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Charlestown Residents Among Those Who Rally To Help Baby Kyle



A PHOTOGRAPH of 1-year-old leukemia victim Kyle Fitzpatrick was placed at the entrance to the room in the Stratton Student Center at MIT during blood testing by the HLA Registry on Aug. 1 and 2. This procedure, which drew 1,596 people to the site during the two days, was carried out with

the hope of finding a compatible bone marrow donor to allow Baby Kyle to receive a life-giving bone marrow transplant. Shown (l. to r.) Alfred "Fred" Venezia, Kyle's grandfather; and Kyle's uncles and aunts, Craig, Robbie, Lisa and Dan Venezia.



CHARLESTOWN residents disembark from the Teamsters Local 25 van following a trip to the Stratton Student Center at MIT where they volunteered for a blood test by the HLA Registry in the search for a person with compatible bone marrow so that a transplant might offer 1-year-old leukemia victim Kyle Fitzpatrick the "Living Gift of Life." The

van was driven between the K. of C. hall in Charlestown and MIT by Mel Stillman's "right hand man," and the K. of C. and the Bunker Hill Associates provided refreshments for over 100 Charlestown residents who were transported to the testing site on Sunday.

Family members and friends of 1-year-old leukemia victim Kyle Fitzpatrick were on hand at the Stratton Student Center at MIT on Aug. 1 and 2 to wel-

come and register people for the bone marrow donor drive aimed at saving Baby Kyle. Firefighters, teachers, lawyers, mothers, stu-

Three Alternatives To 'Scheme Z' Designed For Charles River Crossing

Mass. Secretary of Transportation James J. Kerasio has announced the filing of the draft of the Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement/Report (EIS/R) for three new designs of the Central Artery/Tunnel (CA/T) Project's Charles River Crossing. The designs are alternatives to the previously approved design known as "Scheme Z."

"When the Weld Administration assumed management of the CA/T Project, opposition to Scheme Z

threatened the entire project," said Kerasio. "The filing of this document sets in motion a public review process that will lead to the selection of a preferred design for the river crossing this fall. The designs reduce the aesthetic and environmental impacts associated with Scheme Z," he said.

"Many people have expressed concern about the project's Charles River Crossing," added Peter M. Zuk, CA/T project director. "The public now has an opportunity to review and to

comment on the four designs under consideration."

The draft of the EIS/R was filed on July 30 with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the Mass. Executive Office of Environmental Affairs. The state will select one preferred design following an extended public comment period which will continue until Oct. 5. The preferred design will then be evaluated in a Final Supplemental EIS/R in December, and final approval is expected in

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Banquet Celebrates Dedication Of Korean War Veterans Memorial



YEARS OF WORK by members of the Korean War Veterans Association (KWVA) culminated last week with the dedication of the Massachusetts Memorial in the Charlestown Navy Yard. Guests gathered at the Knights of Columbus hall in Charlestown on July 26, the night before the dedication ceremony, to honor those who had seen the dream of a memorial become a reality. Among the

guests at the banquet were (l. to r.) William F. "Red" Mason, chairman KWVA Memorial Committee; Rep. Richard A. Voke, House Majority Leader; Gen. William C. Westmoreland, U.S. Army (Ret.); Edward G. Duff, president KWVA; and James W. Conway, banquet and dedication co-chairman. (photo by John Dillon)

Healthy Charlestown Coalition To Hold Community Meeting

On Monday, Aug. 9 at noon, the Healthy Charlestown Coalition will host a community-wide meeting at St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St. to discuss the

needs of and issues facing Charlestown today. Healthy Charlestown is a broad coalition of neighborhood residents, schools, businesses, service providers and others committed to the health and well-being of the Charlestown community.

The coalition is concerned about community health in the broadest sense, not just in terms of medical care, but also in terms of neighborhood safety, recreation, jobs, education, services and the environment. The coalition is part of a city-wide effort, funded by Boston's Department of Health and Hospitals, to improve the quality of life in Boston's neighborhoods.

The coalition would like your help on Aug. 9 in focusing and prioritizing the issues to be addressed by

the group as they embark on an intensive six-month planning process to design solutions to the most pressing concerns of the community. They would also like your suggestions on ways to, in the coming months, reach out to and get the perspectives of every resident in Charlestown to create a planning process that is inclusive and that draws on the talents and energies of the entire community.

For more information about the Aug. 9 meeting or about the Healthy Charlestown Coalition, please call Joanne Massaro, coalition coordinator, at 241-3756.

The Healthy Charlestown Coalition meets monthly and is open to everyone who lives and works in the community.

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Bascunana Named Sales Promotion Manager

New England Development has named Irene Bascunana of Charlestown as sales promotion manager of The Mall Rockingham Park in Salem, N.H. Prior to her appointment at The Mall Rockingham Park, Bascunana was assistant manager of sales and marketing for The Rouse Co. in New York City. She received her M.B.A. in International Business Marketing from George Washington University in 1991. The announcement of her new appointment was made by Carl Chudnofsky, senior vice president and director of marketing for New England Development.

Bascunana joins present sales promotion manager Pam Whitton in developing and executing mall promotions, special events and community outreach programs at The Mall Rockingham Park.

"We are very pleased to have Irene as part of our marketing team at The Mall Rockingham Park" said Tony Kalinowski, general manager of the mall. "With her strong experience in retail sales and marketing, Irene will be a tremendous asset to our center. We especially look forward to having Irene contribute to our community outreach programs."

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CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, Aug. 5

- 3 to 6 p.m. — Registration for 14th annual Horseshoe Tournament, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. — Meat Raffle to benefit Camp Bunker Hill, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Meet Brian Wallace, candidate for Boston City Council At-Large, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, Aug. 6

- 3 to 8 p.m. — Registration for 14th annual Horseshoe Tournament, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street

Saturday, Aug. 7

- 1 to 6 p.m. — Registration for 14th annual Horseshoe Tournament, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street

Sunday, Aug. 8

- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 1 to 5 p.m. — Registration for 14th annual Horseshoe Tournament, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street

Monday, Aug. 9

- noon — Healthy Charlestown Coalition Community Meeting, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.
- 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Mothers Support Group, sponsored by CHAD, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.

Tuesday, Aug. 10

- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon — Brown Bag Bookies adult book discussion meeting featuring **Palace Walk** by Naguib Mahfouz, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon to 1 p.m. — Ironsides Toastmasters Meeting, Mass. General Hospital East, 1st floor conference room, Building 149, 13th Street, Charlestown Navy Yard (use 8th Street entrance)
- 7:30 p.m. — Overeaters Anonymous, Gen. Warren Elderly Complex, rear of 110 Rutherford Ave.

Wednesday, Aug. 11

- 11 a.m. — Swim Races for swim lesson participants, Clougherty Pool, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street
- 1 to 2:30 p.m. — Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy Office Hours, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
- 4 p.m. — Set Sail on a Sea of Books, a Summer Reading Club for children ages 5 to 10, which this week features "Sea Creatures," Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 5 to 7 p.m. — Sen. Thomas Birmingham Office Hours, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

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Upcoming Events

Thursday, Aug. 12

- 8 a.m. to noon — Farmers' Market, Schoolyard of the Old Kent School, Hayes Square
- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Catholic Elementary School Parents Meeting, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street
- 8 p.m. — Women in Art production of "Cinderella," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, Aug. 13

- 8 p.m. — Women in Art production of "Cinderella," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Saturday, Aug. 14

- 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Charlestown Recycling Drop-off Center open, in the side parking lot adjacent to Johnnie's Foodmaster, Bunker Hill Mall
- 10 a.m. — 14th Annual Horseshoe Tournament, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street
- 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. — Women in Art production of "Cinderella," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, Aug. 15

- 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. — Women in Art production of "Cinderella," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.
- 4 p.m. — Town Meeting sponsored by Rosaria Salerno, candidate for Mayor of Boston, John Harvard Mall Courtyard, 33 Harvard St.

Monday, Aug. 16

CURBSIDE NEWSPAPER RECYCLING WEEK
— Put your newspapers out on your regular trash pick-up day, rain or shine, in paper bags or bundled in string and a separate truck will pick up the newspapers. For information, call 635-4959.

- 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Mothers Support Group, sponsored by CHAD, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.

Tuesday, Aug. 17

- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Overeaters Anonymous, Gen. Warren Elderly Complex, rear of 110 Rutherford Ave.

Wednesday, Aug. 18

- 4 p.m. — Set Sail on a Sea of Books, a Summer Reading Club for children ages 5 to 10, which this week features "Pirates, Sailors and Other Seafarers" along with an end of the summer party and awards ceremony, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Plan Ahead

Sunday, Aug. 22

- 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Flea Market to benefit Charlestown Pop Warner Football, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

Monday, Aug. 23

- 7 p.m. — Celebration of Gov. Winthrop Day, Charlestown District Court, City Square

Sunday, Sept. 12

- 3 p.m. — The Singing Priests Concert, sponsored by St. Catherine's Parish, Charlestown High School Auditorium, 240 Medford St.

Friday, Sept. 24

- 8 p.m. — Fall Dance to benefit the Charlestown Catholic Elementary School, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

Friday, Nov. 12

- 7 p.m. — Charlestown High School Classes of 1972 and 1973 Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Nov. 27

- 7 p.m. — Charlestown High School Classes of 1957, 1958 and 1959 Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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North Area Task Force Receives Award From MOVE Mass 2000

The Charlestown North Area Task Force (NATF) and the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) project received national recognition recently at an awards dinner attended by 700 people and featuring U.S. Secretary of Transportation Federico Pena, Sen. John Kerry, Sen. Edward Kennedy and Lt. Gov. Paul Cellucci as keynote speakers.

The NATF received the MOVE Massachusetts 2000 Design Achievement Award for its role in planning and designing the construction of the CANA tunnel project and the redevelopment of City Square once CANA is completed.

NATF has been representing Charlestown's interests in connection with CANA since the late 1970s. The group convinced the Mass. Highway Department to dismantle the overhead connectors between the Tobin Bridge and I-93 and replace them with tunnel connectors beneath City Square. NATF also led a successful lobbying campaign to win congressional funding for the project in the early 1980s after the Federal Highway Administration declared that CANA would not be eligible for the fund-



MEMBERS of the North Area Task Force (NATF) received national recognition recently for its role in the planning and design of the CANA tunnel project. The members received the MOVE Massachusetts 2000 Design Achievement Award. Shown (l. to r.)

at the awards dinner are: NATF Co-chairman Richard A. Johnston, U.S. Secretary of Transportation Federico Pena, CANA Project Manager Edward Barr and NATF Co-chairman Ken Stone.

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The cost of the tunnel project is expected to be approximately \$250 million. In addition, CANA obtained \$4 million in state funding for the design and construction of a park in City Square to be built in the next year after completion of the highway tunnels beneath the square.

The CANA tunnels are expected to open shortly, and plans are for the City Square Park to be completed by late 1994 or early 1995, about the time the one

remaining overhead structure in City Square should be dismantled.

For all of these accomplishments and for its overall cooperative relationship with the Mass. Highway Department officials over the years, NATF received the MOVE Massachusetts 2000 award. NATF Co-chairmen Rich Johnston and Ken Stone accepted the award at the dinner, along with Edward Barr, CANA project manager for the Mass. Highway Department. Other members of

NATF include: Peg Bradley, Marilyn Darling, Ginny Gosciniak, Dan Kovacevic, Bill Lamb, Elaine McCarthy, Steve McHugh and Annette Tecce.

The award reads as follows: *In recognition of the remarkable productive working relationship between the Charlestown community and Mass. Highway Department Project Management Team of the Central Artery North Area Project throughout the many years of its planning and implementation. And particularly in appre-*

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WAITING for the opening of the CANA tunnels near City Square are members of the North Area Task Force (NATF). The organization was recently presented with the MOVE Massachusetts 2000 Design Achievement Award for its efforts on the project. The northbound tunnel is slated to open later this month, followed by the opening of the south-

bound tunnel in the fall. Shown (l. to r.) are NATF members Dan Kovacevic, Annette Tecce, William Lamb, Steve McHugh, Elaine McCarthy, Ken Stone, Marilyn Darling, Project Director Edward Barr and one of the project engineers.

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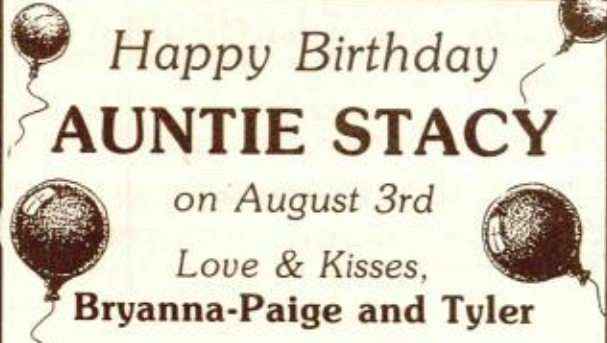
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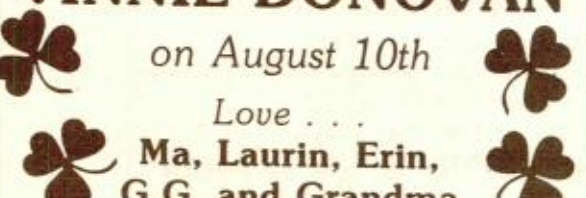
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Married Recently



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Nancy Marie Davis and Michael Robert Welch were married on July 10 at St. Francis de Sales Church in Charlestown. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Daniel J. Mahoney.



The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Davis of Charlestown. She received her B.A. in Economics and Sociology from the University of Massachusetts at Boston, and her Master of Education degree from Bridgewater State College.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Welch of North Weymouth. He received his B.A. in Economics and History from the University of Massachusetts at Boston, and his Master of Arts in Teaching degree from Bridgewater State College.


The bride was attended by her sister Karen Davis as maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Lynne Rebelo, Christine Davis and Judith Welch. The groom was attended by his brother Clark Welch as his best man. The ushers were Brian Ahearn, James Brangwynne and John Rebelo.

Nancy and Michael honeymooned at Key West, Fla. They will be teaching in a private school in Colombia, South America for the upcoming school year.

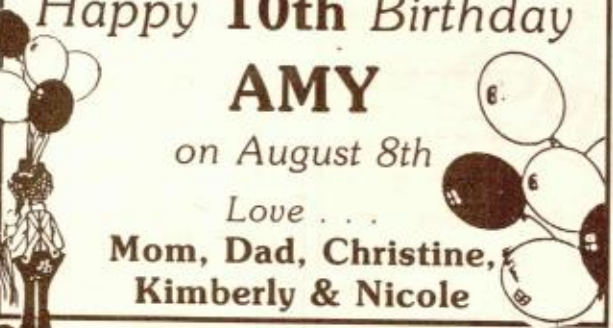
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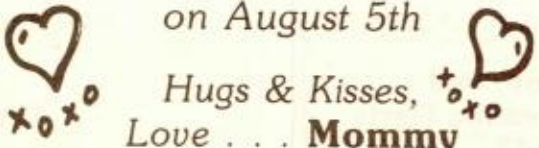
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Happy 2nd Birthday
BRYANNA-PAIGE
on August 5th
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Not For Nothin' . . . But Have You Heard . . .



• **Give The "Living Gift Of Life"** . . . was the plea last Sunday and Monday as the family and friends of 1-year-old leukemia victim Kyle Fitzpatrick seek a compatible bone marrow donor through a blood testing program conducted by the HLA Registry at MIT. Almost 1,600 people responded to the call, many of whom were from Charlestown . . . Keep it up for Kyle!

• **Camp Bunker Hill** . . . is sponsoring a Meat Raffle starting at 6:30 p.m. tonight, Thursday, Aug. 5 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. . . . Come on down . . . beat the heat . . . win some meat . . . and give a helping hand to the kids who are having a wonderful summer at Camp Bunker Hill!

• **Help The Midwest Flood Victims** . . . in a drive being organized by the volunteers of Rep. Jim Brett, candidate for mayor . . . Brett's Charlestown headquarters at 275 Main St. will be a drop-off site accepting contributions between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. through Saturday, Aug. 14th . . . the call is for baby food and diapers, all canned goods, dry goods (such as peanut butter, cereal, pasta), coffee, tea, crackers, cookies and paper products (toilet paper, trash bags) . . . For more info, give a call to 241-8849.

• **Lost At Sea . . . Once Again** . . . as the residents of Tampa, Fla. have given a "no go" to the plans to build the Whydah Pirate Museum Complex on their soil (or sand, as the case may be). The developers spurned the approval of Charlestown residents and the all-out effort last fall by the Boston Redevelopment Authority, city officials, business and tourism representatives to locate the complex in the Charlestown Navy Yard . . . now the Whydah is a ship without a port . . . and there are more than just a few "I told you so's" around from persons who thought the developers were making a mistake heading south.

• **The Best And Worst Awards** . . . came out this week in "Boston Magazine" and the Englishes, Todd and Olivia, and their eateries were named bests in two categories . . . Figs at 67 Main St. was named Boston's best new pizza pad citing its white clam pie as "one of the great master pizzas" . . . Goose prosciutto with fennel and shaved parmigiana, created by Todd English and on the menu at Olives at 10 City Square, was called one of the 25 best dishes in Boston!

• **Birthday Wishes** . . . go out this week to Linda Flanagan who celebrates today, Aug. 5th . . . Ronnie Poole will turn 47 on Aug. 7th . . . a date also shared by Bob D. (this will give all those he has reported on in his column an opportunity to "get even") . . . and Aug. 8th is shared by Barbie Marsden Travis and Mary Golding, a resident of the Mary Colbert Apartments, who will turn 85 years young . . . Best wishes to you all!

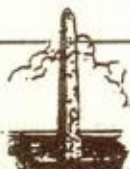
• **Get Well Wishes** . . . go out to Ronnie Poole who is a patient at Beth Israel Hospital . . . We're sure he would appreciate hearing from his many friends while he is hospitalized, and cards may be sent to him at the Stoneman floor, Room 438, 330 Brookline Ave., Boston, Mass. 02215 . . . We're rooting for you, Ronnie!

• **Registration For Story Hours** . . . is underway at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. . . . Preschool Story Hour for children 3 to 5 will be Fridays at 10 a.m. and Toddler Storytime for children 2 and 3 and their parents will be alternate Mondays at 10:30 a.m. . . . Though the story hours don't start until October, it is not too early to assure that your child has a spot reserved.

• **Boston By Bike . . . At Night** . . . is a midnight-to-dawn bicycle tour of the architectural and historic sites in Boston and environs sponsored by the Back Bay Midnight Pedalers . . . bikers are asked to meet at midnight in front of Trinity Church at the Green at Copley Square on Saturday, Aug. 14 . . . wear light clothing, something reflective and a helmet is recommended . . . the 25-mile ride will end at Waterfront Park for breakfast on Sunday . . . there is no charge, and further info. can be obtained by calling 522-0259.

• **The Summer Feasts** . . . continue in the neighboring North End . . . This week's feast is the 73rd anniversary celebration honoring Madonna Della Cava, and it will be held from Aug. 6th through 8th on Hanover and Battery streets . . . The hours are Friday from 7 to 11 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from noon to 11 p.m. Street Magic will entertain on Friday night, there will be band concerts starting at 2 p.m. on Saturday and the Good Fellas Band is slated to perform on Sunday afternoon and evening.

• **Praise Pours In** . . . for the Red Shirts as they clean, cut, rake and bag weeds and trash from the sidewalks, parks and streets of the town . . . your efforts are not going unnoticed are most appreciated . . . To request an area to be cleaned, residents can call the Trash Attack Hotline at 635-4500, seven days a week, 24-hours a day.



around the town

by Gloria S. Conway

★ Neighborhood Council Meetings . . . Monthly Meeting

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

The council meetings are open to the public, and all are welcome to attend.

★ **Traffic Light Update . . .** A spokesperson from the Boston Transportation Department this week stated that the installation of the traffic signal at Main, Essex and Eden streets will "get underway within 30 days." He explained that there has been a delay in the current signal contract being carried out in another area of the city and thus the start of work in Charlestown has been pushed back. He also stated that the installation would take three months from the start-up date.

★ **229-231 Bunker Hill St. . . .** Over 60 people attended an abutters meeting at Charlestown High School on July 28 to hear the plans of Kevin Smith for a restaurant he is planning to open at 229-231 Bunker Hill St. Smith was assisted in his presentation by John Gallagher, and the meeting was chaired by Tom Pitts.

Smith said the restaurant would seat 70 people with a lunch and dinner menu that would be Italian style. He said his plans are to be open seven days, allowing the last customers in at 10 p.m. He added that it would be a first-class restaurant, and he would be hiring local people.

The principals told abutters that cooking would be done on the first floor and a flue system would be installed. They added that there would be a compactor and daily trash pick up with no trash stored outside the building.

The question of parking was raised, to which Smith replied that it was hoped that the majority of customers would be walk-ins, but he was trying to work out a parking agreement with the owner of the adjacent parking lot.

Other concerns were noise from ventilating units, odors from cooking and persons hanging out in front of the restaurant.

Support for a resident opening a business was expressed, especially where the store

has been vacant and caused blight in the area for many years.

Smith, who will call the restaurant Kevin's Brick Oven, will go before the city's Board of Appeal at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 10 in Room 801 in Boston City Hall seeking to change the occupancy of the building from a store to a restaurant with take-out food. He will later seek a beer and wine license before the city's Licensing Board.

★ **Tobin Bridge Traffic Advisory . . .** Due to on-going deck repairs, the lower level of the Tobin Bridge (northbound) will be restricted to one lane from the area of the old toll plaza to the Beacon Street, Chelsea off ramp. The lane restriction will be in effect from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. daily from now through Saturday, Aug. 14. During this period of time, the right lane will remain open.

★ **Time Is Running Out . . .** for those taxpayers who filed a Form 4868, "Extension of Time To File" on April 15.

"More than 122,000 Massachusetts taxpayers have until midnight Aug. 16 to file their returns and pay the balance due," said Gerard R. Esposito, Boston IRS district director.

If you cannot pay the taxes owed by the due date, file your return anyway and attach Form 9465, "Installment Agreement Request." This form allows you to request a monthly payment plan and specify the amounts you are able to pay each month.

If you have made payments since you filed the extension form, make sure you include that amount when filing your return.

Failure to file tax returns can result in severe penalties. The failure to file penalty is five percent per month of the balance due on the return, not to exceed 25 percent.

If you need assistance in preparing your return, visit your local IRS walk-in office or call 1-800-829-1040.

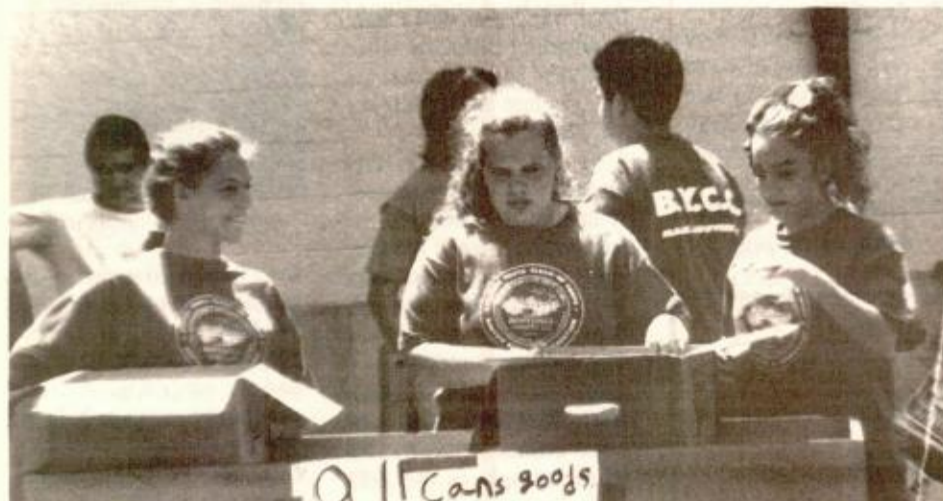
★ **Summer Entertainment In The City . . .** Free concerts in several nearby areas of the city will be listed weekly.

Thursday, Aug. 5

Chuck Hall and Maria Sangiolo will perform a concert of folk music at the Hatch Shell on the Esplanade at 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 6

Flood Relief — Red Shirts Make A Difference



THE "RED SHIRTS" held a food and clothing drive this past week for the flood victims in the midwest. Donation centers, including one at City Hall, collected food, clothing and money for the victims of one of the worst disasters in the history of our country. Crews from Charlestown, East Boston and the North End worked throughout the day loading trucks and asking shoppers to pitch in to the cause. "We needed volunteers mobi-

lized with one day's notice," said Jim Ognibene, volunteer coordinator at the Greater Boston Food Bank. "The Red Shirts were there to make it happen." With the help of the Red Shirts, the Greater Boston Food Bank was able to send four tractor trailers loaded with everything from food and clothing to teddy bears and diapers to the midwest, and they expect to send several more.

The Waterfront Jazz Series, featuring Heavy Metal Horns, will be held at the Waterfront Park on Atlantic Avenue from 6 to 8 p.m.

Free Friday Flicks presents "Casablanca," at the Hatch Shell on the Esplanade at 8 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 7

The WODS Oldies 103 concert with The Crickets and Carl Perkins will be held at the North Stage of City Hall Plaza at 7 p.m.

The Harvard Summer Pops Band will perform a concert of classical music at 8 p.m. at the Hatch Shell on the Esplanade.

Sunday, Aug. 8

The Joe Mulholland Sextet will perform a jazz concert at the Hatch Shell on the Esplanade at noon.

Wednesday, Aug. 11

The Summer Stage Concert Series will feature Sonabo at noon on the Summer Street Pedestrian Mall in downtown Boston.

The Dorothy Curran Wednesday Evening Concert Series will present Al Martino at 7 p.m. on Boston City Hall Plaza.

Didi Stewart & Friends will bring the Big Band Sound to the Hatch Shell on the Esplanade at 7:30 p.m.

★ **Street Reconstruction Update . . .** Mario Susi & Son continue working toward the completion of the combined streets project. Susi plans to get all of the major work completed before he gets into the punchlist and finish detail work.

On Seminary Street, Susi finished the sidewalks and installed the driveway pavement to meet the new sidewalk grades. The rest of the street lights were also installed on Lawrence Street. Lawrence and Seminary streets will then be ready for final paving and signs. Susi's subcontractor finish-

ed installing the brick sidewalk on Ludlow Street, but has to finish mortaring the joints. This street will then be ready for final paving and signs.

Up on Mt. Vernon Street, Susi finished the dead end section of the street with new curb and sidewalk and adjusted the guard-rail at the end. While he was there, Susi also finished the sidewalk on Mt. Vernon Avenue. Boston Edison also removed two electric street lights now that the gas lights are in and functioning. Mt. Vernon Street is also now ready for final paving, and the installation of signs and pavement striping.

Most of the final trench patching was finished around the Monument this past week as well. A pavement overlay of Monument Square is being reviewed and may be added into the new street project (Union, Tremont and Winthrop) currently in its final stages of design. Susi also removed the pavement around the utility casings on Common and Park streets in preparation for final paving and filled in gravel at the driveways and cleaned up Ferrin Street. Final pavement was then installed on Common, Park and Lexington streets this week.

At the same time, the final paving on Prospect Street was partially done. Ferrin Street is completed except for lighting and signs. Prescott Street at the intersection of Devens and Main streets still needs the drainage connection to be made before it is ready for final paving and signs. This connection is being worked on now along with the subcontractor installing the brick sidewalk.

The 40 Flights project is awaiting final inspection and acceptance.

Questions, concerns or complaints are being handled by Community Liaison Peter Looney at 722-4300, ext. 5674.

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Maria DiLibero's Proposal On Parking And Neighborhood Revitalization

Maria DiLibero, candidate for the District One seat on the Boston City Council, recently outlined her views on parking and neighborhood revitalization.

She stated: "One of the most important challenges before the person who will assume the District One seat on the Boston City Council, representing Charlestown, East Boston, the North End, the Waterfront and Charles River Park, is to recognize and promote the fact that the

neighborhood business districts within these communities are a unique source of strength which needs to be protected. City officials must recognize their obligation to preserve these small business centers as enclaves of the past as well as for the future vitality of our neighborhoods.

"Consider a Saturday afternoon in the North End or in East Boston. The streets are clogged with cars and shoppers going from store to store. Families living in the neighborhood and those

who have moved away return again and again to shop for goods and services that they can find nowhere else. These are not tourists, hoping to find a glimpse of the old Boston. These are hard-working people who choose to shop in their neighborhood rather than in the sterile and bland malls and shopping centers.

"Neighborhood shopping centers with their vast array of ethnic foods, their emphasis on serving people and the promise that good products are coupled with

friendly, professional service, are a reflection of the diversity within District One and across the entire city. The business of Boston is not just Quincy Market, the Financial District and the Back Bay. The small businesses that make up our neighborhood shopping districts create jobs, generate tax revenues and make a major contribution to the stability and the quality of life in these communities. It is the obligation of our elected officials, and will be one of my highest priorities as a city councillor, to protect and encourage the revitalization of the neighborhood shopping districts.

"Throughout District One, there are just over 8,000 parking spaces available in licensed off-street lots run by private operators on privately held land, as well as on land owned by the city. As District One City Councillor, I will introduce statutory action requiring that each parking lot operator set aside a percentage of spaces free of charge for neighborhood residents and a percentage of spaces available at half price for use by merchants. In return, the license fees paid by operators and the property tax assessed against owners would be reduced by a corresponding percentage.

"I am sure that there may be some who will voice the concern that the city of Boston needs all of its available revenues and I share that concern. In the long term, I am convinced that the relatively few dollars lost in license fees and property taxes would be more than compensated by the benefits which ensue from a system of parking which recognizes the needs of residents and merchants and make our communities and their local shopping districts more accessible and attractive.

"My family and I have seen on a first-hand basis how this proposed system can work with a parking lot which we lease and operate in Day Square where residents and those working in

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The Race For City Hall

The Mayor's Race

Menino Announces Candidacy For Mayor Of Boston

Thomas M. Menino became Acting Mayor of Boston on July 12 upon the departure of Raymond L. Flynn, who was appointed U.S. Ambassador to the Vatican. Menino, who was elected president of the Boston City Council in 1993, has served on the city council since 1984. He has been repeatedly elected with one of the largest majorities in city district council elections. As Acting Mayor of the city of Boston, Menino is making the issues of public safety, youth services, education and jobs the top priorities of his administration.

A lifelong native of the Hyde Park section of Boston, Menino has spent his career championing the needs of small businesses and bridging concerns downtown with those of Hyde Park and nearby Roslindale.

As one of two advisors elected from Massachusetts to assess current and potential National Trust properties throughout the country, Menino has served as Regional Chairman for the National Trust for Historic



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In 1992, Menino was appointed to the Board of Directors of the National League of Cities. He has been a NLC member since 1985 and served as a member of the Finance and Administration and Intergovernmental Relations, Economic and Development Steering and the Transportation committees.

Menino has served as chairman of numerous Boston City Council committees, including: Ways and Means Committee from 1989 to 1992; Committee

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At-Large City Council Race

Murphy Announces Candidacy For Citywide Council Seat

Citing public safety as the number one concern of the citizens of Boston, Stephen J. Murphy has launched his campaign for an at-large seat on the city council.

Murphy, 36, who lives in Hyde Park, sought an at-large seat six years ago, demanding then that more police be hired and that the city declare an all-out war on drugs.

"I challenged the city council then to act decisively to combat crime and ensure public safety," Murphy said. "Now, it is six years later, and crime and the drug problem are worse. The answer is still to hire more police and to enact stern measures that will deter crime." Murphy finished strongly in the 1987 race, garnering more than 30,000 votes.

Murphy, a graduate of Boston Latin School, said his immediate concern as a councilman focusing on public safety would be to eliminate crime from the schools. "We need to break the cycle of young people using the schools as centers for gang-related activities and bringing weapons into the buildings to threaten and intimidate other students," Murphy said. "Once we have clamped down in the schools, we can show a strong presence in



STEPHEN J. MURPHY

the neighborhoods with more police on the streets. We have got to destroy the menace of gangs and crime, and we can do it."

Murphy acknowledged that the hiring of more police officers would mean major adjustments to the city's budget. A graduate of Stonehill College with a degree in business administration, Murphy has worked as a budget analyst for the Mass. Senate and in the budget division of Attorney General Scott Harshbarger's office.

"The city council has to adopt a more business-like approach to formulating the budget," he said. "I maintained six years ago that the budget could be tightened to fund additional police officers. That is still true to-

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Rufo Calls For Expanded Head Start Training For Public School Teachers

After meeting with the staff of Action for Boston Community Development, Inc. (ABCD), mayoral candidate Bob Rufo called for

expanded funding to train Boston public school teachers in the goals, mission and objectives of the highly successful Head Start Pro-

gram. "Every Boston teacher needs to fully understand how the Head Start Program works to nurture

young lives every day of the school year," Rufo said. "We also need to provide comprehensive training to ensure that all elementary school teachers are ready to help youngsters to make the critical transition from Head Start to kindergarten and first grade."

When parents are encouraged to get more involved, all of Head Start's very tangible benefits are magnified."

According to researchers, positive long-term benefits for those who have taken part in the Head Start Program include greater earning power, more stable marriages and fewer children born out of wedlock.

"The first few years of a child's life have an indelible impact on their adult years," Rufo said. "There is no better time to make an

investment." The federally funded Head Start Program serves 2,200 Boston children, providing them with key support services while they are poised to enter city schools. The program is administered locally by ABCD.

ABCD is an anti-poverty agency serving more than 100,000 low-income Boston residents. ABCD programs span a broad range from early childhood education to job-training and fuel assistance.

(political release)

Charlestown Residents Recognized For Excellence In Work Performance

The Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) recognized three Charlestown residents for excellence in their work performances. Robert O'Connell, assistant contract manager in the MWRA's Procurement Department, received a plaque for being part of the Spot Pond Brook team. Joseph Meskell, district supervisor, and Joseph O'Donnell, skilled laborer, both in the MWRA's Sewerage Department, received plaques for being part of the North Maintenance Yard team.

"The Spot Pond Brook team, which O'Connell was a part of, successfully completed the emergency response action to stop the decade-old oil leak problem at Spot Pond Station, which was a result of the collective efforts, cooperation and perseverance of many individuals," said MWRA Director of Waterworks William A. Brutsch.

"During a severe storm in December that lashed out at the coastline of the city of Revere, the team of maintenance men, which both Meskell and O'Donnell are a part of, managed to save sections of the city's coastline from total devastation and protected the lives of the residents of the community," said MWRA Director of Sewerage John FitzGerald.

O'Connell's group and Meskell and O'Donnell's group were recognized in the area of excellence in performance.

"Perhaps the most impressive thing about these employees is the variety of ways in which they excel for the MWRA," said MWRA Executive Director Douglas B. MacDonald. "Some saved millions of dollars for ratepayers, some saved lives or prevented environmental devastation and some found innovative ways to make their jobs or their departments' jobs more efficient. All have made significant contributions to the diverse and important goals of the whole agency."

"O'Connell, Meskell and O'Donnell exemplify the spirit which led to the creation of the MWRA Employee Recognition Program," said Director of

MWRA Human Resources Maria Roloff. "Their outstanding performances contribute greatly to the Authority's mission to deliver cost-effective water and sewer services to 2.5 million people and to improve

the environment." A seven-person interdisciplinary committee composed of representatives from management and labor reviewed nominations and recommended outstanding MWRA employees.

Safety first.

"I began my campaign for Mayor by saying I wanted to create One Boston. One Boston is a message of unity; it says that no matter who you are or where you live, you have the right to safe streets, quality schools and a strong economy.

I was born and raised in Boston, and my family and I intend to stay here. That's why, as Mayor, I'll put safety first. If we do not first have a safe city, everything else we want is at risk.

No safety, no business and no jobs.

Businesses will not thrive or locate in a city that is dangerous. Fear of crime frightens away customers, workers, tourists, investors and jobs.

The next Mayor must guarantee that the law is vigorously enforced in every neighborhood. Handgun laws must be strictly enforced. Hate crimes and racial violence must not be tolerated anywhere.

No safety, no learning.

These days, too many youngsters bring weapons to school the way students used to carry lunchboxes. No one can learn in an atmosphere of fear and intimidation.

Troublemakers must be removed and those carrying firearms suspended. Mandatory violence prevention training should be required in all schools.

No safety, no security for the elderly.

Too many older Bostonians are victims of crime, on the streets and in their homes. Boston needs an elderly protection unit to fight crime, consumer fraud and physical abuse.

My no-nonsense anti-crime plan.

I see murderers, rapists, batterers, muggers, and gang members every day as Sheriff. I also work with Boston's crimefighting heroes - police officers, parents, drug counselors, prosecutors, clergy, neighborhood watch groups, shopkeepers, teachers, youth workers.

As Mayor, I'll bring all our resources together to prevent and fight crime. My plan includes:

- Full backing of Police Commissioner William Bratton's new direction for the police department.
- More police on the streets, through a central lock-up that frees officers for street duty.
- Community policing - a proven method of uniting police and citizens to make neighborhoods safer.
- More police in high-crime areas.

- Upgraded technology to track offenders, speed officers to scenes of crime, and improve our outdated 911 system.

- Make domestic violence calls Priority One with up-to-date

domestic violence training for police officers, dispatchers and 911 operators.

- Strict enforcement of the Bartley-Fox Gun Law.

- A crimefighting alliance that brings the Mayor together regularly with neighborhood people, law enforcement officials, and representatives of business, clergy, and victims groups.

The Rufo Pledge.

I've spent nearly two decades as a successful hands-on manager in the criminal justice field. I know what I want to do and I know how to do it.

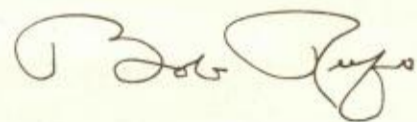
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1,596 People Are Tested To Find Bone-Marrow Match For Baby Kyle Fitzpatrick

(continued from page one) dents, tailors, bakers, fathers, hairdressers, friends and strangers are just a few of the 1,596 people from the greater Boston area who turned out for the testing session.

In true Townie fashion, residents pitched in on Sunday to facilitate transportation to and from the testing site in Cambridge. People were able to park at the K. of C. hall and enjoy some refreshments, courtesy of Bunker Hill Council No. 62, Knights of Columbus and the Bunker Hill Associates. The Teamsters Local 25 van, driven by Mel Still-

man's "right hand man," transported them to Cambridge and returned them to the K. of C. after they took part in the testing. Over 100 Charlestown residents took advantage of the van ride on Sunday.

"This is fantastic! I can't believe the support we've gotten. This support gives us such faith and hope in people," Mary, one of the drive organizers, stated.

The testing was done in conjunction with the HLA Registry Foundation Inc., a not-for-profit organization and member of the National Marrow Donor Program. The HLA Registry has

helped hundreds of families in their search for a compatible donor, and it presently has over 80,000 potential donors registered in its data base.

The testing done this past Sunday and Monday will take three weeks to process and then it will be entered into the HLA Registry's data base. The Registry brochure indicates that a family member with matching bone marrow is best, but that's possible only 25 percent of the time. Unrelated donors are called upon when their tissue type, their human leukocyte antigens (HLA) matches the

patient's. However, the odds are 1 in 20,000 of that occurring.

At the marrow testing session, potential marrow donors rolled up their sleeves and gave a small sample of their blood (two tablespoons) with the hope that they would be the "lucky one" to match Baby Kyle's or any one of the other 9,000 children and young adults who require a life-saving bone marrow transplant each year.

The only hope for survival for Baby Kyle, the son of Robert and Cindy (Venezia) Fitzpatrick, is to find a compatible donor

who can give him a small amount of healthy marrow, the "Living Gift Of Life."

This fact has been the driving force behind a group who call themselves the Friends of Baby Kyle. Their goal has been to raise at least \$100,000 for testing and, in fact, this week's testing at \$50 each, cost almost \$80,000.

Last Friday night's "Pajama Party," organized by Kim Keenan, Annmarie McCaffrey and Tommy Jackson Jr., raised \$1,500 for Baby Kyle and provided an evening of fun for all.

The following fund-raising events have been

planned:

• The first annual Kyle Fitzpatrick Walk-A-Thon will be held on Sunday, Aug. 15. The three-mile event will get underway at 9 a.m. at the Sullivan Square MBTA Station in Charlestown. Walkers are asked to meet on the Broadway, Somerville side of the station. The route will take walkers up Broadway, around the Powderhouse Park Rotary and back down to Trum Field for an afternoon of fun, games and music.

Sponsors are being asked to donate a minimum of (continued on page 9)



Fund-Raising Efforts Continue For Baby Kyle

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\$5 to be paid when they sign the sponsor sheet. Sponsor sheets are available at: The Charlestown Patriot, One Thompson Square; Collier's Market, 246 Bunker Hill St.; McCarthy's Liquors, 9 Moulton St.; Peg & Al's, 277 Main St.; The Red Store, 134 Bunker Hill St.; and Townies Pizza, 89 Medford St.

• Also, on Sunday, Aug. 15, there will be a party to benefit Baby Kyle from 8 p.m. to midnight at Zanzibar, One Boylston Place, Boston. A \$10 donation will be accepted at the door.

Direct tax deductible donations to help defray the cost of testing may be made. Checks should be made payable to the HLA Registry Foundation Inc. and sent to: Friends of

Baby Kyle, c/o MIT, 400 Main St., E19-135, Cambridge, Mass. 02139, attention Craig Venezia or Mary Files. Please be sure to write on the check "For the account of Friends of Baby Kyle."

All proceeds will be used to pay for the testing of potential donors for Baby Kyle and other children and young adults in need of a life-saving transplant.

Brian Wallace Brings Campaign Here Tonight

Brian Wallace will bring his campaign for the Boston City Council to the Charlestown K. of C. tonight, Thursday, Aug. 5 at 7:30 p.m.

This is a homecoming of sorts for Brian who, many of you may remember, worked at the Kent Communi-

ty School when it opened its doors 20 years ago. "It's funny," he said, "when you grow up in South Boston, you are kind of taught that Charlestown is your rival. When you get a little bit older, you find out that Charlestown is anything but your rival." Wallace went

on, "I can remember playing in the Hurwitz Tournament at 10 years of age. I met kids like Bobby Smith, Johnny O'Donnell, Dinger Houlihan, Ro Walsh, Stevie Texiera and so many more who have become lifelong friends."

"When I was at the Kent, I met and coached kids like Kevin O'Halloran, Rick Rock, Dougie MacDonald, Frankie Perreault, Paul and Danny Chambers, Richie Hart, Paul O'Neil and Danny McGoff. Our outstanding girls basketball team featured Lisa McGoff, Michelle Barrett and Trudy Urquhart, to name just a few, and brought a few wins and many great memories."

"I've formed a very special bond with Charlestown through people like Jean and Stephanie McLaughlin and the late Dennis McLaughlin, and each year I am so very happy to be involved with the Dennis McLaughlin Scholarship Committee and their annual softball game. Each year I've done the play by play of the game between the Linde-

mann Center and the Mayors' All Stars in memory of Dennis. When I was a 10-year-old kid I never thought I'd be doing the Hurwitz Tournament on television. Thanks, however, to Kevin Burke, Jerry Steimel, John Killoran and my color man Dan McGoff, we have put the past four tournaments on TV."

Wallace concluded, "I feel very blessed that so many of my friends in Charlestown, plus a few transplanted Southie people like the Hayes and the Neffs, are supporting my candidacy for the Boston City Council. I will always have special and fond memories of my time in Charlestown and I greatly appreciate your support."

(political release)

Enrolled At BHCC

Thirteen Charlestown residents are among the new students enrolled at Bunker Hill Community College for the fall semester.

BHCC, which is celebrating its 20th anniversary, offers day, evening and weekend classes for 47 associate degree programs in Arts

and Science, 23 certificate programs as well as individual and non-credit courses.

They are Michael Barton, Amy Buckley, Joanne Castro, David DelMedico, Diane Ferreira, Karen Giordano, Linda Howell, Christine Hurley, Michelle McCann, Thao Nguyen, Donald Onnis, Mark Quinn and Karen Smith.

Hockstein Art Exhibit At BHCC

An exhibit of art by Sherry Laura Hockstein is on display in the Art Gallery at Bunker Hill Community College (BHCC) through Aug. 27. It is an imaginative array of art that will please the eye, the mind and the heart.

Included in this exhibit are pen and ink drawings, layered with color and rich with detail; paper mobiles and paper sculptures that form lingering impressions.

Hockstein grew up in New York City and worked as a freelance commercial artist until she went back to school in 1977. In 1979, she received a masters

degree in psychology. Currently, she is working on her doctorate degree in clinical psychology which she expects to receive this fall.

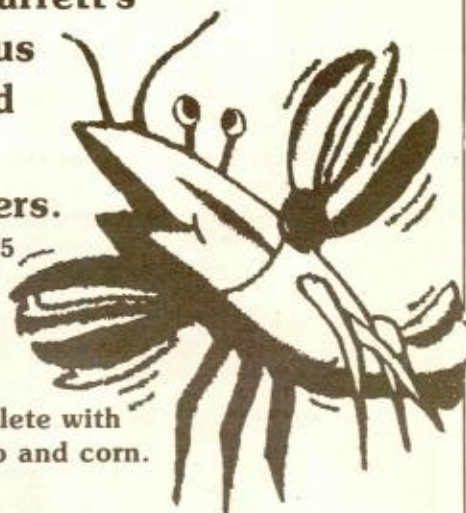
She has lived in the Boston area for the past four years and teaches psychology and sociology to college students.

"I have worked at my art all of my life. I have worked to develop my skill, my aesthetic sense and to convey, the unique experience of the individual," Hockstein says, adding, "I take pleasure in my art and I want others to see the work I do."

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Banquet At The K. Of C. Celebrates The Dedication Of The Mass. Korean War Veterans Memorial

photos by John Dillon



It was a joyous occasion as members of the Massachusetts Korean War Veterans (MKWV) Association, invited guests, families and friends gathered at the Knights of Columbus Hall on July 26 on the eve of the dedication of the Massachusetts Korean War Veteran Memorial in the Charlestown Navy Yard. It was the celebration of years of work by a group of dedicated individuals that saw the completion of the memorial and the anticipation of its dedication on the 40th anniversary

of the signing of the Armistice ending the Korean War.

The invocation was delivered by Rev. Carl Bergstrom, Past National Chaplain of the Disabled American Veterans, with Rabbi Murray I. Rothman giving the benediction.

Soloists were William Furey and Richard Kerry Thompson with music by Tony Barry's Band. A turkey dinner was served by Dora Ferguson Caterers.

The introductions were made by banquet co-chair-

men James W. Conway, Past National Historian of The American Legion, and Joseph McCallion.

The gathering was welcomed by Edward G. Duff, president of the MKWV who spoke of the evening as the "countdown to an historical day for the Korean War veterans" and related the almost seven years of work that brought the memorial to a reality. Other officers of the MKWV present included: W. Brad Chase Jr., first vice president; Louis Stifano, second

vice president; John Curran, third vice president; Joyce M. Talbot, secretary; and Louis Pelosi, treasurer.

Commissioner Thomas B. Materazzo of the city's Veterans Service Department, stated: "This is a special evening as everyone basks in the glow of eager anticipation . . . the Korean War veterans have set an example for anyone who wants to undertake an extensive project. The city is proud and honored that the memorial is sited in Boston at Shipyard Park . . . This

is truly a night for celebration."

Conway praised the cooperation of all the veteran organizations, large and small, in making the memorial possible, adding that the MKWV "members are proud to have you with us tonight."

Boston City Councillor Albert L. "Dapper" O'Neil brought his greetings, as did Paul L. Barrett, director of the Boston Redevelopment Authority, who was instrumental in setting aside the land in the Charlestown

Navy Yard for the memorial.

Guests representing the military, all of whom had served in Korea, included: Gen. William C. Westmoreland, U.S. Army (Ret.); Lt. Gen. Stephen G. Olmstead, U.S. Marine Corps (Ret.); Lt. Gen. James W. Stansberry, U.S. Air Force (Ret.); and Adm. Louis L. Zumstein, U.S. Coast Guard (Ret.).

The Hon. Jong Koo Ahn, Consul General of the Republic of Korea, told the

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A BANQUET on July 26 at the Knights of Columbus Hall celebrated the dedication of the Massachusetts Korean War Veterans Memorial in the Charlestown Navy Yard. Guest speakers addressed the significance of the memorial and praised the members of the Massachusetts Korean War Veterans (MKWV) Association whose dedicated efforts made the memorial a reality.

TOP ROW: At the left is Adm. Louis L. Zumstein, U.S. Coast Guard (Ret.) . . . Second from the left, Edward G. Duff, president of the MKWV, and James W. Conway, Past National Historian of The American Legion and co-chairman of the banquet and dedication, welcome two Congressional Medal of Honor recipients from World War II. Shown (l. to r.) Duff, Charles A. MacGillivray, Capt. George Street, U.S. Navy (Ret.) and Conway . . . In the center is Rabbi Murray I. Rothman who delivered the benediction . . . Second from the right,

Duff (right) presents a plaque to William F. "Red" Mason Jr. (left), the chairman of the Memorial Committee, for his constant and determined efforts in bringing the memorial to fruition . . . On the right is Lt. Gen. James W. Stansberry, U.S. Air Force (Ret.).

SECOND ROW: On the left, headtable guests meet before the dinner gets underway. Shown (l. to r.) Capt. Thomas J. Hudner Jr., U.S. Navy (Ret.), Congressional Medal of Honor recipient (Korea) and commissioner of the Massachusetts Veterans Service Commission; Duff; Gen. William C. Westmoreland, U.S. Army (Ret.); John P. Comer, Past National Commander of The American Legion and member of the advisory board of the National Korean War Veterans Memorial planned for Washington, D.C.; Col. Lewis L. Millett, U.S. Army (Ret.), Congressional Medal of Honor recipient (Korea); and Conway . . . Second from the left is Commissioner Thomas

B. Materazzo of the city of Boston Veterans Service Department . . . Second from the right (l. to r.) Boston City Councillor Albert L. "Dapper" O'Neil, Gloria Jean Conway, Westmoreland and Conway . . . At the right is Paul L. Barrett, director of the Boston Redevelopment Authority.

BOTTOM ROW: At the left is Joseph P. McCallion, banquet and dedication co-chairman . . . Second from the left is Gen. Westmoreland . . . Second from the right are (l. to r.) Joyce M. Talbot, secretary, MKWV; Louis Stifano, second vice president, MKWV; John Curran, third vice president, MKWV; Col. Edward R. Nuttall, commanding officer, Fort Devens; and Cmdr. Robert L. Gillen, U.S. Navy (Ret.) . . . On the right (l. to r.) are Attorney Michael Travaglini; Westmoreland; Lt. Gen. Stephen G. Olmstead, U.S. Marine Corps (Ret.); Hon. Jong Koo Ahn, Consul General, Republic of Korea; and Conway. (photos by John Dillon)

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gathering that the anticipation of the dedication "makes me bubbling over inside." He said that all he could say was "Thank you, thank you, thank you," and he assured the veterans that his country "will not forget what you have done for the cause of freedom and justice."

Also on the speaking program were two Congressional Medal of Honor recipients (Korea) — Capt. Thomas J. Hudner Jr., U.S. Navy (Ret.), commissioner of Veterans Service for the Commonwealth, and Col. Lewis L. Millett, U.S. Army (Ret.). Charles A. MacGillivray and Capt. George Street, U.S. Navy (Ret.), both Congressional Medal of Honor recipients during World War II, were headtable guests.

Other headtable guests included John P. Comer, Past National Commander of the American Legion and member of the advisory board of the National Kore-

an War Veterans Memorial planned for Washington, D.C.; Col. Edward Nuttall, commanding officer, Fort Devens; John Burchill, superintendent, Boston National Historical Park; and Col. Dell Evans, U.S. Army (Ret.), a much decorated Korean War hero who traveled from Ark. for the celebration.

As the banquet drew to a conclusion, Duff called William F. "Red" Mason Jr., chairman of the MKWV Memorial Committee to the podium and presented him with a plaque and "thanks from the bot-


tom of my heart." Duff told the audience that Mason "took the memories of 40 years and turned them into bronze and granite."

Each of the attendees left the hall with a memento of the occasion — a coin designed by Tom Gorsuch with a map of Korea and a map of Massachusetts intertwined on one side and inscription marking the memorial's dedication on the other.

The years of work in planning, designing and seeking funding for the memorial had come to an end and a dream is now a reality.


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Three Alternatives To 'Scheme Z' Designed For Charles River Crossing

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"In choosing among the four possible designs, we must weigh a variety of competing interests," said Kerassotes. "We will carefully analyze the environmental and aesthetic impacts of each option and balance those factors against traffic operations, safety and cost before selecting a final design."

Each of the designs carries the Central Artery

(I-93) across the Charles River. The four designs use different combinations of bridges, tunnels and viaducts to make connections between the Central Artery and Storrow Drive, Route 1 (Tobin Bridge) and other roadways.

Zuk explained that Scheme Z, the original design, was proposed in the project's 1991 Final Supplemental EIS/R. Scheme Z uses three bridges to carry the 16 lanes of traffic over the

river and includes six elevated loop ramps on the north bank of the Charles River in Cambridge.

In January 1991, outgoing Environmental Affairs Secretary John DeVillars approved the Final Environmental Impact Report but required that the state carry out further review of Scheme Z to determine how the negative impacts of the plan could be reduced. In February of that year, the Weld Administration ap-

pointed a 42-member Bridge Design Review Committee (BDRC) comprised of architects, business leaders, transportation officials, neighborhood activists and civic leaders, including some who opposed Scheme Z. The committee was charged with reviewing Scheme Z and devising a more acceptable design that was aesthetically pleasing and reduced environmental

impacts.

After more than a year of work, the BDRC unanimously recommended a new design called 8.1D Modified 5. This design features one cable-stayed 10-lane bridge, a single elevated loop ramp on the north bank of the river in East Cambridge and a system of tunnels under the river, the North Station and the Leverett Circle area.

In September 1992, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers expressed concern about the environmental impact of tunneling under the Charles River. The Federal Highway Administration raised questions about traffic safety in the 10,100 feet of geometrically complex tunnel.

Zuk explained that the

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Scheme Z

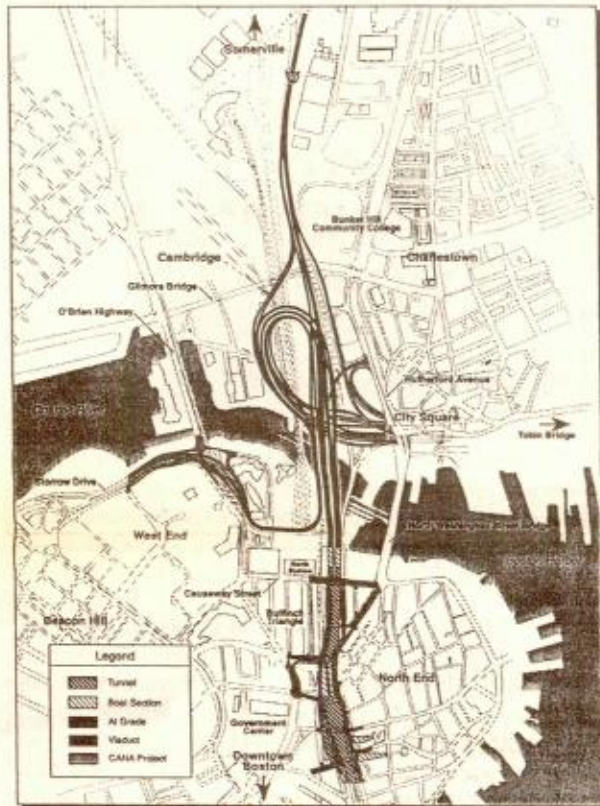


Synopsis

Scheme Z is the Charles River crossing design proposed by the Massachusetts Highway Department and approved by environmental

regulators in 1991. Scheme Z features 3 bridges with a total of 16 lanes over the Charles River, and 6 elevated loop ramps on the north side of the river.

Two cable-stayed bridges with towers on both sides of the Charles River accommodate I-93 traffic with 5 lanes in each direction. A double-deck bridge (3 lanes over 3) carries traffic to and from Leverett Circle/Storrow Drive. Viaducts in East Cambridge provide access to Storrow Drive and Charlestown.



Key Features

- 3 bridges with 16 lanes crossing the Charles River
- 6 elevated loop ramps on the north side of the river
- No tunnels
- No ventilation buildings
- No direct access ramp from Government Center downtown Boston
- Some traffic movements require motorists to cross the river twice
- Construction duration: 8.5 years

Alternative 8.1D Mod 5



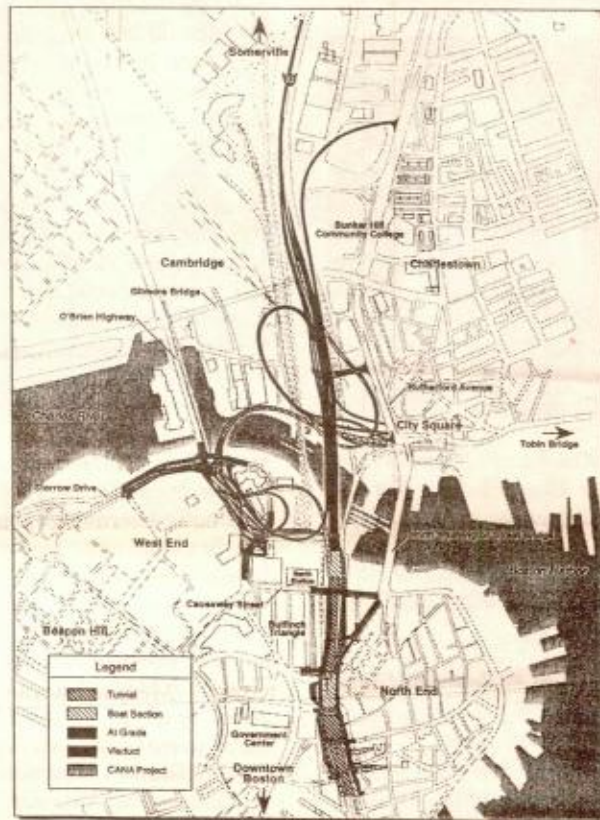
Synopsis

This alternative was recommended by the Bridge Design Review Committee and was the subject of the Notice of Project Change filed for public comment by the Massachusetts Highway Department on September 30, 1992.

Alternative 8.1 D Mod 5 includes a single, cable-stayed bridge, 1 elevated loop ramp on the north side of the Charles River, and a system of land and river tunnels connecting Storrow Drive with I-93 and Route 1 North (Tobin Bridge).

This design requires the taking of the Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital.

The 10-lane bridge, which has a single twin-leg tower on the north bank of the river, carries I-93 traffic over the river in 8 lanes, and uses 2 lanes to accommodate I-93/Route 1 southbound traffic to Leverett Circle/Storrow Drive. A 3-lane tunnel under the Charles River carries northbound traffic from Storrow Drive to I-93 and Route 1 (Tobin Bridge). Tunnels under the North Station rail platform and the Leverett Circle area connect the Central Artery (I-93) with Storrow Drive. Northbound connections between the Central Artery and Route 1 (Tobin Bridge) are also made via these tunnels.



Key Features

- Single cable-stayed bridge of 10 lanes across the Charles River
- 1 elevated loop ramp north of the river
- 3-lane tunnel under the Charles River
- Tunnels under the North Station railroad platform
- 1 ventilation building on south side of river
- 10,100 linear feet of tunnel
- Construction duration: 13 years

Reduced River-Tunnel Alternative

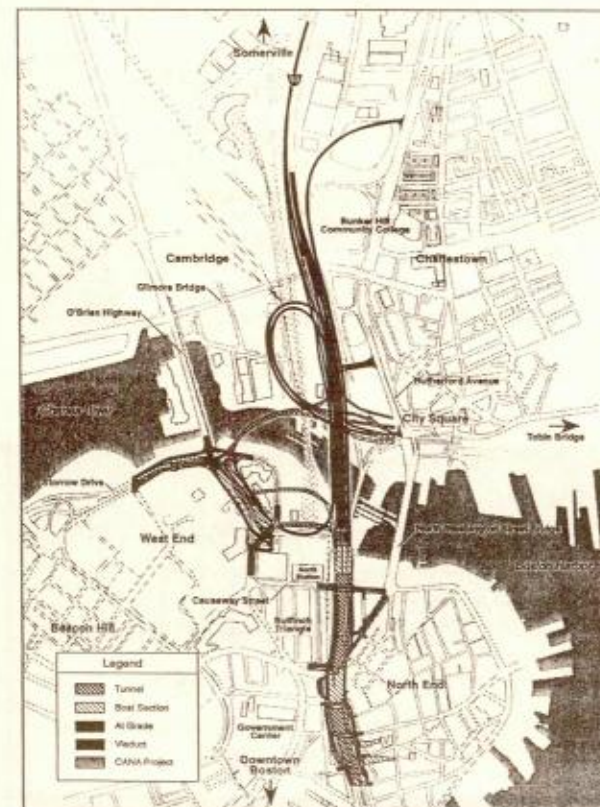


Synopsis

This alternative was developed to address concerns, raised by federal agencies during their review of the Notice of Project Change, about the complexity of the tunnels in Alternative 8.1 D Mod 5 and the environmental impacts of

tunneling under the Charles River. This design reduces the Charles River tunnel from 3 lanes to 2 lanes, reduces the length of tunnel in Alternative 8.1 D Mod 5 by more than a third, and has 2 loop ramps on the north side of the Charles River.

The Reduced River-Tunnel Alternative includes a single cable-stayed bridge supported by 2 towers, one on either side of the river. The bridge will carry 12 lanes of traffic: 8 lanes for mainline I-93 plus 2 lanes for southbound traffic from I-93/Route 1 to Leverett Circle/Storrow Drive, and 2 lanes for traffic from downtown and the Sunner Tunnel to I-93 northbound. One of two elevated loop ramps on the north side of the river provides connections between Route 1 (Tobin Bridge) southbound and both the Central Artery (I-93) and Storrow Drive. The second loop ramp connects I-93 northbound with Route 1 (Tobin Bridge) northbound. The 2-lane tunnel under the Charles River accommodates traffic from Storrow Drive to I-93 northbound, and Route 1 (Tobin Bridge) northbound. As with Alternative 8.1 D Mod 5, two tunnels under the North Station rail platform provide connections between the Central Artery (I-93) and Storrow Drive.



Key Features

- Cable-stayed bridge on twin towers carrying 12 lanes of traffic
- 2 elevated loop ramps on the north side of the river
- 2-lane tunnel under the Charles River
- A pair of tunnels under the North Station railroad platform
- 2 ventilation buildings, one on either side of the river
- 6,150 feet of tunnel
- Construction duration: 9 years

Non-River-Tunnel Alternative



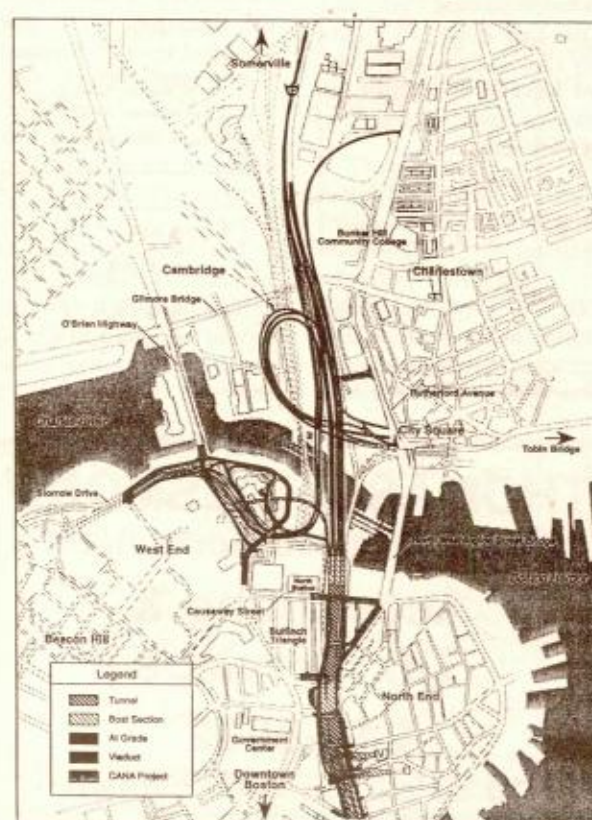
Synopsis

This alternative was also developed in response to concerns raised by federal agencies regarding the environmental impacts of tunneling under the Charles River and the complexity of the tunnel

system in Alternative 8.1 D Mod 5. This design eliminates the tunnel under the Charles River, reducing the total length of tunnel by an additional 3,000 feet, and includes two bridges with a total of 14

lanes of traffic crossing the Charles River. North of the river there are 3 elevated loop ramps, reducing to 2.

The mainline I-93 bridge is a 10-lane, cable-stayed structure supported by two towers, one on either side of river. The second bridge carries 4 lanes of traffic between Storrow Drive/Leverett Circle and I-93 north of the river and Route 1 (Tobin Bridge). Two tunnels under the North Station railroad platform connect I-93 south of the river to Storrow Drive as in both Alternative 8.1 D Mod 5 and the Reduced River-Tunnel Alternative.



Key Features

- 2 bridges with a total of 14 lanes crossing the Charles River
- 3 loop ramps, reducing to 2, north of the Charles River
- No tunnel under the Charles River
- A pair of tunnels under the North Station railroad platform
- 1 ventilation building on the south side of the river
- 3,300 feet of tunnel
- Construction duration: 8.5 years

Three Alternatives To 'Scheme Z'

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project developed two revised designs to address those concerns: the Reduced River-Tunnel and the Non-River Tunnel. With these designs, engineers sought to maintain the primary benefits of 8.1D Mod. 5 while addressing the environmental and safety con-

cerns raised by the Army Corps of Engineers and the Federal Highway Administration.

The Reduced River-Tunnel Alternative has a cable-stayed 12-lane bridge and the two elevated loop ramps on the north side of the river. The river tunnel is reduced from three to two lanes; and the total length of

the tunnel is reduced to 6,150 feet. There are two land tunnels under the North Station area.

The Non-River-Tunnel Alternative eliminates the tunnel under the Charles River; only the land tunnels under the North Station area remain. There is a 10-lane, cable-stayed bridge and a four-lane bridge loca-

ted approximately 100 feet to the west. Three elevated loop ramps merge into two on the north side of the river. The total length of tunnel is further reduced to 3,300 feet.

The three alternatives to Scheme Z reflect the design goals of the Bridge Design Review Committee. How-

ever, these three alternatives present additional problems to the Charlestown community. In particular, each of these plans includes an exit ramp off the artery that cuts through the playing field of Bunker Hill Community College into a signalized intersection on Rutherford Avenue. Strong opposition to this ramp was expressed by residents at a community meeting last winter.

Comments on the draft of the Supplemental EIS/R for the Charles River Crossing will be heard at a day-long public hearing on Tuesday, Sept. 14 at the Museum of

Science.

Prior to the public hearing, community meetings will be held to explain the Draft Supplemental EIS/R. A meeting for the Charlestown community has been set for 7 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 9 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

According to the Mass. Highway Department, copies of the Draft Supplemental EIS/R have been distributed to government agencies and public libraries.

Questions regarding the Charles River Crossing Draft Supplemental EIS/R should be directed to Stephen Collins at 457-5502.

Election Watch '93: One-On-One Interviews With Mayoral Candidates

Cablevision of Boston has announced its series of one-on-one conversations with each of the candidates for Mayor of Boston.

Cablevision will present Election Watch '93: Boston Chooses a Mayor, featuring candidates in individual 30-

minute interviews with Peter Kadzis, editor of the Boston Phoenix. All of the interviews will appear on Cablevision's new Channel 21 in Boston.

Election Watch '93 will present four different candidate interviews and Ca-

blevision will replay the interviews during the week they are taped.

On Aug. 14, James Brett will be on at 3 p.m., Mickey Roache at 3:30 p.m., Christopher Lydon at 4

p.m. and Thomas Menino at 4:30 p.m.

On Aug. 17, Thomas Menino will be on at 3:30 p.m., Christopher Lydon at 4 p.m., Mickey Roache at 4:30 p.m. and James Brett at 5 p.m.

Menino Demands Action On Dangerous Power Lines

Acting Mayor Thomas M. Menino last week urged Boston Edison officials to act quickly in removing dangerous overhead power lines from three Charlestown streets.

In a July 29 letter to Thomas May, president of the Boston Edison Co., Menino said Boston Fire Department officials had informed him that the overhead power lines on Seminary, Lawrence and Union streets represent a significant barrier to fire apparatus.

"Fire department officials have determined that the trucks and other equipment needed to respond to an emergency on those streets would be unable to do so, because of the wires," Menino wrote. "This situation creates a hazard to the neighborhood that is simply unaccepta-

ble," he added.

"The fire officials I spoke with have requested that the Boston Edison Co. immediately relocate these overhead wires, putting them underground and out of the way of potentially life-saving fire equipment."

Menino said he hopes that Boston Edison will recognize the seriousness of this situation and act soon to rectify it. "As always, my office is more than willing to work with yours to bring about a swift resolution," Menino wrote. "Your anticipated cooperation is appreciated."

Cremens Named Trustee Of Chelsea Soldiers' Home



JOSEPH D. CREMENS (left), past department commander of The American Legion, has been appointed to a seven-year term as Trustee of the Soldiers' Home in Chelsea by Gov. William F. Weld. Cremens is a veteran of World War II and served in the Pacific in all combat areas. He is a licensed funeral director, a Certified Health officer in the Commonwealth and a former Civil Service Code Enforcement Officer. He and his wife, the former Catherine Casey of Charlestown, reside in Somerville. They are the parents of seven children.

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Summer Teen Program

by Dan Ryan

• **3-on-3 Hoop** — Seventy of the finest hoop players in the city packed the Boys & Girls Club gym last Tuesday and Thursday evenings to compete in the first annual Steimel Cup Tournament. This was a very exciting double elimination tourney with every team suffering at least one loss. Jonathan Owens, Pat Owens, Anthony Matson and David Evers proved to be too much for the other locals.

• **Roller Skating / Drive-In** — Last Wednesday, 25 teenagers and staff enjoyed a night of roller skating and a trip to Kelly's Roast Beef.

On Friday, two van loads of teens ventured up to Mendon, Mass. for the "Drive-In" experience. Unfortunately, we experienced a downpour instead and went to a theater. A good time was had by all.

• **Whiffle Ball Tourney** — Last Thursday we kicked off our whiffle ball tournament. We fielded over 10 teams and the results will be in next week's column.

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• **Thursday, Aug. 5 at 7 p.m.** — Co-ed whiffleball finals, Eden Street Park

• **Friday, Aug. 6** — Van trip. Also, \$10 deposit for Aug. 18 trip to Boston Paintball due at The Teen Center by 7 p.m.

• **Tuesday, Aug. 10 at 7 p.m.** — Co-ed Ball Hockey, Eden Street Park — give rosters to Kenny G.

• **Wednesday, Aug. 11** — Van trip to Canobie Lake, leaving at 5 p.m. The cost is \$4. Sign up with Danny, Kenny or John

• **Thursday, Aug. 12 at 7 p.m.** — Co-ed Ball Hockey, Eden Street Park

For further information, contact
John or Danny at 242-1775 or
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■ **Bay State Games** . . . Congratulations to Jamie Smith who took home a gold medal in basketball, and to Matthew Chardavoyne who set some Bay State swimming records.

■ **CHAD All Stars** . . . On Saturday, Charlestown and the North End will team up in the annual North End Against Drugs North End Pride Day. We will be sending a softball and a basketball team across the bridge for a full day of activities. This is the second year we have been invited to participate. Events will take place at the Nazzaro Center and Puopolo Park.

■ **BNBL Notes** . . . Paul Martell, the Commish, would like to congratulate Jonathan Owens and Dave Small, who were selected All-Star MVPs, and Andrew Ray and Jon Jones, who received "Rookie of the Year" honors.

■ **Reggie Lewis** . . . It's amazing I met him only a few times, but this week I feel I've lost a friend. Reggie Lewis was good for Boston. He was especially good for the kids. His camp at UMass-Boston, in which many Charlestown kids took part in each summer, was just one example of how much he cared. Reggie Lewis didn't have to run the camp. He really didn't have to do anything, but all the things he did, he did because he wanted to. Everything you may have read or heard about Reggie Lewis is true. He was a generous and genuinely good person, and his smile was real. I met him only a few times, but I have lost a friend, we have lost a friend.

■ **Women's Ball Hockey** . . . Courtney McLaughlin and Nicole Matson had five goals each as the young Lancers flexed their power by shutting out Main Street. Melissa Doherty's second goal of the game, scored in overtime, was the game winner, as the Cheezy Chicks topped the Parkies 6-5. Mary Crilley and Peggy Suprey had two goals each for the Parkies.

Michelle Macomber, Jessica Sweeney, Kelley Whelan and

Raymond Group Supports Boys & Girls Club



TED RAYMOND (right), of the Raymond Group stopped by the Boys & Girls Club a few days ago and presented the Director, Jerry Steimel, with a check in support of its annual Battle of Bunker Hill Road Race. All proceeds from the race go to support the year-round programs at the Boys & Girls Club.

BOB D'S BEAT

by

Bob DeCristoforo

Janelle Pappas had single tallies as Newtowne defeated Main Street 4-1. Christine Sorrentino had the Main Street goal.

The standings as of Aug. 2 are: Newtowne 3-0, Lancers 3-0, Cheezy Chicks 1-2, Main Street 0-3 and the Parkies 0-3.

■ **Girls BNBL** . . . The Charlestown team is having a great year in the South Boston BNBL. The young ladies are currently involved in the playoffs. Jason MacDonald and Anthony Matson are doing a fine job coaching the team.

■ **Tidbits** . . .

— Greg Staples' favorite drink is not Gatorade.
— Are Brian Wadman and Mark Shean being held hostage on Main Street? We thought we saw a ransom note.

— The Rizzo girls caused quite a commotion at Fenway Park recently, getting stuck at my turnstyle. I almost called security! (Stop turning red).

— Joe Lawler set a new Charlestown whiffle ball record - striking out nine consecutive times.

— Quote of the week by Dave Evers, "I saw thunder!"

— Best impersonation of a basketball player award goes to Andrew Ray for his non-performance in Saturday's Fast Break game.

— Jamie Andrea's favorite movie: "Marathon Man."

Smile!

Charlestown Softball Association Update

Team standings as of Friday, July 30

Team	Won	Lost
Sullivan's Cafe	15	4
Boston Sand & Gravel	14	5
Ironside Grille	13	5
99 Restaurant	13	6
Houlihan Club	7	11
Quinn Club	6	12
McCarthy Brothers	4	15
Olives Restaurant	2	16

Pop Warner Corner

Charlestown Pop Warner Football began its 1993 season on Aug. 2. Any child who wishes to register for the league may do so at the Charlestown High School field on Medford Street during any practice time. Proof of birthdate and a \$25 registration fee is needed. We are looking forward to a fun and winning season that we hope will be enjoyable for the youngsters, parents and coaches.

On behalf of the Charlestown Pop Warner League, we would like to thank the local businesses, elected officials and candidates for public office who have made great donations to the young football players.

Donations have been received this week from Michael Travaglino, Mazow & Mazow, Murphy & Turnbull Funeral Home, Charlestown Cooperative Bank, Joseph and Gertrude Roche, St. Mary's Parish, Carr's Funeral Home, Tony The Barber, Michael Quinn Scholarship Fund and Theresa Dunleavy.

Persons or businesses that would like to donate to the league should make checks payable to Charlestown Pop Warner Football, and send them to 65 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, Mass. 02129. The league thanks you kindly for your support.

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Charlestown Pop Warner Football

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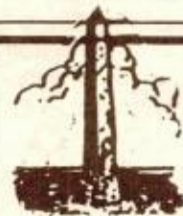
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by Sean P. Smyth

The Charlestown Townies won their first football game of the season by defeating the Maine Warriors 34-6 on July 31 under near total darkness at the Charlestown High School field when the lights on the field were not turned on by the

school department from its Court Street offices.

The Warriors scored first on an 11-yard touchdown run by Xavier Slater giving Maine an early 6-0 lead. The touchdown was set up by an Ed Dicks fumble.

The Townies countered with four more touchdowns

One-Pitch Softball Tournament

St. Catherine's is sponsoring a One-Pitch Softball Tournament on Sunday, Aug. 8 for adults and teenagers.

What is a One-Pitch softball game? A batter gets only one pitch, which is pitched by someone on his/her own team. Each team puts nine people in the field, not including the pitcher. The pitcher cannot field or interfere with a ball that is hit.

Flynn Working To Keep Town Team In Charlestown

by Sean P. Smyth

In an interview with the "EFL Notebook" on Sunday evening, Charlestown Townies general manager Paul Flynn said that he will do anything it takes to keep the nation's oldest amateur football team in Charlestown, but said that he might have to move the team to a neighboring suburb if the Boston School Department doesn't budge.

At issue here is the simmering feud between the Townies and the School Department which culminated in the no-lights situation at Saturday night's game. After the game, Flynn was quoted as saying, "We were jobbed. We paid the school department the money, but there were no lights."

Flynn said that he never had any problems with the school department until last year when Rob Roy took over as director of school facilities. Roy forced the Townies to play their first five games on the road in 1992, before allowing them to play their remaining schedule at home.

At the beginning of the season, Roy sent Flynn a letter stating some of the demands that the school department wanted in exchange for the Townies using the field. They are as follows: \$1,100 for the field rental, originally a monthly charge, this was reduced to a one-time fee; \$10 per hour for the lights; \$750 for the use of the lockers, later reduced to \$245 for Saturday's game; \$400 to line the field, a fee that was waived as the Townies lined the field themselves; \$90 for post-game cleanup, charged although the Townies do it themselves.

Flynn said that he has never met Roy, and only talked to him once by phone and "that was when he called to tell me that we owed money for the lights."

Flynn said that the team never had to pay for the use of the field before Roy took office. "We never had any

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problems before. Here is a guy with a little power, and he is trying to force our hand."

One of the reasons the Townies never paid anything before was because they were in the old football park league until the league folded in 1983 and they joined the Eastern Football League. But for the first eight years they were in the EFL, they were never charged for the field.

Flynn also spoke to the DA's office Monday. He stated that he has a case against the school department because he has paid for the lights in the past, and has had the situation repeat itself. But Flynn said that if he doesn't get anywhere, then he'll move the team to the suburbs for next season. "Everett, Chelsea, Revere, Medford and Malden all would like an EFL team," said Flynn, "and they would probably be more cooperative, too."

He has talked to Acting Mayor Tom Menino whose aide working on the case helped set up a meeting with Roy, which was scheduled for Tuesday.

Unfortunately, this case threatens a treasure Charlestown can call its own, the Charlestown Townies. It would be a shame if this great, glorious franchise had to leave town.

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Townies Trounce Warriors 34-6

before half-time. Taylor Boughnou scored on runs of one-, 60- and 40-yards, while Peter Givens scored from 44 yards out, to give the Townies an indestructible 28-6 half-time lead.

At half-time, when it was apparent that the lights were not going to be turned on, the referees met with Townies' owner/coach John Houlihan, Warriors coach Vince Singleton and the

captains of both teams. It was then decided that the third and fourth quarters would consist of a 10-minute running clock.

After the half, the Townies scored one more touchdown on a 25-yard run

by Givens.

Charlestown (1-2) plays the Marlboro Shamrocks at Kelleher Field in Marlboro on Saturday, Aug. 7 at 7 p.m. The game will air on radio station WSRO, Marlboro, 1470 on the AM dial.

CYO Gym Hockey Registration

Registration for CYO Gym Hockey will be held on Thursday, Sept. 2; Saturday, Sept. 4; Thursday, Sept. 9; Saturday, Sept. 11; Tuesday, Sept. 14; Thursday, Sept. 16 and Saturday, Sept. 18 at St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop Street. Weekday registration times are 6 p.m. to 8

p.m., and Saturday times will be 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Absolutely no registrations will be accepted after these dates.

Ages for CYO gym hockey players are: 4 to 8 years of age by Dec. 31 for boys and 4 to 9 years of age by Dec. 31 for girls.

Registration For Horseshoe Tourney

Registration for the 14th annual Park Open Horseshoe Tournament is taking place at Doherty Park on Bunker Hill Street. The tournament is planned for Saturday, Aug. 14, beginning at 10 a.m., with a rain date of Saturday, Aug. 21. Registration will be held

today, Thursday, Aug. 5 from 3 to 6 p.m.; Friday, Aug. 6 from 3 to 8 p.m.; Saturday, Aug. 7 from 1 to 6 p.m.; and Sunday, Aug. 8 from 1 to 5 p.m.

The registration fee is \$20 per team, \$10 per person.

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North Area Task Force Receives Award From MOVE Mass 2000

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 ciation of the superior design solutions that were achieved as a result of that working relationship. "This award is presented to The Members Of The North Area Task Force and Edward Barr, CANA Project Manager Massachusetts Highway Department. Their combined efforts have clearly demonstrated that the successful design and completion of a major public works project requires community cooperation and participation, a collaborative process that must encompass the planning, construction and redevelop-

ment phases of the project from the beginning to the end.

Johnston and Stone told **The Patriot** that the members of NATF were very gratified to have been recognized for the group's efforts on the CANA project, but also praised Charlestown residents for making the community process work so well over the years through persistent attendance at public meetings. Johnston and Stone also singled out Rep. Richard A. Voke and his aide Jay Ash for their commitment to the CANA project and obtain-

ing maximum benefit for Charlestown.

MOVE Mass 2000, a coalition of business, labor, community and other non-profit organizations formed to promote successful completion of the Central Artery Project, also presented four other Central Artery-related awards in connection with the project. The Social Justice Award went to the Central Artery Training Program, of which Charlestown's J.F. Kennedy Center is one of 17 participating organizations.

Menino Announces Candidacy For Mayor Of Boston

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 on Government Finance, since 1988; Committee on City and Neighborhood Services from 1986 to 1987; Committee on the Homeless from 1985 to 1986; and the Planning and Development Committee from 1983 to 1985. Menino also served as vice-chairman of the City Council Committee on Housing from 1983 to 1985. Menino's career in public service also includes a term on the Joint Committee on Urban Affairs as a Senior Research Assistant from 1978 to 1983.

Menino received a degree in community planning from the University of Massachusetts in 1988 and a certificate from the Senior Executives in State and Lo-

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 day.

"The school committee budget is still bloated, especially in providing transportation for students. We can have immediate savings there if we return to the concept of students attending schools in their own neighborhoods. Busing of the 70s, and now of the 90s, was and is a failure. We can rectify that sorry failure and also save a lot of money by returning to neighborhood schools. And I believe that a return to that concept will also help in curbing school

violence. Most school violence appears to be related to youths from different neighborhoods clashing, often while being transported from one neighborhood to another, both on school buses and public transportation. So, by simply returning to neighborhood schools, we can cut the budget enormously and perhaps eliminate violence." Murphy also stated that he is in favor of an elected school committee and that the committee should set school policies.

Murphy, a former executive of a major transportation company, cites his experience in running a business in the private sector and working with budgets in the public sector as making him the most qualified candidate in the race for the city council at-large. "If you give me a chance, I'm

sure that I can use my expertise in budgets to improve your quality of life here in Boston, while at the same time holding down expenses."

(political announcement)

DiLibero's Plan For Parking

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the area have a place to park. In return, the area remains an active and vital shopping center. We can and we should expand such a program by city statute. As city councillor for District One, I will work with residents, merchants, operators and property owners to formalize and expand a program which has been a proven, effective means of keeping our community an attractive place to live and work.

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Joe Kennedy To Hold Annual 'Bike Tour Of The Eighth'

Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy II will join with people from around the Mass. Eighth Congressional District on Saturday, Aug. 14 for the third annual "Bike Tour of the Eighth" in the "Ride, Stride and Glide Celebration." Participants will ride bicycles, stride on foot and glide on in-line skates to promote human-powered transportation. At this celebration, support will be expressed for Joe Kennedy's National Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation Improvement Act (HR 1824) which encourages alternatives to motor transportation by re-

quiring states to earmark three percent of federal highway funds for bicycle and pedestrian paths.

At this year's Bike Tour of the Eighth, sponsored by the Committee To Back The Bike Bill, Kennedy will lead the 20-mile bicycle ride through the district. The stride is being sponsored by the pedestrian advocacy group, Walk Boston, for an invigorating two-hour stride along the Charles, and the in-line glide is being sponsored by the International In-Line Skate Association and Roller Blades.

Registration for the Ride, Stride and Glide celebration begins at Herter Park, 1600 Soldiers Field Road, Brighton at 9 a.m. Riders, striders and gliders will have separate routes and will return to Herter Park at noon for a post-tour picnic, which will include refreshments, prizes and giveaways. Everyone is invited to participate.

C.Y.O. & St. Catherine NEWS

by Father Ron Coyne

• **CYO Deep Sea Fishing Trip** — A deep sea fishing trip has been planned for Thursday, Aug. 12. The boat will leave Plum Island at 8 a.m. and return at 2:30 p.m. All teen-agers 13 to 19 are invited to join us. The bus will leave St. Catherine's Rectory at 6:30 a.m. and return about 3:30 p.m. The cost is \$15 per person which includes rod and bait. There will be a \$25 prize for the first edible fish caught, a \$50 prize for the biggest fish and a \$50 prize for the most fish. Sign up at the rectory.

• **Red Sox Tickets** — We have 40 bleacher seat tickets to the Red Sox vs. Texas Rangers game on Monday, Aug. 30, beginning at 7:35 p.m. at Fenway Park. Tickets, priced at \$3.50 each, will go on sale at the rectory on Sunday, Aug. 8. You must provide your own transportation.

• **St. Catherine's Color Guards** — This summer, our color guards had a well-deserved vacation for the past month and a half. Our Townies, Little Townies and 25 new smallest Townies will resume their practice schedule on Monday, Aug. 16 at the Kent Community School. We look forward to an exciting and challenging season for our 75 girls.

• **CYO Paintball** — The CYO will sponsor a day at Canobie Paintball in Windham, N.H. on Sunday, Aug. 8. There are 10 playing fields. You must be between 13 and 19. **If you are under 18, you must have a note with you from a parent or guardian** stating that Paintball will not be responsible for possible injury.

You are encouraged to wear old sneakers, long pants, bring knee pads and a cup.

The cost is \$15 per person which includes equipment. Each person must pay \$4 for 50 rounds of ammunition. You may purchase as many rounds as you like. Games will be organized by the Paintball staff.

The bus will leave St. Catherine's Church at 7:30 a.m. on Aug. 8. Instructions begin at 8:30 a.m. and games will be played from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The bus will return to St. Catherine's around 3 p.m.

To reserve a spot, you must leave \$15 at the rectory with your name. You will pay for the ammunition at the site.

• **CYO Trip To Riverside Park** — All teen-agers 13 to 19 are invited to go to Riverside Park in Agawam on Thursday, Aug. 19. The bus will leave St. Catherine's Church at 9 a.m. and return around 8 p.m. The cost is \$15 per person, and includes all rides and transportation. Sign up at St. Catherine's rectory.

• **Charlestown Teen-agers Join One Million Youth In Denver** — From Aug. 11 through 16, Charlestown will be represented at World Youth Day in Denver, Colo. by nine young people. They will be spending six days out west and traveling to Mile High Stadium to see Pope John Paul II. We are privileged to be able to send these teen-agers from our town: Annette Beaupre, Nicole DeRoeve, Dennis Elwell, Tiffany Benoit, Linda Rizzo, Gordon D'Ambrosio, Rosetta Cannizarro, Katie O'Leary and Mike Santosuosso. The chaperones will be Father Bob Casey and Mary Rizzo.

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Friday, Aug. 6

10 a.m. - Arts & Crafts and Seniorobics, Senior Lounge

11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Monday, Aug. 9

10 a.m. Seniorobics, Senior Lounge

11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Tuesday, Aug. 10

10 a.m. - Sunshine Club, Senior Lounge

11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

Wednesday, Aug. 11

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Anchorage Apartments

10 a.m. - Arts & Crafts, Senior Lounge

11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Thursday, Aug. 12

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Senior Lounge, Constitution Co-op and Golden Age Center

10 a.m. - Hampton Beach Trip

11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

★ SUMMER DAY TRIPS ★

See Phyllis or Bobbie for complete details and sign-ups for the trips listed below:

• **Mystery Ride** — Thursday, Sept. 16. The bus departs at 9:15 a.m. and returns at 4 p.m. The cost is \$22.50.

• **New Bedford & Vanity Fair Trip** — Thursday, Oct. 14, depart at 9 a.m. and return at 5 p.m. The cost is \$20.

★ SENIOR TRIPS ★

Contact Phyllis Bryant at 241-9342 after 3 p.m.

• **Valley Forge, Philadelphia and the Lily Langtry Show** — Sept. 21-24, three nights, four days. The cost is \$299 each person, double occupancy. Brochures are now available.

• **Sonesta Beach Hotel** — Oct. 25-29, four nights, five days. Brochures are available.

If you need complimentary rides to and from the Senior Lounge for activities, please make arrangements in advance by calling Phyllis Bryant or Fran Nardone.

For more information on senior activities, contact Judi Meaney, director of Senior Services, at 241-8866.

Put Your Old Eyeglasses To Good Use

The Charlestown Lions Club recycled over 1,000 pairs of used eyeglasses in 1992, making it possible for many who could not afford to buy eyeglasses to obtain them.

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• **Arts & Crafts** — Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

• **Flower Arrangements** — Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

• **Ceramics** — Monday and Thursday from noon to 3 p.m., contact Pat Venezia.

• **Beano** — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:30 p.m., contact Sheila Walsh.

• **Lunch** — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at noon, contact Sheila Walsh.

• **Knit & Crochet** — Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

• **Liquid Embroidery** — Monday from 10 a.m. to noon, contact Reed White.

UPCOMING EVENTS

See Sheila for details and reservations on . . .

• **Hampton Beach Trip** — A day trip to Hampton Beach, N.H. is being planned for Monday, Aug. 23. The cost of the trip is \$9.

• **Beacon Motel, Lincoln, N.H.** — A three-day, two-night vacation at the Beacon Motel in Lincoln, N.H. for a Bavarian Bandfest is planned for Aug. 29, 30 and 31. The \$199 cost includes transportation, accommodations, six meals and a free side trip on the Mt. Washington.

BUS TO STOP & SHOP

A bus to Stop & Shop picks up at the Golden Age Center on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m.

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Housing, education and information service is available to seniors every Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Golden Age Center. Applications and help completing them is available.

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Area A, Boston Police Department
Wednesday, July 28

At 1 a.m., Officer Jones stopped an automobile on Cambridge Street for a violation and found that the operator, a 44-year-old Arlington resident, was intoxicated. The officer placed him under arrest.

A resident of 10 Tufts St. reported that at approximately 9 p.m., a man about 20-years-old entered the apartment through the front door and stole a VCR.

Thursday, July 29

An automobile parked on Constitution Road was vandalized by someone who slashed the roof.

An automobile parked on Pearl Street was entered during the evening, and a bag of groceries was stolen.

Two automobiles parked in the vicinity of 50 Bunker Hill St. were vandalized by someone who smashed the windows.

At 8 p.m., a resident reported that three teen-age females slashed the tire of an automobile parked on Green Street. The suspects were chased and the identification of one of the suspects was obtained.

Friday, July 30

At 1 a.m., officers responded to 90 Medford St. where they placed an occupant under arrest for assault and the violation of the family abuse law.

At 1:45 a.m., Officers Gill and Reaney stopped an automobile in the vicinity of 330 Main St. where the occupant attempted to flee on foot. The suspect, a 29-year-old resident, was apprehended for motor vehicle theft.

Sunday, Aug. 1

At 1 a.m., officers responded to the convenience store on First Avenue where someone had smashed in the side window and stole some groceries.

At 1:45 a.m., officers responded to 411 Main St. where a man initially refused to pay a cab fare. After an argument, the fare was paid but the suspect damaged the cab upon leaving.

A clerk at a warehouse at 465 Medford St. reported that at approximately 2 p.m., two men attempted to steal three cartons of merchandise. When confronted, one of the men pulled out a knife and fled without the cartons.

An automobile parked on West School Street was broken into during the day, and an attempt was made to steal it.

For additional information regarding arrested individuals, contact Community Service Officer Joe McNulty at 343-4627.

• If you know of any drug activity in your neighborhood, call the Area A Detectives office at 343-4571. It is not necessary to give your name, and all information will be investigated.

• Residents are reminded that if you purchase alcohol from a local liquor store for someone under age, you are subject to arrest.

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The class of 1984 of Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston is making plans for its 10th reunion to be held in the spring of

Don Bosco 10th Reunion

1994. The committee is seeking the new addresses of members for the purpose of informing them of the event.

For more information, class members are asked to call the school at 426-9457 or Daniel Ferrara at 328-6227.

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Voke And Birmingham Shooting For The Stars

Charlestown's legislative delegation, Rep. Richard Voke and Sen. Thomas Birmingham, announced that the Legislature has approved their initiative to take steps to attract more movie productions to Boston. Voke and Birmingham said that Charlestown is among the sites being considered for the construction of a studio sound stage.

"The economic benefits of having a motion picture shot in Boston are tremendous. Movie productions create jobs for our competent labor force, fill hotels and add to our revenue base. Just one major production causes an infusion of \$6 million into the local economy," said Voke.

"We have seen the effects a sound stage has had in Pittsburgh, Pa. Since that city built a sound stage, Pittsburgh has attracted more than 19 movie and television productions. With the commitment of business, labor and government, I am optimistic that a sound stage will bring many benefits to the re-

gion," said Birmingham.

Voke and Birmingham's proposal, which was included in the final appropriations package for the 1994 fiscal year, authorizes the administration to have an analysis conducted that would weigh the cost benefits of a studio sound stage. Such a site would allow production companies to have a central location in Boston to shoot many indoor scenes. The legislators said a full-scale film facility could play a large role in attracting new movies to Boston.

A coalition of business and industry groups, labor unions, government officials and trade associations have joined together to explore the possibilities of bringing additional movies to Boston. Made up of such organizations as the Teamsters Local 25 and the Boston Convention and Visitors Bureau, the group, called MOVIE (Massachusetts Organizations Vying for the Industry of Entertainment), will be charged with conducting the cost analysis.

Brown Bag Bookies To Meet

day, Aug. 10 at noon at the library, 179 Main St.

The book under discussion will be *Palace Walk* by Naguib Mahfouz. According to "Newsweek," Mahfouz "writes about family, and to understand the Egyptian family is to understand more clearly than any political treatise can explain, the soul of the country. When chaos reigns, the family is a safe retreat, giving Egypt an almost gyroscopic stability as colonial powers and demagogic leaders have come and gone."

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Our Sincere Appreciation

Dear Friends,

The family of Rita Zuffante finds it difficult to express the depth of their appreciation for your concern, your presence and your many messages of caring. Rita loved Charlestown and the people of the town. You, too, loved Rita.

In spite of the sorrow, there was joy in the many beautiful memories you shared with us. Your concern during her long period of illness gave each of us the comfort we needed at that time. May she now ask God to bless you with gifts, most fitting at this time of your lives.

Gratefully,
Joe, Roseanne, Gerard, Fred,
Germaine and Sister Ann Rita, O.P.

Where's There's Life There's Hope

To the editor:

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank my family, friends, relatives, clergy, local businesses and senior citizens as well as elected officials and candidates for office for buying tickets and helping out as much as they could for the benefit for Baby Kyle that was held July 16 at St. Catherine's Hall.

The response has been overwhelming and I've spoken to many people and they insist they are going all the way, come rain or come shine. This to me, shows that Charlestown comes out of the woodwork when it's for a worthy cause such as this.

I'm thinking of putting something together for September, and details will follow. I'll keep you posted.

Sincerely,
Chickie Donovan LaPage

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Many, Many Thanks!

We would like to send a "BIG" thank you to all the people who helped us with our "Pajama Party" for Kyle Fitzpatrick.

First, thanks to Dennis and Steven from DM Productions, Memorial Hall, The Charlestown Patriot, Stretch-A-Buck (especially Monique, Jillian, Mark, Kristina and Derek Matarazzo), Mrs. Brennan and her daughters Jackie and Robin, Kathy D'Urbano, Michael Ezekiel Jr., Jerry Steimel, the Boys & Girls Club, Jimmy Gillen, Shannon Lynch, Tom McGrath, Jason MacDonald, Peg and Freddie Venezia, Cheryl Maheigan, Christine Sorrentino, Denise Crilley, John Plumb from Cai's Sports Bar and Jim Vesey.

Next we would like to thank all the restaurants, stores, radio station 94.5 and people who provided prizes to raffle off, along with the people who purchased a ticket or made a donation even though they could not make it to the party.

And most of all, we thank everybody who came to the party, purchased tickets and made donations, including

Brian Wallace, Domenic Piso and Robert Cappucci, and made the party a fabulous night of fun for a great cause.

If we have left anybody out, we apologize. You ALL should be proud because if it wasn't for you, we would not have raised \$1,500!

Again, thank you and let's keep praying for Baby Kyle.
Kim Keenan, Annmarie McCaffrey and Tom Jackson Jr.

Thank You, Charlestown

It is hard to believe that this is the one-year anniversary of Charlestown Chiropractic!

I wish to thank my wife Diane and my son Stephen for their love and encouragement when the days and nights got long. Thanks also to my family and friends for their support.

A special thanks to the residents of Charlestown and the surrounding communities for allowing me the privilege of being a part of their health needs. I hope that chiropractic and I have been a positive influence in your lives.

We now see that the philosophies of chiropractic: structure, exercise, diet and a conservative approach to health are now being recognized and play a vital role in the health professions. Please be aware that Charlestown Chiropractic will continue to provide the chiropractic services that this community needs. Thank you again for the opportunity to serve this past year.

Yours In Health,
Dennis F. Burke, D.C.

My Thanks To All

The Wizard of Oz came to life at the Bunker Hill Day Parade!!! It was a large success due to the help of the many volunteers who made it possible. Many thanks go out to Jack Shaughnessy and Shaughnessy & Ahern, who for the past two years, donated trailers; to Mel Stillman and the Teamsters for the truck; to the A-One driver Joe Gaggis who saved the day (we almost didn't make it off the starting line); to all the people at the Gardens for Charlestown who helped with driving, planning, designing and building the float; to the artists and to all the Munchkins and characters on the float — I thank all of you for your time and work.

Rob Borden, chairman
Gardens for Charlestown Float Committee

Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Tuesday, Aug. 10 at 10:30

a.m. and 3:30 p.m.
The features will be "Bim, Bam, Bum," in which a hole factory becomes the eighth wonder of the world; George the monkey decides to become a paperboy in "Curious George Rides A Bike;" and a blackbird loses and regains individual parts of his body in "Le Merle."

Rosie and her neighborhood friends perform a show in "Really Rosie," shown only at 3:30 p.m.

Suggested good books to read are **Curious George at the Airport** edited by Margaret Rey and **Holes and Peeks** by Ann Jonas.

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Shannon Hired As Program Manager



CAROLYN SHANNON, 33, of Charlestown, has been hired as Program Manager of Boston Community Centers' Youth Outreach Program (YOP). YOP, a teen empowerment program, operates out of 10 community centers throughout Boston, including Charlestown. The Youth Outreach Program sponsors several citywide events each year including the Youth Congress in the spring and the Festival of Hope which is being held today, Aug. 5, on Boston Common. YOP was started in 1985 by former Mayor Raymond Flynn.

Kenney Promoted To District Chief

John P. Kenney was promoted to District Chief of the Boston Fire Department on Aug. 4. He has been a member of the department for 20 years.

Kenney is a graduate of St. Catherine's Grammar School, Boston English High School, Boston State College Fire Science Course and Northeastern University, where he received an MBA degree.

During the Vietnam War, Kenney served with the

82nd Airborne.

He is married to the former Patricia A. Noyer and is the son of Kathleen M. Kenney and the late Ralph E. Kenney.

U.S. Rep. Joseph P. Kennedy II welcomed progress on efforts to remove underground fuel tanks from the Charlestown Navy Yard and prepare the site for development.

Congressman Kennedy said the opening of the bid process by the Army Corps of Engineers this week represented an important step forward on long-delayed plans to develop the Navy Yard to bring jobs and economic opportunity to Charlestown.

"This is one small but significant step to realize the vision of the people of

Kennedy Welcomes Progress On Navy Yard Cleanup

Charlestown for a revitalized Navy Yard," said Congressman Kennedy.

"The fuel tanks are not only an obstacle to development, but also an environmental hazard. I'm also glad to report that the Army is accepting bids to remove several derelict buildings, piers and marine railway segments. With these structures gone, the road to redevelopment will be clearer."

Benefits expected from

the eventual development of the Navy Yard include over 4,300 construction jobs and 4,000 permanent jobs, with requirements that employment opportunities be made available for Boston residents, minorities and women.

The development is also expected to generate linkage payments as well as an expansion of the city's tax base.

The Army Corps of Engineers contract to disman-

tle the underground fuel tanks includes provisions to remove contaminated soil and asbestos pipe insulation from the site. The demolition contract is being made available to minority-owned businesses through the Small Business Administration's 8A Program.

The funding range for the two contracts has been estimated at \$2 to \$10 million. Both projects are expected to be completed by the fall of 1994.

On Dean's List

Wentworth Institute of Technology, one of America's leading coeducational institutions of architecture, design, engineering and technology, recently announced the dean's list for the spring semester.

Among those named to the dean's list were Charlestown residents Sang T. Nguyen, who is majoring in Computer Science, and Edward T. McCarty, who is majoring in Electronic Engineering Technology.

To earn dean's list designation at Wentworth, a student must achieve a grade point average of 3.25.

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The Charlestown Working Theater is pleased to announce the Women in Art's upcoming production of "Cinderella," a comedic adaptation of the fairytale that the whole family can enjoy.

"Cinderella," written by Charles Perrault and directed by Janet Beaton, will run from Thursday, Aug. 12 through Sunday, Aug. 15. Tickets are \$7 in advance, \$8 at the door and \$6 for seniors and children. Performance times are 8 p.m. each evening with matinee performances on Saturday and Sunday at 2 p.m.

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