

Police Report

Police Chief Joey Culpepper reported 80 calls for service during August, including one accident, 2 domestics, 20 Town ordinance violations and 41 welfare checks.

Forty-one citations involving 54 charges were issued, including 5 driving while impaired, 7 speeding, 10 seatbelt, 1 drug violation and 6 alcohol violations.

There were 106 residence checks and 323 business checks.

More charges and an arrest were made in the Crystal Coast Resort embezzlement case. Officer Robert Wallace arrested the former manager after an anonymous tip was received as to where he could be located.

In one twelve-hour shift, Officer Jim Hardy responded to two different calls for domestics in two different hotels. In the first case, the woman's 11-year old daughter hit the male on the head, causing him to release a strangle hold on the woman. He was treated for a head injury and arrested for assault by strangulation and damage to hotel property.

The second case involved a woman who was treated at the hospital for head injuries sustained when the couple got into an argument. The woman refused to press charges because she did not want to return to the state from Michigan for the court date. No arrest was made and the case was closed.

During the first two weeks of the Booze-it-and-Loose-It Campaign, PKS officers made 4 DWI arrests, two of individuals under 21 years of age.

Southern Gentlemen Guest Night

On Monday October 17, 2005, starting at 7:00 p.m. the Southern Gentlemen Barbershop Chorus will host a guest night to introduce men in the area to Barbershop harmony. A trained voice is not a requirement as Barbershop is for anyone who enjoys signing a song. There is also no need to be able to read music since you will sing in the Chorus with many other guys who will help you learn your harmony part. Guest night will be held at our regular rehearsal location, Colony Baptist Church at 1506 South Glenburnie Road, New Bern. For further information contact Mike Doheny at 637-6235. Come join us and have fun singing. We do support MERCI Clinic, Coastal Women's Shelter and Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Please mark your calendars for Monday October 17 at 7 p.m.

Hope to see you there ~ Sandy Stewart Publicity Chairman ~ Southern Gentlemen Chorus

In Memoriam

September

Marie Macheca

Margaret Wilcox

Salvatore Conte

October 8, 2005 • 1pm – 5pm Fire Station Open House

The Pine Knoll Shores Fire/EMS Department is kicking off the 2005 Fire Prevention Week with an open house. This year's theme is "Use Candles with Care".



Fire and EMS equipment displays
Firefighting demonstrations
Fire prevention and education
Home safety survey scheduling
Gifts for children
Molly the fire dog



Drinks & cookies courtesy of the PKS police/fire/EMS auxiliary

Antiques and Collectibles

Carteret County Antiques and Collectibles Club will meet at Clawson's Restaurant in Beaufort, at 11:30 a.m., on Wednesday, October 19 for a Dutch Treat lunch. We are fortunate to have as our speaker Susan Johnson

whose subject will be "American Stoneware." Susan is a well known garden expert with interest in a variety of collectibles. Members and the interested public are warmly invited to attend this special program.

Beach Erosion

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saw no evidence of any damaged stairs, etc. along the entire beach strand. Again, high tide was at ~5:00 pm (9/14/05), when Bogue Banks was beginning to feel the effects of the eastern eyewall and 15+ foot waves (visual), and direct surge from the eye wall (if there was any). A portion of the Sheraton Pier tip in Atlantic Beach was sheared off.

(b) We did however likely experience "profile deflation" meaning that sand was taken from the upper reaches of the beach berm and translated towards offshore. This provides the beach a broader base for the waves to expend their energy. The beach berm (augmented by nourishment) acted as the shock absorber for the peak of the storm and the days leading up to landfall with high waves and long wavelengths. What this likely means is that the beach berm lost some of its elevation and high tide will run up the beach farther compared to pre-storm conditions and for the next several weeks - months, until some recovery occurs.

(c) One erosion "hotspot" for the island was the Pine Knoll Townes/Iron Steamer Reach - some of the sandbags in the dunes near Pine Knoll Townes are exposed. This area also juts out towards the ocean slightly compared to adjacent areas and might also contribute towards the erosion problem in this area.

(d) Bogue Inlet - the homes and sandbags at the Point are intact and the accretionary spit at the very ocean tip of Bogue Banks appears

to be significantly bigger (visual observation). The Coast Guard Channel appears to be more viable compared to pre-storm conditions. However, we don't know the precise depth of the channel/depression, or if what we are seeing is a temporary draining effect as all the water that has been pushed into Bogue Sound over the past week and is currently escaping and reaching equilibrium now the winds have shifted. Pictures of the spit and Coast Guard channel are attached as well. Bogue Ct. was flooded at the peak of the storm.

(e) Soundside flooding - the prolonged NE winds that pushed water in the sound and in creeks/tributaries coupled with high tide and peak winds had a pronounced effect on soundside flooding that dissipated after the tide dropped and the winds switched. Island Harbor Marina in Emerald Isle sustained significant dock damage, soundside Salter Path was heavily impacted, and the Atlantic Beach Causeway was also flooded from the sound at higher levels than the ocean flooding experienced in Hazel according to an Atlantic Beach ol' timer.

(f) Coastal Science & Engineering is mobilizing to Bogue Banks to conduct a post-storm beach survey to quantify our visual observations. We have ~120 beach profiles established on Bogue Banks and we will be conducting a modified survey that incorporates a smaller number of these profiles in periodic intervals, i.e., maybe every fifth profile, etc.

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