

CAUGHT DOING SOMETHING GOOD

Neighbor Helping Neighbor

Following Hurricane Dorian, Peggy and Bruce Yaeck discovered a large limb blocking their driveway. Having had a recent hip replacement, Bruce quickly got on the phone to line up somebody to remove the limb, but before he could make those arrangements, Peggy noticed a truck drive by and then back up.

Steve Felch, who was aware of Bruce's surgery, emerged with a chainsaw

and fired it up. He quickly dispensed with the limb and carted all the larger pieces away. Peggy snapped this picture of Steve's kind act and calls him their guardian angel.

Steve and the Community Appearance Commission members have been doing extra duty to help process tree removal permits for those who need to remove dead pine trees because of beetle infestation, yet he was out immediately after the curfew was lifted to help a neighbor. Thanks to Steve for his community spirit and willingness to go the extra mile.



Reflective Address Signs Available

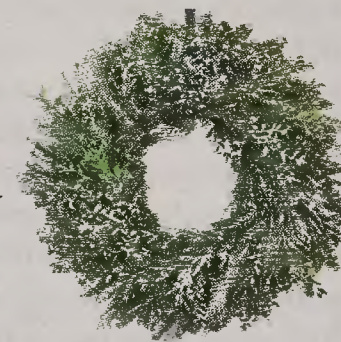


Minutes matter in an emergency. To help medical, fire and police responders find your home as quickly as possible, the Pine Knoll Shores Fire Auxiliary is making reflective address signs available. For a donation of \$20, signs that meet the specifications set out by town ordinance will be made up by a fireman on duty. A post is available for an additional \$10, and a fireman will install it in the proper location for an additional \$10. Visit the public safety building at 314 Salter Path Road to order your sign.



Christmas Wreath Sale

The Pine Knoll Shores Garden Club will offer Christmas wreaths for sale again this year. Wreaths may be ordered from any member of the club or by using the order form below. Orders must be placed by November 4. Wreaths will be delivered to town hall to be picked up Wednesday, December 4, between 10 a.m. and 12 noon. These lovely wreaths of mixed greens last well past the Christmas season and are a perfect size for your front door. They are made in the mountains of western North Carolina and delivered to us the next day. You can only get it this fresh from a florist, but not for \$28.



For further information call Sheryl Woodbury at 726-9746 or Kay Howe at 240-0987. Bows will be available at pickup for \$5 each.

Make your check payable to PKS Garden Club and send it with the order form to Sheryl Woodbury, PO Box 3125, Atlantic Beach, NC 28512 or to Kay Howe, PO Box 3130, Atlantic Beach, NC 28512.

Order Form—PKS Garden Club Christmas Wreaths

| NAME | PHONE | EMAIL | HOW MANY? | CHECK# |
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Halloween Safety

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We will have extra officers out patrolling on Halloween. If you see them and wave, they may stop and give you a treat. Sorry adults, this is for children only.

Scam of the Month: Contractor Scams

Our officers are still investigating felony cases involving residents who have been scammed by a contractor as a result of Hurricane Florence. In July, two of our officers went to Las Vegas to extradite a fugitive who had over 20 outstanding felony warrants for scamming hurricane victims. If you have a bad feeling about a contractor, trust your gut. Some of our victims will take years to financially recover from the damage that was done by con men posing as contractors. Don't trust contractors who go door-to-door, ask you to refer them to other customers, ask for payment up front, and do everything with a handshake instead of giving you a quote in writing. Research their company online and ask for a list of references from previous customers. You should not do business with a contractor who can't provide a reference list or written quote/invoice.