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This year's fireworks display is planned for Tuesday, July 4th at dusk. Fireworks off Falmouth Heights Beach beginning at approximately 8:45 PM.

Donations for the fireworks may be sent by check to the Falmouth Fireworks Committee, PO Box 500, Falmouth, MA 02541. Please note you are an FHMNA member on your check.



Worcester Court Green Project
Newly installed water services, the trimming of hedges and the base coat of asphalt on the roadway are expected to be completed by late June. Installation of curbing, sidewalks, all landscape work within the parkway area, as well as the final coat of asphalt on the roadway will be completed in the Fall.

Sewer Installation

The Little Pond Sewer Service area main infrastructure installation is completed. All residents should have received their letters of ability to connect. Hookup deadline for Falmouth Heights' residents has been extended to November 30, 2017 and for Maravista by April 2018.

A newsletter from the Falmouth Heights-Maravista Neighborhood Association

Annual FHMNA Meeting is scheduled for Saturday, August 5th at the Falmouth Yacht Club beginning at 8:00 am. Bring your ideas to help our neighbors enjoy our town.

Great Bay Road in Maravista has been partially closed due to erosion. This is a cherished asset of the community for passive recreation.

Pet Owners

We wish to remind residents and visitors of the dog leash law of Falmouth. Keep our town clean; please pick up after your pets.

Membership Drive 2017

The subcommittee has developed new strategies for 2017 with the goal of growing the organization while maintaining existing members. The membership subcommittee will be strategically placing lawn signs in our neighborhoods to encourage new and established residents to join our organization. We ask our current members to champion newer members from their surrounding area.

Spring into Summer Social is at the Falmouth Yacht Club on June 11th from 3 pm to 5:30 pm. The Social is a great way to kick off the summer season and meet up with fellow members. New members encouraged! Free admission; membership renewals and new memberships will be taken. Adults only. RSVP with the names of your party to social@FHMNA.org, please include address.

Clean Up Event

On April 29th, the FHMNA had a very successful clean up morning of the Heights and Maravista areas. There were over 30 volunteers present who worked diligently for over 3 hours collecting 35 large bags of trash including many unusual items as well as over 75 'nip' bottles. The spirit and camaraderie of the volunteers was wonderful. More clean ups will be planned as well as additional efforts to promote litter free neighborhoods.

Falmouth Road Race

The 2017 running of the Falmouth Road Race is scheduled for Sunday, August 20th with a start time of 9 am. This year marks the 45th running of the race and both winners from 1973 will be official starters. Jenny Tuthill will start the women's race and Dave Duba will start the men's.

This year 2,500 runners are raising money for 120 Massachusetts' charity programs. Since fiscal year 2012-2013, Falmouth Road Race has contributed more than \$1 million to the health and wellness of Falmouth and the surrounding area through their community Giving and Grants program.

F H M N A ANNUAL MEETING

8:00 a.m.

Saturday, August 5th

Falmouth Yacht Club

Pay Pal

You are able to pay your dues on-line with the Pay Pal. Please visit our website, www.FHMNA.org/to-join.

The Road Race Finish Line Garden honoring thousands of runners and volunteers, was envisioned by two FHMNA members, also members of the Falmouth Beautification Council. Clover Landscaping donated the large bolder and installed the bricks and benches bought by local commercial entities. Engraving is done onsite. The aim was to sell 500 bricks; 636 are now inscribed. Bricks are still available at the cost of \$100 by calling Winnie Grant at 508-548-4135 .

Sewer Policy

The Board of Selectmen approved a policy which addresses the Town's responsibility for the ongoing operation of the grinder pumps that are being installed by 700+ homeowners in the LPSSA. The policy includes town maintenance, repair and replacement of the pumps as required as well as town provided emergency power for the pumps during outages. In addition, there will be a one-time partial monetary reimbursement (amount to be determined) to help defray the cost of installing the pumps. Also see www.FHMNA.org for members comments about their hookup experiences.

For further information about these articles or any other issue impacting Falmouth Heights or Maravista, please feel free to contact us at info@fhmna.org

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