



WRINKLE POINT NEWS & NOTES



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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Our 50th season has begun! We have a busy Social Calendar with many new and exciting events. Plus a few of the old but very popular things like: the Mens Golf Tournament, the opening Cocktail Party, and the annual dinner. Wrinkle Point has bucked the trend as far as slow Real Estate sale goes. We have seen many sales this past winter. We look forward to having all our new members join in our activities. I personally want to thank this years Board for all the work they are doing to get the season underway. Especially, Paul and Mary Butler for this new and colorful newsletter.

NOTES FROM TREASURER

There has been a good response to this year's collection of common area maintenance and dues charges. Memorial Day weekend starts the summer activities and, hopefully, those who have not replied to the billing will do so by the end of the month. Any questions or comments should be directed to Frank Daly.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

We are all looking forward to the 2007 social calendar. We kick the season off on Sunday, May 27 with the Memorial Day Brunch which is being hosted this year by The Cashmans and The Joyces. You can expect a flyer with more details to follow. Our next event will be the cocktail party which will be on Saturday, June 23. Volunteers are still needed for a July 4 bike parade and a Ladies Day event. Please consider signing up!



2007 WRINKLE POINT LADIES GOLF

Judy Hagan and Eleanor Daly are delighted to have this opportunity to announce plans for Ladies Golf. As in the past, we will be playing at 3 P.M. on Wednesdays (9 holes only) in July and August.

This year we will start in July at Kings Way on 6A in Yarmouth Port then switch to the Dennis Pines course in August. After golf, we have arranged for dinner with Ardeo's at Kings Way and the restaurant at the Pines.

NEW MEMBERS

We would like to welcome three new families to Wrinkle Point:

- **Mike & Karen Sherman at 161 Uncle Barney's Road**
- **Todd & Niamh Colpitts at 200 Uncle Barney's Road**
- **Mish & Wes Atamian at 7 Davenport Rd**



Course: Kings Way

Dates: July 11, 18, 25

Price: \$45 for greens fees and cart
Total: \$135.00

Course: Dennis Pines

Dates: August 1, 8, 15, 22

Non-members Price: \$46 for greens fees and cart
Total: \$184.00

Members Price: \$7 for cart

Total: \$28.00

Look for your letter in the mail with more information. We especially encourage newcomers to join. It's fun and a great way to meet your neighbors! Ask Eleanor. She moved here in 2004 and has been playing every year since!

Join us for games---prizes---and lots of laughs!

2007 POOL SEASON

Cleaning and painting has begun with the goal of having your pool open for the Memorial Day weekend. We are fortunate to have Kayla Carota returning as the Pool Attendant. For those of you who are new to the Point or new members to the pool, it is important to realize that Kayla is not a certified lifeguard, so it is critical that each adult carefully watch over and supervise their child(ren)'s safety.

There are two objectives for me this season as being the director of your pool's operation: 1.) to provide you and your family with a most pleasant and enjoyable experience each time you visit the pool; 2.) to accomplish #1 at the lowest, but most reasonable cost possible to minimize our expenses and take some of the pressure off the budget for this year and years ahead.

Let's all hold our collective breaths for the swimming pool heater. It is entering either its 6th or 7th year, and the usual life expectancy is 6 years. While budgeted for this year, this is a major capital expense that I am hoping to avoid as long as possible. And speaking of the heater, we need to carefully manage its operation financially this year with the price of natural gas. I have heard that there were times last year when the pool temperature approached 90 degrees and people were going in the River to cool off! I would hope to maintain the temperature between 80-82 degrees and have the water refreshing to be in. So please let people know in your family that the thermostat is to be only controlled by Kayla.

Guests in the pool- there has been a definition in the past that in order for people to use the pool outside of the immediate family, they needed to be overnight guests which is difficult to manage and control. However with the size of the pool and the increasing membership, to let everyone in from everywhere will certainly be uncomfortable at best for the dues-paying members. As a compromise, we will start out by closely monitoring the activity, and if the number or frequency of guests becomes excessive, then we will need to consider something along the lines of a guest may come to the pool no more than 3X/month (the number is TBD), and there would be a sign-in register for guests. Regardless, as in the past, whenever a guest is at the pool, the responsible adult pool member must be present at all times.

And speaking of an adult presence at the pool, please keep in mind that if you have children under the age of 16, an adult over the age of 21 must be present at all times when the child is in the pool area.

The door/key system is on its last legs from being kicked/pulled/battered by people trying to enter the pool area without a key. Please remind everyone in your family to not abuse the door. The last thing we need as dues payers/owners is an unnecessary added expense like this.

I am hoping to paint the pool house exterior this year.

The Ahern family has been gracious enough to donate the paint and supplies. Anyone who wants to volunteer some time will have a section reserved for their efforts and will be able to sign/date their artwork in an obscure area of their section.

And lastly, there is one more feature I am considering adding to the pool amenities this year, but I need to do a little more homework to understand if it would be feasible and of interest to the membership. More on this in the near future....

Enough for now...the season is rapidly approaching. Copies of this update together with the rest of the rules of the road will be distributed at the pool.

WRINKLE POINT POOL POLICIES

The following rules apply for the 2007 season:

1. Pool hours are 8:00AM to 10:00PM. It is essential that these hours are adhered to in order for you to retain your pool privileges.
2. Children under the age of 16 are not to swim in the pool unless supervised by an adult (parent or other responsible individual over the age of 21). If children are sent to the pool without an adult they will not be allowed in the fenced-in pool area until the adult arrives.
3. Only members who have paid their dues and their guests are allowed to use the pool. The frequency of member guests' pool usage must be restrained in the interest of the entire membership and the pool capacity. Should it be observed that there is an abuse of permitting guests to use the pool an excessive amount of times during the season, the Board of Directors reserves the right to impose more defined guidelines as to the number of times a member guest may be at the pool. A guest may not use the pool unless a paid member is with them at the time, and renters have no access to the pool.
4. Behavior: Many of the pool complaints relate to how children and teenagers are acting in the pool. Please remind the children that they are responsible for their playing in a manner that shows respect and consideration for others' safety and comfort. Running is dangerous, and there must not be any horseplay. Flips/back-flips off the pool side, excessive splashing or spraying others, and throwing a ball in the pool when it is crowded with other swimmers is not allowed.
5. Large Crowds: Unfortunately the pool cannot accommodate large crowds. We have not had to enforce the pool limit in the past (60 swimmers), and we hope people will use good judgment to not require a restriction. The filter system continually requires additional maintenance after a crowded day at the pool.
6. Proper swimming attire is required, and children in diapers

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must wear “swimmies” when in the pool. It is very costly to restore the pool after an “accident”, and usually the pool must be closed for a number of days during the water treatment.

7. The Pool Attendant is instructed to enforce all safety policies although s(he) is not a certified lifeguard. Therefore safety is the responsibility of all adults, for themselves and their children.

8. Please do not adjust the pool heater thermostat. It is only to be regulated by the Pool Attendant in the temperature range of 80-82 degrees.

9. Reserving lounges or tables before arriving at the pool is not allowed. First come-first served is the policy.

10. It is the State law that the gate remains closed at all times. There could potentially be a significant liability to all of Wrinkle Point if there was an incident resulting from the gate being left open. Also there must be no kicking, pulling at the gate or swinging on the gate door. Only the assigned key must be used. There has been significant abuse in the past, and the repair/replacement cost is very high.

11. Please drive carefully and slowly around the pool. Children running in the area often cannot be seen because of the sight lines and the volume of activity.

12. Please do not admit anyone who does not have a key.

13. There must be no solo swimming when the Attendant is not present.

14. A shower is required before swimming, and health laws require that people with a communicable disease are not allowed in the pool.

15. There must not be any glassware inside the pool area.

16. Large inflatable rafts/floats are not allowed.

17. Please do not allow the children to use the chairs/lounges for play (i.e., making forts) as it is dangerous and very costly to repair/replace the furniture.

It would be very unfortunate for anyone violating these policies to forfeit their pool rights and not be able to use the pool. Through your actions and behavior, please respect those around you so everyone can enjoy their time at the pool.

With your assistance, we will continue to keep your pool operating properly at a reasonable cost and will constantly strive to provide an environment that meets/exceeds everyone's expectations.

Thank you for your Cooperation!



INFORMATION REGARDING THE MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY

The new membership directory was sent out over the winter. My email address has changed since the new directory was published. I can now be reached at: dlangille@verizon.net . If you have any corrections or changes to the information listed, please let me know. A few copies of the directory are still available at a cost of \$6 each, please call if you need one—Colleen Langille

ROADS & COMMON AREAS

- The SEAWALL at the clubhouse/marina has been completely repointed at a cost of \$ 2,800.00 and supervised by Bob Vernazza.
- Embankment sand at Buckley Road Beach continues to erode. A long term solution is required.
- The Davenport Road Beach now has a picnic table, moved from Buckley's tot-lot, for your enjoyment. This area at Davenport Beach is most enjoyable with stairs to the beach but underutilized by Wrinkle Pointers.
- The South speed bump at Palmer Circle has been removed as being redundant. This should not compromise safety.
- ALL Street Sign posts, Stop Sign's, Slow Signs and Buckley Beach post's have been replaced with PVC posts and powder coated street sign's to eliminate future maintenance expense.
- A new sign, similar to above, has been installed at the left of Palmer Circle as you enter. Gold letters look great.
- Dell Sullivan and her Committee continue to maintain the planting containers at each Entrance with change of season plantings.
- Jim Brennan continued thru the year to maintain ALL street lighting with multiple calls to our utility company about light's being out or on during the day.
- Steve Rhodes will have speed bumps out by Memorial Day weekend and located at his discretion for speeding vehicles.
- The Town of Dennis continues to patrol the street's of Wrinkle Point several times a day, thanks to Crime Watch Chainman Ed Amabile, The Town cleaned many of our catch basins, swept our street's and N-Star had a contractor trim branches that potentially could affect line wiring during a storm.
- I want to thank Tom Birch for a fine job of keeping Wrinkle Point looking nice for us all and the personal interest he takes in keeping Wrinkle Point Association moving in the right direction.
- If you see a paper or piece of trash on the street's or public area's please pick it up. It's YOUR WRINKLE POINT!

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IN MEMORIAM

Over the past year, we deeply mourn the loss of several of our friends and neighbors:

- Walter Toner (July 2006)
- Susan J. Whalen, daughter of Charles and Patricia Whalen (September 2006)
- Donna White, sister of Kathy MacAfee (September 2006)
- Jean Johnson, sister of Debbie McCabe (September 2006)
- John T. Cashman, brother of Bob Cashman (October 2006)
- Jane Warner (November 2006)
- Elena Palumbo (January 2007)

Sympathy cards and donations were sent to the family members of the deceased on behalf of the Wrinkle Point membership. Also, cards and well wishes are sent to members that are hospitalized or not feeling well. Thank you to all that have kept me informed when a neighbor is not well or a death has occurred.

2006-2007 WRINKLE POINT ASSOCIATION
BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President	Greg O'Connell
Vice President & Communications	Paul Butler
Treasurer	Frank Daly
Secretary	Joan Horrigan
Clubhouse	Judy Miller
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Common Areas	Paul Ahern
Social Activities	Linda Carota

WEB SITE: www.wrinklepoint.org

TO RESERVE THE CLUB HOUSE:

Judy Miller: 508-394-7052

EMERGENCY, FIRE, POLICE, OR AMBULANCE:

911

Dennis Fire Department	508-398-2241
Dennis Police Department	508-394-1313
Cape Cod Hospital	508-771-1800
Poison Control Center	800-222-1222