

# THE HILLTONE

# HILTONIA ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER

# SPRING 1998

# FLOWER GARDEN CLEANUP

DATE: May 2, 1998 - Saturday

TIME: 10:00 A.M.

It's time to clean up Hiltonia's Flower Garden again. "Annual" planting will be done the same day. Meet us with rakes, hoes, clippers, gloves, etc. If any of you are dividing your perennials, let Georgia know. If anyone wants to do a little cleanup before the scheduled day or time, feel free. Georgia Wallar 695-8711

#### MAY DAY

The 2nd is May Day (rain date the 3rd) in Cadwalader Park. The City of Trenton's Department of Recreation, Natural Resources and Culture is again sponsoring the annual May Day Festival. This is a fun time for children and adults alike. Picture taking, boat rides, flower sales, food and other good things will be available.

#### MEMBERSHIP COFFEE

DATE: May 3, 1998 - Sunday TIME: 1:00 - 3:00 P.M.

PLACE: Home of Sandy Danu, 7 Cornwall Avenue

Our current membership count is 88 - significantly down from last year. Whether you've paid your dues, would like to pay your dues, meet 1998 officers, find out more about the organization or just like to see some of your neighbors, please stop by.

# MARK YOUR CALENDARS - MAY HISTORIC EVENTS

The Roebling Bus Tour will be held Saturday May 9
Historic Preservation Week is scheduled from May 10-16
The Landmarks' Awards Dinner - Tuesday evening, May 12
for more information contact Cate Crown at 396-9419

# LAW DAY

DATE: MAY 6, 1997 TIME: 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

PLACE: New Civil Courthouse, 175 South Broad Street

The Mercer County Vicinage Advisory Committee for Minority Concerns is sponsoring the third Law Day. All residents are encouraged to attend any or all of the FREE workshops.

For information contact: Carmen Garcia, J.M.C. at 989-3721 or Cindy Van Ek at 989-6253

#### DON'T FORGET TO VOTE -

**TUESDAY, MAY 12** 

# TRENT HOUSE - HARPSICHORD CONCERT

DATE: May 15, 1998 - Friday

(canceled if inclement weather, no rain date)

TIME: 5:00 P.M. reception/refreshments with

concert beginning at 6:30 P.M.

PLACE: Trent House, 15 Market Street COST: \$10.00 - pay at the door MUSICIANS: Donival Brown & Joe Heise

Close your eyes and just listen - you will feel that you are back in the 18th century (without the discomforts!). If you heard these gentlemen at the Hiltonia backyard concert in the spring of 1997, you won't want to miss them in this perfect setting. It will take place on the grounds of the Trent House. The Trent House would like to get an estimate for set up and refreshments, so please call to make a reservation. 989-3027

# MAY GENERAL MEETING

DATE: May 19, 1998 - Tuesday

TIME: 8:00 P.M.

PLACE: Home of Jan Jessel and Evelyn Ogden

10 Buckingham Avenue

SPEAKER: John Hatch, Architect

John will give a slide presentation and talk about historic Trenton renovations. He will also give us some insight about the Mill Hill Civic Association's success with fund raising, tours, etc.

# FIRST UNION / CORE STATES BIKE RACE

Don't forget that the Bike Race will be coming to Trenton again this year. The date is June 4, Thursday and the event starts at 4:30 in the afternoon. The route begins in front of the New Jersey State Museum and continues along State Street through the City, to Cadwalader Park and back.

# HERITAGE DAYS - JUNE 6 and 7th

Do take advantage of this wonderful ethnic event. There is lots of good food, music, entertainment and street sales. As you know, the Hiltonia Association bands together to pump beer at this two day festival. You'll get to see all those people you've missed during the year, start your sun tan and generally just have fun.

Give Don Wallar a call, at 695-8711, to volunteer for our only annual Fund Raiser.

# ANNUAL GARAGE SALE

DATE: June 20, 1998 - Saturday TIME: 9:00 A.M. until ??? PLACE: your yard or driveway

We'll take care of advertising in the local papers and posting signs. You'll get to clean out your basements, attics and garages.

# MEMBERSHIP

I recently read the following limerick. Today with everyone's busy schedule sometimes it is hard to do more than 'just belong'. Time constraint is a very valid reason - but if some of the others mentioned are the 'why you don't come to meetings or join the Association', please reconsider. We need input, comments and suggestions from everyone in our community. Our goal to keep Hiltonia a place where we all want to live and of which to be proud.

Are you an active member, the kind that would be missed? Or are you just contented that your name is on the list? Do you attend the meetings and mingle with the flock? Or do you stay at home and criticize and knock? Do you take an active part to help the work along? Or are you simply satisfied to be a "just belong"? Do you work on committees or see there is no trick? Or leave the work to just a few and talk about a clique? Come to the meetings and help the hand and heart. Don't be just a member - take an active part. Are you an active member or do you just belong?

# 1998 MEMBERSHIP LIST

Asalone, Scott & Calabrese, Robert Bethea, Gloria & Alex Blackburn, Audrey Calpin, Gerry & Val Carlino, Pat & Costanzo, Fred Danu, Sandra DeAngelis, Roberta & Gratz, Hugh Flores, Patricia Frey, Sam & Bea Frierman, Michael & Cathe Friedland, Ruth & Stanley George, Emery & Mary Graff, William & Carol Graham, Catherine S. Greaves, Hubert & Ena Heath, Ellen & Schuster, Bob Henifin, Mary Sue & Hardy, Howard Heise, Joseph & Mary Edith Kerwood, Fredrick & Gribben, Dennis Kutch, Eugene & Jacqueline Lamb, John & Grete Maynard, David & Nancy McLeod, Marian & Alan Melzer, Karen & Ron Mole, John & Filipponi, Marianne Olsen, Allan & Emmajane Paci, Robert & Mary C. Pappas, Gary & Mary Perry, Charles & Jacqueline Reed, Robert & Tatiana Reid, Linda Reinhart, Sheri & Kardacz, Bob Rich, James & Cody, Margaret Rothrock, Carson & Mary Ann Scala-Fischler, Bea Self, George & Patricia Stark, Amel & Natalie Stern, Ellen Switlik, Susan 10 Renfrew Ave. Szenes, Gail & Hal

Tyrrell, Marjorie D.

Wry, Brann & Ellen

Vogler, John & Marion

Wallar, Don & Georgia

Williams, Mariss & Vernon

Weber, Kimberly & Stephen Crowder

101 Renfrew Ave. 117 Cadwalader Dr. 11 Kensington Ave. 9 Buckingham 11 Cadwalader Dr. 7 Cornwall Ave. 5 Buckingham Ave. 122 Renfrew Ave. 112 Renfrew Ave. 14 Renfrew Ave. 115 Renfrew Ave. 16 Buckingham Ave. 109 Renfrew Ave. 103 Cadwalader Dr. 120 Kensington Ave. 121 Kensington Ave. 2A Buckingham 202 Cornwall Ave. 15 Cornwall Ave. 123 Renfrew Ave. 113 Cadwalader Dr. 226 Renfrew Ave. 201 Buckingham Ave. 12 Hilvista Blvd. 15 Kensington Ave. 121 Cadwalader Dr. 13 Cadwalader Dr. 28 Hilvista Blvd. 101 Kensington Ave. 4 Buckingham Ave. 212 Renfrew Ave. 109 Cadwalader Dr. 119 Renfrew Ave. 118 Buckingham 127 Cadwalader Dr. 10 Hilvista 30 Cornwall Ave. 131 Cornwall Ave. 119 Cadwalader 211 Kensington 107 Buckingham Ave. 121 Buckingham 2 Buckingham 3 Cadwalader Dr.

213 Kensington Ave.

Woolfolk, Phillip Young, Sharon & William Zeppenfield, Christine & Dan

118 Kensington Ave. 1525 Stuyvesant Ave. 207 Cadwalader Dr.

#### **CRIME WATCH**

We've had a couple of incidents already - a handbag stolen from the dining room, several bikes stolen out a shed, turning of door knobs and ringing door bells to ascertain if someone is home or has left their door unlocked.

This is the time of year where we have to be extra vigilant. It would be a good practice to keep your porch lights on in the evening. Use your alarm - even when you are in the house. Be sure to keep your doors and cars locked.

As always please keep a watchful eye for suspicious cars, persons, etc. If you think something appears out of the ordinary but is not an emergency call the Police non-emergency number 989-4111.

If anyone (even if you are not on the Crime Watch Telephone Chain) experiences or hears of car thefts, burglaries, etc. be sure to call Bill Graff 393-4437 or Jean Harbach 392-6380 to start the phone calling. If you are on the Chain and get a Crime Watch call, please do your part - pass the information along ASAP.

#### INTERNET MAILING LIST

If you use E-mail you can participate in the list. As a subscriber you will be able to send information to everyone on the list - with one mailing - or ask for information. We try to alert residents to crime watch, remind meeting times, important updates, etc.

This is not a time-consuming enterprise. So, please sign up. To do so, contact Hal Szenes via e-mail at szenes@princeton.edu

# WORTHY PROJECTS COMMITTEE

Melinda Chance has volunteered to become the Worthy Projects chairperson. If you have any ideas for projects we can undertake this year, call her with suggestions. Thanks very much Melinda!!

393-2715

# SUMMER SOCIAL

The Hiltonia Board is trying to come up with a social event for this summer. The Holiday Party is always such a good time - why wait a whole year to get together. Do you have any ideas? Do we have some musical talent that would like to entertain at a backyard concert? The harpsichord concert we had one spring was a tremendous success, do we have other types of musicians willing to share their talent? Give any Board Member a call with your idea.

# **EASTER EGG HUNT**

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt was again a delightful day for the children of Hiltonia. In addition to three prizes for each age group and candy for all, the children were excited to reveal surprises in each egg they found. Many thanks to Chris Zeppenfeld and Melinda Chance for "stuffing" all those eggs. Also thanks to Chris, Melinda and Eleanor Kubacki for their assistance in hiding the hundreds of eggs since the Easter Bunny was quite busy this year. A special thanks goes out to Margaret Cody of Renfrew Avenue for her \$25.00 donation to make the event even more special for the children and for the use of her backyard as part of the Hunt area. The remaining extra candy was donated to Anchor House. Submitted by Jackie Kutch

A giant 'thanks very much' to Jackie and her committee for

providing this special event for the children of our neighborhood.

# WELCOME WAGON AND NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Jackie Perry is visiting new residents to Hiltonia. If you have never received a welcome visit, give her a call at 599-3430.

If you have some neighborhood news including new babies, engagements, weddings, anniversaries, graduations, etc. please give Mary Pappas a call at 599-1755.

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# **CONGRATULATIONS**

Bill and Jean Harbach on Kensington Avenue are proud grandparents. Their son Greg and his wife Colleen have a new baby son, Otto William Harbach, born March 27, 1998. Colleen is the granddaughter of Ray & Mary McCormack, formerly of Buckingham Avenue. Otto has a big sister - Rayleen. Congratulations to all!!

#### HOSTS

Won't you volunteer to host a general meeting. It takes no preparation on your part - Georgia Wallar provides all refreshments, sets up and cleans up afterward - you just need to supply your home. Give her a call at 695-8711

# **MINUTES**

Minutes for March are not included this month - they will be read and/or distributed at the May General Meeting.

# **GARBAGE COLLECTION**

Monday and Thursday of each week.

NO recyclables!! NO cardboard!!

For information call 989-3175 or 989-3176

# COUNTY RECYCLE

# **Every other Thursday**

May 14, 28 Jul. 9, 23 Jun. 11, 25 Aug. 6, 20

The following guidelines are a REQUIREMENT for recycling in Mercer County.

# **GREEN BUCKET**

Newspaper and inserts, magazines and catalogs, stationery and mail, school paper, copier and computer paper, index cards and file folders, dry food and detergent boxes, shoe and gift boxes, paper bags and telephone books. KEEP CLEAN AND DRY

#### YELLOW BUCKET

Glass (clear, green & brown), food & beverage containers : RINSE, REMOVE LIDS & RINGS. DO NOT BREAK

Cans - Aluminum, tin & bi-metal cans : EMPTY & CLEAN

Plastic Bottles — only #1 or #2 (stamped on bottom) : EMPTY & RINSE, REMOVE LIDS & RINGS, FLATTEN

Aseptic Boxes & Polycoated Beverage Cartons : EMPTY & RINSE, FLATTEN

Household Drycell Batteries — zip-lock bag with supplied Green Sticker: place on top of recyclables.

For Green Stickers or additional information call.

609-695-1200

# 1998 BOARD MEMBERS

Please feel free to contact any member of the Board or Committee Member if you have any questions, would like to report information, or need any assistance relating to the neighborhood,

# **OFFICERS**

| Hal Szenes                         | PRESIDENT             |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 119 Cadwalader Drive               | 989-8134              |
| Nancy Maynard                      | 1st VICE PRESIDENT    |
| 226 Renfrew Avenue                 | 392-8623              |
| Michael Frierman                   | 2nd VICE PRESIDENT    |
| 14 Renfrew Avenue                  | 394-3556              |
| Stephen Crowder 3 Cadwalader Drive | TREASURER<br>394-7066 |
| Jackie Kutch                       | RECORDING SEC         |
| 123 Renfrew Avenue                 | 392-8948              |
| Ellen Heath Schuster               | CORRESPONDING SEC     |
| 121 Kensington Avenue              | 695-2729              |
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#### **COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

| 989-8134             | CIVIC  |
|----------------------|--|
| 393-4437<br>392-6380 | CRIME WATCH  |
| 599-1755             | HILLTONE   |
| 695-8711             | HOSPITALITY  |
| 392-6349             | MEMBERSHIP   |
| 392-8304<br>394-2314 | PUBLICITY  |
| 599-3430             | WELCOME<br>WAGON   |
| 393-2715             | WORTHY<br>PROJECTS   |
|                      | 393-4437<br>392-6380<br>599-1755<br>695-8711<br>392-6349<br>392-8304<br>394-2314<br>599-3430 |

# CLASSIFIEDS

If you have something to advertise, just let me know. This is free to the residents of Hiltonia. It could be an item to sell, a service, an announcement, etc. Just give me a call or drop a note in my mail slot at 28 Hilvista Blvd., Mary Pappas 599-1755

michael fischler, nctmb

massage therapist 609/599-9520

AMTA member by appointment

Gift Certificates