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NeuBeam Recognizes ESVA Teachers and Frontline Health Workers

In December, NeuBeam asked its customers to provide it with the name of an ESVA teacher or frontline health worker doing an extraordinary job during these challenging times. The company learned of many teachers and frontline health workers who are going above and beyond during the pandemic and recognized four of them through social media and with \$100 gift cards.

Kaliyah Weatherly, who works at A Friend in Need Home Healthcare in Exmore, was nominated by Kimberly Petry. Petry said, "Kaliyah works long hours with me doing every task I need assistance with. She puts up with my bad attitude on days I am down. She has been like a daughter to my husband and I since she was placed with me a long time ago. I can't speak highly enough about her."

Nandua Middle School English teacher Julie Elliott was nominated by Sheimeshious Jackson. Jackson said, "She is definitely shining. She has a warm and caring attitude for her students. She has gone above and beyond to help make sure my daughter is learning the best ways possible during these very difficult times."

Mary Manjikian, a resident of Machipongo and professor at Regent University, was nominated by her husband, Ara Manjikian. Ara Manjikian said, "She has not stopped teaching. In fact, she has increased her workload. She has used the current crisis to mentor and guide students through this difficult time. Prior to the COVID crisis, many students had traditional education paths, with the hopes of finding appropriate jobs. The COVID crisis changed the direction of both education and employment. Dr. Manjikian, through her flexibility and dedication to students, has guided hundreds of students through this crisis. She is just an example of the many people who have pushed through this crisis. I wish we could acknowledge all the professors and frontline workers."

Kegotank Elementary School Media Specialist Michele Slusser was nominated by a former student's parent who wished to remain anonymous. The nominator said Slusser "has overcome the obstacles, even going so far to offer to drop off packets and books to virtual students. [She is] always there for her coworkers as well."

Public Notice

Northampton County is entertaining bids for surplus vehicles. The bid process will now be handled through an online company called "govdeals.com" To submit a bid for a surplus vehicle, please visit the "govdeals.com" website and search for "Northampton County." There are 2 vehicles available for bid at this time:

2001 Ford Crown Victoria, VIN 5597, Gray, 188,294 miles 2007 GMC Sierra, VIN 0822, White, 123,912 miles

Bids can be submitted until March 8, 2021.



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• Shervl Leona Hinmon, 50, and Reco Martel Kellam, 48, both of Parksley

• Bryana Natali Deeds, 27, and Christopher Robert Manzella, 26, both of Melfa

 Icenia Corina Roblero Ramirez, 41. and Ocael Perez Roblero, 34, both of Bloxom

• Veronica Tenika Matthews-Rich, 45, and Thomas Randolph Edwards, 53, both of Coram, N.Y.



McMath Speaks to CBA

George McMath, right, was the guest speaker at the Eastern Shore Christian Businessmen's Association held at the Island House Restaurant recently. McMath, 88, founded the organization in 1989 and talked about the group's purpose of making ethical business decisions using Christian principles. There were 100 charter members. McMath served as the ESCBA's first president and invited prominent business and political leaders from around the state to speak on ethics. At left is current ESCBA president, George Bryan.

