#### Let's Talk...

On behalf of the Board of Governors and the community, we would like to commend Barbara DeMarco, Administrator of the Water Company, and John DeMarco, Field Technician for their foresight and quick response to protecting and keeping up with the running and maintaining of the Wells during Hurricane Irene and its aftermath. Also, e-mailing members the procedures on preparation for a hurricane. A few surrounding communities had not properly prepared and as a result, were without water as well as power.

Chank You

Barbara DeMarco and John DeMarco

#### Save the dates...



Event: Fall Festival Date: October 15<sup>th</sup> (Rain Date Oct. 16th) Place: Riverside Park

Remember, you must be a member in good standing.

Event: Halloween Costume Party for Adults 21+ When: Saturday, October 22, 2011 Time: 7:00pm – 11:00pm Where: Adam Todd Restaurant (206 North in Byram) Cost: \$25.00 per person (Includes Buffet, Dessert, DJ) Cash Bar and Prizes

"A member in good standing is a property owner who has paid all association dues.

Know your Street Representative:

n	Keri Fleming	908-892-9832
•	Marsha Wyckoff	347-4452
Union	Laurie Joudi	448-0737
ι .	Anthony Laulette	347-1950
er	Dan Forlenza	347-5526
h	Wendy D'Ulisse	691-1292
n .	Laura McVicar	448-8680
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nut/Waterloo	Kathy Stevenson	448-8869
Brook/River	Dee Garrison	448-7085
	Yvonne Reeves	347-8807
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Director	Three positions are open

Please contact us – we want to hear from you

#### **Reminder to all our community members:**

Board meetings are open to the public and 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.

# West Brookwood Fall 2011 Newsletter



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#### **COMMUNITY NEWS:**

As we all now know, many families in West Brookwood suffered during Hurricane Irene due to prolonged power outages and water damage to their belongings and homes. Our hearts go out to those in this community who have endured this interruption on their daily lives. Even though some of us went through a rough time, it was comforting to know that our neighbors were there to lend each other a hand.

THANK YOU for your help.

*Did you know*... an officer from the Byram Police department will be speaking at our upcoming fall meeting to talk about community awareness and safety? Visit our Association's website for the upcoming date:

www.bmrpoa.homestead.com

#### Mark your calendars...

This year's **Holiday Decorating Contest** will be **Saturday, December 17th** @ **7:30 PM** We will have one category,

**Best Use of Decorations** The prizes will be as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> Prize..\$75.00 Gift card to Salt restaurant 2<sup>nd</sup>Prize..\$50.00 Gift Card to Shop-Rite 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize..\$25.00 Gift Card to Shop Rite Please remember, you must be a member in good standing. The new rules state that you can only win first prize two years in a row. Good Luck!

### The Ice Cream Social was a delight!

It was a hot August afternoon and many came out for a quick ice cream and met with neighbors. We wish to thank Marsha Wyckoff and family for putting this event together. Also, we wish to thank the Joudi family for helping and the board members who donated their tent and coolers. This was a successful member's event.

## CONGRATULATIONS... Byram 2011 Royal Court



BYRAM — Lenape Valley Regional High School graduate Allyson Salmon has been crowned Miss Byram 2011. According to Lorna Pappas of the Byram Day Committee, her poise, confidence, communication skills and accomplishments earned her the coveted title at the recent Byram Royal Court competition held at the Adam Todd. Salmon will represent Byram Township at the Queen of the Fair contest at the New Jersey State Fair/ Sussex County Farm and Horse Show in August. Salmon is a sophomore at the College of New Jersey, where she studies biomedical engineering. She is a member of Circle K, a community service organization,

and of the Society of Women Engineers, where she serves as fundraising and outreach chairperson. Salmon graduated Lenape Valley in 2010, where she was the president of her class, treasurer of the National Honor Society, captain of both the tennis and swim teams, and a volunteer coach for Lenape Girls' Tennis. She was awarded Scholar Athlete for every season she participated in a sport and also earned Student of the Year in Fine Arts. Joining Salmon in the Royal Court was Marissa Quaglia, a student at Lenape Valley, who won the title of Byram Junior Miss. Zachery Butera, and Jessica Stevenson, were named Byram Little Miss and Mister, while Julia McVicar, won the title of Byram Little Princess. Byram's Princess and Junior Miss will also join Miss Byram to compete on the county level in August.

To: **Amy Rochette** who received her Girl Scout "Gold" award. Gold project: River Side Park Renovation

## A special note from.... Danielle Walker, 2009 Scholarship Winner

To the Brookwood-Musconetcong Board:

Thank you so much for the Scholarship you gave me! In August, I will enter my junior year of college at Drew University. I am majoring in English, with a double minor in writing and psychology.

I am also the Secretary-Treasurer of Drew's Co-ed a cappella group and a Co-Editor-in Chief of the campus literary magazine. I've been on the Dean's List and a member of the Baldwin Honors Program each semester and this year I was inducted into Sigma Tau Delta, the International English Honors Society.

I love every second of my time at Drew, and your Scholarship helped make it possible for me to go. Thank you again!

Danielle Walker