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## Farm Bureau Hosts Safety Day for Summer Sneakers



King William Fire and Rescue Squad show how equipment works.



Sheriff Jeff Walton shows his cruiser to the children.

Story by Florence Cooke  
Pictures courtesy Farm Bureau

The King William County Farm Bureau Women's Committee sponsored a Safety Day on Tuesday, July 16th at Acquinton Elementary School. Over 60 children from the Summer Sneakers Program participated in five stations that had been set up.

King William Sheriff Jeff Walton was there with Investigator Scott Hamilton and the Crime Van. King William Fire and Rescue Squad brought a fire truck and rescue squad for the children to check out. Robbie Barber brought a Gator from James River Equipment. Local Farmer Charlie Piersa attended and helped. Christina Murray, King William Extension Agent/4 H Leader, and Brittany Semko,

an intern from Mississippi State University, manned one of the stations. Water Safety, Boat Safety, and Bike Safety were discussed. The Department of Inland Game and Fishery and Virginia Department of Forestry (King William) made donations.

After visiting each of the stations, the children were treated to cold drinks, icy pops, and cookies under a shady tree. They each took home safety brochures, pens, pencils, Smokey Bear items, coloring books, crayons, and a boat whistle.

The Farm Bureau would like to thank all of the participants. It was a great afternoon and, hopefully, each of the children will practice the safety tips. REMEMBER - STAY SAFE 365 DAYS A YEAR.

## Central Garage Car Wash Customer Appreciation Day



Locally owned and operated by King William residents Todd and Kim Brueckmann.

By Danny Clark

I had a chance to stop by Central Garage Car Wash on Saturday and it seemed that the customer appreciation day was a big hit! The self-serve bays were all packed with cars and trucks with people waiting in line for their turn. There were 10 cars or more in line the entire time we were there to try out the completely all-new Razor Automatic touchless car wash. I had a chance to wash my own Toyota Sequoia SUV with a roof rack and was very impressed with the job it did and with the LED light show! I like that there isn't a special place that your car has to be other than in the middle of the blue reflectors and that the new wash is all voice prompted. I can't wait to go back and try it

out at night. I had a chance to get a free snow cone while we were waiting which I thought was a nice touch that local King William residents and owners Todd and Kim Brueckmann provided. I talked with Todd and Kim some about the improvements and he told me that they were excited about the new automatic touchless wash and the new equipment for the self-serve bays as well as the fresh paint, all new site lighting and all of the other improvements they have made. Also, they stated that their goal was to provide the best customer experience possible! If you haven't had a chance to try it out I recommend it!

Please see **CAR WASH**, on page 7.

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## King & Queen Elementary School Community Bus Tour

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Choose the location nearest you and join us for a fun start to a new school year. If you have any questions, please contact KQES main office at 804-785-5830.



## Publisher's Message



Finally some cooler weather. Hope you have made some lasting memories this summer. If not there is still plenty of time to visit a favorite place or go see something new. For Gail and I, something as simple as picking up the Grandchildren and taking them for ice cream or to the latest movie is great fun for all of us. Make a plan, get everyone together and enjoy all the summer has to offer.

Take care until next time.

*Danny Clark*



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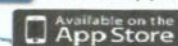
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### Wind & Rain

By Allen Brintley and "Pip"

This time of year there's always a chance for a severe thunderstorm. Also tropical storms can bring a lot of rain and wind. I always go about my usual preparation to make sure there is nothing lying around that could be blown away or into anything that may do some damage. When the weather is hot and humid, a horse or mule can drink as much as 20-25 gallons of water in a day. Whenever bad weather is forecast, I always keep an extra tank full of water for Pip in case the power goes out for a few days. I also fill our bathtubs with water just in case. I guess that's part of living in the country. Pip is always happy for the extra attention that she gets as I work around the pasture and barn.

All this rain is good for the garden and helps the vegetables grow. I remember a story about a farmer that had a stand built next to a road where he sold vegetables. A young boy on a bicycle stopped by one day and was checking out the tomatoes that the farmer had for sale. The sign said "Red Ripe Tomatoes, 50 cent each."

The boy only had a quarter in his pocket and asked the farmer "Would you take 25 cents for one of those tomatoes?" The farmer replied "No



son, these tomatoes are 50 cent each." The boy thought about it for a minute and then walked over to the garden beside the stand where there was still tomatoes growing on the vine. He looked at the farmer and asked "Would you take 25 cents for this green tomato that's still on the vine?" The farmer smiled to himself and wondered what the young boy was going to do with that green tomato. So the farmer said "Sure. I'll take 25 cent for that tomato." The young boy dug his quarter out of his pocket and gave it to the farmer and said "I'll be back one day next week to pick it up!"

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

## K&Q County Historical Society Program on the Fish Hatchery, Sunday July 28



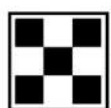
The public is invited to attend the July 28, 3:00 p.m. meeting of the King and Queen County Historical Society focused on the history and mission of the King and Queen Fish Hatchery in Stevensville. The meeting will be held at the New Court House Building, King and Queen Courthouse, Virginia. Refreshments will follow this program across the road in the Courthouse Tavern Museum located at 146 Courthouse Landing Road, K&Q Fisheries. Charles G. McDaniel, of Fredericksburg, will speak about the origins of the Fish Hatchery and the Vaughn family of Stevensville who coordinated with the State in 1930 to establish this facility. The meeting will be held at the New Court House Building, King and Queen Courthouse, Virginia. Refreshments will follow this program across the road in the Courthouse Tavern Museum located at 146 Courthouse Landing Road, K&Q Fisheries. You are welcome to attend this free program and bring friends.

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## Ruritans Preparing for 4th Annual National Night Out



Sheriff Jeff Walton and his staff along with the crowd performing the "Lip Sync Challenge" at last year's National Night Out.



Deputy Lisa Danuser singing with the band Van Walker and Friends at last year's National Night Out

By Gene Campbell

Circle the date of Tuesday, August 6th on your calendar. The King William Ruritan Club in its efforts to promote fellowship and goodwill in the community is busy making plans for its Fourth Annual National Night Out at the Club's facilities

on Rt 30. Bring the whole family to mix and mingle with your fellow neighbors, and get to know your local law enforcement and Fire/EMS personnel. Admission is FREE and the fun starts at 6:00 pm and will last until 9:00 pm. Hot dogs, chips, snow cones, and drinks will be served at no cost. There will

be entertainment for all ages and Ruritan member Van Walker's band will be playing your favorite country tunes. See you there!

The club is also busy preparing for its Annual Golf Tournament on Friday, August 9th at Queenfield Golf Club. Call Dennis Smith at 804-241-9148 if you

would like to sign up a team or be a sponsor. For more information on these events please visit King William Ruritan Club online at:

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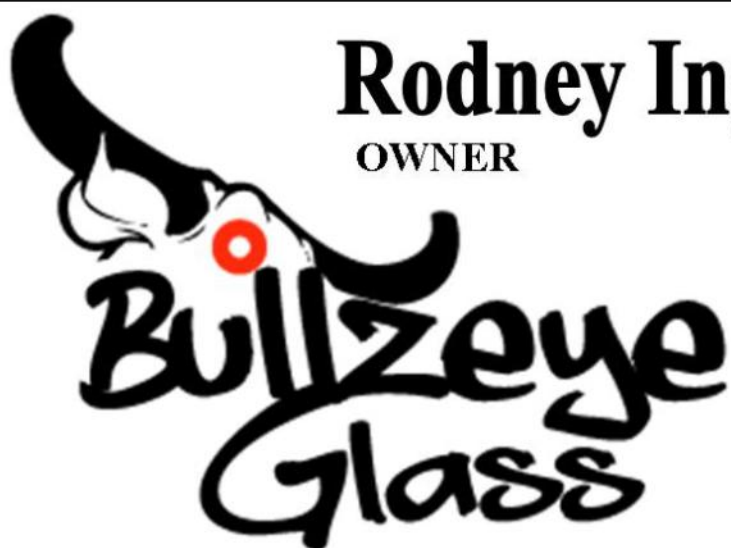
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## Obituaries

### BALZER

On July 8, 2019, Howard A. Balzer ("Buck") of King William, Virginia, passed away after a long and brave battle with brain cancer. Born in 1936 to Howard and Ruth, he grew up in Pittsburgh, PA. After graduating high school, he served in the Navy and then the Army, traveling extensively. He is a veteran of foreign war. Howard held many jobs, working as a bartender, a glass factory worker, and possibly his favorite job was that of a cab driver. He was a

sharp card player and enjoyed all types of sports, his favorite teams hailing from Pittsburgh and New York/New Jersey. Howard was pre-deceased by his wife, and is survived by two sisters, three children, three grandchildren and one great-grandchild. He was a very private yet generous person, friendly to all who he came in contact with. He will be missed by many. A military memorial service will be held at a future date at St. Joseph's cemetery in Toms River, NJ. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Jude's Hospital for Children.

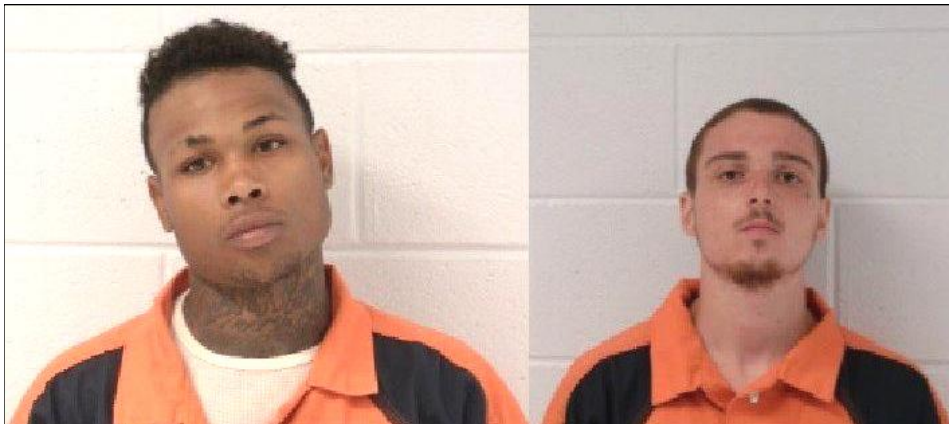
## Pet Adoption

"Thor" is a handsome NEUTERED male cat that's about 7 years old and weighs about 12lbs. He was surrendered to the Shelter because his owner could no longer keep him. He is an extremely friendly and lovable guy that likes to hang out with everyone! Meow!

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## Two Men Arrested for Felonious Assault and Robbery



Vinson Lee Holmes, 20 of Shacklefords, Damien Taylor Kelley, 24 of Aylett

CONTRIBUTED BY K.W. SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Two men have been arrested and charged in connection to two separate incidents which occurred on July 10 in the Rose Garden and Oak Springs neighborhoods. Deputies were first called to a residence on Rosebud Run at approximately 9:50pm for an assault that had occurred. The home owner arrived home and as he was exiting his vehicle was attacked by two individuals with a gun. While deputies were on the scene gathering information a second call was received at approximately 10:30pm for another assault that had taken place on Corann Drive in nearby Oak Springs subdivision. Deputies responded to that location and found two individuals who had been assaulted, one of whom received severe injuries. That individual was transported by King William EMS to VCU medical center for treatment.

A Virginia State Police K-9 and tactical team were called in to help search for the two suspects that left on foot. The tracking dog led police to a residence on Oak Springs Drive which led to the identification of the suspects. Damien Taylor Kelley 24 of Aylett was arrested at his residence without incident later that

same day. He has been charged with robbery from a person, conspiracy to rob, abduction, conspiracy to abduct, malicious wounding, assault and batter, and use of a firearm in the commission of a felony. The second suspect was identified as Vinson Lee Holmes, Jr. 20 of Shacklefords. Holmes was arrested on Saturday July 13 by U.S. Marshals after a Crime Solvers Tip led Investigators to a residence in Richmond. He has been charged with robbery from a person, conspiracy to rob, abduction, conspiracy to abduct, malicious wounding, assault and batter, and use of a firearm in the commission of a felony. Both Kelley and Holmes are being held without bond at the Middle Peninsula Regional Security Center.

UPDATE: Both Kelley and Holmes were arraigned in the King William General District court on Thursday, July 18th. Both are scheduled for preliminary hearing on October 3 2019 at 11am. They are being held without bond until that date.

The King William Sheriff's Office would like to thank the Virginia State Police, the U.S. Marshals, and the citizens for their help in bringing this incident to a quick conclusion.



Kellie Wimmer

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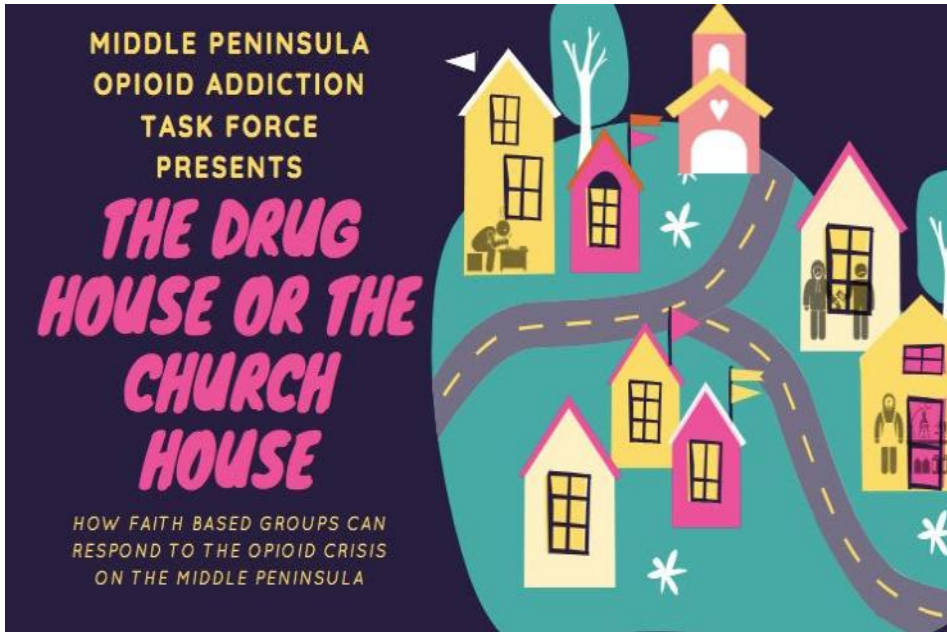
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## Middle Peninsula Opioid Task Force to Host Church Forum Friday, July 26



Church leaders aim to develop a plan to respond to the opioid epidemic in the region. Faith-based leaders from Virginia's 98<sup>th</sup> District – which includes Gloucester, Middlesex, Essex, Mathews, King and Queen and King William Counties, as well as the towns of West Point, Tappahannock and Urbanna – are invited to “The Drug House or the Church House,” a forum presented by the Middle Peninsula Opioid Addiction Task Force.

The forum, hosted by Delegate Keith Hodges at Hermitage Baptist Church in Church View on Friday, July 26, 2019 at 10 a.m., aims to bring together pastors and lay leaders from congregations throughout the region to help develop a plan to respond to the opioid epidemic throughout the district. The Middle Peninsula Opioid Addiction Task Force includes a diverse group of health care professionals, law-enforcement officers, public officials and religious leaders. When first established, Task Force leaders identified a crucial need for faith communities to play a larger role in educating the public about the dangers of opioid addiction and options for treatment and recovery.

Conversations about opioid abuse in a church setting can help raise awareness of the issue and allay any feelings of shame

felt by those affected by opioid abuse.

During the forum, representatives from churches throughout the community will learn how to better understand signs that parishioners and their families may be struggling with or at risk for opioid addiction, as well as identify resources churches can offer individuals and families in need.

Among the speakers who will lead the forum include the following:

•Pastor Leonard L. Edloe, Th.M., Pharm.D. of New Hope Fellowship in Middlesex County, a lifelong pharmacist who also serves as the co-chair of the Middle Peninsula Opioid Addiction Task Force and as President of the American Pharmacists Association Foundation.

•Pastor Jonathan Davis of Beale Memorial Baptist Church in Essex County, a Doctor of Ministry, who serves as the co-chair of the Middle Peninsula Opioid Addiction Task Force and is the founder of the Small-Town Churches Network.

A free lunch will be provided to attendees.

Please RSVP by email to [DelKHodges@house.virginia.gov](mailto:DelKHodges@house.virginia.gov).

For more information, call Mike Hazlewood at 757-303-8683.

## DCR Protects More Than 1,000 Acres in Six Months

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Additions include:

•**Clinch River State Park (under development): 1 acre**This property will provide river access for canoes and kayaks. This parcel was donated by The Nature Conservancy.

•**Clinch River State Park (under development): 232 acres**This acquisition was the first anchor property in the “string of pearls” that will make up Clinch River State Park.

•**Mount Joy Pond Natural Area Preserve: 85 acres**This addition will protect rare species habitat and provide a smoke buffer for prescribed burn activities at the preserve. This acquisition was made possible by the Virginia Native Plant Society, which originally bought the property using a grant from the DuPont Natural Resource Damage Assessment and Restoration Settlement. It was then donated to DCR.

•**Hungry Mother State Park: 9 acres**This addition will provide a buffer at the entrance to the park and improve the visitor experience.

•**York River State Park: 401 acres**This park addition was made possible by funding from the Trust for Public Land and the Navy Readiness and Environmental Protection Integration Program.

•**Mayo River State Park (under development): 214 acres**The Piedmont Land Conservancy used Duke Energy Coal Ash Spill Settlement funds to buy this parcel, which the conservancy then donated to DCR.

•**Magothy Bay Natural Area Preserve: 106 acres**This land will be restored to provide migratory bird habitat. Funding was provided by the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program, administered by the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality, and the Virginia Land Conservation Foundation.

DCR assesses potential conservation opportunities, whether it be land for new state parks, additions to existing state parks or additions to the Natural Area Preserve system for the protection of native species. These purchases and donations often involve DCR's network of partners, nonprofits and conservation organizations.

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On Saturday, June 15, 2019, the last graduating class of Hamilton-Holmes High School, the class of 1969, held its 50th Class Reunion. The reunion was held at the VFW Building in Aylett, VA. This was the fifth reunion that the class has held over the years. Although the majority of the class of 1969 resides in Virginia, there were some who attended that now reside in North Carolina, Maryland, Delaware and California. Some classmates had not seen each other in the 50-

year time period. Twenty-three of the thirty-three surviving classmates attended the festivities, along with their spouses and other invited guests. A number of former classmates also attended, as did a spouse of a deceased classmate. A special tribute was made in memory of our nine deceased classmates and our sponsor, Mrs. Helen McCallum. Our other class sponsor, Ms. Geraline Hash of Roanoke, VA attended as did Mrs. McCallum's

son, Haywood McCallum, of Richmond, VA. Former teachers, Mrs. Emmaline Page and Mrs. Vivian Baylor Smith, along with her husband, William, were also in attendance. Mrs. Sylvia Robinson attended, and is the wife of our deceased classmate, Elmore Robinson. The class of 1969 recognized their son, Rodney Robinson. Rodney is a graduate of King William High School and was recently named the 2019 National Teacher of the Year. We salute Rodney for this honor and

national recognition. During the reunion, music for the 1960's and 1970's as well as current tunes, were played by our classmate's daughter, Ms. Linsi Hayes. Games were played and door prizes and gifts were given away. "Blasts for the Past (1969)", were shared and everyone enjoyed the delicious dinner, catered by Larry Frazier. Pictures were taken and a truly good time was enjoyed by all.



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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

As the old phrase goes “If it ain’t broke, don’t fix it”. Right now, the Fifth District isn’t broken. It’s in the hands of a true gentleman who cares about those in his district and the people of the county. HE has been open and honest in showing and telling all of US what IS broken and needs fixing. In the world we live in today, it’s a positive, refreshing breath of air to have someone who is not only open and honest with all of us, but openly and honestly cares about all of us. Supervisor Bob Ehrhart has been that man. Yes, there are things that need fixing in this county, but had it not been for Supervisor Ehrhart’s editorials, town hall meetings, and other means of communication would anyone even realize what they were and how bad they needed to be fixed? Tell me where else you find an elected public official who says they are going to do something and then they actually remember their promise to the people and DO just that, as well as strive to do MORE, but for whatever reason, there are those who seem to have other agendas that are costing the residents of the county and here is a Supervisor trying to prevent that. Supervisor Bob Ehrhart has been an “open book” to the residents of the county and the residents of the 5<sup>th</sup> District. For that, I am thankful and greatly appreciative. I feel for those in some of the other districts who hear little, if anything, from their own Supervisors. I commend Supervisor Bob Ehrhart (5<sup>th</sup> District) for enlightening and informing the residents of his district and the residents of this county of what is going on. Without his willingness to be open and informative for ALL of us in King William,

where would we be right now? Without a doubt, THIS Supervisor should be re-elected within the county/district so we, as residents, will be honestly informed as to what is going on around us and with our tax dollars. My sincere thanks to him for his hard work, honesty, and willingness to TRULY serve the people of the 5th District and all of King William County. A man of this caliber MUST be re-elected!

Sheri Millikin  
Deeply rooted & proud 5<sup>th</sup> District resident (who wants to stay that way)

Dear Editor,

The issue is Globe Rd in Aylett where two people have lost there lives leaving behind seven children without a parent, the road is deplorable with ditches anywhere from 18 inches deep to over 6 ft. at the pond without guardrails, some parts are not enough room for two people to pass without some one giving way yet the speed limit remains 40 mph or more. The ditches have been cleaned out once in my 35 years of living here which causes the rain water to run in the road which is part of the problem causing the water to deteriorate the road. This is Globe Rd. between Rt. 30 and Smokey Rd, the worst part being from Epworth Rd to Smokey Rd.

Thomas Lloyd  
Aylett

Dear Editor,

In his letter to the editor posted in the June 26<sup>th</sup> issue of the *Country Courier*, Bob Ehrhart asked the question “Should a Change in the 5<sup>th</sup> District Even Be Considered? Before answering that question let’s examine some of Mr. Ehrhart’s claims and his record. First, as he is prone to do, Mr. Ehrhart attacks his two opponents by misrepresenting their records and accomplishments. Then he states that “financially the County is in the best shape it has been in a decade and goes on to say he was instrumental in eliminating the health coverage ---and “I eliminated BoS compensation when serving on the Social Services Board. I personally recruited the current County Administrator. I have been a leader in budget sessions; presenting reductions which have lowered the tax rates \$.07/\$100 since taking office.” WOW! Where were the other four Supervisors? Yes, I think we can agree that financially the County is in the best position it has been in years. Thanks to efforts by the previous board and Supervisors Moskalski, Greenwood and Hodges, but mostly to the County Administration and in particular, to the efforts and leadership of County Administrator Bobbie Tassinari. The total of all the savings initiated by Mr. Ehrhart amounts to less than \$140,000 which equates to a savings of \$.01/\$100. As to personally recruiting the current County Administrator, Ms. Tassinari was already employed by the County. His claim of lowering the tax rates \$.07/\$100 is blatantly false.

Now let’s take a look at some of the issues Mr. Ehrhart fails to acknowledge. He successfully pushed for the elimination of one day a week at two of the trash transfer stations which had been available to the public, at a savings of \$17,500/year. For each individual household that meant an annual savings of \$6.00/year on their real

estate taxes. For that we are receiving not only the loss of the use of these facilities for one day a week but less service at the transfer stations and an apparent increase in roadside litter (including not just litter but bags of trash littering our roadways.) And for many households who have decided, because of the conditions at the transfer stations, to contract for pickup of their trash at a cost of \$5.00/week, that represents a cost of \$260/year vs. a savings of \$6.00/year on their real estate taxes. When Mr. Ehrhart took office in 2016 he immediately began a campaign of continually and blatantly calling, e-mailing, texting and sending FOIA’s to the County Administrator, Board of Supervisors and School Board members and staff requiring hundreds of hours of their time to research and respond to his unnecessary requests. One member of the Board was called and texted over 1000 times at his workplace during that period of time. Since Mr. Ehrhart was employed by DEQ, a state agency, his actions were reported to the State Fraud and Abuse Helpline. As a result of their investigation Mr. Ehrhart was severely disciplined and, had he not submitted papers for his retirement, he may have been dismissed from DEQ. Unfortunately for the County and School Board staff Mr. Ehrhart continues this practice today, and at times uses staff to provide information he uses for his campaign for re-election. There is much more to the misdeeds and misinformation provided by Mr. Ehrhart, however space is limited for this letter to the editor, so stay tuned for much more. And now to answer the question, “Should a Change in the 5<sup>th</sup> District Even Be Considered.” The answer to that is a resounding **ABSOLUTELY**.

Don Wagner  
Aylett

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Letters to the Editor, continued

**Dear Editor,**

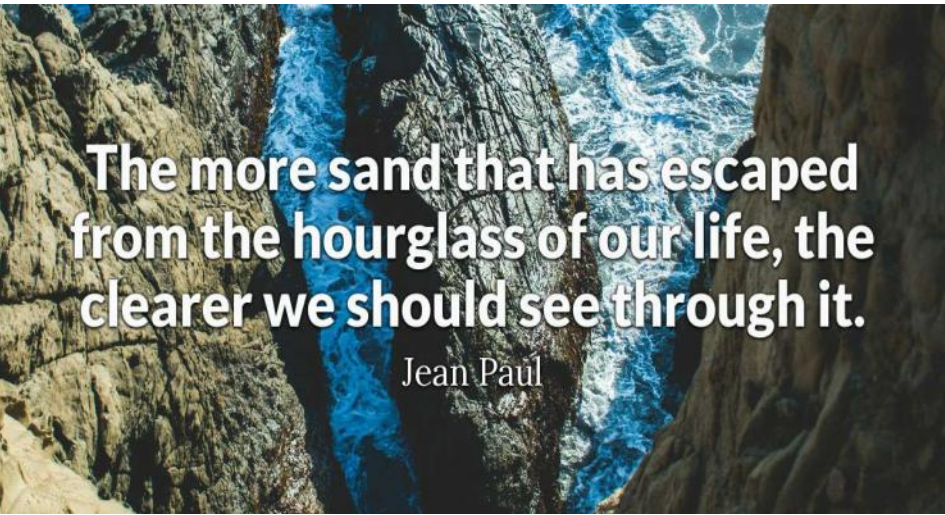
We received a supplemental summary, from our County Administrator during the July 8th Board meeting regarding your agreement with the Station One Auxiliary.

"There continues to be some confusion on the use of Station 1 as a County building. The County procured the property to serve as the County's Fire and Rescue Department base. That function is its primary mission. The Auxiliary is an independent organization contractually allowed to rent out the Banquet Hall area of the building. KWVFR was transitioning to an Auxiliary organization that wanted to continue to support the community, needed a physical base to operate from, and required a source of revenue to fund their community activities. The Auxiliary is required to carry insurance coverage for all scheduled events they are hosting/receiving rental fees. The County maintains insurance coverage on the building but its purpose differs from the insurance carried by the Auxiliary. The Auxiliary earns fees from renting out the Banquet

Hall space and reinvest it into the community and the County agreed we would not compete. The County may use the Banquet Hall area for trainings, classes, meetings, conferences, etc. that are County related. We do not provide the space for church meetings, political meetings, social groups, etc. Those organizations would need to go through the Auxiliary to reserve the Hall, which ensures that insurance coverage is in place and protecting the County from liability. I am sure if the Auxiliary were contacted directly they would be open to setting different rental rates for varying uses, if they haven't already.

Again, our focus at Station 1 is to use it as a Fire and Rescue Department base. Though we welcome the public we do not have the time or resources to schedule and manage organizations wanting to use the space unless it is directly benefiting the County, i.e. Emergency Management Trainings, Departmental Trainings, etc."

Regards  
Dave Hansen  
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# Fulcrum Concepts Promotes Stem Education to Area Youth



West Point High School Engineering Students with Fulcrum Concepts' Design Engineers and Structural Analysts after a full day of engineering problem solving.

Fulcrum's aerospace engineers and aviation mechanics encourage local students to pursue aerospace options.

Fulcrum Concepts LLC, a local defense and aerospace company located at the Middle Peninsula Regional Airport (MPRA) in Mattaponi, provided both support and instruction to two area STEM summer programs.

On June 22, Fulcrum Concepts supported the Young Aeronautics Educational Foundation's (YAEF) Aviation STEM Workshop by providing tours of its facility and hangar as well as introducing the students to career options that they may never have considered previously or had perceived the options as unattainable, Samuel Billings, Executive Director of YAEF, commented. He elaborated that Fulcrum Concepts' assistance made it "possible to provide technical training using aviation as a tool to engage youth in STEM concepts."

West Point High School STEM students participated in a full day of aerospace engineering activities on July 2. In conjunction with the technology program at West Point City Schools, engineers from Fulcrum Concepts gave students a peek into the life of an engineer. After receiving a tour of the facility and hangar, the students participated in communication, problem-solving, and team building exercises.

Rhombus, trapezoid, hexagon shaped puzzle pieces of varying colors littered the training room as students demonstrated their problem-solving capabilities, relying on clear communication to solve the puzzles. Fulcrum's design engineers and structural analysts also taught students basic engineering concepts by facilitating the construction of stable structures. "This is the second year we have supported this course," Stan Wood, managing member of Fulcrum Concepts, commented. "We enjoy working with the West Point High School Engineering students and watching them get excited about the various challenges we present to them."

Fulcrum Concepts, LLC continues to be committed to opening the world of STEM possibilities to area youth. Fulcrum's engineers and aviation staff look forward to future opportunities to work with the youth of the local communities. Fulcrum Concepts, LLC was founded ten years ago by Scott Richman of Gloucester, Stan Wood of Yorktown, and Mike Zinanni of Williamsburg.



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## New Study Shows How Trees Reduce Stormwater Runoff

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Eleven cities and one county were selected to participate. They include localities of large, medium and small densities and are found in the mountains, the piedmont and the coastal plain. In Virginia, the study mapped the urban canopy for Lynchburg, Harrisonburg and Norfolk. Participating localities are innovators for effective, greener stormwater management. There is a case study booklet for each pilot locality detailing the project, methodology, lessons learned and best practices for other cities who wish to do this work.

Excessive stormwater runoff accounts for more than half of the pollution in America's surface waters and causes increased flooding and property damages as well as public safety hazards. National studies indicate that land conserved for stormwater retention and flood prevention "show an eight-to-one dollar savings ratio versus man-made flood-control structures" (McDonald 2015). Cities need to better integrate trees into their stormwater management programs.

Cities suffering from standing water and urban

flooding now have a key tool in their arsenal to reduce this runoff and clean surface waters! One urban tree can soak up thousands of gallons of water annually and clean the water too. Yet many cities have not mapped their trees and don't understand how to utilize them to prevent urban runoff. Trees lost to storms and development should be replaced and new trees can be planted to provide many benefits.

The results demonstrate how any city can use this approach to map their canopy and model the role trees play in intercepting and cleaning the runoff. Trees can filter out nitrogen, phosphorus and sediment -- three key pollutants harming Virginia's surface waters. For example, during an average high volume rainfall event in Lynchburg (a 10-year storm), over 24 hours the city's trees take up an average of 70 million gallons of water. That's 105.4 Olympic swimming pools of water! The calculator tool allows any city to plug in tree canopy data and learn how trees soak up water and how many more can be planted. It also shows how much more water will runoff if trees are lost.

There is also a policy assessment tool to determine if city policies are making the city more impervious and also how they can improve urban forest management -- cities can administer this tool to grade themselves and see how to improve and community groups can also rank their cities. The case books, summary report and tools can be found on GIC's website at [http://www.gicinc.org/trees\\_stormwater.htm](http://www.gicinc.org/trees_stormwater.htm)

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Saturday August 3! Shoes, women's and men's clothing, accessories and more! Prayer breakfast. Saturday August 10, at 10:30 a.m. Pastor Geneva Johnson from St. Mark Church of God in Christ will be guest speaker. Annual Homecoming service Sunday, September 8! Apostle Marvin Richardson of World Vision Ministries in Timmonsville, SC will be speaker. Sunday service will start at 10:30am. Dinner served following morning service. Revival Wednesday Sept. 11th - Friday Sept. 13th at 7:00 p.m. nightly! Yard Sale! CFM is located at 304 W. Chinquapin Rd., King William 23086.

### **Crossroads Mission Center**

Fun Night @ the Crossroads, 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. Crossroadsmissioncenter-KW 694-K Sharon Rd, King William beside the Library

### **Kingdom of God**

### **Living Water Ministry**

Pastor Leo Reed 1438 Manfield Road, Manquin 23106. Sunday's at 12:15 PM.

## BAPTIST

### **Bethlehem Baptist Church**

YOU are invited to join us at for our "Deacon, Deaconess, and Trustee's Day" program scheduled for 3p.m. on Sunday, July 28, with the "Hearts of Joy" in concert and Worship Leader being Rev. Danny Pollard. Located in King & Queen County at 4389 The Trail (Route 14); Bruington, 23023 where Rev. James T. Hill, Sr. is our pastor. Call 804-363-1167 for additional information.

### **Bruington Baptist Church**

4784 The Trail, Bruington, King and Queen County. 10 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. Worship Service with Communion on first Sundays; 9:00 a.m. Deacons meet first Sundays/WOM third Sundays/ Fellowship breakfast fourth Sundays/Breakfast prepared by men fifth Sundays; 11a.m. children's church fifth Sundays/children and youth mission groups meet third Sundays; 6p.m. Adult Bible study Wednesdays followed by 7p.m. choir practice; 10a.m. until noon community clothes cupboard first Saturdays. Rev. Roger Collier 804-815-3267 or Rev. Fred Skaggs 804-347-7285.

### **Beulah Baptist Church**

VBS will be M-F July 22-26 from 9 a.m. to Noon for children ages 3 (potty trained) through Grade 6. At Group's ROAR children discover that life is wild. God is good! Pre register online at [www.beulahbaptistva.org/](http://www.beulahbaptistva.org/) Follow the VBS link OR phone Judy at 769-2687. Beulah is located at 4805 W. River Road near the intersection of Dorrell Road NW of Aylett.

### **Lower King and Queen Baptist Church**

located at 204 Timber Branch Road, Mascot, 23108, will be holding their yearly "Homecoming Service" on Sunday, August 11, 2019, at 11:00 AM. The guest speaker will be Dr. Bob Pipkin, Former Pastor of West End Baptist Church in Suffolk. Special music will be presented during the service. Afterwards there will be lunch served for all to enjoy. The public is invited!

**Mattaponi Baptist Church** (Circa early 1700s) Come join us and worship! The Mattaponi Baptist family welcomes everyone to hear the

music ministry and the teachings from God's word. Sunday school begins at 10:00am followed with Worship services at 11am. Be sure to "like" our new Facebook page listed under Mattaponi Baptist Church to learn all the great things God is doing for our church.

### **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 10:00a.m. Followed by Worship Service beginning at 11:00a.m. Rev. Dr. Sylvia Berry, Pastor & Sister Brenda Mercer, Sunday School Superintendant, 140 Greenbriar Rd, St Stephens Church.

### **New Mt. Zion Baptist Church**

Walkerton, Annual Family and Friends Day on Sunday, July 28, at 11:00 a.m. The family of the Late J.C. Graves will be honored. The preacher for the day will be Rev. Danny Pollard of First Mt. Olive Baptist Church and music is being provided by The Men of Mulberry of Warsaw. The dress is casual. Please join us for a blessed day.

### **New Mt. Zion Baptist Church**

Walkerton, Gospel Fest on August 24 at 4:00pm. Doors open at 3:30pm. Gospel guests will include: Gods Choice, Kendrick Morton, and Enrique Sneed. Admission is free. Please contact Deacon Julius Moore at (804) 929-6250 for more information. Please come and 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.

### **Oak Grove Baptist Church**

Oak Grove Baptist Church will be celebrating their 140<sup>th</sup> Church Anniversary on Sunday, July 28<sup>th</sup> beginning at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Dr. Raymond L. Palmer will deliver the morning worship service message. Lunch will be served after the morning worship service. The afternoon service will begin at 2:30 p.m. The guest speaker will be Dr. Elijah L. Campbell, Pastor, Mangohick Baptist Church.

### **Olivet Baptist Church**

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

### **POROPORONE BAPTIST CHURCH**

VBS! We are located at 33 & 14, behind the Shacklefords Post Office. Our Theme is Lifeway's "IN THE WILD". Ages 4 yrs-High School incl Class of 2019! July 21-26th! Please register soon! Several classes have limited space! Pre-Register at: [www.Facebook.com/PoroporoneBaptistChurch/Events](http://www.Facebook.com/PoroporoneBaptistChurch/Events). You can call 804-512-2484 if you have any questions or if you want to see if your class is already full

### **Rock Spring Baptist Church**

Steak & Grilled Chicken Dinners on Saturday, July 27, from 4:00pm – 7:00pm. Dine-In or Carry Out. Come out and join us at 4143 Manfield Rd, Aylett, 23009. Homecoming Sunday, August 11, at 11:30 a.m. afternoon service at 3:00 p.m., guest Dr. Elijah L. Campbell and the Mangohick Baptist Church Family. Revival Monday, August 12 through Thursday, August 15 with Prayer and Praise at 7:00 p.m. Revival Service at 7:30 p.m. Guest is Dr. Darius Beechum (Monday), Pastor Vincent Smith (Tuesday), Pastor Reuben Carter (Wednesday) and Dr. Charlene Gresham (Thursday). Lunch will be served at 1:30 p.m.

after the morning service.

### **Saint Paul Baptist Church**

1995 Globe Road, Aylett will celebrate its 132<sup>nd</sup> Homecoming on Sunday, August 4, 2019 at 11:00AM afternoon service at 3:00PM. Pastor, Rev. Robert D. Brown will deliver the morning message followed by meal. Donnie Hixon, Ft. Lauderdale Florida will guest musician. Rev. Evans White, Providence Bapt. Church Family, choir, ushers and congregation. Revival Service Aug. 7<sup>th</sup> thru August 9<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm PRAYER & PRAISE— 7:30PM Worship

Various Evangelists for the week. Come worship with us!

### **SRBA Events Set for week of July 21st**

The SRBA (Southside Rappahannock Baptist Association and its Allied Ministries) Board has set the week of July 21st for a variety of events. The Men's Chorus will sing for the Thursday evening service on July 25th. That evening, we are delighted to have Rev. Dr. Marcus D. Martin, Pastor of New Bridge Baptist Church in Richmond, as the closing preacher. Come and get to meet the various guest ministers, Baptist General Staff, Lott Carey Representatives and selective members of the 35 local SRBA Churches. Current Moderator, Rev. Keith Parham welcomes your presence for the week.

### **The Edge Worship Centre**

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[www.tewcwestpoint.net](http://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.

### **Upper King & Queen Baptist Church**

Vacation Bible School at Upper King and Queen Ch. World Changers: learn to change the world by Action as Jesus commanded us. Classes for 3 yr. old through teens and adults. Nursery provided. Please come join us July 22-26. light supper at 5:30 with VBS beginning at 6:00pm. Bible study, crafts, music, recreation and fun. Commencement program on Friday, Sunday activities as regularly scheduled.

### **Zion Baptist Church**

Homecoming Services will begin on Sunday, July 28 at 11am at Zion Baptist, King & Queen C.H. Rev. Edgar T. Rawles, Jr. will be the morning speaker. Lunch will be served following service. There will be no afternoon service. Revival Service will began Wednesday, July 31 through Friday August 2nd with prayer and praise service at 7pm & Worship Hour at 7:30pm. Wednesday-Rev. Alvin Hill, Community Christian Church, Warsaw. Thursday-Rev. Jared Beasley, Jerusalem. Friday-Rev. Justin House, Chesterfield

### **TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**

HOMEcoming IS SUNDAY, AUGUST 25, 11 AM SERVICE. GUEST MESSENGER BISHOP DR. CHARLES J.J. JACKSON III PASTOR OF CORNERSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH, SPARTANBURG, S.C., MUSIC DR. T. HOBBS/CHOIR MT. SINAI BAPTIST CHURCH. WE HAVE ONE SERVICE, FELLOWSHIP HALL DEDICATION, FRESH COOKED FOOD, FRESH BAKED FOOD, FRESH MADE BEVERAGES WILL BE SERVED IMMEDIATELY AFTER MORNING SERVICE, ALL ARE INVITED TO WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP WITH US. MORE INFO CALL LOUISE 804-769-3868.

### **METHODIST**

### **Epworth Methodist Church**

located at the corner of Route 30 and Epworth Road, Worship Service at 9:00 every Sunday followed by fellowship time, then Sunday school all ages at 10:30. Vacation Bible School-joined with McKendree Methodist Ch. Theme:

ReNew Creation. July 28<sup>th</sup> - August 2<sup>nd</sup> from 5:30 to 8:00 each evening, ages 3 yrs. old - 5<sup>th</sup> grade (older children can help!) Light meal at 5:30. Held at McKendree Ch. on Manquin Road. For info contact Epworth at 804-769-1949.

### **McKendree United Methodist Church**

4347 Manfield Road, Manquin, Worship on Sundays at 9:30am followed by Sunday School at 10:45 am. Pastor Betty Jo Sims. Web: [www.Mckendree23106.org](http://www.Mckendree23106.org)

### **McKendree & Epworth United Methodist Church**

Vacation Bible School at McKendree Church located at 4347 Manfield Road in Manquin. Classes start July 29 and run through Aug 2 with supper beginning at 5:30 each night. Call Pastor Betty Jo Sims at 804-839-2769 for more info.

### **Mizpah Methodist Church**

Join us on Sunday mornings at 11:00a.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

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7924 Richmond Highway. Sunday service at 10a.m. Holy Eucharist with music. Nursery available at 10 a.m. service. Monthly Free Community Dinner 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday – 5:30 – 7:00 Eat in only. 443-2341 [www.stpaulsmillertavern.org](http://www.stpaulsmillertavern.org)

## PRESBYTERIAN

### **St. James Presbyterian Church**

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

## LUTHERAN

## NON DENOMINATION

### **Broadus Church - Hebron Campus**

3407 King William Road, Aylett, 23009, (804) 779-2700, Worship with us Sunday mornings at 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**

A safe place for everyone. We Worship together 10:30 Sunday mornings at K.W. Fire & Rescue 7936 Richmond Tappahannock Hwy. Aylett, 23009 [crosschurchva.com](http://crosschurchva.com)

### **Women in the Word Community Bible Study!**

Discover a group of local ladies to pray with you, encourage you, and support you as we study God's Word together. Meetings will be each Monday night, from 6:30-7:45p.m. at the King and Queen library branch (396 Newtown Road, St. Stephens Church). Questions? Email Melissa at [melmar192@gmail.com](mailto:melmar192@gmail.com).



# Community Calendar

**Non Profit Only. This page is free to KW and K&Q only.**

## King & Queen Library

Yoga for Seniors Thursday, August 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29, 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. Family Newspaper STEAM Challenge Wednesday, August 7, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Suminagashi Marbling Workshop Wednesday, August 14, 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Call 804-769-1623 or visit the library at 396 Newtown Road for more info.

## Upper King William Library

Bobby Cadabra, Magician Friday, August 2, 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Yoga for Seniors Tuesday, August 6, 13, 20, & 27, 11:00 a.m. - noon Book Page Balls Wednesday, August 7, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. Ages 16 & up Ice Cream Social Saturday, August 10, 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. All ages Call 804-769-3731 or visit the library at 694-J Sharon Road for more Info.

## West Point Library

Explore 3D Printing Saturday, August 17, 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Ages 8 & up Teen Pizza & a Movie Tuesday, August 6, 5:00-7:00 p.m. Ages 13 and up. Hot Dog! It's A Party! Saturday, August 10, 11:00 a.m. - 1:45 p.m. LEGOMania Friday, August 16, 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. Ages 5-12. Adult Movie Night Thursday, August 22, 12:30 - 2:30 p.m. Ages 16 & up CoderDojo Saturday, August 24, 10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Ages 11 -18. Call 804-843-3244 or visit the library at 721 Main Street for more info.

## 45th Class Reunion-Save the Date

Lee Davis Class of 1974. 45th class reunion Saturday, October 19th from 5:00-9:00p.m. at Creamfield Farm, 10572 Summer Hill Road in Studley. This is a casual affair, lots of good food and beverages (BYOB) provided by Smokey Bottom BBQ. Great entertainment by MOZO featuring Kenny Blaylock! Cost-\$45.00 per person, purchase your tickets at Mechanicsville Drug Store or mail money to Mechanicsville Drug Store, L-D Class of '74 Reunion, P.O. Box 7, Mechanicsville, VA 23111. made out to Lee Davis Class of 1974. After October 1st, ticket increase to \$50.00 per person. Plan now to reconnect with classmates & make new memories. Follow our Facebook page, Lee-Davis Class of 1974 45th Reunion.

## DCSE Service Point Assistance

Entering the New Millennium DCSE Personnel will be at K&Q Social Services on the Third Thursday of each month from 9:30a.m. to 3:00p.m. to assist you with Child Support Related Questions and/or Inquiries. DCSE Contact Information: 1-800-468-8894

## 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.

## 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 Salfish 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.

K.W. Rec Park KingWilliamRec.com.

## Mattaponi Crime Solvers

serving King & Queen, King William, and town of West Point Tip line: (804) 769-3000 For more info on the Crime Solvers program contact: KQKWSolvers@aol.com. Remember If you see something, say something.

## Three Rivers SWCD Board of Directors 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.

## Good Homes Needed For Good Pets

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.11am.-2pm. www.petfinder.com email: animalshelter@kingwilliamcounty.us

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## 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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Friends and Family CPR class. West Point Masonic Lodge 2126 King William Avenue West Point, Virginia 23181 July 27 9:00 - 11:00a.m. Spaces are limited please reserve your spot Contact: James Dopp 804-212-7304 Only \$10.00 per person

## Frog Level Fire Dept. Fall Festival & Parade

Seeking vendors. Oct. 26 10am-3pm. 804-338-8697. crozell@verizon.net

## Mobile Pantry

August 6th (not 7th) Mobile Pantry distribution at noon August 8th \$7 Dinner deal at 6 p.m. August 10th Presentation by Three Rivers on OPIOID AWARENESS & SAFE MEDICATION HANDLING, 8.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Tel. No: 804 769 2996/Email:theccdc@gmail.com The CornerStone Community Development Center 8270 Richmond Tappahannock Hwy., Aylett, VA 23009.

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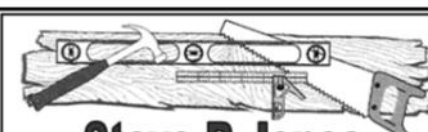
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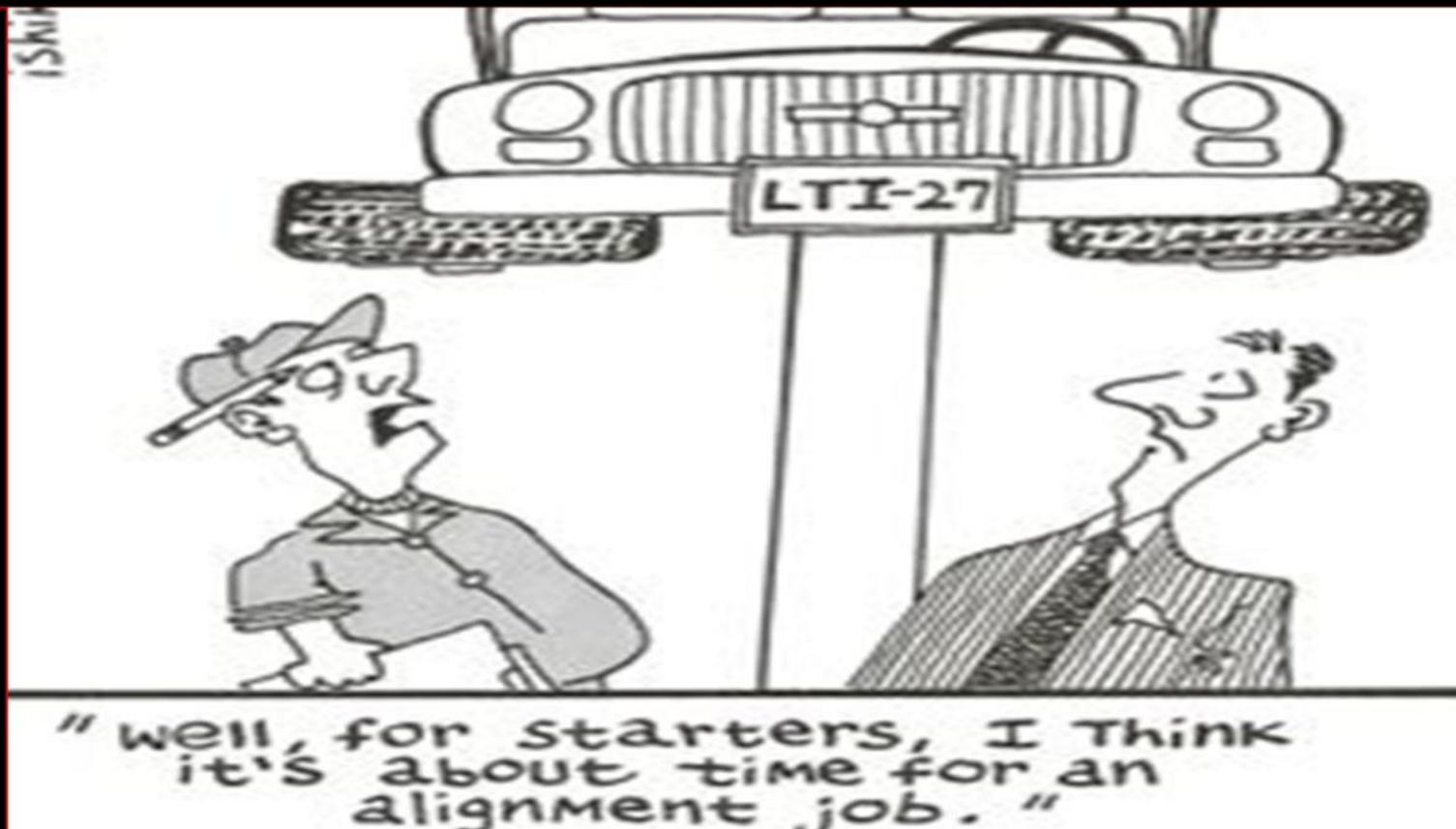
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