

This is a second shop for Judy. She has been a hair-dresser for 26 years and has had a shop in the Plaza for the last 10. She plans to be here full time herself in an effort to build an entirely new clientele. She's not looking to take business away from any other shop. There just seems to be a need here.

Butch had to undergo surgery just as the shop was opening so Judy's time has been divided between the budding business and taking care of him. Once he is better she will be able to have the open house she is planning. Watch for it and come!

Pine Knoll Shores is getting more and more self sufficient! We are used to having the library, the ocean front and the country club for our recreation, a convenience store for last minute purchases. Now we can also buy a house, finance it through a bank, have our skin cancers removed and our hair done to look nice for the closing handled by a lawyer without leaving town!

OUR NEW NEIGHBORS

Two marvelous sights are immediately observed as one enters the home of Betty and Jim Stanton at 224 Oakleaf. Well, two marvelous things besides Betty and Jim that is!

The first thing that catches one's eye is an enormous, elegant pool table. Jim says they never have bought a house without measuring to see if the pool table will fit in; then the decorators have fits about what "goes with a pool table" in any given room. The Stantons pay no attention to all that because, after all, unless you're talking about a palace ball-room, the pool table is going to be the center of attention anyway.

The other thing that's terrific is the combination canvas and styrofoam pool float that is resting out on the patio. It was even christened in the sound one night with a bottle of champagne; it's named the SS Mykonos and is clearly and importantly marked with "no wake" notices.

Betty and Jim moved onto Oakleaf the end of May after about 6 months at Beacon's Reach and before that, they were in Chatham, N. J. where Betty worked for the Home Insurance Company and Jim for A.T. and T. He travelled a lot and still does some consulting. Betty figured ways to accompany him when he went to fun places like Florida or Denver, and neither of them has tired of roaming, so they are off to the midwest soon to see relatives, to Florida in November, to Vienna, Budapest and Greece in the spring, and, says Jim, if only Albania would open up, "we'd take a Eurail pass and explore that!" Meanwhile he's found time for a bit of golf, but not as much as he'd thought he would, and Betty, between indoor paint jobs during their big re-doing of their house, has managed to get to the beach a time or two.

Their daughter, Donna, lives in Beaufort [how handy] with her husband and two kids. Her husband manages the Pizza Hut on Arendell. Their son, Jim, lives in New Jersey and also works for A.T. and T.

There's a sparkling energy in Betty and Jim Stanton, and their originality show especially as one gazes upon that pool table and that float!

MARY DOLL

Our new neighbors on Loblolly Drive are Bart and Charlotte Sheard. Although they qualify as new neighbors on Loblolly they are not new to Pine Knoll Shores at all. In fact they are very much a part of the community already.

The Sheards lived in Sayville, Long Island for 30 years. This is where they raised their three children, Bradley, Michael and Christina. Bradley and Christina are still there. Bradley is with Grumman and Christina is a teacher. Michael is the outdoor type and has settled in Vail, Colorado where he spends a lot of time on the mountains when he is not pursuing his duties as a chef. Bradley likes to scuba dive and has become quite expert. In fact he has written a book about it called "Beyond Sport Diving" which will soon be published.