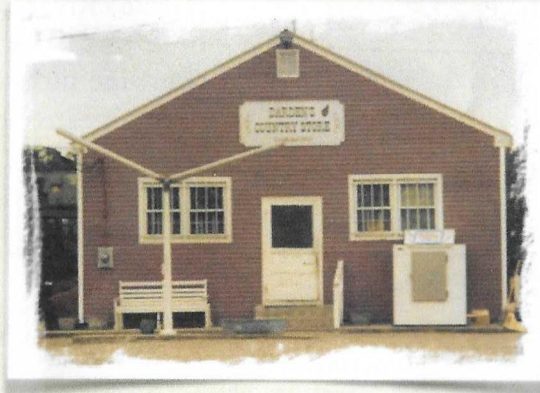


SURRY SEAFOOD



Randy and Brian Pack had been looking for a place to expand their operations since 2012 after their most recent expansion at their family restaurant, Smithfield Station. They looked in many places from Charleston, SC to Jamestown, VA to Manteo, NC. All of the places viewed had a fault or two that kept the brothers from diving in. In the winter of 2018, Surry County, never before on the radar, approached the brothers about taking over The Surry Seafood Co. and they were all ears. Here was a property close enough to their home, offering hotel rooms, a marina, and a great seafood restaurant! On May 1, 2018 Pack Brothers Hospitality took over operations and after a bit of revamping opened its doors to the residents and visitors of Surry County.

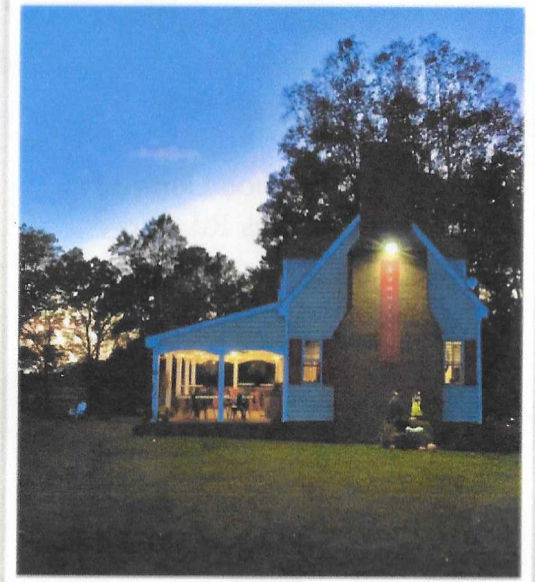
DARDEN COUNTRY STORE



Curing hams, smoking 'em. The way we do it is the way Tommy's daddy did it. It takes a personal touch. We work individually with each ham 'til we get it right. This is a lost art. Now, you can't even find a pot big enough to cook a ham. Not too many people do what we do anymore. Farm, run the little store and do hams. It's all part of our lifestyle, our history, and our future.

We are a working farm, we farm about 600 acres, growing peanuts, corn, cotton, soybeans, wheat and pumpkins. We also have about 60 head of beef cattle, 9 goats, 3 sheep and a donkey. Farming and running the store is a way of life here. Independence, working with family and friends, getting involved in the community, preserving what we have for the future. When asked what the best part of this life is, Tommy says "All of it".

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Darden Country Store
16249 Bowling Green Rd, Smithfield
(757) 357-6791

Surry Seafood Company
633 Marina Rd, Surry
(757) 294-3700

Bacon's Castle
465 Bacon's Castle Trail, Surry
(757) 357-5976

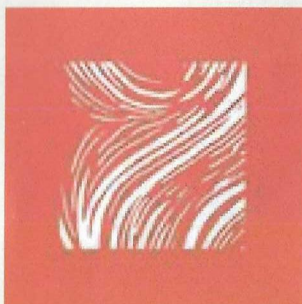
Summerwind Vineyards
71 Eagle Nest Ln, Smithfield
(757) 357-2173

Karen & Tad
(757) 544-5668

Save the Dates

Another Horrible Idea
Saturday, February 15, 2020

The 39 Steps
Hanover Tavern
Sunday, March 29, 2020



Summerwind Vineyards is located in the Day's Point area of Isle of Wight, and is owned and operated by the Pugh family. We are situated on a strip of land lying between the James and Pagan Rivers allowing us to take full advantage of the river breezes. The cultivation of grapes started as a dream in 2005 as the wine industry in Virginia was emerging into what it is today. Our wines are made only from Virginia grapes, most of which are estate-grown.

BACON'S CASTLE

Bacon's Castle is the oldest brick dwelling in North America and was once the home of Arthur Allen, a prosperous merchant and planter, and his family. Allen's Brick House earned the moniker "Bacon's Castle" in 1676 when several of Nathaniel Bacon's men occupied the home for four months during the uprising that became known as Bacon's Rebellion.

Bacon's Castle is an example of High Jacobean architecture and notable for its stunning triple stacked chimneys. The home features a reconstructed 17th-century English formal garden restored by the Garden Club of Virginia. Several outbuildings also survive, including an 1830 slave dwelling.

Preservation Virginia acquired Bacon's Castle in the 1970's at auction and meticulously researched, restored and furnished the house in the 1980's.

