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EDITORIAL

A WILD NIGHT AT OUR HOUSE HOW TRUE IT IS

Another year has passed and we're all a little older. This summer feels hotter and winters seemed much colder.

I rack my brain for happy thoughts, to put down on my pad, but lots of things that come to mind just make me kind of sad.

There was a time not long ago when life was quite a blast. Now I fully understand about "Living in the Past".

We used to go to friends homes, football games and lunches, now we go to therapy, to hospitals, and after-funeral brunches.

We used to have hangovers, from parties that were gay. Now we suffer body aches and sleep the night away.

We used to go out dining, and couldn't get our fill. Now we ask for doggie bags, come home and take a pill.

We used to often travel to places near and far. Now we get backaches from riding in the car.

We used to go out shopping for new clothing at the Mall But, now we never bother...all the sizes are too small.

That, my friend is how life is, and now my tale is told, So, enjoy each day and live it up... before you're too darn old!!!

IN MEMORY OF

**IN LOVING MEMORY OF OUR VERY BELOVED NIECE,
MICHELE ANDRES BRAUN, DAUGHTER OF MY SISTER,
RUTHE AVERBUCK BRAUN.**

LORETTE (AVERBUCK) & MEL CHANDLER

In honor of my husband's memory - Leon Brass
Ann Brass

In memory of our beloved mother, Ethel Paltrowitz, from her daughters, Marsha Paltrowitz Burd and Ina Paltrowitz Zibbell.

To the memory of our long time friend, Oscar Cohen, gone but not forgotten. Sumner L. Gilfix & The Lucerne Street gang.

MAZEL TOV TO

Sandra (Newman) Bossie of Deerfield Beach FL. is happy to announce the Bas Mitzvah of her granddaughter Jasmine Sophia Bossie of North Potamac, MD and the Bar Mitzvah of her grandson Matthew Scott Guzy of Boca Raton, FL.

Congratulations to Simeon & Glenda (Goldberg) Korisky of Randolph, MA. whose grandson Matthew E. Heiss, graduated from Woodland Regional High School, he was Senior Class Treasurer & a member of the National Honor Society.

Aslo Simeon was appointed as a full member of Randolph's Zonig Board of Appeals.

Doris Zeprun of Chestnut Hill, MA her granddaughter Tara Jill Novack graduated George Washington College, Magna Cum Laude and will be attending George Washington Law School. granddaughter Brittany will also be attending George Washington University, finally grandson Brandon will be attending Bryant College in Rhode Island.

Milton & Sally Kline of Stoughton, MA. announce the Bar Mitzvah of their grandson Adam Kewriga on June 24, 2006. Their grandson Michael Porazanski returned home safely after serving in Afganstan for 16 months,. He was awarded the Bronze Star Medal.

Arlene Berinsky Morris of Stoughton, MA. is pleased to announce the Bar Mitzvah of grandson Ethan Hoffman, Ethan is the grandson of the late Elliot Morris. His parents are Emily & Ben Hoffman.

Congratulations to Phyllis (Shaff) & Howard Mendelsohn of Sharon, MA. in honor of their granddaughter, Cindi Powell's Bat Mitzvah, she is the daughter of Susan & David Powell of Sharon, MA.

AN OLD HOTDOG STORY

There once was a man who lived by the side of the road and sold and sold hot dogs. He was hard of hearing so he had no radio. He had trouble with his eyes so he read no newspapers. But he sold good hot dogs. He was a firm believer in advertising so he put up signs along the highway advertising the merits of his hot dogs and he stood by the side of the road and cried: "Buy a hot dog, mister!" (and people bought), He increased his meat and bun order. He bought a bigger stove to take care of his trade. Finally business became so good that he brought his son home from the city to help him. Then something happened, his son said, "Father, haven't you been listening to the radio? Haven't you been reading the newspapers? There is a big depression on. The European situation is terrible. The domestic situation is worse. Everything is going to pot". Where upon the father thought: Well, my son has been to college. He has lived in the city with big businessman. He reads the papers and listens to the radio, he ought to know. so the father cut down on his meat and bun orders, curtailed his advertising, and no longer bothered to stand by the highway and call out his wares. His sales fell off almost overnight. He said to his son: You were right, son, we certainly are in the middle of a great depression. The moral is, the success of our organization depends largely on the enthusiasm and initiative with our membership.

PRESIDENT MESSAGE

As you know in the past couple of newsletters I wrote articles regarding the fact that the organization needs the memberships help with donations. (which is tax deductible)

The July newsletter asking for your donations was the best we ever had, and I personally would like to thank all the members who helped us in our time of needs. It's still gratifying to see that a good part of our membership really care, all I ask is to keep it coming.

We appreciate those of you who responded to our last affair and we are the the process of many in the future, (see enclosed flyer) and February 27, 2007 a reunion brunch in Davies, FL.

Lets make this event a super success.

We are trying to run affairs for you the membership here in Massachusetts and we have a problem getting you to come, "WHY!"The Board would like to have, which is coming up June 2008 our 20th anniversary, But, theres always a but, how many of our members would attend! The talk is to go back where it all started in 1988 to the Blue Hill Country Club. Please e-mail to myclowns@aol.com or drop us a note to the Post Office Box and let us know your ideas. Bearing in mind that the affair will probably be costly. We look very much forward to your opinion. An affair cannot be a success unless we have a super attendance.

NOTICE FROM THE EDITOR

"PLEASE KEEP US INFORMED"

Dear FFA member, if your address, zip code, telephone number, area code or any personal information has changed since our last newsletter, please let us know so we can update our files.

If your name has been misspelled in the newsletter or on a mailing label. Please notify us so we can make the corrections.

Your Franklin Field Association welcomes all monetary contributions from its members, regardless of the amount, all contributions are tax deductible.

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GET WELL

Get well wishes to Evelyn Nessen on her recent surgery.
from Ellie Forman

A speedy recovery to Evelyn Nessen on her recent surgery.
from Loretta (Averbuck) Chandler

DONATIONS

Sumner & Joanne Katz,
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Delray Beach, FL.
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Canton, MA.
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A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU TO:

Leonard & Helene (Newman) Bloom,	Rockville, MD.
Stan Sobelman	Sharon, MA.
Fred & Gilda Slifka,	Boston, MA.
Loretta (Averbuck) & Mel Chandler,	Boca Raton, FL.

NOTES FROM OUR MEMBERS

Thank you for your work on the Franklin Field Association Newsletter. I have been living in Washington, DC the last 35 years and do not come in contact with many of my old freinds from Boston, But I enjoy reading about happenings from home. David Kline, Washington, DC

Morty & I always enjoy reading the FFA newsletter. Keep up the great work. Hope everyone has a great season. Best wishes to all, Ealine & Morty Warshaver.

What a great time I had at the Jazz Brunch. The food was yummy, the music was great and best of all was seeing the "kids" I went to high school with. Thank you Evelyn & Bert Nessen.
Merle Levenbaum

Thanks for the wonderful newsletter, keep them coming, We will not make this coming affair but we'll try and make the next one. Regards, Ed & Ethel Curelop, Brockton, MA.

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NEW GRANDPARENTS

Helene (Newman) & Leonatd Bloom of Rockville, MD are proud to announce the borth of their 2nd grandchild, a girl, Chayann Adele born June 12, 2006.

Stan Sobelman of Sharon, MA. would like to announce the birth of Jason Kuphal to Remi (Sobelman) & Gary of Franklin, MA. as our 5th grandchild.

Congratulations to Connie & Lou Corey on the birth of their grandson, Ethan Corey Steward.
from Anne & David Goldman

Bernie & Betsy (Siegel) Price of Highland Beach, FL. announce the birth of their 5th and final grandchild, Gillian Leigh Price, born to David & Beth Price of Nashville, TN.

On August 6th 2006 Stan & Fran Ross of Canton, MA & Delray Beach, FL. were blessed with their 14th grandchild, Tori Madison Holmes, her parents Ronnie & Luarie Holmes of West Roxbury.



LONG AGO & FAR AWAY

1948

Arnie Grell, Irwin Fine, Lenny Sack, Bert Nessen



L-R (front Row) Murray (Fishgal) Fisher, Jerry Engel ▲
 Fred Slifka, Irving Gordon
(back Row) Stanley Brown, Lenny Brown

▲ **THE ALMONTS
 BASEBALL TEAM**

TOP: Saul Spitz, Noby Kaufman,
 Herb Rosenblatt
 Red Abermovitz, Odd Jobs

BOTTOM: Kenny Worswick, Mel Kramer,
 Bernie Red Kaufman



**JUNE
 1951**

Sandy (Godhart)
 Koltz
 Barbara (Blacker)
 Blotkin
 Elaine (charloff)
 Slovin



◀ **FRIENDS FOR 65 YEARS**

Joan (Berman) Worswick
 Marilyn (Toubar) Franks

**1946
 MAGNOLIA ST.**

Eddy Isgar, Irma
 Rock, Phyllis
 Richman, Barry
 Linsky ▶



CONDOLENCE

Condolences to Bill Skloff of Mt. Laurel, NJ on the loss of his beloved wife Shirley.

Condolences to Paula (Sands) Swartz of Chestnut Hill, MA. & Roberta (Sands) Chafetz of Brookline, MA. on the loss of their beloved mother Mary (Katz) Sands.

We extend condolences to our dear friend Edward (Label) Cutler on the loss of his brother-in-law, Morty Rosen husband of Label's sister Sydell, from Elaine & Alan Shneider, Mashpee, MA.

Condolence to Ken Goldstein of So. Easton, MA. on the passing of his wife Harriet.

Condolences to Morris Spiegel of Canton, MA. on the loss of his beloved wife Annetta (Lampert) Spiegel, from Phyllis & Skip Gitelman.

Condolences to Bobby (Halpern) Rabinovitz, of Hull, MA. on the loss of her beloved husband William Rabinovitz. from Phyllis & Skip Gitelman.

Condolences to the children of Morris Spiegel on the loss of their beloved mother Annette (Lampert) Spiegel. from Phyllis & Skip Gitelman.

Phyllis (Fisher) Waterman of Sharon, MA. on the loss of her husband Al Waterman.

Condolences to Elaine (Brothers) Cohen of Randolph, MA. on the loss of her beloved husband, Oscar Cohen.

Condolences to the family of Paul Chernov of Lee, MA. from Cousins Evelyn & Bert Nessen & Merle & Lester Levenbaum.

ANNIVERSARIES



45th: Chick & Roberta (Saltzman) Steinberg of Boca Raton, FL.

50th: Saul & Barbara (Feldman) Hatch of Margate, FL. celebrated their anniversary with their children-grandchildren & a host of family and freinds.

Lowell & Claire (Fritz) Landy of Fountain Hills, AZ.

Herb & Nan White of No.Falmouth, MA.

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FFA COMING EVENTS

In Florida: Again the Committee has done it , they have booked for you the membership another great reunion on February 25, 2007, mark the date on your calander to save that day.

See enclosed flyer. For more Information contact:
Elaine: elane@excite.com
Loretta: melandlor@aol.com

OUR LAST EVENT

On September 14, 2006 the FFA ran its 1st mah jongg tournament, A good time was had by all that attended. A new location is being looked at and we look forward to seeing you all again, Bigger and Better is being anticipated.

A very special thanks to member Dotty Rosenberg for doing a great job helping Ellie Forman run the tournament.

The following lucky girls went home with:

Cash prizes:

- 1) Elayne Shuman
- 2) Shirley Shuman
- 3) Barbara Kass
- 4) Marcia Eizenberg

Door prizes:

- 1) Marcia (Berman) Sunderland
- 2) Terry (Denman) Mermelstein
- 3) Marcia (Epstein) Eizenberg
- 4) Florence Glodblatt

ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce both the retirements of Dick & Phyllis Sundook and their relocation from Canton, MA. to Delray Beach, FL.

Congradutlations to Harriet Rosenberg Fink on her graduation of becoming a Physicans Assistant - With love from her parents Dotty (Williams) & Gerry Rosenberg and her brothers David & Steven Rosenberg.

Fran & Al Pell of Randolph, MA. would like to thank all their friends who came to their suprise 50th anniversary party given by their daughters on 8/19/06, it was a blast.

To Fred & Gilda Slifka a very special thank you for the generous donation in helping to make the Florida brunch a success.