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‘Are you alive?’ he asked. ‘Yes,’ she said.

Neighbors save blind woman who fell in water near Melfa

BY STEFANIE BOWMANN
Eastern Shore Post

Althea Pittman knows a lot about always moving forward and never giving up. She has been blind since her mid-20s but has had a long career as an advocate for people with disabilities, helping them gain and maintain their independence.

Her advice, which she follows every day, is, “Get on your knees and talk to God, and he will show you the way.”

A neighbor recently found his way to Pittman in her hour of need.

On the morning of Saturday, April 26, she had gone walking outside her home in Melfa when she fell into a nearby pond.

Unable to help herself, Pittman lay surrounded by the dark, algae-filled waters. On the road on the opposite side of the pond, one neighbor, and then a second, drove by.

Both drivers saw something on the other side of the pond but could not clearly discern it. Both assumed that someone had dumped trash into the murky waters.



Althea Pittman, center, is flanked by Sara and Doug Muhle, who saw that Pittman had fallen in a pond near her Melfa home and rushed to her aid.

One driver believed she saw a red plastic cup floating in the pond, but it was actually the corner of the jacket Pittman was wearing that morning.

A third person drove by, Doug

Muhle, accompanied by his wife, Sara. She also thought someone had tossed some trash into the pond, but her husband disagreed.

“That’s a body,” he said.

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ACCOMACK

New school leader ready to begin job

BY TED SHOCKLEY
Eastern Shore Post

Accomack County’s new superintendent has a diverse background — she holds an associate degree in farm and ranch management, has been a principal or assistant principal in elementary, middle, and high schools, and has led two school systems to gains in test scores.

Gennifer Miller, who was hired by unanimous vote in April by the Accomack County School Board and begins work June 1, said she was “incredibly excited” be coming to be Accomack County.

“I’m here to listen, learn, and lead, and I truly believe that together we can build on the district’s strengths and create even more opportunities for every child to succeed.”

Miller, 49, now serves as assistant superintendent of Buena Vista City

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16-year-old arrested in bomb threat

Nandua High School students were evacuated from the school on Friday, May 2, after a juvenile claimed to have placed bombs throughout the building.

After the Accomack County Sheriff's Office received a report about the claim, officers secured the scene.

K-9s from the Virginia State Police and Norfolk Police Department that specialize in the detection of explosive ordinances

were requested.

K-9s searched the building thoroughly and no explosive devices were located. It was determined that the threat was a hoax.

A 16-year-old boy was arrested in connection with the threat. He has been charged with one count of making a threat to bomb or burn a building. He was transported to Norfolk Detention Center and is being held without bond.

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Grant would help fund design of well field relocation

BY STEFANIE BOWMANN
Eastern Shore Post

The town of Chincoteague is pursuing an alternative method of funding its well relocation project.

Town Manager Mike Tolbert reported that on May 2, Chincoteague submitted an application to the Virginia Department of Health for an Emerging Contaminants in Small or Disadvantaged Communities grant.

If approved, the noncompetitive grant will be worth more than \$11 million and cover the costs of the engineering design of a new well field, including test and production wells, and constructing water transmission structures.

The new wells will be dug on the Matthews property that the town owns on the south end of the Wallops Island airport.

Engineers from the NASA Wallops

Flight Facility and grant writers from the University of Maryland assisted with the application process, Tolbert said.

The purpose of the state grant program is to assist small or disadvantaged communities in addressing emerging contaminants like poly- and perfluoroalkyl substances, or PFAS, in drinking water.

To date, attempts also have been made to acquire federal funding for the well project:

■ U.S. Rep. Jen Kiggans announced in February the introduction of a bill to authorize NASA to reimburse the town for the project. U.S. Sen. Tim Kaine introduced a companion bill in the Senate.

■ Former U.S. Rep. Elaine Luria in 2022 introduced a bill to authorize up to \$14 million for the project, but it did not advance beyond the committee stage.

PFAs were first detected in Chincoteague’s shallow wells, located on Wallops Flight Facility property, in 2017.

The presence of the PFAs was attributed to the firefighting foam used at NASA decades ago for extinguishing aircraft fires and training firefighters.

A temporary solution was implemented in 2021, when a water filtration plant began operating, reducing the PFAs to nearly undetectable levels.

Port Authority grants

Tolbert also reported on the town’s third unsuccessful attempt to acquire funding from the Virginia Port Authority for a floating dock at Robert Reed Park.

The Virginia Port Authority awards \$1 million in grants annually for projects that promote economic activity.

The intent behind Chincoteague’s

proposed floating dock is to allow easy docking for visiting boaters and promote downtown commerce, Tolbert said.

Two Eastern Shore localities received funding: Saxis received \$48,700 for electrical upgrades at its town marina and Northampton County received \$37,500 for bulkhead repair and construction at the Oyster marina.

The majority of this year’s funding, \$850,000, was given to Newport News, Tolbert noted.

Sewer project update

The town manager said sewer project contractor Underground Connections, of Onancock, has billed Chincoteague for 72% of the job.

“He is not 72% done ... he is actually ahead of that number and will finish up by Memorial Day, as promised,” Tolbert said.

He added that the bores for the main sewer line are complete, and existing sewer customers will be connected under a separate contract this fall.







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Man is charged with embezzlement from town

BY SARAH BARBAN
Eastern Shore Post

A man who previously worked for the Town of Onancock Public Works Department has been charged with embezzlement and identify theft.

Terry Lynn Sargent, 59, of Onley, has been charged with five counts of embezzlement of less than \$1,000 and two charges of identity theft. All of the charges are misdemeanors.

The complainant is listed as Capt. Kim Whitlock of the Onancock Police Department.

The charges stem from incidents on July 10, 2024, Jan. 23 and 24, and Feb. 7.

In his bail determination check-

list Sargent listed his employer as the Town of Onancock, listing 13 years as his length of employment.

Where the form asked for educational attainment, Sargent listed 7th grade.

Town Manager Matt Spuck declined to comment on the matter, other than to say that Sargent resigned on March 11 and that he is in intensive care and had been for a week.

Until Tuesday the Town of Onancock website listed Terry Sargent under the public works staff.

A warrant was issued for Sargent's arrest on Feb. 28. Sargent was released on \$3,000 secured bond on March 1.

A hearing is scheduled in the case for May 12.

LUCAS GRADUATES FROM UNC-CH

Ma'Kylah Latrice Lucas, granddaughter of the late John Henry Sr. and Lucy Jones, of Exmore, graduates from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill on Friday, May 9.

Lucas earned a degree in medical anthropology and has plans to continue her education. Lucas is the daughter of Philander Jones, of Exmore, and Lakeisha Lucas, of Wilson, N.C.

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First Baptist Church, Mappsville, plans events

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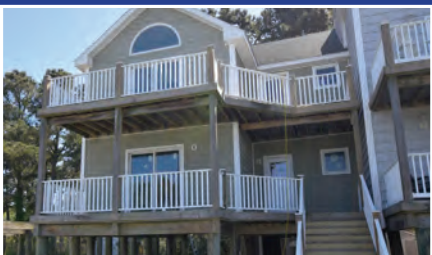
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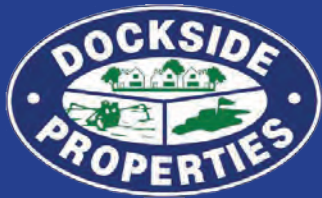
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The Chincoteague Island Library recently gave reading awards to students at Chincoteague Elementary School for the second nine weeks. Students were recognized for showing effort and/or improvement in reading. The following students received a certificate and a \$10 gift card to Sundial Books on Chincoteague Island. In the front row are Marianna Lagunas, Lincoln Metcalf, Morgan Isdale, Martha Wilder, Raiden Charnock, Benjamin Marsh, and Tristan Kendrick. In the back row are Alexandra Dawkins, La’Elle Scott, Elizabeth Jillard, Beckley Farrell, Jacob Ward, and Madeleine Miles.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Kiwanis Club of Chincoteague presented Terrific Kids awards for the second nine weeks to students at Chincoteague Elementary School. These awards honor students who demonstrate a positive attitude, good character, responsible citizenship, and/or academic improvement. Recipients are, front row from left, Victoria Stammer, Zi’Iani Knox, Laney Goodson, Rose Schuster, Ahmad Wise, Dalton Wright, and Emery Cambridge. In the back row are Connor Pruitt, Caiden Chandler, Lia Aker, Kaya Filipic, Evelyn Meck, and Shepherd Davis. Absent from the photo is SkyLynn Hickman

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Landfills will be open on Saturday May 10, 2025 from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm to accept residential garbage, yard waste, and construction/demolition debris. The landfill will also accept the following recyclable materials:

- Tires (car and small truck only "LIMIT" 12 per person/day)
- Used Motor Oil, Scrap Metal, and car and truck batteries.

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Landfills and Convenience Centers will not accept materials deemed to be hazardous, such as: Paint, Pesticides, Biological hazards, asbestos, and heavy metals. Please check with the attendants at these sites as to where and how to dispose of hazardous materials.

The Department of Solid Waste looks forward to working with the citizens of Accomack County on this program and encourages everyone to mark their calendars for the second Saturday of May every year! A "FALL CLEAN-UP" will also, be held on the second Saturday in October. This year's event will be October 11, 2025. For additional information, please contact the Public Works Department in Accomac at (757) 787-1468.

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Parks pursues a career in health care

In the chaos of the COVID-19 pandemic, Sarah Parks found clarity.

Jobs were scarce when the University of Utah graduate set out for a high school teaching position in August 2020, but one place was hiring — the Salt Lake City emergency department.



Sarah Parks

Holding a bachelor's degree in biology with a focus in anatomy and physiology made Parks the perfect candidate for an opening as an electrocardiogram (EKG) technician. Accepting the job challenged Parks' previous thinking, and she began to envision a career in health care.

"I didn't believe I was smart enough," she said, "because I always kind of put doctors on this pedestal. I think when you

start working in a hospital, you get to see the doctors as humans. Having that opportunity was really impactful for me."

Parks flourished in the hospital setting and knew she had found her calling, but when she received an unexpected call from home that her dad was in the emergency room, she knew she had to return to the Eastern Shore of Virginia.

"My parents were sitting in this ER and saying [the doctors] can't do the tests they want to do, and how understaffed they are, and how they don't have enough nurses, and how long he was going to have to wait," she said. "And it really showed me how those little barriers that exist in a lot of rural and underserved communities really add up."

Parks moved back to Virginia in 2022 and began working as a medical laboratory technician at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Onancock. It was there that she had the opportunity to shadow Laura

Kerbin, MD, an oncologist who also is from a small Eastern Shore community.

Dr. Kerbin's unique understanding of her patients' needs and her drive to give back to her community are what ultimately led Parks to pursue a master's degree in biomedical sciences from Macon & Joan Brock Virginia Health Sciences EVMS School of Health Professions at Old Dominion University.

The master's program in biomedical sciences is a springboard for students like Parks aiming to eventually go to medical school. Students learn side-by-side with MD students in an immersive one- or two-year curriculum designed to make medical school applications more competitive. In recent years, the program has helped more than 85% of its students matriculate into more than 60 medical schools across the country.

"I wanted to do this program not only

to prove to medical schools, and myself, that I could handle the academic rigor," said Parks, "but then also there's a lot of personal growth that comes in a program like this. I learned how to study, but I also learned how to 'manage the panic.'"

Managing the panic, she explained, means letting go of the idea that you need to be perfect.

"It's because of the people at the end of the day," she said. "The most important thing for me as a future physician is to actually be involved in my community, understand what my patients have access to — and what they don't have access to — how that affects their treatment and what will be the best treatment for them."

Parks will graduate from the program in May and has already been accepted to medical school. She will join Eastern Virginia Medical School's MD Class of 2029 in the fall.



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Althea Pittman

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He drove around to the other side of the pond, and when the couple exited their vehicle and approached the water, they found Pittman, who was nearly completely submerged except for her eyes, nose, mouth, the corner of her red jacket, and her feet on the edge of the bank.

Doug Muhle observed Pittman's lips moving.

"Are you alive?" he asked.

"Yes," Pittman answered.

Muhle entered the water, lifted Pittman by her underarms, and pulled her from the pond. The couple placed a warm, dry covering around her and called 911.

Sara Muhle later shared that Pittman had said, "I was trying to do good."

"Good found you," Muhle said.

One week after the incident, Pittman expressed gratitude to everyone who had helped her, in-

"You can't just sit back and say, 'I can't do it.' You have to try and learn things. ... That's what I've been doing my whole life."

**Althea Pittman,
of Melfa**

cluding the first responders who arrived at the scene and transported her to the hospital, where she received a clean bill of health.

On the Eastern Shore, "the people are so warm and so kind," Pittman said. "People don't allow there to be a divide here. We just look out for each other."

After her experience receiving help, she was eager to continue her work helping others.

"I'm not going to stop trying to help people. ... I'm not going to live in fear," she said.

Gennifer Miller

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Public Schools. He and her husband have one daughter who is a certified elementary teacher.

Accomack County received 18 applications for the position, School Board Chairwoman Janet Martin Turner said.

Miller will oversee more than 800 total full-time employees in 11 schools with an enrollment of about 4,500 students.

Miller said her parents were teachers and she "saw firsthand how a great teacher and a strong school can change the trajectory of someone's life."

After earning her associate degree, Miller earned a bachelor's degree in business management, a master's degree in special education and elementary education, and a doctorate in educational leadership.

Miller served as a special education teacher and homebound teacher before becoming a school administrator

"because I realized I could shape not just one classroom, but an entire system that supports students, empowers educators, and strengthens communities," she said.

While at Buena Vista City Public Schools, she led initiatives that moved the school system from a state academic ranking of 82nd to 38th in three years.

She said she is dedicated to professional development for educators and "ensuring they are equipped to inspire and challenge every student."

In Accomack County, Miller said she has been impressed by the passion and pride the community has in its school system.

"This community represents exactly what drew me to education in the first place — a deep commitment to its students, strong community values, and a desire to grow and improve together," she said.

"I'm here because I believe every child deserves the chance to thrive and education is the key that unlocks that potential."

Pittman's past experience assisting people with disabilities has included working for Blind Industries & Services of Maryland, in Baltimore County, where she was a rehab counselor who taught cooking and other independent living skills.

Pittman is the contact for the Eastern Shore chapter of the National Federation of the Blind of Virginia.

She also has worked for more than 30 years for the Centers for Independent Living, which are designed and operated by and for people with disabilities. Pittman is the executive director of the Eastern Shore Center for Independent Living.

She is familiar with the struggles of people with disabilities, having experienced discrimination based on her own disability. She remembers when a blind person could be arrested for crossing the street independently, using a cane.

Pittman remembers learning Braille and how she answered people when they asked her if it was hard: "It was different."

She has not allowed her blindness

to prevent her from learning new things — including waterskiing.

"You can't just sit back and say, 'I can't do it.' You have to try and learn things. ... That's what I've been doing my whole life," Pittman said.

And that's what she's going to continue to do and help others to do.

The next task Pittman wants to attempt is to write a book of her family history, keeping a promise she once made to her grandmother.

Pittman also plans to continue her work for the Eastern Shore Center for Independent Living, possibly for another seven or eight years.

"I want to accomplish as much as I (can) until it's left in good hands," she said.

"It's been good," Pittman said of her life so far, even with her blindness and the other physical and personal challenges she has faced. "Sometimes God's trying to strengthen us and keep us going."

She said she never planned on being blind, but "God has given me a new dream. ... The more you can do for others, the happier you'll be."

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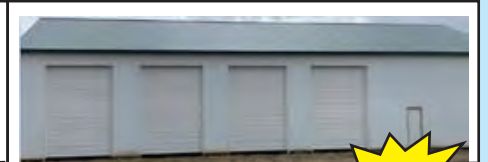
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Society could learn from a mother's unconditional love

Sunday is Mother's Day, the annual celebration and observance of the role mothers have in our lives. We also should recognize that our collective culture, which sometimes can be retributive and insensitive, would do well to take some cues from our mothers, who love absolutely and without condition, no matter the circumstance.

In today's society it is almost a foreign concept to love without an expectation of reciprocity. We are taught, unfortunately, that life is transactional. Friendship, love, respect, and dignity tend to be merit-based.

A mother's love, however, has no basis in reciprocation or exchange and is wholly unearned. It is transcendent but undeserved. It is bestowed upon us, a gift without strings attached. Our mothers love us in good times and bad. They love us in times of favor and failure. They love us in spite of ourselves. Sometimes they might not like us, but they always love us. What would it take to treat our neighbors in the same way?

Few among us — especially as teenagers — quite live up to the hopes, dreams, and effort of our mothers. We make them worry and cry, pace and pray, scratch their heads, and wring their hands. Our mothers do this throughout their lives and throughout ours, no matter our age, location, accomplishments, or station in life.

Most of us, even at our best, are far from worthy of the effort and affection of our mothers — a mother's love defies reason. And, mercifully, it never expires, as the dates on a gallon of milk or a vehicle warranty might.

A mother's affection also becomes our conscience, the voice on our shoulder practically begging us to act like ladies and gentleman, to be somebody in whom she recognizes herself, her love, and the fruits of her hard work.

On Mother's Day we rightfully heap adoration on the mothers of ours who are still around and recollect with reverence those who have passed. Certainly they appreciate being honored, thanked, and remembered.

We also wonder whether our mothers wish that we would learn from their love, sympathy, understanding, and dedication, and impart it upon a world largely lacking in those critical qualities.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Worries about the impacts of bird flu's mutations

To the editor:

If you watched the "60 Minutes" episode on April 20 about bird flu, you heard scientists express grave concerns about our preparedness for this rapidly changing (mutating) disease.

Although harm to us is minimal so far, the outlook is that it will be far, far worse than COVID-19 and that very little is being done to fight the inevitable.

I wrote my congressional representatives, governor, president, the Centers for Disease Control, and the U.S. Department of Agriculture, but I'm afraid we have yet another cause to organize for.

Funds for the flu are being spent, in part, to bring down the cost of eggs with too little concern for the potentially grave impacts on families.

Ann Boylston Violi
Harborton

Has gratitude for flat-tire help

To the editor:

I would like to commend the special people who stopped to offer to change a flat tire at Ros-

Gary and Joyce Turkovich
Pennsylvania

Guest columns and letters

The Eastern Shore Post welcomes your letters and guest columns. Letters and columns must include a phone number and a town of residence for verification.

Letters should be no longer than 250 words. Guest columns should be limited to 500 words.

Letters and guest columns should pertain to Eastern Shore issues or reference articles in the Eastern Shore Post.

Send letters to editor@easternshorepost.com.

es' parking lot at Four Corner Plaza — one being a landscaper from Onancock who came back and stayed with us until AAA arrived 1 1/2 hours later.

We were in a new vehicle with a brand new tire and it appears as though somewhere between the Island House and Roses we ran over a part of a knife.

Unfortunately we didn't get their names. I thank them with sincere appreciation and gratitude. There are many special people out there.

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American Legion Post 100 in Parksley having membership drive

BY JIM MATHEWS
Guest columnist

American Legion Post 100 in Parksley is conducting a membership drive and asking you for support.

Our area of influence is central Accomack County. For those close to Chincoteague or Northampton County, they could contact Post 159 or Post 56, respectively.

Why transfer membership?

Transferring your American Legion membership to our local post isn't just a paperwork change — it's a direct investment in your community. Here's why making the switch matters:

■ **Keep your dues working locally:** When you transfer your membership to our post, a greater portion of your dues stays right here on the Eastern Shore, supporting local veterans, youth programs, and community initiatives rather than being pooled at the national or state level.

This means your money funds the causes and people you care about — your neighbors, friends, and fellow veterans.

■ **Maximize local impact:** Every dollar spent locally has a multiplier effect. Economic studies show that for every \$1 retained and paid within the Eastern Shore, the total local spending in-

creases to \$1.59, supporting additional jobs and businesses in our region. When your dues stay here, they help create jobs, fund scholarships, and support local events — directly benefiting the Eastern Shore community.

■ **Reduce economic “leakage”:** Money sent outside the region is lost to our local economy. By keeping funds here, we minimize this “leakage” and maximize the positive impact on our schools, businesses, community, and veteran services.

What does our post offer?

■ **Personalized support:** Our post is committed to serving veterans and their families on the Eastern Shore. We offer direct assistance, camaraderie, and a welcoming environment. We check in on our members, help connect them to resources, and provide emergency support when needed.

■ **Community engagement:** We run local programs for youth, sponsor scholarships, and organize events that bring the community together. Your membership dues help make these programs possible.

■ **Transparency and accountability:** As a locally managed post, we ensure that funds are used efficiently and transparently, with regular financial reporting and member involvement in decision-making.

How do I transfer?

Transferring is simple. Just let us know you'd like to move your membership to our post, and we'll handle the paperwork. You'll receive a welcome call, an invitation to our next meeting, and the chance to be formally initiated as a valued member of our community.

You can initiate a post transfer form online at www.legion.org, using the MyLegion phone app (available at the Google Play or Apple App store), or complete the attached transfer form and mail it to the post at the P.O. Box 481, Parksley, VA 23421.

If your membership is current, no funds will be required for this transfer. If you have not yet paid 2025 American Legion dues, you can do that online or mail a check with the transfer form to the address above.

Make your membership count for more— transfer today and help us build a stronger Eastern Shore, together.

Post 100 in Parksley

Our post is on Dunne Avenue in Parksley, across the street from the farmers market and the Railway Museum.

It consists of a social area and a meeting room but not a bar, restaurant, or gaming area.

Post 100 meets on the second Mon-

day of each month at 6 p.m.

Post 100 also has an active American Legion Riders Chapter, which meets on the fourth Thursday of every month.

We would also like to draw your attention to the upcoming Stand Up and Be Counted event being held on Saturday, May 10, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at American Legion Post 159 on Chincoteague, the Tasley Volunteer Fire Company on U.S. Route 13 in Accomack, and at American Legion Post 56 in Cheriton.

The goal of this event is to identify all residents of the Eastern Shore who have honorably served, for any period, in the Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Navy, National Guard, or Marines, to have an accurate count of the number of local veterans.

Registration will be relatively simple: name, zip code, branch of service, and approximate years of service. This will allow us to better advocate for resources for our local veteran community.

Please join us for networking, and a light lunch, and pick up information on community resources.

Best wishes to all our veterans and their families!

■ *The writer is commander of American Legion Post 100 in Parksley. Email Commander@LegionVaPost100.org*

Collins graduates from VMI, accepts USMC commission

Justin Collins, the son of Larita Collins, formerly of Onancock, will graduate from Virginia Military Institute on May 15.

Collins has earned a degree in international studies and will be commissioned as a second lieutenant in the U.S. Marine Corps.

In keeping with the family's tradition of military service, Justin will continue his journey as a Marine Corps officer.

He will attend The Basic School, in Quantico, beginning on Sept. 8, where he will further develop his leadership and military skills.

Collins is the grandson of Julia Collins and the late George Collins, of Onancock, and the great-grandson of the late Lorenzo and Mallie C. Drummond, also of Onancock.



Justin Collins is graduating from Virginia Military Institute and accepting a commission in the U.S. Marine Corps as an officer.

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ENTERTAINMENT

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Friday, May 9

- **WALKING GROUP:** 9 to 10 a.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Island Community House hosts a weekly walking group.
- **BUTTERFLY WALK:** 10 to 11:30 a.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia National Wildlife Refuge, 32205 Seaside Road, Cape Charles. Take a walk along the refuge's butterfly trail and learn about the butterflies that visit the park.
- **STREET FESTIVAL:** 4 to 8:30 p.m., North Street, Onancock. Dining and live music return to North street for the year's first outdoor Second Friday. Fil Rhythm will perform live from 6 to 8:30 p.m.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 p.m., Blarney Stone Pub, Onancock. The Fil Rhythm Band performs live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6:30 p.m., Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. Alma Luna performs live.
- **BALLET:** 7 p.m., Nandua High School, Onley. The ESO School of Dance presents "Pictures at an Exhibition," a ballet that brings art to life. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/2s3u9hhz> for tickets.
- **PLAY:** 7 p.m., North Street Playhouse, Onancock. The playhouse presents "Becoming Dr. Ruth," written by Mark St. Germain. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/3c8uh5mr> for tickets.

Saturday, May 10

- **FOOD SALE:** 8 to 10 a.m., Onley United Methodist Church, Onley. The church is hosting a food sale. Frozen casseroles, homemade salads and soups, and a wide variety of baked goods will be available.
- **YARD SALE:** 8 a.m. to noon, 15480 Merry Cat Lane, Belle Haven. The Northampton Band-Choir-Theater Booster are hosting a yard sale to benefit the

Best bets

- **Saturday, May 10, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Kiptopeke State Park** will host **Tides of Time: Exploring Eastern Shore History**. This interactive event will have guest speakers, hands-on exhibits, crafts, demonstrations, and guided hikes.
- **Monday, May 12, and Tuesday, May 13, at 6 p.m.** the big top will come to Greenbush when the Zerbini Family Circus performs at the 316 Dirt Drag and Mud Hop.

Dajerilyz and Nadyanaliz Ortiz Memorial Scholarship Fund. Spaces are available for \$15. Vendors must bring their own table. For more information, call 757-710-1501 or email ncpebc2024@gmail.com

- **YARD SALE:** 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Woman's Club of Accomack County, 25405 Richmond Ave., Onley. The woman's club is hosting its annual spring indoor yard sale. Plants, soups, baked goods, toys, jewelry, books, and clothing will be for sale. There will also be a white elephant sale table.
- **YARD SALE:** From 8 a.m. to noon, Onancock will host its annual townwide yard sale. Residents and businesses can set up in front of their property. There is no charge to set up.
- **MEETING:** 9 a.m., Macedonia Baptist Church, 27105 Nelsonia Road, Bloxom. The Eastern Shore Conference of Baptist Clergy is hosting its monthly meeting. Rev. Milton Bunting will provide a lecture titled "Navigating Denominational Ministry." Call 757-990-2764 for more information.
- **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Alex Hubb Field, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. The Chincoteague Island Farmers

and Artisans Market features local produce, baked goods, artisan wares, meat and seafood, and more.

- **FESTIVAL:** 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Vaux Hall, 27698 Bobtown Road, Melfa. May Dayz will feature woodworking demonstrations by the Tidewater Turners from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., and food, drinks, music, activities, and vendors from noon to 6 p.m. Local artists and artisans will be displaying their work, and there will be a May pole. Vendors can sign up by emailing Jeremy@vauxhallfarm.com
- **FUNDRAISER:** 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Capeville United Methodist Church, 4410 Capeville Drive, Capeville. At the annual Bake and Bloom Fundraiser a \$5 ticket gets you a baked potato with fixings. There will also be plants for sale, craft vendors, a silent auction, and a dessert table. For tickets, contact Patricia Scott at 757-678-6742.
- **BIRDHOUSE PAINTING:** 10 a.m. to noon, Delmarva Discovery Museum, Pocomoke City. The museum is hosting a birdhouse painting workshop for kids and adults alike. The cost for non-museum members is \$15 and the cost for museum members is

\$10. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/48nwnufd> to sign up.

- **AUTHOR APPEARANCE:** 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Book Bin, Onley. Diana McDonough, author of the "Onesies" series will be at the Book Bin.
- **CAR SHOW:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Quail Cove Farms, 12435 Machipongo Lane, Machipongo. See hot rods and custom-built cars up close at ESVA Cars and Coffee.
- **PLANT SALE:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Christ Episcopal Church, Eastville. The church's St. Cecelia's Guild will have plants, pots, and tools for sale.
- **HISTORY PROGRAM:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Kiptopeke State Park picnic shelter 1, 3540 Kiptopeke Drive, Cape Charles. Tides of Time: Exploring Eastern Shore History is an interactive event that combines nature and history. There will be guest speakers, hands-on exhibits, crafts, demonstrations, and guided hikes.
- **LIGHTHOUSE OPEN:** 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge, Chincoteague. Visitors can celebrate World Migratory Bird Day by climbing the Assateague Lighthouse.
- **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, Parksley. Kids 5 and under can hear a story and build play literacy.
- **BALLET:** 2 p.m., Nandua High School, Onley. The ESO School of Dance presents "Pictures at an Exhibition," a ballet that brings art to life. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/2s3u9hhz> for tickets.
- **TEA:** 2 to 4 p.m., The Costen House Museum, 206 Market St., Pocomoke City. The museum is hosting a Mommy and Me Tea party. Guests can enjoy finger sandwiches, petits four, cookies, and more with their tea.

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Be included

The Eastern Shore Post wants your listings for live music, theatrical performances, carnivals, special events, and anything else that is just plain fun. Send to editor@easternshorepost.com

Important standing meetings and emergency numbers for the Eastern Shore

- **ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS:** For meetings in Accomack and Northampton, visit www.aaeasternshoreva.org or call 757-350-0466.

- **AL-ANON:** For more on Al-Anon, a group of relatives and friends of alcoholics. visit www.vaalanon.org/districts/district-7-eastern-shore

- **OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS:** Group meets every Wednesday at Rock Church, 27112 Lankford Highway, Onley. Call 757-999-6771.

- **COALITION AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:** All-day, every-day hotline for those impacted by domestic violence or sexual assault: 757-787-1329.

- **SUICIDE HOTLINE:** If you are having thoughts of suicide or know someone at risk, call 988. Call the local 24-hour hotline at at 757-442-7707 or 800-764-4460.

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The cost for adults and children over 12 is \$15. Children under 12 are free. For reservations please call 443-783-4471 by May 1.

■ **INFORMATION SESSION:** 4 to 8 p.m., Virginia Tech Eastern Shore Agricultural Research and Extension Center, 33446 Research Way, Painter. Quail Forever is hosting an introductory meeting. Representatives from Quail Forever will share its goals on a national, state, and local level. There will also be yard games and a barbecue dinner. Well-behaved dogs are welcome. For tickets visit <https://tinyurl.com/3vpxaz2>

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 8 p.m., The Great Machipongo Clam Shack, 6468 Lankford Highway, Nassawadox. The Myrtles perform live.

■ **PLAY:** 7 p.m., North Street Playhouse, Onancock. The playhouse presents "Becoming Dr. Ruth," written by Mark St. Germain. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/3c8uh5mr> for tickets.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Morphosis, 33 Market St., Onancock. The Willie C. Trio performs live in The Listening Room, an entertainment venue and dessert lounge. Tickets are \$15. Call 757-710-8718 for tickets.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Chattie's Lounge, Chincoteague. Crescent Moon Duo perform live.

Sunday, May 11

■ **DANCE SANCTUARY:** 9 to 10:30 a.m., 10237 Rogers Drive, Nassawadox. This weekly dance sanctuary is a donation-based community event that encourages freeform/ecstatic dance. The music will be an eclectic mix designed to inspire movement. RSVP to 757-678-1898.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 1 to 4 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. The Music Circle is a weekly open mic/jam session that raises money for charity. Tips and a portion of beer sales will be donated to the Eastern Shore SPCA.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 2 to 4 p.m., Chatham Vineyards, Machipongo. Steel Pennies performs as part of the Crush Pad Music Series. This event is free and no reservations are required. Bring a blanket or chair.

■ **PLAY:** 2:30 p.m., North Street Playhouse, Onancock. The playhouse presents "Becoming Dr. Ruth," written by Mark St. Germain. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/3c8uh5mr> for tickets.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 p.m., Mallards at the Wharf, Onancock. Paul Brion and the Raucous Brothers perform live.

Monday, May 12

■ **CIRCUS:** 6 p.m., 316 Dirt Drag and Mud Hop, 20305 Greenbush Road, Greenbush. The Zerbini Family Circus is bringing the big top to the Eastern Shore of Virginia. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/5xck8vnn> for tickets.

Tuesday, May 13

■ **MEETING:** 9 a.m., Eastern Shore Community Services Board, 24233 Lankford Highway, Tasley. The CSB will hold its monthly board of directors meeting.

■ **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, Cape Charles. Kids 4 and under can enjoy a story.

■ **COLLAGE MAKING:** 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Every Tuesday in May the Island Community House will host drop-in collaging. Stop by and build something creative.

■ **BIRDING SOCIAL:** 5 to 7 p.m., The Island House Restaurant, Wachapreague. Birding Eastern Shore is hosting a birding social on the deck at the Island House. This program is free and the public is welcome. Dinner and drinks will be available for purchase.

■ **SCIENCE SOCIAL:** 5 to 7 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Virginia Coast Reserve is hosting A Sip of Science, a casual science pub. Guests are encouraged to grab a beer and chat with or ask questions of Virginia's Long-Term Ecological Research program staff. The topic of focus will be how plants

shape our changing barrier islands.

■ **SPAGHETTI DINNER:** 5 to 7:30 p.m., Onancock Elks Lodge, 22454 Front St., Accomac. This spaghetti dinner is a fundraiser for Connor Tyler, who is traveling to Austria for the United World Games. Plates are \$13. Eat in and carry out are available.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 to 9 p.m., Par 4 Bar and Grill, 9480 Lankford Highway, Temperanceville. Willie C. and the Gang perform live.

■ **TEEN GAMING AND CRAFTS:** 5 p.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, Parksley. Teens can play games and make perler bead headphone cases.

■ **YARN CLUB:** 5:30 p.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, Parksley. Fiber artists can bring their crochet or knitting projects and socialize with others.

■ **CIRCUS:** 6 p.m., 316 Dirt Drag and Mud Hop, 20305 Greenbush Road, Greenbush. The Zerbini Family Circus is bringing the big top to the Eastern Shore of Virginia. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/5xck8vnn> for tickets.

■ **LECTURE:** 6 p.m., Museum of Chincoteague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Mike

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- Participation is free but you must be very familiar with Chincoteague

3 Sessions

Tuesday, June 3rd, 3-7 pm featuring Ted Shockley, editor of the Eastern Shore Post

Tuesday, July 8th, 3-7 pm

Tuesday, August 12th, 5-7 pm Art Showcase to Community

Open to ages 16 & up, but space is limited so RSVP by May 20th to reserve your spot.

757-787-2800 esvashorestrong@gmail.com

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Clem will deliver a lecture titled “The Story of Alice Boucher” as part of the Tuesday Night Lecture Series. Admission is \$8. Call 757-336-6117 to reserve a seat.

■ **CONCERT:** 7 p.m., Northampton High School Auditorium, Eastville. The Northampton Concert Choir will perform its spring concert.

Wednesday, May 14

■ **TECH HELP:** 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Northampton Free Library, Nassawadox. Tech help will be available all day on demand.

■ **SENIOR EXTRAVAGANZA:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Chincoteague Community Center, 6155 Community Drive, Chincoteague. The Senior Extravaganza is a celebration of those 60 and older. There will be a catered lunch, door prizes, music, games, and a fashion show. Participants are encouraged to wear their best outfit and walk the runway. RSVP to 757-787-3900 or 757-442-9652.

■ **STEM CLUB:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, Cape Charles. Kids from 5 to 12 can learn about different STEM concepts.

■ **CRAFT GROUP:** 1 to 3 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Every Wednesday Island Community House hosts Sit n’ Stitch, a time for crafters to bring handheld projects and work on them while enjoying community.

■ **TEA AND FASHION SHOW:** 2 to 4 p.m., Christ United Methodist Church Hall, 6253 Church St., Chincoteague. The 3 C’s Club is hosting its annual Afternoon Tea and Fashion Show. There will be a quilt and gift raffle and door prizes as well. Tickets are \$45 and can be purchased at H&H Pharmacy or from 3 C’s members.

■ **YOUTH GROUP:** 5:30 to 7 p.m., Craddockville United Methodist Church, 33464 Boston Road, Painter. Kids Club is open to all kids from pre-K to fifth grade. Dinner will be provided at 5:30 p.m.

■ **POETRY NIGHT:** 5:30 p.m., Morphosis, 33 Market St., Onancock. A poetry night is being hosted in The Listening Room, an entertainment venue and dessert lounge. Tickets are \$7. Call 757-710-8718 for tickets.

■ **PUZZLE RACE:** 6 to 8 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Compete solo or as a team of two against others to see who can put a puzzle together fastest. A prize is awarded for the fastest solve and all teams keep their puzzle. Visit [is-](#)

Eastern Shore class reunions

■ **The Central High School Alumni Reunion will be held on June 14 from 6 to 11 p.m. at the Mary N. Smith Enrichment Center, Accomac. For more information, contact Marvin Giddens (757-710-5632), Lisa Sturgis (704-207-1005), Gregory Giddens (757-710-5324), Kecia Burton (757-364-4837), Linwood “Toot” Sturgis (757-678-2888), Barry Onley (757-709-1001), Lisa Ashby (757-710-9944), or Greta Sample (757-678-6273).**

■ **The Parksley High School Class of 1978 will be having its 47th year class reunion on Saturday, June 28, from 5 to 10 p.m. at Par 4 Bar and Grill in Temperanceville. For more information, contact Daniel Nock (757-894-4844), Joyce Green (757-894-1699), or Martin Watkinson (757-894-7242).**

■ **The Eastern Shore Post wants your announcements for class reunions. They will run in this space each week at no charge leading up to the reunion date. To include your class reunion, email the information to editor@easternshorepost.com**

[land-community-house.square.site](#) to sign up.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 6 p.m., games start 7:30 p.m., Painter Volunteer Fire Company, 17116 Wayside Drive, Painter. Every Wednesday, the fire company hosts bingo.

Thursday, May 15

■ **PARK CLEANUP:** 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Cape Charles Central Park, Cape Charles. Every Thursday, volunteers help weed, water, trim, plant, and transplant the landscaping at Central Park. Volunteers should bring gloves and tools.

■ **CROCHET AND KNIT CLUB:** 11 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, Cape Charles. The Crochet and Knit Club encourages crafters to bring their current project or stop by to learn a new skill while socializing with fellow fiber artists. Activities will be provided to keep kids entertained as well.

■ **BOOK CLUB:** 1 p.m., Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church, Onancock. The Accomack Book Club is holding its monthly meeting. This month’s theme is travel.

■ **GAMES:** 2 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Island Community House hosts afternoon games every Thursday.

■ **LECTURE:** 4 p.m., Museum of Chincoteague Island, 7125 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. The museum is hosting a lecture with Gary Hubb, director of the film “Before the Lighthouse.” Hubb will discuss some of the Chincoteague history portrayed in the film, as well as other historical tidbits about the area. The cost is \$8. Active duty military, their families, children under 12, and museum members are free.

■ **CRAFT:** 5 p.m., Eastern Shore of

Virginia Regional Library, Parksley. Kids 5 and up can build a marble maze and then test it out. Kids can choose a marble to take home.

■ **BINGO:** Doors open 5 p.m., games start 6 p.m., Eastern Shore Railway Museum, Parksley. Donate a canned good for one free card. There will also be raffles.

■ **CRAFT:** 6 p.m., Northampton Free Library, Nassawadox. Adults can make their own pressed flower bookmark. Registration is required. Call 757-414-0010 to register.

■ **PAINTING CLASS:** 6 to 8:30, Captain’s Cove Golf and Yacht Club, 3323 Dock Court, Greenbackville. Learn to paint a blue heron with Daniel Thomas. The cost is \$42. Food and drink will be available for purchase.

■ **PLAY:** 7 p.m., North Street Playhouse, Onancock. The playhouse presents “Becoming Dr. Ruth,” written by Mark St. Germain. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/3c8uh5mr> for tickets.

■ **SPECIAL SERVICE:** 7:30 p.m., Refuge Temple Outreach Ministries, 30540 Depot St., New Church. The church is celebrating its 57th anniversary. The guest preacher will be Apostle Ivan Grant Sr. of the National Fellowship Churches of God.

Friday, May 16

■ **WALKING GROUP:** 9 to 10 a.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Island Community House hosts a weekly walking group.

■ **BOOK SALE:** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Friends of Cape Charles Memorial Library will be hosting a

book sale outside the library on the corner Mason Avenue and Pine Street.

■ **GOLF TOURNAMENT:** 1 p.m., Eastern Shore Yacht and County Club, Mel-fa. The Peggy Williams Memorial Fund Golf Tournament is a four person scramble tournament that is open to all. Registration includes 18 holes of golf with a cart, cold drinks, and an award event afterwards. Awards will be given to the top three teams. For more information visit <https://tinyurl.com/3vxybnjr>

■ **SHREDDING:** 3 to 6 p.m., Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce, 6733 Maddox Boulevard, Chincoteague. The community can bring old documents to have them shredded. Shred a box of documents for \$2 or shred three boxes for \$5.

■ **MEETING:** 5 p.m. social hour, 6 p.m. dinner, Pocomoke City Volunteer Fire Company. 1410 Main St., Pocomoke City. The Worcester County Historical Society is hosting its general membership meeting. Patrick Henry will be the speaker. Henry is an artist and historian.

■ **MINISTRY:** 5:45 p.m. doors open, event 6 to 7:30 p.m., Lynnhaven Baptist Church, 1200 Lynnhaven Drive, Pocomoke City. The community is invited to join the church’s Moms Ministry for fellowship. Guests can also shop for free diapers, wipes clothing, and more.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6:30 p.m., Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. Medium Wave Jay performs live.

■ **MOVIE:** 7 p.m., Island Theater, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague. See a screening of “Before the Lighthouse.” Tickets will be available at the door.

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Saturday, May 17

■ **BIRDING FIELD TRIP:** 8 a.m., Chincoteague Island Nature Trail, 6078 Hallie Whealon Smith Drive, Chincoteague. Join Joette Borzik to look for a variety of warblers and other spring migratory birds. Registration is required. Call Borzik at (757) 350-1659 to register.

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■ **KICKOFF EVENT:** 9 a.m., Epworth United Methodist Church, 4158 Seaside Road, Exmore. The American Cancer Society Relay for Life of Nandua is hosting a kickoff event. The mission and goals for the year will be discussed and a light breakfast will be served.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Alex Hubb Field, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. The Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market features local produce, baked goods, artisan wares, meat and seafood, and more.

■ **ART WALK:** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Cape Charles Central Park, Cape Charles. Artists can participate in the Central Park ArtWalk. Registration is \$50. There will be a \$250 cash prize for best-in-show 2D and best-in-show 3D. To learn more or register visit <https://tinyurl.com/5c7kttxs>

■ **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, Parksley. Kids 5 and under can hear a story and build play literacy.

■ **PARADE:** 11 a.m., Main Street, Chincoteague. The Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company is celebrating 100 years of service and 100 years of Pony Penning with the Ponies and Patriotism Parade. The parade will be followed by an open house at the fire company with bounce houses, fire truck demonstrations, fire truck rides, free food and drinks, and pony petting.

■ **MOVIE:** 3 p.m., Island Theater, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague. See a screening of "Before the Lighthouse." Tickets will be available at the door.

■ **MUSIC FESTIVAL:** 3 to 8 p.m., 202 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. ESVA Chamber Fest is a tailgating event and music festival hosted by the Eastern Shore of Virginia Chamber of Commerce. Irie Tree Band, Thunderstruck, and 38 Special will perform live. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. For tickets visit <https://tinyurl.com/yc5n2xm6>

■ **SPECIAL SERVICE:** 5 p.m., Refuge Temple Outreach Ministries, 30540 Depot St., New Church. The church is celebrating its 57th anniversary. The guest preacher will be Apostle Ivan Grant Sr.

of the National Fellowship Churches of God.

■ **DANCE:** 6 p.m., American Legion Post 56, 21210 N. Bayside Road, Cherriton. The legion is hosting a sock hop. Admission is free. There will be a cash bar and food for sale.

■ **CONCERT:** 7 p.m., Chincoteague Community Center, Chincoteague. Songs From Woodstock 1969 is a tribute concert benefiting Chincoteague Combined School. Local artists will perform classic songs from Woodstock. For tickets visit <https://tinyurl.com/4fwk9bfbk>

■ **MOVIE:** 7 p.m., Island Theater, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague. See a screening of "Before the Lighthouse." Tickets will be available at the door.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Morphosis, 33 Market St., Onancock. Bay-side Jazz performs live in the Listening Room, an entertainment venue and dessert lounge. Tickets are \$15. Call 757-710-8718.

Sunday, May 18

■ **DANCE SANCTUARY:** 9 to 10:30 a.m., 10237 Rogers Drive, Nassawadox. This weekly dance sanctuary is a

donation-based community event that encourages freeform/ecstatic dance. The music will be an eclectic mix designed to inspire movement. RSVP to 757-678-1898.

■ **ART WALK:** 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Cape Charles Central Park, Cape Charles. Artists can participate in the Central Park ArtWalk. Registration is \$50. There will be a \$250 cash prize for best-in-show 2D and best-in-show 3D. To learn more or register visit <https://tinyurl.com/5c7kttxs>

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 1 to 4 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. The Music Circle is a weekly open mic/jam session that raises money for charity. Tips and a portion of beer sales will be donated to the Eastern Shore SPCA.

■ **PLAY:** 2:30 p.m., North Street Playhouse, Onancock. The playhouse presents "Becoming Dr. Ruth," written by Mark St. Germain. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/3c8uh5mr> for tickets.

■ **PLANT SWAP:** noon to 3 p.m., Peach Street Books, 401 Mason Ave.,

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Cape Charles. The group ESVA Good and Planty is hosting a plant swap. Those interested can bring house or outdoor plants to sell or trade. There will also be a limited amount of free plant starts.

Monday, May 19

- **NATURE PROGRAM:** 9 a.m., Cape Charles Beachfront fishing pier, Cape Charles. Creature Catch, ID, and Release is an annual program that is a hands-on look into what animals call Cape Charles Beach home.
- **BINGO:** 1 to 3 p.m., Chincoteague Center, 6155 Community Drive, Chincoteague. The Island Community House and Village Neighbors are hosting bingo. The cost is \$5 per game.
- **MOVIE:** 7 p.m., Island Theater, 4074 Main St., Chincoteague. See a screening of "Before the Lighthouse." Tickets will be available at the door.

■ **GARDEN CLUB:** 7 p.m., Island Theater Annex, 4076 Main St., Chincoteague. The Garden Club of Chincoteague Island holds its monthly meeting.

Tuesday, May 20

- **LECTURE:** 9:30 to 11 a.m., Virginia Eastern Shore Land Trust, 6 Crockett Ave., Onancock. Enjoy coffee, tea, and donuts while learning about the difference between native and invasive species with Shannon Alexander, of the Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation.
- **CRAFT:** 10 to 11 a.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Village Neighbors is hosting coffee and craft time. Learn to make a craft of dried flowers under glass or on a glass jar. This event is free and all materials are provided.
- **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, Cape Charles. Kids 4 and under can enjoy a story.
- **COLLAGE MAKING:** 4 to 8 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Every Tuesday in May the Island Community House will host

drop-in collaging. Stop by and build something creative.

- **TEEN GAMING AND CRAFTS:** 5 p.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, Parksley. Teens can play games and make friendship bracelets.
- **YARN CLUB:** 5:30 p.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia Regional Library, Parksley. Fiber artists can bring their crochet or knitting projects and socialize with others.
- **BOOK CLUB:** 7 p.m., Chincoteague Island Library, 4077 N. Main St., Chincoteague. The Island Readers Book Club will be discussing "A Psalm for the Wild-Built," by Becky Chambers. All are welcome. Snacks and beverages will be served.

Wednesday, May 21

- **TECH HELP:** 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Northampton Free Library, Nassawadox. Tech help will be available all day on demand.
- **BINGO:** 10 a.m. to noon, Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center, 24577 Mary N. Smith Road, Accomac. The Mary N. Smith Alumni Association is hosting bingo for seniors. This 55 and up event is free and there will be prizes.
- **CRAFT GROUP:** 1 to 3 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Every Wednesday, Island Community House hosts Sit n' Stitch, a time for crafters to bring handheld projects and work on them while enjoying community.
- **MOVIE:** 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church, 89 Market St., Onancock. The church is hosting a potluck and movie night. Dinner will be served at 5:30 p.m. and a screening of "The Visitor" will begin at 6 p.m., followed by a discussion.
- **BINGO:** Doors open 6 p.m., games start

7:30 p.m., Painter Volunteer Fire Company, 17116 Wayside Drive, Painter. Every Wednesday, the fire company hosts bingo.

■ **PAINTING CLASS:** 6 to 8:30, Captain's Cove Golf and Yacht Club, 3323 Dock Court, Greenbackville. Learn to paint skies in pastel with Daniel Thomas. The cost is \$42. Food and drink will be available for purchase.

Thursday, May 22

- **PARK CLEANUP:** 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., Cape Charles Central Park, Cape Charles. Every Thursday, volunteers help weed, water, trim, plant, and transplant the landscaping at Central Park. Volunteers should bring gloves and tools.
- **SEED GIVEAWAY:** 10 a.m. to noon, Cape Charles Memorial Library, Cape Charles. The Eastern Shore of Virginia Master Gardeners will be on site to answer gardening questions and distribute free native flower, fruit, herb, and vegetable seeds. Each household may claim four free packs of seeds per month.
- **STEM CLUB:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, Cape Charles. Kids from 5 to 12 can learn about different STEM concepts.
- **COMMUNITY LUNCHEON:** 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Enjoy a meal with other community members. Check the Island Community House Facebook page for a menu.
- **GAMES:** 2 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Island Community House hosts afternoon games every Thursday.
- **FARMERS MARKET:** 3 to 6 p.m., Captain's Cove Marina Restaurant parking lot,

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■ **BINGO:** Doors open 6 p.m., games start 7 p.m., Northampton Fire and Rescue, 10239 Pine Ave., Nassawadox. Games are \$1 each after the purchase of a \$10 book. Refreshments will be available for purchase.

Friday, May 23

■ **WALKING GROUP:** 9 to 10 a.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Island Community House hosts a weekly walking group.

■ **BUTTERFLY WALK:** 10 to 11:30 a.m., Eastern Shore of Virginia National Wildlife Refuge, 32205 Seaside Road, Cape Charles. Take a walk along the refuge's butterfly trail and learn about the butterflies that visit the park.

■ **YARD AND BAKE SALE:** 3 to 7 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Shop for treasures and treats to support Island Community House. Set up a table

to sell for \$10. Call 757-336-1993 to reserve a spot.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Kerr Place, 69 Market St., Onancock. Shore History's Sunshine and Margaritas returns with live music on the lawn at Kerr place by Snackbar Jones. There will be food trucks on site and beer, wine, and margaritas will be for sale. Bring a chair.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6:30 p.m., Lemon Tree Gallery, 301 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Stingrays perform live.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Mallards at the Wharf, Onancock. The Fil Rhythm Band performs live.

■ **MOVIE:** 8 p.m., Teaguer's Pub and Restaurant, 5030 Chicken City Road, Chincoteague. Teaguer's is hosting a screening of "The Rocky Horror Picture Show" to benefit Friends of Animal Control Eastern Shore. For a minimum \$25 donation get a bag with all the props to participate in the screening. Costumes are encouraged.

Saturday, May 24

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Alex Hubb Field, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. The Chincoteague Island Farmers and Artisans Market features local produce, baked goods, artisan wares, meat and seafood, and more.



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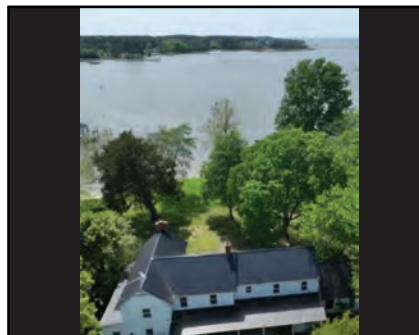
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OBITUARIES

Eastern Shore Post

Ginny Marshall

Mrs. Virginia Thorne “Ginny” Marshall was welcomed home by her Lord and Savior and her beloved husband, Harry Smith Marshall, on Tuesday, April 29, 2025, following 97 beautiful years of life. A lifelong resident of Tangier Island, she was the daughter of the late James Wesley Thorne and Hattie Virginia Chambers Thorne.



Mrs. Marshall

Known for her genuine kindness and caring spirit, faith was a guiding force in every aspect of Ginny’s life, and it showed. As an invaluable member of her church and community, both of which she remained dedicated to throughout her life, she led by example each and every day. Ginny filled many roles at Swain Memorial United Methodist Church over the decades, including leading the women’s society and ladies’ prayer band and playing an active role in the choir, and she was always prepared to teach Sunday school.

Ginny loved her island and was always there for friends and neighbors. Her greatest gift to those she loved was the gift of reassurance, and she knew when it was needed the most. For as long as most can remember, Ginny worked side by side with Williams Funeral Home and Bradshaw and Sons Funeral Home, assisting them with honoring the lives of countless Tangier men and women. For Ginny this wasn’t a job, it was a privilege, a calling she felt allowed her to be there for others. She would want to remind those who are missing her earthly presence to remember you will meet again. And, oh, what a glorious reunion it will be!

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Lorraine Marshall, of Tangier, and Harry Smith “Smithy” Marshall and his wife, Susan, of Burgess; her sisters, Grace Pruitt and Alice Crock-

ett, both of Tangier; her grandchildren, Jamie Lynn Parks, Greg Parks, Michelle Jenkins, and Stacey Marshall; her great-grandchildren, Scott, Sydney, and Gregory Parks, Andrew Jenkins, and Travis Spring; her sisters-in-law, Evelyn and Frances Thorne and Ruth Marshall; special friend, Yvonne Smith; baby girl, Sharon Lynn; and several nieces and nephews and their families.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was predeceased by her siblings, Isabel Parks and Bob, Jack, and Don Thorne.

A service in celebration of Ginny’s life and legacy will be held at Swain Memorial United Methodist Church on Friday, May 9, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Charles W. Parks III officiating. There will be a time of sharing at the church one hour prior to the service and all are invited to join the family for a meal in the church social hall immediately following the service.

Contributions in Ginny’s memory may be made to Swain Memorial UMC, P.O. Box 199, Tangier, VA 23440.

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

Williams Funeral Homes of Onancock and Parksley are honored to have the opportunity to provide arrangements, and even more so, are grateful to have known and worked alongside Mrs. Ginny Marshall.

Gloria Isdell

Ms. Gloria W. Isdell, 87, passed away Tuesday, April 29, 2025, at Manokin Nursing and Rehab in Princess Anne, Md.

A native of the Eastern Shore of Virginia, she was born April 22, 1938, in Wachapreague, to the late Burley and Annie Isdell. She moved to Maryland in 1957, where she raised her children.



Ms. Isdell

She is survived by her children,

Judy Webster and Jeffrey, Bruce, and Brian Whitman; her brothers, James, Clifton, and Carrol Isdell; and several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her son, Gilmer Whitman; six sisters, Catherine Hargis, Pansy Peters, Elizabeth Reed, Marie Thornton, Helen Stipa, and Patricia Isdell; and five brothers, Burleigh, Herbert, Robert, George, and Norris Isdell.

Funeral services were conducted from the chapel of the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home on Monday, May 5, at 2 p.m., with the Rev. Bill McClung officiating. Interment followed in the Wachapreague Cemetery.

Contributions in Gloria’s memory may be made to Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka, KS 66675-8516, www.support.woundedwarriorproject.org

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

Arrangements were by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Freddie Wheatley Jr.

Mr. Freddie Lewis Wheatley Jr., 70, of Tangier Island, passed away on Wednesday, April 30, 2025, at VCU Medical Center in Richmond.

Born on Tangier Island on Aug. 23, 1954, he was the son of the late Freddie L. Wheatley Sr. and Henrietta Charnock Wheatley.

Freddie was a 1972 graduate of Tangier Combined School and worked as a waterman. He was an extremely hard worker and loved being a waterman; he started working on the water when he was in the fourth grade. His passion was crab dredging, but he also enjoyed crab potting and oystering in the winter with



Mr. Wheatley

Tracy Moore.

An avid sports fan, he enjoyed watching and rooting for the Boston Red Sox, Boston Celtics, and the Washington Redskins (Commanders). He loved eating sweets and visiting his family on Sunday mornings.

He was a wonderful “Poppop” who loved to tease but also enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren and taking them on the boat. He also always had his faithful pet dog companion, “Minnie,” wherever he went. Freddie was a very well-known and generous man. He knew no stranger and would help anyone who needed it.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Cynthia Smarr Wheatley; his daughter, Jenny Dise and her husband, Dan; three grandchildren, Alysia McCready and husband, Isaiah, and their two children Evan and Roman McCready, Castella “Cassie” Dise, and Daniel Dise; his brothers-in-law, Bryan “Spanky” King and Larry Parks; his sister-in-law, Lisa Pusey; and several nieces and nephews.

Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by his daughter, Heather Wheatley Dise; his sister, Sandra Wheatley King; his mothers-in-law, Docia Pruitt Smarr and Patty Parks; his father-in-law, Grover Smarr; his sister-in-law, Donna Parks; and his brothers-in-law, Grover “Butch” Smarr and Ernest Ed Parks.

A memorial service was held on Tuesday, May 6, at 2 p.m. at the Swain Memorial Church on Tangier, where sharing was from 1 to 2 p.m. The Rev. Charles “Chuck” Parks officiated and the speakers were Dan Dise and Elder Duane Crockett.

In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be sent to the Tangier Fire Department, 16344 Main Ridge Road, Tangier, VA 23440.

Arrangements are in the care of Bradshaw & Sons Funeral Home in Crisfield, Md.

To send condolences, please visit www.bradshawandsonsfuneralhome.com

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Obituaries

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Anne Bull

Mrs. Anne Bundick Bull, 100, passed away peacefully on April 22, 2025.

She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother who cherished her family and friends, her bridge clubs, her great-granddogs, and a good joke.



Mrs. Bull

Anne was born two months premature in Modest Town on July 9, 1924, to Ryland and Gladys Bundick. Like many of the Shore's farming families of the time, she spent her childhood between Modest Town and Hastings, Fla. She graduated from Hastings High School in 1942 and from Baptist Memorial School of Nursing in Memphis, Tenn., in 1946.

On June 9, 1946, Anne married William R. Bull Sr. Together, they raised their two children, Rick and Melanie, at Kegotank Farm. One of the best Eastern Shore cooks you could ever meet, Anne hosted countless holidays and family celebrations with meticulous attention to detail in her home.

Anne was preceded in death by her parents, her beloved husband, and her sister-in-law, Sandra Bundick.

She is survived by her much-loved brother, Thomas Bundick; her son, William Richard Bull Jr. and his wife, Ann; her daughter, Melanie Bundick and her husband, Jay; her grandchildren, Russell Bull (Kathy), Paige Bull Tatum (Brad), Kelley Lee (Ronnie), and Anne Kyle Doughty (Jesse); and her great-grandchildren, Bailey, Wyatt, Suri, Sawyer, and Ben; and nephews, Tom Bundick and Rob Bundick.

The family wishes to thank Mickey, Shelia, Barbara, Debbie, and Tabitha, who provided care for her at home, and Jeanette Troyer for the love and care she showed Anne in her final days.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, May 12, at 11 a.m. from the Modest Town Baptist Church. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

Should friends desire, memorial con-

tributions may be made to Riverside Shore Hospice, 23379 Commerce Drive, Accomac, VA 23301.

Arrangements are being handled by Thornton Funeral Home of Parksley.

Ercle Herbert Jr.

A memorial mass for **Mr. Ercle F. Herbert Jr.**, of Schooner Bay, will be held at St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church on Saturday, May 17, at 10 a.m.

To view the full obituary and share condolences with the family visit www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Mary Childress

Mrs. Mary Alice Burt Childress, age 97, of Midlothian, departed this life May 2, 2025. She was reunited with her husband of 67 years, Welford, her daughter, Loretta C. Peyton, and her grandsons, Jeremy and Christopher Graham.

Alice and Welford were excellent Christian parents who raised their children in a loving, moral, and happy home. They were



Mrs. Childress

among the founding members a Bon Air Baptist Church. Alice practiced her faith daily and inspired many others with her prayers, wisdom, and absolute faith. Alice was always a lady. She was a devoted wife and mother who loved family, friends, animals, and See's chocolate. She was known by everyone as a very sweet person.

Left to cherish her loving memory are her daughters, Linda Rose (Bill), of Richmond, Mary Graham (Billy), of Parksley; her grandchildren, Michael Graham (Kelly), of Murrells Inlet, S.C., and Lauren Peyton Seltzer (Paul), of Painter; her great-grandsons, Avery Graham and Jacob Seltzer, and her son-in-law, Pete Peyton. She had many loving nieces and nephews. The family was truly fortunate to have such a loving, caring caregiver as Wendy Ridenhour.

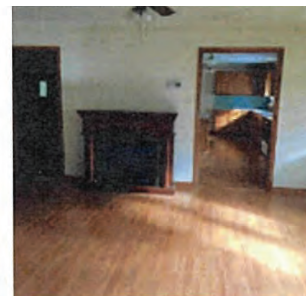
The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, May 13, at Woody Funeral Home in Midlothian. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, May 14, at Bon Air Baptist Church beginning at 11 a.m. Burial will be held at 2 p.m. at Dale Memorial Park.

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Harding wins Captain Zed's tourney

Flounder fishing along the sea-side is being described as some of the best in years. It took a flatfish weighing at least 7 pounds to place

in the top two of a recent tournament held out of Wachapreague.

Black drum are receiving a lot of the angling effort on the bayside, with the "big uglies" being landed over oyster bottoms and hills from

Tangier Sound down to the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel. Red drum, striped bass, and speckled trout have invaded the bayside shallows in search of soft crabs.

Upper Shore

Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, said that anglers targeting flounder on the sea-side are reporting some of the best fishing in years. Sea Hawk Flounder Rigs, tipped with Berkley Gulp Swimming Mulletts adorned with a large bull minnow or silverside, have been some of the most productive terminal tackle/bait combinations. The best action has occurred in depths of 2 to 15 feet, as long as the water is clear.

Jimmy Vasiliou, at Captain Steve's Bait and Tackle, described the surf fishing off Assateague Island as being "on fire," with black drum, striped bass, and a few large red drum landed this week. Anglers fishing smaller baits and hooks have been rewarded with catches of kingfish (whiting).



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Tanya Harding captured first place and the Top Female Angler award in the 34th Annual Captain Zed's Flounder Tournament with this 7-pound, 2.5-ounce fish.

On the upper Shore Chesapeake Bay side, black drum fishing has been good on the oyster rocks and hills of Tangier and Pocomoke sounds. Striped bass and red drum have been prowling the shallow grass beds in search of soft crabs.

Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul, aboard the Almost Persuaded, said Tanya Harding took first place overall and earned the Top Female Angler award in the 34th Annual Captain Zed's Flounder Tournament with a 7-pound, 2.5-ounce doormat.

Asher Hines also doubled up on awards with a 7-pound flounder that was good for second place and the top Junior Angler award.

Third place went to Clyde Mellin for his 6-pound, 11-ounce catch.

Lower Shore

Tyler Nestor, at Oceans East — Eastern Shore, told me the tautog bite remains steady along the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel and over the Cabbage Patch. Chunks of blue crab or frozen green crabs have been the top baits for the togs.

The sheephead bite is improving at

the bridge-tunnel, with anglers using fiddler crabs for bait while targeting the sheepies.

Puppy drum have been hitting soft plastic baits, as well as cut bait such as mullet fished on the bottom around the Kiptopeke State Park pier. The pier has also been a hot spot for those seeking to catch blue crabs using chicken necks for bait and a drop net.

Large black drum have been hitting out of Oyster and along the shoals off the bridge-tunnel. The "big uglies" have been caught on sea clams, hard clams, and crab baits.

Large red drum are still providing action in the lower barrier island surf, especially around Smith Island, as well as on the flats. The reds have been hitting big paddletail baits, peelers, and hard crabs.

Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait & Tackle, described the lower Shore black drum fishery over the last week as "excellent." Local anglers have reported encountering lots of drum on both the bayside and the seaside on flood tides, using clam and crab baits. Anglers fishing in the barrier island surf are seeing red drum and large striped bass, mixed in with black drum, while using cut crab as bait.

Anglers soaking sand fleas and crab are reporting good catches of tautog on the reefs off Cape Charles and down on the Cabbage Patch, with large sheephead reported along the pilings of the bridge-tunnel.

Lower Shore flounder action was described as "scattered but improving" along the seaside inlets for anglers using squid and Berkley Gulp.

The writer was the first Eastern Shore resident to achieve Virginia Saltwater Master Angler status. He has been named Virginia Saltwater Angler of the Year and Virginia Saltwater Release Angler of the Year. He has won numerous Virginia Press Association awards for his columns.

TOWN OF ONLEY PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town Council of the Town of Onley will conduct a Public Hearing beginning at **6:00 p.m. on Monday, June 2, 2025** at the Onley Town Office, 25308 Lankford Highway, Onley, VA for the purpose of receiving comments from the members of the public concerning the proposed Town Budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026. The following is a synopsis of the proposed budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2026:

ESTIMATED REVENUES & OTHER SOURCES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2026

General Property Tax	\$ 73,436.00
Other Local Tax	\$ 769,500.00
Fines	\$ 240,000.00
Interest Income	\$ 30,000.00
Miscellaneous Income	\$ 2,400.00
Grant Income	\$ 24,000.00
Law Enforcement Asst.	\$ 15,796.00
Reserve to Balance	<u>\$ 38,309.00</u>
TOTAL	\$ 1,193,441.00

PROPOSED EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2026

General Government	\$ 365,671.00
Public Works	\$ 241,439.00
Public Safety	\$ 532,331.00
Grant Expense	\$ 24,000.00
Donations	<u>\$ 30,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,193,441.00

Proposed Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Tax Levy:

No increase in Real Estate Tax: 6.6 cents/\$100.00 value
No increase in Personal Property Tax & Boats: 30 cents/\$100 value
No increase in Meals Tax: 4.00%
No increase in Transient Occupancy Tax: 2.00%
No increase in Business License: \$30.00

***The Regularly Scheduled Town Council Meeting
will immediately follow the Public Hearing.***

TOWN OF ONLEY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

The Town Council of the Town of Onley will conduct Joint Public Hearings beginning at **6:00 pm on Monday, June 2, 2025**, at the Onley Town Office, 25308 Lankford Highway, Onley, VA, for the purpose of receiving comments from the members of the Public concerning the following items:

1. The Re-Appropriation of Balance of Funds Remaining - George N. McMath Park:

Funds Appropriated August 12, 2019	\$ 200,000.00
Revenue	\$ 12,169.18
Funds Spent	<u>\$ 205,521.21</u>
Remaining Balance/Re-appropriation	\$ 6,647.97

2. The Re-Appropriation of Balance of Funds Remaining - New Town Hall Construction:

Funds appropriated November 7, 2016	\$ 500,000.00
Funds appropriated April 5, 2021	\$ 327,392.11
Funds spent	\$ 160,545.06
Funds moved to PW Garage Project November 4, 2024	<u>\$ 75,000.00</u>
Remaining Balance/Re-appropriation	\$ 591,847.05

3. The Re-Appropriation of Balance of Funds Remaining - Public Works Garage Project:

Funds appropriated November 4, 2024	\$ 75,000.00
Funds spent	<u>\$ 0.00</u>
Remaining Balance/Re-appropriation	\$ 75,000.00

***The Regularly Scheduled Town Council Meeting will immediately
follow the Public Hearings.***

Barnes, Firebirds aim to defend title

BY MARK MORING

Eastern Shore Post

When you're the younger sibling of a star athlete, it can be hard to follow in those footsteps. Living up to those expectations is often a difficult cross to bear.

On the other hand, those expectations can be motivating, a challenge to meet.

Dalton Barnes loves a good challenge, so he embraces the idea of playing baseball at Arcadia High School, where his older brother Nathan, a 2024 graduate, was an ace pitcher for the Firebirds.

Barnes, a junior hurler who also catches and plays first when he's not on the mound, says much of what he has learned came from his big brother.

"I started out pitching in Little League, following in my brother's shoes," he says. "With his guidance, I was able to learn pitching workouts, drills, and form, which helped me grow into the pitcher I am today."

Today he is Arcadia's top thrower and one of the team's best hitters, putting the Firebirds in the driver's seat in the race for the Eastern Shore District title. Barnes' performance on the mound and at the plate helped lift Arcadia to a 5-3 victory at Nandua on Tuesday, bringing his team's record to 8-7 overall and 3-0 in the district. (See game story on page 23.)

His record on the mound is only 4-4, but that's a bit deceiving. One of those losses, a 2-0 defeat at Norview last month, came despite pitching a no-hitter and striking out 12.

Barnes has allowed just 16 hits in 35 innings, has struck out 69 batters, and has a 2.5 ERA. At the plate, he's batting .391 with two homers and a slugging percentage of .783.

Like his brother, Barnes' best pitch is his fastball. Nathan was throwing 90 mph when he graduated, but Dalton's max is around 85. "I want to throw 90 mph at least

once, so I can say I used to throw 90 back in my day."

Barnes wants to play college ball but is also setting his sights on a major in aerospace engineering. He's No. 2 in his class with a 4.15 GPA and says his intended college major was inspired by Robb Borowicz, an Arcadia assistant coach who is an engineer at Rocket Lab at Wallops Island.

"I don't know if college baseball is in my future," Barnes says, "but I would like to play for any school that recruits me and has an engineering program."

For Barnes, that's just another challenge to conquer.

"I'm very competitive," he says, "and I like to challenge myself every day." For example, he recently taught himself how to solve a Rubik's Cube in under two minutes, "a pretty cool skill, I think." And he taught himself to juggle to improve his hand-eye coordination.

He's also challenged himself to break the school record in the bench press — 315 pounds. He's up to 250 now. "That would be an amazing milestone," he says.

The next challenge for Barnes and the Firebirds will be repeating as Eastern Shore District champs. Heading into Thursday's game at Chincoteague, Arcadia had beaten each of their district foes once. Last year, the Firebirds went 11-7 overall and 5-1 in the district.

"We're competing at a good level," says Barnes, Arcadia's co-captain with fellow junior Dylan Chesser. "We are definitely missing Nathan's pitching and hitting from last year, but I believe we are going to fill that hole with our current players stepping up."

"We had a slow start to the season, but we are improving. Our fielding and pitching have been a highlight. When we get our hitting to the next level, I believe we can be one of the top teams in the region."

Challenge accepted.



EASTERN SHORE POST/MARK MORING

Dalton Barnes has helped lead Arcadia to the top of the Eastern Shore District standings.

ROUNDUP

BASEBALL

Firebirds best Nandua

On Tuesday, May 6, Dalton Barnes hit and pitched Arcadia to a 5-3 victory at Nandua, putting the Firebirds in the driver's seat in their quest to defend their Eastern Shore District title. After spotting the home team a 2-1 lead, Barnes hit a two-run homer in the 6th inning to put Arcadia up for good. Barnes got the win on the mound, pitching 5.1 innings, allowing just one hit while fanning 10.

Also for Arcadia (8-7, 3-0), BJ White got the save, pitching 1.2 innings and striking out three. He also hit a solo homer, while Dylan Chesser had two doubles, three stolen bases, and scored twice.

"The boys played a good game, competed every pitch, and earned the win," said Arcadia coach Scott Liptrap. "We got on the bus to go win a game, and we played like it."

On Monday, May 5, Isle of Wight rolled to a 17-9 victory at Arcadia. Three Arcadia pitchers gave up 17 hits and walked 13 batters. Barnes had two hits and 3 RBI.

On Friday, May 2, Chesser and Danny Wallace had three hits each in a 9-7 win at Broadwater Academy. White and Barnes had two hits each, and Barnes drove in four runs.

On Thursday, May 1, Chesser pitched a three-hitter and struck out seven in an 11-0 shutout of visiting Northampton.

Warriors split 2 games

On Tuesday, May 6, Nandua dropped a 5-3 decision to visiting Arcadia despite stellar pitching from Aiden McIntyre, who struck out 17 and gave up just two hits. McIntyre also had a hit and an RBI for the Warriors (7-7, 2-1).

On Thursday, May 1, McIntyre pitched a one-hitter, struck out 16, and hit a solo homer to lead Nandua to a 1-0 win at Chincoteague. Austin Wert added two hits for the Warriors.



EASTERN SHORE POST/MARK MORING

Arcadia's Brinlee Kauthen pitched a shutout against Northampton last week.

Vikings fall to Arcadia

On Friday, May 2, Broadwater Academy spotted visiting Arcadia a 9-2 lead after five innings but rallied for five runs before falling 9-7. Aidan Fuller had two hits and 3 RBI for the Vikings (7-10-1), while Eli Destro added two hits.

Ponies drop 2 of 3

On Tuesday, May 6, Kent Reed pitched a two-hitter and struck out eight to lead Chincoteague to a 4-0 Eastern Shore District win at

Northampton. Reed, Micah Benicoff, and Jermaine Logan Jr. had two hits each for the Ponies (8-9-1, 2-2).

On Monday, May 5, Chincoteague lost 7-6 to visiting Wicomico; Garrett Daisy had two hits and 2 RBI.

On Thursday, May 1, the Ponies dropped a 1-0 decision to visiting Nandua.

Jackets lose in district play

On Tuesday, May 6, Northampton (1-10) dropped its ninth straight, a 4-0 district loss to visiting Chincoteague.

On Thursday, May 1, the Yellow Jackets traveled to Arcadia and fell 11-0.

SOFTBALL

Vikings win 7th straight

On Friday, May 2, Broadwater Academy rolled to its seventh straight victory, a 5-0 win over visiting Arcadia. Ramsey Revelle pitched a three-hitter for the win and added two hits. Miranda Smith also had two hits for the Vikings (17-2).

On Thursday, May 1, Broadwater swept a double header at Hampton Christian, 10-1 and 11-0. In the first game, Adrianna Holloway had two hits, including a homer, while Tatum Watson and Carly Clayton added two hits each. In the second game, Holloway smacked another homer and had two hits, while Kacey Ford had three hits and Elana Hickman added two hits and 3 RBI. Revelle picked up both wins on the mound.

Arcadia leads district race

On Tuesday, May 6, Ryann Giddins pitched a one-hitter, struck out 13 batters, and went 3-for-4 at the plate to lead Arcadia to a 15-1 Eastern Shore District win at Nandua. Brinlee Kauthen and Megan Montross added three hits each for the Firebirds, who are in first place in the district (7-7, 3-0).

On Friday, May 2, Arcadia managed just three hits, including two by Montross, in a 5-0 loss at Broadwater.

On Thursday, May 1, Payton Taylor went 3-for-4 with a homer and 3 RBI to lead the Firebirds to a 16-0 win over visiting Northampton. Brinlee Kauthen pitched a two-hitter and struck out 10 for the win, while also getting two hits herself. Giddins also had two hits.

Ponies split a pair

On Monday, May 5, Faith Stadler pitched a one-hitter, struck out 11,

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Roundup

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and added three hits of her own to lead Chincoteague past visiting Wicomico 11-1. Meredith Wright, Ginny Sawyer, and Carmela Rosanova added two hits each for the Ponies (7-6).

On Friday, May 2, Chincoteague lost 10-0 at Greenbrier Christian. Katelyn Balka pitched a no-hitter and struck out 15 for the Gators.

Nandua drops two

On Tuesday, May 6, Nandua managed just one hit in a 15-1 district loss to visiting Arcadia.

On Thursday, May 1, the Warriors traveled to Chincoteague and took a 13-1 loss. Amirrah Church had three hits for Nandua.

Jackets tumble twice

On Tuesday, May 6, Northampton (3-10) had three hits in a 12-1 district loss to visiting Chincoteague.

On Thursday, May 1, the Jackets traveled to Arcadia and took a 16-0 loss.

BOYS TRACK AND FIELD

Arcadia shines at meets

On Saturday, May 3, three Arcadia track stars shone at a pair of meets. At the Marlin Invitational at Virginia Wesleyan, Jordan Cropper set a school record with a high jump of 6-4.

Meanwhile, at the Dogwood Classic at the University of Virginia, Lavar Johnson set a PR in the 100 with a time of 11.02 seconds and finished fourth (out of 54) in the long jump at 22-2. At the same meet, Aaron

O'Shea set a new school record and PR in the 800 with a 1:59 run.

Also at the Marlin Invitational, Broadwater Academy's Logan Arnold and Steven Ye finished third and fourth, respectively, in the discus, with throws of 132-11 and 132-0.

GIRLS SOCCER

Nandua, Arcadia tie

On Monday, May 5, Arcadia and Nandua battled to a 2-2 tie at Nandua. Diana Hernandez-Gomez scored both goals for Arcadia (1-11-1), while Daniela Hernandez-Gomez had several key saves in goal. No individual stats were reported for Nandua.

Panuco paces Jackets

On Wednesday, April 30, Lizeth

Panuco's four goals and one assist led Northampton (3-5, 1-1) to a 5-0 district victory over Arcadia.

BOYS SOCCER

Jackets blank Arcadia

On Monday, May 5, Northampton picked up a forfeit victory over Franklin.

On Wednesday, April 30, Luke Jones had three goals and two assists to lead the Yellow Jackets to a 7-0 district win over visiting Arcadia. Thomas Dix, Martin Montalvo, Eli Philpot, and Joseph Castillo added one goal each for Northampton (7-2-1, 2-0).

Warriors top Firebirds

On Monday, May 5, Nandua topped Arcadia 4-2 in a district game. No individual stats were reported for either Nandua (5-4, 1-3) or Arcadia (3-7, 0-4).

SMITH SIGNS WITH WASHINGTON & LEE



Leah Smith, a three-sport star at Broadwater Academy, signed this week with Washington & Lee University, where she will compete on the track and field team in discus and shot put. Smith says she chose W&L "because of the variety of options it will provide me with: track and field, affordable study abroad options, and the community." Smith is undecided on a major but is "extremely interested in environmental science, engineering, or possibly quantum physics." She adds, "I want to thank my family for their endless support, my track coaches Eric Hack and Gus Gustafson, and the whole track and field team. I'll miss the Broadwater community. (It is) filled with kind people who are trying to lead you to success." Smith (W&L T-shirt) is at the table with her parents, Philip and Lori Smith, and younger sister, Miranda. Standing are Hack, special assistant Kinsey Rayfield, and Head of School, Fran Ryan.

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Town of Melfa Proposed Budget FY2026

July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2026

CONTEMPLATED REVENUE		CONTEMPLATED EXPENDITURES	
Sales Taxes	\$37,600	Trash Collection/	\$19,300
Motor Vehicle Decals	\$3,000	Truck Expense	
Real Estate Taxes	\$19,000	Town Hall	\$7,000
Litter Control Grants	\$1,250	Operations/Repair	
Business Licenses	\$70	Holiday Decorations	\$1,000
Communications Taxes	\$3,250	Street Lights	\$9,645
Zoning Fees	\$100	Tax Collection	\$400
Interest	\$100	Decal Expense	\$450
Fire Prevention Grant	\$15,000	Fire and Rescue	\$15,000
Miscellaneous	\$600	Mayor/Council/	\$4,500
TOTAL	\$79,970	Clerk Expense	
		Planning & Zoning	\$550
		Grass Cutting	\$325
		Attorneys Fee	\$2,000
		Ball Park	\$2,200
		Litter Control	\$1,200
		Town Picnic	\$200
		Insurance	\$7,200
		(Liability, Trash Truck, Bldg., Bond Risk)	
		Miscellaneous	\$500
		Office Supplies	\$800
		Law Enforcement	\$7,200
		Including Police Patrols	
		Advertising	\$500
		TOTAL	\$79,970

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Virginia Code §15.2-2506, that the Town Council of the Town of Melfa will hold a public hearing on the proposed budget, a brief synopsis of which is presented above, at the regular monthly meeting on **Tuesday, 5/20/2025, at 7:00 p.m.** at the Melfa Town Hall located at 19539 Main Street, Melfa, VA 23410. Any citizen shall have the right to attend the public hearing and state the citizen's views on the proposed budget. A copy of the proposed budget is on file for review at the Melfa Town Hall during regular business hours. The real estate tax rate is proposed to remain at 6.6 cents per each \$100 of county valuation. Decal fee will remain \$27 for automobiles and trucks and \$25 for motorcycles.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Gift baskets recently were donated and delivered to two local nursing homes by the officers and members of the Accomack Northampton Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. As a social action project and as a collaborative activity for the sorority’s annual Sisterhood Month in March, Deltas presented to both the Nassawadox Rehabilitation and Nursing facility in Nassawadox and the Shore Health and Rehabilitation Center in Parksley. This day of sisterhood and community service was dedicated to honoring the legacy of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Incorporated’s 20th National President, Bertha Maxwell-Roddy. Sisterhood is built on love, service, and a shared commitment to uplift our communities. In the left photo are, from left, Lisa Johnson, (person), Virginia Heath, and Pauline Milbourne. In the right photo are, from left, Virginia Heath, Heather Moran, and Karen Downing.

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NEWBORN CHINCOTEAGUE FOAL

Meet one of the youngest of the very young at Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge, a yet-to-be-named filly born Thursday, May 1. She was just two days old when this photo was taken on May 3. She's sticking close to her mother, a 3-year-old named Barbara's Tasi, who is the daughter of Surfer's Riptide, the most famous of all the current Chincoteague ponies. The photo of the foal was taken while on a boat tour with Daisey's Island Cruises. The Chincoteague ponies are owned and managed by the Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company.

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**Greenbackville/Captain's Cove Mosquito Control Commission
Fiscal 2023-2024 Summary Statement of Financial Condition**

As required by the Code of Virginia § 30-140, a summary of the financial condition of the Greenbackville/Captain's Cove Mosquito Control Commission for the 2023-2024 Fiscal Year is hereby published. The Commission's complete financial activity is issued in separate financial statements. These statements can be obtained from the Greenbackville/Captain's Cove Mosquito Control Commission, P.O. Box 218, Greenbackville, VA 23356.

Financial Condition Summary

Statement of Net Position Summary

Total Assets	<u>\$ 165,940</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 4,854</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 161,086</u>

**Statement of Revenues, Expenses and
Changes in Net Position Summary**

Total Operating Revenues	<u>\$ 72,879</u>
Total Operating Expenditures	<u>(47,279)</u>
Operating Loss	<u>25,600</u>
Other Sources	<u>-</u>
Other (Uses)	<u>-</u>
Total Other Sources (Uses)	<u>-</u>
Change in Net Position	<u>\$ 25,600</u>



COURTESY PHOTO

Northampton Middle School announced award winners for the month of April. From left are: perfect attendance winners Adrian J. and David G., and no referral award winners Elijah C. and Zion S. Each student received a certificate, a \$25 VISA gift card donated by Elks Lodge 1776 in Accomac, and a token for the Northampton Middle School book machine.

REGIONAL

Chamber award nominations open

Nominations are now open for the Eastern Shore of Virginia Chamber of Commerce’s Annual Awards, which will be held on June 25. Nominations are being accepted for Outstanding Citizen, Small Business of the Year, Young Entrepreneur of the Year, Volunteer of the Year, and Nonprofit Organization of the Year. The awards dinner includes nomination of new officers and directors, awards, cocktails, and dinner. Nominations are due by June 5. For forms and more information visit <https://tinyurl.com/2kbp5dz8>

ONANCOCK

Second Friday to be held May 9

Onancock’s Second Friday returns outdoors with live music, dining, and dancing on North Street on May 9 with Fil Rhythm performing from 6 to 8:30 p.m. This month’s music is sponsored by The Blarney Stone Pub. Enjoy an evening of art, live music, and dining. Art galleries, gourmet shops, and boutiques feature extended evening hours, guest artists, music, and wine-tastings. Look for the blue and white “OBCE Celebrates” flag outside open businesses. There will be a free wine tasting at North Street Market from 4 to 7 p.m. Second Friday is a year-round, free event sponsored by the Onancock Business & Civic Association and participating businesses. Street closings with live music occur May through October. Visit www.onancock.org to learn more.



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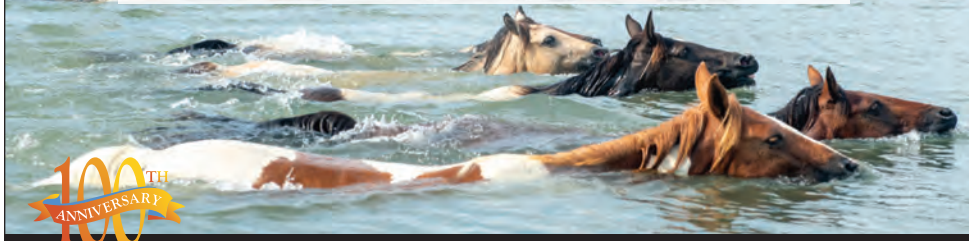
A & N Electric Cooperative held its annual Member Appreciation and Arbor Day event on Saturday, April 26. Over 500 people attended.

ANEC holds Arbor Day event

Members and friends of A&N Electric Cooperative gathered at the cooperative’s headquarters in Tasley on Saturday, April 26, for the annual Member Appreciation and Arbor Day event. Attendees began lining up as early as 7 a.m. for a chance to receive free seedlings and shrubs, engage with local vendors, and learn more about what the cooperative has to offer. This year A&N welcomed over 500 attendees and a number of local and regional vendors. The event marked the cooperative’s sixth consecutive Tree Line USA designation. Virginia Department of Forestry officials were on hand to commemorate the cooperative’s achievement. A&N Electric Cooperative gave away more than 5,000 seedlings and 100 potted plants. Guests also received gifts upon entry, member gift bags, and the opportunity to win raffle and bingo prizes. Throughout the day, lineworker demonstrations showcased how cooperative professionals safely climb utility poles to perform maintenance and repairs to power lines. Asplundh hosted a tree planting demonstration, educating attendees on choosing the right tree for a location, preparing planting sites, and determining proper planting depth and position. There were many family-friendly activities to participate in. Children visited a touch-a-truck experience and worked alongside linemen at the smurf poles — short utility poles for hands-on learning. Kids had the opportunity to open and close uncharged fuses with the guidance of cooperative staff. There was also a photo booth, where kids and adults alike could don hard hats and gloves to pose in a bucket from a bucket truck in front of a scenic Eastern Shore backdrop. The Cape Charles Lions Club served hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hot dogs, cheese dogs, and handcut fries, while A&N provided ice cream for dessert. Next year’s Member Appreciation and Arbor Day event is slated for April 25. This event is free and open to the public. To stay up to date on cooperative news and events, visit anec.com or follow A&N Electric Cooperative on Facebook. Members can also stay informed and manage their account through the SmartHub app, available on the App Store and Google Play.

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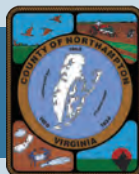
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The Eastern Shore Master Gardeners gave away plants during the Return to our Roots Earth Day Celebration in Exmore’s town park on Saturday, April 26.



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Tiffany Flores staffed the Eastern Shore Public Library booth during the Return to our Roots Earth Day Celebration in Exmore’s town park on Saturday, April 26.

CHINCOTEAGUE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HOSTS SEAFOOD FESTIVAL



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The Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce held its 55th annual Seafood Festival on Saturday, May 3, at Tom’s Cove Park.



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The Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce held its 55th annual Seafood Festival on Saturday, May 3, at Tom’s Cove Park. The festival highlights local seafood.

Local gang member pleads guilty

BY NANCY DRURY DUNCAN
Eastern Shore Post

A member of a local criminal street gang will spend a minimum of eight and up to 18 years in prison for shooting into a home where two adults and three children were sleeping.

Zyshon Riakeem Bell, 24, of Parksley, agreed to plead guilty to five serious felonies in exchange for the commonwealth's agreement not to prosecute numerous other charges.

On June 8, 2023, a 911 caller reported that people in two separate vehicles were firing shots into their home. When deputies arrived they found the house riddled with bullet

holes, including one in the side of the refrigerator, another in a television, and several in the walls of two of the home's bedrooms. Nobody in the home was injured.

Lab reports on the shell casings found outside the house showed that the bullets fired into the house that night came from six different weapons.

After months of investigation, Bell was arrested when police were called to an October 2023 dispute at Royal Farms between Bell and his girlfriend. Bell's .9mm semi-automatic handgun was taken by police. It was later determined that some of the shell casings used in the shooting came from that gun.

Commonwealth's Attorney

Spencer Morgan said that the shooters were members of a local street gang known as the Makk Balla Family. He said the woman who lived in the house is the mother of Julian Scarborough, a man charged with but, at the time of the shooting, not yet convicted of the 2020 murders of Painter residents Princeton Bragg and Lolita Boggs. He has since been convicted and sentenced to more than 100 years in prison.

Bell pleaded guilty to maliciously shooting into a home, use of a firearm in attempted malicious wounding, use of a firearm in the commission of a felony, and participation in a criminal street gang. He is set to be sentenced on July 10.

Blooms & Brushes event slated for Saturday, May 31

Blooms & Brushes Garden and Studio Tour, an event to benefit Historic Onancock School, will be held on Saturday, May 31, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the town of Onancock.

Blooms & Brushes is a walkable tour of dazzling local gardens where artists will be painting "en plein air." These paintings will be available for sale the following Wednesday at Historic Onancock School's Wine Wednesday event on June 4 from 5 to 7 p.m.

Tickets are available for \$35 online until May 30 at 6 p.m. Tickets will also be available on the event day at Historic Onancock School for \$40. The rain date is June 1.

To purchase tickets to Blooms & Brushes online, visit <https://tinyurl.com/327zc7nz>

Those who purchase tickets online will receive an email confirming their tickets. It is requested that online ticket purchasers print the email or bring their phones to show the email as proof of purchase.

Parking is at Historic Onancock School, where event goers can pick up their badges to get in the gardens and receive the homes map.

For more information, call 757-302-1331 or email info@historiconancockschool.org.



Representative Jenn Kiggans says "Trump knows what he is doing!"

hmmm, maybe not.

Started a world wide trade war thereby damaging our credibility and trustworthiness. If the tariff rate of 145% that he throws around like so much pizza dough, sticks, then folks won't be able to sell their inventory. It will be too expensive. No one will buy.

Promised to end the Ukraine war in 24 hours. How's that going?
Guess he didn't check with his sugar-daddy Putin.

Promised that "on day one" he would address the prices of stuff that we buy everyday. I guess M.A.G.A. folks are used to his less than truthful behavior.

Be glad that you are not trying to sell soybeans in this market so damaged by the tariff activity. Some folks are. We call them farmers.

Appointed Hegseth as Secretary of Defense. This guy is the moral equivalent of a malicious juvenile delinquent.

He appointed R.F.K. Jr. as Secretary of H.E.W. who appears to do his vaccine research in the deep, dark, web of the internet lunacy.

National Security Advisor Mike Waltz was dumped as soon as the wind shifted.

Kiggans and the Republican Senate and House have the Constitutional authority to end the tariff war, why won't they?

PAID FOR BY: Michael Lewis. Proud yellow dog Democrat!

Custis honored for philanthropy leadership

John Custis, of Onancock, has received the 19th Annual Chancellor's Award for Leadership in Philanthropy. He was nominated for the award by Eastern Shore Community College.

Hosted by the Virginia Foundation for Community College Education (VFCCE), more than two dozen individuals, families, and organizations were honored with the Chancellor's Award for Leadership in Philanthropy. The awards were presented at a luncheon ceremony in Richmond on Tuesday, April 15. VCCS Chancellor Dr. David Doré served as the emcee, and Mr. Mark Hourigan, founder and CEO of Hourigan, delivered the keynote address.

"Every time our donors support a scholarship, fund a new program or an emergency grant, they are not just giving back, they are lifting up," said Hourigan. "They are invaluable partners whose generosity can and does make the difference between a student dropping out or staying the course and realizing their true potential."

Doré echoed those sentiments, adding that a culture of care can have a profound impact on student performance. "When our students realize that someone cares enough to help remove the formidable obstacles standing in their way, it's life-changing," he said. "The things they thought impossible suddenly become doable, and their confidence soars as a result."

This year's class of distinguished philanthropy leaders has collectively contributed \$24 million to Virginia's Community Colleges.

John Custis has been a generous and loyal supporter of the ESCC Foundation. Under John's leadership on the board and as chair, the ESCC Foundation completed a successful capital campaign and more than doubled the assets of the foundation. As a successful attorney, John works with



COURTESY PHOTO

Pictured from left are ESCC Foundation Director Patty Kellam, Bunny McLean, Foundation President Jeremy McLean, Chancellor Doré, Foundation Member Paula Dombek, and honoree, John Custis.

a number of donors on planned gifts and continues to help the ESCC Foundation build its Legacy Society and attract community leaders and businesses to support its mission.

"We are so pleased to honor John Custis for his work to build business partnerships and planned giving, and to widen our circle of friends and supporters," said ESCC President Jim Shaeffer. "John understands the obstacles that some of our students face, like food insecurity, transportation, housing, and childcare, and his support helps us meet these challenges. He and his wife, Abbi, give

generously to the foundation, and we are grateful for their leadership in philanthropy."

Since 1966, Virginia's community colleges have given people the opportunity to learn and develop the right skills so lives and communities are strengthened. By making higher education and workforce training available in every part of Virginia, community colleges elevate all of Virginia. Together, Virginia's community colleges serve approximately 230,000 students each year. For more information, visit www.vccs.edu

As the supporting arm of Virginia's

23 community colleges, the Virginia Foundation for Community College Education (VFCCE) broadens access to educational opportunities for all Virginians while ensuring the long-term success of the Commonwealth and the needs of its workforce. To ensure access to high quality, affordable degrees and certifications, the foundation's statewide leadership raises funds and resources in order to supplement and support the activities of both individual students and community colleges.

For more information on VFCCE and its mission, and to provide support, visit www.vfcce.org

Hartman joins Onancock Main Street

Onancock Main Street (OMS) is pleased to welcome Michael Hartman to its board.

Hartman recently retired as an owner of DBI Architects in Washington,



Michael Hartman

D.C., after 38 years of practice. An Onancock native, he graduated from Onancock High School and holds a bachelor's degree in architecture from the University of Virginia. He is a graduate of the University of

Florida's Preservation Institute Nantucket, which focuses on cultural heritage conservation and preservation.

Hartman served as former chair of the North Beach Maryland Planning Commission. During his tenure he led the rewriting of its comprehensive plan and architectural guidelines and standards and collaborated with the American Planning Association to design a master plan for the North Beach downtown.

"We're thrilled Michael is contributing his time to preserving and revitalizing Onancock. His deep expertise in architecture, historic preservation, and planning will be a tremendous asset to the work of OMS," said Lisa

Fiege, OMS president.

Hartman is a member of the American Institute of Architects; Lambda Alpha International, a global land economics society; National Trust for Historic Preservation; Chesapeake Bay Foundation; Nature Conservancy; and ESVA Shore History. He is part of the 2025 class of the Eastern Shore of Virginia Master Gardeners Program.

"Now retired and back full time in Onancock, I'm excited to have more time to serve the community through volunteer efforts. Joining OMS perfectly utilizes my former career and personal experiences," said Hartman.

Hartman joins six other board members of OMS, part of the Virginia Main Street Program. OMS is a volunteer-driven, nonprofit organization that works to develop and sustain Onancock's historic downtown. OMS has supported high-impact downtown revitalization projects such as assessing the renovation of vacant commercial buildings, commissioning murals to enhance the downtown district, and offering free façade design, tourism advertising, and marketing support for businesses.

The majority of grants obtained by OMS for the benefit of the town don't cover operating costs. To read more about OMS or donate, go to OnancockMainStreet.org

Library to host inaugural Parksley Quad tourney

On Saturday, May 31, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., the inaugural Parksley Quad USCF-rated Chess Tournament will be held at Eastern Shore Regional Library, 24313 Bennett Road, Parksley, VA 23421.

The entrance fee is \$20 (cash only at registration on the day of the tournament). Late registration will be available at the door for an additional \$5.

To register, contact Ralph Lopez at yankee_ralph@yahoo.com or 410-430-7102. A United States Chess Federation membership is required. Sign up at new.uschess.org

The tournament will be played in a quad format — three rounds total. Time controls will be G45d5.

First place for each quad will win \$50, and second place will be awarded \$25.

Registration on tourney day will be from 9 to 9:25 a.m. Round 1 starts promptly at 9:30 a.m. Round 2 starts at 11:10 a.m., and Round 3 begins at 1:20 p.m. There will be a lunch break from 12:45 to 1:15 p.m.

There will be a food truck on site and picnic tables outside. You may bring your own lunch.

Lunch is optional. Round 3 can start early if both players agree.

The tournament will conclude by 3 p.m.

Nandua and Arcadia compete in chess

A series of four Swiss-system chess tournaments were held at the Eastern Shore Regional Library, in Parksley, on April 30.

The meet drew 34 students from Nandua Middle School, Nandua High School, and Arcadia Middle and High schools. "This is a good way for our kids to get experience in a focused, competitive environment," said Mark Nuckols, chess coach at Nandua Middle School. "Although our sixth-graders took part in an online tournament last month, this is their first time at an over-the-board event."

Tom Moskios, coach at Arcadia High School and Arcadia Middle School, was the main organizer. He had assistance from Nuckols and Ralph Lopez, executive director of Eastern Shore Scholastic Chess Association, which provided support. Also helping were faculty sponsors of school clubs: Christine Bisson (Nandua Middle School), Nicolas Diaz (Nandua High School), Christopher Matthews (Arcadia High School), and Nick Walker (Arcadia Middle School). A number of parents were in attendance.

In addition to the usual mental discipline of chess, players were required to operate chess clocks. For this event, each player had 25 minutes. The devices are essentially dual game clocks — the time goes down during a given player's turn. That player makes their move and then touches a button that causes their clock to stop and switches the timer over to their opponent. If a player runs out of time, they lose, unless their opponent lacks sufficient material to deliver checkmate, in which case the game is drawn.

Each of the four tournaments was called a tier. They were designed to match players of roughly equal strength. The strongest players were assigned to Tier 1, with an average rapid chess rating of about 1312, which is stronger than 75% of players who play organized chess sanctioned by the United States Chess Federation.

The Swiss system is a non-elim-

ination tournament whereby winners are paired against winners and losers against losers for the upcoming round. In this event, there were three rounds. Each tier contained eight players, except Tier 4, which had 10. Players' scores are the total of their wins, draws and losses, worth 1.0, 0.5 and 0.0, respectively.

The top results for Tier 1 were: first place — Austen Yang (Nandua Middle School) with a perfect score of 3.0; second place — Ayden Flynn (Nandua High School) and Juan Gonzalez (Arcadia High School) tied at 2.5; and third place — Porter Buyea (Arcadia High School) at 2.0.

In the final round, Yang played as white against Jonathan Mumford. Mumford played the Taimanov variation of the Sicilian Defense in which he attained a solid position against Yang. Yang finally won in a grueling match that came down to the end of the time control.

The top finishers for Tier 2 were: first place — Ethan McCleish (Arcadia Middle School) at 3.0; second place — Gaius Buck (Nandua Middle School) and Aria Matthews (Arcadia High School) tied at 2.0; and third place — Gage Ross (Arcadia Middle School) tied with Madden Sharbor (Arcadia High School) at 1.5. First place came down to a hotly contested game in the final round between McCleish and Matthews, which McCleish won.

The top results for Tier 3 were: first place — Jaxon Rice (Nandua Middle School) at 3.0; second place — Scarlett McDonald (Nandua Middle School) and Marquie Christian (Nandua Middle School) tied at 2.0; and third place — Cassidy Smith (Arcadia High School) and Jeremy Alvarez (Nandua Middle School) tied at 1.5.

The winners in Tier 4 were: first place — Cassidy Wessels (Arcadia Middle School) at 3.0; second place — Sarah Evans (Arcadia Middle School) and Havin Coll (Arcadia Middle School) tied at 2.5; and third place — Iris Snead (Arcadia Middle School) at 2.0. This is a great win for Wessels, who has shown steady and continuous improvement throughout the year.

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Help Wanted

TOWN OF ONLEY POLICE OFFICER

The Town of Onley is accepting applications for a Full-Time DCJS-certified Police Officer.

A complete job description and application are available at www.townofonley.org and applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Applications will be received at the Onley Town Office, 25308 Lankford Highway, Onley, VA.

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Help Wanted

Want to be part of a Caring, Professional, Innovative, Inclusive company?

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

\$1,000 Sign-On Bonus:

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For more information or to apply,
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Accomack County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the following positions: **Full-Time Certified Law Enforcement Officer and Full-Time Correctional Officer and Full-Time Dispatcher.** Applications may be obtained from the Accomack County Sheriff's Office or online at www.accomackcountysheriffsoffice.org Open until filled. Accomack County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

THE NORTHAMPTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS ACCEPTING EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS FOR: EASTERN SHORE REGIONAL JAIL COOK

Qualifications: Certified in food sanitation; over the age of 21

Duties: Plans, prepares and serves meals to inmates in Eastern Shore Regional Jail

Hours: Must be able to work shift work, weekends, and holidays

Applications may be obtained from Northampton County Sheriff's Office, 5211 The Hornes, P.O. Box 68, Eastville, VA 23347.

**This position is open until filled.
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Help Wanted

JOB OPPORTUNITY: SUMMER CAMP COUNSELOR

Are you passionate about working with children? Do you enjoy creating fun, educational, and safe environments? If so, we want YOU to join our team as a Summer Camp Counselor!

Job Summary: We are seeking enthusiastic and dedicated individuals to become part of our summer camp team. The ideal candidate will have experience working with children and possess the skills to create a positive and engaging atmosphere. Camp Counselors will be responsible for leading activities, ensuring the safety and well-being of campers, and fostering a supportive and fun environment.

Key Responsibilities:

- Supervise and engage with campers in various activities, ensuring their safety and enjoyment.
- Plan and implement daily schedules, including educational and/or recreational activities.
- Foster a positive and inclusive atmosphere that encourages teamwork and personal growth.
- Provide guidance and support to campers, addressing any behavioral or emotional challenges.
- Communicate effectively with campers, parents, and fellow staff members to ensure a cohesive camp experience.
- Manage group dynamics and utilize behavior management techniques when necessary.
- Maintain cleanliness and organization of camp facilities and equipment.
- Participate in training sessions to enhance skills in childcare or related fields.

Qualifications:

- Experience working with children in childcare, daycare, or similar settings.
- Ability to work well with children and create a positive, engaging environment.
- Must be able to work in various weather and work conditions.
- Attention to detail and strong communication skills.
- Must be able to swim.

If you're looking for a rewarding summer job where you can make a difference in children's lives while gaining valuable experience, apply now! We look forward to having you on our team!

Please refer to Northampton County's website for application form at https://www.co.northampton.va.us/government/jobs_opportunities/job_openings or an application can be obtained through the Human Resources office. Please submit completed county application form to Human Resources, PO Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347 or in person to 16404 Courthouse Road. The deadline to apply is May 9, 2025.

Northampton County is an EOE.

OPEN POSITIONS

Northampton County has the following open positions in the Planning, Permitting and Enforcement Department:

- Building Inspector
- Code Compliance Inspector
- Planner/Community Redevelopment Specialist

Please refer to Northampton county's website at <https://tinyurl.com/yezesa6ra> for further position descriptions. Please submit a completed County application with cover letter to Human Resources. Positions open until filled.

ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

Heavy Equipment Operator
F/T position with benefits
Open Until Filled | Starting Salary: \$35,429 - \$46,058
(based on experience)

Accomack County is currently accepting applications for a full-time Heavy Equipment Operator in the Department of Public Works. The position's primary responsibility is to operate a variety of equipment related to waste management at the County's transfer station and landfill. Employees in this classification perform skilled and manual work. Position is responsible for operating heavy equipment (e.g. loaders, excavators, and dozers), portable power equipment, and sometimes, hand tools. Operators ensure the safe and efficient use of equipment, performing pre-operation inspections, monitoring equipment condition, and performing minor maintenance or repairs.

Minimum qualifications are: High school diploma or GED; supplemented by one (1) to two (2) years previous experience and/or training involving the operation of heavy equipment; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience. **Preferred qualification:** possession of a Class A Commercial Driver's License with tanker endorsement.

Satisfactory completion of a background check, medical exam including drug screening, and DMV records checks are required prior to employment. DMV records check will be performed annually thereafter. A job description and application instructions can be obtained from the County's website: <http://www.co.accomack.va.us>

The position is open until filled, with the review of applications beginning on Thursday, May 22, 2025.

Accomack County is committed to an inclusive and diverse workforce.

ACCOMACK COUNTY Virginia

Deputy Clerk — Circuit Court Clerk's Office
F/T position with benefits | Open Until Filled
Starting Salary: \$40,410 – \$44,937
(based on experience)

Accomack County is currently recruiting for a full-time Deputy Clerk I or II in the Circuit Court Clerk's Office.

The position performs a variety of clerical and customer service duties for the office. Primary duties for this deputy clerk include: recording land records, civil case processing, processing handgun permit applications, mail processing, administering oaths, issuing marriage licenses, general office support, and performing a variety of clerical and customer service duties for the office.

Minimum Qualifications: A high school diploma or GED; familiarity with courtroom procedures and processes, supplemented by vocational/technical training in business, administrative, clerical, or data input work; or an equivalent combination of education, training, and experience. **Preferred:** Specific experience in the legal system preferred. Bilingual capabilities a plus. Satisfactory completion of a background check and a drug screening are required prior to employment.

A job description and application instructions can be obtained from the County's website: <https://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities> **First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, May 15, 2025.**

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Help Wanted

PAR 4 BAR & GRILL - Bartenders, servers & cooks. Must have experience in the restaurant industry. Please stop by to complete application at 9480 Lankford Hwy., Temperanceville, VA 23442 or email your resume to par4barandgrill@gmail.com

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Place an Ad

WANT TO PLACE AN AD? Contact Ryan at the Post. A 5-line ad like this one costs only \$15. Call 757-789-7678. ryan@easternshorepost.com

Northampton County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for:

Jail Deputy at the Eastern Shore Regional Jail

Job will require shift work, nights, weekends and some holidays.

Qualifications: over the age of 21 and have high school diploma or GED.

Benefits include: VRS Retirement, Annual Leave, Sick leave, Paid Holidays, and Health Insurance

Applications may be obtained from the Eastern Shore Regional Jail, 5245 The Hornes, Eastville, Va. 23347 or online at <https://tinyurl.com/5n6epayy>

Open until filled.

Apply in person at the Eastern Shore Regional Jail

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Trivia Test

By Fifi Rodriguez

1. Which state is last, alphabetically?
2. Who wrote the short story "The Secret Life of Walter Mitty"?
3. On which sitcom did the character Harry the Hat appear?
4. Which president was the shortest at 5 foot 4 inches tall?

(Answers on the next page)

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Strange But True

By Lucie Winborne

- * Worldwide, blue is the most common favorite color.
- * Deipnophobia is the fear of dining with other people.
- * In 95% of cases, the first word someone writes with a new pen is their own name.
- * Human fetuses have gills, fur, and even a tail during development. The tail becomes the coccyx and the "gills," which are temporary slits in the neck, develop into jaw and ear bones, while the fur disappears before birth or within a few weeks afterward.

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- 757.789.7678.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE
2244 MAYFLOWER DRIVE,
GREENBACKVILLE, VA 23356

In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated August 18, 2021, in the original principal amount of \$237,000.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Accomack County, Virginia, as Instrument No. 210004293. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Accomack County, 23316 Courthouse Ave., Accomack, VA, or any such temporary alternative Circuit Court location designated by the Judges of the Circuit Court, on June 13, 2025, at 12:00 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: **ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF LAND LOCATED NEAR GREENBACKVILLE, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, BEING LOT 2070, SECTION 4, CAPTAIN'S COVE, AS THE SAME APPEARS DULY DEDICATED, PLATTED AND RECORDED AMONG THE LAND RECORDS OF THE CIRCUIT COURT CLERK'S OFFICE OF ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, IN DEED BOOK 285, AT PAGE 94, AND IN PLAT BOOK 15, AT PAGE 83, ET. SEQ.**

TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale and the Purchaser may be given the option to execute the contract of sale electronically. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 8100 Three Chopt Road, Suite 240, Richmond, VA 23229. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd, Suite 101, Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com

JOINT PUBLIC HEARING TOWN COUNCIL & PLANNING COMMISSION TOWN OF ONANCOCK, VA

The Town Council and Planning Commission for the Town of Onancock, VA, will conduct a joint public hearing on Monday, May 19, 2025, at 7:00 p.m., to hear comments on Special Use Permit 20250501 regarding the use of Queen Street for the Farmer's Market.

A copy of the permit application is available for review upon request. Questions or comments may be directed to Matt Spuck, Town Manager, at 757-787-3363 or email Matt.Spuck@Onancock.com.



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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet and conduct public hearings on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road in Eastville, Virginia. The purpose is to conduct regular business and review the following applications to forward recommendations to the Board of Supervisors.

ZTA 2025-01: The Board of Supervisors of Northampton County is proposing a Zoning Text Amendment with respect to the regulation of boat houses and gazebos. Revisions are proposed to be made to the 2016 and 2000 Zoning Ordinances as follows: Section 154.2.003 Definitions, revise the definitions of “boat house” and “gazebo”; Appendix A: Use Regulations, the addition of “boat house” as an allowed use in all districts except Existing Industrial (EI) and Working Waterfront (WW) zoning districts with a Minor Special Use Permit under Category 5 – Marine-Related Uses and Category 6 – Recreational Uses; Appendix A: Use Regulations, the addition of “gazebo” as an allowed use in all districts except Existing Industrial (EI) and Working Waterfront (WW) zoning districts with a Minor Special Use Permit under Category 5 – Marine-Related Uses; Appendix D: 2000 Zoning Ordinance, Section 154.003 Definitions, revise the definitions of “boat house” and “gazebo”; Appendix D: 2000 Zoning Ordinance (Appendix A: Use Regulations) the addition of “boat house” as an allowed use in all districts except Rural Waterfront Village (RWV) zoning districts with a Special Use Permit under Category 5 – Marine-Related Uses and Category 6 – Recreational Uses; Appendix D: 2000 Zoning Ordinance (Appendix A: Use Regulations) the addition of “gazebo” as an allowed use in all districts except Rural Waterfront Village (RWV) zoning districts with a Special Use Permit under Category 5 – Marine-Related Uses.

AFD 2025-01 Addition to Picketts Harbor AFD: Cheapside Farm, Inc., has applied to add 51 acres to the Picketts Harbor AFD. The property is described as Tax Map 105-A-102.

AFD 2025-02 Addition to Magotha AFD: John Edmond Brooks (J.E.B.) Johnson has applied to add 40 acres to the Magotha AFD. The property is described as Tax Map 113-A-59.

Withdrawal from Point Pleasant AFD: Denard Spady and Dora Weston Spady Wilkins have petitioned to remove one parcel from the Point Pleasant AFD. The property is described as Tax Map 117-A-9.

Withdrawal from Pony Neck AFD: Kurt Lewin has petitioned to remove five parcels from the Pony Neck AFD. The properties are described as Tax Maps 92-A-45; 92-A-45B; 92B-1-D; 92B-1-C; and 91-A-36A.

Renewal of Church Neck AFD: A ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect. This district currently contains the following parcel(s) of land:

Tax Map numbers 29-A-53; 28-4-B1; 38-9-B2; 28-A-7; 28-A-13D; 28-A-13C; 38-17-C; 38-17-B1; 38-17-B2; 38-17-C1; 38-17-C2; 38-17-C4; 38-9-B1; and 28-A-5.

Renewal of Concord AFD: A ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect. This district currently contains the following parcel(s) of land:

Tax Map numbers 2-A-16; 2-A-7; 8-4-B; 8-4-C; 8-4-A; 8-5-A; 8-A-33; 14-A-16; 14-A-18; 2-A-1; 2-A-1A; 14-A-11; 14-A-15; 8-A-45; 8-A-17; 9-A-66; 2-A-21; 2-A-22; 2-A-20; 9-A-61; 9-A-62; 9-A-63; 9-A-64; 9-A-65; 8-A-27; 8-A-34; 8-A-35; 9-A-48; 9-A-48A; 9-A-69; 8-A-46; 8-4-B1; 8-A-13; 2-3-B; 9-A-30; 9-A-30A; 8-A-21; 8-A-22; 8-A-7; 2-3-A; 8-A-48; 9-A-50; 8-A-49; and 8-A-50.

Renewal of Jacobus Point AFD: A ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect. This district currently contains the following parcel(s) of land:

Tax Map numbers 40-1-A1; 40-1-A2; 40-A-21; 40-A-22; 39-1-2; 40-A-4; 40-A-4A; 40-1-C; 40-A-30; 39-3-D1; 39-3-D2; 40-A-17; 40-A-18; 40-A-36; 40-A-17A; 40-A-15; 40-A-15A; 39-A-9; 40-A-1; 40-1-B; 29-A-37; 29-A-47; 29-A-50; 29-9-A; 39-1-1; 39-3-A; 39-3-B; 39-A-10; 29-A-49; and 39-A-1.

Renewal of Jamesville AFD: A ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect. This district currently contains the following parcel(s) of land:

Tax Map numbers 7-A-1; 7-A-60; 7-A-61; 8-A-1; 13-A-2; 13-A-2A; 1-A-1; 7-A-51; 13-A-69; 7-A-70; 13-A-38; 7-A-49; 7-A-50; 13-A-4; 7-A-3; and 7-A-3A.

Renewal of Old Plantation AFD: A ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect. This district currently contains the following parcel(s) of land:

Tax Map numbers 98-4-B; 98-A-1B; 91-A-77; 97-1-A; 97-A-1; 98-4-A; 91-A-85; 91-A-53; 91-A-81; 91-A-83; 91-A-84; 91-A-86; and 91-A-80.

Renewal of Picketts Harbor AFD: A ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect. This district currently contains the following parcel(s) of land:

Tax Map numbers 105-A-94; 105-A-94A; 105-A-94B; 112-A-1; 112-A-62; 112-A-5; 112-A-17; 112-A-3A; 112-A-60; 112-A-63; 112-A-77; 112-A-94B; 105-A-15; 105-A-84; 105-A-85; 105D-1-5; 105D-1-1; 104-A-12; 105-A-92; and 105-A-100.

Renewal of Point Pleasant AFD: A ten-year review to determine whether this district should remain in full force and effect. This district currently contains the following parcel(s) of land:

Tax Map numbers 118-A-2; 117-A-9A; 117-A-15; 117-A-14; 118-A-5; 117-A-8; and 117-A-9.

The applications are on file and open to public inspection in the Office of Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, VA, and can be viewed electronically at <https://go.boarddocs.com/va/northco/Board.nsf/Public>

Anyone wishing to comment on the above items is invited to attend the meeting 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, and via email to olivia.bennett@co.northampton.va.us for consideration at the May 20, 2025, Planning Commission meeting.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Virginia Marine Resources Commission invites public comment on proposed amendments to regulations, as shown below. By May 8, 2025, the proposed draft regulations may be viewed on the VMRC web calendar at <https://mrc.virginia.gov/calendar.shtm>

In accordance with Section 28.2-209 of the Code of Virginia, a public hearing on the proposed amendments to these regulations will be held on Tuesday, May 27, 2025, at the Virginia Marine Resources Commission, 380 Fenwick Road, Bldg. 96, Fort Monroe, Virginia 23651.

Written public comments on the proposals below or on items not on the agenda must be provided by 11:59 p.m., Thursday, May 22, 2025. Comments should be made at the following link: https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/fisheries/search_publiccomments.php or addressed to Public Comments, 380 Fenwick Road, Bldg. 96, Fort Monroe, Virginia 23651.

I. Chapter 4VAC20-950-10, “Pertaining to Black Sea Bass”

The Commission proposes to amend Chapter 4VAC20-950-10, “Pertaining to Black Sea Bass,” to establish the 2025 recreational management measures for this species.

The purpose of these amendments is to comply with the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission’s Interstate Fishery Management Plan for this species.

VMRC DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE AGAINST INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES; THEREFORE, IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF REASONABLE ACCOMMODATIONS BECAUSE OF A DISABILITY, PLEASE ADVISE MICHELE GUILFORD (757-247-2206) NO LATER THAN FIVE WORKDAYS PRIOR TO THE MEETING DATE AND IDENTIFY YOUR NEEDS.



ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MAY 21, 2025 REGULAR MEETING LOCATION CHANGE

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will hold its regular meeting on **Wednesday, May 21, 2025**, at 5:00 p.m., in the Cafetorium of **Metompkin Elementary School, 24501 Parksley Road, Parksley, VA 23421.**

Any citizen wishing to view documents, submit a comment, having questions, or needing special assistance for the disabled, may contact the County Administrator’s Office:

Mike Mason: (757) 787-5700 / 824-5444 or administration@co.accomack.va.us

County’s electronic Board Agenda at: <https://go.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public>

Live Meeting Audio: <https://tinyurl.com/3d3ctfnp>

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COMMISSIONER’S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Thursday, May 15, 2025, at the Accomack County Circuit Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

- PARCEL 1:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. KENNETH E. BAKER, JR./
COVE HOLDINGS LLC
MAP NO. 005A60100026100
LOT 261, SECTION 7, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 2:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CEDAR STUMP FARM PARTNERSHIP
MAP NO. 12100A000006200
35118 AND 35126 BRADFORDS NECK ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 125.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 3:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. JOAN U. CHANDLER
MAP NO. 005A50300005200
LOT 52, SECTION 8, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 4:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. JOAN U. CHANDLER/STEVEN I. CIANCIO
MAP NO. 005A4010022500
LOT 2250, SECTION 4, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 5:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. JOAN U. CHANDLER/
ROBINSON DISHAROON, SR.
MAP NO. 005A50100010700
LOT 107, SECTION 11, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 6:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. DOROTHEA E. CLARK/THE COVE LLC
MAP NO. 005A60200014800
LOT 148, SECTION 10, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 7:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. DELORES M. DELOATCH
MAP NO. 10100A000003500
17200 HOLLIES CHURCH ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 0.47 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 8:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. GREGORY GONZALES
MAP NO. 005A40300254500
LOT 2545, SECTION 5, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 9:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. GREGORY GONZALES
MAP NO. 005A60100022800
LOT 228, SECTION 7, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 10:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MILDRED LEE GREENWOOD
MAP NO. 005A60200007800
LOT 78, SECTION 10, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 11:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MILDRED LEE GREENWOOD/
ALES GREGOR
MAP NO. 005A10100106000
LOT 1060, SECTION 1, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 12:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MILDRED LEE GREENWOOD/
NANCY GULMANTOVICZ
MAP NO. 005A40300237000
LOT 2370, SECTION 5, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 13:

TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE vs. CARROLL J. GRENFELL, II
MAP NO. 030A5A000035500
6318 CHURCH STREET
APPROXIMATELY 0.24 ACRE, MORE OR LESS

- PARCEL 14:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. LEE ANTHONY HAYNES, SR.
MAP NO. 005A60200009400
LOT 94, SECTION 10, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 15:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. LEE ANTHONY HAYNES, SR./
TELLERVO HENTMAN
MAP NO. 005A40100232200
LOT 2322, SECTION 4, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 16:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. LEE ANTHONY HAYNES, SR./
ANDREW HOLLERN
MAP NO. 005A40300248000
LOT 2480, SECTION 5, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 17:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. GENE HEPDING
MAP NO. 085B00100002100
21356 CIRCLE DRIVE
APPROXIMATELY 0.50 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
MOBILE HOME DOES NOT CONVEY
- PARCEL 18:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. KAREN LEE HORSMAN
MAP NO. 042A1A000004100
9581 ATLANTIC ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 0.61 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 19:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. NOEL A. JACKS
MAP NO. 102B00700005700
29097 BULL STREET
APPROXIMATELY 0.33 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 20:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. JEFFREY LOCKLEAR
MAP NO. 085A2A000034500
OFF KERR STREET; TOWN OF ONANCOCK
- PARCEL 21:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. TINA L. RHOADES
MAP NO. 029A20100030500
5044 SILVERSIDE DRIVE; LOT 305, UNIT 2, SHEET 2, TRAILS END
MOBILE HOME DOES NOT CONVEY
- PARCEL 22:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MARTIN SIMONS
MAP NO. 005A40300238800
LOT 2388, SECTION 5, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 23:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MARTIN SIMONS/ DONALD SLENTZ
MAP NO. 005A10100089000
LOT 890, SECTION 1, CAPTAIN’S COVE
- PARCEL 24:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MARTIN SIMONS/SEA WHORE LLC
MAP NO. 005A60100006100
LOT 61, SECTION 7, CAPTAIN’S COVE

The terms of sale shall be cash or a deposit of 25% of the bid price with the balance due in ten days.

Additional terms will be announced at the sale.

Each sale shall be subject to confirmation by the Court.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT, MILWAUKEE COUNTY

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF

Petitioner

Oliver Wendell Boggs Jr.
and

Respondent

Megan Patricia Boggs

**THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON
NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT:**

You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed a **Petition** for divorce or legal separation against you.

You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the **Petition** within 40 days from the day after the first date of publication.

The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at:

Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse, 901 North 9th Street, Room 104, Milwaukee, WI 53233 and to Oliver W. Boggs Jr., 8580 S Shepard Ave., Oak Creek, WI 53154.

It is recommended but not required that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the **Petition** within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the **Petition**, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the **Petition**.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of §948.31, Wis.

Stats., (interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment.

If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under §49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under §767.511(1m), Wis. Stats., are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.

You are notified of the availability of information from the Circuit Court Commissioner as set forth in §767.105, Wis. Stats.

§767.105 Information from Circuit Court Commissioner

(2) Upon the request of a party to an action affecting the family, including a revision of judgment or order under sec. 767.59 or 767.451:

(a) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall, with or without charge, provide the party with written information on the following, as appropriate to the action commenced:

1. The procedure for obtaining a judgment or order in the action.
2. The major issues usually addressed in such an action.
3. Community resources and family court counseling services available to assist the parties.
4. The procedure for setting, modifying, and enforcing child support awards, or modifying and enforcing legal custody or physical placement judgments or orders.

(b) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall provide a party, for inspection or purchase, with a copy of the statutory provisions in this chapter generally pertinent to the action.

Oliver W. Boggs Jr.
8580 S Shepard Ave., Oak Creek, WI 53154
Jan. 25, 2025

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 25-94

vs.

LIZZIE MAE COLLINS
GLADYS LOADHOLT
WILLIE BADGER JOHNSON
DIANA M. COLLINS
TOWN OF NASSAWADOX, VIRGINIA

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

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

All that certain parcel of land in Northampton County, Virginia, known as 9477 Shady Lane and designated as tax map number 021A1-05-BLK-00 0000014

standing in the names of Lizzie Mae Collins and Gladys Loadholt, pursuant to Section 58.1-3965 et. Seq. of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to determine whether Lizzie Mae Collins, Gladys Loadholt, and Willie Badger Johnson are living, or if deceased, to ascertain the names and location of all of their heirs, devisees, and successors in title; that there are or may be other persons having an interest in the real estate forming the subject matter of this suit whose names and last post office addresses are unknown, namely, the unknown heirs, devisees, and successors in title of Lizzie Mae Collins, Gladys Loadholt, and Willie Badger Johnson; that Diana M. Collins is a nonresident of Virginia whose last known post office address is 28001 Mount Joy Road, Millsboro, DE 19966.

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before May 30, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Enter this 28th day of April, 2025.

Traci Johnson, Clerk

I ask for this:

James W. Elliott
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 1410
Yorktown, VA 23692
757-898-7000

**CHESAPEAKE BAY BRIDGE AND TUNNEL DISTRICT
RMF NO. 3076.3731, BID NO. M-25-004
VENT BUILDING RENOVATIONS**

INVITATION TO BID

The project includes ventilation building fan room repairs and elevator replacements.

Plans and Specifications for this project are available on the District's website at <https://www.cbbt.com/requests-for-proposals/>

Sealed bids for this project will be received until 2:00 p.m. on June 26, 2025, in the office of the Director of Maintenance, Chesapeake Bay Bridge and Tunnel District, 32386 Lankford Highway, Cape Charles, VA 23310, Attention: Mr. Timothy R. Holloway, at which time the bids will be publicly opened.

NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

William A Heath III (2025009) has applied for approximately 10.37 acres of oyster planting ground in Magothy Bay situated in Northampton County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-10.0758 / W75-56.3142.

To view a map of the application, or to provide public comments, use this web link to search the application by number (2025009): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search_applications.php or contact the VMRC Shellfish Management Division at 757-247-2262.

Send written comments or concerns to: Marine Resources Commission, Shellfish Management Division, 380 Fenwick Road, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064.



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ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Public Hearings Schedule May 21, 2025

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will hold its regular meeting on **Wednesday, May 21, 2025**, at 5:00 p.m., in the Cafetorium of Metompinkin Elementary School, 24501 Parksley Road, Parksley, VA 23421.

Public hearings will be held at 6:00 p.m. to afford interested persons the opportunity to be heard or present written comments on the following matter(s):

1. Public Hearing to Solicit Input on a Proposed Change in the Rue District #502 Polling Place Location from Metompinkin Elementary School to Mary N. Smith Cultural Enrichment Center

Pursuant to §24.2-129 of the Code of Virginia, any change that reduces, consolidates, or relocates polling places in the locality, except where permitted in the event of an emergency, is a covered practice that requires a public comment period and public hearing.

2. Public Hearing to Solicit Input on a Proposed Ordinance to Establish County Ambulance Service Rates Effective July 1, 2025

Pursuant to Virginia Code §32.1-111.14, a service charge for basic life support transport (BLS), for advanced life support transport (ALS), and for ground transport mileage is hereby imposed on each person being transported by an emergency ambulance owned and maintained by the County.

Any citizen wishing to view documents, submit a comment, having questions, or needing special assistance for the disabled, may contact the County Administrator's Office:

Mike Mason: (757) 787-5700 / 824-5444 or
administration@co.accomack.va.us

County's electronic Board Agenda at:
<https://go.boarddocs.com/va/coa/Board.nsf/Public>

Live Meeting Audio:
<https://tinyurl.com/3d3ctfnp>

NOTICE OF OYSTER PLANTING GROUND APPLICATION

John Chenault II and Annette Chenault (2025021) have applied for approximately 4.07 acres of oyster planting ground in Cockle Creek situated in Accomack County. The application is located at Lat/Long: N37-54.8022 / W75-26.811.

To view a map of the application, or to provide public comments, use this web link to search the application by number (2025021): https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/oystergrounds/search_applications.php or contact the VMRC Shellfish Management Division at 757-247-2262.

Send written comments or concerns to: Marine Resources Commission, Shellfish Management Division, 380 Fenwick Road, Fort Monroe, VA 23651-1064.

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NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the first of two required newspaper legal notices. Objections should be registered at www.abc.virginia.gov or 800-552-3200.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA Va. Code Ann. §§ 8.01-316.-317

Case No. 23CL238
Accomack County Circuit Court, P.O. Box 126,
23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301

Professional Foreclosure Corporation of Virginia
v.

Sean Matthew Shaw, Jerry Shaw, Tanya Michelle Shaw,
Jennifer Malone, Albert Joseph Shaw

The object of this suit is to:

Interplead surplus funds resulting from a foreclosure sale of the property located at 31081 Temperanceville Road, Temperanceville, VA 23442, pending judicial determination of the lawful distribution of said funds.

It is **ORDERED** that **The Estate of and the Unknown Heirs of Dianne Shaw AND Shawn Matthew Shaw, Jerry Shaw, Tanya Michelle Shaw, Jennifer Malone, and Albert Joseph Shaw**

appear at the above-named court and protect their interests on or before June 19, 2025.

April 21, 2025
Caretta S. Harris, Deputy Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE – ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality that will allow the release of treated wastewater and industrial stormwater into a waterbody in Wallops Island, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: May 2, 2025 – June 2, 2025

PERMIT NAME: Virginia Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit, issued by the DEQ pursuant to applicable water laws and regulations

APPLICANT NAME, ADDRESS AND PERMIT NUMBER: NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, 34200 Fulton St., Building F-160, Wallops Island, VA 23337. Permit #VA0024457

FACILITY NAME AND LOCATION: NASA Goddard Space Flight Center Wallops Flight Facility, 34200 Fulton St., Building D-050, Wallops Island, VA 23337

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The NASA Goddard Space Flight Center has applied for a reissuance of a permit for the NASA Goddard Space Flight Center Wallops Flight Facility. The applicant proposes to release treated wastewater and industrial stormwater into Little Mosquito Creek and Simoneaston Bay in Wallops Island. The permit will limit bacteria, nutrients, physical and chemical properties, organic matter, solids and metals to amounts that protect water quality.

HOW TO COMMENT AND/OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: The DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing on the draft permit by hand-delivery, e-mail or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. DEQ must receive hand-delivery and postal mail by close of business and email comments by 11:59 p.m. on the last day of the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses or email addresses of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing must also include: 1) The reason why a public hearing is requested. 2) A brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requester, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit. 3) Specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. A public hearing may be held, including another comment period, if public response is significant, based on individual requests for a public hearing, and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the permit.

CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Loan Pham at DEQ Tidewater Regional Office, 5636 Southern Blvd., Virginia Beach, VA, 23462. Phone: (757) 799-8000 E-mail: loan.pham@deq.virginia.gov. The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ Tidewater Regional Office by appointment or may request copies of the documents from the contact person listed above.

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INVITATION FOR BIDS #767 RUNWAY 21 TURNAROUND PHASE 2 ACCOMACK COUNTY AIRPORT

Sealed bids, subject to the conditions herein, will be received until 11 a.m. on Thursday, June 5, 2025, at the Accomack County Airport, 29194 Parkway North, Melfa, VA 23410. Bids received by the due date and time shall be opened and publicly read aloud to furnish all labor and materials and performing all work associated with: **Runway 21 Turnaround Phase 2.**

A non-mandatory Prebid Conference will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, May 22, 2025, at the Accomack County Airport, 29194 Parkway North, Melfa, VA 23410. **It is strongly recommended all prospective bidders have a qualified representative at this Prebid Conference.**

Bid Forms, Plans, Specifications, and Contract Documents are on file at the Airport and may be obtained from Talbert & Bright, 10105 Krause Road, Suite 100, Chesterfield, Virginia 23832, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, upon the non-refundable payment of \$75.00. Plans will be available on Friday, May 9, 2025. Contact Talbert & Bright at (804) 768-6878.

Bid Documents may also be obtained in electronic .pdf format, free of charge, through direct electronic transfer. Requests for bid documents in electronic format may be made by submitting an e-mail request to Carolyn Phillips (cphillips@tbiric.com). Bidders requesting electronic format bid documents must provide a contact name, name of firm they represent with mailing address, and an e-mail address for receipt of electronic files. Companies requesting electronic transfer will receive an e-mail link for direct downloading from Talbert & Bright's Secure Folder System.

Each bid must be accompanied by a Bid Bond, a deposit of cash, or by a certified check payable to the Treasurer of Accomack County and drawn on a bank or trust company authorized to do business in the State of Virginia, for an amount equal to 5% of the total base bid, as a guarantee that if the bid is accepted, the required Contract will be executed and the required Performance Bond and Payment Bond furnished within ten (10) days after receipt of written notice of formal award of Contract.

Envelopes containing bids must be sealed and delivered or mailed to the above indicated location. Sealed envelopes are to be clearly marked as follows: **SEALED BID FOR: IFB #767 - Runway 21 Turnaround Phase 2.**

It is the intent of the County of Accomack to award the entire project, however, the award of this contract is contingent upon the availability of local and state funds.

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By Ryan Berenz

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2. What team accomplished a Major League Baseball first by hitting home runs on the first three pitches thrown against them in a 20-9 rout of the Milwaukee Brewers in March 2025?

3. Offensive lineman Dwayne White earned what nickname for being the New York Jets' lead blocker on short-yardage run plays in the early 1990s?

4. What short-lived 1951 TV series originating from Philadelphia consisted of children ages 3-12 fighting in three-round boxing matches?

5. First opened in 1977, Ice World was a venue for skating, hockey, boxing and professional wrestling located in what U.S. state?

Answers

1. The Sportsman Division
2. The New York Yankees
3. The Road Grader
4. "Kid Gloves"
5. New Jersey
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■ Kerry Lamonte Hickman, 51, and Khristina Lapam Reid, 45, both of Parksley
■ Jacob Austin Joynes, 24, and Anastasia Storm Molina, 23, both of Onley
■ Scott Carl Schroy, 62, of Quakertown, Pa., and Darlene Koren Pooler, 58, of Horntown
■ Tomas Martinez Ramirez, 69, and Antonia Moreno Hernandez, 61, both of Tasley
■ Dalton Tyler Walcott, 29, and Sheyla Faye Simmers, 27, both of Painter
■ Amilcar Gomez Velazquez, 28, and Alejandra Merino Velazquez, 23, both of Nelsonia
■ Osnel Stave, 57, and Therese Renande Exama, 64, both of Accomac
■ Isaiah Roman Padgett, 27, and Elizabeth Nicole Hemphill, 30, both of Onley

Accomack Property Transfers

■ From Meghann Patterson
To Darren and Greta Bergan
198 Market St., Onancock
For \$165,000
■ From Phillip and Marilyn Risko
To Glenn and Donna Clawson, trustees
Lot 31, Section I, Wishart's Point, Atlantic
For \$50,000
■ From Richard Conklin Sr.
To Christopher and Lori White
Lot 1B3, Megan Lane, Chincoteague
For \$120,000
■ From Robert Miller
To MX Holdings LLC
27122 Underhill Point Road
For \$700,000
■ From Cheryl Power
To Michael Orishak
35023 Black Oak Court, Horntown
For \$192,000
■ From Waterside Land Trust LLC
To C&A Building and Remodeling LLC
Lot 27, 1.382 acres, Waterside Village III, Phase 1, Painter
For \$174,300

■ From First Financial Bank
To Turn Rows LLC
15.773 acres near Saxis
For \$145,000
■ From Julia Wang
To James and Laurie Harmon
Lot 4, Pine Street, Onley
For \$18,000
■ From Amber Smith-Waters and Eleanor Jones
To Jean Syllonia
20043 Finney Drive, Parksley
For \$230,000
■ From Trudy Kellam and Jesse Mariner
To Jesse Mariner
18222 Second St., Keller
For \$10,000
■ From Frank and Katherine Hall
To Judith Phelps, trustee
14 Meadville Drive, Onancock
For \$1,250,000
■ From The Marine Science Consortium Incorporated
To Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority
7414 Atlantic Road, Wallops Island
For \$60,000
■ From Sarah and Everette Cherrix II
To CAL Investments LLC
Lot 67A, Deep Hole Road, Chincoteague
For \$165,000
■ From Joseph and Clarence Lewis Jr.
To Brandon Smith
Old Smith land, Evans Wharf Road, Onancock
For \$44,500
■ From Brandyn Burkholder
To Michelle and Frank Gerace
3660 Captains Corridor, Greenbackville
For \$225,000
■ From Richard Burford
To Tianna Tatum-Fisher
15317 Parks St., Bloxom
For \$125,000
■ From Dawn and John Hanson Jr.
To Wayne and Casey Milk
Lot 29, Nandua Shores, Painter
For \$43,000
■ From Vernon Bonney, trustee
To Matthew and Sian Cobb
Lot 24 and 25, Machipongo Shores, Quinby
For \$3,500
■ From L & K Rantz LLC and Rantz Properties LLC
To Chestnut Stump Tree Farm LLC
Lots near Chesconnessex, Poplar Cove Road, Onancock
For \$25,000

■ From Wayne Brittingham Sr. and Wayne Brittingham Jr.
To Steven and Cynthia Barshinger
Woodfield lot 35, Gargatha Landing and Whisperwood Drive, Parksley
For \$32,500
■ From Elizabeth and Sebastian Mierzwa
To Abigail McDonald
5203 Wild Pony Court, Chincoteague
For \$450,000
■ From James W. Elliott, special commissioner, and Lizzie Justice
To Erick Gonzalez
33211 Nocks Landing Road, Atlantic
For \$14,500
■ From Chandra Dragan and Lori Egan
To Kenneth Martin
Lot 68, Melfa
For \$4,000
■ From Janice and William Foster III
To Katelin and Victor Alcantara
6318 Chester Park Drive, Chincoteague
For \$407,500
■ From Matthew Reed
To Michael and Jennifer Whittington
6707 Olde Mill Lane, New Church
For \$659,000
■ From Ofelia Ontiveros
To Jose De J. Hernandez Rodriguez
16300 Savagetown Road, Painter
For \$65,000
■ From George Applegate
To Rose Dize
15460 Bayside Drive, Bloxom
For \$169,900
■ From Annette Stover
To Kurt Meyer Jr. and Angela Daughtry
8499 Keiths Lane, Saxis
For \$57,000
■ From Sara Daisey
To Jennifer Horner
16445 Metompinkin Road, Bloxom
For \$170,000
■ From Nicole Anderson and Quinton Bell
To Great House Rentals LLC
20052 Holden Lane, Quinby
For \$25,020
■ From Hilary Llewellyn-Southern
To Patriot House 1776 LLC
3238 Main St., Chincoteague
For \$168,000
■ From Waterside Land Trust LLC
To Big Bear Paw Development LLC
Lot 14, 1.32 acres, Waterside Village III, Phase 11, Painter
For \$32,900

■ From Hungry and Humble LLC
To Kamesha Watson and Alice Laws
11582 Charity Lane, Temperanceville
For \$257,500
■ From James and Joan Soviero
To Leonard and Gracemarie Pabustan
Captain's Cove lot 149, Section 2, Greenbackville
For \$3,000
■ From Charlene Cathcart
To Nicole and Nelson Chuang
Captain's Cove lot 1176, Section 1, Greenbackville
For \$140,000
■ From Jody Higgins
To Scott and April Unger
4387 Ridge Road, Chincoteague
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■ From Appaloosa Investment LLC
To Richard and Rachel Ayuso
37406 Bayside Drive, Greenbackville
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■ From Dakota and Maiya Townsend
To Pedro Cux Chan and Florinda Natividad Garcia Perez
27275 Nelsonia Road, Nelsonia
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■ From Linda Armstrong
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21273 Metompinkin View Lane, Parksley
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■ From David and Sheelagh Schurkamp
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3011 Captain's Corridor, Greenbackville
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■ From Angelo DiMartino
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33110 Bradfords Neck Road, Melfa
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5337 Pearl Drive, Chincoteague
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TIDE TABLE

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Bayside

		Friday May 9		Saturday May 10		Sunday May 11		Monday May 12		Tuesday May 13		Wednesday May 14		Thursday May 15
Assateague Beach	H L	6:41 a.m. 1:01 p.m.	H L	7:20 a.m. 1:36 p.m.	H L	7:59 a.m. 2:11 p.m.	H L	8:38 a.m. 2:47 p.m.	H L	9:17 a.m. 3:24 p.m.	H L	9:57 a.m. 4:02 p.m.	H L	10:37 a.m. 4:41 p.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	6:58 p.m. 12:49p.m.	H L	7:20 a.m. 1:29 p.m.	H L	8:01 a.m. 2:06 p.m.	H L	8:40 a.m. 2:43 p.m.	H L	9:17 a.m. 3:18 p.m.	H L	9:55 a.m. 3:52 p.m.	H L	10:32 a.m. 4:27 p.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	7:37 a.m. 1:40 p.m.	H L	8:16 a.m. 2:15 p.m.	H L	8:55 a.m. 2:50 p.m.	H L	9:34 a.m. 3:26 p.m.	H L	10:13 a.m. 4:03 p.m.	H L	10:53 a.m. 4:41 p.m.	H L	11:33 a.m. 5:20 p.m.
Folly Creek	H L	7:30 a.m. 1:25 p.m.	H L	8:09 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	H L	8:48 a.m. 2:35 p.m.	H L	9:27 a.m. 3:11 p.m.	H L	10:06 a.m. 3:48 p.m.	H L	10:46 a.m. 4:26 p.m.	H L	11:26 a.m. 5:05 p.m.
Wachapreague	H L	6:52 a.m. 12:53p.m.	H L	7:33 a.m. 1:34 p.m.	H L	8:15 a.m. 2:14 p.m.	H L	8:58 a.m. 2:53 p.m.	H L	9:40 a.m. 3:31 p.m.	H L	10:21 a.m. 4:06 p.m.	H L	11:00 a.m. 4:41 p.m.
Quinby Inlet	H L	6:41 a.m. 12:40p.m.	H L	7:20 a.m. 1:15 p.m.	H L	7:59 a.m. 1:50 p.m.	H L	8:38 a.m. 2:26 p.m.	H L	9:17 a.m. 3:03 p.m.	H L	9:57 a.m. 3:41 p.m.	H L	10:37 a.m. 4:20 p.m.
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Tangier Sound Light	H L	10:48 a.m. 5:01 p.m.	H L	11:26 a.m. 5:37 p.m.	H L	12:01 p.m. 6:11 p.m.	H L	12:34 p.m. 6:43 p.m.	H L	1:08 p.m. 7:38 a.m.	H L	1:43 p.m. 8:17 a.m.	H L	2:23 p.m. 8:58 a.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	11:17 a.m. 5:44 p.m.	H L	11:55 a.m. 6:20 p.m.	H L	12:31 p.m. 6:56 p.m.	H L	1:08 p.m. 7:49 a.m.	H L	1:44 p.m. 8:23 a.m.	H L	2:20 p.m. 8:56 a.m.	H L	2:58 p.m. 9:31 a.m.
Guard Shore	H L	11:09 a.m. 5:40 p.m.	H L	11:47 a.m. 6:16 p.m.	H L	12:23 p.m. 7:09 a.m.	H L	1:00 p.m. 7:45 a.m.	H L	1:36 p.m. 8:19 a.m.	H L	2:12 p.m. 8:52 a.m.	H L	2:50 p.m. 9:27 a.m.
Chescon. Creek	H L	10:44 a.m. 4:52 p.m.	H L	11:22 a.m. 5:28 p.m.	H L	11:58 a.m. 6:04 p.m.	H L	12:35 p.m. 6:39 p.m.	H L	1:11 p.m. 7:31 a.m.	H L	1:47 p.m. 8:04 a.m.	H L	2:25 p.m. 8:39 a.m.
Onancock Creek	H L	10:58 a.m. 5:12 p.m.	H L	11:36 a.m. 5:48 p.m.	H L	12:12 p.m. 6:24 p.m.	H L	12:49 p.m. 6:59 p.m.	H L	1:25 p.m. 7:51 a.m.	H L	2:01 p.m. 8:24 a.m.	H L	2:39 p.m. 8:59 a.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	10:14 a.m. 4:26 p.m.	H L	10:52 a.m. 5:02 p.m.	H L	11:28 a.m. 5:38 p.m.	H L	12:05 p.m. 6:13 p.m.	H L	12:41 p.m. 6:47 p.m.	H L	1:17 p.m. 7:38 a.m.	H L	1:55 p.m. 8:13 a.m.
Nassawadox	H L	8:54 a.m. 2:46 p.m.	H L	9:34 a.m. 3:23 p.m.	H L	10:12 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	H L	10:49 a.m. 4:36 p.m.	H L	11:26 a.m. 5:11 p.m.	H L	12:02 p.m. 5:47 p.m.	H L	12:40 p.m. 6:25 p.m.
Occhohan. Creek	H L	9:24 a.m. 3:47 p.m.	H L	10:01 a.m. 4:24 p.m.	H L	10:35 a.m. 4:58 p.m.	H L	11:10 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	H L	11:46 a.m. 6:03 p.m.	H L	12:26 p.m. 6:38 p.m.	H L	1:07 p.m. 7:41 a.m.
Cape Charles	H L	7:48 a.m. 1:56 p.m.	H L	8:26 a.m. 2:32 p.m.	H L	9:02 a.m. 3:08 p.m.	H L	9:39 a.m. 3:43 p.m.	H L	10:15 a.m. 4:17 p.m.	H L	10:51 a.m. 4:53 p.m.	H L	11:29 a.m. 5:31 p.m.
Kiptopeke Beach	H L	7:26 a.m. 1:23 p.m.	H L	8:03 a.m. 1:59 p.m.	H L	8:40 a.m. 2:34 p.m.	H L	9:16 a.m. 3:07 p.m.	H L	9:52 a.m. 3:40 p.m.	H L	10:28 a.m. 4:15 p.m.	H L	11:06 a.m. 4:51 p.m.

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally
Unlisted clue hint: LIFE IS A BED OF —

- Affection
Candy
Card
Celebration
- Children
Endearing
Family
Flowers
- Lineage
Love
Motherhood
Thoughtful
- Tradition
Warmth
Wisdom

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Last week's answers

ABASE ADAM DOOM ALDER
DYLAN YOGA ABBA RAISA
DEAD TREE EDITION EGYPT
THEAS SEE EYETO EYE
PICARDY HIS POORS
EMPLOYEE EVALUATION
SELENE CRI EGIS ASEA
CAUSE THREE EG GOMELTS
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Weekly SUDOKU

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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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Super Crossword

SEASONAL CINEMA

ACROSS

- 1 Spicy cured brisket
9 Competitive cowboy contests, informally
17 Roads: Abbr.
20 Trash-filled lots, e.g.
21 Distinctive feature of "DeVito"
22 "The Simpsons" barkeeper
23 2021 animated film featuring search-and-rescue dogs
25 Veneration
26 Light-splitting thing
27 Roman 901
28 That lady
29 Ticked off
31 Jillian of TV
32 High-end retail chain, informally
36 Shaq's sport
37 2022 Marvel film with Chris Hemsworth
43 Last part of some plays
46 It's close to Cedar Rapids
47 Ear: Prefix
48 2017 superhero film with Gal Gadot
52 Top of a "j"
53 Italian wine, for short
54 First-aid plants
55 — out a living
56 2013 superhero film with Henry Cavill
59 Goes bad
60 Navratilova of tennis
63 Texter's hugs
64 Previous to
65 2015 sci-fi film with a dinosaur theme
69 "NCIS" ailer
72 Brooch
73 Rescued person's cry
74 Like limes
75 2014 fantasy film with Angelina Jolie
81 Brit. mil. fliers
82 Old Aegean region
83 Ever and —
84 Pub potable
85 2019 animated musical film set in Pride Rock
88 NBC show since '75
89 Lie out to tan
92 Just so
93 2018 space Western film with Alden Ehrenreich
98 Chicken — masala
99 Dessert with a cookie crust
100 Pic that may be on a pec
103 Slip up a bit
104 "That hurts!"
107 [not my typo]
108 Bluish purple
110 Skater Midori
111 What each of eight long answers in this puzzle was
117 Agent, briefly
118 Heighten
119 Ballot casters
120 Radio spots
121 Not crying
122 Fish that swims upright

DOWN

- 1 Pig in a kids' TV series
2 Spin — (do some tale-telling)
3 Attach, as a coat lining
4 Dosage qlys.
5 Gad about
6 Craft
7 "Laura" lyricist Johnny
8 Brand of infant formula
9 Tax rate fig.
10 Rally cheer
11 Unlock, to a bard
12 Cup edges
13 "Conversely," to a texter
14 Foo Fighters guitarist
15 Manner of the gridiron
16 Purchase in excess
17 Little bit of medicine
18 Wet wipe
19 Fruit core bit
24 Car for a VIP
30 Filmdom's McKellen
32 "The Maltese Falcon" genre
33 Athletic shoe brand
34 An inert gas
35 Wood cutter
36 Food preservative abbr.
37 Ocean motions
38 Goes fast, old-style
39 Zip, in Spain
40 Brand of rodenticide

- 41 Latin jazz great Puentes
42 Muddy up
43 Clued in
44 Palette option
45 Govt.-issued bond
49 Erode (away)
50 Cajun veggie
51 1986 Series winners
53 — Z (the gamut)
56 Non-PC computers
57 Origami feature
58 Apply turf to
60 Local bond, for short
61 "That so?"
62 Takeaway logic game
65 Brand of peanut butter
66 Ending for silver or stem
67 Ellipsoidal
68 Mortgage deal, for short
69 "Zip your lip!"
70 Pickling need
71 Theater part
72 Writer's tool
74 Fine sweet wine
75 Swarm
76 Marked with comments
77 Suckers
78 Is unable to
79 Idris of "The Dark Tower"
80 Close at hand
82 "Are you — out?"
85 "There's gold in them — hills!"
86 At this spot
87 Siouan people
89 Group of vessels for serving rice wine
90 D.C.'s home
91 Binary base
94 Approves of
95 Middling
96 Livens (up)
97 Stir to laughter
100 Private teacher
101 States boldly
102 Curt
103 Pre-euro coin
104 Community rec center
105 Sharif of film
106 In fine health
108 A lot
109 In re
112 Purpose
113 "Norma —"
114 "Butter" K-pop group
115 The, in Arles
116 Arthur of "Maude"

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