



## CEDARWOOD ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER FEBRUARY – MARCH 2004

### \*\*\* UPCOMING EVENTS \*\*\*

#### Annual Association Meeting and Election of Officers

**Date:** Tuesday, April 27, 2004  
**Time:** 7:00pm Refreshments  
7:30pm Meeting  
**Place:** Woodside's Sunoco, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
(Across from the Cedarwood entrance on  
Weston Street)

All Cedarwood neighborhood residents (members and non-members) are invited to attend the Association's annual meeting.

The meeting will be an informal business meeting and planning session for 2004 events. This is also a place to provide ideas for discussion or to voice concerns about any neighborhood issues.

Our City Councilor Joe Giordano as well as a representative from Brandeis will be in attendance.

The Association would love to see some new neighbor become involved – so come on down!



#### New Neighbors Open House

**Date:** Saturday, March 13, 2004  
**Time:** 1:00pm – 4:00pm  
**Place:** 82 Florence Road



The Cedarwood Association is pleased to once again sponsor a New Neighbors Open House! This is a great opportunity for new neighbors to meet other new neighbors, as well as existing neighbors. Everyone will also have a chance to learn about upcoming Cedarwood activities.

The last New Neighbors Open House was in March 2003, so all new neighbors since then are invited and encouraged to attend! You do not have to be a member of the Association to attend the Open House. If you missed last year's Open House, please try and join us for this one!

Hosts for the Open House are Janet Smith-Flaherty and Tom Flaherty. Refreshments and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

Please RSVP to Janet or Tom (781-891-9737)

### WELCOME NEW NEIGHBORS!

Dave Anderson and Alicia Beneteau	– 271 Florence Road
Colette and Rich Brenner, and sons Andrew and James	– 89 Florence Road
Jeanne Fields and Marion Mullin	– 117 Virginia Road
Kevin and Cathy Needham	– 57 Villa Street
Craig and Aimee Fowler	– 42 Harland Road

### A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

We hope many of our Cedarwood neighbors will join the Association this month! Your dues support many activities and betterments that help keep Cedarwood one of the most desirable neighborhoods in Waltham. These include:

- The **Yard Sale** and **Caroling Stroll** (organized by the Association), the **Annual Picnic** (funded by dues)
- The **New Neighbor Party**, which welcomes new residents to the neighborhood
- The **Annual Meeting**, which provides a chance to talk to other residents as well as our City Councilor and Brandeis representative
- Our quarterly **newsletter**, which informs neighbors of issues, activities and services
- The **scholarship committee**, which awards a scholarship to a college-bound senior
- Other committees, which provide services including the **garden committee** that maintains plantings at the entrance of the neighborhood, and the **safety committee** that addresses issues such as traffic on our streets

To join, simply fill out and send in the membership form on the back of this newsletter!

## **Congratulations!!**

To former Cedarwood neighbor and City Councilor Jeannette McCarthy on her election as Mayor of our fair city of Waltham!

## **New Website**

The Cedarwood Association will soon have its own website, thanks to neighbor Brooke Hayward! She plans to have newsletters, association membership forms and other helpful information on the site at [www.cedarwoodassociation.org](http://www.cedarwoodassociation.org).

## **Cedarwood Mothers Group**

Calling mothers of infants or young children for informal playgroups, neighborhood walks, etc. For more information, contact Linda Manning at 781-642-9390 or email at [lindamanning@rcn.com](mailto:lindamanning@rcn.com).

## **For Your Information**

State Senator for 5<sup>th</sup> Middlesex District  
Senator Susan Fargo 617-722-1572  
[sfargo@senate.state.ma.us](mailto:sfargo@senate.state.ma.us)

State Representative For 9<sup>th</sup> Middlesex District  
Rep. Tom Stanley 617-722-2575  
[rep.thomasstanley@hou.state.ma.us](mailto:rep.thomasstanley@hou.state.ma.us)

City Councillor for Ward 7, Precinct 1  
Joe Giordano 781-209-8787  
[Joegward7@rcn.com](mailto:Joegward7@rcn.com)

## **Neighborhood Services Directory**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Service</b>
Hans Brings	891-9993	R.E. Sales & Appraisals
Serge Randolphe	983-4120	Water Purification Systems
Jane Dobisz	893-5049	Financial Advising
Peter Dobisz	893-5049	Website Design, Maint.
Stephen Gardner	899-9617	Carpentry and Repairs
Jim Giles	893-1717	Master Electrician – Res.
Ben Humphrey	373-1323	Computer Consulting
Judy Isaac	893-5356	Tutoring (Inc. SAT)
Leonard Kelly	899-0730	Window, Gutter Cleaning
Tim Kelly	894-8789	Electrician
John Khederian	899-8650	Civil Engineering, Design
Barbara LaCroix	899-5616	Dog Walking, Pet Sitting
Dianne Lombardi	899-1050	R.E. Sales and Marketing
Eileen Mahoney	899-5186	Mary Kay Sales/Conslnt
Kevin McLaughlin	894-2209	Appliance Svc & Repair
Mark Nardone	899-5996	Tree Services
Michael Shea	893-0112	Exterior & Interior Painting
Arsineh Solaimani	899-4763	Day Care Services

## **Cedarwood Association Officers**

### **President:**

Janet Smith-Flaherty 82 Florence Road 891-9737

### **Vice President:**

Hans Brings 117 Thornton Road 891-9993

### **Treasurer:**

Elisse Ghitelman 7 University Park 891-9307

### **Secretary:**

Alexis Shaw 124 Westgate Road 894-5928

**Newsletter Editor:** Meena Kothandaraman



## **2004 Association Membership Form**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

### **Please fill in the appropriate information below:**

Association Dues: ☐ Family (\$8.00) ☐ Single Member Household (\$5.00)  
Donation to the Scholarship Fund: ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ (Please fill in amount)

### **I am interested in helping with the following activities:**

☐ Summer Picnic ☐ Fall Yard Sale ☐ New Neighbor Committee  
☐ Activities Committee ☐ Gardening Committee ☐ Street Representative

Send check (payable to "Cedarwood Association") to: Elisse Ghitelman, 7 University Park, Waltham, MA 02453