

would help provide more information and assistance to visitors. Anyone who would like to join in the Center's programs are urged to get in touch with Dr. Smith.

If you have been to the Center recently you may have noticed the Youth Conservation Corps teenagers hard at work in the hot sun clearing the cattail pond near the entrance. These young people, aged 15 to 17 and still in school, are assigned to the Center for an eight-week period. They work a 30-hour week, including 10 hours of environmental instruction. They are converting the marsh pond to a fresh water pond where an assortment of amphibious animals and microscopic life will abound.

The Center, again this year, is sponsoring an active summer program and many residents and guests are taking advantage of the facilities. The Stowaway Film series on Thursday evenings and the Unusual Seafoods program on Thursday afternoons are especially popular. The Center will soon introduce a small boat handling program which will be instructed by members of the Coast Guard. If you are interested get in touch with the Center as soon as possible. Hurricane Awareness Week this year will begin August 17, he said. Also Dr. Smith would like to hear from you if you have suggestions for other programs.

NEW BUILDING

INSPECTOR NAMED

Robert Hope, a building contractor at Westfield, New Jersey, who is retiring to Pine Knoll Shores in August, has been named building inspector for the town. Mr. and Mrs. Hope will move into their new home here on Teak Court. In making the announcement, Larry Jerome, Commissioner, said Mr. Hope comes to the job here at Pine Knoll Shores with superior qualifications. He has been in the commercial and home building business in New Jersey for many years and the last few years has been specializing in the restoration of older homes.

At the same time Commissioner Jerome reported that in the Spring quarter 22 building permits were issued, including five for new dwellings. For the full year a total of 80 permits were issued, including 28 for new dwellings. The report was prepared by Art Hoyt, assistant building inspector.

PKS SUPPORTED CANCER

DRIVE GENEROUSLY

PINE KNOLL SHORES residents were generous in their support for Carteret County's 1980 Cancer Crusade. The County Crusade raised \$17,521.64, which exceeded the goal by more than \$1500. Residents of Pine Knoll Shores contributed \$1,415.50 of the total which placed them in fourth position, exceeded only by such larger communities as Beaufort, Morehead City and Newport. Chairman of the drive in Pine Knoll Shores this year was Noni Eastland, assisted by Peggy Mansfield, Vee Bosse, Charlotte Lawrence, Yvonne Lott, Lola Council, Dorothy Hassel, Hortense Gibson, June DiRose, Jo Zeller, Marie Wilkerson, Dody Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Al Wylie, Mrs. George Faulkenberg, Mrs. Jonnas Acree, Irma Brossman, Blanche Yancey, Evelyn Bloom, Judy Garner, Adaline Walker and Margaret Jones.

With respect to Pine Knoll Shores, the annual Walter Hagen Golf Tournament, played at Bogue Banks Country Club, also raised another \$600.30.

In reporting the fine results of the Pine Knoll Shores drive Mrs. Eastland said this could not have been achieved without the dedicated support of the