

Golden Beach Newsletter August 2020



Golden Beach becomes even more beautiful.

THANK YOU!

Many thanks to Beat and Ingrid Lehmann for their kind donation of a lovely orange-blooming Geiger tree, which now graces the easement front entrance. Beat delivered and installed the tree with the help of Mike Muhlbauer and Peter Virgilio. Our new Geiger tree joins a number of plantings recently done on the easement frontage by Beat, Mike Muhlbauer, Steve Oglethorpe, and Peter Virgilio. The front garden now includes dwarf oleander, garlic plants, *thryallis*, firecracker, *crinium asiaticum* and more. Thanks also to Maureen Eberhart for spotting and removing wayward weeds!

Watering of the plants and tree is made much easier thanks to the Malkerson twins, who stepped up in repairing several plumbing issues -- including replacing the hose shut-off valve at our front storage box and repairing leaks at the overflow connector.

PARKING

The number of cars given warnings for trespassing has tapered off as usual during these summer months. Clear, clean new signage -- now in development for installation later this year -- should further reduce any ongoing parking issue.

SIGNAGE

A tasteful "No Smoking - Thank You" sign was added to a gazebo pole.

TRASH

Reminder: trash and recycling cans are only for beach use. There was an issue recently, with several bags of household trash left in the easement trash can by renters who 'overflowed' their rental home cans. Members who rent out homes should remind renters that household trash remains at the house for curbside pickup, and should not be ... redistributed.

PAVERS

Our newly engraved pavers should be installed this month.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Sand tracked from the beach builds up in the base of our easement shower. We are looking for a volunteer to help with occasional (quarterly?) removal of the sand. The process is simple: shovel out the sand, and cart it a few yards back to the beach. Interested in helping? Call Peter at 617-413-6301. (And thank you to our new neighbor Richard Luckert for helping this month!)