

ASSOCIATION NEWS...

Facebook is now available to members of West Brook Community. You may access the sight, West Brookwood BMRPOA and request to be a friend. Our facebook page is for Association news only and information about upcoming events.

Facebook is **not** to be used for Water department communication. All water matters remain the same. Email or phone our Water Department Administrator, Barbara DeMarco (see the front cover of this newsletter for phone & email info.) Thank you and have a pleasant facebook experience.

Upcoming Events:

Fall Festival: Oct. 12th Rain date Oct. 13th

Time: 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Place: River Road Water Tower grounds

Across the Street from Riverside Park

If you or someone you know would like to volunteer their time to do face painting please call Laurie at 973-448-0737.

Halloween Decorating Contest:

Evening of Sunday, Oct. 27th

Holiday Decorating Contest:

Evening of Sunday, Dec. 15th

Scholarship Award (Depending on donations we receive by Nov. 30th)

Spring Clean-up: April 2014

Ice Cream Social: June 2014

Other special events to be announced in our Spring Newsletter

Know your Street Representative

Acorn.....	Lissette Hernandez.....	219-7329
Adair.....		
Ash/Union.....	Laurie Joudi.....	448-0737
Avon.....	Anthony Laulette.....	347-1950
Banker.....	Dan Forlenza.....	347-5526
Beech.....	Kevin Tevis.....	879-4528
Belton.....	Laura McVicar.....	448-8680
Broad.....	Elaine Carr.....	347-4461
Chestnut/Waterloo....	Kathy Stevenson.....	448-8869
Glen Brook/Lower River...	Dee Garrison.....	448-7085
Lauren.....	Louis Gomez.....	347-6669
Lockwood.....	Kristi Bristol.....	732-735-5931
Mayne.....	Dan Kreuder.....	862-354-4923
Robert.....	Carol Tarnowski.....	670-3701
Springbrook/Upper River..	Yvonne Reeves.....	347-8807

West Brookwood

Board of Governors 2013-2014

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Members: Meetings are scheduled the 4th **Wednesday** of the month at the Byram Municipal Building at **7:30pm**.

Please check your e-mail for the meeting agenda.

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Remember to Vote in November

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COMMUNITY NEWS...

Reminder: be prepared now for any unpleasant weather that may come during the fall and winter seasons.....

It's never too early to prepare for a possible power outage due to snow storms and unexpected high winds. As we have become all too familiar of falling branches and large trees that can bring down power lines and can damage many areas and harm our Water Department equipment. So, as a precaution let us all make a check list of our safety procedures at home:

- Keep charged cell phones and important electronic equipment.
- Check battery life in portable radios, lanterns and flashlights.
- Have extra water on hand, either bottled or by filling pots. The general rule is one gallon per person per day.
- Keep the bathtub filled with water for flushing toilets.
- Increase the cold setting in the refrigerator because food will remain cold for a longer period of time.
- Use sleeping bags, blankets and other warm items in the event you lose heat.
- Check on your neighbors often.

Let's be prepared & stay safe throughout the seasons.

Reminder: If you are changing from a landline phone to your cell phone as your main phone number, or if you have a new e-mail address, please notify the Water Dept. office.

There is no way we can notify you about important issues if we do not have the current information and please print legibly.

Signs, Signs, and more Signs...

Garage Sale Signs: It is the responsibility of the seller to take the sign down after your event. John takes the old ones down when he sees them but this is not part of his job but the responsibility of the seller.

Has anyone seen "Stop" signs that are spray painted?

The first sign of a neighborhood's decline is spray painting on signs. Please take notice as you drive or walk by and report any signs that are in need of changing.

The stop signs on the corner of Chestnut and Ash Streets as well as, Ash and Acorn Streets are on the list of signs that need to be replaced.

Members, if you see any other signs that are spray painted or impossible to read, please email that location to the Water Department. The Association will call the Township and request a replacement sign. Let's work together to help keep our community

respectable. Thank you for your cooperation.

A Big shout out to those members who go the extra footage...

An anonymous member wrote:

I have noticed some homeowners who live next to a wooded lot go an extra few feet when mowing their lawn thus, making the street look much neater. Thank you.

Congratulations

*Edward & Maria Denmead of Ash Street
They have celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on August 4th.*

Do you have news to share?

If you have a birth, graduation, someone going in or coming home from the military, please e-mail Marsha Wyckoff at hmcwyckoff@verizon.net

Street Representative:

If you are a street representative and will be away for an extended period such as a vacation please notify a Board member and we will make sure someone makes the phone calls for your street.

Also, we will need volunteer street representatives for Adair, Ash, Banker, Beech & Union Streets.