

The Glencannon

A Newsletter for
the Glencannon Community

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New Officers 2006-2007

Please note the newly elected officers for the Glencannon Board, as listed above, for 2006 – 2007. The Board and the community would like to offer generous thanks to last year's Board, Doug Strait, Quentin Taylor, Carol Ferrara, John Mannino, Chuck Manns, Joe Hall, and Dana Hanton, for an excellent year.

Spring Clean-up

Saturday April 1 was spring clean-up. This year our community also used contractors for spring clean-up.

Per Libby Baylies the park clean up was "Great!" We had a fabulous turnout – or so those who have attended in the past tell her. We had about a dozen people come, lots of men with noisy tools who had a blast cleaning up along the bank of the stream (Jeff Macdonald, Doug Strait, Ron Schmiedekamp, Robbie Manemann, and some others. Some couples came with pruners and saws and did a lot of hard work, pulling down vines and hauling old limbs from the edge of the woods (Mike Farmer, Neil, Carol, Nick Burns along with Libby, and Dave with his chainsaw.

Two young men - Danny Macdonald and his friend, Walisko, showed up to help, and it was nice to see the younger generation getting involved too.

Robbie Manemann came with his little tractor and pulled all kinds of stuff that was just too much for the older generation to handle. Everyone worked very hard for four hours.

The team that we hired to cut and chip was wonderful but four hours proved not to be enough time to get it all done. There are still a few things left to be done. We will include them on the fall clean up.

And, last but not least, we should all give a big round of applause to Ron Schmiedekamp for setting up the cleanup and working so hard with the hired team. Our park looks beautiful thanks to him and I hope that everyone takes a walk there in the near future to enjoy this beautiful asset that is a part of Glencannon!

Thank you everybody!