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## Sen. Warner explains the Bipartisan Infrastructure Package during Roanoke Valley visit

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In Congress, getting legislation to pass through both Chambers is always easier said than done. Despite Democrats currently controlling the White House, the House of Representatives and splitting the Senate, much of President Biden's agenda, most notably the Build Back Better Bill, has failed to receive the votes necessary to become law.

On the state level, Republicans control the Virginia House of Delegates while the Democrats control the State Senate. Several things must first happen before a Virginia bill becomes a law: the creation of said bill, committee action, floor action, conference committees and Presidential action, among other activities.

Last November, the federal Bipartisan Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act was signed into law. The approximately \$1.2 trillion allocated funds will be dispersed throughout the nation on improvements to bridges, rail systems,

roads and other similar needs. Passing the infrastructure bill has been something many federal lawmakers have tried to accomplish for decades.

Within the infrastructure bill is \$578 million that will be coming to Virginia for bridge repairs in addition to \$2 billion for repairs

along Interstate-81.

There are 535 federal lawmakers - 435 House Representatives and 100 Senators. Both of Virginia's Senators, Tim Kaine and Mark Warner, are members of the Democratic Party.

Prior to last week, Senator Warner had never visited the Roanoke

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## Salem Rotary Club Outstanding Citizen Award claimed by Roanoke College President

Given each year by the Salem Rotary Club, the Roy W. Henrickson Outstanding Citizen of the Year Award was bestowed to Michael C. Maxey, president of Roanoke College, at the Salem Civic Center during the club's weekly meeting on Thursday, April 14, 2022. His wife Terri Maxey and son Michael were present at the joyous occasion.

"The award is given to an individual who has throughout their professional and community life worked voraciously and humbly to make the world a better place," said Club President Tom Bowers. Rotarians Brad Bankston and Scott Allison introduced the honoree.

President Maxey is a native of Bassett, Virginia. His higher education began at Wake Forest University, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts in History and master's degree in counselor education. He also holds a certificate of advanced graduate study from University of New Hampshire.

He attended the Institute of Education Management at Harvard University. A student of history, counseling and conflict resolution, Mike also received an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary in Columbia, South Carolina.

"Mike has served Roanoke College as president since 2007, after holding several leadership roles at Roanoke College, beginning in 1985. His nearly four decades of service is the longest of any Roanoke College president," said Rotarian Scott Allison. During President's Maxey's tenure, the College has accomplished many things, including recognition as a top producer of academic scholars including Fulbright, Gilman, Goldwater, and Truman awardees, and the introduction of several new majors (actuarial science, public health, engineering science, data science, education, creative writing and communication). Every year for the

past 16 years the college has built a Habitat for Humanity house and President Maxey participated in every build alongside the new students, faculty and staff.

President Maxey is known for his connection with students, and his knack for getting to know each new student by name every year. He sits on the Board of Directors of Roanoke Symphony, the Roanoke Regional Chamber of Commerce, and the Roanoke Regional Partnership. He is a member of and past church council chair of the College Lutheran Church in Salem. He served as chair and vice chair of United Way of Roanoke Valley Board of Directors.

Rotarian Mark Henrickson and his brother Paul Henrickson presented the award in memory of their father Roy W. Henrickson and his outstanding service to our community and Rotary.

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Senator Warner spoke with Roanoke locals at Wiley Drive low water bridge last week.

## A Day of Remembrance: Hokies stand strong 15 years after deadly shooting

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Fifteen years ago, the entire world was left in shock in the wake of one of the deadliest mass shootings in history, which left 32 dead and 17 wounded at Virginia Tech. The tragedy made huge waves in the media and sparked conversations about gun violence and mental health that are still discussed endlessly today. On Saturday, April 16, Tech held its annual Day of Remembrance in honor of the victims of the 2007 attack.

"We will forever honor their lives and support those families and others affected by this tragedy," said Debbie Day, associate vice presi-

dent for alumni relations at Virginia Tech. "We also take this opportunity to gather as a community deeply committed to one another. Because so many Hokies were affected by this tragedy, it is so important for us to turn to each other for strength and support."

The Day of Remembrance began with the Virginia Tech Corps of Cadets holding a 32-minute vigil over a lit ceremonial candle just after midnight on Saturday. It was followed by a wreath-laying ceremony later in the morning at the memorial on the Drillfield, and later the annual "Run in Remembrance," a 3.2-mile run across the Tech campus. Events throughout the day

included an interfaith service in the afternoon followed by a candlelight vigil and a reading of the victims' names. The day's events wrapped up just before midnight with a second 32-minute vigil over the ceremonial candle.

Virginia Governor Glenn Youngkin earlier mandated that flags be flown at half-mast last Saturday in honor of the victims. Additionally, Sen. Tim Kaine, who was governor of Virginia when the shooting occurred, released a statement regarding the Day of Remembrance.

"Today, I'm thinking about the beautiful members of the Virginia Tech community whose lives were tragically cut short 15 years ago. These Virginians



Tech's annual 3.2 for 32 run in remembrance. PHOTO CREDIT: VIRGINIA TECH STUDENT AFFAIRS.

had so many dreams left to accomplish, and so much life ahead of them. I'm holding their loved ones in my heart," stated Sen. Kaine.

"I'm also thinking about how Virginia Tech has shown again and again that we have it in our power to band together during tough

times and support one another. I'm still inspired by the Hokie Nation's spirit that I saw in the wake of this horrific tragedy."

## Easter in Salem



Children at St. Paul's Episcopal Church were among those searching for eggs after Easter morning services.

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Bob Rotanz, Co-founder  
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# Roanoke County Public Schools earns Best Community for Music designation for 18th year since 2002

*-Award recognizes outstanding achievements in providing access to music education to all students-*

The NAMM Foundation has again recognized Roanoke County Public Schools for its outstanding commitment to music education with a Best Communities for Music Education (BCME) designation for the 18th year (2002-2004, 2006, 2008-2019, 2021-2022). Now in its 23rd year, the Best Communities for Music Education designation is awarded to districts that demonstrate outstanding achievement in efforts to provide music access and education to all students. To qualify for the Best Communities designation, Roanoke County Public Schools answered detailed questions about funding, graduation

requirements, music class participation, instruction time, facilities and support for the music programs. Responses were verified with school officials and reviewed by the Music Research Institute at the University of Kansas. "Our students are learning from some of the best performing arts teachers in the state. The school board is committed to providing our students with many opportunities to experience all forms of fine arts," said Roanoke County Public Schools Superintendent Dr. Ken Nicely. "We're very fortunate that the school board is dedicated to supporting our fine arts programs, and

this ongoing recognition is continued evidence of that support," Dr. Nicely added. Since the passage by Congress of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) in 2015 and a stated emphasis on a well-rounded education, many school districts have re-committed to music and arts education programs and found that, in this time of a national pandemic, they provide a valuable way to keep students engaged in school. ESSA provides designated funding for well-rounded educational opportunities through Title IV, Part A, Student Academic Success and Achievement grants. NAMM Foundation research has revealed that these grants

are being widely used by school districts to address instructional gaps in access to music and arts education. Research into music education continues to demonstrate educational, cognitive and social skill benefits for children who make music. After two years of music education, research found that participants showed more substantial improvements in how the brain processes speech and reading scores than their less-involved peers and that students who are involved in music are not only more likely to graduate high school, but also to attend college as well. Everyday listening skills are stronger in musically-trained

children than in those without music training. Significantly, listening skills are closely tied to the ability to: perceive speech in a noisy background, pay attention and keep sounds in memory. Later in life, individuals who took music lessons as children show stronger neural processing of sound; young adults and even older adults who have not played an instrument for up to 50 years show enhanced neural processing compared to their peers. Not to mention, social benefits include conflict resolution, teamwork skills, and how to give and receive constructive criticism. *Chuck Lionberger, Roanoke County Public Schools*

## OBITUARIES

### Hancock, Aileen Smith

Aileen Smith Hancock, also known as "Hancock" to family and friends, was born May 19, 1928, and passed away peacefully at her home surrounded by family on April 10, 2022. She was preceded in death by her parents, George and Rose Smith; two beloved brothers, Harlan and Edgar and their wives Bertha and Edith. Also preceding her in death were her husband, Jordan (Jerry) Hancock, and Jerry's four sisters and his brother.



She is survived by her children, Bruce Hancock (Doris), Randall Hancock (Patty), Sandra Hare (Andy), Juanita Gagnet (Mike), Peggy Clower (Greg), Steve Hancock, and John Hancock. Also surviving are 12 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren, 11 great-great-grandchildren, her sister-in-law, Mabel Seagle, and numerous nieces and nephews. The family would like to express their appreciation to nurse Angie Crouse, caregiver Winter Johnson, and Dr. Bonnie Culklin. Online condolences can be made by visiting [www.johnmoakey.com](http://www.johnmoakey.com)

### Moles, Mary Elizabeth "Betty"

Mary Elizabeth "Betty" Moles passed away April 14, 2022 after a brief illness. Betty grew up in Floyd, Virginia and graduated from Floyd High School. She was preceded in death by her parents, Willard and Evelyn Clower. She retired from Roanoke County Schools where she worked as a secretary in the warehouse. She was an active member of Salem Baptist Church and formerly Bethel Baptist Church where she taught Sunday School for many years. Betty volunteered at the information desk at the Veteran's Administration Hospital for over 25 years. She also performed volunteer work at the Salem/Roanoke County Food Pantry and the Salem Museum. She was an active member of the Floyd Courthouse Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR) and previously the Fort Lewis



Chapter NSDAR. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Roy Moles and her sister, Janet Clower Nester. Left to cherish her memory are her son Arthur Moles and wife, Judy; her daughter Amy Lawrence and husband Ted; grandson Brent Lawrence; brother Paul Clower (Wanda); sisters Phyllis Wilson (Percy) and Donna Welch; and numerous nieces and nephews. The family received friends at Lotz Funeral Home in Salem on Monday, April 18, 2022. A funeral service was held in the chapel of Lotz Funeral Home on Tuesday, April 19, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. Burial was in Sherwood Memorial Park. The family suggests memorial donations in her name be made to Salem Baptist Church at 103 North Broad Street Salem, Va. 24153 or to Fort Lewis Fire and Rescue at 3915 West Main Street, Salem, Va. 24153.

### Palmer, Alan W.

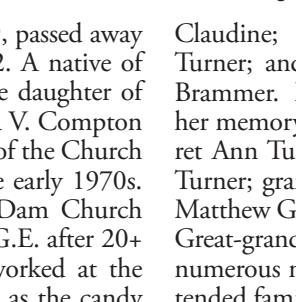
Alan W. Palmer, 62, of Salem, VA, passed away suddenly after a cardiac event on Sunday, April 17, 2022. Alan was born on October 2, 1959, in Roanoke, VA, to the late Junior Palmer and the former Faye White.



Alan was known for being a hard-working man with a strong and reliable work ethic. His meticulous care of his lawn grew into a full-time landscaping business which he managed for nearly 12 years. Alan greatly enjoyed traveling to the beach and the relaxation of the sand and sun. He also enjoyed riding the long roads on his motorcycle. Alan could often be found with a cue stick in hand at Awful Arthur's restaurant in Salem, where he would meet up with friends to relax and shoot pool. Above all, Alan adored his family and relished being a "Pop Pop." Those left to cherish his memory are his love of 44 years, Melody Saunders Palmer; daughter, Rachel Taylor and husband, Scott; son, Dylan Palmer; grandson, Brody Taylor as well as his stepmother, Suzie Palmer, of Rocky Mount, VA. Per Alan's request, there will be no public services at this time and the family respectfully requests no flowers to be sent. Online condolences may be expressed by visiting [www.johnmoakey.com](http://www.johnmoakey.com)

### Hancock, Mary Baker

Mary Baker Hancock, 99, passed away on Monday, April 18, 2022. A native of Salem, Virginia, she was the daughter of John Boxtton Baker and Ada V. Compton Baker. Mary was a member of the Church of Christ in Salem until the early 1970s. She later attended Beaver Dam Church of Christ. She retired from G.E. after 20+ years and had previously worked at the Salem Hosiery Mill, as well as the candy counter at J.J. Newberry's. In her free time, Mary enjoyed square dancing and working with the flowers in her yard. Her strong work ethic evolved from her enjoyment of farming and caring for the cows, chickens, and peacocks. She certainly loved her family and that above everything else will be remembered most. In addition to her parents, Mary was preceded in death by her husband, William J. Hancock; seven of her brothers; John, Clyde, Cliff, Herbert "Jack," Howard, Warren, Earl Shelton "Jeff;" two of her sisters, Kathleen Gladys, and



Claudine; daughter-in-law, Twila Saul Turner; and her son-in-law, Richard N. Brammer. Family remaining to cherish her memory include her children; Margaret Ann Turner Brammer, and Glenn K. Turner; grandchildren, Lori L. Brammer, Matthew G. Turner, and Brant G. Turner; Great-grandchild, Taurys A. Turner; and numerous nieces, nephews, and other extended family members. Per the wishes of the family, a private graveside will be conducted at East Hill Cemetery, in Salem. In lieu of flowers and food, please consider making donations in Mary's memory to either the SPCA of Roanoke or Angels of Assisi. The family would like to offer a special thank you to the third-floor staff at Friendship Manor, in Roanoke, for the love and care given to Mary when it was most needed. Also, to the administrative staff that helped Glenn so much. Online condolences may be expressed to the Hancock family by visiting [www.johnmoakey.com](http://www.johnmoakey.com).

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### Senator Warner

River Greenway. During his visit on April 12, he walked the Wiley Drive low water bridge and met with Roanoke City Council members, other local officials and Roanoke Valley residents to discuss the impact of the bipartisan infrastructure package. The Wiley Drive Bridge is just one of

approximately 530 Virginia bridges currently in decaying or inferior condition. Roanoke City Mayor Sherman Lea has described the bridge as a "popular, but problematic structure." Over the last two years, according to City Manager Bob Cowell, the bridge has flooded more than 20 times.

"If I've got anything to say about it, this is going to be one of the projects that will be the first in line to get those dollars so in inclement weather folks will still be able to not only drive, but also hike, bike and walk," said the Senator. The United States transportation secretary is Pete Buttigieg, the

former mayor of South Bend, Ind. and 2020 Democratic presidential candidate. "What we are doing right now amounts to the biggest investment to happen probably since the Eisenhower administration. It is going to be a game-changer," he said earlier this month. "When we fund these kinds of projects, we are making an investment in the supply chain and the whole country."

Warner's Roanoke visit also focused on high-speed broadband, improving airports and expanding rail transport. "By 2024, there should not be a home in 98 percent of Virginia that doesn't have high-speed broadband at a rate of no more than \$30 a month," he said, later adding, "We now have a commitment out of this infrastructure bill to get rail at least to Christiansburg and Blacksburg, and my intention is to get it all the way down to Bristol."

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# Scholarship, organ concert to honor teacher

A cathedral music director from New York will play a special concert in Salem to honor his high school choral teacher, Sandra Smith of Floyd. On May 7 at First United Methodist Church, Michael Bower will play a program to include the Bach Organ Toccata in d minor, the partita on "Holy, Holy, Holy" by Piet Post, and the toccata from Organ Symphony No. 5 by Charles-Marie Widor. The selections will make good use of the 2,963-pipe Schantz organ at First Salem. Bower was Smith's student

at Floyd County High School, where he was graduated in 1980. He and other former students of Smith are organizing a scholarship fund in recognition of her half-century career at Floyd. Another of Smith's former students, Vickie Sowers, a music teacher in Hillsville, will lead a Floyd High alumni ensemble in the Hallelujah Chorus from Handel's Messiah. The church is at 125 W. Main St., Salem, and the program on the 7th begins at 2 p.m. There is no charge for attendance, but donations to the Sandra Smith

Scholarship Fund will be welcomed. Checks to the fund may also be mailed to Floyd County Cares, 100 E. Main St. Room 108, Floyd, VA 24091. Smith, originally from Independence, Va., moved to Floyd in 1971 fresh out of Radford University. In addition to her teaching, she serves as president of Virginia's Blue Ridge Music Festival (vbrmf.org) and as organist and music director at the Presbyterian Church of Floyd (pcfloyd.org).



Michael Bower SUBMITTED PHOTO

Submitted by John Hopkins

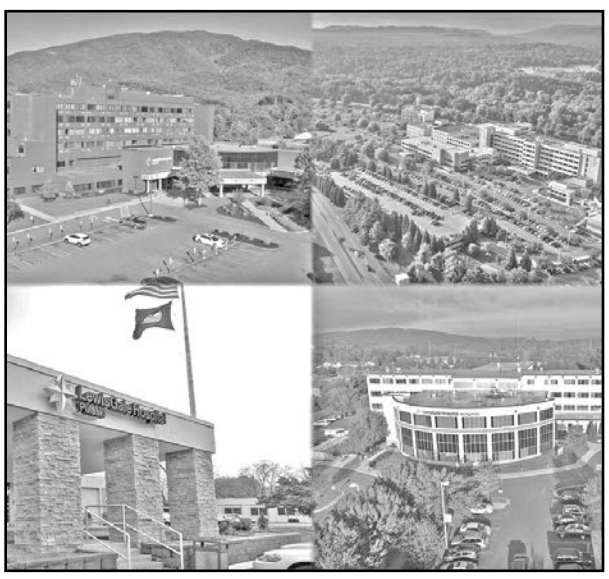
# LewisGale organizes regional inaugural Cinco de Mammo event

LewisGale Regional Health System announced plans for its first annual Cinco de Mammo event on May 5, a special mammogram screening event during special hours at its four hospitals across southwest Virginia. The themed event, organized in conjunction with the Mexican holiday Cinco de Mayo, is a platform to promote breast cancer awareness while emphasizing the importance of getting an annual breast mammography exam. "During the COVID-19 pandemic, patients all over the region put off yearly mammograms," said Tom Elmore, diagnostic imaging director. "Annual mammograms are proven to make a difference in positive outcomes for breast cancer patients, and this is a fun way to encourage folks to make the call and schedule their appointments."

- below each location.
  - LewisGale Hospital Alleghany 1 ARH Lane, Low Moor, VA 24457 Wednesday, May 5 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. (540) 862-6879
  - LewisGale Hospital Pulaski 2400 Lee Highway, Pulaski, VA 24301 Wednesday, May 5 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. (540) 994-8509
  - LewisGale Imaging Center – Montgomery 813 Davis Street, Blacksburg, VA 24060 Wednesday, May 5 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (540) 443-9900
  - LewisGale Medical Center 1802 Braeburn Drive, Salem, VA 24153 Wednesday, May 5 7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. (540) 776-4983

LewisGale Regional Health System includes 44 HCA Virginia Health System-owned patient care facilities including four hospitals, one freestanding ER, two regional cancer centers and affiliations with both employed and independent physicians. HCA Virginia Health System operates 14 hospitals, 27 outpatient centers, five freestanding emergency rooms and is affiliated with 3,000 physicians. The private hospital system is one of Virginia's largest employers, provides \$105.7 million in charity and uncompensated care, and pays \$88.9 million in taxes annually.

Submitted by Christopher E. Finley



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<b>Blue Ridge Sports Car Club</b> Test and Tune on Saturday; and Points event on Sunday. Visit www.brr-scca.org for more information and to register your car. Drivers welcome and fans are encouraged.	Sat, April 16 Sun, April 17	11:00 am Each Day	Free Admission	Stadium Parking Lot	Open to the Public
<b>Roanoke Valley Sports Club: John Freeman</b> Virginia athletics has named Freeman as the new "Voice of the Cavaliers." He takes over as the play-by-play announcer for Virginia football and men's basketball games.	Mon, April 18	Social 5:45 pm Dinner 6:15 pm Program 7:00 pm	Members: \$17.50 Non-Members: \$22.00 Kids ages 4-12: \$10.00	Community Room	RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED 540-353-1103 or Website
<b>Roanoke Symphony Orchestra: Sweet Caroline - The Music of Neil Diamond</b> The Sweet Caroline tour is without question the most authentic Neil Diamond experience on the planet.	Fri, April 22	7:30 pm	Reserved Seats: \$31.00, \$34.00, \$45.00	Arena	On Sale
<b>Help Wanted: A Job Fair</b> Many local businesses and industries will be in attendance and anxious to accept your resume' and application.	Tue, April 26	10:00 am - 3:00 pm	Free Admission	Arena	Open to the Public
<b>Salem Spring Holiday Market</b> This craft and vendor show has unique crafters, artists, and direct sell companies with gifts that are fun and unique! Contact salemholidaymarket@gmail.com for booth info.	Sat, April 30	9:00 am - 4:00 pm	Free Admission	Arena	Open to the Public
<b>for KING &amp; COUNTRY: 'What Are We Waiting For?' Tour</b> Two-time GRAMMY® award-winning Australian duo, for KING & COUNTRY, comprised of brothers Joel & Luke Smallbone.	Sun, May 1	7:00 pm	Reserved Seats: \$22.00, \$47.00, VIP: \$77.00 Preferred Parking: SOLD OUT	Arena	On Sale
<b>Whiskey Myers</b> Whiskey Myers will bring their show to the Salem Civic Center with their fellow "Yellowstone" alumnus, Shane Smith & The Saints and Goodbye June.	Thur, May 5	7:00 pm	Reserved Seats: \$34.50, \$44.50, \$54.50 & \$89.50 Preferred Parking: \$5.00	Arena	On Sale
<b>Family Service of the Roanoke Valley: 2nd FSRV Bike, Car &amp; Truck Show</b> A day of music, vendors, OVER 100 awards for entrants, kids activities, a raffle, & awesome event t-shirts for sale! Questions? Jill Sluss: jsluss@fsrv.org or (540) 795-4671.	Sat, May 14	10:00 am - 4:00 pm	Vehicle Registration: \$25 Spectators are FREE	Parking Lot	Open to the Public
<b>Roanoke Valley Holistic Expo</b> Vendors include crystals, essential oils, spiritual and astrological readings, tarot cards, holistic wellness centers, jewelry, and several different types of healers.	Sun, May 15	10:00 am - 5:00 pm	Free Admission	Community Room	Open to the Public
<b>C&amp;E Gun Shows</b> To download a \$1 off coupon and for more information visit www.cegungunshows.com.	Sat, May 21 Sun, May 22	9:00 am - 5:00 pm 10:00 am - 5:00 pm	Adult: \$10.00 Ages 12 and Under: Free with Paying Adult.	Arena	Tickets at the Door
<b>DMV2Go</b> Apply/renew your Driver's License. Get an ID card. Apply for a Veteran ID card. Get a copy of your driving record. Obtain vehicle titles, license plates, decals, transcripts, and more!	Mon, May 23 Tue, May 24	9:00 am - 4:00 pm 9:00 am - 4:00 pm LUNCH 12:30 - 1:30	Free Admission	Parlor C	Open to the Public
<b>Lord Botetourt High School Graduation</b> Congratulations to the Class of 2022!	Mon, May 23	7:00 pm	Free Admission	Arena	Open to the Public

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# OPINION

## Little White Book II

### {My Identity}

For many who were attending churches that follow a "liturgical year," the decades of the 1970s and 1980s were times of transition in worship. New hymnals and worship books were introduced, and though they were welcomed among some groups, in others the change caused strong objection.

A few new congregations came into being in order to keep the old styles, even when this meant separating from the denomination's national policies. The changes affected especially Roman Catholics, but for different reasons also Lutherans, Episcopalians and Methodists had to make adjustments.

Roman Catholic services were changed drastically following Vatican Council II which occurred in the 1960s. It's well-known now that Pope John XXIII declared that it was high time the church "windows

were opened" to let in some air from a world vastly different from the one that had seen the Protestant Reformation more than 400 years before.

Around 1970 the changes brought about by the worldwide meeting began to be felt in the Roanoke Valley. I recall priests assigned by the Bishop of Richmond to the several parishes in this area; they were permitted to join with non-Catholic faith communities in clergy groups and various ecumenical projects.

These massive changes were unrelated to those going on in Anglican-Episcopal and many Lutheran congregations, but in those too, revised worship books appeared featuring contemporary English and sometimes containing new services.

Looking back now more than 50 years later, I perceive that my "little white book" referenced in last week's column, an Episcopal Book of Common Prayer issued in 1928, seems outdated. When the Episco-

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Correspondent

pal Church made the change to an updated worship book more than 50 years ago, my late husband Charlie and I were active in the small, progressive St. James Episcopal Church that served mainly the Williamson Road and Hollins areas of the valley. Our daughter in her early teens could not receive Holy Communion because under the old 1928 BCP rules, this was not permitted until the child had affirmed her Baptism with the Rite of Confirmation.

Our church at that time was one of the leading faith communities nearby in embracing cultural changes which were happening swiftly during the Vietnam War years, the breakdown of racial segregation, the

moving of foreign-born persons to the area and the gay rights movement. We grew accustomed to unfamiliar people becoming active in the parish so that when the new Prayer Book was introduced around 1975 it was accepted as a matter of course. Now even young children could taste the holy Bread and Wine.

But the update was not accepted by everyone. Several couples left the parish—they also opposed the ordination of women, which was occurring widely in the same period. In time a small congregation, St. Thomas of Canterbury, was established nearby. When we moved to Salem and its Episcopal church a few years later, we discovered the revised service book was viewed with skepticism by many in the more traditionalist parish where the people inclusion was less evident.

Lutherans, an influential group in Salem with the denominational Roanoke College

a major influence for more than a century, also were affected by the liturgical changes. It coincided for them with a consolidation of some of the several national groups that proliferated in the United States as the nation moved from east to west. In churches such as College Lutheran, which takes a moderately liberal view of the current culture, changes eventually resulted in a new parish, St. John in the southwest county suburbs. Likewise, the more conservative Anglican Church of the Holy Spirit came into being in the same area.

Not only updating of worship materials but also issues such as ordaining women and later people of different sexual identities played their part in these groups which, interestingly, often appealed to younger adults. Basically, objections to change, whether in worship materials or acceptance of "different" persons, brought about the formation of these newer congregations.

# Cannabis in the Commonwealth

## -A guide to Virginia's marijuana laws-

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Amid a wave of new bills both signed into law and vetoed at the desk of first-year

Governor Glenn Youngkin, laws regarding cannabis (also known as marijuana) in Virginia seem to be changing rapidly. The legalization of cannabis is still a relatively new

idea in the Commonwealth, and following the legal goings-on of this controversial plant is no small task. Let this article serve as a guide for everything you need to know about the current state of cannabis laws in Virginia.

First, it's important to know the difference between legalization and decriminalization. Legalization refers to the ultimate legality of cannabis products—while cannabis is still banned on the federal level under the 1970 Controlled Substances Act (CSA), the 10th Amendment of the Constitution technically allows states to legislate on cannabis independently within state lines, as there is no explicit mention of narcotics or controlled substances in the Constitution. The CSA's authority to ban the use of certain narcotics comes from the Commerce Clause of the Constitution, Article I, Section 8, which gives Congress the authority to regulate anything that affects interstate commerce (in the case of cannabis, the historical political justification is that legal narcotics affect national markets). Due to cannabis still being considered a Schedule I (highest level of restrictions) controlled substance federally

under the CSA, cannabis users could still be subject to federal criminal penalties regardless of the legality of the drug within their state. There is clear contradiction between federal and state cannabis laws; in many ways, American cannabis law is an excellent case study in the relationship between state and federal governance.

Decriminalization refers to the lessening or repealing of criminal penalties for individuals charged with drug-related offenses. This includes legislation that changes sentencing guidelines and penalties for those arrested or currently incarcerated for crimes such as cannabis possession, as well as more informal acts such as district or Commonwealth attorneys choosing not to prioritize state funds on prosecuting low-level or nonviolent drug crimes. Cannabis decriminalization as a social issue is also closely linked to conversations surrounding general prison reform, police reform and systemic racial and class bias in the American legal system.

On April 1, 2022, the U.S. House of Representatives passed the Marijuana Opportunity Reinvestment and Expungement Act (MORE), a bill that would end the federal ban on cannabis, removing it from the Controlled Substances Act schedule and leaving its legality entirely up to state governments. While the act has not yet been voted on by the Senate and is expected to face significant opposition from Republican senators, other legalization bills are also currently being discussed, including the Cannabis Administration & Opportunity Act (CAOA), a bill expected to be brought to the Senate floor by Sen. Chuck Schumer (D-N.Y.) in the next couple months.

Virginia's cannabis legalization process began in 2017 when certain patients suffering from intractable epilepsy were allowed medical access to a limited range of cannabis products. This law was expanded in 2018 to include patients suffering from any diagnosed condition or disease.

In 2020, former Governor Ralph Northam began the process of full decriminalization by signing a bill that entirely decriminalized low-level cannabis possession and imposed a civil penalty of no more than \$25, a significantly more forgiving penalty than the previously enforced maximum fine of \$500 and 30 days in jail for first-time offenders followed by a Class 1 misdemeanor for subsequent offenses. Decriminalization was further

expanded later that year when Gov. Northam signed a bill prohibiting law enforcement officers from stopping or searching individuals on the basis of having smelled cannabis.

As a result of a significantly accelerated legislative process, Virginia legalized cannabis for recreational use on April 7, 2021, becoming the first southern state to do so. The bill went into effect in July 2021, though some parts of the bill regarding things like retail sale and individuals currently incarcerated for cannabis-related offenses need to be reenacted by the Virginia General Assembly this year to go into full effect. In 2023, individuals will be able to apply for cannabis business licensure, with retail sales expected to begin in Jan. 2024. Earlier this year, Virginia Democratic senators attempted to push a bill that would have authorized retail cannabis sales in Virginia as of Sept. 2022; however, the bill was struck down in the House of Delegates along party lines.

These laws have also paved the way for RISE medical cannabis dispensaries to begin serving patients with prescriptions across the Commonwealth, including at fully operational locations in Salem and Christiansburg. On April 11, Gov. Youngkin signed legislation that expanded access to Virginia's medical cannabis program by removing the requirement of registering with the Virginia Board of Pharmacy after receiving a prescription cannabis certification from a medical provider. The bill is expected to decrease delays in patients being approved for medical cannabis use. According to NORML (National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws), a nonprofit cannabis advocacy group operating out of Washington, D.C., there are currently more than 47,000 registrants in Virginia's medical cannabis program, with an additional 8,000 still awaiting approval.

Currently, the \$25 civil penalty applies only to individuals possessing more than one ounce of cannabis, with one significantly more severe penalties (fines of up to \$250,000 and up to 10 years in prison) applying to those possessing more than one pound. Gov. Youngkin recently recommended an additional misdemeanor penalty for individuals possessing more than two ounces of cannabis. The recommendation comes as an amendment to a bill proposed by state Sen. Emmett Hanger (R-Augusta) regarding cannabis retail regulations. The bill will see another vote on April 27. Other amendments proposed by Gov. Youngkin include a minimum age for the purchase of CBD products (21) and a ban on the sale of Delta-8 THC products.

CBD, or cannabidiol, is a compound found in marijuana and hemp plants

that is known for its mild calming and medicinal effects. CBD is currently found in a number of different health and beauty products sold throughout the United States. It is not to be confused with the other significant chemical found in cannabis, THC (delta 9-tetrahydrocannabinol), the compound primarily responsible for the psychoactive or "high" effects associated with cannabis use.

Delta-8 THC is a hemp-derived form of THC that induces a psychoactive effect generally considered to be milder than marijuana-derived Delta-9 THC. Delta-8 is a relatively new product, and while Delta-8 products are currently found throughout the Commonwealth and are restricted only by a minimum purchase age of 21, Delta-8 is not regulated by the FDA and has already faced statewide bans in some parts of the country.

Currently, medical cannabis is legal in 37 states and Washington, D.C. Recreational use of cannabis is legal in 18 states and D.C. Out of these 18 states, including Virginia, all have legalized or otherwise approved the retail sale of cannabis except for D.C. The outlawing of cannabis in the United States is often attributed to American propaganda campaigns relating to the influx of Mexican immigrants into the U.S. in the wake of the Mexican Revolution of 1910. Marijuana and hemp were directly associated with Mexico due to their proliferation as Mexican agricultural and textile products since the 16th century, brought over the Atlantic by Spanish trade.

From 1910 to the 1930s, the U.S. saw a record increase in Mexican immigration, and race and immigration sentiments at the time led to major anti-cannabis propaganda campaigns (such as the infamous "reefer madness" PSAs of the early- to mid-20th century) as 16 states criminalized the use of cannabis, ultimately leading to the federal Marihuana Tax Act of 1937, which all but outlawed the drug until its full ban under the CSA in 1970.

While considered dangerous by many for its psychotropic effects, cannabis has been clinically proven to have significant health benefits, especially in those with anxiety, depression, neurological, seizure and pain disorders, without causing physical dependence or long-term damage. However, as with any drug, patients and individuals interested in cannabis should consult a doctor before using, as certain conditions such as bipolar disorder can be worsened by cannabis use. THC can also interact negatively with certain medications. More information on the health benefits and risks of cannabis use can be found on the CDC website, [www.cdc.gov/marijuana/health-effects/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/marijuana/health-effects/index.html).

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**CLUES ACROSS**


1. A woman of refinement
7. Body part
10. One who imitates
12. Tropical Asian starlings
13. A type of delivery
14. W. Australian capital
15. Many wombs
16. Wings
17. Expression of amusement
18. Brews
19. Mild yellow Dutch cheese
21. Mild expression
22. Solitary
27. Distance to top
28. The rebirth of a soul in a new body
33. Police who investi-

**CLUES DOWN**

1. Inspiration
2. Resembling wings
3. Form of Persian
4. Consumed
5. Extinct flightless bird of New Zealand
6. Sea eagle
7. Jaguarundi
8. Poker stake
9. Bravo! Bravo! Bravo!
10. South American nation
11. A colorless, odorless gas
12. Disturbance
14. Artist's tool
17. Polish peninsula
18. Ottoman military leaders
20. Bird-like dinosaur
23. Drinking glass
24. Central Florida city
25. One's mother
26. To do it is human
29. Atomic #10
30. Used to write
31. The branch of medicine concerned with the ear
32. Adversaries
35. Have already done
36. One of conspicuous wealth
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The angel of the Lord came back a second time and touched him and said, "Get up and eat, for the journey is too much for you" (1 Kings 19:7).

Godly Elijah, who had just won an incredible victory for the Lord, was hit so hard by depression that he wanted to die. God did not scold him or beat him when he was down. Instead, God sent His angel to gently remind Elijah to eat the food He provided. We, too, must daily eat the Word of God, the Bread of Life, for the "journey is too much" for us to travel in our own might.

Prayer for Today: Lord, encourage the depressed ones today. Draw them to Your Word, where they can find food for the journey.

Quicklook: 1 Kings 19:1-9

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A startup company has just launched 137 different community gift card programs in Virginia – each specific to a town or city.

The programs offer unique targeted support to local businesses since the gift card can be spent at any independent business in that particular town or city but not at big chains like McDonald's or Walmart (see list of VA card programs).

The company behind the programs is Connecticut-based Giverrang, which builds community gift card programs for towns and cities to drive spending to small businesses and keep more dollars local.

"The whole idea is

to bring more dollars and attention to small businesses," explained Mark Walerysiak Jr., head of card programs at Giverrang. "The big guys have the benefit of having huge resources behind them so we really want to help the small guys as much as possible."

Interested buyers can visit each card program web page to purchase a card (like the Roanoke Local Gift Card) where they will see a few suggested businesses to spend their card.

"We feel it's important to give people an easy way to support local businesses," added Roy Paterson, head of product at Giverrang.

The cards are plastic Mastercard gift cards that can be purchased online through each town or city card web page. Buyers can ship a card directly to a gift recipient's address or send it to themselves to hand the recipient the card in-person. Cards are estimated to arrive in 7 days.

Giverrang's second

major announcement is the company's social mission to give back to those who help further the positive impact on the local economy by promoting a Local Gift Card in their area. Giverrang is launching a Local Affiliate program and is seeking local nonprofits such as economic development organizations, service organizations or fundraising groups like little leagues and school PTAs to become Local Affiliates. For every card these organizations help sell, Giverrang will donate a percentage of profits to each organization.

"We're excited to help as many local businesses as we can and we hope this resonates with people and they want to support it," said Walerysiak. "A Local Gift Card makes a meaningful gift for family, friends, or employees. Plus, it makes a real difference in helping local businesses not just survive but thrive."

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**ORDER OF PUBLICATION**  
Commonwealth of Virginia VA. CODE § 8.01-316 **Case No. JJ004566-06-00**  
RADFORD J&DR - JUVENILE DIVISION  
Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court Commonwealth of Virginia, in re MORGAN, GABRIELLA JOSEPHINE RADFORD CITY DSS /v. KAITLIN MORGAN ADKINS  
The object of this suit is to: TERMINATE THE RESIDUAL PARENTAL RIGHTS OF KAITLIN MORGAN ADKINS, legal parent of Gabriella Josephine Morgan, a minor, in that said parent has, without good cause, failed to correct the conditions which resulted in the child entering foster care and it is not reasonably likely that she will be able to do so in a reasonable amount of time; failed to maintain continuing contact with the child and substantially plan for the child's future. Residual parental rights include, but are not limited to, the right to visitation, consent to adoption, the right to determine religious affiliation, and the responsibility for support. The termination of your parental rights will permanently end all of your rights and responsibilities to the child named in the petition. It is ORDERED that KAITLIN MORGAN ADKINS appear at the above-named Court and protect his or her interests on or before 05/13/2022 08:30 AM.

03/10/2022  
Sally Davis  
Clerk

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Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court Commonwealth of Virginia, in re MORGAN, GABRIELLA JOSEPHINE RADFORD CITY DSS /v. BENJAMIN JOSEPH ALVAREZ  
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**Notice**  
IN THE FAMILY COURT OF MONROE COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA  
Magistrate Court Case No.: 22 M32D 00020  
Family Court Civil Action No.: FC-32-2022-DV-20  
To: Cam Ron Quick  
620 Delaware Street  
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If appearing by evidence duly taken in this action that you could not be found in or that you have left the State of West Virginia, you are hereby notified of the ORDER referenced above, a copy of the Petition and Order may be obtained at the Monroe County Circuit Clerk's office. This PROTECTIVE ORDER will remain in effect until further order of the court.

A final hearing is scheduled for the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022, at 3:00 P.M. before the Monroe County Family Court.

Issued this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022 at 1:57 p.m.  
Leta Gullette-Comer  
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## RC lax will host Randolph Saturday

The Roanoke College men's lacrosse team will play host to Randolph College on Saturday as a part of Alumni Weekend. The game is scheduled to start at 2 pm at Kerr Stadium on the RC campus.

Roanoke comes into the week at 10-5, pending a Wednesday night game at Shenandoah University. Last Saturday in Lynchburg the Maroons dropped a 19-8 decision to the University of Lynchburg in Lynchburg in a showdown of Old Dominion Athletic Conference contenders. Both team came in with one ODAC loss,

hoping to stay close to Washington & Lee, who is still undefeated in conference play.

Roanoke scored first, but eight straight Hornet goals would put the Maroons into an 8-3 deficit at the half. Roanoke got to within five in the second half but Lynchburg would pull away for the win.

Luca Docking, George Gilbert and Ethan Caldwell each scored twice for RC while Docking, Luke Kammerman and Brooks Klyver all picked up assists. In goal, Taylor Lewis was under siege, facing 31 shots in the game.

## RC women have 6 game win streak

The Roanoke College women will host Guilford on Saturday in women's lacrosse. The Alumni Weekend game will be played at Kerr Stadium at noon.

RC took a 10-3 overall record and a six game winning streak to Mary Washington on Wednesday of this week. Roanoke is currently tied for third in the Old Dominion Athletic

Conference with a 4-1 conference record prior to the Guilford game. Washington & Lee and Virginia Wesleyan are tied at the top with unbeaten conference records.

Last Thursday in Salem the Maroons had no trouble downing Meredith College, 18-4, in a non-conference game. Roanoke raced out to an early lead

and grew their advantage to 13-3 at the half. Riley Chase scored six times on the afternoon to lead RC while Molly Kasemeyer added two goals and four assists. Sydney Harrison, Lilly Blair, Tiernan Connor and Libby Bowman all scored twice. Kyleigh Chickering allowed just the four goals while recording four saves in the cage for RC.



Ian Kelley hits a backhand for Glenvar.

PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

## GHS tennis tops CC

The Glenvar tennis teams swept Carroll County in River Ridge District tennis last week. The girls won 9-0 and the boys took a 6-3 win.

Winning singles for the girls were Isabella Gustafson, Avery Flynn, Hannah Hill, Cara Butler, Hannah Hylton and Dhruvi Patel. Gustafson and Flynn won at number one doubles, Butler and Hylton won at number two and Hill and Natalie McMahon won at third doubles.

For the boys, Ian Kelley, Logan Garner, Connor Maguire and Elliot McClintic all had nice wins.

Both teams were rained out of matches with Giles on Monday and were scheduled to play Alleghany on Tuesday. On Friday the boys are at Floyd and the girls will host the Buffalo Gals on the GHS courts.

## Salem tennis sweeps Franklin County

The Salem High girls and boys tennis teams both beat Franklin County in tennis last week by 8-1 scores.

The boys swept the singles with hard fought wins at one and two by Aaron Peters, 6-3, 6-4, and Joren Poush, 6-3, 7-5.

The girls won five of six singles with wins by Laura Baba, Claire

Rawlins, Zoe Prosser, Emma Johnson and Mary Beth Mills. Salem swept the doubles with the teams of Baba and Rawlins playing at number one, Caroline Loeday and Prosser at two and Johnson and Mills at three.

The Spartans play Cave Spring today with the girls at home and the boys at Cave Spring.



Salem's Caleb Lingenfelter pitches for Roanoke College in a recent game.

PHOTO BY JOHN WACHER

## Maroons play at Calfee

The Roanoke College baseball team will host Virginia Wesleyan on Saturday in a noon doubleheader at Calfee Park in Pulaski, as the Salem Red Sox will occupy Salem Memorial Ballpark this weekend.

Roanoke comes into the week at 16-13 overall and the Maroons were scheduled to play at Greensboro Tuesday and at Calfee Park, against Pfeiffer, on Wednesday of this week. RC was hoping to get back on the winning track after dropping a doubleheader at Randolph-Macon last Saturday, 7-5 and 14-11. That dropped the Maroons under .500 in Old Dominion Athletic Conference play at 7-8.

In the first game in Ashland the Maroons jumped on their hosts to take a 4-0 lead into the fifth inning but Randolph-Macon used a six-run seventh inning to take their first lead of the afternoon and held on for the win. Will Turner went seven innings, giving up nine hits, five earned runs, and four strikeouts. Conner Butler was three for four at the plate with a pair of runs and two RBI.

In the nightcap Salem High grad Caleb Lingenfelter got the start and gave up nine hits and five earned runs over 5.1 innings of work. The Maroon bullpen got touched up for eight runs in 2.2 innings of relief as the Yellowjackets pulled away.

After Saturday's doubleheader in Pulaski the Maroons will travel to Guilford next Tuesday, then return to Salem for a non-conference game against Christopher Newport at Salem Memorial Ballpark on Wednesday, April 27.

## Salem-Roanoke Baseball Hall of Fame announces Class of '22

Five area baseball players and contributors have been selected for induction into the Salem-Roanoke Baseball Hall of Fame at the 30th induction ceremony, scheduled for Sunday, July 31st, at the Salem Civic Center.

The Class of '22 includes Eric Altizer, Ryan Gilleland, Tyler Lumsden, Keith Mayhew and Doug Pence. "Butch" Craft has been selected to receive the Wayne LaPierre, Sr. award for contributions to the game.

Altizer is a former player and current coach at Auburn High School. The Eagles have won three state championships under Altizer, including the 2021 state championship. Eric has won many honors during his days as the Auburn coach.

Gilleland, a 1995 graduate of Jefferson Forest High School, played four years as a second baseman at the University of Virginia, batting .337 in

1997. He's the present coach at Jefferson Forest High and has also been a coach with the West team in the Commonwealth Games.

Lumsden is a 2000 graduate of Cave Spring High School who went on to pitch at Clemson University for three years. He was a first round pick of the Chicago White Sox in 2004 and pitched seven seasons in professional baseball, including three

years in AAA.

Mayhew is one of just five Ferrum College players to have his jersey retired. He was a three-time All-American pitcher, including a first team selection in 1995. When he graduated he held the NCAA Division III record with 350 career strikeouts and 149 in a season. He was drafted by the Atlanta Braves in 1995 and died in 2015.

Pence is a long time coach and volunteer with

the William Byrd High School program who also coached American Legion baseball. He was a tireless worker, maintaining Byrd's Terrier Field and was a key person in getting the fieldhouse built on the grounds.

Craft, the long-time owner of The Roanoker Restaurant in Roanoke, has been a big supporter of the game, sponsoring youth teams for many years. She has been a

sponsor for the Hall of Fame since the early 1990s.

The Salem-Roanoke Baseball Hall of Fame was founded in 1991 and honors players and contributors from the counties of Alleghany, Roanoke, Bedford, Botetourt, Craig, Floyd, Franklin and Montgomery and the independent cities located within the boundaries of those counties. The Hall of Fame building is

located on the grounds of the James E. Taliaferro Complex, next to the Salem Red Sox administrative office behind the third base seating area of Salem Memorial Ballpark. It is open to the public on Friday and Saturday nights during the 2022 season and upon request.

For information on tickets, tables or ads in the program contact Gary Walthall at 540-427-1977.

## A baker's dozen errors not the recipe for GHS success

The Glenvar High baseball team had a season high 12 hits on Tuesday but still lost to Alleghany, 18-6. Unfortunately for the Highlanders, they also

had 13 errors.

"We had a good night at the plate but we were terrible in the field," said coach Jeremy Cromer. "We went behind 7-0 after two innings."

Dawson Anderson got the start on the mound for Glenvar and pitched better than his 10 runs allowed indicates. Seven of the runs were unearned.

"I know what he was going through because I went through the same thing in college," said Cromer, who was a standout pitcher during his playing days.

Meanwhile, Clay Caldwell led the offense with three hits. Reed Hutchinson, Jimmy Blount and Austin Meadows had two hits each and Blount also

drove in three runs. The loss followed a 7-0 shutout loss to James River in Buchanan last Friday in a River Ridge District game. The Knights threw ace Heath Andrews and he shut out the Highlanders on three hits while striking out seven. Caldwell started and took the loss for the Highlanders.

Now 2-8, the Highlanders have their work cut out for them. They were scheduled to play a tough Cave Spring team on the road Wednesday and on Friday they go to Floyd. Next Monday they play at Northside, who came into the week at 9-1, and on Tuesday of next week they go to Radford for a key district game.

"I told the team my first year as an assistant coach here we started out 2-9 and made a state run," said Cromer. "We have a young team, but we need to start finding ways to win."

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had three hits and Eli Bowery homered for the Spartans, who scored five runs in the second and led the rest of the way.

"We played some really tough teams down there but the experience should help us," said Salem coach Wes McMillan.

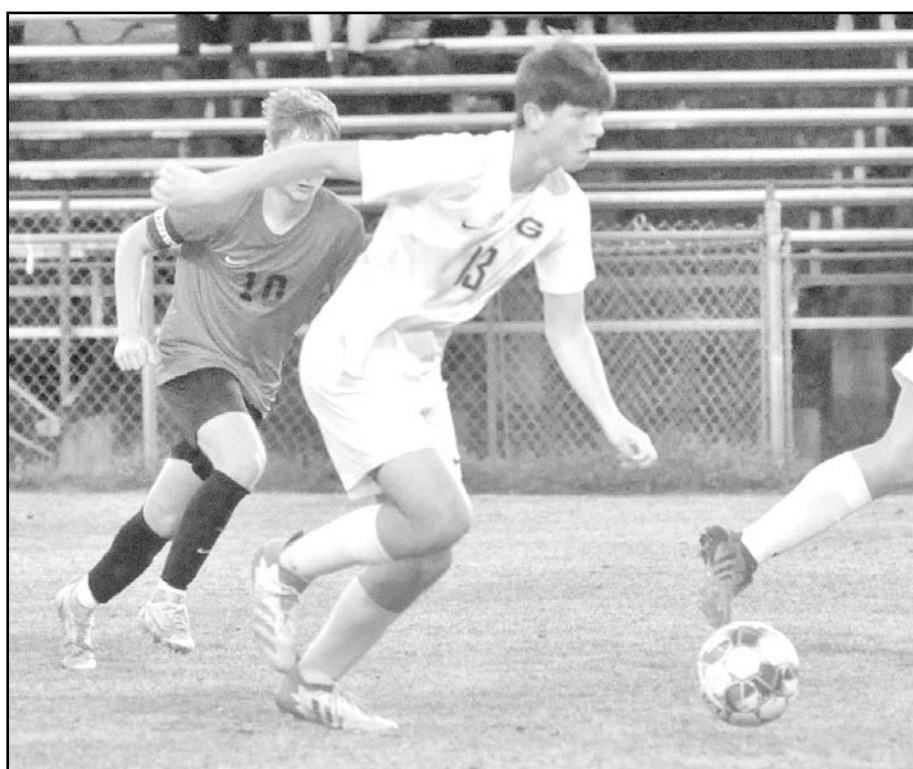
Now 8-3, Salem will be back in action this Friday with a 7 pm game against Patrick Henry at Kiwanis Field. On Saturday the Spartans will make up a rained out game with Cave Spring, scheduled for 1 pm at the Cave Spring High field.



Glenvar's Brendan Magruder takes the throw at second in last Friday's game at James River.

PHOTO BY JIM DEVINNEY





Glenvar's Jacson Shepherd leads the charge in last week's win at James River.

PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

## Glenvar boys soccer still undefeated, girls beat River but fall to Alleghany

The Glenvar soccer teams split games with Alleghany on Tuesday as the boys won at home and the girls lost on the road.

The boys put 10 shots in the cage as they beat the Mountaineers 10-1 at Highlander Stadium. Riley Geddes scored a three goal hat trick to give him 19 goals in the first 10 games of the season. Colin Clapper had two goals and three assists, Jacson Shepherd had two goals and one score each from Maddox Fisher, Christian Housh and Aden Hylton. Glenvar outshot the Mountaineers 24-3.

The win followed a 6-0 win over James River in Buchanan last Friday. Geddes scored two early goals and added a penalty kick just before the half and it was Geddes 3, River 0 at intermission. Riley scored on more in the second half and Wesley Feliciano and Marco Gustafson also scored in the

shutout win.

The girls didn't fare as well against Alleghany Monday, falling 7-0. However, last Friday at home they defeated James River, 6-1, as Jules Stanley scored the first four goals of the game for the Highlanders. Ryan Harris and Davin Tate also scored and the Highlanders got assists from Harris, Tate, Anna Veccelio, Faren Wilson and Jordin Crouch.

The girls are now 6-2 overall and they were scheduled to host Floyd on Wednesday. The boys are 9-0-1 and they won't play again until next Tuesday, April 26, when they play at Radford.

"That's a big game for us," said coach Josh Jones. "It's a district game against a real good team and it's at their place."

All practices begin July 25 and all games begin in September.

## SHS soccer teams sweep Pulaski Co.

The Salem High soccer teams swept River Ridge District rival Pulaski County on Tuesday with the girls winning at home and the boys winning on the Dublin pitch.

The girls put 11 goals on the board Tuesday night as they dominated Pulaski County at Spartan Field Tuesday, defeating the Cougars 11-1.

Annie Bond had four goals for the Spartans and Salem got single goals from Brooke Bowers, Abby Pitts, Taylor Arons, Avery Mangus, Elza Fleenor, Riley Brammer and Myah Sowder, who was called up for the jay-vee team and scored her first varsity goal. Bowers also had three assists and Bond, Arons, Mangus and Erin Robertson had one each. Kennedy Scales shut out the Cougars in goal and Anna Haley relieved and had two saves for the Spartans.

"Great win," said coach Kayla Wood. "Pulaski put up a great fight."

The boys had a much closer game as they pulled out a 2-1 win over the Cougars. Salem trailed



Riley Brammer controls the ball for the SHS girls.

PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

1-0 early in the game before Nelson Talavera kicked home a rebound to tie the game. Salem then took the lead when Graham Fisher put a one-timer off the twine off a long cross into the box.

The second half was scoreless as Salem held on for the win. Max Benne finished with five saves in the goal for the Spartans as they improved their record

to 3-4-1 on the season. Salem has had a bunch of close games and tough losses.

"We've been in every game," said coach David Atkins. "We haven't lost by more than one goal in any of our four losses."

Both the Salem boys and girls are back in action Friday with the girls at Patrick Henry and the boys hosting the Patriots at Spartan Field.

## Lewis will meet Glenvar in middle school sports today

Andrew Lewis and Glenvar will go head-to-head in four sports today in middle school action.

The Lewis baseball team will host Glenvar at Kiwanis Field and the Wolverines are home to Glenvar in boys' soccer. Glenvar will host softball and girls' soccer.

Last Thursday the Lewis baseball team dropped a close 4-3 decision to Northside as the Norse scored four runs in the bottom of the fifth. Derek Bush was two for three with two stolen bases for Lewis.

The Wolverines swept Northside in soccer. The boys won 1-0 on a goal by Caleb Moshier to remain undefeated at 10-0-1 and the girls also won to improve to 6-2-1. The girls then beat Pulaski Middle School, 8-0, on Tuesday in a preliminary to the Salem High girls' varsity game.



Ashley Toapanta settles the ball for the Andrew Lewis soccer team.

PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

## GHS softball at Floyd Friday

The Glenvar girls will attempt to get back on the winning track this week after dropping games to Christiansburg and Alleghany in the past week.

Last Wednesday at home the girls lost to Christiansburg, 12-2. The Highlanders led 2-1 after 2-1 innings but then the wheels fell off, as errors helped the Blue Demons score six times in the third inning. The Demons then put four more on the board in the fourth to put the game out of reach.

Savana Luper was a bright spot for Glenvar with three hits. Gracie Goff had two. Abby Teubert and Sophie McCulley split time on the mound and combined to fan nine but allow 10 hits.

On Tuesday the Highlanders hosted Alleghany and fell 11-4. Again, errors proved to be the downfall for the Highlanders.

"It's frustrating," said coach Lonnie Raines. "We continue to lose ballgames due to errors. Games are close and we an error, and that leads to another error and then the wheels fall off the bus."

Glenvar stranded eight runners on base, wanting for timely hits. Luper took the loss on

the mound allowing six hits and striking out five. Kayleigh Saunders led the team with two hits.

The Highlanders were scheduled to host

Northside on Tuesday, followed by a trip to Floyd on Friday. That will be a key district game with the Glenvar standing at 1-1 in the Three Rivers.



Glenvar's Savana Luper connects in last week's game with Christiansburg.

PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

## 12th ranked RC softball team hosts Ferrum at Moyer today

The Roanoke College softball team will play host to Ferrum College in an Old Dominion Athletic Conference doubleheader today. The first game is scheduled for 4 pm at the James I. Moyer Complex in Salem.

The Maroons come in at 22-9 overall and ranked 12th in the nation in Division III. Last Saturday in Salem they split a conference doubleheader with Guilford, winning the opener 11-0 in five innings but falling in the second game, 5-1.

It was Senior Day last week and the Maroons honored seniors Meagan Evans, Shanan Hester, Riley Croghan and Serenity Bishop prior to the opener. The Maroons then banged out 11 hits and that was more than enough offense for Jada Karnes. The junior completed the 5-inning shutout in perfect form, allowing no hits or walks while striking out seven to pick up her 16th win with a perfect game.

Things didn't go as well in the second game as the Quakers rallied for a 5-1 win to earn a split. Karnes also started that one but didn't fare as well, giving up a two run homer in the first inning. That was all Guilford would need as RC had just four hits in the loss.

The split gave RC an 8-6 conference record with the top six teams in the ODAC having four, five or six losses with just four games left in the regular season. After today's doubleheader with Ferrum the Maroons will play two at Eastern Mennonite Saturday to try an earn the best possible seed for the coming ODAC tournament.

## Sanders wins three events for AL track team

The Andrew Lewis track teams competed against Blacksburg, Northside, and Pulaski middle schools last Wednesday at Salem High School and had some good performances.

Multiple event winner Zariah Sanders led the girls. Zariah won the 200 meter dash and the long jump and ran on the 400 meter relay team with Genelle Balthazar, Jerni Allen and Ashlin Hudson as they took first to remain undefeated. Calia Sanders, Chloe Underwood, Aubrey Snead, Breanna Minnis, Quinn Bowen, Ayden Ruley, Jocelyn Thomas, and London

Fralin also earned points for the girls' team.

The boys team was led by Brodie Dawyot, who won the shot put, and Trey Dawyot placed in all of his events. Other point scorers include: Elijah Paddyfote, Davon Jones, Dylan Pugh, Cannon Migliarese, Coen Logan, Julian Morton, Kysheed Arrington, Aedon Wiley, Jack Ellis, and Jordan McCadden, Jake Thompson, Luke Stovall, Ben Foster, Mason Gillespie, and Aiden Pruett.

The teams were scheduled to be in action Wednesday at Cave Spring.

## Three RC school records fall at meet in Lynchburg

The Roanoke College men's and women's track teams made the trip to Lynchburg to compete in the two-day Dennis Craddock Coach Classic hosted by the University of Lynchburg last Friday and Saturday. The Maroons posted 36 personal bests, won a pair of events and would see three school records set at the meet.

In the women's competition Eleanor Hinckley finished first in the 100m dash running 12.36 seconds in the prelims. In the Shot-Put Grace Fowler would finish 2nd overall with a season best throw of 11.57m. That distance is currently first in the ODAC. The 4x400M relay team of Haylee Gamble, Lily Lippert, Hannah Koepfinger and Hinckley took first with a time of 4:16.60.

For the men, Brady Fowler finished second overall in the 100m dash, running 10.51 seconds in the prelims and lowering his school record time in the event. That time puts him 5th in NCAA DIII Standings. Samuel Crawford tied the school record and finished second overall in the 200m dash, crossing the line at 21.50 seconds. His time currently puts him 17th in the NCAA DIII Standings.

The 4x100m relay team of Xavier O'Brien, Blake Morin, Brandon Justice, and Fowler finished 2nd overall with a school record time of 41.87.

## Registration opens Monday for Salem fall sports

Online registrations for Salem recreation fall youth sports leagues will run from April 25th through May 12th. If interested, please register online at [www.salemva.gov](http://www.salemva.gov) (Parks and Recreation Link) or stop by the Sports Office to register in person during normal business hours.

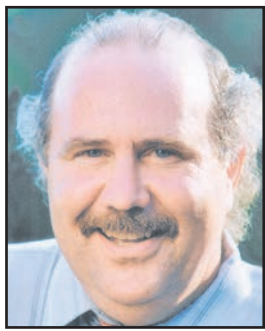
Cost for the season is \$40 for Salem residents and \$90 for tuition paying Salem students. Anyone registering

after 6/12/22 will be charged a \$25 late fee. Late registrations will be taken from 6/13/22 - 6/17/22.

For more information please email [athletics@salemva.gov](mailto:athletics@salemva.gov) or call 375-4094. Leagues offered include Flag Football for 6-13 year olds, Tackle Football for 7-12 year olds, Cheerleading for 6-12 year olds, Girls' Soccer for 6-16 year olds and Boys Soccer for 12-16 year olds.



# Brian Hoffman



Yankees fan and loved to talk baseball. He served as an assistant coach for the Salem baseball team under John Hinkle for many years.

In the '70s the Martin Travel folks organized a trip to Yankee Stadium for Old Timers Day and I got a seat on that plane, as did Marty and his dad. What a great time we had seeing some of the Yankees all-time greats line up on the first base line, and when the Spartans won their first state championship in 1986 Marty was excited that his dad, who was up in age at the time, was able to see Salem win it all.

Yuhas was in declining health in recent years but when he wasn't able to come to the games he made sure to listen to them on the radio, giving his commentary of the broadcasts as only he could. He loved the game and the kids who played it, and the Spartans who came through the program under his guidance were lucky to have him as a mentor. He was big on doing things the right way, both in sports and in life in general.

God bless Marty's family, as he'll be truly missed by all who knew him. I was fortunate to call him a friend.

## WILSON MAKING STRIDES AT UVA

Salem High graduate Jeremiah Wilson is having a great spring as a freshman on the University of Virginia track team. Jeremiah is currently ranked 10th in the Atlantic Coast Conference in the 110 meter hurdles.

After a strong indoor season running the 60 meter hurdles Jeremiah has continued to excel outdoors. He finished third in the 110 hurdles at the Virginia Open in Charlottesville in March with a time of 14.59 and fifth in the 400 hurdles in 57.48. On April 7-9 he ran in the Duke Invitational and lowered his 110 time to 14.37 and his 400 time to 56.89, both college bests.

UVA is hosting the Virginia Challenge this week, and next week the Cavaliers will compete in the historic "Penn Relays" at Franklin Field on the campus of the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, PA. The meet has included most of the past USA Olympians and many of the top track athletes in the world.



Jeremiah Wilson runs the hurdles for the University of Virginia.

UVA PHOTO

Jeremiah is the son of Tra and Kristy Wilson. Tra is an assistant coach for the Salem High team where Jeremiah's younger brother, DaRon, is having a good year on the oval.

Jeremiah was the VHSL state champ in the 55 meter hurdles in indoor track for the Spartans along with being a five time all-state selection.

## CHANCE CRAWFORD THIS WEEKEND

Over 170 teams have signed up for the 42nd annual Chance Crawford Softball Tournament this weekend, based at the James I. Moyer Complex in Salem and covering many diamonds throughout the Roanoke Valley. The tournament is set to begin at 9 am Friday and run through Sunday evening.

The tournament is a fund-raiser for causes throughout the Roanoke Valley. It was originally organized to help with expenses for Crawford, who was injured in a football accident playing quarterback for Salem High School at what is now Billy Sample Field.

The first ten years of the event, proceeds helped Chance through school and college, and provided for his medical needs. Chance is now serving as Clerk of Circuit Court for Salem and no longer needs the help, but he continues to make contributions to the community by allowing the tournament to be played in his name to help others.

All proceeds are now used to help many different worthy causes and give several college scholarships.

## "Coach Yu" was one of the good ones

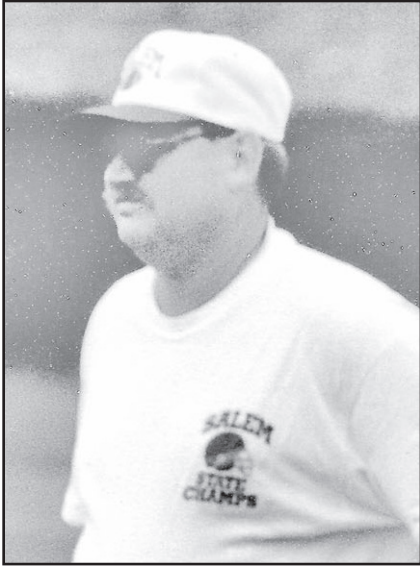
Salem lost a good one when Marty Yuhas passed away last week with family and friends by his side. He was a familiar face to Spartan football fans and a wonderful person.

I first met Marty way back in the '70s when he was a football assistant coach for Tom Kucer at Glenvar High School before there was a Salem High. He left coaching for a spell when Salem High opened but the game called him back and he returned to the gridiron as an assistant at Salem High in 1982, where he coached right up until a few years ago when his health forced him to retire.

Marty coached running backs and was also the head jay-vee coach, where he had a terrific record and prided himself on preparing the jayvees for the varsity ranks. He played high school ball at Patrick Henry and college ball at East Tennessee and was the epitome of "old school." He wasn't big on gloves or fancy shoes and his favorite expression for his runningbacks was "North and South."

Every summer when I would prepare our pre-season football edition I relished talking to Marty about the runningbacks. He hated the word "potential" and was always careful not to leave anyone out of the story.

Sooner or later our conversation would turn to baseball. Not everyone knew it but Marty was a big



MARTY YUHAS

PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

# Records fall as Salem sprinters qualify for post-season track meets

The Salem High track team competed in the Terrier Team Challenge at William Byrd High School's Robert

A. Patterson Stadium last Saturday and had some outstanding performances. Salem athletes qualified for

the regional and state meets and set some new meet records on the Vinton oval.

Salem's Myla Green won the 100m hurdles and set a new meet record with a time of 15.54. This performance qualifies her for the Regional and State Meets of the outdoor season and ranks her number two overall in Class 4.

The 4x100 relay team of Jonathan Vernon, Josiah Persinger, DaRon Wilson & Peyton Lewis also took first and set a new school record with a time of 42.76. That time qualifies them for the Regional and State Meet and ranks them number one in Class 4 and third statewide in all divisions of VHSL schools.

Lewis improved his school record in the 100m with a time of 10.64. This time ranks him first in Class 4 and fourth statewide in all divisions.

Also qualifying for regional and state meets for the boys team were Persinger in the 100m and Lewis in the 200. Regional qualifiers were

Christopher Cole and Mitchell Taylor in the 110 hurdles and Dominic Wright in the triple jump.

For the girls, regional qualifiers were Neelah Logan and Shaniya Robinson in the 100 meters.

"There were many other great performances amongst the team," said coach Darryl McCoy. "The team continues to work hard and improve."

Logan, Charli Wynn, Robinson and Green placed first in the 4x100 relay. Katelyn Crumpacker, Katie Johnson, Callie Conner and Elizabeth Bockock teamed together to place first in the distance medley relay and 2nd in the 4x800 relay at Byrd. Green also took second in the triple jump and fifth in the long jump.

The Spartans were scheduled to run at Hidden Valley on Wednesday in a quad meet, and this Saturday's they're scheduled to run in the Golden Eagle Invitational at Staunton River High School. Salem will have a home meet next Wednesday, April 27, their first on the new SHS track.



Left to right, Salem's 4x100 relay team of Jonathan Vernon, Peyton Lewis, Josiah Persinger and DaRon Wilson set a new school record and qualified for the state track meet.

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# Highlanders sweep meet at GHS

The Glenvar track team hosted a meet on a sunny day at Highlander Stadium last Wednesday, April 13. Seven teams competed as Salem, William Byrd, Northside, Floyd County, North Cross and Roanoke Catholic joined the host team on the green and gold oval.

"Both the boys and girls came out on top and I couldn't be more proud of them," said Glenvar coach Neil Swanson.

First places for the boys included Avonne Noel in the pole vault, Nate Johnson in the shot put, Tyler

Johnson in the 110 and 300 hurdles, Jackson Swanson in the 100 meters, Nick Woodson in the 400 and the boys' 4x100 relay team of Kyle Hanks, Woodson, Swanson and Tyler Johnson.

For the girls Rhyann Harris won the pole vault and ran on 4x400 and 4x800 winning relay teams with Sydney Loder, Delaney Eller and Carly Wilkes. Other firsts included Loder in the 100 and 300 hurdles, Eller in the 400 and Wilkes in the 800.

Glenvar is scheduled to host another meet next Wednesday, April 27.



Glenvar's Delaney Eller(left) and Adrianna Hall run in last week's meet at GHS.

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Glenvar's Tyler Johnson is on his way to a first place finish in the 110 hurdles.

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Left, Salem catcher Caitlin Wells blocks the plate after taking a throw from the outfield from Cora Robinson as a Pulaski County runner attempts to score Monday at the Moyer Complex. Center, Wells makes the tag as the umpire prepares to call the runner out, and right Caitlin holds up the ball to make it official. The out was the third of the inning and prevented a possible big inning for Pulaski as the Spartans went on to a 5-4 win.

PHOTOS BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

## Robinson turns a rough start into a good night as Salem beats Pulaski

When Cora Robinson was pulled from the mound in the second inning of Tuesday's Salem High softball game, it was shaping up as a bad night for the freshman. Instead, she contributed in the field and at bat as the Spartans came from behind to beat Pulaski County, 5-4, at the James I. Moyer Complex in Salem.

The Cougars scored three runs off Robinson in the first inning and loaded the bases in the second. At that point coach Johnny Counts summoned Cora Sparger to relieve Robinson, sending Robinson to right field. Sparger got out of the inning allowing the Cougars just one run, but the key play was when Robinson threw out a Pulaski runner at home to end the threat

with minimal damage.

Salem cut the lead to 4-2 in the bottom of the third, then Robinson drove in a run in the bottom of the fifth to make it a one run game at 4-3. Meanwhile, Sparger was shutting out the Cougars for the remaining five innings but Salem still trailed by a run heading into the bottom of the seventh.

The Spartans rallied at that point, putting girls on second and third with no outs. Bayleigh Booth hit a fielders' choice grounder to tie the game, sending Robinson to the plate with the potential winning run on third. Cora came through, lining one up the middle for a walk off win.

"She could have pouted after I took her out, but instead she knocked in the winning run," said Counts.

Sparger got the win in relief, fanning five, as Salem improved to 6-4 on the season. The Spartans were scheduled to play Cave Spring in a makeup game Wednesday and tonight they have Patrick Henry at home. A busy schedule continues next week with a game at William Fleming on Monday and trip to Christiansburg Tuesday, giving Salem five games in eight days. In the three days they don't play the Chance Crawford Tournament will be held in Salem.

"We have five games and we won't be able to have any practice," said Counts.

## Salem boys lax ties JF with one second to go, then wins in OT

The Salem High boys scored with under a second left in regulation to



Salem's Tanner Dallas controls the ball against Jefferson Forest Monday.

PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN

tie the game, then won in overtime in an exciting 9-8 lacrosse victory over Jefferson Forest at Spartan Field Monday night.

Down a goal with time running out, Tanner Dallas had the ball behind the Salem goal and brought it out with 15 seconds to go. Tanner went the full field, then made a great pass to Kyman Kinney who scored with 0.1 seconds on the clock to tie the game and stun the visiting Cavaliers. Jake Massey then scored the winning goal in the second overtime for a huge win against a fellow Region 4D team.

Kinney finished with three goals to lead the Spartans while Massey had two goals and an assist. Also scoring for Salem were Dallas, Landon Miles, Jackson Jones and Kaiden Garst with one goal each.

The win lifted Salem to 4-2 on the season. Last Friday in Charlottesville the Spartans dropped a 16-10 decision to homestanding Albemarle.

"The offense had a good outing but we didn't execute the way we wanted on defense," said Salem coach George Revercomb.

Massey had four goals against the Patriots while Dallas had two goals and four assists. Miles, Kinney, Carson Williams and Andrew Crumpacker had one goal each and Garst had two assists.

The Spartans were scheduled to return to action Wednesday with a home game against Western Albemarle, and then they're off until a week from today when they host Patrick Henry.



Salem's Myah Dent(#4) and Reese Redford(#1) battle for the ball in last week's lacrosse win at Christiansburg.

PHOTO BY KYMN DAVIDSON-HAMLEY

## Spartan girls down Cavaliers

Addi Blanchard and Reese Redford had three goals each to lead the Salem High girls to a 14-8 win over Jefferson Forest in Forest Monday night. The win snapped a two game losing streak for the girls, who dropped games to Western Albemarle and Albemarle on back-to-back nights last week.

In addition to Blanchard and Redford Bailey Stratton and Chloe Butt both found the net twice against Jefferson Forest. Ella Walker, Mia Esworthy, Zoe Blair and Morgan Tew all had one goal each and Natalie Major led the defense with two takeaways Annie Tolan came up with several key ground balls and Brynn Bowen had 11 saves for the Spartans.

Last Thursday in Crozet Salem dropped a 16-3 decision to a strong Western Albemarle team. Redford, Blair and Butt had goals and Bowen had 19 saves in the cage as she was swarmed by the Warrior attack.

"We struggled to do the basics, but we had difficulty with winning the draw," said Salem coach Maggi Pace. "Of 21 draws we possessed five."

On Friday night the Spartans were back home to host Albemarle and played much better despite losing 13-12.

"We had a 180 turnaround and played like a team and fought for each other," said Pace.

Captains Butt and Blanchard led scoring with Butt having four goals and Blanchard three and an assist. Bowen had 16 saves.

"Brynn has played so physical for us in the cage and beyond the crease," said Pace.

Salem is back in action tonight with a game at Patrick Henry. The Spartans came from behind to beat PH by one goal in their prior meeting in Salem.

"We're looking forward to playing PH again," said Pace. "It was a really close matchup last time and they have a key player back. We are looking more and more like a cohesive team, so we're excited to see where that will take us."

## Judd leads Spartans to win over PC

Trent Judd pitched a five inning shut-out as the Salem High baseball team took an 11-0 win at Pulaski County Tuesday night.

Judd struck out seven in the five inning game and allowed just four hits. He also had a triple at bat and drove in three runs.

It was a good night for the Spartan sticks. Caleb Furrage had three hits and Hunter King had two hits and two runs batted for Salem.

Last week the Spartans concluded their four games in the Mingo Bay Tournament in Myrtle Beach, SC by

splitting their last two games. Salem went 2-2 in four days of action under the sun.

Last Wednesday the Spartans lost to St. James, 11-1. Salem had just three hits, one each by Furrage, Tate Spitnale and Ben Bowers. Five of the St. James runs were unearned.

On Thursday the Spartans played Newburgh Free Academy and won a 7-5 decision. Trace Monroe pitched all seven innings for Salem to pick up the win and struck out seven, and he also went four-for-four at the plate. Bowers

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Joey Stock delivers for Salem in the Sox opening homestand. PHOTO BY BRIAN HOFFMAN