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2008 NEWSLETTER

Many thanks to Commodore Rich Amons for allowing us to meet at the Townsends Inlet Yacht Club to hold our South End Neighborhood Association meeting. The meeting was very well attended and everyone enjoyed the luncheon. Commodore Amons was kind enough to set up a South End Neighborhood Association web site for those who could not attend this meeting. The site is www.tiyachtclub.com This web site will keep you updated on what is going on at the Council Meetings and also the projects that the South End Neighbor Association is working on through out the year. We thank the Townsends Inlet Yacht Club for all their help and support.

At our meeting members volunteered for the Town Watch/ Town Pride program to patrol the neighborhoods on the off season and if any one is interested in signing up please let us know.

We're working with the Townsends Inlet Garden Club in order to get the best prices for the flowers at the entrances at the beaches. We also have South End Neighborhood Association members signed up to volunteer to plant the flowers at the entrances of the beaches. If you would like to either help plant flowers or volunteer a couple minutes a week to water a planter on your street please let me know. The Townsends Inlet Garden Club also offered to help with the planting of the flowers and they would like the South End Neighborhood Association members to know about the Townsends Inlet Garden Club award was presented to Donald O'Connor, last year, who has a beautiful garden on 85th Street. Anyone can enter this years garden club award by filling out the entry forms that can be found at the Townsends Inlet Garden Club web site at www.SICTA.org.

This year, the South End Neighborhood Association will be granting a Educational Scholarship to a student graduating in the spring and continuing their education in the fall. The Charles E. Schneller Scholarship Program is open to all local students. Charles Schneller was the head of the English department at Abington High School and believed strongly in education. When he retired he started the Sea Isle City Public School Building Bridges Intergenerational Club which paired students with seniors. Charles was also the driving force in getting the Sea Isle City Community Lodge where AARP, the Sea Isle Garden Club, Women's Divic Club, SICTA, Town Watch/Town Pride and many other organizations meet and many events are held. Charles Schneller, the scholarship's namesake, was a long time member of South End Neighborhood Association and as President did a lot to improve the South End and the Community.

The South End Neighborhood Association has a long history sponsoring shows at the Townsends Inlet Civic Center and this year we will be sponsoring the Buccaneer Pirate Show and costume contest on July 5th at 7 PM and the Cinderella an Irish Tale and costume contest will be held August 9th at 7 PM. With your South End Neighborhood Association membership you receive VIP Front Row seating at all Townsends Inlet Civic Center's performances just call 263-3002. Your name will be reserved on your chair.

Membership is still growing and please spread the word to your neighbors about the South End Neighborhood Association. We will keep you updated throughout the year on either www.tiyachtclub.com or www.SICTA.com .

Louise Clements
President