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Ecstatic News Staff

To gauge levels of readership for The Pamlico News, a Canadian advised the staff to commit a flagrant misspelling on the front page banner last week. The level of feedback would indicate a level of how many people read the paper each week.

Staff members were ecstatic with the response indicating broad readership throughout The County.

That's the story from the news room and the composing room.

Need temporary housing? Contact county manager's office

Pamlico County was denied temporary housing assistance for Hurricane Florence. We are appealing that decision.

Local officials have been stressing to state and federal agencies the need for temporary housing from the beginning of the storm event.

After speaking with State and FEMA officials, it was stated that individuals were not requesting temporary housing assistance through FEMA. This information is inconsistent with the information that we are receiving through our local support agencies.

If you need temporary housing assistance or have other unmet needs such as volunteer assistance related to Hurricane Florence recovery, it is important that you contact the Pamlico County Manager's Office immediately at (252) 745-3133 or at unmetneeds@pamlicocounty.org.

Elevated bacteria in local waters

MOREHEAD CITY – State recreational water quality officials are reporting that initial testing on a sound-side site in Pamlico County showed levels of bacteria exceeding the state's and Environmental Protection Agency's recreational water quality swimming standards.

The alert covers the public beach on Whittaker Creek near marker #3 in Oriental. Enterococci present in water samples exceed the state and federal single-sample standard of 276 enterococci per 100 milliliters for low-usage sites.

Results of additional sampling will determine if there is a need for specific restrictions. A continued presence of higher than acceptable levels of enterococci could lead to posted swimming advisories. Scientific studies indicate that enterococci may indicate the presence of other disease-causing organisms. People swimming or playing in waters with bacteria levels exceeding state standards have an increased risk of developing gastrointestinal illness or skin infections.

State officials sample 209 sites throughout the coastal region, most on a weekly basis from April to October. Testing continues on a reduced schedule during winter months when waters are colder.



Running to excel, cross country and in the classroom Macy Tyson and Cooper Metts PCHS duo honored in regional publication

Pamlico County High School cross country runners, Cooper Metts, a senior, and Macy Tyson, a junior were recently recognized by an area daily, the *Sun Journal* as Athletes of the Week for the week ending October 20.

The *Pamlico News* has been familiar with these 2 athletes for the entire season. Cooper Metts is a sports correspondent for this paper. Macy Tyson's record of winning has been highlighted in several *Pamlico News* stories. Metts, along with Jamere Miller, have been male standouts representing Hurricane cross country runners.

While these students received recognition for athletic talents, *The Pamlico News* searched further and discovered they are the epitome of student athletes. Each has excelled in the classroom as well as while wearing running shoes. It has been reported that the legendary basketball coach, Bobby Knight, told parents of students that he recruited that their son was in college to receive a college education, whether they played basketball or not. In terms of becoming a college cross-country standout, a chat with Cooper and Macy uncovered that each are self motivated in that direction; a college degree in their chosen fields takes precedent over their status as outstanding athletes.

Macy hopes to become a nurse. Cooper Metts has his sights on becoming a professional sports journalist.

The comments made by this duo regarding how they balance athletics and academics detail their recipes for success as student athletes.

Macy says, "Being a student and an athlete means I have to prioritize certain things so that I can get all my work done and still perform well at the meets. This is all a balancing game. I have to balance school, practice, being a teenager, family, and friends. Sometimes practice is a good stress reliever. Running gives me time to think about things that are going on. Running has also given me a chance to get closer to certain people. One person that I have gotten close with is Cameron Lee. Cameron and I run together during practice and push each other to do our best on meet days. Our coach Paul Delamar also pushes us to do our best. He may



have high expectations but he knows that if we do our best that we can meet the times that he has given us"

"I don't know if I want to run for the college I plan to attend but I do plan to still run after high school, whether it be for college or just for fun. My mom gave me my interest in running."

"I want to be a military nurse. I became interested in ROTC when I spoke to Master Chief. He explained what the program was and I thought that ROTC would be a program that would help me develop as a person. It has."

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Debris pick-up continues

"I can appreciate how traumatized people are when they see the contents of their house piled up on the side of road. And with the stuff sitting there, it begins to smell bad. This is a slow process, but we have people working out there 12 hours a day, every single day. We appreciate the public's patience and we thank them for trying to separate the vegetative debris from the construction debris.

Tim Buck, County Manager



Garry Cooper, Pamlico County's Director of Public Services, checks a debris truck at The County transfer station

"We're beginning to make a difference in some of the most impacted areas, but it's just a slow go," the county manager said.

When the trailers pulled by the large Peterbilt trucks are filled, after they arrive at the waste transfer station on NC 306 several miles north of Grantsboro, they are not allowed to simply make their way to the growing mountains of debris, unload and drive away. The entire process of debris pick-up and removal has to be closely monitored according to FEMA rules and regulations in order for The County to be reimbursed by the federal government for these costs.

DebrisTec is the company contracted simply for the monitoring. Reid Austin, from Mississippi, and Wyatt Taylor, a local Pamlico county native who lives in Reelsboro, are DebrisTec employees who check and record each load as it comes into the station.

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Pamlico Strong Benefit Concert



Gary Mastrodonato of The Masters Wealth Management Group of Oriental, along with Hope Clinic, Brantley's Village Restaurant of Oriental, the Oriental Piglet, (Piggly Wiggly), Oriental Mini Mart, Mitchell's Hardware of New Bern, Surf, Wind, and Fire, and Delamar And Delamar Attorneys of Bayboro, sponsored a benefit concert for victims of Hurricane Florence, Saturday, October 20, Noon - 6 pm in the open area adjacent to Mastrodonato's office.

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COMMUNITY

PROBABLE WEATHER

Tuesday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 23 is 64 degrees and Partly cloudy. There is 56 percentage chance of rain and 4 mph winds from the West-Southwest.

Wednesday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 24 is 59 degrees and Sunny. There is 55 percentage chance of rain and 10 mph winds from the North.

Thursday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 25 is 53 degrees and Overcast. There is 48 percentage chance of rain and 9 mph winds from the North.

Friday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 26 is 55 degrees and Partly cloudy. There is 62 percentage chance of rain and 10 mph winds from the Northeast.

Saturday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 27 is 61 degrees and Overcast. There is 79 percentage chance of rain and 9 mph winds from the North-Northeast.

Sunday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 28 is 59 degrees and Overcast. There is 78 percentage chance of rain and 10 mph winds from the West-Southwest.

Monday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 29 is 61 degrees and Overcast. There is 65 percentage chance of rain and 9 mph winds from the North-Northeast.

Tuesday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 30 is 59 degrees and Sunny. There is 62 percentage chance of rain and 6 mph winds from the North-Northeast.

Wednesday: The Pamlico forecast for Oct 31 is 61 degrees and Partly cloudy. There is 60 percentage chance of rain and 4 mph winds from the East-Northeast.

Thursday: The Pamlico forecast for Nov 01 is 53 degrees and Sunny. There is 75 percentage chance of rain and 3 mph winds from the South-Southeast.

NOTE THE DATE

PC Republican Party

The PC Republican Party meets the 4th Tuesday of the month at their GOP Headquarters at 618 Main Street, Bayboro at 6:30 pm. Contact Chairman Dave Wickersham at 252.269.4101 for further information.

Oriental Farmers' Market

Open every Saturday from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Located on Hodges Street in front of Garland Fulchers Seafood. The market features a wide variety of goodies including locally grown produce, farm fresh eggs, home-baked breads, biscotti, cookies, cakes, pies as well as preserves and chocolates.

County Senior Center the first and third Monday of the month at 2 p.m. For more information call Beth Hardison at 745-7196.

NAACP Monthly Meeting

The NAACP of Pamlico County will hold its regular monthly meeting on the second Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at the Pamlico County Senior Services Center at 800 Main Street in Alliance. All interested persons are invited and welcome to attend.

Gardens of Pamlico

We need volunteers of any age to help with residents and brighten their day! Contact Kelly Lawson, 252-671-8251

Pamlico Community College Cultural & Life Enrichment Opportunities

Greenhouse Basics

Learn how to start and maintain a successful greenhouse – location, soils, environmental conditions, plant selection, and more! Students will use the college's greenhouse as a laboratory.
Registration \$70.00 Date: October 16, 2018 – December 11, 2018 Time: Tuesdays 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Bridge for Beginners: Free!

Learn to play the strategic and social card game – BRIDGE! Instructor: Craig Welling

Location: PCC Johnson Building Library

Registration: Free! Date: October 23 – 25, 2018 (T, W, TH) Time: 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Call 252.249.1851 ext. 3113 to register

Bridge for Beginners Phase II : Free!

Learn advanced techniques for playing the strategic and social card game – BRIDGE! Instructor: Craig Welling

Location: PCC Johnson Building Library

Registration: Free!
Date: October 30 - November 1, 2018 (T, W, TH)
Time: 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Call 252.249.1851 ext. 3113 to register

REFIT® - Free!

REFIT® is a workout program that is structured around cardio-dance movements, toning and flexibility, strength training and stretching. Instructors: Yolanda Cristiani and Kacy Forbes

Location: Auditorium, Delamar Building, Grantsboro Campus

Registration: Free!
Date: Tuesdays
Time: 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Grant Writing

Develop effective grant writing skills that are essential for acquiring funding from foundations and government agencies! In this six-week session, a professional grant writer will take you from researching funding opportunities to writing the narratives and developing budgets to managing your grants. Registration \$70.00 Start Date: November 3, 2018 Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

OBITUARIES

Mr. Eli Frank Maness, Jr., 80, of Oriental, NC died peacefully Sunday evening while visiting his family in Dunn, NC. He was born in Guilford County on November 29, 1937 to the late Frank and Wilsie Maness. He was preceded in death by his wife, Judy M. Maness.

Frank graduated from Oak Ridge Military Academy, and then graduated from Atlantic Christian College with a Bachelor in Business Administration. He served his country in the Army National Guard from 1960 to 1966.

Frank began his professional career with Carolina Tractor & Equipment Co. and worked with them for approximately twenty years before going to work with Dickerson, Inc. as their vice president of purchasing for approximately ten years. Frank's love of the water and beach led him to purchase Honda of Myrtle Beach and was the owner and operator for seven years before retiring to his and Judy's dream home at Beulah Point in Pamlico County on Broad Creek.

Following a rich family heritage, Frank was a Mason, a member of the Scottish

Rite and a member of New Bern Sudan Shriners. He was also a member of Pamlico United Methodist Church. Frank was a big NASCAR fan and his favorite driver was "The King," Richard Petty, #43. With a love for the outdoors, Frank enjoyed watching the water, wildlife and especially the birds at this home in Pamlico.

A celebration of life service will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home in Dunn, by Rev. Mike Roach. A private burial will be held at a later date.

He is survived by a son, Eli Frank "Buddy" Maness, III, and wife Shelia of Dunn, two daughters, Elizabeth Maness Green of Murrells Inlet, SC, Michelle Maness Benish and husband John of Southbury, CT, six grandchildren, Eli Maness and wife Caitlin, David and Jacob Maness, Robert and Jeremy Green and Allison Benish.

The family will receive friends Friday morning from 10 to 11 a.m. at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home. The family asks that instead of flowers that memorials be made to Shriners Hospital for Children, Attn: Office of Development 2900 N. Rocky Point Dr. Tampa, FL 33607.

Gary Bryson Collier, 72, of Arapahoe passed away peacefully at home Tuesday, October 16th after a long illness surrounded by love ones.



He was a member of the Arapahoe FWB Church where he had been a deacon, Sunday School teacher, choir member and most importantly a teenage youth leader for many years.

He retired after 31 years of service from Pamlico Community College as Vice President of Financial Services.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Roberson and Nellie Collier; two

brothers, Jarvis Collier and Macress "Mac" Collier and a sister, Joyce Collier Thames.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara Davis Collier of nearly 50 years; one son, Robert Steven Collier; one brother, Sammy Collier (Lois); four sisters, Francis C. Bunce, Ettrice C. Southerland, Helen C. Autry and Ann C. Autry (Charles). His funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM Friday at the Arapahoe FWB Church, with the Rev. David Cauley officiating.

The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the church.

The interment and graveside service will be held at 4:00 PM at the Meadow Brook Cemetery in Lumberton, NC.

Arrangements are by Bryant Funeral Home & Crematory, Alliance, NC

FISHING REPORT

We got our first major cold front and this should spark the fish.

Look for the trout to start working into the creeks. As most know, suspending lures like Mirrolure perform well targeting the trout when work slow - twich and let sit. Light action gear to feel the slightest tap on your lure will give you better success. Soft plastics jigged along the bottom can also work great. I prefer the DOA CAL 3" shad tails and 4" jerk shad. Use the lightest jig head yo can get by with the staying contact with your line for the thump. And lets not forget top water. Trout love some top water early in am now and later in day as it gets colder and dark bottom absorbs the heat from the sun.

The rock should be making a good comeback hanging around structure and bait. I love the top water in stump fields and docks. Work your best baits of choice - mine being Storm Chug Bug or Cover Pop. continue to work all the way to boat as they will follow for a while. Flattening the barbs will make releasing easier for fish and YOU.

On another note - Pamlico Shiner's Trout Tournament is Saturday 27th - come enjoy some fun and fellowship with a chance to win money and prizes.

Capt Dave Stewart

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October is the fallen leaf, but it is also a wider horizon more clearly seen. It is the distant hills once more in sight, and the enduring constellations above them once again.

Hal Borland

QUICK REFERENCE

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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

HOROSCOPES

ARIES – Mar 21/Apr 20

Aries, if you want to be a pioneer, you have to trust yourself and take some risks. Find ways to expand your social circle and attend as many events as you can.

TAURUS – Apr 21/May 21

Do not worry about pleasing everyone, Taurus. Doing so is impossible and will zap you of the energy you need to devote to those who truly matter to you. Value their opinions.

GEMINI – May 22/June 21

You are in an amorous mood this week, Gemini. Focus your energy on romantic plans. Develop an idea for a dinner as a couple, or a friends' night out with others.

CANCER – Jun 22/Jul 22

Cancer, if you want to improve your bottom line, you may need to seek the advice of a professional. Make an appointment to see how to better manage your funds.

LEO – Jul 23/Aug 23

Leo, keep close friends close, but see if there are any opportunities to widen your network. Networking is an important skill to master. It could serve you well.

VIRGO – Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, it is okay to make mistakes if it is a matter of personal growth. Sometimes the most valuable lessons are learned by making a mistake and correcting it.

LIBRA – Sept 23/Oct 23

Family ties have you pulled in one direction when you may have your eyes focused in another, Libra. With some careful shuffling, you can likely find a balance.

SCORPIO – Oct 24/Nov 22

Awkward situations give you the opportunity to think on your feet and find amenable solutions to problems, Scorpio. Don't underestimate the advantages of this skill.

SAGITTARIUS – Nov 23/Dec 21

A few changes may be heading your way, Sagittarius. These are nothing you cannot handle with grace. Look for opportunities for growth with anything that comes your way.

CAPRICORN – Dec 22/Jan 20

Capricorn, sometimes the best ideas come when you aren't focused on finding solutions to problems. Keep an open mind and all types of different ideas can arrive.

AQUARIUS – Jan 21/Feb 18

Certain things are inevitable, Aquarius. But you can adapt to many different situations and make them work for you. Do not be scared off by larger projects on the horizon.

PISCES – Feb 19/Mar 20

Pisces, channel your creative energy into something lucrative this week. This may be just what you need to turn a passion into a career.

FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS

OCTOBER 21
Aaron Tveit, Actor (35)
OCTOBER 22
Jeff Goldblum, Actor (66)
OCTOBER 23
Ryan Reynolds, Actor (42)
OCTOBER 24
Adrienne Bailon, Singer (35)
OCTOBER 25
Ciara, Singer (33)

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Susan, Oriental



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ORIENTAL – Like-new 3BR/2BA in the Village, in quiet, established neighborhood called The Landings. Spacious living room, modern kitchen with a breakfast area & adjoining laundry room. Master suite, walk-in closet & master bath with soaking tub/shower. Only 6 years old, no HOA dues.

OFFERED AT \$197,900



ORIENTAL – Newly-constructed 3BR/2BA home in the Village overlooks the Oriental Harbor. Lifetime metal roof, solid bamboo flooring, kitchen with granite & walnut counters, upper & lower covered porches. Zoned MU1, perfect for an Airbnb if not used as a full-time residence. No HOA or dues.

OFFERED AT \$319,900



ARAPAHOE – Waterfront 3BR/3BA, with 2 living rooms, 2 kitchens + 3rd outdoor kitchen, 3 bonus rooms, patios and 2 upper decks for great views w/ double frontage on Neuse River & Dawson Creek. New metal roof, vaulted kitchen ceiling with exposed beams, dock & covered boat lift on Dawson Creek. No HOA dues. Great breezes year round.

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ORIENTAL – Waterfront 3BR/2BA +FROG (w/ extra bath), boat dock & covered lift on 1.66 acres. Vaulted ceilings, sunroom, formal dining room, gas log fireplace, tile & hardwood flooring, attached 2-car garage & detached RV garage/workshop/garden shed.

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Pamlico Community College

Scholarship recipients, donors honored

Sandy Wall, Director of Public Affairs

The Pamlico Community College Foundation saluted its 2018-19 scholarship recipients and thanked its generous donors for their support during the 10th annual Scholarship Recognition Ceremony held Wednesday, Oct. 17.

About 100 people turned out for the uplifting afternoon event, which took place in the college's Delamar Center.

"Thank you" is such a powerful thing to say and it's really not said enough," PCC President Dr. Jim Ross said as he addressed donors during his opening remarks. "Thank you for your investment in the future."

The president also thanked students for their hard work in the classroom, noting that many have excelled despite personal challenges, including jobs and family obligations.

"You are the best among the best," Ross said.

He also praised the college's faculty and staff, saying the supportive, family atmosphere that students find at the college helped PCC to achieve its recent ranking by SmartAsset as the No. 3 community college in America – the second year in a row that PCC has been ranked in the organization's Top 3.

Student Kimberly Williams, who is studying Early Childhood Education, spoke about how attending the college had enabled her to land a great job and to become a better wife and mother.

"Going to college was one of the best things I could have done," she said. Later in the ceremony, Vice President of Student Services Jamie Gibbs read the names of each scholarship's recipient and its donor/presenter. They included:

* Oriental Rotary Club Scholarship: Antonio Brown, Sara Deditch and Quishaen Wright

* Thomas E. Minges Memorial/Pepsi-Cola Scholarship: Angelica Lee and Stephanie Prince

* Mount Vernon Lodge #359 Masonic Scholarship: Racquel Gaskins

* Rufus Brinson Memorial Scholarship: Nicole Croom

* Well Fargo Bank Scholarship: Mary Kupec

* N.C. State Employees Credit Union (SECU) Scholarship: Zariah Forbes-Boston and Kimberly Williams

* Margaret Rawls Stencil Memorial Scholarship: Jawaan Coffey

* Paul H. Johnson GED Scholarship: Marvin Ollison

* Cleve H. Cox Memorial Scholarship: Madison Bradshaw

* Geraldine Beveridge Memorial Scholarship: Matthew Bailey and Madison Bradshaw

* Harold H. Bate Foundation Scholarships: James Bell, Matthew Casper, Dexter Cofield, Allyson Gardner, Anna Rice and Jesse Voliva

* Ned Everett Delamar Memorial Scholarship: Zariah Forbes-Boston and Austin Noe

* PCC Foundation Student Ambassador Scholarship: Matthew Bailey

* PCC Foundation General Scholarship (curriculum): Jawaan Coffey, Nicole Collock, Amelia Jenkins, Angelica Lee, Amanda Manning and Marvin Ollison

* Continuing Education Scholarships, which are funded by the PCC Foundation (PCCF), Golden LEAF (GL) and State Employees Credit Union (SECU): Rebecca Albee (SECU); Sandy Buck (SECU); Sara Deditch (GL, SECU); Amy Dembowski (PCCF, GL); Daja Edwards (GL); Harold Eiland (PCCF); Lisa Eiland (PCCF); Penny Ford (GL); Adrienne Gaskins (SECU); Janice Harris (PCCF, SECU); Melviz Lugo (PCCF); Breanne McDonald (PCCF, SECU); LaTyna Miller (PCCF, SECU); Jody Miller (PCCF, GL); Morgan Mooningham (PCCF, GL); Roxanne Peltier (GL); Katie Sawyer (SECU); Kaitlin

Ward (GL, SECU); and Quashonda Wright (GL).

Carla Byrnes, president of the PCC Foundation Board of Directors, told the scholarship recipients that the college was preparing them for a world where every job will require education and advanced skills.

"The world is changing, jobs are changing, and PCC is right there getting you ready for this changing world," she said.

Ross encouraged the students to set ambitious goals and to look for ways to improve the lives of others.

"Think bold, aim high," he said. "Beyond these walls is a world that needs help."

For more information about the PCC Foundation and its efforts to fund student scholarships, please contact PCC Foundation Executive Director Michelle Noever at 252-249-1851, ext. 3084, or mnoever@pamlicocc.edu.

Sandy Wall can be reached at 252-249-1851, ext. 3010, or swall@pamlicocc.edu.



Carla Byrnes, left, president of the PCC Foundation Board of Directors, presents Matthew Bailey with the PCC Foundation Student Ambassador Scholarship.

Runners, from page 1.

Paul Delamar, the PCHS cross-country coach commented on her talents, "Macy has been fantastic this year. She works hard in practice, and she's an outstanding student. She's a leader in ROTC, and she's a leader on the team as well. Her improvement as a runner is a big part of why our women's team is as good as it is."

Cooper recalled, "A friend and coach in middle school really helped me recognize my passion for running." He spoke about Delamar's coaching style. "Paul is a great coach. He's showed me what I am actually capable of doing rather than what I think I am capable of doing. He takes

time out of his life not only during the cross country and track season, but also during the off season to help the rest of the runners and me become better runners. He has implemented a good running program." as well.

"I'll run for fun in college but definitely not on a team."

"Being a student athlete can be difficult. It's been particularly hard this year taking AP Calculus, five classes at the community college, and all the while working also."

"In order to manage the workload, you just have to love what your doing because

you don't get a lot of time to do anything else. If I didn't love it, I'd be pretty miserable, because until the off season, I really don't do much other than run, work, and do school work."

"My favorite part of cross country is the team atmosphere and the winning culture around the program. We have a lot of fun guys on our team and we win a lot."

"At school, I enjoy being a part of the Student Government Association and writing sports stories for my local paper, *The Pamlico News*."

"I want to go to college to study journalism. Eventually,

I want to become a sports journalist.

My mom gave me my writing interest and my father gave me my interest in sports. I coupled the two together and I love it."

Delamar described Cooper's contributions, "Cooper came into the program when it was at a low point. He was the essential component to rebuilding it. He leads by example. He had a severe injury last year, but he came back better than ever. He's a great student and a great runner. Our program wouldn't be what it is without Cooper Metts."

Not just for Hollywood celebrities, but also for Pamlico County residents,

A personal trainer and fitness gym



Television and screen legend Oprah Winfrey has often credited having a personal fitness trainer to help her monitor weight. Weight monitoring is only one aspect of fitness training. Persons with

physical limitations due to age, illness, or injury have benefited from using exercise facilities. When that activity is monitored by a trained professional trainer, positive results are a well documented phenomenon. Degreed programs in exercise, physical fitness, and sports related training are offered by a number of universities.

Ben Wynne moved to The County from Delaware in June of this year to operate the Champion Fitness Center in Bayboro. The facility provides for individual use by persons who are familiar with their own needs and goals, classes for groups with similar needs and goals, and individual personal training regimens. For members, the center is open 24/7 to accommodate personal schedules.

Wynne noted, "Many individuals who take physical therapy to overcome injuries or surgeries will see me to maintain their strengthening. I once worked with a man for a year who couldn't walk after being run over by a dump truck. After that year, he was able to walk and even jump. His continued work transformed his body. And then there was the lady who dropped 160 pounds, from 328 to 168."

According to Wynne, he has worked with clients from 10 to 72. The gym is equipped with an array of contemporary machines to accommodate clients young and those older than young. One such device is known as the elliptical, a low-impact machine used for cardiovascular exercises. He mentioned the hack squat to help strengthen legs, quadriceps, hamstrings, and the glutes maximus.

Wynne was a track coach in Delaware. He said, "When I took over the program in a middle school, there were 8 students participating. Just 4 years later, there were 40 students involved and we had one of the top teams in the state."

Wynne can be reached at Champion Fitness, 745-0299.

EDITORIALS

The Caravan

As we watched President Trump on the national news mention “the caravan,” my wife asked “What is the caravan?” I didn’t know. I supposed he was referencing some sort of mass democrat opposition against everything he wanted to accomplish. He uses language in such oblique and often derogatory ways that you are never quite sure what he means or if he really means what he says. “Oh, he didn’t mean that,” his defenders will say. “He was just stating the facts when he made fun of Dr. Ford.” Really?

What he meant by the caravan, however, soon became clear as we continued to watch the news. There is a mass migration of people from South America moving north towards the United States. Already they have crossed over into Mexico and seem intent on coming to America. It would seem that a logical response then would be to ask why so many people at the same time are uprooting themselves from their homelands, culture, families, friends and neighbors to walk hundreds of miles through hostile lands and peoples to come to a place where they clearly are not welcomed. Is there no politician in America who cares about the circumstances that have given rise to such mass dislocation? Is there no one who will ask what are the problems and fears or maybe even the hopes and expectations that have caused these now homeless people to venture north? Before

we begin to speak of those coming as drug dealers, murderers, thugs, and rapists should we not try to understand and maybe even sympathize with people as desperate as those in the caravan apparently are?

America has made this mistake before. Toward the end of the 1930s as hostility and hatred of Jews began to reach murderous heights in Europe, many Jewish families sought to come to America, but were denied entry. We were governed then as we are now by an immigration policy that sought to “keep out” unwanted people. There was a dominant pseudo-scientific theory of “eugenics” in the late 19th and early 20th centuries that argued for keeping the American people white, protestant, and unmingled with foreign blood as the only way to preserve the American nation. The same theory by the way was used by Hitler for a pure Aryan race free of Jewish impurities. It led to the horrors of the concentration camps and the mass extermination of unwanted people. But at the critical time when it could have made a huge difference for many, little sympathy was found here in America for these displaced, unwanted people.

We are making the same mistake again because our leadership, both democrat and republican, is not brave enough to pursue

an immigration policy that moves beyond our fears, biases, and false understandings to a just, fair, and compassionate immigration policy that is good for our nation and for displaced peoples. It seems that we are on the beginning edge of a time of turbulent turmoil in the world. This caravan and others that will follow will not go away. It is what happens when the voices of people who are hurting are not heard. There comes a time when people caught in the misery of poverty, violence, war and famine simply no longer care where others have built walls on their borders or what their restrictive policies about unwanted people are. They have to have relief and they will go to extreme measures to find it.

While America alone cannot solve the huge problems of displaced people world-wide, America can be part of the solution. Is that not a better choice than building a higher wall or stationing an army on our borders to keep out unwanted people, and thus being complicit with those who cause the problems in the first place? Can we not offer hope, understanding, sympathy, or even a gracious welcome to children and parents who simply want to live in a place of freedom and opportunity? I think we can and we must because it is simply the right thing to do—even the American thing to do.

COMMENTARY

Nightingale and the cub editor will be celebrating a milestone this week, a journey that has covered thousands of miles back and forth between The County and Core Sound communities. It’s less than a hundred miles one way between Wilkinson’s Point, the southernmost tip of The County, to the northeastern shores of Core Sound. With scores of round trips over 3 and half years, the rubber was on the road for a lot of miles.

An initial first draft of *Sound People* is in the finishing stages of being finished. Grammarians might offer improvements for that sentence, but it is an accurate observation. The book, *Sound People*, while highlighting the somewhat isolated world of beauty and wonder of Core Sound, celebrates the people of Down East who have an amazing capacity for appreciating and preserving the beauty of where they live and how they live. GPS devices have allowed more people to find where they live, leading to greater challenges to their efforts to maintain how they have lived for generation after generation.

Like Pamlicoans, the iconic linguist and catcher for the NY Yankees, Yogi Berra, would observe they are dealing with *deja vu* all over again as the contents of many homes, especially from Williston to Sea Level, are now in debris piles. These are hardy people, but we have observed they are not so hardened to disaster that they lose feeling for one another.

Understanding the heritage of coastal people is understanding some of the best values of the human spirit.

IN THE MAIL

In the past 2 weeks, I have received 4 different glossy 8 ½ x 11 mailers from the NC Republican Party. Only one of them solely promotes their candidate for the District 6 House seat; the others attack Tess Judge’s “Radical Agenda” and state “The future is DARK if Tess Judge gets her way” and urge voters to vote for their candidate who shares “our values”.

Just because the NC Republican Party has the money to mail out these fear mongering diatribes, that doesn’t make them true. Most glaring is the false accusation that if elected Tess “and the rest of the left will create a government-run healthcare system, come after our Second Amendment rights and abolish ICE”. Whoever is writing this nonsense must know that these are policies determined at the federal level. Tess Judge is running for the North Carolina State Legislature. Her concerns are local and directed at helping the people of Eastern North Carolina.

Tess has spent most of her life in North Carolina. She is a business woman who employees approximately 50 people. She is hardly a “left wing radical”. She understands that fishing, farming and tourism are vital to our economic success and she will work to protect them and oppose any oil drilling off our coast. She is a smart, direct, positive, church going individual with a desire to give back to the people in her district.

People are sick of attack ads. The NC Republican Party should stop the “identity” politics and the negative nonsense about Tess Judge and stick to promoting any positive attributes of their candidate instead.

In reference to a different race, a question the residents of Pamlico County would love for Norm Sanderson to answer:

He voted for a ferry toll that would have hurt his constituents who use that ferry to commute to and from work. As reported in the press, when asked why he voted YES for the ferry tolls, he said, and I paraphrase, the Republican Party Leadership in the Senate told him to do so. Given that he didn’t fight for our interests then, why should we support him now?

Ken Laser
Oriental, NC

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Oriental Rotary Club Meets weekly on Mondays from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM at the Brantley’s Village Restaurant in Oriental. Membership Information: Call John Mitchell at 745-4422 - or write to Oriental Rotary Club, PO Box 205, Oriental, NC 28571.



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New Exhibit Opens

Our latest special exhibit showcases the Museum’s hat collection from the Winfrey Family, donated by Nancy Winfrey and Frieda Hudson. And, Ivia Nathaniel, of Goose Creek Island, has loaned 20 of her favorite hats for the duration of the the exhibit, which continues through December.

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Martin Community College delivers hurricane relief supplies to Pamlico Community College



Students and employees from Martin Community College in Williamston delivered a van load of hurricane relief supplies to Pamlico Community College on Wednesday, Oct. 17.

The supplies, which included canned food and personal hygiene items, were collected during a supply drive spearheaded by MCC's Student Government

Association. Staffers in PCC's Student Services office will distribute the supplies.

"We thank the students and employees at Martin Community College for their kindness and generosity," said PCC President Dr. Jim Ross. "We will ensure these supplies go to those who need them."

Pictured, from left, are: PCC Student Ambassador Matthew Bailey; MCC SGA President

Byron Horton; MCC SGA Vice President Princess Foster; PCC Vice President of Student Services Jamie Gibbs; MCC Testing Center Coordinator Candance Whitehurst; MCC Continuing Education Administrative Secretary Leslie Bond; PCC Student Support and Engagement Specialist Gretchen Steiger; and PCC student Quishaen Wright.

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The Write Angle

Susan Hardison Bissette & Mac Harris

"What stands out in my mind most," Jewel Styron remembered, "is God sending us supplies and volunteers just when we needed them." She was referring to the 400 volunteers who helped at the Pamlico County Disaster Relief Coalition's Distribution Center, and the people and organizations that brought food and other supplies needed to distribute to victims of Hurricane Florence.

In response to the destruction of Hurricane Florence, Jewel Styron posted on Facebook Sunday, Sept. 16, that the Disaster Relief organization was being reactivated, and opened Sept. 17. It had been activated previously for Hurricane Irene. The Distribution Center was set up in the old CVS store beside Food Lion. It served anyone affected by Hurricane Florence and in need of assistance.

In addition to Jewel Styron, the core group of volunteers was comprised of Joy Carawan Baker, Susan Bridgman, Margie Lassiter and Miriam Prescott.

The perception of the core volunteer group is that the needs were different for Hurricane Irene, in that those affected by Hurricane Florence were more prepared due to the mandatory evacuation on September 11, and people may have situated furniture and other household items higher in anticipation of the storm. In Irene, the Distribution Center was open from August to December 22. Furniture was a large need in Irene, but less so in Florence.

Although the messages about the Distribution Center were on social media, the volunteers sensed that the message did not get out to the extent that was needed, and they wished that more people had known about it.

A person in need could visit the Distribution Center, complete an application including identifying needs, at which time a shopper would retrieve for the applicant the items needed. During the period it was open, 1,438 households were served.

Someone from Greenville came to the center to bring supplies and inquired what else was needed. He was told that one need was shelves for food items. He replied that he was a contractor and could build shelves for them. The next day he and his wife came to the Distribution Center with materials and built shelves.

The needs of people were great, some were desperate, and all were grateful.

Jewel Styron told us that as they closed down, there would be no waste. Any remaining food will go to a church in Pamlico County, supplies to Senior Services and the shelving to Habitat for Humanity.

The core volunteers expressed their gratitude to Food Lion for the use of shopping carts, to all the volunteers, and to the Lord.

The core volunteers shared a strong faith that God would meet their needs throughout the relief effort. When the center needed supplies, food or infrastructure, the volunteers formed a circle and prayed. Each time, the need was met.

Jewel Styron expressed it this way: "My God is an on-time God! We prayed every morning before we opened the Distribution Center that we would be able to serve the needs of the county. We prayed for food to come to the center today and once again God answered our prayers."

IN THE MAIL

Dear Editor:

I would like to give a shout out to Ms. Moye's Pamlico County High School Beta Club students and volunteers who came out to help start the clean up of trashed yards around the community directly after Florence departed our shores. These young, positive, energetic, uplifting kids gave a much needed boost to some who were literally paralyzed by what clean up they faced and didn't even know where to begin.

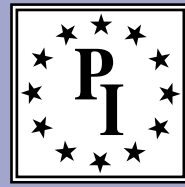
Sadly, most of what we hear in the news are only the sensationalized terrible things our

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young people are doing today. I would love to see more stories that focus on the wonderful things our youth are doing in and around their community. If we spent more time acknowledging the really fantastic kids that are out there, it would give everyone a reason to say there is hope for the future.

Grateful for the opportunity to have worked with this delightful group of young people, I not only applaud them, I give them all a standing ovation, Ms. Moye included, for her selfless sharing of time and resources to make it happen.

Marguerite Garrett, Oriental



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Financial Focus

Take Steps to Boost Your Retirement Security



Dan M. Roberts

To raise awareness about the importance of saving for retirement, Congress has dedicated Oct. 21-27 as National Retirement Security Week. And the evidence shows that increasing this awareness is indeed important. Consider this: Some 50 percent of households are considered at risk of not having enough money to maintain their living standards in retirement, according to the National Retirement Risk Index, produced by the Center for Retirement Research at Boston College.

What can you do to help yourself stay out of the “at risk” category? Here are a few suggestions:

- Define what retirement security means to you. Everyone has different ideas about what a secure retirement looks like. You might feel that true security means being able to remain in your current home and live independently throughout your life. Or you might only feel secure if you know you can afford to travel or help your grown children or grandchildren financially. Once you’ve identified your own vision of retirement security, you should be able to determine the financial resources you’ll need to reach your desired outcome.

- Create an appropriate financial strategy. To achieve your idea of a secure retirement, you can’t just hope for the best – you need to create a comprehensive financial strategy, accounting for your various sources of retirement income: Social Security, pensions, employer-sponsored retirement plans, your investment portfolio and so on. You need to know how much you can expect from

these sources, and how you can strengthen them.

- Be diligent in your retirement savings. You could spend two or three decades as a retiree, so you’ll want to accumulate as many resources as you possibly can – and that means you’ll need to save and invest diligently during your working years. Put in as much as you can afford to your 401(k) or other employer-sponsored retirement plan – and every time your salary goes up, try to increase your annual contributions. But you can also go beyond your employer-backed plan and contribute to an IRA. In all your retirement accounts, you’ll want to include a reasonable percentage of growth-oriented investments, within the limits of your personal risk tolerance.

- Establish an appropriate withdrawal strategy. Your retirement security isn’t just based on how much you’ve built up before you retire – it also depends on how you manage your assets and investment income during retirement. As you begin to take out money from your 401(k), IRA and other investment accounts, you need to establish a withdrawal rate appropriate for your age, retirement lifestyle and asset level. If you take out too much each year, you risk outliving your resources, but if you withdraw too little, you might be shortchanging yourself on your quality of life. You may want to work with a financial professional, who can review your entire situation – income, expenses and so on – and recommend an appropriate annual withdrawal figure.

These aren’t the only keys to attaining retirement security – but they can still help you move toward that goal. Keep them in mind as the years go by.

Non-profits eligible for SBA disaster loans

The U.S. Small Business Administration announced today that certain Private NonProfit organizations (PNP)s in North Carolina that do not provide critical services of a governmental nature may be eligible to apply for low-interest rate disaster loans. These loans are available following a Presidential disaster declaration for Public Assistance resulting from damages caused by Hurricane Florence on Sept. 7 -29, 2018.

PNPs located in Alleghany, Anson, Ashe, Beaufort, Bladen, Brunswick, Cabarrus, Carteret, Chatham, Columbus, Craven, Cumberland, Dare, Duplin, Granville, Greene, Harnett, Hoke, Hyde, Johnston, Jones, Lee, Lenoir, Montgomery, Moore, New Hanover, Onslow, Pamlico, Pender, Person, Randolph, Richmond, Robeson, Sampson, Scotland, Stanly, Union, Wayne, Wilson and Yancey in North Carolina are eligible to apply.

Examples of eligible non-critical PNP organizations include, but are not limited to, food kitchens, homeless shelters, museums, libraries, community centers, schools, colleges and houses of worship.

PNP organizations may borrow up to \$2 million to repair or replace damaged or destroyed real estate, machinery and equipment, inventory and other business assets. The interest rate is 2.5 percent with terms up to 30 years. Applicants may be eligible for a loan amount increase up to 20 percent of their physical damages, as verified by the SBA for mitigation purposes. Eligible mitigation improvements may include a safe room or storm shelter to help protect property and occupants from future damage caused by a similar disaster.

The SBA also offers Economic Injury Disaster Loans to PNP organizations to help meet working capital needs, such as ongoing operating expenses. Economic Injury Disaster Loan assistance is available regardless of whether the organization suffered any physical property damage.

PNP organizations are urged to contact their County’s Emergency Manager for information about their organization. The information will be submitted to FEMA to determine eligibility for a Public

Assistance grant or whether the PNP should be referred to SBA for disaster loan assistance.

Applicants may apply online using the Electronic Loan Application (ELA) via SBA’s secure website at DisasterLoan.sba.gov.

Additional information on the SBA disaster loan program and application process can be obtained by calling SBA’s Customer Service Center at 800-659-2955 (800-877-8339 for the deaf and hard-of-hearing) or by sending an email to disastercustomerservice@sba.gov. Loan applications can be downloaded from www.sba.gov. Completed applications should be returned to a recovery center or mailed to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

The filing deadline to submit applications for physical property damage is Dec. 11, 2018. The deadline to submit economic injury applications is July 12, 2019.

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Bridge for Beginners Instructor: Craig Welling

September 18th, 19th & 20th

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday;

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Pamlico County Schools tap Rebecca Blackmon as Teacher of Excellence

Rebecca Blackmon has been named the Exceptional Children Educator of Excellence for the 2018-2019 school year according to Anita Boyd, Pamlico County Schools Exceptional Children Director. Boyd said, “Ms. Blackmon does an outstanding job serving students at the middle school level. She currently serves as the Exceptional Children Team Leader at Pamlico County Middle School, provides instructional delivery to 6th grade students, serves as case manager for assigned students, and facilitates individualized education plan (IEP) meetings.”

“Her organization and strong work ethic are exemplary which makes her the perfect selection to represent our district for this award. She goes above and beyond for her students on a daily basis and works well with school staff, administration and related service personnel. She will represent Pamlico County Schools in November at the Exceptional Children Conference in Greensboro, NC.”

NC Marine Fisheries Nominating Committee to meet October 29

MOREHEAD CITY – N.C. Marine Fisheries Commission Nominating Committee will meet 4 p.m. Oct. 29 at the N.C. Division of Marine Fisheries’ Headquarters in Morehead City. The committee will consider and select candidates for nomination to the South Atlantic Fishery Management Council obligatory seat. The nominating committee has been advised that a member of the Marine Fisheries Commission shall not vote on any issue before the Commission that would have a “significant and predictable effect” on the member’s financial interest. Also, a member’s official position cannot be used to secure any special privilege or exemption of substantial value for any person. No member of the Commission shall engage in conduct that creates an appearance of improperly influencing any member in the performance of that member’s official duties. Questions can be referred to the Commission’s counsel, Marine Fisheries Commission ethics liaison, or to Nancy Fish in the Marine Fisheries Commission office, 252-808-8021, Nancy.Fish@ncdenr.gov.

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PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing on a Special Use Permit Issuance for Lamont Jones at 401 Broad Street in Oriental to use this property as a lounge and restaurant will be held on Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at 7pm, or as soon after as can be reached. The hearing will be in the large Board Room in Town Hall, 507 Church Street, Oriental, NC. The application is available for viewing by the Public at Oriental Town Hall and online at www.TownofOriental.com.

The meeting is open to the Public and the Board will consider any evidence presented prior to making their decision.

Diane H. Miller, Clerk, Town of Oriental

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A reminder ... witches to crawl around Oriental, Saturday, October 27

Raising money for the upkeep of area cemeteries will be combined with entertainment, Saturday, October 27. The public is invited to discover the Witches of Oriental as they perform what have been described by event organizers as amazing dance moves. The witches will crawl and dance according to the following schedule Saturday evening.

- 6:30 Opening crawl moves at Brantey’s
- 7:00 Crawling to the Silos
- 7:30 More at The New Village Brewery
- 8:00 Oh, what will happen at O’Town
- 8:30 Grand finale, Tiki Bar, Oriental Inn & Marina

Times may vary according to the age and model of the brooms .

Patrons are requested to pay for the entertainment by the witches with cash. Donation jars will be available throughout Oriental in the week prior to the Big Crawl/Dance. Donating and/or participating in this event could be considered an investment in the future living spaces of area residents

AROUND THE COUNTY

Sound Rivers, advocacy group for Eastern NC creeks & rivers, slates post-Florence clean-ups

Floodwaters from Hurricane Florence deposited massive amounts of debris into local waterways. Sound Rivers has scheduled fall cleanups to address this situation. The initial clean-up will take place on the Neuse river in New Bern, October 27th.

clean-up will also take place on the river banks and on land in the river basin. To reserve a kayak, contact Corinne, development@soundrivers.org. Reservations should be made by October 26th.

Kayaks will be furnished by Sound Rivers for any participant in need of a vessel to work on the water. A

To participate, arrive at the main ramp of the Lawson Creek Park at 9:30 am. Clean-up begins at 10 m.

VA Benefits Explained

Beyond disability compensation, health care and home loans, VA offers pensions to qualifying wartime Veterans and their families to help them deal with financial difficulties. This is a needs-based, tax-free, monetary benefit.

Qualifying Veterans must have limited or no income, be 65 or older or have a permanent and total non-service-connected disability. Veterans who are housebound or require the aid of another person to perform daily activities may qualify for an increased pension rate.

Filing a Fully Developed Claim is the fastest way to receive a decision.

Here are typical steps:

1. Select the type of pension claim and gather the evidence it requires.
2. Collect military medical and other records.
3. Gather any private medical records.
4. Certify there is no more evidence.
5. Submit your application.

Visit Explore.VA.gov to see if you or a loved one qualifies for pension benefits and to learn more about all VA benefits.

Aurora



I noticed that many pecan trees seem to be setting out new leaves like it was spring. I imagine they are confused by the storms and consulted Gene Fox, Area Agriculture - Consumer Horticulture Agent with Beaufort, Hyde, Tyrrell and Washington counties. He quotes Barbara Fair, their landscape tree professional with NCSU: "Day length and temperature play an important role in when plants flower in general, and when seasons change plants respond by altering their internal chemistry and hormone levels. This is normal, but when storms come through and change the conditions directly around the plant, it can trigger an unusual response such as plants blooming out of season. The storm can lead to stress which leads to a change in the

plants' hormone levels and chemistry. Thus, plants bloom at strange times and may even produce leaves where others were lost." Fox also adds that there will probably not be a good pecan crop next year and in the spring 'to fertilize around the dripline of the trees according to your soil report. I would recommend taking a soil sample now so that you have the report in hand to fertilize the trees in March.'

I saw the first of the wintering White Pelicans out here on 10/13. I counted a "V" formation of five fly by and then later another one of seven. We had a pair of Pileated Woodpeckers come through the yard the other day. They only seem to be around for that day and usually hear them back in the woods more than seeing them. I think I still have one Hummingbird still using the feed-

Joy McCracken, Correspondent

er. I was thinking of my observations with mullet and dolphins this summer. I did not witness the daily jumping of the mullet and only saw a pod of dolphins come through a couple of times.

The Distinguished Men of Purpose will be hosting a BBQ Plate Dinner on 10/27 beginning at 11 am at the Chocowinity Recreational Complex. Proceeds will go towards helping the Homeless and the upcoming Youth Panel. The group will also be collecting socks for the Homeless to be delivered the week of Thanksgiving to the shelters. Please donate your packs of socks to any advisor at SHS by 11/15.

A Veterans Day Breakfast/Assembly will be held November 9th at 8:00 AM at Snowden. All local veterans and their guests are invited.

Goose Creek Island

Annette Jones, 55 Plus Club Correspondent



Goose Creek Island 55 Plus Club met Thursday at the Com. Center. Chaplain Bob Johnson brought the devotions 1 Cor. Chapter 13 and spoke of the love we have for one another. There are three things that remain - faith, hope and love, and the greatest of these is love. We were so pleased to Gloria Carawan Guzman and daughter Kathy from Charlotte and Sandra Jones O'Neal with us today. Gloria and Kathy are visiting with Sandra in New Bern. They were raised in Hobucken. It's always fun to have our friends and former classmates visit and talk about old times. We celebrated birthdays of those born in Sept. and Oct. Rosanne Rowe, Edith Johnson, Brenda Lewis, Audrey Lupton and Mildred Fulford. We sang Happy Anniversary to Tillman and Karen Ireland. They have been married 49 years. We enjoyed a luncheon of baked potatoes, salad with all the trimming

and a lovely chocolate Birthday cake. Elder Gene Lupton will be guest speaker next week.

Prayer List: O.B. Howerin underwent surgery last week and is doing well. E.M. Gilgo hurt his arm and shoulder and is still having problems. John Paul Jones and Guy Jones was added to the prayer list.

Happy Birthday: Audrey Lupton - Oct 26, Dorothy Perry Sadler - Oct 28, Jeffery Hopkins - Oct 29, Caressa Ross Sawyer, Mildred Balance Fulford, Michelle Ireland McKay and Michele Day - Oct 30, Shawn Carawan, Tillman Ireland Jr., Vickie Williamson, Edwin Ireland and Nathalya Rivera - Oct 31.

There was a nice number of volunteers who came out Friday morning to clean and set up chairs and tables for the Worship service on Sunday.

The 43rd annual Goose Creek Island Homecoming Worship Service was held October 21st at the Community

Center in Hobucken. Chairperson Lottie Campen Caroon welcomed the large congregation and introduced Island ministers Rev. Wanda Atkinson New Vision PH Church, Mr. Sam Lovell - Lowland Church of Christ, Rev. Phillip Lewis - Lowland PH Church, Rev. Dennis Goodwin - Hobucken Methodist Church, Elder Gene Lupton GCI Primitive Baptist Church, Rev. John Carawan - Warden's Grove Free Will Baptist Church was called for another mission and was unable to attend. Rev Bob Johnson gave the opening prayer. Rev. Goodwin delivered the Homecoming message. The congregation sang "This Little Light of Mine" in memory of Rev. Terry Lewis. Special music was provided by Sam & Marlys Lovell. After the service the round tables were rolled in, providing seating for all. Elder Gene Lupton blessed the food. Everyone enjoyed the bountiful meal and enjoyed a time of love and fellowship together. Thank you, Jesus.

Pamlico



Mr. Eli Frank Maness Jr., 80, resident of Mills Road in Pamlico died peacefully Sunday October 14, 2018 while visiting his family in Dunn, NC. He was born in Guilford County on November 29, 1937 to the late Frank and Wilsie Maness. He was preceded in death by his wife, Judy M. Maness. He is survived by a son, Eli Frank "Buddy" Maness, III, and wife Shelia of Dunn and daughters, Elizabeth Maness Green of Murrells Inlet, SC, and Michelle Maness Benish and husband John of Southbury, CT. A celebration of life service was held Friday at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home in Dunn, officiated by the Reverend Mike Roach, pastor of Pamlico United Methodist Church. A private burial will be held at a later date. Frank was a member of Pamlico UMC and was active in Ducks Unlimited.

Frank and Judy gave us two crepe myrtle trees as a house warming present when we returned to Pamlico to live in 2005. They always bloom on my birthday and are an ever present reminder of their friendship.

The new roof on the home of Greg and Vicky Jones on Trent Road looks really nice. I also noticed that the county has also picked up all of the debris (both natural and household) on Trent Road.

The 4th Annual Rotary Club of Oriental is having their "People's Choice" Car Show on October 27th on the Oriental waterfront.

October is Pastor Appreciation Month. Do something nice for your pastor to show them how much they are appreciated.

Stonewall UMC had their Harvest Festival on Thursday, October 18th. Bayboro Baptist Church had Homecoming on October 21st,

Betty Jo Rodgers, Correspondent

and Vandemere UMC is having Homecoming on Sunday, October 28th at 10:30 am.

All the United Methodist churches in the county, as well as some from Beaufort County, will gather at Reelsboro UMC for their annual charge conference on November 11, 2018 from 3:30-4:30 pm.

Celebrating birthdays in October are Polly Taylor (10/27), Jeanette Miske (10/28), Jeremy Freeman (10/29), and Linda Gail Lupton (10/31). . Have a blessed week.

Memory failing? Take Spiritual Vitamin M. "And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me." (2 Corinthians 12:9)

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Whortonsville



Many of us are back to normal after Florence dealt us a big blow, but there are many who are still having lots of problems. The weather has been lovely this past week with some incredible

mornings and after an hour of dancing we sing some of the old favorite songs.

There are so many activities at the center and I have never understood why more folks do not participate.

Church attendance was down on Sunday. Fran Law was being checked out at the hospital and hope he is home by now. Melydia sat with Weeks so I could be there to play. This Sunday is Pastor Appreciation Sunday with soup and sandwiches after the service.

Noticed the sea gulls have taken up residency on my next door neighbors dock. So glad they don't like mine because they really make a mess!

Beautiful grey heron is in our yard every day and it is so graceful as it prances around the yard with that long neck straight up in the air.

Many thanks to Hospice and nurse Jane for

Reba Tiller, Correspondent

taking such good care of Weeks.

I just received Gayle Fohner's obituary and when she died on October 13th she was in Hospice House in Florence, S.C. Memorials can be sent to Gayle's church, Church of the Holy Comforter, 213 Main Street, Sumter, S.C, 29150 or to the American Cancer Society.

The father and son that bought Mrs. Winkie's house are tearing everything out where Florence flooded it.

Thought for the week--Remember to do something nice this week for someone who may be suffering, show love to everyone, and your life will be enriched!

A Halloween Festival will be held Saturday, Oct 27, 6:00 - 8:00 pm at the GCI Community Center in Hobucken. Lots of games, fun and food. Everyone is invited to come and bring the kids for a fun event with family and friends.

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Pamlico Emergency Services

A report by Stephen Rice, Grantsboro VFD

Olympia VFD



During hurricane Florence, Pamlico County Fire, Rescue, and law enforcement agencies were in service throughout the declared state of emergency along with agencies from all across N.C. and other states. Before, during and after the storm, there were feet on the ground planning, preparing equipment, and responding, to the needs of county residents. In every emergency, fire, rescue, emergency medical, and law enforcement personnel leave their homes and family members to respond to the needs of others.

During the storm and its immediate aftermath, a number of these individuals were on duty away from homes for days. All fire departments in Pamlico County are manned totally by volunteers. In some cases, those volunteering their services for others were actually in need of assistance from storm damage to their homes and businesses.

Because volunteers from the Olympia VFD were out on calls responding to the needs of others, they were unable to take any steps to protect their own fire department from the deluge of flood waters. They, like other county fire and rescue personnel, responded to calls all over the county as part of a county task force. Assistant Chief Thomas Mills said, "They measured an approximate level of 10.5 inches of water in the station and the county inspection people think there may be possible wicking 8 feet up in the walls".

OVFD is currently functioning from an emergency response tent next to the station on Olympia Rd. Like other departments, the

volunteers respond to emergencies in their district, provide mutual aid to their neighboring district, Reelsboro, and if needed, respond to situations anywhere in The County.

Originally paired with Reelsboro in one department, Reelsboro/Olympia, the Olympia VFD was founded in 1976 because the Olympia community wanted a station closer to homes and businesses in that area, according to Assistant Chief Mills. They are funded by donations and a fire tax of .076 which together amounts to a total of approximately \$50,000 dollars per year to maintain, replace and fuel their fire equipment, maintain the fire station, and pay utilities.

Assistant Chief Mills says "The fire department and its members have worked hard, months of training, months of compiling data, and years of record keeping to lower the departments ISO rating. Olympia residents of the community will be paying lower homeowners insurance rates because of this hard work and dedication."

Olympia now needs help from The County to raise funds for a new fire station. The building in use now is not owned by the fire department, and it is inadequate to house the station's equipment and gear. It is filled beyond capacity. Adding a simple carport next to the station for a truck and storage buildings to store equipment that will not fit in the station has not eliminated their need for space..

Assistant Chief Mills said the department currently has approx. 1.5 acres donated by Weyerhaeuser that OVFD members have cleared. The estimated cost for the new building is \$300,000; a building fund has been established.

Residents are encouraged to respond to their pleas for donations and new members. To donate, join or help raise funds for a new building, contact Chief Jon Mills 252-671-5255 or one of the officers. Assistant Chief Thomas Mills, Captain Jim Holton III, 1st Lieutenant Joseph Warren, 2nd Lieutenant Matthew Hacker, Medical Captain Thomas Mills.

Concert, from page 1.



The skies threatened The County Saturday afternoon. Attendance at a benefit concert for hurricane victims was not as expected, but those who defied the forecast were afforded front-row seats in the orchestra section.



Event organizer, Gary Mastrodonato talks with TV-12 reporter, Greg Payne, prior to Stairwell's performance.

Four regional bands, Brandt Island Strings, Stairwell, Saltwater Gold, and Morris Creek Bluegrass donated their services for a free concert in which patrons could donate monetary contributions or

gifts of needed commodities for those who have been either totally displaced from their homes or those experiencing severe hardships caused by major structural damages, either from wind or flooding.

Raffle tickets were sold for valuable items or services offered by Studio 55, Croakertown Coffee Company, Village Health & Fitness, The Boat House, Surf, Wind, & Fire, and Delamar and Delamar.



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Garry Cooper, a Pamlico County legend, athlete and public servant, is Director of Parks and Recreation. But that position is under his larger umbrella, Director of Public Services. In that position, he has responsibility for over-seeing private companies contracted to remove debris according to strict FEMA rules and regulations.



Pamlico County native, Wyatt Taylor, works for DebrisTech, a company monitoring debris removal by private contractors. He helps check each load when it arrives and leaves the waste transfer station on NC 306 North.

Debris removal, long hours, long days for men and equipment

Predicting a finish not yet possible

The monitors at the transfer station begin work at 6 am and often it is 8 pm when they leave for the day. Because this is a temporary operation, they work under a small back-yard style tent canopy equipped with a drop cord light after sunset and before it becomes daylight. Garry Cooper, The county's Director of Public Services, is either on hand there or out in the field where the debris is being removed from the side of the road. The company hired to remove the debris has 5 of the Peterbilt rigs with grapplers making their way first through some of the most impacted areas where the debris is sometimes beginning to encroach onto the edge of roadways. Two smaller rigs with Bobcat style loaders are working with trailers pulled by heavy duty pick-up trucks.

When a rig pulls up to the DebrisTec checking station, Austin will ride up above the trailers in a man-lift to determine the percentage of the trailer's capacity that has been filled. He records the truck's ticket number and the total cubic yards in the load with a computer and with a photograph. The driver then pulls away to unload.

But the monitoring process doesn't end then. After unloading, the driver stops again at the DebrisTec station. Once again, one of the monitors rises above the trailer's sides in the man-lift to check if all the debris has been removed. The trailer is again photographed and the ticket for that trailer is marked so the driver can return to the field to collect another load.

Why the close monitoring? It's all FEMA required to guarantee the integrity of the process. Cooper is responsible for making sure FEMA rules are followed by all parties contracted for services.

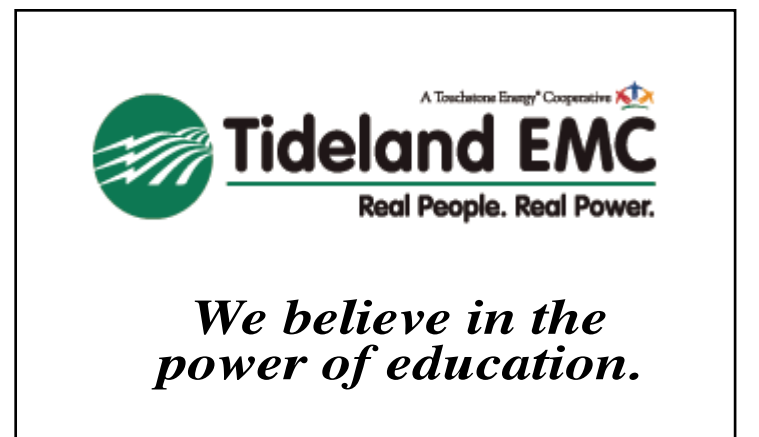
Buck said, "Garry has his other duties to perform for The County, but in this job, he is our eyes on the ground. He reports all the progress to my office. We couldn't do this job without the work he is doing. People have no idea how fortunate we are that Garry works for us. He loves Pamlico County and he loves serving the people of this county."

The Pamlico News asked Cooper if having trucks haul trailers back and forth to the grapplers that would remain in the field, similar to the way tobacco was harvested in the field and transported to tobacco barns, would make the process go faster. He reported that the companies hauling debris had done it both ways and had concluded that the process now employed was the most efficient and the most economical.



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NORTH CAROLINA IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE PAMLICO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS OF LETHA S. PAUL File No.: 18 E 133

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against LETHA S. PAUL deceased, are notified to exhibit them to BELINDA P. STOWE, Administrator of the Estate, on or before January 2, 2019, at the address listed below or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above-named Administrator. This 28th day of September, 2018.

Estate of Letha S. Paul
Belinda P. Stowe,
Administrator
203 Campen Road
Bayboro, NC 28515

Publish October 3, 10, 17 and 24, 2018.

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PROCESS BY PUBLICATION IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION FILE NO. 18 CvD 117 NORTH CAROLINA PAMLICO COUNTY

Pamlico County, A Body Politic and Corporate vs. Michael J. Galdun, Unknown Spouse of Michael J. Galdun, River Dunes Corporation
TO: Michael J. Galdun, Unknown Spouse of Michael J. Galdun, River Dunes Corporation

Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows:

Foreclosure sale to satisfy unpaid property taxes owing to Pamlico County on your interest in the property described as follows:

Being all of Lot No. One-Hundred Twenty-Two (122), as same is shown and delineated on a Map entitled "FINAL PLAT OF RIVER DUNES SUBDIVISION SECTION 11 PUD DEVELOPMENT" prepared by McKim & Creed, dated October 13, 2006, said map being recorded in Plat Cabinet A, Slides 157-10 through 157-13, in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pamlico County, reference to said map being hereby made for a more perfect description of said Lot.

Together with a non-exclusive easement for ingress, egress and regress over those certain street rights of way as shown and delineated on that certain map entitled "FINAL PLAT OF RIVER DUNES SUBDIVISION ACCESS ROADWAY PUD DEVELOPMENT" recorded in Plat Cabinet A, at Slides 148-7, 148-8 and 148-9, and on other maps for River Dunes including Plat Cabinet A, Slides 148-11, 148-13, 148-15 and 148-17; and Plat Cabinet A, Slides 157-10 through 157-13 in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pamlico County. Provided, however, that Grantor reserves the unilateral right to substitute this non-exclusive easement with another non-exclusive easement for ingress, egress and regress, but only if the substitute non-exclusive easement is of equal or superior quality to this original non-exclusive easement, and is filed of

record in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pamlico County. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record, and matters of survey. Also being identified as Parcel ID# L10-3-11-122, Pamlico County Tax Office. Address: 110 Broadview Point, Oriental, NC Plaintiff seeks to extinguish any and all claims and interests that you may have in the <?>property, to have a commissioner appointed to sell the Property and to deliver to the purchaser a deed to said real estate in fee simple, free and clear of all encumbrances, and that the interests and equities of redemption of the Defendants in the property be forever barred and foreclosed. You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than November 21, 2018 and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought. This day of October 2, 2018.
Richard J. Kania
Attorney for Plaintiff
600-A Centrepark Drive
Asheville, North Carolina 28805
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Publish on October 11, 18, & 25, 2018

NORTH CAROLINA IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE PAMLICO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS OF MILDRED B. LUDVIGSEN File No.: 18 E 117

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against MILDRED B. LUDVIGSEN deceased, are notified to exhibit them to ROY R. LUDVIGSEN, JR, Executor of the Estate, on or before November 20, 2018, at the address listed below or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above-named Executor. This 22nd day of August, 2018.

Roy R. Ludvigsen, Jr Executor
Estate of Mildred B. Ludvigsen
17372 Crookes Farm Road
Rixeyville, VA 22737
Publish October 10, 17, 24, & 31, 2018

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PROCESS BY PUBLICATION IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION FILE NO. 18 CvD 150 NORTH CAROLINA PAMLICO COUNTY

Pamlico County, A Body Politic and Corporate vs. Unknown Heirs at Law of Maple Pearl Northern, Reggie Miller, Unknown Spouse of Reggie Miller, Unknown Heirs at Law of Reggie Miller, Donald W. Northern, Unknown Spouse of Donald W. Northern, Unknown Heirs at Law of Donald W. Northern, Edna Faye Wine, Unknown Spouse of Edna Faye Wine, Rosella Northern, Unknown Spouse of Rosella Northern, Unknown Heirs at Law of Rosella Northern
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Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Foreclosure sale to satisfy unpaid property taxes owing to Pamlico County on your interest in the property described as follows: On the northwest side of Jones Road BEGINNING in the northwestern edge of said road at a point which is the following two courses and distances from the intersection of the centerline of said road with the centerline of Pennsylvania Avenue (N. C. Highway 307): South 30° West with the centerline of Jones Road 375.54 feet; thence North 60 degrees West 20 feet to the beginning point; thence from said beginning point as so located South 30° West with the northwestern edge of Jones Road 110 feet to the center-line of an intersecting ditch; thence North 60° West with the centerline of said ditch 197.31 feet to the center of an intersecting ditch; thence North 29° 00' 56" East with a ditch centerline 110.02 feet; thence South 60° East 199.20 feet to the point of BEGINNING, containing one-half acre according to a Survey map by A. Hugh Harris, Jr., PE-RLS, dated January 13, 1987. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record, and matters of survey.

Also being identified as Parcel ID# J032-9, Pamlico County Tax Office. Address: 80 Jones Road, Vandemere, NC Plaintiff seeks to extinguish any and all claims and interests that you may have in the <?>property, to have a commissioner appointed to sell the Property and to deliver to the purchaser a deed to said real estate in fee simple, free and clear of all encumbrances, and that the interests and equities of redemption of the Defendants in the property be forever barred and foreclosed. You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than October 17, 2018 and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought. This day of August 22, 2018.
Richard J. Kania
Attorney for Plaintiff
600-A Centrepark Drive
Asheville, North Carolina 28805
(828) 252-8010
Publish on October 17, 24, & 31, 2018.

NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PROCESS BY PUBLICATION IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION FILE NO. 18 CvD 143 NORTH CAROLINA PAMLICO COUNTY

Pamlico County, A Body Politic and Corporate vs. Unknown Heirs at Law of Grace Anne Brinson Nelson, James L. Nelson, Jr., Unknown Spouse of James L. Nelson, Jr., William B. Nelson, Unknown Spouse of William B. Nelson, Martha A. Nelson, Unknown Spouse Martha A. Nelson, Mary Gilbert Hill, Unknown Spouse of Mary Gilbert Hill, Unknown heirs at law of James L. Nelson Jr., Unknown heirs at law of John G. Nelson, Unknown heirs at law of Martha A. Nelson, Unknown heirs at law of William B. Nelson
TO: Unknown Heirs at Law of Grace Anne Brinson Nelson, James L. Nelson, Jr., Unknown Spouse of James L. Nelson, Jr., William B. Nelson, Unknown Spouse of William B. Nelson, Martha A. Nelson, Unknown Spouse Martha A. Nelson, Mary Gilbert Hill, Unknown Spouse of Mary Gilbert Hill, Unknown

heirs at law of James L. Nelson Jr., Unknown heirs at law of John G. Nelson, Unknown heirs at law of Martha A. Nelson, Unknown heirs at law of William B. Nelson
Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Foreclosure sale to satisfy unpaid property taxes owing to Pamlico County on your interest in the property described as follows: Being described as Lot Number 2 of the Subdivision on the West side of N.C. Highway 306 just north of Grantsboro, according to the subdivision map by A. Hugh Harris, Jr., dated June 28, 1985, recorded in Plat Cabinet A, Slide 16-8 in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Pamlico County, known as the W. G. Brinson Subdivision. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record, and matters of survey.

Also being identified as Parcel ID#E041-50-2, Pamlico County Tax Office. Address: 567 NC 306 Highway North, New Bern, NC Plaintiff seeks to extinguish any and all claims and interests that you may have in the property, to have a commissioner appointed to sell the Property and to deliver to the purchaser a deed to said real estate in fee simple, free and clear of all encumbrances, and that the interests and equities of redemption of the Defendants in the property be forever barred and foreclosed. <?>You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than October 17, 2018 and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought. This day of August 21, 2018.
Richard J. Kania
Attorney for Plaintiff
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NORTH CAROLINA IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE PAMLICO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS OF MOHAMMAD AHSAN File No.: 18 E 127

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against MOHAMMAD AHSAN deceased, are notified to exhibit them to SANIYA LEBLANC, Executor of the Estate, on or before January 15, 2019, at the address listed below or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above-named Executor. This 9th day of October, 2018.

Estate of Mohammad Ahsan
Saniya LeBlanc,
Executor
7115 Edgevale Street
Chevy Chase, MD 20815

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NORTH CAROLINA IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE PAMLICO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS OF CHARLES H. FETZER File No.: 18 E 116

All persons, firms and corporations

having claims against CHARLES H. FETZER deceased, are notified to exhibit them to ELLEN E. KRAUS, Co-Administrator or CHRISTOPHER W.K.FETZER Co-Administrator of the Estate, on or before November 27, 2018, at the address listed below or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above-named Administrators. This 29nd day of August, 2018.

Estate of Charles H. Fetzer
Estate of Charles H. Fetzer
Ellen E. Kraus, Co-Administrator
Christopher W.K. Fetzer, Co-Administrator
771 Mills Road
3503 Thornapple Street
Oriental, NC 28571
Chevy Chase, MD 20815

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NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PROCESS BY PUBLICATION IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE DISTRICT COURT DIVISION FILE NO. 18 CvD 173 NORTH CAROLINA PAMLICO COUNTY

Pamlico County, A Body Politic and Corporate vs. East Coast Mortgage, LLC, First South Bank, Lienholder, State of North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Lienholder, a/k/a North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality, Harald Nippel, Lienholder, Bettina Nippel, Edana M. Long, Unknown Spouse of Edana M. Long, Branch Banking and Trust Company, Lienholder TO: East Coast Mortgage, LLC, First South Bank, Lienholder, State of North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Lienholder, a/k/a North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality, Harald Nippel, Lienholder, Bettina Nippel, Edana M. Long, Unknown Spouse of Edana M. Long, Unknown heirs at law of Edana M. Long, Branch Banking and Trust Company, Lienholder

Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above-entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Foreclosure sale to satisfy unpaid property taxes owing to Pamlico County on your interest in the property described as follows:

TRACT I:
BEING all of Lot 2 of Cottages of Trent Creek, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Cabinet A, Slide 154-12, Pamlico County Registry, to which reference is made for a more perfect description. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record, and matters of survey. Also being identified as Parcel ID# 106-90-2, Pamlico County Tax Office. Address: 485 Florence Road, Merritt, NC

TRACT II:
BEING all of Lot 3 of Cottages of Trent Creek, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Cabinet A, Slide 154-12, Pamlico County Registry, to which reference is made for a more perfect description. Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record, and matters of survey. <?>Also being identified as Parcel ID# 106-90-3, Pamlico County Tax Office. Address: 507 Florence Road, Merritt, NC

TRACT III:
BEING all of Lot 6 of Cottages of Trent Creek, as per plat thereof recorded in

Plat Cabinet A, Slide 154-12, Pamlico County Registry, to which reference is made for a more perfect description. LESS AND EXCEPT that portion of Lot 6 that is described and included in a deed to Charles M. Lewis, said deed dated January 4, 2006 and recorded in Book 461, Page 399, Pamlico County Registry Subject to easements, restrictions and rights of way of record, and matters of survey. Also being identified as Parcel ID# 106-90-6, Pamlico County Tax Office. Address: 565 Florence Road, Merritt, NC Plaintiff seeks to extinguish any and all claims and interests that you may have in the property, to have a commissioner appointed to sell the Property and to deliver to the purchaser a deed to said real estate in fee simple, free and clear of all encumbrances, and that the interests and equities of redemption of the Defendants in the property be forever barred and foreclosed. You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than December 5, 2018 and upon your failure to do so the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought. This day of October 18, 2018.
Richard J. Kania
Attorney for Plaintiff
600-A Centrepark Drive
Asheville, North Carolina 28805
(828) 252-8010
Publish on Oct 25, 2018, Nov 1, 2018, Nov 8, 2018

NORTH CAROLINA IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE PAMLICO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND DEBTORS OF LINDA LANE File No.: 18 E 137

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against LINDA LANE deceased, are notified to exhibit them to CHARLES LANE, Executor of the Estate, on or before January 22, 2019, at the address listed below or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the above-named Executor. This 16th day of October, 2018.

Estate of Linda Lane
Charles Lane, Executor
11630 NC Hwy 306S
Grantsboro, NC 28529
Publish
October 24, 31 and November 7 & 14
2018.

NORTH CAROLINA PAMLICO COUNTY IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION FILE NO. 18-E-95 IN RE: ESTATE OF EDWARD MARVIN LIEBERMAN

The undersigned, having qualified as Personal Representative of the Estate of Edward Marvin Lieberman, notifies all persons having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of February, 2019, or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned. This 19th day of October, 2018.

Kurt Lieberman, Personal Representative
c/o The Graham, Nuckolls, Conner Law Firm
PO Box 7384
Greenville, NC 27835-7384
Publish: Oct. 24, Oct. 31, Nov 1, and November 8.

Incidents

Oct. 12, Elm Street, Vandemere, simple assault
Oct. 12, Main Street, Bayboro, damage to property
Oct. 12, Neuse Road, Grantsboro, larceny of money
Oct. 12, NC Hwy 304, Bayboro, indecent liberties
Oct. 13, NC Hwy 55, Grantsboro, DWLR, present foreign license while NC license suspended, and drive a motor vehicle with no registration
Oct. 13, Moonlight Lake Drive, New Bern, breaking & entering and larceny
Oct. 14, Intersection of White Farm Road and NC Hwy 55, Oriental, driving under the influence
Oct. 16, NC Hwy 55, New Bern, assault on a female
Oct. 17, Intersection of NC Hwy 55 and McCotter Road, Stonewall, FTA breaking & entering
Oct. 18, NC Hwy 306 North, Grantsboro, gun shot wound

Property Transfers

(Oct. 15– Oct. 24, 2018)

Oct. 15, Oriental Harbor Place Condominiums Unit: A-13 Condo Cabinet 1/9-4 through 9-10, from The Dixon/Brooks Trust, Sharon M. Dixon TR, and Jacqueline Jean Brooks TR to Fred D. Rampey Jr. and Cynthia C. Rampey, \$738
Oct. 15, One-Half Acre; NW/S Lane Street AKA Ferebee Road(SR 1337); Metes & Bounds, from Howard N. Frame and Howard Frame to Berkley William Hill and Mary Y. Romano, \$4
Oct. 16, E/S Swan Cove; Lot A, from Anthony B. Cimino and Helen E. Cimino to Willard Cilvik and Denise Cilvik, \$290
Oct. 18, Buccaneer Bay West Lot: 7 Section One, from John C. Stec and Amelia B. Stec to Charles L. Draughon Sr. and Carol S. Gann, \$475

Oct. 18, Forest Hills at Pinedale Lot: 9 Section I, from Nykeiya Archila, Nykeiya Midgette, and Alexander Archila to Richard Klein and Falon Klein, \$220
Oct. 19, 322 Main Street and 22 Main Street; Metes & Bounds, from Traci Miller Tate, Traci Miller Tate EXR, and Douglas Miller EST to Traci Miller Tate, \$0
Oct. 19, 8-3/10 Acre; S/S of the Main Canal, Keys and Sheilds Hundell Lands Subdivision; Metes & Bounds, from Phyllis S. Lupton GDN and Pamela Susan Smith EST to Phyllis S. Lupton, Philip E. Smith, and Kenneth E. Jones, \$0
Oct. 19, Oriental Harbor Village Marina Boat Slip 28; Dock C; Condo Cabinet 1/11-10 an 11-11, from Timothy Wayne Halsey to David Jennings Rose III, \$34

Oct. 19, Neuse Winds Lot: 22 0.86 Acres, from Walter H. Schwab III and Michelle J. Schwab to James D. Carter and Kelly A. Skelton, \$360
Oct. 19, Dawson Creek Lot: 288 Phase 1 Section 1 & 2, from Francis W. Soper Jr. and Patricia J. Soper to Kyle W. Soper, \$0
Oct. 19, 0.73 Acres; Off NCSR 1320; Metes & Bounds, from Bernice M. Thompson to Valda Loftin, \$0
Oct. 19, 0.23 Acres; W/S Rich Road; Metes & Bounds, from CR 2018 LLC to Shary M. Jones, \$52
Oct. 19, Foxwood at Pinedale Lot: 12 Section 1, from Thomas J. Powers and Lori S. Powers to Denard T. Potter and Helen Potter, \$28



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1



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2



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3



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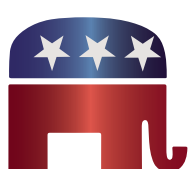
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