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King William Volunteer Fire and Rescue Annual Fall Festival



The King William Volunteer Fire and Rescue would like to thank everyone that attended the Annual Fall Festival. We appreciate the continued support from the community. We would like to take a moment to congratulate our 2018 Fall festival costume winners. The winners for the first age group (0-5) are: Lucas Tarbox, Avery Farmer, and Savannah Barnett. The winners for the second age group (6-12) are: Ryder Hopkins, Tarah Darby, and Ember Barnett.

Community Pride Day



By Florence Cooke

The rain drops did not dampen the school spirit or community spirit of those who gathered for the annual Community Pride Day on Saturday, October 20, at Central High School. A day of fun and activity had been planned for everyone to enjoy.

At 10 a.m. the vivacious Nikki-Dee Ray, meteorologist for WTVR Channel 6, was the grand marshal of the annual parade that started at the County Office and ended at the high school. Marching units, floats, and anyone who wanted to participate enjoyed riding in the parade.

After the parade local vendors selling items and community organizations, children's games and food were available. The food was sold by Edgehill Alumni Association of Walkerton. A blood drive was held in the school auditorium.

Please see Community Pride, on page 15.



Sharon Baptist Church Holds Fall Bazaar

By Florence Cooke

Saturday, October 13, was the date of the annual fall bazaar by Sharon Baptist Church. This day was a beautiful fall day that welcomed the community to the church from 8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. to share in the outdoor activities for children, vendors, bake sale and food and a large silent auction. Inside was a large group of gently used toys, clothes and most anything a person would like to take home for a donation.

The proceeds from this event will go to the church's annual mission trip to Haiti in February. For the last 20 years Jesse Burch has led the group in working on orphanages. According to Katie Burrow, chairman of the bazaar this year, about 30 members from a younger Sunday School class asked to go on the trip about five years ago. The younger group went to Pernal, a very isolated section of the country. This year the group wants to go back to this area and build a nurse run only medical clinic and build bunk beds for 14 orphan girls. Last year the girls were found sleeping on dirty rags on the floor.

On Saturday, November 3, Mr. Burch will have a spaghetti supper from 5 – 7 p.m. at the Ruritan Building. The cost of the ticket will be \$10. All proceeds of this event will continue to support the orphanage.

Ms. Burrow stated, "The people of Haiti are a beautiful people who have overwhelming needs. I feel God has called us to serve in some capacity. Haiti missions is on my heart and this is something I have been called to do. It is easy to ignore the orphans when you see them on television but once you hold their little hands in yours, your heart melts. I realize we have everything and serve God with hardly anything and the Haitians have nothing and serve God with everything they have."



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For God, For Country, For Love

Story by Florence Cooke

Pictures by Donna Kline

"For God, For Country, For Love" is the true story of one man's journey written by R. J. Slaughter. It is a novel about Dalton Slaughter, who is brother to the late Evelyn Ashley of lower King and Queen. The book is of interest to the local people in the counties of King and Queen, Middlesex, Essex and Gloucester because the Dalton family was very large – nine children who lived in the lower end of King and Queen. Some of the material and pictures are taken from the Churchview area of Middlesex.

R. J. Slaughter, author, is the son of Dalton and Hetty Slaughter. He was the guest of the King and Queen Woman's Club on Thursday, October 25, at 2 p.m. at the Club House. A large crowd attended the book review to hear Robbie tell of the writing and research for his book.

The story is about hardworking Dalton Slaughter who dreamt of earning enough money to buy his own farm. But his destiny sent him to be among the first United States servicemen to land on Omaha Beach on June 6, 1944. After he marries Hetty Eaglestone, the book shares the thoughts, hopes and anguish of two young people who are caught up in the chaos and brutality of war. Dalton, who died in May 2008, is buried at Wares Church in King and Queen. Hetty died in March 2011 in England, was cremated, and her ashes were placed in Dalton's grave in March 2012.

Robbie was born and raised in London. After studying Physics and Computer Science at Aston University, he taught physics at schools in the Midlands, becoming Assistant Head Teacher and gaining a Masters degree in Education along the way.

In 2000 he left teaching to run his own business and later began research of this book – a journey that has taken him across England into the Normandy countryside and into the eastern states of the U.S., especially Virginia. He was visiting the Ashley family in King and Queen and agreed to do a book review before he went back to England on October 22.

Mr. Slaughter later in his book, "This is my first and likely last book. My training was in Physics and Computer Science, not in English or as an author; expect not great literature but a story that I hope proves of great interest." This book is available for sale at the King and Queen Historical Society or the King and Queen Woman's Club.

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Publisher's Message



October 24th is my Birthday. It seems some folks think I should change my photo above. They are probably right since I can't remember how long the other one has been there, years I think. So here is an updated photo taken by my wife Gail last week. I have been so blessed to have the family and friends that are in my life both past and present. They have given me so much. When you break it all down the really important things are health, love for family and friends and a excitement for all the possibilities life has to offer. Each day I have to remind myself of all the wonderful things in my life and to be grateful for them. It is possible the best may be, yet to come.

Danny Clark



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The Inspector

By Allen Brintley and "Pip"

It seems like as I get older, I keep up with the weather a lot more. Maybe it's a guy thing, or an old guy thing. This year there has been hurricanes, tornadoes, and lots of thunderstorms in much of the country. Locally, some places have been getting a lot of rain like us and others haven't. This will affect the prices of our food as well as that of our animals. The prices of corn, grain, and hay will rise when there is a shortage. Mules do best on just grass hay and don't usually need that higher protein alfalfa hay. Because they are mostly pleasure animals and not working hard everyday, they don't need much grain either.

I was over getting some hay from a friend of mine named Steve. He raises cattle and hay for feeding them through the winter. He said that some guy from a government agency showed up awhile back and wanted to inspect his farm. He showed Steve his credentials and badge. Steve said "That's fine. You can walk around and look all you want to, but just stay out of that pasture over there." The inspector man got a little upset and started pointing at his badge and said "You see this badge right here. This badge says that I have the right to go



anywhere I want to on your property!"

I asked Steve "What did you do?" He said "I threw my hands up and went back to work in the barn." I knew that there was more to the story so I asked Steve "What happened with the inspector guy?" He said "It wasn't long and I heard somebody screaming and running around hollering. I looked outside and my prize bull was chasing that man around the pasture in circles. Every time he came by that bull was gaining on him." The next time the inspector man came running by he hollered "Help me! Help me! What should I do?" Steve said "I yelled back at him. Show him your badge!"

You can email me Allen@TwinRiversRealty.com or call 690-7870. I'll see you on the trails.

A Visit to the Pumpkin Patch

Story by Florence Cooke

Pictures by James Broadus

About 65 King William grade school students from K - 5 attending the After School Parks and Recreation Program visited Oak Hill Farms LLC on Smokey Road on Wednesday afternoon, October 10. This is the third year of the pumpkin patch that is owned by Bubba and Wendy Eubank.

When asked why have a pumpkin patch, Bubba stated, "This is something different because there is no other pumpkin patch in the county. Getting hired help for farming is obsolete but in a pumpkin patch help is available because it is fun."

As the students departed from the bus, they were free to explore everything Halloween - playing in the loose corn, pumpkin painting, and a jumpy. Then they were transported by hay wagons to and from the pumpkin patch. Bubba and his mother, Mrs. Brenda Eubank, sat happily on the hay wagon enjoying the pleasure and excitement of the children. As the children departed the wagons, they were free to select a pumpkin of their choice. It was exciting for family members watching as the children ran around the field picking the pumpkins of their choice - fat ones, skinny ones, white or orange, small or large. Many picked out pumpkins and changed their minds and started the search over again. One little child had to be convinced not to take a rotting pumpkin home so the Pumpkin Fairy switched pumpkins and sent him home with a pumpkin that looked like his.

The farm is open to the public every



weekend in October - 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. on Saturdays and 12 - 5 p.m. on Sunday. Other outings can be done in the week by various groups, such as schools. Schools such as Friendly Care Day School, Aylett Country Day School, Cool Spring Primary Pre - K, Acquinton Bridges Program, Lawson-Marriott Elementary School, Tappahannock Elementary School, Hanover Academy and MUMS Group visit annually.

Bubba stated, "I have been farming all my life. This pumpkin patch keeps me in farming and I get to do what I want to do and have a good time doing it. My son is one reason I did this - he can grow up in the business and eventually it will be his. My wife does a tremendous job with this project - she does all the party planning, activity planning and scheduling."

Even though it is getting close to Halloween, the farm still has lots of pumpkins of all sizes. If you want to schedule a private party or a group outing or something for next year, please call 804 - 239 - 4328 or you can visit Facebook.

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Bruington Pastor Appreciation Day




Dr. Fred Skaggs receives a card of appreciation from Velma Wharton

On Sunday, October 13th Bruington Baptist Church celebrated Pastor Appreciation Sunday. Dr. Roger Collier and Dr. Fred Skaggs were honored for their hard work and service as Bruington's pastors. Brooke Dudonis Butler, Bruington's Youth Minister, was honored for her work with the community's children and youth.



Bobby Wharton gives Brooke D. Butler a card of appreciation.



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Obituary

WATKINS



Shirley Allen Watkins 74, of Manquin, Va. went to be with the Lord on October 14, 2018. She was preceded in death by her father Jesse Wilson Allen and mother Gladys Mae Allen. She is survived by her devoted husband C.S. (Joe) Watkins III; her children Terri Watson (Bert), Troy Watkins (Terri), Chip Watkins (Aprile), and Robbie Watkins (Sylvia); Nine grandchildren, Hunter and Chase Watson, Morgan Fulcher (Drew), Chandler Watkins, Mattie, Chaz, and Camdyn Watkins, Kaylyn and Trevor Watkins; sister Mary West; sister in law Martha Collier; brother in law Tucker Selby a number of nieces and nephews, Carolyn Simons, Ella Croxton and other close friends. Shirley was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother. She was a mail carrier for King William Co. for 25 years and an avid church member at Sharon Baptist Church. Visitation will be Thursday October 18th will be from 2 to 4pm and 6 to 8 pm at Mechanicsville Chapel of Bennett Funeral Home 8014 Lee Davis Rd. Services will be Friday at 11 am at Sharon Baptist Church with interment in the church cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation 1801 Libbie Ave. Suite 106, Richmond, Va.23226.

DRAINE



Oliver Wendell Draine III, 61 of Walkerton passed away on October 16, 2018. Wendell lived in Walkerton all his life and graduated with a degree in business from the University of Richmond, later he took over his family's farm. He was also a talented Bluegrass guitarist. He is survived by his wife of 33 years, Vickie; sisters Anne W. Drain and Carolyn Lowry; brothers in law Cliff Haynes (Kristen) and Russell Haynes and nieces and nephews. Visitation will be Saturday, October 20th from 6 to 8 pm at B. W. White Funeral Home Rt. 360, Aylett. Graveside services will be Sunday October 21st 2 pm at Mizpah United Methodist Church Cemetery, Walkerton. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the American Red Cross.

HARRIS



Shameka Yvette Harris 39 of Aylett passed on October 17, 2018. Visitation will be Sunday October 21st from 11am to 5pm at B.W. White Funeral Home Rt. 360 Aylett. A homegoing service will be Monday October 22nd at 1 pm at Third Union Baptist Church King William with interment in the church cemetery.

WALDROP

Linda Darlene Langston Waldrop 67 of the Mattaponi Reservation in King William, Va. passed away on Monday October 8, 2018. She was the daughter of the late Ernest Langston and is survived by her mother June Langston, her husband of 43 years Michael A. Waldrop, Sr., her son Michael Waldrop, Jr. and wife Catherine Waldrop, three grandchildren Nichole, Michael III and Sara Waldrop. She is also survived by her brother Ernest Langston, Jr. and his wife Bobbi Langston, a sister Cynthia Gordan and her husband Alvin Gordan, plus a niece, 4 nephews 3 great nieces and 3 great-great nieces. Visitation will be Thursday October 11th from 6 to 8 pm at B. W. White Funeral Home Rt. 30 King William. Services will be held on Friday October 12th at 2 pm at Mattaponi Indian Baptist Church.



In Memorial



In memoriam of Dorothy L. Holmes (Dot) who departed this life seven years ago on October 16, 2011.
When days are dark and friends are few,
there is not a day we don't think of you.

Love and Missing you always,
Son Reginald, daughter-in-law
Pauline Holmes, sisters Virginia
Holmes and Margaret Draper, and
Family

The Mystery of the Missing Trains

By Florence Cooke
Pictures by Brett Otey

Over the past week many people living on Powhatan Trail (comes from Lester Manor to Route 30) have questioned where are the trains from Lester Manor going. One man saw three trains on tractor trailers go by his house on Wednesday morning. Others have questioned why the restored train station at Lester Manor is being dismantled. After many phone calls to people who might know, a reliable source answered questions.

In the late 1800's and early 1900's Lester Manor was a booming railway town. Around 1859 the depot or train station and several other buildings were constructed, including the Lester Manor Hotel and Tavern and the Lester Manor General Store and Post Office. The original buildings had long disappeared but Lester Manor Village was restored by the late Carroll Lee Walker. It was recently sold to Old Town Farm.



In recent months the train depot, fences, horse heads, antique signs, hand rails and many other parts of the village are gone. Three trains – a steam engine, passenger car, and caboose have been moved to Goochland to the Field Day of the Past. The last caboose will move to Dinwiddie this coming week.

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and public health issue. Medicines that languish in home cabinets are highly susceptible to diversion, misuse, and abuse. Rates of prescription drug abuse in the U.S. are alarmingly high, as are the number of accidental poisonings and overdoses due to these drugs. Studies show that a majority of abused prescription drugs are obtained from family and friends, including from the home medicine cabinet. In addition, Americans are now advised that their usual methods for disposing of unused medicines—flushing them down the toilet or throwing them in the trash—both pose potential safety and health hazards. For more information about the disposal of prescription drugs or about the October 27 Take Back Day event, go to the DEA Diversion website.

Woman Survives Three Types of Cancer

Story by Florence Cooke

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. It is a time of having a mammogram, being aware of breast cancer and its dangers and being thankful for survivors of this terrible disease. Selma Moore, a King William resident, is a survivor of three types of cancer: ovarian cancer and two types of breast cancer – one very aggressive and one not very aggressive but both progressive.

Selma retired from Henrico County Real Estate Tax Assessment Office in 2000. In 2001 she was diagnosed with ovarian cancer. She went to her doctor since she was having problems with bloating. After a cat scan she was diagnosed with ovarian cancer – a very deadly type of cancer for women with a high mortality rate. After a complete hysterectomy, she endured six rounds of chemotherapy treatment as a precaution.

In 2012 Selma was diagnosed with breast cancer after a routine mammogram. When a biopsy was performed, her doctor diagnosed her with two different types of breast cancer – a different type in each breast. He recommended a complete mastectomy. After surgery she went through a treatment of four rounds of chemotherapy as a precaution. She continues to go to her oncologist and surgeon for routine checkups. Now six years later SELMA IS CANCER FREE. Selma states, "I thank God for bringing me through this ordeal, to my deceased husband for the loving care and being there for me and the wonderful doctors who were so kind to me."



Selma Moore

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8 Days of Hope



Several Members of Bruington Baptist Church participated in 8 Days of Hope in New Bern, North Carolina. 8 Days of hope is a Christian ministry that aids people who have lost homes in catastrophic natural disasters. In the days following Hurricane Florence they mobilized a rapid response team to assist in clean up in the New Bern area.

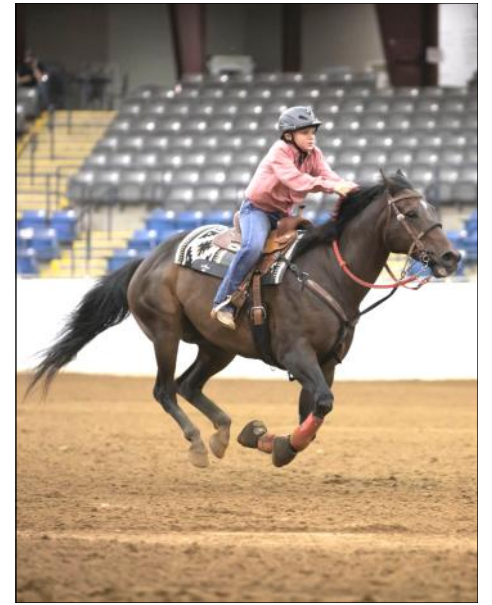
New Bern and the surrounding areas sustained damage due to flooding caused by Hurricane Florence. Tributaries of the region's rivers swelled, flooding many dwellings and destroying the possessions within. Some areas received over 20 inches of rain in a very short period of time.

8 Days of Hope had many teams working

throughout the region. Individuals from Bruington worked on a team gutting a house in Newport, NC. The dwelling sustained damage from water that had risen several feet into the interior. They assisted in the removal of flooring, sheetrock, insulation, and fixtures that had been destroyed by the water. By the time the rapid response teams finish their work many homes will be gutted and prepared for renovations.

Recovery will not come quickly for areas affected by Hurricane Florence, but thanks to ministries like 8 Days of Hope, residence affected by natural disasters might be able to return to normal life a little sooner than they could otherwise.

2018 NBHA State Finals Pee Wee Champion



Gibson Farmer 10, of King William won First Place in the 2018 Virginia NBHA State Finals (National Barrel Horse Association) Pee Wee "Champion" 10 and under. Proud parents Eric & Jo Lynn Farmer. Mom Jo Lynn runs the T-Town Tack in Tappahannock (see ad on page 4). The event was held September 21-23 at Virginia Horse Center in Lexington, VA. He won a saddle, money and other prizes.



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"We are so excited, happy and blessed to have a grandson and we pray that he will grow strong, loving and caring" said his grandparents Heyda and Chris Vass from King William.

Noah was welcomed by his grandparents from Brazil, Carla and Eduardo, aunt Faella, big sister Mya, and great-grandmothers Mami and Mimi. Welcome to the family!



Do You Like Spaghetti and Meatballs ?

By Gene Campbell

Looking for a mouth watering spaghetti and meatball dinner with all the trimmings? Well, mark the date of Saturday, November 3rd on your calendar and bring the whole family out to the Ruritan Building on Route 30. Sharon Baptist Church and the King William Ruritan Club will be serving up spaghetti and meatball dinners with the best sauce in town along with a salad, bread, dessert and

drinks from 5:00pm - 7:00pm.

Tickets are \$10 per adult and \$5 for children (12 and under). Take outs will be available. For tickets call Jesse Burch 543-6878 or Dennis Smith 241-9148.

All proceeds will go towards buying supplies for a children's orphanage in Haiti (Sharon Baptist Church helped build).

More information on the King William Ruritan Club is available online at: KingWilliamRuritan.org and [Facebook.com/KingWilliamRuritan](https://www.facebook.com/KingWilliamRuritan).

Sharon Baptist Church

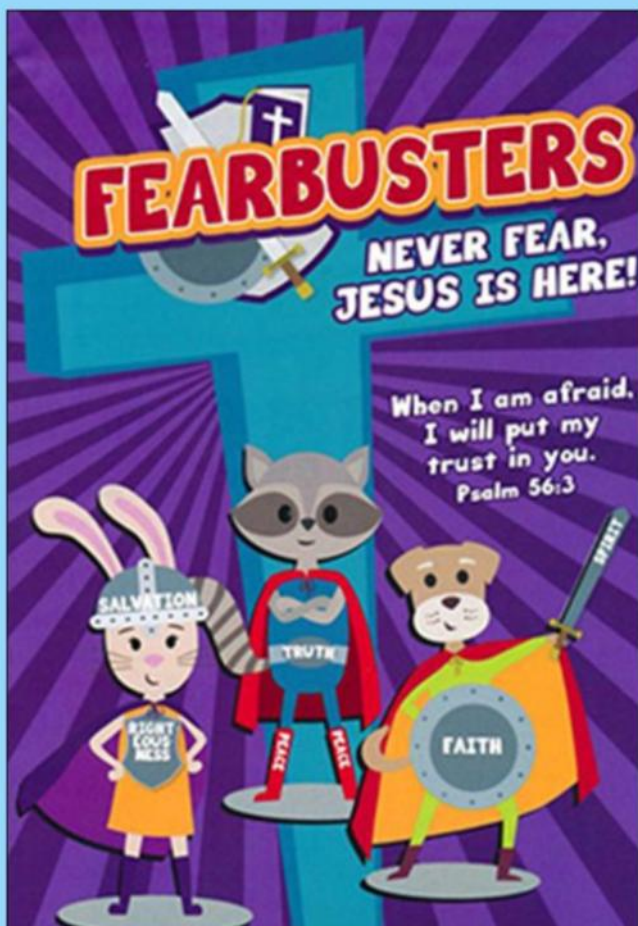
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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Broadband is not under the congressional ticket

Prior to the primary elections, I attended a First District Democrat forum in King William on April 17th to hear the 3 candidates debate a variety of topics. I had submitted a question about rural broadband to the moderator to hear each candidate's perspective and plan for expansion. When her turn came up, Ms. Vangie Williams' response was, "Broadband is not under the congressional ticket...When I'm going up and down the district, you know what their concern is? It's not broadband." I was positively taken aback. As the Chairman for King William's Internet Connectivity (KWIC) committee, I am intimately familiar with the importance and challenges for rural broadband solutions and how critical it is that we expand it correctly and in an efficient manner so that King William County (and other rural communities in the same situation) can grow. It wasn't even on her radar. Fast forward a few months and interestingly, now she has switched her perspective 180 degrees to "My biggest focus will be on promoting rural broadband." in a WAVY.com online interview last month.

From effectively not a concern to the top of the list? How do we know her "#1 priority" wouldn't change again should she be elected? Congress has made a great deal of bi-partisan progress this year to get new funding and push federal agencies to look at the true barriers to sustainable expansion. There is far too much momentum to change our leadership and representation in the 1st District now, not only on rural broadband but for the many other critical issues that affect each and every one of us. On November 6, I will cast my vote to continue to have Congressman Rob Wittman lead our district, and I hope you will do the same.

Edwin Moren
1st District/King William County

Dear Editor,
King and Queen Taxpayers,

Imagine my surprise when I recently received my personal property tax bill from King and Queen County. I had moved a 2005 Dodge pick up truck from our farm in King William to our home in King and Queen last year. In 2017, that pick up was assessed at \$10,600 (boy, would I love to sell it for that much). In 2018, King and Queen assessed it for \$11,125 (now, I really want to sell it). HOW ON EARTH DOES A VEHICLE AGE ONE YEAR AND INCREASE IN VALUE SIMPLY BECAUSE IT CHANGED COUNTIES?

I went to the Commissioner of Revenue's office where I was told that it was up to each individual county which NADA value they used to assess personal property tax. King and Queen County uses the "clean trade" value WHICH IS THE HIGHEST POSSIBLE VALUE they can place on a vehicle. I was told King William uses the "average trade" value which, let's be honest, is much more accurate for a 13 year old pick up. I was told I could only change that assessment if I produced a high mileage form NEXT YEAR.

I encourage you to take your vehicle to the Commissioner of Revenue's office along with your tax bill and force them to actually look at your vehicle before deciding it had "clean trade" value. As for me, my truck is going back to King William.

Thank you,
Wendy White
King & Queen

Dear Editor,
Folks, soon, one of the most important elections in King William County will be taken by the Board of Supervisors; to determine the Board Chairperson for 2019. The 'routine' has been to rotate the Chairman's position and this is the time for Supervisor Ehrhart to be chosen as the Chairperson.

I encourage you to support the 'routine' selection process in support of Supervisor Ehrhart; because, as Chairperson can introduce Motions that he has championed in

the past, with little or no support from other Board members, such as: the immediately reduction of Homeowner's Property Taxes by 4 cents per hundred. This would bring our Property Taxes below 90 cents for the first time in seven years; saving Property Owners \$1,000,000 per year. We can afford this because of the huge excess currently held in the County non-designated Reserve Funds. the elimination of Vehicle Taxes, for the elderly and poor; the elimination of the Business Professional Licensing (BPOL - \$350,000+). This will support current and future business in our County; and King William County pulling out of the yearly fees paid to the Airport Authority (\$30,000+), from which the average citizen gets nothing..

All of the aforementioned, millions of dollars in savings to King William County Citizens can be had when Supervisor Ehrhart is elected Chairperson; because, I will immediately second every motion, and all that would be needed is for Supervisor Greenwood to vote YES or ABSTAIN. This is the time for Supervisor Greenwood to step-up in support of County Taxpayers', with Greenwood's possible 're-election' to the Board, just around the corner.

It will not matter what any other Supervisor votes, Chairperson Ehrhart's motions will pass and millions in Taxpayer money will go back to the Taxpayer. For reference, you might review Supervisor Ehrhart's promises made during his run for office; and during Board meetings.

What say you?
David Hansen
King William

Woodland Critter
Animal Memory Game



Maddy Wilson, a local artist in Saint Stephens Church is currently working on a personal project to try something new and help create a more uniform body of work. The end result is the Woodland Critters Memory Game! Aimed to be whimsical but not too cartoonish it is a 12 pair memory game that she hopes to launch on Kickstarter, (a venue which helps fund artists) in the next week or so.

Letters to the Editor

We welcome signed letters to the editor. Each letter must carry the writers signature, full valid address, and daytime phone number. We reserve the right to edit for accuracy, brevity, clarity, legality, and taste. We do not guarantee that every letter received will be published. Letters reflect the opinions and positions of the writers and not *The Country Courier*.



KING AND QUEEN COUNTY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Section 15.2-2204 of the Code of Virginia, the King and Queen County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 5, 2018, at 7:00 p.m., in the King and Queen Courts and Administration Building, King and Queen Court House, Virginia, to consider the following:

SP18-02- Virginia Peninsula Public Service Authority (VPPSA) C/o King and Queen County Board of Supervisors
Requesting the approval of a level 3 site plan to construct a contractor shop for the maintenance of VPPSA vehicles and equipment inside of a building with outside storage of trucks and containers on property identified as tax map parcel 1623-135R-1056C. The site is located at the corner of Clancie Road and Enterprise Road in the Buena Vista Magisterial District. The property is currently zoned Industrial.

A complete copy of the application may be reviewed in the Office of the County Administrator, King and Queen County Courts and Administration Building, King and Queen Court House, Virginia, Monday through Friday, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Interested parties may attend this hearing and express their opinions.

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K&Q School Has New Student Rep

King and Queen County School Board voted in Minajnadore Redd as the 2018-2019 School Board student representative pictured with Dr. Carol Carter, Division Superintendent. Minajnadore states, “I would like to work as a School Board representative to act as a voice, one voice, among the many at our school. I want to make the school as great as it can be, at its fullest potential.



Dr. Carol Carter and Minajnadore Redd

KQES Drum Line



KQES Drum Line with instructor James Lantz performed at the King and Queen October School Board meeting.

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Ruritan's Provide Students with Tools for Success

By Gene Campbell

A project that was started by the King William Ruritan Club in 2012 is still going strong. On October 16th several Ruritan members distributed 168 dictionaries to fourth grade students at Acquinton Elementary School and 168 thesauruses to sixth grade students at Hamilton Holmes Middle School.

Spearheaded by Ruritan member Mike Morrison, this community service project has provided almost 2,000 free dictionaries and thesauruses to local students since its inception in 2012. This is one of many community service projects the King William Club undertakes each year. Nationwide the Ruritan organization has provided approximately 300,000 dictionaries and thesauruses to students.



King William Ruritan member Russell Rice (center) hands out dictionaries to students as Ruritan members (left to right) Ronnie Moore, Bryant Wilson and Mike Morrison assist him.

More information on the King William Ruritan Club is available online at: KingWilliamRuritan.org and [Facebook.com/KingWilliamRuritan](https://www.facebook.com/KingWilliamRuritan).

King and Queen Elementary School visits the Virginia State Fair



The 6th and 7th grade students at King and Queen Elementary School attended the Virginia State Fair in Doswell, Virginia on Tuesday, October 2. While attending the fair, students were able to see animals, experience agriculture, and explore the various amusement features of the fair. They also had the opportunity to eat different foods and enjoyed visiting different vendors. They especially loved watching how to make homemade ice cream. Overall, the 6th and 7th graders had a good time!

Written by: KQES Creative Writing Class



Community Pride Day, continued from front page

One of the booths was manned by Karen Mumaw and Crystal Fox, reading specialists from King and Queen Elementary School and Lawson – Marriott School, who were giving books to all children. The free books are from Title 1 Reading Program, a government program that promotes reading to raise reading scores in schools. These ladies often get (and welcome) donations of children's books whose readers have outgrown them. For information or donations, please notify Ms. Fox at cfox@kqps.net – Lawson – Marriott and Ms. Mumaw at kmumaw@kqps.net – King and Queen Elementary.

The football excitement started at 1 p.m. with a game between King and Queen Elementary and Lawson – Marriott, followed by a Powder Puff Game where the girls play football and the guys cheer. The theme of the day was "Bring the whole family for a day of fun."

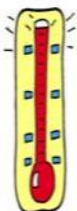


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Church Calendar

ATTENTION: We do not keep announcements. This page is free to our area. Basic info only.

CHRISTIAN

Smyrna Christian Church Fall Festival

Oct. 27 from 4-8pm. Hayride, Brunswick stew, clown, inflatable slide, bake sale, pumpkin carving, live music, bonfire. Costumes welcome. 3655 Powcan Rd. Bruington, 23023

Crossroads Mission Center

Invites all to Messy Church, the 1st Wednesday of every month. Come join us for food, fun, fellowship and friends. It's Free, From 6pm to 8pm. Bring the family. Like our Facebook page and stay connected to our Messy Church updates.

Crossroadsmissoncenter-KW 694-K Sharon Rd, King William beside the Library.

BAPTIST

Beulah Baptist Church

will host a Children's Harvest Festival on **Saturday, October 27th** from **3 to 5 p.m.** Rain or shine.cakewalk +treats +games Dress for the fun in non-scary costumes. Beulah BC is located at 4805 West River Rd. near the intersection of Dorrell Rd. 6 1/2 miles northwest of Aylett.

Bruington Baptist Church Trunk or Treat

See ad on page 11!

Saturday, Oct. 27 from 5 to 7:30pm bounce house & slide, hay ride, chocolate fountain, costume contest, door raffle, games, food & candy. Children must be accompanied by adult. 4784 The Trail, Bruington, 23230. bruingtonbaptistchurch.com. Rain or shine.

Colosse Baptist Church

Women For Christ will be holding their annual craft bazaar, Saturday November 17th from 9-1 at the King William Ruritan Building on Rt. 30. Vendors of all sorts will be there on display. Food will be

sold, raffle tickets will be sold for drawings every hour to win. Hope to see you there!

Mattaponi Baptist Church

Sunday School 10 am Morning Worship 11 am Adult Bible Study in Fellowship Hall 10/17 7pm "Bread" 10/24. 7pm. "Incense" Lite refreshment to follow

New Life Community Church

109 Commons Park Drive, Suite J, Manquin. We invite all to join us in our 8:00am Sunday morning worship experience, Pastor Littycia Clay-Crawley

New Morning Star Baptist Church

Sunday School and Worship Service First through the Fourth Sunday each month. Summer is closely coming to an end come and join us for an Enriching Sunday School service for youth and adults beginning at 10:00 a.m. Followed by our Worship Service beginning at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Dr. Sylvia Berry, Pastor and Sister Brenda Mercer, Sunday School Superintendent, 140 Greenbriar Rd, St Stephens Church.

Olivet Baptist Church

25375 The Trail, Mattaponi, Sunday School at 10:00 AM Sundays Worship at 11:00 AM pastor Terry Morrison

New Mt. Zion Baptist Church

Walkerton, will be celebrating their annual Deacon and Deaconess Day on Sunday, November 18, at 3:30 p.m. The Rev. Marcus Hickman, Pastor of Wayland Baptist Church will be the speaker and the Hanover Men of Faith will provide the music. Please join us for a blessed time.

Next Step Church

Located at 7753 Richmond-Tappahannock Highway, Aylett. Sunday Worship Service Times – 9:00 & 10:30am preceded by Coffee House. We want to invite you to our exciting worship experience. For more information, please contact us at 804/769-3182, welcome@nextstep-church.com, www.nextstep-church.com.

Rehoboth Baptist Church

at 5904 Acquinton Church Road, King William. Call 769-8400 if questions.

Sharon Baptist Church

invites you to join us for worship. We are located at 901 Sharon Road across from King William High School. Sunday mornings start with breakfast at 8:45 am in the Fellowship Hall, followed by Sunday School for all ages at 9:15 am. Our Morning Worship Service starts at 10:30am. Nursery provided. We have a Sunday Evening Bible Study at 6 pm. Additional Bible Study is at 10 am on Tuesdays; and at 6 pm Wednesdays we have a Potluck Dinner followed by a 7 pm prayer meeting. Youth (7th–12th graders) meet at 7 pm on Wednesdays. Church office hours are 9 am to 2 pm Tuesday – Friday. Call the church at 769-2320 for more information.

The Edge Worship Centre

460 14th St. West Point. www.tewcwestpoint.net The Edge welcomes ALL to attend our weekly services. Adult Sunday school is 9:30 and Worship is 11:00. Visit us and experience praise and worship in His name accordance with the Holy Bible, the living word of Christ Jesus.

Third Union Baptist Church

You are invited to fellowship with us at 452 Walkerton Road in King William County on Sunday, October 28th during our 11:00 A.M. worship service. celebrating Ushers Anniversary. Theme is "A Willingness To Serve", scripture reference coming from Psalms 84:10. Guest Speaker: Dr. P. Diann B. Clark. Her book will be available for purchase and there will be a book signing in the fellowship hall immediately following the service. Please come help us celebrate this special day. We look forward to having you worship with us.

Trinity United Methodist Church

Deacon, Deaconess and Trustee day on 10/28/2018 at 3:00pm. 443-2469. On 10/28 at 3:00PM Deacon, Deaconess and Trustee Day. Rev. Littycia Clay-Crawley and New Life Community Church will be our guest speaker. We would love for you to join us on this very special occasion

Upper King and Queen Baptist Church

Worship with us on Sundays at 11:00 A.M. with Sunday School beginning at 9:45 A.M. Children's Church each Sunday. Men's Prayer Breakfast 1st Sunday at 8:30 A.M. Mission Friends the 4th Sunday. Wednesday Bible Study at 7:00 P.M. and Adult Choir Practice at 8:00 P.M. Friday Bible Study at 6:30 P.M. WMU at 7:00 P.M. 2nd Monday and Ladies with a Vision 4th Thursday at 7:00 P.M

Zion Baptist Church

King & Queen C.H. will be celebrating it's 152nd church anniversary and Harvest Home Rally on Sunday, Oct. 28 at 11A.M. Pastor Edgar T. Rawles, Jr. will deliver the morning message & lunch will be served following the service. There will be no afternoon service. Everyone if invited.

METHODIST

McKendree United Methodist Church

4347 Manfield Road (Rt 605) Manquin, Va Current Worship Service at 9:00am.

Beginning Nov 11 Worship Service at 9:30am.

Sunday School at 10:45am. Pastor Betty Jo Sims 804-839-2769 philipians4@aol.com. ALL are welcome.

MIZPAH METHODIST CHURCH

Join us on Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. for worship by our new pastor, Ellis Gayle. Sunday School to be announced.

EPISCOPAL

Immanuel Episcopal Church

190 Allen's Circle King & Queen Court House Services at 10AM Holy Eucharist one Sunday a month Morning Prayer the remaining Sundays, led by a Lay Person. For information on a particular Sunday, call 804-785-2122

St. David's Episcopal Church

Aylett. "To Know Christ Jesus and to Make Christ Known" 11291 West River Road, Aylett (Beside the Public Boat Landing) Featuring The Rev. T. Gustavo Mansella All Are Welcome! All Sundays - 11AM Eucharist Service First Sunday of the Month - Youth Focus/Potluck After.

St. Paul's Millers Tavern

7924 Richmond Highway. Sunday service at 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist with music. Nursery available at 10 a.m. service. 443-2341 www.stpaulsmillerstavern.org

PRESBYTERIAN

Brett-Reed Memorial Presbyterian Church

29680 King William Road, www.brett-reedpc.org., Sunday School beginning at 9:45, fellowship at 10:00, class and Worship at 11:00. Communion served first Sunday of every month. Second Wednesday of each month, May-October, the church hosts Wednesday Matinee at 12:00 noon (handicapped accessible). Currently watching Beverly Hillbillies, discussing show, enjoying a meal prepared by the church. Lunch donations go to Cornerstone Ministries in Aylett and the Good Neighbor Center in West Point. Please let us know you will be there by calling Adele Smith at 769-1960.

St. James Presbyterian Church

(The church next to King William Courthouse) 411 Courthouse Lane. Worship with us on Sundays at 10:30 AM. Our music is a blend of contemporary and traditional hymns. Communion is the first Sunday of each month. Our Minister is Rev. Dr. John Turner, a native Scotsman.

NON DENOMINATION

Broadus Church - Hebron Campus

3407 King William Road, Aylett, 23009, (804) 779-2700, Worship with us Sunday mornings. 10:30am. Social time, coffee and doughnuts, service at 11am. Come as you are and we promise to make you feel right at home. We are focused on worship of God and studying his word, building relationships and service to our community. Check us out on Facebook, Broadus-Church-Hebron-Campus, for events and opportunities.

Cross Church

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KING WILLIAM ELECTION

The King William County Voter Registration & Elections Office wants to remind Voters of King William County of the following important dates for the Tuesday, November 6th General Election.

In-Person Absentee ballots are now available for the November 6th General Election. If you qualify to vote by absentee, you can obtain your ballot at the Voter Registration & Elections Office at 180 Horse Landing Road from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Voter Registration & Elections Office will also have special Saturday hours on October 27th and November 3rd from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for In-Person Absentee voting. Saturday, November 3rd, will be the last day you can vote In-Person Absentee.

Tuesday, October 30th, is the final day you can request an absentee ballot by mail. Monday, November 5th at 2 p.m. is the cut-off for voting an emergency-only absentee ballot in the Voter Registration and Elections Office.

When going to the polls on Tuesday, November 6th be sure to bring a Photo ID.

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Send comments/inquiries within 15 days to: Marine Resources Commission, Habitat Management Division, 2600 Washington Avenue, 3rd Floor, Newport News, Virginia 23607.

Community Calendar

ATTENTION: Non Profit Only– This page is free to our area. Basic info only.

Cruise In Contest & Chili Cook Off

Proceeds to benefit, 'The Cornerstone Community Development Center'. Cruise in entry fee: \$10/-Contact: Anita at ayulias@aol.com for registration details. Includes: door prize entry & 1 free chili tasting People's Choice Award: 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place! Grand Prize Door Prize for one lucky car enthusiast! 50/50 Raffle! Chili Cook-Off entry fee: \$25/-Contact: Sheila at theccdc@gmail.com for registration details. People's Choice Award: 1st and 2nd place Critiques Choice Award (panel of judges) Saturday, October 27, 11 a.m. King William Fire & Rescue, 7936 Richmond-Tappahannock Hwy., Aylett, 23009 Rain date Sunday, Oct. 28th.

King & Queen County Woman's Club

The next meeting of the K&Q Woman's Club will be held on Thursday, October 25th at 1:00 pm at the K&Q Woman's Clubhouse at K&Q County Courthouse. Come join us.

King & Queen Br. Library

Yoga for Seniors Thursday, November 1, 8, 15, & 29, 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. LEGO Extravaganza Thursday, November 29, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Storytimes Thursdays (November 1, 8, 15, & 29) Family 10:30 a.m. Call 804-769-1623 or visit the library at 396 Newtown Road for more information.

Upper King William Br. Library

Teen Center Friday, November 2, 9, 16, & 30, 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. Yoga for Seniors Tuesday, November 6, 13, 20, & 27, 11:00 a.m. – noon Metal Stamping Fun Wednesday, November 7, 4:30 – 5:30 Ages 11 - Adult Family Game Night Monday, November 12, 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Storytimes Wednesdays (November 7, 14, 21, & 28) Family 10:30 a.m. Call 804-769-3731 or visit the library at 694-J Sharon Road for more information.

West Point Branch Library

Movie Night Thursday, October 25, 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Ages 16 & up Pajama Storytime Tuesday, October 30, 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. Ages 3-10. Storytimes Friday (October 26) Family 10:30 a.m. Second Saturday Movie Matinee Saturday, November 10, Noon – 1:30 p.m. Impressive Creations Monday,

November 12, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. Ages 11-Adult LEGOMania Friday, November 16, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Ages 5-12. Pajama Storytime Tuesday, November 27, 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. Ages 3-10 Storytimes Friday (November 2, 9, 16, & 30) Family 10:30 a.m. Call 804-843-3244 or visit the library at 721 Main Street for more information.

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Regional Animal Shelter, 20201 King William Road, King William 804-769-4983. Kennel visiting hours Mon.-Fri. 11a.m.-4p.m., Wed. eve. until 6pm., Sat. 11a.m.-2pm. www.petfinder.com email: animalshelter@kingwilliamcounty.us

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DCSE Service Point Assistance

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Afternoon Off for Caregivers!

Bring your senior loved ones to a special event on the third Wednesday of every month! Caregivers get an afternoon off 1:00-5:00p.m. while their seniors enjoy fellowship in a safe environment with fun-filled activities planned especially for them. Information-registration, call 804-769-0001. Sponsored by United Methodist Women, McKendree UMC, 4347 Manfield Road, Manquin.

Three Rivers SWCD Board Meetings

Three Rivers Soil & Water Conservation District will hold their monthly Board of Directors meetings on the third Tuesday of each month. If you would like to attend, contact the office at (804)443-2327, ext. 4 for meeting place and time. The public is invited.

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Girl Scout Troop 1132

Weekly meetings on Thursdays at 6pm at Mattaponi Vol. Rescue Squad Building.

KW Children First Lions Club

Meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7:00p.m. at the Crossroads Mission Center located at 694 K Sharon Road, King William.

American Legion Post 314

All members & Veterans welcome to meetings. Community Wide Saltfish Breakfast 1st & 3rd Saturday from 8am-10am. PTSD Support Group held each Wed. night at 7PM, Post 314 Bldg. Aylett 6250 Richmond-Tapp. Hwy. Rt. 360. Freedom is NOT Free.

VFW Post 9501

Members of the VFW Post & Auxiliary Central Garage meet the Second Thursday each month at 7:00pm. Refreshments served after each business meeting. Contact commander James Brown 804-337-7029 for Post membership and F. Gwathmey 994-2947 for Auxiliary membership.

Open House for Veterans

VFW Post 9501- Central Garage will recognize our Veterans on Saturday, November 10, from 12:00 noon to 6:00 pm. All are welcome to show support for our Veterans. The lunch/dinner will be fish and pig feet with sides and desert for a donation of \$10.00 each. Contact Commander Brown at 337-7029 for more info.

K.W. Rec Park KingWilliamRec.com.

King William Democrats

Do you want a government that's interested in the needs of the middle class rather than writing loopholes for the rich? Come join the King William Democrats! We meet every third Tuesday each month at 6:30 PM at the Upper King William Library, 694 Sharon Road. For more info. contact Betsy at 804-513-2546 or email relldon@prodigy.net

Mattaponi Crime Solvers

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TRIAD 2018 Schedule

Bay Transit Transportation December 5, at 10:00 a.m. Opioid Crisis Pamunkey Regional Library 396 Newtown Rd., St. Stephens Ch. 23148 May 2, at 10:00 a.m. Dementia – Know the 10 Signs July 11, at 10:00 a.m.

King William T.E.A. Party

KWTP meets the second and fourth Thursdays each month at 6:30 PM. Had enough of lies from the both major political parties; openly squeezing the middle class to pay off rich donors and poor voters? Take action, starting with effective strategies to deal with critical local, state and national issues. Meetings of KWTP are open to all citizens of good will. Usually at the Upper King William Library. Confirmation and lots more information at Facebook and kwteaparty.com

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The PBA Division of Women October

27, @ 4:00 pm will sponsor their annual program A Pocketbook of Miracles to benefit and create awareness of Domestic Violence. The program will be held at the Pamunkey Bapt. Center across from Hamilton Holmes Middle School. All missionaries are invited and asked to bring a new or gently used purse with toiletries or donations inside. The Haven Shelter of Warsaw, will receive the donations. For further information please contact Virginia Gaines @ 804-769-3984 or Mattie Morton @ 804-769-4556.



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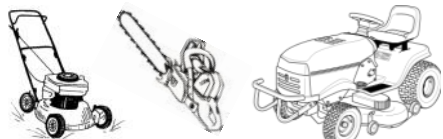
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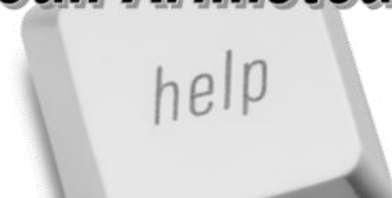
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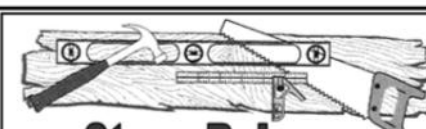
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