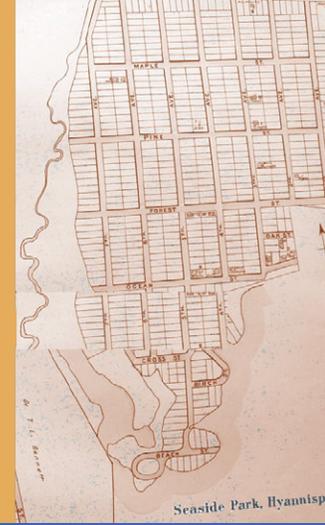


Newsletter of the
SPIA
**SEASIDE PARK
 IMPROVEMENT
 ASSOCIATION, INC.**



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Happy Spring from Seaside Park!

I'm sure everyone is eager for the warm weather that's on the way and another summer at Seaside Park. We look forward to seeing old friends and newcomers at the Little Beach. Beach cleanup and road resurfacing are taking place as I write this and the final details for the summer events calendar are being worked out. It should be another great season on the Ave's!

Last year's Fourth of July Parade and neighborhood picnic were a huge success and hopefully there will be even bigger and better productions this year. Our neighborhood continues to grow as more new families move into Seaside Park. It's great to see so many young children enjoying the beach just as my sons did when they were younger. If you know of any new neighbors who have recently moved in, make sure you get us their names and address so we can send them a Welcome Beach Pail.

There are a few things coming up that need to be addressed. First, we asked everyone to let us know if they preferred to receive the newsletter by email only, and about 30 neighbors chose to go paperless. If you did choose that option, please print out the dues and boat registration forms from the emailed newsletter, complete and send them to: SPIA • P.O. Box 494 • West Hyannisport, MA 02672.

Once we have received the boat registration forms, the plan is to have the kayak rack lottery in late June so we can assign the racks before the July 4th long weekend. Our hope is to have a third rack up by then but if we aren't able to get it done on time, we will assign those racks upon completion of the third set.

There will also be new placards sent out this year. Details are included in the newsletter so watch your mail. Also, remember that if you rent your house out, make sure your tenants understand how beach parking works and that they must have their placards with them when they head to the beach. We had some sellout days at the beach last year and as a result, we need to be stricter this year. We don't want to disappoint your renters by turning them away from the beach because they don't have a placard with them.

Welcome back to Seaside Park 2017! We will see you all at the Annual Meeting on June 24th under the tent at Little Beach.

All the best,
Charlie Cormay
 President, SPIA, Inc.

“All will concede that in order to have good neighbors, we must also be good neighbors. That applies in every field of human endeavor.”

– Harry Truman



2017 Summer Calendar

Mark your calendar and join in the fun at neighborhood festivities!

Saturday, June 24th

SPIA's First Community Tag Sale

8:00am - 4:00pm

Are you looking for a way to gain some space in your home? Set up your treasures in your own yard and the buyers will come to you!

Saturday, June 24th

June SPIA Meeting under the tent at Little Beach

9:15pm ~ Meet and greet

Coffee and munchkins will be served as we reconnect with our neighbors and friends.

Tuesday, July 4th

SPIA Fourth of July Parade

9:15am ~ Parade begins at the Post Office

Let's celebrate our pride in our country with a parade! Dress in patriotic colors, ride decorated bikes, push our newest community members in carriages or pull a wagon along our parade route marked with flags. "Kids" of all ages are welcome, and don't forget your pets. Our local acappella group, Cape Harmony, will walk in our parade and perform at the beach. Water will be available.

Week of July 10th

Family Movie Night at Little Beach

7:30pm *Date is weather dependent*

Saturday, July 22nd

Pops at Seaside Park

7:00pm

Cocktails, appetizers and music at the Cormays (adults only).

Week of August 7th

Family Movie Night at Little Beach

7:30pm *Date is weather dependent*

Saturday, August 19th

SPIA Meeting under the tent at Little Beach

9:30am

ASL Ice Bucket Challenge immediately following the meeting. Please join us to raise awareness and funds for research.

Saturday, August 19th

Annual Summer Picnic

5:30-8:00pm

Jordan Renzi will share her songs and talent as we enjoy a picnic with our Seaside Park community. Please bring a side dish to round out our meal. Desserts are always welcomed too! ☺

We will continue to share details of upcoming events via our SPIA Facebook page, the Little Beach bulletin board and email blasts.



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- **Click here...SPIA is on Facebook!**
Connect with SPIA on Facebook to learn about upcoming events, the latest news and to see pictures from previous events.
URL: www.facebook.com, login or create an account.
Search for: SPIA, West Hyannisport
Click the "Like" button and you're connected!
- **Visit us at:** spicapecod.org
- **Email us at:** spicapecod@gmail.com
- Check out the **Bulletin Board** at the Beach
- **Update your Contact Information** – Include all email addresses at which you would like to receive communications

Halls Creek 2017 Update from Halls Creek Preservation Fund, Inc.

Jim Herrington, President of the Halls Creek Preservation Fund, reported that the effort to restore the health of the Halls Creek estuary is ongoing. However, progress has been stalled due to one crucial issue that remains unresolved: where the spoils from the creek dredging will be deposited. As you may recall, we are hoping to place the dredge spoils from the creek onto the Squaw Island barrier beach. This provides two major advantages. First, it is the least costly option; second, it offers the added benefit of shoring up the barrier beach and stemming further deterioration. This option requires approval from the landowners on Squaw Island and the owners of the largest parcel have not yet given their consent.

As the newsletter went to print, negotiations with the landowners are continuing. Working under the assumption that the deposits will not go on the barrier beach, the HCPF board members are trying to determine



the costs of taking the spoils offsite and have voted to proceed with filing for the dredging permit. We will keep you informed of developments as they occur. □

Seaside Park Grounds Update

This past winter Mother Nature handed Seaside Park some challenges. First, due to intense storms, we were left with a large amount of sea grass and debris on the jetty, lawn area and parking lot. At our request The Joyce Companies completed a fine spring clean-up in a timely manner.

Second, with two years of wear and tear and snowplowing, the roadway needed some work. We hired James LeBoeuf Excavating Company to re-grade the road and apply a new layer of crushed stone for a much needed restoration.

The Joyce Companies were retained again this year to

do our weekly grounds maintenance.

We have again applied to the Barnstable Water Quality Lab for weekly water testing in the creek. This will occur from 6/12/17 through 8/28/17, which will take us up through the Labor Day Weekend.

We are planning to add a third kayak rack, which hopefully will be in place by the beginning of the season.

Finally, I am delighted to report that the Osprey have returned to their relocated nest.

Michael C. Carey
Vice President, SPIA

Security Report for Summer 2017 *by Charlie Cormay*

The plan again this year is to have Dennis Marcos working Friday and Saturday nights over the course of the summer guarding the parking lot area. He will work Memorial Day weekend (May 26/27/28) and then start the summer weekends from Friday, June 30th, and Independence Day weekend through September 3rd, Labor Day weekend. We will also be hiring neighborhood kids to work as parking attendants again this year. We are looking for people who are at least 16 years old to work Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, 10am to 4pm from Independence Day weekend through Labor Day weekend. Please email me if anyone you know is interested.

One of the issues we will be discussing at the June 24th Annual Meeting is how to handle the gate going forward. I want to personally thank Joe Curran, Eileen Moroski and Jack Sweeney for their years of volunteering to open and close the gate on a daily basis. I'm sure the entire neighborhood appreciates their service to the community. Going forward, however, we need to come up with a more permanent plan to operate the gate on a regular basis. There are a couple of options. One, we could pay for a service to open and close the gate but that can be expensive. I suspect it would cost \$10-\$20 per day, which

can pretty quickly add up to a significant amount of money. The other option would be to put in a permanent automatic gate. A basic parking lot gate with an arm that goes up when a homeowner puts in his/her ID card would cost between \$15,000-\$20,000 to install. Although this is not necessarily the aesthetic we are looking for, it pays for itself over the course of 2-3 years by reducing our need for security personnel. In the short term, the options are to find more volunteers to handle the gate responsibilities or pay our weekend guard to handle the job. Any thoughts or ideas are appreciated so that we can include them in the discussion in June. All in all, it was a pretty uneventful winter at the beach.

Thanks to Phil Lembo and Eversource we were able to get the streetlight at the end of Beach Road turned back toward the street. It now lights up the corner of Beach Road and the end of Fifth Ave. That has helped keep non-residents from using that as a parking area during the off-season months and has helped keep the litter in the area to a minimum.

Looking forward to seeing everyone on the Avenues this season. ☐

Parking Passes

One of these days summer will be here and we will be enjoying our Little Beach. Once again we will use the placard system of verifying residents' cars at Little Beach. This year we will be using the yellow placards that were sent to you last year. Enclosed in this newsletter you will find your 2017 sticker to be placed onto the placard, covering the year 2016.

If you have any questions or need a replacement placard (for a \$5 fee), please call Debby Faulconer at 508-775-8015 or email debfaulconer@gmail.com.



BEACH RULES AT "LITTLE BEACH"

- NO LIFEGUARD - SWIM AT YOUR OWN RISK
- NO DOGS MAY 15TH TO SEPT. 15TH
- NO KITE SURFING
- NO MOORING OF BOATS ON BULKHEAD
- NO JETSKIS
- NO DAILY POWER BOAT LAUNCHING
- NO PARKING OF BOAT TRAILERS
- NO GLASS CONTAINERS
- NO FIREWORKS

Treasurer's Report

by Daniel Serpico, Treasurer

SEASIDE PARK IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC.

Comparing results to 2016 Operating Budget for the Fiscal Year ending May 31, 2017.

	2016 YTD Estimated	2016 BUDGET
TREASURY CASH BALANCE-JUNE 1	\$43,621	\$43,621
OPERATING INCOME:		
ASSOCIATION DUES	\$37,860	\$31,000
MISCELLANEOUS FEES	\$1,210	\$250
	\$39,070	\$31,250
OPERATING EXPENSES:		
SECURITY	\$5,092	\$7,000
ELECTRIC	\$1,842	\$2,000
ROAD MAINTENANCE	\$2,077	\$2,700
BEACH MAINTENANCE	\$1,712	\$3,000
LANDSCAPING	\$1,209	\$1,250
ACTIVITIES	\$2,337	\$2,200
WATER TEST/PERMITTING	\$448	\$500
INSURANCE	\$6,247	\$7,000
NEWSLETTER/COMM.	\$2,227	\$2,000
WEB SITE	\$0	\$1,000
ANNUAL AUDIT	\$500	\$500
MISCELLANEOUS & ADMIN.	\$291	\$800
TENTS	\$1,183	\$1,200
	\$25,165	\$31,150
FUND RAISING-NET PROFIT/<LOSS>	\$13,905	\$100

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Treasurer's Report *continued...***SEASIDE PARK IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC.****Proposed Operating Budget for the Fiscal Year Ending May 31, 2018.**

	2016 BUDGET	2017 BUDGET
BEGINNING CASH BALANCE	\$43,621	\$55,465
INCOME:		
ASSOCIATION DUES	\$31,000	\$31,450
MISCELLANEOUS FEES	\$250	\$1,000
TOTAL INCOME	\$31,250	\$32,450
EXPENSES:		
SECURITY	\$7,000	\$6,750
ELECTRIC	\$2,000	\$750
ROAD MAINTENANCE	\$2,700	\$2,750
BEACH MAINTENANCE	\$3,000	\$3,000
LANDSCAPING	\$1,250	\$3,000
ACTIVITIES	\$2,200	\$3,000
WATER TEST/PERMITTING	\$500	\$500
INSURANCE	\$7,000	\$7,000
NEWSLETTER/COMM.	\$2,000	\$2,500
WEB SITE	\$1,000	\$500
ANNUAL AUDIT	\$500	\$500
MISCELLANEOUS & ADMIN.	\$800	\$500
TENTS	\$1,200	\$1,250
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$31,150	\$32,000
PROFIT/(LOSS)	\$100	\$450
ENDING CASH BALANCE	\$43,721	\$55,915

Albertini Family
 Allain Family
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 Babineau Family
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 Russell Family
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 Schade Family
 Schreiber/Rodriguez Family
 Scott/Kiiss Family
 Scurlock Family
 Serpico/Walsh Family
 Shannon Family
 Sheibley Family
 Shepley Family
 Smith Family
 Sohmer Family
 Spinner/McNally Family
 Stallman Family
 Stelmok Family
 Stewart/Tepper Family
 Sukernek Family
 Sullivan Family
 Sweeney Family
 Tellier-Domos Family
 Tenaglia Family
 Thearle Family
 Tobin Family
 Tomaiolo Family
 Toppa Family
 Traywick Family
 Vadala Family
 Villa Family
 Vogt Family
 Waechter Family
 Walsh Family
 Wasserman Family
 Watson Family
 Welch Family
 Whitlock/Clark Family
 Wong Family

Our thanks to this year's Contributing Families!

Your dues provide security and lighting, safeguard our park, test the quality of our water, support our summer activities, maintain the landscape, allow for continuing maintenance, and add great value to our properties and to the entire community. Thank you for helping to support, protect and safeguard Seaside Park once again. 186 homeowners, representing approximately 80% of the property owners in Seaside Park, were contributors to SPIA, Inc. this year. Imagine what our Association could accomplish if we had 100% participation, something to strive for. We invite you to review the accomplishments of our neighborhood association, contemplate the objectives for the coming year and consider the tremendous value your Family Contribution can bring to the neighborhood in 2017.

*Thanks again for your continued
support of Seaside Park.*

Haugen Family
 Heaps Family
 Hegarty Family
 Herrington Family
 Hodges Family
 Horn/Vezina Family
 R. Hoyt Family
 T. Hoyt Family
 Ioia Family
 Jappe Family
 Johnson/Coakley Family
 Joyce Family
 Katsohis Family
 Kelly Family
 Klamon Family
 Kleimola Family

Lockhart/Watkins Family
 Maccarone Family
 Manning Family
 McAllister Family
 McAnneny Family
 McAuliffe Family
 McCabe/Donahue Family
 McCann Family
 McDonald Family
 McKeon Family
 McKinley Family
 McNally Family
 McNulty Family
 McPherson/Gugel Family
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**The SPIA 2017
 ANNUAL MEETING**

**Saturday, June 24th
 9:30am**

Join Us!

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 Seaside Park Improvement Association, Inc.

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