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Reflections of Enfield Store



Painting of Enfield Store by Teressa Pearson

By Gene Campbell

Recently there has been a surge of social media posts celebrating old country stores, prompting me to reminisce about Enfield Store. Situated at the intersection of Rt 605 (Manfield Road) and Rt 610 (Epworth Road) approximately 5 miles from Manquin and four miles from where I grew up, Enfield Store holds a special place in my heart. In the bygone days, country stores were a common sight along the back roads, often serving as pivotal points at crossroads, with some doubling as post offices – a role Enfield Store fulfilled. Enfield dates back to 1832. My great-grandfather, Thomas F. Cocke served as postmaster various times at Enfield from 1886 to 1921. My great-grandparents lived across the road from Enfield Store at their home called Sunnyside. They were one of the four founding families of McKendree Methodist Church, located one mile east of Enfield. It was here that my grandmother Ellie Cocke met my grandfather Dr. Hawes Campbell while he was a student at the Medical College of Virginia. According to my grandmother, it was her strong work ethic, assisting her father in the store, that caught the attention of my grandfather.

My earliest memories of Enfield Store involved visits when my father's first cousin, Billy Campbell, owned and managed the store.

Please see **ENFIELD STORE**, continued on page 8.

Community Unity: Ruritan and Law Enforcement Join Forces for a Safer Community



Ruritan member Stuart Bush gives hot dogs to Stephen Taylor and his children.



Walkerton Community Fire Association

By Gene Campbell

The King William Ruritan Club is known for promoting fellowship, goodwill, and community service. It was the vision of former Ruritan Club member, the late Bob Coats, a respected former state trooper, to bring law enforcement and the community together to start a National Night Out event. Bob recognized the importance of fostering positive relationships between law enforcement and the community to uphold public trust and enhance community engagement. Please see **NATIONAL NIGHT**, continued on page 11.

Bancroft Holds Town Hall Meeting



Citizens asking questions at fifth district town hall meeting

By Gene Campbell

King William County Fifth District Supervisor Mary Sue Bancroft hosted a town hall meeting on August 8th at the Senior Citizens Center on Rt 30.

Please see **TOWN HALL**, continued on page 2.

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Town Hall, continued from front page

Over 60 citizens were in attendance including Second District Supervisor Ben Edwards, County Finance Director David Wilson, and Sheriff Donald Lumpkin. Supervisor Bancroft started the meeting by updating everyone on current county projects and issues. After her updates, the meeting evolved into a discussion regarding the supervisors' recent decision to withdraw from the Pamunkey Regional Library (PRL) System. The decision is subject to approval by the other members of the PRL and will become effective July 1st, 2025.

Bancroft defended the decision to leave and transition to an independent library system, stating the independent system would have increased resources and extended hours of operation. She emphasized the decision was made with the best interests of the citizens in mind. She also was dismayed by the misinformation circulating in the community and on social media regarding the decision.

During the meeting, recurring questions arose from the citizens regarding the specifics of the independent system's plan and whether a cost analysis had been conducted before the decision was made. One citizen expressed apprehension, stating that the county

would be unable to adequately staff and support the current two libraries (West Point and Central Garage) matching the resources currently provided by the PRL for the current cost of approximately \$600,000. Some citizens suggested the supervisors should admit they made a mistake, properly research the cost of an independent system, present a plan, and get input from the citizens. From all indications, a majority of citizens in attendance supported keeping the county membership in the PRL.

The next scheduled meeting of the Board of Supervisors is Monday, August 26th beginning at 6:30 pm in the administrative building in the courthouse complex.



Publisher's Message



We all have times in our lives that test our beliefs and our ability to move forward. There are seasons we go through that change us and sometimes allow us to grow spiritually. There is always hope in the coming of a new day. We may not understand why some things happen the way they do, but we go forward hopefully wiser and something learned.

Take care until next time.

Danny Clark



The Country Courier welcomes letters from our readers, which will be published with the writer's signature and county of residence. We accept calendar items at no charge for 60 words or less. The Country Courier reserves the right to edit letters and calendar items and print when space is available.

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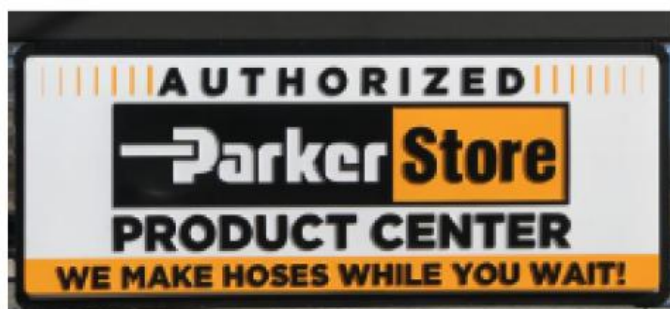


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Answers

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I remember watching a sports program with an old mule buddy and an ad came on with some people scuba-diving. I asked the question "Why do people always fall backwards into the water when they go scuba-diving?" In his infinite wisdom, my buddy responded "That's easy. If they fall forward, they would still be in the boat!" We both had a big laugh and later I got to thinking that he was right in the way he looked at it. It wasn't the response that I was looking for. Maybe it was because I didn't ask the question correctly.

Sometimes our horses and mules don't give us the response we're looking for. It's not always their fault, most of the time it's ours for not communicating correctly. I've heard some old timers say that people don't have horse problems, horses have people problems. What they mean is that a horse has no problem being a horse. We just have to learn how to speak horse. Break things down to the simplest tasks and make sure we are

asking properly. Always try to set them up to succeed. Like when teaching them to walk on a lead, use a fence on one side so they will walk straight and not be tempted to go the other way. Always be safe, and don't be afraid to ask for help to learn to communicate better with your animal. By the way, Pip can speak mule perfectly and she's always teaching me. She'll pull a pretty good joke every now and then and all I can do is laugh.

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

King William Board of Supervisors Statement on Misinformation

NEWS RELEASE

In Regard to Proposed Independent Library

August 4, 2024- The King William County Board of Supervisors since taking office has made significant progress in putting the County's finances on the right track.

Restoring financial priorities for public safety, education and services has required significant focus on ensuring we get the most efficient use of your tax dollars. It is well known the current library system is part of our restructuring plan.

Unfortunately, opponents to an independent library system have resorted to a misinformation campaign to gain public support by disseminating false statements. They continue to create division without any communication from this Board or the facts surrounding our decision to move to an independent library system.

These are the facts which have led to our decision to leave the Pamunkey Regional Library (PRL):

1. The latest budget request from the PRL for over \$650,000.00 for this coming year and the constant increases have been weighing heavily on the County's budget funded by taxpayer dollars. To continue funding the PRL would be fiscally irresponsible to the citizens of King William. This along with other localities opting out of the current system has made the PRL unsustainable.

2. In no way are our decisions being based on the content or appropriateness of books in the libraries! This debate starts at home and is a matter for parents to decide on what is appropriate.

3. The county will have 2 libraries. The West Point facility is a beautiful library, and this Board would never want to shut down nor has the Board ever said the West Point branch would close its doors

with an independent system.

4. The discussion for moving to an independent system was not done in a closed session. The need to end King William's involvement in the PRL has been going on for over a year and the prior indecision of the previous Board has left this responsibility to fall on our members. All of the members of the Board have been involved in the discussion and planning of moving to an independent library system.

5. This Board has put the time and effort into assuring that the new independent library system exceeds the expectations of the community. We are working with the Library of Virginia to gain access to their available resources through the Library Development and Networking Division which provides professional consultation and support for over 300 public libraries in Virginia. In an effort to create a seamless transition in the months/year ahead, the Board is in consultation with the new Director of the PRL, Jamie Stoops. To continue our commitment to transparency, a town hall meeting will be scheduled for this Fall to present the plan and details of this transition.

As members of the community ourselves, we understand the frustrations and concerns in regard to this transition. But this Board cannot sit idly by allowing misleading and false statements by bureaucrats and opponents who wish to politicize this plan.

This Board will meet our financial responsibilities to the taxpayers, and we will provide the needed services of a superior library system for all of our citizens.

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Obituary



SOUTHER

Freddie D. Souther, 76, of King William passed away on August 2, 2024. He is preceded in death by his parents, Thelma and Charles

Southern, brother, Sonny Southern and his daughter Tina. He is survived by his wife Joyce of 56 beautiful years, his son Steve (Kim), 2 sisters, 4 brothers, 5 grandchildren, and 8 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 8, 2024 at B.W. White Funeral Home, Aylett. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I am truly disappointed in this Board of Supervisors

During the years of 1946-1950, I fondly remember the Pamunkey Regional Library (PRL) bookmobile parked once a month in front of my parent's store at Cohoke. I could board it, browse and read to my heart's content, then pick out the books to borrow until the Bookmobile returned. We were a poor community and the PRL provided the love of reading to a group of people who could not afford to buy books. The Bookmobile serviced communities of King William until about 2011. A group of hardworking "Friends of the Library" helped open a PRL Branch Library in Manquin in 1995.

I truthfully cannot think of one good reason for King William to pull out of the

PRL system. The county certainly cannot afford to provide all of the services now offered by the PRL. The citizens have been promised a broadband system for several years and you see how that has developed. I still do not have broadband service.

As an elderly citizen of this county, the library is about the only benefit I receive for the many dollars of taxes I pay. I am truly disappointed in this Board of Supervisors. The least they could have done was their homework. It is completely incorrect that the decision was made with the majority of the citizen's best interests in mind. The majority of the citizens have not had a chance to make their voices heard or vote on this matter.

A Very Concerned Citizen,
Wortley Green White

Letters to the Editor

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Cavalier Coaches Span the Decades of King William Football

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The "Hazy, Hot and Humid" days of August are upon us and with it comes thoughts of being in an A/C environment or being near a body of water, be it pool, lake, river, or ocean, for relief. It also signals early thoughts of "The Boys of Fall" as youth, scholastic, collegiate, and professional teams hit the fields for the first official days of practice and preseason games.

King William High welcomed JV and Varsity players back on Monday, August 5th to begin preparation for the upcoming 2024 season, the 68th edition in the history of King William High. With the exception of a four year absence between 1959 and 1962, football has been played on the Central Garage campus since 1952. Through the 2023 campaign, a total of 17,706 points have been scored by the "home" team while opponents have totaled 11,382 points. Result? An "average" score of 25.33 to 16.23 in favor of King William, a plus 9.05 point differential.

In total, football has spanned the last eight decades and the current coaching staff covers six of those. The newest members of the Cavalier staff are Lance Alphonso (Class of 2020) and Cameron Cooksey (Class of 2018), and the most recent former players and graduates of King William High. Head JV coach Jamal Johnson (Class of 2015) rounds out the two most recent decades of former graduates and players.

Assistants Brock Kelley and Hunter Faulkner (Class of 2009) along with Kenny Waters (Class of 2006) represent former grads and players from the "Y2K" decade.

As we travel back in time to the 20th century, assistant coach Maurice Newbill (Class of 1998) is probably the most decorated former player on the staff having set many district, regional, and state ranked records for rushing and scoring during his King William playing days and continuing his play as a defensive back for the University of Richmond. Both he and Marvin Carter (Class of 1991) represent the decade of the 1990s.

Head Coach Scott Moore and assistant coach Howard Hill were both classmates and teammates (Class of 1986). Coach Moore continued his playing days as an offensive lineman at the College of William and Mary. They take care of the decade of the '80's ---- disco, big hair, and all!

Finally, from "That '70's Decade", assistant coach Michael Commins (Class of 1976) rounds out the coaches who have not only coached the Black and Gold, but worn it proudly on so many Friday nights of the past and proudly list their names as graduates of King William High.

Giving back ----- something we have all heard and something these eleven Sons of King William truly believe in. Along with assistant coaches Mike Ludwig and Josh Cretaro, they make up a staff that dedicates themselves to continue the tradition and legacy of King William High football. Some of those eleven had that instilled in us by the coaching and mentorship of Bobby G. Murray, who guided the King William football program from 1964 – 1970, and joins me in the press box on home Friday nights to assist with game statistics.

Coach Murray? 1964 – 1969? I believe we just covered another decade! Make that seven out of eight.....

The Cavaliers will kick off the 2024 campaign at home on Friday, August 30th, when they welcome the Cougars of Stuarts Draft High to Roger G. Brookes III Field at Cavalier Stadium for a scheduled 7 PM kickoff. The JV Cavaliers will begin their 2024 campaign on the road at Stuarts Draft High on Thursday, August 29th, with kickoff scheduled for 6 PM.

A small milestone will occur with the varsity game on August 30th, as it will be the 700th varsity game played in King William history. The overall record is 418 wins, 273 losses, and 8 ties, a winning percentage of 60.4.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

THIS MATTER having come before the Court upon the Affidavit of the Petitioner, Sheryl L. Herndon, Esq., seeking service on parties by Order of Publication; and

Upon a review of the Petition, the exhibits attached thereto, and the Affidavit for Order of Publication, the Court hereby finds as follows:

1. That the object of this suit is for a photocopy of the original Will of David A. Jennell dated April 20, 2015 to be admitted to probate in lieu of an original;
2. That the location and address of CHRISOPHER LEE JENNELL, JAMES JENNELL, JR., JEANINE JENNELL, and JAMES JENNELL III cannot be found after reasonable diligence and the last known addresses of such parties are unknown to the Petitioner; and
3. That there may be other persons interested in these proceedings whose identities are unknown and who are identified in the Petition as "PARTIES UNKNOWN."

It is therefore ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED:

- A. That CHRISOPHER LEE JENNELL, JAMES JENNELL, JR., JEANINE JENNELL, JAMES JENNELL III, and all other "PARTIES UNKNOWN" who believe they have an interest in these proceedings or in the Estate of David A. Jennell shall appear on or before September 5, 2024, ^{at 9:00 AM} to protect his, her, or their interests.
- B. That this Order of Publication shall be published once a week for four successive weeks in the County Courier, serving the King William and King and Queen communities since 1989.
- C. That a copy of this Order of Publication shall be posted at the front door of the Circuit Court for King William County, Virginia.

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Date

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Bay Aging Wins Multiple Awards at the National USAging Conference



From left to right: Michael Eidsaune, CEO, Caregiving.com; John Byer, CEO, Cumulus.care; Kathy Vesley, CEO, Bay Aging; and Pam Curtis, President, USAging.

Contributed

URBANNA, VA - Bay Aging was honored to attend the USAging 49th Annual Conference and Tradeshow, "Answers on Aging," held in Tampa, Florida, from July 8-11. This prestigious event recognizes national innovative programs that serve older adults at home and in the community.

The 2024 USAging Aging Innovations & Achievement Awards, supported by Caregiving.com and Cumulus.care, recognize USAging's Area Agency on Aging members that have found new and innovative ways to support older adults, people with disabilities, and caregivers as they live in their homes and communities.

Bay Aging was honored among 22 local aging programs with achievement and innovation awards. The organization received accolades in the following categories: Health-

Social Care Integration for the Community Care Innovation Collaborative, Workforce Development and Volunteerism for Bay Aging's Leadership Institute, Caregiver Support Program, and Nutrition for the Healthy Harvest Program.

Bay Aging earned two Innovations Awards and two Achievement Awards, emerging as one of the three highest-scoring winners for the 2024 USAging Aging Innovations & Achievement Award. They secured second place for the Community Care Innovation Collaborative, an initiative that serves as a shared learning space for leaders creating community care networks that connect people to health care and social supports. A public service of VAAACares®, Virginia's community care hub, the collaborative launched in 2021 and now serves over 300 members representing 166 organizations.

"At USAging, we are thrilled to recognize the outstanding achievements of this year's Aging Innovations & Achievement Awards recipients. Their innovative programs and unwavering commitment to improving the lives of older adults set a high standard for excellence in our field. These initiatives not only enhance the well-being of our aging population but also inspire others to strive for impactful and lasting change in their communities," said USAging CEO Sandy Markwood.

Adding to this esteemed recognition, Kathy Vesley, President and CEO of Bay Aging, was selected last year as the Excellence in Leadership Award recipient. Kathy's dedication and visionary leadership have been pivotal in driving Bay Aging's mission and expanding its impact in the community.

"We are incredibly honored to receive these awards," said Kathy Vesley, Bay Aging President and CEO. "They reflect the hard work and commitment of our entire team to innovate and provide exceptional care and support to older adults. The Community Care Innovation Collaborative, which earned second place in the Innovation Award category, has been particularly transformative, creating vital connections between health care and social supports. Additionally, recognition for our Leadership Institute, Caregiver Support Program, and Healthy Harvest Program underscores our comprehensive approach to serving our community. These awards, coupled with the Excellence in Leadership Award, are a testament to Bay Aging's ongoing efforts to

enhance the well-being of the communities we serve and our mission to provide programs and services that people of all ages need to live independently in their communities."

Bay Aging is grateful for the monetary award from our second-place win, which will be used to enhance our programs and services to help individuals live independently in their own homes and communities.

The 2024 USAging Aging Innovations & Achievement Awards honored traditional and new strategies in a range of categories, including advocacy; agency operations; caregiving; community planning and livable communities; diversity, equity, and inclusion; economic security; elder abuse prevention; health-social care integration; healthy aging; home and community-based services; housing and homelessness; kinship and grandfamily support; nutrition; technology; social engagement; transportation and mobility; and workforce development and volunteerism.

All winners are highlighted in the USAging Aging Innovations & Achievement Awards Showcase. To view the awards showcase, visit their website at www.usaging.org.

Established in 1978, Bay Aging is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) Area Agency on Aging that primarily serves residents of the Middle Peninsula and Northern Neck. Through its comprehensive transportation, housing, community living and health services programs, Bay Aging is committed to providing programs and services people of all ages need to live independently in their communities. To learn more, visit www.bayaging.org or call 800-493-0238.

Enfield Store, continued

Riding alongside my father on the four-mile journey from my home to the store, I would grab a can of Vienna sausage and crackers for lunch while helping on the farm during the summer. There was just something about the Vienna Sausage and crackers that aroused my taste buds. The store had a pot belly stove and I remember greeting the "old timers" sitting around the stove during the winter months. In the summer, the old timers gathered on the old worn wooden benches outside on the porch. I also remember getting a Tiny Grape drink or Brown Mule chocolate drink from a metal drink cooler inside the store.

Following Billy Campbell, Jimmy Newcomb and later Bobby Peele took the reins of the store until its eventual demolition in the mid-1970s to make way for the widening of Rt. 605. Enfield, a

quaint settlement comprising six homes and a store, embodied the essence of community connection and social interaction that defined these rural establishments at crossroads. Before the advent of Rt. 360, Enfield stood as a prominent stop on the route from Richmond to Tappahannock. After crossing the Pamunkey River at Hanover town, people traveled Rt. 604 (Dabney's Mill Road) to Enfield and then to Brandywine (now called Manquin) and Tappahannock beyond.

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Staff, and other law enforcement agencies co-mingled with community members at the event, answering questions, addressing concerns, and fostering connections with the residents they serve. Children squealed with delight as they played in the "bounce house" while mom and dad socialized with their neighbors. The aroma of grilled hot dogs provided by the Ruritan Club accompanied by the upbeat tunes of a local DJ filled the air, creating a vibrant atmosphere. National Night Out was a resounding success and served as a powerful reminder of the strength of community spirit and the importance of working together to create safer and more connected communities.

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Calls for Service	965
Incident Reports	69
Traffic Summons	145
Warrants Served	58
Civil Papers Served	435

UCR Code	Count
16.1-253.2-PROTECTIVE ORDER: VIOLATION	1
18.2-250-DRUGS: POSSESS SCH TOR II	1
18.2-266-DWI: 1ST OFFENSE	1
18.2-388-INTOXICATION IN PUBLIC	1
18.2-456(A)(6)-FAIL TO APPEAR-FEL/MISD/SUMONS	1
18.2-57-ASSAULT: ON LAW ENF/JUDGE/DOC/FIRE/EMERG PERSON	1
18.2-57.2-ASSAULT & BATTERY - FAMILY MEMBER	2
18.2-60.4-VIOLATE PROTECTIVE ORDER (GENERAL)	2
18.2-95-GRAND LARCENY: >=\$1000 NOT FROM A PERSON	1
18.2-95-GRAND LARCENY: FIREARM, NOT FROM A PERSON	1
18.2-96-PETIT LARCENY: <\$1000 NOT FROM A PERSON	2
23D-Theft From Building	1
23H-All Other Larceny	1
26A-False Pretenses/ Swindle/Confidence Game	1
26B-Credit Card/Automatic Teller Machine Fraud	2
290-Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	2
3.2-6503-ANIMAL:INADEQUATE CARE OF ANIMAL(S) BY OWNER	1
3.2-6570-CRUELTY TO ANIMALS: GENERALLY	1
46.2-817-LAW ENF COMMAND: DISREGARD OR ELUDE, ENDANGER	1
46.2-862-RECK DR: SPEEDING 20MPH+	1
46.2-894-HIT & RUN: ATTENDED PROPERTY DAMAGE >\$1000	1
90F-Family Offenses, Nonviolent	4
90Z-All Other Offenses	2
ANIMBD-ANIMAL BITE - DOG/ CANINE	9
ANIMBF-ANIMAL BITE - CAT / FELINE	4
CIVILD-CIVIL DISTUBANCE/VERBAL DISPUTE	2
CIVILI-CIVIL ISSUE	1
DOA-DEAD ON ARRIVAL/DECEASED PERSON	1
MENTAL-MENTAL SUBJECT	1
MPER-MISSING PERSON/ADULT	1
SUICT-SUICIDE THREATENED	1
WARR-WARRANT SERVICE	8
** TOTAL **	69

Tick-borne Illness - Confounding Symptoms

Contributed

Charles Green, deputy commissioner for the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, ate a cheeseburger at lunchtime one day, and by dinnertime suffered a mild heart attack. "I knew something was really wrong," Green said. It took five months for Green and multiple doctors to realize the symptoms were an allergic reaction to red meat and dairy from a molecule transmitted by the Lone Star tick. Alpha-gal syndrome wasn't high on Green's "worry radar" as he worked on his King William County family farm in 2022. "I was dressing for the summer weather," he said. "But not dressing to avoid tick bites." Initial blood tests revealed elevated troponin, which suggests cardiac stress. Multiple procedures did not find anything amiss.

"In a last-ditch effort, I asked my primary care physicians to run oddball tests," he said. "Luckily we included alpha-gal." The diagnosis was a game changer.

In addition to avoiding red meat and dairy, he also has to be careful with mammalian derivatives used in products like gel caps and lanolin lotions. Subsequent tick bites can worsen or awaken the condition, Green noted, so he now he wears layers and tucks in permethrin-treated clothing while working outside. "It took months to figure out what was going on with me, while others go years without an answer," he said. "If any person has unexplained symptoms, this awareness may help find a path forward."

Sometimes tick bites happen out of season, like they did for the Gwaltney family in Giles County. Jessica and Wes Gwaltney spent time outside on a warm winter day in 2022 with their two young daughters. They checked them for ticks, but didn't find any. Three days later, their 3-year-old daughter, Ella, felt one on her neck. It was a blacklegged deer tick, which carries Lyme

disease. The family called their doctor, who advised keeping an eye on the bite zone.

A month later, Ella complained of sore knees. "We asked the pediatrician to test her specifically for Lyme, and it was positive," Wes said. Antibiotics were prescribed, but were followed by headaches, stomach pain and night terrors. Ella was prescribed a more aggressive antibiotic.

One night she woke up not breathing, and that snowballed. Finally, an allergist helped the Gwaltneys navigate Lyme disease, and Ella was prescribed a steroid for flare-ups, which helped. "We don't want other families to experience this. Take tick bites seriously," Jessica said.

To prevent tick bites, the Virginia Department of Health recommends: Walking in the center of trails, and avoiding brushing against weeds and tall grass. Keeping grass and underbrush cut down. Place a 3-foot-wide barrier of wood chips or gravel between lawns and wooded areas to restrict tick migration into recreational areas. Wearing light-colored clothing so ticks can be seen easily, and tuck pant legs into socks. Conducting tick checks on children and pets every four hours when staying outside. Applying insect repellents containing active ingredients such as DEET, picaridin, oil of eucalyptus, Bio-UD or IR3535 to exposed skin. Checking armpits, ears and hair, belly button, backs of knees and groin.

If bitten by a tick, Virginia Cooperative Extension recommends using tweezers to grasp the tick as close as possible to the skin, and pull slowly with even pressure. Wash the bite wound with antiseptic. Drop the tick in rubbing alcohol, and keep it for a few months to identify it in case any disease symptoms develop. Get help with tick identification through the VDH website at vdh.virginia.gov/ticks.



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE COUNTY OF KING WILLIAM, VIRGINIA

Pursuant to the terms of those certain Decrees of Sale entered in the Circuit Court of County of King William, the undersigned Special Commissioner will offer for sale at a simulcast (with online and in person bidding) the following described real estate at King William County Boardroom, 180 Horse Landing Road, King William, Virginia 23086, on September 6, 2024 at 1:00 pm.
The sale of such property is subject to the terms and conditions below, and any terms or conditions which may be posted or announced For Sale At Auction, Inc. ("Auctioneer") and Taxing Authority Consulting Services, PC ("TACS"). Subsequent announcements take precedence over any prior written or verbal terms of sale.

J1	Hubert A. Earley, Jr.	18-66	706942	Adj McKenzie; 29 AC +/- Mangohick District
J2	Charles Henry Roane	51-13	806167	0 Mount Olive Cohoke Road; 4AC +/-; West Point District
J3	Harry Reed Jr.	20-22	707073	7839 King William Road, Aylett; 6.84 AC +/-; Mangohick District.
J4	Harry Reed Jr.	20-22C	707073	246 Upshaw Road, Aylett; 1 AC +/-; Mangohick District
J5	Harry Reed III	20-22D	707113	170 Upshaw Road, Aylett; 5.18 AC +/-; Mangohick District
J6	US Bank National Association	4-12C	707133	2617 Herring Creek Road, Aylett; 2.44 AC +/-; Mangohick District
J7	Ola B. Loper	45-23A	706943	Adj Sales; 1 AC +/-; West Point District
J8	Carrie Robinson	15-1	707041	123 Sparrow Lane, Aylett; 3 AC +/-; Acquinton District
J9	Ellen Hill	44-97	706981	Adj Mallory Swamp; 2 AC +/-; West Point District
J10	M. W. Taylor	19-55A	706984	Webb Creek near Enfield Road; Mangohick District
J11	Kimberly May Wilson	69A1-51-710	707042	1009 Kirby Street, West Point; Town of West Point
J12	Deutsche Nat Trust Co.	52-59A	707000	Union Hope Road, adj Robinson Part Lot 1; 3.74 AC +/-; West Point District
J13	Katie F Kiah	22-75	706958	Old School Ground; 1 AC +/-; Acquinton District
J14	Mildred C. Parks	69A3-65-928	706935	C Street, Block 65, Lot 928; Town of West Point
J15	Shirley Gaines Roane	54-30	706957	111 Churchville Road; 2.24 AC +/-; West Point District
J16	Cazandra Richardson	44-102	707061	Adj Washington; 1 AC +/-; West Point District
J17.1	Jesse W. Custalow	69A1-26-330	706916	7 th Street Lots 330 and 333; Town of West Point
J17.2	Jesse W. Custalow	69A-26-325A	706916	7 th Street Lot 325A; Town of West Point
J17.3	Jesse W. Custalow	62B-2	706916	Lots 2 & 7 Cypress Place; West Point District
J17.4	John Custalow Jr.	62B-3	706921	Lot 3 Cypress Place; West Point District
J18	Virginia Fells	22-6	707081	Adj Frick, approximately 1 mile from Village of Aylett; 12.5 ac +/-
J19	Verna Arche	30A-1-4	803553	Chinquapin Road; 3.31 AC +/-; Acquinton District
J20.1	Laura Smith Estate	69A1-62-874	707154	11 th Street Lot 874; Town of West Point
J20.2	Van H. Smith	69A1-62-871	707154	11 th Street Lot 871; Town of West Point
J21	Lucille S. Young	69A1-62-868A	707154	C Street Lot 868A; North Half of Old Lot 868; Town of West Point
J22	Lucy Gaines	45-36	706978	Adj Sales; 5 AC +/-; West Point District

GENERAL TERMS OF SALE: All sales are subject to confirmation by the Circuit Court. The Special Commissioner has the right to reject any bids determined to be unreasonable in relation to the estimated value of the Property. Any unsold property will be offered for sale again at the next auction, whenever that may be.

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Re: County of King William Judicial Sale Auction
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**NOTICE OF DELINQUENT TAXES
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Pursuant to Virginia Code §58.1-3975, the following real property will be auctioned for sale to the highest bidder at a simulcast (with online and in person bidding) public auction to be held at the King William County Boardroom, 180 Horse Landing Road, King William, Virginia 23086, on September 6, 2024 at 1:00 pm.

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N3	Cecilia R. Bradley	69A1-51-703	707016	11th St Lot 703 & 703A Town of West Point
N4	Margaret H. Richardson	69A1-7-57A	706920	2nd St Lot 57A Town of West Point

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Church Calendar

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Christ Community Church

Meeting Sunday morning in the sanctuary at Beulah Church - 1539 Lewis B Puller Memorial Hwy. east, (SR 33E, Saluda 23149) PH: (804) 370-5035 Service starts at 0930. All invited to join. Family, Friends and Neighbors come worship our Lord together. We are Christ Community Church, where Christ is the center of our community!

Christian Fellowship Ministries

304 W. Chinquapin Rd, King William, on Sundays at 11am in the sanctuary and on Wednesday Nights for Bible Study at 7pm on Zoom. Zoom ID: 890 008 8851 Password: 6iayfH. Also, follow us on Facebook at Christian Fellowship Ministries to be invited to join our Live services.

Jerusalem Christian Church

We invite you to worship with us in person service. Adult Sunday School at 10:00 am. Sunday Service & Children's Service at 11:00. Minister Joshua Lewis, 1902 Powhatan Trail, King William. Jerusalemcc.com

Smyrna Christian Church Bruington

3655 Powcan Rd., Bruington 23023 All Welcome! Worship Sunday mornings 10AM. Adult Sunday School 9AM. Children's church during service. Pastor Bill Ford (770)687-6621/ www.Smyrna.org

West Point Christian Church

290 West Euclid Blvd. West Point. Pastor Matt Cox P.O. Box 800 804-843-3185 westpointchristian.com

BAPTIST

Beulah Baptist Church

Come worship and study God's word with us! Sunday School for all ages at 9:45 AM, Worship Service at 11 AM. View sermons, via links to YouTube and Facebook at beulahbaptistva.org. Follow and Like us on YouTube and Facebook to be notified of our upcoming livestream services. Physical address: 4805 West River Road Aylett, Virginia 23009 Mailing address: PO Box 846 Aylett, VA 23009 Phone 804.539.2191 Email: kwbeulahbaptistchurch@gmail.com Website: beulahbaptistva.org

Broadus Church Hebron Campus

3407 King William Rd Aylett 23009. Facebook Broadus Church Hebron Campus, web broaduschurch.org Sunday morning worship at 9:30am Bible Study for all ages at 10:45am. Mid-week Bible Studies TUESDAY evening. Youth 6:00pm, ladies and men group at 6:15pm. Food Distribution 2nd Monday of each month from 6-8pm. If you need help with free firewood or used furniture call 804-779-2700 and ask for Pastor Jeff. Come SEE what GOD is doing!!

Bruington Baptist Church

4784 The Trail, Bruington, King & Queen County. Please join us at Sunday School on Sundays at 10 a.m. and Worship Service at 11 a.m. Bible Study Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. with Choir Practice following at 6:45 p.m. Community Clothes Cupboard open first Saturdays from 10 a.m. until noon. Contact us at 804-769-3246.

First Baptist Church

Hockley, Rev. Harvey Cook, Inter-min Pastor. August 18, at 11:15 a.m. Worship Service. Revival -Prayer and Praise Service - 7:00 p.m. Our Guest Speakers: Monday - Rev. Dr. Carlon C. Lassiter- St. John Baptist Church, Williamsburg. Tuesday-Rev. Clifton Collins, The Edge Worship

Center, West Point and Wednesday- Rev. Kirk Houston, Jr.- Antioch Baptist Church, Hampton. Saturday August 24, Family and Friends Day. 12:00 noon. Welcome!

Gethsemane Baptist Church

1890 Dunluce Road, King William, 23086. phone service at 267-807-9605 Meeting id# 88745. Starts at 10:00am Every 2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays.

Indian View Baptist Church

13349 King William Road, King William Come worship with us on Sundays at 11:00 AM All Are Welcome!!

Kingdom of God Living Water Ministry

We invite you to worship with us, Sunday School 10:30, Tuesday night Party 7:00, Thursday night Bible Study 7:00, Morning Service 12:30. You will not leave the way you came. All Are Welcome. Pastor Leo Reed 1438 Manfield Road, Manquin 23106. Sunday's at 12:15 PM.

Lower K&Q Baptist Church

204 Timber Branch Rd., Mascot, 23108 Pastor Terry Morrison, until church is rebuilt Sunday Services at: The Woman's Club House 208 Allen's Circle King and Queen C.H., 23085. Directions or questions, call or text (804) 925-5699. 10am Sunday School for all Ages, 11am Worship Service All welcome, come as you are.

Mattaponi Baptist Church

Sundays 11a.m. Children's Church during service. In-depth Bible study the 2nd & 4th Wed. during Daylight Saving Time. Services live on Zoom at: <http://bit.ly/MBCLIVE> (Meeting ID: 871 964 216) & FBLive. Visit us on Facebook for latest news and any schedule changes: @MattaponiBaptistChurchVa. 13466 The Trail, King and Queen Court House, 23085. Pastor Stephen Rountree: 804-514-5715.

Mattaponi Friends Meeting

942 Buena Vista RD. Shackelfords 23156. Join us in-person and via Zoom for Quaker Worship in silent meeting at 10:00 A.M. and worship sharing/discussion at 11:00. First Sunday business meeting at 11:00. Third Sunday potluck lunch at 12:00 noon. For more information contact 804-785-9401.

Oak Grove Baptist Church

Annual Homecoming service will be on Sunday, August 18, at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Dr. Raymond Palmer, Sr., will deliver the morning worship message. Lunch will be served after the morning service. Our revival services will start each night at 7:00 p.m. Monday, August 19th - Dr. Charlene Gresham, Pastor, Mt. Sinai Baptist Church, Tuesday, August 20th - Rev. Curtis Harris, Jr., Pastor, First Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Wednesday, August 21st - Dr. Evans C. White, Pastor, Providence Baptist Church.

Olivet Baptist Church

25338 The Trail (Rt. 14) Mattaponi, 23110. Join us for traditional worship services 10am Sunday School Bible Studies for children and adults of all ages. 11am Worship Service each Sunday morning. A place to be with God!

Poroporone Baptist Church

Sunday School - 9:30am. Worship Service - 10:30am. Wednesday Night Bible Study - 6:30pm. We Invite You To Join Us! www.facebook.com/PoroporoneBaptistChurch

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Rock Spring Baptist Church

4134 Manfield Road Aylett 23009 Rev. Pagie Hancock, Pastor. Revival held nightly Mon- Wed. 7:00pm (Aug. 12- 14.). All invited to attend!

Sharon Baptist Church

Awanas starting Wednesdays September 4th, 6:30 -7:40pm for children ages 4-12 years of age. Office Hours Tuesday -Friday 9 am - 2 pm Phone: 804-769-2320 Email sharonbc@verizon.net Each Sunday- Sunday School 9:00 am Morning Worship 10:15 am on Sundays Tuesday Morning Bible Study- 10 am Choir Practice- 7:00pm Wednesdays- Youth Group 6:00 pm Bible Study & Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm. 901 Sharon Road, King William, VA 23086

Second Mount Olive

Little Plymouth. Revival will be 3 nights. 14 - Rev. Keith Parham, guest speaker. Music: Wayland Baptist Church Choir. 15 - Rev. Connie Gardner of Union Hope Baptist Church, guest speaker and choir. 16 - Rev. Sylvia Berry of New Morning Star Baptist Church, guest speaker, choir Union Baptist Church.

The Fix Ministry

Saturday nights @ 5:30, 1025 Hobbs Hole Drive in Tappahannock. Potluck Dinners first Saturday of month following the worship service. Wednesday night at 7pm, Bible Study is held at The Fix Chapel. If you have any questions, please call us at (804)473-9011. Come join us and be Blessed!

Third Union Baptist Church

King William County, "The Church in the Heart of King William, Ministering to King William's Heart". Homecoming Sunday, August 18 at 10:30am at Acquinton Elementary School, 18550 King William Road, King William, 23086. Theme: "An Unchanging God for All Generations: Past, Present and Future" - Psalm 78:4-7. Pastor, Rev. Dr. Wilbert D. Talley. Food and fellowship at 452 Walkerton Road, immediately after service. Revival: Tuesday, August 20th -Thursday, August 22nd. Prayer & Praise: 7pm service: 7:30pm each night. Guest Preachers: Rev. Keith Parham Tuesday, Rev. Shawn Knight Wednesday, Rev. Charlene Gresham Thursday.

Union Hope Baptist Church

571 Union Hope Road, King William: Sunday Morning Worship 10:15 a.m. (In-person and Teleconference) Teleconference option: Phone: (774) 220-4000, PIN 57187 Follow us on Facebook: Union Hope Baptist Church, King William, Virginia The Food Bank Ministry Hours of Operation (Monthly from 1pm-3pm) Every Tuesday 1st Friday 3rd Saturday. Upcoming Event: Homecoming - Sunday, August 18 Guest Speaker: Apostle William Winston, Faith Tabernacle Family Life Center, Richmond, Prayer & Praise: 10:30am Morning Worship: 11am Lunch Following.

Upper King and Queen Baptist Church

1693 Bradley Farm Rd. Sunday Worship Service at 11:00 A.M. & Sunday School at 10:00 A.M. Visit us on Facebook.com/

upperkingandqueenbaptist and <https://www.youtube.com/@UpperKingandQueenBC> Rev. Gerald Klimczak -Pastor.

Zion Baptist Church

King and Queen Courthouse, 615 Zion Church Road, King and Queen Courthouse, VA 23085. Mailing Address: P. O. Box 82. Worship Service (in-house), Each Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Rev. Virginia "BeeBee" Harvey Young, Pastor.

METHODIST

McKendree Methodist Church

4347 Manfield Rd., Manquin, 23106. Sunday worship 9:30AM in person and Facebook Live, followed by fellowship and Sunday School. Pastor Corey McConnville. mckendree23106.org, mckendree23106@gmail.com. CARE meets the second Monday of each month until December.

EPISCOPAL

Immanuel Episcopal Church

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St. John's Episcopal Church

916 Main Street, PO Box 629, West Point. 804-843-4594. Sunday Service at 10 am, followed by social time with refreshments. Services both in-person and livestream on Zoom. All are welcome, always! Please join us. stjohnswp.org

St. Paul's Millers Tavern

7924 Richmond Highway. 804-443-2341 Sunday service 10am. The Rev. Dr. Johan Johnson, Priest in Charge, coffee hour and Bible Study following the service. Nursery and Sunday School during the service. Choir directed by Kristi Reynolds. stpaulsmillerstavern.org

PRESBYTERIAN

Brett-Reed Memorial Presbyterian Church

29680 King William Road West Point, 23181. Pastor Karen V. Stanley. Sunday School 10. Worship Service 11.

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King & Queen Library

visit kingandqueenco.net and select library. 804-785-4425 or visit the library at 396 Newtown Road for more information.

Upper KW Branch Library

UKW Anime Club Tuesday, Aug. 20, 6:00 - 7:30pm Ages 12-18. **Tabletop Game Night** Tuesday, Aug. 27, 6:00 - 7:30pm All Ages. **The Stitching Hour** Thursday, Aug. 22, 6:00 - 7:30pm Ages 18 and up. Call 804-769-3731 or visit the library at 694-J Sharon Road for more information.

West Point Branch Library

Back to School Movie Thursday, Aug. 15, 5:00 - 6:30pm **I'd Rather be Reading Book Club** Wednesday, Aug. 21, 11:30am - 12:30pm Ages 16 and up. Call 804-843-3244 or visit the library at 433 12th Street, West Point for more information.

VFW Post 9501

The veterans of VFW Post located on 7712 King William Road, Aylett will have their monthly meetings the 2nd Thursday at 5:00PM. Call Post Commander Herbert "Tim" Johnson for membership or information 804-769-1862. VFW Auxiliary meets in-person and virtual at 12:00 noon on the 2nd Thursday. Call Gladys Hickman, President at 804-330-9925 or Carolyn Brown, Senior-Vice 804-769-2496 for membership or more information.

Three Rivers SWCD Board of Directors' Meetings

Monthly Board of Directors' meetings on the third Tuesday of each month. If you would like to attend, contact the office at (804)443-4027 for meeting place and time. The public is invited.

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The veterans of the VFW Post located on 7712 King William Road, Aylett will have their monthly meetings the 2nd Thursday at 5:00pm. Contact Post Commander Ben Clark at 804-432-9559 for membership. For additional info contact James Brown 804-337-7029. The VFW Auxiliary meeting is 12:00 noon on the 2nd Thursday in-person and virtual. Call President Gladys Hickman, 804-380-9925 for membership or information.

K.W.T.E.A. Party

We now only meet the second Thursday of each month at 6:00pm. Info at kwteaparty.com and Facebook Come for the fellowship of patriots and the latest on what's happening at local, state and national levels. KWTP's meetings are open to all citizens of good will.

KW Children First Lions Club

Crossroads Mission Center located at 694 K Sharon Road, King William.

DCSE Service Point Assistance

DCSE Contact Information: 1-800-468-8894

KW Parks and Recreation

Visit the King William County Parks & Rec Site for details about upcoming events, workshops, exercise classes, and more! @kingwilliamrec.com

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KW Community Watch

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KW Republican Committee Meetings

Meets the 4th Thursday of each month at 6pm at the KW Parks & Rec. Building, 7890 Richmond-Tappahannock HWY. Questions please email us: kingwilliamgop.com

King William Democrats

Join us for 2 events this month! Aug 17, from 10:30 to noon, we will be writing POSTCARDS TO VOTERS at the Upper KW Library OR the West Point Library. Then, join us for our PICNIC on August 24! Good food, good company, yard signs, and Candidate Leslie Mehta to speak!

Email kwdems@gmail.com for address.

Mangohick Volunteer Fire Department

August 15 pick up 4-6 pm Fish fry dinner drive thru pickup Fried fish, Cole slaw, baked beans, dessert \$12/ticket Call 804-397-9491 or message on Facebook to reserve your tickets. Cash/check payment at pickup.

NAACP King and Queen Branch

Join us at the "Freedom Fundraiser Tailgate" August 24, 2024, 1 - 5pm at the Tri-County Hunt Club, 890 Kingtown Rd, Shacklefords, VA 23156. All are welcome, there will be FREE Backpack School Supplies Give-Away, Dinner sales, Craft vendors, Raffles, Gift baskets, a Car show, a Membership drive, Voter Registration and 2024 Election Information.

Good Neighbor Center

Financial and related assistance to area residents. For assistance, please call the GNC's Manager, Ms. Thornton at 757-585- 8227. Mail contributions to West Point Ministers Association, PO Box 1139, West Point, VA 23181.

The CornerStone Community Development Center

Food Distribution - *11235 West River Road, Aylett. Saturday food distribution August 17, August 24, August 31 from 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. MOBILE PANTRY - August 28 at 11 a.m.

The Lily Field Clothing Shed- 11235 West River Road, Aylett. Open on Saturdays, 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. Please DO NOT drop off donations outside the building. Drop off is at the clothing shed on Wednesday mornings before 9 a.m.

The CornerStone Free Health Clinic- 8270 Richmond Tappahannock Hwy., Aylett. No walk in appointments. Please call to register.

Fundraiser: Dinner deal on Thursday, August 8 at 6p.m. \$11 CrabCake sandwich with a choice of two sides or \$8 Pulled chicken sandwich with a choice of two

sides. Order ahead and pick up at 8270 Richmond Tappahannock Hwy., Aylett. Call 804 769 2996 or Email theccdc@gmail.com Proceeds to benefit Food and Free Health Clinic Programs. The CornerStone Community Development Center is a 501(c)(3) non profit organization. Donations are tax exempt. Mailing address: P.O. Box 68, Aylett, Virginia 23009



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