



# The Meadow Sweet Circular



NEWSLETTER FOR THE COTTAGES AT RIVENDELL

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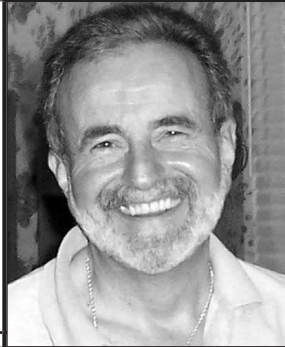
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## YOUR 2006 RIVENDELL COTTAGES BOARD OF DIRECTORS



**CHUCK BLY**  
President



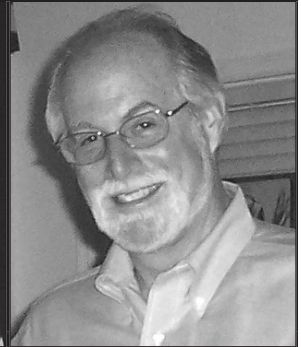
**BOB STELLATO**  
Vice President



**JOANNE BEHANNA**  
Secretary



**MARGERY ARENDT**  
Treasurer



**RICHARD PERLMAN**  
Member-at-Large

## Annual Meeting 2006

Our Annual Board meeting was held at Spanish Point on Feb 16. Three new board members were elected. They were Joanne Behanna, Richard Perlman and Bob Stellato.

Chuck Bly was elected President, Bob Stellato - Vice President, and Joanne Behanna - Secretary. Margery Arendt remains Treasurer and Richard Perlman is Member-at-Large.

## Activities Fund Report



Below you will find the current monthly Activities Fund report for January & February, 2006:

<b>BEGINNING BALANCE:</b>		<b>\$861.79</b>
Jan 29	Int'l Dinner	-\$140.50
Jan 29	50 / 50	\$47.00
Feb 13	Coffee	\$14.00
Feb 23	Wine Tasting	\$27.00
<b>ENDING BALANCE:</b>		<b>\$809.29</b>

## Maintenance Contacts

Jack Martin has retired from the Maintenance Committee. Anyone with maintenance issues or concerns should contact Larry Asarch, The Rivendell Unit One Association Manager from Argus at 927-6464 ext. 104.



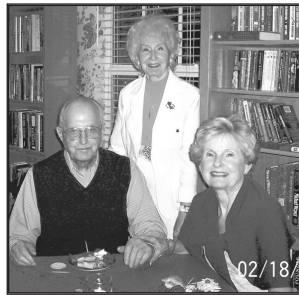
## Cottage Clubhouse Usage

Any resident who wishes to use the clubhouse for meetings or social functions, must contact the Cottage board for permission and availability information.



## Wine Tasting

On Saturday, February 18th, The Stellatos & The Perlman hosted a wine tasting at the clubhouse. There was plenty of food and wine and lovely decorations. The fun overflowed right into the library. Richard & Kathy generously donated a wine gift basket - with a cutting board hand painted by Kathy - to the Activities fund for a Raffle. The prize went to lucky Loretta Stellato, and everyone had a great evening.

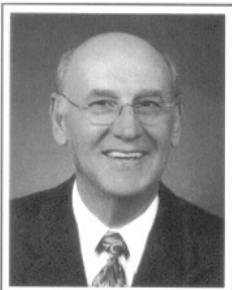


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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE COTTAGES ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY

Friday, March 17th • 6 PM  
at the Clubhouse

\$7.50 / Adults

\$2.00 / Children under 10

RSVP BY MARCH 10<sup>TH</sup>

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### HOSTS & HOSTESSES OF THE FEBRUARY 12<sup>TH</sup> COFFEE

## Coffee at the Clubhouse

Sunday, March 12<sup>th</sup>,  
10:00 AM to Noon.

Hosted by Pat & John Finnerty and  
Ken & Connie Alarie

## Coffee at the Clubhouse

Sunday, March 26<sup>th</sup>,  
10:00 AM to Noon.

Hosted by Bill & Mary Kella and  
Bob & Jackie Axiom

Meet with your friends and neighbors  
and enjoy some sweets and  
treats and relaxed conversation.  
Donation \$1.00 appreciated We  
also need volunteers to Host  
the upcoming Sunday coffees.  
Please call Barbara or Maury  
Tragar to sign up: 966-  
6291.



## Meadow Sweet Cuisine...

Recipes Contributed by your neighbors.



### Celery Seed Dressing Compliments of Margery Arendt

1 cup canola oil  
1/3 cup sugar  
1/3 cup cider vinegar  
1 small onion, quartered  
1 tbs. Dijon mustard  
1 tsp. celery seed  
1/2 tsp. salt

Blend all ingredients in blender or food processor until onion  
is well minced.

Toss over salad of mixed greens, hard-boiled eggs, bacon  
and red onion.

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## Calendar of Events

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 Coffe at the Clubhouse 10 AM - NOON	13	14	15	16	17 	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26 Coffe at the Clubhouse 10 AM - NOON	27	28	29	30	31	

### The Little Roads of Ireland • Katherine Edelman, Tipperary, Ireland

The Roman Roads run outward from the city on the hills,  
and Hollands roads will take you by gaily painted mills,  
Small pathways of the East will lead to China's ancient wall -  
But the little roads of Ireland are the loveliest of all.

In Normandy small roadways through flowering orchards run,  
The ancient roads of Syria flash under shining sun,  
And winding beauty lingers where the Rhine and Danube roll -  
But the little roads of Ireland entwine around your soul.

From Dublin Bay to Galway, from Cork to Derry town,  
From Antrim to Killarney, they ramble up and down;  
and though you are ten thousand miles from where they twist and wind,  
The little roads of Ireland stay forever in your mind.

.....  
Two drunks coming home, stumbled up the country road in the dark.

"Faith, Mike, we've stumbled into the graveyard and here's the stone of a man lived to the age of 103!"

"Glory be, Patrick and was it anybody we knew?"

"No, 'twas someone named 'Miles from Dublin'!"

