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Don't fall for fake vaccine cards

Attorney General Josh Stein
April 2021

More than 3 million North Carolinians are now fully vaccinated against the COVID-19 virus. This is a remarkable step forward in our fight against the pandemic, and soon we can begin safely returning to our lives. But scammers have used the pandemic as an excuse to take advantage of people for the past year, and they're still at it. The next fight against COVID-19 vaccine scams is stopping the spread and use of false vaccine cards.

When you get your dose, or doses, of the COVID-19 vaccine, you're given a vaccination card that includes your personal information, the manufacturer of the vaccine you received, and additional details about the vaccine you received. These cards are currently the best way to track your vaccination progress.

When you get your vaccination card, don't share pictures of it on social media. Scammers can get your personal details and compromise your identity, and they can also use it to create fake duplicates.

Recently, people have been selling fake vaccine cards online. These fake cards are illegal, and they're also incredibly dangerous to the work we've been doing to fight this pandemic for more than a year. If people rely on fraudulent vaccine cards instead of getting the vaccine, they can't protect themselves or their loved ones from the virus. And the longer the virus can spread and infect people who haven't been vaccinated, the longer this pandemic continues and the greater the public health risk to us all.

If you want a vaccine card, you can get a legitimate one for free by signing up to get the vaccine. In North Carolina, everyone 16 and older is eligible to sign up to get their shot, and you can learn more at YourSpotYourShot.nc.gov or call 1-888-675-4567 to schedule your vaccine appointment.



These vaccines are safe, tested, and effective. You don't need to have photo ID or health insurance, and you don't need to share your bank account, Social Security, or credit card numbers to get one. Please don't pay for fake vaccine cards - it's unlawful and it puts people's health at risk. The faster we all get our shots, the faster we can hug our loved ones, travel, and return fully to our lives.

If you or a loved one has questions about a possible scam or fear you've been victimized, contact our office's Consumer Protection Division at ncdoj.gov/complaint or 1-877-5-NO-SCAM.

Savon "Tank" Tutt Invited to All-Star Game

by: Hiram Lupton



Congratulations go out to Pamlico Senior running back Savon "Tank" Tutt who has received an invitation to play in the prestigious North Carolina East-West Football All-Star Game. Since 1949, this game has brought together the best seniors from the state from all classifications to participate. The 2021 game will be played July 21 at Jamieson Stadium in Greensboro. We are proud of you Tank, and thank you for the last four years of thrills you have given Hurricane fans on the football field.

Shriners Fry Up Fish for a Good Cause

by: Hiram Lupton

Friday is traditionally a day to eat fish, and last Friday the place to get fried fish with all the fixings that go along with it was at the annual Shriner's Spring Fish Fry held at the intersection of NC Highway 55 and NC Highway 306 in Grantsboro. This was one of four locations New Bern area Shriners were serving, the other three in Craven

County. Location Chief Robby Sadler said the goal was to sell at least 1500 plates at the Pamlico County location and 4800 at the three Craven County sites. All the proceeds go to help support the Shriners Hospital for Children in Greenville, South Carolina. "No man ever stood so tall, as when he stooped to help a crippled child."



Happy 92nd Birthday, Mother Daisy Miller!



Mother Daisy Lee Miller of the Maribel community celebrated her 92nd birthday on April 15th with immediate family in her home. Just a few days later, on April 17th, Mother Miller's family hosted a drive-thru birthday celebration at the home with 30 vehicles passing through, including Pastors, Ministers, family and friends. The guests enjoyed a buffet that included turkey, barbecued Boston butt, chicken Alfredo, fried chicken, hibachi chicken, bacon-wrapped chicken, an Italian meatball marinara bake, cabbage, collards, yellow rice, rolls, an assortment of soft drinks, a strawberry birthday cake and homemade lemon pound and vanilla pound cakes.

The Miller family would like to thank you all for the love you have shown to our mother and grandmother for her birthday! The outpouring of your love really touched our hearts. The drive-thru birthday celebration was a huge success with Mother Daisy receiving gifts including flowers, plants, household necessities, and most of all warmth, love, and joy! She especially loved seeing familiar faces on the porch and hearing the honking car horns! We thank you all and pray that God may continue to Bless you!

Mother Daisy Miller is the oldest member of her church (St. Galilee of Maribel) and the oldest matriarch of Maribel. She has touched so many lives praying, singing, teaching Sunday School and Vacation Bible School, ministering through Missionary work, decorating her church, and cooking and serving meals for everyone! We thank God for this jewel!

Envirothon Winners



Earth's Defenders



The Copperheads

The Pamlico Soil and Water Conservation District would like to congratulate Braydon Lane and Caitlin Brown for winning the 2021 Poster Contest themed "We All Live in a Watershed". Lane won 1st place for the 4th grade poster contest and Brown won 1st place for the 6th grade poster contest. Winning at the local District level qualified both Lane and Brown's posters to move up and compete at the Area level. Congratulations again to our contestants!



If you have a student that is enrolled in grades 3-8, is a citizen of Pamlico County and would like more information on available education contests you can contact the Pamlico Soil and Water Conservation District at 252-745-5064 x3.

Environmental Poster Contest Winners



Braydon Lane



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WEEKEND WEATHER

Saturday, May 1st **74°Hi** Overcast throughout the day.

Sunday, May 2nd **84°Hi** Rain in the morning.



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COMMUNITY

OBITUARIES

William Thomas Gainey, Sr. passed away on April 21, 2021 by his beloved Neuse River in Pamlico County. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jack and Ione Gainey. Tommy attended Garner Schools and graduated from Edwards Military Academy and Hardbargers Business College. On August 29, 1965, he and Lois Humphries were married at Garner United Methodist Church. Tommy was employed at Watson Seafood and Poultry, Durham Life Insurance, and by the Wake County Purchasing Department. His lifetime dream had been to own and operate a restaurant which came to fruition in 1992. He and Lois purchased the Village Restaurant in Oriental, NC and ran it for the next 12 years. After retirement he enjoyed boating and fishing. Tommy was a member of Garner United Methodist Church, past president of Garner Optimist Club, Cub Scout Leader, and spent many years on Garner Schools' Advisory Board. He was espe-

cially proud to be a Mason and a Shriner. Tommy is survived by his wife of 55 years, Lois Gainey; son, Will Gainey of Arapahoe; daughter, Dawn Gainey Wicker (Jade) of Garner; grandchildren: Cory Gainey, Jack Gainey, and Katie Wicker; sister, Linda Gainey Poole; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Philip and Margaret Humphries; special cousin, Betsy Gainey; and five nieces and nephews. He is also leaving behind his beloved special companions Pork Chop and Moses. A graveside service was held at Montlawn Memorial Park on April 26, 2021 at 3pm. A riverside memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Garner United Methodist Church - Men's Bible Class College Fund at 201 Methodist Dr., Garner, NC 27529 or Hospice of Pamlico County at PO Box 6, Bayboro, NC 28515.

Arrangements by Bryant Funeral Home & Cremations, Alliance.



Cecelia Ann Yelverton Stroup, 78, of Pamlico County passed away Monday, April 19th, 2021 at CarolinaEast Medical Center. She was preceded in death by her parents, Jesse & Eunice Yelverton, husband, Jacob Spencer Stroup Jr. and sister, Rebecca Sue Chase. She is survived by daughter, Rebecca Stroup Hawkins (Buddy Bell); son, David Spencer Stroup (Mary); grandson, Joshua Spencer Hawkins; nephew, Frank Joseph Chase Jr. (Goldie); nieces Rebecca Dawn Chase (Juan Cruz) and Christina Grey Chase (Lucio Bustamante); beloved grand-nephews and

nieces; and daughter of the heart, Melanie Wall Hayes (Richard). A graveside service will be held at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, May 1st at Apex Cemetery located at the corner of Upchurch Street and West Moore Street in Apex, NC 27502. Reverend Scott Fitzgerald will be officiating. The family wishes to express their heartfelt appreciation to the staff at Riverpoint Crest Nursing and Rehabilitation Center for giving "Cece" such loving and compassionate care. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial donations be made to Alzheimer's Association Eastern NC Chapter, 5171 Glenwood Ave. Suite 101, Raleigh, NC 27612.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Town-Wide Yard Sale Saturday, May 1- Individual property owners are able to require masks on their private property. Please put a sign out that indicates this requirement. Call Marsha at Marsha's Cottage to get on the list/map that will be published.

Brown Goods/White Goods pickup Saturday, May 8- RAIN OR SHINE- Goods must be to the curb No Later than 6AM. (We recommend that you get it out there Friday evening)The hauler will not come back if you are late. This is an annual event- appliances, furniture, bulky items, lumber, etc. NO HAZMAT- no tires, no electronics.

Shred Event at the County Courthouse, Saturday, May 8, 9AM-12 Noon. Take sensitive documents to be destroyed properly.

Hazardous Materials drop-off Saturday, May 15- at the County Courthouse- fertilizer, paint, oil, pesticide, herbicide, gas, kerosene, cooking oil, antifreeze, drain openers, paint thinners.

The Village Gallery Oriental, NC Welcomes KEVIN FETZER

As our May Artist of the Month.



Join us for an opening reception on Saturday, May 1st from 2-5PM at: The Village Gallery, 300 Hodges St, Oriental NC 28571 Kevin Fetzer is an acrylic artist who had been painting and creating art as a hobby for the past 12 years and has recently

started painting full-time after spending 35 years in the pharmaceutical industry. A principal theme throughout his art is the use of nautical and nature inspired subjects, particularly the small harbors, boats and birds found in the small coastal towns of North Carolina. He uses bold colors and shadows with an eye to detail and water reflections to capture the splendid sights of back creeks and small harbors common to North Carolina. Kevin splits his time between his homes in New Jersey and Oriental, North Carolina.

Horoscopes



ARIES – Mar 21/Apr 20
Aries, you have a unique perspective, and sometimes you appear uninterested in the opinions of others. But this week it is best to be humble and accept other thoughts.



TAURUS – Apr 21/May 21
Taurus, you routinely put caring for others ahead of caring for yourself. This compassion is commendable, but you can't offer help if you aren't in top form.



GEMINI – May 22/Jun 21
Gemini, let others bring up issues with you rather than prying. You willingness to lend an ear is well-known, and others will come to you on their own.



CANCER – Jun 22/Jul 22
It may be tempting to slack off when supervisors are not looking. Cancer. However, a lack of discipline now may have a trickle-down effect in the future. Stay focused.



LEO – Jul 23/Aug 23
You may not be sure if you should pursue an opportunity that is before you, Leo. Consider your skills and talents and be honest with what you are capable of accomplishing.



VIRGO – Aug 24/Sept 22
Virgo, even though it can be risky to express your true feelings, especially when you go against popular opinion, don't shy away from being true to yourself.



LIBRA – Sept 23/Oct 23
Your head is pushing you in a practical direction, Libra. Yet your heart wants you to go a different way. Try to find a balance between both scenarios.



SCORPIO – Oct 24/Nov 22
Scorpio, others are ready and willing to offer advice if they sense you need it. While you can be open to suggestions, don't follow others' dreams if they aren't your own.



SAGITTARIUS – Nov 23/Dec 21
You may be conflicted about telling someone you need a little personal space, Sagittarius. But it's not good to suffer through situations that make you unhappy.



CAPRICORN – Dec 22/Jan 20
Capricorn, even though you cannot please everyone, you can do what is necessary to make yourself happy. Make this your primary goal this week.



AQUARIUS – Jan 21/Feb 18
Aquarius, people may misunderstand your intentions when you start a new project. You don't have to please everyone right now. The end result will be met with positive responses.



PISCES – Feb 19/Mar 20
Moving on from an emotional situation can be taxing, Pisces. But it may be necessary right now and could make you stronger in the long run.

TAURUS Traits & Overview

Taurus is one of the most reliable and dependable signs of the zodiac. You are enthusiastic, stoic, determined and materialistic. Your stubbornness is due to the strong will and determination. You are strong and unwavering. You are deeply caring, smart and wise. You are the best representation of growth and development. You secured the life of your closed ones. You are ruled by the planet Venus, which will create inclination for love, luxury, and comfort in you. Taurus individuals don't like to be pushed or have changes in life and love their home comforts and routine life.

We all have strengths and weaknesses, and they can both be used to our best advantage once we better understand them.

FOR ENTERTAINMENT PURPOSES ONLY

THIS WEEK IN HISTORY

April 28th – Today is Kiss Your Mate Day. Pucker up but use a mint first.

April 29th – 1429, Joan of Arc led the French to victory over the English at Orleans. I heard things got a little hot for her later on when she was the guest of honor at a barbecue.

April 30th – 1952, Mr. Potato Head became the first toy to be advertised on network TV.

May 1st – 1848, The Phi Gamma Delta fraternity was founded. Back when I was in school, I was in the "I Phelta Thigh" fraternity.

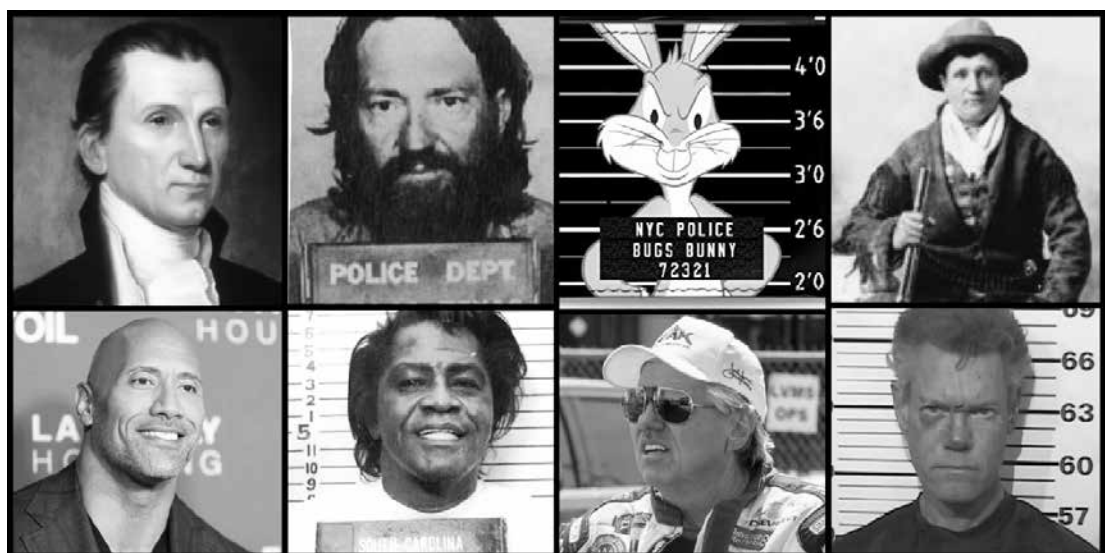
May 2nd – 2011, Terrorist Osama Bin Laden was killed by U. S. special forces in Pakistan.

May 3rd – Today is World Press Freedom Day.

May 4th – Happy Star Wars Day!!!

Birthdays This Week

- April 28th – 1758, The 5th President of the United States, James Monroe
- April 29th – 1933, Singer, songwriter, actor and famous pothead, Willie Nelson
- April 30th – 1938, Famous cartoon rabbit, Bugs Bunny
- May 1st – 1852, frontierswoman Calamity Jane (Martha Jane Canary)
- May 2nd – 1972, Actor and wrestler Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson
- May 3rd – 1933, "The Godfather of Soul", James Brown
- May 4th – 1949, Race car driver John Force
- 1959, Singer Randy Travis (in Marshville, North Carolina)



Pamlico County Fishes and Loaves Outreach Food Pantry

(PCFLO) will be sponsoring it's monthly mobile food truck on the first Wednesday of each month at St. Peter the Fisherman Catholic Church parking lot at 1149 White Farm Road, Oriental. Anyone residing in Pamlico County needing food assistance is welcome. The only requirement is a valid ID showing residence in Pamlico County. Lineup begins at 9am. All are welcome.

Hope Clinic's New Beginnings

Recovery support group meetings open to anyone in recovery. Using principals from NA, AA, and Smart Recovery is hosted by Hope Clinic's New Beginnings program. Meetings occur every evening at 7pm, except for Saturday. Most meetings are online and 2 are in-person at this time. There are no requirements to attend and meetings are free. For more information, please call Caitlin at (252) 745-5760 or email her at caitlin@hopeclinic.net

If you want to drink, thats your business... If you want to stop drinking, that's ours.

Alcoholics Anonymous: New Bern Hotline (252) 633-3716

Meetings in Pamlico County:
Friday 8pm - Grantsboro Friday night group is temporarily meeting behind Brantley's Village Restaurant in Oriental, NC
Tuesday 8pm - Oriental Tuesday night group - Free Will Baptist Church off Ragan Rd. (2nd brick building on left)
Sunday 7pm – St. Thomas Episcopal Church on Church St. in Oriental (2nd brick church on left)

clubs and organizations events...

frontdesk@ThePamlicoNews.com

QUICK REFERENCE

- EMERGENCY:** Dial 911 for police, sheriff, fire departments, rescue squads, ambulance
- Animal Poison Control Center: 1-888-426-4435
- Carteret General Hospital: 808-6000
- Coastal Carolina Regional Airport: 638-8591
- EMERGENCY PET CARE:** 444-1399
- HIGHWAY PATROL:** 1-800-441-6127
- MEDICAL ASSISTANCE –**
- CarolinaEast Medical Center: 633-8111
- Nova Urgent Care: 745-7440
- PAMLICO COUNTY DEPARTMENTS**
- Board of Elections: 745-4821
- County Manager: 745-3133
- Emergency Management: 745-4131
- Health Dept.: 745-5111
- Recycling Center: 745-3283
- Senior Services: 745-7196
- Sheriff's Dept. (non-emergency) – 745-3101
- Social Services: 745-4086
- Tax Collector: 745-4125
- Water Dept.: 745-5453
- Poison Control Center: 1-800-222-1222
- US Coast Guard (Hobucken): 745-3131

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OFFERED AT \$259,000



ORIENTAL – Custom 1,800 sf **2BR/2.5BA** waterfront wood log home in Oriental Plantation. Open concept living/kitchen area, master suite & family room on 1st floor. Loft den/office, & guest BR w/full bath & bonus room on 2nd. Detached 2-car garage, detached storage/workshop, & concrete driveway. No flood insurance required; home and garage are not in a flood zone.

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ORIENTAL – Private setting within biking/walking distance to the Village of Oriental, **3BR/2BA**, expansion capability, 2-car garage, split living with the guest bedrooms separated from the master bedroom. Large laundry room with deep utility tub sink. Transferrable flood policy. No HOA

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Pamlico Community College

Pamlico SBC to co-host marketing expert for webinar, conference call

By Sandy Wall



Stephen Traversie is a native of New Bern. Contributed photo

Pamlico Community College's Small Business Center (SBC) and a consortium of other rural community colleges' Small Business Centers are offering local entrepreneurs an opportunity to learn some big city marketing techniques and practices right here at home.

The SBCs will be hosting a free webinar and follow-up conference call next month with Stephen Traversie, a New Bern native who has built a distinguished career as a marketing executive with experience in several states and countries.

The webinar and conference call, titled "Adapting Big City Marketing Tactics for Small Town Success," is part of the business centers' "Restoring Rural Business Series."

The free, hour-long webinar is scheduled for Tuesday, May 4, at 11 a.m. The 30-minute "mastermind-style" follow-up conference call is set for Thursday, May 6, at 11 a.m.

"These events will be ideal for current and aspiring small business owners who are looking for some great advice about marketing," said PCC President Dr. Jim Ross. "Pamlico Small Business Center Director Mindy Moore helped arrange for Mr. Traversie's appearance, and I salute her and all of the other rural Small Business Center directors who are helping business owners come back from the effects of the pandemic."

The "Restoring Rural Business Series" was made possible by a grant from the Rural LISC organization. The goal is to help Small Business Centers in the most rural parts of the state have access to specialized topics and presenters through the remainder of 2021 to assist rural entrepreneurs and businesses adapting and dealing with the impact of pandemic.

Todd Lyden, director of the Small Business Center at Bladen Community College, is spearheading the effort.

For her part, Moore predicted Traversie, who now lives in New York, would bring fantastic ideas and insights to the webinar and follow-up phone call.

"Stephen Traversie is an accomplished marketing executive with experience in many areas," she said. "We are fortunate to have him join us."

Traversie, of Sēz n Creative, has worked with top ranked retail, nightlife and hospitality brands, including sbe, Hakkasan Group, Tao Group Hospitality, Madison Square Garden and their subsidiaries. He attended UNC Charlotte, where he started his career in marketing and business.

Traversie also has appeared on a cable television series. He is expected to discuss "owning your customer" and the implications for different parts of marketing for rural small business owners and entrepreneurs using a 360 approach, organizers say.

To pre-register for the webinar, please visit <https://bit.ly/AdaptingBigCity>. To join the conference call, telephone 712-770-5505 and use access code 824870#.

For additional information, please contact Moore at 252-571-2243 or mmoore@pamlicocc.edu.

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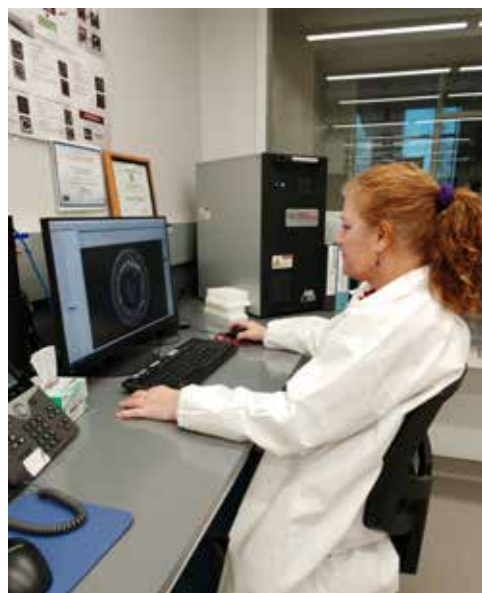
**North Carolina State Crime Lab
Commended for Firearms Work**

(RALEIGH) Attorney General Josh Stein today announced that the North Carolina State Crime Laboratory has been commended by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives for its use of the National Integrated Ballistic Information Network (NIBIN). NIBIN is the national network used to compare ballistic evidence to solve violent crimes involving firearms. Since 1994, the North Carolina State Crime Lab has generated 5,585 leads for law enforcement officers. That makes the State Crime Laboratory first in the Carolinas and ninth in the nation for leads.



"Scientists at the Lab have worked hard to make our NIBIN program successful," said Attorney General Josh Stein. "I am proud to see the lab receive this hard-earned and well-deserved recognition. Day in and day out these folks are focused on using science to promote justice. North Carolina's families are safer due to their work."

Thirty-four percent of NIBIN entries result in a lead in the North Carolina State Crime Laboratory system. Those leads are reported to law enforcement officers, who can then use them to solve crimes. Both the Raleigh and Western campuses of the State Crime Laboratory have firearms sections that use NIBIN



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Look at Your Financial Situation Holistically



Dan M. Roberts

What's the biggest financial mistake you can make? Choosing the wrong investments? Waiting too long to save for retirement? Underestimating the costs of retirement? All these are reasonable answers, but the biggest mistake you might make is not looking at your financial picture holistically – that is, not bringing into the picture all the elements of yourself.

Let's consider some of them:

- Your views on helping your family – Your decisions about helping your family are clearly going to be a major part of your financial strategy – and this is true at virtually all stages of your life. When your children are young, you'll need to decide if you're going to put away money for their college education, and, if so, how much, and in what investment vehicles. When they're young adults, you may also need to decide how much financial support you're willing to provide for things such as the down payment on a new home. And when you're drawing up your estate plans, you'll need to consider how to distribute assets to your children, grandchildren or other family members.

- Your personal beliefs – As someone with civic, ethical and moral concerns, you want to positively affect the world around you. And that's why you may feel compelled to make charitable gifts throughout your life and then make philanthropy part of your legacy. To accomplish these objectives, you'll want to include gifting techniques in your financial strategy today and your estate plans for tomorrow. Of course, for the estate planning component, you'll need to work with your tax and legal advisors.

- Your purpose in life when you retire – When you retire, you may be stepping off a career path, but you're also entering a world of possibilities. How will you define, and live out, your new sense of purpose at this stage of your life? Do you seek to broaden your horizons by traveling around the world? Do you want to give back more to the community by volunteering? Can you spend more time pursuing the hobbies you enjoy? Each of these choices will carry different financial implications for how much you'll need to accumulate for retirement and how much you will need to take out each year from your retirement accounts, such as your IRA and 401(k).

- Your health – Your physical and mental health can play big roles in your financial plans and outlook. On the most basic level, the healthier you are, and the better you take care of yourself, the lower your health care bills will likely be during retirement, which will affect the amount you need to put away for health care. And you also may need to prepare for the costs of long-term care, which can be enormous – in fact, a private room in a nursing home can easily cost \$100,000 per year, according to the insurance company Genworth.

It can be challenging to weave all these elements into a single, unified vision, so you may want to get some help from a financial professional. But, in any case, be prepared to look at your situation holistically – because, when putting together a lifetime's financial strategy, every part of your life matters.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor.

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MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA-Part B, Public Law 108.446) Project is presently being amended. The Project describes the special education programs that Arapahoe Charter School proposes for Federal funding for the 2021-2022 School Year. Interested persons are encouraged to review amendments to the Project and make comments concerning the implementation of special education under this Federal Program. All comments will be considered prior to submission of the amended Project to the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction in Raleigh, North Carolina. The IDEA-Part B Project is open to the public for review and comments during the week of May 10, 2021 in the office of Martha Newman, EC Coordinator, located at 9005 Hwy 306 South, Arapahoe, NC 28510.

NC COOPERATIVE EXTENSION Pamlico County

The Fertilizer Grade

Daniel Simpson, County Extension Director, Agriculture Agent



Fertilizer is often one of the most overused and underused products in the home landscape. It is easy to get overwhelmed when purchasing fertilizer, as numerous products are available in various grades (10-10-10, 8-0-24, 32-0-10, etc.) and are marketed with language like water soluble, slow-release, and special crop specific blends. However, with a little knowledge we can quickly strip away the mystery of fertilizer and make better choices that will benefit our landscapes.

There are 16 essential elements that plants require for growth. These 16 elements can be broken down into three categories: primary macronutrients (required by plants in largest quantities), secondary nutrients, and micro or trace nutrients. Available fertilizer products typically supply some portion of the macronutrient's nitrogen, phosphorus, and potassium. These nutrients are represented by three numbers on the label, either containing all three elements in a complete form (8-8-8), or an incomplete form containing only one or two of these elements (15-0-15, 21-0-0). Some fertilizer products will also contain secondary and micronutrients along with these macronutrients. Just like a food nutrition label on your favorite snack food, each fertilizer product contains an analysis section on its label that specifies what percentage of nutrients are within that product. Products that contain a larger percentage of a given nutrient contain more pounds of that nutrient per pound of product. This means it will take less of a larger percentage product to cover a given area than a lower percentage product. With this information, we can calculate how much nitrogen, phosphorus, and potassium each product supplies, determine how much product is required to fertilize a given area, and compare the cost of various fertilizers.

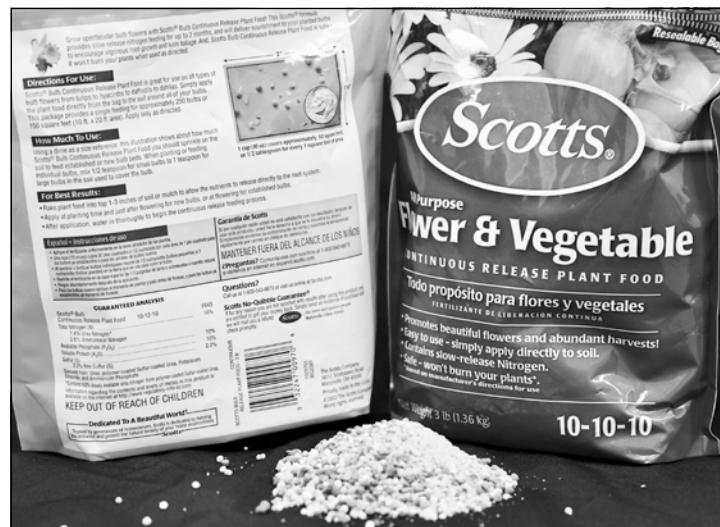
You will also notice that many of these fertilizer products are derived from similar sources such as urea, potassium chloride, ammonium phosphate, etc. It is the combination of these sources that determines what final grade or analysis the fertilizer product contains. You might also see on the label information like polymer or sulfur coated urea. This represents a portion of the nitrogen within that product that has been treated with a coating that slowly wears away, resulting in the slow-release claim on the label. Water-soluble fertilizers are products that will dissolve completely in water with some nutrients that can be immediately utilized by plants. These water-soluble products can be beneficial for plants that are showing signs of nutrient deficiencies (yellowing, leaf chlorosis).

Fertilizer nutrients can come from naturally occurring source materials or from refined sources that produce a more stable or soluble product with greater concentrations of nutrients. Once applied to soil, chemical and biological processes make available these nutrients to plants. Regardless of packaging claims, plants do not care where the fertilizer was sourced from, but only that

enough nutrients are available to perform cellular functions.

To determine how much fertilizer your lawn and garden may require, homeowners are encouraged to start their fertilization program with a soil test through the North Carolina Department of Agriculture Soil Testing Lab. From this test, you will receive a recommendation for lime and fertilizer specific to your crop. Although lime is not generally considered a fertilizer, it can benefit acidic soils by raising soil pH levels to recommended crop ranges. This allows greater nutrient availability to plants and improves overall growth. Please be aware that homeowners should never routinely lime their soils without the recommendation of a soil test. This can create poor growing conditions that are not easily corrected.

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Recreational cobia season opens on May 1 with changes to private vessel regulations

MOREHEAD CITY – The recreational cobia fishing season will open May 1 in North Carolina waters with new private vessel limits.

During the open season, the minimum size limit will be 36 inches fork length (measured from the tip of snout to the fork in the tail), and the possession limit will be one fish per person per day.

The vessel limit while fishing aboard a private vessel will one-fish per-person per-day with a maximum of two fish per-vessel per-day if two or more people are aboard a vessel, from May 1 through June 30. The private vessel limit will decrease to one fish per-vessel per-day on July 1. Previous regulations dropped the private vessel limit to one fish per-person per-day at the beginning of June.

The possession limit for fishing aboard a for-hire vessel will be the same as last year: one fish per-person per-day, with a maximum of four fish per-vessel per-day if four or more people are on board a vessel.

The recreational cobia season closes on Dec. 31.



The recreational cobia fishery is managed by the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission. In 2020, the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission reallocated the Atlantic group cobia quota from 92% recreational/8% commercial to 96% recreational/4% commercial. This change was primarily based on new recreational catch estimates that resulted from changes in survey methodology by the Marine Recreational Information Program. The new recreational catch estimates were, on average, about two times higher than previously estimated, impacting the allocation between the two sectors. The change in allocation along with 2018 and 2019 recreational harvest estimates fall below the state's recreational harvest target allowed for the change in regulations.

For more specific information on recreational cobia regulations, see Proclamation FF-25-2021 on the Division of Marine Fisheries' Proclamation Webpage.

For more information, contact Division of Marine Fisheries biologist Anne Markwith at 910-796-7292 or Anne.Markwith@ncdenr.gov.

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Grand Opening of ArtWorks Oriental

By Mary Frances Taylor

Oriental has a new art gallery in town with studio spaces where artists can work and the public can watch, located in the old train station building at O'Town near the Oriental Harbor Marina. On Saturday, April 24, ArtWorks Oriental had its grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony at 10 am and hosted various artists and guests until 7 pm. ArtWorks is a different kind of gallery developed to support the arts in our community by creating a new space for area artists to exhibit their work and provide new opportunities for residents and tourists to watch and interact with them. It is through this interaction with the artists that people can better understand art and its many forms and perhaps be inspired to explore their own creativity through education and participation in art classes. The concept, similar to that of Artspace in Raleigh, NC, and the Torpedo Factory Art Center in Alexandria, VA, is a juried artist space which means the artists submit their work to be reviewed for acceptance in the studio based on technical skill, creativity, the medium and other requirements. An application is required.

The Grand Opening of ArtWorks Oriental began with opening remarks from Angie Propst, President of the Pamlico County Arts Council, and Marsha Papham, Chairwoman of the Tourism Council. Also in attendance was Tiffany Parks, President of the Pamlico County Chamber of Commerce. The founder of ArtWorks Oriental is Carla J. Fisher, an award-winning fiber artist who recently moved to Oriental from Philadelphia, PA. Carla expressed gratitude to those who shared her vision and supported the new gallery, especially to her partner, Patrick Nocera, newly elected board member of The Old Theater in Oriental. With the official cutting of the ribbon, folks were invited to enter and explore, to view the art space for each medium, and to visit with the artists. The ArtWorks main gallery currently has the works of 21 artists throughout the United States on display, working in 12 different artistic mediums, in addition to that of the resident artists. Though the actual resident artists will not change, the work of the display artists will change as frequently as items sell or 90 days, whichever comes first. By design, there is space in this facility for five artists-in-residence and six flex artists who work at the gallery part-time on weekends. There is space for one more full-time resident artist and four more flex artists. Interested artists are encouraged to apply.

These are the current artists-in-residence at ArtWorks Oriental:

- Paula Rozov, oil painter
- Shelly Gayring, acrylic artist
- Julia McDonald, fiber artist/weaving, dyeing
- Carla Fisher, fiber artist/thread sculpting



Carla J. Fisher discovered her passion for art after her husband died and she realized that art was a healing therapy that brought renewed meaning and joy to her life. She is a fiber artist who uses thread and recycled materials to symbolize how even the tired, used, and totally spent can experience new life as something beautiful. Carla was selected as one of fourteen inaugural artists at the Cherry Street Pier in Philadelphia who gave new life to a 100-year-old shipping pier on the Delaware River. Artists' studios were carved out of shipping containers, along with three historic Philadelphia trolleys made into food vignettes, all representing the life that was experienced on the pier in the past. In 2020, Carla traveled to Italy to receive the Leonardo DaVinci International Prize for Contemporary Art in Florence and the UNESCO International Women in Art award in Rome. In addition to the Cherry Street Pier, she was also Artist in Residence at The University of the Arts in Philadelphia. She has participated in various events and exhibitions across the country and overseas. Carla's fiber art was featured in a PBS TV special in May of 2020 in which she shares her story and her art. A portion of this special can be viewed on her website at <https://carlafisher.com>.

ArtWorks Oriental is a unique kind of art space with much to offer:

- Studios where artists work and visitors can watch, talk with them, and buy their art.
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Pamlico's Season Ends in Second Round of Playoffs

by: Hiram Lupton

When the Hurricanes travelled to Northside-Pinetown for their second-round playoff game last Friday, they knew it would be a dogfight (or catfight since they were playing the Panthers). As evidenced by Pamlico's win in overtime against the Panthers in the regular season, these two teams were very evenly matched. That game was in Bayboro, but by virtue of the seeding draw of the playoffs, this game would be played at Northside.

After downing the opening kickoff, Pamlico's first play from scrimmage was a long touchdown run around the right side by Savon Tutt. Northside answered on the very next play when they took the kickoff back for a touchdown of their own, taking a 7-6 lead. Both teams added additional scores, Pamlico's being a rushing TD from Tutt, and at the half it was 17-14, Northside. Penalties were proving to be as big a hindrance to the Pamlico offense as the Northside defense was. Whether it was illegal procedure or holding, they seemed to sap the momentum out of the Hurricane drives in the first half.

Jahmere Miller scored on a reception from Quarterback Isaiah Godette but the Northside put multiple scores of their own on the board, and at the end of the third they had opened up a 37-20 lead. Miller scored again in the fourth quarter, but Northside quashed the Pamlico comeback with additional scores and the final would be 43-32, Northside. They move on to the eastern regional where they will take on Northampton County for a spot in the state championship. Pamlico finishes out their season with a 5-3 record.



Pamlico's Michael Pool returns an interception against Northside



Quarterback Isaiah Godette (#3) fakes the handoff to Qaran Goodwin (#30)

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Hurricane Diamond Report Pamlico Ladies9 Defeat Jones Senior

by: Hiram Lupton

The Hurricane Ladies9 had planned for a busy week, but with two of their three games postponed, Jones Senior was left as the only game they played last week.

The Trojans were able to get a run in their half of the first, but the Hurricanes answered right back with three in the bottom half of the inning. That one run was all that Jones Senior managed for the evening as starting Pamlico pitcher Layla Prescott got into a rhythm, allowing only 2 hits while striking out 12. The Pamlico bats were on fire however, banging out 15 hits and adding 3 more runs in the second, 6 in the third,

and a pair in the fourth to give the 'Canes a 14-1 5-inning mercy rule win. Prescott was 4 for 4 including a triple and scored 3 times. Kayden Hancock and Trinity Goswick also scored 3 apiece, while Kaitlyn Toler crossed the plate twice. Lindsey Potter was 3-4 at the plate and added a run, while Maya Smith and Carrigan LeMaster added a run a piece to Pamlico's total.

Pamlico now sits firmly in second place in the Coastal Plains Conference with a 7-2 record (8-2 overall) with one week remaining in the regular season.



Carrigan LeMaster slides safely into second



Layla Prescott was 4-4 at the plate, including banging out this triple.



Head Coach Holly Sutton giving the hold up signal to Maya Smith at second

Horse Show Equals Equine Fun

by: Hiram Lupton

The Pamlico County Horseman's Association (PCHA) opened their 2021 show season on Saturday at the George R. Brinson Memorial Riding Arena. The show was divided into three divisions: English, western pleasure, and ranch riding, which gave riders the chance to show off their horsemanship skills and earn prized ribbons for their efforts. Many of the events had both

youth and adult classes that gave everyone from beginners to advanced riders the opportunity to put their equine skills on display. This was just one of the many schooling and gaming events, as well as trail rides, to be held at the arena this riding season. For more information on events or the PCHA, check out their website, pamlicohorseclub.com or find them on Facebook.



Help Wanted

Hospice of Pamlico County, Inc. has been providing quality end of life care in our community since 1984. We are looking to add a PRN Social Worker to our great team. This position is ideal for those who already have part-time work, have gone back to school, or just want a flexible work schedule. Job Type: As Needed in Patient's homes Salary: DOE

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Volunteer Training

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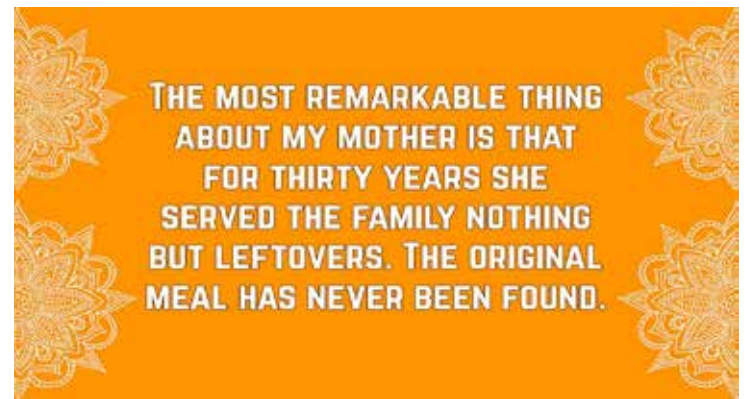
Our Career and Technical Education classes are busy creating real world experiences so that the students are able to practice the skills they have learned throughout the first part of the semester. A large part of CTE is giving the students a peek into what a business or job in their particular field would look like. Our Agriculture students have been prepping their plants for the yearly PCHS horticulture sale. Culinary Arts has been busy catering lunch plates to raise money for much needed new equipment for their growing program. Carpentry has been taking the first steps to create cabinetry for a new project in the auditorium. Principles of Family and Human Services classes are learning about budgeting in spending using Monopoly and other games!

Health Science classes have started their clinicals and have been busy making sure they are prepared to step out into their future jobs. The Digital Design and Animation classes have been creating posters for our sports teams, making social media ads and learning interview skills.

Our core classes are finishing up their new skills so that they can begin reviewing before end of year exams. Many of the teachers are digging deep and finding lessons to keep the students engaged and active as they are adjusting to rejoining with their classmates.

The future is very exciting for our school! We are happy to announce that the Junior / Senior Prom will take place May 7th with the theme "A Night Under the Stars." Senior Day at Camp Seafarer is coming up and most importantly Graduation will take place outside on the football field on the morning of May 28th.

Spring has sprung and excitement is in the air at Pamlico County High School!



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Learning to cope with our stress and finding healthy ways to deal with these situations can go a long way in living a healthy and positive life.

What does stress mean to you? We all experience stress – yet we may experience it in very different ways. Because of this, there is no single definition for stress, but the most common explanation is a physical, mental, or emotional strain or tension.

Stress is a reaction to a situation where a person feels anxious or threatened. Learning healthy ways to cope and getting the proper care and support can help reduce stressful feelings and symptoms.



Common reactions to a stressful event can include:

- Disbelief, shock and numbness
- Feeling sad, frustrated and helpless
- Difficulty concentrating and making decisions
- Headaches, back pains and stomach problems
- Smoking or the use of alcohol or drugs

Affecting more than just your mind

Long-term stress can prove to be more than just a mental issue. From headaches to stomach disorders to depression – even very serious issues like stroke and heart disease can come as a result of stress.

When you are placed in a stressful situation, specific stress hormones rush into your bloodstream leading to an increase in heart rate, blood pressure and glucose levels. This is helpful in emergency situations, but having this “rush” for extended periods of time can be dangerous and make you susceptible to the issues mentioned previously.

Learn to overcome issues you cannot change

Sometimes the stress in our lives is not something we have the power to change. Try to:

- Recognize when you don't have control, and let it go.
- Avoid getting anxious about situations that you cannot change.
- Take control of your reactions and focus your mind on something that makes you feel calm and in control.
- Develop a vision for healthy living, wellness, and personal growth, and set realistic goals to help you realize your vision.

Healthy ways for coping with your stress

Here are some basic ideas to help you cope with stress:

- Take care of yourself – eat healthy, exercise regularly, get plenty of sleep, give yourself a break if you feel stressed.
- Share your problems and how you are feeling and coping with a family member, friend, doctor, pastor or counselor.
- Avoid drugs and alcohol. These can create additional problems and increase the stress you are already feeling.
- Recognize when you need more help – know when to talk to a psychologist, social worker or counselor if things continue.

Potentially the most valuable takeaway here is knowing how to talk to others about your stress. This goes both ways, as you need to know how to discuss your problems with others as well as talk to anyone that comes to you with their issues.

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AROUND THE COUNTY

Goose Creek Island *Annette Jones, 55 Plus Club Correspondent*



Goose Creek Island 55 Plus Club met Thursday at the Community Center with Pres. Donna Potter Jones presiding. Due to the absence of Chaplain Rosanne Gaskill Rowe, I brought the devotion, Matt Chap 7: 1-5. “Do not judge or you too will be judged.” Instead let us help those who may have shortcomings. Today was Bingo Day. We played several games and won some very nice prizes. Many thanks to Rita Lupton who is a great caller! Special Guest Speaker next week is Bryson Schmidt, representative for American Red Cross. A Blood Drive will soon be scheduled for the island at a later date. Lynn Lewis from Register of Deeds will be our guest speaker May 13.

Prayer List: Brenda Watson Lewis has recently been a patient at Chapel Hill undergoing treatments and tests for blood problems. She was released and returned home. However, Thursday she became extremely week and was admitted to CarolinaEast Health Systems in New Bern Brenda is not doing very well! Eric Potter who suffered a heart attack several weeks ago and was a patient at New Bern Hospital, then transferred to Vidant in Greenville. He is now at home and isn't doing well at all! Audrey Popperwill Lupton was added to the prayer list.

Praise Offering: Sharon Lewis Rice is feeling much better. Phillip Lewis is doing much better from hip surgery.

We were saddened to hear of the passing of Nina Hope Popperwill Holloman, 85, March 8, 2021 from, Farm Life, NC. Her daughter Debbie was by her side. Nina was born and raised in Lowland, graduated from Hobucken Elementary School and Class of 1952 at PCHS. She was a very good player on the girls winning

basketball team and a dear friend to everyone. Our prayers and condolences are with the Popperwill & Holloman families.

Happy Birthday: Edna O'Neal McKinney -- April 29. Julia Annette Voliva, Hazel Alcock, Kenny Gray and Nanda Leary Kattawar – May 1. Jody Tinney and Wendy Lupton Honeycutt – May 3. Terry Popperwill and Matthew Jones – May 4. Myron Banks – May 5. Happy Anniversary: Dan & Iris Lewis Bennett – April 30. Russell & Delores Williams – May 4.

Melissa Leary Dixon was voted “Nurse of the Year” from her unit at CarolinaEast Health System in New Bern. Congratulations Melissa!

Langston & Rosanne Rowe drove to Liberty University in Lynchburg, Va. to visit granddaughter Delany Rowe. They enjoyed a great time with Delany! They also toured other places of interest, including Bedford & Niner, Va. and Bedford Boys Tribute Center. We sure missed Rosanne at the 55 Plus Club meeting!

Pamlico Co Clean sweep was held Saturday. Lynn Hacker Lewis organized the event on Goose Creek Island. there was a large number of volunteers including many “young people”. A county truck and our friend Tree Johnson was on hand to gather the bags of litter. This was a very successful event. Many thanks to all who participated!

Gerald Lewis son of the late Prince Lewis spent a week here on GCI visiting with family and friends. He's from Chokoloskee FL but now resides in LA. Glad he was able to “come home” to where his roots started.

The sun is shining. The flowers are blooming. The bears are scavenging. My stomach is growling! It's supertime. Be back next week!

Whortonsville *Reba Tiller, Correspondent*



The weather forecasters just cannot seem to get the weather right. When they say rain I do not water my flowers and then it doesn't rain. That happened twice this week plus the temperatures keep changing from warm to cold and back to warm so what happened to climate change? I think the good Lord is showing us that he is still in charge. It has been a really good week for most of us. The minister at Bethel had serious heart surgery and so far he seems to be doing well. Darlene Law had a little accident getting on her lift and then one of her doggies had to go to the Vet. There were sixteen at Bethel today for the service. Attending today were the Joyners, Kenny, Tammy, and Kenny's mother Bea who live at Sunset Shores. It is so nice to meet more of our neighbors that moved here while I was taking care of Weeks and not getting out very much. The church is having an ice cream social this Saturday at 6:30p.m. and everyone is invited. It is not for members of church, if so

I could not go because I am not a member, even though I have played for the church for many years. I call it “Who are the people in your neighborhood?” So many have moved away and new people have built homes here so come out Saturday night, eat delicious homemade ice cream and enjoy playing games, laughing and getting to know more folks. Saw Elaine Sadler at Food Lion this week, so we had a good chat since the 50plus Club is no more, we do not see each. We had many bus trips together and Elaine was in my singing group at the Senior Center. Don't forget to go by the Hospice Thrift Store and save money buying clothing, books, dishes, linen, etc. Nine neighbors came to have lunch today. Russ smoked a Boston butt on the grill he bought from Greg. It was the first time for Russ to use the smoker and the proof of the good job he did was in the empty plates after lunch.

Thought for the week--We are beginning to unmask since everyone here had covid and or two shot, but we still mask when we go out of the neighborhood.

Aurora *Joy McCracken, Correspondent*



We had to go to Raleigh again last week and finally while waiting out in a parking lot got to hear an Eastern Towhee up in the trees. Canadians were also about patrolling. My Kingfisher is back staying on the end of the chain fence watching the water for snacks, diving down for one, returning to the fence and see him swallowing a still wiggling fish. For about 20 minutes the other day I think I had a Summer Tanager singing up in the oak. According to eBird, they are in the area now.

We had a pop up shower on 4/19 that showcased the new green on the trees on the south side of the creek and even had a minute of pea sized hail from it! In my 14 years of living here I think I've seen hail maybe one other time. Once in Roxboro, we had a storm come through and it left weird little piles of hail that was elongated. We gathered it for our ice tea.

I have already been by Southside Farms to get strawberries and have made the annual first pie.

Someone bought the huge lot by the ferry (that was the home of Eastnoco Beach at one time) and have cleared some of it off. They have left most of the trees and it looks like it would be a good home site.

The Azealeas are done and their brief two week glory has me already pining away for next spring. There is one last Camillia with buds fixing to bloom. The Rhododendrons have had a few successful blooms.

A special shout out to a new business in Pamlico County: A thru Z Pressure Washing at 252-999-2731. He does cars, boats, houses and RV's.

We went by Sweet Annie's in Bayboro and got some of the best donuts! Her son makes the greatest espresso that made me

realize I've been slumming with my Nespresso machine. On that same trip we had a delicious lunch at Charlie's complete with their awe inspiring banana pudding. We finished out by going by Forrest Farm Supply getting a new garden flag, a really nice pink hibiscus and hard to find petunias (Pink Hearts and Pink Sky)—I guess you can see I was on a pink theme.

We saw a dead bear, probably a yearling, on the side of the road near the silos and reported it to the wildlife folks who need that data. While riding around Aurora we saw a red fox and two kits in a back yard on Middle Street. My brother who lives in Tennessee has three sets of Canada Geese parents with small gos-



lings at his lake house. I'm thinking for the first time in my life of putting up a squirrel feeder. One has been coming around getting goodies off the railing and I can see where she has been nursing.

The Community Garden looks like it has many beds for use. Please go by Town Hall if you're interested.

Pamlico *Betty Jo Rodgers, Correspondent*



It is a beautiful day in the neighborhood. This week looks like a week of sunshine and warm weather with no rain until later in the week. Pamlico really needs the rain. It has been awful dusty mowing some days.

The farm has been plowed and is ready for planting. Along several roads in the Pamlico Community, the newly planted corn is peeping out an inch or two. The neat even parallel rows are always a pleasure to behold, especially for a former geometry teacher.

Pamlico Youth Group is meeting on Sunday nights at Stonewall UMC in the fellowship hall. They will meet every Sunday evening at 6 pm until May 16. May 16 will be the 227th Homecoming for Stonewall UMC and because of the special festivities, there will be no youth group that evening. Youth group will meet one more time after that to plan their ministry activity and their end of year party. More details will be discussed at the next two meetings. They did not participate in the Pamlico Clean Sweep, but circumstances caused them to have to miss that mission opportunity.

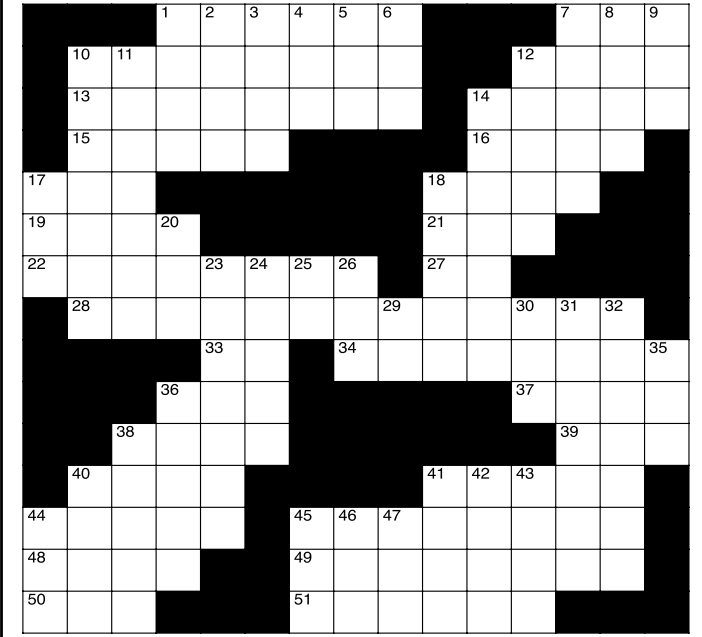
Tideland EMC continues upgrading the power lines along Straight Road. Lee Construction is doing the work and will continue work on Orchard Creek Road later in April.

Celebrating birthdays in April are Justin Rodgers (4/28), Amy Carey Smith (4/29), and Cynthia Delamar (4/30). Amy celebrated her birthday on April 25th with her family, but her birthday is really April 29th.

Celebrating birthdays in May are Roy Rodgers (5/1), Wesley Hatch (5/3), James Gurganus and Dylan Smith (5/5), Tanyetta Green and Debbie Whorton (5/12), Dale Alvin Belvin (5/14), Vanessa Cole May (5/15), Greg Jones (5/16), Wanda Miller and Karen Moore Horton (5/17), Vance Henries (5/18), Jermaine Smith (5/19), Zachary Rodgers and Shannon Lee Wing (5/20), Dennis Stokes (5/25), Johnny Bishop and Lakissha H. Smith (5/26), Mike Roach (5/27), and Suzie Rodgers (5/30). Celebrating Anniversaries in May are Roy and Betty Jo Rodgers (5/7), Larry and Sharon Gibbs (5/15) and Timothy and Veronica Jones (5/30).

Have a blessed week. Quitting? Take Spiritual Vitamin Q. "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong." (1 Corinthians 16:13)

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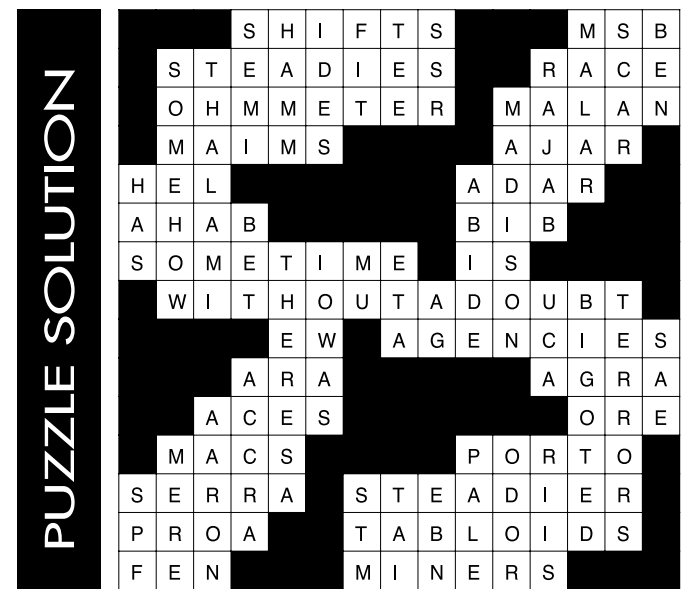


CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Switches
- 7. Legal financial term (abbr.)
- 10. Sweeties
- 12. Competition
- 13. Measures electrical resistance
- 14. Psychotherapy researcher
- 15. Causes injury to
- 16. Open
- 17. Polish peninsula
- 18. Hebrew calendar month
- 19. Whale ship captain
- 21. Children's accessory
- 22. Unknown point
- 27. Exists
- 28. Extremely confident
- 33. Expression of disgust
- 34. The government has many
- 36. Small constellation
- 37. Northern Indian city
- 38. The best pitchers
- 39. Naturally occurring solid
- 40. Apple computers
- 41. Portuguese city
- 44. Ancient Greek war dance
- 45. More reliable
- 48. Sailboat
- 49. Newspapers
- 50. Frequently flooded area
- 51. They dig for coal

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Partial
- 2. "Mad Men" leading man
- 3. The ___ of March
- 4. Healthy
- 5. Where golfers begin
- 6. Soviet Socialist Republic (abbr.)
- 7. Of the cheek
- 8. Injury reminder
- 9. Statesman Franklin
- 10. For an unknown reason
- 11. Brain parts
- 12. Islamic calendar month
- 14. Avenue where ad men work
- 17. Possesses
- 18. Accept
- 20. Stake
- 23. Former British PM May
- 24. US battleships circa 1939
- 25. Greek alphabet letter
- 26. When you hope to get there
- 29. Top lawyer
- 30. Fiddler crabs
- 31. Intolerant
- 32. Persons that cause extreme fear
- 35. Car mechanics group
- 36. Capital of Ghana
- 38. Famed ballplayer Hank
- 40. Emphasizes insignificance
- 41. Light-colored
- 42. Distinctive smell
- 43. Muckraking journalist Jacob
- 44. Sunscreen rating
- 45. Short-term memory
- 46. Japanese delicacy
- 47. One point north of due east



WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to poetry.

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This 7TH day of April 2021.
ESTATE OF JULIE EVAN CRAIG
C/O MICHAEL CRAIG
600 Academy Street
Oriental, NC 28571

Publish April 7, 14, 21 AND 28, 2021.

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This 14TH day of April 2021.
ESTATE OF RICHARD STANLEY HENRIES, SR
C/O MICHAEL W. HENRIES
P. O Box 182
Stonewall, NC 28583

Publish April 14, 21, 28 and May 5, 2021.

Notice to Creditors: Estate of Grace Ellen Oldham, File No. 21 E 77

Having qualified as Administrator of the

Estate of Grace Ellen Oldham, late of 1354 Alligator Loop Road, Merritt, Pamlico County, North Carolina 28556, the undersigned does hereby notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned's attorney at 408 Main Street, P.O. Box 411, Bayboro, North Carolina 28515, on or before July 21st, 2021, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF PAMLICO

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the proposed FY 2021-2022 budgets for The Coastal Regional Solid Waste Management Authority has been presented to the Board of Directors for consideration. A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection at the administrative offices of the Authority, located at 7400 Old Hwy 70 West, New Bern, NC during regular office hours.

A public hearing on the proposed budget has been scheduled for May 13, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Room of the Pamlico County Courthouse Annex, Bayboro, N.C. at which time comments from the public on the proposed budget will be heard.

Bobby C. Darden
Executive Director

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

April 16, Cottages of Trent Creek Lot: 3, PCA 154-12, Address: 507 Florence Road, Merritt, PIN: 106-90-3; Commissioner's Deed; 18CVD173 from Richard J. Kania/Comr, County of Pamlico, East Coast Mortgage, LLC, ET. AL., East Coast Mortgage, LLC to Pamlico County, \$20
April 16, Cottages of Trent Creek Lot: 6, PCA 154-12, Address: 565 Florence Road, Merritt, PIN: 106-90-6; Commissioner's Deed; 18CVD173 from Richard J. Kania/Comr, County of Pamlico, East Coast Mortgage, LLC, ET. AL., East Coast Mortgage, LLC to Pamlico County, \$13
April 16, Cottages at Neuse Village Unit: 8, Condo Book 1/139-146 from Keith N. Lemly, Michele F. Lemly to Dennis Alan Williams, Marcia Barfield Williams, \$532
April 16, 34.66 AC; Lot 2, John J. Carawan Heirs Property; DB 196/79 & DB 295/587 from Todd Allen, Todd H. Allen to Bear Creek, LLC, \$250
April 16, Two Tracts from Danial K. Street, Debra S. Street to Edge Properties, LLC, \$105
April 16, 0.72 AC & 2.59 AC; See map DB 565/442 from Michael E. Tigar, Jane B. Tigar to Douglas M. Delisle, Keri A. Delisle, \$760
April 16, E/S NC Hwy 55; Ashwood; Caroline Wise Homeplace from Harry C. Martens to Douglas M. Delisle, Keri A. Delisle, \$175
April 16, NC Hwy 306; metes and bounds, Quitclaim Deed; 02E8 from Gertie G. Boomer, Betty G. Hill, Shirley Saunders, Clinton Saunders, Maria Collins, Maria Ganues Collins, Andrew Collins, Dorothy Moore, Dorothy G. Moore, Ted Moore, Rayfield Ganues, Lucille Ganues, Lucille Ganues, Lucille Ganus to Tunmorya B. Bennett, \$0
April 16, One AC; NC 1301; metes and bounds; DB 102/408, Quitclaim Deed from Gertie G. Boomer to Tunmorya B. Bennett, \$0
April 16, 1/2 AC; NCRR 1301; metes and bounds, Quitclaim Deed

from Jessie Maxine Boomer to Tunmorya B. Bennett, \$0
April 16, 2.96 AC; W/S Gales Creek; map book 7/71 from Stephen C. Woodard, Jr./TR, Stephen C. Woodard, Jr., Stephen C. Woodard, Jr. Revocable Trust to Brent Fulkerson, Kathryn Fulkerson, \$1,200
April 16, Oriental Harbor Village Marina Boat Slip 26; Dock C; Condo Cab 1 Slide 11/10-11, DB 550/627 from Catherine Mayo Schoenthaler, Catherine Elizabeth Mayo, David Schoenthaler to Francis J. Doucette, Leanne M. Doucette, \$54
April 16, Widgeon Roost Lot: 5, Section I; map book 12/22 from Timothy W. McCue, Cassandra A. McCue to Thomas Parsons, \$658
April 19, Mariner's Landing Lot: 19, PCA 192/14-16 from Ralph H. Scribner, Vicki C. Scribner to Wilven, LLC, \$48
April 19, Dolphin Point Lot: 39, PCA 30-6; map attached from Philip L. Borders to Eileen B. Price, Stephen D. Price, \$690
April 20, Arlington Place Lot: 18, Phase 1; PCA 153/17-20 & 154/1-8 from Jonathan W. White, Jeffrey E. White, Jeffery White to Sean M. Ostmann, Marigrace B. Ostmann, \$50
April 20, N/S NC Hwy 55; Bayboro; see map DB 252/53 from Elizabeth Baker, Robert L. Baker to Jennifer Williford, Sue Sanders, \$90
April 20, Three Parcels, PIN: K06-24; K06-23-1; K06-23-2 from Sue M. Sanders to Jennifer S. Williford, \$0
April 20, Mill Creek Lot: 293 Phase II; Arlington Place; PCA 164/2-7 from Blair Lang, Rebecca Lang to David Spencer, Linda Spencer, \$1,092
April 20, 46/100 AC; Western Half Lot: 12; Eastern Half Lot: 13; Robert A. Whorton Property; map book 4/52 from Lillie M. Monk/ Exr, Mike D. Monk/Est, Lillie M. Monk to Melinda M. Ushry, Shamika J. Ushry, \$50

INSPECTIONS

March 15, Richard Peterson, New Bern, mechanical, \$135.40; Steven Odell Walker, New Bern, \$75
March 17, Charles & Marguerite Garrett, Oriental, plumbing, \$40; Mike Hooks, Oriental, generator, \$80; Lisa Edmondson, Grantsboro, mechanical, \$95.44; Willie Permelia, Oriental, mechanical, \$40; Sabra Cahoon, Grantsboro, storage building, \$108.80; Berkley Hill, Stonewall, storage building, \$59.20
March 18, Thomas McIlhenny, Oriental, addition, \$55.36; Mark & Suzanne Johnson, Arapahoe, NR, \$1,378.22
March 19, Doug Beasley, Grantsboro, electrical, \$169.50; Steven (sp?), Bayboro, demo, \$0
March 22, Dan Voliva, Vandemere, reconnection, \$40; John Delamar, Oriental, deck, \$76
March 23, Maurice Benton, Bayboro, demo, \$0; Chevette Kelly, New Bern, pool, \$90; Steve Lacy, Vandemere, CAMA, \$141.20; Bucky Hydal, Oriental, plumbing, \$40; Mark Johnson, Arapahoe, CAMA, \$140.75; Mark Johnson, Arapahoe, CAMA, \$138; Mark Johnson, Arapahoe, Minor, \$100
March 24, John Maraventano & Jean Kunzelman, Oriental, \$80; Michael Leary, Lowland, generator/gas, \$80; Laura Pileski, Grantsboro, plumbing, \$40; Pamlico Packing, Grantsboro, electrical, \$75; Lenn Murrell/Melissa Devany, Arapahoe, NR, \$1,852.08; Jay Collars, Alliance, gas, \$40; David Garland, Merritt, electrical, \$100; Gregory Prunier, Merritt, electrical, \$50; Samerah Awad, Oriental, fire, \$40
March 25, Dave & Maureen Farmer, Oriental, addition, \$334.44; Tonya & Bryan Moore, Minnesott, elevation, \$561; Frank Barnett, New Bern, electrical, \$75; Paul Ballard, New Bern, generator, \$40; Justin Barbour, Merritt, electrical/plumbing, \$140
March 26, Robert & Kelly Cutrone, Oriental, pool, \$90; Todd Faircloth, Hobucken, electrical, \$40; Fred Hoyt, Florence, temp. pole, \$50

March 29, Mike Hurm, Arapahoe, electrical/generator, \$40; James Poole, Minnesott Beach, NR, \$1,532.38; Beth Martin, Oriental, generator, \$40; Arapahoe Restaurant, Inc., Arapahoe, fire, \$40; Raymond Gibbs, Bayboro, mechanical, \$73.60; Paul Peedin, Grantsboro, deck/steps, \$40
March 30, Chris Ajinga, Merritt, garage, \$333; Dick Osmun, Oriental, mechanical, \$166; Wilber Cove/Amerlice Williams, Bayboro, new dwelling, \$895; Jeff Peacock, Merritt, elevations, \$465
March 31, Eddie Glover, Arapahoe, remodel, \$277.76; Michael Sullivan, New Bern, NR, \$1,505.42; Michael Shanker, Merritt, plumbing, \$40; Thomas Brown, Oriental, plumbing, \$40; Don Meng, Oriental, plumbing, \$40; Michael Wheeler, Bayboro, fire, \$40
April 1, Billy Barrett, Bayboro, electrical, \$40; Craig Simms, Oriental, CAMA, \$58.90; Donald Munn, Oriental, CAMA, \$150.50; David Hansen, Bayboro, reno, \$175; Stephen Herring, New Bern, SW, \$150
April 5, Richard Johnen, Oriental, deck repair, \$112; Hugh Barnes, Grantsboro, porch repair, \$68.80; Richard Maher, Arapahoe, pier, \$70; Alyssa B. Favre, Merritt, electrical, \$40; Pamlico Maintenance, Bayboro, mechanical, \$0
April 6, Andrew Krelie, Arapahoe, mechanical, \$40; Neal Campbell, Arapahoe, mechanical, \$137.68; Chris Moffat, Oriental, mechanical, \$40; Bill Reid, Oriental, mechanical, \$40; Willie Banks, Stonewall, mechanical, \$40; Kaitlyn & Blake Phillips, Arapahoe, new modular, \$755.32; Arthur Kelly, Alliance, fire, \$40; Larry Moore, Merritt, electrical/camper, \$50
April 7, Camps Seagull/Seafarer, (5) Arapahoe, fire, \$80
April 8, Travis Hardison, Seawell Farm Rd., Bayboro, \$116.90; Quincy Jones, Grantsboro, garage, \$339.20; Michelle Boomer, Bayboro, building, \$74.56; James Root, Country Club Dr., W., Minnesott Beach, mechanical, \$40; Zelenor Bryant, Oriental, renovations, \$193

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