To: Priscilla Beach Association Members and Neighbors

From: John Reardon, President, PBA 23 Wellington Rd. 508-224-7160

Re: Greetings from the President and the Board, June 23, 2012 www.priscillabch.org.

Another season is upon us, and things move fast. Let me first state how privileged I feel to be President this term. After twelve years here as a resident, business operator, board member, Treasurer, dog walker and grandfather, it is a big jump out front. It will be a lot of work. I know you will help out. Many already have.

**TOPIC 'A', THE BEACH:** Ya, it stinks, so do the flies. We did our normal work there permitted before Memorial Day. Then the big storm with a plus tide came. We had to go back to the Town Conservation office for special permission, now granted, to bring equipment back. Scheduling, tides, and hot day beachgoers have hindered the perfect time to correct the issues. We are actually a bit lucky, Duxbury and Manomet have bigger issues with raw sewerage. **OUR PROBLEM WILL BE FIXED. Bear with us, and when you see the equipment show up, please let them do their magic.** 

**NEW TOPICS**: Our opening meeting will be Saturday June 30, 10 AM at the clubhouse. Bonfire night will be Tuesday July 3<sup>rd</sup>. We hope to have private security as well as the Town efforts. Please ask anyone you see to please be respectful of everyone's rights and property rights. We ask that NO fires or fireworks be deployed North of the steps at "Welch's Landing". These are private areas, not PBA land. Additionally, please protect the decorative coastal plantings. Cost of security should be addressed.

**SUMMER CALENDAR:** still in development will include the old favorites (sandcastle contest, kids dances, Labor Day races) and the ice cream party started by Julianne. This year "BFAD" will reprise a dance with their "cover band" tunes. A comedy night is being planned and a backup "rainy day" art class for kids. Maybe another adult event. The Yoga and stretch classes may begin Tuesday AM (26<sup>th</sup>). C'mon guys give me more! And don't wait to be asked to help out, you are in!

**PROPERTY PROJECTS:** We are still receiving much appreciated gifts to defray the costs of roof replacement at the clubhouse. Between last year and this year, we are at almost \$5,000. This year we need to repair the "Locker" (shed) and the buoy lines.

**VOLUNTEER BEACH CLEANUP**: scheduling soon; look for signs at beach.

**NEW BANNED PHRASE:** "When are they going to do......"?

**NEW ACCEPTABLE PHRASE:** "When are we going to do......"?

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