

McKownville Improvement Association
Monthly Meeting, Thursday September 18, 2008
Holiday Inn Express 1442 Western Avenue, 7-9 pm

Trees-----the Tree Committee has again put together a very attractive list of trees that can be purchased through the McKownville Improvement Association. As you walk around McKownville it is obvious where another tree would add to the magnificence of our neighborhood. So please—plan on purchasing a tree this season. You select the tree and the spot—the Tree Committee will plant it for you. The order form is on the reverse side.

If you have not sent in your **Storm Water Survey** to the **Town of Guilderland**, please do so. A large response will indicate we are interested in our neighborhood---and---the information you provide will help the Town direct the Town's efforts to the most troubled spots. Call me at 489-3909 if you need another survey form.

Todd Gifford, the Town Highway Superintendent, also takes care of the Town's storm sewers. He and his people are working on the storm sewer system in the Knowles Terrace area of McKownville. Several storm sewer catch basins were improved, a broken pipe was repaired, and area homeowners report that they have seen a dramatic reduction in storm water run-off in their basements. The storm sewer system in McKownville is old and it is not easy to keep it functioning.

Plant family fund raisers were organized by the McKownville Fire Department, St. Margaret Mary's, Dave Bosworth and Mickey Cleary (with raffle prizes contributed by businesses in McKownville and by the Guilderland Chamber of Commerce). Neighbors helping neighbors.

The Barber's farm stand, our splendid farm stand on McKown Road behind Passonno's---in September it will be open on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday rather than six days a week.

What else? Zoning report; Strassburg house and adjoining lots; Shabbos house; dentist's office (Esmay); Stuyvesant Plaza construction; the reservoir; Fuller Road construction; Western Avenue storm drains; preliminary results of the storm water survey; University construction plans; NanoTech construction plans; Harriman campus plans; and-----**ICE CREAM SUNDAES.**
Come out, enjoy, bring a neighbor, meet a new friend. And do forward your email address---it really helps—dreeb@albany.edu

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