Family Fun at Chincoteague Fireman’s Carnival

Meredith, Chloe, and Natalee Donovan, of Wallops Island, ride the Ferris wheel at the Chincoteague Fireman’s Carnival. More photos are on Page 4. The carnival runs every Friday and Saturday night in July from 7-11 p.m. and nightly during Pony Penning week.
By Linda Cicoira

Nearly 35 years ago, groups of up to 600 people sometimes gathered on Assateague Beach to sunbathe and swim in the nude. They would put down their blankets and raise their umbrellas miles from the lifeguard section of the Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge.

They celebrated National Nude Weekend in July just a couple of weeks before Pony Penning, were written about in Playboy magazine, brought gawkers to the island, and were eventually covered up by the Accomack Board of Supervisors when it voted to enact an anti-nudity ban in the county as requested by church groups and Chincoteague town officials.

The leader of the nudist movement, Turner V. Stokes, 90, an engineer from Leesburg, Va., and president of the National Capital Naturists, died of prostate cancer late last month. He never did succeed in the quest to “Bare Assateague,” despite the bright green T-shirts with those words that were sold to raise money for a legal battle.

“We want to be better people in a better society,” Stokes told this reporter in 1987. “If we can’t respect our bodies, we can’t be better people.”

Stokes reportedly told another writer that his favorite outfit was when he was wearing “nothing but a smile.”

He began going to Assateague Beach in 1979. He and his group helped transplant dune grass, erect a sand dune fence, clean up litter, and install portable toilets, all with the permission of refuge officials.

A public hearing on the ordinance attracted about 500 people. Most of the speakers and petition signers favored the restriction.

The late Chincoteague Mayor Tony Stasio told the supervisors, “Nudity leads to lewdity, it always has and it always will.” Others complained if “this is allowed on the public beach, how long will it be until it’s allowed on a public street?”

Stokes contended the nudists, some of whom have been accompanied by their children on the beach, do not condone sexual misconduct and would help to fight such behavior.

The ordinance was fashioned after one in Virginia Beach that also withstood court inquiries. In Accomack, it is unlawful for anyone to voluntarily or intentionally appear in public “in the state of nudity” or to encourage others to do so. Nudity is defined as “a state of undress so as to expose the human male or female genitals, pubic area or buttocks with less than a fully opaque covering or the showing of the female breast with less than a fully opaque covering of any portion thereof below the top of the nipple.”

Violation of the ordinance could result in conviction of a Class I misdemeanor, which is punishable by a maximum of both a $1,000 fine and 12 months in jail.

“What the plaintiffs are really asking for is that Accomack County set aside a certain area of Assateague Beach for the plaintiffs to practice social nudism,” Judge N. Wescott Jacob wrote in an appeal to the county circuit court in 1987. “Certainly Accomack County cannot be required to set aside a portion of the beach for an individual or group regardless of their purposes.”
CHINCOTEAGUE VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY
CARNIVAL FUN!

Paisley and Russell Wimbrow

Makayla Bundick and Rileigh Robbins

Tera and Matt Taylor with nephew, Jowell

Zach and Lindsay Jester and daughter, Erin

Ava and Jax Neal, and Colton Lewis

King Joseph

Avery Smith and Blair Zeller

Photo by Ashley Wimbrow

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Photo by Chelsea Rae Smith
Whether for Fitness or Fun, Island Walking Opportunities Abound

By Connie Morrison

Regardless of motivation, Chincoteague and Assateague have walking trails and guides with something for everyone.

History

If history is your interest, try the Historic Chincoteague Downtown Walking Tour. The map can be downloaded at https://www.chincoteaguechamber.com/wp-content/uploads/New_Historic_Chincoteague_Brochure_Reduced-File.pdf. The route leads past well-known landmarks such as the Island Theatre, the Chincoteague Island Library, and downtown churches. It also covers lesser-known buildings, such as the Brasure building, at 4028 Main St., which includes part of John A.M. Whealton’s home dating from 1861. Whealton “led the effort to keep Chincoteague with the Union during the Civil War and erected a flag pole over 100-feet high with a Union flag that could be seen from the mainland,” according to the map.

If a longer hike is of interest, the same brochure includes a bike tour with farther-flung destinations and introductions to some of Chincoteague’s colorful historical figures. Talk like a “Teaguer after visiting the tump’s neighborhoods depicted on a third brochure map. Up the Neck, Tick Town, and Snotty Ridge are just a few of the vivid names of Chincoteague’s residential areas.

Nature

The Island Nature Trail is located along Hallie Whealton Smith Drive. The south side rail is 0.7 miles, paved, with benches and interpretive signage. Pets are permitted on leashes. The north side is a 0.45-mile segment of natural surface. Pets are not permitted on this section of trail. There is no fee to use the Island Nature Trail and it is open to walkers and bicyclists.

Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge maintains several miles of walking and bicycle trails. The longest of these is the Wildlife Loop at 3.25 miles. It is open to walkers and bicyclists. At 3 p.m. it opens to motor vehicles, so exercise caution. Other trails include the Woodland, Marsh, Black Duck, Swan Cove, and Lighthouse trails. Information about these routes can be found at https://www.fws.gov/refuge/Chincoteague/visit/trails.html. The refuge fee is $20 per vehicle for a weekly pass or $40 for an annual pass. Pedestrians and bicyclists enter free.

Photo by Connie Morrison

The historic Island Theatre is included on the downtown walking tour.

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If Misty of Chincoteague were alive today and could communicate with all of us, I am convinced she would sing “Misty Blue,” across the marsh with the prettiest voice ever. Wouldn’t that be a treat? Mr. Ed has nothing on you, dear Chincoteague pony.

Why do I think this? Well, because, there are 1,975 lyrics, six artists, and 71 albums matching “Misty” in a Google search. Is there a better reason? Perhaps, because she started as a model and had to belt out a tune sooner or later as most stars do?

Sam Sellard, who sells ads on the island seashore of Chincoteague (try saying that three times fast) for the Post, seems to think Misty would be telling us, “I wanna go to the Water Park.”

Did you picture her sliding down a twisty plastic tunnel? I did.

And just when I thought I had heard all the details about Misty that I could possibly keep in my head, there was more to learn. I didn’t realize her birthday is July 20. So why don’t those birthday trivia websites include her with Carlos Santana, Omar Epps, Alexander the Great, Natalie Wood, Julia Chicago, and Logan Guleff? She is worthy! Get with the program!

I also read recently that island children were allowed to miss school when the carnival scene was filmed for the movie, “Misty of Chincoteague.” They were told they could play all they liked and eat as many hot dogs as their hearts desired. And they were each “given a dollar at the end of the day.”

How cool is that? I don’t think that movie was made in July when the real Pony Penning is held or school would have been out for summer anyway. I wish I had been there. Misty died in 1972 when she was 26. Oh my, that was 46 years ago when one of the top songs was Donna Fargo’s “The Happiest Girl in the Whole U.S.A.” Oh yeah. Misty would definitely be singing that if she were able to attend this year’s Pony Swim. I could also see her belting out “Summer Breeze” by Seals & Croft, a popular song of the day. Coincidentally, Misty would have been 72 years old on her next birthday. Last year, the Chincoteague
Chamber of Commerce & Certified Visitor Center, on Maddox Boulevard, had a party commemorating the day and the island’s Pony Drill Team performed with Misty III. There were also cupcakes. YIPPEE! I’ll be watching for an announcement for such festivities this year.

Check out her Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/MistyofChincoteague/

There are tons of pictures of her on the site.

It’s been a while since you swam across the Assateague Channel, dear girl, but you still continue to warm our hearts and we love you.

Photo courtesy of Chincoteague Island Museum

Misty dons a birthday hat.

Photo by Linda Cicoira

Pony Nibblings

A Chincoteague pony nibbles nubbins on Assateague.
Fishing from the Shore

By Bill Hall

Few fish in our waters combine the sheer beauty, fighting ability, and table value as the dolphin fish, now more popularly recognized by the name of mahi or mahi mahi to avoid being confused with the mammal of the same name. Dolphin fishing has been red hot off our coast in water depths of 30 fathoms and deeper. Dolphin are often attracted to almost any type of floating objects from seaweed to buoys, even pieces of floating trash. The recent formation of floating Sargassum weed lines in our offshore waters has created ideal conditions for attracting this fast swimming predator. These fish put on an acrobatic display when hooked and played on light tackle and can be prepared a number of different ways on the grill and in the frying pan.

Chincoteague — Jimmy Vasilou, of Captain Steve’s Bait & Tackle, reports a few croakers have shown up in the waters of Queen Sound. In the Assateague surf, kingfish, and even a few early season spot, have been hitting live bloodworm baits early in the morning and late in the evenings. The inshore wrecks have been producing limit catches of flounder to 22 inches on jigs with 6-inch Berkley Gulp baits. Spadefish and gray triggerfish are hanging out over the same wrecks and several cobia have been sighted, but he had not heard of any cobia boated. Further offshore, two blue marlin and a white marlin were released and anglers retuned with nice catches of dolphin for the table.

Donna Rae, of Captain Bob’s Marina, reported the inshore flounder fishing has been very good recently, specifically at the south end of Chincoteague Channel from buoy 17 north to buoy 27. Anglers fishing here have enjoyed up to an average of one legal keeper for every four fish caught, and boats have caught their whole limit in five- to six-hour spans. Jumbo live minnows with 4- to 5-inch Gulp Swimming Mullet baits in pearl white, pink, or nuclear chicken color patterns have produced most of the larger fish. Croaker and kingfish have been caught in the canal towards the inlet. Fish Bites and bloodworm-scented squid strips have been the best baits. Small snapper bluefish have been hitting near the pilings of the Queen Sound bridge. Sharks up to 5 and 6 feet in length have been landed from buoy 11 out to buoy 10. Black

Wachapreague — Captain Lindsay Paul, of Trident Tackle, reported offshore anglers were finding “bunches” of dolphin along the scattered weed lines in 30 fathoms. One boat recently had the rare opportunity to release four mako sharks on the troll over a two-day period. All of the sharks were under the 83-inch minimum size limit, according to Paul. Several blue and white marlin releases have been registered for fish caught in the Washington and Bob’s canyons. Offshore bottom fishermen were successful with catches of blue-line tilefish. A little closer inshore, keeper flounder were being caught over the wrecks. Inside the inlet, small flounder and croakers have been the primary catch.

Lower Shore — Chris Snook, of Chris’ Bait & Tackle, reports the spadefish bite has turned on around the fourth island of the bridge-tunnel, as well as a smaller bite around the Plantation Light. Small croakers were being caught just outside the concrete ships as well as on the seaside out of Oyster. Sea mullet were being caught on Latimer’s Shoal. Cobia catches were coming from buoys 13, 16, and 36 during the day, while these same areas were producing large red drum releases late in the afternoon. Snook recommends that anglers carry plenty of bait and hooks, as shark bite offs have become an increasing problem. The shop recently sold 3,600 pounds of bait over a two-day period!

Jeb Brady, of Bailey’s Bait and Tackle, reported that the cobia bite is still good between the bridge-tunnel and buoy 36. Sight fishermen were starting to see an increase in the number of surface swimming fish. Brady said the spadefishing was “awesome” at the fourth island and Plantation Light over the weekend. Flounder fishing was described as slow, with a few catches coming from around the bridge and offshore wrecks.

Upper Shore — Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reported that the cobia and red drum bite down near the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel was still going strong. Offshore, a handful of tuna and some dolphin catches had been reported. The railcars were producing large flounder for anglers drifting and jigging Gulp baits. On the Chesapeake Bay side, the deep water bottom fishing has been a disappointment so far, with a few sand mullet making up the bulk of the catches. Abell recently fished surface lures for rockfish at the mouth of the Little Annemessex River near Crisfield, Md., with limited success on fish up to 25 inches. The early summer water temperature was already up to 89 degrees in the shallows!

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.
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**Museum of Chincoteague Island**

Come visit Misty and explore Miles Hancock’s carving workshop!

Tuesday Lecture Series 7 p.m.

Hours: Tuesday-Sunday, 11-5 • 7125 Maddox Blvd.
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Progress continues on the new Chincoteague firehouse begun last spring. Volunteer fire company spokeswoman Denise Bowden says the company anticipates completion around late October to early November with the move happening soon after. The new station will offer a larger training room, more bunk space, dedicated office space, a new dining hall with an updated kitchen, and will house all the company's equipment in one building. Bowden says there are mixed emotions because the company will be “leaving the only station our members have ever known.” Fundraising is ongoing with the “Heroes Walkway” campaign. Bricks are being sold for $100 for the walkways around the station, and they can be personalized to remember a loved one or with a message of up to three lines. Forms can be downloaded at cvfc3.com or picked up at the information stand at the carnival.
Wallop Marks 73 Years

On June 27, 1945, Wallops launched its first test rocket (above). A total of eight test rockets launched that day. The first research rocket, the Tiamat, launched from Wallops just one week later on July 4.

In the subsequent 73 years, Wallops Flight Facility launched tens of thousands of orbital and suborbital rockets, including resupply missions for the International Space Station. At right, an Antares rocket with Cygnus cargo spacecraft on the launchpad in May 2018 awaits launch on a space station resupply mission.
The Pony Express
A Guide to Chincoteague Island's Public Transit Trolley

Chincoteague Island Pony Express
2018 Trolley Schedule

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Additional Information

Trolley fare is 25 cents per person per ride, or one token. Exact change is appreciated. Free ride tokens are available at local businesses. Drivers do not carry cash. The Pony Express is seasonal transportation service provided by the Town of Chincoteague. This service is open to the public. Many of the motels, restaurants, shops, parks, recreational areas, ice cream parlours, and campgrounds are along our routes. Trolleys are equipped with wheelchair lifts. To inquire about Americans with Disabilities Act public transportation option, please contact the Town of Chincoteague during business hours at 757-336-6519, or The Pony Express at 757-854-8572, after 5 p.m. The operator complies with all ADA rules and regulations. ADA trips will be arranged where logistically possible.

Carnival*, Pony Swim, Pony Auction, Pony Swim Back Extended Hours

25th - Pony Swim - TBA - Midnight

JULY: 26th - Pony Auction - 7am - 1pm**  27th - Pony Swim Back - 6am - 1pm**

** Last Call for Trolley during Carnival is 11:00pm
**Hitching Post, July 6-12:**

What to do this week on and around Chincoteague Island

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<td>1-3 p.m. - Captain Timothy Hill House - 5122 Main St. - Chincoteague - 973-831-5961 - free admission - <a href="http://www.captaintimothyhillhouse.com">www.captaintimothyhillhouse.com</a></td>
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<td>10 a.m.-noon - Kitchen Gallery Art Show - Community Center for the Arts, 6309 Church St. - <a href="http://www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org">www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org</a></td>
<td>2-3 p.m. - NASA Rocketry: Water Bottle Rockets - NASA Wallops Flight Facility Visitors Ctr. - free admission - 757-824-2298 - <a href="http://www.nasa.gov/centers/wallops/visitorcenter">www.nasa.gov/centers/wallops/visitorcenter</a></td>
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<td>noon-3 p.m. - Summer Carving Demonstration - Museum of Chincoteague Island, Miles Hancock Workshop, 7125 Maddox Blvd. - $4/adults &amp; children older than 12 years, free admission under 12 &amp; active military - 757-336-6117 - <a href="http://www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org">www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org</a></td>
<td>7-11 p.m. - Chincoteague Volunteer Fireman’s Carnival - Chincoteague fairgrounds, Main Street - <a href="http://cvfc3.com/">http://cvfc3.com/</a></td>
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<td>1 p.m. - Free Art Class for Kids: Making Stained Glass With Tissue Paper - Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St. - 757-336-3130 - <a href="http://www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org">www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org</a></td>
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<td>2 p.m. - NASA Tour of the Solar System - NASA Wallops Flight Facility Visitors Center - free admission - 757-824-2298 - <a href="http://www.nasa.gov/centers/wallops/visitorcenter">www.nasa.gov/centers/wallops/visitorcenter</a></td>
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<td>8 a.m. - Episcopal Church Service - Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Chapel of Fox Holston Funeral Home, 5049 Chicken City Rd. - 757-894-7078, <a href="http://www.emmanuelchurchjb.com">www.emmanuelchurchjb.com</a></td>
<td>7 p.m. - Tuesday Nights at the Museum: Where Island Tales Are Told - “Sheep of Assateague Island” - Museum of Chincoteague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd. - $4/adults &amp; children older than 12 years, free admission under 12 &amp; active military - 757-336-6117 - <a href="http://www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org">www.chincoteagueculturalalliance.org</a></td>
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<td>11 a.m.-1 p.m. - Manna Cafe - Christ United Methodist Church Social Hall, 6253 Church St. - free hot lunch every Monday - @MannaCafeCI on Facebook</td>
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<td>1-4 p.m. - Board Games - Island Theatre Annex, 4076 Main St., Chincoteague - free admission - <a href="http://www.ciarts.org">www.ciarts.org</a></td>
<td>2 p.m. - NASA STEAM Lab: Paper Rockets - NASA Wallops Flight Facility Visitors Center - free admission - 757-824-2298 - <a href="http://www.nasa.gov/centers/wallops/visitorcenter">www.nasa.gov/centers/wallops/visitorcenter</a></td>
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<td>8:30 p.m. - “Chicken Run” - Free movie - Robert Reed Downtown Waterfront Park - bring a chair or blanket, films begin at dusk, in case of rain, films are shown at CCA headquarters, 6309 Church St.</td>
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**Day Trips and Side Trips Around the Eastern Shore**

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<td>12:30-1:30 p.m. - Jamie Slate, Singer/Songwriter - The Lemon Tree Gallery and Studio, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles - 757-331-4327 - Facebook @lemontreecapecharles</td>
<td>6-11 p.m. - Art in a Barn with Guava Jam - 24021 Seaside Rd., Cape Charles - $10/per person, free admission ages 18 &amp; under - 757-331-4327 - <a href="http://www.eventbrite.com">www.eventbrite.com</a>, <a href="http://www.artsoakedweekends.org">www.artsoakedweekends.org</a></td>
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<td>7-9 p.m. - Free Concert: UpriZing - Cypress Park, 7 Bridge St., Pocomoke City, Md. - bring lawn chairs and pack a cooler, <a href="http://www.cityofpocomoke.com/calendar.html">www.cityofpocomoke.com/calendar.html</a></td>
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Kids’ Puzzle Page

Kids’ Maze

SCRAMBLERS
Uncramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters in the mystery word, which will complete the gap.

Lecturer
OILHYM

Objective
GATTER

Drawing
TROTLYE

Crazy
AGENDER

Today’s Word

Snowflakes
by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.

Odd Man Out!
To the right is a list of five words. Can you figure out which word doesn’t belong on the list?

1. Ear (in place)
2. British nobleman
3. Everybody lives here
4. Brings home the bacon
5. A winter warmer

Hidden in the Above Frame
Here’s a ‘Scrappy’ Problem!
In this type of puzzle you are given a word that must be changed into another word in a series of moves. During each move, you must change one letter in the previous word so as to form a new word. In our example, we changed JUNK to PILE in four moves. See if you can change the following five words in four moves:

1. CENT to DIME
2. BIRD to CAGE
3. MILD to DARE
4. HURT to WELL
5. WILL to DEED

Difficulty This Week: Easy
**Super Crossword**

**ACROSS**
1. Dull hurt
2. Language of Islamabad
3. Thorny plant
4. Series start
5. Hurdle
6. Really smell
7. Very eager
8. Chlorine
9. Fluorine compound
10. "A Clockwork Orange" novelist
11. Steeped in salty water
12. Ridden horse
13. Tree bearing catkins
14. "Take that!"
15. Derivation
16. Commotion
17. "Modern Family" co-star
18. Popeye creator
19. Elly
20. Get the idea
21. Boys' co-star
22. Not awestruck
23. Arizona tree
24. Pen choice
25. Sharp tool
26. Shifty

**DOWN**
1. Cry of woe
2. Euro division
3. Can't stand
4. Ancien
5. "Ode on a Grecian Urn"诗人
6. Playa del
7. Utter failure
8. Island guitar
9. Angry
10. Listen to incidentally
11. Bro's sibling
12. Pub. house workers
13. "Yippie!
14. Second of two sections
15. Yale's Yale
16. S.F. NHL team
17. Swimmer
18. Gertrude
19. Flight leaving late at night
20. Scent
21. Hwys., e.g.
22. Camera type, in brief
23. Eurasian mountains
24. Depend (on)
25. Unattractive
26. Exceptionally tough guy
27. Some spicy cuisine
28. [Boring!]
29. Common thing
30. Hot tub locale
31. Wilson of the Beach Boys
32. Punk rock's pop
33. Phi-psi
34. Linkup
35. Page's place
36. Slaty colours
37. Compels
38. 100 cents
39. Counterfeit
40. Tiny parasite
41. Pink variant
42. 92 last longer than
43. Buly, e.g.
44. Put new asphalt on
45. Jakobus
46. Amigo
47. "Get clean" program
48. "60s prez
49. "Fantastic!"
50. Once, formerly
51. In—(trapped)
52. Bistro card
53. "#1 OutKast hit of 2003"
54. Completed
55. Tyrant Amin
56. Brand of faucets
57. Back, at sea
58. "The Thing" studio
59. Tempting
60. Yule tree
61. Emerald, e.g.
62. Former Ford
63. Obi, for one

**TURNING RED**
64. Regrets
65. Store selling souvenirs
66. Naval off.
67. Get skewed
68. Left the fold
69. Strip of computer icons
70. Tiny parasite
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**Weekly SUDOKU**
by Linda Thistle

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

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ◆◆

Moderate  Challenging  HOO BOY!

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Temperanceville - Subdivision of 3 lots in Chesser Village. 3BR septic letter on file for each lot. No HOA!
MLS# 47927 $75,000

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Mimi Murphy 757/894-8760
John McGoldrick 757/710-3771
Meghan Oliver 757/894-0798
Jenny Barker 917/612-8799

Captains Cove - Spacious 4BR/2.5BA home with open living concept, lots of storage space, and large bedrooms. Features two large living areas with cathedral ceilings. Recently painted, new carpet, roof, and HVAC. Must see! MLS# 48079 $169,000

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