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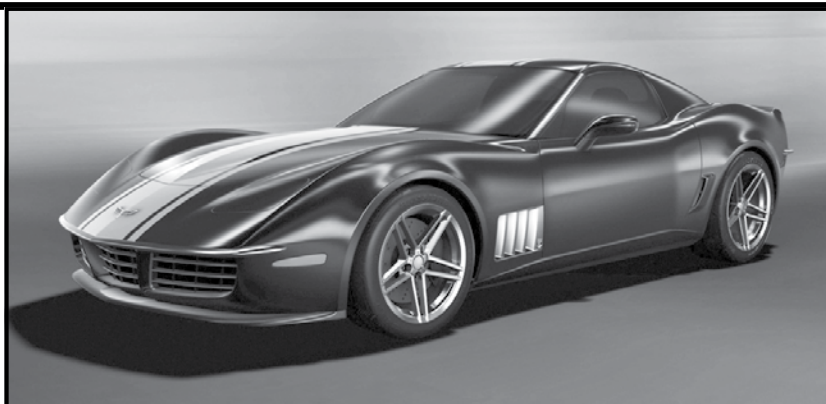
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In accordance with NJSA 45:22A-21 ETSEC, the Greenbriar Association, Inc. hereby publishes the 2025 meeting schedule for the Board of Trustees and the Greenbriar Association. All scheduled meetings will be held at 1 Darley Circle, Brick, NJ. This meeting schedule is published for all homeowners of the Greenbriar Association, Inc. only. The aforesaid meetings are **NOT** open to the general public and resident's identification may be required to attend the meetings.

Monday	January 27, 2025, 7:00 p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting
	February (NO MEETING)	
Monday	March 24, 2025, 7:00p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting
Monday	April 28, 2025, 7:00 p.m.	Association Audit Meeting
Monday	May 19, 2025, 7:00 p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting
Monday	June 23, 2025, 7:00 p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting
	July (NO MEETING)	
Monday	August 25, 2025, 7:00 p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting
Monday	September 22, 2025,7:00p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting
Monday	October 27, 2025, 7:00 p.m.	Budget and Trustee Meeting
Monday	November 24, 2025, 7:00 p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting
Monday	December 22, 2025, 7:000 p.m.	Association and Trustee Meeting

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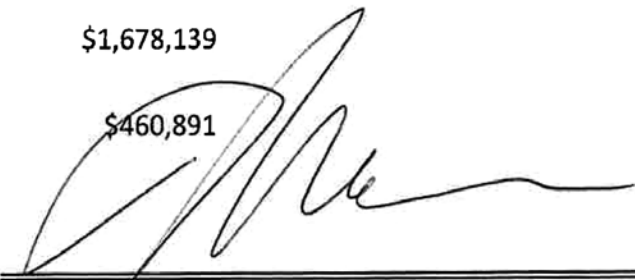
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Greenbriar Homeowners Association Financial Report

Apr-25

	April	Year to Date	YTD Budget
INCOME			
Billed Maintenance	236280	945120	945120
Interest (operating and reserve)	1159	4645	8708
Billed Maintenance Work	350	6750	0
Membership Dues/Late fees	8410	42610	30690
Miscellaneous Income	500	1500	2000
Other Income	886	612	1167
Property Rental Fee	0	369	0
Recreational Activities	1288	10358	2417
Rental Income	2925	40517	19425
TOTAL INCOME	<u>\$251,798</u>	<u>\$1,052,481</u>	<u>\$1,009,527</u>
EXPENSES			
Administration	45050	208726	189751
Bus Service Expense	4988	12873	10750
Clubhouse Expense	22272	97295	80836
Grounds Maintenance	50449	175318	218586
Outside Contractors	96335	160022	303143
Security Expense	19601	68919	63715
TOTAL EXPENSE	<u>\$238,695</u>	<u>\$723,153</u>	<u>\$866,781</u>
NET ORDINARY INCOME	13103	329328	142746
Budgeted Operating to Replacement	10296	142746	142746
NET INCOME (Loss)	<u>\$2,807</u>	<u>\$186,582</u>	<u>\$0</u>
Total Capital Reserve	\$1,678,139		
Total Operating	\$460,891		
 <div>Michael B. Collins</div> <div>Treasurer</div>			

President's Letter

Submitted by Peter D'Agostino

The fountains at the lake are up and running

and the lake shimmers decadently. Our grounds are equally as lovely, especially with the crisp, continuous edging of our lawns and trimming of the creek-bed. Our residents seem to be pleased with our new landscape contractor, Picture Perfect. Up at the Clubhouse, our pools are brilliantly clear and it has been an absolute pleasure to see everyone poolside. Last month, we successfully fired up the kilns in the ceramic room and are working on a schedule for the room to be a shared workspace between ceramics and crochet. Albeit, the yarn will be outside of that room for fire safety.

Our Memorial Day party was a success. Nearly 330 people turned out for the free event. Again, the event was sponsored by our vendors and Willow Springs. What made it so special was the turnout of folks, many of whom do not generally come up to the Clubhouse or attend our functions. It was a sense of community.

This month, we will celebrate July 4th, with a Fourth of July party. The party will be on Friday, July 4th at 2pm-7pm. Tickets are limited to 250 people, however the pool will be open at 10am for those who are not attending the festivities, as well. Our new fan-favorite DJ, Valentino, will be spinning a great mix of music, as he did for Memorial Day. Make sure you wear your wristbands, as they will give you access to food and drinks. On the menu are veggie burgers, cheese and regular burgers, grilled chicken breast, two hotdog carts with chili and toppings, pasta primavera, coleslaw, and potato salad.

Over the summer, Willow Springs intends to sponsor another movie night, poolside, like last summer. We are also planning an "I Love Lucy" & "Three Stooges" marathon one weekend evening, later in the month, with popcorn. The dates still need to be determined.

During May's open meeting, I shared with everyone an email that I received from Falcon, the engineering firm, which drew up the plans for the HVAC system. If you recall, the email mentioned a "plan B," which was news to your current and past board -I am sure enough in saying, I never heard of their "plan B." In early June, Falcon scheduled a meeting with the Board to share plan B, which was not an option when asked of them 18 months ago, but I digress. During the meet-

ing it was casually mentioned that they can replace the components of our current system for around ½ the cost of the new system. Again, this was something that 18 months ago they said they could not do.

So, I am waiting with bated breath. The energy savings of a new system would take at least *fifteen* years for pay-back. In my opinion, that is too long. I like that we can have the HVAC running with new components and a computer management system for ½ the cost of a full replacement. In addition, there would be little or no downtime in the Clubhouse. If this pans out, we can easily swing the cost. We would still be quite a bit away from the completion, as we would have to send the job out to bid again since it would be all new specs. As I get information and the job scope begins to gel, I'll share it through my voice shots to keep you all in the loop. Also, I am still waiting for the results of our capital reserve study, completed at the end of March. I'll keep you all in the loop with that as well.

Well, I guess that is it for now. See you at the next opening meeting. Remember, together, we are all Greenbriar. Enjoy the beautiful weather!

Best,
Peter

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Treasurer's Financial Recap

Submitted by Michael Brendan Collins

Income

April's top-line came in at \$252K which is under its \$253K budget, due to interest payment timing. An extra 2 homes closed in April. With that said, income year to date is up 43K over projection on *Membership Dues*, and *Parking Space Rentals*.

Expenses

Administration is under budget \$1,700 on lower-than-expected legal fees. Bus is over budget by \$2K due to repairs for brakes and rotors. *Clubhouse Expense* was over \$2K for the month due to an increase in salaries for events. *Grounds* are under budget for April because the tree replacement budget was not used for the month, irrigation electricity was also not used. And finally, the maintenance team is continuing to run leaner with less guys. *Outside Contractors* is under budget by 5.5K due to the spring seeding not hitting the budget for April. The new lawn care contract for Picture Perfect is saving us \$1,600 each month. *Security* was over \$3.7K for the month due to new tires needed on the patrol vehicle as well as the payroll mix to cover vacation time.

Current Assets

On the close of business April 30th, 2025, our Capital Reserve and Operating totaled \$1.68 million and \$461K, respectively, for a total of \$2.14 million.

TRIVIA PURSUIT

Submitted by Carolyn Rubino

1. In ancient Greece throwing an apple at someone was a declaration of what?
2. Who wrote the songs for the THE LION KING?
3. What U.S. newspaper is nicknamed "the Gray Lady"?
4. What is the real name of Marilyn Monroe?
5. What country has the most vending machines per capita?
6. What is the most populous city in the U.S.?

Answers on page 38



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Revised March 31, 2025

The Board of Trustees has adopted the following rules and regulations.

The rules and regulations pertain to the entire fenced-in area surrounding the swimming pools. They are with the sole intent to ensure a SAFE and PLEASANT experience for residents and guests. Children must be between 3-17 years of age. Children under 3 years of age are NOT permitted in the pool or pool area.

Badges are required for entry and must be visibly worn by all residents and guests. All guests must be accompanied by a resident and must supply their own chairs. Although guests are welcomed, our residents are not to be inconvenienced by a limited supply of pool furniture. On weekends, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, chaise lounges are reserved for residents and are limited to one lounge per household. Pools are cleaned daily.

HOURS

Residents and guests 18 years and older welcomed from 10am to closing.

Guests ages 3-17 are limited to the kidney shaped pool from 10am-12pm and 4pm-6pm.

POOL RULES

1. Any person showing evidence of any communicable skin disease, inflamed eyes, cold symptoms, nasal or ear discharge, or any other communicable disease will be denied entry.
2. Any person with excessive sunburn, open blisters, wounds, or bandages will be denied entry.
3. Please do not enter the pools if you are experiencing or recovering from diarrhea or have had symptoms of gastrointestinal (stomach) disease within the past seven (7) days.
4. Adults or children wearing incontinent undergarments, diapers, and/or plastic pants will not be allowed in the pools.
5. Children should be encouraged to use the restroom before entering the pool. Please immediately report all "accidents" observed in the pools to a pool attendant.
6. No animals, except service animals, shall be allowed on to the pool deck, dressing rooms, or any other parts of the enclosure.
7. Food and drink are allowed only at your chair and/or table. Please clean up after yourselves. NO GLASS CONTAINERS.
8. Conduct that endangers the safety and comfort of others is prohibited.

Pool Rules

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9. Outdoor bathing shall be prohibited during an electrical storm.
10. Persons suspected of being under the influence of drugs or alcohol shall be prohibited from entering the pools and security will be notified.
11. Toys, floating objects, snorkels, fins, etc. are not allowed in the pool. Arm floaties, noodles, life preservers and similar floatation devices are permitted.
12. Children must always be accompanied by a resident with a badge. This person is responsible for the children's actions.
13. Bathing attire is not permitted in the clubhouse. Entrance to the restrooms must be made from the pool area only. A covering wrap is required outside of the fenced -in area and in the clubhouse. Individuals must be dry to enter the clubhouse.
14. All person(s) using the pool must wear acceptable bathing attire (no cutoffs or clothing are allowed).
15. We ask that swimmers shower prior to entering the pool water.
16. Bicycles, scooters, and strollers are not allowed in the pool area. Handicap scooters and wheelchairs are permitted but must always keep away from the pool edge.
17. Smoking is not permitted as per local ordinance and is only allowed in designated areas.
18. No ball playing, running, rough play, diving or jumping into the pools is permitted.
19. Swimming is prohibited when the clubhouse is closed. Pools must be vacated by 10pm.
20. Evening swimming from 6pm-10pm is limited to adults 18 and over and is at your own risk. Swimming alone is prohibited; another person must be present.
21. No one is to sit within 4 feet of the edge of the pools. This includes handicap scooters, wheelchairs, lounge chairs and anything that impedes the area around the pool. In addition, sitting on the edge or stairs of the pool is prohibited.

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GREENBRIAR'S NEW NEIGHBORS

Submitted by Carolyn Rubino

Greenbriar would like to welcome Donna and Bob to the Community. They came from Wall Township/Sea Girt.

They are retired. Donna and Bob chose Greenbriar because they heard absolutely wonderful things about our Community.

Greenbriar would like to welcome Lorraine Fass to the Community. She lived in Wall Township/Manasquan.

Lorraine heard great things about our Community, that's why she chose it.

Greenbriar would like to welcome Virginia D. Baluha to the Community. She moved here from Leisure Village East. Virginia was a Pediatric Nurse. She moved into Greenbriar to be close to family and to return to her roots.

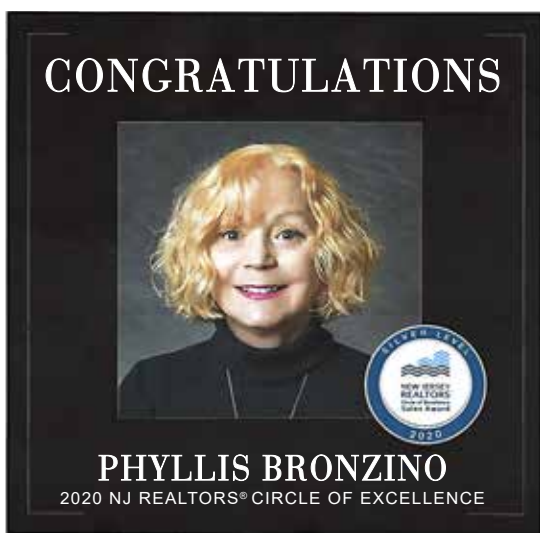
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Greenbriar Ladies Golf League Tee Off To A Fabulous 2025 Season!

Submitted by Pat Hurley

Our first league meeting was a great success with 90 returning members and 10 new members registering for the season. Our Ladies League also attended the first General Golf League meeting as well. It was amazing to see everyone from both leagues so excited to begin this year on our beautiful Greenbriar golf course. Together we discussed ideas and plans for our course going forward for 2025 and everyone is looking ahead to many great games and a lot of fun.

After our first meeting our Ladies League President Patti O'Conner, had a follow up meeting where she put together a variety of helpful documents for the members. These will be especially helpful to our new members and a great review for all of us.

Patti provided us with handouts for basic golf rules, course maps with yardage, out of bounds markers and hazards.

We also had a review of proper scorecard management which is an important aspect of our game. In addition there was a lively discussion about local and USGA rules.

We have a variety of plans for this season which include special tournaments with different themes each month: a Tournament with Lions Head South, our annual Pink Day charity, our year-end ladies Luncheon and Awards, our summer picnic at the golf course, and of course our Nine and Dine dinners to name a few. Looking ahead, it's going to be a great year!



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The Greenbriar Bulletin

JULY 2025

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BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING: July 1, to have your blood pressure read by a professional for FREE. Free Bagels!! Our registered nurse will be here at 9:45 am, so make sure you take advantage of a good thing!

SELF-DEFENSE CLASS: hosted by Greenbriar resident Tony Platamura on Monday, July 1 and Monday, July 15 at 6:00 pm in the Clubhouse. Learn practical techniques to boost your confidence and stay safe in a supportive, hands-on environment. All skill levels welcome - don't miss this empowering opportunity!

PODIATRIST: to have your feet checked by a professional. Our doctor will be here July 3, at 9:15 am – make sure you take advantage of a good thing. Please reserve a spot a week before the date.

4TH OF JULY PARTY: Join us for Greenbriar's 4th of July Party on Friday, July 4th! The pool opens at 10 AM, the DJ starts at 2 PM, and we're serving up a backyard-style BBQ. Tickets for reserved seating with food & drinks are \$35 per-person – grab yours at the office!

GB TALENT SHOW: Get ready for a night of entertainment at the 1st Annual Greenbriar Talent Show on Saturday, July 5 at 7:00 PM! Come cheer on your talented neighbors as they take the stage for a fun-filled evening of music, laughter, and surprises. This is a free, BYOB event – bring your favorite drink, a chair, and enjoy the show.

COUNTY CONNECTIONS: PASSPORT ASSISTANCE RETURNS: Mark your calendars. County Connections will be back at the clubhouse on Tuesday, July 8, from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM to assist with passport applications. Take advantage of this convenient opportunity to get your passport application sorted without the hassle.

NON-CERTIFICATE CPR: Join us for a Non-Certificate CPR Training Class on Monday, July 8 at 10:00 AM. Learn life-saving skills. Sign up at the office to reserve your spot!

THE BOOK CLUB: Join us for the discussion of The Boys from Biloxi on July 9. For those who have a copy please return the book by July 11. The next Book All That's Left Unsaid will be ready for pick up on July 8, discussion date August 13. Happy reading!

GREENBRIAR GARDEN PATCH MEETING: Join us for the next Garden Patch meeting on Wednesday, July 9 at 11:00 AM. All members and those interested in gardening are welcome.

POOLSIDE LATIN NIGHT: Join us for a sizzling Poolside Salsa Night on Thursday, July 25 at 6:00 pm! Enjoy an evening of music, dancing, and fun with instructors from Anytime Dance. Whether you're a beginner or a seasoned dancer, come out and move to the rhythm under the stars. Tickets are \$15 and can be purchased at the office. Don't miss this lively summer night by the pool.

CONCERTS BY THE LAKE RETURNS: Sunday, July 13 at 1:30 PM. Tony Pileggi plays some Country and Rock tunes. This is a free event for the community. A voluntary collection will be taken, with all proceeds going to the musicians. Please bring a chair. Weather permitting.

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Monday, July 28th

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Saturday, July 5th

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Time Machine Band: August 16



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GREENBRIAR OPEN COMMUNITY MEETING

"Pending Board Approval"

Location: Clubhouse
Date: 05/19/2025
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Facilitator: Peter Dagostino

Board Members Present: Peter Dagostino, Patricia McClendon, Michael B. Collins, David Vasilenko, Toni Miello

Ilsebet Gianna

Absent: Joanna Frigon

1. Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence.

2. Opening Statement

The opening statement was read by Carlene Esteves.

3. Roll Call

Roll call was conducted to confirm attendance.

4. Introduction of Guests

Kyle and Nic were introduced to the attendees.

5. Approval of Minutes

Patricia McClendon read the minutes from the March 24 Open Meeting. The board approved the minutes as presented.

6. President's Report – Peter Dagostino

HVAC Project: Falcon has not responded to recent outreach. The Board has contacted other vendors to scope the work.

Coyote Issue: Two companies have provided pricing. An open community poll will be conducted to determine the course of action.

Dock Removal: Joe Redzinak has confirmed that dock removal is scheduled for June.

Kilns: Testing is underway to reactivate the amenity.

Pool Readiness: Two new heaters and salt cells have been installed and are operational for the upcoming pool season.

Bingo Licensing: In order for a church to conduct games, a commercial license is required. Bingo remains on hold at this time.

Memorial Day Celebration: Vendors Willow Springs, Picture Perfect, and Federal Irrigation generously donated to the event, which is free for all residents.

Lake Fountains: Installation is scheduled for mid-June.

7. Treasurer's Report – Michael B. Collins

A review of the April 2025 budget was presented.

8. Motions Approved

Approval of Private Party Applications

Approval of ACC Applications

Approval of entertainment contract for The Time Machine Band – \$2,500

9. Open Floor – Resident Comments

Ginny Carlson (4 Bryant Rd): Raised concerns about road conditions and suggested residents contact the Department of Public Works (DPW) regarding repairs.

Pat Hurley (40 Whitman): Shared positive feedback regarding Picture Perfect's cleanup efforts; approximately 10 truckloads of debris were removed.

Cathy Ericksen (58 Collins Ct): Announced that Brick Township Housing Authority is accepting applications through the end of August.

John Mikulik (24 Whitman): Inquired why resident comments are no longer included in the meeting minutes; also asked about weeding and volunteer participation.

Charlene Emanuelli (24 Keats Rd): Noted that there are volunteers available to assist with constructing new benches.

Bruce Garcia (12 Holmes): Reported a suspicious person scouting his home who was later arrested by Brick Police. Urged neighbors to stay vigilant and report unusual activity. Also reminded residents that semi-trucks are prohibited from driving through the community per Brick ordinances.

10. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned following open-floor discussions.

Copy And Photos For The Greenbriar Times

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Let's Meet Bea Foley

by Carol Yacik

Bea Foley was anxious to be interviewed. It didn't take me long to understand why. She has a great story to tell about a life well-lived with adventures that keep on coming. Walking into Bea's home on Blake Circle, you are greeted with a beautiful historical display of all things she obviously loves: many of her mom's items, Chinese decor, gold and lots of Waterford. Bea's parents were original residents here in the 70s with her mom designing specifics that are not inside every Greenbriar home. Bea has pictures of long ago Greenbriar with more woods than homes. Picture her mom chairing Italian masked balls with a live orchestra on the stage at our clubhouse! Bea moved in here to be with her mom when she was 90 and inherited the house after she passed at age 95.

Bea was raised by two wonderful parents who had fascinating lives of their own. Her dad had a law degree from St. John's University. His job at the NYC Transit Authority involved interviewing anyone injured on any form of public transportation. He was drafted into the army at the age of 32 and was a military policeman on Governors Island. He was in the cortège at FDR's funeral. Bea's mom taught high school languages for almost 40 years on Staten Island. She also built houses.

Married for about 25 years, Bea and her husband settled in Old Forge, NY where she still has a home that was built by her mom. The couple owned and operated a motel for 16 years on a golf course in this upstate NY town and raised 2 boys and a girl (she is also very proud of her 6 grandchildren and speaks about her family with nothing but love). Bea was very active in the community, most especially with anything related to the arts and the library, holding various positions in both venues. For 8 years, she was Executive Director for the Community Arts Center.

Bea has a BA in Biology from the College of New Rochelle and a Masters in Library and Information Studies from Rutgers. Her love of the arts found her with jobs at four university campuses across the US where she brought in acts and programs for art, music and theater. In the more recent past, Bea worked at NJ PAC in Newark for ten years, running the Cabaret Se-

ries and at the time, the Broadway Series. While there, she was event manager for over 150 performances per season. This was a most wonderful job for her. She has also loved attending the indie film series that was formerly held in Eatontown and which has now moved to SOPAC in South Orange.

As far as life in Greenbriar, Bea loves the pool. She attends travel club meetings. She enjoys the Chorale concerts at the clubhouse. She has many other interests. She's been a big traveler through the years. She is a huge fan of Russell Crowe. She's been to his movie premiere parties and traveled to other countries to follow his band. She is an avid reader and has a passion for learning, whether the subject be art related or other, taking classes at Brookdale Community College via their Lifelong Learning program. When you see Bea at the pool, she'll be friendly and approachable and pleased to speak with you more about her interesting life as well as anything else you might like to talk about!





Pet Stop

Created by Kevin T. Smith



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6/03/25

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MEN - JIM BERNARDO 9FT. 5 IN

WOMEN - CATHY SHERIDAN 6FT. 5 IN

LOW GROSS

MEN KEN MANTZ 63

WOMEN MILLIE Illmensee 78

LOW NET

MEN MIKE LASALE 46

WOMEN CATHY SHERIDAN 51

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FRAN MCKENNA

KEN MANT'Z

GREENBRIAR GOLF TOURNAMENT

5/20/25

OPEN PLAY

Low Gross Men - Bruce Tipling - 66

Low Net Men - Gena Babbini - 48

Low Gross Women - Trish Hatch - 82

Low Net Women - Carol Tipling - 52

Hole in One - Geno Babbini - 4th hole

GREENBRIAR GOLF

MAY 13TH

OPEN PLAY

MENS:

WINNER LOW GROSS – FRANK ATTARDI 57

WINNER LOW NET – JIM BERNARDO

WOMEN:

WINNER LOW NET–NANCY VANDERBERG 66

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1. ♠ AK10 ♥ QJ9 ♦ A103 ♣ QJ98	1NT	?	_____
2. ♠ AK10 ♥ QJ98 ♦ A103 ♣ QJ9	1NT	?	_____
3. ♠ AK10 ♥ QJ98 ♦ A103 ♣ QJ9	1NT 2♥	2♣ ?	_____
4. ♠ AK10 ♥ QJ98 ♦ A103 ♣ QJ9	1NT 2♠	2♣ ?	_____
5. ♠ AKJ1093 ♥ 9 ♦ AQ10 ♣ A92	1NT	?	_____
6. ♠ AKJ109 ♥ 93 ♦ AQ10 ♣ A92	1NT	?	_____
7. ♠ AKJ109 ♥ 93 ♦ AQ10 ♣ A92	1NT 3NT	3♠ ?	_____

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WHAT DO YOU KNOW?

RESPONDING TO 1 NT WITH A SLAM HAND

- 4 NT LIMIT, showing your 16-17 HCP and no four-card major.
- 2♣ STAYMAN, first looking for your 4-4 heart fit.
If partner shows four hearts—jump to 5♥.
If partner doesn't show four hearts—jump to 4 NT.
- 5♥ INVITE SLAM. You have found your 4-4 fit.
- 4 NT LIMIT showing your 16-17 HCP and no fit.
- 6♣ You have found a fit and you have enough points to bid slam.
- 3♣ FORCING. Jump in your five-card major to force partner to either show you a fit or bid 3 NT.
If he shows a fit, bid 6♣.
If he doesn't show a fit, bid 6 NT.
- 6 NT Partner has told you he doesn't have a spade fit.

JULY			
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
		1 MALL BUS TRIP 8:00 AM GENERAL GOLF 9:45 AM BLOOD PRESSURE 11:00 AM LIFETIME FITNESS 4:00 PM TRAVEL CLUB 6:00 PM SELF DEFENSE 6:30 PM MAH JONGG 7:00 PM BILLIARD GAME NIGHT	2 WEDNESDAY WALMART 8:15 AM STRENGTH & CHAIR YOGA 9:00 AM BOWLING 10:00 AM ZUMBA 11:00 AM KNIT & CROCHET 11:00 AM GB PAINTING 12:30 PM WATER AEROBICS
6	7 MONDAY BUS - STOP & SHOP PT PL 9:30 AM PAID EXERCISE CLASS 10:00 AM SEWING CLUB 11:00 AM TAI CHI 12:30 WATER AEROBICS 1:00 PM CRIBBAGE CARD CLUB 6:30 PM YOU TUBE AEROBICS	8 MALL BUS TRIP 8:00 AM GENERAL GOLF 9:00 AM COUNTY CONNECTIONS (PASSPORTS) 10:00 AM CPR CLASS 11:00 AM LIFETIME FITNESS 6:30 PM MAH JONGG 7:00 PM BILLIARD GAME NIGHT	9 WEDNESDAY WALMART 8:15 AM STRENGTH & CHAIR YOGA 9:00 AM BOWLING 10:00 AM ZUMBA 11:00 AM KNIT & CROCHET 12:30 PM WATER AEROBICS 7:00 PM BOOK CLUB
13 1:30 PM LAKE CONCERT TONY PILEGGI (COUNTRY/ ROCK)	14 RECYCLING  MONDAY BUS - STOP & SHOP PT PL 9:30 AM PAID EXERCISE CLASS 10:00 AM SEWING CLUB 11:00 AM TAI CHI 12:30 WATER AEROBICS 1:00 PM CRIBBAGE CARD CLUB 3:00 PM COOKING CLUB 6:00 PM SHUFFLEBOARD 6:30 PM YOU TUBE AEROBICS	15 MALL BUS TRIP 8:00 AM GENERAL GOLF 1:00 AM LIFETIME FITNESS 6:00 SELF DEFENSE 6:30 PM MAH JONGG 7:00 PM BILLIARD GAME NIGHT	16 WEDNESDAY WALMART 8:15 AM STRENGTH & CHAIR YOGA 9:00 AM BOWLING 10:00 AM ZUMBA 11:00 KNIT & CROCHET 12:30 PM WATER AEROBICS
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27 1:30 PM LAKE CONCERT SECOND TIME (POP/ROCK)	28 RECYCLING  MONDAY BUS - STOP & SHOP PT PL 9:30 AM PAID EXERCISE CLASS 10:00 AM SEWING CLUB 11:00 AM TAI CHI 12:30 WATER AEROBICS 1:00 PM CRIBBAGE CARD CLUB 6:00 PM SHUFFLEBOARD 6:30 PM YOU TUBE AEROBICS	29 MALL BUS TRIP 8:00 AM GENERAL GOLF 9:00 AM LADIES & MEN GOLF SIGN UP 11:00 AM LIFETIME FITNESS 6:30 PM MAH JONGG 7:00 PM BILLIARD GAME NIGHT	30 WEDNESDAY WALMART 8:15 AM STRENGTH & CHAIR YOGA 9:00 AM BOWLING 10:00 AM ZUMBA 11:00 AM KNIT & CROCHET 12:30 PM WATER AEROBICS

JULY 2025			
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BUS - ALDI / STRENGTH EXERCISE LINE DANCING BASKETBALL AND CROCHET WATCH WATER AEROBICS	3 8:00 AM LADIES GOLF 9:00 AM KIWANIS 9:15 AM PODIATRIST 11:00 AM TRAVEL CLUB 12:30 PM DUPLICATE BRIDGE 6:00 PM BOCCE	4 4TH OF JULY 2:00 PM 4TH OF JULY POOL PARTY (PD) 	5 <u>GARBAGE DAY</u> 9:00 AM YOGA 7:00 PM GB HAS TALENT SHOW
BUS - ALDI / STRENGTH EXERCISE LINE DANCING BASKETBALL AND CROCHET WATER AEROBICS CLUB NIGHT	10 8:00 AM LADIES GOLF 11:00 AM LIBRARY 12:30 PM DUPLICATE BRIDGE 6:00 PM BOCCE	11 <u>GARBAGE DAY</u> FRIDAY BUS - SHOPRITE BRICK 8:15 AM STRENGTH EXERCISE 9:30 AM PAID EXERCISE CLASS 11:00 AM LIFETIME FITNESS 12:30 PM WATER AEROBICS 2:00 PM PING PONG 7:30 PM LINE DANCING	12 9:00 AM YOGA
BUS - ALDI / STRENGTH EXERCISE LINE DANCING BASKETBALL AND CROCHET WATER AEROBICS	17 8:00 AM LADIES GOLF 9:00 AM KIWANIS 12:30 PM DUPLICATE BRIDGE 6:00 PM BOCCE	18 <u>GARBAGE DAY</u> FRIDAY BUS - SHOPRITE BRICK 8:15 AM STRENGTH EXERCISE 9:30 AM PAID EXERCISE CLASS 11:00 AM LIFETIME FITNESS 12:30 PM WATER AEROBICS 2:00 PM PING PONG 7:30 PM LINE DANCING	19 9:00 AM YOGA
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BUS - ALDI / STRENGTH EXERCISE LINE DANCING BASKETBALL AND CROCHET WATER AEROBICS	31 8:00 AM LADIES GOLF 12:30 PM DUPLICATE BRIDGE 6:00 PM BOCCE		

Greenbriar Book Discussion Club

Berry Picker by Amanda Peters

Published by: Catapult, June 2024

Submitted by: Patricia Gigon

All members of the Book Discussion Group liked the book. The book engages the reader with a beautiful but sparsely written novel. Some were amazed at how many things they could relate to in the book. Some readers knew the area where the story took place. The story begins when a girl is abducted by a mother desperate and grieving and mentally ill.

The woman was always sick living in Florida. Her husband goes along with the abduction because he cannot work and take care of his wife. The young girl is loved and cared for but restricted to the house. The "Father" bought the girl a child's bike, but she was too old to ride it. Norma, the girl in Maine, grows up feeling like she doesn't quite belong and is plagued by recurring dreams and visions that hint at a hidden family secret. An "Aunt" never said anything either. And this was her life.

The story begins with Ruthie, the youngest child of

a Mi'kmaq family, vanishing while picking blueberries in Maine. The Mi'kmaq family travels to Maine each summer to pick blueberries. In 1962, the youngest daughter, Ruthie, goes missing, and the novel follows her brother Joe and Norma, a young girl in Maine, as they navigate the aftermath of the disappearance and the secrets that bind their lives. The mother of the abducted child holds her own family together as best as she can. Joe, Ruthie's older brother, struggles with guilt and the trauma of her disappearance, which deeply impacts his life. "*The Berry Pickers*" explores themes of loss, grief, hope, and the enduring power of family bonds, even when torn apart. The novel also explores themes of family, loss, trauma, and the impact of historical injustices on Indigenous communities. The novel unravels the mystery of Ruthie's disappearance and the secrets Norma's family hides, exploring the lengths people will go to for family and the lies they tell themselves.

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Greenbriar Sewing Club News

We Have A New Charity And Many New Projects

Submitted by Pat Hurley

The Sewing Club was recently introduced to a new charity called Kick Cancer Overboard which is very active in our community. We were so pleased to meet Ester who is in charge of Team Kick Cancer Overboard, and we were also introduced to Ester's granddaughter Luchia who is a cancer survivor since early childhood.

Luchia spoke to us about being given a blanket while in the hospital when she was first diagnosed and receiving chemotherapy. She explained just how much it meant to her at the time and she still treasures that blanket today. She received her chemotherapy at Jersey Shore Medical Center's Pediatric Unit and she was delighted to hear that we were making quilts and blankets for the children who were being treated there.

After hearing about the pediatric unit we discussed with Esther and Luchia what items might be useful for the children on that unit. We learned that children of all

prints, bright colors and more. With this selection we made quilts, wheelchair and walker bags for children, hats and headbands. Our Greenbriar knitters made a beautiful selection of blankets for all age groups as well. It was challenging but fun to branch out in a new direction!

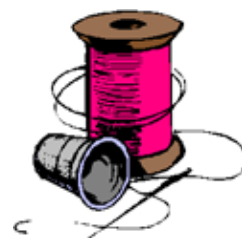
Kick Cancer Overboard had an event at Greenbriar and our club was invited to attend. We were very moved to see them present cruises to individuals and families who were receiving cancer treatment. We were especially happy to see several individuals from our own Greenbriar community receive cruises.

During the event we presented all of the blankets, quilts and other items to one of the pediatric physicians from the JSMC Pediatric Oncology who attended the event. It was heartwarming for us to know that all of our donations will make a difference for the children who received them.

We want to thank everyone from our community who donates fabric and other items to our club and let you know that you helped to make it all happen. If you would like to join us, donate items or have any questions please call Mary at 732-890-0618.



ages from babies to teenagers are receiving treatment there. This gave us the opportunity to use a fabric selection that was very different from our usual selection. Fortunately, we had donations of wonderful fabrics with sports themes, cartoon characters, baby




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DECEMBER 2025 LONGWOOD GARDENS In the planning stage for 1st week of December.
More info next month

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In the planning stage: Kenya and Tanzania, Africa September 2026

I will email further details on the new trips as soon as they are firmed up.

Monica is in the clubhouse on Tuesdays from 4:30 to 6:30, and Thursday from 10:30 to 12:30

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SNIPPETS FROM THE PATCH

Submitted by Gail Winsor

The Briar Patch Community Garden Members are proud to have been chosen by the Brick Garden Club to be one of seven gardens on their 2025 Secret Gardens of Brick Tour & Tea. The tour is Tuesday, July 8th, from 10 am - 3 pm rain or shine. Tickets are \$20. They are available up through the day of the tour and include admission to all seven gardens if you are interested. For more information about the events taking place and where to buy tickets, visit brickgardenclub.com.

In speaking with the Co-Coordinator, Donna Curtis, I learned that this is the third

time the Briar Patch Community Garden has been asked to participate in the Secret

Gardens of Brick Tour & Tea. The first time was shortly after the garden opened in 2009 when there

were only 12 planting beds. The second time was in 2018. Donna said, "It was a really nice experience, and visitors were impressed by all we had accomplished." There are now 40 planting beds, and a meadow garden has been added.

On Wednesday, July 9th, the Briar Patch Community Garden will be open from 10 am - 2 pm free for Greenbriar Residents to come tour our vegetable and flower gardens along with our meadow garden. Please join us to see what the garden has to offer.

When visiting the Greenbriar Patch, please be sure to only park in front of the garden on Emerson. Do not park across the street.

Hope to see you at The Patch!

Gail Winsor



DID YOU KNOW?

Submitted by Pat McClendon

Toys of Yesteryear

Like so many of the world's greatest inventions, the Slinky was created by accident. In 1943, engineer Richard James was devising a spring that would keep equipment steady in rough seas.



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INGREDIENTS

- 2 small aubergines (eggplants)
- 2 large courgettes (zucchini)
- 1 red (bell) pepper
- 1 yellow (bell) pepper
- 1 fennel bulb
- 1 red onion
- 10ml/2 tsp olive oil
- salt and ground black pepper

For the yogurt pesto

- 150ml/¼ pint/⅔ cup fat-free Greek (US strained plain) yogurt
- 15ml/1 tbsp pesto

1 Cut the aubergines into 1cm/½in slices. Sprinkle with salt and leave to drain for about 30 minutes. Rinse well in cold running water and pat dry.

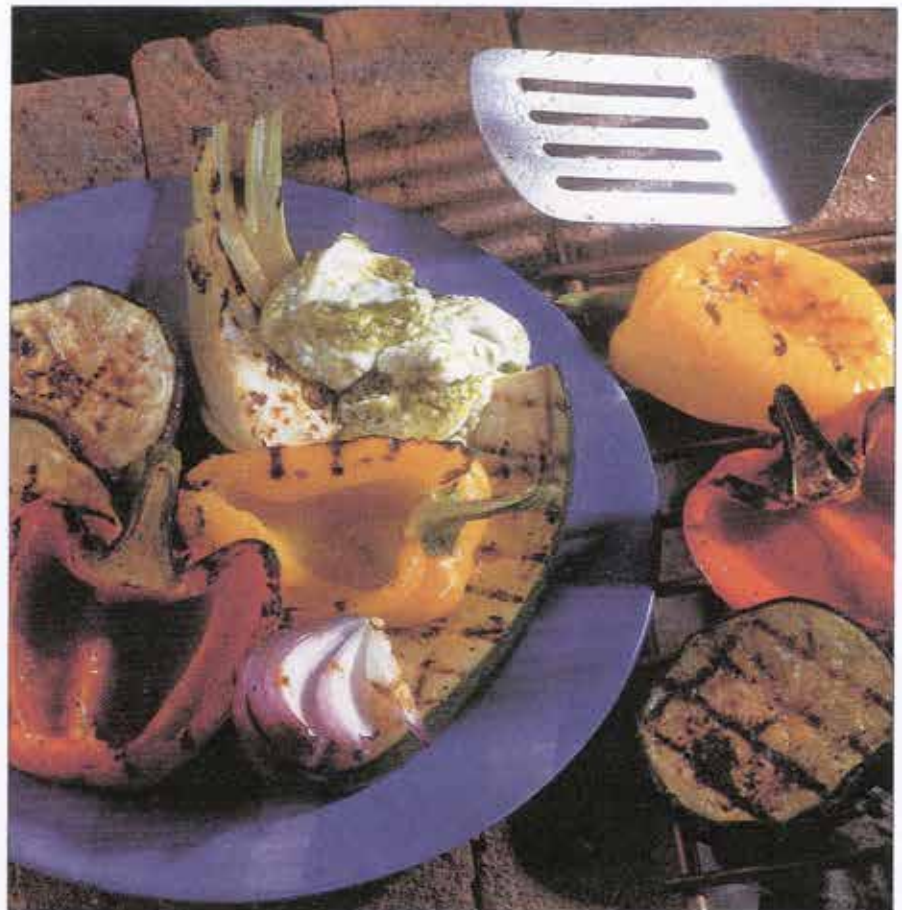


2 Cut the courgettes in half lengthways. Cut the peppers in half, removing the seeds but leaving the stalks intact. Set aside.

3 Slice the fennel bulb and the red onion into thick wedges. Set aside.

COOK'S TIP

Baby vegetables make excellent candidates for grilling (broiling) whole, so look out for baby aubergines (eggplants) and (bell) peppers, in particular. There's no need to salt the aubergines if they're small.



4 Stir the yogurt and pesto lightly together in a serving bowl, to make a marbled sauce. Set aside.

5 Arrange the vegetables over a hot barbecue, or under a hot grill (broiler), lightly brush with the olive oil and sprinkle with plenty of salt and pepper.



6 Cook the vegetables until golden brown and tender, turning occasionally. The aubergines and peppers will take about 6–8 minutes to cook, and the courgettes, onion and fennel will take about 4–5 minutes. Serve the vegetables immediately, with the yogurt pesto.

Energy 107Kcal/448kJ; Protein 5.7g; Carbohydrate 13g, of which sugars 12.1g; Fat 4g, of which saturates 1g; Cholesterol 2mg; Calcium 133mg; Fibre 4.5g; Sodium 56mg.



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7/16/1931– The Star Spangled Banner officially became the National Anthem.

7/29/1969– Neil Armstrong was the first man to walk on the moon.

July is both National Ice Cream Month, and National Hot Dog Month. Americans eat 150,000 hot dogs on the 4th, and we spend almost 10 Billion Dollars on food on this date alone!

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Kiwanis Korner

June 5, 2025

Submitted by: Patricia Gigon

Kiwanis will not meet July or August 2025. Meetings will resume September 4, 2025. The Kiwanis Pasta Night will be held at Greenbriar on Saturday October 4, 2025. More information will be posted in Greenbriar Times and on Greenbriar Facebook.

This morning Kiwanis heard from two speakers. The first was Brick Police giving information on the Icebox Alert and the information to be placed in there: a List of your doctors, medicines you currently take, family members and contact information. We were also given information about Safe Locks for our homes, how to recognize fraud on our computers, phones, emails, and texts.

The police officers encouraged people to call police not just in emergencies but also if you are feeling unsafe, seeing unfamiliar cars, salespeople, contractors on your street. They discussed the dog leash law; dogs cannot run loose in Brick and Greenbriar. We heard a lot of good information. We thank Brick Police for their time and Service.

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Our second speaker was Pat Musico a resident of Greenbriar. Pat published a Cookbook for the blind and low vision impaired. Pat is a member of the NJ Commission for the Blind. The cookbook was approved by the Commission.

Pat brought in copies of her Cookbook for the Blind and Toaster Bags she uses for her own cooking. Recipes use Toaster Bags to cook food in your toaster

(not toaster oven). The recipes include meat, chicken, fish, meatballs, meatloaf, vegetables, and some desserts. Pat wrote and used pictures of actual cooked recipes, and the book comes with detailed instructions to cook with the toaster bags including amounts of food and time for cooking in your toaster. The Cookbook is useful for college students, teenagers, senior citizens, and RV life. The Toaster Bags are reusable and dishwasher safe. The cookbook and Toaster Bags are available on Amazon.com.

Pat also spoke about new vision glasses for the blind using iPhone Technology. These glasses using a camera in the frame will give verbal cues to the person wearing the glasses. For example, how many people are in a room, what a person is wearing and what colors, what obstacles are in a room.

Information for this technology and eyeglasses is available through the NJ Commission for the Blind and Low Vision Impaired.

Pat continues her work by being a volunteer consultant for the blind. She contacts them by phone; she has 55 clients in 9 support groups. She helps newly blind people navigate through their lives. Kiwanis thanks our neighbor Pat Musico for her service and time.

Sudoku

7	6	4	3	5	1	2	8	9
2	1	3	9	8	6	4	5	7
8	9	5	4	2	7	6	1	3
6	5	7	2	1	3	8	9	4
4	8	2	5	6	9	3	7	1
9	3	1	7	4	8	5	2	6
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# The Sound of Love, Part Two

By Bill Pane

I'm a child of divorce. In spite of what armchair psychiatrist's might say it doesn't always turn you into a flawed adult: angry, bitter, dysfunctional in your relationships with the people in your life.

Growing up I had two families: A New Jersey family with whom I lived and spent most of my time and a Long Island family whom I saw several times a year including a fun filled three weeks in the summer. They were weeks marked by outings on Dad's boat, nights at the drive-in movies or stock car races and trips to Carvel for what we thought was the best ice cream ever made.

The boat trips were especially memorable. One thing we loved was when Dad let us take the wheel. "Just keep it headed towards that bridge," he'd tell us as he pointed the bow towards the Robert Moses Causeway. It was one of the first times I felt like a cool kid, deftly piloting that vessel across the open water like a seasoned boat captain.

On the days we went fishing Dad made it easy for us. He rigged our lines and baited our hooks and all we had to do was just find the bottom and wait for a tug on the line to keep reeling in the plentiful Blowfish and Fluke of the Great South Bay.

Other days were for swimming. We'd head to Hemlock Cove, a sandy bottomed section of bay bordering on a thin strip of land with a wild undeveloped ocean beach on the other side. After enjoying the cove we'd make a mad dash across Sunrise Highway to the ocean side to body surf and jump waves. Decades later that remote, reed covered strip of land became known to the rest of the world as the burial grounds of the Gilgo Beach killer.

When you grow up around the water it becomes part of you. Dad gave each of us the love of boating and whenever I speak to one of my Brothers or Sisters it isn't long before the conversation turns to those days. We share feelings of mutual gratitude for our childhoods. Such memories last a lifetime.

Dad passed away 25 years ago but my Sister still lives in his house and most visits to see her include some time spent on the boat. On our way to Hemlock Cove we ease slowly past Fox Island which is just as I

remember it, meaning a new generation of green head flies lie in wait to descend upon us and find us just as tasty as when we were kids.

Just as the sound of my Mother's sewing machine was the sound of her love so was the rumble of Dad's boat engine. It was a sound that not only said, "We're gonna have fun today kids," but also "I love you Son."

On Father's Day I remember my Father for the kind hearted man he was. He helped us forge memories we would remember long after we'd grown up and made sure our childhoods were full of fun. More importantly we always felt loved in his presence. Happy Father's Day, Bill Sr, you were a great Dad!



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