



# VIRGINIA COUNTRY MUSIC ASSOCIATION

March 2024



Hello Virginia Country Music Members

We are off to a great start with the Board of Officers and Directors leading our organization. Please know that we would love to hear your thoughts on the bands and new ideas to consider at any time. If you are out in the community and hear a band that might fit our venue, please provide the information to the board. We are always looking for new bands for our Jamboree's.

We would like to thank **Desert Dust Band** for entertaining at the Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> Jamboree at the Newport News Moose and the **TimeLine Band** at the Portsmouth Moose on Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>. We are so fortunate to have such talent in our area.

In March, we are looking forward to hearing the **Last Call Band** at the Newport News Moose on March 3<sup>rd</sup> and **The Dallas Band** on March 17<sup>th</sup>. Hope to see you there!

This organization cannot function without the member's support. We appreciate your participation with the Cakewalks, 50/50 and tips for the band. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Stay safe and well.....Fred Waterfield

## Important Phone Numbers:

Fred Waterfield 757-377-9753  
Ken Poole 757-812-0729

Elizabeth Shomaker 757-838-7262  
Dale Williams 252-312-5063

**Upcoming Jamboree's 2:30 to 5:00 pm (Doors open at 1:30)**

**March 3<sup>rd</sup> Last Call**  
**March 17<sup>th</sup> The Dallas Band**

**Newport News Moose**  
**Portsmouth Moose**

### **Directions to Newport News Moose Lodge**

**I-664N** -From Monitor/Merrimac (M/M) – Proceed 9.4 miles and take **EXIT 3, Aberdeen Rd.** -Keep to the left at the fork in the ramp. Turn **Left on to Aberdeen Rd.** and go approximately 1 mile and turn right onto **60<sup>th</sup> Street**. The Moose Lodge is about a half a block on the left. (Approximately 11 minutes from the M/M)

**64W** – Hampton Roads Bridge Tunnel (HRBT) - Merge onto **I-664 S via EXIT 264** toward Downtown/Newport News/Suffolk. Then 2.53 miles and take the **Aberdeen Rd exit, EXIT 3** and keep to the right at the fork on the ramp. Go approximately 1 mile and turn right onto **60<sup>th</sup> Street**. The Moose Lodge is about a half a block on the left. (Approx. 17 minutes from the HRBT)

### **Directions of the Portsmouth Moose Lodge from Newport News**

**I-664** – From Monitor/Merrimac – Merge onto I-664S and take Exit 15B. Take Exit 297 and turn left onto US-13N/US-460E, Turn left onto George Washington Hwy N. Moose lodge is on the left. (Approx 1 mile)

### **Prayers and Concerns**

*Keep in your prayers: Jerry Hayes, Audrey Shelor, Ann Haslip, Dottie Moots, Faye Pate, Ivy Stoliker, Nancy Crotts, Libby Pierce, Estell Westall, Emily Hall, Faye and Kenny Porter, Lewis Greer, Betty Allison, Elaine Lukers, Eunice Taylor, Dave Bailey, Mary Cardwell, John Koonce, Lelia Bryant, Horace Adams, Dale Wonch, Dee Shannon, Buck and Nancy Rodgers, Sherry Boyd, Mary Beth Hicks, Charlie Bryant, Chuck and Beverly Kronenburg, Dale Williams, Wayne Hooker, Iris Morgan, Wayne Allison, Jerry Yost Adam Letourneau, BJ Norwood and Gisela Hayes.*



*Please contact Liz for those that need to be added to the list of concerns. (757-689-8769)*

### **VCMA WEBSITE**

Visit [www.VCMA-hamptonroads.com](http://www.VCMA-hamptonroads.com)

**Welcome to our new members!**

Jimmy and Susie Ivey Britt

## BAND SCHEDULES

**NEW \*\* Frank's Truck Stop \*\* NEW**

4717 West Military Highway, Chesapeake, VA 23321 **6- 8pm**

Wednesday's TimeLine **Starting March 20th**

Thursday's Otto Shelor and the Country Ravens

**Betty Sue's Roadhouse - Saturday's 3 - 6 pm**

**\*\*\*\*Donations for the band are appreciated \*\*\*\***

### **Bethlehem Ruritan Community Center**

140 Manning Road in Suffolk 7:30 pm – 9:30 pm.

Contact: George Fowler 757-539-2214 (Home)

757-617-5955 (Cell)

**\*\*\*\*Donations at the door are given to the band.\*\*\*\***



March 1<sup>st</sup> TimeLine

March 15<sup>th</sup> Dallas

April 5<sup>th</sup> Route 17

April 19<sup>th</sup> MacExpress

### **The Dallas Band**

March 15<sup>th</sup> Bethlehem Ruritan 7:30-9:30

March 17<sup>th</sup> Portsmouth Moose 2:30-5

April 5<sup>th</sup> Va Beach Farmer's Market 7-10

**Newport News Moose #1119 757-826-0766.**

Dances every Friday night in the Ballroom. The cost is \$5.00 at the door.

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**VIRGINIA COUNTRY MUSIC ASSN.**

P. O. Box 62106

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**Virginia Country Music Association**

**Officers and Board of Directors**

**2024**

**Officers**

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Thank you for your continued support.

See you soon.