

Queen Anne's County **BELIEVES** **Character Counts!**

April, 2024

TRUSTWORTHINESS

Pillar of the Month **TRUSTWORTHINESS**

- Be honest. Don't deceive, cheat, or steal.
- Have integrity. Do what you say you'll do.
 - Keep your promises. Be loyal.
 - Stand by your values.

The pillar for this month is
TRUSTWORTHINESS.

Being trustworthy means you can be counted on to do the right thing. It's about honesty, dependability, and accountability.

Trust is one of those things that can be very fragile. Once broken, it's hard to repair. Part of showing you can be trusted is accepting responsibility and owning mistakes. When we falter, we apologize and do better. Adults should be modeling this for children:
no one is perfect!

Upcoming CC! Events

4/3 CC! Advisory Meeting

4/9 CC! Update at Commissioner's Meeting

4/18 Annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner

4/25 CMS "Spring Thing"

5/17 Senior Summit

5/19 Kent Island Day Parade

Character Counts in Action!

Character Counts is so excited to announce our partnership with Queen Anne's County Parks & Recreation! Together, we will continue to promote good character throughout our wonderful communities. We'll be working directly with leagues, coaches, and even teams on ways to "lose with grace, win with dignity" and always "represent ourselves with honor."



For more information check out our website at www.peopleofcharacter.org .

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DID YOU KNOW?

Queen Anne's County has a Free Laptop Program! Community Partnerships for Children and Families (Local Management Board), the Queen Anne's County Library, and the Area Agency on Aging are excited to announce that eligible households can apply for a free Chromebook laptop! This program aims to bridge the digital divide and promote digital equity. Don't miss this chance to stay connected and empowered. Apply now and take the first step towards a brighter digital future!

Website:

<https://communitypartnerships.info/qac-free-computer/>

Character Counts Commissioner's Spotlight!

In March, Mr. JP Reilly was recognized for the pillar of RESPONSIBILITY in the Character Counts Commissioner's Spotlight.

Mr. Reilly showed responsibility for his neighbor, a stranger at the time, and possibly averted a tragedy. Nominator Rob Nissen had capsized his kayak on a very chilly day in January and was struggling when Mr. Reilly stepped in.

Mr. Nissen wrote, "Mr. Reilly may have literally saved my life. I will be forever grateful."

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