

## STANDISH VILLAGE AT LOWER MILLS

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 5

Susan Hardiman will teach us how to make brooches using silk flowers, glass stones, and art taken from greeting cards at 2:00 P.M.

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 12



Our Standish Summer Sounds outdoor concert series kicks off with David Burns at 6:00 P.M. *Public is welcome!*  
*Please bring a lawn chair.*

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 17

Father's Day Fishing Trip at 10:00 A.M.  
We will pack a lunch and head to the lake to spend the day catching our supper!

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 24

Trip to Twin River Casino at 10:00 A.M.



### RESIDENT PROFILE



**Kathleen Devine** was born in Chicago on January 7, 1935. She grew up there with her parents and two brothers and moved to Boston about 20 years ago. Kathleen lived with her family until they passed, and enjoyed the company of her cousins who lived nearby. She has found a new family here at Standish, where she keeps up on all the events and activities. Kathleen is a helper to all, announcing events and taking care of her friends. Kathleen has accepted several jobs at Standish, including posting activity flyers

#### I come from Chicago by Kathleen Devine

I come from Chicago. In my younger years what I recall coming from there most clearly was being at Saint Leo's School where my life was all about things like arithmetic and spelling and sometimes waiting for the clock to tick and for the end-of-day bell to ring. Because as much as I liked school, there was the neighborhood education of things like playing football and baseball. All of us kids in the 1950s, boys and girls playing together equally before protests of equality came about. We were the early ambassadors of how life should be. Reading and writing and arithmetic and playing baseball... all life learners going through work and the play united and side by side when I was a kid just loving life in Chicago.



and helping other residents manage their appointments. Kathleen is always ready to greet you with a smile and pull up a chair for you! (At left is a poem by Kathleen taken from *These Places We Come From*, a collective poem written by the Standish Village poetry class).

### WELCOME, NEW RESIDENT!

**Julia Harris**



## ASSOCIATE PROFILE



We are very excited to welcome Social Program Assistant **Susan Hardiman** to Standish Village. Susan has been a practicing professional interior designer for over 20 years. She has also been making hand-crafted jewelry for the same amount of time and opened her signature jewelry company, Adornamenti, in September of 2006. Along with running a working studio, Susan also sells her jewelry online at

[www.adornamenti.com](http://www.adornamenti.com). She is a certified jewelry artist with the City of Boston and holds a BFA in interior design from Paier College of Art. She is an avid photographer and lives and works “art-fully” in Boston.

## HANDS-ON CREATIONS



*Clockwise, from top left: **Mary McSharry** and **Helen Hurley** dyeing Easter eggs; **Kathleen Connolly** showing off her handmade button totebag; **Helen** making an Easter arrangement in *Floral Design Class*; **Edward Battles** is quite proud of his floral basket too!*



## THINKING OF GOING GREEN?

SEND YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS TO

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AND WE WILL EMAIL THIS NEWSLETTER TO YOU EACH MONTH.



*Introducing*

## STANDISH UNIVERSITY AND THE LIFELONG LEARNING SERIES

Each month we will be hosting free classes, lectures, and seminars on a variety of educational, curriculum-based topics. For registration information, contact Mallory Jenkins.

### *JUNE COURSE OFFERINGS:*

**“Boston Nature Center: Nature in Your Backyard”** with **Julie Brandlen** from **Mass Audubon**

*Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30 A.M.*

**“Dorchester Works Pottery Company”** with author and historian **Anthony Sammarco**

*Tuesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 P.M.*

**“Lessons from the Civil War—a Living History Presentation”** with **John Ambacher, Ph.D.**

*Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 A.M.*

**“Capturing Memories Through Poetry”**

*Thursdays, June 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 A.M.*

**“Actors’ Circle”** with Professional

**Actor David DaCosta**

*Wednesdays at 2:00 P.M.*



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