

The Shoreline

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Caught Doing Something Good

On January 11, Town Manager Brian Kramer sent out a town-wide email advising residents of a water main break on Oakleaf Drive. Resident Chuck DeLong went to check on the progress of the break repair and found town employees onsite diligently working toward a solution. Pictured here right in the middle of the effort (in the red shirt) is Mayor Ken Jones, who was “literally covered in sweat” according to Mr. DeLong, and had been assisting by lifting buckets of sand and water to facilitate the repair. Before going home, Mayor Jones helped to close the large hole in the road. Thank you, Ken, for going above and beyond to help out—and thank you to the town employees who had the water back on in about two hours.



Photo by Chuck DeLong

PKS History Committee Says Goodbye to Key Members

By Michelle Powers

HISTORY STORIES Reflections of Pine Knoll Shores

... and seeks new members

In early 2011 the Pine Knoll Shores Board of Commissioners appointed a few volunteers to explore the formation of a town history committee. By formal resolution of the Board, the Pine Knoll Shores History Committee was created to “preserve significant documents, events records, themes and ideas on the history of Pine Knoll Shores and . . . to provide a means for the public to study, appreciate and view local history in order to advance public awareness of the history of the town.”

Since its inception, Walt Zaenker has provided leadership as chairman of the committee, and, in partnership with committee member Phyllis Makuck, created the Pine Knoll Shores history blog (pineknollhistory.blogspot.com) and researched and wrote the narrative for the award-winning exhibit, “Beach Town in a Forest, the Story of Pine Knoll Shores.” Committee members Ted Lindblad, Jean Macheca, Clark and Martha Edwards, and Michelle Powers contributed their time and talent to collecting and cataloging documents, researching and documenting the town’s past and creating the exhibit. In late 2017, the History Committee was fortunate to welcome a new member, Susan Phillips, who has jumped right in and taken on some research and writing tasks.

The committee faces a challenge in 2018 as both Walt and Phyllis have relocated with their spouses—Walt and Karen Zaenker to Williamsburg, Virginia, and Phyllis and Peter Makuck to Wilmington, North Carolina. These communities will be greatly enhanced by their presence, and the Pine Knoll Shores community will miss them immeasurably. We cannot thank Walt and Phyllis enough for their leadership, dedication, expertise and friendship.

In order to continue with its important work, the History Committee is eager to welcome new members to its ranks. Many skills are needed. We don’t expect

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