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Chester, VA

April 2012 Kiwan-O-Gram

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NEW MEMBERS Corner

Bio on Chadd A. Porter. From Matoaca, VA. Attended Matoaca High School and graduated from VA Tech with a BA Science in Property Management. Works as a Customer Projects Designer II for Dominion VA Power. Has 2 brothers and enjoys hunting, fishing, sports and shooting.

Please send bios to K_Wiltsie@comcast.net for future publications

CONGRATULATIONS to the many with new grandchildren!!

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Service Project Corner

by Dr Joshua

Highway 10 clean-up. March & December

Lunch buddy Program at Ecoff Elementary.

Broadwater Team Leader Project.

Spirit of Baseball. April 21

James River Clean-Up:

Bright Beginnings:

April May June Birthdays. Happy Birthday!!!

April

12 Brad Trotter
20 Tom Williams
23 Thomas Moody
28 Dayton Todd

May

22 Rick Dodson
31 Allen Shore

June

1 Wayne Stuart
6 Nicole Jordan
10 Brian White
26 Mary Lykins
28 Ted Rayman

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If I missed mentioning your birthday please email me and let me know.

\$\$ FUNDRAISING CORNER \$\$

Raffle for KINDLE FIRE

\$5.00/ticket, 3 for \$10.00

All monies turned in by May 14th.

Point of contact for more tickets is Danny.

GO TEAM GO!!

Sell, Sell, Sell !!

Laughter is good for the heart and soul

LAUGH CORNER

Brought to you by Gary Burleigh

How The Internet Was Invented

In ancient Israel, it came to pass that a trader by the name of Abraham Com did take unto himself a young wife by the name of Dot. And Dot Com was a comely woman, broad of shoulder and long of leg. Indeed, she was often called Amazon Dot Com.

And she said unto Abraham, her husband, "Why dost thou travel so far from town to town with thy goods when thou canst trade without ever leaving thy tent?"

And Abraham did look at her as though she were several saddle

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bags short of a camel load, but simply said, "How, dear?"

And Dot replied, "I will place drums in all the towns and drums in between to send messages saying what you have for sale, and they will reply telling you who hath the best price. And the sale can be made on the drums and delivery made by Uriah's Pony Stable (UPS)."

Abraham thought long and decided he would let Dot have her way with the drums. And the drums rang out and were an immediate success. Abraham sold all the goods he had at the top price, without ever having to move from his tent. To prevent neighboring countries from overhearing what the drums were saying, Dot devised a system that only she and the drummers knew. It was known as Must Send Drum Over Sound (MSDOS), and she also developed a language to transmit ideas and pictures - Hebrew To The People (HTTP).

And the young men did take to Dot Com's trading; as doth the greedy horsefly take to camel dung. They were called Nomadic Ecclesiastical Rich Dominican Sybarites, or NERDS.

And lo, the land was so feverish with joy at the new riches and the deafening sound of drums that no one noticed that the real riches were going to that enterprising drum dealer, Brother William of Gates, who bought off every drum maker in the land. And indeed did insist on drums to be made that would work only with Brother Gates' drumheads and drumsticks.

And Dot did say, "Oh, Abraham, what we have started is being taken over by others." And Abraham looked out over the Bay of Ezekiel, or eBay as it came to be known. He said, "We need a

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name that reflects what we are."

And Dot replied, "Young Ambitious Hebrew Owner Operators."
"YAHOO," said Abraham. And because it was Dot's idea, they
named it YAHOO Dot Com.

Abraham's cousin, Joshua, being the young Gregarious Energetic
Educated Kid (GEEK) that he was, soon started using Dot's
drums to locate things around the countryside. It soon became
known as God's Own Official Guide to Locating Everything.
(GOOGLE).

That is how it all began. And that's the truth, Mr. Gore!