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## SWEET STUFF

Beekeeper Bernie Bieder joins the Pawtuxet Village Farmers Market this week. With hives located in the Governor Francis Farm area of Warwick, Bernie sells the most local honey available. Please remember to return your jars for reuse.

Other farmers will have spinach, pea pods, lettuce, free range eggs, salad mix and flowers. This is also a good time to plant a summer herb garden. Farmers have a variety of plants ready to put in the ground over Memorial Day weekend including sage, cilantro, basil, chives, thyme and a variety of vegetables.

## POPSICLE STICKS

We need popsicle sticks. Farmers use them to identify plants seeded in flats and grown four packs. Please collect your popsicle sticks and bring them to the market recycling table. We will distribute them to farmers.

Also, remember to save plastic plant pots and four packs. In October, the Edgewood Garden Club will collect and consolidate them to return to farmers.

## JAZZ CONCERT

The Cranston High School East Jazz Band will hold an outdoor concert on the lawn in front of William Hall Library on Broad Street in Cranston, Wednesday May 27 at 6 PM. Bring a lawn chair and picnic supper and listen to the band, directed by Mark Collozzi. The band will perform pieces by Miles Davis, Herbie Hancock, Sammy Nestico and Maynard Ferguson. The jazz combo will be directed by East alumni Eric Kalver and Walt Skorupski.

## PAWTUXET PADDLE

The Pawtuxet River Authority is sponsoring a paddle from the new Pontiac Canoe Launch to Rhodes on the Pawtuxet Saturday June 6 starting between 9 AM and 10 AM. The six mile trip is all flat water. Shuttling will be available from Rhodes and all are welcome to return for a noontime cook out following the paddle. Bring your own boat or rent from nearby outfitters. Guide map and snack provided. Reservations are appreciated. Call 401-935-0723 or 401-331-0812.

See you at the market.