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## American Music Festival

By Linda Seale

American Music Festival will present a concert on Saturday evening, April 9, at 8 p.m. at the History Museum of Carteret County. Featured is the Enso String Quartet, formed in 1999 and based in New York City since 2007.



In keeping with the 2015-2016 season's theme of presenting Beethoven's work from each period, the quartet will present Beethoven's Harp Quartet Op. 74 from his middle period. The other featured piece will be Alberto Ginastera's second string quartet in honor of the 100th anniversary of the Argentine composer's birthday. This promises to be a toe-tapping, rousing presentation.

The quartet members were all drawn to the string quartet repertoire for its richness and diversity, and the ensemble is committed to exploring the full string repertoire. They are described as "staggeringly brilliant" and "one of the eminent string quartets of our era."

Tickets may be reserved by calling 728-6152, or may be ordered from [americanmusicfestival.eventbrite.com](http://americanmusicfestival.eventbrite.com). They may also be purchased at the History Museum or at the door before the performance. For more information, visit [americanmusicfestival.org](http://americanmusicfestival.org).

## PKA News

By Amry Cox

As the weather slowly improves and we come out of hibernation and get back into the swing of things, it is time to turn our attention to volunteerism. There are lots of good organizations and reasons to volunteer across a wide spectrum of causes. One of the ones closest to my heart is Pine Knoll Association (PKA). If every homeowner donated one or two hours of effort each year, we would have more money in the budget and would be able to maintain all common areas in absolute tip-top shape. Just a little bit of effort goes a long way and is such a benefit to all.

Volunteer work opportunities have already started for 2016. In February we started park clean-ups. In the weeks and months ahead, we will need volunteers to help rebuild/replace the shower at Ocean Park, stain the sittum, replace/flip boards on the docks and walkways, help with the PKA Facebook page, serve as park captains, learn how to back up the gate card system, help stuff envelopes for the annual mailing, count votes at the annual meeting, serve on the 2017 Auditing and Nominating committees, help with the phone tree for volunteer events, etc. There are a variety of ways to help out by donating an hour or two of your time.

The volunteer opportunities for March as of press time for this issue of The Shoreline are:  
Wednesday, March 16—park clean-up, 1-4 p.m.  
Friday, March 18—park clean-up, 1-4 p.m.  
Saturday, March 19—park clean-up and rain date, 1-4 p.m.

Park clean-up involves loading up twigs and limbs, minor trimming, cleaning and sweeping, picking up any trash, etc. Usually one or two park captains are around and can help with details. Bring some work gloves, and dress appropriately for yard work. Also, if you have rakes, pitchforks, pruning shears, chain saws, leaf blowers, etc., feel free to bring those. Look for more up-to-date information and details on the PKA website at [pineknollassociation.com](http://pineknollassociation.com) and the PKA community Facebook page.

Some basic maintenance and small repairs will be needed at Ocean Park, Hall Haven, Brock Basin and Ramsey Park before Memorial Day weekend. Please check both the PKA website and Facebook page for these and other opportunities.

It is last call for interested people to contact Bill Steenland at 240-1145 with questions about and to express interest in running for the 2016-2017 PKA board. Once elected at the annual meeting in June, it is a three-year term with a monthly board meeting on the second Monday of each month at 9:30 a.m.