



HII Acquires Manufacturer of Unmanned Underwater Vehicles

On Jan. 30, Huntington Ingalls Industries announced that it has acquired the Engineering Solutions Division of The Columbia Group, a leading designer and builder of unmanned underwater vehicles for domestic and international customers

As a previous stand-alone division within The Columbia Group, ESD is headquartered in Panama City Beach, Fla., and employs about 30 engineers, analysts, craftsmen and technicians. While ESD's primary customer is the U.S. Navy, the company develops and builds specialized manned and unmanned undersea vehicles for military customers around the world. It has built or converted specialized craft for a variety of purposes, including support of submersibles and submarines, special warfare, testing of mine warfare systems, torpedo countermeasures and more.

"ESD's experience in designing and developing manned and unmanned submersibles is a natural extension of the submarine work we do at NNS," said **Matt Mulherin**, NNS president. "We believe the combination of Newport News and ESD expertise will enable us to compete successfully in the unmanned underwater vehicle market, and we are excited to welcome ESD to our team."

ESD will operate as Undersea Solutions Group, a subsidiary of HII, and will report to NNS' Submarine and Fleet Support division led by **Jim Hughes**.

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Pictured: Employees test an unmanned underwater vehicle designed and built by the Engineering Solutions Division.



Crew Move Aboard and First Meal Served on John Warner

John Warner (SSN 785) sailors began moving aboard and ate their first meal prepared in the submarine's galley Feb. 2.

Crew prepared surf and turf for the sailors who will serve aboard *Warner*. To top it off—the ship's sponsor and the submarine's namesake, Jeanne and John Warner, had cakes delivered to the crew from Rowena's Specialty Cakes and Drizzles in Norfolk.

"The in-service milestone is an important event in the life of the submarine *John Warner*," said Cmdr. Dan Caldwell, the submarine's prospective commanding officer. "The ability to work and live aboard the ship will give the crew the opportunity to become more familiar with the equipment they will operate and places us one step closer to our ultimate goal of taking this submarine to sea."

Turn to p. 2 to read the congratulatory note to SSN 785 crew members and shipbuilders from the Warners.

Pictured: SSN 785 sailors were served surf and turf Feb. 2 – the first meal prepared from the submarine's galley. Photo by **Ricky Thompson**



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Celebrating
129 Years
of building "Always Good Ships"

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“As the Navy moves toward greater employment of unmanned vehicles in both the surface and undersea domains, it makes great strategic sense to bring together a builder of unmanned undersea vehicles and one of the world’s great builders of naval ships and submarines,” said **Ross Lindman**, ESD senior vice president. “Together, we can support the development of large and very large unmanned undersea vehicles and stay in step with the Navy as unmanned systems take on greater and more complex roles in the undersea battle space. The staff of ESD looks forward to joining NNS.”

Pictured: Employees test an unmanned underwater vehicle designed and built by the Engineering Solutions Division.



The Apprentice School and RCC Finalize Agreement

On Jan. 9, The Apprentice School and Rappahannock Community College (RCC) finalized an agreement to allow apprentice graduates to transfer their credits to one of four RCC degree programs: the Associate of Arts and Sciences degrees in business administration or pre-engineering, or the Associate of Applied Science degrees in business management or general engineering technology.

For additional information, contact Dean Anne Kornegay at 804-758-6771 or via email (toakornegay@rappahannock.edu).

Pictured: Dr. James Hughes, Newport News Shipbuilding Apprentice School, and Dr. Donna Alexander, RCC’s vice president of Instruction and Student Development, sign an agreement allowing Apprentice School graduates to transfer credits to RCC.



Career Pathways Volunteers Participate in “Exploratory Saturday”

On Jan. 24, Career Pathways volunteers participated in Exploratory Saturday hosted by Virginia Space Grant Consortium and Thomas Nelson Community College. The focus of this year’s event was Information Technology (IT). Newport News Shipbuilding employees **Greg Pothast** (T54), **Alva Brignoni** (T53) and **Devon Stanley** (T52) led seventh-and eighth-grade students through IT activities. The students participated in an activity of coding with “Angry Birds,” a computer game, to learn the basic concepts of coding. Career Pathways volunteers shared their career paths and spoke to the students about how to prepare for possible IT careers at NNS.

“It was amazing being a part of this STEM program and watching the kids get excited about technology,” said Stanley. “I think this program helps kids become interested and learn about careers in which they can put their skills to use. It was like a light bulb going off in their heads when they realized that they can turn their love of coding into technical careers.”

Visit the Career Pathways website on Yardnet to learn about how to get involved in future Career Pathways opportunities. For questions, contact **Gordon Sproat** (O44) at 688-3176.

Pictured: Seventh-and eighth-grade students learn the basic concepts of coding Jan. 24 during “Exploratory Saturday,” an educational event hosted by Virginia Space Grant Consortium and Thomas Nelson Community College. Photo by Sherri Thompson

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JOHN W. WARNER

February 2, 2015

May today’s “Inaugural Luncheon” set a precedent to be repeated once a year.....30 plus, service life of this vessel as a reminder of, and pay tribute to, all the PCU crews and shipbuilders whose dedicated skills built this magnificent submarine, SSN785.

The proud sponsor, Jeanne and I are with you in spirit today and pass on the traditional Navy “well done”

John W. Warner
Jeanne Warner

Celebrating
129 Years
of building “Always Good Ships”

Master Shipbuilders Recall Fondest Shipyard Memories

On Jan. 28, Newport News Shipbuilding celebrated its 129th anniversary. For more information about NNS’ 129 years of “Always Good Ships,” watch a short video or view a photo slideshow at nns.huntingtoningalls.com/employees/publications. In honor of the anniversary, randomly selected Master Shipbuilders were asked to recall their fondest memories during their 40 or more years of service at NNS. Read their responses below:

“In retrospect, I attribute my participation in The Apprentice School program as the most influential aspect of my career. I entered the shipyard as an immature 19 year old—The Apprentice School helped me to become goal-focused and develop work habits that I credit to my success today.”

David Pogorelec (T55)

“I’ve had many fond memories of working in the shipyard for the past 43 years. The most important has been the many fellow workers I had the pleasure of working with and for. Most of them come from different backgrounds and I learned to work with them on various shipyard hulls.”

Larry Wood (X31)

“One of my fondest memories of the shipyard during my 45-year career was being chosen to fly on the company airplane to attend a formal awards banquet in New York. It was truly an honor to represent the company and to have been selected. Also, seeing the transition and transformation of technology in our jobs has been exciting. To cap it off, the top highlight of my career is being a Master Shipbuilder! It’s a rare and rewarding to have worked a job for this long.”

Carolyn Mann (O77)

“My fondest memory would have to be my assignment and involvement in the design, acquisition, functional testing and first ship launch from the floating dry dock as a foreman in the Facilities Maintenance Department. This rare opportunity afforded me the ability to interact with many very talented people, including shipyard employees, consultants, vendors and original equipment manufacturers.”

Dean Ashe (O45)

“Being the sponsor and having the honor of christening the tug boat *Captain Ambrose*, which is the newest part of the fleet, is my fondest shipyard memory. And of course getting to ride USS *Enterprise* (CVN 65) on her final journey to NNS for her final days. What a great honor both these events were for me as a Master Shipbuilder.”

Shirley Langston (X74)

“My fondest memories of working in the Benefits Department has been the personal contact with employees and retirees. I take great pleasure working with employees in the shipyard, helping and explaining how the benefits work. Even though, there have been a lot of changes in benefits during my tenure with the shipyard and a lot of challenges with the changes. It has given me great satisfaction to be a part of the heritage of benefits and the changes.”

Yonnie Hedrick (O23)

“My fondest memory of the shipyard during my career was graduating from The Apprentice School and going into management as an electrical planner.”

Carlton Knight (X87)

“My most memorable moment was when the shipyard asked me to take a picture for the keel laying of the *Richard B. Russell* and that was back in 1971 and I still have the pictures – it’s a treasure.”

Wilma Morris (O14)

“I have so many great memories of the shipyard that after 45 years, my memory bank is truly full. One of my greatest experiences at NNS was being chosen to participate in USS *George Washington* (CVN 73) and USS *Nimitz* (CVN 68) sea trials. The pride I felt when I boarded the ship in the morning and knowing how much hard work and how many people were involved in the overhaul of such a complex warship overwhelmed me. I have been fortunate enough to work in several different departments throughout my career and have been offered many opportunities, experiences, and have worked with so many talented shipbuilders. I have had numerous co-workers and many I consider my lifelong friends.”

Eileen Wallace (E61)



DATEBOOK

FEBRUARY 2

The Apprentice School is starting a Bass Club. An interest meeting will be held from 4-5 p.m. on Feb. 2 at The Apprentice School (2nd floor conference room). View the flier for additional information or contact **Rob Uzzle** (X59) at 688-7132 or 619-5759.

FEBRUARY 17

Beginning Feb. 17, Old Dominion University's College of Continuing Education will be offering a 12-week PMP prep course from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. The offering is approved for Newport News Shipbuilding tuition reimbursement. For more information, contact **Nita Scarlett** (O35) at 688-5599 or via email.

FEBRUARY 20

The Apprentice Alumni Association will host its annual banquet at 7 p.m. at the Marriot Newport News at City Center. The Class of 1965 will be honored. Social time starts at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$40 and are available from AAA delegates or officers and from **Judy Hester** at 688-2512 at The Apprentice School. For more information, visit www.nnapprentice.com/alumni/news.htm. Send an email to Alumni@nnapprentice.com for questions.

FEBRUARY 28

The Apprentice School Class of 2014 Graduation Ceremony will be held at Liberty Baptist Church (Worship Center) in Hampton. Doors will open at 1 p.m. and the ceremony will begin at 2 p.m. The event is free and all shipbuilders are invited to attend.

MARCH 11

The International Compliance Office will hold Annual Export Training-Basic from 9-10 a.m. and 1-2 p.m. in Bldg. 520-6 (James River Room). Register via the Learning Exchange (LX) or contact **Sarah Williams** (O19) at 380-3599.

MARCH 27

The Progressive Club will host their Spring Golf Tournament at Sleepy Hole Golf Course in Smithfield. Check-in time is noon and there will be a shotgun start at 1 p.m. Cost is \$300 per team. For questions, contact **Kenny McBurney** (X88) at 380-3659.

Opportunities Through the Career and Professional Development Department

The Dale Carnegie Course (Effective Communications and Human Relations):

12-week course, where students learn to strengthen interpersonal relations, manage stress and handle fast-changing workplace conditions. Course focused on people/ leadership skills, controlling stress and worry, memory development, and improving self confidence.

High Impact Presentations: 2 day course, for anyone who speaks in front of groups. Students learn to develop a central theme, structure presentations, persuade the audience with facts and examples and lead effective question/ answer sessions.

Visit the O44 Yardnet website for information about the courses available. Contact **Kimberly McCrum** (O44) at 380-4706 or **Tina Howell** (O44) at 380-7898 for questions.

Check Out Aramark's Breakfast, Lunch and Catering Options

Visit the Food Services (O23) Yardnet website for the mobile food service monthly schedule and other services available to Newport News Shipbuilding employees through Aramark Corporation.

One City Marathon Runner: Stanley Bryant

Job Title: Production Planner and Scheduler (X72)

Age: 42

Running: Maritime 8K

Classification: Average Runner

Biggest Race: Marine Corps Marathon 10K

Biggest Challenge: Staying committed and finding the time to run.

Running Goal: I'm always trying to push myself. My current goal is to build up to running the Marine Corps Marathon.

Favorite Areas to Run: Virginia Beach Oceanfront, Virginia Beach Town Center, Matteson Trail and First Landing Park.

Favorite Tech: Nike Fuelband, Nike application, Garmin Forerunner 620.

Keeping it Interesting: I Instagram (#ownthenight and #newtonsfirslawofmotion) most of my runs – things I find interesting.

Running Playlist: Ludacris, Imagine Dragons, Beyoncé, Outkast, Jay-Z, anything up-tempo.

Work Application: The work we do can be stressful. Running helps to manage that stress. Sometimes I find the most clarity about projects I'm working on while I'm running.

Advice: Don't worry what everyone else is thinking. Think of what it is that you want to accomplish and put yourself into it.

Motivation: I used to run on the track team in high school. When I joined the Navy, running became a chore. In 2013, my doctor classified me as pre-diabetic and it was a wakeup call for me. I started doing more exercising and running. I started to enjoy it again. At that time, I could barely run a full mile. Now I'm running multiple races some weekends.

Company Involvement: It shows that the shipyard is committed to the area and is involved in the community. A lot of places talk about health and wellness, but I think this shows that the shipyard doesn't just talk about it – we do something about it.

Visit www.onecitymarathon.com to learn more about the One City Marathon and how you can get involved.



AROUND THE YARD

“Go Red for Women” Event is this Thursday at VASCIC

African American Shipbuilders Association (AASA), Women in Shipbuilding Enterprise (WISE), Hispanic Outreach Leadership Alliance (HOLA) and Veterans Employee Resource Group (VERG) will host a “Go Red for Women” event from 4-5:30 p.m. Feb. 5 at VASCIC. The event will feature speakers from the American Heart Association, Healthwaves and national guest speaker and stroke survivor Gail Alexander-Wright. All shipbuilders are invited to attend and are encouraged to wear **RED** to show their support for the cause. A group photo will be taken following the event. Contact **Britta Brown-Zambrana** (O05) at 688-2786 for questions.

AASA, WISE, HOLA and VERG also encourage all shipbuilders to show their support for heart health by wearing **RED** on Friday, Feb. 6, the American Heart Association’s National “Go Red for Women” Day.

NNS to Undergo VPP Recertification Next Week

During the week of Feb. 9-13, Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) representatives will be onsite to re-certify Newport News Shipbuilding as a Voluntary Protection Program (VPP) Star Worksite. NNS has been a Star Worksite since 1995. As a VPP Star Worksite, NNS is required to show continuous improvement in its health and safety programs. To ensure we continuously improve, OSHA visits the company every three to five years to audit records, interview employees, and review various safety initiatives.

NAVSEA Audit of SSN 785 Scheduled for Next Week

Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA) will conduct their Phase II SUBSAFE Certification Audit and Fly-By-Wire Ship Control System Certification Audit of PCU *John Warner* (SSN 785) the week of Feb. 9. For more information, contact NNS SUBSAFE Program Manager **Sean Coons** at 688-1595.

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DRIVE ACTION TO IMPROVE PERFORMANCE



- Support CVN 72 Redelivery of OCTOBER 16, 2016 by:
- Identifying Redelivery Opportunities and Implement Lessons Learned with Focus on
 - Safety
 - Schedule Impact
 - Cost Performance
 - Technical Products
- CVN 72 Participant Luncheon will be provided for all “VALID” Opportunities and Lessons Learned submitted between now and Feb. 2, 2015 – Feb. 27, 2015 that will improve our chances to meet our 42½ month redelivery.



“I do the very best I know how - the very best I can; and I mean to keep on doing so until the end.”
– Abraham Lincoln

**CONTACT CHERIE POWELL (0-2046)
OR DJAVON ALSTON (8-3360)
CVN72LESSONSLEARNED@HII-NNS.COM**

AASA to Host Black History Month Celebration Feb. 12

The African American Shipbuilders Association (AASA) will host its annual Black History Celebration from 4:30-6:30 p.m. in Bldg. 520-6 (James River Room). Special guest speaker will be **Michael S. Smith**, HII corporate vice president of Corporate Development, Nuclear and Environmental Services. The event is **FREE** and is open to all shipbuilders. For more information, contact **Sullivan McNewton** at 688-4155.

Visit the AASA Yardnet website for more information about AASA upcoming events.

Turn to p. 8 to view NNS’ Black History Month poster.

Spear and Gear Hard Hat Stickers Available for Purchase

Employees can show shipbuilder pride by purchasing a reflective Newport News Shipbuilding spear and gear sticker. Stickers cost \$1 and are available in tool rooms across the yard. A complementary non-reflective American flag sticker will be given to all employees that purchase a spear and gear sticker. Stickers can be stuck on hard hats, tool boxes or personal items of choice.

Note: Stickers may not be placed on the front and center, or back and center of hard hats.

SEEKING LEADERS

Visit www.buildyourcareer.com for more information on how you can build your career with Newport News Shipbuilding.

Job Title	Requisition Number	Dept.	Location
Mgr Prod Plan & Sched 2	9324BR	E91	KSO
Dir General Manufacturing 2	9349BR	O63	NNS
Dir Gov Affairs 2	9342BR	N359	Washington DC

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To submit a story, visit nns.huntingtoningalls.com/currents. The deadline for submissions is COB Wednesday for publication the following week.

EMPLOYEE CLASSIFIEDS



AUDIO/VIDEO

NIKON SLR - D-80 Digital Camera Set, W/28-70 Zoom Lens, Bag and NIKON SB-26 Mount Flash. Text/Call (614) 796-8603

WEDDING DJ - Professional MC & DJ. Dance lighting included. Book Silver Star DJs Web/phone (757) 356-1166

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AUTO

24 INCH RIMS - One Summer old 26530R24 Borghini B14 Rims. Tires have plenty of tread. minor curb dings \$1,500 obo txt 4P (757) 332-1952

02 VW PASSAT - Good cond. 148,000 mi. 1.8 gas turbo, auto, heated leather seats, sun roof, monsoon stereo. \$3,900 before 8pm (757) 369-3535

2008 YAMAHA - Tour Deluxe Dk.Blue/Blk Fairing ,stereo, elec cruise,air susp, 23k mi great shape. \$8k OBO. (757) 651-1350

RIMS AND TIRES - '95 Mustang alum 3 spoke rims and P215-60R-15 tires with lots of good tread \$200 (757) 771-6219

05 COROLLA S - 102k mi. Well maintained great on gas. 5spd, sunroof, silver w/ black interior. Power Everything \$6,000 obo (757) 535-1757

11' HD SOFTAIL - Lots of chrome and many extras. \$17K. Serious inquiries. (757) 218-5592

FLOOR MATES - Weathertech complete set of floor mates 1, 2 & 3rd row for Ford Explorer 2013 only used for 6 months \$100 (757) 771-4412

WHEELS & TIRES - Chrome 18" wheels & tires. All wheels are in excellent condition 5 lug. \$400 OBO pix can be provided. (757) 503-1523

Auto cont.

03 PT CRUISER - 5-speed manual, new tires, 111K miles, PW, CD, \$2,300 (804) 815-8911

06 TRAILBLAZER - Chevy Trailblazer LS 4X4, 99,600 Miles, Towing Package, White, DVD sys, New Inspection, Clean, Asking \$8,600. (804) 693-0687

2006 SUZUKI - Motorcycle SV650, 23K miles EC, red, new tires, chain, hi-perf muffler, new inspection \$3,300 (757) 650-9329

VICTORY - 8Ball 2013, less then 2k miles, garage kept, extras added, ready to ride. \$10k obo (757) 236-0789

99 FORD F150 - V8 4x4. Great Hunting/work Truck, runs well. New battery, seat covers. 8' ext bed std cab. REDUCED \$1,200 obo (757) 817-5886

CENTER CONSOLE - 25' 350mpi inboard gps, f-finder, radar, cuddy cab, outriggers, ready to fish! Exc Cond 17,500 obo, have pics (757) 775-1395

20'SHAMROCK '83 - Cuddy, T-top, trailer. Newly rebuilt 351 inboard w/< 15 hours. Real nice bay boat for cruising or fishing. (757) 369-3535

96 INTEGRA - Needs transmission, leaky power steering. New tires. Ac, heat, cold air intake, sub woofer and amp. Call/text (757) 751-8576

ALUM BASS BOAT - 98 Grumman 17ft, 06 Yamaha 9.9 4 stroke, console, F/C troll motor, live well, galv trailer, batt charger \$3,150 obo (757) 897-7524

CHRYSLER 300 - 2006, 118k miles, one owner, maintained. New brakes & AC, good tires. \$3,000 obo, serious inquiries only. (757) 329-9301

M90 AND M109R - Cobra Luggage rack (may fit any Suzuki), \$50 for pic call/txt (757) 236-0789

COMPUTERS

REPAIR - PC/Laptop repair, virus removal, program reinstalls, etc. \$85 + part (757) 329-6761

COMPUTER DESK - Computer Desk - great condition. \$75; (757) 876-3327

FREE ITEMS

1980S RADIO - radio from a 80s blazer/jimmy was still working when we repalced it with an aftermarket one (757) 746-9239

55" TV - 55"Projection TV, works but needs internal speaker repair. Works great with audio tuner& external speakers (248) 252-8066

MAKEOVERS - Looking for a quality look for your big Valentine's Day party? Suprise that lovely someone with a new you! (703) 728-8288

HOBBIES

GOLF CLUBS - Wilson Dyna-Powered: irons 2 thru 9, pitching wedge, drivers 1,2,& 4; needs regripping; good starter set. \$50 (757) 599-1960

GUITARS FOR SAL - Epiphone electric guitar with amp,\$150 Ibanez six string acoustic \$100 (757) 602-3348

FLAG FOOTBALL - Norfolk men's league defending champs looking for defensive lineman. League runs Mar-June. Text for more info (757) 329-8538

WELDER - Lincoln weldpack, flux core wire feed, 120VAC, with auto-helmet, cart and extras, like new, \$200 OBO (757) 238-2358

SAILING - Crew members wanted on Sea Scouts sailboat! Boys and Girls ages 14-20 can learn confidence/self-reliance (757) 550-1610

FURNISHINGS & APPLIANCES

ROLL TOP DESK - Oak roll top desk - excellent condition - like new. \$200. (757) 876-3327

WOOD CHAIRS - 4 wood slat chairs in good shape \$100. Call or text for photos. (727) 403-7138

KING BED FRAME - King size bed frame & black wooden headboard. Text after 3pm (757) 679-8962

FURNITURE - Sofa chair \$50, antique dresser \$300, hardwood kitchen table/6 chairs set \$200, hardwood desk/shelves \$200 (757) 759-2549

Furnishings & Appliances cont.

WASHER & DRYER - Washer and dryer in great working condition. Both top loaders, manuals and connections included. (207) 694-1416

RACE CAR BED - toddler racecar bed with full size memory foam mattress like new. \$300; (757) 771-4412

BOOKSHELF - Attractive handmade solid wood bookshelf (5 shelves), dark stain, good condition, 62"(H)X 48"(W) X 11"(D), \$60 (757) 483-1043

WINE RACK - Wooden wine glass holder with satin nickel hardware. Hangs from ceiling or under table/cabinet. \$40 (703) 728-8288

DESKS & CHAIRS - 2 desks - lt pine & dk cherry with hutch & office chairs. Call or text for price & photos. (727) 403-7138

OTTOMAN - dark brown leather top reversible to wooden tray. opens to storage. \$150 obo pics available (757) 706-2361

CHAISE LOUNGE - brown, microfiber, clean. Great for reading. \$120 obo. pics available. (757) 706-2361

COFFEE TABLE - Wood/Glass coffee table with bottom stand. Good Condition \$50 Text (757) 285-9432 for picture. (757) 285-9432

ENTER. CENTER - Large entertainment center, adjustable shelves, sliding doors, 78" (H) x 46" (W) x 21" (D), \$110 (757) 483-1043

DINETTE SET - DINETTE SET - 72" X 44" Glass & metal frame, with 6 chairs & 4 matching bar stools. Reduced \$950 (757) 329-1789

MICROWAVE - (\$45), Mini Refrigerator (\$65), Ionic Air Purifier \$45 (old fashion popcorn popper \$35; (757) 589-7248

CONSOLE TABLE - White Engineered Wood console table, has 1 center drawer. \$20 Txt for pic (757) 285-9432

REAL ESTATE

1 BR APT - 1 BR Apt. for rent E Ocean View available 1st of March. Beach across the street. \$600. + Utility & 1mt deposi (757) 650-0156

HOUSE FOR RENT - Spacious 4BR/2BATHS. Ideal location. Minutes from NNS & shopping(228) 218-6905

Real Estate cont.

ROOM FOR RENT - Roommate To share 3brdm home in Menchville area \$550 mth all util & wifi incld. Ser Inqy only. (757) 715-9291

HOME FOR SALE - 3BR/1BA 1,074 sq ft, det garage, rear deck, fenced back yard, all appl, Hilton School District \$123K (757) 869-2550

HOME FOR RENT - 4 brdm, close to work, downtown Hampton, and both tunnels. Move in ready. \$1200/mo (757) 254-1724

FOR SALE - Meridian Parkside Condo. 3BR/3.5BA, 2-car garage. 3-story, 2nd story deck. wash/dry, SS appl, \$225K (757)912-6308

HOME FOR SALE - Move-in Ready, 3BR/1BA near Langley. Remodeled, Security System, 15 min from Shipyard. Only \$115K (757) 355-2007

HOME FOR SALE - 4BR, 2.5 ba Hptn. New Roof AC, furnace, water heater, insulation. HW floor throughout, Dual zone heat/AC etc. (757) 952-9456

HOME FOR SALE - 3BR/1BA 1,074 sq ft. attached garage, rear deck, fenced back yard, new windows & HVAC. Hptn Terrace \$129,900 (757) 303-5347

TOWNHOUSE - Hampton, Lake Front, 3Bd 1.5Ba updated windows & Kitchen, new paint/carpet, wash/dryer, \$124,500, CC help (757) 879-0372

FOR RENT - Hampton 3bd Townhouse 1.5 Ba Washer/Dryr 5 mins to beach no smoking inside, no pets \$1,050+sec (757) 291-1210

HOME FOR RENT - NORFOLK 3Bdrm, Lg Bath, Garage, LR, DR, Lg Den w/ cath ceil. Hardwood Flrs, Cent AC, WDHU, Bg Yard, Great neig. No Pet (757) 340-6653

RENT TO OWN!! - 3 bdr/1ba brick ranch w/carport fenced new kitchen \$1,000 mo 17 Tillerson Dr., NN (757) 675-9954

HOME FOR RENT - 3BR/1BA, 1,158sqft, within 5 miles of NNS & LAFB, all stainless steel appliances included, also W/D included \$1,050 (757) 879-2860

MISCELLANEOUS

XBOX ONE - Xbox One console 500GB with 7 games. 2 controllers, charger, kinect. \$500 Text for pic (757) 285-9432

FIREWOOD - Fresh split Hardwood, truck load \$100. Round wood, truck load \$80. Delivery \$\$ (757) 870-0573

Miscellaneous cont.

UNDERH2O FLSHLT - Aqua King underwater flashlight in good shape. \$50. Call/txt for pics (727) 403-7138

SMART TV - Samsung 55" Class 1080p LED Smart HDTV w/ConnectShare. \$900 firm (retail \$1,900). (757) 218-0716

JUMPEROO - Baby Einstein musical motion activity jumper. good condition smoke free home. \$50 (757) 771-4412

MOTIVATED & DETERMINED (MAD) Empowerment Session Feb 7, 9:30 - noon, Hampton University Student Center. Reserve your space TODAY \$10. More info call (757) 633-4833

BOWFLEX - -Spiraflex home gym -Good Cond- All accessories included. \$800 Neg. Lv msg (757) 325-8209

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COVERALLS - Cabelas cold weather coveralls Women SM black great shape very warm. Dupont Thermoloft insulation \$95 Pics av (727) 403-7138

DUMBBELL SETS - That are changeable 40 lbs -\$65, 50 lbs - \$75, 70 lbs - \$100, all chrome set 25 lbs - \$65 each set has pegs (757) 589-7248

PILATES BENCH - Collapsible Pilates bench with instructional DVD's. \$100 OBO. (757) 846-6800

MINK JACKET - Jacket w/Mink overlay. Never worn, price tag still attached, size M/L. Over \$2,000 retail, asking \$800 obo (757) 846-6800

CUSTOM TILE - Specializing in custom kitchens, bathrooms/showers + flooring. (757) 604-6814

WEDDING DECOR - Tying the knot? I can help w/silk bouquets, centerpieces, pew bows, candy buffets, etc. Free consultation (757) 206-3386

Miscellaneous cont.

TREE REMOVAL - free estimate; licensed and insured; (757) 592-6497

HELPING HANDS - General home cleaning. Free Estimates. One time or special occasion cleaning welcomed. Licensed & Insured. (757) 371-3904

DOUBLE STROLLER - Eddie Bauer all terrian tandem double stoller. Like new used few times \$100 (757) 771-4412

TRAILBEACON - 4-pack, new in box, flash/tone used for hunting, camping, hiking search and rescue \$9/2FOR \$17 (757) 589-7248

EXERCISE EQUIPT - Ellipticals \$50-150 & exercise bikes \$40-150 recumbent Gym quality stair stepper \$299 & small stepper \$50 (757) 589-7248

ORGANIC BEEF - organically grown!! Check us out on FB: "Soul Shine Farm Grass Fed Beef" (540) 255-1292

HEAT PUMP - Offering FREE tune-up, inspec + REBATE for Dom. Power cust. with Heat Pump. (757) 286-2368

BEAUTY SETS - Feb14 is approaching. I have some great fragrances (m/f), make up, etc. (757) 915-5666

CHILD CARE - Daycare with FT openings Hrs 6AM-6PM M-F 10yrs Exp in nursing CPR & first aid certified taking ages 6WKS-6YRS (757) 761-5222

NAIL GUN - Framing 28 degree Full Clip with carry case. Central Pneumatic Model 93760 - \$50 (757) 273-5625

LAWN/YARD CARE - Crepe Myrtle/ Bush Trim, Mulch Flower Beds, Leaf/ Debris/SNOW Removal (757) 871-4589

HARLEY JACKETS - Women's Harley Davidson Leather Jackets \$175 ea. VANSON Women's Properf CSRX size 10 \$275 (757) 329-1789

FOOD DELIVERY - Want Chipotle, Chick-fil-a, Panera Bread & more? We Deliver! Mon-Fri (757) 926-5519

CLEANING - Need help cleaning your house? Based on size its \$75 or less! (757) 880-8519

CHILDCARE - 15+yrs, Great rate and discounts Fun filled backyard, fun learning 2 slots to fill! (757) 947-4408

VENDING MACHINE - Turn knob vending machine. Keeps drinks cold, snacks on top. \$200 obo. Pics available (757) 706-2361

TILE SERVICES - Specializing in custom masterbaths and all other types of installations lic. & insured call 757-232-1299 (757) 232-1299

Miscellaneous cont.

HEATING SERVICE - Need Heat? Quick response and Great service at reasonable rates. (757) 525-0259

DYSON SWEEPER - Dyson 07 Original bagless upright with low-profile attachment (\$60 value). \$150 obo. (757) 875-5525

PETS

BAXTER - Dalmatian mix, NM, utd vaccines, microchip, senior pup well behaved. Adoption fee. Animal Aid Society, Hpt (757) 865-0511

GREAT DANE PUP - PRICE REDUCED, AKC, 1 BLK Male, 5 weeks old, will be UTD on shots, microchipped, collar, health guarantee, et (757) 272-3851

UKC PITBULLS - Purple Ribbon american pitbulls looking for great homes! Papers & shots done already 14 wks old \$250! (757) 251-2690

WANTED

VAN RIDERS - Van leaving from Belvidere, Chowan, Gates county (Hwy 32) to NNS 1st shift. (252) 619-3117

VAN RIDERS - van comes through King & Queen, King William, and New Kent County 1st shift (540) 907-5811

OFFICE SUPPLIES - Non profit organization is in need of starter kit to successfully mentor girls. Binders, paper, pens, etc (757) 915-5666

SHOES - Collecting gently used/new shoes for a fundraiser. All shoes are welcome, kids, men & women. Call/text for pickup (757) 570-7499

ROOMMATE - To share 3brdm home in Menchville area \$550 mth all util & wifi incld. Ser Inqy only. (757) 715-9291

MOTORCYCLES - British Motorcycles running or not. Baskets, parts, Other brands considered pre 1972, cash paid (757) 620-4472

MENTORS - Non profit organization is looking for more mentors to volunteer at least 1-hr a week with young girls. (757) 915-5666

WASHER & DRYER - Broken washers & dryers that are in your way. Will pick up for free. (757) 812-2719

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Celebrating AFRICAN-AMERICAN *Trailblazers* of Yesterday and Today



ELIZABETH "BESSIE" COLEMAN was the first female pilot of African-American descent and the first person of African-American descent to hold an international pilot license.

MARIAN ANDERSON was one of the most celebrated singers of the twentieth century. On January 7, 1955 she became the first African-American to perform with the Metropolitan Opera in New York City. As the ship's sponsor, she christened USS *George Washington Carver* at Newport News Shipbuilding Aug. 14, 1965.



DR. GUION STEWART "GUY" BLUFORD, JR., is an engineer, NASA astronaut, and the first African-American in space. Before becoming an astronaut, Bluford was a Colonel in the U.S. Air Force.

WILLIAM "BILL" PINKNEY is the first African-American, and only the fourth person in the world to circumnavigate the globe alone by boat.



RUTH SIMMONS was sworn in as the 18th President of Brown University in autumn 2001. She is the university's first woman president and she is the first African-American to preside over an Ivy League Institution.

