

their retirement spot. They learned of Pine Knoll Shores on a visit to Penny and Bob McAnaw.

Two of the Smith children, a son and a daughter, are in the army. Another son is a student at the University of Virginia. Their daughter's dog, Tiny, a huge but friendly shepherd, came for a visit 2½ years ago. He likes the ocean, too.

Building their house will keep them occupied for the next few months but they look forward to hours on the beach, perhaps some golf, and gardening. Ruth is also interested in flower arrangement. She is a certified teacher of Ikebana.

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The Beards, Jeanne and Russell, live in a secluded spot at 139 Dogwood Circle. It is well back from the road and partially shielded from the ocean. They moved there from Emerald Isle where they have been living for the last three years. Before that they lived in Falls Church, Virginia. Russ was Deputy Director of the Advanced Research Project Agency, Department of Defense. In spite of their many years in Virginia, "home" is really Texas.

Since retirement Russ has been busy as consultant for various firms and served his community as a member of the Carteret County Planning Commission.

The Beards are particularly interested in gardening and, once they have put their new home in order, fishing, walking the beach and playing golf. Square dancing is another favorite activity of theirs and they hope to take that up again.

One of the reasons they chose this area is because of its convenient location. They have five daughters and five grandchildren who should be able to visit often. Four of their daughters are on the east coast: Pensacola, Wilmington and Fairfax, Va. The fifth daughter lives in Denver.

MARY KORFF

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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Thank you for the many kindnesses you have shown during my recent illness, especially the prayers. There is no place in the world like Pine Knoll Shores.

GUSSIE SAYS I would like to share with you a prayer inscribed on a banner in Saint Mary's Chapel at Atlantic Beach. It means so much to me:  
THANKS

"God help me. My boat is small and the sea is wide."

Gussie and Ed Peters

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"We want to commend the PKS police force for the excellent job they do patrolling the neighborhood. The community is very fortunate in having this protection. We are away much of the time and we greatly appreciate the time and effort they devote in providing security of our property. Our thanks to a most efficient police force."

SEAGOES PRAISE  
PKS POLICE

Mary Lib and Stan Seago

The Seagoes also would like to remind boat owners of the regulation against leaving a wake in the North Shore Channel. Stan, whose home fronts the sound says he has seen a number of boats disregarding the regulation.

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Jimmy Shaver has been elected chairman of the Democratic Party in Pine Knoll Shores Precinct. Shaver, manager of the Morehead City branch of Sears Roebuck and Co, will succeed Vernon Schrum who vacated the PKS party chairmanship when he was elected last spring treasurer of Carteret County Democrats. The election of Shaver came at a special meeting of the PKS Democrats. A Salisbury, N.C. native, Shaver and his wife have lived at their home on Sycamore Drive 4½ years. The Democrats also elected Nancy Schrum to succeed Shaver on the precinct committee.

SHAVER HEADS  
PKS DEMOCRATS