



Cape Charles Gazette Special Edition

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We hope that you will enjoy reading the Cape Charles Gazette which is the electronic newsletter published from time to time by the Town Manager on behalf of the municipal government of the Town of Cape Charles. The Gazette provides a variety of information that we believe will be useful to the citizens and businesses of Cape Charles as well as those who plan to travel to Cape Charles or have any interest in our Town or the Town's government. The Gazette provides information on actions being undertaken or being considered by the Town government, upcoming activities in the Town, important public safety and security issues and emergency announcements.

We welcome your responses which may be sent to gazette@capecharles.org, by regular mail to 2 Plum Street, Cape Charles, VA 23310 or by calling (757) 331-3259.

We also encourage you to visit the Town's website at www.capecharles.org where you will find up-to-date information about the operation of the Town government.



NMA Federal Credit Union and the Town of Cape Charles Announces Planned Opening of a Branch Office

NMA Federal Credit Union will be opening a branch office at 239 Mason Avenue, on the first floor of the Cape Charles Blue Hotel, by March 1, 2012.

Representatives from NMA Federal Credit Union will be holding six sessions to introduce the credit union and its member services to the residents and business owners in Cape Charles and the surrounding area of Northampton County. Everyone is eligible to become a member.

- Wednesday, February 1st, from Noon – 4PM, at the Cape Charles Town Hall
- Tuesday, February 7th, from Noon – 4PM, at the Cape Charles Town Hall
- Thursday, February 9th, from Noon – 4PM, at the Cape Charles Town Hall
- Wednesday, February 15th, from Noon – 4PM, at the Cape Charles Fire House
- Tuesday, February 21st, from Noon – 4PM, at the Cape Charles Town Hall
- Thursday, February 23rd, from Noon – 4PM, at the Cape Charles Town Hall

We hope you will be able to attend one of these meetings to hear about the advantages of becoming a member of the NMA Federal Credit Union. A photo ID and social security card are required to complete the membership process.

You may contact Paige LoCash, Senior Vice President, at 757-497-4500 x3016 if you have any questions.



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Cape Charles Harbor Construction

Until further notice, **the west dock area at the Cape Charles Harbor has been closed to the public due to the construction of the walkway, bath house and restaurant.** For your safety and for the safety of the workers, please refrain from entering this construction area. If you need to check your vessel, please contact a Town Harbor staff member for assistance.

Thank you for your cooperation during the construction. The Town is striving to make the Cape Charles Harbor a better place for the residents and visitors to the Town.

Town of Cape Charles Election Information

The Cape Charles Town Council elections will be held on May 8, 2012. Council members each serve 4-year terms and elections are held on even-numbered years. There are 3 positions up for election this year.

If you may be interested in running for elected office in Cape Charles, please [click here](#) for information regarding candidate qualifications and requirements. The filing deadline is March 6, 2012 at 7:00 PM. Contact the Northampton County General Registrar's office at 757-678-0480 for more information.



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Northampton County Chamber of Commerce 2011 Annual Citizens of the Year Awards

It is time to honor our outstanding citizens for the Chamber's Annual **Citizens of the Year Awards** Dinner. Please forward your nominations for the following categories:

- **Citizen of the Year:** Awarded to the individual who has made the most notable contribution to the county and its citizens.
Candidates for this award must display an exemplary volunteer effort and demonstrate creativity, vision, leadership, and citizenship throughout the past year. Candidates have volunteered for programs and/or activities that have positively impacted the welfare of Northampton County citizens.
- **Business of the Year:** Awarded to the business that has provided outstanding service to its customers and residents in Northampton County.
Candidates for this award may be new or existing businesses who have gone beyond expectations in providing excellent products and/or exemplary customer service and have made a positive impact to Northampton County through business development, and/or empowerment of its resident citizens.
- **Beyond Our Shores Award:** Awarded to the person who has conducted an outstanding business reaching beyond Virginia's Eastern Shore.
Candidates for this award have demonstrated the vision to extend his/her business to areas off the Eastern Shore and have helped promote Northampton County and the Eastern Shore.
- **Chamber Volunteer of the Year:** Awarded to the Northampton County resident who has made the most selfless contributions toward enriching lives in Northampton County while selflessly promoting the Northampton County Chamber of Commerce.
Candidates for this award have excelled in giving of their time and talents to the Chamber and in doing so have helped to benefit citizens or organizations in Northampton County.

Nominations are welcome from anyone who knows a deserving person or business. Please send nominations to: NCCC, P.O. Box 475, Eastville, VA 23347 or email to chamber@northamptoncountychamber.com. Nominations must be received at the Chamber office by Friday, February 3, 2012. Questions? Call 678-0010.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN CAPE CHARLES

- **Sea Glass and All Things Glass:** 1/28, 10:00 AM at the Cape Charles Fire Hall.
- **Eastern Shore of Virginia Habitat for Humanity February Freeze:** 2/11, 11:00 AM registration at the Trinity United Methodist Church. Please [click here](#) for more information.
- **Valentine's Day Party for Children of All Ages:** 2/11, 1:00 PM at Aqua. Please [click here](#) for information. Reservations required.
- **5th Annual Blessing of the Fleet:** 4/13 – 4/14 at the Cape Charles Harbor.
- **Memorial Day Picnic in the Park:** 5/27 at Central Park.
- **Tall Ships at Cape Charles:** 6/8 – 6/12 at the Cape Charles Harbor and throughout the Town.
- **July 4th Celebration:** 7/4, throughout the Town.
- **Inaugural Cape Charles Clam Slam Festival:** 8/3 – 8/5 at the Cape Charles Harbor.

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