

NOVEMBER
2020

The Pinehills Activities

To Multiply Your
JOY
Count Your
BLESSINGS

Happening this Month....

A FOOD DRIVE

Like No Other.
Details to be announced.

WOMANADE

Will hear from Martha's Vineyard
Photographer, Michael Blanchard

Because Giving Feels Good

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We are working to make your amenities at The Stonebridge Club more available amid Covid19. The gradual easing of restrictions will continue as long as it is supported by the state. Currently, the tennis courts, ponds and trails are open. Masks are required in all locations when you are unable to maintain 6 feet of social distance, and outdoor gatherings are limited to 50. You are encouraged to wash your hands regularly and carry hand sanitizer. The Stonebridge Clubhouse is staffed Monday-Saturday, however it remains closed to the public. Restroom facilities are not available. PHLOA Groups are encouraged to continue meeting virtually and outdoors. Contact smicciche@pinehills.com to reserve space on the Great Lawn or parking lot.

Active Over 40 Singles will walk Boston's Freedom Trail, November 7. The 5 mile trail takes you through 16 historic sites. Enjoy lunch at Faneuil Hall. RSVP by November 2, by emailing : laborne.jeanine@gmail.com.

Antique & Classic Car Club meets seasonally and welcomes new members. Photos were recently added to their album on Pinehills.net. Contact Pat, pyasigian@gmail.com.

Applied Philosophy will meet via Zoom the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. Contact Anil, anilnkumar2001@gmail.com.

Art Society at The Pinehills will remain in touch with each other as they work on projects from home. Contact Roxanne: Roxanne@picworth.com.

Art Studio. As weather permits, members will meet on the Village Green for plein air painting Tuesday mornings, 9:30am. Bring your own chair and mask. Everyone is welcome. There is no instruction. Contact Ellie, ellie. Tagliamonte@gmail.com.

Backgammon. Play online with other residents. Contact Jay, jaycannie@comcast.net.

Bird Brains will continue their walks, weather permitting, on Fridays, November



Monday - Wednesday - Friday

7:30-8:30am **GRT** - Kathy (\$50)

8:45-9:45am **TBF** - Heather (\$50)

10:15-11:15am **Yoga** - Janet (\$50)

Tuesday - Thursday

9-10am **Tai Chi** - Fang (\$50)

10:15-11:15am **Stretch** - Janet (\$50)

Thursday Only

11:30am-12:30pm **Gentle Yoga**

Paula (\$30)

NOTES:

- Payments are due by September 25th to avoid an additional \$10 fee.
- Note on check which class using the **class name** listed in blue to the left.
- Attendance will be taken at the beginning of class.

Monthly fee is payable to PHLOA.

Drop check (note which class) in lockbox located at the outside entrance of The Stonebridge Club or mail to Pinehills (attn: PHLOA) 33 Summerhouse Drive, 02360

ZOOM is a free, video sharing app that can be downloaded to your device.

Once your payment is received, your name will be shared with the instructor who will invite you to the class.

Email questions to smicciche@pinehills.com

13 and 27, 2pm, meet at Rye Tavern. Masks required. Contact Stew, ssandbird@yahoo.com.

Bridge. Wednesday Bridge is now playing on Bridgebase Online at 1pm. This is open to all residents who play at Intermediate level or higher. Bridgebase is an easy to learn online format. \$5 per game per person. Sign up in pairs required. Contact Alan for instructions: alan_a@comcast.net, 508-662-9500.

Caregivers Network is a support group for residents who have loved ones with dementia. They meet virtually on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday, 4pm. Contact Jane, jstreisfeld@gmail.com.

Chamber Music Group have weekly practices each Tuesday, 12pm-2pm, in a

resident's home. Contact Suzanne, susanne7471@gmail.com.

Drop-In Tennis will continue as weather permits Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10:30am-Noon at the Stonebridge Courts. Contact Sandy, sspekman@gmail.com.

Fishing Group is planning activities including fishing at local ponds, the Cape Cod Canal and charters. Visit their photo album on www.pinehills.net. Contact Bart, bart.madruga@parsons.com.

Foreign Affairs will meet Thursday, November 19, 4pm, to discuss American Foreign Policy 2021-2024. Contact Perry, PRKPinehills@gmail.com.

Clubs & Groups

French Conversation Group is meeting weekly in person. Contact Lisa, Lisa.redburn@gmail.com.

Good Deeds Society makes tie blankets for local charities and is always looking for more people to help. Contact Hilary, kevhil@comcast.net.

Great Discussions will meet Monday, November 9, 1-3 via Zoom. For topic and instructions. Contact Jessica, jessicaakarmen@gmail.com.

Hadassah provides a range of online programs. Check out what is available at Hadassah.org. Contact Clara, crfeed1@gmail.com.

History: Inter-War Years Discussion Group will meet Thursday, November 12, 4pm, on Zoom. Contact Ron, rslindeman@yahoo.com.

History: Moment in Time will meet Thursday, November 12, 4pm, to discuss The Fall of Constantinople. New members are welcome. Contact Frank, fcallahan424@gmail.com.

Investment Club will meet, Tuesday, November 10, 7pm, for a discussion on the impact of the election on the economy and the markets. Hear from an investment professional on likely changes and opportunities based on the latest results. No prior investing experience necessary. Women and couples encouraged to attend. Zoom invitation will be sent out prior to the meeting. Contact John, johndecker888@gmail.com.

Kayak Network. To be added to their directory, contact Ken, kenstone1016@gmail.com

Library at Stonebridge. Welcome to the new outdoor library in the tall cabinet outside the left of the vestibule. Help yourself to books and puzzles, but please do not return any items. Donations cannot be accepted until further notice.

Meditation meets Tuesdays, 4-5pm on Zoom. Contact Pam, healthcoachpam@icloud.com.

Men's Group will not be meeting in November and December. Contact, MensGroupPH@gmail.com.

Model Yacht Racing Group has completed their 2020 season. Contact Dan, dwilliams1056@gmail.com.

NEW! Newcomers Group is currently planning activities. To be added to their Facebook page, contact Kerrie, klirosi@gmail.com.

NEW! New York Rangers Fan Club. Contact Frank, fpalma@fpassocs.com.

New Yorker Discussion Group meets via Zoom, the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month to discuss articles from New Yorker magazine. Contact Carol, ph.carol2@gmail.com.

Pickleball is available indoor at Village Racquet & Fitness Club, 508-224-0303. Contact Sue, smjarvi@gmail.com.

Ping Pong Outdoors takes place Mondays and Fridays, weather permitting. Reservations required at www.pinehills.net/Reservations.

Pond Swimmers has wrapped up for the season. Contact Bill, billryan42@gmail.com.

Road Cycling travels as a group on a moderate to high speed road bikes and will continue as weather permits. Contact Bob, bob.lesuer@yahoo.com.

Shalom Group at The Pinehills is planning a Zoom Chanukah event December 15th, 7pm (the 6th night of Chanukah). Light your Menorah with others. New residents are welcome. RSVP with Nancy, nkr1209@aol.com by December 6. A Zoom link will be sent to you. The Menorah on the Village Green will be lit each night of Chanukah beginning Thursday December 10.

TED Talks will meet Tuesday, November 17, 7-8:30pm, on Zoom. Feed your curiosity. Contact Rick, rick.frazier@comcast.net.

Unplugged is a skilled group of musicians and producers that meets every 2 weeks by Zoom. Their most recent video, *Beachcombing*, filmed on Plymouth Long Beach, is now viewable on www.pinehills.net/PHLOA Activities and YouTube. Contact Lou, thelouster2@gmail.com.

Veterans at The Pinehills will not meet in November. Contact Bruce: bmrccio@comcast.net.

Weight Watchers. Continue your journey with discounted live virtual workshops at ww.com. Contact Patricia, patricia.e.shaheen@ww.com.

Wednesday Writers meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 1pm, on Zoom. Their Winter Anthology: *Life In the Time of Covid* is now available. Contact John, johndecker888@gmail.com.

Womanade. Join them November 9th, for their bi-monthly meeting, featuring Martha's Vineyard Photographer, Michael Blanchard (blanchardphotomv.com), who will speak about his journey to sobriety and the part that discovering the art of photography has played in his recovery. Womanade's mission is to provide short term financial assistance to families with children in Plymouth Public Schools. Donations may be mailed in care of the Treasurer: Patricia Brylinsky, 14 Holbeck Corner, Plymouth, MA 02360

The Women of Conscience have remained busy leading up the election. See their accomplishments on the back page. Contact Manuela, mmbartiromo@gmail.com.

Book Groups

Merry Book Club will meet Monday, November 23, on The Great Lawn (or Zoom if weather does not permit) for their annual planning meeting. Contact Vivien, vivienrc@gmail.com.

Shalom Book Group will meet Wednesday, November 4, 4:45pm, to discuss *The World We Knew* by Alice Hoffma. Contact Sandy, sspekman@gmail.com.

Singles Pageturners Book Group will meet December 1, 4:15pm, via zoom, to discuss *Woman in The Window* By A. J. Finn. Please have book titles to recommend for 2021. Contact Linda, lindagill61@gmail.com.

Well Read Book Group New members are welcome. Contact Deanna, 508-224-3797 or deannap1@verizon.net.



Women of Conscience

Over the last 3 months, WoC has written 2,580 letters and postcards to support *Get Out the Vote*.

1350 POSTCARDS FOR:

GRANDMOTHERS FOR A BRIGHTER FUTURE

700 on behalf of Amy McGrath ▪ 650 on behalf of Jaime Harrison

1230 LETTERS FOR:

SWING LEFT ▪ 500 on behalf of Sara Gideon

VOTE FORWARD ▪ 730 on behalf of get-out-the-vote initiative

Members also contributed over \$1,600 in postage, materials, printing costs and donations.

The postcards and letters have reached voters in ten states:

AZ, FL, KY, ME, MI, NV, OH, PA, SC & WI

This group is committed to the election process and encourages everyone to vote.

Leadership Team: Manuela Bartiromo ▪ Lois Karfunkel ▪ Karen Kuskin-Smith
Sandra Mumford ▪ Gayle Shenson ▪ Betsy Stengel ▪ Marcy Weiner