

# the Wise Fox

Monthly Newsletter of the Foxboro Jaycees

February 1993



P.O. Box 169 Foxboro, MA 02035-0169

## What About Bob?

*A Message from our President*

Fellow Jaycees,

I had one of my more enjoyable experiences, as Jaycee President, recently. On January 18th, I attended an awards luncheon at the Northrop Corporation in Norwood. Three of their employees were being recognized for outstanding community service. Our own George DiCicco (Chico) was one of the recipients. This luncheon as a very classy affair and I was pleased to be able to help honor Chico. He received a nice plaque and the Foxboro Jaycees received a check for \$500. Good work Chico!!!

On January 19th, I held a meeting to discuss our plans for this year's Founders Day. The 15 members, at the meeting, reviewed all of last year's projects and brainstormed ideas for this year. What we have come up with is a pretty firm idea of what type of projects we plan to run. The parade float and glow items will return, intact, this year. We plan to consolidate all of our various food sales into one booth. Our thinking is that we will be able to offer a varied menu, but keep it all in one central cooking area. This would cut down on manpower and expenses. Fred Badger has offered to coordinate and/or chair this area. The menu will be determined as the project moves along. Sandy Emery is acting as our liaison with the F.D. committee. She will be getting their input on this, also. The F.D. committee has requested that there



### Congratulations December Award Winners!



Jaycee of the Month:	Mark Emery
Project of the Month:	Nativity Scene Repairs
Frog of the Month:	Bill Byrnes AND Bob Webster



### Dates to Remember This Month:

Ski Trip.....	February 4-7
Auction.....	February 7
GM - Spaghetti Dinner.....	February 10
Board Meeting.....	February 24
Wise Fox Deadline.....	February 27

be more entertainment on the field this year. So, we are thinking of combining a membership booth with some sort of a Haunted House shooting gallery. The local Mason lodge approached me, recently, with interest in running an obstacle course on the field. We decided to donate the left-over props from our S.O.S. Obstacle Course project to the Masons in return for a P.R. plug on Founders Day. Frank Fitzgerald seemed very pleased with the idea of getting the stuff out of his garage after almost two years! In the coming months, our Jaycee VP's will be looking for chairmen for the different Founders day projects that fall within their areas. We will definitely keep you posted!!

Last month, I started talking about next years' Board of Directors. Inside this issue, you will find a list of all of the positions on the Board and a brief job description. I have appointed, with Board approval, a nominations committee consisting of Tim Kennedy, Fred Badger, Teresa Devlin, Paul Howard & Ed Groh. Their job, between now and March GM, is to find a qualified (and interested) candidate for every position on the Board. At the March GM, the committee will issue a report of their official nominations. At the April Elections GM, a smaller elections committee will announce the candidates, position by position, starting with President. At this time, each position will be open to nominations from the floor. In the absence of a floor nomination, an unopposed candidate is automatically elected. The election process continues through all the positions. Any positions not filled can be appointed, as needed, by the new Board. The new President and Board will take office at the Installation Banquet, on May 1st. I'm sure that this information is "old hat" to many of the readers but, I hope that our newer members are curious about the process and are interested in becoming more involved.

Bob Webster  
President



# Meeting Minutes

Mary Marshall - Secretary

Motion to accept CD - second - passed.

## Ways & Means (J. O'Neill)

- Christmas Tree Sales: Very successful.
- Dinner Booklets: Still for sale at \$19.95.
- Pancake Breakfast Placemats: Chairman - Deb Wendell.

Motion to accept W&M - second - passed.

## Membership (T. Devlin)

- Second Half Committee: Meeting to be scheduled.
- Referrals!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Motion to accept Membership - second - passed.

## Old Business

- Tree Removal: Tree needs to be cut down. Motion to be addressed at Feb. GM.

## New Business

- Founder's Day (June 12): Sandy Emery is Jaycee liasion. Planning needs to begin ASAP. Current Board will oversee Chapter activity. Meeting at the Websters on Jan. 19.
- George DiCicco recipient of award from Northup Corp. for community service work. Donation to be given to the Foxboro Jaycees.

## Monthly Awards

Project of the Month: Nativity Scene Repairs. Good work Deb!

Jaycee of the Month: Mark Emery. Thanks Mark!

Frog of the Month: Bob Webster and Bill Byrnes.

# Membership

Teresa Devlin - Vice President

Fellow Jaycees...With the month of February upon us, I,m setting up a new Membership Committee as well as creating some new ideas for attracting potential members. New and old members let's get the word out about this fantastic chapter! It's up to all of us to bring in new members...let's do it!

Does anyone have any referrals???

## MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

The Membership Committee will be having their first meeting early in February. Again, the purpose of the Membership Committee is to brainstorm creative ideas for attracting potential new members as well as developing another type of a Membership Drive. So...get involved so our chapter can grow and grow!!!

## MEMBERSHIP BOOTH

The next Membership Booth will be set up at The Pancake Breakfast. So...if anyone is interested in helping out please see me. Also, if anyone has any great ideas for an interesting/great/different kind of booth, please see me! Any raffle ideas???

Don't Forget The Membership Challenge...REcruit,referrals, recruit, referrals, recruit, referrals, recruit, referrals...  
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THANKS!!!

John O'Neill - Vice President

FEBRUARY 1993

WELCOME TO THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF WAYS + MEANS.

MY WAYS+MEANS STAFF IS ON VACATION AND THEY TOOK THE TYPEWRITER, BUT THE SHOW MUST GO ON! (AS ELVIS ONCE SAID) SO I AM PERSONALLY PRINTING UP THIS REPORT MYSELF; YOU WISEFOX FANS MEAN THAT MUCH TO ME.

AS WE PREPARE FOR THE UPCOMING PANCAKE BREAKFAST, DEBBIE WENDELL (WHO IS CHAIRING THE PANCAKE BREAKFAST PLACEMATS PROJECT) IS HITTING THE STREETS SEARCHING FOR NEW SPONSORS. SHE IS BEING ASSISTED BY CHICO DICICCO, WHO AS YOU MAY OR MAY NOT KNOW HAS CONNECTIONS IN THE COMMUNITY. THE TWO WILL MAKE A GREAT TEAM.

THAT'S ALL FOR NOW...

AS ELVIS ONCE SAID: "FLIP FLOP AND FLY" (FROM THE SONG "FLIP FLOP AND FLY")

SO PLAN ON FLIPPING SOME PANCAKES AT THE PANCAKE BREAKFAST SO THE PROJECT ISNT A FLOP BUT A FLYING SUCCESS!

P.S. MY STAFF TOOK MY ELVIS STAMP WITH THEM TOO!

# Individual Development

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Tom Sawran - Vice President

**THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR ID REPORT**



# Community Development

Peter St. Laurent - Vice President

ELDERS COMMITTEE---G. DEVLIN

GEORGE HAS FORMED A COMMITTEE TO ENCOURAGE THE JAYCEES TO DEVELOP A PROGRAM THAT WILL HELP THE ELDERS. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, AND HAVE SOME IDEAS BE IT TRIPS, VISITING, BINGO, ENTERTAINMENT, PLEASE CALL GEORGE HE WILL UPDATE YOU OF WHAT THEY ARE PLANNING.

SENIOR CITIZEN MOVE---K. HADLEY

KEVIN HAS INFORMED ME THAT A SENIOR CITIZEN ASKED IF WE COULD HELP HIM MOVE HIS BROTHERS STUFF FROM CENTENNIAL COURT TO NORTH ST. TIME AND DATE ARE STILL NOT FINALIZED BUT IF YOUR INTERESTED PLEASE CALL ME.

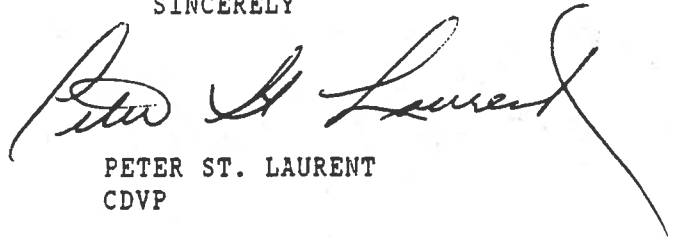
## Cards of Thanks

Through your paper I would like to personally thank the men and women of the Jaycees who donated their time to carol for the seniors last Tuesday night.

Speaking for myself it was part of what makes the holidays so special, giving of one's time and energy for the pleasure of others. These men and women deserve a high five for their selflessness. My best to them all in the New Year.

Margaret Glennon

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PETER ST. LAURENT  
CDVP

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--Congratulations to Kevin and Dawn Hadley on their new addition! Avalon Elizabeth Hadley arrived right on schedule on January 26, 1993 weighing in at 6 lbs. 14 oz.

--Debbie Howard (Paul's wife) has been named to the 1992 dean's list for the day and evening divisions of continuing education at Massasoit Community College.

--Save your pizza coupons! Lucy Wilhelm is still in a cast so chef Gordon is doing the family cooking (ordering).





John MacLure  
 Northrop Corporation  
 100 Morse Street  
 Norwood, Ma. 02062

January 19, 1993

Dear John,

I would like to take the opportunity to thank you and the Northrop Corporation for inviting me to your community service awards luncheon today. It was nice to see George DiCicco being recognized, within his workplace, for all of the community service work that he performs on his own time.

The Foxboro Jaycees work very hard to make our community a better place in which to live. It is fulfilling to see that an organization the size of yours appreciates that type of dedication. Your very generous donation will help us to continue to serve the needs of our community.

Thanks Again,

Bob Webster, President  
 The Foxboro Jaycees

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# Friends of Wrentham, Inc.

131 Emerald Street  
Wrentham, MA 02093  
(508) 384-3116

President: Steve Nelson  
Treasurer: John McTernan  
Clerk: Richard Krant

Members of the Board

Thomas Crosby  
Leo McCrann  
Gerald Rodman

December 21, 1992

Dear Friends of Wrentham State School,

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you sincerely for supporting the Friends of Wrentham Holiday Gala Dinner Dance, Fashion Show, and Auction, which was held on Friday, December 4, 1992, at the Lake View Pavilion in Foxboro.

This was the 4th Annual Gala and by far the biggest and best yet. As honorary chairpersons, we are pleased to see this event grow each year in both size and in fund raising for such a worthy cause.

The Wrentham State School is home to 575 men and women who are diagnosed with mental retardation, and your continued support of the Holiday Gala helps the School provide the quality recreational programs and resources which has made it one of the leading facilities for individuals with mental retardation in the nation.

Again, thank you for your support and for being a true "Friend" of Wrentham State School. Wishing you a very happy holiday season and a joyous New Year.

Sincerely,

Robbi and Steve Grogan  
Honorary Chairpersons  
Friends of Wrentham Holiday Gala

*For the benefit of the residents of Wrentham State School*





Peter St. Laurent of Mechanic Street prepares his sons, Matthew, and Michael, 7, for a ride down the slopes behind the soccer field at Ahern Middle School. The popular sledding hills, created when

the former high school baseball field was carved out three decades ago, drew about 40 thrill-seekers last Saturday morning. (Photo by Frank Mortimer)

Bob + Jane

Thank you for the opportunity to share my thoughts with you and the Foxboro Jaycees

*With sincere thanks  
and appreciation.*

It is difficult to start a new business and I hope every audience I come in contact with is as delightful. Please pass along my name to anyone you think may benefit from my services and don't hesitate to call if you  
Regards

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JANUARY 17-23, 1993

## Community Development Individual Development Self-Satisfaction

*Join The Growing Family of The Foxboro Jaycees.*

### EXAMPLES OF THE JAYCEE PROJECTS:

- Jaycees Haunted House
- Santa On The Common
- Christmas Tree Sales.
- Sand For Seniors.

### PROJECTS COMING UP:

- Pancake Breakfast
- Cable-T.V. Auction
- Jaycees Ski Trip

Monthly General Membership Meetings held the second Wednesday of every month at The Foxboro Community Center on South Street.

For more information, contact  
**BETH FINCH, JAYCEES WEEK CHAIRPERSON**  
**543-3201**

*If you are between the ages of 18 and 40*

## JOIN US!

## LEADERSHIP TRAINING THROUGH COMMUNITY SERVICE

# Community Development

Peter St. Laurent - Vice President

CAMP LINCOLN HILL REPAIRS---M. EMERY

MARK HAS BEGUN THE REPAIRS ON THE BUILDING. HE IS REPAIRING THE BROKEN AND WILL BE INSTALLING A NEW DOOR ALONG WITH PAINTING AND POLY. IF YOU HAVE ANY TIME TO HELP OUT WITH THESE TASKS. PLEASE CALL MARK.

J.C. ROADSIGN REPAIRS---C. BERTOLINO

THE SIGNS HAVE BEEN ORDERED. IT TAKES 4 TO 6 WEEKS TO COME IN. AS SOON AS HE GETS THEM HE WILL BE INSTALLING THEM THROUGHOUT THE TOWN.

SAND FOR SENIORS---F. BADGER

FRED CONTINUES TO SUPPORT THE REQUEST OF SAND FOR OUR SENIOR CITIZENS. THERE ARE ABOUT 70 BUCKETS OUT AND HE REFILLS THEM UPON REQUEST.

T.V. AUCTION---CHICO

CHICO HAS COORDINATE THE WALK THROUGHOUT AT THE CABLEVISION STUDIOS AND HE HAS A FEW PEOPLE SIGN-UP TO WORK ON THE DAY FEBRUARY 7TH. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PARTICIPATE CALL CHICO. ALSO WATCH FOR GREAT DEAL ON CABLE ACCESS CHANNEL THE DAY OF THE EVENT.

PROJECT HEAD FIRST---K.APGAR/D.WOOD

KAREN HAS EXPRESSED AN INTEREST IN RUNNING THIS PROJECT THIS YEAR SO DEB WILL BE WORKING WITH KAREN TO MAKE THIS PROJECT A SUCCESS. THEY HAVE THE RIGHT CONTACTS FOR THIS TYPE OF PROJECT AND I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING A GREAT RESPONSE AT THE SCHOOLS

JAYCEE WEEK---B. FINCH

THE ADS WAS RUN IN THE REPORTER. AND FLYERS WERE DISTRIBUTED TO STORE FRONTS IN TOWN. WE HOPE WITH HER EFFORTS THAT THE TOWN WILL BECOME INTERESTED IN THE JAYCESS AND EVEN ENCOURAGE MORE RESIDENTS TO JOIN.

PANCAK; BREAKFAST---P. ST. LAURENT

I HAVE MET WITH MY COMMITTEE THREE TIMES AND THINGS ARE MOVING ALONG MARK EMERY HAS DONE A FINE JOB IN GETTING THE TICKETS NUMBERED AND DISTRIBUTED. CARL IN PRICING THE FOOD. YOU WILL SEE SOME PUBLICITY FROM KEVIN HADLEY SOON. AND CHICO AND LAREN ARE DOING THE SET UP AT THE HIGH SCHOOL. OH YEA. YOU WILL BE GETTING MANPOWER CALLS FROM MARY MARSHALL AND SANDY SMITH SO MARK YOUR CALENDAR MARCH 28TH 1993

## BOARD OF DIRECTOR JOB DESCRIPTIONS

A complete list of job descriptions for all of the Board positions is included in the current By-Laws. The following listing is a simplified (and subjective) description of the duties of the various positions:

### CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

- Previous year's President serving as advisor to the Board

### PRESIDENT

- Oversee operation of the chapter
- Prepare a plan for the year including a complete budget that is presented to the membership at the June GM
- Chair all GM meetings and Board meetings

### INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT VP

- Oversee and find chairman for all of the projects in the ID area. These projects include anything that is for the benefit of the membership (GM's, Socials, Training, Sports, etc.).

### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT VP

- Oversee and find chairman for all of the projects in the CD area. CD projects are those that benefit the community (Scholarships, Donations, Seniors & Kids Programs, etc.).

### WAYS AND MEANS VP

- Oversee and find chairman for all money making and chapter fund raising projects (Haunted House, Tree Sales, etc.).

### MEMBERSHIP VP

- Create a committee to handle all recruiting and orientation projects (Call Nights, Membership Booths, New Member Socials, etc.).

### SECRETARY

- Handle all mail, work with the Treasurer on the roster, take minutes at all meetings, take charge of out going Chapter correspondence (Thank You notes, Sympathy cards, etc.).

### TREASURER

- Manage the chapter's finances, including handling dues billing and collection.
- Create a monthly report detailing the chapter finances.

## DIRECTORS

- To help the area VP to which they are assigned and to serve on the Board and help plan chapter business.

**ALL OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS SHOULD PLAN TO ATTEND ALL REGULARLY SCHEDULED GM AND BOARD MEETINGS.**

The following positions, while not considered part of the Board of Directors, are very important to the running of the chapter:

### MEETINGS AND PROGRAMS CHAIRMAN

- Works within the ID area
- Plan all GM programs (except Associates Night)

### PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

- Works within the CD area.
- Help project chairman and committees to obtain publicity
- Keep a scrapbook of news clippings for the year

### WISE FOX EDITOR

- Works within the Secretary's area
- Supervise the publication of our monthly newsletter

As I mentioned earlier, there is a much more complete description of all of the positions in our By-Laws. If a position is of interest to you, look it up in the By-Laws or speak to me or another Board member about it. You may also notice that there are several other positions listed in the By-Laws. The positions that I listed above are the ones that we are presently utilizing. Future administrations may expand the Board to include any or all of the additional positions as needed.

Being on the Board of Directors is extra work, but it is also a lot of fun. You get to be involved in the planning of all chapter business. While a VP position might not be right for a brand new member, there are plenty of other positions that would be. Don't be afraid to make the commitment. It is well worth it!!

Bob Webster

WEAR RED, WHITE AND BLUE - SHOW THE PATRIOT SPIRIT !!!

BRING A FRIEND - ALL ARE WELCOME !!!

Mr. Jankovich will speak on How the Pats Affect Our Community

Starting Time - 7:30 pm

At the December General Membership Meeting - South Foxboro Community Center

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

Chief Executive Officer

SAM JANKOVICH

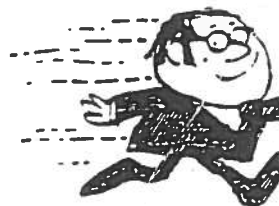
Please Help Us Welcome Our Guest Speaker

# NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS FOOTBALL CLUB



# the Wise Fox

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First Class Ma