

NEWSLETTER

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Brierwood Estates Newsletter August, 2023

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WARM summer greetings! Welcome to the 2nd edition of the Brierwood newsletter. It looks like I will be producing this newsletter every other month. There is quite a lot of information packed in these four pages. I appreciate your patience and understanding while I learn this newsletter software - It can be quite challenging! And, as always, let me know what you think and how the newsletter can be better. Many thanks for your support!

A message from Mimi... *SHALLOTTE TOWN MANAGER*

Water - the Town has turned over billing and maintenance to Brunswick County - Online payments! 910-253-2655

Town Happenings....check out these posters....

[Yellow Green Re... Events Poster.jpg](#)

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AN EASY-PEASY RECIPE FROM EVA PALMER (50 Fairway)

NO-BAKE PINAPPLE PIE

1 prepared graham cracker crust

1 16 OZ lite sour cream

1 large pack instant vanilla pudding

1 8 OZ can crushed pineapple (Do not drain!)

Mix ingredients and pour into crust

Top with Kraft frozen lite-whipped topping (even I could make this!)

**WHO'S NEW IN THE
Neighborhood?**

**Dan O'Shea & Sandi
Newman**

34 Country Club

Welcome home!



A Hero among us....

Robert Bollie Stanley received his Purple Heart after 105 years!

Robert, a Buffalo Soldier and prisoner of war received his Purple Heart posthumously after 105 years at a ceremony in the Stanley Cemetery near the # 8 tee box. The NS Daughters of the American Revolution fought for many years to achieve this honor for Mr. Stanley

If you have not visited this site, you must! Robert Stanley and family farmed this land for many years before it was Brierwood.

When my grandchildren visit from Raleigh, this is the first place they want to visit.

BRIERWOOD SPOTLIGHT

RJ McCord, Golf Professional & Instructor...

"We moved to Brierwood in June 2007. I had the dream of my lifetime come true. A fairway, sand bunker, wonderful green on a massive dogleg right. My very own, Hole #5, par 4, our home.

Then it all came to an end! The doors were shut to the Pro shop and the course was set to become ruins.

The best part of Brierwood was that everyone kept their dreams alive and mowed their own holes. Thanks to all who care!

I keep my dream alive by working and teaching at Rivers Edge. I am available to help anyone learn more about this wonderful game. Give me a call and I will help you keep your ball in the fairway!"

910-393-9438



Steve Collins & RJ at Rivers Edge
Golf Club

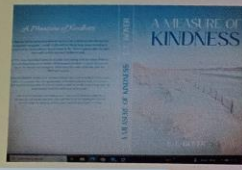
Liz Boyer, Author

MEASURE OF KINDNESS

Now available in paperback & E Book,

Both available at Amazon

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A Measure of Kindness by E. L. Boyer

Ally Malcom left her beloved profession because she refused to take the vaccine her employer mandated.

In 1991, Anna Strickland leaves an abusive relationship with her three children and seeks help in a local shelter.

When the skeletal remains of a nursing student who went missing in 1991, wash ashore on a beach in NC, four generations of families who start out as strangers find a reason to open their hearts in a quest to find the truth of what happened to Katie Morgan that November day, so long ago.

The Cooke's Corner **Marty Cooke Brunswick County Commissioner**

A lot going on in Brunswick County!!

New Sheriff in town! Former Chief Deputy, Brian Chism, became our new sheriff with the retirement of John Ingram. "A great and capable person". He will do a fine job working along Adam Stanley keeping Shallotte safe!

Taxes....

- Rate dropped from 48.5 to 34.20 (5th lowest in the state)
- Some pay less / 51 % will pay more than \$5 more
- Auto tax will be 29.5% less

Pulp Road Fire..

Started as a controlled 400 acre burn – consumed 15,642 acres

NC Forest Service was able to contain without using County assets!

New EMS facility going online soon just north of Novant Hospital /shared with Brunswick Family Assistance

CommissionerCooke@gmail.com (Be nice when you write him about your property tax ! LOL)

Honestly, we are lucky to have Marty as our commissioner and, especially, our neighbor!

Brierwood Vendors

Alterations.....

Trish Collins 910-209-2861 please text

Furniture...

Ashley Furniture - Jenn Tobias

(discounts on furniture and mattresses)

Golf Instructor

RJ McCord 910-393-9438

Grass & Landscaping...

Steve Collins 910-209-2861

HVAC....

Kool Freeze David Barrett 910-470-6753

Davidbarrett@koolfreezellc.com

Handymen....

Joe Wojenski 603-867-7631

Steve Collins 910-209-2861

Irrigation...

Ryan Cox 910-754-6078

Painters...

Joe Wojenski 603-867-7631

Steve Collins 910-209-2861

Realtors....

Cheryl Wagner 910-880-1113

Steve Collins 910-209-2861



Announcements:

Happy Birthday!!

HUGH McCollough 93 Years young!

Saylor Criscoe 5 years old (9/9)

Matt Criscoe (7/29)



Brierwood's Billy Smith wins multiple medals representing E Carolina Isshinryu at the Amateur Athletic Union 2023 National Karate Championships!

Hard work pays off! {wax on – wax off}



Fairway Mowers.. We have about 30 devoted and dedicated mowers to keep our fairways cut. They have permission from the owner!

Jan Horwath and Liz Boyer have been handling donations and disbursements for 3 years. Some volunteers cut more than one fairway. Would you like to help out?

Most mowers receive a small amount to help with gas. We would welcome your donation to help this cause. This volunteer work keeps our neighborhood attractive. Could you imagine what it might look like if we did not have these dedicated individuals?

BRIERWOOD LADIES CLUB

Hello from the Brierwood Ladies Club!

Our mission is to encourage social interaction with the entire Brierwood Community and to provide assistance to our neighbors. Some of the functions that we support are local community food banks, and hold various Brierwood holiday events such as the Artisan Fair, golf cart parade, ice cream social, community yard sale and holiday social in December. We require a small nominal fee to join. In addition, you receive a comprehensive directory which lists residents alphabetically by name and address.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Ladies Club, please contact Lisa Damico 910-880-0987, Michele Johnston 910-477-2751, Allison King 304-667-1043, Carolyn Garramore 203-258-2931 or Cindy Northrup 910-754-5191. Our club meets every third Monday of the month from September through May. We meet at the Shallotte Presbyterian Church, 5070 MH Rourke Drive, Shallotte NC 28470. We hope to meet you soon!

Pet peeves...

Just because Brierwood does not have an HOA, we still have to obey traffic laws! There are speed limits and it is not only the law, but common courtesy to use your turn signals. I would like to have a dollar for every time someone turns onto Brierwood Rd by the clubhouse without signaling their intention to turn!

If you have a pet peeve, I will gladly include it!

That's a WRAP! I hope you enjoyed the newsletter !

Steve Collins

