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Along with the rest of the country, Calvert County had a heavy turnout for Early and Election Day voting. This shot was at Patuxent H.S.



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Commissioner President Kelly McConkey sues his own board.



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Last year's On Watch Veteran's Day ceremony was one of many cancelled this year.

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COMMISSIONER KELLY MCCONKEY ON WHY HE'S SUING THE COUNTY.

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Biden Wins the State, Trump Takes Calvert

Hoyer Reelected, Palombi Wins County

By Dick Myers
Editor

Maryland remains solidly a Blue State after the November 3rd election, but Calvert with its majority Republican registration is a solidly Red County. While former Vice President Joe Biden was besting President Donald Trump statewide with 63.3 percent of the vote, Calvert County was supporting Trump with 54.9 percent of the vote.

Voters woke up Wednesday morning learning there were too many undeclared states to determine which presidential candidate will have enough electoral votes to prevail.

All eight of the incumbent Maryland House of Representatives members won reelection, seven of whom are Democrats, including Steny Hoyer of Southern Maryland's Fifth District, who gathered 67 percent of the vote against Republican challenger Chris Palombi.

Palombi did win Calvert County with 57.1 percent of the vote and also won Hoyer's home county of St. Mary's. But Hoyer easily prevailed in heavily Democratic Charles and Prince George's counties.

Hoyer said in a statement: "I'm honored to once again receive the support of Marylanders in the Fifth District. Throughout my career in Congress, I've fought for policies that help working families in Maryland get ahead, including expanding access to affordable health care and ensuring more individuals have access to economic opportunity."

All of the vote totals in this story do not include uncounted mail-in ballots postmarked by November 3. According to Calvert County Election Administrator Gail Hatfield there were 8,685 mail-in ballots ready to be counted and 2,000 more potentially to come in.

Calvert has 67,954 registered voters, of which 28,171 are Republican, 24,587 are Democrat and 15,216 are



Election Day featured long lines at the five Calvert polling places, including this one at Patuxent High School.

Unaffiliated or other parties. As of election day, 39,343 votes had been counted, or 58 percent of registered voters.

In the three Board of Education races, incumbents Dawn Balinski and Inez Claggett prevailed, and Antoine White captured the seat held by term-limited Tracy McGuire.

Balinski won over Chad Leo with 56.7 percent of the vote. White got 51.7 percent of the vote versus 44.3 percent for Dawn Keen, who had suspended her campaign. Write-in candidate Jana Smooth Post received four percent of the vote.

Claggett, the current board president, received 94.5 percent of the vote against write-in candidate Tiffany Thompson.

In the Chesapeake Beach mayor and town council race, 673 people voted in person at the town hall, but 596 mail-in ballots remain to be counted.

Based on those who voted in person, incumbent Mayor Pat Mahaney was leading challenger, former

councilman Stewart Cumbo 419 to 215. All six incumbent council members were leading their races, with the closest margin between Charlie Fink and challenger Jonathan Evans, who are separated by 30 votes.

According to published reports,

both ballot questions passed. They give the legislature greater budgeting authority and allow sports betting in Maryland. The legislature will have to determine who will get licenses and where sports betting will occur.

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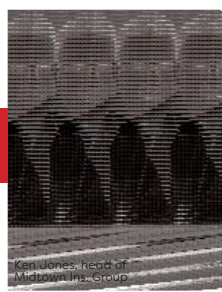
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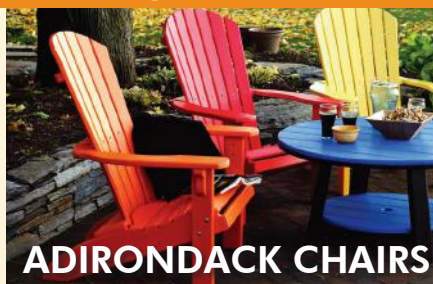
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McConkey Sues His Own Board

Seeks \$400,000 in Damages

By Dick Myers
Editor

Calvert County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) President Kelly McConkey has filed suit against his own board and is seeking \$400,000 in damages from the county.

The BOCC is co-defendant with Ethics Commission Chairperson Jennifer Mazur in a suit that stems from McConkey's ongoing challenge of the commission's investigation into allegations that he should have recused himself when he voted to place two properties he owns into an expanded Huntingtown Town Center as part of the adoption of the update of the county's comprehensive plan last August.

The county is being sued because, according to the suit, Mazur as a volunteer appointed member of a county board is an employee of the county. The suit is also seeking \$400,000 in compensatory damages and \$100,000 in punitive damages from Mazur.

When asked by The County Times about why McConkey was effectively suing himself and the county's taxpayers, he responded, "The county is handling her (Mazur's) legal fees and not mine." He said his legal fees are piling up but would not say how much they are. He is being represented by Annapolis attorney Steven Preller.

The tort suit was originally filed in March but was not reported on at that time. Preller reissued the summons for both defendants on Oct. 14 and the county was served the same day.

McConkey contends he received a letter from the Ethics Commission dated Sept. 20, 2019 stating they had received "several complaints" about McConkey's vote on the town center. The suit alleges that the complaint was supposed to be confidential.

The suit further alleges that Mazur told a reporter in a published story under the headline "Ethics Complaint Hits McConkey" that said the commission "has more advisory opinion requests and ethics complaints than we normally have." She said she could not reveal the nature of the complaints.

The suit says, "Incredibly, Defendant Mazur breached the statutory duty of confidentiality owed to Plaintiff by publicly confirming the multiple complaints had been filed which had proceeded to the investigation stage of the proceedings."

The suit also alleges that two of the complaints were not properly signed as required by law and that the commission failed to provide copies of the complaints as required by a court order.

In seeking monetary damages, McConkey alleges the actions caused him "economic and non-economic damages, including damage to his business and professional reputation, emotional pain and suffering, lost business income and future profits and other damages."



Commissioner President Kelly McConkey

McConkey through his lawyer had filed multiple pleadings against the Ethics Commission which were heard by retired visiting judge Terrance McGann from Montgomery County on July 24 in Calvert County Circuit Court.

As the result of that hearing the judge dismissed all of the proceedings against the commission, including McConkey's request for temporary restraining order, preliminary and permanent injunctions, and constructive civil contempt.

The judge reduced the number of complaints to the Ethics Commission from five to just two: Calvert County Republican Central Committee Chairperson Catherine Grasso on behalf of the committee and Susan Dzurec, one of the four county citizens who have filed suit against the county seeking overturn of adoption of the comprehensive plan update, partly because of McConkey's preliminary vote on the Huntingtown Town Center prior to the vote on the overall plan.

The vote on the Huntingtown Town Center boundaries and the overall plan was 3-2, with McConkey casting the tie breaker on each. The Huntingtown vote went against the planning commission recommendation that the town center just be expanded to Huntingtown High School and not McConkey's properties.

McConkey contends he had the blessing of the county attorney in casting the vote and that anyway the vote really didn't do anything because the town center boundaries will only be ratified with the adoption of the update of the zoning ordinance.

Judge McGann also ordered for the Ethics Commission to hear the complaints of Grasso and Dzurec and give McConkey a chance to testify. That hearing was held on Oct. 12 and was closed to the public. No results of that hearing have been released to the public.

The suit against the county by the four citizens, members of a group called Calvert Citizens United, is scheduled for later this month, and will also be heard by Judge McGann.

Presumably, the suit against Mazur and the BOCC was filed again because it was not addressed by the judge's earlier order, so he also will have to rule on it.

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Virtual Workshop Set for Town Center Plan

Topics: Prince Frederick Transportation, Land Use

By Dick Myers
Editor

Work is continuing on the update of the Prince Frederick Town Center Master Plan, albeit in a virtual mode. More than 600 people watched on YouTube an Oct. 15 briefing on the plan. No public comment was taken at the meeting although the Department of Planning and Zoning is continuing to solicit written comments through the dedicated town center website.

“We want to hear from the citizens of Calvert County,” said Planning Commission Chairman Steve Jones at the conclusion of the Oct. 15 virtual meeting. “We will continue to do the people’s work.”

So far the planners have found extensive interest in the plan from outside Prince Frederick, an indication of the importance of the country seat as a place to shop, receive medical care and work, according to Ruth Davis Rogers, a planner working on the town center update. Almost 80 percent of the survey respondents live outside the town center.

The two surveys so far have shown a high interest in the transportation and land use issues associated with the town center. With that in mind, the next step in the process will be a virtual public workshop on transportation and land use on Nov. 21, 5:30 to 7 p.m.

Details on how to register for the workshop will be posted to the Prince Frederick Town Center Master Plan project webpage, the county’s calendar, and social media.

The pandemic has slowed the process with the last in-person session a March 2 workshop at College of Southern Maryland. But staff say the online meetings are drawing significantly more attendees and more comments than the two in-person meetings.

Staff had hoped to be actually compiling a draft plan by now, but that schedule has slipped because of the pandemic. So, they are still in the process of identifying the issues.

To assist in the plan development the county has contracted with three separate consulting firms to help do the work. Sa-

bra and Associates, which was the county’s consultant for the comprehensive plan update, is assisting on transportation issues for the town center.

People are encouraged to participate in the Prince Frederick Transportation Challenges and Opportunities Survey. There are two parts: an interactive StoryMap and embedded at the end is a survey to go with the interactive map. Link: <https://calvertgis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=08e233014e5e425b9466eb66357b06ff>

Also, walking tour videos have been posted on the master plan website. The videos are of Old Town Prince Frederick and the King Memorial Park. Others will be added on other transportation topics, such as walking, biking, public and commuter bus transit, and vehicles.

The Prince Frederick Town Center Master Plan was first adopted in 1989 and revised after a charette in 2013.

Out of the six-day charette came the following recommendations, according to information provided during the Oct. 15 meeting:

- Expand Town Center boundary and create new zoning sub districts based on frontage conditions
- Update the zoning ordinance to utilize pedestrian-oriented districts standards and concentrate growth in Town Center
- Complete the Loop Road System with proposed simplified connections.
- Reform the TDR program to consider exemptions or reductions for mixed-use in Town Center
- Consider requiring TDRs for single story or strip/ big box retail development in the one-mile zone
- Release the Armory Square for development with the requirement for key public amenities.

For more information about the Prince Frederick Maser Plan visit <https://www.calvertcountymd.gov/2567/Town-Center-Master-Plan-Update>; email pz@calvert-countymd.gov or call 410-535-1600, ext. 2356.

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Census Effort Exceeds Ten Years Ago

Calvert Rate Higher than State, Nation

By Dick Myers
Editor

North Beach Mayor Mike Benton has lost out on a crab feast. That was what was at stake with the friendly bet between North and Chesapeake beaches for who would have the highest self-response rate in the 2020 census counts for the two towns.

In the end, Chesapeake Beach prevailed with a response rate of 75.7 percent, which was higher than Calvert County's rate of 75.1 percent.

So Chesapeake Beach Mayor Pat Mahoney will be getting a feast of tacos and margaritas from Mayor Benton.

The census officially ended Oct. 15. Governor Larry Hogan announced that Maryland finished ninth in the nation for response to the 2020 Census. More than 2.2 million households were counted, representing a total of 99.9 percent of the state's population.

"Our administration is proud that even amid all of this year's challenges, Marylanders stepped up with one of the country's leading response rates to the 2020 Census," said Governor Hogan. "The participation of 2.2 million Maryland households will mean critical federal funding for our state over the next decade for services used by our citizens every single day—from meals to Medicare and health care

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to highways. I want to sincerely thank all of the community leaders and volunteers who helped make this a successful Census for the State of Maryland."

The overall response rate for Calvert County including those reached by census workers has not yet been released.

Some other highlights of Maryland's response:

- Maryland ranked fourth in the U.S. for Internet response.
- Carroll County led the state with a self-response rate of 81.5 percent, ranking 24th in the U.S. out of more than 3,200 counties. Twenty-one of Maryland's 24 jurisdictions exceeded their 2010 self-response rate.

Calvert exceeded its 2010 response rate

of 68.8 percent with this year's 75.1 self-response rate.

"All-in-all we did very well," Long-Range Planner Ruth Davis-Rogers told the planning commission during an Oct. 21 briefing.

The county's response rate beat both the national rate of 67 percent and the state rate of 71 percent.

The census count was cut off earlier than the COVID-19 extended Oct. 31 end date after a Supreme Court ruling affirmed Trump Administration wishes.

"The 2020 Census faced challenges like no other decennial census in living memory," said Secretary of Commerce Wilbur L. Ross, Jr. "Achieving these metrics in the

face of severe weather events and a global pandemic is a testament to the determination and ingenuity of the hundreds of thousands of dedicated women and men who worked on the 2020 Census."

"This process has been a testament to the power of collaboration," said Maryland Planning Secretary Robert McCord. "Partnership efforts among the state and local complete count committees (CCCs) along with the tireless commitment of nonprofit organizations, businesses, faith leaders, and other state agencies will make a difference in the lives of all Marylanders for years to come. Each has played a role in helping to shape the future of Maryland."

Due to the pandemic, Census marketing and outreach efforts to connect with Marylanders had to be significantly modified to reach people who were no longer commuting to work, school, and other activities. The Maryland Department of Planning created several online tools to reach hard-to-count populations in urban and rural communities. Digital marketing, social media, and virtual and limited in-person events helped to supplement traditional advertising. Planning created materials in English, Spanish, Korean, and other languages, and worked daily with the state and local CCCs to ensure a full count of all Marylanders.

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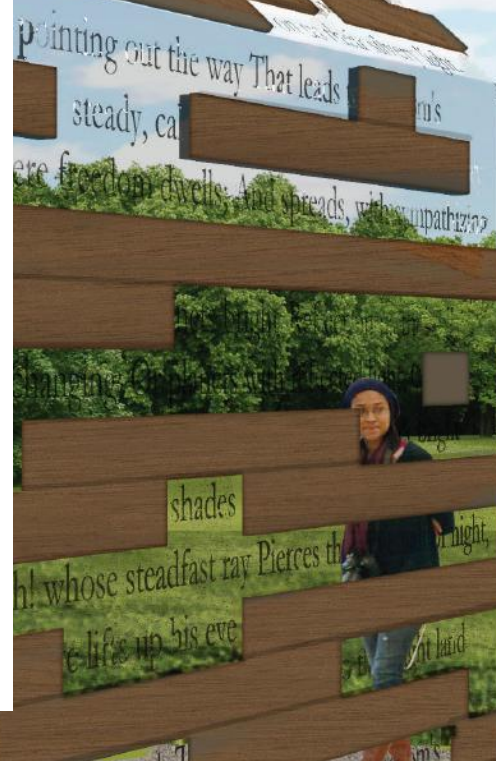
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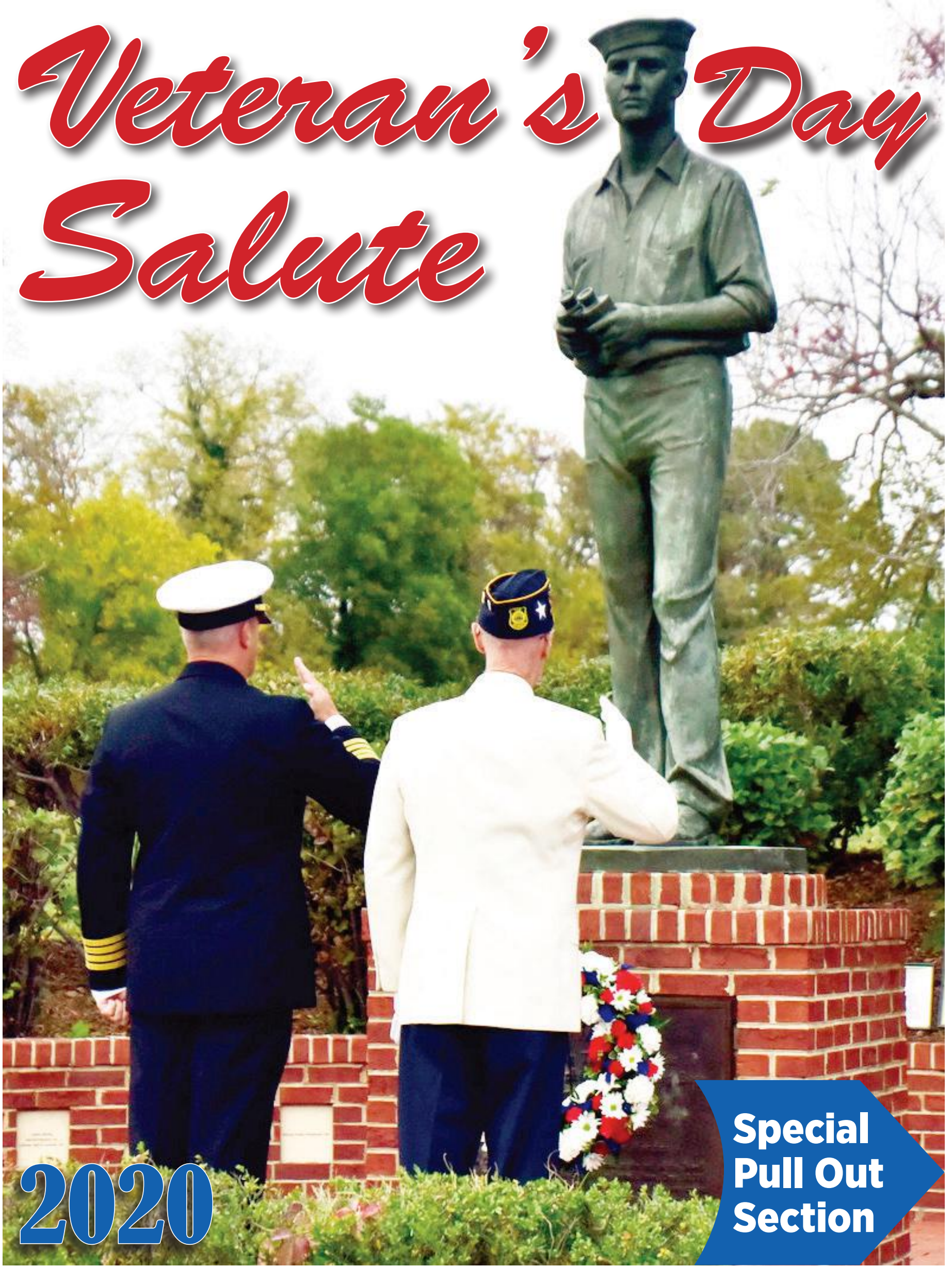
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Local Veterans Get New Medical Clinic

By Guy Leonard
Staff Writer

After years of waiting the new community-based outpatient clinic (CBOC) in Charlotte Hall is finally open to serve the needs of local veterans.

At 17,000 square feet in size, it offers primary care as well as numerous specialty care options such as optometry, audiology, physical therapy, mental health counseling and telehealth options where patients can use video sessions to get diagnoses of ailments from doctors in real time.

The new building has all of its services on one floor, explained Dr. Narasimham Iswara, lead physician in charge of the facility, which is much different than the old facility.

The old CBOC was located at the Charlotte Hall Veterans Home and had an elevator to access it.

“So there’s no going up that rickety elevator like in the old facility,” said Gloria Hairston, spokesperson for the D.C., Virginia area Veterans Affairs.

Iswara said the new facility far surpasses the old in terms of accessibility and ability to deliver care.

“Size wise, [the new facility] is phenomenally big,” Iswara said. “For services, we have much more opportunity to do that.”

There are multiple rooms to provide primary care as well as for all the other specialties; they are spacious and bright and equipped with state-of-the-art medical technology.

The old facility was one hallway with a few rooms for care, Iswara said, and the physician’s office served as the exam room.

In the new facility, all of the exam and treatment rooms are separated from the section that houses the physicians, nurses and technicians and their workspace.

The physicians at the new CBOC also offer specialized care for women veterans as well, Hairston said.

The construction of the new CBOC was the result of a process that included focus groups of veterans talking about their needs; veterans had



long complained about having to go to VA facilities in locations such as Washington, D.C. to get basic care.

This facility is the only stand-alone CBOC of its kind in the D.C., Virginia region; all others are attached to a larger VA facility.

“It’s not just what the VA wants,” Hairston said. “We did focus groups

with the veterans, we captured the veterans’ voice.

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Maryland Department of Veterans Affairs Secretary George W. Owings, Jr. stood in the back of a pickup truck, in the rain, saluting to

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Mark Willis: County Administrator Now, a Marine Forever

By Dick Myers
Editor

"I do not believe that you have to serve in the military to serve your country. But what you do have to do is to be a productive citizen," said Calvert County Administrator Mark Willis.

Willis has done both, being a 20-year U.S. Marine Corps veteran and having served in county government for about the same length of time, most recently being director of Planning and Zoning before becoming county administrator earlier this year.

In an interview with The County Times the week before Veteran's Day, Willis said, "I'm very happy that between my father, who spent 26 years in the Army, I spent a little over 20 years in the Marine Corps, my brother spent four years in the Marine Corps, and my son had spent four years in the Marine Corps, and multiple other family members... I believe that my family has been productive in giving back to my country, but you can do that here. You can do that in your job. You can do that as a fireman. You can do that as a teacher. You have to be a positive part of society. And that's truly all I wanted to be was a positive part of society."

The Calvert County native became a Marine quite by accident. He wanted to join the Army out of Calvert High School in 1978, and kept calling the Army recruiter to confirm arrangements, but kept getting no answer. Finally, the Marine recruiter down the hall, tired of the ringing phone, answered it, and the rest is history.

About that decision to join the military, he said, "I did that on my own without any direct influence from my father."

He added, "To me it was kind of a responsibility to serve."

"I thought it was going to be for four years and it very quickly became 20."

He took to it quickly as a recruit in 1978 at Parris Island, SC. "It was something that I didn't mind -- the mental or physical anguish that you might go through. I like to think I did well. I joined as a ground combat Marine, by choice, meaning that based on your educational background, you might qualify for different areas."

He explained, "Parris Island for enlisted recruits is really one of breaking a recruit down mentally, and then building you back up. Breaking you down as an individual, and then building you back up as a team."

When he had intended to join the Army, he wanted assurances he would be a Ranger. After 18 months as a Marine, he was sent to Army Ranger



School, where he was a distinguished honor graduate.

When his four-year tour was extended so he could go to school to become a recruit trainer, he said, "I think it was family that made me think about coming home, but there was also the family that I gained in the Marine Corps that kept me."

As to his time as a recruit trainer at Parris Island, he said, "I'm sure that there are a lot of folks that would say that I'm one of the meanest people they've ever met. My brother might say that, but I did not, and I still do not to this day, believe in physical force to try and reign in. It's certainly tough training, certainly tough regulations, and supervision. But, I didn't believe if I had to make physical contact with a recruit to get that recruit to do what he needed then to do, because my thought process is if that's the only way they're going to learn to do it today, I'm going to have to travel with him throughout the Marine Corps career, and I'm not willing to do it."

There was, however, a lot of yelling. "I'm a professional yeller. They teach you to speak from the diaphragm. And they give you all the instruction that you need to be a professional at that."

As a trainer, he said, "I think that one of the pure pleasures of that job is that you take this scrawny kid or this overweight kid, or this timid kid, or this aggressive kid, and you convince them through training that you're only going to be as good as this team."

He said sure there are individual successes, but "the team effort that wins the war."

That's a lesson that he's uses every day in his new job. "I say here that being fair, I don't have any friends at work." He explained, "I don't have to treat you better than the next person. I treat everybody the same with respect and with the expectation that you understand your job and you're



going to execute your job on behalf of everybody."

After Parris Island he became the first enlisted Marine ever assigned to the United States Merchant Marine Academy and the first ever staff sergeant.

His career then took him into an officer commissioning program. While waiting to be interviewed he was assigned to drive Under Secretary of the Navy James Webb to the airport. During the ride Webb quizzed him and when Willis was asked about his assignment, he told Webb, "I'm just waiting for staff to tell me when my panel will happen, and he goes, 'Well, it just did.'"

He went to school in San Diego and then attended the University of Florida as part of the program, where he majored in psychology with a discipline of early childhood development.

"I had two daughters at that time and the Marine Corps didn't care what my degree was, but I cared in how that might help me going forward." He added, "So why not use this as a way to teach me to be a better pop?"

As an officer he had transferred from ground combat to a ground logistics officer, and that would lead him to three combat tours of duty in the Mid-East.

"You're one of the first waves that goes in to set up the beach. Combat Service Support is the title," he said, noting, "I love that. It's the challenge of it, the multi-service teamwork because you're working with the Navy, army. Depending on what you're doing you can really touch every service."

About the Mid-East tours, he said, "Americans just don't know how good we have it, as bad as we think we have it, you need to travel around the world sometime and see how other folks have it. You see death and you see life and you see funny things that really aren't funny, but you have to

make them funny."

Towards the end of his career he was selected to attend the Army War College but asked for that to be postponed because of his youngest daughter's illness.

"So, my daughter had her surgery. She's done great. She's the mother of my two grandsons today" While he was waiting for that course to start he was assigned to a mortuary affairs course.

His final assignment was to Marine Corps headquarters to work in the office of manpower assignments. "My job was to basically ensure that Marine units around the world had all the staffing they required for their unit, as well as the actual military occupational specialty assigned to folks."

It was a 20-year career filled with advancement marked with education opportunities. He said, "I didn't join the Marine Corps thinking that I'm going to get all the education I can from the Marine Corps, because it's going to better me when I get out." He added, "My personal philosophy is you're either a teacher or you're a student at any given moment in time. You have to execute the responsibility when it makes itself available. I absolutely believe that the best teachers are even better students."

"We're always trying to become smarter as the team gets smarter," he said.

Of that service to the community that we mentioned at the beginning of this story, Willis said, "That's what I've taught my children. That's what I'm teaching my four-year-old granddaughter, Diana."

He added, "I went out to a local community a couple of weekends ago. They have some issues with eroding along the shoreline. And, I took Diana. We went and filled sandbags, another reason for her to help another community. The biggest part of me and my military service was I needed to provide service to my country. And that was a way I could do it and many other ways right now. I would love to think that I'm contributing to my county in the same way that I contributed to my country."

Once a Marine, always a Marine. He explained, "You know, folks will ask you, do you miss the Marine Corps? And of course, the answer is yes, but the reasoning behind it is not what they would expect. Some folks take this as an arrogant comment, but it's not meant to be. I say I don't miss the Marine Corps because I am the Marine Corps. We are all, we are the Marine Corps."

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There will not be a parade or any public events but, beginning at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 11, the community is invited to visit www.visitleonardtownmd.com or the Town of Leonardtown or St. Mary's County Government Facebook pages to watch this enjoyable and inspiring virtual tribute.

The virtual celebration will include rousing video messages from dignitaries, community groups, first responders, and many others. There will also be special feature segments that highlight veterans' topics of interest, musical presentations from

local talent, and patriotic readings.

At 11 a.m., the tribute continues with a special ceremony commemorating the 75th Anniversary of the end of World War II and the Victory at Iwo Jima. Guest speakers for this event include Lt. Governor Boyd K. Rutherford, St. Mary's County Commissioner President Randy Guy, Leonardtown Mayor Dan Burris and many others. This observance will conclude with a wreath-laying ceremony and memorial tributes to local families who have made the ultimate sacrifice.

For more information about the Veterans Day Virtual Celebration, please contact Brandy Blackstone with the Town of Leonardtown at brandy.blackstone@leonardtownmd.gov or ALisa Casas with St. Mary's County Government at alisa.casas@stmarysmd.com.



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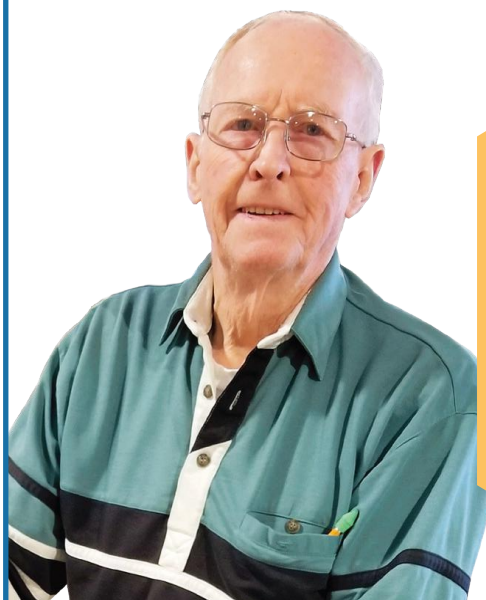
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CALVERT SHERIFF'S OFFICE CRIME REPORT

During the week of October 26 – November 1, deputies of the Calvert County Sheriff's Office responded to 1,214 calls for service throughout the community.

Damaged Property: 20-56495

On October 30, 2020, Deputy Sturdivant responded to Grays Road in Port Republic for the report of damaged property. The complainant advised around 11:00am, they heard a crash out front of their residence. Further inspection revealed that an unknown suspect(s) had knocked their mailbox off the post. The value of damaged property is \$25.

Damaged Property: 20-56531

On October 30, 2020, Deputy Anderson responded to Hallowing Point Road in Prince Frederick for the report of damaged property. The complainant advised that sometime between 9:00pm on October 29th and 2:00pm on October 30th, an unknown suspect(s) wrote hate slurs on their vehicle with red lipstick. The value of damaged property is \$1,700.

Theft: 20-55725

On October 26, 2020, Deputy Burggraf took the report of a theft that occurred at Solomons Yachting Center in Solomons. The complainant advised that sometime between 11:00pm on October 23rd, and 8:00am on October 24th, an unknown suspect(s) stole the dinghy

and Mercury 9.9 hp outboard motor from their sailboat. The total value of stolen property is \$4,200.

Theft: 20-55987

On October 27, 2020, Deputy Holt responded to Lawrin Court in Chesapeake Beach for the report of a theft. The complainant advised that sometime between 8:00am and 8:30am, an unknown suspect(s) stole a black and blue GT Aggressor Pro mountain bike that was locked to a tree at Brownies Beach. The value of stolen property is \$320.

Theft: 20-56091

On October 28, 2020, Deputy Bowman responded to Chesapeake Bounty in North Beach for the report of a theft. The complainant advised that two unknown male suspects were observed stealing an orange five gallon water containing on October 24th. The value of stolen property is \$20.

Theft: 20-56146

On October 28, 2020, Deputy Kwitowski met with a complainant at the Sheriff's Office for the report of a theft that occurred on 18th Street in Chesapeake Beach. The complainant advised that sometime in the last couple

of weeks, an unknown suspect(s) stole the tag from their small utility trailer. The value of stolen property is \$20.

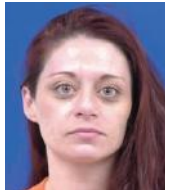
Arrests:

On October 29, 2020, Deputy Buckler was patrolling in the area of North Beach Boardwalk and observed a male subject wanted on an active warrant. The male, **Brandon Angelo Hansen (20)**, was detained and a search of his person was conducted which resulted in a Suboxone film packet which Hansen did not possess a prescription for. Hansen was placed under arrest and transported to the Calvert County Detention Center where he was charged with CDS: Possession-Not Marijuana and was served with his warrants.



Brandon Hansen

On October 30, 2020, Deputy Durnbaugh responded to Calvert County Detention Center for the report of a CDS violation. Correctional Deputy Unkle advised that while **Angel Marie Hensley (36)** was being processed and searched, a bag was located on her person containing three white pills suspected to be Xanax, a red cut straw, and two clear baggies containing white residue. Hensley was charged with CDS: Possess- Not Marijuana, Poss/Rec CDS While Conf/Det, and CDS: Possession of Paraphernalia.



Angel Hensley

Editor's Note: The above arrests are not an indication of guilt or innocence as the cases have not been adjudicated.

Search Underway for Shooting Suspect(s)

Troopers from the Maryland State Police Prince Frederick Barrack and deputies from the Calvert County Sheriff's Office responded on Oct. 31st approximately 11:49 p.m. to the CalvertHealth Medical Center Emergency Room in Prince Frederick for the report of a shooting victim who had arrived in a civilian vehicle.

Troopers learned that the victim was shot during an altercation at a party in the 7500 block of Wayside Drive in Sunderland and that he was immediately transported to the hospital by other partygoers. The

24-year-old shooting victim from Lexington Park was subsequently transported by medevac to a trauma center for continued treatment. Criminal investigators from the Maryland State Police Criminal Enforcement Division immediately responded and have assumed the investigation, which is active and ongoing.

Anyone with information regarding this investigation is encouraged to contact the Prince Frederick Barrack at 410-535-1400.

Press Release from MSP Prince Frederick Barrack.

MARYLAND STATE POLICE CRIME REPORT

The below incidents, investigations, and arrests are, in part, demonstrative of the Prince Frederick Barrack's effort to ensure that Calvert County is a safe place to live, work, and visit.

False Name to Police – On October 15, 2020, TFC Lewis stopped a vehicle on Route 4 at Parran Rd, St. Leonard, for a traffic violation. A search of the vehicle was conducted due to the odor of marijuana. During the traffic stop, the front seated passenger provided a name of Hakeem NMN Benson, DOB: 9/24/1996. It was later discovered that his real identity was Demetrius Ronell Benson, DOB: 8/24/1996. As a result, Benson was arrested for providing a false name and then transported to CCDC without incident. The driver, Laquisha Young, DOB: 7/10/1999 was issued a civil citation for the marijuana and released from the scene.

CDS Possession - Oxycodone – On October 21, 2020, TFC Kelly responded to 313 Serenity Court, Prince Frederick, for a reported domestic dispute. During the investigation, it was learned that Steven Terrell Wheeler, DOB: 10/15/1994, had been previously issued a "No Trespass" Order for the location by the Calvert County Sheriff's Office. As a result, Wheeler was placed under arrest for the crime of Trespassing and transported to CCDC without incident.

Driving While Impaired / CDS Possession - Heroin – On October 22, 2020, Tpr. White stopped a vehicle at Cedarwood Ln and Route 4 in Dunkirk for traffic violations. The driver, Justin Dale Wood, DOB: 12/02/1989, failed to perform Standardized Field Sobriety Tests satisfactorily and was arrested for

DWI. A search incident to a lawful arrest revealed multiple capsules of suspected heroin. Wood was transported to the MSP Prince Frederick Barrack for processing prior to being transported to CCDC without incident.

Fleeing Police / Fugitive Other Area / Warrant – On October 23, 2020, TFC Lewis and Tpr. Sheets were attempting to locate Khaleel Delano Thompson, DOB: 5/28/1988. After not finding him at his listed residence, the troopers discovered Thompson in the parking lot of Weis in Lusby. Upon contact with police, Thompson successfully fled the scene only to be apprehended a short time later by TFC Lewis. Thompson was arrested on the Failure to Appear Warrant, fleeing from uniformed police and multiple out of state warrants from the State of Pennsylvania. Thompson was transported to CCDC without incident.

2nd-Degree Assault (Domestic) – On October 27, 2020, TFC Marsch was dispatched to 819 Calvert Towne Road, Prince Frederick, for a reported domestic assault. It was determined, through an investigation, that Kirby Michael Whitebull, DOB: 9/4/2001, had assaulted his girlfriend. As a result, Whitebull was arrested for 2nd-degree assault and then transported to CCDC without incident.

All persons charged with a crime are considered innocent until proven guilty in a court of law. News releases are a service of the Maryland State Police. Contact the barrack, division, or unit issuing this release for more information.

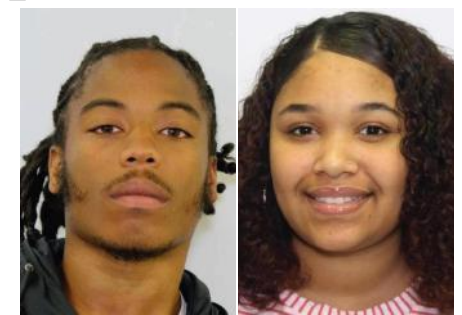
Press Release from MSP Prince Frederick Barrack

Robbery, Stabbing Suspects Apprehended

Members of the Calvert County Sheriff's Office Patrol Bureau were dispatched on Nov. 2 at approximately 12:03 a.m. to CalvertHealth Medical Center for the reported stabbing victim in the emergency room. Patrol officers and detectives responded and assumed the investigation.

Investigation revealed, two suspects identified as Anthony Wayne Crusoe II and Diavianne Monae Chase lured an individual into the park and ride located at 130 Fairgrounds Road in Prince Frederick and then subsequently robbed and stabbed the victim. The victim was able to over-power the assailants, which resulted in the serious injury of one of the assailants.

Crusoe and Chase have been apprehended and are being processed and at the Calvert County Detention Center. Both Crusoe and Chase will be charged with Armed Robbery, 1st



Anthony Wayne Crusoe II Diavianne Monae Chase

and 2nd Degree Assault in addition to Theft charges.

Anyone with additional information in regards to this investigation is urged to contact Corporal W. Rector or Det. W. Wells at (410) 535-2800 reference Case # 20-56910. Tipsters may remain anonymous by using the "Submit a Tip" feature on our Sheriff's Office mobile app at <https://apps.myocv.com/share/a39520678>.

Press Release from CCSO

Calvert Deputies Throw Away the Razor

Public Invited to Join 'No Shave November'



The Calvert County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) is proud to once again be participating in "No Shave November", an annual fundraising and awareness effort. This year their deputies will be putting their razors away (paying a \$50 fine for the ability to grow a beard) to support a heartfelt campaign near and dear to our community.

Every dollar raised will be equally distributed to the recovery and rehabilitation of two Calvert families whose lives were forever changed as a result of a devastating motor vehicle accident involving one of our own sheriff's deputies and a Calvert County Public School teacher.

Sheriff Mike Evans has authorized CCSO personnel to participate in this event and has waived the standard facial

hair grooming policy during the month of November to allow deputies to grow out their facial hair in support of this effort.

"No Shave November" challenges participants to forgo shaving and to donate money that would typically be spent on shaving and grooming to this cause. Help us give back to two people who graciously served their community. We cordially invite the public to join in: Grow. Donate. Share. Support.

To participate and/or donate, contact Lt. R. Jones at Roscoe.Jones@calvert-countymd.gov or Capt. D. Payne at (443) 624-3442 or David.Payne@calvertcountymd.gov. Checks may be payable to FOP Lodge 109, please put "No Shave November" in the memo line.

Press Release from CCSO.

High School Students Compete in American Legion Oratorical Contest

High school students of Calvert County are invited by the Calvert County Council of American Legions to compete in the Annual American Legion High School Oratorical Scholarship Program on Saturday, January 23, 2021. Winners will earn scholarship money and a chance to compete in District, State and National finals.

The contest is open to public, private and home-school students throughout Calvert County. Students must be in ninth through twelfth grades.

Students compete in a two-part contest, a prepared oration and an extemporaneous speech. The subject in the prepared oration portion must be about some phase of the Constitution of the United States, emphasizing the duties and obligations of a citizen to the United States government. The prepared oration must be the original effort of each contestant and must be eight-10 minutes in length. In the second part, an amendment to the Constitution is chosen at random with each student providing a three- to five-minute extemporaneous speech about the subject.

Prizes will be awarded to the top three winners. First place will receive \$200, second place \$150, and \$100 to third place. The first-place winner will advance to the District Competition to be held in mid-February where they will compete for the opportunity to advance to the state level.

The top orator from the State of Maryland will vie for top honors at the national contest held in Indianapolis in April. The American Legion will pay the expenses of state winners at the national contest.

The Calvert County Council of American Legion Posts includes American Legion Calvert Post 85, American Legion Stallings-Williams Post 206, American Legion Gray-Ray Post 220, and American Legion Arick L. Lore Post 274.

For more information on the contest, please visit www.legion.org/oratorical. To participate please contact Jon Baki, Calvert County Oratorical Contest Chair at 443-532-4700 or jbaki@comcast.net.

Press Release from Calvert County Council of American Legion Posts.

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Like everyone, you want to remain physically and financially independent throughout your life. But if you lose some of this freedom, the last thing you'd want is to become a burden on your family. How can you keep this from happening?

First of all, you need to be aware of the risk. Someone turning 65 today has almost a 70 percent chance of eventually needing some type of long-term care, according to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. Of course, this doesn't necessarily mean that you face that 70 percent likelihood. In reality, you have either a zero percent chance of requiring long-term care (you'll never need it) or a 100 percent chance (you'll definitely need it).

Nonetheless, if you think you've got that zero percent chance, you're taking a gamble – and it could be a big one, because long-term care is expensive. The median annual cost for a private room in a nursing home is over \$102,000, according to Genworth, an insurance company. Other long-term care services, such as those provided by a home health care aide, also don't come cheaply.

Furthermore, you can't count on Medicare paying all these costs – in fact, it would probably only cover a small portion of a nursing home stay and provide limited assistance for home health care. So, if you were financially unprepared for the expense of long-term care, the burden might fall on your loved ones. This could be a big financial challenge, in two ways.

First, if a family member had to become your caregiver, this individual might have to abandon

a career, or at least substantially reduce their working hours. Not only would this result in a loss of income, but it could also lower the amounts that could be contributed to a 401(k) or similar employer-sponsored retirement plan.

Second, if your family members couldn't leave their jobs or cut back on their hours, or they were simply unable to provide the type of long-term care you need, they might be forced to pay for a nursing home stay or home health care worker out of pocket.

To avoid these outcomes, you have a couple of options:

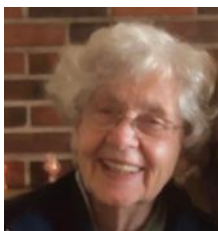
- Self-insure – You could conceivably "self-insure" against the costs of long-term care by devoting a portion of your investment portfolio specifically to this purpose. However, if at some point you require admission to a nursing home, it may require a significant commitment of your resources.

- Purchase protection – Over the past decade or so, there's been an increase in the types of long-term care protection vehicles available. These instruments vary widely in cost and in what they cover, but by choosing a protection option, you may greatly lower the financial risk you might face. By consulting with a financial professional, you should be able to find an arrangement that's appropriate for your situation.

Preserving your financial independence and helping protect that of your family should be a key financial goal. And you can make progress toward accomplishing this by recognizing the potential cost of long-term care and taking steps to deal with it.

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Helene Eloise Ganey



Helene Eloise Ganey, 87, passed away on October 23, 2020 in Lusby, MD surrounded by her family.

Born June 2, 1933 in Washington, DC, she was the daughter of the late William Mitchell Quick and Eloise Elizabeth (Gilmore) Quick and stepmother Irma (McPherson) Quick. She was married to her high school sweetheart, Donald Joseph Ganey for 23 years and they raised their three daughters in Rockville, Md.

Helene was a lifelong learner. After graduating from Calvin Coolidge High School in 1951 and raising her family, she went on to earn a Bachelor's Degree from American University and later her Master's Degree from JFK University.

After the death by her loving husband, Donald, in 1978, her adventuresome spirit allowed her to move across the country from all that she knew to create a fulfilling new life in the San Francisco area. Helene is survived by her children, Eloise Ganey of Charlotte, NC, Susan Ganey (Sarah Cheverton) of Harrisonburg, VA and Laura Ashley (Greg) of Lusby, MD; two grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; her sister Carol Quick Auxier (Sam) of Frederick, MD; many nieces and nephews and numerous furry grand pets. She also leaves behind a family of friends at the Unity Church of Walnut Creek, CA. She overcame much to create a life full of love, family and faith.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Unity of Walnut Creek Church. gyve.io/give/unity.

A graveside service will be held at a later date in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Silver Spring, MD.

Condolences to the family may be made at www.rauschfuneralhomes.com.

Jean Jarvis Horsmon

Jean Jarvis Horsmon, 90, of Solomons passed away October 31, 2020 at her home. She was born June 27,



1930 in Prince Frederick to Carter Vernon and Helen (Leitch) Jarvis. Jean was a lifelong resident of Calvert County and a graduate of Calvert High

School. She later attended Towson State Teacher's College and graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in teaching. Jean married Vernon Delmar Horsmon, Sr. on June 29, 1950 and they lived in Prince Frederick and St. Leonard before moving to Solomons. Jean was employed by Calvert County Public Schools for many years, working as a substitute teacher and in various office positions. Her primary position, however, was head of finance for Calvert High School, a position in which she retired from in 1992. Jean was a member of DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution), All Saints Episcopal Church, Calvert County Fire Department Auxiliary, and the Lions Club. In her spare time, Jean enjoyed golfing, swimming, and spending time with her granddaughter.

Jean was preceded in death by her husband Vernon Delmar Horsman, Sr. She is survived by her son Vernon Delmar "Del" Horsmon, Jr. and his wife Carla Barrett of Solomons and granddaughter Jennifer Horsmon of Huntingtown.

Visitation will be Saturday, November 21, 2020, 10 a.m. to Noon at Rausch Funeral Home-Owings, 8325 Mt. Harmony Lane Owings, MD 20736. Memorial service will follow at noon at the funeral home.

Burial will be at All Saints Episcopal Church Cemetery, 100 Lower Marlboro Road Sunderland, MD 20689.

Memorial contributions may be made to Prince Frederick Volunteer Fire Department, 450 Solomons Island Road South, Prince Frederick, MD 20678; Link: <https://www.pfvfd.org/>

Marilyn Ann Balogh-Taylor



Marilyn Ann Balogh-Taylor, 78, of Solomons, MD, died at the Solomons Nursing Center October 31, 2020 from complications of health issues. She was

a native of Jackson Heights, New York, where she spent her early years. Marilyn attended St. Agnes Academic High School, where she graduated with honors. She then attended St. Joseph's College for Women where she graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree. She then went on to Fordham University, where she completed her education and graduated with her Masters of Science in teaching math. Marilyn when on to teach math in New York from 1969 until 1974 when she married her husband Hank Taylor. They lived in Maine until 1978 when she and Hank moved to Maryland. Marilyn went on to gain her certification to teach math in the Maryland public school system, and taught in grades 5-12. Later she became a guidance counselor at Calvert Middle School where she worked until her retirement in 2009.

Marilyn was a member of St. Anthony's Church where she was active in the Ladies of Charity, and a Rosary group. She later attended Jesus the Good Shepherd Church until her health would not allow her to attend. Marilyn was a third order Franciscan devoted to the teachings of St. Francis. Her faith has always been of the utmost importance to her. She had a love for our Lord and his mother Mary. She had a very generous and giving heart, she gave to many charities which were near and dear to her! If there was a need, she would try to do what she could to help out. She also enjoyed going to lunch with her fellow "guidance counselor friends." She was very close to her co-workers and students. Marilyn is survived by her nephew James Balogh (Leigh) of Boston, niece Anne Richardson (Bill), great nephew Andrew of Flor-

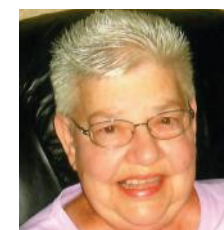
ida, cousins Billy Barklage (Mary) of Sarasota, FL, Janet Barklage (late husband Bob) of New Jersey, devoted friends Chad and Bobbie Martin, numerous cousins and a host of friends. Marilyn was preceded in death by her parents, James and Kathleen (Gardiner) Balogh, husband Henry Taylor, a brother James Joseph Balogh, and cousins Robert Barklage, and Little Billy Barklage who had a very special place in her heart.

Mass of Christian Burial will be Thursday, November 5, 2020 at 11 a.m. at Jesus the Good Shepherd Catholic Church, 1601 W Mt Harmony Road, Owings, MD 20736; Link: <https://www.ccjgs.org/>

Interment will be in Jesus the Good Shepherd Cemetery, 1601 W Mt Harmony Road Owings, MD 20736.

Memorial contributions may be made to Birth Right of Prince Frederick, 301 Steeple Chase Drive, Suite 405, Prince Frederick, MD 20678; Link: <http://www.birthrightpf.com/>

Diane "Dee" Teresa Woods



Diane "Dee" Teresa Woods, 81, of Huntingtown passed away October 29, 2020 at Calvert County Nursing Center in Prince Frederick. Dee was

born November 13, 1938 in Washington, D.C. to Francis and Charlotte (Domras) Hoyle. Dee was a very spunky, outspoken, and genuine woman with a big heart. She had a strong belief in right and wrong and she would freely give you her opinion, whether you asked for it or not. She was a dedicated bus driver in Calvert County for over 35 years. She loved shopping, family get-togethers, and holidays with her kids, grandkids and great-grandkids. She had many special pets over the years and she loved them all dearly.

She was preceded in death by her parents, daughter Shirley M. Woods and her beloved husband Samuel F. Woods, of nearly 64 years. Together

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they had a strong bond and enduring love for one another. Surviving are her three children, Sheila A. Trainor and her husband Stephan of Prince Frederick, Samuel F. Wood, III "Sambo" and his wife Margaret of Port Republic and Philip C. "Phil" Woods and his wife Lori of Prince Frederick, her four grandchildren Shanna, Bo, Austin and Samantha and two great-grandchildren Wyatt and Emi. To say she will be missed is an understatement.

Memorial contributions may be made to Friends of Felines Calvert County, P.O. Box 325, Port Republic, MD 20676; Link: <http://www.fofcats.com>

Funeral arrangements were made by Rausch Funeral Home.

Charles Edward Tanner



Charles Edward Tanner, 85, was peacefully delivered to our Lord on October 28, in Deale, Maryland. Born August 24, 1935 in Putnam County

West Virginia to the late John Henry and Mable Irene (Mash) Tanner. Mr. Tanner was a proud US Army veteran, an award-winning Washington Post newspaper carrier, and a deacon at Montrose Baptist Church for many years.

Surviving are four daughters, Diane Schrader and husband Stephen of Mount Airy, Debby Painter and husband William, Mary Jane Rhodes and husband Kenneth, all from Elkridge, and Tammy Atkins and husband Mac of Deale; 10 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren, 4 great great grandchildren, two sisters, Violet Lyons and Janet Williams and husband Gene both of West Virginia and many nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death is his wife of 38 years Barbara Lorraine Tanner and two grandchildren Catherine Lorraine and Mason Graham.

Bearers at his Oct. 31 funeral service were Gary Johnson Jr., Paul Loiacono, Silas Donnelly, Glen Houck Jr., Glen Houck III, Troy Houck, Kyle Houck, Joe Houck and Dillon Saraber. Honorary bearer will be Michael Loiacono.

Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association National Capital Area Chapter, 8180 Greensboro Drive, Suite 400

McLean, VA 22102; Link: <https://alz.org/nca>

Funeral arrangements were made by Rausch Funeral Home.

Bessie Naomi Scaggs

Bessie Naomi Scaggs, 88, of Owings passed away October 27, 2020. She was born May 23, 1932 in Prince Frederick to Maurice and Elsie (Coleman) McCready. Bessie was raised



in Lusby and graduated from Calvert High School. She married William Richard "Dickie" Scaggs on May 23, 1953 and lived on the Scaggs family farm in Owings. Bessie was a member of Lower Marlboro United Methodist Church and in her spare time, enjoyed bowling, gardening, and traveling.

Bessie was preceded in death by her husband Dickie in 2000, son Carlos R. Scaggs, and granddaughter Amy Scaggs. She is survived by her sons Alan "Buddy" Scaggs and his wife Cindy and Kenneth R. Scaggs and his wife Kay, all of Owings. She is also survived by 8 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-grandson.

Funeral service will be hursday, November 5, 2020

at 11 a.m. at Lower Marlboro United Methodist Church, 6519 Lower Marlboro Lane, Owings, MD 20736. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were made by Rausch Funeral Home.

John Douglas Wright



John Douglas Wright, "Doug", 72, of Huntingtown, Maryland passed away on October 25, 2020 at Charlotte Hall Veterans Home, Charlotte Hall, Maryland. He was born on January 16, 1948 in Washington D.C. to the late John Henry F. and Dorothy Lee Taylor Wright. Besides his parents, Doug was preceded in death by his wife, Mary C. "Kathy" Wright and his siblings, Joyce Martin and Donald "Bo" Wright.

He is survived by his two sons Frank Wright (Kelly) and Chuck Lewis; grandchildren Austin and Adam Lewis, Dakota, Shane and Mackenzie Wright. He is also survived by great-grandson Cameron Lewis and sisters Linda Childers (John) and Jeannie Duffy Wright.

Doug served in the US Marine Corp and was a Vietnam Veteran. He received his Honorable Discharge from the Marines on August 18, 1973 at the Rank of Sergeant. He was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal w4/*, Combat Action Ribbon, Navy Unit Citation, Vietnam Campaign Medal w/device and a Purple Heart.

Doug loved high school sports; he played Varsity football and boxed for many years. He enjoyed motorcycles, watching his grandchildren play sports and spending time with family.

Doug and his son Frank together ran a company that serviced the Petroleum Industry that Frank has been

able to carry on. Doug was a workaholic and loved working closely with his son every day. He loved his family and will be deeply missed.

Doug will be buried on Friday November 13, 2020 at 11:15am with Military Honors in Maryland Veterans Cemetery, Cheltenham, Maryland.

Memorial contributions may be made to either Charlotte Hall Veterans Home, 29449 Charlotte Hall Road

Charlotte Hall, Maryland 20622 or Hospice of St. Mary's, P.O. Box 625 Leonardtown, MD 20650.

Funeral arrangements were made by Rausch Funeral Home.

Karen Marie Smith



Karen Marie Smith, 70, of Prince Frederick, MD passed away at her home with her family by her side, on Friday, October 23, 2020. On October 11, 1950

the most amazing woman and mother I would ever know was born to the late Victor and Ophelia Birdie Frisco in Prince Frederick, MD. Karen was also preceded in death by her brothers, Richard and James Frisco.

She grew up in Hallowing Point on the Patuxent River which is where her great love of the water began. While growing up she spent every moment she could on the beach or in the water. She graduated from Calvert High School in 1968.

Karen married her high school sweetheart, the late William Clifton Smith, in 1969 and they lived together in Prince Frederick for 44 years until his death in 2013. She is survived by her son, James Clifton Smith and her daughter Sandra Lynn Smith, her granddaughters Samantha Marie and Haley Renee Smith, her honorary granddaughter, Tifani Marie Evans, her niece Debbie Frisco, and several great nieces and nephews. She was also preceded in death by her honorary grandson Kyle James Hooper.

She worked at Calvert Memorial Hospital for almost 30 years having many different roles in those years.

Although her main role was the manager of the patient access department. The hospital was a perfect place for her to work considering her genuine kindness, caring, and love for people and helping them. She was unforgettable to most people that met her and could make friends anywhere. I was always amazed by how almost everywhere we went she knew someone. We always knew when we went somewhere with her and couldn't find her that she had found someone she knew to talk to. Mom had a wonderful sense of humor and loved to joke around just to make other people laugh and be happy. I can't count the number of times she told me how good it made her feel to help someone and there is certainly a long list of people she lent a helping hand. Her amazing strength and faith are probably two of the biggest qualities people noticed about her. On Sunday mornings she loves to go to church at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. She was very active in the church by serving on the vestry and teaching a children's Sunday school class.

One of her biggest passions was shooting pool which she did for many, many years and she loved her many pool friends she made over the years. Fishing was also a much loved hobby of hers. She also loved just going out for a boat ride. She just loved being around the water which is why I think Ocean City was one of her favorite places to visit. Also, as most of you know, she loved a good party and was the life of the party. She loved to dance at parties and she definitely knew how to have fun and loved life. I think the fact that so many people loved her shows what a wonderful person she was. We will all miss her so much more than I think she ever realized. We will all miss her and love her always.

We will be having a reception in her honor at the American Legion, Post 238, 6265 Brandywine RD Hughesville, MD 20637 on November 7, 2020 at 4 p.m.

Contributions can be made to St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 25 Church Street, Prince Frederick, MD 20678.

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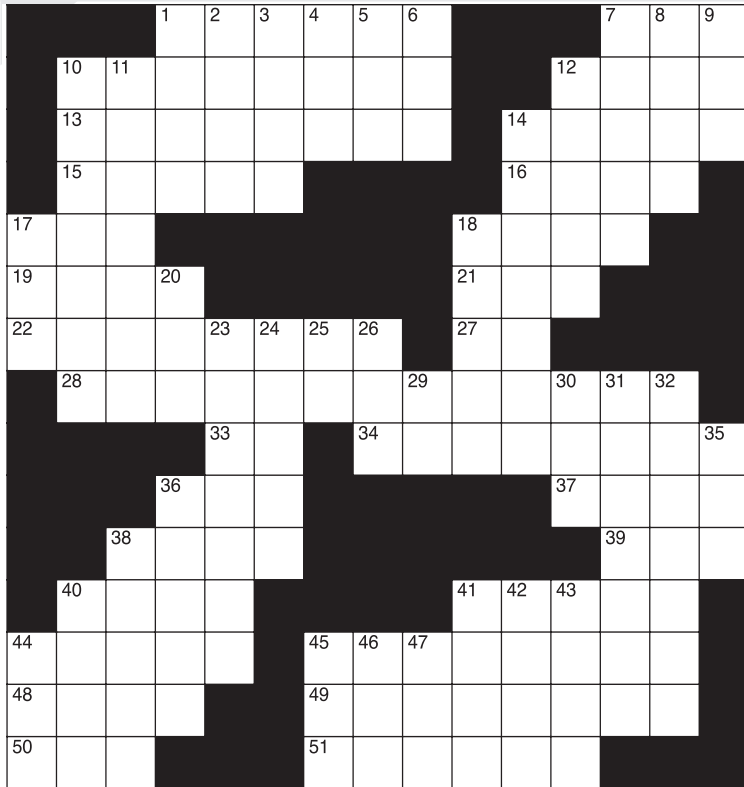
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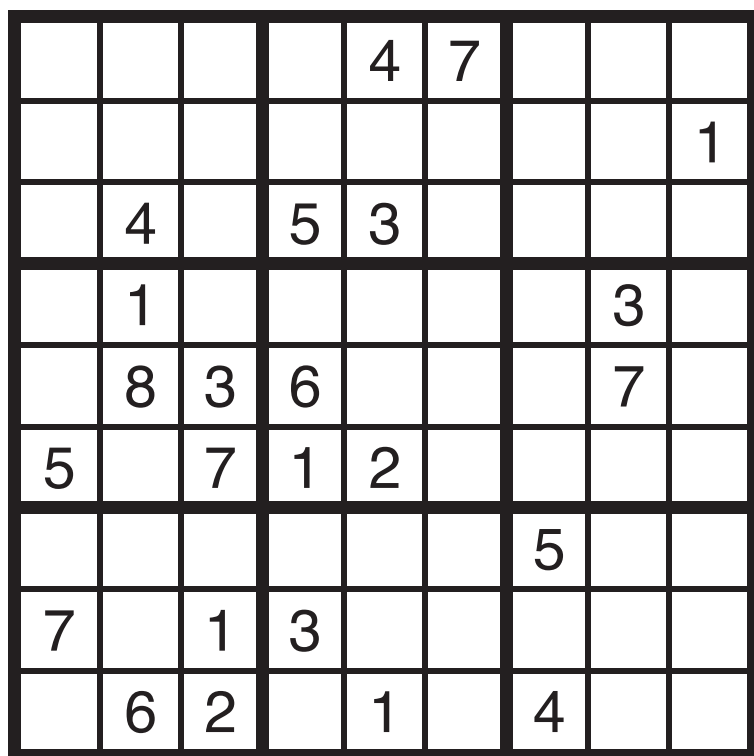
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- 7. Type of medical program (abbr.)
- 10. Outer defense of a castle
- 12. 1,000 calories (abbr.)
- 13. A way of using
- 14. Abounding with surf
- 15. Expressed violently
- 16. Shared a boundary with
- 17. Swedish krona
- 18. Thick piece of something
- 19. Wreaths
- 21. Animated program network (abbr.)
- 22. Regains possession of
- 27. Spielberg sci-fi film
- 28. 2-time Super Bowl winner
- 33. Ice hockey position (abbr.)
- 34. Circulatory system parts
- 36. Supervises flying
- 37. District in Peru

- 38. Impudence
- 39. ___ willikers!
- 40. One point east of southeast
- 41. Papas' partners
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- 45. Type of tree
- 48. A hazy or indistinct appearance
- 49. Poems with distinct pattern
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- 51. Fast drivers

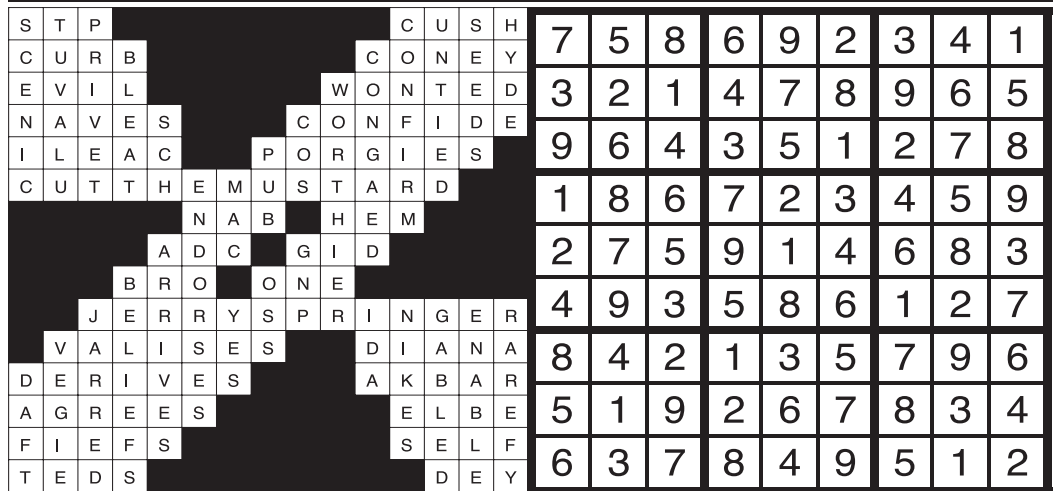
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- 2. Off-Broadway theater award
- 3. Small, immature herring
- 4. ___-fi (slang)
- 5. 007's creator
- 6. Liquefied natural gas
- 7. Cleanse thoroughly
- 8. Handle of a knife
- 9. Perform diligently
- 10. Drink pourer
- 11. Extreme greed
- 12. Southern Russia river
- 14. Type of cracker
- 17. Single Lens

- Reflex
- 18. Barely sufficient
- 20. Slick
- 23. Reference books
- 24. Federally recognized native peoples
- 25. Manganese
- 26. Senior officer
- 29. Atomic #18 (abbr.)
- 30. Tax collector
- 31. World wonder ___ Falls
- 32. Origins
- 35. Car mechanics group
- 36. MMA fighter Urijah
- 38. Gland secretion
- 40. Gelatinous water creature
- 41. Good friend
- 42. Arab ruler
- 43. Capital of Belgian province Hainaut
- 44. English broadcaster
- 45. Soviet Socialist Republic
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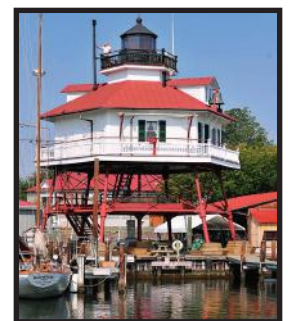
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