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Roadsides weren't cut late — it just seemed like it

BY JIMMY SHOCKLEY
Eastern Shore Post

Those who frequently travel on U.S. Route 13 are grateful that the medians and roadside finally have been mowed.

However, the mowing was not performed late, said Brittany McBride Nichols, Virginia Department of Transportation communications manager for the Hampton Roads District.

"We understand that grass cutting can be a concern for residents, especially during peak growing seasons," she said.

"However, this year we began the first mowing cycle within the recommended timeframe outlined in the Virginia Department of Transportation's Maintenance Best Practices Manual," she said.

Prior to being cut, the tall grass was more than just an eyesore. It also had major implications for farmers.

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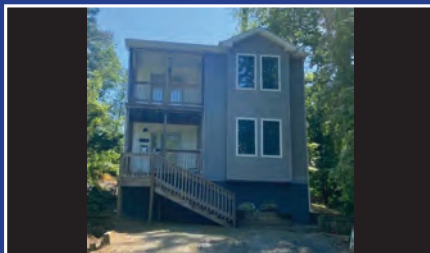
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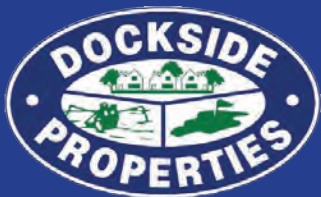
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Accomack student's welded lighthouse earns honor at national competition



COURTESY PHOTO
Jacob Drewer, right, holds his welded lighthouse. Drewer's instructor, Dale Spilker, is pictured with him.

A state champion welder from Accomack County Public Schools fared well in the national 2025 SkillsUSA Championships, held in Atlanta, from June 25 to 26.

Jacob Drewer, of Bloxom, a student at T.H. Badger Technical Center-North at Arcadia High School was awarded a Skill Point Certificate in Welding Sculpture.

Skill Point Certificates are given by judges to outstanding national competitors in the SkillsUSA Championships. Students who reach or exceed a threshold score in an official national competition are awarded this certificate.

The sculpture is of the Assateague Lighthouse. Drewer's finished lighthouse measures in at 17 7/8 inches tall and was constructed using TIG weld-

ing. TIG stands for "tungsten inert gas."

More than 6,500 students competed at the national showcase of career and technical education. The SkillsUSA Championships is the largest skill competition in the world and covers 1.79 million square feet, equivalent to 31 football fields or 41 acres.

First place state winners were invited to the event to demonstrate their technical skills, workplace skills, and personal skills in 114 hands-on occupational and leadership competitions including robotics, automotive technology, drafting, criminal justice, aviation maintenance, and public speaking. Industry leaders from 850 businesses, corporations, trade associations, and unions planned the competitions and

evaluated the contestants against their standards for entry-level workers.

More than 1,200 industry judges and technical committee members participated this year.

All SkillsUSA Championships competitors were honored on Friday night, June 27, at the closing SkillsUSA Awards Session at State Farm Arena. As an indicator of proficiency, Skill Point Certificates were awarded to the national contestants who met a predetermined threshold contest score for their SkillsUSA event, demonstrating workplace readiness. Students can add this certificate to an employment portfolio.

"More than 6,500 students from every state in the nation participated in the 2025 SkillsUSA Championships," said SkillsUSA Executive Director Chelle Travis. "This showcase of career and technical education demonstrates SkillsUSA at its finest. Our students, instructors, and industry partners work together to ensure that every student excels. This program expands learning and career opportunities for our members."



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Supervisors OK grant application to widen Route 175

BY JANET BERNOSKY
Eastern Shore Post

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors again gave its consent to move forward with an upcoming grant application to widen Route 175 — the Chincoteague Road corridor — when it met for its regular monthly meeting on June 18.

Stewart Hall, county public works director, and Lee Pambid, deputy county administrator for planning and community development, presented plans to submit a spring 2026 grant application to the Virginia Department of Transportation to make improvements to a three-mile stretch of Chincoteague Road from T’s Corner to Atlantic Road.

The supervisors’ consent — not a resolution at this point — allows the county to begin discussions with engi-

neers and VDOT staff. Accomack County has applied previously for state funding for this project on three occasions (2020, 2022, and 2024), without success.

Prohibitive costs for the then-estimated \$103 million project were cited as one reason the 2024 grant application was not approved.

Projects are scored based on several factors, including congestion mitigation, the environment, and economic development. They are then given a score based on anticipated benefits.

To be competitive in the next round, the project’s scope must be lessened by as much as 75%, it was determined. This could include lessening impacts to adjacent properties and reducing roadway widths, while also emphasizing the need to accommodate oversized loads to Wallops.

The previous projects called for a three-lane thoroughfare with 8-foot shoulders.

Childcare roundtable

Mike Mason, Accomack County administrator, updated the supervisors about the well-attended child care roundtable held on June 5 at the Chincoteague Bay Field Station involving care providers, nonprofits, and employers in northern Accomack County.

Representatives from Accomack County Public Schools, Eastern Shore Community College, YMCAs, and local legislators also attended.

While adequate after-school care was discussed as a priority, infant care that does not involve a traditional 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. work schedule stood out as a huge need.

Identifying funding sources for po-

tential programs was viewed as a priority, now that federal Recovery Act funds are no longer an option.

Grants through the U.S. Economic Development Administration were discussed as a possibility, along with using county investment earnings.

Valedictorians honored

The supervisors acknowledged the 2025 senior class valedictorians of Accomack County Public Schools with a resolution honoring their accomplishments:

- Chincoteague High School, Makhya Cropper
- Tangier Combined School, Lukas Neil Thomas
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Boggs, of Painter, to attend conference

A student from Painter was chosen by Breakthrough T1D, a leading global type 1 diabetes research and advocacy organization, to join a delegation of her peers and celebrity advocates in Washington, D.C., at Breakthrough T1D 2025 Children's Congress from July 7 to 9.

Raelynn Boggs will join 170 other youth from across the country to meet with their members of Congress and other key decision makers to inform them of the critical role they can play in supporting the T1D community.

Boggs, who was diagnosed with T1D at age 7, was selected for her leadership and commitment to advocating on behalf of the estimated 1.5 million people living with T1D in the U.S.

When Boggs was diagnosed, her family decided to share their journey on social media.

Since then, Raelynn has met best friends her age in the same situation.

She loves making site-change vid-



Raelynn
Boggs

eos to help the kids who are making site changes themselves.

"I am thankful for the friends that I have met, and I like that my videos help kids that are newly diagnosed because I remember how scary that was," she said.

Throughout the event, these youth, ages 4 to 17, will participate in leadership and character-building programming, interact with T1D role models, and engage in a number of activities on Capitol Hill, including attending a Senate hearing featuring personal testimonies that highlight the challenges of living with T1D, the need for continued federal funding through the Special Diabetes Program, and the need to accelerate cell therapies.

Joining the U.S. delegates are five international delegates traveling from Australia, Canada, Israel, the Netherlands, and the United Kingdom.



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Book to offer tour of historic African American sites

BY STEFANIE BOWMANN
Eastern Shore Post

The Northampton County Virginia250 Local Commission, as part of a statewide effort to commemorate the 250th anniversary of the American Revolution, is ready to publish Landmarks: “African American Historic Sites in Northampton County.”

The booklet, which offers a self-guided driving tour of 17 landmarks, is based on the work of the late Eastern Shore historian and educator Frances Bibbins Latimer.

The goal of the self-guided tour is “to show what happened with the end of slavery and the establishment of the Black communities” on the Shore, said Northampton County Supervisor Betsey Mapp.

The local historic commission, headed by former Eastern Shore Public Library Director Cara Burton, plans to

publish the document through an anticipated Virginia Tourism Corporation grant.

Copies will be distributed to every Northampton High School 11th grade American history student, Mapp said.

The tour stops include:

■ The Northampton County Courthouse Green, in Eastville, one of two former Eastern Shore locations of the Freedmen’s Bureau. The purpose of the bureau was to assist “African American people entering mainstream society as diminished citizens without benefit of education or adequate housing,” according to the guide.

Among the artifacts displayed in the 1899 courthouse on the green, which currently serves as the county administration building, is a measuring rod that was used to measure freedmen.

■ Indiantown Park, Eastville, the former site of the Accawmacke Indian reservation granted to the tribe

through an English crown land patent in 1641.

White neighbors petitioned the Virginia General Assembly in the 1780s to dissolve the reservation because Accawmackes “were intermarrying with free Negroes and ... there were no more ‘real’ Indians left.”

The park contains the gravesite of an Indian chief and other historic and sacred sites.

■ Tidewater Institute, on Cobbs Station Road, near Cheriton, the first African American secondary school on the Shore.

The school, founded by the Rev. George Reid in 1903 and run by Baptists, was supported by tuition and donated funds.

Facing insurmountable debt, the institute closed in 1935 but was then taken over by Northampton County Public Schools. The girls’ dormitory became an apartment building that

burned in 1953. The boys’ dormitory is now a private home.

■ Bethel A.M.E. Church, on Courthouse Road, Eastville, the oldest African Methodist Episcopal church in Northampton County.

The Rev. James H. A. Johnson, of Baltimore, the first A.M.E. missionary to minister to freed African Americans on the Shore, was sent to make preparations for the church in 1865. The historic Bethel A.M.E. Church features stained glass windows, including one depicting Bishop Richard Allen, who founded the A.M.E. denomination in 1816.

Other tour stops that may be familiar to Northampton County residents include the Legendary Giddens Do Drop Inn, in Weirwood, and Hare Valley Elementary School and the site of the former Northampton Accomack Memorial Hospital, both in Nassawadox.



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Pause of federal education funding will have impacts

This week educators around the state and country were taken aback with the news that the Trump administration is withholding more than \$6 billion in already-approved funding for schools. In Virginia alone, this adds up to more than \$108 million withheld, pending federal reviews.

The federal money, already approved by Congress, is targeted toward the the most needy students and communities and includes various school programs, migrant education, education programming before and after the school day, services for English-language learners, professional development for educators, and more.

While the impoundment of the money triggers a system of bureaucratic checks and balances, it also means Virginia, its school systems, and other recipients of these funds must now plan for the possibility that the money may be delayed or even not available.

According to published reports, Title I funding and Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding has not been impounded. That's good news.

But educators say the money now being withheld translates into real academic progress for students. And the short notice given to schools around the country and state has made it difficult to plan for the fiscal year that began July 1.

No matter your political sensibilities, it's hard to fathom delaying money that funds programming for children who need a boost. And in a country that clearly prefers its residents speak English, pausing funding earmarked for English as a Second Language classes certainly seems out of step.

Ask your elected representatives to help the Eastern Shore and its children by advocating for this funding.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Costs of living impact local birth numbers

To the editor:

The significant decline in birth numbers across Virginia's Eastern Shore, as reported in the June 27 edition of the Eastern Shore Post ("Eastern Shore's birth rate continues steep dropoff") reflects more than just a national demographic trend.

While broader societal shifts undoubtedly influence these numbers, the local context must be examined to fully understand why our region is experiencing a rate of decline more than double the national average.

One of the most pressing concerns is the rising cost of living, particularly in relation to housing.

The rapid development of large-lot residential areas, often marketed to retirees or out-of-town buyers, has contributed to inflated property values and limited housing availability

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ty for young families.

As a result, many local residents find themselves priced out of the very communities in which they were raised.

Also, the region lacks adequate infrastructure to support working families.

Access to reliable and affordable childcare remains limited, and there are few family-centered recreational or enrichment programs available.

These deficiencies, when compared to neighboring areas such as Hampton Roads, make

the Eastern Shore a less attractive place to raise children, particularly for those without established local support networks.

Employment opportunities are another critical factor. The local economy offers relatively few stable, well-paying, year-round jobs, especially for young adults.

This economic instability forces many to delay parenthood or relocate altogether in pursuit of better prospects.

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Remember those who died for our country July 5 to 11

This is the sixth week of remembering people from the Eastern Shore who have given their lives since 1900 during military service to our country.



Ted Shockley

This week we remember those who died from July 5 to 11.

■ U.S. Army PFC Amos Leonard Scott died July 5, 1950, during the Korean War.

Some files say Scott was from Accomack County; however, the Korean War Project web-

site states Scott was from far southwest Virginia and his remains are interred there. He is listed on memorial plaques in Accomac and Parksley.

Does anyone know Mr. Scott's association with the Eastern Shore? Let me know.

■ U.S. Army 2nd Lt. Wilbur Fisk Fitzgerald Jr. was killed in action on July 6, 1944, in Normandy, France, during World War II. Some sources have his death as the next day.

Fitzgerald's family has been deeply involved in the history of Cheriton. He also is listed in the Airborne Museum of Sainte-Mère-Eglise, a Normandy museum dedicated to the U.S. paratroopers of the 82nd and 101st Airborne Divisions during World War II.

His remains originally were interred in France but now are interred in the Cape Charles Cemetery.

■ U.S. Marine Corps Cpl. Curtis Patrick Kern, of Greenbackville, was killed in action July 7, 1953, during the Korean War.

Kern was 21 years old. His remains are interred in the Arlington National Cemetery.

I haven't found much about Kern. If you have something to add, drop me a line.

■ Back when the NASA Wallops Flight Facility was the Chincoteague Naval Auxiliary Air Station, there were a number of fatal incidents on the Eastern Shore involving military aircraft.

One took place July 7, 1943, in Curtis Neck, near Accomac. The Peninsula

Enterprise newspaper reported that the airplane came apart, killing two servicemen: U.S. Naval Reserve Aviation Radiomen Milton Packer, of Jersey City, N.J., and Charles Hunveker, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

■ U.S. Army Pfc. Robert M. Satchell, of Eastville, was killed July 11, 1953, in the Korean War. He was 21.

Satchell's name is missing from the memorial plaque on the historic courthouse green in Eastville that lists the Northampton County's war fatalities. Family members last year said his gravestone in the Union Baptist Church cemetery on U.S. Route 13 in Eastville also is missing.

■ *Ted Shockley is editor of the Eastern Shore Post. Reach him at editor@easternshorepost.com.*

Letters

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Health care access, particularly in maternal and prenatal care, also plays a role.

Expectant mothers often must travel long distances to receive adequate care, adding both logistical and financial burdens to what should be a supportive and accessible process.

We have Riverside, but for many women down the Shore, it makes more sense to go across the bay.

There has been a noticeable cultural shift. Many young adults leave the Shore for higher education or employment opportunities and do not return.

Without targeted investment in job creation, affordable housing, and community development, it is unlikely that this population will reestablish roots in the area.

If the Eastern Shore is to address this decline meaningfully, local and regional stakeholders must prioritize policy and investment that support families, those who live here now and those we hope to attract in the

future.

This includes expanding childcare resources, incentivizing workforce development, ensuring more access to health care, and preserving housing that is both affordable and accessible to local residents.

This is not simply a matter of numbers. It is a reflection of how sustainable, livable, and inclusive our communities truly are.

A healthy birth rate is not just about fertility, it is about whether people feel confident building their lives here.

Rachel Stevens
Cape Charles

Drop in birth numbers due to housing shortfall

To the editor:

The drop in births in both Accomack and Northampton counties ("Eastern Shore's birth rate continues steep dropoff," June 27) could be due to the inadequate or lack of available housing on the Shore.

Almost every motel on the Shore has families living in one room, paying anywhere from \$350 to \$550 a week.

Because of this many people are moving away to find adequate housing somewhere else to raise their families.

Wendy Harris
Melfa

Drop in birth numbers: The 'end times' are coming

To the editor:

We are in the middle of the end times, so the drop in birth rates ("Eastern Shore's birth rate continues steep dropoff," June 27) is the spiritual side of us getting ready.

The Eastern Shore is not situated in a very desirable location, to put it mildly.

It so happens that the end day is very close — within 10 to 12 years.

This schism will separate the fourth (or maybe fifth) age of man from the next age of man.

Our soul source has decided to get ready.

The best thing is to keep smiling.

Robert Snyder
Bloxom

Women are delaying marriage, children

To the editor:

In answer to the story about why birth rates are declining ("Eastern Shore's birth rate continues steep dropoff," June 27), I would offer the following opinion:

Women are delaying marriage and are having children later in their marriage, by which time some of their biological clocks have expired.

Also they are having fewer children per family as a rule; some families are choosing not to have children at all for various reasons, one of which, from my understanding, is that fertility in both women and men is dropping for some reason.

Finally, there may be more abortions as time goes on and attitudes change toward the practice. Just my thoughts.

Neal Essic
Mocksville, N.C.

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Northampton could allow boathouses, gazebos, on water

BY DONNA BOZZA
Guest columnist

Dramatic changes could be coming to Northampton County shorelines with a proposed zoning text amendment regarding boathouses and gazebos.

For 37 years, Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore has worked to promote balanced growth, enhance the quality of life of all our citizens, and preserve our cultural and natural resources.

It is with this purpose in mind that CBES offers the following points for consideration.

While no one can really know if the expense of construction and maintenance of these boathouses and dock ga-

zecos would limit how many of these structures could be added to our hundreds of miles of creeks and shorelines, CBES urges caution.

While the amendment includes a minor special use permit process that allows neighbors to raise concerns on the impact of these new structures, it is not clear how our zoning officials will incorporate neighbors’ concerns into their decisions — or how the building department can make sure these structures do not become hazardous over time with storms and shoreline changes.

With the boathouse zoning text amendment allowing 22-foot-high structures — equal to a two-sto-

ry building — and 700 square feet of footage over the water — the size of a one-bedroom apartment — including 400-square-foot dock gazebos, we suspect this proposal may reduce the availability of working shorelines for our aquaculture operations, while allowing more extensive and space-intensive uses near the shoreline.

Also, it is not clear what the ecological impact will be if these structures become more common.

It is important to note that, according to the county, the maximum limits for these structures are set just below where the Virginia Marine Resources Commission requires additional permitting.

Because of the potential magnitude of this zoning change and with so many unanswered questions, CBES again urges caution.

We encourage citizens to provide feedback at the Northampton County Board of Supervisors’ public hearing on Tuesday, July 8, at the board chambers located at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville.

Submit comments to county supervisors and the county administration at jwilliams@co.northampton.va.us.

Full contact information can be found at CBES.org

■ *The writer is executive director for Citizens for a Better Eastern Shore.*

Letters

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Retirees to the Eastern Shore not having children

To the editor:

The people moving to Eastern Shore are primarily retirees, to there is no kid production (“Eastern Shore’s birth rate continues steep dropoff,” June 27).

Employment opportunities are primarily in agriculture, aquaculture,

and tourist services.

Unless a younger individual is able to work from home, which is increasingly popular, employment opportunities are limited.

Also, given the current governmental administration in Washington, I certainly would not want to bring a child into this world.

The prospects for health care, child care, and a healthy environment are bleak.

Thelma Negretti
Willis Wharf

Low births are an ‘out-migration problem’

To the editor:

Thank you for your article on the decline of the Eastern Shore birth numbers (“Eastern Shore’s birth rate continues steep dropoff,” June 27).

One co-factor that wasn’t discussed, however, was the birth rate in relation to the number of birth-eligible women (women ages 15-44).

If your birth rate goes down but so has your population of women in that age range at the same rate, then

you don’t have a birth rate problem. Instead, you have an out-migration problem (kids growing up on the Shore, going to college, and not coming back).

You can’t look at total population for this statistic because people who generally move to the Eastern Shore tend to be retirees and therefore are not birth eligible.

So the total population may not be decreasing at the same rate that the percent of women age 15-44 is decreasing.

Abigail Tyson
California, Md.

Interim executive director hired by Space Flight Academy

The Virginia Space Flight Academy Board of Directors announces the appointment of Billy “Ray” Wu-Rorrer as the interim executive director.

The academy is a nonprofit educational organization based on Wallops Island that offers summer residential and year-round innovative learning opportunities for students aged 8 to 16.

Established in 1998 on Wallops Island, the academy has provided students with learning opportunities at Virginia’s Mid-Atlantic Regional Spaceport,

NASA Wallops, and private aerospace companies, like Rocket Lab and Science Systems and Applications, to launch dreams and ignite futures in STEM careers.

This opportunity allows campers to engage directly with NASA’s innovative technology and facilities, fueling their passion for STEM careers and bringing their dreams to life.

The academy is Virginia’s only residential aerospace learning academy and has served more than 6,000 Virginians and students from 32 states.

The academy offers partnerships with national players in the space industry and provides campers a unique opportunity of behind-the-scenes access at

NASA’s flight facilities on Wallops Island through the recently renewed Space Act agreement with NASA.

Wu-Rorrer has extensive experience leading state and national STEM education programs and collaborating with industry partners.

Throughout his career, he has led initiatives that unite K-12, higher education, and industry — creating an ecosystem to support innovative student learning.

His work is featured in peer-reviewed research, presented domestically and abroad, on advancing engineering and technology education.

ENTERTAINMENT

Eastern Shore Post

Friday, July 4

■ **PARADE:** Line up 9 a.m., kickoff 10 a.m., the Town of Accomac is hosting its annual Fourth of July Parade. Following the parade, there will be a program on the town green.

■ **PARADE:** Line up 9:30 a.m., parade begins 10 a.m., Robert Reed Park, Chincoteague. The Chincoteague Island Library is hosting a non-motorized parade in honor of Fourth of July. Anyone who wants to join the parade can bring a wagon, a bike, or just their own two feet. There will be prizes for the oldest participant and youngest participant, as well as for the largest family group. Uncle Sam will be there and there will be lollipops and water available.

■ **BARBECUE SALE:** 10 a.m., Drummondtown Baptist Church, 23474 Front St., Accomac. The church will have barbecue for sale during the town's 4th of July parade. Containers of barbecue will be \$14 and sandwiches will be \$8. Coleslaw, drinks, and baked items will be available as well. A limited number of preorders will be available. Call 757-787-2109 or 757-710-4170 for preorders.

■ **FOURTH OF JULY:** 10 a.m., Cape Charles will host its annual Fourth of July celebration. A parade will kick off at 10 a.m. and go from Bay Avenue to Mason Avenue, followed by a street fair on Bay Avenue with vendors, cornhole, youth basketball, and face painting. The Tidewater Concert Band will perform at the gazebo on Bay Avenue from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. "The Sandlot" will show at the Palace Theater from 2 to 4 p.m. From 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. DJ Set It Off will perform at the gazebo. A fireworks show will begin at dark on Bay Avenue. The rain date for the fireworks is July 5.

Best bets

■ **Friday, July 4, at 10 a.m.,** the Town of Accomac is hosting its annual Fourth of July Parade. Following the parade, there will be a program on the town green.

■ **Friday, July 4, starting at 10 a.m.,** the town of Cape Charles will host its Independence Day celebration. A parade will kick off at 10 a.m. and go from Bay Avenue to Mason Avenue, followed by a street fair on Bay Avenue with vendors, cornhole, youth basketball, and face painting. The Tidewater Concert Band will perform at the gazebo on Bay Avenue from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. "The Sandlot" will show at the Palace Theatre from 2 to 4 p.m. From 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. DJ Set It Off will perform at the gazebo. A fireworks show will begin at dark on Bay Avenue. The rain date for the fireworks is July 5.

■ **NATURE PROGRAM:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Kiptopeke State Park Picnic Area, 3540 Kiptopeke Drive, Cape Charles. Kids can visit the nature touch tank or try making a fish print.

■ **BOOKMOBILE:** 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Rayfield's Pharmacy parking lot, 2 Fig St., Cape Charles. Kids can take home two free books from the bookmobile and enjoy storytime.

■ **LECTURE:** Noon, St. James' Episcopal Church, Accomac, Dennis Custis and Kellee Blake will deliver a lecture titled "Accomac 1776 and Women in the Revolutionary War." There will also be a patriotic song sing-a-long.

■ **CARNIVAL:** 7 p.m., Wachapreague Carnival Grounds, Wachapreague. The 71st annual Wachapreague Volunteer

Fireman's Carnival is a local tradition with rides, games, food, and DJ Set It Off spinning tunes.

■ **CARNIVAL:** 7 to 11 p.m., Chincoteague Carnival Grounds, Chincoteague. The annual Chincoteague Volunteer Fireman's Carnival is a local tradition featuring rides, games, food, bingo, and live music. Live music will be provided by Carley Twigg. There will be fireworks at 9 p.m.

■ **BEER OLYMPICS:** 9 p.m., Teaguer's Pub and Restaurant, 5030 Chicken City Road, Chincoteague. Teaguer's is hosting the Red, White, and Beer Olympics. Teams will compete in classic drinking games for trophies, prizes, and a tattoo party. The cost to enter a team is \$20. There will also be a 50/50 raffle. The dress code is red, white, and blue. To register a team visit <https://tinyurl.com/3dvzxetx>

Saturday, July 5

■ **YARD SALE:** Gates open 7 a.m., Great Pocomoke Fair, 2037 Broad St., Pocomoke City. A community yard sale is being hosted at the fairgrounds. Food will be available for purchase. Spaces are available for sellers for \$10 or \$20 with a table. To reserve a space contact Julie at 443-683-2833.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to noon, corner of Market and Ames streets, Onancock. Shop for local produce, meats, seafood, baked goods, and artisan wares.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 9:30 p.m., Blu-Fin Bungalows and Marina, 2477 Main St., Chincoteague.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 to 10 p.m., The Oyster Farm Marina C-Pier, Cape Charles. Every Saturday during the summer C-Pier hosts live music.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 p.m., Morphosis, 33 Market St., Onancock. Faison performs live as part of the Sidewalk Series. Bring a chair and a picnic.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., The Blarney Stone, 10 North St., Onancock. Emily Guepple performs live.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Cape Charles Central Park, 301 Plum St., Cape Charles. The TFC Band performs as part of the Summer Concerts in the Park series. Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Bring a blanket or chair.

■ **CARNIVAL:** 7 p.m., Wachapreague Carnival Grounds, Wachapreague. The 71st annual Wachapreague Volunteer Fireman's Carnival is a local tradition with rides, games, food, and live music by H.M. Johnson Band.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 to 9 p.m., Robert Reed Downtown Waterfront Park, Chincoteague.

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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 757-442-7707 or 800-764-4460.

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The Salisbury Community Band performs live as part of Chincoteague Cultural Alliance's Music at the Dock series. Bring a chair and enjoy free live music.

■ **CARNIVAL:** 7 to 11 p.m., Chincoteague Carnival Grounds, Chincoteague. The annual Chincoteague Volunteer Fireman's Carnival is a local tradition featuring rides, games, food, bingo, and live music.

Sunday, July 6

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 1 to 3 p.m., Sunset Beach Bar and Grille, 32246 Lankford Highway, Cape Charles. Melinda and the Speakeasies perform live.

■ **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:** 4 to 6 p.m., E and O Pub, 133 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. Brian Irmingier performs live.

Monday, July 7

■ **GAMES:** 1 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Play games with others at Island Community House.

Tuesday, July 8

■ **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Delmarva Discovery Center, 2 Market St., Pocomoke City. There will be stories, songs, and a craft that relates to one of the museum's animals. This is designed for kids 5 and under. For more information call 410-957-0878.

■ **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Little Sprouts storytime provides stories and activities for kids age 4 and under.

■ **STORYTIME:** 2 p.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Big Sprouts storytime provides stories and activities for kids age 5 to 11.

Wednesday, July 9

■ **STEM CLUB:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The STEM Club is geared towards kids age 5 and up. This month kids can learn how their eyes work and make a pinhole camera.

Eastern Shore class reunions

■ The Nandua High School Class of 2015 will hold its 10-year high school reunion on Saturday, July 26, at 2 p.m. at Mallards at the Wharf in Onancock. Tickets must be reserved by July 11. For more information email Chandler Davis Winnie at cpwinnie20@gmail.com or Taylor Wallace Patterson at trpatterson2022@gmail.com.

■ The Northampton High School Class of 1971 is holding a mixer on Aug. 23, from 3 to 7 p.m. at American Legion Post 56, 21210 N. Bayside Road, Cheriton. This is a free event. Classmates are being asked to support Northampton High School by mailing donations to Northampton High School, Attn: Bookkeeper, P.O. Box 38, Easville, Va. 23347.

■ The Northampton High School Class of 1975 will host its 50th class reunion on Oct. 4 at The Oyster Farm in Cape Charles. For more information or to register contact Sherry Williams Spady at 703-473-9967, Margie LeCato Hyslop at 301-806-8225, or Mary A. Mitchell, 757-710-5072

■ The Northampton High School Class of 1973 is having a class reunion Friday, Oct. 10 from noon to 6 p.m. at the Eastville Fire Hall and Saturday, Oct. 11 from 5 to 10 p.m. at the Island House restaurant in Wachapreague. The cost is \$75 per person. Call Claudette Hyslop Davis at 240-351-6888, Glenda Harmon at 757-607-6140, or Anthony Dunton at 757-647-1902.

■ The Arcadia High School Class of 1996 is gauging interest in a reunion. Classmates are encouraged to visit the Arcadia High Firebirds Facebook page at <https://tinyurl.com/4ban8xya> to vote on how big they want the reunion to be.

■ **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**

■ **LECTURE:** 7 to 8 p.m., Cape Charles Museum and Welcome Center, 814 Randolph Ave., Cape Charles. Jeff Holland, executive director of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel, will give an update on the construction of a new tunnel. The cost to attend is \$5.

Thursday, July 10

■ **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.

■ **CHRISTMAS IN JULY:** Noon to 6 p.m., Grace United Methodist Church, 18484 Wilson Ave., Parksley. The church is hosting Christmas in July, which will feature trees and tables decorated for the holidays, Christmas carols, baked goods and chicken salad for sale, and vendors. Thursday tickets are \$10 but are good for Friday and Saturday as well.

■ **CHILDREN'S THEATER:** 2 p.m., The MarVa Theater, 103 Market St., Pocomoke City. Bright Star Theater presents "Storybook Tales." For more information call 410-957-0878.

■ **GAMES:** 2 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Play games with others at Island Community House.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 2 to 6 p.m., Ropewalk Chincoteague, 6262 Marlin St., Chincoteague. Fil Rhythm performs live.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 3 to 6 p.m., Captain's Cove Marina Restaurant parking lot, 3323 Dock Court, Greenbackville. Shop for fresh produce, baked goods, meat, crafts, and more.

Friday, July 11

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

■ **CHRISTMAS IN JULY:** 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Grace United Methodist Church, 18484 Wilson Ave., Parksley. The church is hosting Christmas in July, which will feature trees and tables decorated for the holidays, Christmas carols, baked goods and chicken salad for sale, and vendors. Friday and Saturday tickets are \$5.

■ **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.

■ **GOLF TOURNAMENT:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club, 14421 Country Club Road, Melfa. The Onancock Volunteer Fire Department is hosting its ninth annual Fairway for Firefighters Golf Tournament. This four person scramble is open to all. To register visit <https://tinyurl.com/2h97awm9>

■ **HOT DOG CART:** 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., No Limits Eastern Shore, 24546 Coastal Blvd., Tasley. No Limits will have its hot dog cart open.

■ **KOMBUCHA CLASS:** 2 p.m., Worcester County Library Pocomoke Branch, 401 5th St., Pocomoke City. Michaela Eggers will demonstrate how to make kombucha and share information about its benefits.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 9:30 p.m., C-Pier at the Oyster Farm, 500 Marina Circle, Cape Charles. Frank Sings Frank at the C-Pier.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Paul Brion and the Raucous Brothers perform live.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 10 p.m., Ropewalk Chincoteague, 6262 Marlin St., Chincoteague. Shore Blues Band performs live.

Saturday, July 12

■ **THRIFT STORE:** 8 to 11 a.m., the Smith Chapel Methodist Church thrift store in Quinby will be open with half-price offerings on all summer items.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to noon, corner of Market and Ames streets, Onancock. Shop for local produce, meats, seafood, baked goods, and artisan wares.

■ **CHRISTMAS IN JULY:** 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Grace United Methodist Church, 18484 Wilson Ave., Parksley. The church is hosting Christmas in July, which will feature trees and tables decorated for the holidays, Christmas carols, baked goods and chicken salad for sale, and vendors. Friday and Saturday tickets are \$5.

■ **ART PROGRAM:** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., the Artisans of Wachapreague Summer Show and Sale will be held at Powelton Presbyterian Church, 25 Main St., Wachapreague. There will be paintings, prints, outdoor sculpture, crafts, books, woodworking, jewelry, and more. Powelton Presbyterian Church will have food for sale.

■ **ART PROGRAM:** 10 a.m., Worcester County Library Pocomoke Branch, 401 5th St., Pocomoke City. Get creative during Art Exploration.

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■ **CROCHET AND KNIT CLUB:** 11 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Avenue, Cape Charles. Fiber artists can bring a project to work on while socializing with fellow crafters. Toys and activities will be available for children.

■ **ICE CREAM SOCIAL:** 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Eastern Shore Railway Museum, 18468 Dunne Ave., Parksley. The museum is hosting an ice cream social. There will be free ice cream with toppings and music by DJ Terry Collins.

■ **COMMUNITY LUNCHEON:** 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m., Living Word Community Church, 27394 White's Neck Road, Parksley. The church is hosting Community Feed Day, a community meal that is free of charge.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 3:30 to 6:30 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Mark Calhoon performs live.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 to 10 p.m., The Oyster Farm Marina C-Pier, Cape Charles. Every Saturday during the summer C-Pier hosts live music.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 9 p.m., Pico Taqueria, 6560 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Elijah Elliott performs live.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 p.m., Chincotiki, 4129 N. Main St., Chincoteague. My Dirty Little Secret performs live.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., The Blarney Stone, 10 North St., Onancock. Paul Parks performs live.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Cape Charles Central Park, 301 Plum St., Cape Charles. The Fighting Jamesons perform as part of the Summer Concerts in the Park series. Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Bring a blanket or chair.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Robert Reed Park, Chincoteague. Cane Mill Road performs live as part of The Chincoteague Cultural Alliance's Music at the Dock series. Bring a chair or blanket.

Sunday, July 13

■ **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:** 4 to 6 p.m., E and O Pub, 133 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. Brian Irminger performs live.

Monday, July 14

■ **GAMES:** 1 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Play games with others at Island Community House.

Tuesday, July 15

■ **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Little Sprouts storytime provides stories and activities for kids age 4 and under.

■ **STORYTIME:** 2 p.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Big Sprouts storytime provides stories and activities for kids age 5 to 11.

■ **RECYCLING PROGRAM:** 2 p.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The library and the Northampton County 4-H are hosting a recycling program for kids ages 5 to 11.

Wednesday, July 16

■ **KIDS NATURE PROGRAM:** 10 am. to

noon, Delmarva Discovery Museum, 2 Market St., Pocomoke City. Kids will learn what makes snakes different than other reptiles and how to identify a poisonous snake, and they will get a chance to handle a snake during Snakes with Toddlers. Each session is one hour. The cost for advance tickets is \$5 for adults and \$10 for kids. At the door tickets are \$7 for adults and \$12 for kids. Museum members are free. For tickets visit <https://tinyurl.com/yc675bd2>

■ **APPRECIATION DAY:** 10 a.m. to noon, Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The library is hosting a celebration of community helpers. There will be opportunities to meet, great, and speak with those who serve the community every day.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 8 p.m., The Blarney Stone, 10 North St., Onancock. Crowdog performs live.

Thursday, July 17

■ **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, 201 Mason Avenue, Cape Charles. Fiber artists can bring a project to work on while socializing with fellow crafters. Toys and activities will be available for children.

■ **SCIENCE PROGRAM:** 2 p.m., Worcester County Library Pocomoke Branch, 401 5th St., Pocomoke City. Join Gregory May as he discusses the scientific principles behind his circus tricks. May uses juggling, lasso spinning, and other tricks to explore Newton's laws.

■ **GAMES:** 2 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Play games with others at Island Commu-

nity House.

■ **LIVE MUSIC:** 2 to 6 p.m., Ropewalk Chincoteague, 6262 Marlin St., Chincoteague. Fil Rhythm performs live.

■ **FARMERS MARKET:** 3 to 6 p.m., Captain's Cove Marina Restaurant parking lot, 3323 Dock Court, Greenbackville. Shop for fresh produce, baked goods, meat, crafts, and more.

■ **STREET FAIR:** 5 to 7 p.m., Main Street, Chincoteague. Chincoteague's Third Thursdays feature extended shopping hours at downtown businesses, dining, and a chance for a stroll down Main Street. The Island Community House will be giving away a \$25 gift certificate to be used at a local business. Enter for free.

Friday, July 18

■ **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., corner of Mason Avenue and Pine Stree, Cape Charles. The Friends of Cape Charles Memorial Library are hosting a book sale.

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MUSIC AT THE DOCK

FREE CONCERTS 7pm
Robert Reed Waterfront Park
Chincoteague

Sat, July 5 Salisbury
Community Band
Patriotic songs, light classical music & showtunes the whole family will enjoy



Sat, July 12
Liam Purcell & Cane Mill Road
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traditional Bluegrass with outstanding modern songwriting

Sat, July 26
Randy Lee Ashcraft & The Saltwater Cowboys
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- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 p.m., Ropewalk Chincoteague, 6262 Marlin St., Chincoteague. Paul Brion and the Raucous Brothers perform live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Pico Taqueria, 6560 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Henry Hopf performs live.
- **ART CLASS:** 6 p.m., Worcester County Library Pocomoke Branch. Use a variety of materials to create unique art and poetry pieces. Light refreshments will be served. To reserve a seat call 410-957-0878.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., The Blarney Stone, 10 North St., Onancock. Joe Esham performs live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Willie C. and His Blues Band perform live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 to 11 p.m., Captain's Cove Marina Restaurant, Greenbackville. The Rhythm Section performs live.

Saturday, July 19

- **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to noon, corner of Market and Ames streets, Onancock. Shop for local produce, meats, seafood, baked goods, and artisan wares.
- **CRAFT:** 3 to 5 p.m., Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. Joann Stratakos and Cheryl Taylor will teach crafters how to make a pony sculpture out of shells. All materials are provided. The cost is \$45. This is a 16 and up class. To register visit <https://tinyurl.com/epd7pbzy>
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 3:30 to 6:30 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. The StingRaze perform live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 to 10 p.m., The Oyster Farm Marina C-Pier, Cape Charles. Every Saturday during the summer C-Pier hosts live music.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 9 p.m., Pico Taqueria, 6560 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Emily Scholl performs live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., The Blarney Stone, 10 North St., Onancock. Margot and Valerie perform live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Cape Charles

Central Park, 301 Plum St., Cape Charles. Robert Lea performs as part of the Summer Concerts in the Park series. Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Bring a blanket or chair.

Sunday, July 20

- **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:** 4 to 6 p.m., E and O Pub, 133 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. Brian Irminger performs live.

Monday, July 21

- **GAMES:** 1 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Play games with others at Island Community House.
- **POETRY AND PROSE NIGHT:** 6:30 p.m., Morphosis, 33 Market St., Onancock. Morphosis is hosting a poetry night in the Listening Room. Authors will share their work and coffee and desserts will be available. Tickets are \$7. To

make reservations call 757-710-8718.

Tuesday, July 22

- **PLAYTIME:** 10:30 a.m. Worcester County Library Pocomoke Branch, 401 5th St., Pocomoke City. Kids 5 and under can build and play with blocks.
- **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Little Sprouts storytime provides stories and activities for kids age 4 and under.
- **STORYTIME:** 2 p.m., Cape Charles Memorial Library, 201 Mason Ave., Cape Charles. The Big Sprouts storytime provides stories and activities for kids age 5 to 11.

Wednesday, July 23

- **ART CLASS:** 2 p.m., Worcester County Library Pocomoke Branch, 401 5th St., Pocomoke City. Create some impressionist art in the style of Claude Monet. This class is designed for kids 6 to 18. Registration is required. Call 410-957-0878.

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Calendar

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Thursday, July 24

- **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.
- **TEEN ART WORKSHOP:** 2 p.m., Worcester County Library Pocomoke Branch, 401 5th St., Pocomoke City. Teens can explore creativity through art and literature with Anna Prado, an art teacher. Materials are provided.
- **GAMES:** 2 to 4 p.m., Island Community House, 6246 Mumford St., Chincoteague. Play games with others at Island Community House.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 2 to 6 p.m., Ropewalk Chincoteague, 6262 Marlin St., Chincoteague. Fil Rhythm performs live.
- **ROCK PAINTING:** 3 to 4:30 p.m., Chincoteague Cultural Alliance, 6309 Church St., Chincoteague. Jamie Parsons will lead a rock painting class. All

supplies are included. Kids 7 and up can attend with a parent. The cost is \$20. To register visit <https://tinyurl.com/478t586f>

- **FARMERS MARKET:** 3 to 6 p.m., Captain's Cove Marina Restaurant parking lot, 3323 Dock Court, Greenbackville. Shop for fresh produce, baked goods, meat, crafts, and more.

- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 9 p.m., Pico Taqueria, 6560 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Sean Hobbes and The Hi Res perform live.

Friday, July 25

- **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.
- **STORYTIME:** 10:30 a.m., The MarVa Theater, 103 Market St., Pocomoke City. The theater is hosting storytime, complete with songs, stories, and crafts related to the arts.
- **HOT DOG CART:** 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., No Limits Eastern Shore, 24546 Coastal Blvd.,

Tasley. No Limits will have its hot dog cart open.

- **NATURE PROGRAM:** 4 p.m., Nature lovers can gather on Cape Charles Beach for Creature Catch, ID, Release. This program offers an inside look at the creatures that call the beach home.

- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 p.m., Ropewalk Chincoteague, 6262 Marlin St., Chincoteague. Paul Brion and the Raucous Brothers perform live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., The Blarney Stone, 10 North St., Onancock. Medium Wave Jay performs live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. The Speakeasies perform live.

Saturday, July 26

- **PONY ROUNDUP:** 7 a.m., Chincoteague Island National Wildlife Refuge Woodland Trail, Chincoteague. Visitors can watch as the Chincoteague Volunteer Fire Company rounds up the wild Chincoteague ponies for the 100th annual Pony Penning.
- **FARMERS MARKET:** 9 a.m. to noon, corner of Market and Ames streets, Onancock. Shop for local produce, meats, sea-

food, baked goods, and artisan wares.

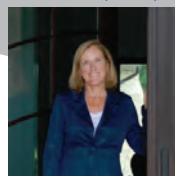
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 3:30 to 6:30 p.m., Cape Charles Brewing Company, 2198 Stone Road, Cape Charles. Island Drive performs live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5 to 10 p.m., The Oyster Farm Marina C-Pier, Cape Charles. Every Saturday during the summer C-Pier hosts live music.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 5:30 to 9 p.m., Pico Taqueria, 6560 Maddox Blvd., Chincoteague. Medium Wave Jay performs live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 6 to 9 p.m., The Blarney Stone, 10 North St., Onancock. Hemlock Hollow performs live.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 p.m., Cape Charles Central Park, 301 Plum St., Cape Charles. The Jangling Reinharts perform as part of the Summer Concerts in the Park series. Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Bring a blanket or chair.
- **LIVE MUSIC:** 7 to 9 p.m., Robert Reed Downtown Waterfront Park, Chincoteague. Randy Lee Ashcraft and the Saltwater Cowboys perform live as part of Chincoteague Cultural Alliance's Music at the Dock series. Bring a chair and enjoy free live music.



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OBITUARIES

Eastern Shore Post

Martena “Dale” Bonawell

It is with deep sadness that her family announces the passing of **Mrs. Martena Marshall Bonawell**, lovingly known as Dale, on June 24, 2025.



Mrs. Bonawell

Born on April 26, 1944, she was the daughter of the late Saint Elmo Marshall and Anna Mae Marshall.

Dale worked at the T-shirt factory in Parksley, and after

becoming a mother, she began working at the Saxis crab houses cleaning soft crabs so she could stay close to her pride and joy — her son, Pete.

She loved music and she loved to dance. Whether she was teaching her first granddaughter how to clean soft crabs or making saltine and butter crackers for her youngest granddaughter, you could be sure there was music playing in the background.

Dale enjoyed spending her days sipping on Dr. Pepper while watching old Westerns with her beloved fur baby, Baby Kitty, curled up in her lap. She never met an animal she didn't love.

She leaves to cherish her memory her son, Pete Bonawell and his partner, Missy; her granddaughters, Jessica Thornes and husband, Woody, and Victoria Taylor and husband, Dylan; her great-grandson, Levi Thornes; her aunt, Sue Newhart; her nephew, Max Marshall; her great-niece, Renee Judge and husband, Daniel; and her cousin, Jamie Linton and partner, Mel; along with several other loving family members.

Dale was predeceased by her brother, Maxwell Marshall, his wife, Sandra, and their daughter, Grace West.

The family would like to extend heartfelt thanks to Kasi and Chad Chance for their compassionate care and support during Dale's journey with dementia.

Funeral services were conducted

from the chapel of the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home on Tuesday, July 1, at 3 p.m., with the Rev. Wyatt Bridges officiating. Private interment was held at the Ellis Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Williams Funeral Home, P.O. Box 1, Parksley, VA 23421, www.williamsfuneralhomes.com/payments to assist the family with funeral expenses.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were by the Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Dr. Kay Moore

Dr. Kay Moore, 86, passed away on Thursday, June 12, 2025, at her residence in Westminster Canterbury in Virginia Beach.

Kay was born Aug. 9, 1938, to the late John K. and Willie B. Moore in Baton Rouge, La.

She graduated from University High School, on the Louisiana State University campus, at the age 15. She graduated from LSU as an “Outstanding Student in the College of Arts and Sciences” at the age of 18.



Dr. Moore

She always knew that she wanted to be a physician and enrolled in LSU School of Medicine in New Orleans. She became a plastic surgeon, practicing in Baton Rouge. Unfortunately, she fell victim to carpal tunnel syndrome and lost the dexterity necessary for this delicate surgery. She started over with a residency in physical medicine and rehabilitation and became a physiatrist. She practiced in Montgomery, Ala. until her retirement. After retiring, she moved to Virginia Beach.

Apart from her career, her passion was world travel. She loved birds, nature, and chocolate. The city of New Orleans was also very special to her.

She is survived by a brother, James (Jim) Moore and his wife, Margaret, of Exmore, and their children, Leslie Holt (James), Julie Mabalot (Ben), and Stephen Moore, and their families.

She will be deeply missed and her family will always carry her memory in their hearts.

Catherine Tolbert

Mrs. Catherine Garland Mapp Tolbert, better known as Cathy, of Onley, passed away on Friday, June 27, 2025, at Shore Health and Rehabilitation Center in Parksley.

From the very beginning, Cathy made a memorable entrance into the



Mrs. Tolbert

world — born on July 25, 1951, in the medical tent during Pony Penning. She was a joyful surprise to her parents, Garland Bowdoin Mapp and Lena Custis Mapp (née Mears).

Raised in Wachapreague, Cathy — affectionately called “Cappy” by her father — was a firecracker from the start. Though she stood just 5 feet tall, her presence filled every room. Quick with a comeback and always ready with a story, she was unforgettable — equal parts fierce and funny, with a heart as big as the tide.

After graduating from Central High School in 1969, Cathy pursued her calling in nursing at the Bessie B. Anderson School of Nursing, completing her studies in 1970. Her deep compassion and love for people made her a natural caregiver, and nursing became not just a profession but a legacy of kindness she carried throughout her life.

But it was one impulsive decision — not to babysit one evening — that changed everything. Instead, Cathy decided to go cruising at Fork's Grill. That same night, a tall, quiet, young man named Butch Tolbert was driving around with his buddies. A few playful catcalls later, fate intervened, and

5-foot Cathy met her 6-foot-3 match. They were opposites in every way — she, bold and spirited; he, calm and steady — but together, they were perfectly balanced. They married in 1972 at Wachapreague United Methodist Church and built a beautiful life together, raising two daughters who were the center of their world.

Home was where music played and laughter echoed. Cathy and Butch could often be found dancing around the kitchen to Carolina Beach Music or Motown classics, twirling to “Stop in the Name of Love” while Rebecca and Catherine watched with wide eyes and full hearts. Even in her final week, Cathy was still singing “My Girl” with her daughter Rebecca — proof that love and music lived on in her.

She adored her daughters — even through those teenage years when nothing a mother said seemed right. She stood firm, taught them the value of education, resilience, and humor, and left them with countless cherished memories — especially those conversations around the kitchen table. Rebecca and Catherine inherited their mother's sharp wit, generous spirit, and deep capacity to care. They will miss her beyond words, but her love remains woven into the very fabric of who they are.

Cathy is survived by her two peas in a pod — her daughters, Catherine Noelle Tolbert-Nisbet and her husband, John, of Virginia Beach, and Rebecca Anne Tolbert, of Exmore. She also leaves behind her beloved brothers, James William Mapp and wife, Eva, of Charlottesville, and Mason Lang Mapp and wife, Rose, of Wachapreague; siblings, Anna Stoft and Richard Mapp; her grandchildren, Abigail “Abbi” Brook Stevens Jurek and her husband, Noah, of Virginia Beach, George “Wil” William Tolbert Stevens, of Virginia Beach, and John Aidan Tolbert Schleif, of Exmore; several nieces and nephews; and dear friend, Christina Lemieux.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Garland and Lena Mapp, and her husband, John “Butch” William Tolbert.

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Obituaries

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A memorial service honoring Cathy's life will be held at Williams-Onancock Funeral Home on Tuesday, July 8, at 1 p.m., with the Rev. Bill McClung officiating.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Cathy's name may be made to Kindness Matters Rescue, Inc., 295 Powell Circle, Berlin, MD 21811.

Memory tributes may be shared with the family at

www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements are by the Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Tom Walker

Mr. Thomas Drummond Cropper Walker was a son of the Eastern Shore, born in 1957 by the sea and raised on her shores by his parents, William and Martha Shinn Walker.

Tom's early days were comprised of school, which he considered a nuisance, and hunting and fishing with his brother, Wade, and Martha and Bill, which he found a necessity. His early teens found him in the summer at Bayford nearby Hooksie's Store, where he found an appreciation for beauty, a thick skin, and socialization.

Destined to have adventure, as an adult he explored much of the world, from the intimate to the grand. He witnessed sunrises on the Shore's seaside bays and sunsets over the Chesapeake and California, stars everywhere. Not unlike many watermen, he dodged lightning and rogue waves.

Tom passionately consumed nature, big and small. The big included surfing, clamming, scuba diving, fishing, boating, water skiing, snowboarding, the houseboat, and hunting, while the

small was family, friends, get-togethers, conversations, embraces, and reflection.

His was a fierce affection, but it was not terribly sentimental or necessarily gentle; however, he was generous with



Mr. Walker

his friends. Tom was grateful for those he let into his life and those who let him into theirs. He loved using the term a "good egg" to describe those, in his estimation, who cleared the

bar of trust, craft, and fun.

He chafed under the authority of school but studied topics to which his nature steered him. He studied weather and enjoyed attempting to predict it, eyed the sea and learned to ride her waves, spied the marshes, flats, and tides and found the Golden Grounds of Little Machipongo were prime for growing clams.

He learned maritime customs and gained commercial captaincy. He served the Commonwealth as a member of our State Water Control Board. He mastered the physics of guns, bows, rods, reels, and Fishing Attraction Devices. And he earned life's most important gift, that of immediate family — Ellen, Kobe, and Hayes. He treasured his extended family of Wade, Jayanne, Revel, Molly, Sayer, Ethan, Thatcher, Kenny, Ashley, and Kade.

Good jokes, pranks, and laughter were essential. Fine wine was an enthusiasm and making Manhattans a specialty. The party got started when he arrived and usually ended late. There were different parties — surfing, fishing, deer and duck hunting, holidays, and birthdays. Tom and his family did them all together and reveled in them.

Tom enjoyed bringing that celebratory food — clams — to his friends. In fact, over the years J.C. Walker Brothers has fed millions.

Tom built a home welcome to all in Garza, Costa Rica, where he created another "Tom's World." He appreciated what the ocean brought to his boat, the Pato Viejo. He understood the wonder of friends and made new ones whenever the opportunity arose.

Tom's leaving us by way of an unexpected and untimely death would have grieved him, for he was unable to say farewell or thank all who had helped him grow into the man he became. His was a life well-lived, and he experienced pretty much everything — the good, the bad, the weaknesses and strengths of our humanity. A view of his life in his words would be, "Not slack, full-on!"

"Let our sadness morph into an appreciation of our having shared this earth as family and friends as we are gifted with memories of grand times together." His passing has been called unfair, but life is not fair, it is just life. "So, hold fast your loved ones, we are all under siege by the teeth of time and the tides of fate."

There will be a celebration of life held at Hungars Church, 10107 Bayside Road, Machipongo at 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 19. Following the service, there will be a reception held at Ingle-side Farm, 2199 Morley's Wharf Road, Exmore. Donations in Tom's memory may be sent to The Nature Conservancy, Attn: Ms. Alex Rich, P.O. Box 158, Nassawadox, VA 23412.

Dana Dise

Mr. Dana Keith Dise, 71, of Tangier Island, passed away on June 23, 2025.

Born Sept. 20, 1953, on Tangier, he was a son of the late Adrian Ewell Dise and Gladys Marie Bowden Dise.

Dana attended Tangier Combined

School and was a lifelong waterman and also owned a tire repair shop. In his teenage years, he worked for Ed Tyn-dall's grocery store and Ray Crockett's crab plant.

Very active in his community, he was a faithful member of Swain Memorial Church and served on the Tangier Town Council.

Dana enjoyed being at his crab house and working on his boat. He loved his family immensely and especially loved spending time with his grandchildren.



Mr. Dise

He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Sharon Parks Dise, of Tangier; his children, Christa Dise Dameron and husband, Jason, of Mila, and Dustin Dise and wife, Kristen, of Hardyville; his grandchildren, Julia Dise, Claire Dise, and Riley Dameron; his brother, George Cannon, of Tangier; and several nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings, JoAnne Cooper, Karen Parks, and Larry Dise.

A memorial service at the Swain Memorial Church on Tangier was held on Saturday, June 28, at 2 p.m., where a time of sharing was from 1 to 2 p.m. The Rev. Charles Parks officiated and speakers were Jerry Frank Pruitt and Allen Parks.

In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be made to the Tangier Fire Department or to Swain Memorial Church.

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

To send condolences to the family, please visit www.bradshawandsonsfuneralhome.com

Grants expand opportunities for large-animal vets

The Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (VDACS) announced today that new grant funds are available to support large-animal veterinarians practicing in Virginia.

The VDACS Large Animal Veteri-

nary Grant Program application period opened July 1 for applications from large-animal veterinarians who provide veterinary services for livestock, poultry, or equines.

VDACS will provide four recipients with up to \$110,000, disbursed over three years, to support large-animal veterinary services across the Commonwealth.

The Virginia Tobacco Region Revitalization Commission is working

alongside VDACS to further extend large-animal veterinarian incentives in southern and southwest Virginia.

Up to two applicants from the pool will be awarded Tobacco Commission grants up to \$150,000 over five years to practice in south and southwest Virginia.

VDACS Commissioner Joseph Guthrie said, "We hope this grant will recruit and retain the best and

brightest large-animal veterinarians to continue serving our communities with quality care well into the future."

The deadline for applications to be considered for all grants is Sept. 1, 2025.

Complete details, contact information, and the application form can be found on the VDACS website at <https://tinyurl.com/2eh93994>

Cobia fishing is heating up in the bay

Cobia are drawing the attention of most anglers fishing from the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel up the entire bayside of the Eastern Shore. These warm-water-loving fish should soon be

joined with the arrival of Spanish mackerel, another warm water species from the south.

Flounder are abundant on the seaside; however, undersized fish greatly outnumber legal-sized fish, at least inside the inlet.

Offshore, yellowfin tuna fishing remains steady, with increasing numbers of dolphin (mahi mahi) reported from the Norfolk Canyon north to the Poorman's.

Deep droppers have been rewarded with some large golden tilefish for their efforts.

Upper Shore

Captain Matt Abell, at the Sea Hawk Sports Center, reported that action in the northern Chesapeake Bay has been centered around cobia fishing, as the strong gamefish can now be found all the way up to the Maryland/Virginia state line.

Captain Abell said that while sight casting to surface cruising fish with jigs or live eels can be productive, most of the recent fish have been caught on chunks of bunker fished on the bottom while chumming. Action has been concentrated in water depths of 15 to 25 feet near dropoffs or along sloughs. He added that his best action has been occurring during the morning hours, especially on a strong ebb tide.

Shallow water action has slowed due



Hunter Jordan caught and released this cobia while fishing in the lower bay with his father, Trafton.

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to the high water temperatures, with most of the action occurring just after first light and being limited to a few speckled trout and striped bass hitting top water baits.

Chincoteague

Pete Vasiliou, of Captain Steve's Bait and Tackle, said the flounder bite continues to be "very consistent" and flounder have been the primary target of most anglers inside of the inlet.

He added that there are considerable numbers of kingfish (whiting) and spot, with a few croaker showing up near the inlet. Kingfish and spot remain the most consistent bite in the surf.

Surf anglers targeting larger fish are finding some large red drum and sharks, especially in the evenings. The inshore ocean wrecks are producing good flounder action, plus Atlantic spadefish and gray triggerfish.

Schools of bluefish measuring 20 inches in length and longer are swimming around some of the same wrecks.

Offshore, the yellowfin tuna bite has been steady, with deep droppers bringing home a few citation golden tilefish.

Wachapreague

Captain Lindsay Paul, aboard the Al-most Persuaded, told me that the flounder bite out of Wachapreague was still "hanging in there," even during the recent hot temperatures. Most of the flatfish were being caught during the flood tide on rigs baited with Berkley Gulp and live minnows or silversides.

Sand mullet (whiting) are hitting small pieces of squid, with one citation-sized fish weighed last week.

The offshore wrecks are still holding good numbers of black sea bass, with larger flounder beginning to show up.

Offshore, Captain Paul said that the

trolling bite in the canyons is producing nice-sized yellowfin tuna, along with a few dolphin (mahi mahi), and he has received reports of great deep dropping action on tilefish in the Washington Canyon.

Lower Shore

Jeb Brady, at Bailey's Bait & Tackle, said the cobia fishing has picked up over the last week, as anglers reported a new influx of fish into the lower bay. Sight casters are also reporting an increase in the number of cobia cruising along the surface. Most of the fish have been in the 35- to 40-inch range, with a few keeper-sized fish in the mix. Reports of cobia have come from just outside the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel all the way up to the waters off Silver Beach. Bottom fishing for cobia has also improved for anglers chumming and fishing cut bait.

Anglers fishing the shallows off Fisherman Island are catching and releasing large red drum during the evening hours on cut crab.

Sheepshead are still hitting chunks of crab jigged around the pilings of the bridge-tunnel.

Increasing numbers of Atlantic spadefish are showing up around the bridge-tunnel's fourth island.

The flounder bite was described as "good" near the Fisherman Inlet Bridge, as well as on some of the offshore ocean wrecks.

Sand mullet (whiting) and small croakers have been taking small baits in the vicinity of the concrete ships off Kiptopeke, while the lower bay piers are reporting catches of small trout and croaker.

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.



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New Church's Nathan Hamilton ready for college ball

BY JIMMY SHOCKLEY
Eastern Shore Post

In his senior year of high school, Nathan Hamilton hit for a .676 batting average as a shortstop with home run power, but he will be attending college this fall as a pitcher.

The New Church native is no slouch on the mound, collecting the 12th-most strikeouts in the state of Maryland last season for Holly Grove Christian School.

Before he leaves for Penn State Abington this fall, he will be a baseball instructor specializing in pitching and hitting at Sports House in Salisbury, Md.

There he will be teaching middle and high school baseball players how to improve their game.

"It's all about teaching the next generation how to be as good as or better than you," said Hamilton, an 18-year-old righthander who is the son of Joni and Jonathan Hamilton.

Nathan Hamilton said he enjoys pitching more than hitting or playing the field because of how pitchers get to control the game.

He features a fastball that touches 90 mph,

a changeup thrown with a circle grip, and a curveball.

Hamilton is humble about his success and will admit — and laugh about — his mistakes.

He recalled a changeup he threw last year that ended up over the heart of the plate. The batter didn't miss it.

"That ball is probably still out there," said Hamilton, smiling and pointing to the woods beyond the right-field fence at Holly Grove's baseball field in Westover, Md.

Some of Hamilton's humble personality may be due to what he sees in professional players whenever he views a Major League baseball game.

Hamilton said he likes to see how pitchers re-compose themselves after giving up a home run or a big hit.

Hamilton will take his baseball knowledge north this fall to Abington, Pa., but not before passing some of it to players who want to learn from one of this year's best — on both sides of the ball. He remembers being younger and being noticed for his ability.

"I was in that same position two years ago," said Hamilton.



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Nathan Hamilton, of New Church, who played high school baseball at Holly Grove Christian School, will play college baseball at Penn State Abington.

Christmas in July event coming to Parksley July 10 to 12

BY JIMMY SHOCKLEY
Eastern Shore Post

If this warm weather has people missing the holiday season, Grace United Methodist Church in Parksley might have a solution.

The church will host its Christmas in July on Thursday, July 10, from noon to 6 p.m., and Friday, July 11 and Saturday, July 12, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Admission is \$10 per person on Thursday and \$5 Friday and Saturday. Children 12 and under are admitted free on all days.

"We have a tremendous amount of creativity for this event," said Lisa Lewis, one of the event's organizers.

The event will feature the sale of many Christmas-related items and decorations and some non-Christmas-related items, some sold by the church and many sold by vendors, for which there are 17 slots.

There will also be a bake sale, homemade chicken salad made daily, and punch provided by Commonwealth Senior Living.

The event will also feature a Christmas tree decorating contest and a table decorating contest with cash prizes that will be donated to a local charity of the win-

ner's choosing.

Also included in the admission ticket are live Christmas concerts.

This year marks the third time the event has been held. It previously was held in 2022 and 2023.

Lewis said she's been planning this year's event since February, although the setup began in late May.

Despite all the work that goes into each one, when the event didn't happen last year, Lewis certainly heard about it.

"I'd have people tell me last year, 'Aren't you going to do that again?'" she said.

The event began when the church received a large donation of Christmas decorations a few years ago — it was too large to just donate or give away.

In the last few years, the church and the community have embraced the event. There have been more donations as well as volunteers, but organizing it all isn't an easy task.

Lewis said it all becomes worthwhile when she sees the enjoyment of the attendees.

She especially enjoys the reaction of children, many of whom feel as though they just entered the North Pole.

"That's the thing — for the children to be mesmerized," Lewis said.



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Helping with Christmas in July are Karon Eichelberger, left, Jodie Green, center, and Lisa Lewis.

Elliott named a YMCA chief executive officer

The YMCA of South Hampton Roads has announced a leadership transition for its two family centers on Virginia's Eastern Shore.

Andre Elliott, who has led the Eastern Shore Family YMCA and Northampton County YMCA as senior executive director, will leave his role July 11 to become chief executive officer of the Hagerstown YMCA in Maryland. Tasha Lucy has been named the new executive director, effective July 7.

Elliott, a native of the Eastern Shore, has spent the last 18 1/2 years with the YMCA of South Hampton Roads. During his tenure, he has played a key role in opening the Northampton County YMCA and expanding after-school programming through 21st Century grant funding. His leadership helped strengthen community partnerships, increase access to YMCA programs, and create new opportunities for youth and families across the region.

Anthony Walters, president and CEO of the YMCA of South Hampton Roads, said Elliott's next step reflects both his leadership and his commitment to the Y's mission.

"We are proud to see Andre continue his career as CEO in Hagerstown. His passion for serving others and his connection to the community have made a lasting impact here, and we know he will continue to make a difference in Maryland," Walters said.

"Andre has been more than a leader at the YMCA," said Jan Andrejco, board chair, Eastern Shore Family YMCA. "He's become part of the Eastern Shore's fabric. We are incredibly grateful for his tenure and the legacy he built on compassion and community enhancement."

As the YMCAs on the Eastern Shore turn the page, members can



COURTESY PHOTO

Andre Elliott, senior executive director of the Eastern Shore Family YMCA and the Northampton County YMCA, will transition from his role on July 11 to become the chief executive officer of Hagerstown YMCA in Maryland.

look ahead with optimism. Tasha Lucy, a seasoned Y leader with deep experience in both operations and community engagement, will step into the role of executive director.

Lucy brings more than a decade of YMCA leadership experience to her new role. She began her career in aquatics as a swim instructor and club swim coach, then expanded into leadership positions in business operations, aquatics, and membership. She will oversee day-to-day operations for both Eastern Shore YMCA branches, lead staff and volunteer teams, and continue to grow community partnerships

and philanthropic efforts.

"Tasha understands the vital role the Y plays in strengthening communities," Walters said. "Her leadership, combined with her passion for service, will help ensure the Y continues to meet the evolving needs of families across the Eastern Shore."

The Y's ability to adapt and serve rests on the shoulders of leaders like Andre and Tasha. Their work reflects the generosity of donors and volunteers who make it possible for the YMCA to strengthen communities and change lives every day.

About the YMCA

The YMCA of South Hampton Roads has served as a leading non-profit committed to strengthening the community since 1856.

With a bold vision to connect communities, empower youth and inspire hope. The Y serves more than 191,000 adults and children each year, regardless of age, income or background, across South Hampton Roads, Halifax County, the Eastern Shore of Virginia, northeastern North Carolina and the Outer Banks.

To find out more, visit the Y's website at www.ymcashr.org

College gets \$1.8M aircraft equipment donation

Eastern Shore Community College and its foundation have accepted a donation of \$1.8 million worth of Uncrewed Aircraft Systems (UAS) equipment, including two fixed-wing aircraft, a ground control van, and supporting electronics. The equipment, gifted from a Delaware estate, will be used to help the college expand its UAS learning programs and support business, research, and government requirements on the Eastern Shore.

“Uncrewed vehicle technologies, especially aircraft systems, are critically important in America, especially to rural communities,” said ESCC President Daryl Minus. “NASA anticipates the number of low-altitude missions to approach 6 million per day by 2032, with the greatest impact being in package delivery, disaster response, and infrastructure support. Already, the Eastern Shore is pioneering the use of UAS vehicles in agricultural uses, rural medical package delivery, and aerospace support. This donation will allow the college to significantly expand these capabilities.”

Over the past four years, ESCC’s FAA Part 107 (UAS) commercial licensing class, operated in collaboration with Sentinel Robotics Systems (SRS Group), has trained 106 students and supported an additional 38 Department of Adult Rehabilitation Services (DARS) clients in earning FAA recreational UAS certifications. ESCC is also a participant in the FAA’s UAS Collegiate Training Initiative (UAS-CTI). These accomplishments reflect the college’s longstanding commitment to preparing a skilled UAS workforce.

“Sentinel Robotic Solutions (SRS) has worked closely with the college, Summit Aviation, EDDJ Aviation and Luminary Air Group to secure and deliver this massive UAS capability to the Eastern Shore, which dovetails nicely with



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the existing UAS initiatives at the college,” said Peter Bale, SRS chief operating officer/founder. “We are pleased to have the equipment now housed at Accomack County Airport, with the support of the Accomack EDA (Economic Development Authority), and look forward

to seeing these aircraft in the air soon.”

The donation includes two complete mobile aircraft, a mobile ground control station, and other support equipment. The platforms can stay aloft for between five to seven hours, depending on configuration, and can

be used for payload testing, range surveillance, and a multitude of other real-world applications.

ESCC plans to create several new workforce and academic programs to support the UAS sector, as well as a business plan to make the program self-sustaining.

Non-motorized parade set for Independence Day

All are invited to participate in a July 4 non-motorized parade around Robert Reed Park on Chincoteague Island to be held rain or shine.

Walk, ride a bike, pull a wagon, or get creative (pets are not permitted in the park).

Gift cards donated by Island Creamery will be awarded to the oldest participant, the youngest participant, and the largest family group. The parade begins at 10 a.m.

There will be an opening ceremony with a welcome from Paul Miller, president of the Library Board, an invocation by the Rev. Jon Woodburn, of Christ United Methodist Church, and a Mayor's Welcome by Denise Bowden.

Junior Miss Chincoteague Harper Stewart will be at the parade.

"America the Beautiful" will be performed by Aaron Reaves to kick off the parade.

Uncle Sam will be leading the parade around the park. After the parade lollipops and water will be served. Prizes will be awarded at the conclusion of the parade.

Participation in the parade is free and no pre-registration is required.

Assemble for the parade on the walkway adjacent to Bridge Street.

The Chincoteague Island Library is located at 4077 Main St., Chincoteague.

For more information, call the library at 757-336-3460, visit the Chincoteague Island Library website or visit the Chincoteague Island Library on Facebook.

Advance Auto partners with Exmore Police

Advance Auto Parts recently opened a new store in Exmore t 3543 Lankford Highway.

As part of the Exmore store's grand opening celebration, the company introduced a partnership with the Exmore Police Department to help drivers pay for auto parts to fix equipment violations and stay safe through the company's "Advancing Our Roads" program.

Since its inception in 2020, Advance has donated nearly 8,000 gift cards through the program to approximately 100 police departments nationwide for officers to give to motorists when they are pulled over for an equipment violation.

"We are excited to bring 'Advancing Our Roads' to the Exmore community to keep customers safe on the roads," said Anthony Sarlanis, regional vice president, Advance Auto Parts.

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Roadsides

(Continued from page 1)

Italian ryegrass is invasive and commonly grows on Eastern Shore roadsides. It also can end up growing in wheat and barley fields.

"The problem is they let it (roadside ryegrass) grow, it heads out, and seeds. The seeds can be carried by wind, machinery, or animals," said Hélène Doughty, an associate extension agent for Virginia Cooperative Extension who is based in Northampton County.

While a chemical weed and grass killer like Roundup kills Italian ryegrass, Roundup also kills wheat, she said. There is no chemical farmers can use that will kill Italian ryegrass and not kill their wheat.

Additionally, it wouldn't be easy for VDOT to cut the grass more often.

The cost of cutting it one time on the Eastern Shore is \$143,457 — this includes what VDOT refers to as both primary and secondary routes.

Primary routes are defined as

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Hélène Doughty
Agricultural Extension Agent

state-maintained roads numbered 599 or below — these include Lankford Highway, Chincoteague Road, and Stone Road, which goes into Cape Charles.

VDOT says the grass on these roads is cut three times per year.

Secondary routes are state-maintained roads numbered 600 or greater — these are most back roads on the Eastern Shore. VDOT says these are cut twice per year.

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On Saturday, June 14, American Legion Post 56, along with Cheriton Volunteer Fire Department and Exmore Boys and Girls Scout Troop 314, participated in a flag day Ceremony and a flag retirement complete with incineration. During the ceremony, Post 56 honored J.K. and Wendy Carpenter (left) from the Cheriton Volunteer Fire Company with the 2025 Firefighter/EMT of the Year Award.

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Verbally abusive Onancock neighbor heads to jail

BY NANCY DRURY DUNCAN
Eastern Shore Post

A woman who made her next door neighbors’ life “a living hell” for three years will spend two years in jail.

Kathy Peterson, 60, of Onancock repeatedly violated protective orders.

She tormented the neighbors intensely — constantly barraging them with yelling, name-calling, racial slurs, and insults, and one neighbor had to make a trip to the emergency room to seek treatment for seizures brought about by the stress of living near Peterson, testimony in Accomack County Circuit Court showed.

In the lengthy victim impact statement read aloud in the courtroom by Assistant Commonwealth’s Attorney William Fox, the neighbors, a couple, said that they moved into the house in 2019, planning to spend their retirement there.

The harassment from Peterson began immediately, causing them both mental and financial stress. The two properties shared a well and because of

the strife, the victims had a well drilled on their property, costing more than \$6,000.

They said Peterson even screamed at friends and family who visited.

“Her racist remarks hurt a lot of people,” they wrote.

She also made up derogatory names for the couple, even going so far as to paint those names on a fence separating the two properties.

Fox said the screaming was so loud and so constant, it could be heard inside their house even with the windows closed.

He played audio recordings made by the couple from inside the home for the judge.

They said in their statement the abuse continued when they had friends and family visiting.

The man said they feared for their safety because Peterson threatened to “hurt us, kill our dogs, and burn down our house.”

The statement described an instance when Peterson was driving and swerved her car toward his wife as she was at her mailbox getting mail.

“We fear she will harm us or kill us,” said the cou-

ple’s statement to the court. Defense attorney Patrick Bales described Peterson as suffering from mental health issues as well as alcohol abuse.

“A bad combination,” he said. He told the court Peterson is undergoing mental health counseling while incarcerated and is taking medication.

She is a changed person, he said. He asked for a light sentence and said Peterson planned to move to Maryland.

Fox responded that he was glad the defendant was receiving counseling but added that at each earlier court appearance for violating a protective order, she told the court she would be moving.

Circuit Judge Lynwood W. Lewis warned Peterson if she was ever in this court again, she would receive a long sentence.

He sentenced her to five years on each of the two felony counts of violating a protective order and suspended all but two years.

She is to be on supervised probation for three years and on good behavior for five years.

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Forum will help elders defend vs. fraud, abuse

There will be a free forum on the hazards of how fraud and abuse target older adults on Monday, July 14, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Great Hall of the workforce building at Eastern Shore Community College in Melfa.

There will be refreshments provided.

The forum is entitled, "Knowledge is Power: What Older Adults Need to Know about Fraud and Abuse."

The presenters include Shawn Smith, the state director of Virginia Senior Medicare Patrol. It is an advocacy program educating and supporting older adults in preventing, detecting, and reporting health care fraud, errors, and abuse.

Smith is also the author of "101

Fraud Tips" and will present on common health care scams targeting seniors. He will provide strategies for prevention, detection, and reporting.

The team from the Elder Justice Learning and Research Hub at Virginia Commonwealth University will present the award-winning program "Virginia: Helping Elders Access Resources."

Attendees will learn how to recognize and respond to elder mistreatment, the role ageism plays, and the importance of being connected to local services and resources.

For more information, contact Linda Arvidson at 757-442-9652. The program is coordinated by the Eastern Shore Area Agency on Aging/Community Action Agency.

Savage earns Bridgewater honor

Bridgewater College recognized approximately 80 outstanding students during the annual College Awards ceremony on Saturday, April 5.

Among the students receiving awards was Hayley Savage, a history and political science major from New Church. Savage received the John W. Wayland Scholarship in Public

History.

This award recognizes a rising senior pursuing a degree in history, public history, or teacher education who demonstrates high academic proficiency and the potential for a career in public-facing history.

Coeducational since its founding in 1880, Bridgewater College is a private, four-year liberal arts college located in the Central Shenandoah Valley of Virginia. Today, Bridgewater College is home to approximately 1,450 students.

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Supervisors consider ways to have Assateague lifeguards

BY JANET BERNOSKY
Eastern Shore Post

Concern for the lack of lifeguards at Assateague beach along with possible solutions were on the table when the Accomack County Board of Supervisors met for their monthly meeting on June 18.

County administrator Mike Mason said he has been in discussion with Mike Tolbert, Chincoteague’s town

manager, and representatives from the National Park Service, with Tolbert taking the lead in the situation.

One potential solution involved the county and the town of Chincoteague agreeing to finance lifeguards for the remainder of the season.

Mason pointed out two potential issues with this solution. One issue involved the current federal hiring freeze, with the second issue involving the loss of key staff managing this program.

The second and most viable solution, according to Mason, would involve a partnership between the three entities in which the the county and town would provide lifeguards through the use of an outside company or service who then would be allowed to use the Park Service’s equipment.

Mason said the proposed costs, including liability coverage, is being drawn up to bring before the board.

Supervisor Jeffrey Parks point-

ed out that District 2 congresswoman Jen Kiggans recently sent a letter to Robert Burgum, the current Department of the Interior secretary, who reassured her that seasonal employees would not be affected by the current federal hiring freeze.

Supervisor Robert Crockett urged Mason to call an emergency session, if needed, rather than wait for the next monthly meeting, which is scheduled for July 16.

Local DAR awards scholarship to Shelby Shertenlieb at luncheon



COURTESY PHOTO

Mary Margaret Browning, Chapter Scholarship chairman, is pictured with and Shelby Shertenlieb, scholarship recipient.

The Eastern Shore of Virginia Chapter National Society Daughters of the American Revolution recently selected two recipients for its 2025 scholarships.

At the chapter’s May meeting at the Island House restaurant in Wachapreague, Shelby Shertenlieb was awarded one of the scholarships. The chapter hopes to award its other scholarship at its July meeting.

Shertenlieb, a member of Arcadia High School’s class of 2025, is the daughter of Margie and Benjamin Shertenleib, of Bloxom.

Shertenlieb will be attending James Madison University, where she plans on earning a bachelor’s degree in history and a master’s in education and teaching.

Shertenlieb earned the scholar-

ship based upon her passion for history, her overall academic excellence in all subjects, and her school service.

In the essay portion of the scholarship application, Shertenlieb said she has always been fascinated with history and has a passionate desire to learn about the foundation of our society, the hardships and victories of our forebears, and the lessons we can learn from the past to create a more inclusive and mindful future.

Studying history is more than learning dates. Knowing our country’s history is crucial to creating a more knowledgeable and involved populace in an era of political divide, disinformation, and pervasive historical illiteracy.

American history is not just about

where we have been, it’s about who we are and who we hope to become.

This local scholarship for \$1,000 is awarded every year to an Accomack County senior who excels in the study of history at the high school level and will be pursuing collegiate studies in American history or political science.

There are many other scholarship opportunities offered by the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution for which the local chapter would be pleased to support qualified applicants.

Visit the DAR.org website to explore these and contact Mary Margaret Browning, ESVA Chapter DAR Scholarship Chair, for any local chapter support as needed at marymargaret_browning@yahoo.com.

PUBLIC HEARING

The Cheriton Town Council will hold a public hearing on
Wednesday, July 23rd, 2025, at 7pm.

The public hearing will be held in Council Chambers at
21314 South Bayside Road at Town Hall.

Topic of Discussion: Consideration of An Ordinance Accepting the Northampton County Planning Commission as Its Own

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The Town of Exmore is accepting applications for a full-time Public Works Supervisor. Must possess a high school diploma or equivalent and a valid Virginia driver's license (CDL preferred). The Public Works Supervisor will manage & oversee the operation of all functions of the Department of Public Works, including, but not limited to water & wastewater systems, refuse collection, leaf and limb removal, drainage, and maintenance of grounds & town-owned buildings, parks, properties, equipment & vehicles. Responsible for making monthly reports to the Town Council detailing the status of the department.

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This is a salaried position to be negotiable depending on qualifications & experience. Applications, together with copies of the job description, may be obtained at the Exmore Town Office, 3305 Main St., Exmore, VA 23350 during normal business hours. Completed applications must be received before 4 p.m. on Friday, July 11, to be considered.

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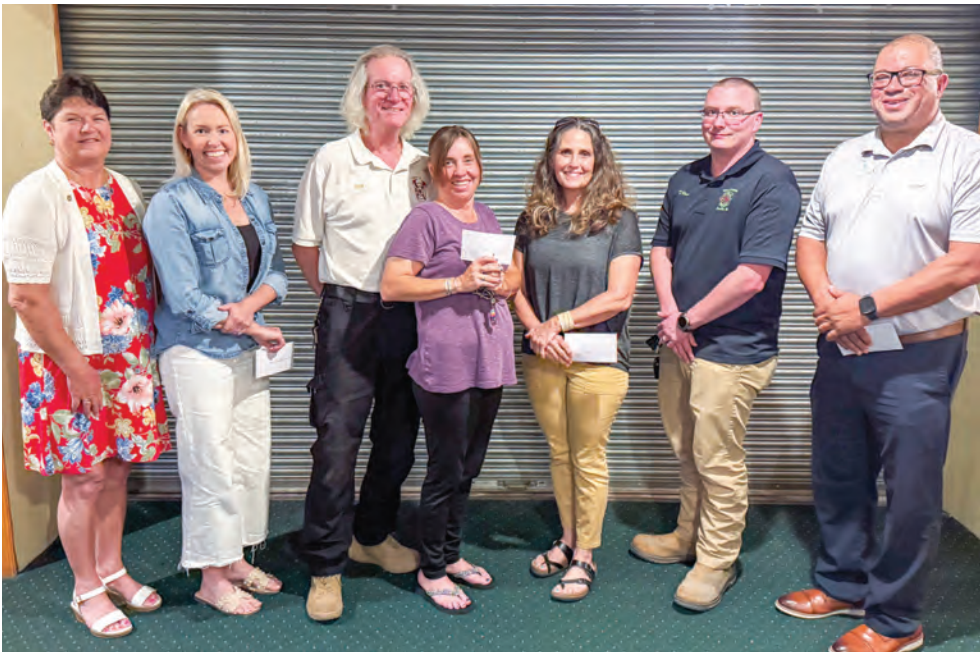
LOCALS ATTEND BOYS STATE



COURTESY PHOTO

Two students from Broadwater Academy attended Boys State and were sponsored by American Legion Post 56 in Cheriton. It was held June 15 to 21 at Radford University. During the program rising high school seniors learned and participated in local and state government. Pictured are Jake Haynes, left, and Grayson Ross, right. Bill Stram of Post 56, center, was a city counselor at Boys State.

EXMORE ROTARY MAKES DONATIONS



COURTESY PHOTO

Representatives of local nonprofit groups receive some of the \$18,900 distributed recently by the Exmore Rotary Club. From left are Leah Fisher, Rotary Club president; Kerry Binard, Randy Custis Memorial Park; John McLeish, Community Volunteer Fire Company; Andua Miles, SPCA; Vickie Sams, Lighthouse Ministries; Chief Teddy Ross, Northampton Fire and Rescue; and Andre Elliott, Eastern Shore Family YMCA.



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Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat for Humanity recently had its first modular home delivered.

Eastern Shore Habitat gets first modular home

The Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat For Humanity has quickened the pace of providing homes to families in need here on the Shore.

On Thursday, June 26, Habitat received the first modular home in its inventory. It was placed on a lot in Onancock's northeast neighborhood.

This home was built by Cardinal Homes in Wylliesburg, on Route 360 just northeast of South Boston.

ESVA Habitat has a special arrangement with Cardinal to provide this cost-competitive three bedroom, two-bath, 1,176-square-foot, single-story house model.

All electrical and plumbing is complete, sinks and cabinets are in place, insulation and drywall has been installed, and paint, trim, and most of the flooring is finished, resulting in the delivery of a house that is about 90% complete.

This is Habitat's 57th house and is a test case. The group expects that the

overall project cost may be slightly less expensive than the organization's other builds, but the real savings is time — the house is finished in half of the time as other builds.

Locally constructed houses are still important to Habitat and help its homeowners learn about construction and maintenance. It also allows its volunteers to pitch in and build with them.

Habitat is trying to increase its capacity for providing safe and affordable housing, and adding in the modular process will allow the group to reach this goal quicker.

Modular homes are homes built off-site that are held to the same local, state, and regional building codes required for on-site constructed homes. They stand on a traditional foundation and cannot move. This house has been designed to withstand hurricane winds, as required by Accomack County Code.



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EASTERN SHORE POST/JIM RITCH
American Legion Post 56 officers display the Post Everlasting Boards, bearing names of deceased Post 56 members. The officers are asking the public for names of family members and friends who belonged to the Post between 1922 and 2005 and might be added to the boards. To date, 52 Legionnaires have been honored. From left are Commander Nancy Wilderson and Historian Larry McCluskey. Anyone with knowledge of a father, uncle, grandfather, or brother to be honored is asked to contact Post 56 at 757-331-2123.

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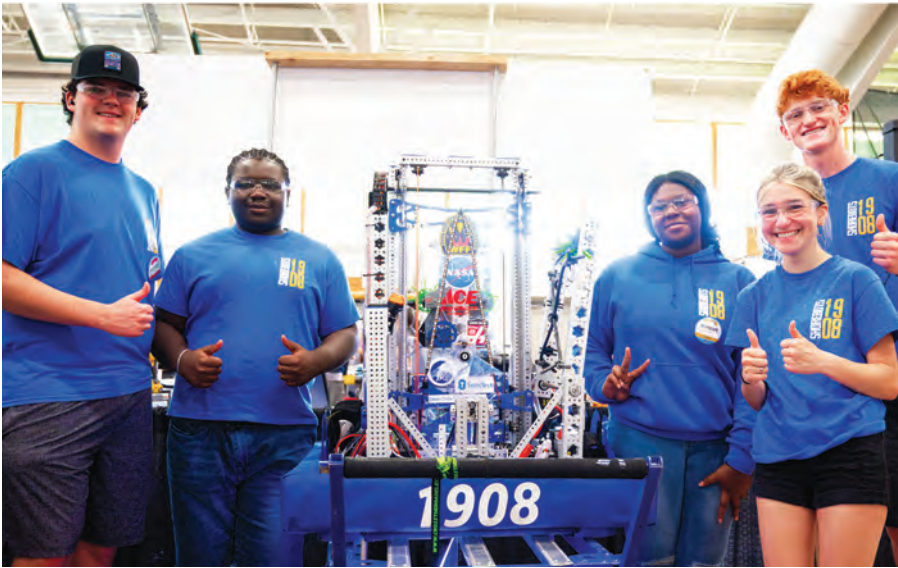
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NORTHAMPTON ROBOTICS IN REGIONAL MEET



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The Northampton High School Robotics Team (The Shorebots Team 1908) traveled to New Jersey on June 21 to compete in an out-of-district off-season competition titled “Duel on the Delaware.” The event consisted of 29 robots, primarily from the Mid-Atlantic District, many of which were top-100 world-ranked teams. The Shorebots ranked seventh after the qualification round, was the No. 5-seeded alliance captain, and was eliminated in the semifinals, finishing in fourth place. Pictured from left are Reid Travis, Brycen Joseph, NaRiah Benoit, Abby Zodun, and Grayson Brown.

ESYCC SPORTS CAMP



COURTESY PHOTO
Pictured are a few of the youth at the Junior Sports Camp at the Eastern Shore Yacht & Country Club last week. A second Junior Sports Camp is being held July 14 to 18, in addition to an Eco-Warrior camp from July 7 to 11, a Golf School Aug. 4 to 8, a Swimming and Art Camp July 28 to Aug. 1, and weekly Sailing Camps. The first sailing camp is July 7 to 11 and the camps run weekly through Aug. 4 to 8. All camps are open to members and nonmembers. Register online at office@esycc.com or call the office at 767-787-1525. Pictured front row from left are Karen Lattimore, Hunter Winstead, Caroline Winstead, Cecil Burger, and Oliver Lattimore. Pictured in the back row are golf instructor Jay Williams and camp counselors Morgan Johnson and Marielle Warren.

CENTRAL HIGH CLASS OF 1957 REUNION



COURTESY PHOTO
Members of the Central High School Class of 1957 held their annual class reunion on June 18, when they met for lunch at the Sage Diner in Onley. Pictured in the front row from left are Joyce Arrington Bowen, Peggy Reed Brown, and Betty Scarborough Killmon. Pictured in the back row from left are June Parker Collins, Harriet Stockley Shrieves, Bill Phillips, and Jack Gladden.

COMMUNITY

Free workshop for seniors covers wills, POA, AMD

There will be a free workshop for seniors on wills, powers of attorney, and advanced medical directives hosted by the Legal Aid Society of Eastern Virginia at the Eastern Shore Area Agency on Aging/Community Action Agency, 5432 Bayside Road, Exmore, on Thursday, July 24, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The estate planning workshop will provide free legal advice in preparing essential documents.

The workshop is ideal for seniors who need assistance with legal documents related to estate planning and healthcare decisions.

Income and eligibility restrictions apply. Preregistration is required so an intake screening process can be completed.

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The Town of Onley is accepting applications for a Full-Time
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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.

The Town of Onley 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
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OPEN POSITIONS

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

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Northampton County is accepting applications for a full-time Building Inspector. The essential function of this position is to perform building inspections. Provides customer service and clerical duties.

Requires high school diploma or GED, and one (1) year of related experience. Experience as a building inspector is desired. Provides customer service to the public pertaining to building permits. The position is responsible for performing building inspections and reviewing construction plans.

Requires valid Virginia Driver's License. Excellent communication skills are essential. This salary ranges from \$48,261 to \$73,644.

CODE COMPLIANCE INSPECTOR

Northampton County is accepting applications for a full-time Code Compliance Inspector. The essential function of this position is to provide customer service to the public pertaining to code inspections and enforcement of county codes. The position is responsible for inspections and enforces violations of Chapter 92: Abandoned, Inoperable and Unattended Vehicles; Chapter 94: Nuisances; and Chapter 154: Zoning Code.

Requires high school diploma or GED, and one (1) year of related experience. Excellent communication skills are essential. This salary ranges from \$42,665 to \$65,073.

PLANNER/COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST

Northampton County is accepting applications for a full-time Planner/Community Redevelopment Specialist. The essential function of this position is to provide planning and technical support for the Planning, Permitting and Enforcement Department and various boards and committees. The position is responsible for assisting with planning, policy analysis, regulation enforcement, technical research and support, site/plan review, customer service, and related records and reports. The position works under general supervision of the Director.

Requires Bachelor's degree in planning or closely related field of study or at least three (3) years of related experience and demonstrated ability to handle multiple projects, public speaking, and maintain good public relations. Excellent communication skills are essential. This salary ranges from \$62,877 to \$96,192.

Please refer to Northampton county's website at <https://tinyurl.com/yez66ra> for further position descriptions. Please submit a completed County application with cover letter to Human Resources. **Positions open until filled.**

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.

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

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Minimum qualifications: Associate degree in accounting, business, or related field. Supplemented by a minimum of two (2) years of experience in accounting with exposure to payroll and benefit administration.

Satisfactory completion of a background check and pre-employment drug screening are required prior to employment. Application and instructions can be obtained from the County's website: <http://www.co.accomack.va.us/residents/job-opportunities>

First consideration will be given to applications received prior to 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 17, 2025.

Accomack County is committed to an inclusive and diverse workforce.



FINANCIAL SPECIALIST EASTERN SHORE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Eastern Shore Community College is a member of the Virginia Community College System. The College serves the residents of Accomack County and Northampton County as a two-year institution of higher learning.

Eastern Shore Community College is seeking a part-time Financial Specialist.

The Financial Specialist will be responsible for managing the fiscal operations of the Adult Education program, including tracking and reporting of more than eight state and federal grants. This role ensures financial accuracy, regulatory compliance, and timely reporting using both ESCC's financial systems and the Virginia Department of Education's OMEGA platform.

ESCC is seeking applications for this part-time position. For additional details, qualifications, and application process, please visit <https://jobs.vccs.edu/postings/86247>

EOE

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Produce company located in Cheriton, VA, seeking full-time Maintenance Worker with mechanical experience and ability to repair and troubleshoot electric motors, plumbing, and equipment. Should have proficiency with forklift operation, technical manuals, and schematics. Must have a valid driver's license to apply. For more details call 757-678-5097.

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Eastern Shore's Own Arts Center is seeking an Executive Director to lead day-to-day operations of its nonprofit community arts center and school of dance.

The Executive Director will foster the arts education and ESO's future growth, ensure the financial stability and health of the organization, and build sustainability through the coordination and execution of successful fundraising efforts.

The ideal candidate is a true servant to the nonprofit arts community with a passion for the transformative power of the arts, a desire to broaden access to arts education on the Shore, and the belief that vibrant, thriving communities can't exist without the arts.

This position offers flexibility, a creative environment, a supportive network of staff, volunteers, and boardmembers, and the opportunity to build on the legacy of a beloved institution and to make a difference in the community.

ADMINISTRATION

- Supervise office manager
- Book class instructors and manage contracts
- Draft class schedules
- Review student registrations and assist office manager with logistics
- Create promotional materials and social media posts
- Attend monthly board meetings and provide a monthly report

FINANCE

- Provide financial management and reporting for the organization
- Prepare an annual budget to be presented to the board of directors for approval
- Work with the treasurer to review financials
- Conduct an annual review with the treasurer and bookkeeper to ensure the financial health of the organization
- Process revenue transactions and receive and post tuition, revenue, and donation payments
- Prepare and make bank deposits weekly

FUND DEVELOPMENT

- Work with the Fund Development Committee to create annual fundraising plan

- Determine the level of unrestricted donations ESO needs to bring in each fiscal year, ensure that goal is met
- Create sponsorship packets, donation packets, campaign marketing materials, and other fundraising literature
- Solicit sponsorships from businesses and donations from individuals and foundations to meet ESO's financial needs, along with the board
- Seek out and write grants to support operational costs and capital projects at ESO and provide reporting for any grants awarded
- Build relationships in the community to promote the mission of ESO and drive sponsorships and investment in the organization

EVENTS

- Plan and coordinate summer camp
- Plan and coordinate fundraisers including Wigs and Whiskey (October) and ESO Fest (June 2026) with the help of the board of directors
- Coordinate volunteers, artists, and lobby operations for The Nutcracker and spring ballet
- Work with the board to select ESO Live artists and book and coordinate with artists

QUALIFICATIONS

- A bachelor's degree from an accredited university or college
- Prior experience with creating and managing budgets
- Knowledge of non-profits and grants
- Knowledge of community arts organizations or the performing arts a plus
- Strong written and verbal communication skills, including public speaking
- Demonstrated fundraising success
- Understanding of technology including Microsoft Office, Quickbooks, email marketing platforms, social media, Wordpress, and the Google Suite
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Please refer to Northampton County's website for a complete job description, requirements, and application form at https://co.northampton.va.us/government/jobs_opportunities/job_openings.

Please submit completed county application form to Human Resources, P.O. Box 66, Eastville, VA 23347 or in person to 16404 Courthouse Road. **Position open until filled.** Northampton County is an EOE.

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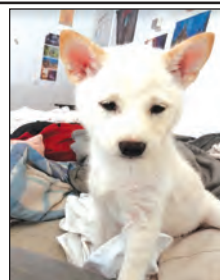
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Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, Virginia, entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Thursday, July 10, 2025, at the Accomack County Circuit Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

- PARCEL 1:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. PETER HENRY BAILEY
MAP NO. 110000300B003
33107 BIG PINE ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 0.50 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 2:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. THELMA WISE BROADWATER
MAP NO. 06700A000014800
OFF HOPKINS ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 19.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 3:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ADDIE B. HANDY
MAP NO. 05400A000011300
26393 PAYNE ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 0.923 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 4:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. NORMAN H. MARSHALL
MAP NO. 01300A000004600
OFF WEBBS LANE
- PARCEL 5:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. ROBERT C. MARSHALL
MAP NO. 06800A000016700
ON GUILFORD ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 3.00 ACRES, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 6:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. NAOMI R. POOLE/GRACE E. POOLE
MAP NO. 02800A00002100
7186 FLEMING ROAD
- PARCEL 7:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. BRYAN K. POWELL
MAP NO. 102B00501000100
19363 MAIN STREET; TOWN OF MELFA
- PARCEL 8:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. NIVLYS A. RAYNOR/JOHN B. RAYNOR, SR.
MAP NO. 03900A000001100
ON BELINDA ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 1.00 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 9:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. LARRY T. RUTTER
MAP NO. 029A20100036500
LOT 365, UNIT 2, SHEET 2, CHINCOTEAGUE BAY TRAILS END
MOBILE HOME DOES NOT CONVEY
- PARCEL 10:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MONTERO E. SAMPLE
MAP NO. 092A0A0000002A0
26262 SAVAGEVILLE ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 0.90 ACRE, MORE OR LESS

- PARCEL 11:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MONTERO E. SAMPLE
MAP NO. 092A0A0000002B0
OFF SAVAGEVILLE ROAD
APPROXIMATELY 0.40 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 12:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. MILDRED F. SIMPKINS/BERTHA FINNEY
MAP NO. 07900A000000200
26462 DENNIS DRIVE, PARKSLEY
APPROXIMATELY 0.50 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 13:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CLEMENT A. SMITH
MAP NO. 04100A000011400
ON SAXIS ROAD
- PARCEL 14:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CLEMENT A. SMITH
MAP NO. 092A0A000004200
OFF SAVAGEVILLE ROAD
- PARCEL 15:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CLEMENT A. SMITH
MAP NO. 12000A000007900
36155 BELLS NECK ROAD
MOBILE HOME DOES NOT CONVEY
- PARCEL 16:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. CLEMENT A. SMITH
MAP NO. 039A0A000002700
ON STUMP TOWN ROAD
- PARCEL 17:

ACCOMACK COUNTY vs. TMCD VINELAND, LLC
MAP NO. 030A31100000200
7141 BUNTING ROAD; TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE
APPROXIMATELY 0.3376 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 18:

TOWN OF CHINCOTEAGUE vs. WILLIAM GREEN TAYLOR
MAP NO. 030A110000030D2
OFF RIDGE ROAD AND SEA BIRD DRIVE
LOT 30D2, OCEAN BREEZE
APPROXIMATELY 0.23 ACRE, MORE OR LESS
- PARCEL 19:

TOWN OF HALLWOOD vs. VESTA S. WESSELLS
MAP NO. 040A1A000000800
27239 MAIN STREET

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.

JAMES W. ELLIOTT
Special Commissioner
7100 U. S. Route 17
Yorktown, VA 23692
(757) 898-7000
www.vataxsale.com

TOWN OF ONLEY – REQUEST FOR BIDS

The Town of Onley, VA, is accepting sealed bids for the following:

1. Aqua Ultraviolet Ultima II 2000 pond filter. Like new, used two seasons. Sells on Amazon for \$1,394.00. Minimum bid is \$600.00.
2. Performance Pro 1/8 HP Artesian2 Low RPM Pump, 3900 GPH. Like new, used two seasons. Sells online for approximately \$1,000.00. Minimum bid is \$400.00.
3. The Pond Guy ClearVac Pond Vacuum, with attachments, extension tubes and discharge hose. Like new, used minimally for two seasons. Sells on Amazon for \$399.99. Minimum bid is \$200.00.

These items may be viewed at the Onley Town Office at 25308 Lankford Highway, Onley, VA, during normal business hours.

Bids will be accepted at the Onley Town Office, 25308 Lankford Highway, Onley, VA 23418. Bid deadline is noon on Monday, Aug. 4, 2025. The Town has the right to reject any and all bids.

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Section 6 of the Accomack County Wetlands Zoning Ordinance, you are hereby notified of a public hearing that will be held in the Accomack County Administration Building Board Chambers, Room #104, 23296 Courthouse Ave., Accomac, VA 23301, at 10:00 A.M., Thursday, July 17, 2025, for the following application to be heard:

VMRC #2025-0894: John A. Niemiec Jr. & Denise M. Niemiec (Owner and Applicant) — Applicant proposes a bulkhead two feet seaward of the existing bulkhead, a dock, and a boat lift. The portion within the Board’s jurisdiction is wetlands behind the proposed bulkhead. Tax Map 77A-A-7 & 77A-A-9.

All interested parties will be afforded the opportunity to be heard or to present written statements. Applications may be examined in the Office of Environmental Programs, 23282 Courthouse Road, Accomac, VA 23301. Handicapped assistance is available. Please call (757) 787-5728.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Waverly Estates POA (VMRC #2025-1216) is requesting a permit from the Virginia Marine Resources Commission to repair and extend an existing boat ramp and to mechanically dredge approximately 80 cubic yards of material from the base of the ramp to achieve a new depth of -3 feet below mean low water adjacent to property (TM #28B-2-CA) located on Waverly Lane situated along Hungars Creek in Northampton County. Dredge material will be disposed of at an approved upland location.

You may provide comments on this application (VMRC #2025-1216) at <https://webapps.mrc.virginia.gov/public/habitat/comments/>

We will accept comments by the USPS provided they are received within 15 days of this notice to: Marine Resources Commission, Habitat Management Division, 380 Fenwick Road, Bldg. 96, Hampton, VA 23651.

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY

THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 25-354

vs.

EVELYN NORCOM BURTON, et als

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 those parcels of land in Accomack County, Virginia, designated as tax map numbers 005A302001577A0, 005A10100084200, and 005A60200010500

standing in the names of Evelyn Norcom Burton, Malcolm B. Burton, Henry Charles Norcom Jr., Blanche King Dawson, and Black Family Revocable Trust, pursuant to Section 58.1-3965 et. Seq. of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that Evelyn Norcom Burton is a nonresident of Virginia whose last known post office address is 1259 Brookstone Drive, Boothwyn, PA 19061; that Malcolm B. Norcom is a nonresident of Virginia whose last known post office address is 519 Affirmed Lane, Milton, GA 30004; that the last post office addresses of Sandra Bishop Norcom, Oliver Henry Norcom, and Madison Cambrie Norcom are unknown; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees, and successors in title of Henry Charles Norcom Jr., Henry Charles Norcom, Blanche King Dawson, and Richard K. Dawson; 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 Henry Charles Norcom Jr., Henry Charles Norcom, Blanche King Dawson, and Richard K. Dawson; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Norman J. Dawson, whose last known post office address is 5332 Ravensworth Road, Springfield, VA 22151; that Kathryn Dawson Kingsbury is a nonresident of Virginia whose last known post office address is 2213 Marilyn Drive, Jefferson City, MO 65109; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the names and location of the unknown trustee or trustees of the Black Family Revocable Trust, under Agreement dated June 16, 2003, but without effect; and that Sylvette D. Black McKenzie is a nonresident of Virginia whose last known post office address is 1539 W. 23rd Street, Jacksonville, FL 32209.

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 July 27, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Enter this 27th day of June, 2025.

Brandy Childress, Deputy Clerk

I ask for this:

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

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
IN AND FOR MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No. 25-DR-000137

Division: Family

IN THE MATTER OF THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS FOR THE PROPOSED ADOPTION OF A MINOR CHILD.

TO: Michael Joseph Reeves

Last Known Address: 26394 Culver Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a Petition to Terminate Parental Rights Pending Stepparent Adoption was filed in the interest of your Child E.R. ("Child"), who was born on October 16, 2008, in Northampton County, Virginia.

Michael Joseph Reeves is a 51-year-old White male who is 6 feet, 1 inch tall, weighs approximately 200 pounds, and has brown eyes and gray/bald hair.

A hearing on the Petition is scheduled before the Honorable Sherwood Bauer Jr. on August 19, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. A link to the hearing may be requested from Bauerja@circuit19.org. You must appear before the Court on the above date and file a written response with the Clerk of this Court at Martin County Courthouse, 100 S.E. Ocean Blvd., Stuart, FL 34994 on or before August 4, 2025. You must serve a copy of this response on JAY AND CAMPBELL, PLLC, whose address is 1 SE Ocean Blvd., Stuart, FL 34994. FAILURE TO TIMELY FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THIS NOTICE WITH THE COURT AND TO APPEAR AT THIS HEARING CONSTITUTES GROUNDS UPON WHICH THE COURT SHALL END ANY PARENTAL RIGHTS YOU MAY HAVE REGARDING THE CHILD.

Copies of all court documents in this case, including orders, are available at the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office. You may review these documents upon request. You must keep the Clerk of the Circuit Court's office notified of your current address.

This notice shall be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Virginia EASTERN SHORE POST.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said court at Stuart, Florida on this 30th day of June, 2025.

Carolyn Timmann
Martin County Clerk of Courts

By: B. Rogers
(Court Seal)

Sarah J. Campbell, Esq.
Florida Bar No. 089513
Jay & Campbell, PLLC
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Stuart, Florida 34994
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sarah@flfamilyformation.com

ADA Notice: If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Please contact Court Administration, 250 NW Country Club Drive, Suite 217, Port St. Lucie, FL 34986, (772) 807-4370 at least 7 days before your scheduled court appearance, or immediately upon receiving this notification if the time before the scheduled appearance is less than 7 days; if you are hearing or voice impaired, call 711.

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY

YVONNE V. NOCK,

Plaintiff
CASE NO. 25CL484

vs.

THE UNKNOWN HEIR(S)
OF WILLIAM JUSTICE

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

In this proceeding, the Plaintiff seeks to quiet title to, or in the alternative to acquire legal ownership by Adverse Possession of, a certain parcel of real property located in the County of Accomack (Parcel ID: 079G0A000002000), and which is described, pursuant to a legal description prepared by C. Lester Drummond, Esq., as follows:

All that certain tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being on State Route 679 leading from Zion Church to Modest Town, Metompkin Magisterial District, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded on the Northwest by the aforesaid State Route 679 for a distance of 50 feet; on the Northeast by a certain 30-foot road separating this land from the lot of Martha Justice West for a distance of 200 feet; on the Southeast by the land being sold to the parties of the second part by Gladys M. Deitrick (said land having been conveyed to Robert L. Nock and Yvonne V. Nock by deed dated August 12, 1987, and recorded in Deed Book 529 at Page 391 in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia); and on the Southwest by the lot formerly belonging to Gladys M. Deitrick.

It being part of the same land conveyed to William Justice by deed dated December 23, 1948, from V.S. Deitrick Jr. and Gladys M. Deitrick, his wife, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, in Deed Book 201, at Page 364.

It appearing to the Court, pursuant to Code of Virginia Section 8.01-316(A)(2) and an affidavit filed with the Court that the unknown heir(s) of William Justice cannot be found to respond to the Plaintiff's Complaint. Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED that any and all unknown heirs of William Justice shall appear on or before August 19, 2025, to do what is necessary to protect their interests in the subject matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post, a newspaper of general circulation in the County of Accomack, Virginia. It is further ORDERED that a copy of this Order be posted to the door of the courthouse of the Circuit Court of Accomack County, Virginia, for fifty (50) days after due publication of this Order in the Clerk's Office of the same court.

TEST: Talia C. Taylor, CLERK

BY: Caretta S. Harris, D.C.

I ask for this:

Douglas E. Kahle, Esquire (VSB #15964)
Zachary A. Handlin, Esquire (VSB #98963)
KINSER, LEFTWICH & KAHLE, P.C.
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ZHandlin@klklaw.com
Counsel for the Plaintiff

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**VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK**

KATE MERCEDES WHARTON, et al.,

**Plaintiffs
CASE NO. CL25-275**

v.

RUTH A. MASON, et al.,

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

To: MARK B. WILSON (“Wilson”), whose last known address is unknown; and the heirs, devisees, and successors in title of **JOHN FRAZIER WHARTON** (“Wharton”); **TIMOTHY DEWAINÉ LEWIS** (“Lewis”); **DEMITRIUS CARTER** a/k/a **DEMETRIUS N. CARTER** (“Carter”); **DOROTHY DIX** (“Dix”); and **KAREN J. LOPEZ** (“Lopez”), whose names and last known addresses are unknown, who are made parties Defendant by the general description of **PARTIES UNKNOWN** (the “Parties Unknown”):

The object of this suit is to establish title to eleven (11) parcels of real property located in Accomack County, Virginia, and briefly described in the Complaint (the “Parcels”). An affidavit having been filed that Wilson and the heirs, devisees, assigns, and successors in title of Wharton, Lewis, Carter, Dix, and Lopez, whose names and last known addresses are unknown, who are made parties Defendant by the general description of Parties Unknown, may or may not claim an interest in one or more of the Parcels, it is hereby ORDERED that Wilson and any Parties Unknown should appear on or before the 18th day of August, 2025, at 10:00 a.m., in the Clerk’s Office and do whatever is necessary to protect any interest they may claim in the Parcels.

It is further ORDERED that this order of publication be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the *Eastern Shore Post*, a periodical of general circulation in the County of Accomack.

Entered this 13th day of June, 2025.

**TESTE: Hon. Talia Taylor, Clerk
By Caretta S. Harris, Deputy Clerk**

I ask for this:

James L. Windsor (VSB No. 25155)
John J. Chappell, III (VSB No. 88617)
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Counsel for Plaintiffs, Kate Mercedes Wharton and Gretchen Beverly Ann Wharton, a/k/a Gretchen Beverly Wharton

**NOTICE
JUDICIAL SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

On August 7, 2025, proceedings will be commenced under authority of Section 58.1-3965 et seq. of the Code of Virginia to sell the following parcels located in the County of Northampton, Virginia for payment of delinquent taxes:

Cape Charles Distillery, LLC
084C2-16-BLK-00 000000A
Johnson, Barbara A.
00008-0A-BLK-00 0000005
Jones, Larry N. & Barbara A.
021A1-05-BLK-00 0000004
Knight, William J. & Nancy B.
00090-05-BLK-00 0000006
Lambert Bridge Capital, LLC
00090-05-BLK-00 0000033
Lambert Bridge Capital, LLC
00090-05-BLK-00 0000089
Levin, Sara Beth & Labass, Carol Allene
00013-21-BLK-00 000000B
Morris, Doris Elizabeth
00084-0A-BLK-00 0000134
Sartor, Robert Charles Jr.
0015D-06-BLK-00 0000004
Spady, Albert
0068B-02-BLK-00 0000013
Tankard, W. Boston
00007-0A-BLK-00 0000048
Tankard, W. Boston
0003A-02-BLK-00 0000007
Tankard, W. Boston
0003A-02-BLK-00 0000009
Tankard, W. Boston
0003A-02-BLK-00 0000011
THS Family Limited Partnership
00056-0A-BLK-00 0015581
Wilson, Connie A.
00021-01-BLK-00 000002B
Young, Nicholas A.
010A1-0A-BLK-00 0000067
Young, Nicholas A.
010A1-0A-BLK-00 0000068

The owner of any property listed may redeem it at any time before the date of sale by paying accumulated taxes, penalties, interest and costs thereon at the law office listed below. The pro rata costs of publication hereunder shall become a part of the tax and together with all other costs, including reasonable attorney’s fees set by the court, shall be collected when payment is made whether or not court proceedings have been initiated.

**CYNTHIA BRADFORD
TREASURER
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA**

**JAMES W. ELLIOTT
Special Commissioner
7100 U. S. Route 17
Yorktown, VA 23692
(757) 898-7000
www.vataxsale.com**

**VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY**

**THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA**

**Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 25-125**

vs.

The heirs and devisees of **DELLA LOVE**, deceased
The heirs and devisees of **JOSHUA W. BEACH**, deceased
DELLA BEACH

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 parcel of land in Treherneville, near Birdsnest, Northampton County, Virginia, being .25 acre, more or less, and designated as tax map number 0040B-0A-BLK-00 00000A4.

standing in the name of Della Love, also known as Della C. Love and Della C. Love Beach, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees, and successors in title of Della Love and Joshua W. Beach; 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 Della Love and Joshua W. Beach; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Della Beach, whose last known post office address is 8285 Treherneville Drive, Birdsnest, VA 23307.

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 July 18, 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 26th day of June, 2025.

Traci Johnson, Clerk

I ask for this:

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

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**PUBLIC AUCTION
OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE
30600 GRETA ROAD, ATLANTIC, VA 23303**

The undersigned Substitute Trustee by virtue of authority contained in a certain deed of trust from Jermaine Lavone Brown Sr. dated January 13, 2022, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack as Instrument Number 220000218, upon being requested to do so by the noteholder, and that certain instrument appointing the undersigned Substitute Trustee, dated May 28, 2025, duly recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office as Instrument Number 250001958, will sell at public auction, subject to any and all terms and conditions contained in said deed of trust, to the highest bidder,

**IN FRONT OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
AT 23316 COURTHOUSE AVE.
IN ACCOMAC, VIRGINIA
ON THURSDAY, JULY 10, 2025
AT 10:30 A.M.**

the following tract of valuable real estate, to-wit:

All that certain lot or parcel of land, with any and all improvements thereon, situate on the south side of Virginia Route No. 703, the public road leading from U.S. Highway 13 to the Village of Atlantic, in Atlantic Magisterial District, Accomack County, Virginia, and bounded as follows: On the Northeast, by said public road for a distance of Two Hundred Feet (200 ft.); on the Southeast, by the land now or formerly of Carlon Collins for a distance of Two Hundred Feet (200 ft.); on the Southwest, by the remaining lands now or formerly of Larry K. Rantz, for a distance of Two Hundred Feet (200 ft.); and on the Northwest, by the land now or formerly of Charles F. Matthews for a distance of Two Hundred Feet (200 ft.). (Tax Map #04200A000000100)

Together with all rights, easements, buildings, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Subject to valid recorded easements, covenants, reservations and restrictions in the chain of title to the property

hereby conveyed, which have not expired or otherwise become ineffective.

Being the same lot or parcel of real estate conveyed to Jermaine Lavone Brown Sr. by deed dated March 20, 2012, of record in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for Accomack County, Virginia, as Instrument Number 201201003.

**THIS IS AN ATTEMPT BY A DEBT COLLECTOR
TO COLLECT A DEBT.**

TERMS

Ten percent (10%) of the purchase price will be required in cash on the date of sale with liberty to the purchaser to pay as much more in cash on that day as he might desire. The balance not so paid in cash to be evidenced by the note of the purchaser, payable thirty days from date with interest at 9% from date of sale, and with personal security should the undersigned Substitute Trustee require it. Title to the premises to be retained as additional security until the full amount of the purchase price has been paid. Bidders may be required to offer proof of a satisfactory financial condition prior to Substitute Trustee's acceptance of their bid.

The property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the time bid off; possession to be given on the day of sale, and taxes for the year 2025 to be prorated as of the date of sale.

Upon payment in full of the purchase price the purchaser to be entitled to a deed for said property upon same properly prepared at his expense conveying said property with SPECIAL WARRANTY of title and tendered to the undersigned Substitute Trustee for execution.

For further information apply to the undersigned Substitute Trustee.

Given under my hand this the 6th day of June, 2025.

JOHN P. CUSTIS
Substitute Trustee
25020 Shore Pkwy., Suite 2A
Onley, VA 23418
757-302-4131

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Northampton County Wetlands Board will hold a public meeting on Wednesday, July 16, 2025, to consider and to hear public comments on two applications.

The meeting will begin at 8:00 AM with site visits to the affected properties in the order in which the cases are listed below. The Board will reconvene at or around 10:00 AM that same morning in Board Chambers in the County Administration Building at 16404 Courthouse Road, Eastville, Virginia, for the purpose of conducting public hearings.

VMRC 2025-0540: D. Richard Felker II & Janice W. Felker are applying for a permit to construct a living shoreline consisting of oyster sills, bank grading, and coir logs & jutte mat. Vegetation will be planted in areas of disturbance. The properties are located at Lot A, 4103 & 4107 Barlow Creek Lane, Cape Charles, VA, and are further described as Tax Maps 47-4-A, 47-4-B, and 47-4-C along the shoreline of Mattawoman Creek. Approximately 5,720 square feet of non-vegetated wetlands are affected.

VMRC 2025-1216: Waverly Estates POA, Inc., represented by Howard Loudin, is applying for a permit to replace an existing boat ramp with a concrete launch ramp with drainage furrows. The property is located on Waverly Lane, Machipongo, VA, and is further described as Tax Map 28B-2-CA along the shoreline of Hungars Creek. Approximately 1 square foot of vegetated wetlands and 620 square feet of non-vegetated wetlands are affected.

The application files may be viewed in the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office in the County Administration Building, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

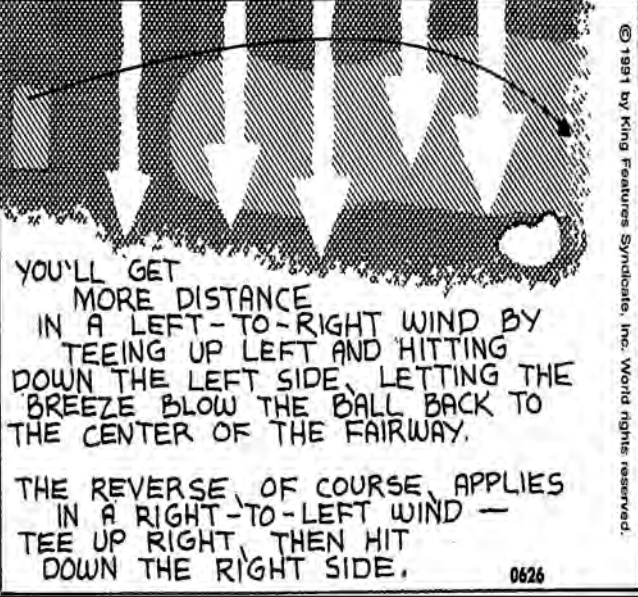
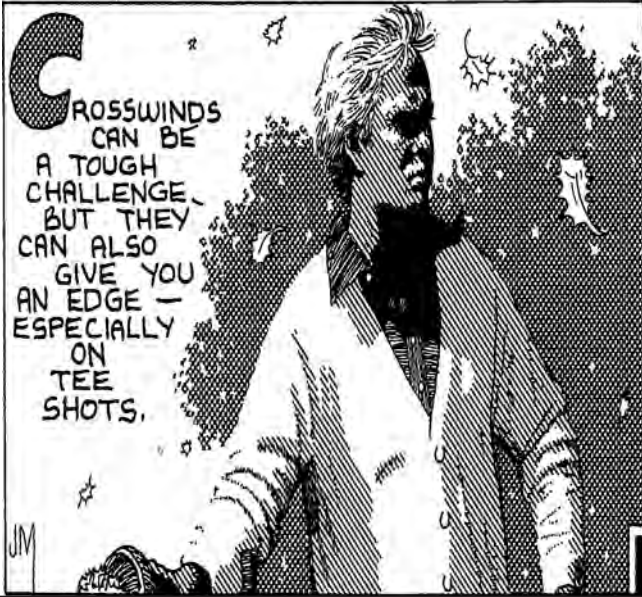
Written comments may be sent via email to olivia.bennett@co.northampton.va.us or may be submitted by mail or hand-delivery to the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office in the County Administration Building.

Persons needing assistance attending the meeting or viewing the files may contact the County at (757) 678-0443, ext. 516.

For questions on application information, contact the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office at (757) 678-0443, ext. 546.

Marshall Cox, Chairman
Wetlands Board

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Strange But True
By Lucie Winborne

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VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA
Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 25-187

vs.
The heirs and devisees of
CHARLIE LANE, deceased, et als
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 those parcels of land in Northampton County, Virginia, designated as tax map numbers 00015-0A-BLK-00 0000128 and 00015-0A-BLK-00 0000129

standing in the names of Carrie Lee Lane and Charlie Lane, 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 ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees, and successors in title of Charlie Lane, Carrie Lee Lane, Harold Lee Lane, Jerome W. Lane, Charles E. Lane, and Ruth A. Gordy; that due diligence has been used to determine whether Sally Mae Rogers is living, or if deceased, to ascertain the names and location of all of her 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 Charlie Lane, Carrie Lee Lane, Harold Lee Lane, Jerome W. Lane, Charles E. Lane, Ruth A. Gordy, and Sally Mae Rogers; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Herbert Burnon Lane, whose last known post office address is 6072 Bayside Road, Exmore, VA 23350; and that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Deshonna Rogers, whose last known post office address is P.O. Box 597, Melfa, VA 23410.

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before July 18, 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 27th day of June, 2025.

Traci Johnson, Clerk

I ask for this:
James W. Elliott
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 1410
Yorktown, VA 23692
757-898-7000

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY

THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA
Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 25-356

vs.
The heirs and devisees of
RUTH POULSON, deceased, et als
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 those parcels of land in Accomack County, Virginia, parcel I known as 23634 Leslie Trent Road and designated as tax map number 078A20400001600 and parcel II designated as tax map number 078A204000016A0

standing in the name of Ruth Poulson, 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 ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees, and successors in title of Ruth Poulson and Harry White; 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 Ruth Poulson and Harry White; that the last known post office address of Catherine Hall is unknown, and that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Margaret Watson, whose last known post office address is 23634 Leslie Trent Road, Parksley, VA 23421.

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 July 24, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Enter this 24th day of June, 2025.

Brandy Childress, Deputy Clerk

I ask for this:
James W. Elliott
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757-898-7000

VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ACCOMACK COUNTY

THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA
Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 25-331

vs.
The heirs and devisees of
GEORGE W. BRADFORD, deceased, et als
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 parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, described as Bradford Lot D, and designated as tax map number 120000400000400

standing in the name of George W. Bradford, 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 John Thomas Bradford, Laura B. Rowley, Theresa B. Baines, Willie Smith, Bes-sie Smith, Harold Smith, Stanley B. Smith, and Barbara S. Grant are living, or if deceased, to ascertain the names and location of all of their heirs, devisees, and successors in title; that due diligence has been used to ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees, and successors in title of George W. Bradford, Mary Hester Bradford, George Thomas Bradford, Sadie Bradford Smith, Hattie Bradford Jackson, John Bradford, Sarah Reid Bradford, and Louise Butler; 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 George W. Bradford, Mary Hester Bradford, George Thomas Bradford, Sadie Bradford Smith, Hattie Bradford Jackson, John Bradford, Sarah Reid Bradford, and Louise Butler; and that John T. Bradford Sr. is a nonresident of Virginia whose last known post office address is P.O. Box 44, Lexington Park, MD 20653.

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 July 24, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

Enter this 24th day of June, 2025.

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VIRGINIA:
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff
CIVIL CASE NO. 25-163

vs.

The heirs and devisees of
GEORGE PURNELL BOWDEN, deceased
WATSON LEE BOWDEN, if living
LISA WILSON
BAGWELL OIL CO., INC

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 parcel of land in Northampton County, Virginia, described as Lot A Fairview and designated as tax map number 0091B-05-BLK-00-A

standing in the name of George Purnell Bowden, 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 ascertain the names and location of all of the heirs, devisees, and successors in title of George Purnell Bowden; that due diligence has been used to determine whether Watson Lee Bowden is living, or if deceased, to ascertain the names and location of all of his 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 George Purnell Bowden and of Watson Lee Bowden; and that Lisa Wilson is a nonresident of Virginia whose last known post office address is 185 Acorn Forest Drive, Felton, DE 19943.

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before July 18, 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 27th day of June, 2025.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

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In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated November 16, 2016, in the original principal amount of \$95,397.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Accomack County, Virginia as Instrument No. 160004707. 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 July 30, 2025, at 1:45 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 SITUATE ON THE NORTHEAST SIDE OF CALLEN STREET IN THE TOWN OF PARKSLEY, ACCOMACK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT FOR THE TOWN OF PARKSLEY AS LOT 896 AND ONE-HALF OF LOT 897, FRONTING ON CALLEN STREET FOR A DISTANCE OF 75 FEET AND EXTENDING BACK A DISTANCE OF 150 FEET TO A 15-FOOT ALLEY AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTHEAST SIDE OF CALLEN STREET, WHICH POINT IS 175 FEET FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH THE WEST SIDE OF WILSON AVENUE; THEN FROM SAID POINT RUNNING WESTERLY ALONG THE NORTHEAST SIDE OF CALLEN STREET A DISTANCE OF 75 FEET; THEN AT RIGHT ANGLES RUNNING NORTHERLY A DISTANCE OF 150 FEET TO A CERTAIN 15-FOOT ALLEY; THEN EASTERLY ALONG THE SOUTHERN SIDE OF SAID ALLEY A DISTANCE OF 75 FEET; THEN SOUTHERLY A DISTANCE OF 150 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

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 Mortgagee, 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

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Virginia Marine Resources Commission invites public comment on proposed amendments to regulations, as shown below. By July 3, 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, July 22, 2025, at the Virginia Marine Resources Commission, 380 Fenwick Road, Bldg. 96, Fort Monroe, Virginia.

Written public comments on the proposals below or on items not on the agenda must be provided by 11:59 p.m., Thursday, July 17, 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.

The Commission may review Fisheries Management Division items as early as 9:30 a.m.

I. Chapter 4VAC20-1390-10, "Pertaining to Shrimp"

The Commission proposes amendments to Chapter 4VAC20-1390-10, "Pertaining to Shrimp," to 1) Expand the number of limited entry shrimp trawl licenses; 2) Establish an Eastern Shore Shrimp Trawl Harvest Area; 3) Extend the start of the season into September; 4) Modify the maximum dimensions of the shrimp trawl gear; and 5) Amend methods for reporting bycatch.

The purpose of these amendments is to promote and enhance the shrimp trawl fishery in an ecologically conservative manner.

II. Chapter 4VAC20-490-10, "Pertaining to Sharks"

The Commission proposes to amend Chapter 4VAC20-490, "Pertaining to Sharks" to clarify language regarding the prohibition of overnight soaks for Virginia spiny dogfish permit holders using gill net mesh size equal to or greater than 5.25 inches and less than 10 inches in the Delaware and Maryland Atlantic Sturgeon Bycatch Reduction Area or the Virginia Atlantic Sturgeon Bycatch Reduction Area between 8:00 p.m. through 5:00 a.m. the following day from November 1 through March 31.

The purpose of these amendments is to comply with Addendum VII of the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission's Spiny Dogfish Fishery Management Plan and the Spiny Dogfish Framework Adjustment 6 from the Mid-Atlantic Fisheries Management Council.

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ACCOMACK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Public Hearing Schedule July 16, 2025

The Accomack County Board of Supervisors will hold its regular meeting on **Wednesday, July 16, 2025**, at 5:00 p.m., in the Board of Supervisors Chambers, Room 104, 23296 Courthouse Avenue – Accomac, VA.

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:

Conduct a Public Hearing: Amending the Accomack County Code, Chapter 82 entitled "Taxation," Sections 82-166 et seq. A public hearing to be held for an ordinance amending the Accomack County Code, Chapter 82, entitled "Taxation," Section 82-166 et seq., due to changes in state law in relation to the transient occupancy tax.

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
on the Friday before the meeting at:
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northampton County Planning Commission will meet and conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, July 15, 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 application to forward a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors.

ZTA 2025-02: The Board of Supervisors of Northampton County is proposing a Zoning Text Amendment with respect to fences; recommending amendments to fence regulations in Section 154.2.146 Accessory Building and Fences in the 2016 Zoning Ordinance and Section 154.146 Accessory Buildings and Fences in the 2000 Zoning Ordinance.

The application file may be viewed in the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office in the County Administration Building, Monday through Friday, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., or viewed electronically at <https://go.boarddocs.com/va/northco/Board.nsf/Public>

Written comments may be sent via email to olivia.bennett@co.northampton.va.us or may be submitted by mail or hand-delivery to the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office in the County Administration Building.

Persons needing assistance attending the meeting or viewing the files may contact the County at (757) 678-0443, ext. 516.

For questions on application information, contact the Planning, Permitting, and Enforcement Office at (757) 678-0443, ext. 545.

Sports Trivia

By Ryan Berenz

1. Ohio State Buckeyes running back and 1950 Heisman Trophy winner Vic Janowicz played two seasons with what Major League Baseball team before starting his NFL career in 1954?

2. What is the nickname of Youngstown State University's athletic teams?

3. Following a 2009 loss to the Texas A&M Aggies, what Texas Tech Red Raiders head football coach told reporters that his players' "fat little girlfriends" were making them lose focus?

4. Scott Turner, who played cornerback for three different NFL teams from 1995-2003, assumed what position in the Cabinet of the United States in January 2025?

5. In 2019, pop star, actor, TV personality and competitive swimmer Alex Fong raised \$1 million for charity by swimming 28 miles around what island?

6. In 1990, right-handed pitcher Dave Stieb recorded the first (and as of 2024, only) no-hitter in the history of what Major League Baseball franchise?

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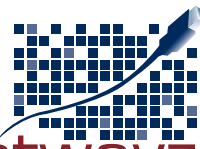
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- From William Stoetzer and Michele Reed
To Derrick and Felicia Johnson
Captain's Cove Lot 1722, Section 3, Greenbackville
For \$2,500
- From Jeffrey and Kevin Mauro
To Lemuel and Danelis Richmond
Captain's Cove Lot 2403, Section 5, Greenbackville
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- From Jeanette and Charles Ruhle III
To Roy and Shadell Bowser
20129 Quinby Bridge Road, Quinby
For \$12,000
- From Paula and Robert Pellicot III
To Brian and Virginia Bobitka
6494 Coach's Lane, Chincoteague
For \$310,000
- From Adam and Krisztina Kobor
To Robert and Jennifer Stackhouse
7677 East Side Road, Chincoteague
For \$565,000
- From Donna Martinelli
To Adam and Krisztina Kobor
4433 Main St., Chincoteague
For \$930,000
- From Joan Lingen
To Joyce and Dashiell Shannahan Sr., co-trustees
1.5 acre lot, Hermitage Road, Onancock
For \$180,000
- From La Cabana A. Sucre LLC
To Nelson and Amelia Miranda
8430 Sugarhill Lane, Hallwood
For \$33,300
- From Kathleen Meehan
To Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority
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- From Elder Gomez
To Home Acquisitions LLC
32020 Nocks Landing Road, Atlantic
For \$12,500
- From Andrea Lieb and Adam Peters
To Victor Mendoza Solis
25101 Matthews Road, Parksley
For \$25,000
- From David Madison
To Adam Hopkins and Gennifer Miller
33460 Watts Bay Drive, Wallops Island
For \$370,000
- From Home Acquisitions LLC
To 32020 Nocks Landing Road LLC
32020 Nocks Landing Road, Atlantic
For \$25,000
- From Charry Greer and Megan McGill
To David Evans
21206 Greenbush Road, Greenbush
For \$59,000
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To William and Amanda Parks
Lot on Tangier
For \$35,000
- From Edward and Carrie Rittberg
To Steven and Lisa Coster
20384 Canvasback Lane, Onancock
For \$413,000
- From Paul and Gerardine Weiss, trustees
To Terri and Jason Cooper
Captain's Cove Lot 418, Section 2, Greenbackville
For \$285,000
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To Madam Ventures LLC
Captain's Cove Lot 2231, Section 4, Greenbackville
For \$1,500
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To Steven and Patricia Dobbin
3420 Ridge Road #2, Chincoteague
For \$359,300
- From Sara Northway
To Andre Tyler and Courtney Hammer
18342 Wilson Ave., Parksley
For \$300,000
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To Harry and Patricia Parker
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To Final Circle LLC
Hastings property, 0.617 acre, New Church
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514 S. Main St., Chincoteague
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8208 Salyer Drive, Wallops Island
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To Charanjit Singh and Kiranjit Kaur
Lot 177, Hopeton Road, Bloxom
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To Twin Maple Farms LLC
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To Donald and Lisa Snyder
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For \$419,000
- From Derek and Maureen Whitwer
To Jennifer and Douglas Baker Jr.
7129 Mason Drive, Chincoteague
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- From Antonio Caro, trustee
To Alan and Theresa Tackman
26119 Juno Court, Accomac
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Captain's Cove Lot 794, Section 1, Greenbackville
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- From Stephanie and William Sterbinsky Jr., co-trustees
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6321 Captains Lane, Unit 111, Chincoteague
For \$489,900
- From Loren and Pamela Shaw
To William Winter Jr. and Katherine Lucas
Trails End Lot 191, Unit 2, Sheet 1, Horntown
For \$27,500
- From Vonny Byrd
To William Leonard
Captain's Cove Lot 72, Section 10, Greenbackville
For \$10,000
- From EHH LLC
To Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority
Lucas and Colona parcels, Mappsville
For \$2,400,000

- From Christian Hall and Ralph Burnworth Jr.
To Joey Johnson
2356 Yardarm Drive, Greenbackville
For \$268,000
- From NKM Properties LLC
To Francklin and Techlie Francois
25102 Coastal Blvd., Onley
For \$300,000
- From Marcus and Erin Killmon
To Lawrence Morrison Jr. and Dawn Alonso
35395 Floyd Ave., Quinby
For \$345,000
- From Juan Godoy
To Juana Gabriel Gabriel
12323 Atlantic Road, Assawoman
For \$70,000
- From Juan Godoy
To Amelia Juarez Perez
18471 Airport Road, Melfa
For \$70,000
- From James Carey
To Robert and Katherine Baker
Captain's Cove Lot 100, Section 10, Greenbackville
For \$6,000
- From Jack Rippeon
To Brian Brashears and Linda Melton
8220 Seagull Drive, Chincoteague
For \$170,000
- From John Palazzo Sr.
To Randolph and Donna Bunch
2274 Jolly Rodger Drive, Greenbackville
For \$280,000
- From Gemcraft Homes CC LLC
To Christopher Davis and Raylene Wiggle
3142 Amidship Drive, Greenbackville
For \$379,888
- From Juan Godoy
To Maricela and Osvaldo Xon Nas and Paulina Chonay
Ventura
26389 Nelsonia Road, Bloxom
For \$67,100
- From Louis and Susan Perna
To Gerald and Jennifer McCawley
19089 Glenn Drive, Parksley
For \$1,050,000
- From James Elliott, special commissioner, and George Davis and Althea Hudson
To Kendra and Robert Powell
21397 Trower Road, Melfa
For \$70,000
- From Michael Stencil
To Brian and Bobbi Jo Robinson
258 Nautilus Drive, Horntown
For \$32,500

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Public Records

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■ From Amy and Michael Strong
To Roger Terry Real Estate PLLC
Captain's Cove Lot 2484, Section 5, Greenbackville
For \$1,800

■ From William Chamberlin Jr., Tracy Wachob, and
Andrew Carington
To David and Alice Rew
Lots on Franconia Drive, Onancock
For \$1,400,000

■ From James Gross
To Gamaliel and Nan Baer
Lot 4, Fletcher Road, Nelsonia
For \$76,500

■ From Elnora and David Christian III
To Pedro Marcelo Macario Macario and Maria Chan Menchu
27573 Locustville Road, Onley
For \$60,000

■ From Juan Alberto Jimenez Rivera
To Christopher Stanley
Hall property, 2.5 acres, Belinda Road, Hallwood
For \$5,000

■ From David and Alice Rew
To John and Brittany Lewis
23393 Franconia Drive, Onancock
For \$1,000,000

■ From Gary and Trudy Titus
To Megan Browne
6208 Bay Breeze Drive, Horntown
For \$36,000

■ From Taryn Hall
To Jason, Kerry, and Sean Boling
22194 Wharton Road, Accomac
For \$109,000

■ From Dominic and Carla Mansour
To Cathleen Gleason and Kaitlyn Dykes
Trails End Lot 254, Unit 3, Sheet 7, Horntown
For \$33,000

■ From Eva Kellenberger
To Emily and Keith Sohr
2368 Bay East Drive, Chincoteague
For \$162,500

■ From Tammy and David Phillips Jr.
To Lorne Breasure
Trails End Lot 257, Unit 3, Sheet 7
For \$83,800

■ From Laura Thornes
To Rachael Vasquez
Parcels on Catherine Street, Parksley
For \$250,000

■ From Gloria and Charles McSwain
To Janet and Michael Scully
Cokesbury parsonage, 7 Market St., Onancock
For \$640,000

■ From Raymond Rivenbark
To Lamar Sample and Tyandrea Wise
16088 Blue Crab Way, Painter
For \$305,000

■ From Carolyn Wright, trustee
To Michael and Heather Hellens
Schooner Bay Lot 26, Section 1, Onancock
For \$185,000

■ From Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat for Humanity Inc.
To Shaneya Upshur
20492 Pickpenny Road, Melfa
For \$180,000

■ From Tomas and Alison Forsberg
To Robert F. Lewis Jr.
14445 Tarkill Road, Onancock
For \$110,000

■ From David Frawley
To LK Farm LLC
3328 Willow St., Chincoteague
For \$590,000

■ From Barbara Gariepy
To Robert and Laramie Daniel
Nandua Shores parcel, Painter
For \$34,500

■ From James Elliott, special commissioner, and Brenda
and Allen Daniels and Dana Coleman
To Sarrina Arsenault
Captain's Cove Lot 68, Section 6, Greenbackville
For \$1,570

■ From James Elliott, special commissioner, and Jeffrey
and Vanessa Locklear
To Matthew Odachowski
Scarborough lot, Onancock
For \$24,000

■ From Nicole Prorock
To George and Lesly Potts
8089 Mire Pond One, Chincoteague
For \$119,600

■ From Lynier Linton
To Henry and Jose Vasquez
Tracts in Hallwood
For \$80,000

■ From Nicholas and Sarah Lepore
To Barry and Cindy Evans
5021 Bream Drive, Horntown
For \$69,210

■ From Princella Ballard and Welton, Larry, and Romeo
Jones
To David Andrews and Carolyn Small
17325 Savage St., Painter
For \$70,000

■ From Lauren and William Sloan
To Kerri Atkinson, Jacquelyn Smith, and Karen Parker
29563 Seaside Road, Melfa
For \$315,000

■ From Rosalie Lewis by Robert Lewis Jr., attorney-in-fact
To CMH Homes Inc.
Lot C, 0.69 acre, Onancock
For \$29,900

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TIDE TABLE

Seaside

Bayside

		Friday July 4		Saturday July 5		Sunday July 6		Monday July 7		Tuesday July 8		Wednesday July 9		Thursday July 10
Assateague Beach	H L	4:14 p.m. 9:55 a.m.	H L	5:05 p.m. 10:41 a.m.	H L	5:53 p.m. 11:29 a.m.	H L	6:40 p.m. 12:17 p.m.	H L	6:53 a.m. 1:04 p.m.	H L	7:39 a.m. 1:50 p.m.	H L	8:23 a.m. 2:34 p.m.
Chinco. Channel	H L	4:10 p.m. 9:53 a.m.	H L	5:02 p.m. 10:42 a.m.	H L	5:52 p.m. 11:31 a.m.	H L	6:41 p.m. 12:19 p.m.	H L	6:57 a.m. 1:04 p.m.	H L	7:42 a.m. 1:48 p.m.	H L	8:25 a.m. 2:31 p.m.
Gargatha Neck	H L	5:10 p.m. 10:34 a.m.	H L	6:01 p.m. 11:20 a.m.	H L	6:49 p.m. 12:08 p.m.	H L	7:03 a.m. 12:56 p.m.	H L	7:49 a.m. 1:43 p.m.	H L	8:35 a.m. 2:29 p.m.	H L	9:19 a.m. 3:13 p.m.
Folly Creek	H L	5:03 p.m. 10:19 a.m.	H L	5:54 p.m. 11:05 a.m.	H L	6:42 p.m. 11:53 a.m.	H L	6:56 a.m. 12:41 p.m.	H L	7:42 a.m. 1:28 p.m.	H L	8:28 a.m. 2:14 p.m.	H L	9:12 a.m. 2:58 p.m.
Wachapreague	H L	4:26 p.m. 9:52 a.m.	H L	5:21 p.m. 10:38 a.m.	H L	6:14 p.m. 11:27 a.m.	H L	7:02 p.m. 12:17 p.m.	H L	7:09 a.m. 1:06 p.m.	H L	7:56 a.m. 1:55 p.m.	H L	8:45 a.m. 2:42 p.m.
Quinby Inlet	H L	4:14 p.m. 9:34 a.m.	H L	5:05 p.m. 10:20 a.m.	H L	5:53 p.m. 11:08 a.m.	H L	6:40 p.m. 11:56 a.m.	H L	6:53 a.m. 12:43 p.m.	H L	7:39 a.m. 1:29 p.m.	H L	8:23 a.m. 2:13 p.m.
Machipongo	H L	4:44 p.m. 10:03 a.m.	H L	5:35 p.m. 10:49 a.m.	H L	6:23 p.m. 11:37 a.m.	H L	6:37 a.m. 12:25 p.m.	H L	7:23 a.m. 1:12 p.m.	H L	8:09 a.m. 1:58 p.m.	H L	8:53 a.m. 2:42 p.m.
Tangier Sound Light	H L	7:40 a.m. 2:04 p.m.	H L	8:33 a.m. 2:53 p.m.	H L	9:23 a.m. 3:41 p.m.	H L	10:10 a.m. 4:26 p.m.	H L	10:54 a.m. 5:09 p.m.	H L	11:36 a.m. 5:49 p.m.	H L	12:18 p.m. 6:28 p.m.
Muddy Creek	H L	7:49 a.m. 2:36 p.m.	H L	8:50 a.m. 3:23 p.m.	H L	9:46 a.m. 4:10 p.m.	H L	10:37 a.m. 4:58 p.m.	H L	11:25 a.m. 5:46 p.m.	H L	12:12 p.m. 6:34 p.m.	H L	12:56 p.m. 7:35 a.m.
Guard Shore	H L	7:41 a.m. 2:32 p.m.	H L	8:42 a.m. 3:19 p.m.	H L	9:38 a.m. 4:06 p.m.	H L	10:29 a.m. 4:54 p.m.	H L	11:17 a.m. 5:42 p.m.	H L	12:04 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	H L	12:48 p.m. 7:31 a.m.
Chescon. Creek	H L	7:16 a.m. 1:44 p.m.	H L	8:17 a.m. 2:31 p.m.	H L	9:13 a.m. 3:18 p.m.	H L	10:04 a.m. 4:06 p.m.	H L	10:52 a.m. 4:54 p.m.	H L	11:39 a.m. 5:42 p.m.	H L	12:23 p.m. 6:29 p.m.
Onancock Creek	H L	7:30 a.m. 2:04 p.m.	H L	8:31 a.m. 2:51 p.m.	H L	9:27 a.m. 3:38 p.m.	H L	10:18 a.m. 4:26 p.m.	H L	11:06 a.m. 5:14 p.m.	H L	11:53 a.m. 6:02 p.m.	H L	12:37 p.m. 6:49 p.m.
Pungoteague Creek	H L	6:46 a.m. 1:18 p.m.	H L	7:47 a.m. 2:05 p.m.	H L	8:43 a.m. 2:52 p.m.	H L	9:34 a.m. 3:40 p.m.	H L	10:22 a.m. 4:28 p.m.	H L	11:09 a.m. 5:16 p.m.	H L	11:53 a.m. 6:03 p.m.
Nassawadox	H L	6:18 p.m. 11:36 a.m.	H L	6:34 a.m. 12:25 p.m.	H L	7:27 a.m. 1:15 p.m.	H L	8:18 a.m. 2:04 p.m.	H L	9:07 a.m. 2:52 p.m.	H L	9:52 a.m. 3:38 p.m.	H L	10:36 a.m. 4:22 p.m.
Occhohan. Creek	H L	6:49 p.m. 12:40 p.m.	H L	6:56 a.m. 1:28 p.m.	H L	7:51 a.m. 2:19 p.m.	H L	8:44 a.m. 3:08 p.m.	H L	9:29 a.m. 3:53 p.m.	H L	10:10 a.m. 4:34 p.m.	H L	10:51 a.m. 5:14 p.m.
Cape Charles	H L	5:07 p.m. 10:48 a.m.	H L	5:59 p.m. 11:35 a.m.	H L	6:48 p.m. 12:22 p.m.	H L	7:08 a.m. 1:10 p.m.	H L	7:56 a.m. 1:58 p.m.	H L	8:43 a.m. 2:46 p.m.	H L	9:27 a.m. 3:33 p.m.
Kiptopeke Beach	H L	4:54 p.m. 10:17 a.m.	H L	5:45 p.m. 11:02 a.m.	H L	6:31 p.m. 11:48 a.m.	H L	6:50 a.m. 12:35 p.m.	H L	7:36 a.m. 1:23 p.m.	H L	8:20 a.m. 2:11 p.m.	H L	9:02 a.m. 2:56 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: UK FLAG THE UNION —

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Last week's answers

SURFACES NEWEST DOFFS
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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

NEW ORDER OF BIRDS

ACROSS

- 1 They're filled at filling stations
9 Causes of some winter roof leaks
16 Two or three
20 Its capital is Springfield
21 Good time to shop and save
22 1977 hit for Electric Light Orchestra
23 Bird hanging around power-generating structures?
25 Bottom-of-the-barrel bit
26 "Grace and Frankie" co-star Lily
27 Me, in Marne
28 Take a chair
29 Spike for a rock climber
30 Lcky food
33 Bird with a pronounced lower back?
36 Elite police unit
41 35mm camera type
42 Holy Week follower
- 43 Bird with an affliction?
48 Lead-in to lateral
49 It flows through Köln
50 Rocker Ocasek
51 "Ammonium" has three
52 Single's first half
54 Response to "You weren't!"
55 Jazz great Fitzgerald
58 Give a bird a monetary reward?
60 "God Love Us" rapper
61 Pecans and cashews
64 Eggs
65 Slow-moving reptile with a bird on its back?
73 Aussie critter
74 Outer surface
75 911 VIP
76 Waterway full of birds?
82 Billfold bills
83 Employee welfare agcy.
84 Daisy type
85 Daisy of "Li'l Abner"
86 Pull along
- 88 Old paper sections
89 Bub
90 Share employment hours with a bird?
95 Actress Clarke or Fox
98 Boating blade
99 "Are we out of danger?"
100 Bird starring in "The Birds"?
104 Wise — owl
105 Novelist Loos
106 Two times LI
107 Neighbor of Okla.
109 "You did not just say that!"
115 Will of "The Waltons"
116 Jacket with bird hues?
120 Coastal eagle
121 100% correct
122 Overpraises
123 Old booming jets, in brief
124 Catholic prayer books
125 Pre-release software trial
- 5 Opposer
6 One who's hardly saintly
7 Tool set, e.g.
8 Guyana-to-Bolivia dir.
9 "Money — object"
10 Escalade carmaker
11 Wood for dartboards
12 Certain belief in God
13 Impromptu
14 Country south of Sicily
15 — admin
16 Extra installations
17 Courage in adversity
18 Big surprise
19 Like the operas "Parsifal" and "Lohengrin"
24 Wee devil
29 Free TV ad
31 Thai tongue
32 Texter's "Yowza!"
34 Website ID
35 Family mem.
36 Run very fast
37 Guitarist's pedal effect
38 Resting
39 That's partner
40 Boatload
41 — -fi movie
- 44 Tabriz native
45 Stephen of "Utopia"
46 Actress Irving
47 Suffix with cartoon
52 Break off
53 — -Tass
55 Slip-up
56 Allow to
57 Zodiac feline
58 H.S. junior's hurdle
59 Hostess snack cakes
61 — degree or another
62 Consumer
63 Neighbor of Okla.
66 Helen of —
67 Abbr. on a food carton
68 "Dr." of rap
69 It's in bronze
70 Greek goddess of the hearth
71 Doug who is married to Kamala Harris
72 Just one bite
76 Websites' "front covers"
77 Ones taking a close look
78 Awardee, say
79 Texter's "I think ..."
- 80 Alternate wd. spelling
81 "A mouse!"
83 Circus cries
86 Feeling gratitude
87 Not 'neath
88 Post-Q string
90 Baby's cry
91 "Little piggy"
92 "— for Evidence" (Sue Grafton novel)
93 "Hugo" star Butterfield
94 Relative of a wood engraving
96 Petrol units
97 "Give — rest"
101 Gut bacterium
102 Radio knobs
103 Celebrity photographer Herb
104 Even a hint of
108 Spy Aldrich
110 Spanish greeting
111 Shutter piece
112 Short letter
113 God of war
114 "You ... over there ..."
116 Engine wheel
117 Singer Rita
118 Slap cuffs on
119 Fruity quaff

DOWN

- 1 Central idea
2 Certain sax
3 Skinny
4 Cash drawer

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