

The Shoreline



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Bill Ashland, Daughter Lisa Beattie and Grandson Wilson

Arbor Day 2011

By Yvette Bannen

On March 18 the Pine Knoll Shores Garden Club celebrated Arbor Day by planting a tree at town hall. Many people at this year's ceremony were surprised to hear that since 1983 the Club has planted trees on Arbor Day to commemorate deceased members.

This year, we planted a Japanese maple near Veterans Park to memorialize Jane Ashland, who had been a Garden Club member since 1996. A white plaque marks the location.

A good contingent of Garden Club members, family, friends and town officials attended the ceremony. Jane had been a contributor to *The Shoreline* and did restaurant reviews. She was also a member of the town's Community Appearance Commission.

J.S. Morton, an early American conservationist and Secretary of Agriculture, proposed an Arbor Day holiday when he moved to the territory of Nebraska in 1872 and was concerned about the lack of foliage on the Great Plains. National Arbor Day is celebrated on the last Friday in April, but many states have set their own date. In North Carolina, Arbor Day is on the first Friday following March 15.

New Friends Board Member

By Dot Miller



Steve Flora

Directors of the Friends Board are pleased to announce that Steve Flora, a year-round resident of McGinnis Point, has been appointed to the Library Friends Board. Steve and his wife Debra vacationed in Pine Knoll Shores for six years before they retired from the Winston-Salem school district, he as a school

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