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## The Board and Staff want to wish everyone a Happy and Safe Holiday Season.

The office will close December 23 at noon for the holidays and re-open January 2, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

## Message from the Board - Jeff Alt, President

#### Walkers, Bikers and Dog Walkers

As more people move to our community and the roads become busier, please be mindful and share the road. Drivers – please obey the speed limit and slow down when you come to pedestrians on the road. For our walkers, dog walkers and bicycle riders, please be aware of the cars in front of you as well as behind you.

#### Drivers:

- 1. Follow the speed limit. Small differences in speed can be the difference between life or death if a person is hit while walking.
- 2. Actively watch for pedestrians.
- 3. If it's raining or dark, slow down to give yourself more time to react and stop for pedestrians.
- 4. Drive slowly and be prepared to stop when turning or approaching a crosswalk.

THANK YOU TO OUR BULLETIN EDITORS LINDA RUGG, MERRILEE BURNS and MARY KELEIGH IMPORTANT DATES:

<u>December 11, 2024 at 9:30 a.m.</u> – MONTHLY BOARD MEETING AT THE POA CLUBHOUSE. ALL MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

IF YOU ARE NOT ON OUR FREE COMMUNITY EMAIL DISTRIBUTION LIST, PLEASE CONTACT THE BUSINESS OFFICE. YOU MAY HAVE MORE THAN ONE EMAIL ADDRESS PER HOUSEHOLD.

Please remember to notify the office if you change your phone number, email address, name, or mailing address. It is extremely easy to overlook this, but it is difficult for the office should we need to contact you. Thank you.

#### How to Submit Articles to the Bulletin

The **DEADLINE** for submitting articles for the Bulletin is **5:00 p.m. on the 20th of each month** for the following month's issue.

**YOU MUST EMAIL ARTICLES** to: <a href="mailto:cspoabulletin@gmail.com">cspoabulletin@gmail.com</a>. **Do not use** the office email. Be sure to include the name of the activity in the "subject" line of your email. Thank you.

# <u>2025 Election will take place on February 1, 2025 – We have 3 (three) openings and 4</u> (four) candidates.

# CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION TO THE CSPOA BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR 2025

Candidates in Alphabetical Order



<u>Joanne Bendy</u> – Resident since 2010. Education BA from Newark State College, NJ 1973 and Master's Degree in Education from Rutgers University, NJ 1985. Experience/Skills-Public school teacher for 26 years in New Jersey, 12 of which were in the inner city of Trenton. Certified Pre-K-12<sup>th</sup> grade, as well as a supervisor and teacher of the handicapped. Active member of the Calabash Elks Auxiliary and Veterans Committee which serve people and communities through benevolent programs. 2013-2014- President of the Brunswick County Extension Master Gardeners Volunteers, where I accrued almost 1000 volunteer hours and

received an award for overseeing a plant clinic at the local library. 2019- 2022- Served as President of the Carolina Shores Garden Club. Presently I organize programs and speakers and oversee the Beautification Committee. I have served on the Advisory Committee and volunteered on the Recreation Committee in the past. I attend many of the POA functions and the monthly board meetings. Areas of Interest: Advisory Committee, Maintenance Committee, Communication Committee and Nominating Committee.



<u>Jack Phillips Brinson</u> —Part time resident since 2022. Education MBA from Babcock School of Management, Wake Forest University, BS in Business from U.N.C. Chapel Hill. Experience /Skills-CFO for NC Department of Labor; Deputy CFO NC Department of Justice; Chief of the Nuclear Reactors, Materials and Waste sector for InfraGard (a partner agency with the FBI). Elected to three statewide commissions by two NC governors. If I am elected, I want to maintain a balance between a strong community and a peaceful environment and local area development. I

serve on the Community Emergency Response Team representing Carolina Shores and I have been contacting County Commissioners and the Town Council regarding the proposed sale of the community golf course. Areas of Interest- Audit and Finance Committee and Advisory Committee



George Choy- Resident since 2011. Education- Bachelor of Science in Nursing, National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians- Paramedic, Retired NYPS Detective. Experience /Skills 25 years' experience in law enforcement with community involvement, 19 years' experience as a paramedic and fire fighter as first responder and patient advocate, 12 years' experience with Fire Marshall's Office in Nassau County as instructor. If elected I would like to research and evaluate proposals (past, present and new) for the betterment of our community. Areas of Interest: Maintenance Committee and Architectural Control Committee.



John Csernecky – Resident since 2003, POA Board Director since 2015 where I served as House and Communications Director, ACC Committee Liaison since 2016 and POA Board Vice President since 2017. Education – Electrical Engineering degree and BS in Business Administration. Experience/Skills – Town Commissioner in Hamburg, NJ for two four-year terms, Town Commissioner for Carolina Shores for one term, Carolina Shores Emergency Management Chair while Commissioner. Engineering Manager for multi-million-dollar Air Force

test equipment programs. Volunteer fireman (retired) with the Calabash Fire Department, member of the VFW and American Legion, and a volunteer at the Brunswick County Senior Resources Thrift Store. If reelected, I will continue to support and maintain the facilities, including the pavilion, pool, picnic area, and clubhouse, which are used by numerous members. I want to ensure the application of the DoR requirements on an equal basis to all property owners. One new goal is to listen to and remain cognizant of the possible sale of the golf course and the ramifications for the POA and its residents.

## Holiday Cookie Exchange – Sue Hensler December 7, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.



For the Holiday Cookie Exchange you will need to make two (2) dozen cookies, brownies or fudge. Drop off your homemade goodies at the POA clubhouse between 10 a.m. and noon on Thursday, December 5, or Friday, December 6.

On Saturday, December 7, the Recreation Committee volunteers will be serving up Holiday Punch, Eggnog and Apple Cider. After sharing some Holiday Spirit with your neighbors, you will hand-select two (2) dozen cookies from the Cookie Table for your Holiday enjoyment.

See you on Saturday - December 7

#### **HAPPY BAKING**

#### Reminder -- POA Office

Anyone using the POA clubhouse on a regular basis needs to complete a CSPOA Clubhouse Schedule Agreement before the beginning of next year. You can get forms at the office or online under Procedures and Forms/Forms/Schedule agreements.

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# ACC - Tom Wright



#### **POA Permits**

In the past few months, we have had several cases of homeowners not obtaining permits needed for home repairs. To help clarify the permitting requirements for Homeowners for both the Town and the CSPOA, please find below a chart showing which permits are

required. Contractors will often get permits from the Town and not get CSPOA permits that are required. To avoid fines in the future please use the following reference guide for home improvements.

Town & CSPOA Permting Regulation	ons		
	Carolina Shores POA	Town Carolina Shores	
HOMES	Permit-single story	Permit-2 story	
Ridge Height	22 Ft	35Ft	
Setbacks for homes	Chart 1	Chart 1	
Setback Patio Home	Chart 1	Chart 1	
Setbacks for Acres Home	Chart 1	Chart 1	
	3 1/2 Sq.Ft. ,H20"XW18"-44"		
Attic windows	from floor	no specification	
Attic storage	Pull down only	Stairs	
Headwalls	18 In. height	None	
Culverts	Concrete or HDPE	Concrete or HDPE	
Outbuilding/storage building	Permit 1 per home	Permit	
Ridge height-4/12 pitch,no flat roofs	18Ft, not to exceed home ridge	35Ft.	
Overall size	1000 sq. Ft. or less	No size regulation	
Setback for outbuilding	Chart 1	Chart 1	
Sheds	Permit 1 per home	Permit	
sheds set back	Chart 1	Chart 1	
Ridge Height limit	10 feet	None	
shed size -wall height 8Ft.	120 sq. Feet Max.	10X10 feet	
Shed location	In shadow of home	Behind House	
Trees	Permit	Copies to Town by POA office	
Work/windows, shutters, painting	Permit	None	
HVAC/above ground tank	Trim fences- A/C or Gas Tank	None	
Signs	Permit	Copies to Town by POA office	
		Sign off on install when replacing	
Roof	Permit	sheeting	
Fence	Permit	Permit	
Sunroom	Permit 1 per home	permit	
Pergola	Permit 1 per home	permit	
Porch with roof	Permit	permit	
Deck	Permit	permit	
Pool	Permit	permit	
Driveways	Permit	Permit	
Cement work	Permit	Permit	

#### SETBACK REQUIREMENTS

Requirements	Town	CSPOA			
'		Acreage Homesites		Golf Course Homes	Patio and Gate Homes
Min Lot area	15,000 sq ft	None	None	None	None
Min Lot Width	75 ft	None	None None None		None
Min Front Yard	35 ft	50 ft	30 ft.	30 ft	20 ft
Min Side Yard	10 ft	15 ft	15 ft.	15 ft	7 ft
Min Rear Yard	30 ft	25 ft or 25% of length of lot (average of both side lines divided by 2), whichever is larger	ength of lot average of both ide lines divided by 2), whichever is		10 ft
Max Bldg. Height	35 ft	22 ft	22 ft.	22 ft	22 ft
Min Living Area	1200 ft	1400 ft	1400 sq. ft.	1400 ft	1400 ft

#### CORNER LOTS

A corner lot shall be deemed to have a front line on each street – based on CSPOA lot designation, the setback will be 50 feet for Acreage lots and 30 feet for homesites.

Note: Measurement is based from property lines.

## Tennis – Joyce Disano



Join us for open tennis starting at 8:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday at the Carolina Shores tennis courts. Wear proper court shoes. Hope to see you there.

#### Chair Aerobics - Paula Guenther



Chair Aerobics is back to the original schedule: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

## Little Free Library



Did you know that Carolina Shores now has a Little Free Library? It is located in the area between the pool and the pavilion and is available for anyone to come and take a book and/or bring a book. Thanks to Rob and Colleen Braun for doing this for our community. Rob built the library, and Colleen did the paperwork to register it as an official Little Free Library, a network of more than 175,000 little libraries

in the United States and abroad. What an exciting addition to our neighborhood!

## Garden Club - Happy Mullen



The Carolina Shores Garden Club meeting was held November 13 at the POA clubhouse. Nathan Burmester, the coastal plain stewardship manager for coastal North Carolina, explained the importance of controlled, or prescribed, burns. He explained that fire enables a variety of seeds to germinate, providing biodiversity that helps nature to continue. Nathan shared that the burns are planned specifically to allow wildlife to escape the fire, as well as to improve the growing conditions for a variety of native plants.

The annual Soup and Bake sale was held November 23, also at the POA clubhouse. The event was a success, giving many residents a chance to sample delicious soups and baked goods, visit with neighbors, while raising money for the scholarships that the garden club awards every May to local students. Also in November, garden club members decorated the local library and the wall in front of the POA clubhouse.

Many events are planned throughout the year. In December, members of the club will meet at Juel's for a Christmas luncheon. Our next fundraiser will be a card and game party with a catered luncheon. Tickets will be \$20 and will go on sale in December.

New members are always welcome at the garden club. The meetings are on the second Wednesday of each month, annual dues are \$10. Meetings always include a guest speaker, a plant raffle and a social hour. This year, the club is also raffling a quilt. Tickets are sold at every event and the winner will be chosen at the May luncheon. Please contact Happy Mullen at 240-354-4290 with any questions.

#### Pickleball – Rick Griffith & Sue Berger



#### PICKLEBALL Open Play Schedule

NEW "Winter" Hours (November -March) beginning Tuesday, November 5. Tuesday/Thursday at 1:00 p.m. and Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

Carolina Shores "Open Play" pickleball is ONLY for CSPOA members in good standing and their guests, accompanied by a member. Players of ALL levels are encouraged to play, beginners included. It is a recreational and social time to meet, play and get to know your neighbors. Please wear "Court" / Tennis shoes and comfortable clothing. If you're interested in learning how to play pickleball, please contact Rick or Sue.

Check out this site: How to Play Pickleball - USA Pickleball or go to (www.USAPickleball.org)

Rick Griffith 419.262.3832 Griffithrj@hotmail.com Sue Berger 919.410.1221 LeeSueBerger@gmail.com Hope to see you at the courts!!

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## The Lord's Pantry/Porch - Frank Pritchett



Anyone interested in donating to support The Lord's Pantry in Shallotte can drop non-perishable food donations in the bins near the front door of the POA clubhouse. December collections will end on Wednesday, December 11. Other December pick-up locations within the community will be published before the final collection date. Our community's November collection was 204 pounds, bringing us to a total of 1327 pounds for the year! Thanks for the

great support to provide for the needy!

## Thursday Night Poker



We are looking for more Poker Players. If you are interested, please call Joe Martere at (910)575-3897

#### New Neighbors – Flo Pflaster, Margie Pettersen and Ellen Pecina

Name: Nikki Nassan and Brian Ricker

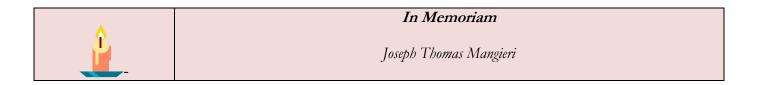
Address: 18 Pinewood Dr.

This couple is engaged to be married in the Spring. Nikki is from Pittsburgh and Brian is a local, from the Leland area. He works as a nuclear construction manager at Duke Engineering's Brunswick nuclear plant. He enjoys golfing and fishing. Nikki works in new home construction for Ryan homes. She enjoys the beach, Mexican food and walking their three dogs, Houston, Espn, and Lainey.

Name: John and Elsie Kevlon Address: 68 Calabash Dr. Phone: 516-672-5291 Email: jck2putt@gmail.com

John and Elsie Kevlon lived in Queens, NY and moved here to be closer to their son, who lives next door.

If you recently purchased a home in Carolina Shores and have not been greeted by the Welcoming Committee, please contact Flo at 910-368-1070 or  $\underline{dfp324@atmc.net}$ 



## Sales and Services

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New customer specials: Mens' cuts - \$15.00, Color and Cut - \$70.00, and Partial Highlight, Cut, Style - \$80.00



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Crooked cabinet doors? Tired of hearing them slam? Contact Lou Machado, Carolina Shores resident, owner of Faith Renovation. I will adjust and install soft close hinges. Special package deal. Call or text Lou for an appointment. 704-880-1820



Carolina Coastal Real Estate, Kandy Walters, Broker 10187 Beach Drive, Calabash, NC 28467 Email: kandy@myccrealestate.com Cell: 336-977-6100 Office: 910-579-5588



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## **PAVILION and RECREATION AREA CALENDAR**

# **Pavilion and Recreation Area Calendar for December 2024**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	<b>2</b>	3	4	5	<b>6</b>	7
	8:30 Tennis	1:00 Pickleball	8:30 Tennis	1:00 Pickleball	8:30 Tennis	9:00 Pickleball
8	9 8:30 Tennis	10 1:00 Pickleball	11 8:30 Tennis	12 1:00 Pickleball	13 8:30 Tennis	9:00 Pickleball
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	8:30 Tennis	1:00 Pickleball	8:30 Tennis	1:00 Pickleball	8:30 Tennis	9:00 Pickleball
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
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#### **Recycle Center Schedule**

Windshield Sticker Required

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Saturday 7:00 a.m. – 12 noon.

Closed Sunday

Please check the town website for adjusted hours.

2024 Holiday Schedule: January 15, March 29, May 27, June 19, July 4, September 2, November 11, November 28, December 25.

**Important:** DO NOT LEAVE CAR PARKED AT THE TRASH COMPACTOR WHEN DISCARDING ITEMS IN THE RECYCLE BINS.

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