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## “Legacy Programs” Provide Relief to Local Businesses

By Debbie Bowden, Director  
Caroline County Economic Development



Since the start of the pandemic, more businesses have looked into – and taken advantage of – incentives and grants than before. It was our pleasure to move out over \$2.4 million in grants to Caroline County businesses over the last 18 months. The programs are not as prevalent now at the federal, state, or local level, but there are what I like to call “legacy programs” that can provide some relief to local businesses.

One program, the Enterprise Zone program, provides growing businesses with an opportunity to save on property taxes when significant property improvements are made and income tax credit when new positions are created. The Enterprise Zone program is a geographic based incentive program; commercial and industrial parcels in two zones have been designated as eligible for consideration of incentives. The Federalsburg Enterprise Zone was established in 2015 and includes parcels in the industrial parks and commercially zoned parcels in town. The North County Enterprise Zone was established in 2018 and covers eligible parcels in Ridgely, Greensboro, and Goldsboro.

The Enterprise Zone program is a Maryland Department of Commerce tool to grow existing businesses, create jobs, and revitalize communities. The Enterprise Zone benefits can spur business growth through property improvements and expansion and job creation. The beautiful thing about this program is current and new businesses can take advantage of it.

Companies that invest in their buildings or land could realize significant savings on the property tax on the new value of those improvements. The property tax credit portion of the program is a tiered reduction in property taxes on newly assessed value after an improvement. Companies that create at least five new jobs could get up to \$1,000 per job state income tax credit.

The program is a partnership between the State of Maryland, which provides reimbursement of the benefits, and the County and Towns. The program is administered by the Caroline County Economic Development. A business must become certified by the County and meet certain eligibility requirements to take advantage of the benefits. More information on the program and certification is available at [carolinebusiness.com](http://carolinebusiness.com).

For updates on any future business support, please visit [carolinebusiness.com](http://carolinebusiness.com), sign up for our newsletter, and follow Caroline County Economic Development on Facebook.

*Caroline County Economic Development is a department within Caroline County government. Its mission is to help businesses thrive in the community. Debbie can be reached at 410-479-4188 or [info@carolinebusiness.com](mailto:info@carolinebusiness.com)*



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# Where Are All the Old Railroad Depots Today?

By Dan Tabler  
(Caroline Review April 1983 issue)

The end of an era was observed quietly in Caroline County just a few weeks ago when a chugging diesel engine slowly bumped its way out of Greensboro with a couple of freight cars tagging along behind.

It was the final run on the MD-DEL RR Spur line that used to serve communities in Caroline and Talbot counties with as many as five passenger trains and a couple freight trains a day at the turn of the century.

The 55-mile-long branch from Clayton, DE to Oxford, MD, was known as the Delaware & Chesapeake and was a part of the Philadelphia, Wilmington

and Baltimore RR that bound Eastern Shore communities together with rails of steel along with hundreds of other rail companies across the nation.

And 81-year-old Roland Cartwright, of Goldsboro, recalls the days he served as station agent in both Goldsboro and Greensboro when "the iron horse" was the principal mode of travel.

"I remember as many as five passenger trains a day; particularly on Saturdays in the summer. We had four on a regular daily basis, but on Saturdays a lot of New York people who had homes in Talbot County and along the Bayshore came down forcing an extra train to be run," he said.

He laughed as he recalled it "was about \$3.25 for an excursion trip from Greensboro to Atlantic City for a day's outing."

"The trains ran direct to the boardwalk in those days," he said.



**Goldsboro Train Depot**

Mr. Cartwright, who still does income tax work at his one on MD 313 just south of Goldsboro, also wonders what has happened to many of the small depots that served passengers along the line.

"I know the folks in Ridgely have transformed their depot into a town hall," he said.

His old station in Goldsboro and Greensboro were made into other uses. At Greensboro, the building is used as

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apartments and the small station at Goldsboro was moved to Caroline Acres for use as a community hall.

In Queen Anne, the station was bought and the owner had it moved to Centreville for a private dwelling. The same was done for the depot in Henderson as it was moved out on a farm for a home.

Retired Denton band executive Ted Orme believed the little station at Downs Station was moved and used as a home and he thinks the one at Hobbs and Hickman were finally torn down along with the depot in Denton.

A yellowing, but remarkably-well-preserved railroad timetable of 1901, shows a map of all the lines on the Delmarva Peninsula complete with timetables for each of the branch lines.

The Delaware & Chesapeake, from Clayton, DE to Oxford, MD had 15 stops, with two passenger trains a day south and two northbound.

The timetable indicates that Goldsboro was 19.58 miles from Clayton and the southbound train stopped there at 6:01 p.m. and 10:19 a.m. each day, while the northbound train stopped at 8:11 a.m. and 3:07 p.m.

Mr. Cartwright, who may be retired from railroading, but has no thoughts of taking life easy, answers quickly when asked when he started “working on the railroad.”

“It was January 4, 1917 when I went into the Goldsboro station as a telegrapher,” he said. “During World War I, I was sent to Farmington, DE as a relief clerk and later up to New Castle. I believe that I worked nearly all the stations on the Delmarva Division north of Delmar during my career.”

He became the agent in Goldsboro in 1936 and it was finally closed in 1950.

He went over to neighboring Queen Anne’s County to be an agent in Sudlersville for a year, served as an

“extra agent” for the railroad until 1958 when he came into Greensboro where he retired in 1967.

“Sure, I remember the last passenger train on the line,” he admits. “It was in 1949. There was no celebration or anything like that. It came through one day and the next day there were no more passenger trains, just freight from then on.”

He says the railroad has its own clubhouse in Rehoboth Beach that is used by retired and active employees, who own the property.

“We have it fixed up somewhat as a museum with pictures and railroad memorabilia,” he said.

After a half-century of working on the railroad, Roland Cartwright has many memories of the days when the iron horse was king.

## Deadline for Women & Girls Fund Grant Applications

The Women & Girls Fund of the Mid-Shore, a component fund of the Mid-Shore Community Foundation, is now accepting grant proposals from IRS-designated non-profit organizations addressing the needs of women and girls throughout the five-county region. Completed applications for 2022-2023 programs are due in the Fund office by November 1, 2021, at 4 pm. Awards will be announced in April 2022.

Since its founding in 2002, the Women & Girls Fund has awarded more than \$737,000 to 102 non-profit organizations in Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, and Talbot counties.

In 2021, 12 grants were given for a wide variety of programs such as: For All Seasons "Targeting Anxiety in Teenage Girls"; Kent Attainable Housing's "Mentoring First-time Homeowners"; MAC Inc.'s "Empowering Women

Caregivers in Dorchester"; Mid-Shore Council on Family Violence's "Food Pantry Program for Clients"; and, The Ladies of Nia's "Tomorrow's H.O.P.E. Mentoring Program."

Beth Spurry, a Women & Girls Fund board member who co-chairs the Grants Committee along with board member Allie Prell, shared the committee's purpose: "We are interested in receiving applications from organizations in Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, and Talbot counties. No organization should be reluctant to apply. We give strong attention to specialized needs and innovative programs for which other funding sources might not exist.

We are pleased to have helped a number of small projects get started and become successful ongoing programs."

The grant application and detailed guidelines are available to download at [www.womenandgirlsfund.org](http://www.womenandgirlsfund.org). To receive the documents by mail or for additional information, call 410-770-8347 or [info@womenandgirlsfund.org](mailto:info@womenandgirlsfund.org).

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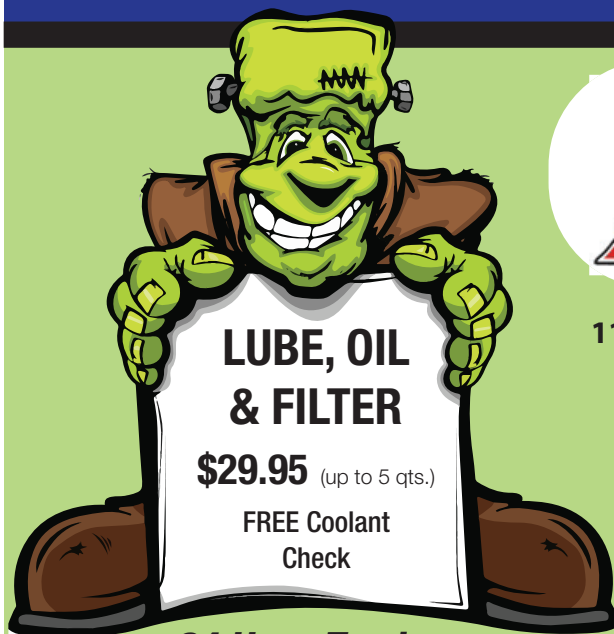
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*by Tracey Snyder,  
Executive Director of Caroline  
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Fall is here! There are so many great things happening with the Caroline County Chamber of Commerce and its members!

October 6th we have our last Small Business Academy of 2021. We are excited to have our guest speaker, Ann Jacobs from Edward Jones to discuss "The Entrepreneurial Equation." This workshop is designed to help small business owners understand the

financial strategies and tools available to help run their business more effectively. Small Business Academy workshops are virtual and free for members and potential members. Time is 8:00 - 9:30 AM. Once registered, we will send you the Zoom link. Register for this one today at [www.carolinechamber.org/events](http://www.carolinechamber.org/events).

### October 30 - We have our Mac and Cheese Festival- Mactoberfest 2021.

See our ad in this publication for complete details, but this is a not to miss event! Vendors, mac and cheese competition with our local chefs. Will the Culinary keep their Big Cheese title another year or will we award a new chef? We have ax throwing, alpacas and a whole lot of fun vendors this year! We will run from 11:00 AM- 4:00 PM. Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children 12 and under. You can pay three ways: at the event, through our website or on Venmo. This is a rain or shine event! If you are interested in competing or being a vendor, reach out to us at [info@carolinechamber.org](mailto:info@carolinechamber.org).

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# DOLLARS AND SENSE

by Tolbert Rowe

## Housing Shortage Leads Soaring Prices

If you are homeless or otherwise in search of a place to live, Caroline County is not the greatest place to be looking. Heck, the entire Mid-Shore area has a shortage of decent affordable housing, either to rent or purchase, especially for younger people just trying to start out in life.

Mom and Dad, or other family members, have become the source of shelter for many people, young and old. The challenges of the Covid pandemic and limited inventory of homes for sale has served as a catalyst for developers to build homes on the few building lots that had been sitting dormant for a period of time. Currently, the high cost of lumber and other building materials and compliance with ever tightening building requirements has stopped any serious investor from moving forward on any new housing projects.

With a shortage of housing units available for sale or rent, prices for purchasing as well as monthly rents have soared to levels that seem unsustainable. There is a feeling that at some point prices will come down, or at the very least stabilize. But the \$64,000 question is “when will that happen?”

Rental units, if you can find one, have monthly rental payments that could be higher than what a mortgage payment

would be, especially with current sub 3% interest rates. No need for landlords to put ads in the local paper or advertise online. The network of rental companies and landlords receive calls every day regarding units available.

The pandemic has made many tenants squatters in that landlords have been prohibited from moving for eviction. Rental assistance moneys for those tenants who have fallen behind has saved many landlords from their own economic disaster.

So, with all this gloom and doom about housing and the prospects for the situation to improve in the near future looking fairly grim, why would anyone consider purchasing a home? For the simple reason that you need to live somewhere, and you might as well be an owner instead of a tenant. This market, with exorbitantly higher rents reaching levels close to what it costs to be an owner, is a prime reason to buy instead of rent. Even with today's higher prices.

There are things you can do now to be considered a serious buyer, and doing these things will also make you look better to a potential landlord if renting will be your first step getting out on your own.

The first thing you must do is establish good credit. Whether renting or buying, your credit report, more specifically your credit scores, will be critical. You cannot purchase, nor can you rent, without a satisfactory credit report that shows you are prudent in managing your use of credit.

If you are just starting out and need to establish credit you need to get a secured credit card. These are major credit cards, usually VISA or Mastercard where your credit limit is determined by the amount you put on deposit with the issuer. You send the issuer \$300, and they will issue you a credit card with a \$300 limit. If you default on the card they keep your money, hence the term “secured.”

When just starting out, it is imperative that you set yourself up properly to get a good credit score. First, make your payments well before the due date. Do not be late in making your payment! If you are late, that reflects negatively on your account and lowers your credit score.

Keep in mind the goal is to establish good credit so when a credit score is reported it is a good score, and not a bad one. Late on your payment-BAD. Charge amounts over your credit limit-BAD. Getting a credit card and not using it-BAD. It does no good to have a credit card for the purposes of establishing credit and leaving it in the desk drawer collecting dust.

Think of your credit score like a water pump. Using the card is like priming the pump and getting water flowing. Every time you make a payment is one more handle stroke on the pump bringing up more water.

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is (credit limit) and the flow of water is steadier and more dependable. And use the card every month, because for every month there is not activity, water flow slows down and credit score stagnates, or worse, the score drops.

And for gosh sakes never, ever let the balance go over your credit limit. I have seen potential borrowers with a shallow credit history (very few accounts) lose 50 points in credit score because they went over the limit on a secured credit card. This will force you to start pumping all over again because you have lost your prime and the water level in the pump has dropped. Just like your credit score.

Once you have a card for a few months sign up for a credit monitoring service like Credit Karma or most credit card companies offer that to their card holders. Keeping an eye on your credit on a regular basis will show the impact of certain things on your score, so you can see what makes the score go up and also down.

Starting the home search journey will require cash for a security deposit and first month's rent if renting and cash for closing costs/down payment if purchasing. Although, it is possible to buy a house with no money through the Rural Housing Program, so a large amount of cash may not be necessary,

In either case, the more cash you have at time of signing a lease or a contract the more resources you will have if repairs

or painting are needed. Or new or more furniture is necessary or appliances that the home or apartment may not come with. Also, having funds available after a purchase closing can help mitigate what is called "payment shock."

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The most extreme example is a person, or persons who are living with family and not paying any rent, and they are purchasing a home where their monthly mortgage payment will be \$1,200 per month, plus utilities that could add another \$150-\$200 per month in expenses. This is significant payment shock.

Someone with very little, if any, savings after closing will potentially start their homeownership experience under financial strain, depending on how much income they have. Yet someone with \$5,000 in the bank after closing will have those funds available to help cushion the blow, or help adjust their monthly budget to these added expenses.

Having a job is an absolute minimum requirement when considering taking on a monthly obligation like rent or a mortgage payment. If you are currently unemployed or have had a sporadic work history over the last several years buying a home will have to be put on pause. Having made job changes over the last several years may not be an issue if those changes resulted in improving your career path, higher salary, better benefits, opportunity for advancement.

To be qualified for most mortgages, self-employed borrowers must have been in business for at least two taxable years. And for most programs if the business had a decline in revenue in excess of 20% year to year, then the income from that

business cannot be used for qualifying purposes. The pandemic year of 2020 was ruthless in decreasing income for many small businesses. Those borrowers will need to wait until their 2021 taxes are prepared and hopefully show an increase in revenue.

Some people who lost jobs due to the pandemic took the entrepreneurial leap to self-employment and started their own business. For them, the homeownership clock got set back two years until two full taxable years for the business can be provided.

W-2 employees' income is much easier to document because it is an established hourly rate or salary. Overtime and bonus earnings can be used for qualifying if it has been earned for at least the last two years with the same employer.

It is not always necessary to have been employed for the past two years if you were a full-time student immediately prior to your current job. Being a full-time student and working in a career field in line with your degree or certificate can be substituted for two years of employment. A recently hired school teacher just out of college is a prime example of this.

Paying heed to these suggestions and using them as a guide should provide a good foundation for anyone preparing to purchase a home. A consequence of following these suggestions will also serve to make you a more desirable risk for a landlord to consider.

Remember to get a preapproval from a lender like me who offers financing utilizing all the various programs for first time buyers, and most importantly can explain the reasons why a particular loan program works best for your particular situation.

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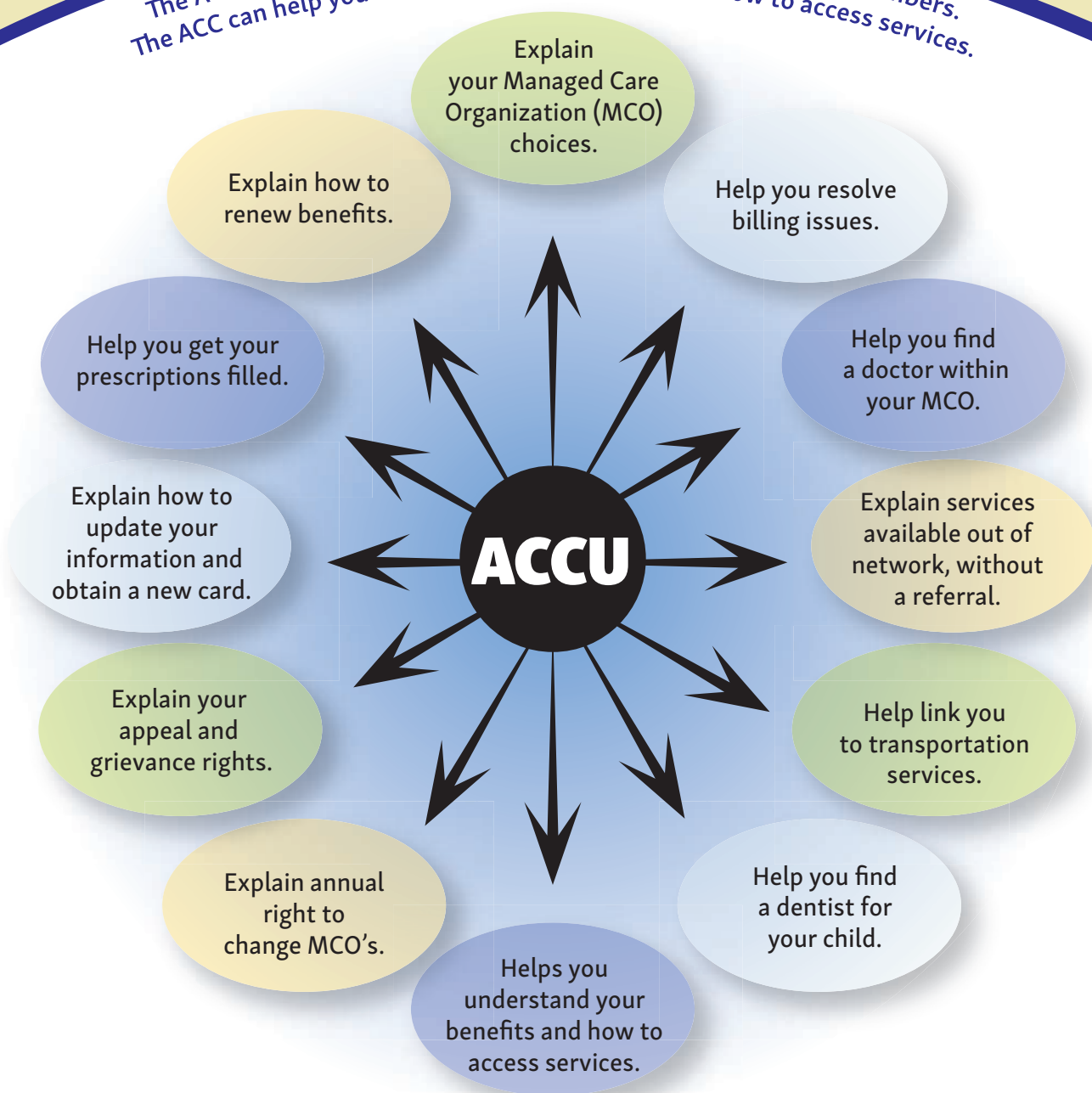
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Edgewater, LLC to JV Land Holdings, LLC, 345 Meadowvale Lane, Denton, \$40,000.

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Tyree G. Edmonds, Sr. to James Anthony Dethmers and Rachel A. Dethmers, 4750 Poplar Neck Road, Preston, \$200,000.

Paul Reese Stafford, Jr. to Bonnie L. Duley and Richard Duley, 23280 Ninetown Road, Ridgely, \$15,000.

Jordan C. Butler and Jaime L. Butler to Benifacio Francis Ciampo, Jr. and Stacy L. Ciampo, 23275 Magnolia Hill Road, Denton, \$440,000.

Ryan G. Yost and Jennifer W. Yost to Conni Long and Michael Dillon, Jr., 24621 Long Branch Drive, Denton, \$479,900.

Linda S. Moore to Brian Allen Moore, 10875 River Road, Denton, \$430,000.

James E. Clarke, Jason Murphy, Christine M. Drexel, and Brian Thomas to 1995 Property Management, Inc., 306 Vesper Avenue, Federalsburg, \$73,000.

Katerina N. Jensen to Harvey Philip Folk and Patricia D. Folk, Lot 3, Fisher Road, Denton, \$60,000.

Garnie C. Drinnon, II and Shannon R. Drinnon to Alethea Mae Kanios and Gregory Winstead Beall, 416 N. Academy Street, Greensboro, \$95,000.

The Estate of John Samuel Hunt to Daniel S. Owens, 318 Fleetwood Road, Denton, \$234,900.

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Diane J. Trice to Robert A. James, Jr. and Dawn M. James, 314 Fleetwood Road, Denton, \$540,000.

Tracey Johnston to Michael Snyder, 25850 Brookwood Road, Greensboro, \$205,000.

Nicholas Taylor Iliff, Jr. and Nicholas Iliff, Sr. to Patrick James Colony and Karen Colony, 408 South Second Street, Denton, \$475,000.

Julia M. Reavis to Bradford T. Webster, 21410 Skeleton Creek Road, Preston, \$220,000.

Michael Douglas Daniels and Julia C. Daniels to Trevor R. Layton and Ashley P. Carbo-Hiatt, 14 North Fourth Street, Denton, \$164,000.

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Catherine L. Penawell to Timothy Barr and Lori J. Barr, 27292 Willin Lane, Federalsburg, \$70,000.

Keith R. Jacobsen and Danielle M. Jacobsen to Jennifer L. Dziekan, Matthew R. Dziekan, and Amanda Daubach, 7 Lister Lane, Ridgely, \$375,000.

The Estate of Anna Marie Dodd to Eldridge Cronshaw and Linda Cronshaw, 113 Edenton Lane, Denton, \$90,000.

Anthony T. Pennington and Bridget K. Pennington to Mary Massey, 5 E. Fifth Street, Ridgely, \$230,000.

Betty Faye Simkins, Charles Simkins and Jamie Simkins to Frank Young and Rachel Young, 17405 Melville Road, Henderson, \$172,631.03.

RCT Land Partnership to Bonnie Duley and Richard A. Duley, 07-010273 Ninetown Road, Ridgely, \$12,500.

Rebecca L. Willoughby to Brittney L. Lawson, 26713 Idlewild Road, Federalsburg, \$150,000.

David Crosby and Kaleigh Crosby to John P. Nason, 738 Academy Avenue, Federalsburg, \$160,000.

Clara Ann Mason to Jessica G. Ober, Wesley E. Ober, and Garay S. Goglio, Lot 1, Cody Court, Denton, \$160,000.

East Star, LLC to RF Properties East, LLC, Greensboro Road, Greensboro, \$386,300.

The Estate of Bruce A. Riddleberger, Raymond Riddleberger, Bruce Riddleberger, Jr., Matthew Riddleberger, Christopher Riddleberger, and Pamela Parenteau to Matthew Laberge and Christine Laberge, 26846 Marydel Road, Marydel, \$87,000.

Timothy N. Sweany to Benjamin Perez Mazariegos, 311 Academy Avenue, Federalsburg, \$20,000.

East Star, LLC to RF Properties East, LLC, Bee Tree Road, Henderson, \$1,480,758.

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The Estate of Dorothy Marie Darby to Nikoline Hickerson and Alex Flood, 24197 Robins Creek Road, Preston, \$349,900.

Harry H. Rieck, III to Daniel G. Rieck and Anne Marie Rieck, 3251 Back Landing Road and 49.274 acres SE/S Back Landing Road, Preston, \$428,450.

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M & S Properties, LLC to Elizabeth J. Sparwasser, 206 Academy Avenue, Federalsburg, \$99,000.

Megan Heun to Graham King, 1116 Whistling Pine Road, Denton, \$220,000.

The Estate of William L. Skeen, Jr. to TJL Properties, 119 Boyce Mill Road, Greensboro, \$70,000.

The Community Development Administration of The Department of Housing and Community Development to John W. Meyer, Pamela A. Meyer and Loree A. Komsa, 414 Smith Street, Federalsburg, \$55,000.

Domesia Holmes and Tori A. Brummell to Annette Taylor, 1507 Cattail Commons Way, Denton, \$316,000.

Christopher I. Buda and Kimberly Ann Buda to Richard D. Ross, Jr. and Patricia L. Ross, 25932 Holly Lane, Greensboro, \$298,000.



Kathleen W. Bledsoe to Thomas B. Ferkler, V and Ann C. Ferkler, 304 S. Second Street, Denton, \$20,000.

Anton William Spiering to Lucas William Spiering, 13805 Drapers Mill Road, Greensboro, \$225,000.

The Estate of Barbara R. Greenly Smith to Elvis L. Sumpter, 301 Kerr Avenue, Denton, \$175,000.

Stacy Coldwell to David Gordon Taylor, II and Abigail Mutch Taylor, Picture Hill Drive, Preston, \$289,900.

Comptroller for Caroline County to RCT Land Partnership, 608 W. Sunset Avenue, Greensboro, \$25,000.

Patricia Jean Hodge Copper to Franklin Dodd, IV, 205 Briarwood Circle, Denton, \$197,000.

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Henry E. Diefenderfer to Jarod Kent Armes, 210 Apple Lane, Preston, \$249,000.

Douglas Ray to Lakay, LLC, 24872 Meeting House Road, Denton, \$30,000.

RJR Management, LLC to Kevin Douglas Little, 316 Carter Avenue, Denton, \$227,000.

LO Properties, LLC to Lisa Leishear and Michael Owens, 106 Boyce Mill Road, Greensboro, \$254,357.

R. Allen Reichlin and Evelyn L. Reichlin to Janet L. Powell and Michael A. Leedy, Pealiquor Road, Lot 12, Denton, \$89,900.

Kelli King to James M. Brenton, Jr. and Kathleen M. Brenton, 107 School Street, 2A, Greensboro, \$96,250.

Joann H. Hunley to Henry E. Diefenderfer and Denise R. Diefenderfer, 3589 Prchal Road, Preston, \$290,000.

Ralph Hepperle, Jr. to Scott Gregory Wartman and Susan Wartman, 1150 Osprey Lane, Denton, \$345,000.

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### HOW TO HELP

**Donations of Time** (Sign up at [Nuts Meals](#) under the volunteer link)

- **Wednesday morning**, Nov. 24, St. Luke's, Denton, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. for food preparation.
- **Thursday morning**, Nov. 25, St. Luke's Church, Denton, 6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. to package meals for delivery and then clean up 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
- **Thursday morning**, Nov. 25, Immaculate Conception Church, Marydel, 6:00 – 7:30 a.m. to package meals for delivery. Clean up 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

### Donations of Money

Financial donations to NUTS Thanksgiving can be made payable to **St. Luke's Church** (*memo NUTS*) and mailed to: **NUTS Thanksgiving, PO BOX 275, Denton, MD 21629**

### Meal Reservation Request:

- ONLINE reservation via the website at <https://bit.ly/2021Nuts> (Request a Thanksgiving Meal)
- CALL 443-550-1180 to give reservation details.
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Reservation Deadline is Monday, November 22 or when reservations reach 1,100 meals.  
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by Jeanne Trice

## Library Hours

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Monday: 10 am - 6 pm  
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**Tuesdays in October, 6-7:30 pm, Central Library, Denton.**

### Advanced Dungeons and Dragons – The Tomb of Horrors

Join MakerSpace staff for a spooky spelunking mission through one of the most complex dungeons in tabletop history-the Tomb of Horrors! For ages 18 and over; registration required.

**Thursdays in October, 5-7:30 pm, Central Library, Denton**

### Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month-make a Frida Kahlo piñata!

Join us in person at Denton or pick up a to-go craft kit at Federalsburg or Greensboro. Visit carolib.org for details.

**October 4, 4:30-6:30 pm, Central Library, Denton.**

### Hispanic Heritage Storytime

Come hear songs and stories in both English and Spanish that center on Hispanic culture! Sing, dance, and learn hand movements to songs both familiar and new. Finally, grab a take-home kit

and make our own papel picado banner. This program is designed for children birth to age 5 with a caregiver.

**October 7, 10:15 am, Central Library, Denton.**

### Tough Topics Teen Book Club

Calling all high school students: sign up for Tough Topics Book Club. We're reading *The Black Friend* and journaling our thoughts. Not a big reader? You can listen to the audiobook instead.

On October 15th author Frederick Joseph will join us and lead a conversation about Race, centered on the personal stories in his book. This program is designed for high school students only.

Register now, and you will receive an email when your copy of the book is ready to be picked up.

**October 15, 12-2 pm, Central Library, Denton.**

### Storytime at Martinak State Park

Fall into Storytime at Martinak State Park! Come enjoy stories, songs, fingerplays, and movement activities that are not only fun but will teach your little ones about the changes that occur in autumn at our local park.

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**October 16, 10-11 am, Martinak State Park Nature Center – rain or shine!**

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October's movie is *Boss Baby: The Family Business*. November's movie is still to be determined.

October 22 and November 26, 6 pm, Federsburg Branch.

### ***Paws for Reading***

Grigsby is back! Book a half hour slot to read to Grigsby, a trained service dog. This program helps kids improve their reading skills and eases the pressure of reading aloud.

October 26, register for a time slot: 4 pm, 4:30 pm, 5 pm, or 5:30 pm, Central Library, Denton.

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## **Ongoing**

### ***Storytime at Denton and Greensboro***

Join us for a weekly Storytime at both our Denton and Greensboro locations. This program is designed for children birth to age 5 and their caregivers.

**Tuesdays, 11 am, North County Branch, Greensboro**

**Wednesdays, 10:15 am, Central Library, Denton**

### ***His Hope Haven at the Federsburg and Greensboro Branches***

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**Wednesdays, 10 am - 5 pm, Federsburg Branch.**

**Thursdays, 10 am-5 pm, Greensboro's North County Branch.**

### ***Discord for teens at the library***

The library and its Teen Services and Makerspace Team are excited to offer a virtual hangout space, just for teens!

If you are between the ages of 13-18, and you enjoy discussing things like anime, arts and crafts, books, movies, trivia, and video games, join our Teen Discord server. Chat with other teens and our librarians in a welcoming environment, and find out about our virtual programs. For more details, visit our website, click on the Children and



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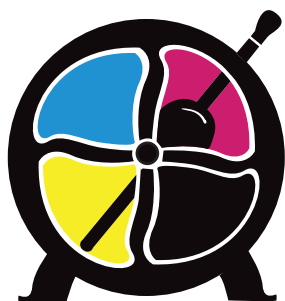
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You can access our Ancestry Library Edition free on our website from home through the end of 2021 with your Caroline County Public Library card.

Find it at [www.carolib.org](http://www.carolib.org), click on "Online Resources", and choose "Featured Digital Collections". Scroll down to see Ancestry (and be sure to check out all the other great library resources on the page).

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Join the Friends of the Library and get a free ice cream at one of these participating businesses in Caroline County-

Bullocks Deli, Tenchi in Greensboro, and the Federalsburg Family Restaurant.

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### Goldsboro Vol. Fire Co.

700 Old Line Road, Goldsboro, MD

The Goldsboro Volunteer Fire Co. has made the decision to discontinue its weekly bingo night. With that, the GVFC sought and received legal counsel on how to dissolve the funds in the progressive jackpots that were offered each week. A total of \$3,000, monies added by the players, will be placed in a separate account for a period of three years. In the event that weekly bingo resumes during that time frame, the money will be added to any progressive jackpots that are offered.

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## Denton Rotary

### *Denton Rotary Speakers Schedule*

Denton Rotary Club Meetings are held Wednesdays from Noon to 1:00 PM at the Caroline Culinary Center, 512 Franklin St. Denton. Come join us for a free lunch and find out about the exciting "Service Projects" the club is working on. Due to current CDC guidelines, masks are required to attend meetings. For more information, contact: Charlie Huber, 410-479-2070, or [charliehuber@comcast.net](mailto:charliehuber@comcast.net).

#### Speakers Schedule

October 6: Program: Nicholas Tindall, Executive Director  
Caroline County Council of Arts

### *Spotlighting Purple Peake and Caroline County Council of Arts*

Like most nonprofit organizations, the Denton Rotary Club has had to find new ways to raise money to support their mission to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance global goodwill and peace. This year, Denton Rotary introduced a discount card to raise money and encourage people to get back into local businesses. There are ten Caroline County businesses featured on the cards and this month, the spotlight is on two Denton businesses you may not know, but should!

Purple Peake strives to elevate their customers' lives all day, every day, by providing the best quality CBD products for good health, well-being and peace of mind. Owners RJ and Rhett Ritter are two of the nicest and hardest working men you'll meet and they're always happy to talk about the many physical and mental benefits of CBD products. To them, you're not just a customer; you're family! They are offering a 10% discount off all Purple Peake products with the Denton Rotary discount card, which makes them part of our family too! They are located at 322 Market St. in Denton.

Most people are familiar with Caroline County Council of Arts, but did you know they have a gallery and gift shop called The Foundry? The Foundry hosts local artwork from more than 40 of Caroline County's most talented artists and artisans. They sell a variety of pieces, in different mediums, that capture the essence of Eastern Shore living. Stop by and browse The Foundry, located on Market Street, and when you use your Denton Rotary Discount card, you'll save 15% off your purchase! They are located at 401 Market St. in Denton.

The discount cards are also good at Clayton Farms, Joviality, Patti's Petals, Greensboro Pharmacy, Ridgely Pharmacy, Gift Shop and Café, Katie Mae's in Preston and Denton Diner. The cards are just \$20 and can be purchased at any of the participating businesses, by contacting Denton Rotary through

their Facebook page, or at the Caroline County Library front desk. The money raised supports Denton Rotary's community endeavors such as Lifetime Wells/Wells for Ghana, Imagination Library, Chesapeake College Scholarship, Farming 4 Hunger and countless other activities and organizations in our community. Interested in joining? They are welcoming new member interest and meet Wednesdays at noon at Caroline Culinary Center.



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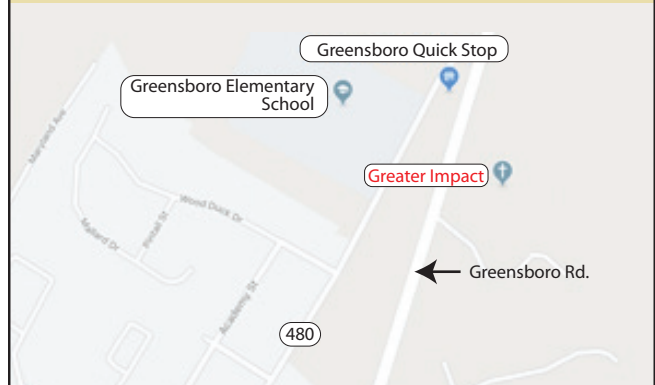
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### STOP BULLYING!

Have you ever been bullied? Perhaps somebody made fun of your haircut, your clothes or the way you speak. Perhaps your bully took it further than teasing and started spreading rumours about you or even physically harassed you. Or maybe you've been on the other side and have actually BEEN the bully. Either way, bullying is not fun and is extremely hurtful to both the bully and those who are on the receiving end.

It's obvious why bullying is hurtful to those who are being bullied. It hurts your self-esteem. It creates a feeling of "less than". It makes you fearful to go to school, work or anyplace you might encounter your bully. Being bullied can lead to depression, anxiety, and many other psychiatric issues. But the long-term effects can actually be worse for the one who's doing the bullying. People who bully stand a greater chance of abusing alcohol and drugs, getting into fights, vandalizing property, having a criminal record, and being abusive to their spouse and/or children. Bullying hurts everyone.

So why do people do it? There's no one real reason why people bully others but some of the most common reasons are their own feelings of insecurity and powerlessness, their need to control others, or they just simply enjoy making other people feel badly about themselves. Whatever the reason, their bullying behaviors hurt the victim, the community, and themselves.

What can we do to put an end to this and "Stomp Out Bullying"? Like most things, it begins at home. Parents who are bullies are more likely to raise kids who also bully. By doing so, they're reducing their children's chances to succeed and thrive in school and life in general. Watch you own behavior and treat others with the kindness and respect you'd like to receive - kids learn by watching their parents, teachers, and other adults in their lives. We all have love and hate in our hearts - teach them it's ok to choose love over hate! Show them how much better it is to be considerate of others than it is to incessantly tease, taunt or harass. Visit websites like [www.stompoutbullying.org](http://www.stompoutbullying.org) for resources on how create a more respectful environment. Talk to your kids, neighbors, colleagues about what is acceptable behavior - use the prompts in the picture to start those discussions. We're all responsible for creating safe and welcoming environments in our schools, homes and communities. We're all #CarolineStrong!

*The Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention funded this project under sub-award number CJAC-2019-0004 and VOCA-2018-0063. All points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position of any State or Federal Agency. This project is supported by a grant from the Maryland Judiciary's Administrative Office of the Courts number AOC-G20CA02251.*



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## Why I Got Vaccinated: Jonathan Tilghman

Jonathan Tilghman is the kind of person who instantly brightens your day! He works as a Telecommunications Manager for the Department of Defense, but his greater calling lies in his devotion to serving God, his family, and the community. Jonathan serves as Chief Adjutant to the Bishop Dane A. Coleman of Greater New Hope Church & Ministries in Preston. His faith in Christ influences everything he does, including his work as a motivational speaker, songwriter, and author.

To say Jonathan is an active community member is an understatement; he ministers to people throughout the county, works with the Caroline Cougars, and helps wherever he's needed. Jonathan assists with community yard sales, charity drives, giveaways, and any other events that promote spiritual growth and unity.

Because of his widespread presence in the community, Jonathan has witnessed firsthand the negative consequences that COVID-19 has had for so many: loss of loved ones, financial hardship, and depression, to name a few. But Jonathan has also been inspired by the way the pandemic has unified families and community members and encouraged people to be more mindful.

When it came time for Jonathan to decide whether to get vaccinated, he practiced



*Jonathan Tilghman: Clergyman, Motivational Speaker, Songwriter, Author & Community Leader*

what he preaches: he put his faith in God. Jonathan believes that God wants us to be proactive; God created people with special scientific and medical knowledge to fight disease and promote wellness, and by accepting His gift, we honor Him by protecting ourselves and all of God's children. For Jonathan, the risk of dying from COVID or suffering the long-term effects of the disease far outweighed any fears he had about getting vaccinated. Jonathan echoes the sentiment expressed by his Bishop: "We have to trust the data. And the data shows that people who get the shot have a far better rate of survival than those who don't."

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*Johnathan Tilghman's first book, "Fully Loving You," will be published within the next few months.*



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Noon - 5 pm, Wednesday - Friday;

10 am - 3 pm, Saturday

### **Featured Artist**

**JACK E. SEALMAN**



Jack E. Sealman grew up in the Federalsburg area. He was a 1962 graduate of Colonel Richardson High School and a 1966 graduate of Maryland Institute College of Art in Baltimore. He worked at Hutzlers in downtown Baltimore doing product illustration for tabloids and newspapers. He also worked for the Capital Gazette newspaper in Annapolis for 26 years. Mr. Sealman has been an artist for over 60 years and works in the medias of watercolor, oils, and pen and ink, drawn in exquisite detail. His favorite subjects are historic sites, classic vehicles, lighthouses, cherished pets, and a variety of critters that live on the Eastern Shore. His paintings and prints are enjoyed throughout the United States and northern Mexico.

Visit the Foundry to see more of Jack's work.

### **Second Saturday at the Artsway October 9 • 10 AM**

Get into the Halloween spirit and come paint pumpkins at the Foundry! Attend the local Farmer's Market put on by Downtown Denton Main Street and bring over a pumpkin to paint with your own fun and spooky design! Art supplies will be provided and it's free to the public, just bring your own pumpkin!

The Artsway is located in downtown Denton. Demonstrations and activities from a variety of artists are typically held at The Foundry community arts gallery (401 Market St.), FACES (7 N. Fourth St.) and/or at the Community Demonstration Garden (behind FACES).

### **Classes and Events**

**Mosaic Club: Every Thursday and Saturday from 3-5 pm.** Open to people who have taken a class or have experience working with mosaics. Work on your own project with guidance from Foundry Artist Joanne Gelles. Materials are included. \$15 per session.

**Drawing Club: Every Tuesday from 12:30 - 2 pm.** No experience needed! This is an open workshop for people of all ages to come and play with drawing a still-life or a scene of your choice! You can either bring your own materials or use what is available here in the classroom. \$10 per session.

**Sugar Skull Mosaics Class: Every Saturday in October 3 - 5:30 pm.** Make a unique Sugar Skull Mosaic at the Foundry Art Gallery in Denton. All materials will be provided. Instructions on every step will be provided. Beginners and experienced artists welcome. You can choose the colors and types of Mosaic materials that you prefer to use. Cost is \$125 for all five sessions.

**Second Saturday: October 9, 10-Noon.** Bring your own pumpkin and paint it with your own design. All ages welcome. Free!

**Saturday, October 16, 10 am - 1 pm, Larry Porter Book Signing:** Commissioner Larry Porter will be at The

Foundry promoting his book "Life On The Edge." Commissioner Porter continues to reside in Caroline County after a lengthy career in Real Estate Management and Development. He is currently serving his third term as Caroline County Commissioner and continued service as a life member of the Denton Volunteer Fire Company. Books will be available to buy.



**Saturday, October 30, 11 - 4 pm, Mactoberfest:** Join us for the Mac and Cheese Festival! Enjoy the delicious mac and cheese competition, DJ, axe throwing vendors and games!

**Write-On!: October 12 and 26, 6:30 - 8 pm.** Write On! is an online adult writers' group that meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month at 6:30 pm. Come listen, write or share your writing. Every session features a different topic you may write about or use for inspiration. Register the week before to be notified of what the upcoming topic will be, or feel free to share something completely different. This event is free! Pre-registration is required by 3 pm on Tuesday to get the Zoom link. Register at [carolinearts.org/classes-events](http://carolinearts.org/classes-events).

**Judith Reveal Writing Class: Every Wednesday Starting on October 5 - 6:30 pm.** Come participate in this multiple week course on creative writing and work side by side with peers and instructor/writer Judith Reveal. This course will be an introduction into creative writing and will help with plot development, characterization, outlining, and more! Check out our website and events page for more information.

**KIDS ARTS AND  
CRAFTS CLASSES**

**Every Wednesday from 5 – 6 pm**

Join us during the month of October for fun and exciting kid's art classes! Every Wednesday kids will be able to participate in a new and fun art activity! October has classes on watercolors, paint pouring techniques, working with clay, and a special class on making paper mache masks just in time for Halloween! Classes will be taught by different local instructors including Janice Knauss, Melody Prairie, Dawn Malosh, and Joanne Gelles. Classes are \$15 per class or register for three classes and get the 4th free!

For more information and to register for classes: go online to [carolinearts.org](http://carolinearts.org), call 410-479-1009, or email [info@carolinearts.org](mailto:info@carolinearts.org). Be sure to sign up for the CCCA e-newsletter on our website or 'like' us on Facebook or follow us on Instagram: @carolineccarts for the most up-to-date information and news.



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Predictions for Tuckahoe  
(See below for other factors)  
*Daylight Savings Time*

| Date | AM    |    |       |    | PM    |    |       |    |
|------|-------|----|-------|----|-------|----|-------|----|
| 1    | 4:16  | Hi | 10:52 | Lo | 4:20  | Hi | 11:03 | Lo |
| 2    | 5:12  | Hi | 11:44 | Lo | 5:22  | Hi | 11:58 | Lo |
| 3    | 6:08  | Hi |       |    | 12:37 | Lo | 6:24  | Hi |
| 4    | 12:54 | Lo | 7:01  | Hi | 1:28  | Lo | 7:23  | Hi |
| 5    | 1:50  | Lo | 7:52  | Hi | 2:17  | Lo | 8:18  | Hi |
| 6    | 2:44  | Lo | 8:41  | Hi | 3:04  | Lo | 9:12  | Hi |
| 7    | 3:37  | Lo | 9:28  | Hi | 3:51  | Lo | 10:03 | Hi |
| 8    | 4:28  | Lo | 10:14 | Hi | 4:37  | Lo | 10:53 | Hi |
| 9    | 5:18  | Lo | 11:00 | Hi | 5:24  | Lo | 11:42 | Hi |
| 10   | 6:08  | Lo | 11:45 | Hi | 6:12  | Lo |       |    |
| 11   | 12:32 | Hi | 6:58  | Lo | 12:33 | Hi | 7:02  | Lo |
| 12   | 1:22  | Hi | 7:49  | Lo | 1:22  | Hi | 7:55  | Lo |
| 13   | 2:14  | Hi | 8:41  | Lo | 2:16  | Hi | 8:49  | Lo |
| 14   | 3:08  | Hi | 9:33  | Lo | 3:16  | Hi | 9:45  | Lo |
| 15   | 4:05  | Hi | 10:26 | Lo | 4:20  | Hi | 10:42 | Lo |

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|----|-------|----|-------|----|-------|----|-------|----|
| 16 | 5:04  | Hi | 11:20 | Lo | 5:26  | Hi | 11:40 | Lo |
| 17 | 6:01  | Hi |       |    | 12:13 | Lo | 6:28  | Hi |
| 18 | 12:37 | Lo | 6:55  | Hi | 1:05  | Lo | 7:26  | Hi |
| 19 | 1:33  | Lo | 7:46  | Hi | 1:54  | Lo | 8:18  | Hi |
| 20 | 2:26  | Lo | 8:34  | Hi | 2:42  | Lo | 9:06  | Hi |
| 21 | 3:16  | Lo | 9:18  | Hi | 3:27  | Lo | 9:50  | Hi |
| 22 | 4:03  | Lo | 10:00 | Hi | 4:11  | Lo | 10:32 | Hi |
| 23 | 4:49  | Lo | 10:40 | Hi | 4:54  | Lo | 11:11 | Hi |
| 24 | 5:34  | Lo | 11:18 | Hi | 5:38  | Lo | 11:51 | Hi |
| 25 | 6:19  | Lo | 11:56 | Hi | 6:22  | Lo |       |    |
| 26 | 12:31 | Hi | 7:05  | Lo | 12:35 | Hi | 7:08  | Lo |
| 27 | 1:12  | Hi | 7:52  | Lo | 1:16  | Hi | 7:56  | Lo |
| 28 | 1:56  | Hi | 8:40  | Lo | 2:01  | Hi | 8:46  | Lo |
| 29 | 2:44  | Hi | 9:30  | Lo | 2:54  | Hi | 9:39  | Lo |
| 30 | 3:35  | Hi | 10:20 | Lo | 3:54  | Hi | 10:35 | Lo |
| 31 | 4:30  | Hi | 11:11 | Lo | 4:59  | Hi | 11:32 | Lo |

Add or subtract hours and/or minutes as indicated:

|            | AM       |      | PM       |      |
|------------|----------|------|----------|------|
| Greensboro | Add      | :25  | Add      | :43  |
| Choptank   | Subtract | 3:06 | Subtract | 2:23 |
| Denton     | Subtract | :40  | Subtract | :03  |

## Rabies Prevention and Vaccination

Rabies is an acute, progressive viral infection that nearly always results in fatal encephalitis. An exposure to the rabies virus may occur when a person is bitten by or exposed to saliva of a rabid animal. The disease is prevented with a four dose rabies vaccine series administered over a period of 14 days and a dose of rabies immunoglobulin given at the beginning of the series. Each year, approximately 900 Marylanders receive preventive vaccinations after exposure to a rabid or potentially rabid animal.

Animals with rabies often show changes in behavior. Wild animals may act friendly, domestic animals may become aggressive, and animals that are active only at night may appear during the day. Rabid animals may stagger, drool, or become paralyzed. The diagnosis of rabies is made by examining brain tissue

from the suspected rabid animal.

To avoid being exposed to rabies:

- Have your dogs, cats, ferrets, and livestock vaccinated against rabies
- Keep your pet under your control at all times, especially when traveling
- Enjoy wildlife from a distance and do not feed wildlife
- Avoid sick animals and any that are acting in an unusual manner
- Cover garbage cans securely and do not leave pet food outside
- Do not relocate wildlife
- Prevent bats from entering your home.

If you find a bat in your home, do not touch it. Bats found in the home should be safely collected, if possible, and tested for rabies. Only let a bat go if you are sure no people or household pets have had any contact with it. If it is alive, protect yourself from exposure and catch it by

placing a small box, bowl, or can over the bat once it has landed to roost, and then slide a piece of cardboard under the container to trap the bat inside. Tape the cardboard to the container and contact the Caroline County Health Department for guidance.

Any suspected exposure to a rabid animal should be reported immediately to the Caroline County Health Department at 410-479-8045.

### Fall Rabies Clinics:

October 19 at the Health & Public Services Building (403 S. 7th St., Denton) 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm.

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## Events at Tuckahoe and Martinak State Parks

Fall is here! Cooler weather is in store, and plenty of fall activities are listed below for the season. Now that the days have grown shorter, evening activities will be curtailed till spring and new program times are listed. The activities below are free or low cost so that everyone can enjoy participating. Healthy Parks, Healthy People is a collaboration between several community organizations, which includes the state parks, Caroline County Parks and Recreation, the Caroline County Y, Adkins Arboretum, and the Caroline County Health Department.

### Events

**Hootenanny:** On Saturday October 30, at 4:00 PM at Martinak State Park, fall activities start off with scarecrow making followed by music at the Amphitheater. This is a free event. Then continue downtown for Tent or Treat.

**Tent-or-Treat:** Come dressed in your favorite costume and Tent or Treat with

the Y in downtown Denton on 3rd and Market Sts. Tent or Treat starts at 6 PM, and there will be a costume contest for those aged 3 -12.

**Adkins Arboretum Beer Garden:** Relax and enjoy music, beer and food under the shade of gorgeous trees and views of the meadow on Saturday October 23 from 2 to 4 PM. Tickets are required so call 410-634-2847 for more information.

### Walks and Hikes

**Senior Walk:** Meet just past the Martinak State Park Office, on the left, at 10:30 AM on Tuesdays and Thursdays for a guided walk on a paved trail and camp loop. It's 1.5 miles in length or about 3,000 steps. Plenty of benches are available for resting and enjoying nature.

**Fitness Steps:** Meet at the Martinak State Park Nature Center on Tuesday and Thursday morning at 8:00 AM for a two mile brisk walk that includes body weight exercises and resistance bands. Guaranteed to shape your legs and arms!

**First Saturday Guided Walk:** Discover native habitats as you walk at Adkins Arboretum on October 2 at 10:00 AM. Registration is required. Call 410-634-2847.

**Explore Your Park Walks:** Meet at the

Tuckahoe State Park Office on Friday, October 1 at 9:00 AM for a two mile guided walk. Explore the various plants and trees along the way. Also, meet up to walk with others at the following community parks on Wednesdays October 6 and October 27. We will meet at 9 AM at the South County Regional Park on American Corner Road and at 11 AM at the Marydel Community Park. It's a great way to get exercise and meet new people!

**Basic Bird Walk:** Meet at the Camp Mardela pavilion on Saturday, October 2 at 8 AM to walk and learn about birding.

**Caroline's Big Sit:** Bring a chair, binoculars and refreshments to Adkins Arboretum Wetlands Overlook to view birds anytime throughout the day into the early evening. Take a walk when you tire of sitting!

### Yoga

**AM Stretch:** Meet at Martinak State Park Amphitheatre on Tuesday for an all body stretch, and Thursday mornings for an energetic practice at 9:00 AM. Both sessions are designed to improve your flexibility, core development, and balance through exercises and yoga. Please bring a yoga mat or towel.

### Cycling

**Cruiser Cycling:** Borrow bikes from the Martinak State Park Nature Center on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 11:30 AM for an easy guided ride through the park and nearby low traffic roads.

**Pedal Power:** This month we will be cycling during the day and exploring local bike trails:

- On Wednesday, October 20, we will meet at the Tanger Outlets parking lot near the Royal Farm store in Rehoboth Beach, DE at 10 AM to ride the 17 mile loop that is crushed stone or paved. We will cycle through Lewis to Cape Henlopen State Park and back through Rehoboth Beach.
- On Friday, October 27 at 10 AM, we will cycle the Kent Island Trail. We will meet at the Royal Farm Road at the corner of Rt. 50 and Jackson Road.

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**Caroline Cycles:** Join us for the Caroline County Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad Ride! This is a 40 mile ride through the back roads of Caroline County traveling to the historical points along the route. We will start at Linchester Mill in Preston at 9 AM and end in Denton. This ride is limited to 15 riders. Open to those who ride 12 to 16 miles per hour. Helmets are required and lights are suggested.

Registration is required. Call 410-924-1529 or email karen.gianninoto@maryland.gov for more information and to register for this ride.

### Craft and Art

**Yarning at the Arboretum:** Join us for Yarning at the Adkins Arboretum on

Wednesday, August 11 from 2 to 4 PM. Bring yarn projects and a chair for an afternoon of camaraderie and encouragement. Registration is suggested. Call 410-634-2847.

### Paddle

**Let's Meet up and Paddle:** Join us for the last monthly paddle on Friday morning, October 1, at 10 AM at the Tuckahoe State Park boat ramp to paddle the lake and creek. To rent kayaks and RSVP call 410-820-1668.

Check our website for more park activities by clicking on the calendar of events, <https://go.activecalendar.com/doit-md/?&ql=y&search=y> Or <https://www.carolinemd.org/141/Recreation-Parks> or like us on Facebook at Caroline County Recreation and Parks.

For more information, call 410-820-1668 or email karen.gianninoto@maryland.gov.

## Tuckahoe Equestrian Center

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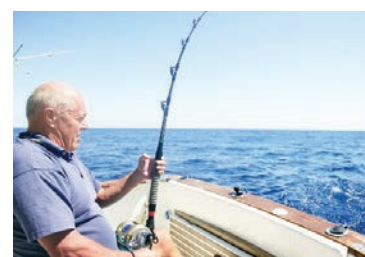
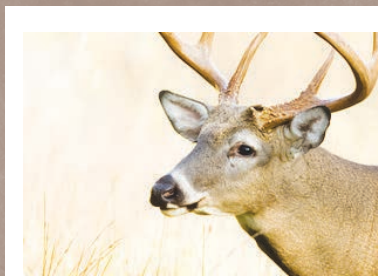
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Jakyra Brielle Greene, 27, Denton and Robert Lee Thomas, Jr., 29, same

Faith Kimberly Merritt, 26, Federalsburg and Travis McKenzie Thomas 26, Seaford

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Lindsey Anne Shortall, 37, Ridgely and Gary Wayne Wilkinson, Jr., 48, same

Nicole Angela Coppage, 25, Camden Wyoming, DE and Tyler Nathanille Turner, 25, same

Ashley Jane Behlke, 33, Goldsboro and Jeffrey Alan Harris, Jr., 31, same

Jordan Christine Miller, 32 Goldsboro and Joseph Lee Crew, 35, same

Tara Rane Faulkner, 37, Denton and Jeremy Steven Vaeth, 34, same

Rena Catherine Sard, 57, Cambridge and Robert Henry Callahan, Jr., 62, Preston

Karen Lashell Brummell, 43, Easton and Shawn Dwayne Kemp, 47, Upper Marlboro

Marta Magali Lopez Lopez, 29, Marydel and Lisman Tony Gomez Perez, Sr., 29, same

Alycea Nicole Berkhoel, 28, Denton and Mitchell Ryan Pugh, 26, same



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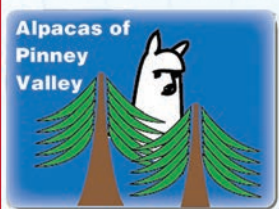
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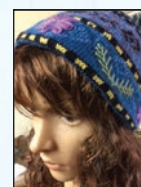
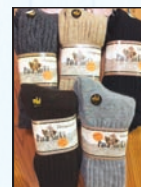
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## Federalsburg High School Class of 1961 to Be Honored at Luncheon on Heritage Day

The Federalsburg High School Class of 1961, the last graduating class from the school, will be honored with a luncheon by the Federalsburg Historical Society during Heritage Day on Saturday, October 16 at the museum located at Covey and Williamson Alley.

Every October, the Federalsburg Historical Society holds a Heritage Day event celebrating the many exhibits at the museum with tie-ins to Federalsburg and the surrounding community.

There will be a luncheon at noon for the Class of '61 and a brief talk during which the museum will recognize the class with a Heritage Day plaque. After lunch, the group will tour the present Federalsburg School, showing its many changes and upgrades since 1961.

The museum will be open from 10 am to 4 pm.

Exeter, the 1807 dwelling in Walkertown, will also be open that day from 10 am to 2 pm. Exeter is on the United States National Register of Historic Places.

For questions call Dick Wheatley at 443-786-1614.

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Lacey Renee Pritchett, 38, Centreville and Gerald Matthew Foulkes, 45, same

Evelyn Jean Jarrell, 72, Greensboro and John Martin Sherwood, Sr., 70, Greensboro

Jackeline Suseth Sanchez, 29, Marydel and Delvin Levi Vasquez Carreto, 37, same

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Nichole Chastien Cowdery, 32, Greensboro and Nicholas Joseph Richards, 32, same

Samantha Anne McKinney, 27, Marydel and Jason Wesley McKinney, 41, same

Christina Anne Bowman, 33, Washington, DC and John Nikolhaus Smith, 35, same



## What Does Retirement Security Mean to You?

Submitted by Ann Jacobs, Financial Advisor, Edward Jones - Denton  
410-479-0271

October is National Retirement Security Month. But what does retirement security mean to you? And how can you work toward achieving it?

### Here are some suggestions:

- Build your resources. While you're working, save in tax-advantaged accounts such as your IRA and 401(k) or similar employer-sponsored retirement plan. In your 401(k), contribute at least enough to earn your employer's match, if one is offered, and increase your contributions whenever your salary goes up. Remember, especially early in your career, time is often your biggest asset. Be sure to save early, since the longer you wait, the more you'll need to save to help reach your goals.
- Look for ways to boost retirement income. When transitioning to retirement, you can take steps to align your income with your needs. For example, consider Social Security. You can start collecting it as early as 62, but

your monthly payments will be much larger if you can wait until your "full" retirement age, typically between 66 and 67. (Payments will "max out" at age 70.) So, if you have sufficient income from a pension or your 401(k) and other retirement accounts, and you and your spouse are in good health with a family history of longevity, you may consider delaying taking Social Security. You also might want to explore other income-producing vehicles, such as certain annuities that are designed to provide a lifetime income stream.

- Prepare for unexpected costs. During your retirement, you can anticipate some costs, such as housing and transportation, but other expenses are more irregular and can't always be predicted, such as those connected with health care. Even with Medicare, you could easily spend a few thousand dollars a year on medical expenses, so you may want to budget for these costs as part of your emergency savings, and possibly purchase supplemental insurance. You may also want to consider the possibility of needing some type of long-term care, which is not typically covered by Medicare and can be quite expensive. The average annual cost of a private room in a nursing home is more than \$100,000, and it's about \$55,000 per year for a home health aide, according to Genworth, an insurance company. To address these costs, you may want to consider some form of protection, such as long-term care insurance or life insurance with a long-term care component.
- Do your estate planning. It's hard to feel totally secure in retirement if you're unsure of what might happen if you have an unexpected health event, become incapacitated or die earlier than expected. That's why you'll want to create a comprehensive estate plan – one that might include documents such as a durable power of attorney, a will and a living trust. A review of your insurance coverages and beneficiaries can also help protect your assets and ensure they are distributed the way you want. In creating your plan, you will need to work with your financial advisor and a legal professional, and possibly your tax advisor as well.

Thinking holistically about your retirement security and developing and executing a strategy aligned with your goals may help free you to enjoy one of the most rewarding times of your life.

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## Caroline County Bird Club

*Come join the Caroline County Bird Club - The oldest Eastern Shore Chapter of The Maryland Ornithological Society!*

Maryland Ornithological Society (MOS) is a nonprofit, statewide organization of people who are interested in birds and nature. It was founded in 1945 and incorporated in 1956 to promote the study and enjoyment of birds. MOS promotes knowledge about our natural resources and fosters its appreciation and conservation. The Society also maintains a system of sanctuaries to encourage the conservation of birds and bird habitat, and to help record and publish observations of bird life.

**Please note: We have moved our meeting nights at Caroline County Public Library to the first Wednesday of the month!**

Recognizing that we are not through the COVID-19 pandemic yet, we are following CDC's and Caroline County Health Department's recommendations of everyone wearing face masks when in-doors in public places.

**Saturday, October 2 – Basic Bird Walk at Camp Mardela,** 301 Deep Shore Road, Denton (just before you get to Martinak State Park). Leaders: Robin Lahnemann and Debby Bennett. Park and meet by the pavilion at 8 am. The pavilion is on the left hand side as you are going down the lane before you get to the main campus area.

**Wednesday, October 6 – Program.** Sue Simmons, Executive Director of Caroline County Recreation & Parks will give a presentation on the new North County Regional Park. 7:30 pm, Caroline County Public Library, 100 Market St., Denton.

**Sunday, October 10 – Caroline's Big Sit.** Location: Adkins Arboretum's Wetlands Overlook near the Visitors Center. Will run from 7:30 am to early evening for some owling. Dress comfortably, bring your binoculars, a chair to sit on, food and drink.

All activities are free and open to the public.

Check out more Caroline County Bird Club information at: <http://carolinebirdclubmos.blogspot.com>. And don't forget to visit our Facebook page and Like us! Just go to Caroline County Bird Club!



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We will follow all CDC guidelines and recommendations.

## 4th Annual Mid-Shore STEM Festival

The 4th Annual Mid-Shore STEM Festival will be held on Saturday, November 6, at the Caroline County 4-H Park, located at 8230 Detour Road, in Denton. The event will be held rain or shine from 9:30 am – 2:30 pm and is free and open to the public.

The Mid-Shore STEM Festival is hosted by the University of Maryland Extension 4-H and Family & Consumer Sciences Programs and is focused on providing hands-on science, technology, engineering, and math learning for youth of all ages and their families. Activities will include interactive displays, activity stations, demonstrations and workshops. This year's theme is "Health and Wellness" with many activities focused on the theme, as well as many other STEM topics. This is a great event to make career connections and learn about the future of science and science related careers and opportunities.

Bring your kids to participate during the Maryland Science Festival here on the mid-shore on November 6th for a fun science-filled day! We will have lunch and refreshments for sale. Remember, the event is free and open to all!

Please note that mask wearing and other COVID-19 safety measures might be in place during this event.

For more information, please contact Navonne Owen, UME Caroline County 4-H, at [nowen@umd.edu](mailto:nowen@umd.edu) or 410-479-4030. This is an equal opportunity and equal access program.

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### *Belonging Begins with US*

At the Caroline County Family YMCA, we believe communities are at their strongest when everyone feels valued, has support to reach their potential and can fully participate in society. Today, there are more than 42 million foreign-born individuals living in the U.S., more than at any other point in history. For us to reach our potential as a society, it is important that immigrants have access to integration services and receiving communities are prepared to welcome all.

By celebrating in Caroline County diversity and building bridges between immigrants and U.S. born residents, The Caroline County Family YMCA hosted events to help foster greater mutual understanding and social cohesion.

This year, we're reminding our community that "Belonging Begins with Us" whether it's starting a new job, moving to a new neighborhood or starting a new school, we've all had moments where we felt like we didn't belong. It's a universal feeling that we all can relate to, but for people who move to this community experiencing language barriers, cultural differences and more, feeling excluded can take years to overcome. We all have the power to help others feel they belong; each of us can help others, regardless of their background, feel like they are seen, embraced, welcomed and included in our community.

Let's create home together so everyone feels they belong, no matter where you are, or where you are from, so that each of us has a stake in its future. Together, we can celebrate the values that unite us as neighbors, parents and colleagues, and to make our community more welcoming to all those who call Caroline County home.

### *Events*

**Tent-or-Treat, October 16:** Third & Market Streets empty lot in Denton. Come dressed in your favorite costume and Tent or Treat with the Y! Tent-or-Treat starts at 6 pm. Costume Contests for ages (3-5), (6-8), and (9-12).



## *Thank You*

We wish to thank everyone who attended our Alpaca Festival & Farm Days Open House on September 18 & 19. We had an outstanding turnout and thank all of you for making the weekend a tremendous success. We're looking forward to next year's event.

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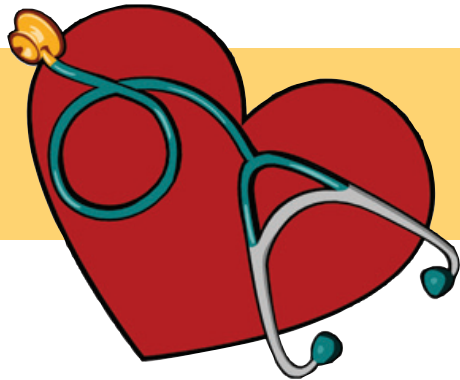
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### **Celebrate Red Ribbon Week This October!**

*Submitted by: Leigh Marquess, RN*

Tobacco use remains the number one preventable cause of death in the United States. Most long-term smokers started smoking as teenagers. According to Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, tobacco use in any form by youth is unsafe.

When parents talk to their teens about drugs, including tobacco, teens are 42% less likely to use drugs. Unfortunately, only about 25% of parents have these important conversations with their teens. Red Ribbon Week is a great time to engage youth in the prevention of drugs and it can all start with a simple conversation.

Red Ribbon Week is October 23rd – 31st and it is all about drug awareness and prevention. This year's theme is "Drug Free looks Like Me". Being drug free mean making the smart choice not to use drugs, including tobacco, as well as other nicotine products like electronic cigarettes, vapes, Juuls and other nicotine delivery devices.

Please join us in celebrating Red Ribbon Week! Our youth have the right to grow up drug free and we have the responsibly and power to make that happen. Take the pledge at [www.redribbon.org/pledge](http://www.redribbon.org/pledge). Remember to talk with your kids about saying no to tobacco, Juuls and other electronic nicotine delivery devices. If you need resources to help make these conversations happen, please reach out to us at 410-479-8080.

We also encourage all adults to set good examples for youth by not using tobacco, nicotine or other drugs. If you are thinking about quitting smoking, maybe to be a good role model for your kids, call the Caroline County Health Department. We will assist in getting you connected to The Maryland Quitline (1-800-QUITNOW) to start your quit plan. The program is offered at no cost to you. With the program, you will learn how to build a quit plan, have support, and receive nicotine



replacement products to help you successfully quit. Please call us today at 410-479-8080 to learn more or sign up.

### **Breast Cancer Screening During the time of COVID-19**

During this very challenging time of the coronavirus pandemic, we all have second thoughts about doing common everyday things like going to the grocery store or a restaurant, but what about going to a doctor's office for a routine exam? Many of us have stopped doing tasks that can affect our health and well-being. It has been 18 months since the coronavirus knowingly appeared in the USA. It is going to be with us for a while.



The percentage of mammograms, Pap tests, and Colonoscopies performed last year dropped by > 90% across the country. This has improved in 2021 as more people are being vaccinated. The National Cancer Institute has warned that delaying screening due to the pandemic could lead to a sharp increase in deaths from breast and colorectal cancers in the next 10 years.

Delayed screening may = delayed diagnosis = poorer prognosis = treatment options that are more invasive due to advanced stage of cancer.

**What to do? Coronavirus isn't stopping for anyone! Neither are we!**

- If you are due for a Clinical Breast Exam, Pap test, Mammogram or Colonoscopy, call your Primary Care Provider. Ask them if they are seeing patients and what the process is. They are prepared to see you with Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and will



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- If you are uninsured/underinsured, are age 40-65 (for a CBE/Mammogram), age 21-65 (for a Pap test) or > 50 (younger if symptomatic or family history for a Colonoscopy to test for colorectal cancer) and meet state income guidelines, please call The Caroline County Health Department @ 410-479-8080. We may be able to help provide no-cost cancer screening services for you or a loved one!

Getting your routine cancer screenings will help reduce your stress, give you peace of mind, and help you to have some control over your health and well-being during this pandemic!

#### ***Covid Testing***

The Caroline County Health Department continues to offer no-

cost COVID-19 testing at our drive-up clinics at the Denton Plaza vaccine center. Testing is offered on Tuesdays from 12:30-2:30 and Thursdays from 9:00- 11:00. Appts. are preferred. Please call 410-479-5880.

COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics are being offered on Wed., Thurs., and Fridays. Call 410-479-5880.

- Be well, be safe, don't touch your face!

- Wear a mask inside public places and when 6-feet social distancing isn't possible.
- Wash or sanitize your hands often. Encourage other to do the same.

#### ***Choptank Health expands school-based dental health***

Choptank Community Health recently added school-based dental services to



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Kent, and Queen Anne's County public school student enrollees. Choptank Health's dental services are already provided in Dorchester County Public Schools, with dental and medical services available to students enrolled in the school-based health programs of Caroline and Talbot County Public Schools.

Choptank Community Health's Chief Dental Officer Sandra Garbely-Kerkovich, DMD and Community Based Program Director Chrissy Bartz, PAC, MMS oversee the school-based dental program, with Pre-K through 12th-grade students enrolled in each school are eligible to receive care at any location.

Registered dental hygienists provide on-site dental screenings, fluoride treatments, sealant applications, and dental hygiene education. The free dental screenings include examinations of the teeth and all soft tissues of the mouth—along with instruction on brushing and flossing, and education on the importance of eating healthy foods in good oral hygiene.

"Strong partnerships with the area's local school systems are critical to the impact our School-Based Health Centers have on the wellness of all students," said Choptank Community Health CEO Sara Rich. "We are thankful for the commitment of each school and county for recognizing the importance

of this program in helping to provide access to health care for all."

Choptank Community Health operates 12 medical school-based health centers, located in each Caroline County Public School and in Talbot County Public School's Easton Elementary, Easton Middle, and Easton High Schools.

"School-Based Health Centers improve attendance by limiting the amount of time students and staff miss from school and work by providing the care they need, and then allowing them to return to school as appropriate," says Bartz. "It's a great service to our students, their parents, our schools, and ultimately our entire communities."

Each medical health center is staffed by licensed advanced practice clinicians, including Certified Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants, and function like a typical doctor's office. Choptank Health is offering telehealth and curbside visits at the schools for COVID testing, with quarantining protocols and separate well-child spaces on premise.

- According to the School-Based Health Alliance, school-based health care is a powerful tool for achieving health equity among children and adolescents who unjustly experience disparities in outcomes simply because of their race, ethnicity, or family income.

- The Alliance says school-based health care is also a commonsense idea gaining currency across the country as it places critically needed services like medical, behavioral, dental, and vision care directly in schools so that all young people, no matter their zip code, have equal opportunity to learn and grow. More about the Alliance is at [sbh4all.org](http://sbh4all.org).
- Choptank Community Health System's mission is to provide access to exceptional, comprehensive, and integrated health care for all. Choptank Health's vision is to improve the health and well-being of people in the communities served by providing outstanding care experiences while being an exceptional place to work and make a difference.
- Parents and guardians can enroll their students in Choptank Community Health's School-Based Health Centers by calling their school's health staff or Health Center, with more at [choptankhealth.org](http://choptankhealth.org).

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## Recreation & Parks

Check out the complete list of classes and online registration at [carolinerecreation.org](http://carolinerecreation.org). Call 410-479-8120 for more info.

### Turkey Trot

Mark November 20 on your calendars for the 2021 Turkey Trot! After a last-minute cancellation in 2020, your favorite pre-Thanksgiving tradition is back and better than ever. Run or walk our two-mile course, then stick around for the post-race festivities (exact line-up TBA). Keep an eye out for more details, including when and how you can register and what the free gift for the first registrants will be!

### Indoor Soccer Registration

Indoor Soccer is a fun recreational league for all. There are no practices for this league and only games on Saturday (we do not keep score unless it is a tournament game). The divisions are based on grades. We start with Pre-K and go through 12th grade. The season consists of 7-8 games and grades 3 - 12 have a tournament at the end of the season.

Register soon for this popular winter youth pastime. Players will be randomly

assigned to teams and play begins the week of January 3. Registration materials are available by request or on the website at [www.carolinerecreation.org](http://www.carolinerecreation.org). Recreation & Parks will accept mail-in or walk-in registrations starting September 1. All players who register prior to Oct. 31 will be guaranteed a playing position. Any registrations received after Oct. 31 will incur a late fee and will be put on a waiting list with team openings filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Sponsored by Provident State Bank & Preston Auto-Body.

Registration September 15 - October 31 - \$60

Late Registrations \$80 after October 31 will be put on a waiting list and filled on a first-come, first-served basis.

### Adult Open Gym Basketball

Up for some good competition? Come out and join the has-been, should have been, or could have been for two hours of full court basketball!

At the Fretterd Community Center on Wednesdays, October 6 - December 22 from 6-8 pm for 18 years + up (out of high school). \$4 at the door.

At North Carolina High School on Sundays, October 3 - December 19 from 5:30- 7:30 pm for ages 40 and up. \$4 at the door.

### Pickleball

Pickleball has been dubbed the "sweet sport with the sour name." Pickleball is oversized ping pong on a badminton size court with a tennis sized paddle. It's a paddle sport for all ages and athletic abilities and it's very easy to learn and play. Open to ages 18 years & up.

Evening Drop-In Pickleball is on Tuesdays, October 5 - December 21 from 6:15 - 8:15 p.m. \$45 for 12 weeks or \$5 drop-in fee.

### Advanced Open Gym Volleyball

Did you play volleyball in the past? Come out and join the fun. High energy group of adults ages 18 and up always looking for a few more to play on Friday evenings. Must have previous volleyball experience. Starts September 17 from 6 - 8 p.m. at the Fretterd Community Center. \$4 at the door. Ends December 17. Send text to 410-829-1853 for any questions or to make sure they are playing.

### Gymnastics

Help your 2-3 year-old child develop physical coordination in Tumble Bunnies through gymnastics, tumbling and fun! During this nine-week course, young children will work on small and gross motor skill mastery, agility and discipline. Coordinator Joan Dyott has more than 30 years of experience in gymnastics and dance including many years of experience working with very young tumblers. Classes are on Tuesdays beginning October 5 at 10 a.m. at the Fretterd Community Center. Cost is \$89.

Super Tots is for children ages 4-6 who are new to gymnastics and tumbling. This class, led by Joan Dyott, focuses not only on your child's physical development, but their cognitive and social-emotional development as well. In addition to helping build coordination, balance, and small and gross motor skills, your super tot will practice discipline and gain self-confidence. Classes are on Tuesdays

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beginning October 5 at 11 a.m. at the Fretterd Community Center. Cost is \$89.

### **Ballet**

All classes are held at To The Pointe dance studio in Ridgely on Wednesdays, October 6 – December 15.

**In Pre-school Ballet – Fairies & Butterflies** you will take flight with us as we explore ballet basics and creative movement through the forest as Fairies and Butterflies. Dancers should wear dance or athletic attire and may dance in ballet slippers or bare feet. Hair should be pulled out of the face. Feel free to wear your own wings or borrow a pair of ours! Classes run 5:30 – 6:00 p.m. Open to ages 3 – 4 and the cost is \$79.

**Intro to Ballet – The Snow Queen** – This class will focus on ballet movement, vocabulary, and a touch of history as we prepare for winter. The class features music from all our winter favorites while also working on a special dance featuring our favorite Show Queen, Elsa! Dancers should wear ballet attire and ballet slippers. Hair should be pulled out of the face. Classes run 6:00 – 6:30 p.m. Open to ages 5-7 and the cost is \$79.

**Ballet & Jazz Combination – The Four Seasons** – Explore music and dance featuring the four seasons while learning ballet & jazz dance basics, vocabulary, and participating in a craft and special themed dance choreography for each season!

Dancers should wear dance attire and ballet slippers. Hair should be pulled out of the face. Jazz shoes are optional but not necessary. Classes run 6:30 – 7:15 p.m. Open to ages 8 - 10 and the cost is \$89.

### **Tribal Belly Dance Level 1**

Have you always been intrigued by Belly Dance? Come out and try it! American Tribal Style (ATS) belly dance is a modern style of belly dance that uses set belly dance movements, with distinct cues and transitions, to create dance improvisation in a group (tribe). Students will learn the basic belly dance movements and format for how to dance together as a group. Open to ages 16 and up. Classes held on Wednesdays November 4 – December 16 from 6:15 – 7:15 pm at the Fretterd Community Center. Cost is \$59.

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# Community Calendar

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**Eternal Life Ministries winter hat, coat and glove drive** to collect new or gently used items to help those in need. Donations can be dropped off any Sunday during our Free at 3pm! Worship Service or any Wednesday during our in person 6 pm Bible Study at 807 Market Street, Denton.

## SUNDAY

**In person worship** every at 3 pm at Eternal Life Ministries, 807 Market St., Denton, where we are "Free at 3"!

Contact Brother Mike at 410-714-4793 for more information.

## MONDAYS

**The Ridgely Lions meet on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month** at the Ridgely United Methodist Church Social Hall, 107 Central Ave. in Ridgely at 6:30 pm. For more info on the Ridgely Lions go to [www.ridgelylions.org](http://www.ridgelylions.org) or [www.facebook.com/ridgelylionsclub](http://www.facebook.com/ridgelylionsclub). We are always seeking new members who are interested in serving their community.

## FIRST MONDAYS

**The Greensboro Historical Society**, 104 E. Sunset Ave., meets each month on the first Monday at 7 pm.

## TUESDAYS

**Tuesday Bingo at Denton American Legion Post 29.** 7:30 pm. Snacks at break and computers available. Info 410 -479-2708.

## WEDNESDAYS

**Community Civic League Food Pantry**, 3439 Laurel Grove Road, Federalsburg. Wednesdays, 4 - 5 pm or by appointment. Free food and clothing. Contact: 302-604-4216 or 410-754-6011.

In person **Bible Study** at 6 pm, Eternal Life Ministries, 807 Market St., Denton.

The Ridgely Lions Club supports the **Ridgely United Methodist Church with their weekly "Food Pantry"** from 4-5 pm. Folks in need can pick up a grocery distribution behind the Church on Central Ave in Ridgely. For more information, contact Lion Shad Brannock at [ridgelionsec@gmail.com](mailto:ridgelionsec@gmail.com).

## SECOND FRIDAYS

**The Greensboro Historical Society Museum**, 104 E. Sunset Ave., "Friday Night at the Museum" is usually held on the second Friday of each month at 6:30 with various presentations of historical interest. Also open by appointment. Our mission is the preservation of our local history and heritage, education and outreach to the greater Greensboro community. Stop by to see local artifacts and to learn about Greensboro of olden times. We also look forward to hearing your memories of old Greensboro and your thoughts on how best to preserve the history and heritage of our community. Masks must be worn and social distancing observed. For more information call 410-482-8903.

## SATURDAYS

**Preston Historical Society** has resumed Saturday hours. For more information on the museum and its upcoming reopening and events visit [www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com](http://www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com), Facebook at "Preston Historical Society," or call 410-943-1891.

**The Caroline County Historical Society Rural Life Museum** located at 16 N. 2nd St., Denton is open every Saturday from 11 am to 4 pm from May through November. We adhere to all COVID -19 regulations including the wearing of a mask in the Museum. We do not provide masks. Contact: 410-479-2055 or [www.carolinehistory.org](http://www.carolinehistory.org) for additional information.

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Events

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**Cost \$12**



Purse Bingo

**Sunday, November 14**

\$25 in advance;  
\$30 at the door.  
Doors open at 6 pm;  
games begin at 7pm.

Soup & Sandwich

**Friday, October 15**

\$10

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Quarter Auction

**Friday, October 22**

Doors open at 6 pm;  
games begin at 7 pm.  
Call Tammy at 443-786-9266 if you want to be a vendor.

Keep an eye out on our Facebook page for **ONLINE RAFFLES** coming for the holidays!

## FIRST SATURDAYS

**Community Civic League Breakfast**, 3439 Laurel Grove Road, Federalsburg. Every first Saturday, 7-10:30 am. Scrapple, sausage, eggs, potatoes, applesauce, biscuit, oj, coffee, \$8. Local delivery available. One free breakfast to anyone who attended the original school or daycare. Contact: 410-754-6011 or 410-924-0552.

**Ridgely Train Station**, sponsored by the Ridgely Historical Society will be open the 1st Saturday of the month from 10 am until 1 pm through Sept. 4. For tours not on these specified dates and times, please call Cathy & Rick 410-991-8225.

## SECOND SATURDAYS

**Giving Grace Food Pantry held at Goldsboro Fire Co., 700 Old Line Road, Goldsboro.** Food available from 7 am until. For more information, call 302-270-1948. Sponsored by Trinity United Methodist Church, Goldsboro.

The **1809 Exeter House** (Old Denton Road, Federalsburg) will be open for tours on the second Saturday of each month, beginning from 10 am to 2 pm. Admission is free, but donations are welcomed.

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1

**Friday Nite Dinner at Denton American Legion Post #29**, 9238 Legion Road, 5-7 pm. Cost is \$8. Sloppy Joe Sandwich. Entertainment with George Garriss on guitar from 7-11 pm. Info. 410-479-2708.

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8

**Friday Nite Dinner at Denton American Legion Post #29**, 9238 Legion Road, 5-7 pm. Cost is \$8 or \$12. Fish and/or Shrimp. Entertainment is KG Band from 7-11 pm. Info. 410-479-2708.

## FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15

**12th Annual Ridgely Lions Club Golf Tournament** will be held at the Hog Neck Golf Course. This tournament supports the Lions Scholarship fund.

Tournament begins at 9 am, registration 8-9 am. Shotgun Start with a Captain's Choice/Best Ball format. Cost is \$100/person or \$400 per team. For additional info please contact: Lion Jerry Sutton: 443-786-0848 or gasutton51@gmail.com or Lion Joe Riley: 410-9357052 or rileystyle@msn.com. Download registration form -www.facebook.com//Ridgely Lions Club.

**Octoberfest Dinner at Denton American Legion Post #29**, 9238 Legion Road, 5-7 pm. Cost is \$8. Entertainment is Karaoke with Linda Webb from 7-11 pm. Info. 410-479-2708.

## SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16

**Celebrate Federalsburg Heritage Day** from 10 am - 4 pm at the Heritage Museum. There will be food, music, antique cars & trucks, new displays, and more. Donations welcomed at the door. Handicap accessible. Sponsored by Federalsburg Historical Society. 100 Covey Williams Alley, Federalsburg.



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**The Caroline County Republican Women will meet** at 10 am at the home of Nance White, 25053 Pealiquor Road, Denton. The speaker will be Joe Riley, States Attorney. Light refreshments will be available. All are welcome!

**Eternal Life Ministries will hold their first Fall Fest** from 11 am to 4 pm. There will be food and vendors. No fee for vendors, please contact Maschell Hines at 410-714-1087 if you'd like to be a vendor. Rain date is October 23. All festivities will take place on the church grounds at 807 Market Street, Denton.

### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17**

**Third Sunday Breakfast** at Denton American Legion Post #29, 9238 Legion Road, 8-11 am. Cost is \$9. Info. 410-479-2708.

**Join us for our Fall Harvest Sunday with Evangelist Kyle England preaching** at the 11 am and 7 pm services. Sunday School for all ages is at 10 am. If you have questions, contact Don Reynolds, Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, 1120 Market Street, Denton, 410-924-6404, donaldwreynolds@comcast.net, [www.calvarybaptistchurchofdenton.org](http://www.calvarybaptistchurchofdenton.org).

### **MONDAY, OCTOBER 18**

**Preston Historical Society will hold a membership meeting** at 7 PM at its museum located at 167 Main Street in Preston. Guest speaker will be DeeDee Wood who will present "Haunted Antiques," a fun lecture on famous and infamous antiques with a reputation for being haunted or strange. The public is invited to attend. For more information call 410-943-1891 or visit [www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com](http://www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com).

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### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19**

**The Community Club of Preston will hold its monthly membership meeting** at Noon at the Lions Club Community Building, 114 Williamson Street, Preston. Guest speaker will be Pastor Paul Lewis, who will share his foreign travel experience. New members are always welcome. For more information call 410-673-1119 or visit Facebook at "Community Club of Preston, Maryland."

### **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22**

**Friday Nite Dinner** at Denton American Legion Post #29, 9238 Legion Road, 5-7 pm. Cost is \$8. SAL serving Pork Chop Dinner. Entertainment is Karaoke with Alan Cheezum from 7-11 pm. Info. 410-479-2708.



### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24

**Preston Historical Society will hold a Cash Bingo** at the Preston Volunteer Fire Dept., 3680 Choptank Road, Preston. Doors open at noon and games begin at 2PM. In addition to Cash Bingo there will be Tag Boards, Tricky Tray, and 50/50 Raffle. Chicken salad sandwiches from Shore Country Store, hot dogs, nachos, chips, sodas, and water will be sold, along with baked good items. Admission is \$30, call 410-924-9080 to reserve seat. For more info visit [www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com](http://www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com).

**Turkey Shoot at Denton American Legion Post #29**, 9238 Legion Road, at 1 pm. Info. 410-479-2708.

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

**Greater Greensboro Open** (Sponsored by Greensboro Historical Society) will be held at Wild Quail Country Club, 1 Clubhouse Dr., Camden Wyoming, DE. Registration is 8:30 am, Shotgun Start 10:00 AM. Call 410-482-8903 or 410-829-1679. \$75 per person.

**Friday Nite Dinner** at Denton American Legion Post #29, 9238 Legion Road, 5-7 pm. ALA serving Chicken and Dumpling

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 31

**Preston Historical Society will host its annual Haunted Porch** at its museum located at 167 Main Street in Preston. Trick-or-treaters are invited, time will follow the town of Preston's trick-or-treat schedule. For more information call 410-943-1891 or visit [www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com](http://www.prestonhistoricalsociety.com).

### SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6 AND 7

**35th Annual Craft Show at Denton American Legion Post #29**, 9238 Legion Road. Free admission. Crafts, food, bake table, silent auction, door prizes, lunch daily. Call Joanne Weis at 410-479-4737 for more info. Support our troops! All current Covid 19 protocols must be observed.

### SUNDAY NOVEMBER 7

Please join Eternal Life Ministries as we will be honoring our Veterans for their sacrifice and service to our country. This will be part of our Free at 3pm!

Sunday Worship Service. Dinner for \$8. Entertainment is Country Express from 7-11 pm. Info. 410-479-2708.

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11

**CASA Breakfast Information Session** at 7:30 AM at the Denton Diner in Denton Plaza, with guest speaker The Honorable

J. Owen Wise. Space is limited. Please reserve yours by calling Amy at 410-479-8301 or email [casacaroline100@gmail.com](mailto:casacaroline100@gmail.com). Complimentary juice and coffee. Door prizes.



The poster for the Mac'n Cheese Festival features a bright orange background. At the top, the words "Mac'n CHEESE" are written in a large, stylized font, with "FESTIVAL" in a smaller, blocky font below it. Underneath, the "CAROLINE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE" logo is displayed, followed by the tagline "you belong here" and the event name "Mactoberfest 2021". The main text on the poster reads: "The secret ingredient is always cheese!" followed by "Saturday, October 30 • 11 AM - 4 PM" and "Downtown Denton". It also includes the text "Rain or shine", "\$10 Adults, \$5 Children 12 & Under", and "For complete details, visit [www.carolinechamber.org](http://www.carolinechamber.org)". The bottom half of the poster is a collage of logos for various local businesses and organizations, including Liberty Title & Escrow, Greensboro Pharmacy, Caroline County Office of Tourism, Avery Hall, Brenton Realty Group, Purple Peake CBD, Shore United Bank, Caroline County Economic Development, Midshore Technology Services, BW Best Western, Tri Gas & Oil Co., Inc., Choptank, and Preston Automotive Group. At the very bottom, there is a row of car brand logos: Ford, Lincoln, Mazda, Hyundai, Genesis, Chevrolet, Dodge, Jeep, Ram, and Chevrolet.

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## Ridgely Rails Legacy

This month, I want to highlight the first book in the RIDGELY RAILS LEGACY series. Last month I included a short synopsis of the story, but in this article, I'd like to provide the back cover summary as well as some inside information on the novel and its cover.

*"Suffering has been stronger than all other teaching... I have been bent and broken, but--I hope--into a better shape." – Charles Dickens, Great Expectations*

*Ella Mae Hutchins knows exactly what she wants from life. Getting it turns out to be much harder than she expects. She has only two dreams: to marry Daniel Evans and to become a successful novelist. When neither dream seems achievable, she sets out to build a life without either.*

After all her efforts fail, Ella Mae returns to her hometown broken. Determined to start again, the last thing she expects is to encounter the man she blames for ruining her life.

Although age and suffering have changed them both, can she forgive Daniel for breaking her heart and is she brave enough to hope for a writing career in a time when female novelists are rare?

It doesn't take much imagination to know where the inspiration came from for Ella Mae's character. At an early age, I developed a love for reading and writing and began cultivating a dream that one day I could find my name on the New York Time's Best Seller List. Although my favorite fictional characters growing up were Anne of Green Gables and Josephine March from Little Women, in college I discovered literary fiction and fell in love with Mark Helprin's A Soldier of the Great War. At that time, I concluded that in order to be successful, I must write in a similar male voice if I wanted to receive credit and acclaim from male critics.

It wasn't until I was an adult that I, like Anne Shirley and Jo March, circled back to the simplicity of my early love for imagination and literature, and it was this mindset which inspired me to write WHERE THIS ROAD ENDS. When I was young, like Ella Mae, I was always in a corner with my nose in a book or lost in my own imagination, creating stories. I wrote my first full length novel when I was fifteen (in the olden days of paper and pen and hardback encyclopedias!) and by the time I graduated high school, it had evolved into a three-book series. I was full of hope, and then... Life happened. As it does to everyone. And I lost faith in myself and in my dream.

When I moved to Ridgely, I had already self-published two different series, six books total, and I was in a much more hopeful place. I was inspired by the old town charm and the 1895 house which I was living in (it now has a new caretaker). How often do you get to include your own home in an historical fiction novel? I was pretty excited about it! It is known by locals as the John Jarrell House and was constructed

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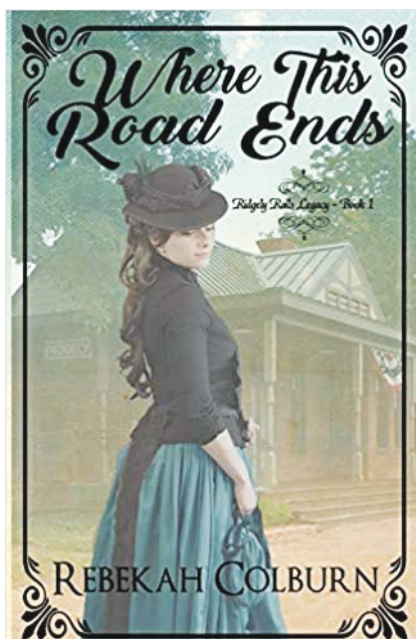
as a boarding house during a time of growth in Ridgely, thanks to the fertile farmlands and the railroad.

The doors on the house still bore the brass numbers and one of the wooden double doors to the room I used as my office was still stenciled in old time type: "Office." In the backyard, the barn still stood which had served as a carriage house for the horses and buggies of the family and guests. It was easy to place myself in a different time period and imagine my characters living in the house and walking the streets of Ridgely.

Like so many other small Eastern Shore towns, the survival of Ridgely was directly linked to its ability to ship goods through the railroad, so the title of the series seemed like a logical tribute. In typical eccentric writer fashion, I holed myself up from the world throughout the winter months and did little else but research and write in my spare time. I also began planning the cover for the novel, and it only seemed natural for it to include a picture of the old railroad station. It wasn't until I emerged from my hermitage in the spring that I learned the local historical society had been working to preserve the station and it would be ready for its grand debut at the same time I was ready to call in my graphic designer. Talk about perfect timing!

Recently this novel was reviewed as "A sweet, but sad, story." I promise it has a happy ending! Not every love story does. My





daughter refuses to watch Little Women with me since Jo and Teddy don't end up together. But in the spirit of Anne Shirley finally finding her soulmate in Gilbert, Ella Mae will marry Daniel to satisfy that longing in all our hearts!

For personal reasons, this will always be one of my favorites of the novels I've written. My hope for readers is that you will not only learn more about the historical time period and old time Ridgely, but be inspired to grow from your trials and suffering and never lose hope!



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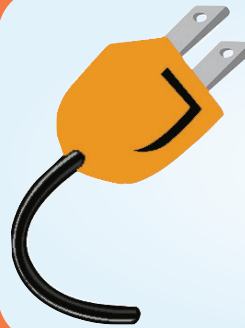
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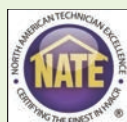
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### **Denton Lions Looking for New Members**

Welcome to the Denton Lions Club. We are actively looking for new members. If you feel good about helping your community, then we're the club for you. The Denton Lions meet twice monthly in the fall, winter and spring. We meet on the first and third Monday nights each month from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. The meetings are both in person and via Zoom. Please stop in and join us for a meeting. If you might be interested, please call 214-205-7555. All are welcome.

The Denton Lions support the community in various ways. Primarily, we assist with vision and medical needs. We collect used eyeglasses, support training for guide dogs and help obtain medical equipment such as wheelchairs and walkers. The Denton Little League plays baseball and softball on our baseball fields. We make our clubhouse available to community organizations for event rentals. Importantly, we give a few college scholarships to Denton high school seniors each spring. All of these activities are made possible by fund raising events like Summerfest, spring and fall chicken dinner sales and participation in the Ridgely Strawberry Festival. Twice a year, we help pick up trash along Route 404 near the McDonalds. Membership is not a huge labor commitment and the benefit to the community far outweighs the time the Lions contribute. The fellowship is great. Please consider joining us.

Currently, the Denton Lions are raising funds for a wheelchair ramp to be added to the Denton Clubhouse. This ADA compliant ramp will help provide access to both the Lions and the community that rents the clubhouse. There is a Go Fund Me account set up to help raise funding for this effort. Even if you are not considering joining the Lion's Club, please consider contributing to the wheelchair fund. The Go Fund Me account is: <https://gofund.me/28e82444>

Thanks to the community for the past support, and we look forward to future support and hopefully a few new members.

### **Chicken BBQ Dinners And Funnel Cakes — Finally, After A Long Two Years Wait!**

Mark your calendars and save the date of Saturday, October 9, so as to not miss the long-awaited return of the much-heralded Marydel Lions Club BBQ Chicken Dinner and 'World Famous Funnel Cakes' event. The grounds of State Line Gas in Marydel will host this year's fall fundraiser. Plans call for the first of the 200 BBQ chicken dinners to be ready beginning at 9:30 am with "stop, order, pay, grab'n go sales" through 12:30 pm --- if not sold out sooner. The Club's cooked-to-order 'World Famous Funnel Cakes' will also be ready beginning at 9:30 am as well as throughout the entire event.

Each of the Club's BBQ chicken dinners will include a fully cooked one-half chicken, baked beans, apple sauce and dinner roll. Each dinner is served in its own covered container with paper napkin and dinner utensils. Inquiries can be directed to [terryhiggins38@outlook.com](mailto:terryhiggins38@outlook.com) or 302-363-5823.

Also at this event, the Marydel Lions Club's very modestly priced 2022 "Weather, Gardening And Fishing" calendar will be available for purchase. These very popular calendars make great New Year's and seasonal gifts to family, friends, business associates and clients.

Please know that 100% of all of the funds that are generated from all of the Club's fundraisers are directed into all of the programs and projects that the Marydel Lions Club uses to support the children, youth, families, adults and seniors that reside in the Maryland and Delaware environs and towns of the greater Marydel area.

A Marydel Lions Club brochure listing the services that the Club helps to support through its projects and programs will be included with each BBQ Chicken Dinner and Funnel Cake sale. Look for the Club's Chicken BBQ Dinner and Funnel Cake ad in this month's Caroline Review. Should you have any questions relative to membership opportunities, services provided and/or projects and programs, please call Terry Higgins at 302-492-3354.

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Greensboro Lions Club will hold a Chicken BBQ on Saturday, October 23 at Charles Bilbrough Park, Rt. 480, Greensboro. Sales will begin at 11 a.m.

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# Senior Spot

## Senior Moments

by Mary Moran

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It's finally Fall! What a relief to turn off the AC and open the windows to that good, cool country air? As the harvest begins and we see our farmers out on the roads getting to their crops with their tractors, combines, and balers, let's remember how important these hard-working folks are to our local and national economy. Practicing patience as they maneuver their behemoth equipment around Caroline County is an important part of being a good neighbor! They know we are behind them and try to make way whenever possible for general traffic, so let's give them a break and keep all gestures friendly!

As we ready ourselves for fall, we must also get ready for an avalanche of snail mail plus plenty of radio, internet, and television advertising this fall, folks! Open enrollment for Prescription Drug Coverage part "D" starts October 15 and ends December 7, so anyone selling anything Medicare related (including

Supplemental policies and Advantage plans) is flooding the market with "buy from us" attention grabbers! Agents that are marketing Medicare products have guidelines set out by CMS that they must follow. Under these guidelines, plans and agents cannot:

- Use language that suggests their plan is preferred by Medicare
- Represent itself as coming from or sent by Medicare, Social Security, or Medicaid
- Call or text you if you did not ask them to do so
- Leave information (such as leaflets, flyers, door hangers, etc.) on your car or at your home if they come from a company that did not have an appointment with you
- Provide information that is inaccurate or misleading
- Require attendees to provide contact information as a prerequisite for attending a marketing event
- Call marketing event attendees later without permission
- Call prospective enrollees to confirm receipt of mailed information
- Approach beneficiaries in public common areas, such

as parking lots, hallways, lobbies, or sidewalks

Remember that Open Enrollment is the time to evaluate ones' current prescription drug plan (part "D") and enroll in a different plan for 2022 if need be. The evaluation includes examining changes to the plan's formulary, whereby a given medicine can be dropped and will no longer be covered, or changes in the tiering of a drug which affects the cost and availability of medications. Call Mary Moran at the above number for information and assistance with your evaluations for next year's coverage or to report violations of the guidelines stated above!

The Medicare Modernization Act requires insurers whose policies include drug coverage to notify policyholders in writing if their prescription drug coverage is creditable. Creditable coverage means that the coverage is expected to pay, on average, as much as the standard Medicare part "D" prescription drug coverage. This disclosure must be provided to Medicare eligible working individuals and their dependents, as well as COBRA individuals and their dependents, by their employer, union, or Integrated plan. (An integrated plan is any plan of benefits offered to Medicare eligible individuals that offers prescription drug benefits, along with medical coverage, vision, dental, etc.) This notification also applies to those who are disabled and Medicare eligible, as well as retirees and their dependents. If one does not have creditable coverage from an entity other than Medicare, you are facing penalties once you do sign up for "D", Medicare Prescription Drug coverage!

Remember that after one's initial enrollment period, those who are Medicare eligible and do not have creditable drug coverage after 63 days of losing drug coverage will be assessed a Late Enrollment Penalty when they enroll in a Medicare Prescription Drug Plan. (PDP) The Late Enrollment Penalty amount is added to the enrollees' monthly part "D" premium. The PDP collects the penalty in addition to the premium payment and passes it along

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to Social Security. The base amount of the Late Enrollment Penalty can change annually. The penalty for 2021 was 33.6 cents X number of months without coverage. Therefore, if one has gone 14 months without creditable coverage, 14 months X 33.6= \$4.70 per month. Therefore, \$4.70 per month would be added to one's prescription drug premium for 2021. Since the penalty amount can change annually, the penalty amount tacked onto one's "D" premium can change over time as well. So, if you do not have creditable coverage from another entity, Don't Delay! Call Mary Moran and Enroll during the 2021 Open Enrollment!

Social Security and the Center for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) also spend the fall sending out important Color-coded notices to LIS (Low Income Subsidy) Beneficiaries. Be sure to keep any and all notices you receive from these government agencies in the event you need more information or wish to appeal denials or decisions regarding Medicare Savings Programs.

By late September, all people who qualify for Extra Help will receive a notice (called a rider) from their current drug plan stating how much help they will get toward the 2021 Part "D" premium, deductible, and copayments. The folks who participate in Extra Help and have been selected for review should have received an "Income and Resources Summary" sheet from Social Security. This must be returned in the postage paid envelope within 30 days to recertify eligibility, or the Extra Help coverage will end as of January 1, so do not dawdle! Return it today! Social Security will begin mailing out notices in November letting people know if they will still qualify for this program in the coming year.

If a beneficiary receives a grey notice in October, stating that they no longer automatically qualify for Extra Help as of the first of the new year, they must re-apply using the application enclosed with the notice. If one receives an orange notice from CMS in October, it will state that an individual still automatically qualifies for extra help,

but their copayment levels will change starting January 1, 2021. Blue notices are re-assignment notices. A CMS Blue notice may inform beneficiaries that their current Medicare drug plan is leaving Medicare for the upcoming year so they must choose a new one before December 31. A CMS blue notice may also inform non-choosers (plans are assigned by CMS) that their current plan's premium is above the regionally assigned maximum for LIS assistance, so they must join a new plan, or they will be assigned a new plan. A blue notice will be sent out in December, is entitled "Reassign Formulary Notice", and informs those who were reassigned new plans which of the part "D" drugs they took in 2021 will be covered by the new plan.

Finally, in November CMS will send out a tan notice to Extra Help Beneficiaries who choose their own drug plan. They will be advised that their current plan's premium is changing, and they will have to pay the difference if they do not choose a new \$0 premium plan themselves. This notice should include a list of local plans with \$0 premiums for Full Extra Help recipients. It is best to choose next year's prescription drug plan yourself. For SHIP assistance, Call Mary Moran at the above phone numbers to receive help comparing available plans to best suit your needs for 2022!

On another note, scammer scum has fine-tuned their Internet Alarming Alerts with multiple POP-UP windows layered over a background of a very realistic looking Microsoft screen. The message screams a warning from Microsoft stating that your computer has alerted Microsoft that it has been infected with a virus and spyware. As the noise spikes your blood pressure, the message warns that if you close the page without resolving the issue, access to your computer will be disabled to prevent further damage to the network or your computer. Do not call the number on the screen. Microsoft will never display a phone number on your screen. The phone number is the tipoff that crooks are prowling and



The advertisement for Arcadia Living features a logo at the top with two birds flying over a stylized sun. Below the logo, the text "ARCADIA LIVING" is displayed in a serif font. A dark blue banner with white text reads "ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY". The background of the lower section is a faded image of a modern house. A list of services is provided in a clean, sans-serif font. An orange banner contains the website address. The address is listed below in a smaller font. The bottom of the ad has a dark blue banner with white cursive text.

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free of charge. That is the hook to get into your computer information.

When this pop-up attacks, turn off your computer immediately and wait a few minutes.

Despite your being concerned about losing information, do not rush to turn it back on again! You must give it at least a few minutes in the shutdown mode, otherwise the message may pop up again if you turn it back on immediately! And seeing it twice could mean it's real, right?! Wait a few minutes, then go to your browsing history to pull up where you left off before the attack. Don't be duped, turn your computer off and shut the bottom feeders down!

Caroline County Senior Center's Fall Classes will be starting soon! We offer the very popular exercise program called Enhance Fitness with Jennifer on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Come and enjoy Ceramics, Crafts, and our Healthy Nutrition and Health Education presentations. Blood Pressure screenings are once a month with Anne Clucas. Lunch is served Monday, Wednesday and Friday at Noon as well as Tuesday & Thursday at 11:30 a.m. The cost is \$2.50 so come join us for lunch!!! Please call Jennifer Acree at 410-479-2535 to join in the fun and for dates and times of our many activities. We are happy to answer any questions about the classes listed above! Feel free to stop by the Center to pick up our Monthly Calendar, Newsletter and Menu.... Some dates are subject to change, questions about upcoming classes or crafts, please contact the Center!!!

Happy Harvest to all!

### ***Feddersburg Senior Center***

Fall is here and the members of the Feddersburg Senior Center are looking forward to the many local Fall celebrations and fall activities at the Center. Our members also will be participating in the many on-going programs offered at the Center. Tyrell James presents "Healthy Living," on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 am. The "SAIL" exercise program follows

at 11 am led by Jennifer Tunis. Also, on the second Tuesday of the month, blood pressure monitoring along with medication advice at 10 am by Melanie Chapple. On October 28, Tiffany Scott from Priority Partners will present a presentation at noon on "Women's Health."

A free continental breakfast is offered at 9 am and lunch at noon, with a contribution of \$2.75. After lunch on Tuesdays the seniors play games or participate in painting or craft activities. Bingo is played on Thursdays after lunch.

The center is located above the Town Hall and is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 to 3.

October Birthdays:

Jerome Taylor – October 29

### ***Caroline Medical Adult Day Care Receives Donation from Food Lion Feeds Charitable Foundation***

Caroline Medical Adult Day Care has received \$2,500 from the Food Lion Feeds Charitable Foundation just in time to help feed local neighbors. Caroline Medical Adult Day Care will use the gift to provide the participants

with nutritional education in a fun, healthy manner.

"Caroline Medical Adult Day Care is thrilled to have the support of the Food Lion Feeds Charitable Foundation gift. Caroline Medical Adult Day Care will be able to accomplish the goal of providing education regarding healthy nutritional habits through an interesting fun and tasty approach", said Carole Friend.

The gift will allow the Medical Adult Day Care to continue working towards the goals of the organization providing a program assisting adults to remain healthy in their homes and community in the least restrictive setting while maintaining the healthiest lifestyle with dignity and a sense of quality of life through professional care.

The Food Lion Feeds Charitable Foundation is committed to supporting families facing food insecurity across its ten-state footprint. Established in 2001, the Food Lion Feeds Charitable Foundation provides financial support for programs and organizations dedicated to feeding the hungry in the communities it serves. Since its inception, the foundation has awarded more than \$12 million in grants.





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 Aug 19 David Lee Acosta, 60, Denton  
 Aug 20 Carolyn Jean Klecan, 70, Felton, DE  
 Aug 21 Amy Dawn Smith, 41, Greensboro  
 Aug 22 Raul Ramos Munoz, 35, Templeville  
 Sept 5 Edward William Gillespie, Sr., 83  
 Sept 12 Catherine Ann Sheehan, 84, Odenton  
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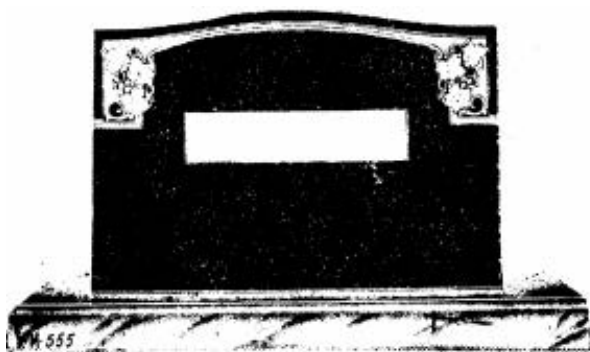
Aug 16 Jeffrey Morris Grant, 53, Federalsburg  
 Aug 17 Robert Stewart Ross, 98, Easton  
 Aug 18 Mattie Jeanette Christopher Gehring, 89, Federalsburg  
 Aug 19 William "Billy" Clarence Spanish, Jr., 70, Bridgeville, DE  
 Aug 19 Frances "Dee" Poore-Spicer, 85, Blades, DE  
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 Aug 27 Ardash "Ardy" Mae Bridges, 88, St. Michaels  
 Aug 27 Mary Evelyn Farrow, 95, Hurlock  
 Aug 30 Evelyn J. Lankford, 91, Milton, DE

Aug 30 Gene G. Lednum, 93, Easton  
 Aug 30 Richard "Dick or Dickie" Lee Christopher, 80, Preston  
 Aug 31 Margaret Ann Strain, 71, Greenwood, DE  
 Sept 2 Eva Evon Briggs, 66, Cambridge  
 Sept 2 Frances Irene Bounds, 97, Easton  
 Sept 4 Beverlee Crouse Wade Schurman, 79, Rock Hall  
 Sept 6 Abby Lynn Lones, 55, Hurlock  
 Sept 6 Priscilla "Pris" Medford, 74, Gambrills  
 Sept 9 Priscilla Mae Tull Parsons, 82, Federalsburg  
 Sept 9 Robert Thomas Minner, Jr., 73, Greenwood, DE  
 Sept 9 Barbara L. Quillen, 79, Seaford, DE  
 Sept 14 Ernest Clayton Quillen, 79, Seaford, DE  
 Sept 10 Sharon Lee Whitby Harding, 76, Hurlock  
 Sept 10 John L. Huffman, 68, Greenwood, DE  
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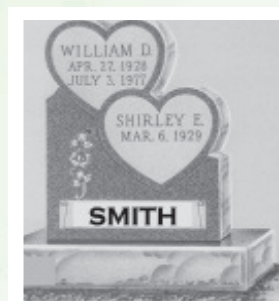
July 12 Richard Paul Freck, 74, Wilmington, DE  
 Aug 3 Elva Bertha Schlegel, 92, Hickman  
 Aug 9 Thelma Catherine Hulliger, 94, Cambridge  
 Aug 10 Jane Aden Williams, 75, Kent County, MD  
 Aug 10 James Barry, Jr., 77, Kent County, MD  
 Aug 10 Dorothy Louise Towers, 98, Federalsburg  
 Aug 11 Samuel James Martin, 95, Ridgely  
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# Caroline Review Word Puzzle

## It's Autumn

Circle words forward, backward, up, down, and diagonally. Words in parenthesis don't appear in the puzzle.

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Acorns ripen  
Annual/ Seeds/ Miracle  
Another/ Year  
Apple/ Cider  
Asters/ Abound  
Birds/ Migrate  
Busy/ Animals  
Clear/ Moonlight  
Colors glow  
Colors/ Mingle

Crisp/ Nights  
Days to/ Hoard  
Deep/ Blue/ Sky  
End of/ Summer  
First/ Frost  
Fragrant/ Hay  
Frosty/ Dawn  
Garden/ Yields  
Gold/ Reds/ (and) Yellows  
Harvest/ Moon

Hickory nuts/ Mature  
Hikes  
Hills/ Aflame  
Insect/ Pupa  
Lesson/ Books  
Life/ Persists  
Mice/ Store/ (Seeds)  
Milkweed/ Pods/ (and) Floss  
Misty (dawn)  
Plant/ Bulbs

Rare/ Days  
Roadside/ Stands  
Root/ Veggies  
Soup  
Spider/ Web  
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