HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

If you have a September Birthday, come and join friends who also celebrate this month at Ocean Park Sittum on September 18 at 5:00 pm. Bring a covered dish for 8, along with your own plates, utensils, drinks. No reservations and no charge. The cake is provided by a friend. For information, call Blanche Yancey (247-4371) or Ruby Collins (728-7711).

BEACH PRESERVATION ASSOCIATION OF PINE KNOLL SHORES

The Beach Preservation Association of PKS met with the Pine Knoll Shores Board of Commissioners at their regular monthly meeting on August 13, 1996 in Town Hall.

Dr. Ruth Sweeny stated that the 4.7 miles of PKS beach front are in urgent need of renourishment. The BPA of PKS has been meeting for over a year researching solutions to preserve the beach as well as funding solutions to pay the costs. The BPA believes that a beach replenishment by Corp of Engineers was

both physically and financially do-able.

lan Hartwell, PhD, an oceanographer, made a slide presentation illustrating the severity of the problem. He showed positive results of successful beach replenishment projects in Maryland and Florida.

Dan Ericksen presented the financial information in the absence of Board member Dick Levin, who was unable to attend due to illness. The BPA of PKS is asking the Town of PKS to be the official governmental sponsoring organization for the beach replenishment project and to set up a special tax district to assess and collect funds for this project. The BPA also requested that the Town arrange for a special bond issue to accomplish the beach replenishment project. The proposal for cost sharing would place over 85% of the cost on beachfront property owners. Ouestions asked were answered by Mr. Ericksen and Dr. Hartwell.

For information or questions about the Beach Preservation Association, please call Dr. Ruth Sweeny (726-2838)

Welcome New Residents

Arlene and John Terrell have just moved into 110 Live Oak Court. Arlene was born in Akron, Ohio and John was born in Lexington, VA. They met and lived in Columbus, Ohio. John retired from Case corporation where he was the U.S. credit manager and traveled all over the USA including Alaska, Hawaii and Canada.

They have five children and 5 grandchildren. John Jr. is single and lives in Philadelphia. Michael and wife Joanne live in Wadsworth, Ohio with their three children. Patrick, also single, lives in Shadyside, PA. Vicki lives in Bucks County, PA area. Christopher and wife Sue and children also live in Wadsworth, Ohio.

They were looking for a retirement location on the coast of North Carolina. They had vacationed at Duck, but then they found PKS - and here they are.

Arlene enjoys bridge (just for fun), golf, the beach. Her husband calls her a professional volunteer. She loves volunteer work but wants a wee bit of time to settle in first. Back in Columbus, she was awarded New Member of the year, having done so many activities and volunteer work.

John, having had quadruple heart surgery, now enjoys walking, golf, using exercise equipment and surf fishing. He is a volunteer firefighters in PKS. He has worked with Habitat in Columbus. When he's settled in he would like to help with habitat.

Betty Lee Foulk