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**From:** Bal1998 <bal1998@aol.com>  
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**To:** Clerk's Department  
**Subject:** To the Mayor and the Board of Trustees.. From Resident Susan Levine...

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Hello Madame Mayor and Trustees...

I so appreciate all your efforts on behalf of Scarsdale residents and I know you are always working hard for all of us... in so many ways...

I remain especially concerned about our New Residents and how little they know about our Village and its operations when they move in and during the time they are settling in...are going forward....

They are ignorant of many things...like the summer Gas Blower Ban.. and Not to play Loud Music on their Outdoor Speakers whenever they wish...until late at night... especially annoying in neighborhoods like mine with .15 size lots...and they are unaware that Power Tools (and Lawn Mowers) are Not permitted Before 10AM on Weekends...among other things...

They leave their Bulky Trash at the Curb days before they should..not knowing about doing that only on the day before pickup... and my new neighbors behind me have installed VERY High Wattage Outdoor Floodlights that shine Directly into our Bedroom..all night...

I could go on and on...

Most of the new people know nothing about the Village website...but I do let as many people as possible know about it...Do they access it to learn about Scarsdale?....I do not know... but some of my new neighbors know nothing and behave badly..

The often do not know about dealing with their Sprinkler Systems or their Alarm Systems.. and the rules about those...They should be told when buying a house..but they are not told...

Some new neighbors did not even know that we have a Village Pool Complex.. and we live only 5 minutes away...

Hard to believe but true....

But the Village Code and Rules and lots of informatino they need is not getting to them...

They walk their Dogs on School Property all the time...despite the Signs.. and dump their Dog's Waste into our Catch Basins..thinking they are Sewers...They leave dog poop on other people's property... in little blue bags...

How can we counteract this behavior?...  
How can we deal with this ignorance and disregard shown for how to live with respect for your neighbors in Scarsdale?

I do not have the answer.  
But since you all should know that only a fraction of residents get The Scarsdale Inquirer...we should agree tat there is still not enough information of the type they need getting to our new residents...

Do you think they watch our Cable Channel?  
Not likely...

\*\*I have a suggestion...  
Perhaps local Real Estate agents could team up with the Village and give all New Residents a Printed Notice that the Village Would Provide to the agents..in their offices....with all the necessary Information that their clients should have as  
New Residents of Scarsdale...\*\*  
Like the items I mention...

Since they do not get the local paper...and I cannot speak personally to all of them...they need something that tells them the rules of the road when they move here...  
Many certainly do not appear to know how to behave properly now...as good neighbors...

I am sure you understand what I am saying...  
I guess I have lived here too long...and remember too well the way it used to be...

Thanks for listening...  
I appreciate all of you...

Susan Levine  
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