

Neighbors of Pinehurst


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A note from the president

February 2020

Dear Neighbors,

Happy Valentine's Day a little early.  It appears that our winter "spring" may be coming to an end, but hopefully that may mean the stretch of beautiful warm weather will make for a shorter real winter.

Just a note about the Valentine Brunch at Mid Pines on Sunday, February 9th - the deadline has been extended so if you have not signed up, please review the details in the flyer below and reconsider attending.

The annual Bridge Luncheon is scheduled for Monday, March 30th - note the change of date from January to March so all you bridge players who spend a few weeks or months out of town in warmer weather locations - find a partner and send in your registration to play again this year.

Also, our new co-chairs for the spring Progressive Dinner have been hard at work to come up with a great theme - I will let you find out what it is by checking out the details in their flyer!

In addition, please check out the regular monthly activities - Book Clubs, Recipe Club, Various Games, etc.

Stay warm,

Kaye Marrale

2020 Neighbors President

Important notice: The next board meeting will be held at 4:15 p.m. February 5th at the Marrale residence, 8 Hobkirk Ct. RSVP to Kaye Marrale, kayemarr@nc.rr.com, 910-255-0436.

Mark Your Calendars



Book Club 1	February 27
Book Club 2	February 14
Book Club 3	February 12
Book Club 4 (BRASS)	February 26
Book Club 5	February 19
Book Club 6 (Mystery)	February 26
Book Club 7 (Novel Neighbors)	February 10
Book Club 8	February 5
Book Club 9	February 10

Year at a glance 2020

Bunco
Dining Out
Mexican Train
Hand, Knee, Foot
Recipe Club
Ladies Bridge Luncheon
Spring Progressive Dinner

Save the Date

February 7
February 9
February 11
February 13
February 18
March 30
April 18

Welcome New Members

Bunny & Greg Cross
Jody & Scott Halso
Diana & Michael Jacobs
Judy & Chuck Mills

If you know anyone who wants to join Neighbors of Pinehurst, have them contact the Membership Chairperson, Jack MacMillan 420-1344 or jackmac1946@gmail.com.



Send Some Sunshine



If you know someone who is hospitalized, ill, or has had a death in the family, please contact Ginny Notestine at 420-2968 or Ginny_notestine@hotmail.com. Ginny will send a card to let them know we are thinking of them.

Publicity Would Like Your Help!

Our Publicity Chairs would like your help. If you are at a Neighbors event and take photos please share by forwarding them to Patricia Keegan at patriciakeegan6@gmail.com. Pat and her co-chair Becca Leen are looking for informal "fun" shots to use in the Pilot, our Facebook page, and other publications. Please send your photographs in the "large format".

Dining Out

HOME OF THE 2019 U.S. SENIOR WOMEN'S OPEN



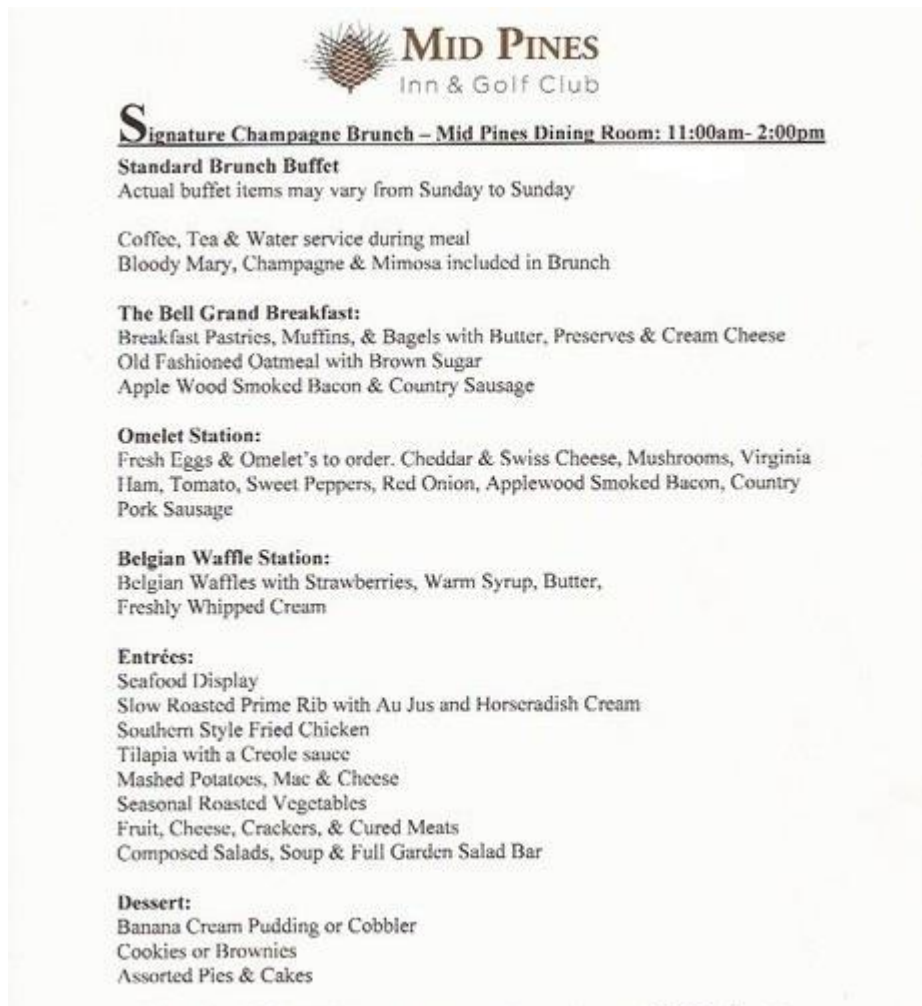
Save the date - Sunday February 9, 2020
Gather & Visit 11:45 - 12:15. Enjoy Brunch! Served until 2:00.

Meet your neighbors and brighten up your winter weekend with
a terrific **Sunday Brunch Buffet** at Mid Pines!

\$37.00 all inclusive

Price includes Bloody Marys, Champagne, Mimosas, Tea, Coffee, Tax, Gratuity

Sample Menu



Your check is your reservation. Make your check **payable to "Neighbors of Pinehurst"**. Drop it in the basket on the front porch or mail to: Cathy Slocum, 33 Stoneykirk Dr, Pinehurst 28374 (Pinewild). Questions may be directed to cathy.slocum@gmail.com. **Reservation deadline EXTENDED to February 5th** – no refund after deadline. When you arrive at Mid Pines, you will receive a nametag and a table card to place at the seat of your choice. This will reserve your place for brunch.

Neighbors of Pinehurst
Ladies Bridge Luncheon

Pinewild Country Club

Arrive @ 9:30 – Play Bridge @ 10:00 – Done by 3:00

Monday, March 30, 2020

\$25.00 / person



**Play Duplicate Bridge
Sign Up with a Partner**

You will play with that partner all day.

Maximum 24 Pairs – First Come, First Serve

You must be a member of NOP to play!

Bridge! Prizes! Lunch!

Sign Up by March 23, 2020

Please mail or drop off your check: **Phyllis Clark, 64 Stoneykirk Drive, Pinehurst.**
Make your check out to "**NOP**" and put it on the chair on the front porch or mail it.

Your check/s confirms your registration

Entries must be received by March 23. Please complete the form below and turn it in with your check. If you must cancel after March 23, you will need to provide a substitute!

Ladies Bridge Luncheon Registration Form

Entries must be received by March 23.. **You must be a member of NOP to play!**

Name _____ Email _____ Phone _____

Partner _____ Email _____ Phone _____

Please mail or drop off your check: **Phyllis Clark, 64 Stoneykirk Drive, Pinehurst.**
Make your check for \$25.00/person out to "**NOP**."

Spring Progressive Dinner



It's Springtime in Augusta

Saturday April 18th

Featuring a Master's themed menu in the tradition of the Champions Dinner

WE NEED HOST HOMES

The first 2 bottles of wine will be provided to our host homes.

Host homes will prepare the entrée

Menu details and recipes to follow

\$12.50 per person/ \$25 per couple

There is no per person cost to the dinner hosts - courtesy of the NoP Board

5:30 ~ Hors d'oeuvres, wine and beer at the home of
Marty & Dave Gibbons ~ 16 Kirkton Ct, Pinewild

7:00 ~ Intimate Dinner at NoP members host homes

Checks payable to: Neighbors of Pinehurst. Your check is your reservation
and due by April 1.

You may drop your check in the front porch basket or mail to
Nancy Mack 60 Abbottsford Dr. Pinehurst 28374

Please contact Nancy Mack at 703.930.0157 or mack.nancy@me.com

Marty Gibbons at 847.791.7074 or martygibbons1@gmail.com

A tradition unlike any other

Club News

Couples Bunco Night



Friday, February 7th at 6:00 p.m. Hosted by Pat Marki, 54 Stoneykirk Dr. (Pinewild).

Join Couples Bunco Night that meets on the 1st Friday of every month. [RSVP to slik11055@gmail.com](mailto:slik11055@gmail.com).

Please bring an appetizer or snack to share. It's only \$5 to join in the fun and all prize money is given out at the end of the evening!

Congratulations to Our January Winners!

Most Buncos	Fran Marki
Most Mini Buncos	Mike Heishman
Most Wins	Linda Walters
Most Losses	Regina Paquette

For more information call **Connie Heishman at 717-514-9797** or slik11055@gmail.com.



Mexican Train Dominos

February 11th at 6:30 p.m. Hosted by Mike & Patsy Peeles, 23 Abbottsford (Pinewild)

Mexican Train is a game played with number dominoes. The object of the game is for a player to play all the dominoes from his or her hand onto one or more chains, or "trains", emanating from a central hub or "station". The game's most popular name comes from a special optional train that belongs to all players. If you are interested in joining this group please contact Connie Heishman at slik11055@gmail.com.



Hand, Knee, & Foot

February 13th at 1:00 p.m. Hosted by Barb Venditti, 115 Strathaven Dr (Pinewild).

Mark your calendars for the 2nd Thursday of every month at 1 p.m.! Hand, Knee, & Foot is a variation of Canasta that requires six decks and nimble hands capable of holding 20 cards or more. If you would like to play or learn, please contact our Neighbors Chair, Carol Pizzi, cpizzi2@yahoo.com or call her on 910-255-6377.



Recipe Club **Everyone Welcome!**

Tuesday, February 18th at 12:30 p.m. Hosted by Nancy Mack, 60 Abbottsford Dr. (Pinewild)

Recipe Club's theme this month is "Make it in a Crock Pot". Call Connie Heishman, 717-514-9797 or email slik11055@gmail.com for more information on Recipe Club membership.

Book Club News



I would like you to welcome my partner in "crime" Carol Weiss! Carol has graciously accepted my request for help in getting book club # 10 started. Among her other duties, she will be helping with the book club luncheon!

Happy New Year 2020 Book Club Members,

Your favorite Book Club Books for 2019 were:

- #1 "The Alice Network" by Fiona Davis
- #2 "Barbarian Nurseries" by Hector Tobar
- #3 "Where The Crawdads Sing" by Delia Owens
- #4 "The Little Coffee House of Kabul" by Deborah Rodriguez
- #5 "Saving Cee Cee Honeycote" by Beth Hoffman
- #6 "Mr. Churchill's Secretary" by Susan Ellia Macneal
- #7 "Where The Crawdads Sing" by Delia Owens
- #8 "Where The Crawdads Sing" by Delia Owen
- #9 "Almost Sisters" by Joshlyn Jackson

Runner ups were: "The Great Alone" by Kristin Hannah & "Pachinko" by Min Jin Lee

Please donate any books you are finished reading to Dolores Flashman. Many of the book clubs are reading the same books and this is a good way to share. Dolores will circulate a list of books available to book club members and if you would like to borrow a book, contact her. The books are left on the bench on the front porch at 37 Glasgow drive for pick-up. If you have any questions contact Dolores at 255-0554 or dflashman11@gmail.com.

If you are a member of Neighbors and interested in joining one of our book clubs, please contact me, at susanfxd@gmail.com.

Susan Zanetti
Book Club Chair

What We are Reading

BOOK CLUB 1 will meet on February 27 at the home of Sue Lambert to discuss *Summer of 1969* by Elin Hilderbrand.

BOOK CLUB 2 will meet on February 14 to review *Clementine* by Sonia Purnell.

BOOK CLUB 3 will meet on February 12 at the home of Margie Butcher to discuss *Educated* by Tara Westover.

BOOK CLUB 4 (BRASS) will meet on February 26 at the home of Vickie Isaacs to review *An American Princess: The Many Lives of Allene Tew* by Annejet van der Zijl.

BOOK CLUB 5 will meet on February 19 at the home of Janet DeVois. The book selection is *A Well Behaved Woman* by Therese Anne Fowler.

BOOK CLUB 6 (Mystery) will meet on February 26 at the home of BJ Barrett to discuss *Death in Provence* by Serena Kent.

BOOK CLUB 7 (Novel Neighbors) will meet February 10 at the home of Linda Stevens who will lead the discussion on *The Dutch House* by Ann Patchett.

BOOK CLUB 8 will meet on February 5 at the home of Dianne Schultz. The book selection is *The Alice Network* by Kate Quinn.

BOOK CLUB 9 will meet on February 10 at the home of Kay Cormier to discuss *Where the Crawdads Sing* by Delia Owens.

Bridge News

Make Your Reservation Now

2020 Ladies Bridge Luncheon

Pinewild Country Club

Monday, March 30, 2020

Ladies Marathon Bridge – February

Grandslammers – Memories of Christmas past are fresh in our minds. 2020 is already a month old. If you want to play in a marathon this winter you need to sign up now!

Grandslammer LXVII will start in February if I get one more team.

I already have three teams signed up for **Grandslammer LXVIII**, so those of you who have finished or are interested in starting a marathon this spring need to sign up now! What about some of you new members? Find a partner and sign up. The next marathon will be Chicago. As soon as we have eight teams ready to play, we will begin the next marathon

Hostesses, please remember to schedule your games as early as possible giving your opponents several options. Everyone has busy schedules, so set up your game at least a month in advance. Thank you.

Need a Partner? Give Phyllis a call at 215-8730 or email her at phylpot2@gmail.com. She will try to hook you up with other players who are looking for a partner. Have you considered playing in another marathon with a different partner? Maybe a new member? Another friend? Or, someone who's looking for a partner?

Couples Marathon

Couples **Marathon FF** has finished with these prize winners:

1. Rosemary & Harry Fekkes	22,130	(\$45)
2. Kathy & Marty Samchalk	16,460	(\$35)
3. Linda & John Sapp	15,150	(\$25)
4. Karen & Denny Fogle	11,980	(\$15)

Congratulations to all!

Sign up now if you are interested in playing in the next couples' marathon. Signups will continue until there are eight couples and another marathon will begin. Sign up and join in the fun! It's a very nice way to spend an evening. Here's wishing you great cards!

Games are scheduled so that you play with a different couple once a month for seven (7) months. If you enjoy bridge, this is a great way to meet new couples as well as spend an evening with friends. To sign up, send a check for \$15/couple, made payable to *Neighbors of Pinehurst*, to Lynne Moore,

32 Lasswade Drive, Pinehurst, NC, 28374. Checks may be mailed or dropped in the basket on Lynne's porch. If there are any questions, call Lynne at 235-3929 or email her at lbmoore@aol.com.

How Marathon Bridge Works – Each Marathon consists of seven months of scheduled play with one additional month allowed for the completion of all rounds. There are no games scheduled in December. Couples or lady partners may schedule play at their convenience during the eight-month period. Signups are on a first-come-first-served basis. When a group fills up, new signups are placed on a waiting list until there are eight teams to form a new group. This procedure continues throughout the year. So, if you are finishing one marathon and wish to continue or sign up for an additional one send in your check (s). For more information contact either Lynne or Phyllis.

Bridge Substitutes

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Reminder! All substitutes must be current members of *Neighbors of Pinehurst*. The following ladies are on our substitute list. If you would like your name added or removed

from the list please e-mail me at phylpot2@gmail.com and I will add/delete your name. Remember, you need to be a member of *Neighbors* to be on the list.

Pepper Bahr	673-5812	Helen Kirk	585-1999
Mary Ann Bartos	235-0879	Helen Kroll	692-0407
Terry Cantele	246-1370	Deirdre LaCasse	725-1228
Phyllis Clark	215-8730	Paula Lyszyk	420-2738
Mary Cloonan	312-848-5830	Kaye Marrale	255-0436
Jackie Collins	420-2152	Rosemary Mauriello	215-0713
Sue Colmer	215-0884	Fran Mellios	420-8875
Charlotte Conradi	235-9202	Betty Mulvaney	420-8340
Gail Corgan	295-2695	Connie Norman	295-6545
Char Deiderich	295-2138	Maureen Papp	255-3133
Patty Engelking	215-8803	Nanette Prosser	235-0011
Karen Fogle	687-4381	Kathleen Richardson	255-3773
Sally Bold-Frick	235-3909	Mary Ann Rowe	215-0418
Diane Galusky	255-0248	Kathy Samchalk	255-0698
Sue Griggs	295-4814	Linda Sapp	215-4530
Bonnie Guttrich	215-8916	Sandy Schnare	295-7589
Joanne Hodges	420-2737	Ann Snyder	295-2606
Kathy Hodges	910-810-3770	Myrna Spencer	215-0653
Nancy Jacobs	693-1790	Jean Sundstrom	235-3727
Chris Johnson	215-5829	Honey Vickory	295-1730
Jeane Kays	420-2876		
Mickey Keller	714-496-8072		

Neighbors Bridge Groups – Neighbors supports various bridge groups by providing cards, score sheets, etc. The requirements for being a “Neighbors” group are simple: 1) All the members must be current members of *Neighbors of Pinehurst*. 2) You must use the ladies on the substitute list above as substitutes, whenever possible. To my knowledge there are four duplicate groups that currently qualify for NOP support. There is the 1st Monday Group headed by Judith Kelley, the 1st Friday Group (Bridge Babes) headed by Phyllis Clark, and the 3rd Monday Group which Phyllis also heads up. There is another 3rd Monday Game, which plays at Elliott’s restaurant. There is a 4-table duplicate group, which plays 28 boards. This group is headed by Kathy Samchalk and Joanne Hodges. They start at 9:45 and break for lunch. If there are any other NOP groups out there please send Phyllis your membership list to see if you qualify. NOP supports groups with cards, travelers, and recapitulation pads.

Phyllis



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Pinehurst NC 28374

NEIGHBORS OF PINEHURST BOARD for 2020

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Treasurer	Maureen Snowden	295-0066		mosnowden@aol.com	

Book Club Coordinator	Susan Zanetti	508-400-5985			
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Book Club 2	Beverly Powell	715-212-9984			
Book Club 3	Dolores Flashman	255-0554			
Book Club 4	Jane Nehlsen	215-9558			
Book Club 5	Ann Barlow	295-4359	and	Karen Teems	295-1241
Book Club 6 (Mystery)	BJ Barrett	295-1955			
Book Club 7	Susan Zanetti	508-400-5985			
Book Club 8	Dianne Schultz	255-6251			
Book Club 9	Katie Dahlberg	585-7318			

Appreciation Picnic	Kaye Marrale	910-255-0436			
Book Club Luncheon	Susan Zanetti	508-400-5985	and	Carol Weiss	910-420-1199
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