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# CEDARWOOD ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER 1999

### NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President: Sandy Kiesling 894-4897

58 Hamilton Road

Treasurer: Ellise Ghitelman 891-9307

7 University Park

Vice President: Hans Brings 891-9993

117 Thornton Road

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### NEIGHBORHOOD YARD SALE

Date: Saturday Sept. 18 1998 Time: 10:00am - 3:00pm

The Cedarwood Association invites you to participate in the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Cedarwood Yard Sale which will be held on Saturday - September 18<sup>th</sup> from 10:am to 3:00 p.m. (Rain date: Sunday - September 19<sup>th</sup>)

Any family wishing to have a yard sale on that day must fill out the registration form and send it to Ellise Ghitelman at 7 University Park. Please note: you must register by September 10<sup>th</sup> to ensure that your house is on the yard sale map.

The cost to participate is \$5.00 for Association members and \$7.00 for non-members. If you wish to join the Association, 1999 dues may be included with your yard sale registration form.

The Association will advertise in local newspapers and on the internet, distribute flyers in the Waltham area, and provide maps of all the yard sales to bargain hunters on the day of the sale. Past participants can attest to the excellent turnout of shoppers and to the great buys!

If you have useful castoffs, we'll sell them at the white elephant table. Of course, all proceeds go to the Scholarship Fund.

The white elephant table will be located on Cedarwood Avenue between Wetherbee Road and Harland Road.

Please bring items there between 8:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. on the day of the sale (9/18/99). Monetary contributions may be sent to Ellise Ghitelman.

We still need volunteers to help sell items at the Cedarwood tables on the day of the yard sale. If you are interested in helping, please call Ellie Lyman (899-7369).

Traffic may be heavy on the day of the sale.

#### ABOUT THE ASSOCIATION

The Cedarwood Association provides educational, civic and social opportunities. We have several social activities throughout the year (See the Calendar of Events). Also, we provide a scholarship each year to a deserving high school senior.

The association also provides a forum for people to express opinions and ideas to improve our neighborhood. Having an active Association allows us to mobilize quickly when issues arise which affect our community.

- Sandy Kiesling



## **WELCOME NEW** NEIGHBORS!!

Please join us in welcoming the following individuals and families to Cedarwood:

- In January, Teresa DeMarco moved into 138 Florence Road
- Also in January, Barbara Rosolko moved into 56 Virginia Road.
- Donna McPhie and Michael Fitzgerald have been living at 33 Thornton Road since April.
- Pete Limosani and his fiancée, Pat Picard, moved in May to 89 Florence Road.
- In June, Anastasia and Dimitry Fayerman moved into 130 Virginia Road.
- Also in June, Richard and Michele McCarty moved into 79 Cedarwood Avenue.
- In July, **Ted** and **Ann Sjodin** are moving into 46 Florence Road

We apologize if we've left anyone out...please call Laurie Groves at 894-5684 and we'll get you into our next newsletter!

- Laurie Groves and Hans Brings

### Councilor's Corner

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve as your City Councilor for the past six years. Representing the residents of Ward 7 at City Hall has been a very rewarding and enriching experience

The decision to run for Mayor was not an easy one. I really enjoy working as your Councilor, and it has afforded me the opportunity to meet many people and work on issues throughout the city.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me at my home (893-7308) or campaign office (398-1616).

### -Rebecca McCullough



# Meighborhood Picnic



The Social Committee co-chairs, Amy Eastwood and Ellie Lyman, decided to hold the annual picnic a week earlier then usual (Saturday, June 19th) and the weather couldn't have been better!

Over 50 adults and children enjoyed a delicious outdoor buffet. The children played on the new playground equipment, while the adults met new neighbors and visited with established neighbors. Surprisingly, several political aspirants also came to the picnic to introduce themselves and shake hands

A special presentation of gifts was made to Sandy Kiesling, husband Dan, Rachel, Erica and baby Jason in honor of Jason's birth and in appreciation for Sandy's second year of service as president of the Association.

Special thanks to Lorne MacArthur for the loan of his grill, Mark Huillin who cooked, John Allen who made the sign, and Ellise Ghitelman and several neighbors who carried equipment and supplies and helped us set-up. Hope to see you all next year!

- Ellie Lyman and Amy Eastwood



# Gardening News

As you may have noticed, there has been a lot of gardening activities around the neighborhood. Here's what we've been working on:

Trisha Olds had the idea to add some groundcover on the large expanse of grassy area between the sidewalk and street, and by the pillars. Between raiding her own yard and contributions from Jane Jacob's garden Trisha was kept pretty busy during the early part of the summer, planting away.

Jim Giles has been coordinating the efforts to cleanup the area by the Cedarwood bus-stop. He's signed up his fellow neighbors, Arthur LeHayes and John Langely, to name a few. John is also working on getting some flower barrels donated for either side of the bus-stop.

Speaking of flower barrels, our neighborhood flower barrel has come into its own this year. In the spring, the pansies were a big hit with everyone and they looked bright and cheerful for months! Meanwhile, keeping us on the cutting-edge of gardening, the purple petunias I planted this summer are of the new Wave variety.

Due to the drought, the City of Waltham nearly had to forgo our planters in the pillars this year. But, as usual, our city Forester, **Bobby Fisher** and **his** crew, came through in the end and the flowers look great!

Special thanks to Mrs. Olson and Mrs. Shepherd for the use of their water and the encouraging words on our work.

- Alexis Shaw

# Neighborhood Information

#### Our U.S. Senators are:

- Senator Edward Kennedy (617) 565-3170
- Senator John Kerry (617) 565-8519

### Our U.S. Congressman is:

- Rep. Edward Markey (781) 396-2900

### Our State Senator for the 5th Middlesex District is:

- Senator Susan Fargo (617) 722-1572

### Our State Rep. for the 9th Middlesex District is:

- Representative David Gately (617)722-2235

### Our City Councilor for Ward 7, Precinct 1 is:

- Rebecca McCullough (781)893-7308

#### Our Voting Location is:

The Banks School (corner of Russell St & South St) (The voting location is subject to change so check with the City Clerk's office first at 893-4040)

\* Preliminary Election – September 14, 1999 \*
Register by August 25<sup>th</sup> at Waltham City Hall

- Janet Smith-Flaherty

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Name:	Phone #:	Service:
Casey Boudrot	899-9456	Baby-sitting
Hans Brings	891-9993	Real Estate Sales & Free Home Appraisals
Stephen Gardner	899-9617	Light Carpentry – Home Repairs
Jim Giles	893-1717	Master Electrician residential Work
Meg Hulliung	893-3783	Baby-sitting
Judy Issac	893-5356	Elementary School Tutoring
Leonard Kelly	899-0730	Window cleaning & gutters cleaned
Tim Kelly	894-8789	Electrician
John Khederian	899-8650	Civil/Structural Engineering & Design
Dianne Lombardi	899-1050	Real Estate Sales & Marketing Services
Jill Lombardi	899-7923	Baby-sitting
Mark Nardone	899-5996	Tree & Landscape Service, Snow Plowing
Ron Pellitier	899-4547	Floor Sanding & Refinishing
Tom Sliney	899-1512	Custom Made Golf Clubs and Repairs

# 1999 Cedarwood Association Membership Form Name: Address: Yard Sale: (Please return form by September 10<sup>th</sup> to be listed on map) Members - \$5.00 Non Members - \$7.00 **Membership Dues:** Family \$5.00 \_\_\_\_ Single Member Household \$3.00 \_\_\_ Return form with cash or check (payable to Cedarwood Association) to: Ellise Ghitelman 7 University Park