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## William Byrd inducts 76 seniors into prestigious Beta Club

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William Byrd High School inducted 76 members of the Class of 2023 into the prestigious Beta Club honor society at a ceremony in the school auditorium on October 25. This was just the first of many recognition events for the seniors during the 2022-2023 school year.

Beta Club is a national organization which promotes achievement, character, leadership, and service. Students are invited to join at the beginning of their senior year based on their GPA at the end

of their junior year, which must be at least a 3.75. Students who accept membership agree to perform 10 hours or more of community service in the school or community.

Four new members led the induction ceremony—Martina Mihelcic, Anna Martin, Maddy Simmons, and Kathryn Johnson.

Principal Tammy Newcomb welcomed students and their families to the event, congratulating them and noting that the number of inductees was the largest in recent memory and that “says a

lot considering what we have been through in the last few years with the pandemic.”

Newcomb congratulated the students on their accomplishments, saying “it is truly an honor to be in the Beta Club,” and demonstrates “not only your intelligence, but your hard work.”

Beta Club members will be recognized at graduation next spring by wearing BETA cords and pins that they receive during the Senior Honors Banquet.

She reminded new



PHOTO BY DEBBIE ADAMS

Seventy-six seniors at William Byrd High School were inducted into the prestigious Beta Club on October 25.

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PHOTO COURTESY OF ROANOKE COUNTY SCHOOLS

Preliminary rendering for a new Career and Technical Education Center were revealed at a joint meeting between the Roanoke County Board of Supervisors and the Roanoke County School Board on October 25.

## Roanoke County boards meet to discuss Career and Technical Education Center plans

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The Roanoke County Board of Supervisors and the Roanoke County School Board met in a joint session on October 25, along with the Roanoke County Career and Technical Education Advisory Committee for an update focused on the proposed Career and Technical Education Center to replace the Burton Center for Arts and Technology (BCAT).

A due diligence report prepared by Balzer & Associates and RRMM Architects detailed preliminary plans and construction costs for the building.

Their concept plan describes a 150,000- to 200,000-sq.-ft. building, with one portion with two stories, to fit on the 23-acre site just off Peters Creek Road. The square footage is down somewhat from the committee’s original recommendation. There was discussion by both boards about making sure there was room for expansion in the future – which there is.

Primary access to the site exists at an unsignalized crossover on Peters Creek Road with secondary and emergency access from Burlington Drive. Right and left turn lanes will be required on Peters Creek Road to serve the site.

The plan is for approximately 250 parking spaces plus an overflow area for events.

The property is currently zoned C1, C1C, and R3. The proposed zoning is C1 to allow for proposed

use by right. Due to proximity to the airport, the peak of building elevation is limited to 1,325 feet. The proposed finished floor elevation of the building under design, according to the posted report, is approximately 1,130 feet.

A preliminary geotechnical investigation has been performed, including 16 borings at 12 different locations. The Phase 1 Environmental Site Assessment has also been performed.

The report indicates that rock will be encountered during site grading and utility installation.

Existing waterlines crossing the site will be impacted by site development and will be required to be relocated. Existing water, sanitary sewer, natural gas, electric, and fiber utility infrastructure appears to be available to serve the site.

RRMM has created four preliminary renderings of images of the site which were included in the presentation to “give a feel for the facility.”

Very preliminary cost estimates for a new CTE facility total \$90.2 million with \$71 million in hard costs of sitework and construction along with \$18.4 million in “soft costs” involving fees, permitting, design, furnishings, fixtures, equipment, and contingency costs. That’s the cost in 2022. The cost is estimated to increase to \$93.3 million in 2024 and \$96.6 million in 2025—a “guesstimate” of about \$3.5 million increase per year each year the project is delayed.

The cost for adding programs

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## Voting in the Vinton Magisterial District 2022



Town Council candidate Sabrina McCarty



Town Council candidate Michael "Mike" Stovall

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The November 2022 ballot for Vinton precincts is short this year with two races included for those who live within the Town of Vinton and only one for those who live in the Vinton Magisterial District, but outside of the town limits.

Republican Ben Cline and Democrat Jennifer Lewis are running to represent the 6th Congressional District in the House of Representatives. Vice Mayor Sabrina McCarty and Councilman Michael “Mike” Stovall are running for Vinton Town Council. (Candidates for Vinton Town Council do not declare party affiliation.)

There are two seats available on Vinton Town Council out of a total of five. McCarty and Stovall are the only two candidates running for those seats. (There is a write-in option.) This is the first year that Town Council elections have been held along with the general election in the fall; previously, town elections were held in May.

McCarty was first elected to council in 2013. She is employed by Pinnacle Financial Partners in Vinton as Office Leader. She recently celebrated her 21st year of employment with the firm. She has worked in the banking industry for over 30 years.

McCarty currently serves as vice mayor for the town as well as being a member of the Vinton Breakfast Lions Club and the Vinton Area Chamber

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## PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS



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**Ginger Mumpower, owner of Ginger's Jewelry, celebrated their 40th anniversary as a fundraiser for the American Cancer Society. Seated are Nancy Mastry (left) and Bootie Chewning; standing, Mary Jo Mitchell, Ginger Mumpower, Patty Cummings Reynolds, and Angie Chewning.**

### Angie & Bootie Chewning

Forty bags were sold to raise money for the American Cancer Society. Each bag contained a key to the Big Prize box, which held a beautiful diamond cluster cocktail ring. The big winner was celebrating her anniversary. I'd say she celebrated big since "The Heist" raised \$4,000.

Joining us at our table were, of course, mom Bootie, Nancy Mastry, Patty Cummings Reynolds, Mary Jo Mitchell and her husband David and, of course, Ginger herself. Thanks again for a great night!

Downtown Trick or Treat is scheduled for Thursday, October 27, from 3 to 5 p.m. Other Halloween events in town include one at Life Tabernacle on October 30 from 4 to 6 p.m. and neighborhood Trick or Treating in Vinton on October 31.

Reminder— early voting is open. Make your voice heard. Check your local voting centers for times.

The Vinton Moose lodge will continue collect non-perishable food items until November 15 for our Thanksgiving dinners for Vinton families in need this season. We will also collect for Christmas dinners. You may reach out to [Angie@vintonchamber.com](mailto:Angie@vintonchamber.com) for more information or drop donations off at the Vinton Moose Lodge.

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## OBITUARY

### Reynolds, Anita Carroll

Anita Carroll Reynolds, 98, of Roanoke, passed away on Thursday, October 20, 2022, leaving behind family and friends who loved her dearly.

Anita was born in 1924 in Cool Springs, North Carolina and graduated from high school in Hurtsboro, Alabama in 1941. She graduated from Alabama State College for Women, now the University of Montevallo, in 1945. Her college years coincided with World War II where she experienced rationing and blackouts in her dormitory. Her teaching career began in Montgomery, Alabama and marriage in 1950 brought her to Vinton. She taught business subjects at William Byrd High School for 24 years and enthusiastically participated in numerous school activities and clubs.

She was a life member of the PTA and Roanoke County Retired Teachers Association as well as Delta Kappa Gamma, a national honor society for women educators. She was a long-time devoted member of Thrasher Memorial United Methodist Church. In her younger years she enjoyed membership of the Roanoke Valley Corillion Club.

Anita possessed the unique quality for always seeing the good in every person and situation. She will be remembered for her friendly personality, her positive attitude, unfailing kindness, and signature red hair.

Preceding her in death were her parents, Leith and Maude Carrol, and her brother,



Gene Carroll. Her husband, James W. Reynolds, preceded her in death after 61 years of marriage.

Anita is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Jim and Betty Reynolds of Fincastle, and her daughter and son-in-law, Jeanne and Bill Lowery of Pittsview, Alabama. She is survived by four grandchildren, Anne Simmons and husband, Chad, J. Phillip Reynolds and wife, Kristin, Carroll Rhea and husband, Keaton, and Kathryn Lowery and fiancé, Michael Donohue. She is also survived by four great-grandchildren, Aida, Ellison, and Clara Simmons, and James Reynolds, and many nieces, nephews, and friends.

The family is grateful for the loving care extended to their mother by the gracious staff at Hermitage of Roanoke, Good Samaritan Hospice, as well as family, friends, and caregivers while at home.

Visitation will be held from 12 noon until 2 p.m. on Thursday, October 27, 2022, at Oakey's Vinton Chapel. Her funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to Hermitage of Roanoke/Samaritan Fund Program, 1009 Old Country Club Road, Roanoke, 24017 or to Thrasher Memorial United Methodist Church Music Fund, 707 East Washington Avenue, Vinton, 24179. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at [www.Oakeys.com](http://www.Oakeys.com).

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under discussion would add another \$6.5 million to the project for Collision Repair, Dental Assistant, Medical Assistant, Home Health, and Veterinary Tech.

A proposal involving the potential of incorporating solar technology and its financial feasibility relating to the construction of the new CTE center was also on the agenda. The CTE Committee recommended that solar should be considered, but not necessarily included in the design.

According to RCPS Community Relations Di-

rector Chuck Lionberger, "Both boards expressed concerns about the low amount of annual savings—\$15,000 per year was a number that kept being thrown out—in comparison with the additional cost of not only the solar panels themselves, but the additional structural supports on the roof to support the additional weight of the solar panels."

The CTE Committee strongly recommended an independent study by a solar professional be conducted to determine feasibility

and cost benefit analysis.

According to Lionberger, the CTE Committee members had three tasks when they were appointed—to find a site, to recommend the size of the facility, and to investigate using solar energy as part of the design plan. They have completed their tasks and their work has come to an end.

There will be another joint meeting of the Board of Supervisors and School Board on December 7 after the State of the County address at the Green Ridge Recreation Center.



PHOTO COURTESY OF ROANOKE COUNTY SCHOOLS

A very preliminary rendering of an auto program at the new CTE facility.

## DAR completes annual blanket project for veterans



PHOTO COURTESY OF RVCVDAR

Members of the Roanoke Valley Chapter of the Daughter of the American Revolution completed their annual blanket tying for veterans community service project at their meeting on October 8.

The Roanoke Valley Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution continued their annual tradition of tying fleece blankets to be donated to local veterans.

Five members pre-cut one and a half yard lengths of fleece fabric and fringed the fleece in August. At their October meeting, 16 chapter members tied the fringe to complete the project.

This is a community service project in observance of the National DAR Day of Service held in October to commemorate the organization's founding in October 1890.

The chapter has decided to donate the blankets to military veterans at the Veterans Hospital and the Veterans Care Center in Salem on Valentine's Day, along with cards.

The Roanoke Valley Chapter DAR welcomed two new members on October 8—Donna Smith and Karlee Campbell took the oath of membership.

The RVCVDAR chapter will hold the November meeting at the Roanoke Veterans Day Parade on November 12. They will be standing in front of the Market Building in downtown Roanoke.



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# UPCOMING EVENTS

## Thursday, Oct. 27

**Town of Vinton, Vinton Area Chamber of Commerce:** Downtown Trick or Treating in Vinton, 3 to 5 p.m.

**William Byrd High School:** Blue Ridge District Volleyball Tournament

## Friday, Oct. 28

**William Byrd High School:** The William Byrd High School Terriers play Northside at home. This is also Senior Recognition Night and the playing field at Robert A. Patterson Stadium will be officially named for Coach Jefferson Highfill during half-time ceremonies.

**Rosie's Gaming Emporium:** The Bo-geys at 8 p.m., free show for ages 21 and up.

## Saturday, Oct. 29

**William Byrd High School:** Blue Ridge Festival of the Bands competition beginning at 11 a.m.; Blue Ridge Regional Volleyball Competition Oct. 29, Nov. 1, 3, and 5. Cheer Competition at Northside--William Byrd competes in the first round at 10:45 a.m.

**Vinton Public Library:** Saturday Morning Cartoons, weather permitting, 10:30 a.m. to noon.

**Explore Park:** Spooktacular Saturday, Oct. 29, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The day will feature spooky activities including pumpkin carving, marshmallow roasting, a costume contest, Treetop Quest, Treetop Twilight Zipline, environmental education activities and more. Roanoke County Library will have pumpkin painting, stuffed animal pet adoption, and pet library cards.

**National Prescription Drug Take Back Day:** October 29, 2022, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Kroger Parking lot at Lake Drive Plaza and Kroger at 3970 Valley Gateway Boulevard (Bonsack)

**Rosie's Gaming Emporium:** Jordan Harman Band, 8 p.m., free show for ages 21 and up

**Roanoke Elections Office on Chestnut Avenue:** Early voting available from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Monday, Oct. 31

**Town of Vinton:** neighborhood Trick or Treat throughout Vinton

## Tuesday, Nov. 1

**Vinton Town Council:** regular meeting at 6 p.m. in Council Chambers at the Vinton Municipal Building on Polard Street

**Charles R. Hill Community Center:** Line dancing classes: 10 a.m. Beginner's Plus class, 11:30 a.m. Beginner's Class, 6 p.m. Advanced line dancing.

**Vinton Library:** Open Bridge 1 to 4 p.m.

**Roanoke County Schools:** Schools closed for Parent Teacher Conference Day. School Board Work Session at 3:30 p.m. at the Administration Building, on

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serves on the board of the Roanoke Heart Association.

She is married to Chris McCarty, owner of Grand Storage in Vinton.

"We enjoy all things sports-related, as well as entertaining at our home and spending time with our amazing grandson," McCarty says. "I love Vinton, and I am honored to have served on Town Council for the past eight years. I look forward to continuing to serve, and I am excited to be a part of the many changes that are taking place in Vinton."

Mike Stovall has served on Vinton Town Council since 2018. He is now retired after being self-employed. He represented the Vinton District for almost 20 years on the Roanoke County School Board prior to serving on council. Stovall served as an investigator for the Vinton Police Department for many years, beginning his career as a dispatcher at age 19. He is a third generation Vintonite and a graduate of William Byrd High School.

"I am running for council for my last term to see the construction and completion of the hotel in Vinton," Stovall said. "I am also excited about the current status of our town government,

have, and the economic development that is happening.

"I believe we have a great council," he continued. "We all work together. We don't always agree; however, we resolve the situations for what is best for the citizens of the town."

Stovall has been married for 34 years to his wife, Patsy, "one of the best wives ever. I am very lucky." They have three children, Chris (Elliott), Page (Brian), and Patrick (Brittney), and three grandchildren, Hunter (Chris and Elliott), Weston Wayne (Patrick and Brittney), and Kayla (Page and Brian).

"I want to truly thank from the bottom of my heart the citizens of the Town of Vinton who have given me the opportunity to serve on Town Council," said Stovall. "I am blessed."

Election Day 2022 is Tuesday, Nov. 8. Polls are open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Due to the completion of decennial redistricting, assigned voting precincts and election districts may have changed since residents last voted. New voting cards have been mailed. To determine the location of your voting precinct, visit <https://voterview.roanokecountyva.gov/VoterView/> and

Cove Road

## Wednesday, Nov. 1

**Vinton Area Chamber of Commerce:** Be sure to catch "Vinton Chatter" sponsored by the Town of Vinton and hosted by Vinton Area Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Angie Chewning on the first and third Wednesday of each month at noon live on Fox Radio WFJX 910 AM and 104.3 PM and on the Vinton Chamber Facebook page. During each program, Chewning updates listeners and viewers on local events and conducts interviews concerning what's happening in Vinton and the surrounding area.

## Future Events in Vinton and the surrounding areas:

**Vinton History Museum:** First Saturday "Vintage and Retro Pop-up Sale" from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on November 5. "Holiday Open House" is scheduled for December 3 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Town of Vinton:** Annual leaf collection in the Town of Vinton begins on Nov. 7 and continues through Dec. 16.

**Election Day:** November 8, polls open 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Check the location of your precinct. Changes have been made.

**Veterans Day:** The Blue Ridge Mountains Council Boy Scouts of America will be commemorating Veteran's Day on Friday, November 11, with a Flag Retirement at the Vinton War Memorial High Ground Monument at 5:30 p.m.

New Freedom Farm will be hosting their annual Veteran's Day Breakfast on November 11 from 5 a.m. to 10 a.m., rain or shine, at New Freedom Farm. The meal is free for all veterans. December 3 will be Christmas Craft Day in the Barn from 1 to 4 p.m. with hot cocoa, snacks, and a candy cane hunt with the horses, along with crafts for sale. On December 16, at 6 p.m. New Freedom Farm will be hosting their annual Christmas Caroling via hay wagon with hot cocoa and a treat to follow.

**Annual Veterans Day Parade:** November 12, downtown Roanoke

**Lancerlot/Virginia Tech Hockey:** The Virginia Tech Hockey team will be playing UNC at the Lancerlot on November 12 at 7:30 p.m.

**Medicare 101 Changes for 2023:** On November 16 at 1:30 p.m., Shannon Abell, AARP Community Ambassador, will be presenting new information on Medicare changes for 2023. He will be speaking in the sanctuary at Thrasher Memorial United Methodist Church located at 707 East Washington Avenue in Vinton. This is an information session presented by Abell annually. No products are offered or sold at this event.

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[gov/1729/Documents-Forms](http://gov/1729/Documents-Forms).

There are six precincts in the Vinton Magisterial District in six locations.

Bonsack-area registered voters will vote at Bonsack Elementary School.

North Lindenwood citizens will vote at William Byrd Middle School while William Byrd High School is under construction.

North Vinton citizens will now vote at Herman L. Horn Elementary School on Ruddell Road.

South Vinton citizens will vote at W.E. Cundiff Elementary.

South Lindenwood citizens will vote at William Byrd Middle School.

Mount Pleasant citizens will vote at Mount Pleasant Elementary School.

In-person early voting is already underway at the Roanoke County Elections office in Vinton (900 Chestnut St.) between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, until November 4. Saturday early in-person voting hours will be offered at the Elections Office in Vinton and at the satellite office at the Brambleton Center (3738 Brambleton Ave.) from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, October 29 and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, November 5.

# CHURCH NEWS

## Campbell Memorial hosts craft fair

Campbell Memorial Presbyterian Church will be hosting a Fall Craft Show on Saturday, Oct. 29 from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the church fellowship hall. Please call the church at 540-343-1842 for information. Campbell Memorial is located at 1130 Hardy Road, next to W. E. Cundiff Elementary School.

Thrasher Memorial United Methodist Church to host Trunk or Treat on October 30

Thrasher Memorial UMC invites the community to participate in their annual Trunk or Treat event on Sunday, Oct. 30 at 3:30 p.m. in the church's lower parking lot. There will also be live music by Humble Praise, kids' activities, and the Vinton Police Department will be on hand cooking hot dogs. Thrasher Memorial is located at 707 East Washington Avenue in downtown Vinton

## Vinton Wesleyan Church invites community to Trunk or Treat

Vinton Wesleyan Church will be holding their annual Trunk or Treat event on Halloween Night, Monday, October 31 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Trunk or Treat will be held in the back parking lot of the church, next to Cleveland Avenue. Children and their parents from the community are invited to join us for this event.

Vinton Wesleyan Church offers ministry opportunities for the family. On Sunday, we offer Sunday School, at 9:30 a.m., Worship at 10:30 a.m. and Sunday Evening services at 6 p.m. Vinton Wesleyan Church is located at 246 East Jefferson Ave., in Vinton.

## Thrasher Memorial and Circle 3 of the United Methodist Women host "Singing Heart Woman"

Singing Heart Woman, Gerri Wade, will

be the guest speaker for the Circle 3 United Methodist Women on November 8 at 10:30 a.m. in the Old Fellowship Hall at Thrasher Memorial UMC, 707 Washington Avenue in Vinton.

Wade is a birthright member of the federally recognized Rappahannock Tribe of Virginia. Active in tribal affairs over the years, she has served as MC for tribal building dedication, education committee leader, director for social events and fundraisers; Virginia Indian representative for writing the Virginia 2015 SOLs for Social Studies; creator/author of the curriculum for presentations in 18 k-12 schools in Gravesend, England; participant in Native Dance demonstrations and "Big Day Out" Pow Wow in Gravesend; guest speaker with George Mason University's series on Pocahontas: The Legacy, Myths, Realities and Relevance; and tribal representative/speaker.

In her presentation, Singing Heart Woman will address Rappahannock tribal history, including state and federal recognition, family heritage, American Indian education in Virginia, cultural traditions including dances, faith, food, and Pow Wows, and the importance of gardening and river activities. Her presentation will take place in the Old Fellowship Hall at Thrasher located at 707 Washington Avenue in Vinton.

## Vinton Baptist sponsors Christmas Craft & Vendor Fair

On Sunday, December 4, from 1:00 until 4:00 p.m., Vinton Baptist Church will host a craft & vendor fair in their gym to raise funds for summer camps. Over 20 vendors, many offering unique, one-of-a-kind items have signed up, along with several local representatives of nationally recognized brands. The proceeds of concessions and gift-wrapping service will offset expenses for summer camp for youth and preteens. Vendor applications are still accepted. Contact [whitney@vintonbaptistchurch.org](mailto:whitney@vintonbaptistchurch.org) for more information.

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## VINTON HISTORY

Carnival glass is molded or pressed glass to which an iridescent surface shimmer has been applied.

The name "Carnival glass" was adopted by collectors in the 1950s because pieces were sometimes given as prizes at carnivals. However, evidence suggests that the vast majority was purchased by households to brighten homes at a time when only the well-off could afford bright electric lighting, as its finish catches the light even in dark corners. From the beginning of the 20th century, carnival glass was produced initially and largely in the United States.

Carnival glass gets its iridescent sheen from the application of metallic salts while the glass is still hot from the pressing. It was designed to look like the much finer and much more expensive blown iridescent glass.

Both functional and



PHOTO BY JUDY CUNNINGHAM, VINTON HISTORY MUSEUM

**The Vinton History Museum has several pieces of Carnival Glass on display donated by different supporters of the museum.**

ornamental objects

were produced in the carnival finish and patterns ranged from simple through geometric and "cut" styles to pictorial and figurative. A wide range of colors and color combinations, and scarcely used colors can command very high prices on the collector's mar-

ket.

Several pieces of Carnival glass are on display at the Vinton History Museum that have been donated by various museum supporters.

*Submitted by Judy Cunningham, Executive Director of the Vinton History Museum*

# Annual leaf collection in Town of Vinton begins Nov. 7

The Town of Vinton Public Works Department will begin its annual leaf collection on Tuesday, Nov. 7, and end on Friday, Dec. 16. Leaves should be raked no closer than one foot and no further than five feet from the back of the curb or edge of the street located in front of the residence. Do not put leaves in the street or gutter as this may cause rainwater to pond and leaves to wash into the roadway creating hazards and obstructing traffic. Sticks, limbs, rocks, and other debris should not be included in the

leaves as these items can clog and damage the equipment. Leaves must be raked to the proper location by 7 a.m. Leaves should not be put out too early and should not block sidewalks. Bagged leaves will be collected weekly on the resident's regular bulk collection day. Weather and equipment breakdown issues can cause delays. Public Works asks for your patience and cooperation. Call 983-0646 if further information is needed.

*Submitted by Town of Vinton Public Works*

# Virginia dentists offer oral health tips for Halloween

As kids prepare for trick-or-treating this week, Virginia dentists are sharing tips to avoid Halloween candy-induced cavities. Trick-or-treaters should expect generous hauls on October 31: more than \$3 billion worth of candy is expected to be purchased this Halloween season according to the National Retail Association. Sixty-seven percent of people plan to pass out candy.

Like the variety in the haul of candy kids will bring home and dump on the kitchen table, the news is a mixed bag to dentists, many of whom also get into the spirit of Halloween and even indulge in treats here and there. While candy in moderation isn't always bad, too much candy and too often can lead to concerns about cavities.

Dentists with the Virginia Dental Association recommend the following oral health tips when eating Halloween candy:

- Brush your teeth or swish your mouth with water after a treat
- Do not consume candy throughout the day, save it for a treat after a meal
- Avoid chewy and sour candies
- Look for dark chocolates that are low in sugar
- "It's important to keep oral health in mind as kids trick-or-treat," said Cindy Southern, DDS, Vir-

ginia Dental Association president. "Sweets are a fun part of Halloween but limiting candy consumption is one of the best things people can do to avoid cavities. Consider eating a treat at the end of a meal, and then having your kids brush their teeth." As the holidays approach, the VDA encourages parents and kids alike to schedule preventative dental care appointments now to maintain

optimal oral health. Approximately 40% of dental practices nationwide are looking to hire new staff members to meet patient demand, so reach out to your dentist today to get your appointment scheduled. Find a local dentist at [findadentist.ada.org](http://findadentist.ada.org).

*Submitted by the Virginia Dental Association*



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## Vinton Police resolve stand-off on Ramada Road

On October 25, at 6:13 p.m. officers of the Vinton Police Department attempted to serve an Emergency Custody Order on a resident at the 700 block of Ramada Road in the Bali Hai subdivision off Moun-

tain View Road. Upon the officers' arrival, the subject barricaded himself inside a locked bedroom. Statements were made by the resident that compromised the safety of the scene if officers tried to

gain access. Roanoke County S.W.A.T was called for assistance along with a negotiator team. At 9:24 p.m., the subject surrendered and was taken into custody on the active Emergency

Custody Order without further incident. The subject was transported to Lewis Gale Hospital for a medical evaluation. No injuries occurred to the officers or the subject during the incident.

## William Byrd High School encourages the community to celebrate Coach Highfill

Former William Byrd High School football head coach, soccer coach and math teacher Jefferson Highfill will be honored during half-time festivities at the Terriers game on October 28. The football field at Byrd's Rob-

ert A. Patterson Stadium will be officially named Jefferson W. Highfill Field. Principal Tammy Newcomb encourages all alumni and others who played for, were coached by, were taught by, taught with,

worked with, had children coached by or taught by, or were otherwise impacted by Highfill to attend the ceremony as he is recognized for over 37 years of service to the school and community as a coach and teacher.

**ANGLICAN**  
**ST. THOMAS ANGLICAN CHURCH** - located at 4910 Hubert Rd, NW Roanoke, Va. Traditional Liturgical Lenten Services, Sunday at 10:30 am. Call (540) 589-1299 or visit [www.sttofc.org](http://www.sttofc.org) for midweek masses and events. (In Roanoke, go E on Hershberger, L on Hubert to 4910).  
**BAPTIST (SOUTHERN)**  
**MINERAL SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH & CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** - 1030 Bible Lane, Vinton, Va. 24179. Church Phone 890-4465. Rev. Jason Gault. Sunday Services: Traditional Service, 8:45 AM, Sunday School, 10:00 AM, Contemporary Service, 11:00 AM, Evening Worship 6:00 PM, Wednesday Services: AWANA 6:30 PM, Bible Study 7:00 PM  
**BAPTIST (COOPERATIVE)**  
**VINTON BAPTIST CHURCH** - 219 Washington Ave., Vinton, Virginia. 343-7685. Rev. Travis Russell. Sunday Services: Contemporary Service 8:45 a.m., Sunday School 9:50 a.m., Traditional Service 11:00 a.m., Wednesday Services: Family Dinner: 5:30 p.m., Bible Study 6:15 p.m., Children's Ministries 6:15 p.m., Youth Ministry 6:30 p.m. [www.vintonbaptistchurch.org](http://www.vintonbaptistchurch.org).  
**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
**BELMONT CHRISTIAN CHURCH (DISCIPLES OF CHRIST)**, 1101 Jamison Ave. SE, Roanoke, VA 24013, 540-343-7502, Worship Services every Sunday at 11:00AM, Pastor Terry Brace. We look forward to seeing you this Sunday!  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
**DALE RIDGE CHURCH OF CHRIST** - 7165 Cloverdale Rd., Roanoke, 24019; beside the Boteourt Athletic Club. Leave message 992-4385. Sunday Bible Study, 9:30 a.m., Worship, 10:30 a.m., Wednesday Bible Study, 6 p.m. Please come visit us in person or get to know about us first by visiting our web page: [daleridgechurchofchrist.net](http://daleridgechurchofchrist.net). Updated each week with a new sermon by Mike Mazzalongo, four minutes of video showing our nearly six acres of land and our beautiful, functional inside facilities, articles, events, news from Christian sources around the world and here locally plus much, much more. See how many ways Dale Ridge is "Reaching Out There" to the Roanoke Valley with the "Good News of Jesus. By clicking on "visit us virtually" real time access to our Worship services is available via your computer, a tablet or smartphone: Just follow the instructions. We believe in the inspired Word of God which is as relevant today as it was when it was written. We believe the Holy Spirit is a gift to every Christian upon their response to the Gospel as demonstrated by the 3000 obedient souls in (Acts 2:38). We believe Jesus is the only author of our salvation. (Acts 4:12) Have you been looking for a church family that is progressive, outside the box thinkers, led by the Holy Spirit into all truth. (John 16:13). You will know we are His disciples by our love for one another. (John 13:35) Real time contact thru our website via email.  
**CHURCH OF CHRIST VINTON** - 2107 Feather Road, Vinton. Terry Hodge, Minister, 540-890-1170. Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m., Sunday

Worship Directory

Vinton

### The God With Heart

Read Luke 7:1 through 8:56

Visit any Sunday School, Bible study, or small group and during their prayer time you're likely to hear of heartbreaking situations—financial difficulties, people dealing with cancer and other illnesses, teens getting killed in car accidents or gang-related violence, parents lamenting prodigal children, and so on.

When the Lord saw her, his heart went out to her and he said, "Don't cry" (Luke 7:13).

Troubles are nothing new in this world. The people in Jesus' day had lives overflowing with trauma too. But Jesus didn't ever say, "Oh, stop whining and get

on with life." Instead, the Bible tells us "his heart went out to her" in compassion.

That feeling of compassion hasn't changed. When we face minor troubles or major tragedies, God still lingers nearby, and His heart still goes out to us with compassion and mercy and love. He does not scold us for not trusting Him or tell us to get over it. He understands our feelings, pains, and frustrations. We do not serve a sterile God, but a God with a heart.

Thought for Today: When we cry, so many times God cries with us.

Quicklook: Luke 7:11-17

**If you would like to see your church services listed here in the Vinton Messenger contact Tucker Frye at 540-473-2741 or email [tfrye@ourvalley.org](mailto:tfrye@ourvalley.org)**

Morning Service 10:45 a.m., Wednesday Bible Study 10 a.m.  
**ECKANKAR**  
**ECKANKAR, THE PATH OF SPIRITUAL FREEDOM**, is located at 1420 3rd St. SW, Roanoke, VA 24016. However, due to COVID-19, the Light & Sound Services and other ECK programs are currently available online through Zoom. Visit [www.eck-va.org](http://www.eck-va.org) for program listings, [www.meetup.com/Roanoke-Spiritual-Experiences-Group](http://www.meetup.com/Roanoke-Spiritual-Experiences-Group), or call 540-353-5365 and leave a message. We will return your call. Also visit [www.eckankar.org](http://www.eckankar.org) for more information about how the teachings of Eckankar lead you to spiritual freedom.  
**FOURSQUARE**  
**EVANGEL CHURCH** - 2360 Hardy Road, Vinton, (corner of Hardy Road and Feather Road), 982-3694. Pastor-Tim Wright. Sunday, 10 AM - Worship Service, SuperChurch for Children; Wednesday 6:30-8PM - AWANA Clubs for ages 3-5th grade, Adult Bible Study.  
**LUTHERAN**  
**ST. TIMOTHY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**, "The Church Under The Cross", 1201 Hardy Rd, Vinton VA 24179, Pastor, Rev. Dr. James B. Davis (540) 342-1715, Sunday School 10:00am, Worship 11:00am, [sttimothy1201@verizon.net](mailto:sttimothy1201@verizon.net).

**NAZARENE**  
**FIRST CHURCH OF NAZARENE**, 728 Highland Ave., SE, Roanoke, Virginia. 342-4003. Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m., Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Wednesday Night Bible Study 7 p.m.  
**PRESBYTERIAN**  
**CAMPBELL MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**, 1130 Hardy Rd, Vinton, VA, 540-343-1842; [cmpc2verizon.net](http://cmpc2verizon.net) Sunday school 9:45am, Worship 11:00am; Communion 1st Sundays; 2nd Sunday Session; Monday Noon Bible Study; Tuesdays & Thursdays Stretch Class 9:00am; 1st Tuesdays Deacons; Wednesday Choir 7:00pm; Monday Girl Scouts 7:00pm; 3rd Saturday Men's Breakfast 8:00am. Rev. Jonathan Moelker, pastor  
**UNITED METHODIST**  
**THREE OAKS FELLOWSHIP UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** - 1026 Gravel Hill Road, Vinton, Va. 540-512-8070. Pastor: Rev. Dr. Rob Colwell. Sunday School - 9:45 a.m., Worship 11 a.m.  
**WESLEYAN**  
**VINTON WESLEYAN CHURCH** - 246 E. Jefferson Ave. Pastor Ricardo Rodriguez, 345-3385; Sunday Worship Service 11:00 AM and 6:00 PM. Sunday School for all ages, 10:00 AM, Wednesday Night Life Ministries - Children - Awana; G-5 Youth Ministry; Adult Bible Study 6:30 PM.

## Beyond Books

# November activities

Fall is finally in full swing, bringing some beautiful color changes to our valley, as well as a slew of great programs here at the Vinton Library to get you in the spirit.

We've got some exciting changes happening at Roanoke County Public Libraries (RCPL), as we will be migrating to a new catalog software November 4-11. Some services may be unavailable during this time, and we apologize for any inconvenience. Visit [www.rocolibrary.org](http://www.rocolibrary.org) to learn more about this transition. We can't wait to share the new online user experience with you all.

We all know and love the sweater weather, and sweater weather means one thing: soup weather. Register for "Cooking Soups and Stews" on Saturday, November 5 at 2:30 p.m. Food Master's Betty Shideler will demonstrate a recipe for a delicious soup or stew, along with a tasting and some recipes to take home.

On Monday, November 7 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m., the Local Office on Aging will be here with a Dementia Friends Information Session. Learn and understand the five key messages about dementia, how it affects people, and how we can make a difference in the lives of those living with the disease. Also, this month's Medicare 101 session will take place on Monday, November 14, at 11 a.m. Be sure to come to learn how to tailor your Medicare plan to your needs.

Don't forget about Open Bridge every Tuesday from 1-4 p.m.

The Roanoke Valley Dulcimers will meet Saturday, November 19 from 10:15 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.

DMV Connect will be here Wednesday, November 30 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., closing from 1-2 p.m. for lunch.

GED classes with Roanoke Valley-Alleghany Region 5 Adult Education continue Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5-7:30 p.m. Register online at [www.region-fiveadulthood.com](http://www.region-fiveadulthood.com). Remember to make a Tech Time appointment for all your technology-related questions.

On Thursday, November 3 at 3 p.m., the Vinton Book Club will discuss "The Maid" by Nita Prose. On Wednesday, November 9 at 2 p.m., the As the Page Turns Book Club will discuss "State of Terror" by Louise Penny and Hillary Rodham Clinton.

Teen Anime Club will be on Monday, November 14 from 6-7 p.m.; register to watch and discuss your favorite shows and manga.

Teens can also register for Teen Book Club on Monday, November 21 from 5-6 p.m. Come by to talk about your favorite books, what you're reading now, and even get recommendations on what to read next. Teen Gaming will be Monday, November 28 from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Be sure to register for Saturday! This month it will be held on Saturday, November 12 from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Be sure to sign up for your 15-minute reading slot online. Also, local author Valerie Archual will be here during Saturday from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. with her rescue cat, Roger.

Bring your little ones to Lego Play on Wednesday, November 30 from 4-5 p.m. Our next story time session begins the week of October 31 and goes through the week of November 28.

Remember to register online for Jammie Time (ages 3-5) on Tuesdays at 6 p.m. and Family Storytime (ages 0-5) on Wednesdays at 11:30 a.m. (Please note we will not have Jammie on November 8 or 15; and we will not have Family Storytime on November 9 and 16.)

Submitted by  
Molly Meador, Vinton  
Library Assistant

**CROSSWORD ANSWERS**

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# RECIPE OF THE WEEK

## Peach Dumplings

From the kitchen of Kathryn Sowers

### Ingredients:

- 2 whole large peaches
- 2 8-ounce pkg. crescent rolls
- 2 sticks butter
- 1 and 1/2 cups sugar
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- Cinnamon to taste
- 1 and 1/2 cups orange juice

Peel and pit peaches. Cut both peaches into 8 slices. Roll each peach slice up in a crescent roll. Place in 9x13 buttered pan.

Melt butter, then add sugar and barely stir. Add vanilla, stir, and pour entire mixture over peaches. Pour orange juice around the edges of the pan. Sprinkle with cinnamon and bake at 350° for 40 minutes. Serve with ice cream, and spoon some of the sweet sauces from the pan over the top.



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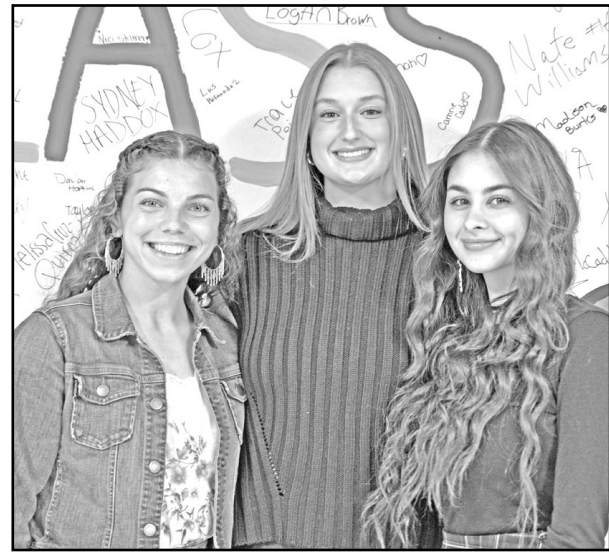
## Beta Club from page 1



More WBHS Beta Club inductees for 2022-2023.



Caleb Thompson and Maggie Parkhurst, new Beta Club members at WBHS



PHOTOS BY DEBBIE ADAMS  
New Beta Club members Maddy Simmons, Katie Johnson, and Martina Mihelcic (left to right), along with Anna Martin (not pictured) presented the program at the William Byrd High School Beta Club Induction Ceremony on October 25.

Beta Club members of the organization's motto, "Let Us Lead by Serving," and that she hoped, no matter where the students end up living after graduation, that they will "want their community to thrive and will contribute" to that effort.

Newcomb also encouraged students to reflect throughout their senior year on "who helped you get where you are today and have so much pride and joy in you."

She described the new members as "the Terriers we want everyone to be."

Senior Martina Mihelcic said, "This is the 62nd year William Byrd has inducted members into the Beta Club. The club was chartered here in 1960, so it has a long history in our school. The main objectives of Beta Club are the promotion of achievement, character, leadership, and service in our club members and to set an example for the entire student body. The ultimate goal is the preparation of each individual for his or her place in a democratic world. We take seriously the Beta Club motto "Let Us Lead by Serving Others."

"As we travel through life, there are many doors that must be unlocked," she continued. "In school we are taught a variety of skills, such as reading and reasoning, which are the keys for many of the doors that lead to success. There are four additional keys needed for a successful future, however. These are not exclusive characteristics of members of the Beta Chapter; anyone may possess them."

Inductee Anna Martin talked about the keys of achievement and character.

She said, "Before we can unlock some of life's doors, we are asked these questions: 'What have you done?' 'Have you produced something through honest work?' 'Have you made satisfactory grades in school?' 'Have you completed the tasks you have undertaken?' 'Have you used, to advantage, your inborn abilities?' If you can answer these questions in the affirmative, then you possess the Key of Achievement.

"The second key is Character. It is a very strong key and will unlock the most difficult locks. In fact, there are many doors in life that can be unlocked with this key only, for they resist anyone who attempts to unlock them without the Key of Character. When this key was forged, many different metals—dependability, humility, justice, compassion, and most of all, the metal of integrity—were fused into it. Successful is the person who can possess this key."

Maddy Simmons talked about the third key to success—leadership. "It is an elusive key and possesses almost magical powers. One seldom possesses it unless he/she also owns the Keys of Achievement and Character. It wields great influence and unlocks doors that lead all of us, in some degree, to influence our neighbors. It is deceptive, because sometimes we may hold it in our hands and be unaware that we have it. For those who discover their ownership of it, it can be used in locks devised by the most clever of locksmiths; however, it must be used skillfully and wisely and for the good of humanity, or it will disappear from the hand that holds it."

Kathryn Johnson completed the presentation by describing the fourth key, the Key of Service.

"It is a master key. It will unlock all the doors that open the heart of humankind. And although it can be used so often and so well, it is not difficult to own. It is used daily by a vast number of men and women, boys and girls. Whenever any help is rendered, whether great or small, this key is employed. It has a surprising quality; the more it is used and the older and more worn it becomes, the more efficient it is, unlocking more and more doors. You cannot wear it out, because even after the user has laid it down, the effectiveness of it remains.

"On behalf of all the new members, I accept these keys," Johnson said. "We promise to guard them well, use them wisely, and to pass them on to future members of this BETA Chapter."

The Beta Club Induction Ceremony concluded with Newcomb calling the names of the new members who received their certificates from Beta Club sponsors Suzanne Spruell and Carla Hatfield and lined up across the stage for recognition.

The new Beta Club inductees for 2022-2023 are: Ella Ashworth, Aleyah Basham, Bethany Beecher, Mikayla Belanger, Jacob Blevins, Reagan Booth, Tristan Bunn, Madison Burks, Madilyn Cadd, Caci Carawan, Sophia Chrisley, Brandon Clark, Makayla Collins, Jason Cox, Case Crawford, Melissa Cruz-Cuero, Taylor Davis, Kara Defibaugh, Reagan Dillard, Elijah Dillon, Bailey Dollberg, Kristianna Fitzgerald, Summer Garmon, Ricardo Gaspar-Cabrera, Maci Glass, Emma Gordon, Sydney Haddox, Daniel Hiemstra, Breanna Hodges, Dylan Hughes, Olivia Hurd, Hannah Johnson, Kathryn Johnson, Victoria Johnson, Ashton Kanode, Carsyn Kotz, Jakob Kroese, Lily Kroese, Sage Kushman, Hailey Lascell, Tina Lin, Grace Long, Alejandro Lopez, Anna Martin, Thomas McGregor, Martina Mihelcic, Holly Mills, Harley Morgan, Matan Morse, Colin Murtaugh, Mason Nguyen, McKenna Paradis, Maggie Parkhurst, Dominic Pascoe, Justin Patrick, Kristen Patrick, Latriva Pierce, Corinna Pittenger, Xavier Preston, Kiefer Rea, Dustin Richards, Magdalene Rusinak, Kenna Sarver, Julie Sattah, Kaiden Schuder, Pari Shah, Madeline Simmons, Olivia Staten, Nicolette Stiltner, Caleb Thompson, Kathryn Toney, Haleigh Vaughan, Xavier Vaughn, Bailey Warden, Madeleine Wolters-Argenio, and Collin Young.

Once all the names were called, Newcomb led the inductees in the Beta Pledge: "I do solemnly declare that I shall always strive to hold fast to the principles of honesty, to maintain an admirable reputation, and to develop a foundation of character, service, and leadership in my life. I also pledge to promote an individual responsibility to improve my school, community, state, and nation."

## Red Truck Christmas Minis

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Print Release  
November 5th & 6th

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**Call to sign up (540) 312-8129**

# Marketplace

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### Employment

#### Program Technician

USDA, Farm Service Agency is accepting applications for one temporary full-time Program Technician at their county office located in Bonsack, Virginia. Resume, or any other written format including SSN, country of citizenship, education, and work experience are mandatory. Resume or other required information must be received in the County Office or via email to William.johnson@usda.gov by 4:30 PM November 10, 2022. Questions, please call 540-977-2698 x 2. USDA is an Equal Opportunity Provider, Employer, and Lender.

### Help Wanted

#### Part Time Newspaper Production Help

Salem Times Register has openings for afternoon/evening shift work- inserting, labeling and bundling newspapers for delivery. No experience necessary. Hours may vary. Will train. \$12 per hour. Contact Lynn Hurst, General Manager, Salem-Times Register (540)389-9355 or email lhurst@ourvalley.org

### Newspaper Delivery Driver

Looking for a Part-time delivery driver for the Salem-Times Register @ \$11 an hour. Please call (540)389-9355 for a more detailed description and to set up an interview.

### For Sale - Firewood

**FIREWOOD**  
Mixed Hardwood. Call 540-784-3436 or 540-581-4183. Delivery in Botetourt only.

### For Sale - Misc

**FOR SALE**  
Unprinted end rolls of newsprint. Great for packing & shipping, moving & storage and for art projects. Various sizes available. Stop by the Salem Times-Register 1633 West Main St. or call (540)389-9355 for details.

### Services - Elderly Care

**Help Wanted**  
Salem Area- Live-in Help Needed Call (540) 389-3082

### Roommate Wanted

**Roommate Wanted Shawsville Area**  
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### Pet Supplies

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### Legals - Botetourt County

#### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 187 SPRING HOLLOW RD, TROUTVILLE, VA 24175

In execution of a certain Deed of Trust dated February 19, 2003, in the original principal amount of \$99,000.00 recorded in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court for Botetourt County, Virginia, in Book 0000 at Page 0199 as Instrument No. 0301475. The undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the Circuit Court building for Botetourt County, Main Street, Fincastle, VA 24090 on November 28, 2022, at 12:00 PM, the property described in said Deed of Trust, located at the above address, and more particularly described as follows: ALL THAT CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, WITH IMPROVEMENTS THEREON AND EASEMENTS AND APPURTENANCES THEREUNTO APPERTAINING, LYING AND BEING IN BOTETOURT COUNTY, VIRGINIA, AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS, TO-WIT: LOT 15, IN BLOCK 2, THE PARTICULAR DESCRIPTION OF WHICH MAY BE FOUND BY REFERENCE TO PLAT BOOK 3, PAGE 184, IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BOTETOURT COUNTY, VIRGINIA, IN WHICH BOOK THERE IS A BLUE PRINT OF SAID PROPERTY MADE BY C. B. MALCOLM & SON, SCE, ON NOVEMBER 21, 1951, AND BEING DESCRIBED AS MAP NO. 2 SUBDIVISION, PORTION OF PROPERTY OF S. E. WILKINSON AND G. W. WILLS, SAID LAND BEING SITUATE 1 1/2 MILES NORTH OF CLOVERDALE, IN BOTETOURT COUNTY, VIRGINIA, TO WHICH SAID BLUE PRINT REFERENCE IS HERE AND NOW MADE FOR A MORE COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY PASSING UNDER THIS DEED. BEGINNING AT THE INTERSECTION OF LOT NO. 14 AND LOT NO. 15 AT AN IRON PIPE IN THE EDGE OF SPRING HOLLOW ROAD; THENCE ALONG THE PROPERTY LINE OF LOTS NO. 14 AND 15, N. 30° 22' W. 203.14 FT. TO AN IRON STAKE IN THE PROPERTY LINE OF LOTS 2 AND 3; THENCE N. 58° 44' E. 100.01 FT. TO AN IRON STAKE IN THE PROPERTY LINE OF LOTS 15 AND 16; THENCE S. 30° 22' E. 204. FT. ALONG THE PROPERTY LINE OF LOTS 15 AND 16 TO AN IRON STAKE IN SPRING HOLLOW ROAD; THENCE S. 59° 38' W. 100 FT. ALONG SPRING HOLLOW ROAD TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. TERMS OF SALE: ALL CASH. A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject Deed of Trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of the sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale, otherwise Purchaser's deposit may be forfeited to Trustee. Time is of the essence. If the sale is set aside for any reason,

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the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser may, if provided by the terms of the Trustee's Memorandum of Foreclosure Sale, be entitled to a \$50 cancellation fee from the Substitute Trustee, but shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagor's attorney. A form copy of the Trustee's memorandum of foreclosure sale and contract to purchase real property is available for viewing at www.bwwsales.com. Additional terms, if any, to be announced at the sale and the Purchaser may be given the option to execute the contract of sale electronically. This is a communication from a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The sale is subject to seller confirmation. Substitute Trustee: Equity Trustees, LLC, 8100 Three Chopt Road, Suite 240, Richmond, VA 23229. For more information contact: BWW Law Group, LLC, attorneys for Equity Trustees, LLC, 6003 Executive Blvd. Suite 101. Rockville, MD 20852, 301-961-6555, website: www.bwwsales.com. VA-355791-1.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
VA CODE § 8.01-316,-317  
Case No. 22-409  
BOTETOURT COUNTY  
Commonwealth of Virginia, in re. KIEU CANH THI PHAM v. TAN DUU THAI  
The object of this suit is to: Obtain a decree of divorce pursuant to Virginia Code Section 20-91(9)(a). It is ORDERED that TAN DUU THAI appear at the above-named court and protect his/her interests on or before November 3, 2022.

Signed: Tommy L. Moore,  
Clerk on 9/12/22

### VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BOTETOURT COUNTY IN RE: ESTATE OF JEAN L. BRANSCOM, DECEASED NOTICE

Having been requested to do so by Joel Branscom, a co-executor of the estate of Jean L. Branscom, Deceased, and in accordance with Section 64.2-550 of the 1950 Code of Virginia, as amended, all creditors of Jean L. Branscom, and all persons in any way interested in her estate are hereby notified that I have fixed the 28th day of November, 2022 at 9 o'clock a.m., at my office at 13 South Roanoke Street, Fincastle, Virginia at the time and place for determining an account of the debts and demands against said Jean L. Branscom or her estate, the priorities among them, and the names of the persons to whom they are due. All creditors of Jean L. Branscom, deceased, and persons interested in her estate should appear at the time and place named, or any other time or place to which the proceedings may be adjourned, and protect their interest. Given under my hand this the 21st day of October, 2022.  
Malcolm McL. Doubles  
Commissioner of Accounts

### Legals - City of Radford

#### ABC NOTICE

SSBG Inc., trading as SCREAMERS SPORTS BAR AND GRILL, 1017 E. Main St. Radford, VA. 24141

The above establishment is applying to the VIRGINIA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL (ABC) AUTHORITY for a Mixed Beverage Restaurant, ON Premises license to sell or manufacture alcoholic beverages.

LEWIS C. NELSON,  
PRESIDENT.

NOTE: Objections to the issuance of this license must be submitted to ABC no later than 30 days from the publishing date of the

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first of two required newspaper legal notices. Objections should be registered at www.abc.virginia.gov or 800-552-3200.

### Legals - City of Salem

**Bert's Self Storage**  
2656 W. Main Street  
Salem, VA  
Auction Sale  
10/31/22, 10:00 AM  
(540)389-1382

### Legals - Montgomery County

#### VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY IN RE: ESTATE OF VIVIAN W. WILLIAMS, DECEASED SHOW CAUSE AGAINST DISTRIBUTION ORDER

It appearing that a report of the account of National Bank of Blacksburg, Executor of the Estate of Vivian W. Williams, Deceased, and of the debts and demands against her Estate have been filed in the Clerk's Office, and that six months have elapsed since the qualifications, on Motion of National Bank of Blacksburg, Executor, it is ORDERED that the creditors of, and all others interested in, the Estate to show cause, if any they can, on the 30th day of November, 2022, before this Court at 8:30 a.m., against the payment and delivery of the Estate of Vivian W. Williams, Deceased, to the distributees with or without requiring refunding bonds as the Court prescribes. ENTER this Order this 13th day of October, 2022.  
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#### LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

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The purpose of the public hearings is to receive comments concerning: An Amendment to the Town of Vinton Comprehensive Plan to Adopt and Incorporate by Reference the Town of Vinton Gap Summary – Route 24 Bike/Ped Plan, May 2022. Further information concerning these public hearings may

### Legals - Town of Vinton

be obtained in the Planning and Zoning Department located at 311 South Pollard Street, Vinton, VA 24179, (540) 983-0605, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Interested persons may be heard at the above public hearings. Given under my hand this 17th day of October, 2022.  
Anita J. McMillan  
Planning and Zoning Director

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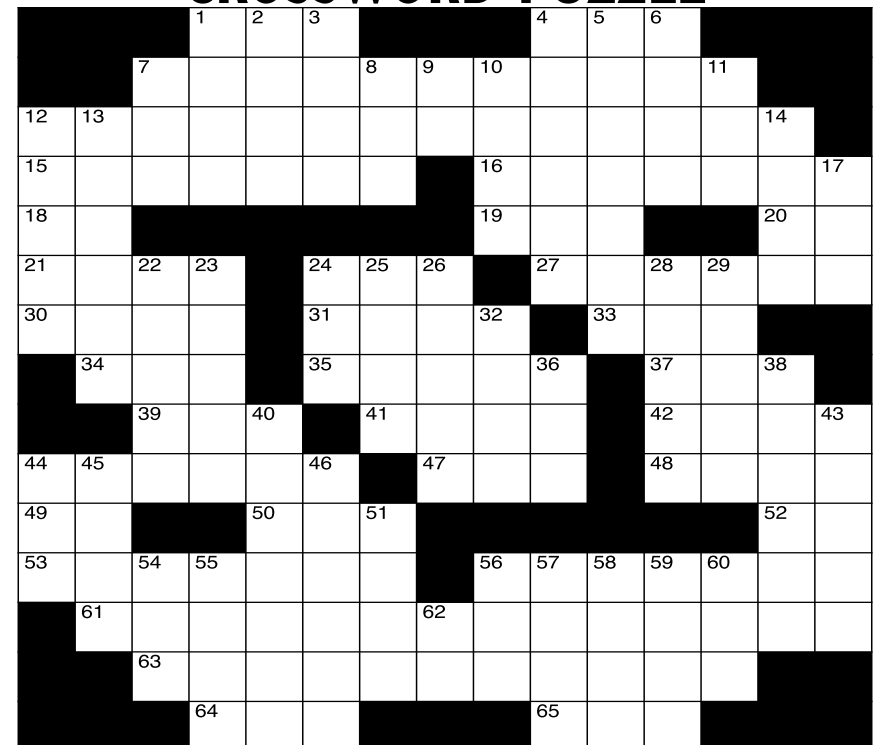


## Region Cheer at Northside Saturday

The William Byrd competition cheer team will perform at the Region 3D meet this Saturday at Northside High School. The Terriers are scheduled to take the mats at 11 am for the first round of competition.

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### CROSSWORD PUZZLE



- CLUES ACROSS**
- 1. Unhappy
  - 4. Clairvoyance
  - 7. One who works under you
  - 12. What happens there stays there
  - 15. Not ingested
  - 16. Got the picture
  - 18. One thousandth of a gram
  - 19. Breakfast item
  - 20. About
  - 21. Tall deciduous trees
  - 24. Safe keeping receipt
  - 27. Cowardly
  - 30. Pueblo people of New Mexico
  - 31. Herring-like fish
  - 33. A very large body of water
  - 34. Angle (abbr.)
  - 35. Spiritual leader of a Jewish congregation
  - 37. White clerical vestment
  - 39. Cool!
  - 41. Matchstick games
  - 42. Thick piece of something
  - 44. A state that precedes vomiting
  - 47. Burned item residue
  - 48. Jaguarundi
  - 49. Anno Domini (in the year of Our Lord)
  - 50. The home of "60 Minutes"
  - 52. Dorm official
  - 53. Give cards incorrectly
  - 56. One who is learning the job
  - 61. Popular R.L. Stevenson novel
  - 63. Attentively
  - 64. CNN's founder
  - 65. Criticize
- CLUES DOWN**
- 1. Fijian capital
  - 2. Assist
  - 3. Elected lord in Venice
  - 4. The capacity of a physical system to do work
  - 5. People of the wild
  - 6. Parent-teacher groups
  - 7. Midway between south and southeast
  - 8. Moved quickly on foot
  - 9. Handheld Nintendo console
  - 10. "Top of the Stairs" playwright
  - 11. Electronic data processing
  - 12. "Dog Day Afternoon" director
  - 13. Leaned
  - 14. About aviation
  - 17. Mountain is a popular type
  - 22. Lake along Zambia and Congo border
  - 23. Heroic tales
  - 24. Soviet Socialist Republic
  - 25. "Star Trek" villain
  - 26. Hand gesture popular on social media
  - 28. Renters have one
  - 29. Tubular steel column
  - 32. Database management system
  - 36. Similar
  - 38. Providing no shelter or sustenance
  - 40. Death
  - 43. What a sheep did
  - 44. Midcentury Asian battle-ground
  - 45. Horizontal passage into a mine
  - 46. Mortified
  - 51. Improper word
  - 54. No seats available
  - 55. Financial obligation
  - 56. It can be hot or iced
  - 57. Tough outer skin of a fruit
  - 58. \_\_\_ Spumante (Italian wine)
  - 59. Misfortunes
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  - 62. Camper

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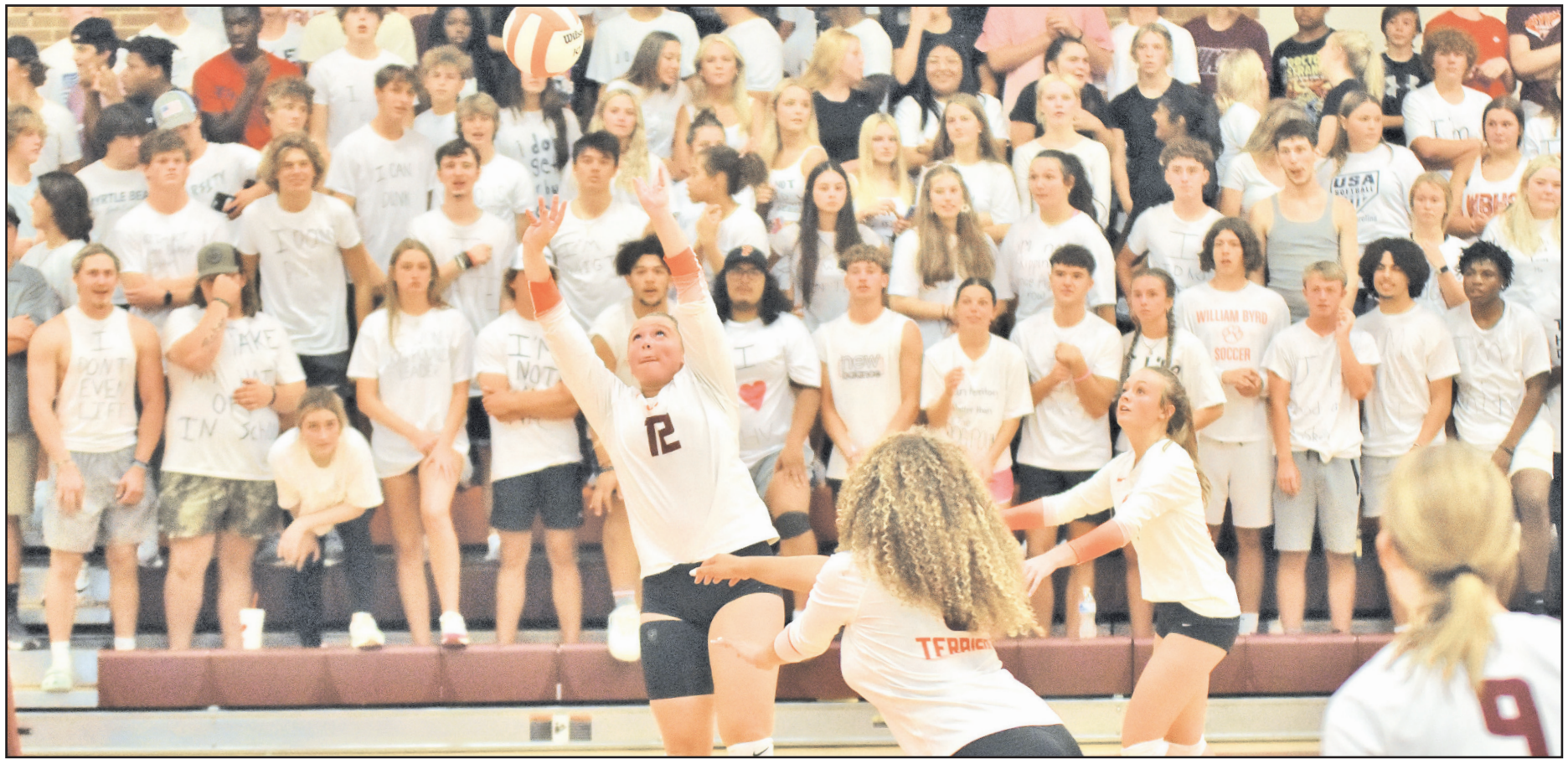
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William Byrd's Carsyn Kotz sets one up in front of the "Dog Pound" in a recent match at William Byrd High School.

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## Terriers open Region 3D volleyball at home Saturday

The seventh seeded William Byrd girls will have a home match this Saturday when the Region 3D volleyball tournament opens. Byrd will host Cave Spring at 3 pm in Vinton.

The Terriers come into the regional with an overall record of 16-7 and have the seventh seed in the region. Saturday's winner will advance to the second round next Tuesday, November 1.

The Blue Ridge District tournament is being held this week and top-seeded Lord Botetourt will host Franklin County tonight in the championship game.

Third seeded Franklin upset second seeded William Byrd in Tuesday's semifinal round in five hard fought games.

"The flu bug took down some of our Terriers but our team stepped up and worked hard but fell short by one point," said Byrd coach Allison Thornton.

Tuesday's match was a nail-biter. The host Terriers won the first set, 25-19, but Franklin County rallied to win the next two, 25-19 and 25-23. Byrd tied the match with a 25-23 win in the fourth set, sending it to a fifth set to 15. The Eagles prevailed in extra

points, 16-14, to edge Byrd and advance to tonight's championship.

Maddie Pittman led Byrd Tuesday with 11 kills and seven digs. Alexis Helton had 10 kills and Eva Brown had four aces, four kills and 12 digs.

The Terriers wrapped up the regular season last Thursday with a three set win over William Fleming in Vinton, 25-3, 25-8 and 25-8. Emily Tuck served up six aces, Carsyn Kotz had 10 assists and Kate Bryant had five assists, two kills and a pair of aces in a dominating performance by the Byrd girls.

## Hurd of Byrd is fourth in Metro Cross Country meet

The William Byrd distance team wrapped up the regular season last week when the Terriers competed in the 48th annual Metro Cross Country Meet in Blacksburg. The host Bruins won the boys' title and Rockbridge won the girls' championship.

Rockbridge edged Blacksburg, 35-42, to win the girls' team title in a tight race. Byrd finished sixth with 198 points among 13 complete girls' teams in the meet.

Kerrigan Chaney, a sophomore from North Cross School, won the girls' individual title with a time of 19:20, beating Reese Bradbury of Blacksburg by 32 seconds. Byrd senior Olivia Hurd was fourth overall with a time of 20:41, earning her All-Metro first team honors.

"Olivia is super focused right now and is pressing in the races," said Byrd coach Eric Royal. "Running fast is hard and it hurts. This is one of the main reasons most don't run. You have to push your body and not listen to your mind. This is usually the final piece runners have to master and Olivia is showing her talents. Several Universities and Colleges are actively recruiting her."

Byrd's Claire Glover finished 42nd

overall with a time of 23:52. Other scorers for the Terriers included Riley Roth in 67th, Grace Woodcock in 69th and Alexandra Bonilla in 73rd place among 129 girls who finished.

"The girls also saw three personal records set," said Royal. "Liz Dixon (100th place) improved by more than a minute and 15 seconds while Riley Roth and Grace Woodcock also improved."

For the boys, Blacksburg scored 42

points to take first among 21 schools with teams competing in the boys' meet. Cave Spring was second with 97 points while Byrd finished 15th with 357.

Senior Nathan Atchue of Franklin County was the individual boys' winner with a time of 16:19 in the 5K race, beating second place Conner Rutherford of Blacksburg by 17 seconds. Byrd's top runner was sophomore DeShawn Austin, who finished

with a time of 19:02. Also scoring were Shaun Gower, with a personal record in 66th place, Stephen Underwood in 76th, Reagan Lilley in 86th and Brayden McCulloch at 122. There were 188 boys who finished the race.

The Blue Ridge District meet was scheduled to be held on Wednesday of this week at the Greenfield Recreation Park in Botetourt County. The Region 3D meet is at the Smith River Sports Complex on Thursday, November 3rd



Left, Olivia Hurd is on her way to a fourth place finish and All-Metro honors in last week's Metro Cross Country race in Blacksburg. Middle, Claire Glover is the second Byrd girl across the line and, right, DeShawn Austin led the Terrier boys.

PHOTOS BY KYMN DAVIDSON-HAMLEY

### Brian Hoffman



#### Playing with "House Money"

As many of you know I'm a life-long Phillies fan, so this year the World Series is going to be very special for me. Thanks to all my friends who have called or e-mailed to congratulate me on the Phils unlikely trip to the Series, even though I didn't pitch to one batter or have a single hit.

As Bill Cosby once said, and I almost hesitate to quote him, "I started out as a child." I got my first pack of baseball cards in my Easter basket when I was seven years old and was thrilled to find a card of Johnny Callison, who had been traded from the White Sox to the Phils in the off-season. I saw my first live big league game at old Connie Mack Stadium that year, 1960, and I was hooked for life.

It's been a tough ride. In 1964 the Phillies blew a six and a half game lead with 11 games to go and the Cardinals passed them to win the pennant. That was 58 years ago but I still remember it, and took some delight in the Phillies beating the Cardinals in the first round of the playoffs this year even though the players that are still alive from that 1964 season have to be at least in their '80s.

For a good part of my life growing up the Phillies were really bad, but I hung with them none the less. They had some of their best teams in the late '70s and, after a few heartbreaking playoff losses, they finally won their first World Series in 1980, and that was a thrilling time for me. They've won one more since, in 2008, while losing in the World Series to the Orioles in 1983, the Blue Jays in 1993 on a walk

off home run by Joe Carter and the Yankees in 2009.

I've been a big fan all the while. I have every Phillies yearbook back to 1960 and have seen a game live every year since 1960 except for 1994. That year I had tickets to a game in August but the Major League players went on strike.

I probably have 30 or more Phillies hats of all kinds along with jackets, hoodies, jerseys, t-shirts and bobble heads. I'd probably be a rich man if I hadn't spent so much money on that stuff, but I found myself rich in a different kind of way watching them win the pennant on Sunday night. And, by the way, with an instant classic moment home run by Bryce Harper no less.

I'll be watching the World Series on the edge of my seat in the coming week, and I expect the Phillies will get a lot of support. I know the Astros aren't real popular outside of Houston after that cheating scandal of a few years ago. I saw them play a game in Cleveland this summer and every time Jose Altuve came to the plate he had "boos" rained down on him.

Whatever happens I've enjoyed the ride. As the last wild card team no one expected the Phillies to be still playing this weekend, so they're somewhat playing with "house money."

And, if they do happen to win, I might use a little of that house money to buy one more hat and shirt. . . or two.

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second and third base. And guess who comes up to the plate? You got it, your older brother Austin!!

What comes first here, team or family? Do you want your brother to get a hit and possibly win the game for San Diego? Or, do you want him to make an out and assure your team a spot in the World Series?

I think you know the answer to that one. And, thankfully for Aaron, Austin flied to right to end the game and Aaron will be the one smiling at Thanksgiving dinner next month.

#### AND ON A SAD NOTE

Daylight Savings time ends this Sunday. We get an extra hour of sleep for one morning and an hour less of daylight in the evening for the next four and a half months. Not a great trade-off if you ask me. I can sleep for an extra hour Sunday regardless of what the clock says.

## CIAA Cross Country Meet is at Green Hill Park today

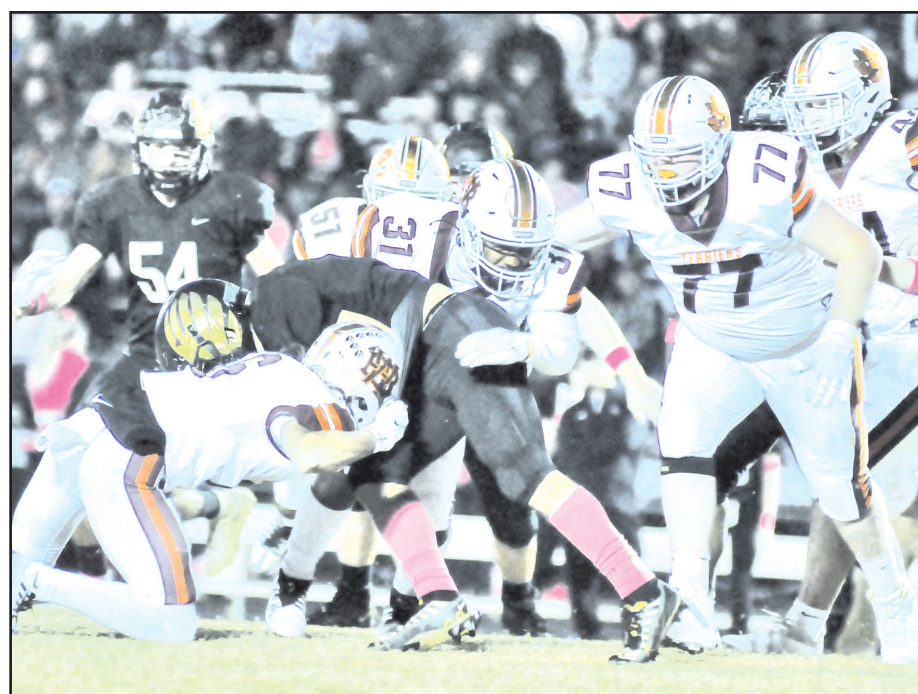
The Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association (CIAA) is set to host its 2022 Men's and Women's Cross Country Championships on today, October 27 at Green Hill Park in west Roanoke County. The men's championship meet will begin at 12 noon followed by the women's championship at approximately 1:30 p.m.

The Fayetteville State women's cross country team is looking to earn its fifth consecutive conference title while the Virginia State men are seeking its fourth league title in five years.

Attendance for the 2022 CIAA Cross Country Champions is free to all. Masks are required for all non-participants and spectators.

# SPORTS

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Left, Byrd's Lane Shoemaker(#6) goes low and Jahdai English(#31) goes high to make a tackle against Staunton River as Lee Doss(#77) rushes to assist. Right, Ethan Haston(#5) and Ian Vest make a tackle. PHOTOS BY SUZANNE WITCHER

## *Terriers need win Friday to keep playoff hopes alive*

The William Byrd football team will look to get back on the winning track this Friday when the Terriers host Northside. The Blue Ridge District matchup is scheduled for 7 pm on Highfill Field at Patterson Stadium in Vinton.

The Vikings have had a tough season, still looking for their first win after eight losses. They've been shutout in five of their eight losses and have been outscored 173-7 in their last four games. However, the Terriers could use a victory as well and they won't be taking anything for granted.

"They are a very talented, fast, and explosive team," said Byrd coach Brad Lutz of the Vikings. "Like ours, their schedule has been challenging, but they have had success in all three phases of the game against those opponents. They are getting healthy and getting players back, so they will be another tough challenge again this week."

Byrd comes in at 2-6 and the Terriers are hoping to snap a three game losing streak, all against Blue Ridge District opponents. Last week the Terriers dropped a hard fought 19-7 decision to Staunton River in Moneta after suffering through a tough week of practice.

"It was a difficult week for our team," said Lutz. "The flu prevented numerous players from attending school and practice. On Friday, we weren't the best version of ourselves, but our players pushed through and gave as much as they could. As a coaching staff, that is all we can ask for."

Byrd took an early lead when Israel Hairston rushed for a 45 yard score and Bricen Lancaster added the extra point. The Eagles answered with two scores in the second period and held a 13-7 lead at the half.

The third quarter was scoreless as the Terriers hung tough in a one-score game. However, the Eagles were able to tack on an insurance touchdown in the fourth period and held on for the win.

John Kiker and Lane Shoemaker led Byrd in tackles with 12 each while Dustin Richards had 11 tackles, including two for losses. Ethan Haston had nine.

Lancaster continues to do a great job on special teams. He drilled his only extra point attempt and put two kickoffs into the end zone.



Byrd's Israel Hairston(#4) breaks free for a good gain. PHOTO BY BARRY COX

"He has been a huge success for us this year," said Lutz.

With the loss Byrd is now ninth in the VHSL Region 3D rankings, with the top eight qualifying for the playoffs. The Terriers have a 16.87 rating compared to 17.33 for Hidden Valley, who currently occupies the eighth spot.

Byrd lost a close game to Hidden Valley on the second week of the season and that's been the difference in the playoff race. However, the Titans wrap up their season tonight with a game against Salem, and Hidden Valley will be

decided underdogs in that one. Meanwhile, the Terriers finish up with Northside and William Fleming, a Class 5 school with a 3-5 record. If the Terriers can win their last two games they should be able to leap frog Hidden Valley into the last playoff spot.

Also, this Friday the Terriers will be recognizing former coach Jeff Highfill at halftime. The field at Patterson Stadium has been officially named for Highfill after his many years as head coach of the football and soccer teams at William Byrd.

## Vinton has teams in all three Sandlot Super Bowl semifinals

Three Vinton sandlot football teams are still alive as the Sandlot Super Bowl tournament moves to the semifinal round this Saturday. Spartan Field, in front of Salem High School, and Bogle Field at Cave Spring Middle School will be the site for this weekend's games.

The 8U semifinals will be at Bogle Field. The Vinton team, coached by Robert Shepherd, defeated Botetourt in the quarterfinal round last Saturday to advance to the semifinals. Vinton will play Salem

at 10:30 am, followed by Glenvar against Franklin County at noon in the other semifinal.

In the 10U bracket the Vinton Terriers' team coached by Marcus Hill advanced with a 30-0 win over North Roanoke. Vinton will play the second seeded Salem team at 10:30 am at Spartan Field this Saturday while the other bracket has Franklin County against the Salem team that came in as the fourth seed. Vinton is the third seed.

Gary Wheeler's 12U Terrier team is the top seed

in the U12 bracket. Vinton remained undefeated with a 44-9 rout of Salem in last Saturday's quarterfinal. This week Vinton will take on Franklin County at 9 am at Spartan Field. In the other bracket Cave Spring, the second seed, will host Hidden Valley at 9 am at Bogle.

All Sandlot Super Bowl championship games are at Salem Stadium on November 5 with the U12 at 10 am, the U10 at noon and the U8 championship game at 2 pm.



Above left, U10 Vinton Terriers #5 Garren Sutphin, #55 Brennan Leary, #29 Liam Roberts and #20 Greylin Peters gang tackle a North Roanoke ballcarrier. Above right, Jake Morris pressures the Viking passer. Below left, Con Serreno of the U12 Terriers tackles a Salem ballcarrier and, below right, Stephen Byars of the U12 team breaks free for a long touchdown run in Saturday's win at Bogle Field. PHOTOS BY SUZANNE WITCHER & BRIAN HOFFMAN

