# HIGHLIGHT

The Newsletter of the High Street Hill Association

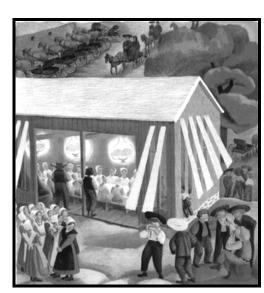
October 2003

# Annual Neighborhood Barn Dance

Saturday October 25

At the Gadsby Barn 92 High Street

Live Music Caller: Cindy Green



6:30-7PM Potluck Dinner

7-8 PM Family Dancing

8 PM Dessert

8:30 -10:30PM Adult Dancing (no experience necessary)

Bring a Family-Friendly Main Course And a Dessert to Share

### Something BIG Happening in The Neighborhood?

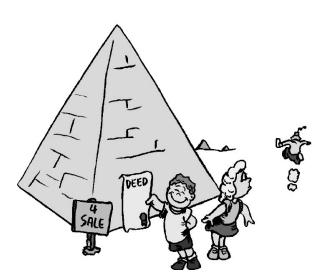
Over the last few weeks there has been a rush of activity to push forward a **proposal to redevelop 2 Brookline Place**, home of Bertucci's, the former Skipjack's as well as other businesses. A proposed 230,000 square foot structure, up to 145 feet in height, will house retail and parking on the first 3 floors and offices or, alternatively, laboratories on the upper 7 or 8 floors. A Project Review Team has been working with Town Hall and the developers to define the critical design elements but the first step in the approval process will require a significant, perhaps far reaching, change to Brookline's Zoning Law (to be decided by Town Meeting in November).

A project of this magnitude will have significant, long lasting impact on our neighborhood. Issues concerning parking, traffic, open space, and in the case of laboratories, safety, have yet to be fully addressed.

We have invited representatives of the developers and Town Hall to explain the 2 Brookline Place project and to solicit your comment and input. Please plan to attend this important HSHA meeting at 7:30PM Tuesday, October 21 at the Library of The Park, Cumberland Road.

#### Welcome to the Neighborhood

We'd like to welcome some new folks who have moved in over the last several months. If you learn of other new arrivals please let us know.



32 Allerton St 35 Allerton St 26 Edgehill Rd 26 Glen Rd 30 Glen Rd 107 High St 9 Irving St 10 Walnut Place 72 Walnut St #1 82 Walnut St #3 88 Walnut St #3 115 Walnut St #1 137 Walnut St 162 Walnut St #1 257 Walnut St #2 273 Walnut St

Kathrine Zimmerman and Hal Grant Bruce and Dale Wheeler Michele Lamont and Frank Dobbin Lavinia Borcau Lyle and Anne Micheli MaryAnn Badaracco (welcome back) Shannon and Kevin Liss-Riordan Nicholas and Joan Thorndike Ming and Snow Tsuang Michael Hollander Cherie Parungo and Kadir Erkmen Keith and Susan Denham Anna Eckert John and Sarah D'Orazio Jane and Edward O'Neal Daniel and Toni Oberholzer

#### Save the Dates

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October 2	Public Hearing on Zoning Warrant for 2 Brookline Place, Town Hall
October 19	Pumpkin Fest, Lincoln School
October 21	HSHA Board Meeting (2 Brookline Place presentation)
October 29	Brookline Neighborhood Alliance "Development in Our Neighborhood," MLK
	Room BHS
November 17	HSHA Board Meeting (call for place and time)
December 8	HSHA Board Meeting (call for place and time)
December 24	HSHA Caroling, Philbrick (Upland) Green
January 18	HSHA Board Meeting (call for place and time)
March 14	Annual HSHA Musicale, First Parish Church

#### **Child Care Available**

A very experienced childcare provider is looking for a part or fulltime employment in our neighborhood. If interested please contact Eileen at 617-734-4509 and Jean Peteet (617-738-8555) or Maryanne Badaracco (617-277-0751) for references.

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