, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Courthouse for the Circuit Court of Northampton County, Virginia on the 6th day of June, 2018 at 11:00 a.m., that certain tract of real estate known as 10380 Brickhouse Dr., Nassawadox, Virginia 23413, situated in the County of Northampton, Virginia, more particularly described as follows:

All of that certain lot, piece or parcel of real estate together with any buildings and improvements thereon situate near Hare Valley, Northampton County, Virginia, bounded in general on the Northeast by Virginia State Route 605 for a distance of 60 Feet; on the Southeast by the lands now or formerly owned by Melvyn John Brown, a distance of 200 feet; on the Southwest by lands of Robert L. Brickhouse for a distance of 60 feet; and on the Northwest by lands of Robert L. Brickhouse for a distance of 200 feet.

Sale subject to all conditions, restrictions, reservations and easements, if any of record and now applicable thereto.

Terms: At least 10% cash on day of sale; balance due within 60 days.

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
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(434) 845-5285

PUBLIC NOTICE: Celco Partnership and its controlled affiliates doing business as Verizon Wireless (Verizon Wireless) proposes to build a 199 foot Monopole Communications Tower. Anticipated lighting application is medium intensity dual red/white strobes. The Site location is 7521 Atlantic Road, Wallops Island, VA 23357. It is located at Latitude 37° 55' 46.4"N, Longitude 75° 28' 54.5"W (Degrees Minutes Seconds). The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Antenna Structure Registration (ASR, Form 854) filing number is A1100363.

ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS – Interested persons may review the application (www.fcc.gov/asr/applications) by entering the filing number. Environmental concerns may be raised by filing a Request for Environmental Review (www.fcc.gov/asr/environmentalrequest) and online filings are strongly encouraged. The mailing address to file a paper copy is: FCC Requests for Environmental Review, Attn: Ramon Williams, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. HISTORIC PROPERTIES EFFECTS Public comments regarding potential effects on historic properties may be submitted within 30 days of the date of this publication to: Geo-Technology Associates, Inc., ATTN: Ms. Kirti Rajpurohit, NEPA Specialist, 43780 Trade Center Place, Suite 110, Sterling, Virginia, 20166 or submitted by telephone to Ms. Rajpurohit at (703) 478-0055.

NOTICE: ABANDONED WATERCRAFT

Notice is hereby given that the following watercraft has been abandoned for more than 60 DAYS on the property of Marvin V. Smith Jr., located at 19161 Plantation Road, Onancock, VA 23417, Phone number 757-787-2446.

Description of watercraft: 1980 FLARE, 14'6", white in color, HIN FBC68115M80E.

Application for Watercraft Registration/Title will be made in accordance with Section 29.1-733.25 of the Code of Virginia if this watercraft is not claimed, found, and removed within 30 days of first publication of this notice. Please contact the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries with questions.

The Accomack County School Board Selection Commission will meet in the Board of Supervisors’ Chambers in Accomack, Virginia, on Tuesday, May 29, 2018, at 7:30 P.M., for the purpose of hearing public comment on the appointment of a member from Election District Four (4) to fill the remainder of Margaret Miles’ term which expires on June 30, 2021, to the Accomack County School Board in accordance with §22.1-37, 22.1-38, and 22.1-39 of the Code of Virginia. The Code of Virginia states that no nominee or applicant whose name has not been considered at a public hearing shall be appointed as a school board member.

Jodi Greene, Chairman
School Board Selection Commission
Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Northampton, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, June 5, 2018, at the Northampton County Circuit Court House, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, VA 23447 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

PARCEL 1: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. ALEX C. ASERCION
MAP NO. 0050D-02-BLK-00 00000B3
All that parcel of land near Eastville Station, Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia, designated as Parcel B-3, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 34, page 59.

PARCEL 2: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. DORA BALTAZAR
MAP NO. 00020-06-BLK-00 000000D
All that parcel of land near Eastville, Northampton County, Virginia, being Parcel D on a survey recorded in Plat Book 25, page 77.

PARCEL 3: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON
MAP NO. 010A1-22-BLK-00 000000A
All that parcel of land located one mile south of Eastville, in Northampton County, Virginia, containing one-half acre, more or less, designated as lot 6 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 9, page 20.

PARCEL 5: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. JOHN E. BRADY, III
MAP NO. 0083B-02-BLK-00 000000A
21391 Wilkins Drive
All that parcel of land near Cheriton, Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 0.50 acre, more or less, and being consolidation of Lot 5 and Parcel A shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 23, page 40.

PARCEL 6: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. ROXANNA BURTON
MAP NO. 021A1-0A-BLK-00 0000015
All that parcel of land near Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, the southeasterly portion of said lot herein is bounded on the north side by lands of Elder Walter Trover; northeasterly by lands of Kellam and Sumem; southeasterly by the ditch separating same from lands of George J. Fatherly estate; and southwest by lands of Mary E. Sessoms.

PARCEL 7: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. THELMA ANGELINA BYNUM
MAP NO. 0015C-01-BLK-00 000000C
10534 Pooles Road
All that parcel of land near Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, bounded on the South by a 30 ft. road leading to Virginia Route 605 for a distance of 140 ft., more or less; Southwest by lands of John W. Brickhouse for 200 ft., Northeast by lands of Robert L. Brickhouse for 140 ft., more or less, and Northwest by a 30 ft. road separating these lands from lands of Robert L. Brickhouse.

PARCEL 8: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. LATIKKA CHANDLER
All that parcel of land near Hare Valley, Northampton County, Virginia, described with a metes and bounds description in Deed Book 139, page 486.

PARCEL 10: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. EASTERN SHORE DEVELOPMENT CORP.
MAP NO. 112A1-21-29464B
29464 Ryan Lane
All that allotment unit known as Unit 2, shown in a plat recorded as Instrument No. 080002253.

PARCEL 11: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. SALLIE SACKETT GIDDENS
MAP NO. 0040B-0A-BLK-00 000010
All that allotment unit known as Unit 2, shown in a plat recorded as Instrument No. 080002253.

PARCEL 12: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. MELVIN SANDERS
MAP NO. 0040B-0A-BLK-00 000023
All that parcel of land near Treherneville, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 0.50 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 14: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. MICHAEL JONES
MAP NO. 00906-0A-BLK-00 0000031
3495 Wardtown Road
All that parcel of land in the Town of Cape Charles, Northampton County, Virginia, being Lot 10, Plantation Pointe of Bay Creek Subdivision.

PARCEL 15: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. CECIL EDMOND MAP JR.
MAP NO. 00015-0A-BLK-00 0000149
6173 Bayside Road
All that parcel of land near Wardtown, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 1.00 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 21: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. JENNIFER J. RIDDEL
MAP NO. 0040A-01-BLK-00 000000F
All that certain parcel of land in Machipongo, Northampton County, Virginia, being 0.62 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 22: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. JOEL SALVADOR
MAP NO. 00083-03-BLK-00 000013
All that parcel of land in Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia, known as Lot 13, on a plat entitled “Subdivision of Tract B-4, Part of Parcel B, known as Townfield Meadows.”

PARCEL 23: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. SMITH
MAP NO. 0040B-0A-BLK-00 0000006
All that parcel of land in Treherneville, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 0.25 acres, more or less.

PARCEL 24: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. SMITH
MAP NO. 0040B-0A-BLK-00 0000023
All that parcel of land in Treherneville, Northampton County, Virginia.

PARCEL 25: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. CLEMENT A. SMITH
MAP NO. 0040B-10-BLK-00 0000072
All that parcel of land in Treherneville, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 0.50 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 26: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. TAVI HOLDINGS, LLC
MAP NO. 00084-0A-BLK-00 000080D
All that parcel of land about one-half miles from the Town of Cape Charles, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 0.50 acre, more or less, and being a frontage of fifty-five (55) feet on a certain outlet road and a depth of approximately one hundred and fifty (15) feet.

PARCEL 27: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. THE M.G. TRUST
MAP NO. 0040B-09-BLK-00 0000025
All that parcel of land in Northampton County, Virginia, known as 25 on a plat of the Star Accumulating Company, Deed Book 63, page 422.

PARCEL 28: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. NERVILLA TOWNSEND
MAP NO. 00035-01-BLK-00 0000032
13, on a plat entitled “Subdivision of Tract B-4, Part of Parcel B, known as Townfield Meadows.”

PARCEL 29: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. WALTER TOWNSEND, JR.
MAP NO. 0105A-0A-BLK-00 0000057
27459 Blueberry Drive
All that parcel of land near Cheapside, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 1.25 acres, more or less.

PARCEL 30: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. ERNESTINE ODOMS UPSHUR
MAP NO. 00015-0A-BLK-00 0000018
9344 Parker Lane
All that parcel of land situate in Middletown, near Hare Valley, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 1.17 acres, more or less, on a plat recorded in Deed Book 187, page 141.

PARCEL 31: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. LOTTIE WILSON
MAP NO. 00000-00-BLK-00 0000000
All that parcel of land near Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, being 0.519 acres, more or less, shown as Parcel B on a plat recorded in the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, in Deed Book 157, at page 561.

PARCEL 32: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. LOTTIE WILSON
MAP NO. 15-3-B
6190 Bayside Road
All that parcel of land near Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, containing 0.419 acres, more or less, shown as Parcel A on a plat recorded in the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, in Deed Book 157, at page 561.

PARCEL 33: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. LOTTIE WILSON
MAP NO. 15-3-A
6208 Bayside Road
All that parcel of land near Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, being 1.06 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 34: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. DORSEY G. WISE
MAP NO. 0015D-05-BLK-00 0000010
All that parcel of land located on U.S. Highway 13 between Exmore and Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 10.

PARCEL 35: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. DORSEY G. WISE
MAP NO. 00015-0A-BLK-00 0000145
All that parcel of land near Hare Valley, Northampton County, Virginia, being 1.06 acre, more or less.

PARCEL 36: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs. DORSEY G. WISE
MAP NO. 00016-0A-BLK-00 000022F
All that parcel of land situate at what is known as Maplewood, located between Exmore and Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 5 on a plat recorded in Plat Book 5, page 38. All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 4, shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 88, page 59.

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The North Street Playhouse is seeking sponsors for its summer production of “Kiss Me Kate.” Don’t miss this opportunity to promote your business to a very loyal audience. Sponsorship levels vary. Contact North Street Playhouse at 757-787-2050 or northstplays@gmail.com for more information.

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By Linda Cicoira

Just when you thought you had heard it all, along comes the word “procrastibaking.” According to a recent submission to Merriam-Webster Dictionary, it’s “baking as a form of procrastination” or the “practice of baking something completely unnecessary with the intention of avoiding real work.”

Really? I think the sentence, “I’m avoiding paying my bills, so I’m baking a cake,” could have covered it.

I can better relate to “bingeable,” as in “I was so addicted to the TV show, I watched it from the first episode through season 3 in one night.”

While he might not like the reference, David Martin, the Eastern Shore Post’s new copy editor, is all about “grammatics,” or “language components pertaining to grammar,” such as verb tenses, prepositions, and the unpopular serial comma.

And remember when you were first “in-love?” It’s no longer what you think it is. That’s what some lady actually calls her sons-in-law. They are her in-laws. Not to be confused with a friend’s term of calling his in-laws, the outlaws.

Do you know what it means when someone “phubs” you? Get your mind out of the gutter and put your middle finger back in your pocket with the rest of your hand. The term, “phub,” means to “ignore someone by paying attention to your phone or another mobile device.”

That brother, who is also your best friend, should henceforth be called your “bruddy.” That reminds me, when Angie Crutchley, the Post’s classifieds manager, reminds us all that she is a genius, I will no longer be inferior. Now I will be “insuperior,” which apparently means “lower in rank, status or quality.” Ugh!

It could just be that Angie, bless her heart, has “attitone,” a “tone of voice that conveys one’s attitude.” While some people might think I am “hyperinquirist,” the “person who asks too many questions.” Yippee!

Instead of simply saying, “No,” we might try using the term, “nokay.” Some woman from Mississippi thinks the two words are equal. It just doesn’t cut it for me.

If you watched the TV shows “Dexter” or “The Killing,” you are probably a “murderino” or “someone who is fascinated by true crime murders.”

There are also some local folks who take “dronies,” which are selfies taken with a drone camera. What do they call it when you get a cold with your granddaughter? Nokay, it is not a “grandpatient.” That term is for a “second generation patient of the same doctor.”

I observed “lolification” the other day when I saw someone who must have been sleepwalking pour his creamer into the sugar bowl instead of the cup of coffee. “Lolification” is the “state or condition of being very funny — the ultimate LOL (laugh out loud).”

And finally, my favorites, “oinkment,” which is “the ointment used on pigs” and “feminocracy,” or “authority and rule by women.”

All those newly proposed words may not ever be used commonly. But there is one that has gotten into the mouths of all local leaders and needs to be banished. Please, please, please, stop saying, “signage.” The word is “sign,” as in “they bowed before the queen as a sign of respect.”

No Angie, I’m not talking about you, but we have talked about you while you’ve been on vacation. It’s called “Angification.” I just made that up and I think someone should submit it to the dictionary.

Don’t forget to remember those who died in the military.

Medicaid Expansion Woes

Dear Editor:

It is distressing to read that only the Virginia Senate objects to an expansion of Medicaid.

Medicaid, like every welfare program, consists of only two types of people: recipients and donors. It is a disgraceful oddity of the program that Americans with a long work history can be ineligible, while foreign nationals with no work history obtain unlimited free medical care.

If I knew for a fact that eligibility increases would only go to American citizens with substantial work histories, I would support the idea.

Believe me, this is not the case.

Ben Ludwig, Onley

Chincoteague Cultural Alliance Memorial Day Weekend Events

Submitted Article

The Chincoteague Cultural Alliance (CCA) has a full slate of entertaining events planned for Memorial Day weekend, including the first free Music at the Dock concert of the season.

The weekend entertainment starts Friday night, May 25, with Chincoteague Storytellers Guild. Giving a nod to the royal wedding in England, the theme of this month’s Story Swap is “weddings near and afar.” Stories on tap include a his-and-hers tale on gender-segregated nuptials in the Middle East, a traditional North Seas tale of a princess who weds a dragon, and a story on the challenges of wedding planning in the age of Instagram. Admission is free, doors open at 6:30 p.m., and storytelling begins promptly at 7 p.m. at CCA’s Community Center for the Arts, 6309 Church St.

Outside at the same location on Saturday, May 26, the Farmers and Artisans Market runs from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Shoppers will find the best from farm, field, and bay, including clams, oysters, and crabs; produce, meat, and eggs; plus candy, soy candles, jewelry, pottery, and other handmade arts and crafts. Josh Barrett will provide live entertainment and Captain E’s Hurricane Grill food truck will be on hand to feed the hungry hordes. The first Wednesday Market will be May 30.

The markets will continue on Wednesdays and Saturdays through August and on Saturdays through October.

Sunday, May 27, CCA hosts a reception from 4 until 6 p.m. celebrating the opening of a new exhibit in the Kitchen Gallery. The show’s theme is “Beaches,” and it will feature paintings, drawings, and photographs by local artists.

At 7 p.m. Sunday, head to Robert Reed Waterfront Park in downtown Chincoteague for a free concert by Blue Crab Crossing. The band plays a blend of contemporary bluegrass with some traditional sounds, a little classic country, and their signature vocal harmonies. Bring a chair or blanket to enjoy the performance. In case of rain, the concert will move to CCA.

Monday is more family fun, with bingo at 1 p.m., at CCA. Bingo cards are 25 cents each.

CCA is a nonprofit community arts organization supported by many volunteers and contributors, the Town of Chincoteague, the Virginia Commission for the Arts, and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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