



VILLAGE OF PINECREST

Press Release

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Pinecrest held a summer Pioneers Luncheon to celebrate the lives of Pinecrest's seniors

Pinecrest, Fla. – Pinecrest held a summer Pioneers Luncheon on a recent Wednesday to celebrate the lives and stories of Pinecrest's seniors. Some 600 seniors over 80 years old live within Pinecrest's 7.5 square miles. Of those, about twenty are in their 90s.

There were 17 Pioneers who are 90 years of age and over in attendance. To download a group picture of them and pictures of the event, go to: <http://ge.tt/5RoJxAi1?c>.

Pinecrest has been holding Pinecrest Pioneers Luncheons for the last five years – a tradition started by Mayor Cindy Lerner in 2009. About 100 Pioneers attended the luncheon that was catered by volunteer Garden Club members who brought home cooked food and served it to the attendees.

Many of the Pinecrest Pioneers lived in this once rural area as children during World War II when German submarines lurked off the shores of Matheson Hammocks Park. They grew up and raised families during an industrial boom that propelled their neighborhood to become one of South Florida's most exclusive suburbs.

This special day ended with a performance by the Miamians.

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