Marijuana Decriminalization Among Bills Before General Assembly

By Linda Cicoira

Marijuana will be one of the hot topics in the General Assembly in 2019 with Gov. Ralph Northam already proposing to decriminalize simple possession.

“We want to keep people safe,” he said in his annual State of the Commonwealth address earlier this month. “But we shouldn’t use valuable law enforcement time, or costly prison space, on laws that don’t enhance public safety … Current law imposes a maximum (of) 30 days in jail for a first offense of marijuana possession. Making simple possession a civil penalty will ease overcrowding in our jails and prisons, and free up our law enforcement and court resources for offenses that are a true threat to public safety.”

Del. Steve E. Heretick, who represents Portsmouth and Norfolk cities, introduced a bill decriminalizing marijuana possession with a civil penalty “of no more than $50 for a first violation, $100 for a second violation, and $250 for a third or subsequent violation.” Under current law, a first offense is punishable by a maximum fine of $500 and a maximum jail sentence of 30 days. Subsequent offenses are Class 1 misdemeanors. The proposal states “a person who possesses no more than one-half ounce of marijuana possesses it for personal use and provides that the existing suspended sentence and substance abuse screening provisions apply only to criminal violations or to civil violations by a minor.”

Heretick’s bill also decreases the penalty for distribution or possession with intent to sell between a half-ounce and five pounds of marijuana from a Class 5 felony to a Class 6 felony.

Del. Charniele Herring, of Alexandria, also introduced a decriminalization bill. Her proposal provides a civil penalty of $250 or less and makes “a person who knowingly or intentionally smokes, consumes, or otherwise ingest marijuana in a public place or while driving or operating a motor vehicle, engine, train, watercraft, or motorboat … guilty of a misdemeanor” with a jail term of 30 days or less and a fine of $500 or less, or both. “A civil violation will be treated as a conviction for prohibitions on the purchase or transport of a handgun and disqualification for a concealed handgun.”

Del. Bobby Orrock introduced a bill that prohibits the advertisement for marijuana possession. Del. Tommy Izzard, of Accomack, also introduced a decriminalization bill. Heretick’s bill also decreases the penalty for distribution or possession with intent to sell between a half-ounce and five pounds of marijuana from a Class 5 felony to a Class 6 felony.

The Lowdown on the Federal Shutdown

By Linda Cicoira

On the isolated Eastern Shore of Virginia alone, the federal government shutdown means 122 Coast Guardsmen have been working without pay, about 1,700 employees and contractors associated with NASA are without work, federal approvals for other programs and answers to proposals are unavailable, and funds for the USDA child nutrition program in local public schools and Section 8 housing could end in a month or two.

Agencies are not answering their phones. And likely more things will go amok.

Wednesday, 25 days after the shutdown began, there was news that President Donald Trump signed a bill guar-
**Accomack Endorses Equal Rights Amendment**

*By Linda Cicoira*

Accomack supervisors unanimously agreed Wednesday to urge the General Assembly to vote in favor of Virginia ratifying the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA).

They also approved more than $1 million in carryover funds for the school division, including $210,000 for a contingency fund, a previous contention between the supervisors and the school board because the supervisors said the county rainy day fund could provide for the division in the case of an emergency.

No one spoke at the public hearing. The policy to allow the appropriation was approved by the board last year.

The action regarding the school and the ERA vote came without fanfare or discussion. An ERA resolution that was prepared was not read aloud as resolutions sometimes are. Instead, it was linked electronically in a grouping of other matters merged for a single vote in what is usually a timesaving effort.

Later in the session, both County Attorney Cela Burge and Vice Chairwoman Reneta Major spoke about it.

“I just wanted to thank the board that we are in agreement about the ERA,” said Major, who brought up the matter last month. “It was prudent for us to go on record. Not just because our neighboring county did, but because we wanted to be part of that history-making as well.” Major was referring to last week’s action by the Northampton supervisors.

The state Senate approved ratifying the amendment Tuesday, in a 26 to 14 vote. The measure has gone to the House, where it failed last year. If approved, Virginia would become the 38th state or the last needed for ERA to become ratified. Opponents say the amendment can’t be passed because it missed the 1982 deadline.

Burge said the House sent it to the Privileges and Elections Committee Wednesday. That panel will meet Friday (today), she added.

The supervisors also appointed David Lumgair, of Craddockville, to the county’s Economic Development Authority to the position left vacant by the resignation of Chairman Wesley Edwards which was announced in an email last week without explanation. Jack Tarr, of Chincoteague, was reappointed to the panel.

The supervisors also supported a grant application for the new library in Parksley. They dedicated $2 million for the project and approved the figure being used to obtain matching funds. Supervisor Paul Muhly reported the library board plans to meet on Feb. 25 to order construction plans before bids will be solicited.

Chairman Donald Hart complained about the former Central High School building in Painter being delinquent with windows being broken out. “I wish we’d never sold it,” he said. Supervisor Harris Phillips said Bloxom Elementary, which also no longer belongs to the county, was in the same condition. They asked county staff to contact the owners to ask if they would fix the problems.

The board authorized grant applications to the Virginia Port Authority for $125,000 each for Quinby and Greenbackville harbors. The money would be used to replace deteriorated docks and bulkheads.

The board granted extensions for two conditional use permits that will allow more time for SunTec to start construction on its 180-acre solar project in Tasley. Two longtime Eastern Shore families, the Nordstroms and the Van Kesterens, are working on a plan that will allow Hog Island sheep to graze between the panels. A spokesperson reported they were trying to find ways to bring costs down and that the project had taken longer than anticipated.
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juna sale in Virginia, making it a Class 1 misdemeanor. Del. Glenn Davis proposed a bill clarifying “products containing a concentration of tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) that is no greater than that allowed by federal law does not constitute marijuana, as defined in the code.” The move would make possession of cannabidiol oil and THC-A oil legal. “The bill directs the Board of Pharmacy to issue additional permits to operate a pharmaceutical processor by Sept. 1, 2019.”

There is a bill that deals with industrial hemp in the 2018 Federal Farm Bill. It amends the definitions of cannabidiol oil, marijuana, and THC to exclude industrial hemp that is grown, dealt, or processed in compliance with state or federal law.

Another controversial bill “eliminates the requirement that an abortion in the second trimester of pregnancy be performed in a hospital. The bill eliminates all the procedures and processes, including the performance of an ultrasound, required to effect a woman’s informed written consent to the performance of an abortion … The bill eliminates the requirement that two other physicians certify that a third-trimester abortion is necessary to prevent the woman’s death or impairment of her mental or physical health, as well as the need to find that any such impairment to the woman’s health would be substantial and irremediable.”

Other recently proposed bills include ones that:
- Reduce the watercraft sales and use tax rate from 2 percent to 1.95 percent and removes the $2,000 cap.
- Allow public auctions held to enforce a lien on property at a storage business to take place online.
- Extend the time that polling places close on election day to 8 p.m.
- Require Criminal Justice Services to collect information about bail determinations, create a uniform reporting mechanism for agencies to submit the data, and submit an annual report to the governor and General Assembly.
- Include alpacas in the definition of livestock in the Comprehensive Animal Care law.
- Change the vote requirement for certain board of zoning appeals decisions from a majority of the membership to a majority of the membership present and voting.
- Increase the statute of limitations for prosecuting misdemeanor or violations when the victim is a minor from a year after the victim reaches the age of majority to five years for carnal knowledge of offender by employee of bail bond company, sexual battery, attempted sexual battery, infected sexual battery, sexual abuse of a child age 13 or 14 by an adult, and tongue penetration by adult of mouth of child under age 13 with lascivious intent.
- Require electric utilities to give customers a 10-day notice by mail prior to terminating service.
- Reduce sales tax on essential personal hygiene products to 1.5 percent.
- Provide that menstrual products be deemed a misbranded device unless packaging and labeling indicate whether the product contains synthetic fibers, dioxin, or bisphenol A.
- Require health insurers, health care subscription plans, and health maintenance organizations to provide coverage for the diagnosis and treatment of autism spectrum disorder in individuals of any age.
- Add five members to the Virginia Foundation for the Humanities task force for its work regarding the history of formerly enslaved African-Americans.
- Direct social services departments to foster, create, maintain, and coordinate a hospital and community-based multidisciplinary teams focused on the abuse and exploitation of adults 60 years or older or 18 years or older, who are physically or mentally incapacitated.
- Make it a misdemeanor with a mandatory 10-day jail term for theft of a parcel delivered to a residence.
- Direct the State Water Control Board to adopt regulations allowing the owner of residential property in a Chesapeake Bay Preservation Area to deposit appropriate fill material in certain low-lying areas within 50 landward feet of a resource protection area on the property.
By Stefanie Jackson

The Accomack-Northampton Transportation District Commission was audited for the fiscal year that ended Sept. 30, 2018, and not all of its members were satisfied with the results.

The ANTDC operates the Eastern Shore’s public bus system, STAR Transit, and monitors the lease of the railroad. The Jan. 7 meeting was the first time since the ANTDC was re-organized in June that its auditor formally discussed its finances with the new commissioners.

“This balance sheet is garbage, and it’s not your fault,” Vice Chairman John Coker told auditor Jeff Mitchell.

Coker questioned the accuracy of the list of ANTDC’s assets and their accumulated depreciation. Some assets are being sold off, and the remaining assets have not been evaluated in years.

“We have a lot of what used to be assets that are now scrap value assets … they’re not worth anything. … Just look at the barge,” Coker said. He was referring to the Nandua, the barge that once transported rail cars from Cape Charles across the Chesapeake Bay.

“That’s probably the 1.8 (million dollar) asset listed as marine equipment, which … frankly, was sold for less than $200,000,” he continued.

The barge’s sale less than a decade after Virginia Department of Rail and Public Transportation and Accomack and Northampton counties had previously invested a total of $1 million to repair the barge for future use.

A document distributed at the public meeting showed the Nandua was sold to a used equipment dealer, Iron Planet, for $179,805.

Coker was concerned that many of ANTDC’s assets will be “written off” and “all of a sudden, our assets are going to drop by about 3 million bucks, with nothing to show for it.”

Former commissioners maintained that ANTDC assets total more than $10 million.

Assistant Secretary Janice Williams recalled that the previous commission would always say, “We’re fine with this number that’s on the books, we’re not going to go incur an appraisal fee to tell us what this new value is.”

Commissioner Spencer Murray believes “beyond a shadow of a doubt” that ANTDC’s assets are worth at least $10 million, but he suggested the organization may want to start new record books as of Jan. 1.

Coker said, “It’s time, this year, to fix this.” ANTDC’s remaining assets are mostly land, and its old railroad equipment is “gone. We don’t own any engines and the cars are all junk.”

Commissioners don’t want to waste money fixing the problem. Williams will assist in searching through old records for more information on ANTDC’s assets and their value.

Since the June re-organization, which occurred around the same time Bay Coast Railroad ceased operations in Cape Charles, public entity ANTDC has shared its board members with private company Canonie Atlantic, and they co-own the railroad.

Murray was concerned with having a clear understanding of the relationship between the two organizations and following proper procedure as old railroad assets are sold.

ANTDC owns all the railroad assets, because it owns 100 percent of Canonie Atlantic’s stock, or one sole share, he explained.

Mitchell advised ANTDC to report all the assets and handle any future sale.

The assets include 40.1 acres in Northampton worth $4 million, deeded to Canonie Atlantic, and the Cape Charles rail yard that was recently cleaned up and is ready to be sold, Murray said.

The railroad no longer runs in Cape Charles, but it is under lease to the Delmarva Central Railroad, operating between Hallwood and Pocomoke City, Md., and Buckingham Branch Railroad, operating across the bay in Little Creek.

### Rail Group Seeks Public Input

Roger Malick, of the nonprofit New York Pennslyvania & Norfolk Railroad Resurrection, seeking revitalization of the Shore’s rail system, asks Eastern Shore Post readers to take a brief survey on possible future uses of the railroad at [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1en2BnVksPo22pREXtnYMAkldackVMHKUssquUrNdpdU/edit](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1en2BnVksPo22pREXtnYMAkldackVMHKUssquUrNdpdU/edit)

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Schultz added the Coast Guard Mutual Assistance received $15 million in donations from USAA (United Services Automobile Association, an insurance and finance company). The American Red Cross will help distribute the money. “I am grateful for the company’s actions,” he said. “Both Chincoteague and Assateague are in the same district and are at risk of shutting down at this time.”

Accomack supervisors voiced concern Wednesday about changes to the maps in the Coastal Barrier Resources Act being proposed by the Fish and Wildlife Service. “The county can’t get any answers because there are no workers there,” Mason said.

The maps “designate which areas are not eligible for financial assistance and federal expenditures. The legislation was designed to conserve the rich ecosystem of coastal barriers that are prone to hurricane and major storm events,” Mason said. The proposal includes removing 201 acres and adding another 97 acres. Plus, it removes 80 structures and adds 45 buildings. It was unsure if private property is involved. It could keep people from getting flood insurance, he said. “Both Chincoteague and Wachapreague have been alerted.”
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• From Joyce White
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  To Thomas Woodward Jr., trustee
  2 parcels near Fairview
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• From Daniel McFee
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  For $21,900

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  Lot 42, Cape Charles
  For $15,000

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  Lot 18, near Eastville
  For $98,000

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  To Benjamin Mears III
  Lot, 1/2 mile of Eastville
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Northampton Indicts 12

An East Hampton man was indicted Monday in Northampton Circuit Court for the November 2018 strangulation of his longtime girlfriend.

Howard Cornelius Thomas Jr., 34, of Solomon Lane, was indicted on two counts of strangulation and a third offense of assault and battery of a family member. The incidents occurred Nov. 10, 2018. The victim was Kayla McCain. Records state Thomas was convicted of assault and battery of a household member twice in the last 20 years.

“When I arrived I found Ernest and Sheyla Washington holding Howard Thomas Jr. down on the floor,” Chief Angelo DiMartino, of the Exmore Police Department (EPD), wrote on a warrant. “Sheila advised that Howard attacked her daughter in the hallway and when Ernest pulled Howard off, Howard started choking Ernest. Sheila said that was when she got on top of Howard to get him off of Ernest.”

McCain advised that she was trying to get into the apartment when Howard ran down the hall and grabbed her by the neck and slammed her to the floor,” the chief wrote. “Kayla stated that when she started screaming her mom and dad came out to pull him off of her.”

McCain and Thomas had been in a relationship for a decade, the record showed. A video at the Exmore Village showed, “Howard sitting on top of Kayla choking her with both hands around her neck,” the chief stated.

In other cases, three women were indicted for embezzling from the Food Lion in Exmore.

Wykia Shantell James, 26, of Hampton Court in Birdsnest, was indicted on embezzling property valued at $500 or more Oct. 2, 2018. A video and receipts showed her “letting employees and citizens leave with large carts of food for very little money,” DiMartino wrote. “She would scan and then void the items. Total so far is $980.”

Shatoria Monique Thomas, 27, of Tatum Circle in Exmore, was indicted on a count of embezzling property between July 1 and Oct. 26, 2018, while employed by Food Lion. She admitted to “letting a friend and family have groceries without paying for them,” the file concluded. “She stated approximately $3,000 worth.”

Tameka Nakesha Davis, 28, of Savage Town Road in Painter, was indicted on a count of embezzling from the store between July 15 and Nov. 19, 2018. Sgt. Adam Zieger, of EPD, handled that case. The file stated a video showed Davis sliding merchandise across the counter and then voiding it from the total transaction.

Two others were indicted on counts of racketeering. Larry Wayne “Lil Larry” Edwards Jr., 28, of Bayside Road in Exmore, and Kardeem Andrew “Drew” Carpenter, 22, of Strawberry Street in Cape Charles, were each indicted on counts of racketeering, conspiracy to racketeer, burglary of A. W. Rayfield Mechanical LLC, stealing property belonging to Wayne Rayfield, and stealing property with the intent to sell. The incidents occurred between June 24 and 26, 2018. Officer Greg Rippon, of EPD, investigated.

Indictments regarding a firearm involved two local men.

William Geary Blankenship, 34, of Fox Court in Eastville, was indicted on a count of burglary while armed with a deadly weapon at the occupied home of James Joseph Brown, Nov. 12, 2018. Information about the case was given to the grand jury by Deputy Roger Pike, of NCSO.

The defendant told police “he usually goes into the house to get victim for work in the morning.” When he knocked, the inside door opened, so he opened the screen door and went inside. He was missing a .40 caliber revolver and thought Brown might have it since he last saw the firearm in his truck when Brown was riding with him. He said Brown was the “only person who could have taken it.”

Brown, 26, of Seaside Road in Cape Charles, was indicted on a count of stealing the gun. Brown denies committing the crime. Deputy Montego Johnson, of NCSO, gave information to the jury about that charge.

Also indicted were:

• Yakima Taylor, 27, of Pennyville Road in Painter, on counts of forging and uttering checks Sep. 28, 2018. Deputy Christopher Forbes, of NCSO, investigated.

Teen To Serve 10 Days For Stealing From Walmart

A teenager will spend 10 days in jail for 21 misdemeanor counts of stealing property from Walmart in Onley.

Aliyah Nicole Morris, 19, of South Fork Road in Parksley, pleaded guilty to the charges in October 2018. A felony charge of theft was not prosecuted. The incident occurred in September, October, and November 2017.

Last week, Judge Burke F. McCaughlin, of Accomack Circuit Court, sentenced Morris to 60 days for each of the charges with all but 10 days suspended.

In another case, Eliezer Nunez Rosado, 61, of Savage Neck Drive in Eastville, was sentenced to a total of five years in prison and ordered to pay back $336.36 to Walmart for two counts of stealing property in September 2016. He was ordered to be on supervised probation for three years and on unsupervised probation for another two years.

Oskie Lee Frazier Jr., 40, of Wessells Farm Road in Temperanceville, was sentenced to five years with all but two suspended for possession with intent to distribute cocaine and five years and three months with all but three suspended for transporting an ounce or more of cocaine into Virginia. The terms were set to run consecutively. Frazier’s driver’s license was suspended for six months. After release, he will be on supervised probation for five years and unsupervised probation for two years. The incidents occurred in October 2017.

Jeffrey Klutts, 42, of Belle Haven Road in Belle Haven, was convicted of burglary in connection with a July 2, 2018, incident. He pleaded not guilty to the charge. A presentence report was ordered. The case was continued until March 22.

Tina Marie Cole, 59, of Hopkins Road in Parksley, was sentenced to 12 months each for seven counts of forgery involving $1,100 worth of checks that belonged to Nora Turcol in 2017. All but a year of the terms were suspended. She could have been sentenced to up to 80 years in prison and fined more than $17,000.

Three Charged in Northampton

Three Eastern Shore residents were charged with felonies recently in separate incidents, according to records filed in the Northampton County General District Court.

Mareisha Reid, 31, of Germaine Lane in Parksley, was accused of conspiring to intentionally destroy, deface, or damage, between July 1 and 2, 2017, a 2001 Ford Expedition belonging to Deborah Killman. She was also charged with damaging the vehicle on the same dates. Reid was arrested Jan. 8. Officer G. J. Rippon of Exmore Police Department investigated. A preliminary hearing was set for Jan. 29.

Boomer Wynder, 74, of Beverly Lane in Cape Charles, was charged with making a false statement regarding his criminal history on a consent form to purchase a gun Sept. 6, 2018, at Northampton Firearms LLC, in Cape Charles.

Secured bond was set at $1,000. Wynder was arrested Jan. 12. Trooper D. Tudor investigated.

Daniel Shane Wood, 28, of Ann Avenue in Exmore, was charged with uttering a forged note on Dec. 30, 2018. He was arrested Jan. 11. Secured bond was set at $1,000.

3 Northampton Men Arrested in Maryland

Three Northampton County men were arrested in Maryland last week after a traffic stop yielded a loaded rifle, according to a state police report.

Two Maryland troopers pulled over a car because it had inoperable brake and license (Continued on Page 12)
Obituaries

Mrs. Theo Smith Clayton

Mrs. Theo Smith Clayton, 81, wife of Raymond E. Clayton and a resident of Willis Wharf, passed away Sunday, Jan. 13, 2019, at her residence. A native of Willis Wharf, she was the daughter of the late James Theodore Smith Sr. and the late Lily Bradford Smith. She was a retired registered nurse and member of Epworth United Methodist Church. Mrs. Clayton enjoyed needlepoint, quilting, crocheting and had a vast knowledge about Hog Island history.

In addition to her loving husband, she is survived by two children, Bettie C. Moore and her husband, David, of Willis Wharf; and Ted Clayton and his wife, Deborah, of Princess Anne, Md.; and a grandson, Chris Moore, of Virginia Beach, Va.

A graveside service was conducted Jan. 16, 2019, at Belle Haven Cemetery with the Rev. Mikang Kim officiating. Memorials may be made to Epworth United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 488, Exmore, VA 23350.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore.

Mary Field

Mrs. Mary “Jerry” Field, 93, of Onancock, died peacefully in her home Jan. 6, 2019, at Commonwealth Senior Living (previously The Hermitage on the Eastern Shore).

She was born Oct. 28, 1925, to the late John McGimpsey and the late Marie McGimpsey, in Midletown, N.Y. In 1946, she married Dudley Field and settled in Rockland County, N.Y., where they brought up four sons. Upon Mr. Field’s retirement as a captain for American Airlines, they re-tired first to Fire Island, off Long Island, N.Y., and then, in 1993, to Exmore. In 2011, they moved to The Hermitage on the Eastern Shore. In all, they were married 68 years.

Mrs. Field was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, cousin, aunt, and friend. She was particularly proud that her large circle of friends spanned all age groups. A holiday or special gathering always included a diverse and especially fun group of “Jerry’s friends.” Mrs. Field was an avid reader, a crossword puzzle enthusiast, and strongly preferred summer over winter. Watching a colorful sunset could stir her emotions.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Field is predeceased by her husband, Dudley, and two sisters, Muriel and Doris. She is survived by four sons, Thomas, Scott, and James (Kimberly), all of Long Island, N.Y., and Brian (Barbara), of Lumperton, N.J.; four grandchildren, Caitlin (Julia), Tyler (Sarah), Caleigh (George), and Isabella; a cousin, Eric Dodge and his wife, Peaches, of Onancock; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family extends their heartfelt thanks to all the staff at The Hermitage for the loving care they have given Mrs. Field over the last seven years and expresses their love and gratitude to Carolyn Upshur for her devotion to Mrs. Field (and Dudley). Finally, thanks to Williams Funeral Homes for making arrangements (www.williamsfuneralhomes.com).

A memorial service will be held in the spring. Memorial contributions may be made to the ACLU, https://action.aclu.org/give/make-gift-aclu-someones-memory, or the Eastern Shore Coalition Against Domestic Violence, P.O. Box 3, Onancock, VA 23417.

Mary Greer

Ms. Mary Greer, 69, of Bloxom, passed away on Jan. 9, 2019, at her residence, surrounded by her loving family and friends and her dog, Lucky.

Born Dec. 12, 1949, in Charlottesville, Va., she was the daughter of the late William Griffin and Averil Taylor Griffin. Ms. Greer was a hairstylist for many years.

Ms. Greer is survived by two sons, John Charles Greer and Susan Kellam, of Melfa, and Bryan Keith Greer, of Onancock; a daughter, Letitia Dawn Greer, of Bloxom; six grandchildren, Ryan Avery Greer, of Sanford, Amory Louise Greer, of Parksley, Madison Brooke Greer, of Melfa, Sydney Grace Greer, of Bloxom, Tucker Dale Greer, of Melfa, and Landon Chase Greer, of Melfa; five great-grandchildren; and numerous special friends.

A memorial service was held Jan. 12, 2019, from the Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley with the Rev. John Cullop officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to the SPCA of the Eastern Shore, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418 or St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Arrangements were made by Thornton Funeral Home in Parksley.

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

Dallas M. Noble

Ms. Dallas M. Noble, 88, of Cape Charles, died peacefully of natural causes on Jan. 9, 2019.

She was predeceased by her sisters, Dolores M. Lawton of Cleveland, Ga., and Darlene M. Harrison, of Cape Charles. Ms. Noble was retired from Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad.

She is survived by her son, Jay Perkins, of Dacula, Ga., and many nieces, nephews.

No services are planned at this time. Those who wish to honor her life and memory are requested to donate to the Alzheimer’s Association or your local church in her name.

Rose Watkins Kiefer Mott

Mrs. Rose Watkins Kiefer Mott, of Parksley, passed away peacefully at her home on Monday, Jan. 14, 2019, at the age of 103.

Born Oct. 18, 1915, in Mount Airy, Md., she was a daughter of the late Asa Hull Watkins and Jessie Fay Brandenburg Watkins. Following the Great Depression, she participated in President Franklin D. Roosevelt’s Works Progress Administration (WPA), working as a sewing room trainer and area manager. Mrs. Mott was a longtime devoted member of Grace United Methodist Church, where she was active in the choir. With more than a century of memories and wisdom, Mrs. Mott experienced more than most could ever imagine. Throughout her life, she remained dedicated to both her faith in the Lord and her beloved family, qualities for which her daughter, Patti, will forever be thankful.

Mrs. Mott is survived by her loving daughter, Patricia Dale “Patti” Kiefer of Fort Washington, Pa.; and cherished friends of all ages. In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her husband, William James Kiefer; son, William James “Billy” Kiefer Jr.; brother, Elsworth Kiefer; sister, Jessie Nadine Grigsby; and granddaughter, Diana.

A memorial service will be held at Grace United Methodist Church on Wednesday, Jan. 23, 2019, at 3 p.m., with the Revs. Alan Layman and Don Jamison officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Grace United Methodist Church, Where you can share your love and gratitude to Caro-line Upshur for her devotion to Mrs. Field over the last seven years and expression of their love and gratitude to Carolyn Upshur for her devotion to Mrs. Field (and Dudley). Finally, thanks to Williams Funeral Homes for making arrangements (www.williamsfuneralhomes.com).

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Robert Savage and Lillian Mears Savage and countless friends. Other than his as his wife's family in the Philippines and Cynthia S. Bradford and husband, of Accomac; sisters, Claudia S. Webb of Exmore, and Kristina Nicole Savage, of Capeville, Rachel Dawn Savage, of N.J., April Caison and husband, Chris, Cory Glynn Savage and wife, Jackie, of Greenbackville, Christopher Robert Savage, of Point Pleasant Beach, N.J., April Caison and husband, Chris, of Capeville, Rachel Dawn Savage, of Exmore, and Kristina Nicole Savage, of Accomac; sisters, Claudia S. Webb and husband, Tommy, of Jamesville, and Cynthia S. Bradford and husband, Bill, of Exmore; grandchildren, Everett and Martin Savage, Mariana Donohue, Carson Savage, and Dylan, Emma Grace, and Caroline Caison; as well as his wife’s family in the Philippines and countless friends. Other than his parents and stepfather, he was predeceased by his maternal grandparents, Charlie Wes Pruitt and Beulah Evans Pruitt; paternal grandparents, John Robert Savage and Lillian Mears Savage; and numerous cousins.

A memorial service was held Jan. 5, 2019, at the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home with the Rev. Charles W. Parks III officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 (www.stjude.org), or to Lighthouse Ministries, P.O. Box 54, Keller, VA 23401.

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

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Claude Scott III

Mr. Claude Fosque “Scotty” Scott III, 66, of Parksley, passed away Jan. 8, 2019, at his residence.

Born Oct. 25, 1952, in Nassawadox, he was the son of the late John Robert “Bob” Savage and Ina Pruitt Brown and husband, Donald Onley “Don” Brown.

A lifelong commercial waterman, Mr. Savage was ever the fearless adventurer; often fishing solo whether he was in his native bayside and seaside waters or the Frying Pan Shoals, of Cape Fear, N.C. Though being on the water was his greatest passion, nothing was more important to Mr. Savage than his family. He loved the Lord and was raised in the Methodist Church, P.O. Box 156, Parkesley, VA 23421.

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

Arrangements were made by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Marion S. Scott Jr.

Mr. Marion S. Scott Jr., 86, affectionately known as “Scotty” or “Bub” by his family and friends, died on Christmas Eve, 2018, surrounded by family. An Eastern Shore native and lifelong farmer of his beloved Riverside Farms, in Seaview, Mr. Scott will be remembered for his charm, his sense of humor, and the twinkle in his eye. He was an avid bird and duck hunter, a recreational pilot, and the epitome of a southern gentleman. He was always ready for a game of cards or dominoes and loved being with his friends and family.

Mr. Scott was predeceased by his parents, Fannie Nottingham and Marion S. Scott; his wife, Gayhila Walter Scott, and his sister, Betty Scott Jones. He is survived by two sons, Richard J. Scott and wife, Rene, of Richmond, and William D. Scott and wife, Alice, of Ivor; three grandchildren, Ashlyn Scott Scarborough and husband, Robert, W. Dustin Scott and wife, Alexandra, all of Ivor, and Rebecca Scott, of Richmond; a great-granddaughter, Briar Grace Scarborough, of Ivor; a sister, Kate Scott Jacob, of Onancock; and longtime companion, Bonnie Nottingham.

A graveside memorial service will be conducted Sunday, Jan. 20, 2019, at 2 p.m. at Cape Charles Cemetery with the Rev. Dr. Eugene Soud officiating. Friends are invited to visit with the family following the service at Wilkins-Doughty Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to your favorite charity in memory of Mr. Scott.

The family expresses gratitude for the care and support from the staff at The Garden at Magnolia Manor Smithfield.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Arrangements were made by Wilkins-Doughty Funeral Home, Cape Charles.

Marcella Jean Wilson

Ms. Marcella Jean Wilson, 70, passed away peacefully at home on Jan. 7 with family by her side.

She was born Oct. 25, 1948, in Ellwood City, Pa., to Raymond H. Wilson and Alleis Conner Wilson, who preceded her in death. She was also predeceased by a sister, Rachel Wilson Zepp.

She is survived by siblings, Ralph D. Wilson and Nan Wilson Beachem; children, Daniel M. Nocera and Lettie K. Nocera; grandchildren, Benjamin E. Warner, Miles H. Warner, and Charles A. Warner; and many nieces and nephews.

Ms. Wilson graduated with a bachelor’s degree from Chatham University and a master’s degree from Carnegie Mellon University. She enjoyed a career in municipal finance in Pittsburgh, Pa., Washington, D.C., and Alexandria City and Arlington County, Va.

She retired in 2013 and moved to Cape Charles where she opened and operated Cape Charles Confectionery.

Ms. Wilson was a member of Emmanuel Episcopal Church and volunteered with the Cape Charles Food Pantry. She loved gardening, opera, the Pittsburgh Pirates, and spoiling her grandsons.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Cape Charles Food Pantry c/o Gail Drebes, 504 Monroe Ave., Cape Charles, VA 23310. Alternatively, please consider donating blood to a local medical facility.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Jan. 19 at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 601 Tazewell Ave., Cape Charles.
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Maryland Murder Suspect Arrested In Accomack

A Maryland resident who is accused of the July 2018 murder of a young Delaware man was arrested on a fugitive warrant in Accomack County Monday.

It is unclear from records filed in Accomack General District Court why Dwayne Anthony Dotson, 22, of Williamsburg Church in Hurlock, Md., was in Virginia. Deputy Shane E. Henning of the Accomack County Sheriff’s Office made the arrest nearly 7 p.m., Jan. 14.

The file stated Dotson worked at Perdue as part of a work-release program. It didn’t state which Perdue facility employed him.

Delaware authorities plan to extradite Dotson, who is charged with first-degree murder and possession of a firearm in connection with the death of Trevor A. McClements, 18, of Seafood, Del.

McClements was shot in the head on July 9, 2018, at 3000 Daniel St., in Carvel Gardens Apartments in Sussex County, Del., a Delaware newspaper reported. “Police said an altercation between multiple people occurred before shots were fired.”
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The Accomac office of the U.S. Department of Agriculture will be open for normal business hours Thursday and Friday, Jan. 17 and 18, and Tuesday, Jan. 22. The office has been closed due to a lapse in funding and will be closed for Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday on Monday.

In a prepared statement, the USDA urged those who have business with the farm service agency to take advantage of this temporary opening. Workers will be available to assist producers with existing farm loans and to ensure the agency provides 1099 tax documents to borrowers by the IRS deadline.

Family Cuts Ribbon on New Habitat Home

By Stefanie Jackson

Habitat for Humanity dedicated the new home of Conchata Webb and her son, Jeremiah, in Franktown on Sunday.

Webb worked for 800 hours to help construct the building, more than double the 350 hours of sweat equity Habitat for Humanity requires of its new homeowners.

Nancy Gonzalez, executive director of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat for Humanity, credited Webb for the extra work. Gonzalez said the organization was “delighted” with Webb, whom they “adopted” as “part of the Habitat family.”

“I appreciate everyone for being here and I thank everyone,” Webb said. She thanked construction supervisor Brent Powell and several others by name.

Barb Iman, the organization’s president, and Neita Cibella, Webb’s support person, also spoke.

Every family chosen for a Habitat home is partnered with a support person who assists in financial management, parenting, health, and nutrition.

Prior to the ribbon-cutting, Pastor Wilbert Adams and Deacon William Webb Jr., of Bethel Baptist Church, in Franktown, prayed for the new home and family, and the W.C. Adams Choir led guests in a song of praise.

Pastor Palmer Bunting, of Ebenezer Baptist Church, in Exmore, blessed the home, and retired United Methodist pastor Wayne Parsley presented the Webb family with a Bible.

Habitat for Humanity is a Christian-based organization that helps members of the community obtain affordable housing regardless of their faith.

Since 1988, Eastern Shore Habitat for Humanity has dedicated more than 40 homes. The organization receives hundreds of application requests, and the process to become a Habitat for Humanity homeowner is competitive.

Applicants must be employed and able to make low monthly mortgage payments and are subject to other reviews.

A selected applicant receives an interest-free, 25-year mortgage with a monthly payment of less than $500. A standard Habitat home is one story with three bedrooms and one-and-a-half bathrooms.

For more information on the application process or volunteering or donating to the Eastern Shore Habitat for Humanity, call 757-442-4687.
June 2, 2019, marks the Eastern Shore Post’s 20th year of publication. To mark the anniversary, the Post will rerun ads and stories from prior years throughout 2019.

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Bishop Chosen to the VHSL All-State Cheerleading Team

Above: Madison Bishop does a jump split during the team’s regional routine at Goochland High School back in October.

Left: Bishop performs a stunt at regionals.

Warriors Take Second at Fred Diem/Scott Miles Tournament

The Nandua Warriors placed second in team points at the annual tournament, held this past weekend at Northampton. See page 18 for full results and more from the Shore’s wrestling teams.
By Krystle Bono, Submitted Photos

Shore Swim took to the Eastern Shore YMCA pool last Friday in Onley, hosting its only home meet of the season against a small Pocomoke team, with both the girls and boys grabbing big wins over their visiting swimmers. The team also celebrated its first senior night.

The boys took their win by a 76 to 39 count, earning first place in eight out of their 10 total events. The girls dominated the meet, making a clean sweep across all events for the second year in a row, and finished the evening with an impressive score of 103 to 19.

“We aren’t considered a huge team ourselves, but we have some awesome talent and great student athletes,” said coach Bryan McElwain.

Seniors that were recognized were team captains and three-year Shore Swim veterans Lauren Johnston and Carter Harmon. Gena Pryor and Caleb Burford are also veteran third-year members of the squad. First-year members and great, new additions to the team, McKaley Parks, Skye Lewis, and Tyrell Jones were also recognized.

“They are all going to be very missed. It’s going to be close to impossible replacing these talented swimmers,” expressed both McElwain and coach Chelsea Porter.

Pryor earned first in the 200-meter freestyle for the girls. Bennett Cossett and Grady Harmon finished second and third in the boys 200-meter freestyle. Madison Johnson and Carter Harmon swam their way to first place finishes in the 200-meter individual medley.

The Shore Swim girls went first, second, and third out of six swimmers in the 50-freestyle sprint, with Lacy Gouldin, Taylor Thornes and McKaley Parks.

Luke Parks won first place in an intense finish, out-touching the Pocomoke swimmer by 27 seconds; Cade Williams finished in third.

Johnston flew her way into yet another first place finish in the 100 butterfly. Pryor and Allie Penland earned first and second in the 100-meter freestyle. Parks also grabbed a first-place finish in the same event.

Rachel Gouldin and Jamie Wert earned first and second for the girls in the 500 freestyle, and Patrick Lilliston won the long distance 20-lap event for the boys.

Both the girls and boys for Shore Swim took the top three spots in the 100 backstroke, with Lacy Gouldin first and Ann Windsor Davis second for the girls, and Cade Williams first and Bennett Cossett second for the boys. Johnston and Harmon got first in the 100-meter breaststroke, and Madison Johnson got the second.

Shore Swim will be back in action Tuesday, Jan. 22, at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore against Salisbury.

Top: Shore Swim seniors were honored during the team’s home meet at the Eastern Shore YMCA in Onley last Friday. Pictured from L-R front row: Coach Bryan McElwain, Carter Harmon, Minh Tran, Skye Lewis, Gena Pryor, Lauren Johnston, McKaley Parks, Tyrell Jones, Coach Chelsea Porter. Back row: Caleb Burford.

Left: The senior members of Shore Swim are recognized. L-R: Caleb Burford, McKaley Parks, Skye Lewis, Gena Pryor, Lauren Johnston, Minh Tran, and Carter Harmon.

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Broadwater Academy's wrestling team makes up in success what it lacks in numbers. The Viking's sole wrestler, Grade 8 student William Wehner, is having an outstanding season, notching 23 wins against just three losses in his matches. Sixteen of his matches have ended with him pinning his opponent.

Wehner, who commonly wrestles against high school athletes, placed first in the 106-pound weight class against wrestlers from 11 other schools at the Mathews Invitational on Jan. 5. Going into the championship match, he had four wins and no losses for the day, but was facing another undefeated wrestler for the championship. He went on to defeat his opponent, 9-0, to win the gold medal.

The following week, he earned a silver medal at the Fred Diem/Scott Miles Round Robin Wrestling Tournament held at Northampton High School. Wehner won eight of his nine matches, six of them by pinning his opponents. “William Wehner is an outstanding athlete with just the right mix of physical talent, technical know-how, and old-fashioned grit,” said Ron Anson, Broadwater Academy's Athletic Director. “He has what it takes to be a great wrestler and he has a great future in the sport.”

Broadwater Academy wrestling will next compete in the Northumberland Varsity Tournament at Northumberland High School on Jan. 19.
~ Wrestling ~

Miles award was earned by First Colonial wrestler, Ryan Henderson, and the Most Outstanding Wrestler award selection went to Henrico’s Jonathan Minor.

Wednesday night, the Nandua Warriors hosted the Arcadia Firebirds for a duel meet, as well as the team’s senior night. The Warriors extended their season record to 16-1, downing their district rivals on their home mat in Onley by a 54-24 count.

The Yellow Jackets will be back on the mat tonight (Friday) on the road against Northumberland.

Nandua is set to grapple Northampton on Wednesday, Jan. 23, in Eastville, as well as Northeastern, N.C.

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Nandua seniors Damani Baines, Joe Castiglia, and James Burr were recognized during Wednesday night’s home duel against Arcadia.

Nandua's Matt Taylor earned a first-place finish in 120-pound weight class in the Fred Diem/Scott Miles Tournament at Northampton in Eastville last weekend.

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One Owner, SE, Clean
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**Varsity Basketball Action**

*By Krystle Bono*

The Chincoteague girls started off the year with a road loss to Crisfield, 50-66. Caroline Shelley led the Ponies at the net, posting 12, and Emma Jackson put up 9 points. Jackson also grabbed the team-high in rebounds with 12.

The Ponies moved on to face the Yellow Jackets in Eastville Jan. 8, and topped the home team, 48-41.

Caroline Thornton was back on the court as the Ponies’ No. 1 scorer, and played her part in the win with a 29-point game. Shelley tallied 11 points and had the most rebounds with 13.

Maeyann Delk led the Yellow Jackets at the net, potting 13 points. Brianna Bochman also helped lend her efforts with 12 on the board.

Thornton’s 19 points helped lift the Ponies to a win over Holly Grove on the island Jan. 9, and retired the Eagles to a 50-26 count.

Shelley put up 10 points with 16 rebounds. Tylar Libertino also contributed 2 points and 16 rebounds in the win. Carlie Bell led the Eagles on the board, netting 12 points, and Sydney Stone notched 6.

Northampton fell to Salem, 73-30, Tuesday night in Eastville. The Lady Jackets will be back on the court tonight (Friday) to host the Nandua Warriors. The Ponies are set to face the Warriors on their home court Jan. 24.

The Arcadia Firebirds girls team outshot the Warriors to come out on top to a 42-37 victory in Oak Hall, Jan. 24. Jawaun Bell achieved his 1,000th career point during the matchup, tossing 12 points apiece to help lead the Broadwater Vikings girls basketball team to a 39-19 win over Portsmouth Christian on the road Jan. 8. Virginia Ross led the team in rebounds with 15. Grade 8 student Taylor Leland tossed up the team’s lone 3-pointer of the night.

The girls hosted Denbigh Baptist last Friday in Exmore, falling in a close battle by a 39-31 count.

Wardius helped lead again with nine points, and Kerry Ford put up 8. Buncie had the team-high in rebounds with 7.

Broadwater lost Monday night’s road tilt to Veritas Collegiate Academy, 42-30. The girls are scheduled to hit the road to Atlantic Shores Christian tonight for their next matchup.

The Broadwater boys club fell short to their hosts, Portsmouth Christian, on Jan. 8, 58-24.

Ahmed Scarborough put up 11 points in the loss for the Vikings, and Clay Wardius posted 6.

On Jan. 11, the Vikings hosted Denbigh Baptist, and retired their visitors to a final score of 71-21, with Wardius leading the board with 14 points, along with help from Scarborough’s 11 and Brant Bloxom’s 10 points.

Scarborough netted 19 points Tuesday night to contribute to a 50-52 win over Stonebridge in Exmore. Bloxom potted 15 and Nathan Crumb put up 9.

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By Michael Garbacz

Game 1: Eastern Speed Shop Canucks 1, EZ Loan Bruins 6

The first set of games in 2019 began with a tilt between the ‘Nucks and B’s. This one saw the Bruins cruise for the win on the strength of a “pace yourself” hat trick from none other than the Smooth Criminal, providing more than enough offense for his team to cruise to victory. They didn’t stop there, though, as Sharkey Parks added a goal and two assists, while Scott Millikin and Chris Potter chipped in markers. Potter needed only one shot to get it done, too. Harried captain the Onancock Kid, doing his darnedest at both ends of the court, found the back of the net to spoil Cabe Morgan’s shutout parade for the Canucks.

Game 2: Hoyt Insurance Ducks 7, Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 1

The second game followed suit from the first and wound up a lopsided victory for the Quackers. Although a relatively close game through two periods, the Ducks turned it up to eleven relatively close game through two periods, heading into the third, Sharkey Parks added a goal and two assists, while Scott Millikin and Chris Potter chipped in markers. Potter needed only one shot to get it done, too. Harried captain the Onancock Kid, doing his darnedest at both ends of the court, found the back of the net to spoil Cabe Morgan’s shutout parade for the Canucks.

Game 3: Blues 0, K&E Marine Capitals 4

It took the Blues more than entire period to be able to register a shot on net, and that’s about all that needs said for this one. Although they did a good job focusing on defense, it wasn’t enough to keep the Pat Trick from registering a three-point game and leading his team to a convincing win. Luckenbach rang up a goal and two assists; Dustin Aigner, Bradley Colona, and James Haley all tickled the twine one time. Justin Wheeler handed the Blues a goose egg for their effort.

Game 4: Hoyt Insurance Ducks 1, EZ Loan Bruins 3

In a very fun and playoff-like contest, the killer Bs managed to topple the red-hot Ducks in a real chess match. With the score knotted at 1 heading into the third, Sharkey Parks put the game on his back and notched the game winner plus one more for himself an apple in the third. Who else but the General found the back of the net for the Quackers, putting the kibosh on Cabe Morgan’s shutout hopes and dreams.

Game 5: Eastern Speed Shop Canucks 1, K&E Marine Capitals 4

Say this for the ‘Nucks: where earlier in the day the Blues failed to sneak one by goalie Justin Wheeler, they succeeded. When you score a goal in hockey, there’s always somewhere to hang your hat. Unfortunately, sometimes your opponent takes your hat and shoots it out of a cannon. The Caps’ cycling game was too much, as per usual, but Ray Johnson showed up dutifully to keep his team in it until the final buzzer. Colona picked up a goal and an assist; Aigner, Benji Price, and Matt Yetter each made a deposit; Haley and the Pat Trick each provided an assist. La Boca was the goal scorer for the Canucks, on an assist from Adam Vargas.

Game 6: Blues 5, Delmarva Soil and Concrete Red Wings 4 (SO)

The day’s slate of games finished on a rather wild note, as the Blues managed to overcome a game-long, multiple goal deficit to win it in the shootout. Normally, when two separate shooters score goals on their respective first shots within the first two minutes of a contest, it does not bode well for the other team. That’s just what happened to the Blues, as they fought through holes literally until the final moments of the third when a power-play goal knotted it at four apiece.

In the shootout, Brandon Morgan proved to be the hero, as the only one of six shooters to hit the back of the net. In regulation, Jones, Wayne Ayer, New York Metzger, and Ethan Ayer scored for the Wings; the younger Ayer also chipped in a helper. For the Blues, local hero Dean Dedicatoria sparked the comeback with a one-timer goal in the second, followed by two goals from Paul Thones and one from Brandon Morgan; the Parksley Original added an assist.

ESSHL Senior action resumes Sunday, Jan. 20, at 1:30 p.m. at Stapleton Rink in Parksley. Mark your calendars for the ESHL All-Star game coming up on Feb. 3. Check out www.esshl.org for news, stats, and more, and find ESHL on Facebook.

This disc golf event is to help feed the hungry, and proceeds go to the Foodbank of Southeastern Virginia.

Cost to play is $10 to $25, with the first 45 entries receiving a full pin-back of the Ice Bowl. The event is open to everyone. Youth, men’s, women’s, and senior classes will be available, with two rounds of play for men’s and women’s classes and one round of play for youth and senior classes.

Prizes will be full color disc and Ice Bowls by Roy.

New this year will be a chili cook-off event. More information can be found on the Ice Bowl 2019 webpage, or contact Roy, or the Parks and Recreation office, at 757-442-4843 or 757-678-0468.

ACPR Youth Basketball Schedule

The Acomack County Parks and Recreation will be having youth basketball practice this Saturday at Arcadia High School.

The schedule is:

- 5-8 age group/Pee Wees
  - 9-10 a.m. – Celtics 1 and Wizards 10-11 a.m. – Hornets and A.C.P.R. Heat
  - 11 a.m.-Noon – Knights and Lakers

- 9-12 age group
  - 12 p.m.- 1:15 p.m. – A.C.P.R. Lakers and Celtics 2
  - 1:15-2:30 p.m. – Knights and Cavaliers
  - 2:30-3:45 p.m. – 13-15 Age Group

Eastern Shore Playaz Basketball Tryouts

The Eastern Shore Playaz will hold tryouts for boys 10U (ages 8-10), Jan. 20 and 27, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the former Northampton Middle School gym, and for boys 14U, and 16U Feb. 3 and 10, from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., in the Broadwater gym. Doors will open a half hour before tryouts for registration. A non-refundable $5 is required. All players must be signed in by a parent/guardian. League fees are $250. For more information or questions, call 631-774-7863.

Eastern Shore Ice Bowl

The Indiantown Disc Golf and Northampton County Parks and Recreation will hold registration for the 2019 Ice Bowl, beginning Feb. 9, at 8:30 a.m., with tee time at 10:05 a.m., at Indiantown Park, in Eastville.
First Snow of 2019

Residents from across the Eastern Shore celebrated the first snow day of the year (or should we say northern Eastern Shore – sorry Northampton County!)

Myles Belote and Aubree Taylor of Onancock out enjoying the snow. Submitted by Ashlyn Myles Belote.

King Fosque from Horntown makes snow angels. Submitted by Katina Fosque.

Nayda Ortiz submitted this photo of the kids enjoying their day off in Accomac.

Snow day fun in Sanford submitted by Jill Thornes.

Even the four-legged kids took time to enjoy the snow day. Submitted by Ruth Chandler Dize.

Fun in Temperanceville submitted by Vicki Carmody.
Eagle Released Back to the Wild Wonderful Eastern Shore
Tall Pines Harbor Campground in Sanford

By Linda Cicoira

The large bird of prey with his massive hooked bill and long broad wings soared up and away last Friday in what experts said was a quest to find his family.

An adult male eagle, injured in a fight with another eagle, rescued by kayakers, and then nursed back to health by The Wildlife Center of Virginia, in Waynesboro, Va., was released near the site where he was found at Tall Pines Harbor Campground, in Sanford.

Ed Clark Jr., president and founder of the center, is shown below getting ready for the release, while a crowd of about 50 people observed.

“That eagle was an incredibly strong flier,” said Clark. “The strongest I’ve seen in the past few years.”

The eagle was observed swimming to shore at the campground last October. He was taken to a local rescuer for evaluation before going to the center.
DAR Good Citizen Awards

The Eastern Shore of Virginia Chapter National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) announced the 2019 Good Citizen Award recipients. They were Mary Thornton, Chincoteague High School, daughter of Annette and Travis Thornton; Makenna Landon, Nandua High School, daughter of Nicole and Steve Landon; and Aubrey Miles, Arcadia High School, son of Tammy and Lee Miles. All three of the recipients are very active at their respective high schools and in their communities. The essay topic for this year was “Our American Heritage and our Responsibility for Preserving It,” and the focus question was “What new challenges will Americans face as we move forward into the future?”

At the January meeting, Llewelyn Allison, chapter chairman of the DAR Good Citizen Award, introduced Landon who read her winning essay and read the other winning essays for the recipients who were unable to attend. All the recipients received a certificate, a book, and a monetary award. The award, created in 1934, is intended to encourage and reward the qualities of good citizenship. This award recognizes and rewards individuals who possess the qualities of dependability, service, leadership, and patriotism in their homes, schools, and communities. The DAR was founded to preserve the memory and spirit of those who contributed to securing American independence. Any woman 18 years or older, regardless of race, religion, or ethnic background, who can prove lineal descent from a patriot of the American Revolution is eligible for membership. To learn more about the work of today’s DAR, visit www.dar.org

Llewellyn Allison (left) and Makenna Landon

COUNTRYSIDE AUCTION
Hopeton, Va.
Saturday, January 19, 2019 @ 10:00 A.M.
Directions: Located approximately 60 mi. south of Salisbury, Md., and 60 mi. north of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel. Turn west off Rt. 13 onto Rt. 676 (Dennis Drive), just north of Parksley and follow signs to Auction. Signs will be posted at Rt. 13.

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Geisha Glass
Cavalry Sword
Salts
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Lots of Box Lots & Other Items Too
Numerous to Mention

Marriage Licenses Issued
- Howard Rodgers, 55, and Deborah Bundick, 62, both of Cape Charles
- Jeffrey Holland, 23, and Abigail Dixon, 24, both of Oak Hall
- Robert Giddens, 41, and Aretha Rogers, 44, both of Exmore
- Dawn Hart, 43, and Starr Bradford, 31, both of Exmore
- George Kellam Jr., 69, and Susanne Eskridge, 54, both of Exmore
- Jean Philippe Dorzin, 41, and Germaine Silphin, 21, both of Melfa
- Brayden Paul Zborovancik, 27, and Thaynara Rodrigues Sant Ana, 25, both of Georgetown, Del.
- Juan Gabriel Perez Garcia, 26, and Margarita Ruiz Fernandez, 26, both of Parksley
- Dennis Wayne Shirley, 63, and Christine Caton Murphy, 68, both of Greenbackville
- Charles David Barineau, 47, and Kirby Lynette Bonniwell, 34, both of Onley

Tankard Named to Dean’s List

Mariah Nassirae Tankard, of Temperanceville, was named to Chowan University dean’s list for the fall semester.

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Community Notes

Accomac

A kids program, Food is Fun Bingo, will be Saturday, Jan. 26, at 10:30 a.m., at the Eastern Shore Public Library. There will be snacks and prizes. For more information, go to www.espl.org or call 787-3400.

A Celebration of Negro Spirituals will be Friday, Feb. 15, from 6:30 to 8 p.m., at the Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center. Admission is $10 at the door; cash or check only; no advance ticket sales.

In a collaboration of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Historical Society, Mary N. Smith Alumni Association, and local church choirs, performers from all over the Shore will perform and the audience will explore signal and map songs used by slaves in their journey along the Underground Railroad. Choirs will include the United Voices of Jerusalem Baptist Church in Temperanceville, choirs from Gaskins Chapel A.M.E. Church in Onancock and Macedonia A.M.E. Church in Accomac, and the Anointed Word Choir from Anointed Word Church of God and Christ in Keller. Several Shore soloists, including Catrina Satchell of Anointed Word University and Inayah Mason, an Arcadia High senior who attends Painter’s New Word and Inayah Mason, an Arcadia High senior who attends Painter’s New Word Deliverance Ministries, will be the keynote speaker. The theme is “The Dream is for All of Us; Equality, Unity and Humanity.” A march will follow with Reneta Major providing remarks.

For more information, call 709-3753 or email naacp7041acck@gmail.com

Cape Charles

John Bullard, classical banjo and piano player, will perform Saturday, Jan. 19, at 7:30 p.m., at the Historic Palace Theatre. Tickets are $15 for adults and $10 for students. For more information, call 331-4327.

The Palace will also host “I Played the Palace” auditions on Sunday, Jan. 20, at 3 p.m. Dancers, singers, musicians, actors, comedians, and other talented people are welcome to audition to be eligible for the $1,500 in cash prizes. There are youth and adult categories. The show will be Saturday, Feb. 9, at 7:30 p.m. Auditions are mandatory to participate in the show. To register call 331-GEAR.

The 27th Cape Charles Epiphany Jr. Celebration and Remembrance will be Monday, Jan. 21, at 10 a.m., at the Macedonia AME Church. The Rev. Sam Smith, pastor of the Anointed Word Deliverance Ministries, will be the keynote speaker. The theme is “The Dream is for All of Us; Equality, Unity and Humanity.” A march will follow with Reneta Major providing remarks.

For more information, call 709-3753 or email naacp7041acck@gmail.com

Party and Auction will be Saturday, Jan. 19, at 6 p.m., at the Cape Charles Fire House. Proceeds will go to the Virginia Waterman’s Memorial in Cape Charles. Bring your least desirable gift from Christmas to be auctioned. Also, bring a covered dish to pass.

There will be chili, a buffet, and refreshments.

If attending, call 331-2206.

Eastville

The 29th Annual Community Unity Breakfast will be Monday, Jan. 21, at 8:30 a.m., at the Northampton High School cafeteria. The keynote speaker will be the Rev. Felton T. Sessoms, of First Baptist Church in Cape Charles.

Breakfast is $6 for adults and free for students. There will also be a health booth and vendors. Voter registration will be available. Attendees are asked to bring nonperishable food items for local needy families. For more information, call 442-2139.

Melfa

A meatloaf dinner will be Friday, Jan. 25, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m., at Oak Grove UMC. The cost is $8 and dinners include meatloaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, fried apples, rolls, dessert, and drink. Dinners are eat in or carry-out. For more information, call 710-4920 or 787-1508.

Onancock


Lindgren gets an internship at the local newspaper, run by an unhappily married and substantially older man. This coming-of-age tale showcases the turbulent times of a young girl whose written creativity would ultimately shape the imagination and inspire children worldwide.

ESAAA/CAA Sweethearts on Parade Semi-Formal

The Eastern Shore Area Agency on Aging/Community Action Agency will hold the first annual semi-formal “Sweethearts on Parade” Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 11 a.m., at 5432 Bayside Rd., Exmore. Anyone aged 60 or older may attend. Lunch will be provided. RSVPs must be received no later than Jan. 22.

To register call Tange Francis or Tiffany Smith at 757-442-9652.

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Friday, January 18 at 7pm
$5.00 admission

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In the Annex

Contract Bridge

Classes start on Friday, January 18 at 10am and will run every Friday from 10am to noon until March 8. Beginner and intermediate players welcome. Registration is $40, payable at the first class.

Visit us on Facebook or at www.chincoteagueislandarts.com for information on all events.
FRIDAY
JAN. 18
★12:30 p.m. - Science & Philosophy Seminar: Single Malt Scotch Whiskey - ESCC, lecture hall, Melfa
★6 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery mtg. - Onancock Baptist Church
★6-8 p.m. - Open Mic Night - Lemon Tree Gallery, Cape Charles
★7 p.m. - CIAO Friday Night at the Movies: “Coal Miner's Daughter” - Island Theatre, Chincoteague - $5
★7 p.m. - Life Teach Series - Rachel/Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
★7 p.m. - AA mtg. - Christ Episcopal Church, 16304 Courthouse Rd., Eastville
★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

SATURDAY
JAN. 19
★10 a.m.-noon - Drop-In Art Show - Ward Museum, Salisbury - 410-742-4988 x110
★noon - Otterly Silly Saturdays Prgm. - Delmarva Discovery Center, Pocomoke, Md.
★noon and 7:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
★6 p.m. - Epiphany Party and Auction - Cape Charles Fire House - bring a gift to auction and a dish to share - 331-2206
★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

MONDAY
JAN. 21
★8:30 a.m. - Community Unity Breakfast - Northampton High School cafeteria, Eastville
★10 a.m. - Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Remembrance and Celebration Service - Macedonina AME Church, Accomac
★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - E.S. Quilt Guild mtg. - Drummondtown UMC, Accomac - community service projects - 201-317-0586
★1-4 p.m. - CIAO Presents Gameplay Monday: Card, Word, and Board Games - Theatre Annex, 4076 Main St., Chincoteague
★5-6 p.m. - Al-Anon mtg. - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
★6 p.m. - Bingo - Elks Lodge, Tasley
★6:15 p.m. - Central Shore Lions Club mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley
★6:30 p.m. - Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg. - Grace UMC, Parksley
★6:30-8:30 p.m. - Free English for Speakers of Other Languages Class - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
★7 p.m. - AA mtg. - Rock Church, Onley
★7:30 p.m. - Accomack Cty. Taxpayers’ Assn. mtg. - Accomack County Administration Bldg.

WEDNESDAY
JAN. 23
★7:45 a.m. - Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg. - Sage Diner, Onley
★10 a.m. - TOPS mtg. - Market St. UMC, Onancock - 787-4718
★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - Veterans’ Employment Representative Avail. - ESCC, Melfa - no appt. needed
★10:30-11:30 a.m. - Overeaters Anonymous mtg. - Rock Church, Onley - 757-655-4834
★11 a.m.-1 p.m. - Soup Kitchen - Corner Stone Seventh Day Adventist Church, Exmore
★noon - AA mtg. - United Methodist Church, 75 Market St., Onancock
★5-7 p.m. - Soup Kitchen and Clothes Closet - Grace and Truth Ministries, 19 Boundary Ave., Onancock - Donations: 789-5369
★5:30-6:30 p.m. - Free Meals for the Hungry - Epworth UMC, Exmore - 442-6391
★6-7 p.m. - Prayer Line Open (St. Matthew’s Church, Onley) - Call 665-7403, 387-7021 or 894-1521 w/prayer requests
★6-9 p.m. - GED Class - Arcadia High School, Rm. 121, Oak Hall
★6:30-8:30 p.m. - Free English for Speakers of Other Languages Class - Metompkin Elementary School, Parksley - 789-1761
★7 p.m. - Bingo - St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Onley - doors open at 5:30 p.m.
★7 p.m. - AA and Al-Anon mtgs. - Franktown UMC
★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Painter VFC

THURSDAY
JAN. 24
★9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Veterans’ Employment Representative Avail. - Chincoteague Town Library
★10:30 a.m. - Story Time - Cape Charles Memorial Library
★11 a.m.-noon - Neuter Scooter Low-Cost Clinic - SPCA, 26528 Lankford Hwy., Onley - Call 787-7385 for requirements.
★5:30 p.m. - Shore Losers mtg. - Drummondtown Baptist Church, Accomac - $1/wk.
★5:30 p.m. - TOPS VA-550 mtg. - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-7099
★6-8:30 p.m. - ESL Class - Arcadia High School, Rm. 121, Oak Hall
★6:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Trinity UMC, 109 Plum St., Cape Charles
★6:30 p.m. - Kiwanis Club mtg. - St. Andrew's Catholic, 318 S. Main St., Chincoteague
★6:30 p.m. - Al-Anon. mtg. - Trinity UMC, Cape Charles
★7 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery Group mtg. - Chincoteague Church of God
★7 p.m. - NA mtg. - Painter Garrison UMC
Help Wanted

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The Eastern Shore Area Agency on Aging/Community Action Agency Older Workers Program may be for you. If you are interested in getting back into the workforce and can meet the qualifications, you may be selected to join a Job Training Program and work part-time. Computer experience and income eligibility is required. For an application and more information, please contact Linda Arvidson @ 757-442-9652, ext. 21.

**PART-TIME WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR**
The town of Cape Charles is seeking a Part-Time Water Treatment Plant Operator to assist with the operation of the Town's water treatment plant for an evening shift and weekends. Job duties include: monitoring plant equipment including chemical pumps, injection points, valves and storage tank levels; performing routine maintenance including system processes; manually changing chemical barrels and conveying material into day tanks to feed equipment; light lab work to monitor water quality; collecting samples and recording data; and occasional field work. Mechanical inclination is preferred. High school diploma or GED, a valid VA Driver's license and reliable transportation required. Must be capable of lifting up to 60 pounds regularly and physically able to climb ladders. Applicant must pass a pre-employment drug screening and is subject to subsequent drug testing. Application available at the Town Hall or online at www.capecharles.org, under Employment Opportunities. Submit completed Town Employment Application to Town Clerk at 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310 or email to clerk@capecharles.org. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Submittals without a complete Town Employment Application will not be considered. EOE.

**POLICE OFFICER**
The Chesapeake Bay Bridge and Tunnel District will be accepting applications for Police Officer from January 14, 2019 through January 28, 2019, at 2:00 p.m. Applicant must be a Certified Police Officer in the Commonwealth of Virginia in accordance with regulations of the Department of Criminal Justice. Applicant must be 21 years of age or older, have a good driving record, and possess a valid Virginia Driver’s License. Applications may be obtained from the District’s personnel office from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, by telephone (757) 331-2960, or online at www.cbbt.com/employment.html. The annual salary range for this position is $38,187.00 to $61,226.00 and includes a complete benefits package.

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Help Wanted

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EOE
Help Wanted (Cont’d)

Virginia Department of Social Services
Family Services Specialist II
(Northampton – Eastern Shore)

Position Number: L0053
Hiring Range: $29,930.00 – may be higher depending upon budget considerations
Location: Eastville, VA 23347
Closing Date: February 1, 2019 at 4:30PM

For more information on these positions, please visit
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Applications may be obtained from the Sheriff’s Office, 5211 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347, or the Eastern Shore Regional Jail Office located at 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347. The Sheriff’s Office of Northampton County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

The Sheriff’s Office of Northampton County is accepting employment applications for:

JAIL MEDIC
This position will be working in the Eastern Shore Regional Jail and the job will require shift work, days, nights, weekends, holidays and required to be on call at times.

Qualifications: over the age of 21 and have obtained high school diploma or GED. Applicant must possess a minimum the following: LPN or higher certifications.

Applications may be obtained in person from the Eastern Shore Regional Jail, 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia 23347, or online at www.co.northampton.va.us

Deadline for applications: February 22, 2019 Northampton County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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TRUSTEE SALE
13140 Windsor Road, Mappsville, VA 23407
Accomack County

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of $148,864.00, dated March 15, 2017 recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the Accomack County, Virginia, in Document No. 170001049, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder of said Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance to the Circuit Court of Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, on February 11, 2019 at 11:30 AM the property described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

Lot 15, Cherry Valley Estates, with improvements thereon.

Subject to any and all covenants, conditions, restrictions, easements, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust, if any, affecting the aforesaid property.

**TERMS OF SALE:**
CASH: A deposit of $20,000.00 or 10% of the sales price, whichever is lower, cash or certified check will be required at the time of sale, but no more than $10,000.00 of cash will be accepted, with settlement within fifteen (15) days from the date of sale. Sale is subject to post sale confirmation that the borrower did not file for protection under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale which affects the validity of the sale, as well as to post-sale confirmation of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In such event, the sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of his deposit without interest. Additional terms may be announced at the time of sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector attempting to collect the indebtedness referred to herein and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose.

SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C., Substitute Trustee

This is a communication from a debt collector.
FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
SAMUEL I. WHITE, P.C. (65879)
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Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462
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SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SALE
14227 Shell Bridge Rd., Painter, Virginia 23420
(County of Accomack)

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of $36,304.17 with interest from Michael L. Sample, Sr. and Rose A. Sample, dated April 11, 2000 and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia in Deed Book 827, page 564 (modified by Modification Agreement dated June 22, 2009 recorded at Instrument No. 200903440); default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder (RKL Mortgage Corporation – VA f/k/a SLM Mortgage Corporation-VA), of said Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, Virginia 23301-0126, on January 28, 2019 at 9:05 o'clock a.m., the property briefly described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

All that certain lot or parcel of land, shown as Lot 7, on a certain plat of survey entitled “PLAT OF SURVEY, “B&D Gardens”, Located Near Craddockville, Pungoteague District, Accomack County, Virginia,” dated Oct. 7, 1996 and made by Shore Engineering Co., Inc., which plat is recorded in the Clerk's Office for the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia in Plat Book 96 at Pages 157 and 158, and reference to said plat shall be made for a more particular description of the real estate herein conveyed.

This conveyance is made expressly SUBJECT TO the easements, restrictions and reservations contained in duly recorded deeds, plats and other instruments constituting constructive notice in the chain of title to the property hereby conveyed, which have not expired by limitation of time or otherwise become ineffective.

Tax Map No.: 109001100000700

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. A deposit of 10% of the sales price, cash or certified check, will be required at the time of sale with settlement within fifteen (15) days from the date of sale. PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, I ADVISE YOU THAT THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT THE INDEBTEDNESS REFERRED TO HEREBIN AND ANY INFORMATION WE WILL OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

L. RICHARD PADGETT, JR., P.C., SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:
L. Richard Padgett, Jr., P.C.
521 Boulevard
P.O. Box 1098
Salem, Virginia 24153
(540) 389-0102
Call between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SALE
5235 Ramshorn Rd., Cape Charles, Virginia 23310
(County of Northampton)

In execution of a Deed of Trust in the original principal amount of $90,000.00 (with interest) from Shelly Kellam, dated August 24, 2007 and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Northampton County, Virginia in Instrument No. 070002158 (Modification Agreement recorded at Instrument No. 090001578); default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder (RKL Mortgage Corporation – VA f/k/a SLM Mortgage Corporation-VA), of said Note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction at the entrance of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, Virginia, 23347-0036, on January 28, 2019 at 10:15 o'clock a.m., the property briefly described in said deed, located at the above address and briefly described as:

ALL that certain lot or parcel of land situate in Simpkins Siding, Near Eastville, Eastville District, Northampton County, Virginia, containing Twenty-four Thousand Forty-one Square Feet (24,041 F2), which lot is designated as Lot 1 on a certain plat entitled “SURVEY OF PROPERTY OF WAGNER ACRES, SECTION 1, SHOWN HEREON AS LOTS 1 THRU 22, LOCATED AT SIMPKINS SIDING, EASTVILLE DISTRICT, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, MADE FOR GARY W. WAGNER & JULIE L. WAGNER”, dated March 15, 1999, revised October 21, 1999, and made by Eastern Shore Surveyors, which plat is recorded in the Clerk's Office for the Circuit Court of Northampton County, Virginia in Plat Book 27 at Page 63, and reference to said plat is hereby expressly made for a more particular description of the real estate hereby conveyed. Said lot is bounded generally on the South by Simpkins Road, a Fifty-Foot (50') right-of-way; on the West by the lands now or formerly of Melvin J. Burton and Allison O. Bailey; on the North by the lands now or formerly of Cecile M. Turner, et als; and on the East by Lot 2.

TOGETHER WITH the privileges and appurtenances unto said lot belonging or in anywise appertaining and specifically together with a right-of-way for ingress and egress to and from said lot over “Ramshorn Road”, as shown on the aforesaid-plat. Access from Ramshorn Road to Simpkins Drive (Virginia State 633) shall be as set forth in a certain deed of bargain and sale dated August 4, 2000 from Gary W. Wagner and Julie L. Wagner, husband and wife, to Shelly P. Kellam, single, which is recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Deed Book 322 at page 377.

This conveyance is made expressly SUBJECT TO the easements, restrictions and reservations contained in duly recorded deeds, plats and other instruments constituting constructive notice in the chain of title to the property hereby conveyed, which have not expired by limitation of time or otherwise become ineffective.

Tax Map No.: 68-08-BLK-00-001

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. A deposit of 10% of the sales price, cash or certified check, will be required at the time of sale with settlement within fifteen (15) days from the date of sale. (Time is of the essence.) Additional terms may be announced at the time of sale. PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, I ADVISE YOU THAT THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT THE INDEBTEDNESS REFERRED TO HEREBIN AND ANY INFORMATION WE WILL OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Board of Zoning Appeals (BZA) will meet on Tuesday, February 5, 2019, at 10:45 a.m. in the Board Chambers located at the Northampton County Administration Building at 16404 Courthouse Road Eastville, VA 23347. The Board will assemble at 9:00 a.m. in the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Department to conduct a site visit on the below property. The BZA will meet to conduct regular business and a public hearing on the following matter:

EXCEPTION 2018-06: Jean Burke has filed an application for a buffer exception. While reconstructing her existing deck that is located in the buffer, an additional 215 square feet of deck was installed. An after the fact permit for the additional portion of the deck was denied. The property is located at 2447 Custis Tomb Drive and is zoned Agriculture/Rural Business (A/RB). The property is further described as Tax Map 97, double circle A, parcel 6.

VARIANCE 2019-02: William & Kim Allen has filed an application for a variance request. They are requesting a 45 foot variance from the required 60 foot setback to build a single family home on their lot. If the request is granted the applicants will be vacating the center property line to meet the remainder of the setback requirements. The property is located on Downing Beach Drive and is zoned Agriculture/Rural Business (A/RB). The property is further described as Tax Map 12A, double circle 1, parcel 1 and Tax Map 12A, double circle 1, parcel A1.

Anyone interested in the above matters can attend the public hearings in order to make their views known. The files may be viewed in the Northampton County Planning, Permitting & Enforcement Department in Eastville, VA, located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, VA.

Handicapped assistance available: Please call (757) 678-0440, ext. 516, at least 48 hours in advance.
**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet on Tuesday, February 5, 2019, at 7:00 p.m., in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. The purpose is to conduct regular business and review applications to forward recommendations to the Board of Supervisors.

**Withdraw from Weirwood AFD:** William R. Snyder Jr. and Phil C. Snyder have petitioned to remove 1.72 acres of land from the Weirwood AFD. The removal of the 1.72 acres do not hinder the 200-acre core. The parcel is located off Bayford Road and is described as Tax Map 21, double circle A, parcel 44. The parcel to be removed is:

- Tax Map#: 21-A-44
- PRN#: 6438
- 1.72 acres

**Withdraw from Concord AFD:** Mary Elizabeth Mapp has petitioned to remove two parcels of land from the Concord AFD. These two parcels are not needed to comprise the 200-acre core. The AFD will remain at 2526.78 acres if the withdrawal is granted. The parcels to be removed are as follows:

- Tax Map#: 8-1-2
- PRN#: 3998
- 139.0 acres
- Tax Map#: 8-1-3
- PRN#: 7241
- 176.0 acres

**SUP 2018-10 SWMH:** Godlie Delcambre is applying for a special use permit for owner Brandon Lilly to place a single wide mobile home on his property which previously housed a single wide mobile home. The property is located at 7116 Bell Lane in Machipongo. The property is described as Tax Map 49, double circle A, parcel 161 and is zoned V/R (Village Residential).

**ZTA 2019-01 Oyster Watch House:** Northampton County Planning Commission has filed a petition to amend the 2016 Zoning Ordinance to add a definition of Watch House and performance standards outlined below:

**WATCH HOUSE:** A detached structure less than 500 square feet total in size erected by persons holding planting ground rented from the state for the sole purpose of watching their active shellfish growing grounds within direct sight of the watch house. The structure shall not be used as a dwelling or for the purpose of generating rental income, but to be used by an owner or employee.

**PERFORMANCE STANDARDS:**

§154.2.121 Watch House

Watch Houses may be constructed or expanded to the maximum size of 500 total square feet within the Resource Protection Area, Resource Management Area, State owned marsh, and subaqueous bottom only if all requirements of §154.2.163 CHESAPEAKE/ATLANTIC PRESERVATION AREAS (CAP) and the following requirement are met:

a) Watch house must be elevated on pilings where applicable in compliance with §159 FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT and free flow of water through and around pilings shall be required.

b) Watch house must comply with §151 WETLANDS and §152 COASTAL PRIMARY SAND DUNES.

c) Owner must submit written approvals with their application from the following agencies, in addition to any other required by applicable law:

- Virginia Marine Resource Commission
- Virginia Department of Health
- Northampton County Wetlands Board
- Northampton County Zoning Clearance
- Northampton County Building Permit
- Department of Environmental Quality

The Board of Supervisors shall also conduct public hearings on Tuesday, February 12, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers. The applications will be on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and in the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA.

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

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**ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA**

Case No. CL18000763-00
Accomack County Circuit Court
23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301

ELIZABETH STERLING MALCOLM
v. MARK WILLIAM MALCOLM
The object of this suit is to:

- OBTAIN A DIVORCE.

It is ORDERED that MARK WILLIAM MALCOLM appear at the above-named court and protect his interests on or before MARCH 1, 2019.

January 3, 2019
Samuel H. Cooper Jr., Clerk

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**INFORMATION**

**MARCH 1, 2019**

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PUBLIC HEARING
TOWN COUNCIL
TOWN OF ONANCOCK, VA
JANUARY 28, 2019

The Town Council for the Town of Onancock, VA will conduct a public hearing on Monday January 28, 2019 at 7:00 p.m., in the Town Council Chambers located at 15 North Street, Onancock, VA 23417, to consider one (1) text amendment to the Onancock Town code to include the following:

Onancock Town Code Sec. 24-1

Attached Structure: An Attached Structure is one where a structure is otherwise complete in itself and depends for structural support or complete enclosure upon a division wall or walls and roofline shared in common with an adjacent structure, such that such attachment is not able to be removed without significant damage to either or both structures. Typically an Attached Structure should open directly onto the rest of the dwelling via a doorway such that entry between structures is made without going outside.

Onancock Town Code Sec. 24-1

Building Accessory: A subordinate structure customarily incidental to and located upon the same lot occupied by the main structure. No such accessory structure shall be used for housekeeping purposes unless it meets the definition of an Attached Structure defined in this section. Garages or other accessory structures such as carpentry, porches, and stoops attached to the main building shall be considered as part of the main building.

Cuts of the above site plan are available for review at the Town Office located at 15 North Street, Onancock, VA 23417 during normal business hours. The public is invited to attend these hearings and comment on the matter. Questions or comments may be directed to Mr. Bill Kerbin, Town Manager, at 757-787-1853, or email at wkerbin@onancock.com, or at the work address above.
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I could think of to get it open but after 10 minutes I decided that if hand sanitizer would not melt the ice, nothing would. It didn’t.

After much work and 10 frozen fingers, I had managed to knock off the snow and ice from the door handle of the driver’s side. The passenger’s side was impossible. The only thing that worked was pushing it from the inside so could load all the stuff I needed for the day.

Time was ticking by. I used the cover from my console to scrape the windows, got back in and turned on the wipers. They were stuck and the end of the wiper on the driver’s side came off in my hand. UGH! Did you know UGH is the opposite of Yippee?!

I finally figured out how to put the wiper back on and realized 30 minutes had passed and it was time to be at work.

Oh no! I went back inside the house and called work to say I would be late. No one answered. It crossed my mind that the rest of the Post staff was looking at the Caller ID and ignoring me. So I started to set off on my journey. The noise that occurs when my trunk is not shut tightly was beeping and beeping and beeping. I got back out of the car and still could not open the trunk. It was stuck in the in-between stage! AHH!, which is the ultimate UGH!

When I got about five miles from my house, I saw the perfect snow photo opportunity. Finally another Yippee! Two bald eagles were having a deer feast. Of course, there was a car hugging my bumper and I didn’t feel comfortable stopping. I have a fear of people who can’t drive in the snow. Another UGH!

I had to go back. I drove a few miles before finding a good place to turn around. The eagles were still there. However, the pair was obviously not feeling particularly photogenic as both eagles flew off as soon as they saw me. On my return trip, they were back and a little slower. I managed to make a picture of one eagle but it was not very noteworthy.

When I arrived at the office, I was an hour late. Everyone else was already there, each of them looking at me like “Where have you been?!” I saw some eye rolling and glances. UGHHH!

After my car sat in the parking lot for a while, the ice melted, and I was able to open the trunk. Guess what? No wonderful scraper was inside. Uh, I think I vaguely remember taking it out last summer and putting it away so it wouldn’t get lost and I’d have more space for shopping. Guess what else? I have no idea where I put it. It must be with the high-handled dustpan, my favorite earrings, and my brother’s birth certificate, all of which also disappeared.

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