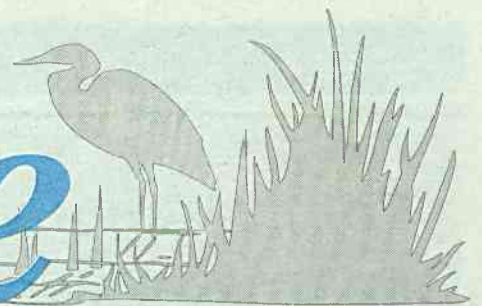


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## New Clubhouse Key To Bright Future At Country Club

By Bill White

The Country Club of the Crystal Coast set its sights on a bright future built on a solid foundation of past experiences and a tradition of membership participation as it moved firmly into the 21<sup>st</sup> Century with the dedication of a new clubhouse at festivities August 18.

The club's determination to look to the future while not losing sight of an eventful past was evident in the group chosen to cut the ceremonial dedicatory ribbon. Among them were 92-year-old Vivian MacDonald, representing the club's remaining active charter members, and Jimmy and Pollyanna Cox and their sons Dylan and Jared, representing the younger families on the membership rolls. The ties of the family of Mrs. Cox to the club actually go back to the beginning. Her

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**Fistsful of Fish** – Ted Haines (right), who came to North Carolina from Florida to try to fulfill his dream of catching a tarpon, beams proudly as Roger Seale (left) and his buddy Rob hoist Ted's dream fish aloft long enough to have this photo taken before releasing the tarpon back into the wild. Ted fought the fish for more than an hour before it was boated.

## Fishing – The Memory of a Lifetime

By Richard Seale

One of the world's great game fish is the tarpon. It is just a "catch and release" game fish in that it is not edible. However, it is a great fighter, a fantastic jumper, and is a beautiful fish to see swimming.

I have a nephew, Ted Haines from Florida,

who at 12 years of age was diagnosed with Burkett's lymphoma and leukemia. His only chance for survival was TBI (total body irradiation) and a bone marrow transplant. Since the irradiation kills all the bone marrow, unless the marrow transplant "takes" it is a death sentence.

My sister had to make this choice for her son. Fortunately she held an ace in her hand. Ted has an identical twin and thus perfectly matching bone marrow.

Well, Ted (AKA Mark, an inside joke) has tried for years to catch a Florida tarpon with no success. My son Roger and his buddy Rob invited Ted up here to catch a North Carolina tarpon. In the dog days of July and August, Pamlico Sound and the river mouths of the Neuse, Pamlico and Pungo Rivers hold many of these magnificent fish.

On July 26 we ventured out to 16-foot water

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## Frustration Marks Meeting to Mull Wastewater Issue

By Charlie McBriarty

More than 20 citizens were in attendance July 20 when the board of commissioners held a special meeting to consider a previously commissioned report dealing with wastewater treatment. The report, "Wastewater Facilities Urgent Need Assessment," was prepared by Highfill Infrastructure Engineering of Wilmington. It focused on 11 privately owned condo wastewater treatment facilities, located in Pine Knoll Shores, to determine whether urgent action was necessary to protect public health and the environment.

During the meeting a number of issues were considered by the commissioners. First, a series of questions that arose from the report were identified and Town Manager Brian Kramer agreed to get responses from

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## Election Day Data and Bios

Photos and biographical sketches of the eight Pine Knoll Shores residents running for municipal offices this November are presented on pages 10 and 11. Two of the eight are incumbents. Mayor Joan Lamson is seeking her third two-year term in that post. She will be opposed by Ken Jones. Commissioner Bob Danehy is seeking his second four-year-term as a member of the town board.

Five others have filed to run for one of the two seats on the board of commissioners that will be contested this year. In the field with Danehy are Bob Angle, Clark

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**Dedication Day** – Members and officials of the Country Club of the Crystal Coast snip the ribbon to officially dedicate their new clubhouse at ceremonies August 18.

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