

SORRENTO OAKS Newsletter

Leaving us

Pete (sp. 43) has sailed off into the sunset after years of caring for our park and those of us who live here. More about him in the Sept. issue of our newsletter.

Bill (sp. 59) has moved to Sunshine Villa after many years in Sorrento Oaks, since before the residents bought our park. He would welcome calls and visits, especially during this transition time. You, along with him, can view our beautiful bay from his window!

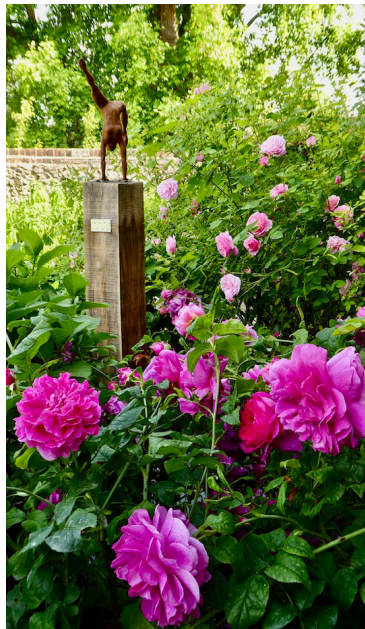
Betsy (sp. 73) is moving to Oregon to live with her daughter. She was secretary on our board and also lived here before the residents bought the park. We will miss her friendliness and seeing her walking with her little white dog.

Happy Birthday to
USA (1776) & SOHA (1995)

It's Fourth of July:
Fly those flags!

10mph

Foot on your brake
Coming down our hills,
Keeps us at 10.
Practice driving skills!

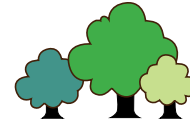


Chris' (sp. 22) Trip to England

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Sharon Hull's Trip to Finland

Hundreds of bird species nest and raise their chicks in the Arctic. Recently, I joined a group of 5 other birders plus 3 guides to see these birds in Finland and Norway. We spent 2 weeks traveling by van north of the Arctic Circle and saw over 200 species, plus spectacular scenery, a lot of snow and ice, tiny quaint villages and a few mammals including lots of reindeer. Which species was most interesting? Definitely a type of shorebird called a Ruff. The males develop wonderfully colorful and fluffy plumage during the breeding season and bow and posture to impress the females. Enormous White-tailed Eagles were also impressive to see, especially noticeable on the rocks along the edge of the Barents Sea.



White-tailed Eagle
on rocks by Barents Sea



Retaining Walls

Dan, Jean-Anne, and Bill are checking the state of the walls and creating a map of them.



Two Male Ruffs

Monthly Park Fees: Due on the 5th business day of the month.

Board Meetings: 4th Wednesday/month, 6:30 pm, clubhouse *

Finance Committee: 3rd Tuesday/month, 5:00 pm, clubhouse

AC/MC Meeting: 1st Monday/month, 5:00 pm, clubhouse

Garden Committee: 2nd Wednesday/month, 4:30 pm, clubhouse

Birthday Bash Party: 2nd Tuesday/month, 2:00 pm, clubhouse

Bookmobile: Every other Tuesday 1:30 - 2:15pm, outside clubhouse

Social Committee: Birthday Parties, 2nd Tuesday/month, & social events

Infrastructure Committee: 2nd Monday/month by Zoom 5:30 - 6:00 pm

Emergency Assistance: Requiring Police, Sheriff, Fire Dept, Ambulance : 911

Any other urgent assistance: Call James (sp. 53) or Ken (sp. 20)

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* Board Meetings are held in the clubhouse and by Zoom. Please check with the office manager if you want to attend by Zoom.