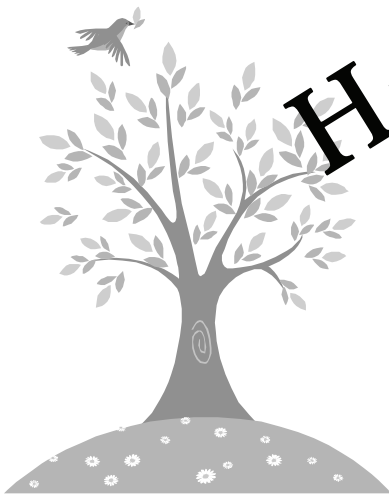


# Village Voice

April 2010

We have all the news from Hillside Village, Woodside Village, Aidylberg Village and the Love House.



Happy April to all  
Spring, flowers  
and sunshine ~  
Hooray!

## Birthdays to Celebrate

### Love House

Happy April to all!

### Hillside Village

4/12 Jerome Tilton – HV1

4/19 Thomas Green – HV1

### Aidlyberg Village

4/23 Merle Beaulieu – AV1

### Woodside Village

4/1 Carl Greer – WV3

4/3 Anita Cimeno – WV2

4/4 Ralph Silva – WV1

4/5 John McSweeney – WV4

4/10 Clark Maffit – WV2

4/16 Mary Nichols – WV4

4/18 Dorothy Worden – WV1

4/21 Lorraine O'Callaghan – WV6

4/21 Margaret Leather – WV1

4/29 Charles McKay – WV4

# please join us!

## WOODSIDE COFFEE HOUR

Woodside Village 1 Community Room

Wednesday, April 14, 2010 at 9am

*Join us for a delicious and fun coffee hour!*

**All IEH residents are welcome!**



## ***More ...News and Notes from Staff***

**Electronics Disposal Day:** Saturday April 10th 9am-2pm at M.V. Community Services. Bring your old computers, printers, TVs, phones, fax, machines, microwaves, etc. for disposal at very inexpensive rates. Proceeds benefit Community Services.



**Rabies Clinic:** Have your pet vaccinated at the Rabies Clinic on Saturday, April 3rd from 10am—12noon at the MV Animal Shelter (formerly the MSPCA). The cost for a animal is \$15.00. Dogs must be leashed and cats must be in a carrier. For more information you can contact the Shelter at 508-627-8662.

**Understanding Medicare:** For anyone new to Medicare or approaching age 65 there will be a one-evening class on April 8th, 6:30—8:30pm given by Mary Leddy (Health Care Access) through the Adult and Continuing Education Program at the High School. This will be an overview of Medicare: who is eligible, what is covered, what is not, and other supplemental insurance options. There is a fee for this class. Please call Ann Baird if you have any questions at 508-693-7009.

# The Berg Watch

Lynn and Bill Thorp

508-693-3423

**THE BERG WATCH** (a group of Woodside village Residents interested in caring for the landscape) is looking for volunteers to help care for the grounds and flower gardens an hour or more a week.

**Pick what you like to do most and chose your own schedule for doing it** (flowers, shrubs, trees, watering, woodchip renewal, etc.)

If you, or you know of family members, friends or others, who might be interested in gardening / landscaping and helping out ... let us know or give them our number.

Contact: Lynn at 508-693-3423



Get a head start on spring

## **Wednesday is "Soup" day!!**

Join in helping to get ready with planning flowers, vegetables, herbs, and lots of tomatoes for the **SPRING SEEDLING SALE !!!**

It's great fun !! Good company, food, conversation

**9:30am-12:30pm—The Community Solar Greenhouse (COMSOG)**

On New York Avenue / near Dick's Bait Shop)



Still Missing: **LARGE GREY SCOOP SHOVEL** with **YELLOW HANDLE** Last seen: Stored in Woodside Village 2.  
PLEASE return it to Woodside 2 (where last seen).

## Important Phone Numbers

Dorothy Young, Property Manager ..... 508-693-7555, ext. 14

Sandra Webster, Site Manager Hillside ..... 508-693-7577

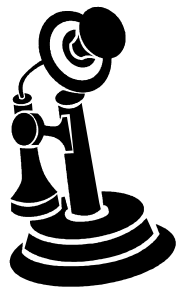
Ann Baird, Service Coordinator ..... 508-693-7009

Liam Carter, Maintenance Director ..... 508-693-8318

Daytime cellphone ..... 774-563-2149

Emergencies Nights and Weekends ..... 774-563-2148

Blueberry Van – Kevin McFarland ..... 508-693-5880 ext.15



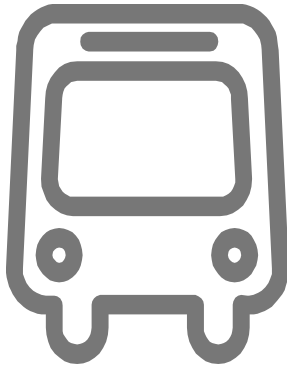
**HILLSIDE VILLAGE**

**Joan McDonough, Tenants' Association President  
(508-696-9312)**

**Thank you to Al Hopp!** who prepared and served a wonderful and delicious St. Patrick's Day Dinner in March ... and to **Betty Searle** who helped with all the set-up, serving and clean up!

Watch for notices of **upcoming cookout / barbeque and celebrate spring with us!**

## **VTA News and Bus Information !!**



The Martha's Vineyard Regional Transit Authority (VTA) is putting together a series of programs especially for elderly and disabled island residents. These programs are designed to provide a little extra help to those individuals who haven't yet tried using the bus service and would like to. The following programs are currently scheduled and more are on the way:

**Wednesday, April 7th**: a trip from Woodside Village to the Island Food Pantry. Participants must be eligible to receive aid from the food pantry. **We will leave from in front of Woodside 1 at 1:50pm.**

**Tuesday, April 13th**: a trip from Woodside Village to The Anchors for \$2 Tuesday lunches. Call Angie Azevedo at 508-693-9440 x18 to reserve your spot. **We will leave from in front of WV 1 at 11:00AM.**

**Tuesday, April 20th**: an informational meeting at Woodside Village about travel options off-island. You will learn all about the available options to get to Boston and to medical appointments off-island. Call **Angie Azevedo at 508-693-9440 ext. 18** for more information.

**These are great opportunities to learn about the bus system, both for on and off-Island trips!**

**Know Thy Neighbor**  
**Margaret Leather joins Woodside Village 1**  
**Roberta Mendlovitz**

“Mardi” is a native of Albany, NY, where she raised 3 boys and 1 girl and also was an art teacher at the middle school level. “I skied a lot”, Mardi told me. With a twinkle in her eyes “I’m just trying Woodside out” she went on to say “ to see if I’ll stay around.” We very much hope she does stay because Mardi is a delightful lady who possess a lively sense of humor as she converses on the white porch of WV1 with fellow residents. Her very active life in Albany may be over but she brought her vitality and her gentle nature to MV.

Mardi radiates a sense of fun and kindness to us while looking like she just stepped off a magazine cover. She has always liked to swim and the Y next door will no doubt meet her needs soon. In her spare time, Mardi relaxes by sketching. Her apartment radiates New England. Brought to MV by her Vineyard-resident daughter, this mother of 4, grandmother of 7 and great grandmother of 1 truly brings to WV1 a strong ray of sunshine and we love having her here.

*Note:* Last month it was printed that Linda Andrews is our youngest resident. Oops! Suzanne Walker is by far our youngest resident and one of the most loved, too!

*Another note:* due to space my remarkable interview of one of IEH’s original residents will be coming next month. Look for it!!

**Sight Loss Support Group:** A group is forming to talk about resources and provide support to those residents experiencing sight loss. The group’s first meeting will be on **May 19th, Wednesday, at 1:30pm at Woodside Village 1, Corridor A Community Room.** For more information, please call Laurie Schreiber at the Edgartown Council on Aging at 508-627-4368 or Ann Wallace at IEH 508-693-5880 x12.

# “Dinner at 5”



**WITH MOVIE MASTER HANK  
SHOWING A FABULOUS FLICK AT 6PM**

## **April Menu**

Woodside Village 2 Community Room

### Thursday, April 1

Barbeque Chicken  
Potato Salad and Dessert

### Thursday, April 8

Macaroni & Cheese with Ham  
Salad and Dessert

### Thursday, April 15

Spectacular Kevin Soup  
Salad and Rolls  
Dessert

### Thursday, April 22

Fish Sticks and Rice  
Veggie and Salad  
Dessert

### Thursday, April 29

Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable  
Salad and Dessert

Remember to call Ann Baird to sign up 693-7009

## **April Calendar**

### Blood Pressure Clinics

- Hillside: Wed., April 7 @ 10:00am (first Wednesday of the month)
- Aidylberg: Thurs., April 15 @ 10:30am (third Thursday of the month)
- Woodside 1: Mon., April 26 @ noon (last Monday of the month)
- Woodside 2: Mon., April 26 @ 1:15pm (last Monday of the month)

Rosary – Thursdays at 3:30pm at WV1

Bingo – Woodside Village - Tuesdays at 6:30pm at WV1

Hillside Village – Tuesdays at 6:00pm at HV2

Movies – Thursdays @ 6:00pm at WV2 - Hank Sjostrom is the *Movie Manager!*

AA Weekly Meeting for IEH Residents – Mondays and Fridays at 3:30pm at WV1

**Please note:** meetings are held on holidays