

December 1, 2009

Dear Friends,

We'd like to thank all of our guests for another great season. We always enjoy seeing familiar faces and new ones too!

As many of you know, we do our best to keep our rates as low as possible. Unfortunately, this year we are forced to raise the on-season rates by \$5.00 per night, the first increase on-season in three years. The rates will increase to \$170.00 for a room without a kitchenette and \$180.00 for room with a kitchenette. The two-room suite will increase to \$225.00 per night. We will be adding a "Specials" page to our website once we are open where we will be listing both on and off season specials so please check it frequently or feel free to call the office after May 21, 2010.

Additionally, we are doing our best to bring wireless internet to all rooms at the Tides by opening in May (a big step for us considering we only recently bought a computer for the office). The Advance Reservation form typically sent to you can now be printed at home. The Advance Reservation form can be returned with a deposit check to make your reservation. Please note that all reservation requests must be accompanied by your deposit check or money order, as credit cards cannot be accepted until January 1, 2010. Reservation requests without deposits will not be assigned rooms until the total deposit is received. Please feel free to use the bottom of the reservation form for special requests, comments and suggestions on how we may improve our service.

Starting January 1, 2010, you will be able to make a reservation by phone. Please call the office at 508-548-3126.

We look forward to the New Year and wish you all a *Safe and Happy Holiday Season.*

All Our Thanks,

Dean and Molly