

# Neighbors of Pinehurst

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## A note from the president

January 2022

Dear Neighbors,

Our Board has been busy putting our 2022 Calendar of Events together. To date, we will have our Summer Picnic on Thursday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, our Wine Tasting and Dinner on Sunday, August 21<sup>st</sup> & the Bridge Luncheon on Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup>. With several requests for additional wine events, plans are now being made for a wine tasting event on Thursday, February 10<sup>th</sup>. Details for this gathering will be shared in a follow up flier as soon as the final plans are complete. We are hoping to add more gatherings in the coming year for our membership

The results from the survey that was sent out to our 10 Book Clubs are now being compiled. We will explore the suggestions shared and look to expand activities for our Book Club members.

Neighbors of Pinehurst is a great organization, but it takes participation from our members to keep our fun and diverse activities going. Please consider volunteering to help with our upcoming events. It is a great way to meet and work with other NOP members.

Wishing everyone a Happy New Year!

*Lorrie Larson*

2022 NOP President

Moore County is facing challenges with Covid and most recently the impact the Delta variant is having on our community. Due to this challenge, we ask that you attend Neighbors events only if you are vaccinated. You will not be asked to provide proof of vaccination, but we ask that you honor this request for the health and safety of our membership.

# Mark Your Calendars

Book Club 1	January 27	Bunco	January 7
Book Club 2	January 14	Hand Knee Foot	January 13
Book Club 3	January 12	Mexican Train Dominos	January 18
Book Club 4 (BRASS)	January 26	Poker	January 13
Book Club 5	January 19	Recipe Club	January 24
Book Club 6 (Mystery)	January 26		
Book Club 7 (Novel Neighbors)	January 10		
Book Club 8	January 5		
Book Club 9	January 10		
Book Club 10	January 18		



## Year at a glance 2022

Wine Tasting  
Summer Picnic  
Wine Tasting & Dinner  
Bridge Luncheon

## Save the Date

February 10  
June 16  
August 21  
August 29

## 2022 Membership

**It's Time to Renew Your Membership to Neighbors of Pinehurst for 2022!**

If you receive a request to rejoin Neighbors of Pinehurst (to be sent out in early December) and have not yet done so please send your 2022 NOP check in now so that you can continue to participate in Neighbor's 2022 clubs and activities. **January 1st is the 2022 Renewal Deadline.** Any 2020 Member whose renewal is not received by January 1st will be dropped from our membership roll until their 2022 check is received. Non-renewal status will suspend a member's eligibility to participate in NOP activities and to receive any prize money occurring during their period of ineligibility.

If you do not receive an email from us then you have already been renewed for 2022.

Please send (or leave in my doorstep basket) your \$20 membership check made out to Neighbors of Pinehurst to:

Sheila Henderson, Membership Chairman  
39 Glasgow Drive, Pinehurst N.C. 28374

Questions may be directed to Sheila at [sheilahenderson102@gmail.com](mailto:sheilahenderson102@gmail.com)

## We Welcome New Members

If you know anyone who wants to join Neighbors of Pinehurst, have them contact the Membership Chairperson, Sheila Henderson 295-1476 or [sheilahenderson102@gmail.com](mailto:sheilahenderson102@gmail.com)



## Send Some Sunshine



I am happy to be the new Sunshine Lady for Neighbors. We want to be sure to send notes to all our members when a little sunshine is needed. Please help me with this task by letting me know if you hear of anything. Thanks!

*Patty Engelking*  
[pengelking1@gmail.com](mailto:pengelking1@gmail.com)  
Cell: 262-391-3716

### We Could Use Your Help!

Planning is underway for NOP 2022 and in order to continue to provide many fun and diverse activities and functions, we need participation from our members. Sharing your talents for the benefit of NOP can be done in many ways:

**Creative Talent:** designing centerpieces for event such as the Appreciation Dinner, Wine Dinners, Book Club Luncheon; develop new events or modify current NOP events to improve the activities of the organization

**Organizational Skills:** plan one of the NOP special events; start a new Book Club, Wine Group

**Photography:** taking photos at the various NOP events for the Gallery on the NOP website


**Financial Background:** run for treasurer of NOP or volunteer to audit the NOP books, when needed


**Computer Skills:** run for secretary of NOP; make name tags for various events; design poster for advertising NOP events; create the NOP newsletter; manage the NOP website


**Leadership:** run for Vice President/President of NOP; become a NOP Book Club leader


If you are willing to help in any way, please let us know by contacting Lorrie Larson, [lorrielarson10@gmail.com](mailto:lorrielarson10@gmail.com) or Chris Novak, [chrisnovak77@gmail.com](mailto:chrisnovak77@gmail.com).


# Club News

**Bunco**  Bunco will meet January 7th at Nancy and Carol Anders, 21 Troon Ct. (Pinewild) at 6:00 p.m. Members bring an appetizer to share and \$5 per person to join in the fun. All prize money is given out at the end of the evening. For more information call Connie Heishman at 717-514-9797 or [slik11055@gmail.com](mailto:slik11055@gmail.com).

**Hand, Knee, & Foot**  Hand Knee & Foot will meet at the home of Liz Polston, 20 Montrose Court (Pinewild) at 1 p.m. on January 13<sup>th</sup>. 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](mailto:cpizzi2@yahoo.com) or call her on 910-255-6377.

**Mexican Train Dominos**  Mexican Train is meeting on January 18<sup>th</sup> at the home of Mike and Connie Heishman, 7 Timuquana Trail (#6). Mexican Train is a game played with number dominoes. If you are interested in joining this group, please contact Connie Heishman at [slik11055@gmail.com](mailto:slik11055@gmail.com).

**Poker**  Poker is meeting January 13<sup>th</sup> at the home of Mike Heishman, 7 Timuquana Trail (#6) at 6:30 p.m. To play contact Mike at [lheishman7@gmail.com](mailto:lheishman7@gmail.com).

**Recipe Club**  Recipe Club is meeting January 24<sup>th</sup> at the home of Nancy Mack, 60 Abbottsford Drive (Pinewild) at 1 p.m. This month's theme is "Soup". Call Connie Heishman, 717-514-9797 or email [slik11055@gmail.com](mailto:slik11055@gmail.com) for more information on Recipe Club membership.

## A Merry, Merry Cookie Exchange

Sixteen members participated in a Holiday Cookie Exchange on December 20<sup>th</sup>. Hosted by Connie Heishman and the Recipe Club, dozens of cookies were exchanged. The event included holiday games including a Candy Cane Relay, Christmas Family Feud, Guess the number of M&M and Who is Most like the Hostess. Many thanks to Connie Heishman for hosting a most jolly event.

# Book Club News

The Neighbors of Pinehurst Board has put together a survey which we would like to have our book club members complete. ***If you have not received the survey please send an email to [neighborsofpinehurst@gmail.com](mailto:neighborsofpinehurst@gmail.com)*** and we will make sure you receive one. We will use this data to create new events that are of interest to our members. After completing, please return the survey by mail to Lorrie Larson at 32 McMichael, Pinehurst or you can scan or copy /paste and email your completed survey to Lorrie at [lorrielarson10@gmail.com](mailto:lorrielarson10@gmail.com). If you are in more than one book club, please only fill out one survey.

## What is your book club's favorite book from 2021?

Send an email to [neighborsofpinehurst@gmail.com](mailto:neighborsofpinehurst@gmail.com) with your groups favorite book for 2021. Our clubs are eager to see what others have enjoyed and perhaps add to their club's 2022 book selection.

## What We are Reading



Book Club #1 will meet on January 27<sup>th</sup> at the home of Nan Beckman to review *Take What You Can Carry* by Gian Sardar.

Book Club #2 will meet on January 14<sup>th</sup> at noon to discuss *The Book of Longings* by Sue Monk Kid.

Book Club # 3 will meet on January 12<sup>th</sup> at the home of Antoinette Weirich to discuss *My Dear Hamilton* by Stephanie Dray and Laura Kamole.

Book Club # 4 will meet on January 26<sup>th</sup>. Kaye Marrale will lead the discussion of *The Last Train to Key West* by Chanel Cleeton.

Book Club # 5 will meet at the home of Jackie Churchbourne on January 19<sup>th</sup> to discuss *The Henna Artist* by Alka Joshi.

Book Club # 6 will meet on January 26<sup>th</sup>. Shelley Denny will host and lead discussion on *A Death is of No Importance* by Marian Fredericks.

Book Club # 7 will meet on Monday, January 10<sup>th</sup>. The hostess and discussion leader is Carol Coates and her book choice is *Last Bus to Wisdom* by Ivan Doig.

Book Club # 8 will meet Wednesday, January 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7 p.m. at the home of Dianne Schultz. Pat Voetsch will lead the discussion of *The Sunflower Sisters* by Martha Hall Kelly.

Book Club # 9 will be hosted by Barbara Gennett on January 10<sup>th</sup> at 6 Sarclet Court to discuss *The Sound of Glass* by Karen White.

Book Club # 10 will meet at Elliott's on Linden on Tuesday, January 18<sup>th</sup>. The book selection is *Rules for Visiting* by Jessica Francis Kane.

# Bridge News

## Ladies Marathon Bridge

Ladies Marathon Bridge – The Holidays are coming too quickly and soon it will be a Year of Bridge.

Grandslammer LXVIII finished their marathon in November. Our final winners for 2021 were:

1st	Karen Fogel & Kaye Marrale	23,680	\$80
2nd	Phyllis Clark & Barbara Ewing	21,340	\$48
3th	Gail Corgan & Betty Mulvney	20,950	\$32

Congratulations, Ladies!

Grandslammer LXIX began play in November and is cruising right along.

Grandslammer LXX will form up beginning in January and begin as soon as eight teams have signed up. I will begin taking your checks for \$10 / player when I return from California on January 1st.

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

Need a Partner? Give Phyllis a call at 725-0504 [oh, [Oh yes, I have moved to Penick Village in Southern Pines.] or email her at [phylpot2@gmail.com](mailto: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?

If you are interested in playing bridge, please contact me at 910-725-0545.

Four new bridge players joined Neighbors recently. They are Nancy Moore, 925-1580; Barbara Thiele, 914-659-8336; Ruth Isenberg, 295-4152; and Carol Alexander, 295-9591. Let's get them involved in our bridge games.

I have seven ladies who have been looking for an eighth for their bridge group on the 3rd Monday of the month at 12:30. They generally are finished by 3:30. Light snacks and drinks may be served at the hostess's discretion.

*Phyllis*

## Couples Marathon Bridge

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

1.	Gary and Barrie Reynolds	19,610	(\$45)
2.	Karen and Denny Fogle	18,640	(\$35)
3.	Kathy and Marty Samchalk	17,050	(\$25)
4.	Lynne and Tim Moore	16,420	(\$15)

We had some close scores and lots of fun.  
Congratulations to all!

## Couples Marathon Bridge, continued

Marathon GG is complete. **PLEASE SIGN UP TO PLAY IN THE NEXT ONE - WE NEED SOME MORE COUPLES.**

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. All fees are returned in prize money. 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](mailto:lbmoore@aol.com).

How Marathon Bridge Works – Each Marathon consists of seven months of scheduled play with a different couple each month. There are no games scheduled in December. Couples 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. For more information contact Lynne.

*Lynne*

## 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](mailto: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	673-5811	Kaye Marrale	255-0436
Terry Cantele	246-1370	Rosemary Mauraiello	215-0713
Mary Cloonan	312-848-5830	Fran Mellios	420-8875
Charlotte Conradi	235-2695	Betty Mulvaney	420-8340
Jackie Collins	420-2152	Connie Norman	295-6545
Sue Colmer	215-0884	Maureen Papp	255-3133
Gail Corgan	235-2695	Liz Polston	517-290-7370
Mary Speath Davis	986-1687	Nanette Prosser	235-0011
Char Deiderich	585-5151	Kathleen Richardson	255-3773
Patty Engelking	215-8803	Bonnie Root	295-4167
Karen Fogle	687-4381	Kathy Samchalk	255-0698
Sally Bold Frick	644-5775	Linda Sapp	215-4530
Diane Galusky	255-0248	Sandy Schnare	295-7589
Bonnie Guttrich	215-8916	Mo Snowden	295-0066
Joann Hodges	420-2757	Ann Snyder	295-2606
Kathy Hodges	919-810-3770	Myrna Spencer	215-0653
Jeane Kays	420-2876	Jean Sundstrom	235-3727
Deirdre LaCasse	725-1228	Honey Vickory	295-1730
Paula Lyszyk	986-2716		



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**COMMITTEE CHAIRS for 2022**

<b>Appreciation Dinner</b>	Chris Novak	910-603-3391		
<b>Book Club Event</b>	Lorrie Larson	952-239-9881		
<b>Bridge</b>	Phyllis Clark	910-725-0545	and Lynne Moore	235-3929
<b>Dining Out</b>	Pat Sykora	859-227-1101	and Cathy Slocum	585-576-0714
<b>Membership</b>	Sheila Henderson	295-1476		
<b>Newsletter</b>	Janet Farrell	215-8028		
<b>Progressive Dinner</b>	Marty Gibbons	847-791-7074	and Nancy Mack	703-930-0157
<b>Publicity</b>	Becca Leen	919-949-6713	and Katherine Piecznski	951-809-9000
<b>Recipe Club &amp; Games</b>	Connie Heishman	717-514-9797		
<b>Summer Gathering</b>	Lorrie Larson	952-239-9881		
<b>Sunshine</b>	Patty Engleking	262-391-3716		
<b>Website</b>	Mary Schneider	910-315-9258		
<b>Wine Event</b>	Jeane Kays	910-986-8242	and Kaye Marrale	910-639-2290