

The Shoreline



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Shoreline
Friends**

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PKS History Exhibit at Library

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You are invited to step back into the not-too-distant past of Isle of Pines as it developed into the Town of Pine Knoll Shores. All month, Bogue Banks Library will feature bits and pieces of our history.

Members of the Historical Committee—Ted Lindblad, Walt Zaenker, Michelle Powers, Betty Carr, Martha Edwards, Clark Edwards and Brian Kramer—have focused their efforts on how they might make items in their growing collection of historical material available to the public. They consulted with Donna Rogers of Sea Isle Plantation, who has experience with historical exhibits, and spent hours carefully mounting documents. They invite you to visit the library to view what is on display at your leisure and also to celebrate with them at a reception in the library's gallery on Friday, June 14, from 3 to 4:45 p.m.

"The objective," says committee member Walt Zaenker, "has been to construct a display that has local interest and is fun, that will, we hope, capture the imagination, strike the fancy, and inspire others to get interested in our activity, contribute material and participate in our efforts." For more information about the exhibit, see "@ the Library" in this issue of *The Shoreline*.

Who Does Kayak for the Warriors Support?

Sgt. Sean DeBevoise, USMC (Ret.) currently lives in Hamlet, North Carolina, but grew up in New City, New York. He was deployed three times—once to Haiti and twice to Camp Fallujah, Iraq. While he was a scout sniper with the 2nd Reconnaissance Battalion, Sean's Humvee was hit by IEDs twice—first in April 2006, and again in early May 2006. On May 17, 2006, on a combat raid outside the city of Zaidon, Sean received shrapnel and four bullet wounds across his body, including one that penetrated his head. Sean medically retired from the Marine Corps in June 2009, and is currently pursuing an associate degree with an emphasis in legal studies. In his free time, Sean is an active member of Team Hope For The Warriors®, and raced on his handcycle in last year's Tunnel to Towers Race in New York and in the Marine Corps Marathon.

Sean is but one of the many wounded warriors who have returned to civilian life after suffering grievous injuries. The road to recovery is long and arduous. This is where Hope For The Warriors® comes in. The mission of Hope For The Warriors® is a promise that the sacrifices of the wounded across military service branches and throughout the nation will not be forgotten, nor their needs unmet. Many projects and programs have been implemented to fulfill this promise, such as Warrior House, transitional, adaptive living quarters for wounded families.

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