

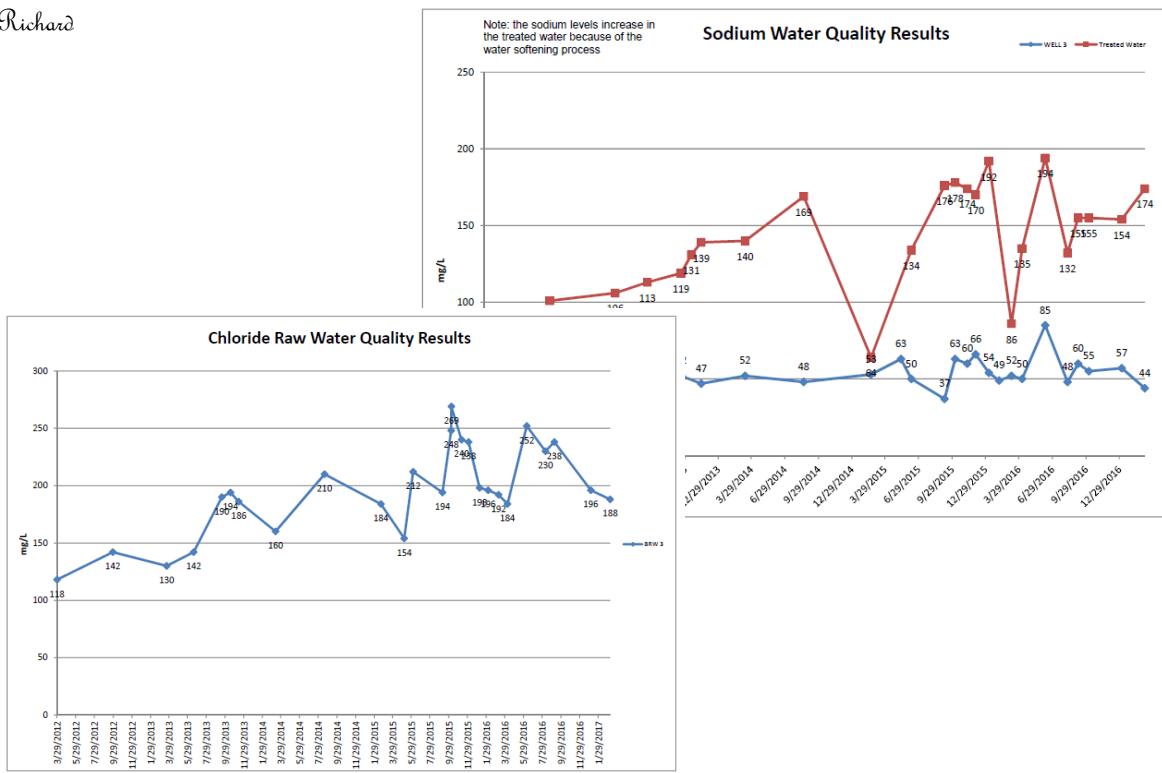


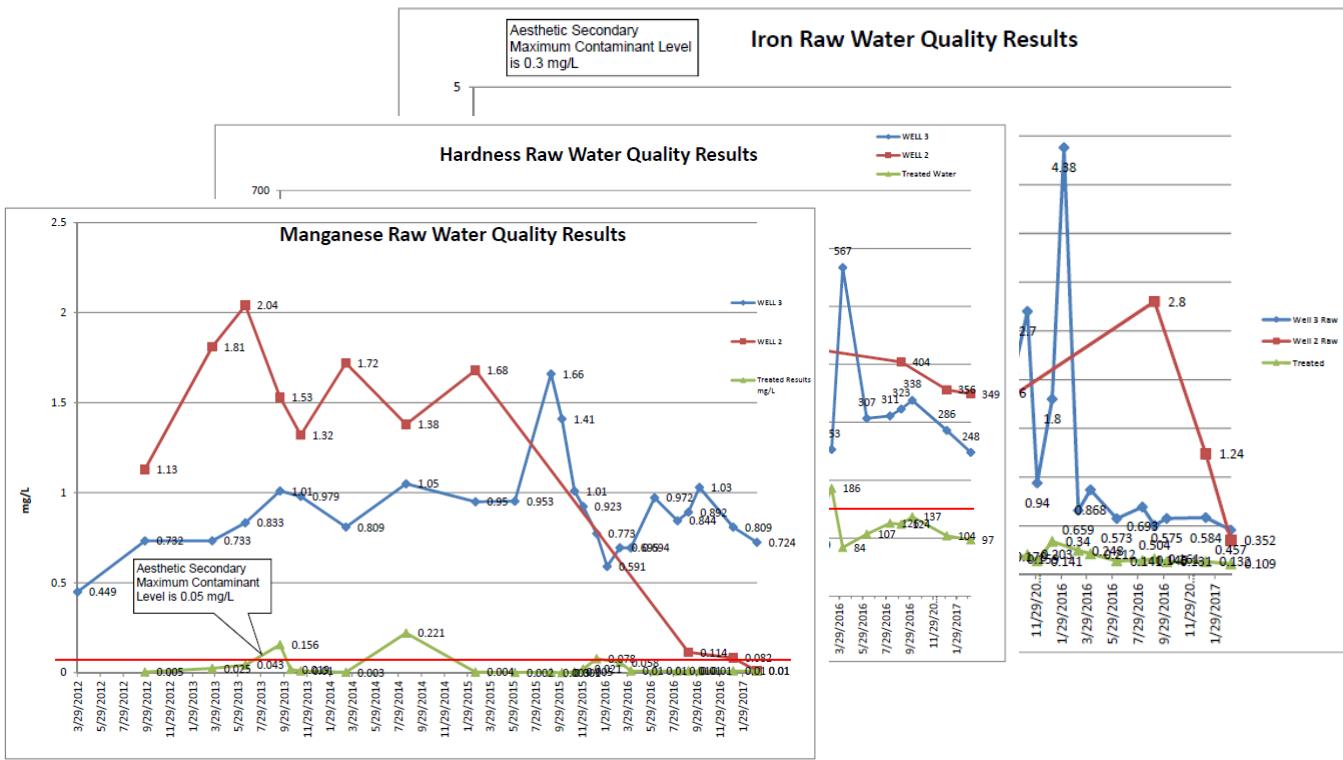
## Message from the President

Things look very promising for this year's upcoming irrigation season. All the characteristics of our water test results have been in the right direction. I have included the latest water test results below. The original copies are available for anyone that requests them.

These are our latest water quality results as of 3/8/17. The blue line is **well #3** which is the newest and the one that we use primarily. The red line is **well #2** which is used as a backup. The **green line** is our treated water. You will notice that sodium, chloride, hardness, manganese, and iron are all trending downward. Although these are secondary contaminates, a couple have been a major concern for us. The brine discharge from our water softening system has been associated with the increase of sodium and chloride in our wells. The fact that we ran the irrigation system for 2 months last summer and there seems to be no adverse effect to our wells is a very encouraging sign that we will be able to water again this year.

Richard





### Note from our Management Company

Dear Homeowners,

As I type this memo, I am looking out my window at the wind driven snow stacking over the gas grill while the lights in the house dim and then return. It is hard to believe this snow will be melted in a few weeks and landscaping and sun will be on our minds once again. I will be walking the property with Andrea from the Landscape Committee to identify the seasonal needs and taking note of any damage caused by the plows. We hope to get a jump on the irrigation this year to get the lawns off to a good start. The catch basins in the street are scheduled to be cleaned in May. The Board is considering the next phase of the roofing project. Soon, a memo will be going out to the units with generators. The association documents require proper footing of the generators and stones around them. If anyone has questions at the time, I will be happy to assist. We will also size up areas that need touch up painting such as front columns and trim. We all hope to get the season off to a quick start. Your Board is on their game and has your best interest in mind. As always, feel free to check in with us anytime.

Sincerely,

Ken Foley



Irish blessing:

May the Good Lord take a liking to you, . . . but not too soon!

# SMALL PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM OPERATOR GRADE 1A TRAINING COURSE

(New Operator Training)

**March 21, 23, 28 and 30 from 5–8 PM with  
Hands-on Pump Station Training field day April 4 from 9:30–Noon**

Classes Held at:

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES BUILDING

29 HAZEN DRIVE CONCORD,  
NEW HAMPSHIRE with the field  
day in Franklin, NH

The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services Drinking Water & Groundwater Bureau, in conjunction with the New Hampshire Water Works Association, is offering this educational course for owners, operators and other persons currently involved in, or looking to become involved in, the management and operation of small public drinking water systems. The course is designed to provide fundamentals on the theory and practical knowledge required to maintain and operate a small public water system. The course is specifically geared toward individuals interested in becoming certified water works operators in the State of New Hampshire. No prior experience is required.

The course consists of four required classes to be held from 5 to 8 p.m. in Concord, N.H., and one required daytime visit to an operational water works pump station in Franklin, N.H. An optional session for the drinking water math review will also be offered.

There is a course fee of \$50 per person, which includes the course textbook and handouts. Be sure to bring a notebook, a pencil and a calculator to each class.

## TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED INCLUDE:

- Basic Water Chemistry
- Corrosion Control
- Cross Connection Control
- Disinfection
- Drinking Water Mathematics
- Duties and Responsibilities of an Operator
- Leak Detection
- NH Drinking Water Regulations
- Record Keeping
- Safe Drinking Water Act Standards
- Safety
- Sampling Requirements & Protocols
- Source Protection
- Water System Components: Storage, Pipes, Pumps & Valves
- Water System Hydraulics
- Water Sources
- Water Treatment Processes

**Registration forms must be received by the DWGB office no later than March 17, 2017. The Association will pay the fee for this course.**

For questions contact Wade Pelham

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### **Landscape Committee**

The Landscape has made some changes to the Gardening Rules that were approved by the Board of Directors on March 9th. You can read the new revised version on our web site by clicking the Landscaping link. Copies will also be available in the Cottage.

Andrea



What do you call an Irishman sitting on a couch? "Paddy O'Furniture"



### **Calendar of Events**

**MARCH also is Multiple Sclerosis Month and Women's History Month**



- 03-17-2017 - St. Patrick's Day  
Evacuation Day – State of Massachusetts
- 03-18-2017 - Corn Dog Day
- 03-20-2017 - International Day of Happiness  
First Day of Spring
- 03-22-2017 - World Water Day
- 03-26-2017 - Spinach Day
- 03-31-2017 - Crayola Day



## ONGOING

**Breakfast on Friday at 8:30 AM.** An informal breakfast, open to all residents and guests of Hadleigh Woods, is held every Friday at 8:30 AM at Sammy J's Breakfast Café in Salem.

**Bowling on Wednesday at 3:00 PM.** The H-W "Open-To-All" bowling party is held every Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 PM at Park Place Lanes. We bowl for fun & exercise never following the rules of the game. After our fun bowling, some of us go out for a meal.

**Breakfast on Sunday at 8:30 AM.** A number of the Hadleigh Woods Community residents are also going to breakfast at the Southside Diner in Derry on Sundays.

### A wee bit more of Irish humor

Billy stops Paddy in Dublin and asks for the quickest way to Cork.

Paddy says: "Are you on foot or in the car?"

Billy replies: "In the car." "Well that's the quickest way," says Paddy

Paudie goes into a bar and orders seven shots of tequila and one Guinness.

The barman lines up shots and goes to get the Guinness.

When he comes back with the pint, all seven shots are gone.

The barman says: "Wow! You sure drank those fast."

Paudie explains: "You would drink fast too if you had what I have."

The barman asks: "What do you have?"

The guy reaches into his pocket and says: "Fifty cents!"

An Irish priest is driving along a country road when a police man pulls him over. He immediately smells alcohol on the priest's breath and notices an empty wine bottle in the car.

He says: "Have you been drinking?"

"Just water," says the priest.

The cop replies: "Then why do I smell wine?"

The priest looks at the bottle and says: "Good Lord! He's done it again!"