

# CYPT CA VB MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

*The Point* 08/18/2022



## **ASSOCIATION NEWS:**

**CAC (Citizens Advisory Committee) Meeting:** There are no CAC meetings in July or August. Our next one will be Thursday, 15 September at 6:30 PM at Williams Farm Rec Center.

Association Meeting: Our last meeting was on August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Our guest speaker was Officer Davis from the ABC Regional Office. Turnout was not as good as I had hoped which was a shame as I blew my entire 50/50 pot for the year on fruit and cheese trays. We need to get our attendance up.

Association Dues: We are still in the process of collecting dues. Recently I've begun calling those past members who have not sent us a check. There is a form at the bottom of this correspondence that tells you how, to whom, and where to send the check. On September 15<sup>th</sup> I will delete past members from distribution who have not sent in their dues.

**Website:** Don't forget to check out our website from time to time. Located at: https://cyptca.com/

<u>CPERT</u>: A new item brought up at the recent association meeting is CPERT which stands for Cypress Point Emergency Response Team. The first meeting of this team will be at 6:30 PM on 31 August (a Wednesday) at the club. The purpose of this team is to draft a contingency plan in the event of a significant natural disaster that leaves us all on our own for 72 hours or longer without emergency services, power, or the ability to get in or out of the development. We have a team of volunteers but if you are interested please show up and we'll be glad to include you.

## **<u>Crime Prevention:</u>** Employment Scams

Employment scams use enticing, and hard-to-detect, lures to target people who've been out of work. Some scammers take a slow approach with interviews and a legitimate-seeming operation. They then collect personal information from your employment forms, or tell you to buy equipment or training.

Other scams get right to the point and promise guaranteed or easy income—if you purchase their program. Sometimes, a fake employer sends a large paycheck and asks you to send the "extra" back—a play on the popular overpayment scam.

You may also see job opportunities that involve receiving money and sending funds to another account, or receiving and reshipping packages. These "money mule" and "reshipping mule" jobs are often part of an illegal operation, and you could be personally liable.

## **History Corner:**

August 2, 1939 - Albert Einstein wrote a <u>letter to President Franklin D.</u>
Roosevelt concerning the possibility of atomic weapons.

August 3, 1492 - Christopher Columbus set sail from Palos, Spain, with three ships, Nina, Pinta and Santa Maria.

August 14, 1935 - President Roosevelt signed the Social Security Act establishing the system which guarantees pensions to those who retire at age 65

August 14, 1945 - V-J Day, commemorating President <u>Truman's announcement</u> that Japan had surrendered to the Allies.

August 16, 1896 - Gold was discovered in Rabbit Creek, a tributary of the Klondike River in Alaska, resulting in the Great Klondike Gold Rush

August 18, 1920 - The 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified, granting women the right to vote.

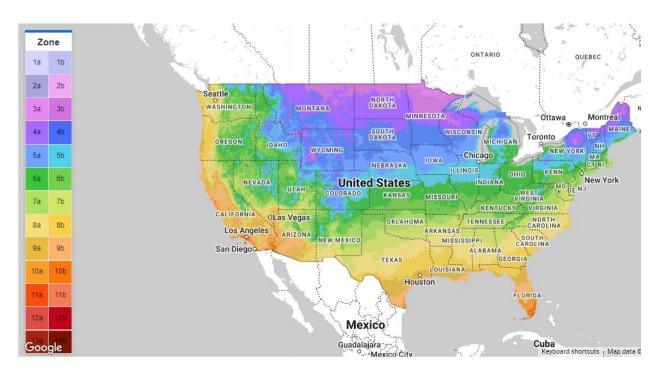
August 21, 1959 - President <u>Dwight D. Eisenhower</u> signed a proclamation admitting Hawaii to the Union as the 50th state.

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## **Safety Patrol- School Zone Driving Safety Tips**

- Be on the lookout for school zone signals and ALWAYS obey the speed limits.
- When entering a school zone, be sure to slow down and obey all traffic laws.
- Always stop for school busses that are loading or unloading children.
- Watch out for school crossing guards and obey their signals.
- Be aware of and watch out for children near schools, bus stops, sidewalks, in the streets, in school parking lots, etc.
- Never pass other vehicles while driving in a school zone.
- Never change lanes while driving in a school zone.
- Never make U-Turns while driving in a school zone.
- Never text while driving in a school zone.
- Avoid using a cell phone, unless it is completely hands-free, while driving in a school zone.
- Unless licensed to do so, never use handicap or emergency vehicle lanes or spaces to drop off or pick up children at school.

# In the Garden: US Gardening Zones



## VEGETABLES AND HERBS TO PLANT IN AUGUST

Late summer and time to plant a second harvest! Many herbs and vegetables are perfect to plant at this time and be harvested in the fall.

- Clear out faded early season crops to make space for august plantings.
- Dig in some new garden space for late summer planting that also can be utilised next spring.
- Plant in containers to make it easy to move plants around due to changing conditions.
- Leafy greens: Arugula, Lettuce, Mache, Mustard Greens, Spinach, Chard, Kale.
- · Asian greens; Chinese Cabbage
- · Herbs: Basil, Cilantro, Dill
- · Root vegetables: Beetroot, Carrots, Turnips, Potatoes, Radishes
- Cold crops transplants like cabbage, brussel sprouts, broccoli, cauliflower, leek

## Crime Stats: From VBGov.com

#### Virginia Beach Police Department Crime Report For Neighborhood

Neighborhood: CYPRESS POINT

Reporting Period: 07/18/2022 - 08/17/2022 Crime Subset: All Crimes

-	orhood: CYPRESS Po						
5300-blk	NORTH POINT CT	08/01/2022	С	FRAUD, IDENTITY THEFT (26A7) RESIDENCE, SINGLE-FAMILY	THIRD 327 BOONE, J. W.		

SUMMARY	
Crime Count:	1
Case Count:	1

#### END OF REPORT

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy and completeness of the information provided. However, in some instances, cases of a sensitive nature that are under active investigation may be temporarily excluded from this report.

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# Precinct Crimes Report: July 14th thru August 10th

### WAVES

Weekly Analysis for VBPD Engagement & Strategies

#### 3rd Precinct





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3rd Precinct Sworn Personnel as of 08/15/2022												
			Race									
	Gender		White	Black	Hispanic	Other						
Male		88	67	10	0	11						
	% of Total	85%	76%	11%	0%	13%						
Female		16	14	1	0	1						
	% of Total	15%	88%	6%	0%	6%						
Total		104	81	11		12						
	% of Total	100%	78%	11%	0%	12%						





Crime Statistics for Period Ending 08/10/2022*															
28 Day						91	Day		YTD						
Violent Crime	07/14/2021 to 08/10/2021	07/14/2022 to 08/10/2022	% Change	3 Year Avg of 28 Days	to	05/12/2022 to 08/10/2022	% Change	3 Year Avg of 91 Days		2021 YTD Ending 08/10/2021	2022 YTD Ending 08/10/2022	% Change	3 Year YTD Avg	2022 YTD Compared to 3 Year YTD Avg	
Homicide <sup>2</sup>	0	1	N/C	0.0	1	1	0%	1.0		2	5	150%	3.3	50%	
Rape	1	2	100%	0.7	6	6	0%	7.7	Γ	12	15	25%	13.0	15%	
Robbery	5	5	0%	6.0	21	15	-29%	18.0	Γ	34	35	3%	39.7	-12%	
Aggravated Assault	13	6	-54%	9.3	44	20	-55%	29.7	Γ	91	45	-51%	64.3	-30%	
Total Violent Crime	19	14	-26%	16.0	72	42	-42%	56.3	П	139	100	-28%	120.3	-17%	
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Property Crime	07/14/2021 to 08/10/2021	07/14/2022 to 08/10/2022	% Change	3 Year Avg of 28 Days	to	05/12/2022 to 08/10/2022	% Change	3 Year Avg of 91 Days		2021 YTD Ending 08/10/2021	2022 YTD Ending 08/10/2022	% Change	3 Year YTD Avg	2022 YTD Compared to 3 Year YTD Avg	
Commercial Burglary	2	3	50%	3.7	6	15	150%	13.7		12	30	150%	42.7	-30%	
Residential Burglary	6	4	-33%	6.7	27	14	-48%	22.0		49	41	-16%	57.3	-28%	
Motor Vehicle Theft	48	22	-54%	33.3	106	89	-16%	75.7		222	246	11%	174.0	41%	
Larceny from Motor Vehicle	82	45	-45%	71.0	220	278	26%	192.0		526	655	25%	478.7	37%	
All Other, Larceny	99	53	-46%	86.7	283	273	-4%	288.0	Γ	566	691	22%	683.3	1%	
Total Property Crime	237	127	-46%	201.3	642	669	4%	591.3	ı	1375	1663	21%	1436.0	16%	
Total Part I Crime	256	141	-45%	217.3	714	711	0%	647.7	ı	1514	1763	16%	1556.3	13%	

#### Footnotes:

Homicides, rapes, and aggravated assaults are reported by victim; motor vehicle thefts are reported by vehicle; all other offenses are reported by incident

Homicide = "MIRDER/NONNEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER" & "NEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER" only. Excluded: "AUTO FATALITY, NEGLIGENT" & "USTIFIABLE HOMICIDE"

N/C Indicates the percent change is Not Calculabile; one cannot divide by zero

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\*Data entry may not be complete for time period

## **CITY NEWS:**

# VB10: Learn About New City Council Voter Districts

Due to <u>recent changes</u> to our local election system, Virginia Beach will have 10 election districts beginning with the November 2022 election. From here, you can learn more about each of the 10 districts with a District Profile, which contain information such as how many households and individuals reside in a given district, average income, median home value, education statistics and school locations, economic data, and how the land of a district is zoned.

The data in the profiles will evolve along with the districts. Depending on needs identified by our residents and City Council, additional data points may be added and updated as new information becomes available. These profiles are meant to give residents in a district a comprehensive view to better understand the subtleties of their community and how they fit into our community at large.

Note: Cypress Point is in District 9.

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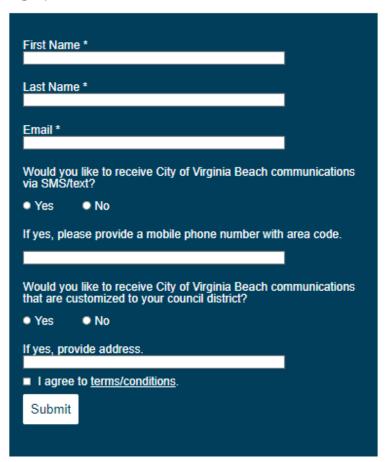
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## We're glad you've made Virginia Beach your new home!

Thank you for subscribing to the City of Virginia Beach new resident welcome email series.

Over the next few weeks, you will receive email information about City services, programs and initiatives that will help you feel at home.

Sign up below to be in the know.



Note: The above form is not live-you'll have to go to VBGov.com to actually sign up.

## Monkeypox Update from the VBDPH

Monkeypox is an illness caused by the monkeypox virus. Common symptoms of monkeypox are fever, headache, muscle aches, swollen lymph nodes and a rash that can look like pimples or blisters and may be painful or itchy. The rash may be on the face, the inside of the mouth, hands, feet, chest, or genital area. Symptoms are usually mild or moderate and typically resolve within two to four weeks. Monkeypox is rarely fatal.

## Is a vaccine available?

There are two FDA-approved vaccines that can prevent monkeypox. The VBDPH is providing vaccination for persons in high-risk groups using the Jynneos vaccine. Persons in high-risk groups are advised to get vaccinated against monkeypox because there is a greater chance they could become infected. VBDPH is currently vaccinating individuals in these high-risk groups via direct outreach. The department is encouraging individuals who believe they are at high-risk to reach out by calling 757-518-2700. So far, VBDPH has provided approximately 400 monkeypox vaccines for high-risk community members as a result of this targeted outreach and is continuing to work to expand vaccination opportunities in the city. Anyone who thinks they might be at risk can reach out to VBDPH to talk about whether they would be advised to schedule a vaccination.

## A letter I received concerning the City's Comprehensive Plan Survey:

Responses will be used to establish the community's desired future and to guide strategic planning for other City services. It can be accessed by visiting <a href="https://www.SpeakUpVB.com">www.SpeakUpVB.com</a>, or using the QR code on the flyer below.

The Comprehensive Plan is a guide created using the vision, values and expectations of community members to help maintain economic, social and environmental resilience. It presents a vision for the future, with long-range goals and objectives for all activities that affect the local government. Survey responses will be completely confidential and anonymous.

Please help spread the word about the survey to ensure that everyone is part of the planning process. For more information on the Comprehensive Plan, visit <a href="VBgov.com/compplan">VBgov.com/compplan</a> or feel free to contact me at 757-385-4319, jmorrison@vbgov.com

## Get around Newport News and Virginia Beach – for \$2 or less.

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## Election Officials Needed (A note from John Eason, A Precinct Chief):

The office of Virginia Beach Voter Registration and Elections has openings for individuals to serve as election officials (formerly called poll workers) in the upcoming November 8<sup>th</sup> election.

To be considered for a role as an election official, applicants must meet the following basic requirements:

- A U.S. citizen at least 18 years of age and a registered voter in the Commonwealth of Virginia
- Not hold an elected office or be an employee of an elected official
- Must be available to work the entire election day
- Must have a courteous, professional, and helpful attitude
- Must be able speak, read, and write English
- Must have patience.

Election officials are paid \$162 for working on election day, plus \$20 for attending a required three-hour training class conducted prior to election day.

Are you ready to sign up to serve in this crucial role? If yes, please contact the Office of Voter Registration and Elections at 757-385-8683 or email <a href="mailto:voter@vbgov.com">voter@vbgov.com</a>

#### CYPRESS POINT CIVIC ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION Renewal New 2022 Dues are \$15.00 for 01/01/2022-12/31/2022 Name: Make check payable to CYPT CA of VB Address: Phone Number: Please mail this form and payment to: <u>e-Mail:</u> Here is how I'd like to participate in 2022: Treasurer, CYPT CA VB 5396 Club Head Rd CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) Neighborhood Watch Virginia Beach, VA 23455 Newsletter **Environmental** Events/Contests Beautification Architectural Control Look for us on Facebook Welcome VB CCO (Council of Civic Org Rep) https://www.facebook.com/ Routine correspondence should be directed to CYPTCA/ or our website at cyptca@gmail.com Advertising Rates: Full page -\$150, Half-page-\$75, Quarter www.cyptca,com

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