

# **Bunker Hill Day Parade-June 17th**

The 209th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill will be highlighted by the annual Bunker Hill Day Parade which will be held on Sunday afternoon, June 17th. This parade is sponsored by the Charlestown Veterans/Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Committee, under the auspices of

the City of Boston.

Giving the command "Forward March' starting the parade up Bunker Hill Street from Hayes Square, will be Chief Marshal William (Bill) Connell.

'Officer Bill'', the Chief Marshal, is the voice of the WHDH Skyway Patrol.

When he's not providing the valuable public service of guiding Boston's rush hour commuters in and out of the city, he is performing duties as Officer William Connell of the Metropolitan District Police.

Connell makes his home (continued on page 8)

# Are You Planning to Sell Your Home This Year? ECONOMISTS PREDICT VERY HIGH INTEREST RATES BY FALL

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**Monument Orator And Chief Marshal Meet On Celebration** 



MEET TO FINALIZE PLANS: Mayor Ray- discuss plans for the June 17th celebration. of Bunker Hill and Metropolitan Police Of-Bunker Hill Day Parade, met recently with committee members in Boston City Hall to 

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mond L. Flynn, Monument Orator on the oc- Shown (l. to r.) Edward Kelly, Parade Chief casion of the 209th Anniversary of the Battle of Staff; Chief Marshal Connell; Mayor Flynn; Mrs. Margie Kent, committee ficer Bill Connell, Chief Marshal of the 1984 member; James W. Conway, Parade Adjutant/Chairman; and Arthur Hurley, Assistant Adjutant.

# Annual **Doll Carriage Parade**

The traditional Bunker Hill Day Doll Carriage Parade will be on Sunday, June 17, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. This long standing and beloved event is open to children from three to seven years of age. Chairperson Donna

Furman requests that all participants register at St. Mary's Parish Hall on Winthrop Street, prior to the start of the Doll Carriage Parade, which will form in the Training Field.



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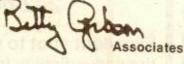
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#### .FOLLOW-THROUGH

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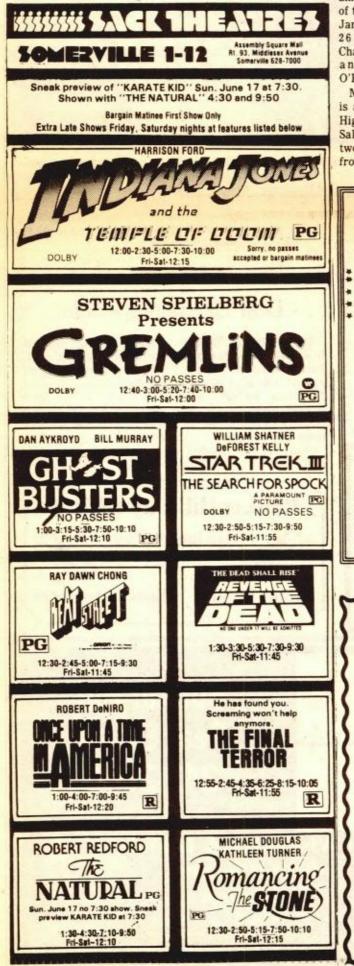
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### **Board of Appeal Hearing**

Notice is hereby given at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 26, 1984 a public hearing will be held by the Board of Appeal of the City of-Boston in Room 801, City Hall upon the appeal of Allan Kueny, seeking reference to the premises at 35-39 Chestnut Street, Ward 2, Variance from

the terms of the Boston Zoning Code (see 1956, c 665) in the following respect: Articles: 14(14-2), 15(15-1), 17(17-1) 18(18-1). To erect 1 nine multifamily dwelling and 1 two unit semidetached dwelling as per plan (Total 11 aparments).



# **Charlestown Community Calendar**

Thursday, June 21

Boston City Councillor

Robert Travaglini Office

Hours - 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. -

and 5:30 to 7:45 p.m. -

Charlestown Community

School Athletic Facility,

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Parents (CAPS) - 4:00 p.m.

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tee Member John A. Nucci

Office Hours - 5:30 to 6:30

p.m. - Charlestown Com-

munity School Office, 254

Representative Richard

A. Voke Office Hours - 7:00

to 8:00 p.m. - American

Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut

Street (office telephone

Bedtime Story Hour -

7:00 p.m. - Charlestown

Branch Library, 179 Main

Free Health Screening

for Senior Citizens - 9:00

a.m. to Noon - Bunker Hill

Health Center, 73 High

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Friday, June 22

Tuesday, July 10

50 Bunker Hill Street

Saturday, September 22

Twentieth Anniversary

Celebration of the Kennedy

Center - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

### This Week At A Glance

Thursday, June 14

Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini Office Hours - 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 to 7:45 p.m. -Charlestown Community School Athletic Facility, 254 Medford Street

Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours - 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. - American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street (office telephone 722-2130)

Bedtime Story Hour -7:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street.

Friday, June 15

Annual Bunker Hill Dinner Dance - 8:00 p.m. -Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street Saturday, June 16

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# **Engagement** Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Chiarolanza of Somerville announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda, to James Michael O'Brien of 26 Allston Street, Charlestown, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. O'Brien.

Miss Linda Chiarolanza is a graduate of Matignon High School. She attended Salem State College for two years and graduated from Fisher Junior Col11:00 a.m. - Windmill Point, Hull to Old Ironsides, Charlestown Navy Yard Annual "Night Before"

7:00 p.m. -Banquet American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

Sunday, June 17 BUNKER HILL DAY -See Page 8 For Full Details Monday, June 18

161st Annual Luncheon and Meeting of the Bunker Hill Monument Association - Noon - Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

Tuesday, June 19 Films for Children -

10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. -Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street Dance Lessons - 8:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

lege, Boston. Miss Chiarolanza is currently employed by New England Telephone.

Mr. James M. O'Brien is a graduate of Christopher Columbus High School. He also graduated from the Northeast Technical Institute. He is currently employed by the City of Boston.

An October 7, 1984 wedding in planned.



#### **Upcoming Events**

Street

Concert of Jazz and Irish Music - 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. -Charlestown Navy Yard, Admission FREE

#### Saturday, June 23

Flea Market - 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - First Church, Green Street (to rent a table call 242-1112)

Carnival to Benefit Charlestown Muscular Dystrophy Association -10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. -Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

Las Vegas Night to Benefit the American Cancer Society - 7:00 p.m. -K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

#### Monday, June 25

Charlestown Historical Society Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

#### **Tuesday**, June 26

Meeting to discuss creation of Charlestown Neighborhood Council-7:00 p.m. - Charlestown High School Cafeteria, Medford Street

#### Plan Ahead

Sunday, September 30 Jubilee 125 Mass and Police Community Rela-Homecoming - 11:30 a.m. tions Meeting - 7:00 p.m. -St. Francis de Sales Kent Community School, Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street

> Friday, October 12 St. Francis de Sales Jubilee, 125 Dinner Dance -7:00 p.m. - Caruso's Diplomat, Saugus

### YARD SALE

Must sell everything in apartment - old furniture, small appliances, plants, pictures, variety of household items.

Saturday, June 16 Sunday, June 17

10 a.m. - 6 p.m. 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

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Excellent spot to watch the gala fireworks display from the Charles on Saturday evening, June 16th at 9:30 p.m.

#### Aquinas Graduates

Aquinas Junior College, Newton, helds its 23rd annual Commencement on Wednesday, June 6, 1984. A total of 135 A.S. Degrees were presented.

Charlestown residents who received degrees were Karen Kelly and Ann Marie O'Brien.

On Tuesday, June 26, 7:00 p.m., a meeting will be held to discuss the creation of the Neighborhood Council in Charlestown. Mayor Raymond L. Flynn's Office of Community Participation is the sponsor of the meeting which will take place in the

cafeteria of Charlestown High School on Medford Street.

All neighborhood residents are strongly encouraged to attend. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss the role, responsibility, and selec-

process tion of Neighborhood Councils. The Councils will be designed to allow active community involvement in decisions which will affect the neighborhood, including the delivery of services, and economic planning and development.

Formation Of Neighborhood Council Topic Of June 26th Meeting

Mayor Flynn said, "We want to ensure community their

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tablishing these councils will come and let us know what you think. Everyone's ideas are important."

Community Participation has already sent out over 5,000 questionaires to neighborhood residents across the city who were involved in the planning process and attended the 17 'Neighborhood Meetings'', and participated in the Spring Clean-up campaign in the neighborhoods. The questionaires asked for feedback as to whether the individual favored the creation of neighborhood councils, what their objections might be if they did

not, what the boundaries should encompass, who should be eligible, and how should members be selected.

For more information, contact the Office of Community Participation at 725-3485.



# Mishawum Tenants Meet With Police

#### by Marianne Martin

Angry Mishawum residents and area neighbors have decided to join together along with the Boston City Police Department in an effort to combat the problems of vandalism, public drinking, drug dealing and abuse which have been plaguing the area.

On Wednesday night, June 6, 1984, over 60 residents met with Lt. Ray Lowney and Officer Richard Pimpentel of the **Boston Police Department** at 95 Dunstable Street to discuss alternatives available to the residents.

According to Lt. Lowney, the Police Department is "trying to get the people together as a neighborhood, not just as a group of tenants." Lowney suggested that the group band together and form an association which is "just a group that says 'we've had it'.

By banning together, Lowney states, prompter action from the police will occur because "it's just like every where else, politics works."

Bill McClellan, Superintendant, has been working closely with the residents in organizing the group who tentatively have been dubbed "The Mishawum Tenants Association".

Some of the problems which have been occuring in the area include public drinking, drug dealing, abusive language, late night noise, public urinating on residential windows and stairs, as well to vandalism as. neighborhood homes and children's playgrounds.

One step in ridding the problems of the area involves the permanent assignment of two officers to patrol the area nightly.

In the future, the Police Department will be bringing in various citizen groups from Dorchester and other troubled areas in the city who have organized themselves against crime, and similiar

neighborhood problems (such as vandalism and drugs) and have proved successful. These groups will instruct area residents on how to handle the variety of problem situation and get results.

input in the decisions affecting neighborhoods. We want a dialogue in order to guarantee that decisions made at City Hall are part of a process which includes the concerns of the neighborhoods. I hope all citizens interested in es-PRESTIGE CUSTOM

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Thursday, June 14, 1984

# Ceremony Marks Dedication Of Charlestown Veterans Garden



### Veterans Garden

Charlestown veterans, city and state officials, Charlestown residents and guests gathered at 105 Bunker Hill Street on Sunday morning, May 27, 1984 for the dedication of the Charlestown Veterans Garden, created and cared for by James "Buttsy" McGrath.

The phrase "they shall not be forgotten" has never been more meaningful than at this site in the Bunker Hill Housing Project where the American Flag, along with a flag from each branch of the military, flies over a beautiful garden. Plaques with the name and branch of services of most of the Charlestown men who died in the service of their country, from World War II to Vietnam, line the fence of this Memorial Garden.

Through the cooperation of the Boston Housing Authority and numerous community residents, the dream of "Buttsy" McGrath to honor the Charlestown veterans who paid the supreme sacrifice, became a reality.

Veterans whose names line the garden fence are: SP4 Lawrence T. Borden, 101st Airborne, Vietnam, 1966; PFC John E. Connolly, USAF, 1951; Sgt. James P. Curran, USAF, Germany, 1944; PFC William J. Dever, U. S. Army, Pacific, 1945; S/Sgt. Aloysius L. Doherty, U. S. Army, Aachen, Europe, 1945; M/Sgt. Hugh P. Doherty, USAF. Vietnam, 1967; PFC James F. Goggin, U. S. Army, 1943; Cpt. Daniel E. Hoban, U. S. Army, Pacific, 1944; L/Cpl. Edward L. Johnson, USMC, Vietnam, 1967; brothers, Private Daniel A. Kelley, USMC, Iwo Jima, 1945 and S/Sgt. James P. Kelley, USMC, 1942: 3rd Class Radioman Robert J. Lowney, USN, 1945; Cpl. Jack Mahan, U. S. Army (died in 1983 of wound received); brothers, Seaman 2nd Class Charles T. McCormack, USNR, Atlantic, 1944 and Elec. Mate 3rd Class Patrick H. McCormack, Pacific 1943; SP4 William J. McNamara, U. S. Army, Vietnam, 1969; PFC John J. Noonan, U. S. Army, Omaha Beach, D-Day, June 6, 1944; Capt. Francis E. Powers Jr., U. S. Army Vietnam, 1970; Private John W. Powers, 3rd Army, Germany, 1945; L/Cpl. David J. Pugh, USMC, Vietnam, 1969; 2nd Lt. Michael P. Quinn, USMC, Vietnam, 1969; and Sgt. Joseph F. Riley, U. S. Army, Korea, 1950, Also honored is Four Star General George S. Patton Jr., Commander Third U.S. Army

Flags decorating the Garden have been donated by the following persons: American Flag, which was flown from the mainmast of the U.S.S. Arizona, sunk in Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941 - donated by Florence Johnson in memory of her son, L/Cpl. Edward Johnson USMC and her husband, Lee, who served in the U.S. Navy; Army Flagdonated by PFC James McGrath, U.S. Army, World War

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The Charlestown Veterans Committee, under the chairmanship of James W. Conway, organized the dedication services. The Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion and U.S.S. Constitution Color Guards were present and music was provided by the Joseph Hill Post 156 Band, under the direction of Dorothy Slamin Hill. The dedication ceremonies were a tribute to the dedication of Jim "Buttsy" McGrath and to the Charlestown men who gave their lives in the service of their country, and the large gathering of area residents paid testimony to the esteem in which McGrath and the Charlestown veterans are held.

Shown in photographs at left are: First row (l. to r.) JAMES "BUTTSY" McGRATH and his wife, Marie Mullaley McGrath, receive a standing ovation from the gathering, including City Councillor Robert Travaglini, Past Post 26 Commander Glenn W. Luce, Jr., Representative Richard A. Voke, and Chairman of the Charlestown Veterans Committee, James W. Conway; FLAGS waved in the morning breeze over the Veterans Garden site; MAYOR RAYMOND L. FLYNN brought the official greetings from the City of Boston and his own personal message to "Buttsy" commending him for his dedication and service.

Second row (l. to r.) FORMER "TOWNIE" William Sutton, Secretary to the late President John F. Kennedy when he was a Congressman, recalled his memories of Charlestown; SENATOR Francis Doris brings greetings from the Massachusetts Senate.

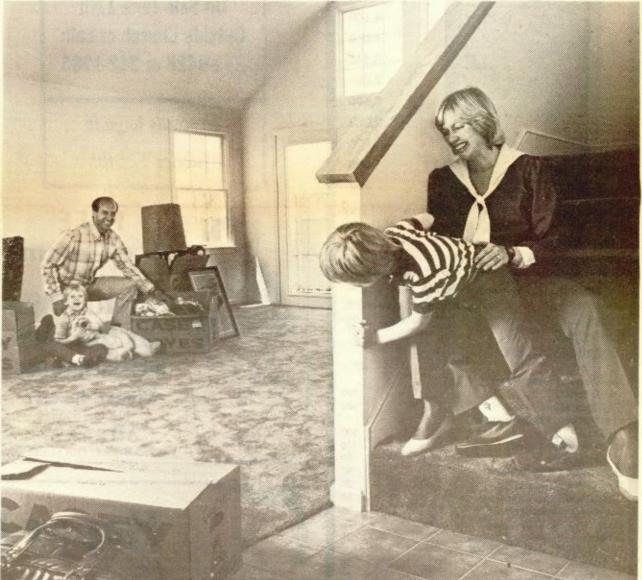
Third row (l. to r.) REPRESENTATIVE Richard A. Voke brings greetings from the Massachusetts House of Representatives; DEPUTY COMMISSIONER of Parks and Recreation, Joseph Barnes, presented McGrath with a flag and a bouquet of flowers from the City; Mary MacInnes, co-chairman of the Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force, commended McGrath on behalf of his fellow tenants; AREA residents join in the observance.

Fourth row (I. to r.) COLOR GUARDS from Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion and the U.S.S. Constitution along with Dorothy Slamin Hill, Director of the Waltham Legion Post 156 Band; CHARLESTOWN MILITIA, under the direction of Frank Maggelet, fires a salute; BOSTON CITY COUNSILLOR Robert Travaglini brings the greetings from the City Council.

Fifth row (l. to r.) PAST LEGION National Historian James W. Conway, presents a citation on behalf of the Department of Massachusetts, American Legion to Mc-Grath; PAST COMMANDER Glenn W. Luce Jr. presents a citation to McGrath on behalf of Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion, and its auxiliary; RESIDENTS gather at the Garden fence to view the dedication services.

Sixth row (l. to r.) REVEREND Tom Conway, Pastor of St. Catherine of Siena Church offers a prayer following a blessing of the Garden; Robert Gillen, former Commanding Officer of the U.S.S. Constitution, represented the U. S. Navy; A SALUTE to the deceased veterans is offered by the platform guests.

Also present for the dedication were Reverend Robert Boyle, Pastor of St. Mary's Church; Harry Spence, Receiver for the Boston Housing Authority; and Bill Knox, Manager of the Bunker Hill Housing Project.



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# Design Plans For Old Charlestown High To Be Finalized This Summer

#### by Marianne Martin

The Old Charlestown High School on Monument Square will reopen its doors in the next year, but instead of students, the former high school will be accepting tenants.

After a six year vacancy, the four story building will become a 40 unit apartment complex, opening tentatively in the spring of 1985.

According to Ms. Jan Brodie of the Graham Gund Associates in Cambridge, the developers of the building, plans for ths renovations are to be finalized this summer, and if all goes well, a construction team will be chosen in September to commence the 10 month project.

Presently, the building is still property of the City of Boston. But according to Attorney Lori Goldin for the Department of Public Facilities, papers for the sale of the building to the Graham Gund Associates will change hands before the summer.

Ms. Brodie stated that the apartments will be mostly two bedroom units, with an additional fourthree bedroom and 11-one bedroom units as well. As for parking for the 40 units, Brodie stated that all of the parking will be on the premises with the bulk of the cars parked within the building itself. An additional lot will be built on the land parcel behind the school, which presently is the site of an annex to the building.

Goldin stated that there is legally no need for a

public hearing by the Graham Gund Associates, since the firm has met all the community needs and the proposal has already been approved. However, Goldin added that the firm may wish to meet with the immediate neighborhood once more to discuss the renovation, although they are not required by law to do so.

# B.U. Alumnus Returns To Serve His Community

Kevin Gallagher, a 1978 Boston High School Scholar and a 1982 graduate of the Sargent College of Allied Health Professions at Boston University, has returned to his hometown to recycle the benefits of his degree.

A native of Charlestown, Gallagher puts his experience to work

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# Concert At Navy Yard

An evening of musical entertainment will be held at Waterfront Park at the Charlestown Navy Yard. The concert will feature a unique combination of jazz and Irish music.

The Mae Arnett Quartet will perform a variety of jazz and swing music. The quartet features Mae Arnett who as performed at the Copley Plaza, Storyville, and The Jazz Workshop. Ms. Arnett's Quartet includes pianist Al Vega who has appeared with such nationally know jazz musicians as Charlie Parker, Erroll Garner, and Art Tatum.

Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eirann, The Traditional Music Association of Ireland, will perform some of the wonderful music, song, and dance of Ireland. Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eirann is a worldwide organization founded to preserve and teach Irish music, and the performers have appeared thoughout the Boston area.

The entire concert will take place on Friday, June 22 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Admission at the concert is free, as is transportation from many points in Charlestown. A double decker bus will make two trips through Charlestown beginning at 6:00 p.m. Pick-up points include St. Mary's Church, Warren Street; Thompson Square; Main and Sullivan Streets; Main and Eden Streets; Main and Bunker Hill Streets; St. Francis Church; Collier's Market; Carr Funeral Home on Bunker Hill Street; and St. Catherine's Church at Hayes Square.

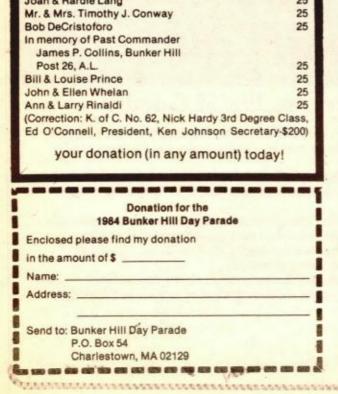
Sponsors include: First Night, Inc.; Charlestown Community Development Corporation; Charlestown Boys and Girls Club; John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company; Frances R. Dewing Foundation; Massachusetts Council for the Arts and Humanities; and the Arts Lottery.

The concert offers a unique opportunity to enjoy the Charlestown Navy Yard and a pleasurable evening of music.

In case of rain, the concert will be the following evening, Saturday, June 23, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.







# Father Tom THE BIG "50"

From your friends at St. Catherine's

Geol. Add. v. P. W.

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Thursday, Anne 11, 1935 Thursday, June 14, 1984

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# Parade Roster - 1984

#### **OFFICIAL ROSTER**

Bunker Hill Day Parade, June 17, 1984, at 1:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Charlestown Veterans/ Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Committee Under the auspices of the **CITY OF BOSTON** Hon. Raymond L. Flynn, Mayor Domenic D'Ambrosio, Public Celebrations



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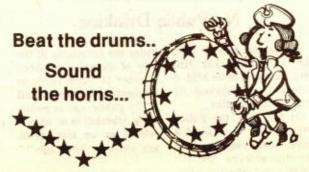
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#### **FIRST DIVISION**

First Division will form on Vine, Moulton, Corey and Samuel Morse Way and will step off promptly at 1:30 p.m.

Detachment of Mounted Police, Metropolitan Police Department

Chief Marshal Officer Bill Connell and Parade Staff Color Guard, Metropolitan Police Department Staff Band

Emerald Society Pipe Band, New York City Police Dept. Hon. Raymond L. Flynn, Mayor of Boston, 1984 "Monument Orator'

Military Coordinator, Cmdr. Robert L. Gillen, U.S.N. (Ret.) United States Army

Heritage Hall Platoon, Intelligence School, Ft. Devens United States Marine Corps.

Color Guard, led by S/Sgt. John Freestone,

U.S.M.C. Recruiting Station, Boston

MAG 49 Det. Alpha N.A.S., So. Weymouth,

Marine Color Guard

Boston Firemen's Band, Inc.

United States Navy

U.S.S. Constitution Color Guard

Marching Detachment of Pikemen

South Weymouth, Naval Air Station Color Guard

U.S.S. Jesse L. Brown, Color Guard

U.S.S. Valdez, Color Guard

United States Air Force

Hanscom Air Force Base Honor Guard United States Coast Guard

First Coast Guard District, Color Guard Massachusetts Army National Guard

#### SECOND DIVISION

Second Division will form on Decatur Street, adjacent parking area and Medford Street and move out behind the First Division.

Detachment of Mounted Police, Boston Police Dept. Division Marshal, Arthur L. Hurley, Pres. B.H.I.H.S Division Adjutant, Martin "Marty" O'Brien, Jr., Sect'y. B.H.I.H.S.

Colonial Pipers Bagpipe Band, Dorchester Sponsored by Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society Charlestown to Charlestown Mayor, Martin O'Brien, Sr. Charlestown to Charlestown Rose, Janet Flynn William Maple School of Irish Step Dancing Senator Francis D. Doris

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- Sponsored by City Councillor Robert Travaglini St. Francis de Sales Church
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Charlestown Clubhouse, Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston "Smokey the Bear" and Fire Truck

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Mickey and Minnie Mouse

Donald Duck

Phil Coleman, Candidate for Representative

Boston Drum and Bugle Corps

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#### THIRD DIVISION

Third Division will form on Hunter Street, adjacent Softball Field, Chelsea Street and Chelsea Street/Water Connector.

Division Marshal: Warren Noyes, Capt. Charlestown Militia Division Adjutant: Frank Maggelet, Lieutenant Charlestown Militia Charlestown Militia Company, 1775 Representative Richard A. Voke Westbrook Drum Corps, Conn. Sponsored by Representative Richard A. Voke Doll Carriage Parade Winner Menotomy Minute Men Fifes & Drums, Arlington Taunton Minute Men Gloucester Minute Men Ray Shamie, Candidate for U.S. Senate Brockton Cadet Squadron, Civil Air Patrol Bagpipe Band Sponsored by Ray Shamie, Candidate for U.S. Senate Wilmington Minute Men Old Bridgewater Minute Men Congressman Jim Shannon, Candidate for U.S. Senate Acton Minute Men Sudbury Minute Men Stony Creek Fife & Drum Corps, Stony Creek, Conn. **Billerica Minute Men** Kevin McCluskey, Boston School Committeeman Weymouth Continental Marines

Antique 1950 Mack Fire Truck Sponsored by Louis Lombardi Gardens For Charlestown Float & Marching Unit St. Margaret's Color Guard, Dorchester Valley Airs Drum & Bugle Corps, Northbridge, Mass. Sponsored by the 520 Club of Charlestown Lisa Fiore of Hyde Park, Miss International Sunshine Girl St. Benedict's Band, Somerville Notre Dame Panthers Drum & Bugle Corps, Lowell

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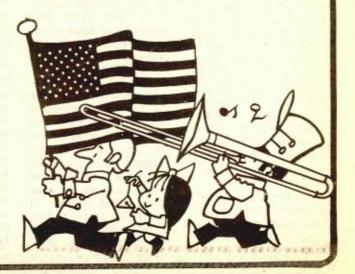
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Thursday, June 14, 1984

# **Bunker Hill Day Parade - June 17th**

# Schedule Of Bunker Hill Day Celebration

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 15

8:00 p.m. - Annual Bunker Hill Dinner Dance, St. Francis de Sales Church, Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 **Bunker Hill Street** 

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 16

7:00 p.m. - Annual "Night Before" Banquet honoring Chief Marshal Bill Connell, American Legion Hall, 27 **Chestnut Street** 

#### SUNDAY, JUNE 17

9:00 a.m. - Battle of Bunker Hill Two Mile Road Race, starting at the Charlestown Clubhouse, Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston, 15 Green Street

9:15 a.m. - Bunker Hill Day Ecumenical Church Services, St. Francis de Sales Church (atop Bunker Hill), 313 Bunker Hill Street

9:45 a.m. - Exercises commemorating the 209th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill with Honarable Raymond L. Flynn, Mayor of Boston, as Monument Orator, Bunker Hill Monument Grounds

10:00 a.m. to noon - Free Ice Cream and Potato Chips for children under 12, sponsored by Alert A.A., 385 Bunker Hill Street

10:00 a.m. - Battle of Bunker Hill 10K Road Race, starting at the Charlestown Clubhouse, Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston, 15 Green Street

10:00 a.m. - Costume Parade, Doherty Playground, sponscred by Charlestown Adoptive Parents' Association.

10:00 a.m. - Annual Doll Carriage Parade, Training Field, Winthrop Square

11:00 a.m. - Puppet show, sponsored by Charlestown Association of Parents, Training Field, Winthrop Square

1:30 p.m. - Annual Bunker Hill Day Parade, through the streets of Charlestown

#### **MONDAY, JUNE 18**

Noon - 161st Annual Meeting of the Bunker Hill Monument Association and Luncheon, Bunker Hill Post American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

# Medford St Tufts nker Hill Street START Vine St. Bartlett SI Hayes Square High St. Training Field **Parade Route** FINISH on St. Reviewing Stand Washington St

#### No Public Drinking

On Sunday, June 17, 1984, the Annual Bunker Hill Day Parade will be held, a celebration enjoyed by young and old alike.

On this day, the Police Officers of this district have been requested to strictly enforce the NO DRINKING ORDINANCE.

There will be NO DRINKING ALLOWED ON THE PUBLIC STREETS OF CHARLESTOWN. Those drinking in public will first be warned, and if they persist, they will be arrested

under the provisions of the City of Boston Ordinance Number 14 which reads as follows: "No person shall in any public way or public alley, whether in or upon a vehicle or on foot, drink any alcoholic beverage."

This City Ordinance will be strictly enforced on the 17th of June the day of the Bunker Hill Day Parade so that the community may have a pleasant day, a successful parade, and a celebration not marred by any unpleasant incidents.

# Cars Will Be Towed

Residents of Charlestown, their guests, visitors and businessmen are warned that they must remove their cars from the parade route and assembly area by 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, June 17, 1984 so that the parade may proceed in an orderly fashion without obstructions. Any cars left on the streets at noon will be towed by the Boston Police Department.

Streets that will have the NO PARKING PROVISION from 11:30 a.m. until the conclusion of the Parade are: Bunker Hill Street from Chelsea Street to Sullivan Square; Main Street from the intersection of Main, Bunker Hill, and Medford Streets to Union; Union Street to Washington; Washington Street to Harvard; Harvard Street from Washington to Main Streets; Pleasant Street from Main to Warren; Warren Street from Pleasant to Monument Avenue; Monument Avenue from Warren to Monument Square; Monument Square from Monument Avenue to Pleasant; High Street from Pleasant to Green; Green Street from High to Bartlett; Bartlett Street from Green to Concord; Monument Square from Concord to Lexington to Winthrop; Winthrop Street from Monument Square to Common; Common Street from Winthrop to Park Street.

Also the streets where the parade is assembling will have

a ban on parking from 11:30 a.m. until the Parade leaves

the area sometime after 1:30 p.m. Those streets are:

Lowney Way; Chelsea Street from Gate 4 to Medford

Street; Decatur Street; Vine Street; Tufts Street; Ferrin

Street from Lowney Way to the Kent School.

# **Bunker Hill Day Parade**

(continued from page 1) on Bunker Hill Street in Charlestown, just down the hill from St. Francis de Sales Church and school where he spent his childhood years. After high school at Boston English and studies at Northeastern University, Bill spent the next four years in the U.S. Air Force. He joined the Metropolitan Police in 1971 and took to the air and the airwaves four years later.

As the WHDH Skyway Patrol reporter, Connell is the area's most visible example of modern law enforcement. He was warded the Metrop litan Police Lifesaving Medal on several occasions for swooping down on drowning persons and boaters in urgent distress, plucking them from certain death or injury when all else had failed. He is a dedicated police professional who has earned his place on the roster of the Boston area's most admired citizens. Connell serves on the Board of Directors of The Jimmy Fund, United Celebal Palsy Association and Kiwanis Pediatric Trauma Institute. He is active in the Somerville Kiwanis and the Irish American Association in Malden Needless to say, wife Barbara and children Bill, Lisa, Michael and Stephen love William Daniel mnell, but so does

Boston, and especially his home town of Charlestown where a proud and grateful community will cheer for him as he leads the 1984 Bunker Hill Day Parade.

The parade will step off promptly at 1:30 p.m. to the stirring music of the Emerald Society Irish Bagpipe Band of the New York City Police Department

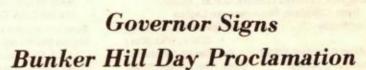
Assisting Chief Marshal Connell in organizing the parade are Chief of Staff Edward Kelly and Parade Chairman/Adjutant James W. Conway

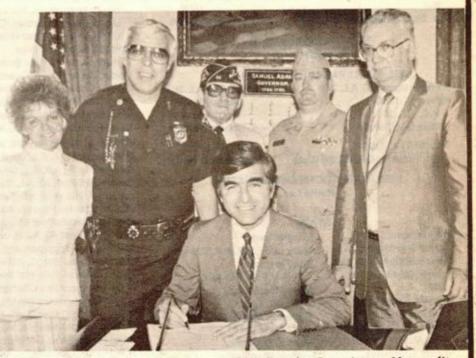
Chief Marshal Connell expresses his than Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee and to all who have worked so hard in the organization of the parade and on the fund raising committee, for without them there would not be a Bunker Hill Day parade this year. Through their efforts and with the generosity of some of the businesses, individuals, clubs, organizations, elected officials, and candidates for public office, the committee has been able to raise the necessary funds to put a successful parade on the streets of Charlestown. With the drastic cutback in funds for the parade from the City of Boston, the town has once again rallied together in support of the celebration so that approximately 30 musical/marching units will be in the line of march on Sunday.

"This Bunker Hill Day celebration, commemorating the 209th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, promises to be a great day," stated Chief Marshal Connell, "one of which the Town can be proud. So many contributed to the success of this day, whether it be from taking a raffle ticket, to dropping coins in a cannister, to the many generous donations ... each one was significant and each donation was received with thanks

"Let us all the residents of Charlestown make the

the day, for too many people have worked too hard to make this a top notch parade, one that we can all be proud of," concluded (continued on page 11);





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Bunker Hill Day Parade and Celebration a happy one by putting out the 'welcome mat' for all our guests and visitors. Remember that the bands, drum corps, militia, military, veteran and other marchers are here to help us celebrate Bunker Hill Day. They are our guests. "It is the donations from the residents of (Charlestown 'Townies', former 'Townies', and some of the Charlestown merchants that have made this parade possible and it is up to each and every resident to consider themselves a 'proud Townie' and do all in their power to make this a grand celebration. With the cooperation of all, this can truly be a memorable day. Let's all make sure that none of the 'wise guys' mar

GOVERNOR SIGNS PROCLAMATION: Governor Michael S. Dukakis recently signed a Proclamation recognizing the sacrifices of the colonists in their struggle against the mighty forces of the British government as Charlestown commemorates the 209th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill. Shown (l. to r.) Mrs. Margie Kent, member of the Bunker Hill Kelly, Parade Chief of Staff. 

Day Parade Committee; Metropolitan Police Officer Bill Connell, Chief Marshal of the 1984 Bunker Hill Day Parade; James W. Conway, Parade Chairman/Adjutant; Governor Dukakis signing Proclamation; Commander Robert Gillen, former Commanding Officer of the U.S.S. Constitution, Parade Military Coodinator; and Edward

#### Mayor Flynn To Be Monument Orator

# Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Exercises To Be Held June 17th

The Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Exercise, sponsored by Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion under the auspices of the City of Boston, will be held on Sunday morning, June 17, 1984.

The program, according to Standing Committee Chairman James W. Conway, Past Commander of Post 26, will begin with an Ecumenical Service at St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street at 9:15 a.m.

Following the service, the veteran, military, militia, and patriotic organizations will assemble outside the church and form a procession to march to the Bunker Hill Monument Grounds for the Patriotic Exercises, commencing at approximately.9:45 a.m.

The Monument Orator on this, the 209th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, is the Mayor of Boston, the Honorable Raymond L. Flynn.

Raymond L. Flynn was elected the 46th mayor of Boston on November 15, 1983.

Since taking office, Mayor Flynn has been selected vice chairman of the 1984 Democratic National Platform Committee and has been elected co-chairman of the Committee on Community Development, Housing, and Economic Development of the U.S. Conference of Mayors.

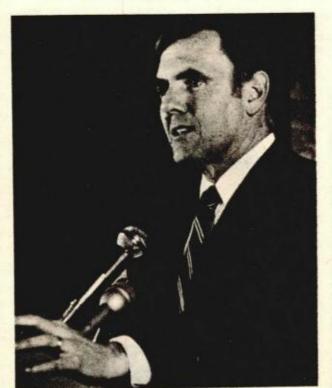
Mayor Flynn's career in public service spans terms in the Massachusetts House of Representatives and the Boston City Council. His career has been marked by a consistent commitment to the issues of economic justice that are fundamental to the constituencies he has served.

Mayor Flynn served four terms in the state legislature, from 1971-1978. He was chairman of the Boston Harbor Pollution Committee and served on the committees on Public Service, Federal Financial Assistance, and Post Audit and Oversight.

In 1978, Mayor Flynn won election to the first of three terms on the Boston City Council.

He received a masters degree in education from Harvard University in 1981.

Mayor Flynn received his start in politics through the late Speaker of the U.S. House John W. Mc-Corrick, a fellow nativeof South Boston who was a friend of the Flynn family. Mayor Flynn worked as a volunteer for the Speaker, and in 1968 the late Senior Hubert H. Humphrey selected him as a personal assistant in his presidential



#### MAYOR RAYMOND L. FLYNN

campaign.

After being graduated from Providence College and after a stint in the U.S. Army, he worked as a probation officer for the Suffolk Superior Court from 1965 to 1970. His work in investigating and supervising criminal cases gave him daily contact with ex-offenders, most of them economically disadvantaged, from across the city. His work led to his selection as a special assistant on drug

abuse to the state Attorney General

For the past seven years, he has conducted the Ray Flynn Basketball Tourney, which functions as a showcase for the talented but often overlooked students in the city's high schools. He is one of the founders of the Boston Neighborhood Basketball League. Also, he is active with the Boys and Girls Club of Boston and is a director of the South Boston Neighborhood

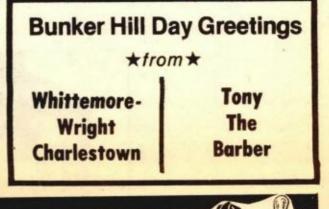
#### House.

The mayor's involvement with youth sports activities has evolved from his personal achievements as an All-American basketball player at Providence and as one of South Boston High School's most distinguished athletes.

He won the Most Valuable Player Award inthe 1964 National Invitational Tournament and is a member of the Providence College and South Boston High School halls of fame. He was third round draft pick of the NBA Philadelphia 76ers in 1964.

Raymond L. Flynn was born in South Boston on July 22, 1939. He is the son of the late Stephen Flynn, an active member of the International Longshoremen's Association, and Lillian (Kirby) Flynn. He has three brothers, Stephen, Albert, and Dennis. He is married to the former Catherine Coyne, also a South Boston native, and the couple has six children; Raymond Jr., 17; Julie, 15; Edward, 14; Nancy, 10; Catherine, 9; and Maureen, 7.

Chairman of the Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Exercises, James W Conway and the committee, extend a warm welcome to all residents, community organizations, patriotic organizations from within and outside the community, to join with them on the morning of the 17th of June - the 209th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, at both the Ecumenical Services at St. Francis de Sales Church at 9:15 a.m. and at the Patriotic Exercises at the Monument at 9:45 a.m. With the cooperation and attendance of all, these commemorative exercises will be truly a fitting tribute to our fallen heroes of Bunker Hill.



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**Best Wishes** 

Bunker Hill Day

Celebration



# CHARLESTOWN'S

# **RICHARD A. VOKE**

# Bunker Hill — The Battle Continues

#### by Marianne Martin

For many visiting Charlestown in hope of being touched with the revolutionary spirit, a trip to the Bunker Hill Monument can be confusing.

First of all, the site of the Battle of Bunker Hill and the monument memorializing the event are not on Bunker Hill. Rather Breed's Hill is the actual location. However, since the battle was planned for Bunker Hill not Breed's Hill, the name Bunker Hill was given to the battle. Follow so far?

The second element of confusion is the conflict on the correct version of the Bunker Hill Flag.

The flag, which sometimes referred to as "The Green Tree Flag", has been the subject of debate for years. Sometimes flag is a red ensign with a white canton, or a blue ensign with a white canton. Other times, the a Cross of St. George is located in the white canton. And always there is a pine tree in the canton; if there is the Cross of St. George, the tree is in the first quarter; if not, the pine tree is large in the center of the canton.

With all the versions of the Bunker Hill flag available, it is no wonder that visitors are confused.

The differences in design are not simply a matter of personal preference among historians and local residents. Each version is justified in history.

An important fact to note before a discussion of the real Bunker Hill Flag, is that the early Americans loved to redesign flags. And until the American flag that we know today was flown, there was no one flag which unified the colonies.

When the Puritans arrived in Massachusetts, with them came the British flag. The colonies at this point were still governed by the Mother Country

In 1634, the governor of Massachusetts, John Edicott, ordered the Cross of St. George to be removed from the flag. (The Cross of St. George in England represents knighthood and soldiers.) Hence, the Endicott flag was born. This flag was a red ensign with a white canton. From this flag, a long line of local flags were born.

In 1686, England sent Sir Edmund Adros to Massachusetts to act as governor with the purpose of asserting royal authority on the colonies, and the English cross was restored to the flag.

This was the same year that New Englanders introduced a distinctive local symbol to the flag: the pine tree.



The pine tree represented the forests of New England and the source of livelihood.

The question of the proper color is still not answered. Up until this point, it would seem that the color of the ensign is red.

However, this may not be true. Depending on the historical book one reads, the color could easily have been either be red or blue.

One book states, very diplomatically, that there were two flags at the Battle of Bunker Hill. One of these flags was simply an old British flag with a blue ensign, white canton and the added pine tree in the first quarter. Hence, the blue "Bunker Hill Flag." The other flag which is pictured in John Trumbull's famous painting, "The Battle of Bunker Hill" (more commonly referred to as "The Death of Warren''), is a red flag with a white canton with a large pine tree. This flag is known as the "Continental Flag'

Another book states that the Bunker Hill Flag cannot be blue since the line of American flags stem from the adaptation of the British flags and blue has never been a British color.

Yet another book states that sources that show a blue field for the Bunker Hill Flag all copied heavily from one single source which pictured a blue field, but described directly underneath the painting as being red.

But all historians seem to agree that such pictures should not be trusted as historical fact.

So, what is the tourist to do? The only really safe assumption to make is that there was a flag at the Battle of Bunker Hill. And that this flag, regardless of color, symbolizes the spirit of freedom which inspired those brave patriots to fight for a liberty we are proudly enjoy - freedom.

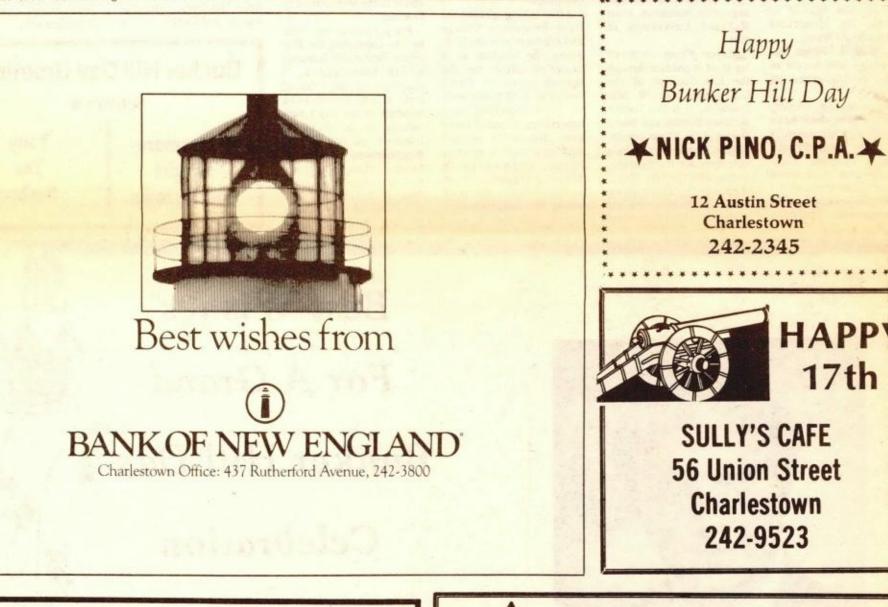
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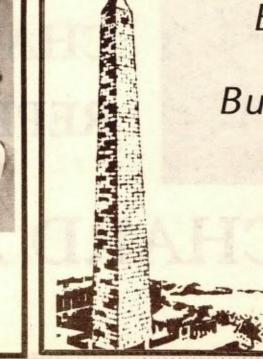
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# THE CHARLESTOWN PATRIOT and SOMERVILLE CHRONICLE

# Puppet Show To Follow Doll Carriage Parade Charlestown Concert

#### by Andrea Garr

At 11:00 a.m. on Bunker Hill Day, Sunday, June 17th, the Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS) will be presenting a puppet show on the Training Field, following the Doll Carriage Parade. All children are invited to bring their parents and come watch Clair DiMeo from Melrose, a puppeteer who has performed extensively throughout the greater Boston area.

CAPS was formed to provide arts and entertainment programs for all children in the community, as well as offer

educational presentations for parents. In its first year of existence, some of the successful activities which have been sponsored and/or developed by CAPS include the Halloween Party at the Charlestown Working Theater: swimming for tots at the Boys and Girls Club; expressions and movement classes for toddlers at the Charlestown Working Theater: the Bunker Hill Monument Family picnic: and various speakers for parents.

New programs being planned for next year include: a Sunday performing arts series for children and

for a

a children's toy and clothing exchange.

In the long tradition of Bunker Hill Day restivities, we hope there will be many entrants and spectators at the Doll Carriage Parade. Be sure to join us for the puppet show and balloons to follow. In the event of rain, the puppet show will be held at St. Mary's Parish Hall, Winthrop Street.

CAPS welcomes new

members. For further information call Patricia Johnston at 241-7716 or Andrea Garr at 242-3356.

PARADE

Residents, guests and visitors are requested to clear cars from the parade route and assembly area on Sunday morning. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated in order to facilitate the formation and the movement of the parade through the streets of Charlestown. (See map of parade route and streets posted for "no parking".)

Free Observatory Night On June 21

The Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics invites all to attend a free program in popular astronomy on Thursday, June 21, featuring a nontehnical lecture, film and telescopic observing. weather permitting.

The program begins at 9:00 p.m. with lecture, "In the Beginning: The Foramtion of the Earth." by Dr.

Myron Lecar, an astrophysicist at the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory. Following his presentation an astronomy film will be shown, and the public will be invited to use the telescopes on the observatory roof, if the weather permits.

Admission to the program is free and no tickets or reservations are required. Seating is limited

and will be filled on a firstcome basis. (Doors open at 7:30 p.m.) All age groups are welcome to attend, however, the lecture is intended for adult and highschool-age audiences.

The lecture is held in the Phillips Auditorium of the Center for Astrophysics, 60 Garden Street, Cambridge. (The Center is located about one mile west of Harvard Square.)

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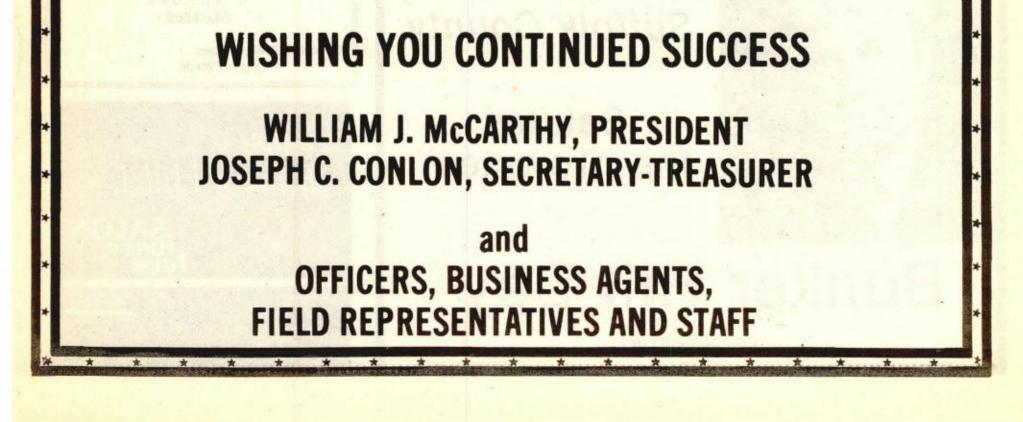
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# THE CHARLESTOWN PATRIOT and SOMERVILLE CHRONICLE

# Bunker Hill Day Road Race-

Running shoes ready? Muscles limber? On your mark ... get set ... go!!!

The Battle of Bunker Hill Road Race promises to be a race befitting its title, as the novice and the experienced runner will have the opportunity to battle

day from 9 to 5, and anyone

over 14 is invited to take

part. There's a choice of

hours - morning, afternoon,

the hills of Charlestown on Sunday morning, June 17th.

This race, the proceeds of which will benefit the Charlestown Clubhouse of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston, has become a Bunker Hill Day tradition.

## Volunteers Needed By Science Museum

The Museum of Science needs volunteers for the Live Animal Center, to help clean cages and spruce up the animals' living area. The Great Clean-Up takes place every

Center is home to an unusual assortment of wildlife from a great horned owl, to a porcupine, to an albino ferret and an eight foot boa constrictor. Most of the animals are orphans or abandoned pets and can no longer be returned to the wild.

The two mile novice race

will start at 9:00 a.m.

Registration for the race is

\$5.00 and entrants will as-

semble at the Clubhouse on

15 Green Street at 8:30

For the more seasoned

runner, a sanctioned 10K

a.m.

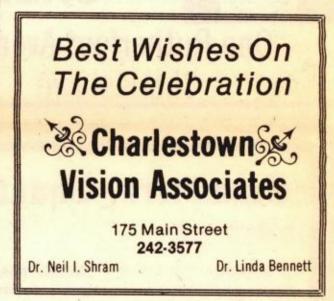
Anyone interested in this adventurous opportunity should get in touch with the Volunteer Office at the Museum of Science, at 723-2500, extension 259. race will begin at 10:00 a.m. Runners for the 10K race with gather at the Clubhouse at 9:30 a.m. Registration is \$5.00 per runner and teams of five is \$25.00. All registrants will receive a T-shirt.

The race will take runners along Rutherford Avenue to the Sullivan Square rotary, over the summit of Bunker Hill to Chelsea Street. It then winds through the neighborhood and proceeds on a challenging uphill run of Monument Avenue, around the Bunker Hill Monument to High Street. down Green Street to the finish line at Austin Street. Entry forms are

available at the Charlestown Clubhouse at 15 Green Street. For information, call Clubhouse Director Tom King at 242-1775.



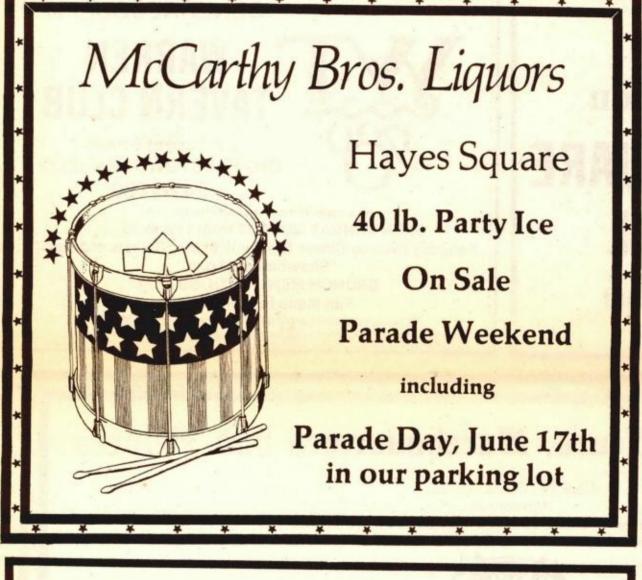
GOOD SPORTS Kevin McGonagle (left) and Greg Nolan demonstrate the true spirit of ths Charlestown Boys and Girls Club by crossing the finish line hand-in-hand at the 1983 Battle of Bunker Hill road race sponsored by the Clubhouse. This year's race is expected to draw more runners than in previous years. Kim and Bill Wright, processing entry forms at the Clubhouse, report forms for this year's race are coming fast. The Novice two mile run begins at 9:00 a.m. and 10K race at 10:00 a.m. on Sunday, June 17th. To pick up your form, drop by the Clubhouse at 15 Green Street or call the Clubhouse at 242-1775.



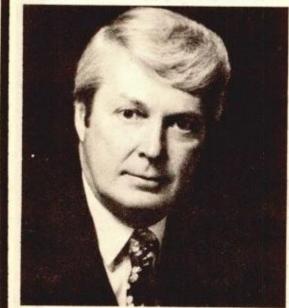
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# Laying Of The Cornerstone Of The Bunker Hill Monument -An Eyewitness Account

According to historical records, the celebration commemorating the Battle of Bunker Hill dates back to 1786. some eleven years after the Battle when a parade was held dedicating a new Charles River Bridge, with the fact that it was held on June 17th being somewhat coincidental.

In 1794, King Solomon's Lodge, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons voted to erect a memorial on Breed's Hill, the site of the Battle. A wooden Tuscan pillar was erected on the very spot where Joseph Warren, Master of the Grand Lodge in Massachusetts, had fallen during the Battle. That year and again in 1801, the Charlestown Artillery commemorated the event with a parade.

In 1823, Daniel Webster, William Tudor and Theodore Lyman Jr. invited persons interested in the construction of a memorial, to attend a meeting. Out of this meeting came a decision to request incorporation from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the act of of incorporation passed and on June 17, 1823, the first meeting of the Bunker Hill Monument Association was held.

By the spring of 1825, the Association had purchased the slope of Breed's Hill and had embarked on the necessary preparations to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Battle. A committee was formed to recommend a suitable plan for a memorial and on June 7, 1825, the directors of the Monument Association decided to adopt the form of an obelisk and Solomon Willard was appointed architect and superintendent of the project.

On 17 June, 1825, the 50th Anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, the cornerstone of the Monument was laid by the Master of the Grand Lodge in Massachusetts in the presence of the Marquis de Lafayette and a huge assemblage.

The following is an eyewitness account of the laying of the cornerstone from a letter in the Bunker Hill Monument Association Archives written on June 26th, 1825 by Benjamin F. Fields, who was 19 years of age at the time that he penned this account of the celebration.

Dear Coz.

#### Boston, June 26th, 1825

Having undertaken to write and not knowing what to write, I shall therefore give you a small history of the principal events that have occured since your departure which will prove as acceptable as anything else. Without further consideration, I'll commence.

General Election took place soon after you quit Boston, which passed as usual. Elisha turned out and spent all his money before breakfast; then came Artillery Election and the new Governor came out in all his Glory: a little thin-shingle backed looking chap as ever I beheld all rigged out in uniform. He has two aids-de-camp which look no better than himself, one of which wears spectacles. The Lieut. Gov., by the way, is a fine looking fellow tho he makes no show in the parade. The day was fine, etc. etc.

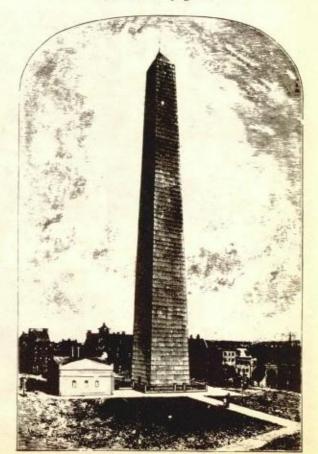
The next curious thing that happened was Elisha and Franklin went down to the wharf, got upon a timber in the mast yard which rolled over and pitched them both into the dock up to their middles in water and mud. Franklin lost a shoe and they both came home in a pretty predicament - this was done before breakfast, too.

Nothing more of consequence till the ever memorable 17th June, the particulars of which I shall give at some length. The day was fine beyond description, a single wish could not have exceeded further than the day proved to be.

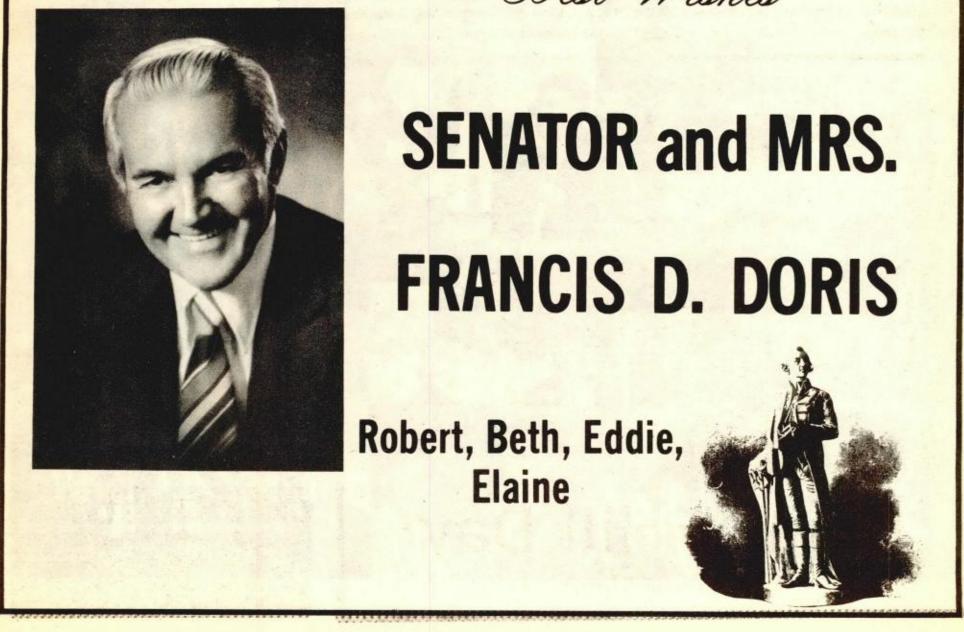
Early in the morning the troops from Salem and other towns with the Boston companies had formed on the Common (none but uniformed companies). The procession was to start at 10 o'clock - it started a few minutes before 11 in the following order. The Soldiers first, nearly three thousand, with a troop of light horses at their head, about a hundred drummers with fifers immediately behind which was the Boston Band which played at intervals, then 20 superb Barouches, each drawn by two horses with the surviving heros of the Great Battle - then followed old revolutionary Soldiers on foot, six deep with badges. Then the (Bunker Hill Monument) Association with badges on the left breast, then the Freemasons and a more splendid appearance than they made I never saw, particularly the Knight Templars who were all dressed in black with caps and tall black plumes - They were all trimmed with skull bones and dry bones in silver and they made a most Ghostly appearance tho elegant. The Grand Master Masons made a fine show all rigged out in crimson, each with golden tools in miniature hanging from his neck. Then came a Mason trimmed with gold with a golden vase in his hands filled with corn with one of each side with a silver vase - one with oil and the other with wine.

Then came the principal Architect with square, level and plumb with a Mason on each side with a globe. Then two grand chaplains between which was a deacon with a huge Bible in his arms open. Then came two grand deacons each with a tremendous golden candlestick and a burning candle, by the way the candle was unlighted but a piece of wood made to repre-

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BUNKER HILL drawn by Edwin A. Abbey, engraved by A.V.S. Anthony, 1875.



Post Wishes

# Old Charlestown Schoolboys Hold Annual Reunion At K. Of C. Hall

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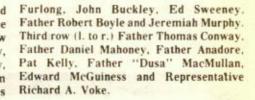




THE CONNOLLY FAMILY. Shown (I. to r.) Mildred Peissmolder and son Edward Con-Ed Connolly, Mrs. Katherine (Sullivan) nolly, Jr. Connolly, daughters Helen Perachi and



OLD CHARLESTOWN SCHOOLBOYS and guests gather for their annual reunion at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Shown front row (l. to r.) Edward Everett, Gerald Crowley, J. Brendon Sullivan, Connie McCarthy, James Hyde, Terrance McGonagle and Jim





**REPRESENTATIVE Richard A. Voke presents a citation** to retiring Treasurer Edward Connolly from the Massachusetts House of Representatives, citing Connolly for his many years of dedicated service, as Mrs. Connolly looks on.



**RETIRING TREASURER ED CONNOLLY is presented** with a check from the Old Schoolboys by Jeremiah Murphy as Mrs. Katherine Connolly looks on.



AN APPRECIATION PLAQUE is presented to outgoing Treasurer Ed Connolly by Jeremiah Murphy from the Old Schoolboys' Association as Mrs. Connolly looks on.



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**Congratulations** Charlestown on the **209th Anniversary** of the **Battle of Bunker Hill** from St. Francis de Sales Jubilee 125th **Anniversary Committee** 

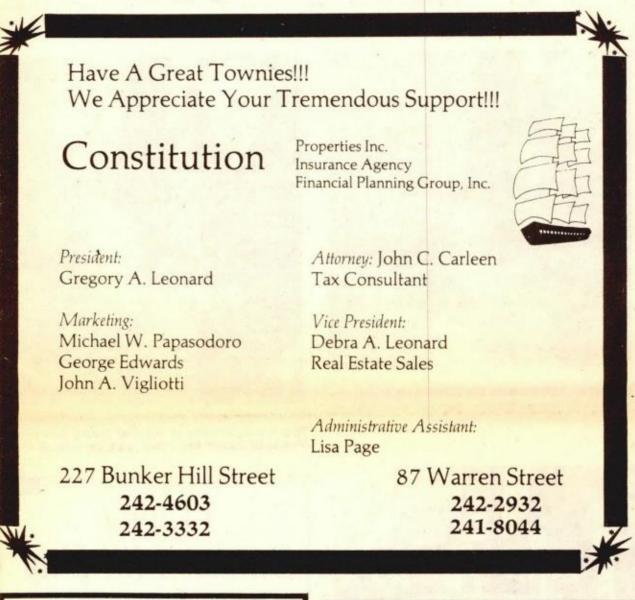
# Laying Of The Cornerstone Of The Bunker Hill Monument — An Eyewitness Account

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sent fire stuck in it's place. In all there were about five thousand Masons which were from the six New England States. Then came the President of the Association, Directors etc. etc. Then came General Lafayette in a most superb Barouche drawn by four beautiful white horses, accompanied by General Ballemand, followed by a beautiful carriage with General Lafayette's son and suit and then came the Cincinati of Massachusetts - His Excellency Gov. Lincoln, aids, Lieut. Gov. Morton - Senators - Representatives etc. etc. Officers of the U. States in uniform, Naval Officers, Governors of the other states, societies etc. etc., too numerous to mention.

Suffice it to say the procession exceeded one mile and a half long, six deep, consisting of nearly Forty thousand men. Streets crowded, nothing but heads to be seen - every window was crowded with women and children. The day before there was not a lodging to be had of any sort. People were seen flocking to the city from all parts. The stages were crowded inside and on top. You can find how eager people were to get into Boston by the following laughable chaise load. A chaise came over the Cragies Bridge with three huge fat women bundled inside and two equally stout men mounted on behind and one man on the horse - six for a chaise and horse is pretty decent. Boston and Charlestown was completely crowded.

The procession moved as before stated amid the cheers of thousands of spectators to Bunker Hill which was surrounded by Sentinels. No one was allowed to go on top of the Hill it being reserved for the procession. Around the Hill huge Galleries were erected for the accomodation of the public, admittance one dollar each.



The procession arrived, the corner stone of the monument laid. At the back of the hill was a Grand Place made for the services of the day - seats to accomodate upwards of forty thousand men were laid out and a large platform with awning elegantly ornamented with evergreens, and roses for the ladies. Capable of holding about five thousand which I need not say were crowded.

After the procession had seated themselves the crowd broke through the sentinels and filled all parts. Services commenced by a prayer. Rev. Joseph Thaxter who preached to the Army the day the battle was fought, he being then chaplain to the Army. Then Old Hundred was sung - never was a Psalm sung be so many voices as was this. Boston Band played and most everyone on the Hill sang, among which my voice was not the least. After singing Mr. Daniel Webster delivered an oration after which Mr. Walker made a prayer, another psalm and done.

After the services a procession was formed by seventy five hundred people and marched to a long tent with tables set, plates complete for four thousand five hundred men. The troops then marched home. Lafayette and son, the Gov. etc. were at the dinner. It took the sails of fifty ships to cover the tent, ten barrels clear lemon juice for punch, - 100 pigs roasted and not more than half the people could get any. After the dinner was done, which was about 7 or 8 in the evening, those that could walk went home and those that could not spent the night on the grass which was no inconsiderable portion. Thus passed the ever Memorable 17th of June. It was calculated that the President of the U. States would be present and a place in the Procession provided for him, but we were disappointed. You will probably like to see a plan of the Monument. I'll annex a little sketch.

A little more and I'll quit. Last Saturday, Mr. Minns made his appearance from New York, married Frances Parker and decamped with all possible dispatch the same evening. On last Friday, Elisha got into another pickle on the wharf while crossing from one raft to another on a narrow strip of board, he lost his balance and in he went 3 times over his head. There happened to be one boy there and when Elisha's head poked from under the water he seized him and drew him forth not hurt but well soused. This is what I call a hair breadth escape. The same afternoon he knocked Maria in the head with the axe but did not kill her which I think is also a hair breadth escape. Just had news that Rebecca Faxon Dodd is safely delivered of a daughter. We are all well as usual.

I shall expect an answer to this letter the first opportunity. No opportunity for a private conveyance of this letter so send it by mail. Frances Parker was married Saturday before last instead of last Saturday as stated above. Silas does not intend going to Northfield this summer etc., etc. All folks send love as I do.

> Benjamin F. Field (continued on page 17)





Bunker Hill Day Greetings

from Boston City Councillor ROBERT TRAVAGLINI

#### Thursday, June 14, 1984

# Laying Of The

# Cornerstone

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P.S. I forgot to say that we had no wedding cake tho our huge shares were plentifully supplied. You need not worry any about Elisha as he has been strictly forbidden the wharf since the last disaster. Mrs. Dodd's daughter was born at 11 o'clock this morning - no name thought of.

Yours, B.F.F. Note Benjamin F. Field b. 1806 on the summit of Copps Hill up from the harbor and in the vicinity of the Old North Church and Bunker Hill. He would have been age 19 at this writing. His uncle Elisha died in Java in 1817, the same year that his son, Elisha was born.

On 17 June, 1843, 68 years after the decisive and awesome day in the history of Charlestown, the Battle of Bunker Hill, in the presence of approximately one hundred veterans of the American Revolution, eleven of whom had been in the battle on the hill on that day in 1775, the Bunker Hill Monument was dedicated.

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# St. Francis de Sales To Celebrate 125th Jubilee

On September 11, 1859, the Third Bishop of Boston, the Most Reverend John J. Fitzpatrick, established the Parish of Saint Francis de Sales in Charlestown and a site at the very top of Bunker Hill was chosen for the location of the Parish Church.

On September 30, 1984 at the 11:30 a.m. Mass, there will be a Special Jubilee Mass celebrated for the 125th Anniversary. After this Mass, there will be a special homecoming gathering which will take place in Bishop Lawton Hall, below St. Francis de Sales Church.

McManus and the Irish Revolution. There will also be a Prime Rib Dinner served. The Banquet Committee has promised this event will truly be an event of the decade. Tickets are priced at \$20.00 per person or you can reserve a table for ten people at \$200. There will be a cocktail hour from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and dancing into the early hours. Buses will be available for this great event for transportation to and from Charlestown. For tickets, contact Sue McKeon at 241-9066 or Barbara Swales at 242-2557.

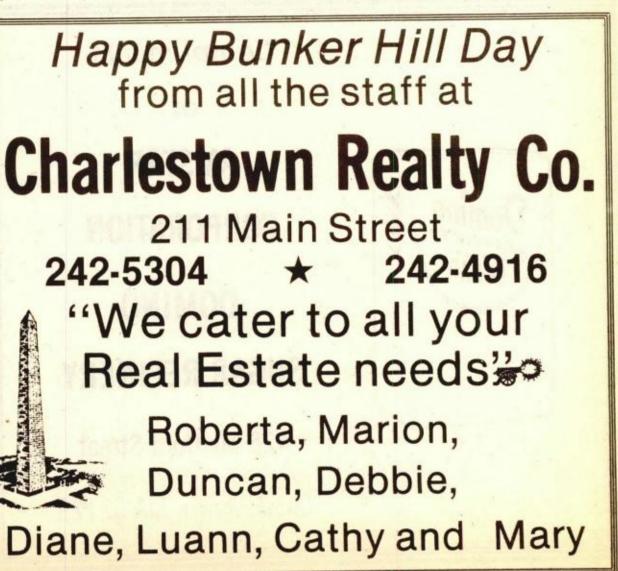
# Concerts On The Esplanade

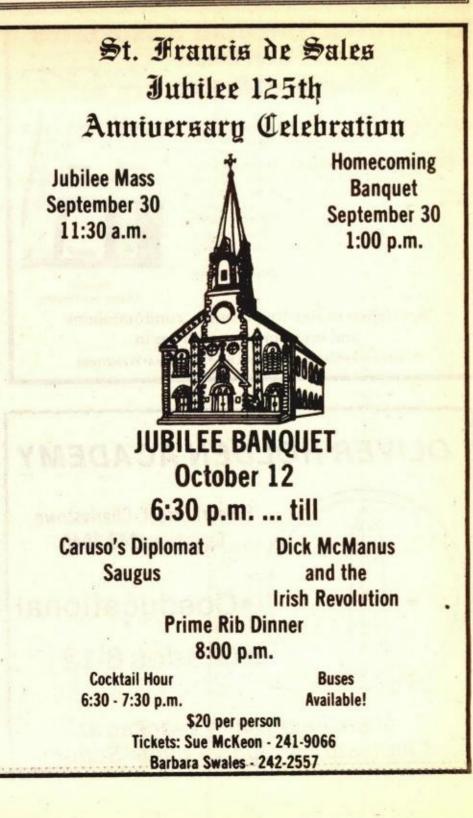
The Metropolitan District Commission will resume the Concert Series at the Hatch Shell on the Esplanade this summer. The series is free to the public and will feature a number of performances throughout the summer ending Saturday. August 25, 1984.

The scheduled performances this week include the Newton Symphony, on Saturday, June 16, 1984 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. followed by fireworks at 9:30 p.m. On Sunday, June 17, 1984 the Ludwigsgymnasium Musical Ensemble from Munich, Germany will perform Bavarian Folk songs from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

The Greater Boston Youth Symphony Orchestra will perform an array of classical music on Thursday, June 21, 1984 from 8:00 to 9:30 p.m.

For further information, call the Metropolitan District Commission Esplanade Series at 727-5215.





Another program commemorating this Jubilee 125 will be a Jubilee History Book, which will truly be a memento to cherish in the years to come.

There will also be a Jubilee Banquet on October 12th at Caruso's Diplomat in Saugus. Music will be provided by Dick The ten committees of the Jubilee 125th Anniversary have worked very hard to make this celebration a huge success. Let's get behind them and give them your support!

For future details, write to St. Francis de Sales Rectory, 303 Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown, MA 02129.

# 161st Annual Meeting Of The Bunker Hill Monument Association

The 161st Annual Meeting of the Bunker Hill Monument Association will be held at noon on Monday. June 18, 1984 at Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion Hall. 27 Chestnut Street.

Charlestown The agenda will include

the receiving annual reports and electing officers for the ensuing year. A program on the Bunker

Hill and the Bunker Hill

Monument is planned and Hugh Gurney, Director of the Boston National Historical Park will be present to update the gathering on the renovations preservation

Compliments

of the Bunker Hill Monument, its grounds and its displays. A hot and cold buffet

luncheon will be served prior to the meeting. The price is \$4.00 per person

and reservations may be secured by sending a check with name and address to James W. Conway, President, P.O. Box 54, Charlestown, MA 02129

Membership applications will be available at this meeting and the public is welcome to attend

# Legion To Hold Annual "Night Before" Banquet

Bunker Hill Post No. 26. The American Legion will sponsor the annual "Night Before" Banquet on Saturday evening. June 16, 1984 at 7.00 p.m. at the Legion Hall on 27 Chestnut Street.

The honored guest of the Post for the evening will be Officer Bill Connell of the Metropolitan Police and WHDH Radio Skyway Patrol, Chief Marshal of

the 1984 Bunker Hill Day Parade

Tickets are moderately priced at \$8.50 per person and the menu features a delicious chicken pot pie dinner catered by Luther Witham, Inc., of Lynn,

Tickets may be obtained by calling the Legion Hall on Thursday nights at 242-2090. Florence Johnson at 241-8131 or Pat Farris at 242-4989

## Three Naval Academy Yard Patrol

#### Craft To Visit Charlestown

Three United States Naval Academy (USNA) yard patrol crafts and the Navy minesweeper USS Affray (MSO-511) will arrive in the Charlestown National Historical Park June 16. The vessels will depart June 19.

One yard patrol craft will be open for general public visiting from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. June 17.

The three training vessels will have approx-USNA imately 50 midshipmen, eight officers and 12 enlisted men embarked, while the Affray

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will carry approximately five officers and 60 enlisted men

The midshipmen and patrol craft are stopping in Boston during the Naval Academy's annual summer afloat training program, which familiarizes midshipmen with their duties and responsibilities as future commissioned officers in the United States Navy and Marine Corps.

During their stay in Boston. the midshipmen will be participating in sporting events with local teams and other social activities

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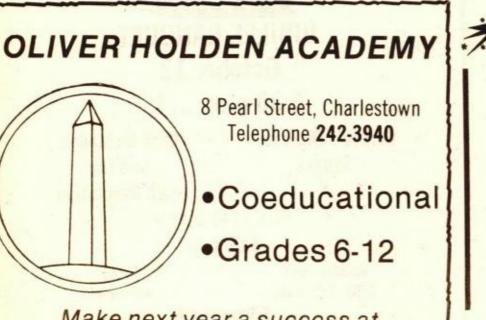
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# THE CHARLESTOWN PATRIOT and SOMERVILLE CHRONICLE Reminiscence Of The 17th Of June Passed

#### by France Dancoe

It is the end of April and it has started again as predictable as the new buds on the trees. "Are you going to have the family for the 17th of June"? You have promised yourself there must be a halt. It is getting too much for you. This year you will spend the day quietly watching the parade without interruptions.

Then it happens-just as predictable-the memories of the 17th past. The clinging memories, impossible to erase that bridge sadness and glee. They teeter on the delicate expanse and waver from one side to the other. What emerges are the smiling faces.

The tradition of the gathering of ths clan started at least 25 years ago. My brother, Tom, who has since passed away, said to me at Christmas time, "Fran, you know what would mean alot to me-to go back to Charlestown for the 17th to be together with all the family, close friends, and to see the parade". Needless to say, I could not refuse such a request. After the first year and for the ensuing years. Tom made sure he advised his employer on the 2nd of January that he would be in Charlestown for Bunker Hill Day,

Preparing the house was a month's work. All windows were washed, curtains changed, and at least one room had to have a new coat of paint and paper. My husband and I had so many chores that had to be

Thomas L. Gallagher of Charlestown has been named the Publicity Chairman for the 63rd Annual State Convention of Massachusetts the Department of the

Disabled American Veterans, which will be held June 28, 29 and 30 at the Copley Plaza Hotel in Boston. State Commander

Vernon Cardosi of Saugus

completed for the day, it tires me now to think of it. Funny, somehow I fortunately remember the pleasure of the day more than the labor. Through the years the menu was added to, but the main course was ham and potato salad. It hasn't changed much. To change that menu would be like taking the turkey out of Thanksgiving. The standard joke was when I began to peel the potatoes for the over-flowing salad. It was always good for a laugh. After the 1st of June, any telephone conversation might begin with, "Have you started peeling the potatoes?'

The clan gathered and the PATRIOTS checked out for the rundown of the day's events. The spidery memories of our years as children were recalled. The Big Park with its winding roads and the Devil's Den, the Little Park leading to Dewey Beach where our summer days were filled, the Neck with its carnivals and all the parades. Living on St. Martin Street, we had the advantage of the two parks and the beach. They were happy days filled with song, laughter and conversation. We had all types among our family and friends, from ultra liberal to staunch conservatives. I don't believe anyone changed another's thinking, but I like to think we gave each other food for thought. Maybe not, but each year we certainly enjoyed the

#### -Named Publicity Chairman

has appointed the following convention officers: Stanley R. Greeley of South Boston, Convention Chairman; Joseph R. Harold of Quincy, Convention Secretary;

Louis N. Stamas of Rockport, Resolutions Committee Chairman: Frank B. Shumski of Norwood, Chairman of Registration; and Judge David B. Williams of Concord, Banquet

#### banter.

At the first pounding of the stakes roping off the parade route, the excitement increased. Then came the organ grinder complete with monkey outside the window, the hawkers peddling their wares, the doll carriage parade, the crowds gathering and the joy of greeting friends you had not seen in years. I have always been aware of the eerie feeling of treading on the ground of our country's beginnings, but it is more apparent to me on the 17th of June. I think of the bravery of the participants in the battle, the price paid for our democracy and the important part our small town played in the resulting independence.

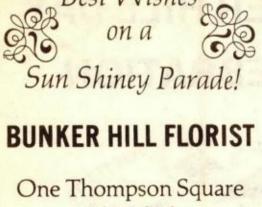
Today's deeds are tomorrow's memories and we must always try to share the laughter so that the tradition will be repeated with some new members of the family to help compensate for the loss of the old. The elaborate plans will be lessened as time takes its toll on my energies - but the spirit is willing

The years have passed much too quickly, but I know with each step of a marcher I will feel the presence of the dear ones no longer with us as though they were among us. I hope I will always remember the laughter-that precious commodity-the laughter-to quell the tears.

Chairman

The National Commander of the DAV. Dennis A. Joyner of Appollo, Pennsylvania, a tripleamputee Vietnam veteran, will be the Keynote Speaker. Registrar of Motor Vehicles Alan Mackey and the National Commander of the DAV Auxiliary, Florence E. Daley of Dorchester, will also be guests.





Thursday, June 14, 1984



# **Community TV Schedule**

Boston Community Access and Programming Foundation Schedule for June 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 1984 on the Neighborhood Network Channel A3.

#### Thursday, June 14, 1984

#### 5:30 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

6:00 p.m. - "Book Raps"

6:30 p.m. - Up Front With Gambler's Anonymous - Frank Conte will discuss gambling as an addiction with four "addicts" who show how it poisons those involved, whether family, friends or other addicts themselves. Produced by G.E.T.

7:00 p.m. -"New Images" - A showcase of the best short works of American video, film, and cable producers. Tonight's feature is "Animation" and segments include Sunstone, Montana, Glass Gardens, and Yours For The Asking. Produced by the Cultural Education Collaborative.

8:00 p.m. - Female Sexuality with Lonnie Barback, Ph. D. - An interview with Lonnie Barback, Ph.D., a noted sexual therapist with many years of experience counseling women, couples and families. Produced by Interface Production.

8:30 p.m. - "The Ministry Needs Media" - A tape which encourages the cooperation between health ministries and mass media to promote public health in different countries around the world. Produced by UNESCO.

9:00 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

#### Friday, June 15, 1984

5:30 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

#### 6:00 p.m. - City Councillor Review

6:30 p.m. - Health Line East - During the month of June, Health Line East will explore many facets of arthritis and will offer some advice and instruction on fire prevention and much, much more! Produced by Kim Kronenberg of the EBNHC.

- 7:00 p.m. Dial-M-For-Movie
- 7:30 p.m. Arts Magazine "Art as Illusion"

8:00 p.m. - City-Beat

8:30 p.m. - Local Talent

9:00 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

#### Monday, June 18

5:30 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

6:00 p.m. - Access Special - "The Bunker Hill Day Parade" - Join the Neighborhood Network as they go on location at the Bunker Hill Day Parade. 9:00 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

#### **Tuesday**, June 19

#### 5:30 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

6:00 p.m. - Health Line East - During the month of June, Health Line East will explore the many facets of arthritis and will offer some advice and instruction on fire prevention, and much, much more! Produced by Kim Kronenberg of the EBNHC.

- 6:30 p.m. City-Beat 7:00 p.m. Back to the World
- 8:00 p.m. Senator William Bulger Debate
- 9:00 p.m. Neighborhood Network News

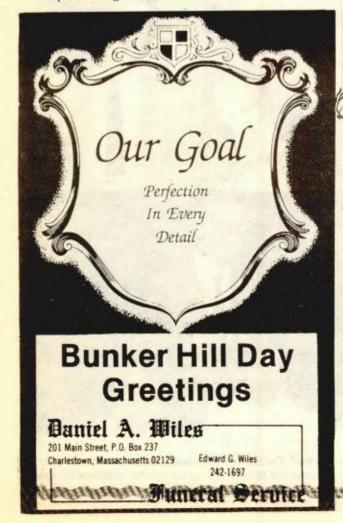
#### Wednesday, June 20

5:30 p.m. - Neighborhood Network News

6:00 p.m. - Cable Ready

6:30 p.m. - Arts Magazine - A review of the visual and performing arts in and around the Boston area. Tonight features a short documentary on corporate buyers of art works. Included are the Federal Reserve Bank, Bank of America, Prudential, and more. Produced by Newton Continental Cable.

- 7:00 p.m. Access Showcase
- 9:00 p.m. Neighborhood Network News



A husband-wife team, well known in communications circles, will be television hosts for the Bunker Hill Parade on June 17.

THE CHARLESTOWN PATRIOT and SOMERVILLE CHRONICLE

Bruce and Norita Lee of Mystic Street, will be first time TV commentators in a colorful retrospect of the parade which will be cablecast for home viewers over Channel A3 on Monday night, June 18, beginning at 6:00 p.m. The cablecast is provided as a community service by **Boston Community Access** And Programming Foundation which operates Channel A3 as BNN-TV, Boston's Neighborhood Network.

Bruce is long time news anchor for WEEI and Norita owns a public relations/communications firm

The Lees will provide detailed descriptions of the parade, narrate little known historic facts about Charlestown and will interview local personalities who will have their own stories to tell.

Local persons who will be interviewed are: Herman O. Sudholz, USN, commanding officer of Old Ironsides; Robert L. Gillen, USN retired, past com-

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mander of the USS Constitution; Bill Connell. chief marshal of the parade, known as Officer Bill of the WHDH Skyway Patrol; Jim Conway, parade chairman; Loren Owens and Wally Brine, WVBF morning team; Tom King, director of the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club: State Representative Richard Voke and State Senator Francis Doris. Mayor Ray Flynn will also appear. The Lees have lived in

their mid-1800's row house on Mystic Street for eight of their 14 years of marriage.

Norita, who was born in Charlestown, is on the boards of the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, the National Kidney Foundation and the National Language and Cognitive Center, a school for autistic children. She is also active in the Publicity Club of Boston and a member of the Public Relations Society of America and the New England Broadcasting Association.

Bruce, originally from

### Children's Films

services.

The Film Program for Children will be held at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street on Tuesday, June 19, 1984 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

This week there will be two Walt Disney features. "How to Play Baseball" and "El Gaucho Goofy" "How to Play Baseball" teaches the ins and outs of this summer sport by the

Kansas City, Missouri, had

been in broadcasting for 28

years with 10 years of

experience in Chicago and

15 years in Boston. He is

chairman of the board of

Alcoholism Referral, a non

profit corporation which

directs people to alcoholic

baseball pro himself. Goofy. "El Gaucho Goofy" is the story of Goofy's trial life as a cowboy in South America.

Suggested reading in conjunction with this program includes The Easy Baseball Book by Jonah Kalb and Cowboy on Ice by R.H. Maxwell.



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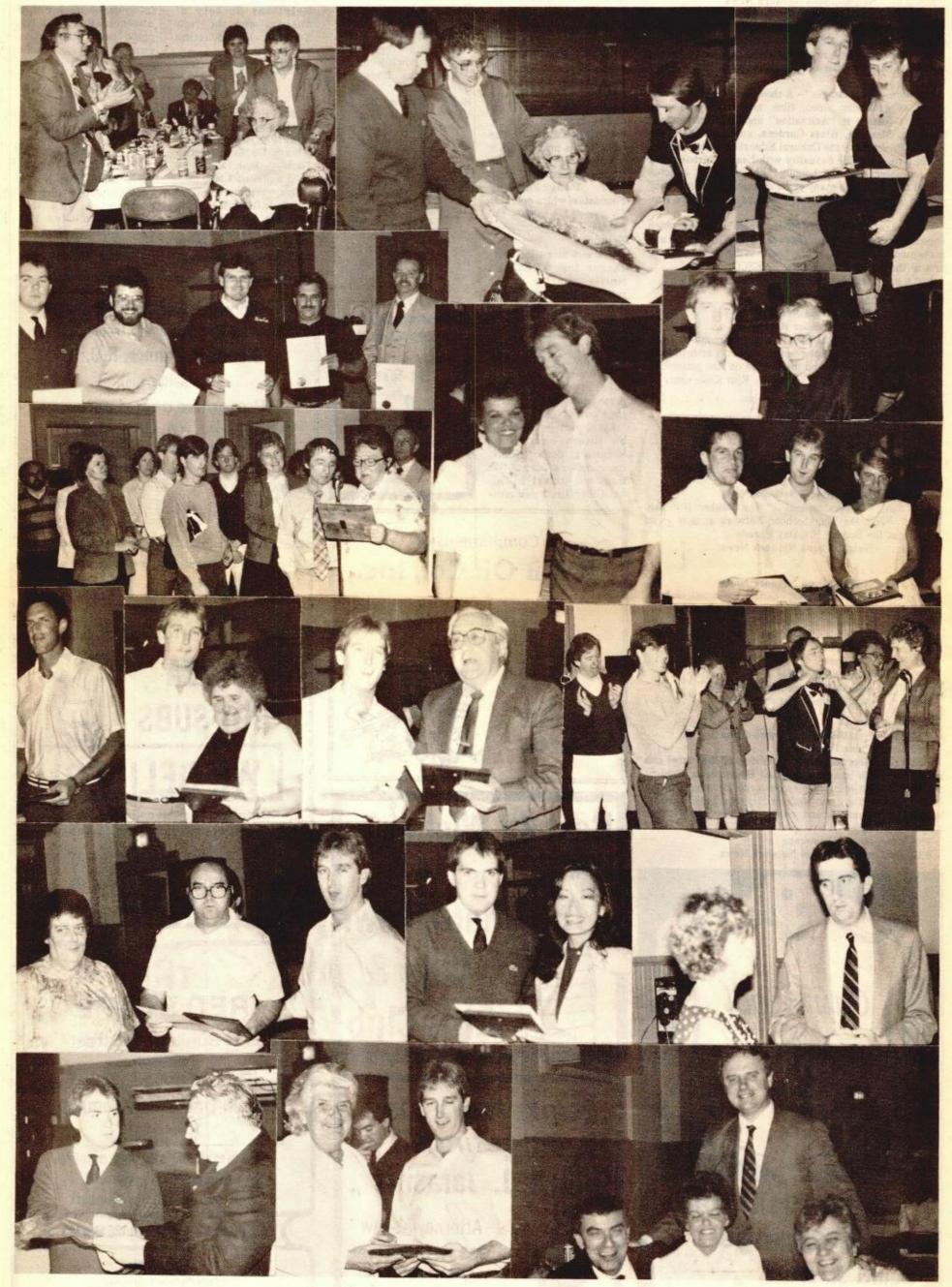
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THE CHARLESTOWN PATRIOT and SOMERVILLE CHRONICLE

Thursday, June 14, 1984

# Kent/Charlestown Community School Hosts Appreciation Night



An Appreciation Party was held recently at St. Catherine's School Hall, sponsored by the Kent/Charlestown Community Council. Plaques were

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presented by the Council to various individuals citing service to the community. Accompanying each of the plaques was a citation from the Boston School Committee signed by

School Committee member John A. Nucci. Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini also had citations for Council (Continued on Page 23)

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# **Appreciation** Night

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members and staff honored at this award's night.

A special honor was bestowed upon Mary Parker, for her many years of service to the Council, to the programs of the Community Schools, and her tireless work on behalf of the Charlestown community. She was presented a plaque and citation, along with a bouquet of flowers and a standing ovation from those in attendance.

Shown in photos on left, top row (l. to r.) MARY PARKER is brought to the front of the hall by Viriginia Brown, as friends and relatives greet her with a standing ovation; COUNCIL CHAIRMAN Mark Urguhart (left) and Kent/Charlestown Community School Director Mike Griffin, present a bouquet of flowers to Mary Parker; BOB MCGANN presents a plaque to Council member Monica Auch, who was reluctant to pose for the camera.

Second row (l. to r.) APPRECIATION AWARDS from City Councillor Travaglini were presented to Mark Urquhart, Joe Travis, Bob Hardy, Leo Carey, and Henry Mansfield; AWARD RECIPIENT - Council member Margie Kent and McGann; MCGANN presents an appreciation award to Reverend Thomas Conway, Pastor of St. Catherine's Church.

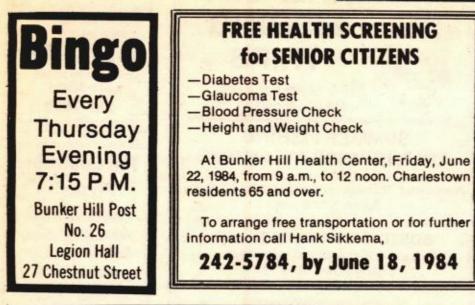
Third row (I. to r.) TABLES ARE TURNED as Anne Martin, on behalf of the Kent/Charlestown Community School Staff, presents an appreciation award to Director Mike Griffin; SWIM COACH appreciation awards went to Jim "Dinga" Houlihan, Bob McGann and Ann Connolly.

Fourth row (l. to r.) MARK THOMAS received a Swim **Coach Appreciation award; APPRECIATION PLAQUE is** presented by McGann to Council member Mary MacInnes; CHARLESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL Headmaster Robert Murphy is awarded a plaque by McGann; CAUGHT WITHOUT A TIE?.... Never! The staff of the Kent/Charlestown Community School has made sure that Director Mike Griffin will never be improperly dressed for an intown Directors' Meeting.

Fifth row (l. to r.) THE JACKSON'S, Paula and Tom, receive an appreciation award from McGann; A PLAQUE was presented by Mark Urquhart to Noreen Wong, who in turn presented Urguhart with a special citation for the work he has done on the Citywide Board of the Community Schools; SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN John Nucci and Judy Evers.

Sixth row (l. to r.) MARK URQUHART presents an appreciation citation to Reverend Isaiah Sears, Pastor of the First Baptist Church; ELLIE MARINO receives a plaque from McGann; REPRESENTATIVE Richard A. Voke. guest at the Appreciation Party, enjoys a light moment with Charles Johnson, Margie Kent, and Anne Considine.

The Festivities were concluded with a delicious buffet prepared by the students of Cafe Montego at Charlestown High School.



### Graduates From St. Paul's

One hundred twenty-one St. Paul's School students received diplomas and awards from the Rev. Charles H. Clark, Rector, at the School's 128th Graduation Exercises held on Sunday June 3rd.

Major School prizes were presented at the exercises attended by over one thousand parents, friends, and students.

James M. Galvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Galvin, Jr. of Monument Square, Charlestown, received his diploma at these exercises.

### White Honored By VNA

Reed White of Soley Street, Charlestown, was honored for five years of service to the Boston Visiting Nurse Association (VNA) at a recent ceremony at the Park Plaza Hotel, Park Place.

White is a homemaker/home health aide in the VNA's Charlestown office.

She was presented with a gift from the VNA, and her name will be inscribed in a plaque honoring all of the VNA's service award winners.

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#### **GLOUCESTER HORNPIPE & CLOG SOCIETY**

The Gloucester Hornpipe and Clog Society performed Friday. May 18th. for the Community School Appreciation Night. The band featured a selection of traditional folk music from Ireland and the British Isles: jigs, reels, hornpipes. sea chanteys, and ballads.

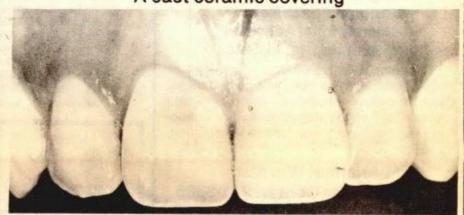
The group has been performing regularly

throughout New England for the past eight years at coffeehouses. festivals, colleges and Concert series. Recently, the band toured Ireland and the British Isles and was the American representative at the Letter Kenney International Folk Festival in County Donegal, Ireland. The band's first album was released on Fiddlin' Whale

Records four years ago. Members of the group in-

clude: John Berger, fiddle, guitar, and banjo; Ralph Tufo. accordian and concertina: Patty Shinehouse. flute and pennywhistle: Tim Murphy, mandolin, bozouki. fiddle: Patty Murphy. hammered dulcemer and guitar; and David Rosen. percussion instruments.

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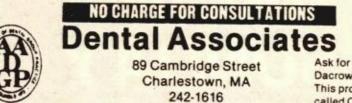
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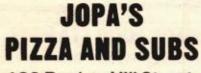
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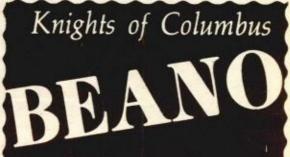
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#### STANDINGS

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Memorial Hall	11	1	K. of C.	8	3
Teamsters	4	6	Boys Club	7	5
Defenders	4	7	Jenny's Pizza	6	5
Cronin Club	2	10	Neworld Bank	3	8

Tuesday, June 5: Memorial Hall 13 - Jenny's Pizza 3. The winning pitcher was Jack Kacvinsky. Dick Centola had four hits. Tim McLaughlin and Keith Florentino had two hits each

Wednesday, June 6: Boys Club 7 - Cronin Club 3. Winning pitcher John Burke had four hits. Mike Lyons had three hits

Thursday, June 7: Memorial Hall 7 - K. of C. 2. Winning

Boston Neighborhood Basketball League (BNBL), Boston's legendary basketball program for young people, ages 19 and under, will begin its 1984 season on June 25.

Games are scheduled four evenings a week. Monday through Thursday, at neighborhood locations throughout the City. This year's season will run through August 20.

# **KENNEDY CENTER DAY CAMP** "OUR TOWN, OUR CITY"

The Kennedy Center is conducting a Day Camp for children ages 8 to 13 designed to make the youngsters aware of their own community. The camp will feature:

-Educational components

- -Cultural Enrichment
- Recreational Activities
- (swimming, tennis, etc.)

The Camp will be conducted in two - three week sessions. The cost will be \$30.00 for both two-week sessions. The camp will operate out of the Kent/Community School on Medford Street. For further information, contact:

Michael Ward at The Kennedy Center, 241-8866



# Little League News

pitcher Jack Kacvinsky had two doubles. Chris Russell and Brian Thompson each had two hits.

Friday, June 8: Neworld Bank 2 - Teamsters 1. The winning pitcher was Tommy O'Leary. Lee Chiero and Victor Merullo each had two hits.

Saturday, June 9 - 1:00 p.m.: Defenders 6 - Jenny's Pizza 0. Game forfeited.

Saturday, June 9- 3:00 p.m.:K. of C. 6 - Cronin Club 0. Game forfeited.

Sunday, June 10-1:00p.m.: Memorial Hall 6 - Boys Club 0. Game forfeited.

Sunday, June 10- 3:00 p.m.: Having checked Little League rules, we find a forfeit was incorrect. I take the blame for the mistake. Nobody wins, nobody loses. The game will be rescheduled. We must remind all managers

#### -BNBL Is Back For 1984-

Team registrations are now being accepted for four divisions: Boys 19 & under 15 & under; and Girls 19 & under/15 & under. For information about team registration, contact Bob Smith at 218 A Main Street. Charlestown

(telephone 242-0558). For additional information, please contact Dianne Kerrisey at the BNBL League Office. Boston Parks and Recreation Department, Room 816. Boston City Hall or call 725-4006

# Charlestown Senior Babe Ruth League Schedule

Friday, June 15 at 5:45 p.m. (H)

- Charlestown vs. Everett at Glendale Park Wednesday, June 20 at 8:00 a.m. (A)
- Charlestown vs. Chelsea at Merritt Park Monday, June 25 at 5:45 p.m. (H)

Charlestown vs. Medford Police at The Neck Tuesday, June 26 at 5:45 p.m. (A)

Charlestown vs. Malden at Pine Banks

Friday, June 29 at 5:45 p.m. (H) Charlestown vs. Medford Colts at The Neck

FOUND Man's/Boy's Bicycle CALL 241-9511 that they were issued rule books at the season's beginning. If the manager had checked his rule book, we would not have had this problem. That book is YOUR BIBLE.

### LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Thursday, June 14 6:00 p.m. - Teamsters vs. Defenders Friday, June 15

6:00 p.m. - Memorial Hall vs. Cronin

Saturday, June 16

1:00 p.m. - K. of C. vs. Neworld Bank 3:00 p.m. - Boys Club vs. Jenny's Pizza

Sunday, June 17

No Games - Bunker Hill Day

Monday, June 18

6:00 p.m. - Teamsters vs. Memorial Hall

Tuesday, June 19 6:00 p.m. - Defenders vs. Cronin

Wednesday, June 20

6:00 p.m. - Jenny's Pizza vs. K. of C.

Thursday, June 21

6:00 p.m. - Boys Club vs. Neworld Bank

Minor League Game - Saturday, June 9, 9:00 a.m.: Curtin Club 10 - Patriot 6. Umpires were Matt Harris and Tom Jackson. Next game will be held on Saturday, June 16 at 9:00 a.m.

Umpires of the Week: Bill McKeon, Jake Campbell and Phil Kelly.

Please note !! All Little League news, schedules, standings, commentaries, etc. will be printed in the Charlestown Patriot every week.

John Curtin

# **Babe Ruth Baseball**

#### by Phil Kelly

In Charlestown Babe Ruth League action, the Local 25 nine, in a bid to escape the cellar, trounced the third - place Duffy Club last week, by the score of 17-3. John Lyons scattered six hits for the Duffy Club and won his second game of the year. He helped his own cause by getting two hits. Bob Cahill and Dan Tucker chipped in with a few hits. The Duffy Club escaped a whitewash when Tom Greene hit

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# ARE YOU ELIGIBLE FOR FOOD STAMPS?

A representative from the East Boston Welfare Office will be at the Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop Street, on Tuesday, June 19 at 9:30 a.m. to answer all questions on food stamp eligibility. This will provide a good opportunity for people who have trouble traveling to East Boston, to apply for food stamps in Charlestown.

Remember, if you wish to apply, you must provide the following verification;

- Identification showing your name and address
- Social Security Numbers of all household members
- . Last five (5) pay stubs (or what you can find) of working members of the household
- Social Security/Pension/Annuity check or statement
- Unemployment compensation/other income documentation
- Bank book or current bank statement
- Proof of citizenship or alien status (if not born in U.S.)
- Utility bills (if you wish to deduct them)
- ·Receipts for care of child or other dependents
- Medical bills (only if sixty (60) years of age or over, or disabled)

If you have any questions, please call the Kennedy Center at 241-8866 and ask for Ed.

# **Charlestown Police Line**

From the desk of Deputy Superintendent Joseph V. Saia, Jr. Commanding Officer, Area A Downtown, East Boston, Charlestown, Beacon Hill



#### MISSING GIRL - ANNA GOTLIB

During the past week, Police Officers and Detectives from Area A, and the entire city, conducted an intense investigation relative to a missing person, the missing girl is described as follows: Name, Anna Gotlib; Missing from Kentucky since June 1, 1983. She is 5'1", 85 pounds with grey eyes, red curley hair, and light colored eyebrows. There were reports that this girl had been spotted in Charlestown. After an intense door to door search, no girl has been found. Officers distributed over 3000 flyers with a photograph and description of the subject. Any persons with any information which may assist Officers in locating this missing person, are requested to contact the Boston Police Area A Detectives, at 247-4248 or 247-4240.

On May 24, 1984 between 3:30 a.m. and 9:30 a.m., persons unknown stole a patio umbrella, four blue patio chairs, and four chair pads from the back yard of a Cross Street Home.

May 27. 1984 at 2:40 a.m., Police Officer Curran responded to the rear of the Edwards School on Walker Street, on a report of a gang drinking. Upon arrival, Officer Curran observed a twenty year old male turn the corner from High Street to Walker Street with a bottle of beer in his hand. Officer Curran told the defendant twice to get rid of the beer. The defendant refused to get rid of the beer and when the Officer attempted to take the beer away, the bottle fell to the ground and broke. The defendant was arrested, transported to Area A, advised of his rights, and booked for Public Drinking.

During the past week, Police Officers recovered several stolen automobiles, at the following locations: Winthrop Street, Temple Street, Sullivan Street, Main Street and Russell Street. ...

On May 27, 1984 Officers responded to Sullivan Street on a Breaking and Entering report. Upon arrival, the Officers spoke to the victim who stated that between 10:00 p.m. and 11:10 p.m., unknown person(s) broke into the apartment and removed a door alarm.

On May 28, 1984 at 3:15 p.m., a victim came into Area A to report vandalism to an automobile. The victim stated that while his automobile was parked on Eden Street, unknown person(s) slashed all four of the tires.

On May 30, 1984 at 6:15 p.m., a victim stated that while driving his truck in the Bunker Hill area, person(s) unknown threw rocks at his truck, almost causing him to lose control of the vehicle. The victim was not injured, however the vehicle received several dents on the body. This incident is under further investigation by Area A Detectives.

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damage his motor vehicle by deflating the rear left tire and putting scratch marks on the driver and passenger sides. The victim will seek complaints at Charlestown Court on June 6, 1984

On June 6, 1984 at 10:00 a.m., Officer Olsen responded to Old Ironsides Way on a report of a Larceny from a Motor Vehicle. Upon arrival, Officer Olsen spoke with the victim who stated that between 1:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. (same date), person(s) unknown broke into his car on the driver's side and damaged the weather stripping, dashboard, and removed the radio. This incident is to be further investigated by Area Detectives.

On June 7, 1984 at 2:20 a.m., and while on routine patrol on Medford Street, Police Officers found a white male bleeding profusely from the left lower back. The victim refused to identify any of the assailants, nor would he give any information on the incident. The victim was transported to Mass. General Hospital for treatment. ...

On June 7, 1984 at 1:55 p.m., a victim came into Area A Police Station to report a Larceny to his Motor Vehicle. The victim stated that while his truck was parked on Cambridge Street, unknown person(s) smashed the window to his vehicle and removed a power drill from it. He also stated that he had heard no noise nor did he see anyone near his truck prior to the incident.

On June 7, 1984 at 9:50 p.m., Officers responded to Bunker Hill Liquor store on a report of an Armed Robbery Upon arrival, the Officers spoke with the clerk who stated that approximately at 9:45 p.m., an unknown male walked into the Liquor Store, pointed a handgun at him and demanded the money in the cash register. Upon receiving the cash, the suspect fled on foot up Bunker Hill Street towards Sullivan Square. To be further investigated by Area A Detectives.

The next Community Service Meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 10, 1984 at 7:00 p.m., at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street.

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# **Report Drug Activity**

Charlestown residents are being asked to assist the Boston Police Drug Control Unit in cracking down on the sale and distribution of illegal drugs in this community. Information is needed as to the locations of drug activities, the names of persons involved with the distribution of drugs, along with any and all other information on drug trafficking in the community

Persons with such information, are asked to call the Drug Unit number. 247-4695, between 8:30 a.m. and midnight, seven days a week

All information will be held in strictest confidence. Callers may remain anonymous. If a caller wishes to leave his/her name, that person's identity will be protected.

The Police need the cooperation of the residents. Report any drug activity to: 247-4695.



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On June 5, 1984 at 1:45 a.m., Police Officers responded to Russell Street on a Breaking and Entering report. Upon arrival, the Officers spoke with the victim who stated that about 1:30 a.m., she heard footsteps and a door slam, after which, she heard a car start up. Looking out of the door, she observed her car being driven away. Further investigation found that entrance was gained by breaking a window in the cellar. Missing from the premises was one T.V. The victim's car was recovered by Police Officers in the parking lot of Tibbetts Town Way. The dashboard was damaged and AM-FM cassette player was removed.

On June 5, 1984 at 1:45 a.m., Officer Schroeder responded to Phipps and Lawrence Streets on a report of Vandalsim to a Motor Vehicle. Upon arrival, Officer Schroeder spoke with the victim who stated that person(s) known to him did

### **Picnic Planned**

A picnic sponsored by the Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS) will be held on Thursday, June 21, 1984, at the Bunker Hill Monument beginning at 4:00 p.m. Bring your own food and beverage. Children's storyteller and singer Betty Lehrman will entertain at 6:00 p.m. Be sure to bring a blanket for sitting during the entertainment.

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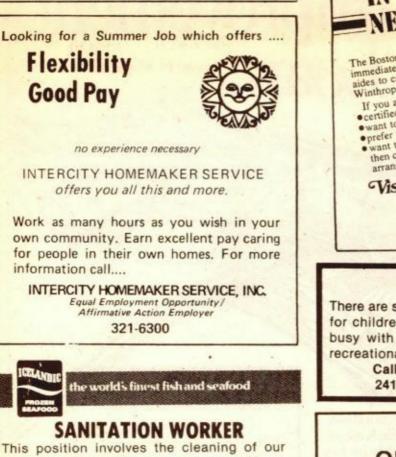
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# Letters To The Editor

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.

#### To the Editor.

I wish to applaud "A concerned Townie", on the letter to the Patriot in the June 7th edition, regarding the deplorable

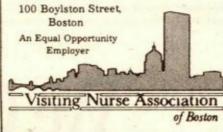


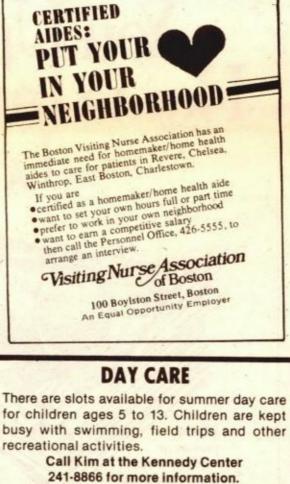
The Visiting Nurse Association of Boston, Boston's progressive home health agency, has a challenging opportunity for an ex-perienced individual to join the business support staff in our Charlestown office. As an integral member of this team, the Office Assistant will assist with office systems, filing, typing and phones.

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Thank you to all the

residents of Pleasant

Street for attending the

-It's About Time!conditions in the Chelsea Street area leading to the

Thank You

Constitution and to the Bunker Hill Monument. It is about time someone brought attention to these

problems.

I'm sure some people in the town aren't even aware that there is such a problem, because they have no reason to travel in this part of town. If you ride the Bunker Hill bus, you will understand what "Concerned Townie" is writing about

Most tourists who take the T, take the 93 Bus to Old Ironsides and the Monument. There are no visable markers or signs to let them know where they are. If the bus driver doesn't know the area, the "Townies" riding the bus are always very helpful, giving them directions, telling them where to go after they get off the bus. Also, if they are going to the Monument from Old Ironsides via Chelsea Street, the tourists are completely lost and confused. There isn't one sign directing them to Monument Square.

It is all too true, that the first impression that tourist who come here from all over the world get as they land on Chelsea Street is very embarrassing. Our town, especially in that area is a very shabby setting for the Historic Gems that await the tourists only a few steps away.

Where is our Spirit of Massachusetts, our "Townie" Pride?

This time of year, with the tourist season just beginning, something should be done.

Another Concerned Townie.

# Thank You

To all my friends and relatives, I would like to thank them for all the

Morning Man

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# Walter Guest Of Boston VNA At "Night At Pops"

Samuel Walter of Washington Street, Charlestown, enjoyed a special night of music at the Boston Pops on May 16th, as a guest of the

Visiting Nurse Association of Boston (VNA/and its sister agency, the Visiting Nurse Association of

Boston Foundation. Walter was among nineteen patients selected to attend the third annual "VNA Night at Pops." He was chosen by his nurse, Patricia Audie, R.N., who believed that night on the town would be a spark towards rehabilitation. Walter was accompanied

### Babe Ruth League

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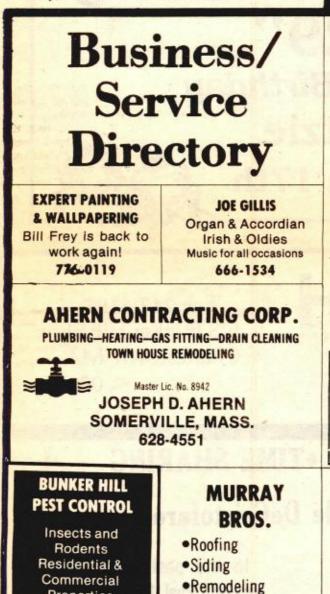
a long double to drive in the only three runs for the losers. In other League action, the 520 Club knocked the Knights of Columbus from the ranks of the undefeated with a 16-15 win. The victors came up with 10 runs in the sixth inning, thanks to the big bat of Steve Considine, who got two hits and stole two bases. Mike Moloney and Bill Boyle also got a few hits for the winners. The Knights threatened in the last inning, but Paul Allwood came in to pitch and stopped the threat.

#### STANDINGS

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520 Club	4	3
Duffy Club	3	4
Local 25	2	4

SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 18TH Tuesday, June 19 - Duffy Club vs. 520 Club Wednesday, June 20 - K. of C. vs. Duffy Club Thursday, June 21 - Local 25 vs. 520 Club Friday, June 22 - K. of C. vs. Local 25

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at Symphony Hall by VNA nurse, Diane Harness, R.N.

The VNA emphasizes independence and self-help to patients while providing them with necessary health care at home. Part of this emphasis involves getting people out of their homes whenever possible to participate in social activities

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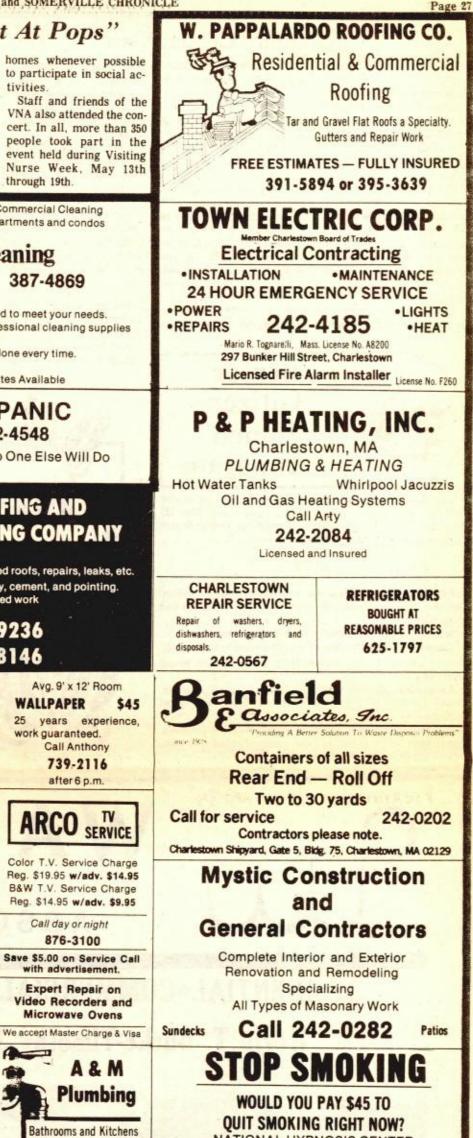
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# **Community Center News**

The Charlestown Community Center, in conjunction with the Early Childhood Education Staff of the Kennedy Center, is coordinating a Summer Day Camp Program for children from three to five years of age.

The program is set to open on July 16th and run through August 10th and will operate weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The only prerequisite is that each child have some form of prior group experience

Registration will be held at the Community Center.

14 Green Street, June 25th, through July 6th from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. daily. A staff person will also be available Monday and Friday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

Please plan to sign up early as medical examinations and updates of immunizations are required by law. Space is limited and children will be accepted on a first comefirst served basis. The fee is \$20 a week per two week session and there will be two-two week sessions.

Donna M. Lane, former

director of the Community Center, has officially resigned her position. This was a very difficult decision for Donna and I know in her heart, she has not left her staff and the friends she has made over these many years at the Center.

We wish her luck in her new position and want to thank her for her hard work to keep our doors open. Thank you. Donna.

#### ...

Please watch for our Summer Program in the Patriot and through our flyers and posters. Maureen Campbell Smith

Director

Gardens for Charlestown is now planning the third tour of Charlestown's amazing private and public gardens. We are soliciting nominations of gardens for the tour.

If you would like to show off your backyard refuge. special front area of planters or window boxes

(continued from page 6) matching jobs to workers and providing guidance for the unemployed at the John F. Kennedy Family Service Center on Winthrop Street. "Without Boston University's support, I'm not sure if I would have gone to college at all," says Gallagher,

or know of an interesting gardens spot, contact us at

Garden Tour 1984

Please Remove Cars

Bunker Hill Post 26. American Legion requests that all unauthorized cars be removed from the Post parking lot on Saturday, June 16th and Sunday, June

# **Returns To Community**

and support services provided to him after enrollment.

at the Kennedy Center. Gallagher is involved with the young people of his hometown as a coach in the Charlestown Youth

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who praises the follow-up

In addition to his duties

Hockey Association and founder in 1983 of the Charlestown Hockey Clinic, where kids aged four through ten can learn how to skate at little expense.

Gallagher and his wife make their home in Charlestown.

Senior Citizen Lunch Program

The Kit Clark Senior House provides lunches for senior citizens on Monday through Friday under the Title III Senior Nutrition Program at the Rutherford Avenue Senior Lounge, 114 Rutherford Avenue.

#### MENU

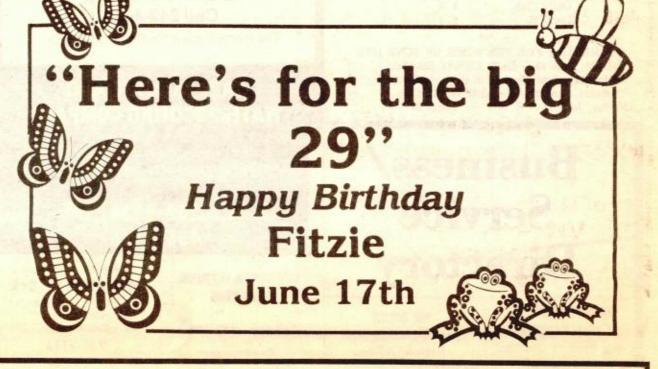
Friday, June 15 - Meatloaf with onion gravy, mashed potatoes, stewed tomatoes, plain doughnut, wheat bread with oleo

Monday, June 18 - Holiday - All Sites Closed

Tuesday, June 19 - Turkey Divan Casserole with broccoli, rice, cranberry sauce, chilled fruit, natural grain bread with oleo.

Wednesday, June 20 - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, beans, German potato salad, peach shortcake, rye bread with oleo.

Thursday, June 21 - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables. Birthday cake, oatmeal bread with oleo. Milk served with all above meals



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