Mary Lou and Jack Kay and their son Jonathan recently became our new neighbors on Oakleaf Drive.

Jack retired from the Federal Service, Department of Energy, after 34 years and Mary Lou retired from teaching school. Jonathan did not retire - he is attending school at West Carteret.

They came here from Napersville, Illinois (just outside Chicago) where they had lived for the past ten years. Four of their children are still there--Robert, David, Susan and Sandra. Two other members of this happy family are here though "Patches" the cat and "Pepper" the dog.

Jack and Mary Lou discovered Pine Knoll Shores while vacationing about five years ago. They decided then that when they did retire it would be here. It reminded them of Long Island where they had once lived - only they felt the climate was better here.

These warm and friendly people are looking forward to their new life here. Jack is interested in golf and woodwork and Mary Lou is interested in handiwork (knitting and crocheting). They all, including Jonathan, are interested in tennis, boating and fishing. Jonathan also likes soccer. Most of all they want to meet and get to know their neighbors in our wonderful town.

JACQUE LYNN

ANCIENT MARINERS

The kick-off Banquet for the 1985-86 bowling season will be held September 23 at the Bogue Banks Country Club with bowling to start on Monday September 30th.

Any regular or substitute bowlers who have not been contacted please call Virginia reata - 247-4154.

PKS FOOD CO-OP

The next order day for the Food Co-op will be Wednesday, Otober 16 at 2:00 p.m. This order will be delivered November 1st. You may want to consider this a Christmas order as the next order date will be December 4, with delivery December 20. Truly "food" for thought!

LIBRARY LORE

When you consider taking a book from the library do you glance over the names on the card to see who has taken it before you? I do. Moreoften than not the list of names is familiar when when this is so I take it confidently. This is tantamount to a rave review! (And then there are times when I find my own name and realize I have already read the book. Not a rave review!)

Having had this experience recently I began to think back to the days before the library came to the Marine Resources Center. For several years there was a group of us who used the monthly Bookmobile.

There were many advantages to this. We could take as many books as we wished and were never charged fines when we could not be there to return them on appointed days. Some months we read several, other months we could not read them all. Some months we would be lucky and find good ones. Other months we would have a bunch of duds. As one of our friends climbed the tilting steps (it was always parked with a severe list) and presented an armful of books she would be asked to point out the good ones. We would watch while ey were checked in and then check them out again.