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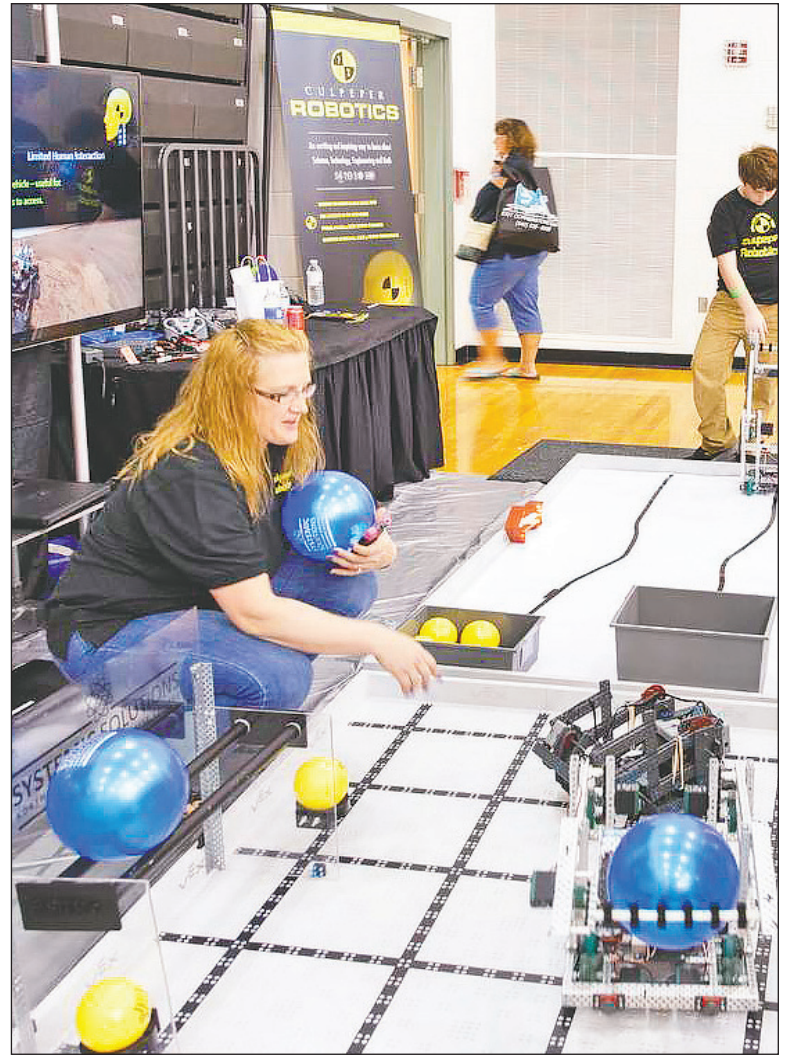


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(ABOVE) Members of the Culpeper Robotics team show off high-tech engineering at CulpeperFest June 12. (LEFT) State Sen. Bryce Reeves (R-17) poses with the Disney princesses at CulpeperFest . (BOTTOM) CulpeperFest attendees work out during a fitness demonstration hosted at CulpeperFest.



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## members in the news

**EXIT Cornerstone Realty** would like to welcome back **Diana Corbin** and to welcome **Dana McGushin!** **EXIT Cornerstone Realty** will also be moving to their new location as of July 1st!

**Pranapiloga** is pleased to announce four new instructors:

**Margaret Leary**, yoga teacher  
**Natalie Ingram**, pilates teacher  
**Karen Corron**, fitness instructor  
**Kim Parker**, fitness instructor

**The State Theatre of Culpeper** is pleased to announce that **Steven Barker** of Midlothian, VA has joined its full time staff as its new Events and Outreach Coordinator. **Steven Barker** comes with a wealth of experience in youth and family programming and theatre education. He has spent 15 years as a teacher, designer and/or director of several educational theatre programs including Imagination Stage in Bethesda, MD, Lejeune High School in Jacksonville, NC, Northern Virginia Community college, and The Center for the Arts, Manassas. Mr. Barker's main duties will focus on bringing more quality family focused theatrical acts to the State Theatre and establishing a resident education program with classes and camps for youth and community. He will also oversee house management operations. "I am excited to join the team at the State Theatre and look forward to working with the community of the Piedmont region to provide affordable performing arts opportunities to everyone," said Barker.

**Faye's Office Supply** welcomes **Kim Calamos**, Sales Rep, to the Faye's team. Congratulations are extended to **Rachel Rouleau**, Customer Service, for 10 years at Faye's and congratulations to **Gloria Powell**, Purchasing Agent, for 14 years working at Faye's.

**Lollipop Station** says goodbye to their jewel of an employee **Hayley Angel** (well partly). Hayley was such a terrific toy and party dynamo but she has moved to Richmond where she will be attending graduate school at VCU. Hayley has excellent computer skills and will continue to work remotely for the store, updating their website and sending out newsletters and other forms of virtual communications. In the meantime, they have hired six new part time staff for the summer, many of whom are learning to play characters and sell toys to their ever growing customer base. Welcome to new CCHS graduate **Layton Scarborough** as well as our new princesses **Lisa Leistner**, **Faith Marshall**, **Olivia Decateur**, **Alexis Ferriuolo**, and **Madiaba Sackor**.

**White Dove Studios, LLC** is pleased to announce the promotion of **Kimberly Lillard** to vice president in charge of operations. She will be relieving the day to day responsibilities of Mr. Harpine, in order for him to nurture the substantial amount of new growth at the studio, while carrying his current student load. Mr. Harpine expresses that he is so

thankful to God for the opportunity to grow and for the willingness of Ms. Lillard to take on this task.

**Virginia Broadband, LLC "VABB"** is pleased to announce the following non-profit organizations receiving VABB's Internet service at a discounted rate. SDWR (Service Dogs By Warren Retrievers), LOW Lions Club Food Closet, American Legion Post 157 – Madison, Jefferson Community Center and Ruritans.

**Windmore Foundation for the Arts** welcomes their new Executive Director, **Debra Smyers**. Ms. Smyers was hired in February 2015 and brings over 25 years of experience within the arts and social services sectors. She is delighted to serve in this role promoting the visual, literary, and performing arts through awareness, participation, and education.

## welcome new members

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## Chamber Changes!

The Culpeper Chamber of Commerce would like to welcome new staff member Becky Stone (right), who is our new Administrative Assistant. Becky is a resident of Culpeper County and brings a wealth of experience and motivation to your Chamber. She looks forward to the benefits and challenges of being a part of The Chamber Staff!

The Culpeper Chamber of Commerce would also like to bid farewell to Linda Dodrill, former Administrative Assistant. Linda has joined her husband in relocation to Bradenton, Florida, near his new employment with The Sylint Group, of Sarasota. Best wishes to Linda.

## SAVE THE DATE

7th Annual Crab Feast  
 Presented by Culpeper Chamber of Commerce  
 Young Professionals  
 Saturday, September 12, 4 to 7 p.m.  
 Verdun Adventure Bound  
 More Details to Come



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