



Issue #3 Summer 2009

IRISH NIGHT: Tickets are now available. Get your ticket Saturday, July 25 at the Community Center from 10:00am-11:30am or come by the Governor's (8 Cliff Road) to purchase your ticket. Tickets not purchased by August 5 will be offered to those on the waiting list.

HAVE A HEART DANCE: A fun night that spanned the generations. White Lightnin entertained a dancing crowd for hours. Thanks to all who made it a great night.

<u>COMEDY NIGHT</u>: Just when you thought you can't laugh anymore....Another successful, sold out show was enjoyed by all.

TRIVIA NIGHT: Friday, July 31, @ 7:30pm- What is Trivia Night?
Trivia nights are informal, fun, competitions where teams battle to see who has the greatest knowledge of all things trivial. General knowledge and trivial interest questions are asked by a trivia host and the winners are the team which, at the end of the night, have correctly answered the most number of questions.

This a great night to share some laughs with your friends and neighbors. Get your tickets at 8 Cliff Road, \$10.00 per person.

RACE FOR RAGAN: Sunday, August 2

@ 9:00am Get your sneakers out and start running The 2nd Annual Race for Ragan is a wonderful way to start your day. Last year participants raised nearly \$7,000 for Curt Schilling's Pitch for ALS. You can run, walk (or if you had a little too much fun the night before) write a check! Checks can be made payable to the ALS Association of Massachusetts. Registration forms can be dropped of at 12 River Road. If you have any questions e-mail Dodie Gorham at dorothy.gorham@comcast.net

WHITE FARMS ICE CREAM SOCIAL: Sunday, August 23- No need to take the kids off the Neck to enjoy White Farms Ice Cream. Enjoy a treat served from the cow truck. More

details to follow.



PHOTO EXHIBIT: Friday, Saturday & Sunday August 7th, 8th & 9th- Little Neck 2nd Annual Photography Exhibit and Sale sponsored by photographer Dave Rocco will be held over the weekend. Little Neck prints, books and calendars will be sale. One hundred new large format prints of Little Neck will be shown.

6:00 PM - 8:30PM Friday Opening, August 7th, charitable entry fee donation of \$3.00. **9:00 AM - 1:00PM** Saturday and Sunday, August 8th and 9th, exhibit and sale.

LIGHT UP OUR PIECE OF PARADISE:

Friday, August 7, 9:00 to 10:00pm Join your neighbors on Great Neck in their First Annual Lantern Festival. Decorate **your** home, decks, porches, and windows with assorted paper lanterns. Family and friends can walk the Neck to enjoy our festival of light.

FISHING DERBY: Saturday, August 8, dawn to 2:00pm All Littlenecker's including friends and guests are welcome. The fishing starts at dawn from any port, with check-in at the Little Neck Dock no later than 2:30 pm to be followed by awards and BB-Q. Entry fee \$30.00 per boat. Application to be returned no later than August 4th. Prizes will be awarded from several categories of catch and anglers. Early registration would help in planning the event. Please contact any committee member-Tom Allen, Joe & Nancy Survilas and Bouley Family for information and/or registration.

<u>IPSWICH IS CELEBRATING 375</u> <u>YEARS</u>-Parade-Sunday, August 9

The Junior Association, along with many adults, are creating a float that will be representative of our community. The float will be a boat named "Miss Little Neck" with as many kids as possible walking alongside it in their bathing suits and/or swim gear. We would appreciate any help in creating it. All children interested in participating contact Arielle Gillette at 978-360-5559. All are welcome; the more the better!

IRISH NIGHT: Saturday, August 15 7:00pm with dinner ticket, general admission at 8:30-\$100 gets two in the door for dinner and chance at \$5,000. Don't have a raffle ticket join us at 8:30pm, to dance the night away with the McMurphy's (\$10.00 at the door).

LADIES MYSTERY RIDE-Thursday,

August 6, 4:45pm-????, bus is leaving promptly at 5:00pm. There is a limited number of tickets still available, contact Kim Sousa, 9 Cove Road.

<u>COACH'S SCHEDULE</u>- is posted weekly at the community center.

SAVE THE DATE

Friday, August 28th, Flashlight Parade Saturday, August 29th, Gala Day (rain date August 30th)
Sunday, September 6th, Association Meeting
Saturday, September 19th, Pot Luck
Supper at June and Richard Yacubian
Thursday, September 10th, ,Ladies'
Cocktail Party at, Hitching Post, 53 River Rd, (Marty Sandberg's). The theme this year is "Pajama Party". Put your thinking caps on.

RECURRING EVENTS

LN ADULTS: Monday, 12:30am-Balls and bells with Karen. There is a charge of \$5 per person. Wear sneakers; bring a mat and blanket and, a stability ball, if you have one. Any questions contact, Marty Sandberg.

QUILTING: Monday, 7:00pm-9:00pm-NEW! Janet Conner crafts with the kids by day and the adults by night. If you want to learn how to quilt please join her and the other quilters at the community center. Not a quilter, join the knitters, same time same place.

LADIES COFFEE HOUR: Tuesday, 10:00am- Bring your mug, a \$1.00 and join your host (7/28 Doris Beagan, 29 Middle Road, 8/4 August Trish Bouley, 25 Plum Sound, 8/11 Linda Spatz, 22 Middle Rd., 8/18, Marsha Ingalls, 19 King's Way, 8/25th, Janet Connor, 18 King's Way.)

BRIDGE CLUB-Tuesdays, 9:00am - For details contact Richard Yacubian.

YOGA WITH BERT: Wednesday at 9:00am at the Community Center

KIDS ARTS & CRAFTS: Wednesday at 10:30am at the Community Center

KIDS DANCES: Wednesday, Little Kids (ages 5 and under) 6:45 to 7:30, Big Kids Dance 7:30 to 8:30. Chaperones bring 2 boxes of teenie drinks, 3 boxes of popsicles and play a few dance games

*****WE NEED CHAPERONES- If you are able to chaperone a dance please contact Kara Sullivan 978-312-1215.

Can't chaperone? Donate the teenie drinks, popsicles and lollypops. The Jr. Association has so nicely stepped up to help with some of the dances.

NO chaperones mean no dance.

July 29 Sherry Kirby Aug. 5 Trudy Lydon/Kara Sullivan Aug. 12 Aug. 26 Diane Walker

<u>JUNIOR ASSOCIATION</u>
<u>MEETINGS:</u> Wednesday after the dance,

A FEW WORDS FROM THE JR. ASSOCIATION:

Thank you to all those who made the bake sale a success!!

Save the Date for Jr. Association Community Events

Sunday, August 16th (morning after Irish Night) breakfast delivered to your home between 8:30 and 9:30am. Order breakfast for the family for the family, you never know how you will feel. JA Members will be taking orders at the door Irish Night.

Additionally, Tess Dever, a Junior Association member, is known for her delicious cookies. Tess is offering a fantastic service! If you are having company or just a plain craving call Tess at 978-886-5869. She will bake and deliver cookies. The profits will be donated to a charity chosen by the Jr. Association.

BOOK GROUP, Every other Friday starting, June 26 @10:00am- See Little Neck website littlenecknews.com for details. Remaining meeting 8/7 and 8/21.

ADDITIONAL NOTES

NOTE FROM JIM FOLEY- Plum Sound (5th Street) is a one way for all vehicles. Please go around.

Defibrillator News From Beau-

- 1. An AED (automated external defibrillator) and trauma kit with oxygen bottle have been purchased and installed for use on Little Neck.

 They are housed in a white glass fronted box on the outside back wall of the Community Center. Next time you go by take a look and familiarize yourself!
- 2. An AED is a portable electronic device that automatically diagnoses a potentially life threatening cardiac arrhythmia (heart attack). If no pulse is found it instructs the user to apply the device to help the heart reestablish an effective rhythm. The AED is designed to be simple to use by the layman. It is used in combination with CPR.
- 3. When you open the AED box, you will hear an alarm. This alarm is to discourage thieves. It does not call the fire department. <u>Always call 911 first in an emergency.</u>
- 4. Children must not tamper or play with the unit. If the unit is found to be tampered with the child's parents will be charged for a service call from the vendor.
- 5. If there is an emergency and the AED is needed it will be time consuming if whoever you send for the unit doesn't know where it is and what it is. A drill from your cottage to the unit and back will take 5 10 minutes and could save a life.

Make sure everyone in your

- cottage knows where the AED is and what it looks like. In the event of a heart attack time is of the essence.
- 6. It is our intention to remove the AED and Oxygen after Labor Day and put it in a year-round resident's cottage. Call Beau if you want to volunteer your cottage.
- 7. If the unit or first aid supplies are used please report it to the governor. We will need to have the kit replenished.
- **8.** Post the flip side of this sheet on the refrigerator.

WHAT TO DO IN AN EMERGENCY

- STATE: WHAT IS THE NATURE

 OF THE EMERGENCY ("My mother is unresponsive and has no pulse" or
 "My brother went under the water, we pulled him on shore but is not responsive.)
- ☼ WHAT STREET ADDRESS AND TOWN (ex: "10 River Road,)
- If you are alone, stay with the victim.
 For an unresponsive person, begin
 CPR.
- ☼ if you can, alert someone to retrieve the AED. Do not stop CPR until the unit arrives for use on the victim.
- Open the AED and push the start button.