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VOTE ON PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY DAY TUESDAY, MARCH 5

Tuesday, March 5 is Presidential Primary Day in Massachusetts. Every registered voter should take the few minutes necessary to cast a ballot for his or her preference for President of the United States.

WHEN AND WHERE TO VOTE

Registered voters will be able to cast their ballots between the hours of 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. at the following locations:

Precinct One

Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

Precinct Two

Harvard-Kent School, 50 Bunker Hill

St.

Precinct Three

Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square, voter entrance Monument Avenue

Precinct Four

Harvard-Kent School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Precinct Five

Edwards School, 28 Walker St., voter entrance rear school yard

Precinct Six

Edwards School, 28 Walker St., voter entrance rear school yard

Precinct Seven

Fire Station, Main and Bunker Hill streets with the voter entrance on Medford

Street

THE BALLOT

Voters will cast their ballots for their choice for President of the United States; for State Committee Man; for State Committee Woman; and for members of the local Ward Committees.

Candidates will appear on the ballot in the following order:

DEMOCRAT BALLOT PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

(Vote for one listed candidate, vote for "No Preference" or write-in a candidate of your choice if not already listed.)

• Bill Clinton

• Lyndon H. LaRouche Jr.
• No preference

STATE COMMITTEE MAN Suffolk, Essex & Middlesex District

(vote for one)

• James Roosevelt Jr.
14 Meadow Way, Cambridge
Candidate for re-election, veteran

STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN Suffolk, Essex & Middlesex District

(vote for one)

• Elizabeth M. Dunn
27 Water St., Cambridge

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'A Night At Wonderland' To Benefit The Life Focus Center

The Life Focus Center (LFC) of Charlestown invites residents and business persons to join them at Wonderland Track for a delicious meal, a night of exciting racing and an opportunity to help the programs of LFC.

LFC has served the Charlestown community and its people with disabilities for the past 18 years. As a private non-profit corporation, the agency has designed and implemented cost-effective and highly productive program models in voca-

tional, social, educational and support services.

Government funding for these services continues to be restrictive and limited, with policy decisions tending toward shifting responsibility to the communities and the private sector. Thus, LFC has planned "A Night At Wonderland" to offset some of the program expenses. The board and staff hope to make this an annual event.

The Wonderland event will be held starting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March

12 in the clubhouse at Wonderland Track in Revere.

Tickets are priced at \$35 per person and include preferred parking, admission to the track, a five-course chicken dinner, a program book, reserved seating and all gratuities.

To obtain tickets, send a check for \$35 per person, made payable to Life Focus Center Inc., to Life Focus Center, One City Square, Charlestown, Mass. 02129. Please enclose a self-addressed return envelope. No tickets will be sold at the door on the night of the event.

For further information, contact Karyn, Marge or Marianne at 242-3423.

Two Charlestown Youth Receive Youth Service Awards



MONIQUE MATARAZZO

Mayor Thomas M. Menino presented 31 Boston youth, including two youth from Charlestown, with a "Mayor's Youth Service Award" recently at the John Fitzgerald Kennedy Library.

The 31 youths were selected through a nomination process involving Boston Community Cen-



AILEEN GORMAN

ters and the new Boston Youth Connection program.

The awards celebrate the good things that Boston's young people are involved in. Among the reasons the young people were selected were their service as a role model for other youth at their local community center, helping

staff, being an outstanding student and volunteering at the center or in other neighborhood agencies.

Monique Matarazzo was nominated for the award by the Charlestown Community Centers and Aileen Gorman was nominated by Boston Youth Connection Program Manager Carolyn Shannon.

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Charlestown Democrats To Caucus On Saturday

Registered Democrats in Charlestown will be holding a caucus on Saturday, March 2, 1996 at 12:15 p.m. to elect delegates to the 1996 Massachusetts Democratic Convention. Doors open at 10 a.m.

Charlestown, Ward 2 will be electing 12 delegates and four alternates, equally divided between men and women, to send to the Convention. The apportioned number of delegates has been allocated on the basis of a formula giving equal weight to

the Democratic Party registration and the average vote for Democratic candidates in the last general elections for Governor and President for which figures were available at the time delegate tabulations were prepared.

Thomas S. Cunha will call the caucus at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street. The caucus is open to all registered Democrats, persons ineligible to register and media representatives. The only persons eligible

to participate in any portion of the caucus are those who are registered Democrats in the ward or town as of December 31, 1995. There will be no absentee or proxy voting.

Registration shall remain open until all persons presenting themselves have registered, including any in line or outside the meeting place. The doors will close at noon and the caucus will start promptly at 12:15 p.m.

Candidates for delegate
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The deadline for advertising and copy is **Monday at NOON.**

SERVICES FOR CHARLESTOWN RESIDENTS

Thursdays

• **9 to 10:30 a.m.** - J.F. Kennedy Center's Goal Setting Group-Options Program, 55 Bunker Hill St. For more information, call Linda Hudson at 241-8866

• **10:30 a.m. to noon** - Women's Recovery Group session, Kennedy Center, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.

Fridays

• **7:30 p.m.** - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, off lobby, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave., Charlestown Navy Yard

First And Third Sundays

• **6:30 p.m.** - Charlestown After Murder Program (CHAMP) meeting, St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St.

Mondays

• **2 to 5 p.m.** - Mayor's Office Hours with Judy Evers, regional coordinator, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Tuesdays

• **8 p.m.** - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, Mary Colbert Apartments (side entrance), 20 Devens St.

Wednesdays

• **3 to 4:30 p.m.** - Al-Anon meeting for friends and families of alcoholics, Kennedy Center Head Start, 23 Moulton St. (babysitting is available)

• **5:45 to 6:45 p.m.** - Free Smoking Cessation course, second floor conference room, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St.

• **6 to 7 p.m.** - Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

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BREAKFAST

Sunday, March 10

Coffee 9 a.m. Breakfast 10 a.m.

Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

All are welcome

CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

this week at a glance

Thursday, Feb. 29

• **3:30 p.m.** - Creative dramatics, improvisation and imaginative games, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Development Committee meeting on the Boston Aging Concerns proposal for 258 Main St. (former JJ McCarthy's), K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, March 1

• **10 a.m.** - Adult Discussion Group and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **11:30 a.m.** - Toddler Storytime, stories and songs for children 12 to 36 months old accompanied by an adult, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **3 p.m.** - Anti-Smoking Program for children 6-12 with Eileen O'Brien from the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Thursday, March 7

• **12:15 p.m.** - Charlestown Kiwanis Club meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant, Constitution Plaza

• **3:30 p.m.** - Creative dramatics, improvisation and imaginative games, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. - **note change of date**

• **7 p.m.** - Friends of the Library Membership Committee meeting, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **7 p.m.** - Meeting on the Academy of the Pacific Rim charter school, Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, March 8

• **10 a.m.** - Adult Discussion Group and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **11:30 a.m.** - Toddler Storytime, stories and songs for children 12 to 36 months old accompanied by an adult, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **6 to 8 p.m.** - Charlestown Little League Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Paddy Reilly in Concert to benefit the Bunker Hill Day Parade, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• **8 p.m.** - Annual Irish Night Dinner Dance, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church,

Thursday, March 14

• **5:30 to 10:30 p.m.** - St. Patrick's Celebration to benefit St. Catherine's CYO, sponsored by the MAH₂O Athletic Association, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

• **7 p.m.** - Spelling Bee, sponsored by Keane Inc. to benefit the

• **8 p.m.** - Fund Raiser to benefit Charlestown Mayoral candidate Frankie Stillman, Town Lyne Function Hall, 108 Cambridge St.

Saturday, March 2

• **8 a.m. to noon** - Charlestown CYO T-Ball and Wack-A-Ball Registration, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.

• **noon** - Ward 2 Democratic Caucus, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• **2 p.m.** - Costumed, interpretive program on "Rosie The Riveter," Visitor Information Center, Building 5, National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard

• **7:30 p.m.** - Annual Corned Beef Dinner, sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella No. 1, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• **8 p.m.** - "Dance The Night Away" to benefit Charlestown Mayoral candidate Chris Rizzo, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

Sunday, March 3

• **2 p.m.** - Costumed, interpretive program on "Rosie The Riveter," Visitor Information Center, Building 5, National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard

• **3:30 p.m.** - Community Hymn Sing-A-Long with Ben Sears, First Church in Charlestown, Green Street

Monday, March 4

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Environmental Committee meeting on Boston Harbor dredging, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Daughters of Isabella No. 1 meeting, K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

Tuesday, March 5

• **7 a.m. to 8 p.m.** - Polls open for Presidential Primary Election

• **10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.** - Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

upcoming events

313 Bunker Hill St.

• **8 p.m.** - "An American Storyteller in Ireland" with Sharon Kennedy, for adults, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Saturday, March 9

• **8 a.m. to noon** - Charlestown CYO T-Ball and Wack-A-Ball Registration, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.

• **10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** - Charlestown Little League Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

• **noon** - Meat Raffle to benefit the Dennis McLaughlin House, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• **from noon 'till** - Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association, Town Lyne, 108 Cambridge St.

• **2 p.m.** - Costumed, interpretive program on "Rosie The Riveter," Visitor Information Center, Building 5, National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard

• **8 p.m.** - "An American Storyteller in Ireland" with Sharon Kennedy, for adults, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

• **8 p.m.** - St. Patrick's Dance, sponsored by the Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, March 10

• **9 a.m.** - Annual Irish Breakfast, Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **from noon 'till** - Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association,

Town Lyne, 108 Cambridge St.

• **2 p.m.** - "Irish Folktales for Families" with Sharon Kennedy, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

• **2 p.m.** - Costumed, interpretive program on "Rosie The Riveter," Visitor Information Center, Building 5, National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard

Monday, March 11

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council and Charlestown Business Association meeting on parking, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Tuesday, March 12

• **10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.** - Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **6 to 8 p.m.** - Warren-Prescott School Site Council meeting, Warren-Prescott School, 50 School St.

• **7 p.m.** - Night at Wonderland Track to benefit Life Focus Center

• **5:30 p.m.** - Charlestown Business Association meeting, Citizens Bank, 5 Austin St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety/Police Community Relations meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Wednesday, March 13

• **3 p.m.** - Court St. Jude #1123, C.D.A. meeting and Irish Social, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

• **3:30 p.m.** - "Fairy Folk of the Emerald Isle," Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

plan ahead

Rising Stars program, C.R. Edwards Middle School, 28 Walker St.

Friday, March 15

• **7:30 p.m.** - Chris Rizzo for Mayor of Charlestown Fund Raiser, K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

• **8 p.m.** - Comedy Night to benefit Gym Hockey, K. of C. Hall, 75

West School St.

Saturday, March 16

• **noon** - Annual St. Patrick's Day Party for Charlestown Senior Citizens, sponsored by The Flatley Co., The Schrafft Center

• **8 p.m.** - St. Patrick's Day Party, Memorial Hall, 14 Green St.

Michael Patrick Quinn 27th Annual Dinner Dance To Be Held March 30

Since the first dinner dance on April 4, 1970, \$39,250 has been awarded to 15 male and 11 female Charlestown recipients. This stellar group of Quinn Scholars has perpetuated the fine character demonstrated by Michael Patrick Quinn in his brief life of 23 years.

On Saturday, March 30, at the Bunker Hill Council Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St., the 27th annual dinner dance, will be held which will continue Michael's legacy to the accomplished youth of the community. A social hour will commence at 6:16 p.m., followed by a fine meal prepared by Mr. Joseph's II at 7:30 p.m.

In attendance at the head table will be the 26th Quinn Scholar, Corey A. Gallagher and her parents, Lois and Jim Gallagher. A

1995 graduate of Matignon High School, Corey is presently matriculating at Bentley College with the Class of 1999. Corey's presence on the Bentley Falcons Basketball Team has been most impressive for this freshman, who is destined for star status.

The featured speaker will be Col. Paul V. Kelly USMC, who joined the faculty of the Marine Corps War College as director on Aug. 15, 1994. A Haverhill native, Kelly graduated from Merrimack College in 1969 with a BA degree in economics and was commissioned through the Platoon Leader Class Program.

Upon completion of basic school at Quantico, Va. in February 1970, Kelly was ordered to the Second Marine Division where he served as a rifle platoon

commander and company executive officer in 2nd Battalion, 2nd Marines.

Transferred to Okinawa, Kelly was assigned to the 3rd Marine Division where he served as a platoon commander with the 1st Battalion, 9th Marines. Reassigned to Vietnam, he served as a platoon commander and company commander with 2nd Battalion, 1st Marines, 1st Marine Division.

Kelly received a Master of Science degree in Business Administration from Lowell Technological Institute in 1974 and was a 1988 graduate of the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Washington, DC. Kelly served as legislative assistant to the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Kelly's awards include the Defense Superior Ser-

vice Medal, the Legion of Merit, the Purple Heart, the Meritorious Service Medal with three gold stars, the Navy Commendation Medal with combat V, the Navy Achievement Medal and Combat Action Ribbon.

Kelly is married to the former Linda Ann Crocetti of Haverhill and they are the parents of two children.

Tickets for this worthwhile event are \$25 per person and may be purchased by calling 242-5493 or 242-5445 or by writing to the committee at the Charlestown Post Office, Box 216, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

To witness an evening of Charlestown Pride and the advancement of the college dreams of our youth, please join us.

Ronan FitzPatrick

THE REAL ESTATE WEEKLY



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IF YOU SMOKE

Yes, we know everyone picks on smokers these days, and we know that it's a hard habit to kick, even if you want to. If you do smoke, and if your home is now for sale, making it a temporary smoke-free zone may help it sell more quickly.

Remember that of all the five senses, smell is one of the most powerful. People can walk into an otherwise fabulous house that is exactly what they want and if it smells like an all-night poker game, we just can't excite them. In fact, all they can think about is getting out into the fresh air. If you do smoke, but don't want to use your house as an excuse to quit, keep it aired out. Try to smoke in other places; maybe on your back porch, if the weather is good. If it's not, try the garage or taking a drive. Avoid heavily scented room fresheners. Their smell on top of musty smoke can be worse than smoke alone. Wash off walls and consider having your drapes and upholstered furniture professionally cleaned. If you are not ready for Smoke Enders, at least try to end smoke inside your house until it sells.

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MONUMENT PROPERTIES



NIKE To Sponsor 1996 Nate Hurwitz Tournament

The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club is pleased to announce that NIKE will be joining this year's 74th annual Nate Hurwitz Tournament as corporate sponsor. Recognizing the Nate Hurwitz as the preeminent basketball tournament in the state as well as the oldest open basketball tournament in the country, NIKE is happy to associate its

name with such a fine tradition. Clubhouse Director Jerry Steimel welcomes NIKE and its support saying, "The NIKE name is known worldwide and represents quality. The Hurwitz Tourney, with its reputation for quality play and sportsmanship, makes this association a natural one."

There will be seven divisions: Boys 11 & under;

13 & under; 16 & under; 19 & under; and high school; plus Girls 16 & under and 19 & under.

Applications for the tournament are now available at the Boys & Girls Club. The deadline for applications is Friday, March 8. For more information, contact Tournament Director Derek Gallagher at 242-1775.

THANK YOU, GOD

Say nine Hail Marys for nine days and ask for three wishes. First business, second and third is for the impossible. Have this published on the ninth day and your wishes will come true even though you may not believe in it.

Chris

Named To The Dean's List

Raymond J. Rodrigues, vice president for academic and student affairs at North Adams State College, is pleased to announce that Shannon Boucher has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester.

Boucher, a senior, is the daughter of Jan Nardone and Bob Boucher of Charlestown, and is majoring in psychology and sociology.

Community Hymn

Sing-A-Long
with Ben Sears

Sunday, March 3

3:30 p.m.

First Church in Charlestown
Green Street

Refreshments will be served
Bring a friend

Dance The Night Away...
With Music By D.J. "Macca"

FOR MAYORAL CANDIDATE

CHRIS RIZZO

SATURDAY, MARCH 2

8 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT

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CHARLESTOWN
Against
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Saturday, March 9
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Charlestown Boys & Girls Club
Workshops for 6- to 12-year-olds

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St. Francis de Sales Happenings

Lenten Services

Weekday morning Mass is at 7:30 a.m. in the chapel; special Wednesday night Lenten Masses are in the chapel at 7 p.m.; and Stations of the Cross and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament is every Friday during Lent at 7 p.m. in the church.

First Penance

The second grade children of the parish, both public and parochial school students, who have been preparing for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion, will receive the Sacrament of Penance for the first time in their young lives on Sunday, March 3 at 7 p.m. in St.

Francis de Sales Church. Everyone is most welcome to attend and participate in this Liturgical Ceremony. The parish is very grateful to Robin Fopiano, the second grade CCD coordinator and teacher, who has prepared these children for this Sacrament of God's Forgiveness during this current scholastic year with Patrick Fraine, a second grade teacher at Charlestown Catholic. A collation will follow in the Bishop Lawton Hall.

Irish Night Dinner Dance

The 30th annual Irish Night Dinner Dance will be held on Friday, March 8 at 8 p.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall.

The Irish Night this year is in honor of Joe Kirk recognizing his dedicated years of service to the St. Francis de Sales Parish St. Vincent de Paul Society. A corned beef dinner by Joseph's Caterers will be served and the band, Turf-Fire, will provide great music for dancing and entertainment. Tickets are \$17 and can be purchased from Essie Martin, Alice Ringer, Florence Tognarelli, from the ushers at Mass and at the rectory. **No tickets will be sold at the door - the final count must be given to the caterer.** Payment must be made by **Monday, March 4** at 6:30 p.m. at St. Francis de Sales Rectory.

It's A Boy . . .

Jeffrey and Michele Chandler of 220 Water St., Saugus are proud to announce the birth of their son, Shane Jeffrey, on Feb. 12 at the Malden Hospital. The maternal grandpar-

ents are Archie and Aggie Prendable of Charlestown.

The paternal grandmother is Florence Chandler of Saugus.

Shane was welcomed home by his big sister Corey.

Scholarship Applications Available .

MICHAEL P. QUINN SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are being accepted for the 1996 Michael Patrick Quinn Scholarship which will be for \$2,500, an increase of \$500 above the 1995 grant. To be eligible, you must be a Charlestown resident for the past four years and graduate with your high school class of 1996. The application deadline is **May 1**.

To obtain an application, please call 242-5493, 242-5454 or write to Charlestown Post Office Box 216.

Happy 17th Birthday



TERRY

Love . . .
Jill

CONGRATULATIONS to the Mite A 1996 District 1 Champs!

Congratulations

Joseph, Timmy, Tony, Ryan & Timmy B.

on winning "Mini One-On-One!"

Also, congratulations to
Mark Hanscom for playing hard for
your team and scoring
two hat tricks in the game . . .

As always, we are so proud of you!
Love . . . Mom, Dad & A.J.

'Effective Skin Care' At The Charlestown Branch Library

Esthetician Ann Dwyer will be the guest speaker at the weekly adult discussion group meeting at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., at 10 a.m. on Friday, March 8.

Dwyer will discuss "Effective Skin Care" and the importance of a good diet,

moisturizing, skin typing, analyzing skin conditions and the use of different soaps and cleansing agents.

A question and answer period will follow the presentation, which is free and open to the public.

For more information, call the library at 242-1248.

Anti-Smoking Program At The Charlestown Branch Library

Eileen O'Brien from the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center Pack-It-In Program, will present a program outlining the dangers of smoking tomorrow, Friday, March 1 at 3 p.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main

St., Charlestown.

The program, which is appropriate for children ages 6 to 12 years of age, will include a video presentation.

For more information, please contact Margaret McAteer at 242-1248.

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PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN

(never known to fail)
O most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times). Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands 3 times. Say this prayer 3 consecutive days and then you must publish and it will be granted for you. Grateful thanks.

M.D.

Not for nothin' . . . But have you heard . . .



The Race For Mayor of Charlestown Heats Up . . . and with election night only 22 days away, mayoral hopefuls are filling this weekend with activities. Frankie Stillman will host a fund raiser tomorrow evening, Friday, March 1, starting at 8 p.m. at the Towne Lyne Cafe, 108 Cambridge St., Charlestown . . . and Chris Rizzo invites everyone to dance the night away at St. Catherine's Parish Hall, 10 Tufts Street, on Saturday, March 2 starting at 8 p.m. Your \$10 admission at each event will count for 10 votes for each candidate. . . . So get out and give your favorite candidate a financial boost . . . and at the same time have a good time! D.J. Macca will provide music for your dancing and listening pleasure at both campaign parties.

The Tenth Annual Antique Show . . . sponsored by the Malden Historical Society, will take place on Saturday, March 2 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Centre United Methodist Church, 7 Washington St., Malden. Among the items featured will be books, china, porcelain, silver, jewelry and glassware. For more info., call 322-7789.

Charlestown's Own . . . sultan of comedy, Tony V, has scored big time! He will appear on "Late Night with Conan O'Brien" on Thursday, March 7 at 12:30 a.m. . . . He'll also be making a guest appearance earlier the same evening appearing with Ernest Borgnine on "The Single Guy" at 8:30 p.m. Both shows are seen on Channel 7 . . . Break a leg, Tony!

Mayor's Second Annual Youth Summit . . . whose purpose is to offer young people a chance to learn about all that Boston has to offer them, will be held on Saturday, March 9 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Boston Latin School. The summit is free to all Boston youth ages 12 to 18 due to generous corporate sponsorship. The deadline for registration is tomorrow, Friday, March 1. To register, call Boston Community Centers at 635-4920, ext. 2300.

Spring Can't Be Far Away . . . Gardens for Charlestown Inc. will be represented at the 125th New England Spring Flower Show at the Bayside Exposition Center in Dorchester from March 9 through 17 . . . The Gardens display should be super - the members took home a silver medal in their category last year.

Birthdays Wishes . . . go out to Pat Johnson, Carol (Picardi) Upton and Susan McClellan who will all celebrate on March 2nd . . . Buddy Whelan will party hearty on March 4th . . . John Johnson will mark his 24th on March 5th . . . and March 6th is the big day for John Walsh of Concord Street. Have a happy day!

A Note of Cheer . . . from her friends would be appreciated by Gert McMaster, formerly of 100 Ferrin St., who is now a resident at the North End Community Nursing Home. Drop her a note or a card at 70 Fulton St., Boston, Mass. 02109.

Corey Gallagher . . . with nine points and five rebounds in 13 minutes, contributed to the 93-59 Bentley College win over Assumption College in the quarterfinals of the Northeast-10 Conference Women's Basketball Championship on Monday night. Corey's team will meet Bryant College in a semifinal game at Stonehill College tomorrow night, Friday, March 1, at 5:30 p.m. Loads of luck Corey!

Congratulations . . . to Matthew Chardavoyne for completing an undefeated season in the Dual County League and winning the Dual County Championships in the 50-yard freestyle. Matthew also won the South State Sectionals and last weekend was victorious at the State Championships in the 50-yard freestyle and finished second in the 100-yard freestyle at UMass-Boston. He will be competing in the U.S. Seniors with the Mass Bay Marlins at Harvard University from March 13 through 17.

The Batucada Belles . . . is a women's marching percussion band of mixed race, Boston-based and committed to social change and equal opportunity. Women with all levels of experience are welcome to join the band. For further info., call Margaret at 461-5946 or Diane at 442-9989.

Volunteers Needed . . . The Samaritans of Boston need telephone volunteers to offer support to people who are suicidal, depressed or lonely . . . Call 536-2460 for more info.

Remember . . . to vote at the Democratic Caucus on Saturday at noon and in the Presidential Primary next Tuesday between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Thought For The Week . . . A smile is the language that even a baby understands.

- Anonymous

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REFRESHMENTS



around the town

by Gloria S. Conway

**★ Neighborhood Council Meetings . . .
Development Committee
258 Main St.**

Chairman Tom Cunha has called for a meeting of the Development Committee at 7 p.m. tonight, Thursday, Feb. 29, in the K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St. Boston Aging Concerns will present its proposal for 258 Main St., the former JJ McCarthy's, to develop 13 units and a manager's studio providing housing for elderly and other formerly homeless Boston residents.

**Environment Committee
Boston Harbor**

Chairman Judy Brennan has called for a meeting of the Environment Committee at 7 p.m. on Monday, March 4 at Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Massport and the Army Corps of Engineers will update the community on the Boston Harbor dredging project.

Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Neighborhood Council will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 7 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

The date of this meeting was changed in that it conflicted with the Presidential Primary Election on March 5.

Included on the agenda for this month's meeting, in addition to reports of committees that met throughout the month, are: a presentation by Mon O'Shea, acting president of Bunker Hill Community College, on the movie soundstage proposed adjacent to the college; information from Ted Marquis of City Year and Jack Halloran,

principal of the Harvard-Kent School, on a proposed park in the school area; and representatives from the Chow Thai restaurant at 189 Main St. on a proposed beer and wine license.

Public Safety Meeting

Co-Chairman John Dillon announces that the Public Safety/Police Community Relations meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 12 at Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St. A representative of the Boston Police Department will be present.

**Arts & Cultural Committee
Artery Arts Project**

Co-chairmen Don Haska and Ken Stone have called a meeting of the Arts & Cultural Committee at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 19 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. Catherine Rafferty, Ross Miller, Bridget Smyth and Marty Nee from the Central Artery/Tunnel Project are scheduled to attend.

All CNC meetings are open to the public and all are welcome to attend.

★ Parking In Charlestown . . . The Charlestown Neighborhood Council and the Charlestown Business Association will hold a joint meeting relative to parking in Charlestown. The meeting will take place at 7 p.m. on Monday, March 11 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

★ Charlestown Business Association . . . The Charlestown Business Association will hold its monthly meeting from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 12 at the Citizens

Bank in the Bunker Hill Mall.

The guest speaker will be Charlestown resident Julie Barron, who is vice president of the commercial loan division of Citizens Bank. Her topic will be the requirements for acquiring a business loan. Prospective members are welcome to attend.

★ Free Adult College Fair . . . Adults wishing to go back to school can meet representatives from over 80 colleges and training programs at the Adult College Fair on Monday, March 4 from noon to 3 p.m. and 4 to 7 p.m. at the Hynes Convention Center. The fair provides a unique opportunity for people to learn about the vast array of programs available to adult students in Greater Boston. Educational options represented include undergraduate, graduate and continuing education programs offered part-time and full-time, during the day and in the evening.

The Adult College Fair provides a valuable opportunity for adults from all backgrounds to meet with representatives from colleges and universities, training programs and student loan programs. Over 60 higher education institutions participated last year along with local banks, communi-

ty agencies and educational organizations. The fair includes free workshops on applying for financial aid and getting into college.

The Seventh Annual Greater Boston Adult College Fair is sponsored by the Higher Education Information Center, the University of Mass./Boston, the Mayor of Boston and the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce. For information, call 536-0200.

★ Tobin Bridge Resident Stickers . . .

Massport is still offering toll discount stickers for passage on the Tobin Memorial Bridge to residents of Charlestown for \$5 each. Drivers with resident stickers will pay only 30¢ for the toll, rather than the regular 50¢. These stickers will be valid for discount tolls for the life span of the vehicle registered in either Charlestown or Chelsea.

Residents seeking the stickers must present vehicle registration, driver's license and a utility bill. If your car is leased, you will be required to present your insurance binder with your name and address. Massport staff will affix the new sticker directly to the windshield at the time of purchase. Removal of the old sticker, is the responsibility of the car owner.

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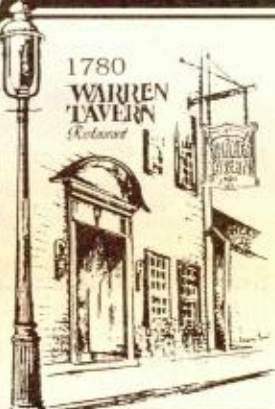
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For more information, call Karyn or Marge at 242-3423

Hockey Greats Host Clinic And Sign Autographs For CYHA



THE PINNACLE NHL FANTASY came to Charlestown recently - one of the last activities of the year at the Emmons-Horrigan-O'Neil MDC Rink. Charlestown youngsters

took part in hockey clinics and obtained autographs from all-time hockey greats including Bobby Orr, Gary Doak and Tom Songin. (photos by Kathy Whitehouse)

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O'Brien Named To Honors List

Jolie O'Brien of Charlestown, has been named to the honors list at St. Joseph's College in Maine. St. Joseph's College is located on Sebago Lake and is Maine's only Catholic college. It is an accredited, four-year, liberal arts college founded in 1912 by the Sisters of Mercy. O'Brien, a senior, is majoring in marketing. She is the daughter of Sherry and Roy O'Brien of Oak Street.

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Jack "The Barber" and his great Townie football teams.

The Charlestown Cardinals baseball team.
The Charlestown High School state hockey tournament game versus Winchester which took an extra day of overtime to decide the winner.

Latin Masses.
Sitting around the radio listening to Inner Sanctum, the Green Hornet, The Fat Man, The Shadow, and all the other great shows that had your imagination working overtime.

The World War II War Memorial at Thompson Square.

Smelt fishing at the Low Bridge.
The White Tower, the Waldorf, the Sports Grille, The Morning Glory, Hoffman's Drug Store, Scalli's, Monroe's, Dot's Diner, Jack's and the many other establishments at old City Square.

The twenty-five cent submarine sandwiches at Sam's on Main Street.

The Charlestown Five Cent Savings Bank.
The Waverly at Bunker Hill and Sackville Streets. Connie and Red's and Smith Bakery on Medford Street, and Roy Flaherty's gas station on Medford between Elm and Polk.

Watching the American Sugar Refinery being built on the site of old Dewey Beach, only to be closed down several years later.

Running boards, rumble seats, and love knobs on the steering wheel.
When a standard shift driver's license was needed to drive a car with a standard shift.

The 1955 Charlestown High School State Football Champions, and the Charlestown High School 1959 Tech

Tourney Basketball Champions.

The outdoor showers at the clinic yard on Elm Street.
The Navy Yard traffic going over Bunker Hill Street at the end of the work day.

The cards in people's windows, one side reading "Ice," and the other side reading "Oil." Oftentimes the ice man and the oil man was one and the same person. Kovitz, for example. The card told him of a person's need as he made his rounds.

The ice man's tongs and the leather piece he draped over his back while carrying a block of ice.

The noise of coal being sent down a chute as it found its way into a coal bin either through a cellar window or a small opening on the sidewalk designed solely for that purpose.

When Christmas mail was delivered twice a day, and the Post Office put on temporary help to assist in the delivery.

When the old MTA hired shovelers to keep the tracks cleared during a snow storm and paid them seventy-five cents an hour.

Watch for more "blasts from the past" next week.

AUCTION ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the City of Boston Public Facilities Department ("PFD"), acting by and through its Public Facilities Commission, and with approval of the Mayor of the City of Boston, in accordance with the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 60, Sections 77A and 77B will sell by public auction the following parcels of real property with all rights, title and interest therewith, commencing at 11:00 A.M. on the 15th day of March, 1996. Said Public Auction will take place at 26 Court Street, Boston, Massachusetts, in the Winter Chambers Meeting Room, located on the first floor. There will be 19 properties auctioned.

	SUGGESTED OPENING BID	MINIMUM DEPOSIT
1) 224 Austin Street, Hyde Park	\$28,375	\$5,000
2) 13 Belden Street, Dorchester	\$5,000	\$5,000
3) 6 Bowdoin Avenue, Dorchester	\$10,000	\$5,000
4) 9-11 Bradshaw Street, Dorchester	\$5,000	\$5,000
5) 18 Brookview Street, Dorchester	\$15,000	\$5,000
6) 29 A Chestnut Avenue, Roxbury	\$30,000	\$5,000
7) 48 Dana Avenue, Hyde Park	\$33,675	\$5,000
8) 122 Gladstone Street, East Boston	\$25,000	\$5,000
9) 79 Jamaica Street, Jamaica Plain	\$25,000	\$5,000
10) 30 Kinross Road, Unit #11, Brighton	\$20,000	\$5,000
11) 54 Minot Street, Dorchester	\$38,725	\$5,000
12) 118-118B Norfolk Street, Dorchester	\$20,000	\$5,000
13) 401-405 Norfolk Street, Dorchester	\$35,125	\$5,000
14) 777 Parker Street, Unit #2, Roxbury	\$10,000	\$5,000
15) 777 Parker Street, Unit #4, Roxbury	\$10,000	\$5,000
16) 55 Temple Place, Unit #3, Downtown	\$40,000	\$5,000
17) 42 Torrey Street, Dorchester	\$24,700	\$5,000
18) 60 Winship Street, Brighton	\$44,675	\$5,000
19) 13-15 Worcester Street, South End	\$50,000	\$5,000

NOTE: Registration of bidders shall be a requirement and will be done commencing at 10:00 A.M. and continuing to 11:00 A.M. All prospective bidders must be aware that proper personal identification and a minimum deposit will be required at the time of auction. Please be advised that due to various circumstances, such as the present condition or current occupancy of some units, PFD cannot guarantee admission to all units listed. PFD will conduct Pre-Auction viewings of the above-referenced properties as follows:

PROPERTY VIEWINGS OF MARCH 4, 1996

1) 13 Belden Street, Dorchester	9:45 am to 10:45 am
2) 777 Parker Street, Unit #4, Roxbury	11:00 am to 11:30 am
3) 777 Parker Street, Unit #2, Roxbury	11:30 am to 12:00 pm
4) 29 A Chestnut Avenue, Roxbury	1:45 pm to 2:45 pm
5) 79 Jamaica Street, Jamaica Plain	3:00 p.m. to 4:00 pm

PROPERTY VIEWINGS OF MARCH 5, 1996

6) 122 Gladstone Street, East Boston	9:45 am to 10:45 am
7) 54 Minot Street, Dorchester	11:15 am to 12:15 pm
8) 6 Bowdoin Avenue, Dorchester	12:30 pm to 1:30 pm
9) 9-11 Bradshaw Street, Dorchester	3:00 p.m. to 4:00 pm

PROPERTY VIEWINGS OF MARCH 6, 1996

10) 224 Austin Street, Hyde Park	10:00 am to 11:00 am
11) 48 Dana Avenue, Hyde Park	11:15 am to 12:15 pm
12) 60 Winship Street, Brighton	2:00 pm to 3:00 pm
13) 30 Kinross Road, Unit #11, Brighton	3:15 pm to 4:15 pm

PROPERTY VIEWINGS OF MARCH 7, 1996

14) 118-118B Norfolk Street, Dorchester	10:00 am to 10:45 am
15) 401-405 Norfolk Street, Dorchester	11:00 am to 11:45 am
16) 18 Brookview Street, Dorchester	1:30 pm to 2:30 pm
17) 42 Torrey Street, Dorchester	2:45 pm to 3:45 pm

PROPERTY VIEWINGS OF MARCH 8, 1996

18) 13-15 Worcester Street, South End	12:45 pm to 1:45 pm
19) 55 Temple Place, Unit #3, Downtown	3:15 pm to 4:15 pm

THE PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY AND ALL OFFERS. Prospective bidders must have no outstanding indebtedness with the City of Boston. Said Property will be sold "AS IS," and without representation or warranty as to its condition, construction or fitness for habitation. The Property will be sold subject to and with the benefit of any and all easements, rights and restrictions of record insofar as the same are now in force and applicable. The Property is also subject to all laws and ordinances including, but not limited to, all building and zoning laws and ordinances, if any of the foregoing there be. **Terms of the Sale: Minimum Deposit for land and building: Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars will be required to be paid by bank or certified check at the time and place of auction as earnest money (bank or certified check must be made out to the prospective bidder, and endorsed by the accepted bidder to the City of Boston immediately after the conclusion of the Auction).** The balance of the purchase price is to be paid by bank or certified check within 45 days thereafter; provided, such date is one on which the Suffolk Registry of Deeds is open for business, and if not, then on the next day on which said Registry is open for business. **Time is of the essence.** The accepted bidder shall be required to sign a Memorandum of Sale executed at the time of the Auction. In the event that the accepted bidder is unable for any reason to complete the purchase of the property, PFD reserves the right to sell the Property by Collector/Treasurer Deed to the second highest bidder, provided that the second highest bidder, shall deposit with the Public Facilities Department, the amount of the required deposit as set forth herein within three (3) business days after its receipt of written notice of the default of the previous accepted bidder and title shall be conveyed to said second highest bidder within forty-five (45) days of its delivery of the required deposit. Further, PFD reserves the right to postpone the sale to a later time and date by public proclamation at the time and date appointed for the sale and to further postpone the sale of any adjourned sale date by public proclamation at the time and date appointed for the adjourned sale date. Other terms, if any, to be announced at the time and place of the sale. For further information, contact Carl Hyman, Senior Project Manager, City of Boston Public Facilities Department, 635-0465. Please note that if an examination of the City of Boston Assessor's record indicates that you have an interest of record in the above property, this notice will be mailed (certified) to you, pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 60, Section 77A, as notice of the Foreclosure Auction Sale of the above property.

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WARD COMMITTEE
 Charlestown, Ward 2
 (Vote for not more than 21)

- Alan Keyes
- Robert K. Dorman
- No Preference

- Barbara G. Burke
- 200 Captain's Row, Chelsea

- Jennifer C. Borden, 12 Monument Court
- Samantha Overton, 16 Union St.
- Kevin A. Wrege, 42 Eighth St.
- Christopher V. Adams, 42 Eighth St.
- Greta M. Maguire, 9 Eden St.
- George Riethop, 36 Soley St.
- Suzanne M. Coughlin, 425 Main St.

REPUBLICAN BALLOT
PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE
 (Vote for one listed candidate, vote for "No Preference" or write-in a candidate of your choice if not already listed.)

STATE COMMITTEE MAN
 Suffolk, Essex & Middlesex District
 (vote for one)

- Leslie Pendleton
- 47 Harvard St., Charlestown
- Robert J. Prezioso
- 140 Florence St., Everett

WARD COMMITTEE
 Charlestown, Ward 2
 (Vote for not more than 35)

- William S. Kuttner, 21 Soley St.
- Kellie Cullen, 95 Russell St.
- Denise Jennings, 25A Tibbetts Town Way
- Robert F. Kalin, 20 Auburn St.
- Julie McDonnell, 4 Crystal Place
- John J. McDonnell, 4 Crystal Place
- Rory L. Neubert, 31 Bartlett St.
- Michael Ward, 40 Monument Square
- Patricia H. Harrington, 19 Chestnut St.
- Robert S. O'Connell, 29 Bartlett St.
- Leslie Pendleton Jr., 47 Harvard St.

LIBERTARIAN BALLOT
PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE
 (Vote for one listed candidate, vote for "No Preference" or write-in a candidate of your choice if not already listed.)

- Harry Browne
- Rick Tompkins
- Irwin Schiff
- No Preference

- Richard G. Lugar
- Morry Taylor
- Phil Gramm
- Patrick J. Buchanan
- Bob Dole
- Steve Forbes
- Lamar Alexander

STATE COMMITTEE WOMAN
 Suffolk, Essex & Middlesex District
 (vote for one)

- Jennifer C. Borden
- 12 Monument Court, Charlestown

Charlestown Democrats To Caucus

(continued from page 1)
 and alternate must also be present, voting and give his or her written consent to be nominated and that nomination must be seconded by two persons present at the local caucus. All ballots will be written and secret. Those candidates receiving the greatest number of votes on the first ballot will be elected. Each candidate will be allowed to make a two-

minute speech and to distribute on his/her behalf one sheet of paper listing qualifications and ideas. Slate-making is allowed, but no special preference shall be given to slates. There is no quorum required for the caucus. There will be no admission or expense charge at the caucus, although donations may be solicited. Discrimination on the basis of race, sex, age, col-

or, creed, national origin, religion, ethnic identity, philosophical persuasion or economic status in the conduct of the caucus is strictly prohibited. Challenges to the delegate selection process can be filed in writing with the Compliance Review Commission, c/o The Massachusetts Democratic Party, 45 Bromfield Street, Boston, Mass. 02108 no later than March 15, 1996.

Ward To Play In State Basketball Tournament

Arlington Catholic boys' basketball team, which finished the season with a record of 13 wins and five losses and has qualified to play in the state tournament, features Charlestown native Brian Ward in the starting lineup. The 5' 10" junior guard has averaged five points, four assists and three steals

per game while providing the team with tenacious defense. "Brian can change the flow of a game with his defensive play," stated Head Coach Steve Fernandes. Fernandes continued: "He plays with great emotion and total intensity. You can see it rub off on his teammates." Besides

being a stalwart on defense, Ward has steadily improved his offensive stats and recently netted 15 points against Archbishop Williams. Arlington Catholic will begin play in the state tournament tomorrow night, Friday, March 1, vs. Tyngsboro at 7:45 p.m. at Wilmington High School.

Newest Charter School Recruiting Students


Boston's newest "charter school" - the Academy of the Pacific Rim - will host a meeting for parents of students entering grades 6, 7 and 8 this fall on Thursday, March 7 at 7 p.m. at the Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St., Charlestown. Charter schools are tuition-free, state approved public schools that are free to develop their own curriculum and rules of operation. Twenty-five charters are to be awarded throughout the state. Only five of those charter schools will be in Boston, and of those, only two will serve middle school students. The curriculum of the Academy of the Pacific Rim will emphasize basic skills in reading, writing, mathematics, science and

social studies. The school will have a special focus on Pacific Rim cultures and also emphasize discipline and community involvement. "We'll be old-fashioned in one sense," says one of the founders Robert Guen, a former member of the Boston School Committee, "but in another sense, we'll be the cutting edge - using technology and the expertise of our partners, Emerson College, Tufts University and the New England Medical Center, to prepare kids for the job opportunities in the new world economy." The academy is billing itself as "a more contemporary alternative to Boston's examination schools." It will be located in downtown Boston. School offi-

cial are currently negotiating for space. The school is seeking a diverse student body and is now accepting applications for enrollment. The only requirements for admission to the academy are that students show an interest in this multicultural approach to education and that students and parents sign a contract committing them to participate fully in the life of the school. As with all charter schools, eligible students will be selected by lottery, with preference given to Boston residents. Parents interested in obtaining more information or applications to enroll their children are urged to attend the meeting on March 7 or contact the school at 348-0909.


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Committee Hears Plans For Main Street Bistro

by Lynn Peters

The Basic Services Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council will recommend on March 7 that the council support the upcoming Duckworth Lane Bistro and Wine Bar operating license request from the city with two conditions.

Abutters to the incoming 73-83 Main St. restaurant and committee members agreed at a Feb. 22 public meeting to support the owners' request to transfer the existing license of the now-closed Comella's eatery, providing that scheduled trash pickup be after 9 a.m. in consideration of neighbors and that there be continued

community involvement as the business establishes itself in Charlestown. Neighbors said they are concerned about efficient air-conditioning and ventilation systems based on complaints they had when Comella's occupied the space.

Barbara Russell and David Chase presented their plans for an "interesting neighborhood bistro and wine bar that offers a warm and friendly alternative" to residents and committee members. Charlestown will be the site of the third operation for Russell and Chase, who also own Chanterelle on Newbury Street and Soleil in Harvard Square.

Duckworth Lane will

retain the existing hours of operation as Comella's, from 5 p.m. to midnight every night. The seating area will also remain the same with two small dining rooms and a cafe for 95 people. Russell said noise will be minimal, garbage will be kept indoors until the scheduled pick up and there will be no deep frying or open grilling.

"This will be a glass-of-wine-and-a-bite-to-eat business," Chase said.

The wine bar will feature more than 20 different snacks and light meals ranging from \$4 to \$8. The full-service dining room will accept reservations and offer main courses from \$9 to \$15. There

will be neither takeout nor valet-parking services, unless the community would decide that neighborhood impacts could be lessened.

Most abutters said they were excited to have an active business coming to Charlestown. One neighbor, however, said she would personally request that the licensing board close the restaurant at 10:30 p.m. because of noise.

Renovations to the air conditioning and exhaust system are scheduled to begin in April, with Duckworth Lane opening approximately the first week of May. The licensing hearing is expected to be set within the next month.

St. Catherine's Color Guard News

On a humid and cloudy Friday morning, St. Catherine's B Color Guard traveled to Montreal, Quebec, Canada. Father Ron Coyne greeted everyone in his own unique way and wished them well. When the last suitcase was placed on the bus, we were on the road and the donuts were being devoured - whatever flavor you wanted, we had it.

One of the positive things the adults encourage is unity and friendship. The purpose for getting our young children together is to encourage a more positive lifestyle. Like many of the sports activities, color guard is a youth activity and the members' well-being should be our number one concern.

Back in November, the color guard was given the opportunity to go to the Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) Breakfast. As the girls travel each weekend to their shows, whether it be local or at a distance, they are making new friends. So when we think back to the CHAD organization, we hopefully witness the true spirit of our children focusing their minds on the right path.

As the bus traveled to Montreal, one of the girls put on the feature movie entitled "9 Months." It felt like it took nine months to reach our destination.

As we continued our journey, our bodies felt like we were jammed into a phone booth. After several

long hours of traveling, we finally arrived at our favorite fast food chain. You guessed it! "McDonald's." Once the food was consumed, it was back to the bus. Finally, three cheers rang out for our favorite bus driver. The best was yet to come - the girls had practice. How excited everyone was. (Ya, right!)

Saturday morning came quickly and it was off to prelims. The moment finally came for the girls to perform. You could see the emotion within the ranks. After the opening feature, the crowd was giving a well-appreciated applause. The energy level intensified with the fans encouraging every move in the drill. When the girls finished performing, they were gasping for air as the adrenaline level was at its highest point.

While the scores were being posted, the girls were anxious to see where they placed. Father Coyne's blessing must have been with them - they made the finals. Placing seventh out of eight was a great victory in itself, because it was their first final. At the end of the evening, you could see the tired faces.

Thanks go out to the prop crew, especially our new "fan club!" Also thanks to Robin and Gerry Nye - it was a great job by the instructional staff. Next stop, Charlestown, Mass., USA!

by Dan Awbrey

French Nominated To Represent Boston Latin In Washington

Alexandra French of Charlestown has been nominated to represent Boston Latin School at the Close Up program, a week-long government studies program for high school students, taking place March 17-23 in Washington, D.C.

French, a sophomore, will participate in the program that includes an intensive week of government study, workshops, meetings with members of Congress and their staffs as well as cabinet department representatives, em-

bassy officials and members of the media.

French is responsible for raising funds for her participation in this program, which amounts to just under \$1,000 and includes the week of instruction, travel, room and meals.

Contributions are tax-deductible. Checks should be made out to the Close Up Foundation and be sent in her name to: Close Up Program, Boston Latin School, 78 Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston, Mass. 02115.

Money Matters

by Nicholas C. Pino

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- If you have children under age 13 and you and your spouse work or go to school, find out if you're eligible to claim the credit for qualified child-care expenses.

- Carefully check Forms 1099. Make sure that you report income properly, and be careful not to include tax exempt interest on Schedule B. If you claimed the standard deduction in 1994, do not report your 1994 state tax refund as 1995 income.

- Don't overlook local and state income taxes. If you itemize, deduct the amount shown on Forms W-2, and estimated payments, and any payments that you sent with your 1994 state return. While auto license fees are not deductible, you should deduct any personal property tax that is included in the cost of your license plates. Check brokerage and mutual fund statements for any foreign taxes paid.
- Consider allocating some of last year's tax preparation fee to business or rental activities, instead of taking an itemized deduction that may be subject to limitation.

- If neither you nor your spouse participates in a pension plan, you could reap significant benefit from an IRA contribution made by April 15, 1996. Self-employed taxpayers can establish and contribute to a SEP-IRA until the due date of your return. Also, you can make a 1995 Keogh contribution in 1996 up to the filing of your 1995 return, as long as the Keogh existed before January 1, 1996.

- If you are self-employed, own rental property, or have high income, consider seeking professional tax guidance. Complicated tax law makes expert help essential!

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News From Charlestown Catholic Elementary School

Longy School Of Music Programs

Over the past few weeks, students in kindergarten through Grade 5 have enjoyed music enrichment from the Longy School. Five musicians playing such instruments as flute, bassoon and clarinet performed "Peter and the Wolf" for the third and fourth graders. Grade 5 students thoroughly enjoyed "Kitchen Music." Various types of bowls, drums, cymbals and other rhythm instruments blended together to provide wonderful music. Kindergarten, first and second grade students enjoyed a multicultural song fest.

\$5,000 Drawing And Dinner Dance

A special thank to all parents and friends who came to the \$5,000 Drawing at the Knights of Columbus last Friday to support Charlestown Catholic. After a delicious dinner provided by Jean's Caterers, the drawing was held. First prize of \$5,000 was won by Danny and Carolyn Shannon; and second prize of \$500 was won by Charlestown Catholic. Other winners included Kelleigh Devlin and Rita Mahoney \$300; Dolly Pacheco and Eileen Laboo \$200; Lisa Collins and Kathleen Burns \$100; and Paul and Eileen Cotter won free tickets for next

year's drawing. Music provided by Kevin McGoff and Eric Johnson kept people dancing throughout the evening. Holders of this year's tickets will have first choice for next year's tickets.

Thanks also to the members of the school's Parent Board, who planned the evening. The Parent Board includes Ellen Eddy, Carol Devlin, Donna Hickey, Mary Anne Lacey, Karen Langan and Carolyn Shannon.

Candy Drive

During the next week, students from Charlestown Catholic will be selling candy

bars throughout the town for \$1 each. Please support the children and the school as we strive to provide funds to buy two new doors for the school.

Archdiocesan Accreditation

On March 6 all faculty members at Charlestown Catholic will attend a full day workshop which will begin a year-long process culminating in accreditation sponsored by the Archdiocese of Boston. During the year, teachers will study such areas as school philosophy, Catholic identity, curriculum, finance, parent involvement, maintenance and student activities.



FIFTH GRADE students at Charlestown Catholic Elementary School have been participating in a music program with musicians from the Longy School of Music. At the left (l. to r.) enjoying the "Kitchen

Music" program are Shannon O'Donnell, Kellie Myers, Carol Duong, Kerry Brennan and Caitlin Durette . . . In the center, Maureen Coppinger plays the drums for the class . . . On the right, taking part in

the rhythm music program, are front row (l. to r.) Derek Garceau, John Murphy, Paul Hollien, Chad Titcomb and Jason Flint.

CYO & ST. CATHERINE'S NEWS

BY FATHER RON COYNE

▲ **7th And 8th Grade Boys Olympics** - Seventh and 8th grade boys from Charlestown participated in the annual Junior Olympics at West Roxbury High School with 12 teams from various parishes in and around Boston. Our 8th grade team was coached by Bob DeCristoforo and included Scott Moses (MVP), Ryan Connolly, Darnell Crump, Tim Dacey, Andrew Grzelczyk, Ryan Godfrey and Phil O'Neil. These boys finished in 5th place. The 7th grade team was coached by Jim Tallent and Peter Golden and included Michael Kelly (MVP), Rich Burns, John Cepeda, Brian Dacey, Dan Devlin, Scott Gilbert, Jimmy Joseph, John Lillis, Darwin Mendoza, Sean Noonan, Justin O'Brien and Paul Woods. We thank the boys for representing us.

We are also grateful to the young adults and teenagers who volunteered to referee throughout the day: Sonny Blackstone, Nicole DeRoeve, Dave Evers, Susan Essex, Shane Fisher, Kevin Golden, Dave Hurley, Jim McIsaac, Carlos Vega and Jim Yandle. The annual 7th and 8th Grade Girls Olympics will be held on Tuesday, April 16.

▲ **Color Guard** - Our girls will be competing on Saturday, March 2 at BC High School and Saturday, March 9 at Waltham High School. Both contests will begin at 5 p.m. Our "Townies" took home their first trophy of the season with a 3rd place finish on Feb. 17. Congratulations!!!

▲ **Snow Tubing Trip** - We are going snow tubing on Wednesday night, March 6 at the Amesbury Sports Park.

All students in grades 5 through 8 and above, public and parochial, are invited to join us. A bus will leave St. Catherine's at 3 p.m. and return about 8:30 p.m. We will be sledding from 4 to 7:30 p.m. The cost is only \$8 per person, which includes transportation. Our numbers will be limited and no names will be taken without the \$8 fee. You may sign up at the rectory.

▲ **Mayor's Youth Summit** - Mayor Tom Menino invites all Boston youth 12-18 to attend the annual Youth Forum at Boston Latin School on Saturday, March 9 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Registration is free. There will be speakers, entertainment, food and T-shirts. The day will offer skill building, workshops on issues such as domestic violence, diversity, resume writing, teens and police, music, etc.

▲ **St. Patrick's Celebration Sponsored By MH₂O To Benefit St. Catherine's CYO** - The fourth annual St. Patrick's Celebration to benefit St. Catherine's CYO Youth Programs will be held from 5:30 to 10:30 p.m. on Thursday, March 14, at St. Catherine's Parish Hall. Entertainment will be provided by Charlestown's D.J. Dennis Moore. There will be a buffet, dancing, cash bar and raffles. Admission is \$10 person. For ticket information, call 242-1750.

▲ **Summer Trip To Washington, D.C.** - We are planning to take St. Catherine's altar servers and any other children, teenagers or families who would like to join us, on a

5-day trip, Sunday through Thursday, July 7 to 11. Included would be the Red Sox /Orioles game at Camden Yards, two full days in D.C. touring the monuments, Air and Space Museum, FBI Building, the National Zoo, Arlington Cemetery, Annapolis Naval Academy etc., and a full day at Six Flags Amusement Park in New Jersey. Call the rectory at 242-1750 for further information.

▲ **Stained Glass Windows At St. Catherine's** - The stained glass window in the upper church at St. Catherine's is deteriorating. The Chancery has given us permission to begin work to preserve the beautiful art works and priceless treasure that we have had for over 109 years. This work will entail not only removing much of the glass and replacing the glass and lead, but also a lot of work on the wood that embodies the stained glass windows. Naturally, the price is high, so the work has to be done in phases for us to afford it. If we do not begin this work now, the cost will continue to escalate. Our hope is that we will not have to borrow money to complete the work, but can rely on the generosity of our parishioners, former parishioners and friends.

We will acknowledge donations to this cause each week in our parish bulletin. Gifts of all sizes are welcome. You may donate in your name or in memory of a loved one. Checks may be made out to St. Catherine's Restoration Fund.

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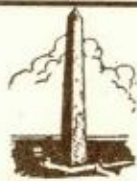
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◆ **Thank You . . .** As my term as the BHA Youth Worker at the Bunker Hill Development comes to a close, I want to thank everyone, especially the young people, who have made these five years and nine months a most rewarding experience. Together we have done some great things, and I know through my own program such as the Andy Puopolo - Charlestown Pride, we will continue to do great things.

◆ **Mayor's Youth Summit . . .** Charlestown teens are reminded to take part in the second annual Mayor's Youth Summit that takes place on Saturday, March 9 at Boston Latin School. This is a great opportunity to meet teens from around the city, get some important information, and voice your opinions. You might even get a jump on some summer jobs. Carolyn Shannon at Boston Community Centers has the information.

◆ **Teagan Leonard . . .** Congratulations to Teagan Leonard, whose team won a state championship on Saturday. Next stop - Minnesota!

◆ **Hot Stove Baseball . . .** Snowflakes may still be in the air, but the signs of spring are everywhere. Baseball is already on the mind as Charlestown Hot Stove items are hot topics.

On the RBI front, Jason Gallagher has already committed to coaching the 1996 16 to 18- year-old team, and team MVP Ricky Evers is working out.

Word is out that a 13 to 15- year-old team could happen. Charlestown kids should let me know quickly if they are interested. This could be a Charlestown-North End combo team.

RBI is also putting together a girls softball program. More info as it comes along.

I even went to a Rookie Ball meeting this week.

◆ **Steve Linnane . . .** Congratulations to Steve Linnane, who

took part in the Gold Glove show up in Lowell. Steve trained very hard, and represented Charlestown well. It was also good to see that a large Charlestown contingent made the trip to support Steve in his real boxing debut.

◆ **Charlestown High-Lites . . .** The week began with high hopes, but ended with no hope for the coveted Boston City Championships. All three Charlestown teams - boys basketball, girls basketball and hockey - were defeated in the city semi-finals!

The toughest loss of all was for the boys, who looked forward to a rematch with Southie. Boston English had the same prize in mind, and fought back to overtake a 10-point deficit in the second half. The "Big E" did need some last second heroics, and they got it from Kevin Andrews who buried a long game winning three-pointer with just 13 seconds to go to give English a 79-76 victory. Charlestown sophomore sensation Scott Clark finished the day with 30 points, including two crucial free throws, which had given the Townies a 76-75 lead in the final seconds. Teammate Anthony Walker had 25 points.

Charlestown will play the winner of the Saugus/Chelsea game on Saturday, March 2 at Wakefield in the Division 2 North Quarterfinal game of the State Basketball Tournament.

No excuses, but key injuries didn't help the boys hockey team or the girls basketball team on their road to glory. Jamie Hutchins had a goal for the Townies, but Latin Academy rolled to a 5-1 victory, and the Lady Hoopsters minus you-know-who, were pounded by Burke 62-17! Burke did go on to win the city title topping O'Bryant 63-38.

Check the Boston dailies for state tournament information.

◆ **High School Notebook . . .** Congratulations to Boston

Latin's Matt Chardavoyne who took first place in the Boys 50 Freestyle and second place in the Boys 100 Freestyle at the state swim meet.

As we begin the week, Nick Smith of Boston Latin, Ian Urquhart of Charlestown, Brian Ward of Arlington Catholic, and Andrew Ray of Cape Cod Tech have all begun the road to state basketball gold.

The state hockey pairings will be announced this week!

◆ **ADSL Basketball . . .** The Andy Puopolo 17 & under team gets back to work this week, taking on St. Gregory's in a 2 p.m. Sunday game at the Marr Boys & Girls Club. All players should be there by 1:30 p.m.

◆ **Pro Line . . .** Winnipeg and Florida make "local" visits to Hartford this weekend to take on the Whalers. Could be a nice trip, and tickets are less expensive than the FleetCenter.

◆ **Tip Of The Cap . . .** Bob McGann has been the director of the Charlestown Community Centers for a number of years. Some may think he just sits at his desk all day, but those in the know understand how important his desk work is. Bob is a good person, and Charlestown is fortunate to have him around.

◆ **Tim Warren . . .** Congratulations to Timmy Warren who was nominated for the Martin Luther King Outstanding Leader Award that is presented annually by Boston College. Timmy was nominated by Charlestown High School in recognition of his service to the school and to the entire Charlestown community. Timmy is very involved with the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, and the honor is well deserved.

◆ **Tidbits . . .** Birthday best to Aileen Gorman . . . Russell Groggett would like to buy some green M & M's . . . Dave's favorite song: "YMCA" . . . ANGELO! *Smile!*

Charlestown Gym Hockey Update

The Charlestown Gym Hockey League standings as of Feb. 24 are:

W	L	T	Bunker Hill Insurance	George Dighton
Dunny's Pals	14	1	Dunny's Pals	R.T. Kelly
B. H. Florist	13	2	Grant Photo	Patrick Arroyo
Bryan's Pals	11	4	Jimmy's On Top	Eric Reid
The Horseshoe	10	5	Kerrigan's	Dodje Boyle
B. H. Insurance	8	5	Li'l Al's	Krystine Marckini
Kerrigan's	6	6	Main St. Furniture, Medford	Ryan Collins
Jimmy's On Top	6	10		Patrick Smith
T. J.'s Kids	4	10		Kevin Lavallee
Main St. Furniture	2	8		Allison McNulty
Li'l Al's	2	10		Bridget Ellis
Grant Photo	1	12		Caitlin Ellis

Players of the Week - Feb. 10

Bryan's Pals	Shane Yandle	The Horseshoe	Brittney Pritchard
B. H. Florist	Jay Godding	T. J.'s Kids	Eric Robinson
	Had a bye.		Shannon Devlin
			Michael Nelson

Comedy Night To Benefit Charlestown Gym Hockey Program

Charlestown Gym Hockey invites everyone to join them at their St. Patrick's Weekend Comedy Night Benefit on Friday, March 15 at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

The event is being supported by Nick's Comedy Stop and will feature some of the top comedians in the Boston area. Doors will open at 7 p.m. with the show starting at 8 p.m. Scheduled to perform are two nationally renowned comedians, Kevin Knox, considered by many to be one of the best stand-up comics in the country hav-

ing performed at the Tropicana in Las Vegas and at Foxwoods; and Chuck Roy, who has appeared on A & E and is a regular at Caroline's in New York.

Also on the program are three of Boston's young up-and-coming comedians, Mike Fahey, Mike Prior and Mark Coyle, all regular performers at Nick's. The comedians are scheduled to appear from 8 to 10 p.m. and a DJ will entertain from 10 p.m. to midnight.

Charlestown Gym Hockey would like to remind everyone that this show

will have the same atmosphere as a comedy club and they are not responsible for any offensive and/or suggestive language that may be used.

Tickets are \$12 in advance and \$15 at the door, or you can reserve a table of 10 for \$120. They can be purchased on Saturday, March 2, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St., or by calling Jimbo Tucker at 242-3470, Timmy Dacey at 242-1937, Paul Buckley at 242-3944 or Debbie Lent at 241-8656.

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'Rosie The Riveter' Comes Alive At The Charlestown Navy Yard

The Boston National Historical Park will present the costumed interpretive program, "Rosie the Riveter," at the Charlestown Navy Yard on Saturdays and Sundays, March 2, 3, 9 and 10 at 2 p.m. at the Navy Yard Visitor Information Center. The free program, detailing the lives of female civilian workers during World War II, is part of the park's commemoration of Women's History Month.

A park ranger will portray "Rosie" by wearing the typical work clothes of a female worker at the Charlestown Navy Yard during World War II. The film, "The Life and Times of Rosie the Riveter" will also be shown.

During WW II, millions of American women entered the work force in jobs previously open only to men. At the Charlestown Navy Yard, in the peak year of 1943, some

8,000 women worked as welders, painters and in many other skilled trades and industrial jobs. Women were instrumental in the Allied victory and the story of "Rosie" and what happened to her after the war reflect the great changes in American society during the middle part of the 20th century.

For more information on this or other National Park Service programs, call 242-5601.

Charlestown CYO T-Ball Registration

The Charlestown CYO T-Ball and Wack-A-Ball League will be holding registrations on Saturdays, March 2, 9 and 16, from 8 a.m. to noon at St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.

The registration fee is \$10 per child.

The T-Ball Division is for 6, 7 and 8-year-olds, and the Wack-A-Ball Division is for 4 and 5-year-olds.

For further information, call Paul Buckley at 242-3944 or Joan Smith at 242-0700.

Charlestown Little League News

Registration for Little League will be held at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St., on Friday, March 8 from 6 to 8 p.m. and on Saturday, March 9 and 16 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The registration fee will be \$30 per family. We ask that, if at all pos-

sible, a parent or guardian accompany the player who is to be registered.

Everyone must register. Major and minor league and first-time players must get to the club to register on these dates. We especially ask that major league players who are returning to regis-

ter, do so early so that the managers can firm up their rosters before the tryouts and draft.

Any player who will reach the age of 8 before Aug. 1, 1996, or will not reach the age of 13 before Aug. 1, 1996, shall be eligible to register.

CHAD Junior Bowling League News

by John Dillon

Returning after a snow day, we have some interesting scores to report in the CHAD (Charlestown Against Drugs) Junior Bowling League.

Jenny's defeated Bunker Hill Real Estate 5-3. Top bowler for Jenny's was Mike Shackford with 237. Runner-up was Jessica Grace with 191. Top bowler for BHRE was Chris Chiampa with 221. Runner-up was Jared Silva with 161.

McCarthy Brothers defeated Cricket's team 6-2. Top bowler for McCarthy's was Jon Paul Awbrey with 238. Runner-up was Sheilann Williams with 209. Top bowler for Cricket's was Matt Paley with 231. Run-

ner-up was Padraic Locke with 220.

The Red Store rocked the Shamrocks 6-2. Top bowler for the Red Store was Jean Wall with 239 and Brendan Grace was runner-up with 199. Jimmy Kissane was the top bowler for the Shamrocks with 265 and Dan Kissane was runner-up with 195.

The Kennedy Center split with Diane Modica's team 4-4. Top bowler for the Kennedy Center was Sean Cronk with 232. Runner-up was Mike Simensen with 222. Top bowler for Modica's team was Stephen Wall with 274 and Ryan Stillman was runner-up with 189.

The American Legion shutout the Charlestown Patriot 8-0. This is the fifth shut-

out in a row for the American Legion team, something that has never been done in the history of the league. This team is so hot if you touched them, you would burn your fingers. What this team has done is unbelievable. Top bowler for the American Legion was Richie Burns with 256 and Craig Gaudette was runner-up with 196. Top bowler for the Patriot was John Harrington with 227. Runner-up was Derek Matarazzo with 190.

Bowlers of the week are: Stephen Wall 274, Jimmy Kissane 265, Richie Burns 256, Jean Wall 239, Jon Paul Awbrey 238, Mike Shackford 237, Sean Cronk 232, Matt Paley 231, Mike Simensen 222

and Chris Chiampa 221.

Bowlers trying the hardest are: Shawn Burke 206, Marianne Kissane 196, Casey Durham 187, Mark Dillon 186, Katy Locke 182, David Grace 163, Alex Gaudette 162, Shawn O'Donnell 153 and Joe Awbrey 127.

We bowl at 11:30 a.m. sharp on Saturday.

Standings	W	L
American Legion	40	0
McCarthy Bros.	30	10
Red Store	28	12
Kennedy Center	26	14
B.H. Real Estate	23	17
Diane Modica	20	20
Shamrocks	20	20
Jenny's	9	31
Chas'n. Patriot	6	34
Cricket's	2	38

Mr. Wizard Science Program To Visit Charlestown Catholic

On Monday, March 4, the mysteries of science will be explored at Charlestown Catholic Elementary School when ECA Educational Services, in conjunction with the Mr. Wizard Studios, presents "Mr. Wizard's Science In The Home."

New guidelines set by the American Academy for the Advancement of Science ask teachers to use hands-on projects in an effort to improve the science programs in our nation's schools. In keeping with these guidelines, Mr. Wizard Science Assembly Programs demonstrate the science of everyday living using interactive

teaching methods.

Don Herbert, better known as "Mr. Wizard" from NBC TV's "Watch Mr. Wizard" and Nickelodeon's "Mr. Wizard's World," has produced a program to bring this hands-on style of science to Charlestown at 1 p.m. Although Herbert himself will be busy exploring new ways to explain science using everyday items, Ken Finegan, his official assistant, will present this fast-paced show guaranteed to educate and entertain.

The message of this show is that science is a way of thinking that can

lead to understanding. Student volunteers from the audience use learning skills such as observing, predicting and analyzing to investigate challenges posed during the show. Among other things, they will discover how to push a needle through a balloon, how much gas is in a can of soda, and how to remove the iron from your breakfast cereal every morning. In the tradition of the Mr. Wizard television show, the demonstrations in this program illustrate ways items found in supermarkets and around your home can be used to explain everyday living.

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Healthy Charlestown Coalition

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HOMEBASE RETURNS!

The Healthy Charlestown Coalition will once again be sponsoring Homebase 101 Classes in cooperation with the City of Boston Public Facilities Department. The classes, intended to assist first-time homebuyers who are in the process of buying a home in Boston, will begin on Wednesday, April 17 and run every Wednesday for five weeks from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Charlestown Community Center. For registration information, please contact the coalition office.

EDUCATION AND CAREER OPTIONS

The next meeting of the Education and Career Options team will be on Tuesday, March 5 at noon in the Boys & Girls Club Conference Room. The progress of the GED Tutoring Program will be discussed at this time. Other ideas designed to address attendance problems in the high school-aged population will also be presented.

VIOLENCE PREVENTION DESIGN TEAM

The Violence Prevention Design Team will be finishing up their surveys today, Thursday, Feb. 29. Anyone who still has surveys out, please return them to the coalition office. This survey process has already been extremely helpful in helping the coalition contact residents that we formally have not been in touch with. We are hoping to use the information gathered to help identify safety issues and use existing community resources to help alleviate some concerns that have been expressed. The next meeting of the Violence Prevention Design Team will be on Thursday, March 7 at 11 a.m. at the Kennedy Center Drop-In Resource Center at 55 Bunker Hill St.

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If any representative of a local organization or an individual who lives or works in the Charlestown community would like more information or would like to become involved with the coalition, please contact Danny Ryan at 241-3756.

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Letters to the Editor must be signed and include name, address and telephone number for verification. The name will be withheld if the writer so requests. Anonymous letters will NOT be published.



Congratulations Mite C II

Congratulations to all of the Charlestown Youth Hockey Mite C II players who participated in the Kazabushi Tournament in Saugus. Your sportsmanship and team effort was outstanding. Keep up the good work. You're #1 with us. Special thanks to Jane and Bobby Morancy for supplying all the great refreshments.

Your Families and Fans

Thank You

Dear Gloria,

The residents of the General Warren Senior Apartments and the staff of the Golden Age Center wish to extend their thanks and appreciation to the Clarence R. Edwards Middle School choral group and Ms. Jewel Anderson.

The children were wonderful. Their songs and multi-cultural performances were heart warming. The seniors were pleased and enjoyed the performance so very much.

Thank you,
Sheila M. Walsh
Golden Age Center

Thank You

To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to thank my family and friends, Jimmy Vesey and Jackie Sullivan for bartending, the 520 Club for the use of the facility, Eddie Kavanaugh, Macca for the good music, Patty Ann and Kevin Woods and Peggy Considine for their time and good effort, and especially my campaign managers Billy Vraibel and Chrissy Griffin.

Thanks again,
Mayoral Hopeful Frankie Stillman

P.S. Read the Patriot for more good times coming up. F.S.

Montreal Bound - Mite A Thank You

Dear Supporters,

The Mite A hockey team and the parents would like to thank everyone who contributed to their Montreal or Bust Can Drive last weekend at the Bunker Hill Mall.

Special thank yous go out to all who came and cheered us on to victory in capturing the Mite A District I Title. With your continued support, victory will be ours in April in Montreal. Thanks again.

John Woods, Vinny Buhay, Matt O'Connell, Shawn Doherty, Tony Resendes, Gino Lawrence, Nolan Burns, Joseph Hurley, Kevin Wallis, Tommy DeRosa, John Collins, Patrick Langan, Ryan Vraibel, Patrick Rose, Mark Hanscom & Patrick Fidler

Thank You

Bunker Hill Associates
c/o William McCabe
P.O. Box 755
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Dear Mr. McCabe and Associates,

The James F. Donovan Scholarship Fund would like to thank you for the generous donation you kindly forwarded to our charity. As a non-profit group, we are trying to follow in the footsteps of the Bunker Hill Associates by offering a helping hand, financially, to Charlestown's youth programs. The past three years have been very rewarding, by the fact that the committee has distributed over \$37,000 in funds.

The reason for our success is largely due to organizations such as the Bunker Hill Associates who acknowledge our efforts through generous donations. We only hope our cause can live up to the same reputation that the Associates hold so proudly.

Again, thank you for your effort and congratulations to you and the Bunker Hill Associates on your decade of service to our youth.

Sincerely,
The James F. Donovan
Scholarship Fund Committee

YOUTH OF THE MONTH



XAYMARA SAEZ

Xaymara Saez is the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Month for January. She is a very active and valued club member. In addition to being a regular participant in the club's daily programs, Xaymara is also involved in the Torch Club, the Tutoring Program, the Adventure Challenge Program and the Basketball Team.

Always willing to help out the staff as a volunteer, Xaymara has contributed nearly 40 hours of volunteer service to the club so far this year! Congratulations Xaymara, keep up the great work!

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LIBRARY

Chess Club - Four members of the Chess Club visited the Somerville Library for a chess tournament, playing by official tournament rules. The match-up was as follows: Jack Doherty (Charlestown) vs. Gabriel Young; Joe Ferris (South Boston) vs. Noah Pang; Chris Connors (Charlestown) vs. Melvin Zang; Andrew Southern (Charlestown) vs. Amanda Filipek; Tommy Dyer (Charlestown) vs. Stephanie Filipek; Mike Earner (South Boston) vs. Sarkis Agaian; Art Paige (South Boston) vs. Gabrielle Vacheresse; and Nick Earner (South Boston) vs. Breno Giacomini.

No one from the Charlestown/South Boston combination team prevailed, but they were given the experience of playing in an official tournament. Arlene Young and Steve Stepak are the coaches of the Somerville Library Chess Club and they invited us back to play Chess any Tuesday evening. Thank you to Arlene, Steve, Alan (Southie Chess Coach) and Paul (Charlestown Chess teacher) for collaborating to make this tournament possible.

D.A.R.E. Presentation - On Feb. 21, Mass. State Trooper

Patty Gillen of Charlestown returned to the club for a D.A.R.E. presentation with approximately 40 members attending. Patty has been a wonderful asset to the club, coming in to teach the kids how and why to say "NO" to drugs, alcohol and violent behavior, and also tutoring at the club.

TEEN CENTER

9-Ball Tournament - Twelve teens took part in this intense pool match and it came down to two brothers, Kevin and Phil O'Neil. In the final round, Phil came out the champ.

Mosh On - Colin Swales' band played on Feb. 16 in the Teen Room. There were about 60 teens who took part in the Moshing. A good time was had by all.

Scavenger Hunt - The Teen Center was the scene of a Scavenger Hunt with 10 teams participating. It came down to a running match between Joe Roche's team and Colleen Carroll's team, with Joe's team winning by a step. Congratulations to the winners.

Teen Education Room - The Teen Education Room is open Tuesday and Wednesday from 4 to 9 p.m. for homework help. Come by and get your school work done.

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Children's Film Program At The Charlestown Branch Library

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Tuesday, March 5 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "Angus Lost," a story of how a curious Scottish Terrier escapes from his home and has an adventure . . . A gaucho finds a flying burro and enters him in a race in "The

Flying Gauchito" . . . plus a Mystery Movie of the Month will be shown.

Chester and his friends play music in Times Square in "The Cricket in Times Square," shown only at 3:30

p.m. Suggested good books to read are **Give a Dog a Bone** by Brian Wildsmith and **The Very Quiet Cricket** by Eric Carle.

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From the desk of Capt. Ronald X. Conway,
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Boston Police Department

Sunday, Feb. 18

At 3 p.m., officers arrested a white male resident on Bunker Hill Street on a warrant from the Somerville Court.

At 9 p.m., officers arrested two white males operating a stolen motor vehicle on Old Landing Way.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown damaged her car that was parked on Tufts Street.

Monday, Feb. 19

A woman reported that her brother stole two diamond rings and diamond earrings from her apartment on O'Meara Court.

Tuesday, Feb. 20

At 3:50 p.m., officers arrested a white female resident on Old Landing Way for being a disorderly person.

At 6:45 p.m., security officers arrested two white male residents on Old Ironsides Way for trespassing.

Wednesday, Feb. 21

A woman reported that person(s) unknown stole a baby carriage from her Bunker Hill apartment.

A woman reported that when she woke up, she found an unknown person in her apartment on Walford Way. The victim screamed and the person fled in an unknown direction.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown broke into her apartment on Tufts Street and stole a VCR and a color television set.

A man reported that person(s) unknown entered the rear door of his condo on Harvard Street and stole his mountain bike.

Thursday, Feb. 22

A woman reported that person(s) unknown damaged the

door locks on her car which was parked on Tufts Street.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown stole a box of Kodak disposable cameras from her front hallway on Bartlett Street.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown broke into her apartment on Monument Court and stole a jewelry box, two wedding rings and assorted silver jewelry.

A man reported that a group of unknown white males threw rocks at his apartment door on Walford Way. The Community Disorders Unit will investigate further.

At 8:50 p.m., officers from the Drug Unit arrested a white female resident at Medford and Monument streets for possession of Heroin.

Friday, Feb. 23

A man reported that person(s) unknown broke into his office on Roland Street and stole a hard-drive computer.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown stole money from her apartment on Tufts Street. There was no sign of forced entry.

Saturday, Feb. 24

At 8:40 a.m., officers arrested an hispanic male on Bunker Hill Street for assault and battery.

A man reported that while his car was parked and locked on Warren Street, person(s) unknown broke in and stole a pair of sunglasses.

At 7:50 p.m., officers from the Drug Unit arrested a white male on Old Landing Way for possession of a Class D substance.

At 8:20 p.m., officers from the Drug Unit arrested a white male on O'Meara Court for possession of a Class D substance.

A man reported that person(s) unknown broke the side window of his car and then fled the area.

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• **Sharon Kennedy Returns With Two Shows** - The CWT is proud to present Storyteller Sharon Kennedy in two shows, "An American Storyteller in Ireland" for adults, and "Irish Folktales For Families" for all ages. These popular shows feature Kennedy performing with Celtic harpist Barbara Russell. Don't be left out, make your reservations now! "An American Storyteller" will be performed at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday evenings March 8 through 24. "Irish Folktales for Families" will be performed at 2 p.m. on Sundays during this same time. Come and share these unique performances with Kennedy, about whom the Boston Globe said, "Sharon Kennedy has the ability to turn a word into a thousand pictures!"

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The Boston Irish never wanted for colorful leaders and personalities. James Michael Curley, last of the old time political bosses, had a long career which spanned the U.S. House of Representatives, Governor of Mass., and his well known tenure as Mayor of Boston.

Curley was a staunch Democrat during a conservative Yankee era in Mass. government. He built neighborhood branch libraries, parks, municipal pools and beaches. "Mayor Curley" also served as a cultural hero for the emerging Irish political machine.

Dennis Ryan, author of the prize-winning book, "Behind The Ballot Box:

A Social History Of The Boston Irish, 1845-1917," will be the guest speaker at the Charlestown Branch Library on Thursday, March 14 at 7:30 p.m. He will discuss "The Life and Times of James Michael Curley." Ryan has lectured throughout the United States and Canada on the Irish experience in America. Recently, he served as a consultant for a major television documentary on the Boston Irish.

The public is cordially invited to attend this program, sponsored by the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library, after which a reception will follow.

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The Towne Lyne Cafe, 108 Cambridge St., Charlestown, will hold its seventh annual Corned Beef and Cabbage Muscular Dystrophy Association Fund Raiser starting at noon on Saturday and Sunday, March 9 and 10. All proceeds will be donated to MDA to assist in the funding of their research efforts for "Jerry's Kids."

Some of Boston's most notable political and media personalities have offered their support for the event. Lt. Gov. Paul Cellucci; columnists Mike Barnicle and Beverly Ford; WBZ's Charlie Austin as well as Boston City Councillors Diane Modica, Peggy Davis-Mullen and Mickey Roache are just a few of the local celebrities who will be serving-up

some of the best corned beef, cabbage and light-hearted blarney in the city.

For the past two years, the Towne Lyne Cafe has been the number one contributor to the MDA in eastern Mass. of the 400 establishments in its patronage category. "We're proud but not satisfied with that accomplishment," said Peter O'Malley, Towne Lyne Cafe proprietor. "We won't be satisfied until a cure is found for this debilitating disease that mortal-ly strikes our children."

The enthusiastic support of the entire community, including House Majority Leader Richard Voke and Pete Looney and Bill McCabe of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council's, blended with the

heartfelt involvement of friends from the Boston Police Department, Massport and the criminal justice system is the Towne Lyne's secret, corned beef and cabbage, recipe for fund raising success.

Your support of MDA can be in many ways. Watch for the date of the

cafe's Haircut-A-Thon or stop by and purchase a shamrock, enter a raffle or make a donation to these efforts. Any support you can offer will truly go a long way in helping to keep the smile of life on the face of "Jerry's Kids" who are currently affected by Muscular Dystrophy.

Friends Of The Library To Hold Membership Meeting

The Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library will hold a membership committee meeting on Thursday, March 7 at 7 p.m. in the Meeting Room of the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., Charlestown.

The purpose of the meeting is to brainstorm ideas for increasing the

Friends' membership rolls and member benefits. Please bring your good ideas. A schedule of times for the membership table in the library to be manned (such as evening programs and Saturday mornings) will be worked out. The meeting will only last an hour. Any interested Friend is welcome.

High School Juniors Invited To Take Part In American Legion Boys And Girls State

Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion will again be sponsoring high school junior boys to attend the statewide American Legion Boys State, to be held from June 15 through 20 on the campus of Bentley College. High school junior girls will be sponsored for the American Legion Auxiliary Girls State to be held on the campus of Mount Holyoke College during the same period.

These six-day live-in programs are essentially

practical courses in civics, designed to develop the participants' working knowledge of how government works. Students study parliamentary procedures, participate in mock elections and learn the importance of good citizenship. It should be of particular interest to students involved in or wishing to become involved in student government.

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dents who have attended the programs in the past have highly recommended them. All Charlestown students, who are juniors in high school, are eligible whether they attend public, private or parochial schools.

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Each thing you've touched along the way

Will be a hallowed spot.

I hear your voice and see your smile 'tho blindly I may grope,

The memory of your helping hand, will lead me on with hope.

Now you have gone and I remain, one thing I pray you'll do,

Walk slowly down that long, long road,

For soon I'll follow you.

I want to know each step you took so I can take the same,

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Breaded, oven-baked, marinated chicken topped with tomatoes, scallions, garlic wine butter sauce, and mozzarella cheese. Served with rice pilaf and vegetable.

Roast Turkey\$6.99

Heaping portion of fresh roasted turkey breast with all the fixin's: oven stuffing, mashed potatoes, vegetables, turkey gravy and cranberry sauce.

Lemon Pepper
Chicken Broccoli\$6.99

Marinated chicken breast, lightly seasoned with lemon pepper spice, flame-broiled and topped with broccoli and chicken gravy. Served with rice pilaf.

Open Faced Chicken
Cordon Bleu\$6.99

Boneless chicken breast, breaded and smothered with smoked ham, Swiss cheese and chicken gravy.

Steak and Pasta
Primo\$7.49

A 6 oz. USDA choice sirloin steak flame-broiled. Teamed up with our tossed pasta primo: ziti, primavera vegetables, tomatoes, pesto and Romano cheese. Served with a fresh garlic bread stick.



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