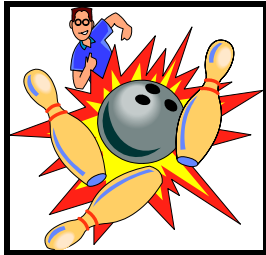




# News and Views

Myrtle Trace

A Newsletter by Myrtle Trace Residents for Myrtle Trace Residents Oct. 2010



## BOARD BRIEFS



Left to Right: Horry County Councilman Carl Schwartzkopf, Garden Club Co-Founder Paul Alexander and MTHOA President Cathy McElroy

### BOWLING

The Myrtle Trace Bowling League season is underway starting its 26th year of operation at the Waccamaw Bowling Center on US 501. Once again, the league has 14 teams of three bowlers each.

With three matches bowled, the High Rollers (Bill Roessler, Betty Roessler & Ted Ackley), déjà vu (Pat Searles, Fred Searles & George Thompson) and the Splitters (John Kubala, Mike Lakatos & Barry Moore) are tied with 15 points each. Three other teams are one point behind the leaders. They include the Silver Foxes (Steve Sands, Janet McGrady & Joe Paglierani), Ten Spot (Jim Sanders, Lois Totura & Ben Duvall) and This Close (Marleen Paul & Marion Ragona).

Scoring leaders so far have been Barry Moore (216,573), Norm Heindel (209,529), Bill Roessler (524), George Thompson (509), Bob Kirk (503), Therese Moore (200,506) and Yvette Campbell (486).

### GENEROUS GIFT

Horry County Councilman Carl Schwartzkopf attended the September meeting of the MTHOA Board of Directors and presented a check for \$2,000 to the Myrtle Trace Garden Club on behalf of the Horry County Council. Mr. Schwartzkopf complimented the Club for its longstanding role in the beautification of Myrtle Trace.

### NEIGHBORHOOD PROBLEM SOLVING

Last month, we encouraged our residents to utilize the Property Committee Phase Representatives when attempting to resolve neighborhood problems. Unfortunately, we didn't make it clear that only problems relating to MTHOA common properties including Common Areas, the Gates, the roads, the Clubhouse, the Pool and the Cabana should be brought to the attention of the Property Committee and its Phase Representatives. Issues relating to privately owned property may be referred to the Architectural Review Committee for assistance.

### THANK YOU

The Board is extremely pleased with the efforts of the Activities Committee in arranging for the outstanding, beautifully framed photos which now appear in the Clubhouse. Their work on this project is deeply appreciated.

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## News & Views

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### MYRTLE TRACE MEN

Are you tired of eating the same old cold cereal? Wife won't cook breakfast for you? Coffee too weak? Or do you just miss all the guys and their great stories?

Come and join the RO-MEO's - Retired Old Men Eating Out. We meet for breakfast on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month. We gather at the Myrtle Trace Clubhouse around 7:45 and carpool to a different restaurant each time. It's a lot of fun and you get to meet and converse with your neighbors and meet new friends.

We have a core group of 37 men and usually about 20 eat on any given Friday. Visiting guests are always welcome.

For more information, please call Ron Grove at 234-1814 or Jay Sharp at 347-2549.

### Myrtle Trace Ladies Coffee Klatch

Saturday,  
October 16, 2010

10 - 12 noon at the Clubhouse

Please RSVP to  
Joyce Remaly at  
234-1157

## ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Our Get Acquainted Social was attended by 103 people. A special thanks to the Myrtle Trace Chorus which once again delighted us with their singing and to Kurt Angersbach who captivated us with his guitar music. We are so lucky to have so much talent in our community. Also, a very special thanks to Charlene Rose for once again hosting a delicious Pancake Breakfast.

Hopefully your calendars are marked for the production of *Snow White & the Seven Dwarfs – 50 Years Later*. Cathy McElroy is still looking for volunteers to help with decorations and bar set up. Please call Kathy at {347-5360}, if you can assist with either of these tasks. **Due to the play, Movie Night at the Clubhouse scheduled for Friday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> has been cancelled.**

Please don't forget to come out and support Our Veterans on November 14<sup>th</sup>. If you are a Veteran and have a military photo that you would like displayed, please get it to Beth Crow at 106 Walnut Circle as soon as possible.

We would like to thank all the new people that came out for the last Activities Committee meeting. Everyone is welcome to attend these meetings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Clubhouse. We would welcome your ideas and helping hands. The next meeting will be on October 11<sup>th</sup>. Hope to see you there!!!

*Bobbie Sands*

MYRTLE TRACE WEBSITE  
[www.myrtletracesc.org](http://www.myrtletracesc.org)

## MYRTLE TRACE COMMUNITY DIRECTORY

ADDITIONS / CORRECTIONS / DELETIONS

SEPTEMBER 20, 2010

### Additions:

Bennett, Paul & Diane	122 Boxwood Lane	732-768-4422	VA
Gaters, David & Denise	161 Myrtle Trace Drive		OH
Grace, Bob & Pat	123 Mayberry Lane	347-9542	
Jones, Diane	117 Hickory Lane	570-436-3046	PA
Jones, Horace	117 Hickory Lane	570-436-5401	PA
Moran, Peter & Carol	105 Linden Circle	331-3952	CT
Watts, Chuck & Annette	112 Timberline Drive	457-9599	OH

### Changes:

Willis, Eleanor	742-4262
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### E-Mail:

Jones, Diane	<a href="mailto:djones260@sc.rr.com">djones260@sc.rr.com</a>
Jones, Horace	<a href="mailto:fishing1@sc.rr.com">fishing1@sc.rr.com</a>
Ried, Bob & Mary Ann	<a href="mailto:bmried@sccoast.net">bmried@sccoast.net</a>



## GARDEN CLUB

Fall is almost upon us and it is time to prepare your garden for the winter months ahead and also to plant some bulbs for spring bloom. If you have some azaleas or camellias in your yard, don't forget to supply them with a light fertilization sometime this month or even into mid-November if the weather stays mild. Also, if planting spring-flowering bulbs, it is advisable to sprinkle the bulbs with cayenne pepper to keep those doggone squirrels from digging them up!! Those who admire their hydrangeas might want to remove all of the spent flower heads and then apply a light fertilization. One more point – do NOT prune or shear your azaleas at this time – the flower buds for next spring were formed during the summer months and if you prune or shear now, there will be no blooms next spring.

The Garden Club will meet at the Clubhouse on Thursday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm . As always, all Tracers are invited to attend and offer suggestions for improvements to the garden. Your participation in helping to maintain the beauty of the garden is appreciated and we hope to see all of you at the regular Saturday morning (9 am) clean-up sessions.

“Nature provides exceptions to every rule.” Sarah M. Fuller

*Paul Alexander*

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## OLD NEWSPAPERS WANTED

Karleen Hardee (Al's wife) is collecting old newspapers to be recycled for the benefit of an Horry County Elementary School. Just leave your old papers inside the gate at the Maintenance Building (near the pool) Monday through Thursday between 7:30 am and 4:00 pm or between 7:30 am and 11:30 am on Fridays. Karleen will greatly appreciate your help.

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## I REMEMBER THAT !!!

The September trivia winner was Betty Stiegler whose name was randomly drawn from the list of residents who submitted the correct answer. The question was: “What were the first names of Laugh-In's Rowan & Martin?” The answer: DAN Rowan and DICK

Martin The October question:

Who were Willie, Duke & Mickey?

Send your answers to Steve Sands by phone (331-3180) or by e-mail (SSands3@sc.rr.com) by the deadline Oct. 15th. The prize this month will be a \$5.00 gift certificate at Eggs Up Grille in Conway. The winner will be announced in the October issue of News & Views.

## *Thank You*

A great big thank you to all the wonderful, caring neighbors who helped us round up our dog, Pal, who decided to go for a long run and finally gave up - really tired out and glad to be back home again. Thank you again and again. Sincerely,

*Polly & Bill Davis.*



## COMPUTER CLASSES

### RESUME

The monthly computer classes will commence again on Monday, October 4th at 7:00 pm in the Clubhouse.

Microsoft has introduced two new programs which may be downloaded free of charge. They are Windows Live Photo Gallery and Windows Live Email. Bruce Williams will give a presentation on the downloading and use of these excellent programs. They may be used with Windows XP, Windows Vista and Windows 7.

The rest of the session will provide ample time to answer random questions relating to any computer activity. Jim Wilkison and Ted Ackley will assist with this portion of the program.

# MYRTLE TRACE-MART

## I WOULD LIKE TO.....

**SELL** - Black & Decker Steamer (new) \$10, Sunbeam Hot Tea Maker (new) \$15, 3 compartment griddle (new) \$25, LeChef Manual Food Processor (new) \$15, treadmill \$25 and electric fireplace log \$15. Please call Jean at 347-4491. (8)

**SELL** - 2009 Hyundai Sonata V6. Four door, cloth interior, loaded. Color - Newsilver. 9,800 miles. \$16,500. Please e-mail (werbeachn@sc.rr.com) or call (347-1304) Diane. (8)

**SELL** - Ladies golf clubs, Ben Hogan Princess irons, Lady Hogan woods, classic lady putter, black Lady Highlander stand-alone bag - good condition. \$50. Please call Tom or Marilyn at 254-7059 or 251-3693. (8)

**BUY** - Kitchen Aide Mixer. Please call Susan at 718-687-7485. (8)

**BUY** - A 10' stepladder and a bicycle tire pump. Please call Russ at 331-3984. (8)

**SELL** - Beautiful wood cased 31-day Regulator wall clock with pendulum. Chimes on the hour and half hour. Would make a great gift. Please call Ted at 347-3004. (9)

**SELL** - Rascal Powerchair, Model 420PC with manuals. Six (6) years old - good condition. Cost \$6,000, asking \$500.00. Please call Charlene at 234-1730. (9)

**SELL** - Two (2) bowling balls with carrying bags. One 15# ball and one 12# ball. \$10.00 each or OBO. Please call Ron at 347-0750. (9)

**SELL** - A 26" single speed men's bicycle with balloon tires. Like new - \$75.00. Call Ernie at 347-3574. (9)

**BUY** - A MAH JONGG game. Please call Mary Ann at 234-1297. (9)

**SELL** - Sears Craftsman 22" self-propelled rotary lawn mower. 6.2 hp Briggs engine. Excellent condition. Asking \$150.00. Please call Fred at 347-3918. (9)

**SELL** - Epson, Artisan 50 printer. Less than a year old. Perfect condition. It not only does regular printing, but it prints on CDs also. \$30.00 Green cloth patio umbrella - \$30.00. Please call Steve at 331-3180. (9)

**SELL** - Round trip flight on Direct Air. Must fly before October 31st. \$125.00 Call for details. Please call Mitzi at 347-5100. (10)

**SELL** - Men's black Huffy bike with chrome fenders, wide seat. Great condition. \$60.00. Lady's pink bike. \$25.00. Please call Ron at 234-1814. (10)

**SELL** - \$500.00 Northwest Airlines gift certificate for \$300.00. Please call Steve at 331-3180. (10)

**SELL** - Epson Stylus Photo R340, prints excellent photographs, multi card reader & viewer, prints on CDs. Originally \$129, will sell for \$40. Please call Bruce at 234-1236. (10)

**SELL** - Man's 26" bike, woman's 24" bike \$15.00 each. Pro-Form treadmill \$50.00. "Cardi" exercise machine \$25.00. Complete set (14) graphite shafted golf clubs, like new, with bag & caddy - \$95.00. Power tools - table saw, drill press, router w/table, 3" belt sander, etc. - all in good condition. Call for details. Please call David at 347-0240. (10)

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for any claims made in an ad. Ads for businesses conducted by  
Myrtle Trace residents will not be accepted.



## **BOARD BRIEFS (CONT'D.)**

### **THE LAKES**

As a result of an unusually dry late summer, our lakes (technically described as retention ponds) are experiencing extremely low water levels. Water is being pumped from our three active wells 24 hours a day to cope with these conditions but they are unable to keep pace with the continuing water loss due to evaporation and reduced common area irrigation. DHEC permits us to pump water from the aquifers to irrigate our common areas but prohibits such pumping for beautification purposes. The Board has authorized the Property Committee to engage a contractor to redrill the 167 foot deep well to a depth of 417 feet to a different and more reliable aquifer at a cost of \$6,000.00. This is expected to result in a significant increase to the volume of water being acquired.

### **YARD WORK VOLUNTEERS**

Back in August, we asked for volunteers willing to help with light yard work for neighbors who need assistance. We are pleased to report that Peter Bevan, Tom Gayer and Russ Widmer generously offered their services. Their kindness is deeply appreciated and proves once again the outstanding quality of our community and its residents.

### **COMMON AREA**

From time to time, the Board becomes aware of some confusion regarding the exact location of the common areas adjacent to the homeowner's private property. For those homes located on Myrtle Trace Drive, the private property commences 30 feet from the center of the road. All of the sod within that 30 foot span is common area belonging to the MTHOA. On all other streets, the distance is 25 feet from the center of the road. Generally speaking, all of the utilities including electrical boxes, telephone boxes and TV cable boxes are located at the boundary where the common area meets the private property.

### **FLU SHOT CLINIC**

We are still working to set up a Flu Shot Clinic at the Clubhouse this fall. Final arrangements have been delayed but a tentative date of Friday, November 5th is being considered. When the final arrangements have been confirmed, the information will be placed on the Myrtle Trace website and a notice will also be placed on the Clubhouse Bulletin Board. The November issue of News & Views which will start distribution on October 29th will also have the details. If we are unable to arrange for a Flu Shot Clinic this fall, that information will be posted as described above.

## ***Pot Luck Dinner***

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2010**

**5:30 PM**

**BRING A DISH TO SHARE -  
MEET & GREET FRIENDS & NEIGHBORS  
ENJOY THE BEST MEAL IN TOWN !!**

**WELCOME ONE AND ALL !!**

The Myrtle Trace Players & The Myrtle  
Trace Community Chorus

*Proudly Present...*

"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs  
50 Years Later"

(A musical comedy)



Fri., October 22<sup>nd</sup>...7:00 PM

Sat., October 23<sup>rd</sup>...7:00 PM

Sun., October 24<sup>th</sup>...3:00 PM (Matinee)

Performances (at the Clubhouse) start promptly at the above times

**The Plot:**

Snow White and Prince charming are divorced. Snow moves in with the Seven Dwarfs. Fifty years later, the Dwarfs feel abused and taken advantage of by Snow White and the Wicked Witch who, takes all the jewels that the Dwarfs mine. Concurrently, Snow White is fed up with cooking and cleaning for 7 sloppy men. Come join us and find out what happens when the Dwarfs make a deal with the Wicked Witch!

Residents will be given first preference for seating. We will try and accommodate your out-of-area guests. There will be no tables this year. However, we will serve wine and snacks at intermission. **Tickets go on sale Oct. 1, 2010.**

"Seating is  
limited to 70  
people per  
performance."  
Cost is \$5.00  
per person

Performances are sponsored by the  
Myrtle Trace Activities Committee.  
No refunds unless requested 7 days  
prior to event

Make checks payable to: "Myrtle Trace Activities Committee"  
Put check or cash in hanging mailbox by front door at:  
Cathy McElroy – 110 Ashwood Circle – 347-5360  
No later than Oct. 17, 2010  
 Wheelchair                       Hearing impaired  
Circle one of the following dates:

Fri., October 22 <sup>rd</sup> , 7:00 PM	Sat., October 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 7:00 PM	Sun., October 24 <sup>th</sup> , 3:00 PM (matinee)
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Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of people X \$5.00 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# MYRTLE TRACE DINING OUT

Wednesday, October 20, 2010

5:00 PM

## Longbeards

5040 Carolina Forest Blvd

Myrtle Beach

843-903-2905



Join the Dining Out group for a great meal at Longbeards.

Camp Sirloin \$13.99

Shrimp Basket \$14.99

Fish Basket \$13.99

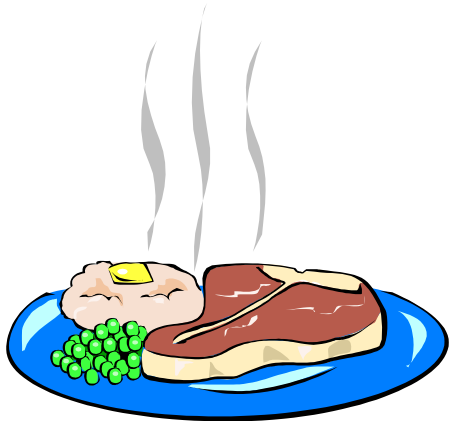
Chopped Beef Steak \$13.99

Turkey Meatloaf \$12.99

Sandwiches from \$5.99

Lots of Salads from \$4.99

10% Discount for us that day!



Make checks payable to  
"Myrtle Trace Activities Committee"

Drop check or cash to:

Steve & Bobbie Sands

186 Glenwood Drive

No later than October 17, 2010

Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Number: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$ 1.00 = Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Money will be refunded at the restaurant

Need a ride? Call Steve or  
Bobbie Sands at 331-3180

**THE MYRTLE TRACE GARDEN CLUB**

presents

*An Evening in the Myrtle Trace Garden*

**A Wine & Beer Party**

Friday Evening, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm

Spend a part of your Friday evening collecting a small bucketful of garden debris. (Buckets provided!)

For each bucket filled you may select a glass of wine or beer. Enjoy your before-dinner beverage with us in the Garden.

We will have gardening magazines, adoptable plants from the garden, helpful hints from our members and a tour of the Garden if you'd like. If you are unable to pick up debris, feel free to come and visit with us.

Reservations are **REQUIRED**

Please fill in the box below and return it to 101 Juneberry Lane by Wednesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for taking an interest in YOUR garden. We do it all for you.

Be sure to view the photos of flowers from the garden on the Myrtle Trace website.

[www.myrtletracesc.org](http://www.myrtletracesc.org)

I will be attending the Wine & Beer Party.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER ATTENDING \_\_\_\_\_

# MYRTLE TRACE ACTIVITIES

# October 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>EXERCISING - CLUBHOUSE</b> M - F 7:45 - 9:00		<b>OPEN BOWLING</b> Tuesday 9:30	<u>CALENDAR</u> Pat Paxson - 347-1609 Alternate Ted Ackley - 347-3004	1 7:45 ROMEOS 9:00 Line Dancing 1:00 Canasta	2 2:00 Play Practice
3 2:00 Play Practice 7:00 Game Night	4 9:30-11 Bible Study 12:30 Mah Jongg 7:00 BEGINNERS COMP. CLASS	5 1:00 Mah Jongg Duplic. Bridge Canasta 6:00 King's Poker 7:00 McNeill's Poker	6 12:30 Bridge (Easy Aces) 6:30 Men's Poker	7 9-11 Crafters 10:00 Bowling 1:30 Scrabble 2:00 Garden Club 7:00 MTS MTG	8 9:00 Line Dancing 1:00 Canasta <b>7:00 BINGO</b>	9 9:00 Garden Club Work Detail 2:00 Play Practice 7:00 Bridge
10 2:00 Play Practice 7:00 Game Night	11 9:30-11 Bible Study 12:30 Mah Jongg 4:00 ARC MTG. 7:00 ACT. COM.	12 10:00 PROP. COM. 1:00 Mah Jongg Duplic. Bridge Canasta 6:00 King's Poker 7:00 McNeill's Poker	13 9:30 PHS. 8 COFFEE 12:30 Bridge (Old Tricks) 6:30 Men's Poker	14 9-11 Crafters 10:00 Bowling 1:30 Scrabble 4-6 MT Choral Grp 6:00 King's Poker 7:00 Mah Jongg	15 7:45 ROMEOS 9:00 Line Dancing 1:00 Canasta Duplic. Bridge 7:00 MOVIE NITE	16 10:00 MT Ladies Coffee 2:00 Play Practice 7:00 TV Nostalgia
17 2:00 Play Practice 7:00 Game Night	18 9:30-11 Bible Study 12:30 Mah Jongg 5:30 POT LUCK	19 9:00 MTS Brkfast 1:00 Mah Jongg Duplic. Bridge Canasta 6:00 King's Poker 7:00 McNeill's Poker	20 9:00 MTHOA BD MTG. 12:30 Bridge (Easy Aces) 6:30 Men's Poker	21 Clubhouse Closed 10:00 Bowling	22 Clubhouse Closed 7:00 Murder Mystery	23 Clubhouse Closed 7:00 Murder Mystery
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