



Dear BHNA members and future members,

As we look upon this past year serving as the board members of BHNA, we are thrilled to have had an opportunity to be a part of such a generous and enthusiastic community of residents and merchants. Last January, we began to consider the idea of incorporating a community bulletin board in the hamlet of Bedford Hills (the only hamlet without one!). Through the extreme generosity of Kevin Brenner and Brenner builders, we were able to turn an idea into a reality. Kevin Brenner donated his time and materials to construct the most outstanding Community Bulletin Board, which will be located at Depot Plaza. Frank Visconti, architect, designed the board. The beautiful plaque that will grace the board was also donated, thanks to John Oliva of C&M Signs. In addition, the Bedford Hills Centennial Committee thoughtfully contributed funds toward this project. We look forward to announcing the dedication of this board. *Details will follow soon.*

Last Spring, BHNA sponsored the first 5K run through our hamlet. The dedicated Run for the Hills Committee worked hard to organize a large group of runners, volunteers, and sponsors. It was a huge success for all who ran and participated. **RFTH is scheduled this year for Saturday, April 2.** Runners and walkers are welcomed. Volunteers are needed. Please let us know if you can help.

In addition to RFTH, BHNA sponsored our annual Clean-up Day and a feisty Pie-Baking Contest at the Centennial Celebration. We hope to bring back the Pie Baking Contest in some capacity before the next Centennial celebration! Once again, well-known bakers from our very own Bedford Hills donated their time to judge the delicious wares.

During the summer, we were eager to have a new logo designed. Dan Cohen stepped-up to this task and we are thrilled with the results. After finalizing the logo we decided it was time for BHNA to become a part of the web and Facebook. Look for us at our web site at : [www.BHNA10507.com](http://www.BHNA10507.com) or "like" us on Facebook at Bedford Hills Neighborhood Association.

This fall, we proudly sponsored our first Community Forum at the Community House where town officials were available to answer any community-based questions or concerns of residents and merchants. During October, BHNA paired up with the Chamber of Commerce for a Pumpkin Festival in a new location. Refreshments and a DJ were supplied by both organizations.

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As 2010 come to a close, we were once again touched by the generosity of residents such as David Singer and Kevin McGinn, Bedford Community Theater, Bedford Sportsman, as well as the BHFD who made the traditional Christmas Tree Lighting just a little more magical. The very well-attended event was thoroughly enjoyed by all who braved the cold weather.

We look forward to serving another term in our current positions, but as our by-laws state, we open the opportunity to anyone who is interested in becoming elected to these roles. Please let us know if this interests you.

Our annual BHNA meeting is scheduled at the Community House on **Monday, March 28 at 7pm**. We will discuss upcoming events and fundraisers, as well as our intentions for funds raised, such as a student scholarship. We hope you can attend.

As we begin a new year, please consider paying your \$5 annual dues. Within the next few weeks, we hope to link PayPal to our web site to make paying your dues even easier. Don't worry, we'll remind you!

Your BHNA officers,  
Janet, Boo, Paula, and Whitney