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Persons Alone On Thanksgiving Welcome At Special Dinner

by Jeanne Davis

Bob and Carol Sweeney, in cooperation with Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion, are inviting all their old and new friends to a family-style Thanksgiving Day Dinner on Thursday, Nov. 28, at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St., at the corner of Chestnut Street.

This is the fifth year that it has been held at the Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion Hall.

Prior to 1992, the dinner was held at Sweeney's restaurant on Bunker Hill Street, and it has always been a great success. It has provided joy and togetherness for local residents who have no family, are estranged from them, or live too far away to join with to share Thanksgiving Dinner. This special dinner at the Legion Hall will help them share the special tradition and spirit of Thanksgiving.

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Volunteers Hold Can Collection To Benefit Color Guards



THE CYO COLOR GUARDS will benefit from the efforts of a number of volunteers who collected cans and bottles in a fund-raising event held recently in the K. of C. parking lot which raised \$350 for the color guards. Shown on

the left topping the bags of cans is Jackie Gaffney. At the right (l. to r.) are volunteers Mike Baressi, Michelle Baressi, Bob Kelly, Dan Awbrey and Ed Prince.

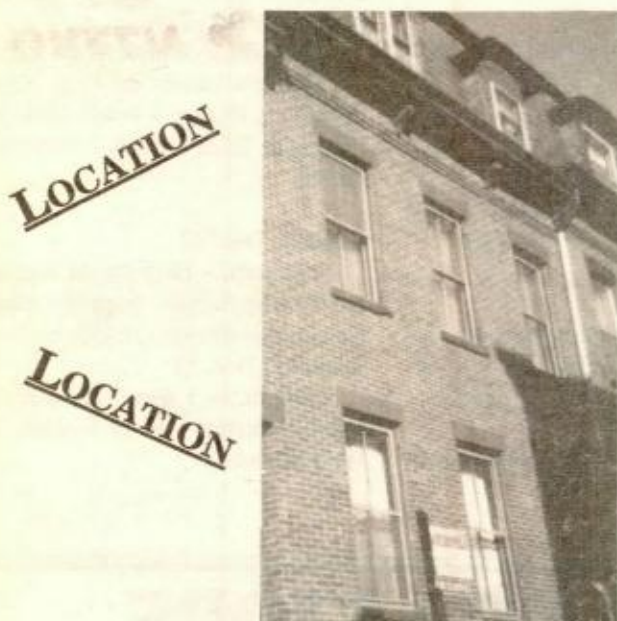
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Seven At-Large Members Seated On Charlestown Neighborhood Council

by Lynn Peters

Members of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council reflected on their role as an elected advisory body at the monthly meeting held on Nov. 12 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Issues of resident parking

programs and the neighborhood as an historic place topped the discussions as the council sorted through its responsibility.

In attendance were Chairman Peter Looney, Vice Chairman Tom Cunha, Second Vice Chairman Mel Stillman, Secretary

Jim Mansfield and members John Dillon, Don Haska, Jim Conway, Marty O'Brien, Peg Bradley, Edna Kelly, Bill McCabe, Billy Galvin, Judy Brennan and Ken Stone.

Looney, Stillman, Mansfield, Dillon, O'Brien, Kelly and McCabe were elected for two-year terms on Nov. 2. Danny Ryan was seated as Charlestown Community Center representative, replacing Mansfield in the appointed spot.

The controversial Precinct 1 resident parking scheme raised questions of proper process by council members, who expressed concern that unclear, or

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THANKSGIVING DEADLINE

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, the deadline for the Thanksgiving Day issue of *The Charlestown Patriot* will be **Friday, Nov. 22 at 5 p.m.**

The Thanksgiving edition of the newspaper, dated Thursday, Nov. 28, will be on the stands on Wednesday, Nov. 27.

Thank you for your cooperation - and
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SERVICES FOR CHARLESTOWN RESIDENTS

Thursdays

- **9 to 10:30 a.m.** - J.F. Kennedy Center's Goal Setting Group-Options Program, 55 Bunker Hill St. For more information, call Linda Hudson at 241-8866
- **10:30 a.m. to noon** - Women's Recovery Group session, Kennedy Center, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.

Fridays

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

First and Third Sundays

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

Mondays

- **2 to 5 p.m.** - Mayor's Office Hours with Judy Evers, regional coordinator, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- **5:30 to 6:30 p.m.** - Nicotine Anonymous support group meeting, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave., Charlestown Navy Yard
- **7 p.m.** - Narcotics Anonymous beginners meeting, 55 Bunker Hill St.

Mondays And Fridays

- **9 to 11 a.m.** - Charlestown Ecumenical Food Pantry open, Memorial Hall, 14 Green St.

Tuesdays

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

Wednesdays

- **5 to 7 p.m.** - Charlestown Ecumenical Food Pantry open, Memorial Hall, 14 Green St.
- **5:45 to 6:45 p.m.** - Free Smoking Cessation course, second floor conference room, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St. To register, call 485-6400.
- **6 to 7 p.m.** - Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

this week at a glance

Thursday, Nov. 21

- **4 p.m.** - Having Fun with Pyramids and Pharaohs along with a RIF book giveaway - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- **4:30 p.m.** - Meet one of the two candidates for president of Bunker Hill Community College - BHCC, Room A-300, 250 New Rutherford Ave.
- **5:30 p.m.** - Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) meeting - J.F. Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.

Friday, Nov. 22

- **10 a.m.** - Adult Discussion Group and Preschool Story Hour - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- **8 p.m.** - Charlestown Make A Wish Dance - K. of C. Upper Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Nov. 23

- **1 to 5 p.m.** - Holiday Bola to

benefit the Charlestown Historical Society - American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

- **7:30 p.m.** - Matt O'Neil Scholarship Dance - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, Nov. 24

- **2 p.m.** - Installation of Laurie Rofinot as rector - St. John's Church, 27 Devens St.
- **7:30 p.m.** - Organ Dedication Recital - St. John's Church, 27 Devens St.

Monday, Nov. 25

- **5 p.m.** - Deadline for submission of letters of interest from Charlestown non-profit organizations to become members of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council - Patriot Office, One Thompson Square

Tuesday, Nov. 26

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

- **11 a.m. to 1 p.m.** - Boston Water & Sewer Commission Community Relations Office Hours - Golden Age Center, 382 Main St.
- **7 p.m.** - Meeting of elected members of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council to select the appointed members - American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

Wednesday, Nov. 27

- **7 p.m.** - Preparation for Thanksgiving Dinner for shut-ins and those alone - Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.
- **7 p.m. to midnight** - Thanksgiving Eve Celebration to benefit the Charlestown Townies Football Team - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- **7:30 p.m.** - Community Thanksgiving Service with sermon by Rev. Laurie Rofinot of St. John's Church and special music by Benjamin Sears - First Church in Charlestown, Green Street

upcoming events

Thursday, Nov. 28

- **noon to 2 p.m.** - Thanksgiving Dinner delivered to shut-ins and served at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

Happy Thanksgiving!

Monday, Dec. 2

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

Friday, Dec. 6

- **6 p.m.** - Pop Warner Football & Cheerleaders Awards Banquet - K. of C. Upper Hall, 75 West School St.
- **7:30 p.m.** - Installation of Officers of Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion - Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

Saturday, Dec. 7

- **10 a.m. to 5 p.m.** - Christmas Bazaar - St. Catherine's Parish Hall, 13 Tufts St.
- **10 a.m. to 7 p.m.** - Christmas Fair with chowder luncheon at noon and smorgasbord dinner at 5:30 p.m. - First Church in Charlestown, Green

Tuesday, Dec. 3

- **10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.** - Children's Films - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Wednesday, Dec. 4

- **11 a.m.** - Toddler Storytime, stories and songs for children 2-

years-old accompanied by an adult - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

- **7 p.m.** - Townie Santa Committee meeting - Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

• **7 p.m.** - "Charlotte's Web" by the Bunker Hill Community College Drama Company - Bunker Hill Community College Auditorium, Room A-300

plan ahead

Street

Sunday, Dec. 8

- **Following 9 a.m. Mass** - Breakfast with Santa for children of St. Francis de Sales Church - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- **3:15 p.m.** - Lighting of the Christmas Tree and Party - Thompson Square

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Friday, Dec. 13

- **7:30 p.m.** - Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Christmas Party - K. of C. Upper Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, Dec. 15

- **1 p.m.** - Terry Ring's Newtown

Christmas Stroll - CharlesNewtown (snow date Dec. 22)

- **Following 5 p.m. Mass** - Turkey Raffle to benefit the Holy Name Society - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, Dec. 22

- **11 a.m.** - Delivery of Baskets for Townie Santa - from the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

Tuesday, Dec. 31

- **8 p.m. to 1 a.m.** - New Year's Eve Celebration - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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Majestic Knights To Be Inducted Into Mass. Drum Corps Hall Of Fame

The Mass. Drum Corps Hall of Fame Selection Committee is pleased to announce that Tommy "Cargo" Brennan and the late Mrs. Ellen Jordan of the St. Mary's Majestic Knights Drum and Bugle Corps of Charlestown, have been selected for induction into the Mass. Drum Corps Hall of Fame. The induction ceremony will take place on Friday, April 11 at Florian Hall in Dorchester.

Cargo and Mrs. Jordan will join 19 inductees and 42 distinguished previously inducted individuals in the Hall of Fame, which includes the late Bernard "Barney" McCabe, man-

ager of the corps; noted horn instructor-arranger Fred Allen; Drum Major Henry "Hank" O'Donnell; Tom Healey, the 1996 Man-Of-The-Year; and Patricia Driscoll Gregson, a co-recipient of the 1996 Humanitarian Award. Also previously inducted into the Hall of Fame is Paul "Flabo" Flaherty, who was the manager of the corps after it merged with St. Kevin's of Dorchester.

Cargo is Charlestown's legendary soloist who will always be especially remembered for his solo in the beautiful "Now and Forever," a drum corps classic, which was arranged and taught by Fred Al-

len. Mrs. Jordan is being honored posthumously for her many years of devoted service as a member of the parents organizations, which supported the corps over the years.

There were more than 220,000 Mass. people involved in the drum corps activity between 1950 and 1979 and Charlestown will be well represented in the Hall of Fame with six members of the corps hav-

ing been inducted out of a total of 61 inductees.

Everyone in Charlestown can be proud of these individuals who were part of the organization that represented Charlestown on a national and international basis and was consistently rated as one of the state's top units. Thus bringing honor and distinction to the "Town of Champions."

For ticket information, call the Mass. Drum Corps Hall of Fame at 324-0729.

Cefalo Named To Honor Roll

Ariel Cefalo of Charlestown has achieved first honors for the first marking period at St. Mary's Elementary School in Win-

chester. Ariel, a fifth grade student, is the daughter of Jill and Frederick Cefalo of Charlestown.

Have Fun With Pyramids And Pharaohs At The Library

Unwrap a mummy, look at King Tut's tomb, explore the pyramids and try on Egyptian jewelry. Learn about ancient Egypt at the multimedia show presented by Paulette Morin at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., today, Thursday, Nov. 21 at 4 p.m.

Recommended for chil-

dren in grades 1 through 12, the program is funded by the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library, a grant from the Mass. Biomedical Corporation and the Reading is Fundamental Project. A Reading is Fundamental (RIF) book giveaway of two books per child will follow the program.



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Carolyn Sideman, Monument Properties

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MONUMENT PROPERTIES





Charlestown 'Make A Wish' Dance

Friday, Nov. 22 • 8 p.m. to midnight
K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Music by DJ Macca • Raffles • 50/50 • Light Refreshments

Tickets \$10 • Call Charlestown Mayor Frank Stillman, 242-4777
Charlestown Rose Lesley Borden, 242-2914
Charlestown Community Center, 635-5177, or buy tickets at the door

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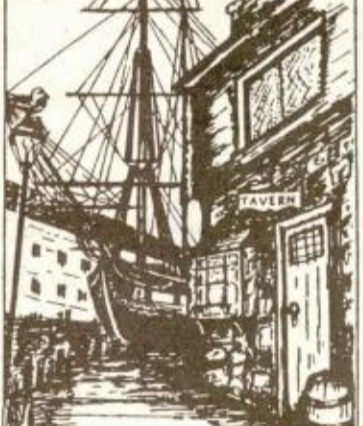
Tuesday, Dec. 31 • 8 p.m.-1 a.m.

Tickets are \$20 per person or \$35 per couple
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St. John's To Dedicate New Organ On Nov. 24

St. John's Episcopal Church celebrates the installation of its newly restored 19th-century Odell organ in its sanctuary at the church, 27 Devens St., Charlestown. The dedicatory recital will be given on Sunday, Nov. 24 at 7:30 p.m. by acclaimed Boston-based organist Peter Sykes, head of the Longy Early Music Department and organist at First Church Congregational in Cambridge.

Syke's program will include masterworks for the organ by J.S. Bach, Felix Mendelssohn and Jules Vieme.

The suggested donation for admission is \$10, with

proceeds to benefit the Organ Restoration Fund at St. John's Church.

St. John's music director, Douglas Witte, headed the organ committee and reports that the parish is thrilled to have this beautiful 1873 instrument for services and worship in St. John's 19th-century-styled interior. The organ, originally installed in an Episcopal church in Old Saybrook, Conn., had been enlarged in 1972. It has been restored by George Bozeman Organbuilders, New Hampshire.

For further information, call the church office at 242-1272.

Married Recently



MR. and MRS. JACK ROCHE
and son JAMIE BLAIKIE

Cindy Blaikie, daughter of the late Donald and Jacqueline Blaikie, and Jack Roche, son of Ann and Ed Roche, all of Charlestown, were married on Aug. 8.

Sandy Alexander was the bride's maid of honor, and Timmy Walsh served as the groom's best man. Jamie Blaikie, son of the bride, was the ring bearer, and Nicole Alexander was the flower girl.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother and sister-in-law, Rick and Doreen Blaikie of Charlestown.

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



◆ **Goings On This Week . . .** The Charlestown Make A Wish Dance will be held on Friday, Nov. 22nd at the K. of C. (upper hall) beginning at 8 p.m. D.J. "Macca" will provide the sounds for your listening and dancing pleasure, and there'll be raffles and light refreshments, all for just a \$10 donation. Stop by and help out the children and families of the town who need your assistance this holiday season . . . On Saturday, Nov. 23rd, the Holiday Bola to benefit the Charlestown Historical Society will be held at the American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St, from 1 to 5 p.m. . . . and the annual Matt O'Neil Scholarship Dance will take place at the K. of C. Hall on Saturday, Nov. 23rd, at 7:30 p.m. . . . St. John's Church will install its new rector, Rev. Laurie Rofinot, at a special 2 p.m. service on Sunday, Nov. 24th, and the Organ Dedication Recital at the church, 27 Devens St. will also be held on Sunday, Nov. 24th at 7:30 p.m. . . . and on Wednesday night, Nov. 27th, after you've peeled the vegetables and stuffed the turkey, come on down to the K. of C. Hall to listen to some "live" Irish music performed by the "Old Brigade" and support the Townies Football program at the Thanksgiving Eve Celebration beginning at 7 p.m. D.J. "Macca" will again provide the dancing music, and the donation is only \$10!

◆ **Happy Birthday Wishes . . .** go out to Bill Galvin, who will celebrate his big day on Nov. 25th . . . Nov. 25th will be the 8th birthday of L'il Dodie Boyle . . . and Jeanne Davis, Paula Breen and Sandy Griffin McLaughlin all share a Nov. 27th birthday . . . The best of birthday wishes to you all!

◆ **Happy Anniversary Wishes . . .** go out to Ann and Pat Considine who will celebrate their wedding anniversary on Nov. 23rd . . . Nov. 24th marks the golden (50th) wedding anniversary of Rose and Al Brooks of Mount Vernon Street . . . and Dodie and Bill Boyle will celebrate their 30th wedding anniversary on Nov. 27th . . . Congratulations! . . . May you all have many more!

◆ **Congratulations . . .** go out to newlyweds George Locke and Eileen A. Allen (formerly of Medford), who were married recently in Las Vegas, and are residing in Charlestown . . . and to Cindy Blaikie and Jack Roche who recently became Mr. & Mrs.

◆ **Get Well Wishes . . .** go out to Jim Kimball who is recuperating at Brigham and Women's Hospital, ICU - 7C, 45 Francis St., Boston, Mass. 02115 . . . We're sure he'd appreciate a card or two.

◆ **Malden Catholic High School To Host Open House . . .** On Monday, Nov. 25th, Malden Catholic High School will hold its annual Open House from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. This is a great opportunity for eighth grade boys and their families, interested in attending Malden Catholic to obtain information about the academic and extracurricular program available at the school . . . Anyone interested or seeking additional information should call the school at 322-3098 . . . Registration for the Catholic High School Entrance Exam to be held on Dec. 14th, is now open. Interested students can register to take the exam at Malden Catholic, 99 Crystal St., Malden, or during the Open House.

◆ **Annual Christmas Craft Show . . .** will be held at Boston's Bayside Expo Center Friday through Sunday, Nov. 29th through Dec. 1st. . . . General admission is \$6 and show hours are Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. . . . For more information and group rates, call Fieldstone Shows Inc., producer of the Christmas Craft Show at 508-359-6545.

◆ **Looking For An Unusual Christmas Gift? . . .** How about a donation to the Old Ironsides Penny Campaign? . . . It is sure easier than running around to the malls and the gift won't have to be returned - one size fits all! Funds raised during this campaign will go to purchase sails for the ship which has not been powered by sails since 1881. She has recently undergone major restoration and as she approaches her 200th anniversary in 1997, it is hoped that she will sail out into the harbor under her own power during this celebration. Donations, in any amount, are welcome and can be sent to: Old Ironsides Penny Campaign, Charlestown Cooperative Bank, P.O. Box 38, Charlestown, MA 02129.

◆ **Thought For The Week . . .** Life in common among people who love each other is the ideal of happiness.
- George Sand

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Happy 50th
Wedding Anniversary

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BROOKS

on November 24th!

Love . . . Ellie & Jennifer

Thank You,
Judy Burton,
and your committee
from your friends at
St. Catherine's!

Happy 10th Birthday
CAITLIN KELLY

on November 21st!

Love . . . Mommy, Eddie,
Edward & Papa

Happy Birthday
JEANNE
DAVIS

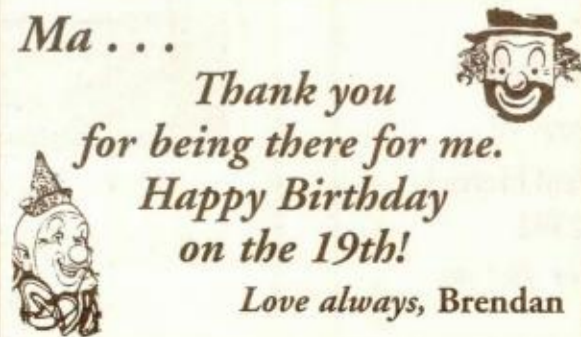
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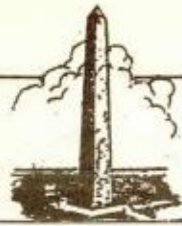
From Everyone At The Patriot

Ma . . .

Thank you
for being there for me.
Happy Birthday
on the 19th!

Love always, Brendan





around the town

★ Neighborhood Council Meetings Non-Profit Organizations

May Apply For Seven Appointed Seats
CNC Chairman Peter Looney has announced that the application process is now open for the appointment of seven residents, representing seven Charlestown non-profit organizations, to seats on the CNC.

Looney stated that representatives of non-profit organizations should submit a letter outlining the reasons why the group should be seated on the CNC. Elected CNC members will review the letters and vote approval of seven of the organizations to be seated on the CNC. The committee will approve the seven organizations and it will be the responsibility of the organizations selected to determine their delegates.

Letters should be addressed to Looney and mailed to P.O. Box 397, Charlestown, MA 02129, or dropped off at the Patriot office, One Thompson Square by 5 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 25.

The elected members on the board will review applications and make appointments to the CNC at a meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 26 at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

Monthly Meeting

The next monthly meeting of the Neighborhood Council, chaired by Peter Looney, will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 3 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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

★ **Board Of Appeal Hearings . . .** Two petitions were brought before the city of Boston Board of Appeal on Nov. 19.

• Werner Bundschuh, Trustee, sought permission to change the legal occupancy of 39 Monument Square from a one-family to a two-family dwelling. Bundschuh

made the presentation.

Judy Evers, regional coordinator of the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, told the board that Bundschuh has been communicating with the neighbors as the work goes forward, and the abutters support the change. She added that it is consistent with the area. Evers recommended approval as did Boston City Councillors Diane Modica and Peggy Davis-Mullen. The board approved the request.

Also on the agenda for the BOA was the return of Shawn Flanagan who proposes to change the occupancy of 215 Bunker Hill St. from a store to a store and two apartments.

According to Evers, Flanagan appeared before the board several weeks ago with strong support, but agreed to a deferral to resolve the concerns of a direct abutter. He subsequently reduced the size of the second floor and made changes that were suggested by the abutter. Evers and Modica entered their support. The board approved the petition, subject to design review.

★ CHARlestown Against Drugs . . .

CHARlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) will meet at 5:30 p.m. tonight, Thursday, Nov. 21 at the J.F. Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St. Interested persons are welcome.

★ **Home Heating Assistance . . .** Are you or someone you know in need of home heating assistance? Well, help is available! The Action for Boston Community Development Fuel Assistance Program is now accepting applications from income eligible residents of Boston.

If you qualify, you may receive up to \$360 toward your home heating bill this winter.

Residents may call 241-8866 to make an appointment to visit the Kennedy Cen-

ter, 27 Winthrop St. Appointments are scheduled between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. Applications are taken only by appointment.

★ **Board Of Appeal Hearing . . .** A petition will be brought before the city of Boston Board of Appeal at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 10 in Room 801 at Boston City Hall:

• Richard Kuzman is seeking permission to change the legal occupancy of 15 Lawnwood Place from a one-family to a three-family dwelling. (BZC-18515)

Persons with questions or concerns may call the board at 635-4775.

★ **Charlestown Navy Yard . . .** On Saturday, Nov. 16 at approximately 10 p.m., an alarm was sounded for Mass. General Hospital's Building 149 on 13th Street in the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Boston Fire Department (BFD) spokesperson Dave Walsh stated that an electrical motor in the first floor pump room went on

fire. The piping was marked "radioactive material" so a second alarm was sounded to evacuate the building and a Level 3 - Hazardous Material response was instituted. There were between 75 and 100 people reported in the building.

Walsh said that the BFD estimated the damage at \$100,000. He added that no radiation was detected during testing done at the site.

★ 'Small Business Of The Year' Award

. . . The Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce is now seeking applications for its annual "Small Business of the Year" award. Presented at a special luncheon in April, the award recognizes a local firm for its entrepreneurial achievements and contributions to the community. The deadline for applications is Nov. 22.

Individuals and businesses may nominate their own business or another that they believe deserves recognition. For information or to request an application, call the Chamber at 227-4500, ext. 410.

Persons Alone On Thanksgiving Welcome At Special Dinner

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Again this year, not only will the Sweeneys, the members of Bunker Hill Post and friendly volunteers be serving dinner from noon to 2 p.m. at the Legion Hall, but they will also be delivering meals to shut-ins unable to get out to the hall.

If you know of anyone who will be spending a lonely Thanksgiving at their home, please give

Sweeney a call at 279-4246 or Jeanne Davis at 241-9511 by Tuesday, Nov. 26, or leave a message on the answering machine at the Legion, 242-2646, to make arrangements to join the gathering or to have a meal delivered to a shut-in, courtesy of the Sweeneys and Post 26.

Willing workers are needed on Wednesday evening, Nov. 27 at 7 p.m. to

peel and pare vegetables, stuff turkeys and set tables. (Please bring utensils with you to pare and cut the vegetables.)

Also on Thanksgiving Day, workers will be needed to finish preparing the food, welcome guests and deliver meals.

It is a great Thanksgiving as you give your time to make it a special day for others.

It's A Boy . . .

James and Margaret Crowther of Sackville Street, Charlestown, are proud to announce the birth of their first child, a boy, James Bernard Crowther, on Nov. 9 at the Boston Regional Medical Center. He weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces.

The maternal grandparents are Mrs. Theresa O'Donnell and the late Bernard O'Donnell of Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew W. Crowther of Melrose.

Mrs. Crowther is the former Margaret O'Donnell of Charlestown.

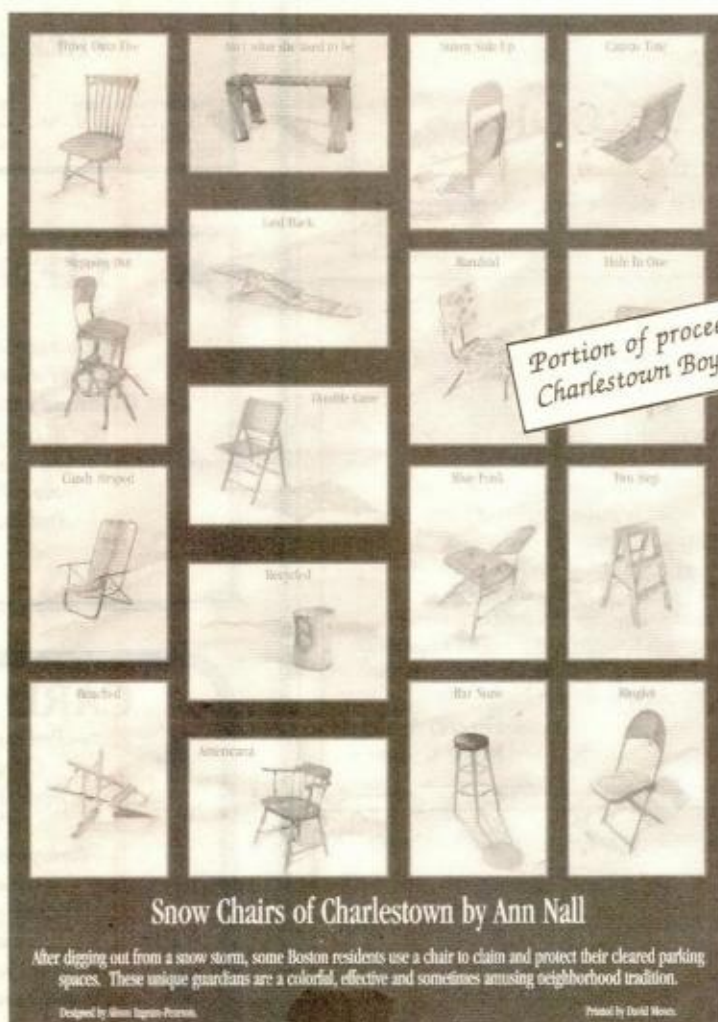
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Resident Parking And Charlestown As Historic District Top CNC Agenda

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even contradictory, city policy resulted in unnecessary neighbor disputes.

"We, as a council, were undermined," said Precinct 1 representative Judy Brennan. "We supported a public process, and the city did what it wanted anyway."

Brennan had facilitated public meetings between residents and Boston Transportation Department representatives for more than a year to explore whether to implement a resident parking program in Charlestown's Precinct 1.

A group of residents had submitted a collection of signatures from that neighborhood last year seeking resident parking. City policy had been described as requiring 51 percent of an area's residents in support of such a program to put it in place. Those signatures were later questioned, but the original petition was not produced by the city for public review.

An ensuing battle of pro- and anti-permit parking arguments between neighbors has waged ever since, with the city ultimately announcing that a trial program would be implemented in the precinct.

An October meeting with BTD representatives and neighbors furthered hard feelings among residents when the program was announced by the city shortly after the meeting without the council's recommendation.

"This has been a no-win situation," said Chairman Peter Looney. "We only tried to facilitate a process and we ended up taking the hit."

Council member Jim Conway called for a written list of the rules the city follows for implementing resident parking in its neighborhoods.

Council member and BTD employee Jim Mansfield expressed his disappointment that such an issue had resulted in residents "taking sides and personalizing." Mansfield had removed himself from the process last year when he said he found himself in an uncomfortable position as a resident and city employee.

"We can't pick and choose the issues we have to be involved with," Mansfield said.

In new business, the council discussed Charlestown Preservation Society representative Peg Bradley's request of co-sponsorship for placing the

whole town on the Landmark Commission's national register. Bradley said the deadline for applying for such designation would be Dec. 15.

What exactly it would mean to list Charlestown as an historical place was not completely clear in the council's discussion.

"People could panic," Looney said, "especially homeowners who don't understand what this is."

"We need a lot of information about the pros and cons," said council member Tom Cunha. "I feel uncomfortable and pressured by this Dec. 15 date. This could be the biggest issue in the last 10 to 15 years."

Conway suggested passing on funding for this year and spending time looking at the issue.

Bradley explained that this opportunity for Charlestown was "honorific."

"The council can't vote on this until the January meeting," Looney said, "and that will be our stance."

"The council will send a letter to the Landmarks Commission asking it to delay its process."

In other council business, the issue of speeding along Charlestown streets was picked up by the Public Safety Committee. Re-

sident Dan O'Neil spoke about problems in the Navy Yard and on Chelsea Street. For the past few months, residents have shared similar concerns about speeding on Main and Bunker Hill streets, Lowney Way and even the Tobin Bridge.

The FleetCenter's November Team Harmony event was also noted for the lineup of school buses along Chelsea Street, from City Square past the Navy Yard's Gate 4. Approximately 100 buses were reported seen at this month's event, and police were on site.

Council members expressed concern that the neighborhood had not been notified that a Charlestown street would serve as bus parking for a FleetCenter event. The council will send a letter to the National Transportation Co. with a copy the Boston Police Department and the Fleet Center.

Council member Don Haska updated the council on the renovations to Paul Revere Landing Park, the North Point Area and the Rutherford Avenue Development funding project. Haska will continue to attend meetings.

Council member Bill Galvin suggested that the council go on record as ob-

jecting to Massport's multi-million dollar proposed Runway 14-32, which will be designed to route air traffic over Charlestown by the year 2010.

"The mayor has said he has not been hearing objections from the neighborhoods," Galvin said. "There has not been enough public outcry, and this will have a very negative impact."

Looney reported that he was disappointed by a recent response letter from Massport concerning abutters' complaints about its demolition preparation work at the former Revere Sugar Refinery on Medford Street. Massport wrote that a representative will be in touch. The coun-

cil will send a letter to Massport about scheduling a public meeting.

Council member Ken Stone warned the council about seven-day 24-hour Central Artery work upsetting North End residents with constant noise and activity.

"The same schedule is certain to come to Charlestown," Stone said. "If we stand on the sidelines now, we'll be standing alone."

The council voted to send Stone to continuing meetings as a representative of the council.

The next meeting of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council will be Tuesday, Dec. 3 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St., at 7 p.m.

'Quilting For Beginners' At The Charlestown Branch Library

Lillian MacAlpine, a quilter with the Windmill Quilters, will be the guest speaker at the weekly adult discussion group meeting at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., at 10 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 22.

Stop by and take this opportunity to learn an old craft. MacAlpine is one of the quilters who worked on

the Charlestown Preservation Society 1996 Pictorial Quilt. She has been quilting for 10 years and will talk about the various types of quilts, as well as how to get started on making quilts.


The program is free and open to the public. For more information, call the library at 242-1248.

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And your picture in a frame.
Missed so much by
Your wife & children*

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*Perhaps you sent a lovely card,
Or sat quietly in a chair;
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Because what happened to you will forever be unfair.
It is so very hard to put a few things on paper,
It is a feeling that is with you both day and night.
We go through life's every day motions,
But then every night it's not having you here with us to say goodnight.
Our Son, Al
Love . . . Mom, Dad, Kirk, Chad, Aaron & Mary*

Al,
Every time I go to the grave, it's hard to understand what's happened to you. When I heard you died I knew my life would never be the same. I can't live without my big brother, Al. If I knew you were going to die, I would be there to somehow save you, as you would do the same for me. For me, it's hard to think that it has been two years. Al, I promise you I will never forget you, big bro.
Love always and "forever young!"
Your Little Brother, Chad ♥

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*Have you ever lost a loved one
Who meant the world to you,
Someone you loved so very much
And miss them as I do?
A thousand words can't bring them back
I know, because I've tried,
Neither will a million tears,
I know because I've cried.
Beside your grave I often stand
And try so hard to understand.
I laugh, I cry, I play the part,
But beneath it all lies my broken heart.
Falling tears and heartache are things I must bear
But losing you the way I did will forever be unfair.
Happy Second Anniversary, Al!
Love Forever Young,
Mary & Aaron*

*In loving memory of my nephew's second anniversary -
ALBIE TITCOMB - LI'L AL*
I miss you, I miss seeing your smiling face. I miss hearing your footsteps walking through my door. I miss just having you here with your family. I miss you so much.
Love, Auntie

To: The son, brother, father that my family & I have lost
*All those memories that can't be returned at any cost.
All those that said justice was served, but still those close
don't believe they all got what they deserved.
Now all we have is a place to go to see you rest,
But things like this should never happen
to those considered the best.
Because Al, you and I will never part and there will always
be that special place I hold so dear in my heart.
Al, Mary and Aaron - a family that will always be together,
Because you will always be
in our thoughts and hearts forever and ever.
From your brother & best friend,
Love always, forever young! Kirk*

St. Catherine's Christmas Bazaar

St. Catherine's Parish will hold its annual Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 7 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the school hall, 13 Tufts St.

Chances on beautiful prizes, gifts for your Christmas list, refreshments, a White Elephant table, are just a few of the many delights you will find there.

Come and bring your friends for a day of fun and socializing. Santa will be there, so be sure to bring the children for a little chat about their Christmas stockings!!

Any donations of gifts, prizes or items for the White Elephant table would be most welcome. For more information, call the rectory at 242-1750.

Final Registration CCD Program

Final registration for St. Catherine's CCD program for 1996-97 will be held on Sunday, Nov. 24.

If you know of any children who have not registered, please encourage them to sign up before the deadline on Nov. 24.

Registration will take place at the rectory on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and on Sunday morning. The cost is \$20 per student or \$35 for a family of two or more.

Classes for students in grades 1 through 8 are held on Sunday morning after the 9 a.m. Mass.

BHCC To Present 'Charlotte's Web'

Charlotte's Web will be presented by the Bunker Hill Community College Drama Company on Wednesday and Friday evenings, Dec. 4 and 6, at 7 p.m., and Thursday afternoon, Dec. 5 at 12:30 p.m.

Based on the well-known story by E.B. White, Charlotte's Web tells about the unlikely friendship that develops between a pig and a spider as they work together to save the pig's life.



LAST CHANCE TO SUBMIT NAMES FOR TOWNIE SANTA

The "Townie Santa" Committee is seeking the names of needy, elderly Charlestown shut-ins 60 years of age or older who may benefit from a visit from Townie Santa at Christmas.

The committee asks that individuals and organizations submit names by **Monday, Nov. 25** to allow the selection committee time to begin its arduous task. Time is also needed to purchase the items for the packages and to make plans for delivery on Sunday, Dec. 22.

The committee requests that the names of eligible recipients who received a package last year be resubmitted, along with the names of any elderly, needy shut-ins of whom you may be aware.

Don't assume that someone else will take care of this person - the committee needs the help of everyone. Please take the time to do it today!

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Tuesday, Nov. 26
9 a.m. - Coffee
9:30 a.m. - Swim at the YMCA
10 a.m. - Plastic Embroidery
11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch

Wednesday, Nov. 27
9:15 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop

Thursday, Nov. 28
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Happy November Birthday to Linda Ross, Ruth Fidler, Sally Karos, Lil Boutillier, Jeannette Carmody, Katie Ciccarrelli, Gert Connolly, Thomas Connolly, Rose DeLuca, Betty Doherty, Mary Doherty, Betty Donahue, Jane Duncan, Catherine Dunne, Margaret Edwards, Helen Kelley, Alice Marcella, Barbara Mele, Cece McNelly, Peg O'Keefe, Helen Parsons, Carol Pimental, Margaret Spellman and Maggie Urquhart.

55 Bunker Hill St. Drop-in Resource Center

Friday, Nov. 22
8:30 a.m. - Coffee
10 a.m. - Seniorobics
11:30 - Kit Clark Lunch
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Monday, Nov. 25
8:30 a.m. - Coffee
10 a.m. - Seniorobics
11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
12:45 p.m. - Bingo
7 p.m. - N.A. Beginners Meeting

Tuesday, Nov. 26
8:30 a.m. - Coffee
10:30 a.m. - Hispanic Coffee Hour

Wednesday, Nov. 27
8:30 a.m. - Coffee
10 a.m. - Healthy Exercise +
11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

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Assessing Department Announces Exemption Renewal Deadline

Boston Assessing Commissioner Ronald W. Rakow has announced that the city has kicked off an outreach program to ensure that all qualifying homeowners in Boston will receive a "residential exemption." Taxpayers who owned and occupied their residential property as of Jan. 1, 1996 qualify for this reduction of assessed value.

The Assessing Department has identified and mailed out notices to over 2,300 homeowners who may qualify for the residential exemption, but are not currently receiving it. Homeowners receiving such a notice are urged to read it carefully to determine whether they are eligible.

In Fiscal Year 1996, over 60,000 qualifying owners received an exemption of \$30,342 in assessed value, providing a tax sav-

ings of \$418.11. Taxpayers who believe they may qualify for the residential exemption for the first time are invited to apply to the Assessing Department before Nov. 25, so that the residential exemption may be reflected on the Fiscal Year 1997 Third Quarter bill. Homeowners who already receive the residential exemption do not have to reapply. They will continue to receive it annually so long as they own and occupy their property as of each Jan. 1.

Homeowners are also reminded that the Assessing Department is currently processing renewal applications for those who received personal exemptions during Fiscal Year 1996. Personal exemptions, also known as "clause" exemptions, can result in property tax reductions of between

\$175 and \$1,000, depending upon eligibility requirements and income guidelines.

The city of Boston annually provides some 8,000 personal exemptions to homeowner-occupants who qualify under the state statutes as elderly, widows, widowers, blind, veterans with service-connected disabilities and other programs. Homeowners must file an initial application to establish eligibility. Renewal applications, which were mailed out to personal exemption recipients in July, must be returned to the Assessing Department no later than Nov. 25 so that the personal exemption may be reflected on the Fiscal Year 1997 Third Quarter bill.

In addition, Rakow urges homeowners who are considering placing their property in a real estate

trust to consider the impact on their eligibility for personal exemptions and to make their attorney or financial planner aware of their current property tax exemptions. Many people put their property in trust for various reasons, including Medicare asset protection, estate planning and to benefit their children. According to state law, in order for a trust property to qualify as owner-occupied, the occupant must be both trustee and beneficiary of the trust.

Homeowners may also apply for personal exemptions and the residential exemption for a three-month period after the Third Quarter bill is issued in late December. For more information regarding residential and personal exemptions, please contact the Assessing Department Information Center at 635-4287.

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Mayor Menino Announces Fourth Boston Yard Sale



I'm pleased to announce the fourth Boston Yard Sale. This program has been created to reduce the City of Boston's inventory of vacant land by selling small parcels of tax-foreclosed real property to residential abutters for open space use. These lots may be used for a garden, landscaped open space, off-street parking, a garage, or an addition to your existing home.

Listed below are some of the 18 lots which are now being offered for sale by the Public Facilities Department acting as agent for the Boston Redevelopment Authority. If you own property which abuts any of the lots listed, you are eligible to purchase the lot for a nominal price (between \$500 and \$1,000). Eligible property owners are being notified by mail. Proposals are due no later than 4 p.m. on December 17, 1996.

This program is a great opportunity, and I encourage you to consider buying the lot next to your property. And remember to check your mail; there's a lot at stake.

Sincerely,

Thomas M. Menino, Mayor

NO.	STREET	NGHBRHD	SQ.FT.
1X	Avery Place	Charlestown	1056
2X	Eagle Place	Charlestown	1474
	Mead Street	Charlestown	2859
47X	Mead Street	Charlestown	1550
61X	Russell Street	Charlestown	1365
61AX	Russell Street	Charlestown	1365
65RX	Russell Street	Charlestown	1950
85RX	Russell Street	Charlestown	1905
81RX	Russell Street	Charlestown	2225
109RX	Russell Street	Charlestown	1406
	Russell Street	Charlestown	1650
	Russell Street	Charlestown	6899
42AX	Circuit Street	Roxbury	1600
25X	Harold Street	Roxbury	428
42-51	Rockland Street	Roxbury	1541
	Sonoma Street	Roxbury	315
	Seaver Street	Roxbury	2373
180	Walnut Avenue	Roxbury	643



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• **Change In "Little Women" Performances** - Due to unforeseen circumstances, we must cancel the Sunday, Dec. 8 matinee of *Little Women*. While we're at it, we decided to make the show times more family-friendly. Show dates and times are Friday, Dec. 6 at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 7 at 6 p.m.; Friday, Dec. 13 at 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 14 at 6 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 15 at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$12, and \$8 for students and seniors. We recommend reservations since this show will most likely sell out quickly.

• **Angels, Fireflies & Lambs / The Littlest Angel** - We have also found it necessary to change the performance times of these two shows. Show dates and times are Saturday, Dec. 14 and Saturday, Dec. 21 at 1 p.m. Tickets to these shows are \$8, and \$5 for students and seniors.

• **Keter, The Crowning Song** - Jennifer Johnson, Kristin Johnson and John Peitso, who run the theater, are performing in collaboration with Double Edge Theatre in *Keter, The Crowning Song*. Keter is the third performance in the Song Trilogy, and a work-in-progress of this performance will be shown at Double Edge Theatre Nov. 22 to 24. John, Kristin and Jennifer will be performing this work in Romania in May 1997, and in Seoul, Korea at the Theatre of All Nations Festival in September 1997.

Double Edge Theatre is located at 5 St. Lukes Road in Allston. Tickets are \$15 per person. For more information or to make reservations, you may call either CWT at 242-3285 or Double Edge at 254-4228.

• **CWT's Children's Chorus** - Under the musical direction of Stephen Lee, our children's choir will be enjoying their first public performances this December. On Saturday, Dec. 14 at 1 p.m., they will perform their holiday program at the Golden Age Center. Sunday, Dec. 15 finds them at the CharlesNewtown Christmas Stroll at 1:30 p.m. and they will also perform at the Mary Colbert Apartments. If you would like more information regarding our chorus or if you know of a non-profit organization that would enjoy hosting a performance, please give us a call.

For reservations or information, call 242-3285. See you at the theater!

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Finalists For BHCC Presidency Announced

Anne Hyde, chairperson of the Board of Trustees of Bunker Hill Community College, announced the selection of the two final candidates for the position of president of the college. The candidates are Barbara Adams, who served as the president of Long Beach City College, Long Beach, Calif., and Mary Fifield, the president of Harrisburg Area Community College in Harrisburg, Penn.

Barbara Adams began her higher education career as a faculty member at De Anza Community College, and the University of California, Davis. Thereafter,

she was an associate dean of instruction, the dean of instruction and the executive vice president at three community colleges before becoming founding president of Las Positas College, Livermore, Calif. She served as the president of Long Beach City College from 1993 to 1996. Adams holds a B.A. from Rosary College, an M.P.H. from the University of California, Berkeley and an ABD from the University of California, Los Angeles.

Mary Fifield was a faculty member for 13 years at Kenyon College and St. Louis Community College before becoming dean of

instruction at Harold Washington College (one of the city colleges of Chicago). Subsequently, she was the vice president of academic affairs at Mott Community College in Flint, Mich. before being selected as president of Harrisburg Area Community College in 1992. Fifield holds a B.A. from Clarke College, an MFA from Pratt Institute and a Ph.D. from St. Louis University.

Both finalists are visiting Bunker Hill Community College to meet with various constituent groups. Fifield was here on Nov. 19 and Adams is here today, Thursday, Nov. 21. The public is welcome to participate in the scheduled campus visit at 4:30 p.m. in the auditorium of BHCC, Room A-300.

For more information, call BHCC at 228-2400.

O'Brien Earns 'Recognition' As Cadet At Norwich

For the past three months, "rooks" or cadet freshmen at Norwich University, have undergone intense training in military formations, military etiquette and close order drill.

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members of the Norwich University Corps of Cadets.

Daniel J. O'Brien of Everett, formerly of Charlestown, was among the new cadets.

Norwich University is a co-educational institution offering associate, bacca-

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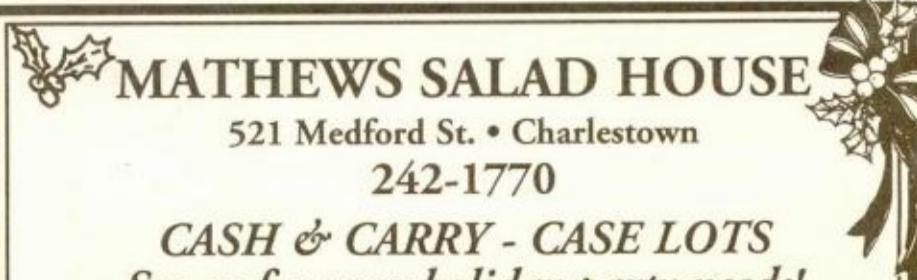
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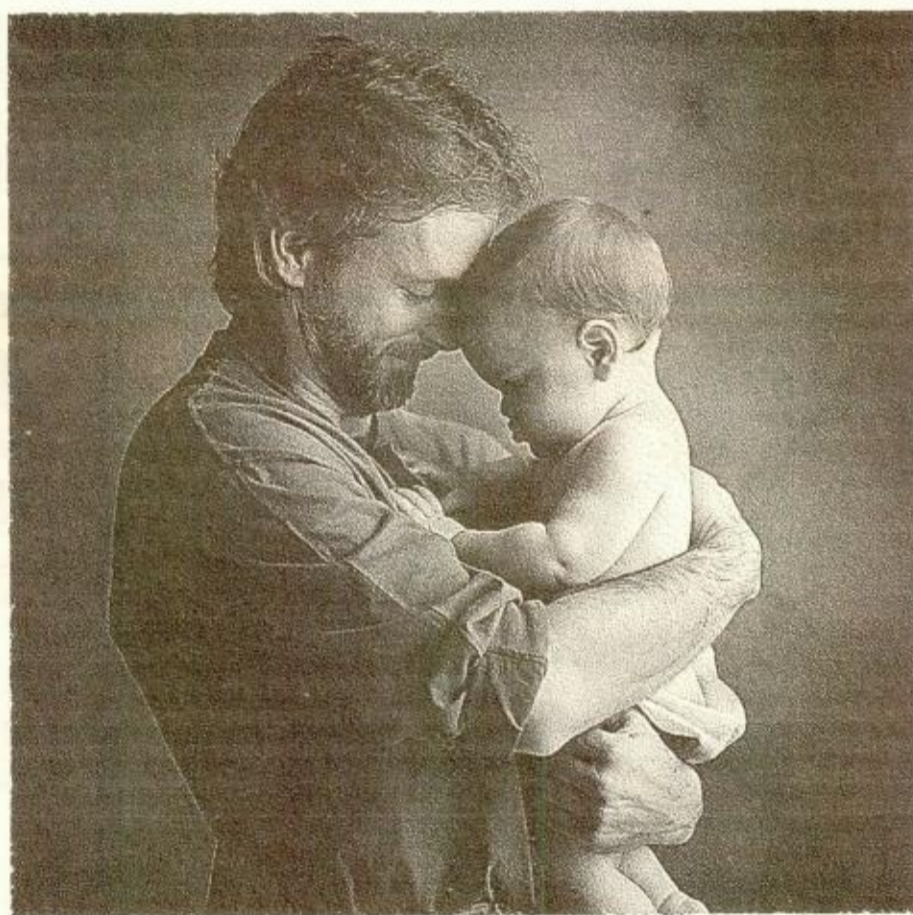
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St. Francis de Sales Happenings

St. Vincent de Paul Society

We would like to thank the Parishioners of St. Francis de Sales for their generosity to the St. Vincent de Paul Society collection last weekend.

Ninth Grade Confirmation I Class

The 9th grade Confirmation Class, Confirmation One, will meet this Monday night, Nov. 25 in the Bishop Lawton Hall, girls at 6 p.m. and boys at 6:45 p.m.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

There will be a special Thanksgiving Day Mass next Thursday, Nov. 28 at 9 a.m. in the church. There will be NO 7:30 a.m. Mass on Thanksgiving Day.

Breakfast With Santa

On Sunday, Dec. 8, children of all ages from St. Francis de Sales Parish are invited to a Breakfast with Santa in the Bishop Lawton Hall after the 9 a.m. Mass. Please sign up for yourself only by Sunday, Dec. 1. No registrations will be taken after Dec. 1. We have to have an accurate count for breakfast.

There will be a meeting at 7:15 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 25 in the rectory for anyone who would like to assist with the Breakfast.

Pine Street Inn

Again this year, the parish is conducting a Christmas Giving program for the Pine Street Inn. Useable hats, gloves, mittens and socks are four items that are in great demand during the cold winter months. The collection will take place on the week-

end of Dec. 7 and 8. Please drop your gifts in the basket at the ushers' table at church.

Holy Name Society

Scholarship Fund Raiser

The St. Francis de Sales Parish Holy Name Society is sponsoring a Scholarship Fund Raiser Turkey Raffle on Sunday, Dec. 15 after the 5 p.m. Mass in the Bishop Lawton Hall. Tickets are \$1 each or a book of six for \$5. Twenty-five 20-pound turkeys will be raffled off. Tickets are available from Richie Warner, Dan Sheehan, Fran Ringer, Tom Harrington, the ushers at Mass or at the rectory. This fund raiser is for the annual scholarship given to a graduate of Charlestown Catholic.

Gift Certificates

Are you looking for a gift for someone who is hard to buy for this Christmas season. The Beano committee has gift certificates available in any amount. Please contact Joan Rae at the rectory or at the Beano on Saturday nights.

April Extravaganza

The Guild of St. Francis de Sales will sponsor an Extravaganza Raffle on Sunday, April 13 at 10 a.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall. There will be 25 beautiful, expensive prizes, including a 19" color TV/VCR combination, a Madonna and Child Hummel, a microwave and much more. Hopefully the entire parish will support the April Extravaganza. Raffle tickets will be available in mid-January.

Brennan Named To Honor Roll

Timothy Brennan of Charlestown has been named to the honor roll for the first marking term at Boston Latin Academy.

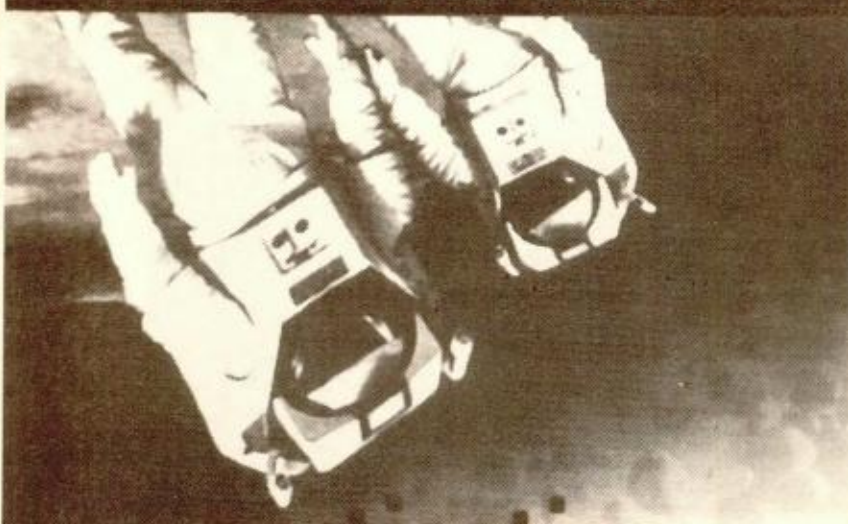
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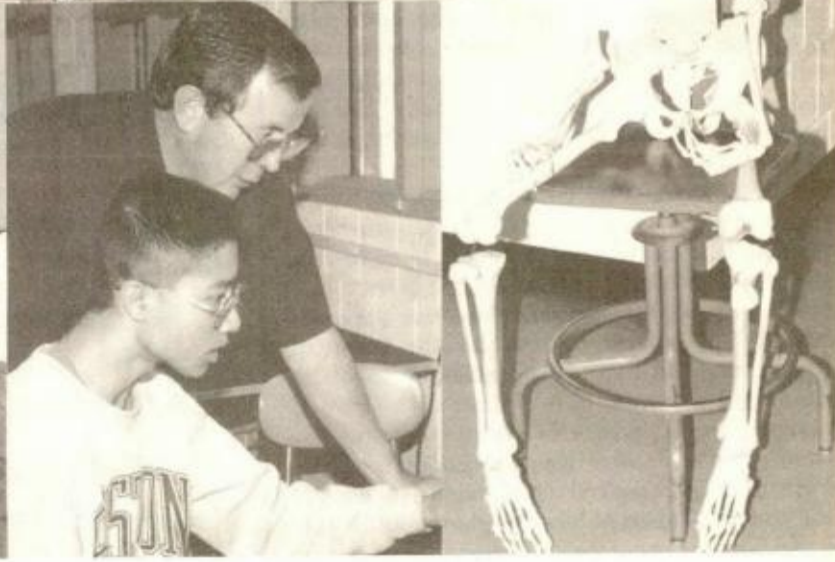
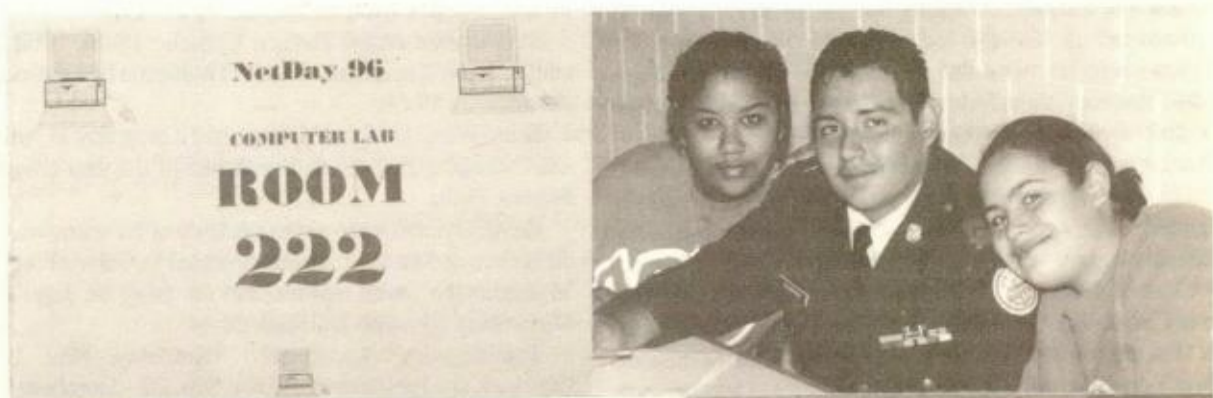
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Charlestown High School NetDay 1996

photos by Kathy Whitehouse



MAYOR THOMAS M. MENINO looks over the city of Boston's Web Page as Marilyn Hurwitz, principal of Charlestown High School, looks on during the mayor's recent visit to Charlestown High School for NetDay. Eighteen Boston Public Schools were wired to the Internet with over \$1.5 million in technology upgrades implemented in just one day by over 500 volunteers, including teachers, parents and employees of the private companies who sponsored the event. NetDay marked significant progress toward the success of the mayor's "KIDS COMPUTE 2001" Initiative which aims to provide one computer for every four students in the Boston Public Schools by the year 2001.



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♣ **Lest We Forget . . .** Sitting over at the JFK School of Government at Harvard University the other evening, I couldn't help but think that this was one of the sites President Kennedy thought his Presidential Library might be located. Here is where the young President would "retire" after his term of office. The event of Nov. 22, 1963 would end his dream and shatter many more. For some, President Kennedy is a page in a history textbook, for many he is a brilliant memory. It's hard to believe that it's been 33 years.

♣ **Class of 1986 . . .** Congratulations to the Class of 1986 from Christopher Columbus High School who will celebrate its 10th anniversary reunion this weekend at the Docks. Have a great evening and enjoy the memories of a great year. Be sure to bring some sun tan lotion for Cheesey!

♣ **High School Prep Notebook . . .** Arthur Cameron had a touchdown and got on board the Super Bowl Train as Everett shut out Malden 37-0 to clinch the GBL Championship and a Super Bowl game. Anthony Nazzaro had three touchdowns for the undefeated 9-0 Crimson Tide.

Rob DiFrummolo had both Don Bosco touchdowns, but the Bears were defeated by Catholic Memorial 35-14. Joe McCauley had three touchdowns to lead Matignon past Medford 30-13. The Warriors are 7-3.

Concord-Carlisle shutout Boston Latin 9-0. Congrats to Coach Al Costibile, former Columbus coach, as his Bishop Fenwick team dropped Cardinal Spellman 41-12 to clinch a return trip to the Super Bowl. The Crusaders have won 19 straight regular season games.

Chris Allen and Tim Cullen had two touchdowns each as Latin Academy shut out Burke 28-0. Savio Prep blanked Lowell Catholic 34-0. Mike Burri had three touchdowns for Savio. The Spartans and Austin Prep will battle

for the League Championship on Turkey Day.

St. Clement edged Hudson Catholic 18-16. Phil Yacinthe, Jason Klemm and Shawn Thompson had the touchdowns.

Brian Ward and Frank Campo had a great day as Arlington Catholic picked up its fourth win of the year downing Marian 33-20.

Kevin Quinlan's second touchdown of the game was the difference as Malden Catholic upended St. John's Prep 15-11 late in the fourth quarter, and the other St. John's (of Shrewsbury) downed BC High 28-14.

Thanksgiving Appetizers: Thursday, Nov. 21 - O'Bryant at Charlestown; Friday, Nov. 22 - Dorchester vs. Latin Academy; and Wednesday, Nov. 27 - Don Bosco at Malden Catholic at 7 p.m.

♣ **Charlestown High Lights . . .** Two first-half touchdowns was enough as Archbishop Williams defeated the football Townies 14-8. Donyell Patterson had the Townie touchdown. Charlestown will enter today's season finale versus O'Bryant with a 5-3-1 record. Game time is 2:30 p.m. This is Charlestown's "Thanksgiving Day" Game.

Thanks to the Huntington Theatre Company, 40 CHS students, among them, Monique Matarazzo and Pat Walsh, had the opportunity to attend "Journey to the West."

Thanksgiving dinner came early for all of our very special students, who were hosted by many of our CHS stu-

dents, faculty and staff at a lunch in their honor.

♣ **Pro Line . . .** The Phoenix Coyotes snapped a three-game losing streak when they defeated Toronto 3-2 for their sixth win of the season. Phoenix begins the week at 6-9-2, and rumor has it that they might be looking for a new coach.

Florida and the New York Islanders battled to a 3-3 tie over the weekend. The Panthers are now 11-2-5 (27 points) and rank number two in the overall NHL picture. Colorado is the top team with 30 points.

♣ **Hot Stove League . . .** Jose Ruiz has been named the new director of the Boston Red Sox RBI program.

Boston will be hosting the Major League winter meetings in early December, and in conjunction with these meetings, Winter Fan Fest comes to the Hynes Auditorium on Dec. 7 and 8.

♣ **College Board . . .** Good luck to Coach Kevin McGonagle, who leads the UMass-Boston Beacon Hockey Team to their season opener on Friday evening at Wesleyan. The Beacon's home opener is on Tuesday.

♣ **Tidbits . . .** Birthday best to Dave Hurley . . . Big Pepi, how was that Pepper Sandwich? . . . Tim Gallagher is still one of Charlestown's Most Eligible Bachelors . . . Little Big Pepi had a visit from Johnny C. . . . Frankie McPherson, school begins at 7:35 a.m.! . . . Jill is looking for her long lost eyebrows . . . Eileen is giving singing lessons in the CHS cafeteria.
Smile!



CHAD Junior Bowling League News



by John Dillon

Well into the CHARLESTOWN Against Drugs (CHAD) Junior Bowling League season, there are some very interesting scores to report.

Jenny's bumped the Bunker Hill Real Estate team in a 6-2 match. Top bowler for Jenny's was Jim Kissane with 232 and Ryan Stillman was runner-up with 178. Top bowler for BHRE was Mike Shackford with 224. Runner-up was Shawn Burke with 194.

In the next match, there was a tie between the Shamrocks and the Charlestown Patriot. Top bowler for the Shamrocks was John Harrington with 250 and John Paul Awbrey was runner-up with 210. Top bowler for

the Patriot was Craig Gaudette with 233. Runner-up was Michelle Williams with 168.

Cricket's team slipped by the American Legion in the next match with a 5-3 win. Top bowler for Cricket's team was Danny Kissane with 245 and Marianne Kissane was the runner-up with 223. Top bowler for the American Legion was Casey Durham with 227 and Runner-up was Sheilann Williams with 203.

The Red Store managed to hold onto a piece of first place with a 4-4 tie against the McCarthy Brothers team. Top bowler for the Red Store was Steven Awbrey with 275 and Alex Gaudette was runner-up with 228. Top bowler for

McCarthy Brothers was Matt Paley with 275 and Mike Simensen was runner-up with 224.

In the final match of the day, Diane Modica's team bopped the Kennedy Center for a 6-2 win. Top bowler for Modica's team was Richie Burns with 242 and Chris Chiampa was runner-up with 228. Top bowler for the Kennedy Center was Sean Cronk with 235. Runner-up was Brendan Grace with 170.

Bowlers of the week are Matt Paley 275, Steven Awbrey 275, John Harrington 250, Danny Kissane 245, Richie Burns 242, Sean Cronk 235, Craig Gaudette 233, Jimmy Kissane 232, Alex Gaudette 228, Chris Chiampa 228 and Casey

Durham 227.

Bowlers trying the hardest are Sara Johnson 129, Quinn Evers 141, Tom Fasano 147, Robert Hoell 148, Andrew Foley 159, Joey Burke 169, Brendan Grace 170, Jared Silva 171, Keri McGuire 174 and Brent Awbrey 184.

See you all on Saturday. We bowl at 11:30 a.m.

Standings

	W	L
Red Store	31	17
Cricket's	31	17
McCarthy Bros.	28	20
American Legion	26	22
Jenny's Pizza	26	22
Kennedy Center	22	26
Diane Modica	22	26
B.H. Real Estate	18	30
Chas'n. Patriot	18	30
Shamrocks	10	38

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• Why do women receive lower retirement benefits? Social Security and many other pension benefits are tied to a worker's earnings, and full-time working women earn on average only 73% of their male counterparts. In addition, women are more likely both to work part-time and to leave the work force entirely to raise children, further diminishing the accrual of private pension and Social Security benefits - the first two "legs" of a secure retirement.

• Can women rely on their husbands' retirement savings? Women who rely on their husbands for economic security would appear to be in relatively good shape financially. In the event a husband dies, private pension plans are generally required to provide benefits for the surviving spouse, and the same rule applies to Social Security. In the event of a divorce, the court may award the wife a portion of the husband's pension benefit. Social Security benefits also will be paid to a divorced wife, based on the husband's earnings, if the marriage lasted at least 10 years. But it's also a sad fact that about 25% of elderly, single women live in poverty, compared to 5% of elderly women who are married. It appears that divorce and the death of a husband do take a financial toll.

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CHARLESTOWN BOYS & GIRLS CLUB NEWS

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★ MEMBERS IN THE NEWS

Teen Center Games Room Tournament Champions - In a stunning upset John Fabiano defeated Club Director Jerry Steimel in the finals of the Teen Center Ping Pong Tournament. Using a combination of off-speed shots and sheer power he was able to keep Jerry befuddled. Jerry was gracious in defeat though all teen trips have been cancelled until the next tournament.

Nick Smith was the winner of the 9-Ball Tournament. This was a somewhat hollow victory, however, as Jerry did not participate.

On the more athletic side, Brandon Swales beat out Brandon Jackson by a mouthful in the pie-eating contest. P.S. to Chris Connors and Timmy Warren - How's the pie in the face?

★ GAMES ROOM/ SOCIAL RECREATION

First Chess Club Tournament - Congratulations to Andrew Southern who completely dominated the First Chess Club Tournament by winning four consecutive matches to finish undefeated!! Way to go Andrew!! The next Chess Tournament will be held in mid-December.

★ PROGRAM NEWS



THE ROCKET CLUB at the Boys & Girls Club was out performing some community service this past week, picking up litter at the Eden Street Park. This is one way they "earn" the model rockets that they build. Shown front row (l. to r.) Joey Awbrey, Peer Instructor Xaymara Saez, Jon Paul Awbrey, Kevin Armstrong and Joseph Boucher. Back row (l. to r.) Richard Pena, Peer Instructor Sam Ruiz, Dennis Cunningham, Billy Walsh and Shawn Burke.

Volunteer Party - The next Volunteer Night Party is scheduled for tomorrow, Friday, Nov. 22 from 6 to 8 p.m. You must have worked 2 or more hours in the month of November to attend.

Tom Noren from the Longy School of Music who came to the club last Friday to play his program "From Back to Bossa" on the guitar. The next program will be Peter & The Wolf in the club library from 4 to 5 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 6. All are welcome.

Art Display - Now on display in the lobby of the club - the latest and greatest from club artists in painting, drawing and ceramics.

★ SPORTS REPORT

Girls Ball Hockey - The girls split their two games this week. They beat Newton 4-0 behind a strong defense of Ann Marie Fratalia, Sarah Rabbitt, Erin Burry and Stephanie Centola. Later they lost to a strong Waltham team 6-3.

Swim Team - The Swim Team tied a very strong Salem team on Saturday. The team is currently 1-1-1 and are one of the strongest teams we've had in years. Congratulations to the coaches and swimmers.

Turkey Game - On Wednesday, Nov. 27, the staff will be playing the teens in basketball in the gym. The game will start at 5 p.m. for any souls brave enough to play.

Torch Club - Don't forget to Vote!! Today, Thursday, Nov. 21 is Election Day!! (For the offices of President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer).

Longy School Of Music - Thanks to

Boyden Completes Navy Basic Training

Navy Seaman Apprentice Joseph P. Boyden, son of Kathleen M. and Joseph P. Boyden Sr. of 27 Dunstable St., Charlestown, recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

During the eight-week program, Boyden, a 1994 graduate of Charlestown High School, completed a variety of training which included classroom study, practical hands-on instruction and an emphasis on physical fitness. In particular, Boyden learned naval customs, first aid, fire fighting, water safety and

survival, and a variety of safety skills required for working around ships and aircraft.

Boyden and other recruits also received instruction on the Navy's core values - honor, courage and commitment - and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct. Boyden joins 55,000 men and women who will enter the Navy this year from all over the country.

Men and women train together from their first day in the Navy just as they do aboard ships and at shore commands around

the world. To reinforce the team concept, Boyden and other recruits also were trained in preventing sexual harassment and ensuring equal opportunity.

Even as the naval service gets smaller over the next few years, highly motivated young people like Boyden are still finding an opportunity to improve their knowledge and education as they become part of the most highly technical naval force in history. This year alone the Navy will have more than 57,000 job openings and opportunities, most of which include guaranteed training.

Charlestown Gym Hockey News

Players of the Week - Nov. 16

Bryan's Pals	Shane Yandle
	Ian Dillon
B. H. Florist	Had A Bye
Bunker Hill Insurance	Connor Carrigan
	Brian Callahan
Dunny's Pals	Ellie Buckley
	Leisa Loan
Grant Photo	Philip Coleman
Jimmy's On Top	Colin McSorley
	Kevin Woods
Kerrigan's	James Karos
	Kevin Lavallee
Li'l Al's	Jared Silva
	Taylor Simpson
Main St. Furniture, Medford	Liam Lynch
	Anthony Chardger

The Horseshoe	Sean Anthony
	Brendan Watson
T. J.'s Kids	Jennelle Tucker
	Michael Newhall

Standings

	W	L	T
Bunker Hill Florist	8	0	0
The Horseshoe	8	1	0
Main St. Furniture	5	3	0
Bunker Hill Insurance	5	3	0
Bryan's Pals	5	3	0
Jimmy's On Top	4	5	0
Grant Photo	3	5	0
Dunny's Pals	3	5	0
Kerrigan's	2	6	0
Li'l Al's	1	7	0
T. J.'s Kids	0	8	0

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Sunday, Nov. 10

A motor vehicle was broken into while it was parked on Washington Street.

Monday, Nov. 11

A motor vehicle was broken into while it was parked on Medford Street.

A motor vehicle was broken into while it was parked on Austin Street and T-shirts were stolen.

Tuesday, Nov. 12

A man reported that his motor vehicle was struck by another motor vehicle on Rutherford Avenue, the driver of which fled the area without exchanging papers.

A motor vehicle was broken into while it was parked on Medford Street and the car radio was stolen.

A man reported that person(s) unknown broke into his house on Phipps Street. Nothing was reported taken.

All four tires on a motor vehicle were slashed while it was parked in Thompson Square.

The license plate was stolen from a motor vehicle while it was parked on Auburn Street.

Wednesday, Nov. 13

The license plate was stolen from a motor vehicle while

it was parked on Chestnut Street.

A man stated that his motor vehicle was struck by another motor vehicle on Walford Way, the driver of which fled the area.

A motor vehicle was broken into while it was parked on Bunker Hill Street and the car radio was stolen.

A woman stated that person(s) unknown threw rocks through the kitchen window of her apartment on Medford Street.

A man reported that his motor vehicle was struck by another vehicle on High Street.

A man stated that person(s) unknown stole a bike from Terminal Street.

Thursday, Nov. 14

A woman stated that someone threw a rock through her car window while it was parked on West School Street.

A man reported that his motor vehicle was struck by another motor vehicle on Cambridge Street, the driver of which fled the area.

Friday, Nov. 15

Boston Housing Police arrested two males for possession of heroin, one on Bunker Hill Street and one on Tufts Street.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown broke into her Polk Street apartment and stole money.

A motor vehicle was struck while it was parked on

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Winthrop Street.
Saturday, Nov. 16
A motor vehicle was broken into while it was parked on Decatur Street and the car radio was stolen.
Sunday, Nov. 17
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The Zoning Commission of the City of Boston hereby gives notice in accord with Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956 as amended, that a public hearing will be held on Wednesday, December 11, 1996, at 9:15 AM in Room 900, Ninth Floor, Boston City Hall, in connection with Map Amendment Application No. 389 filed by the Boston Redevelopment Authority.

Map Amendment Application No. 389 would extend the boundaries of the existing Restricted Parking District as previously established and extended by Map Amendment Nos. 116, 144 and 201 into portions of the Dorchester and Charlestown neighborhoods.

A copy of the petition and a map of the area may be obtained from the office of the Zoning Commission, Room 947A, Boston City Hall, between 9 AM and 5 PM any day except Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays.

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At The Charlestown Branch Library

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ors went to Ryan Godfrey, a freshman, and Brian Burke, a sophomore.

First honors recognizes students with all grades 85% or above. Second honors recognizes students with all grades 80% or above.

St. John's To Install New Rector And Dedicate New Organ On Nov. 24



ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, 27 Devens St., will install new rector Laurie Rofinot at a special 2 p.m. service on Sunday, Nov. 24. There will be no 10 a.m. service that day. At 7:30 p.m. that evening, the church will dedicate its new pipe organ, a refurbished tracker organ purchased from a church in Old Saybrook, Conn., with a recital performed by noted Boston organist Peter Sykes. Pictured above, St. John's organist Douglas Witte plays the organ in its former location in Conn.

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Dear Parent:

I have some exciting information to share about a new service for you which will begin on Nov. 29.

The new service is called "Nurse Partners" because the nurses in this program can become out partners in understanding your child's health care needs. We have a registered nurse on URGENT CALL during nights and weekends when our office is closed. The nurse will be available to answer URGENT QUESTIONS about medical problems that arise outside our regular office hours.

This is how it works:

- after office hours call 724-8204 (our daytime number) when you have an URGENT MEDICAL PROBLEM. The operator will notify the "Nurse Partner" or pediatrician on duty and you will be connected immediately.

- the registered nurse will be familiar with Bunker Hill Health Center Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine's approach to the care of your child. The advice that you receive will be consistent with what you would hear if you called during regular office hours.

- PLEASE NOTE, the registered nurse WILL HAVE ACCESS to a pediatrician on call but WILL NOT HAVE ACCESS to your child's medical record. Therefore, the first time you call, the nurse will ask for some basic information about your child. This information then will be stored confidentially; should you need to call again, it will be available to them.

- a report from "Nurse Partners" will be sent to our office the following morning and we will follow-up with you if needed. This assures that your child's care is not discontinued.

- PLEASE REMEMBER, a call to "Nurse Partners" is not a substitute for care and information wanted during well-child visits.

- MOST IMPORTANTLY, a call to "Nurse Partners" is not a substitute for hospital emergency care.

If you ever believe that your child's life is in danger go directly to the nearest hospital emergency department.

I believe that you will find "Nurse Partners" to be a useful addition to the services that we provide to you and your child. If you have any questions about this service please call our office.

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