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Massport To Develop Revere Sugar Buffer Zone With MWRA And Residents

Urged on by Charlestown residents, the Massachusetts Port Authority (Massport) with the assistance of its lessee the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA), will be developing a buffer zone between commercial operations at the former Revere Sugar facility on Medford Street and the neighboring community.

Like many who have advocated for Massport's involvement in the landscaping project, Rep. Richard Voke was pleased to learn of the agency's willingness to further commit to Charlestown. "Al Raine deserves a great deal of credit for directing Massport officials to be sensitive to community needs. While their efforts to

help our organizations have been much appreciated, it is their continued willingness to work with local leaders that bodes well for Charlestown," he said. Voke and Raine had discussions six months ago relative to landscaping work in and around the Revere Sugar site.

"Since many Massport facilities are located adjacent to residential areas, we have a commitment to making sure that we do whatever we reasonable can to be a good neighbor," explained Massport Executive Director Alden S. Raine. "Because Charlestown residents are aware of our successful buffer zone projects at Castle Island in South Boston and Harborwalk in East Boston, it seemed ap-

propriate that they would ask us to work with the MWRA to achieve similar mitigating results at Revere Sugar."

Although the MWRA's Memorandum of Understanding with the community and its lease with Massport made reference to landscaping, two years of discussions between the Charlestown Neighborhood Council (CNC) and the MWRA had not produced any mutually acceptable plans.

"Since we seemed to have reached a standoff with the MWRA, we approached Massport and asked them to get involved in the process even though they had no legal obligation

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Preparations Get Underway For 'USS Constitution' Dry-Docking

by Kathy Giordano
The oldest commissioned warship in the world, **USS Constitution**, began an 18-month Dry-dock and Inspection (D & I) period recently with a kick-off ceremony at the Boston National Historic Park in the Charlestown Navy Yard. The \$3.75 million U.S. Navy project will prepare the famous frigate for her bicentennial commemoration in 1997.

The work will be performed by the Naval Historical Center Detachment, Boston, and organized under five phases: pre-docking, inspection, structural, mast work and post dry-docking.

According to Cmdr. Richard B. Amirault, 63rd commanding officer of the ship, **Constitution** will be open for spar deck tours (the top deck) to the maximum extent possible during the dry-docking and inspection process. Amirault

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A **USS CONSTITUTION** cannon is hoisted off the ship and placed on Pier 1 in the Boston National Historic Park, Charlestown Navy Yard. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

Charlestown Mayor Honored By House Of Representatives



CHARLESTOWN MAYOR Pat Harty was recently honored by the Massachusetts House of Representatives. A citation was presented to her noting her election to the honorary position as Mayor of Charlestown.

Shown (l. to r.) Eileen Breen, Speaker of the House Rep. Charles Flaherty, Mayor Harty, House Majority Leader Rep. Richard Voke and Chairman of the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee Arthur Hurley.

Porter Participates In International Youth Exchange

An International Youth Exchange was held during the Sail Boston festivities at Faneuil Hall Marketplace which involved 20 Scottish crew of youth trainees aboard the **Fryderyk Chopin** and 20 Boston youths from the Courageous Sailing Center in Charlestown. Since 1987, the Courageous Sailing Center, operated by the Boston Parks and Recreation Department, has provided thousands of inner city youths with free sailing lessons.

Shawn Porter, a Charlestown resident and instructor

at the center, was chosen to sail with the **Fryderyk Chopin** from Newport to the Grand Parade of Sail in Boston. He was awarded a medal from the Lord Provost of Glasgow, Scotland during the ceremony.

The ceremony was followed by a series of youth games including: Pass the Globe Contest, Corn on the Cob Eating Contest, New England Clam Chowder/Cracker-Whistling, Water Balloon Toss and Boston Cream Pie Eating Relay.



SHAWN PORTER of Charlestown (right) was awarded a medal from the Lord Provost of Glasgow, Scotland at a ceremony at Faneuil Hall Marketplace during the Sail Boston festivities. (photo by Terri Davis)

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Fun On Wheels

The Fun-on-Wheels vans are once again racing about the city, bringing sports, athletics, games and arts & crafts to youngsters 15 and

under.

The van will be visiting the Doherty Playground on Bunker Hill Street from 1 to 3 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 3.

It's A Boy . . .

Ellen and William Johnson of Wilmington proudly announce the birth of their son, Daniel James, on July 14 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Brighton. The new arrival weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces and measured 21½ inches.

home by his brother Michael, 6, and his sister Sheila, 3.

Proud grandmothers are Mrs. Patrick Moriarty and Mrs. Florence Johnson, both of Charlestown.

Mrs. Johnson is the former Ellen Moriarty of Charlestown.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, July 30

- 6 to 8 p.m. — Tennis Lessons for boys 7 to 17, Tennis Courts, rear of Charlestown High School Athletic Facility, Terminal Street

Saturday, Aug. 1

- 8 p.m. to midnight — Fund Raiser to benefit the Davis Family, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, Aug. 2

- 12:30, 1:30 and 2:30 p.m. — Tour of the Commandant's House, from Visitors Center, Building 5, National Historical Park section of the Charlestown Navy Yard

Monday, Aug. 3

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.

- 1 to 3 p.m. — Fun on Wheels Van with sports, athletics, games and arts & crafts for children 15 and under, Doherty Playground, Bunker Hill Street

Tuesday, Aug. 4

- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Tennis Lessons for girls 7 to 17, Tennis Courts, rear of Charlestown High School Athletic Facility, Terminal Street

Wednesday, Aug. 5

- 10 a.m. to noon — Boston Police Community Relations Office Hours, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
- 4 p.m. — Summer Reading Olympiad, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Tennis Lessons for boys and girls 7 to 17, Tennis Courts, rear of Charlestown High School Athletic Facility, Terminal Street

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Upcoming Events

Thursday, Aug. 6

- 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
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Tennis Lessons for boys 7 to 17, Tennis Courts, rear of Charlestown High School Athletic Facility, Terminal Street

Friday, Aug. 7

- 6 p.m. — Charity Softball Game to benefit Camp Bunker Hill with the Camp Bunker Hill Staff vs. the Camp Bunker Hill Associates, Barry Field, Medford and Chelsea streets

Saturday, Aug. 8

- 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Charlestown Recycling Drop-off Center open, in rear of former Front Page restaurant, Bunker Hill Mall

Sunday, Aug. 9

- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Monday, Aug. 10

- 1 to 3 p.m. — Fun on Wheels Van with sports, athletics, games and arts & crafts for children 15 and under, Doherty Playground, Bunker Hill Street

Tuesday, Aug. 11

- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Tennis Lessons for girls 7 to 17, Tennis Courts, rear of Charlestown High School Athletic Facility, Terminal Street

Wednesday, Aug. 12

- 4 p.m. — Summer Reading Olympiad, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 5 to 7 p.m. — Boston Police Community Relations 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)
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Tennis Lessons for boys and girls 7 to 17, Tennis Courts, rear of Charlestown High School Athletic Facility, Terminal Street

Plan Ahead

Saturday, Aug. 15

- 11 a.m. — 11th Annual Horseshoe Tournament, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street (For information, call Steve Brennan at 635-5173)
- 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force 11th Annual Carnival and Cook Out, The Cage, behind St. Catherine's School

Sunday, Sept. 13

- 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. — Craft Fair, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, Oct. 9

- 8 p.m. — Charlestown Crusaders Football Team Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Nov. 28

- 6:30 p.m. — Majestic Knights Drum Corps Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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Dr. Burke Announces Opening Of Charlestown Chiropractic

by **Kathy Giordano**
Dr. Dennis F. Burke announces the Aug. 3 opening of his new office, Charlestown Chiropractic, at 303 Main St., Charlestown.

Charlestown Chiropractic is a family practice based on the science that good health is related to a properly functioning nervous system that is free of any spinal misalignments.

Burke stated: "It is important to have the spine checked as early as infancy due to the trauma and stress of childbirth. As a person grows, the stress and strains of childhood — learning to walk, falling down and rough play — make it wise to have the spinal column checked." He also noted that the importance of

spinal care includes teenagers being checked for

signs of scoliosis. "As a person ages," he



DR. DENNIS BURKE announces the opening of his practice, Charlestown Chiropractic, at 303 Main St. on Aug. 3.

added, "degeneration of the spine can result from stress, accidents, twists and strains — all affecting the well being of the patient. Prevention is the key. Chiropractic is more than having the spine adjusted, it's a whole way of life encompassing exercise and diet."

According to Burke, chiropractic is the second largest primary health care profession in the United States. "With rising health care costs, it is becoming utilized more as an effective health maintenance choice. When the spine is in misalignment, the chiropractor uses special procedures to gently realign the vertebra," he noted.

Burke is no stranger to
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Bunker Hill Post 26, A.L. Wins Awards At State Convention

Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, was recently cited at the Legion's State Convention in Marlborough by both the Department (State) Community Service Program Committee and the Americanism Program Committee for its outstanding work during the period of May 1, 1991 to April 30, 1992.

Bunker Hill Post, one of over 400 Legion posts in the Department of Massachusetts, was judged by the Americanism Committee as the second-place winner and was awarded the Mary F. Larkin Memorial Trophy and plaque. The post placed third in the Community Service judging and was awarded the Community Service Committee Plaque.

Charlestown's local Legion post was congratulated by Department Commander Joseph Cremens for its excellent record of not only publicly supporting the remembrance of Veterans Day, Memorial Day, Bunker Hill Day and other patriotic holidays, but its sponsorship of school educational programs, scholarships, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, R.O.T.C. awards, candidates to Boys State and Girls State, youth sports teams and programs benefiting needy veterans and the elderly.

Cremens concluded his remarks by presenting the Mary Larkin Memorial Trophy to Post 26 Commander James W. Conway, stating: "Jim, you can be proud of Bunker Hill Post



THE MARY F. LARKIN Memorial Trophy for second place in the Department of Massachusetts, The American Legion, Americanism Committee judging was presented to Bunker Hill Post 26 at the recent State Convention. Shown (l. to r.) Department Commander Joseph Cremens, Post 26 Commander Jim Conway and Past National Commander John P. "Jake" Comer.



THE COMMUNITY SERVICE third-place plaque was awarded to Bunker Hill Post 26 at the recent State Legion Convention. Shown (l. to r.) Department Commander Joseph Cremens, Post 26 Commander Jim Conway and Department Vice Commander and Community Service Committee Chairman John Lutinski.

and its record of achievement."

Department Vice Commander and Community Service Committee Chairman John Lutinski presented the Community Service Committee Plaque to Conway.

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Carolyn Sideman
and
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It's A Boy . . .

Maureen and William Wood of Charlestown are pleased to announce the birth of their first child and son William Chester Wood III on July 15 at Beth Israel Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

The maternal grandparents are Vicki Bonneau and the late Paul Bonneau of Somerville.

The paternal grandparents are Marion and William Wood of Charlestown.

William III was welcomed home by all his aunts, uncles and cousins.

 **Happy 1st Birthday**
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Married Recently



MR. and MRS. JOSEPH LAHIFF

Kelly Howell, daughter of Linda and Paul Howell of Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown, was united in marriage to Joseph Lahiff, son of Eleanor and John Lahiff of Lexington. The wedding took place on June 27 at St. Francis de Sales Church, Charlestown, with Rev. Daniel J. Mahoney, pastor, officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

A reception followed the ceremony at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Charlestown.

The maid of honor was Mary Howell, sister of the bride. The bridesmaids were Linda Howell, sister of the bride; Susan MacNeil; Joelle Keucharian; Patricia Ryan; and Michelle, Christine and Patricia Lahiff, sisters of the groom.

The flower girl was Jenny MacNeil and the ring bearer was Ryan Buckley Howell.

The best man was Wayne Sennott. The ushers were Brian Hoiseth, Brian Looney, Bob Basile and Paul and Brian Howell, brothers of the bride.



During the service, readings were offered by Sister Frances King, aunt of the bride, from Newfoundland, and Theresa Buckley from Arizona.

Mrs. Lahiff is a graduate of Christopher Columbus Hill School and Bunker Hill Community College with a major in nursing. She is employed as a nursing supervisor in the Boston area.

Mr. Lahiff, who is a graduate of Lexington High School, is a police officer with the Lexington Police Department.




Following a wedding trip to the French Riviera, Mr. and Mrs. Lahiff are residing in Charlestown.

Happy Birthday on August 5th
DAD
Love, Your Little Girl . . . **Rosetta**

Congratulations . . . DAD
on your second anniversary Aug. 4
Love . . .
Kymerly, Bobby, Geno & Kelleigh-Anne

Happy 13th Birthday
NICK
on July 30th
Love,
Ma, Dad and Ali

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Happy 13th Birthday
JENNIFER
July 27th
You're loved a lot!
Love . . . **Ma**



Not For Nothin' . . . But Have You Heard . . .



• **A Fund Raiser For Fire Victims . . .** will take place this Saturday, Aug. 1st, at the Knights of Columbus Hall from 8 p.m. 'till midnight. The event will help out the Davis family who were burnt out of their Bunker Hill Street home on July 19th. Admission is only \$10. Tickets will be sold at the door, or you can contact Paula Greateorex at 242-2024, Shirley Doris at 242-3804, Maureen Stillman at 242-4777 or Claire Lynch at 242-4962 . . . Please give a hand to Pauline Davis and her family in true "Townie" fashion.

• **Sure 'n They're Off To The Ole Sod . . .** 32 hearty Townies began their tour of Ireland this past Monday evening. All are part of the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee's 10th annual trip to Charlestown, County Mayo for the Western Rose Festival. Charlestown Mayor Pat Harty and Charlestown Rose Shannon Kiely are leading the tour, which we're sure will prove to be most memorable.

• **Tune In . . .** cable channel 3 on Friday, July 31st at 8 p.m. and view the 1991 Friends of John Boyle O'Reilly Scholarship Awards Night ceremonies. The 20-minute segment will be aired during the "Ireland On The Move" show, hosted by Tom Clifford.

• **Tip 'O The Hat . . .** for a job well done to the Red Shirts from Tom Donahue . . . Tom says that through the efforts of these Charlestown teens, special DPW projects have been completed. He compliments Bobby Smith, Paul Collins and Billy Boyle for their leadership and the hard work of their crews . . . Thanks from Tom — and the residents of Charlestown who benefit from the hard work of their kids!

• **A Big "Howdy" . . .** goes out to Yellowstone National Park to Beth Rinaldi — with a word to the wise . . . "Hold onto that hat, Beth!"

• **Birthday Celebrants . . .** this week include . . . today (July 30th), Nick Cunha becomes a teen-ager . . . Aug. 2nd will see Shaun Michael Patrick Walsh turn 1 year old . . . Aug. 4th will be shared by Sen. Tom Birmingham, Kathy Hickey, Donna Hartung and James E. Duffy (his 82nd) . . . Aug. 5th is Linda Flanagan's special day . . . and Monument Properties Real Estate office will be singing that old familiar tune to Carolyn Sideman this week . . . Have a wonderful year, each and all!

• **Special Birthday Wishes . . .** go out to former Charlestown Mayor Claire Lynch who turns 50 on July 31st . . . Word has it that 200 of her closest and dearest friends gathered recently at the K. of C. to toast the occasion . . . Have a great year, Claire!

• **North End Feast . . .** this weekend will honor St. Agrippina. Festivities will take place on Hanover Street between Charter and Commercial streets from Friday, July 31 through Sunday, Aug. 2. For more info, call 723-9667.

• **What A Splash(er) . . .** Jim Barker made in the Thompson Square pool a few weeks ago! It only took him eight years to get his feet wet, but all hope that he enjoyed it and will come again soon to bask in the fun!

• **Historic Trivia . . .** 500 years ago on Aug. 3rd, Christopher Columbus departed from Spain for his historic "cruise" . . . One hundred years ago on Aug. 4th, the story has it that "Lizzie Borden took an axe and gave her mother 40 whacks! When she saw what she had done, she gave her father 41!"

• **Helpful Hint . . .** Corn silk can be removed more easily with the aid of a damp toothbrush.

• **Tuesday, Aug. 4th . . .** marks the ninth annual National Night Out, a celebration of the power of the neighborhood crime watch program . . . Get out and meet your neighbors!

• **Concerts, Concerts, Concerts . . .** happening around Boston and all FREE to enjoy . . . On Saturday, Aug. 1st, the Oldies 103 Saturday Night Concert on City Hall Plaza will feature Brenda Lee. The performance begins at 7 p.m. . . . Three concerts are offered on Aug. 5th. From noon to 1:30 p.m. at Downtown Crossing/Summer Stage, you'll hear old-time fiddle music by the Poodles; between 12:15 and 1:15 p.m. at South Station, the Jazz It Up! series will present The Rob Levit Group; and at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall Plaza, the Count Basie Orchestra will perform . . . Best to bring your own chair/blanket . . . and enjoy!

• **Save The Date . . .** Friday, Aug. 7 . . . when the staff and associates of Camp Bunker Hill meet at the Barry Field on Medford Street at 6 p.m. for a benefit softball game. It promises to be great fun . . . and will help a worthwhile cause!

• **We Close This Week . . .** with two special notes of appreciation to . . . Jimmy Hall for the beautiful plant . . . and to Officer Joe McNulty who took that extra effort to make the ladies at the Patriot feel a part of the Tall Ships visit . . . We certainly appreciate your thoughtfulness, fellas!

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stated: "The D & I will allow the public to see more of the 194-year-old frigate than ever before, including the copper-sheathed hull which is normally under water."

The Navy, the USS Constitution Museum and the National Park Service will offer a variety of exhibits and programs to add to this once-in-a-generation experience.

"Old Ironsides," nicknamed because of the strength of her wooden sides, is one of six ships ordered built by President George Washington as the first vessels in the U.S. Navy. Designed by Joshua Humphreys, who was aided by Josiah Fox, she was built at the Edmund Hartt Shipyard in Boston's North End.

The ship's keel was laid

in 1794 and she was launched on Oct. 21, 1797. Including guns and equipment, the total cost for the vessel in 1797 was \$302,718.84.

Constitution left Boston for her first voyage on July 22, 1798 with a crew of 450. She last sailed as a training ship for apprentices between 1878 and 1880. Today, she carries a crew of 50 men and women.

The ship has received six previous overhauls. The first was between 1833 and 1835 in the newly constructed Dry Dock I in the Charlestown Navy Yard. During the period of 1857 to 1860 she was outfitted as a school ship at Portsmouth, N.H. Between 1874 and 1876 she received repairs in Philadelphia for the nation's Centennial celebration in 1876.

The roof that had transformed Constitution into a

barracks in 1860 was removed in 1906. She was restored to her 1812 configuration during an overhaul in 1927 through 1931 with the famous "pennies campaign." This campaign saw schoolchildren from around the country donate their pennies in support of the work.

Constitution's last overhaul took place between 1973 and 1976 in preparation for the nation's Bicentennial celebration.

The main emphasis of the overhaul in the upcoming months will be a thorough inspection to determine the ship's condition. Special attention will be given to the hull and its supporting structure. The findings of the inspection will be addressed in a more comprehensive maintenance and repair period to begin after 1997.

In addition, a few repairs will be made during the D & I, including the replacement of the bottom two-thirds of all three masts, all of the rigging, 30 percent of the copper on her hull, and several wooden beams and knees on the gun deck.

The first phase of the D & I, from July 16 through Sept. 25, will have one main objective: to make the ship as light as possible in preparation for her move into the dry dock. During this phase, all the rigging, the bowsprit and her three masts will be taken down, and all 52 cannons will be removed, including the 20 carronades from the spar deck and 32 long guns from the gun deck. The cannons will be lifted from the deck by a crane.

Any artifacts removed from the ship will be placed in storage or displayed at the USS Constitution Museum and by the National Park Service at the Boston National Historical Park in the Navy Yard.

At the same time, work

crews will be reefing and recaulking the seams between the planks on the outside of her hull, from the top of the copper up to the top of the bulwarks. Reefing is the process of cleaning out the seams; caulking is the refilling of these spaces with a watertight agent. Reefing and caulking work will continue into phase two.

Installation of internal shoring to support Constitution will also be done during the dry-docking phase, and final testing will be conducted in the preparation of Dry Dock 1.

At high tide on Sept. 25, the ship will be carefully maneuvered onto the keel blocks in Dry Dock 1 where she will rest for approximately 13 months. She will come out of dry dock in the fall of 1993, and work will be completed by the end of that year.

Tours of the ship's spar deck will be available year-round, as much as possible. At some times, safety concerns will preclude public access onto the ship, but good views of the work-in-progress will be available from the pier, from an elevated walkway to be installed alongside the dry dock and from the USS Constitution Museum's second floor.

In October, the Navy will install bleachers at the end of the dry dock for comfortable public viewing. Guid-

ed tours by Constitution crew members will continue either on the deck or from the pier.

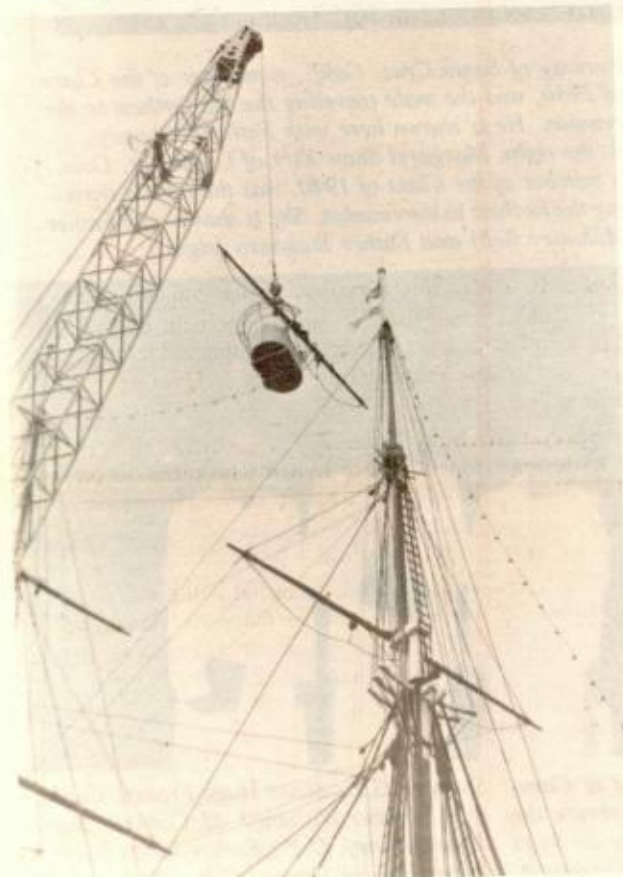
Amirault said: "I can promise our visitors that the Constitution experience

will be more exciting than ever over the next 18 months, and I encourage everyone to come out and witness this historic process, which only happens every few decades."



THE ROYAL MIZZEN YARD is examined shortly after being removed from "USS Constitution" as part of drydocking and inspection program. Shown (l. to r.) Ellen Kraft, executive director, USS Constitution Museum; Patrick Moscaritolo, president, Greater Boston Convention and Visitors Bureau; John Benjamin, acting superintendent, Boston National Historic Park; and Cmdr. Richard Amirault, commanding officer of "USS Constitution."

(photo by Kathy Giordano)



ROYAL MIZZEN YARD is removed from "USS Constitution" as the first step in the drydocking and inspection of the U.S. Naval ship. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

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St. Francis de Sales School Celebrates Jubilee 100 With Gala Banquet At Caruso's Diplomat

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SEVERAL GRADUATES of St. Francis de Sales School were honored at the banquet marking the 100th anniversary of the school.

TOP ROW: At the left, Cornelius O'Brien, a member of the Class of 1912, was honored as the male graduate from the earliest class of the school present at the dinner. Shown (l. to r.) Father John Stagnaro, principal of St. Francis de Sales School; Marge Johnson, O'Brien's daughter; O'Brien; and Father Daniel J. Mahoney, pastor of St. Francis de Sales Parish. . . . In the center, Ruth Condon Thompson, a member of the Class of 1921, was honored as the female graduate from the earliest class of the school present. Shown (l. to r.) Father Mahoney, Thompson and her daughter Sister Mary Elizabeth. . . . On the right, Suzanne Delaney and Denise Kelly, members of



the Class of 1982, represented the most recent female graduates. Shown (l. to r.) Father Stagnaro, Delaney, Kelly and Father Mahoney. **BOTTOM ROW:** At the left, Edward O'Connell, a member of the Class of 1978, represented the most recent male graduates. Shown (l. to r.) Father Stagnaro, O'Connell and Father Mahoney. . . . In the center, Lester

Furlong of Santa Cruz, Calif., a member of the Class of 1930, was the male traveling the the farthest to the reunion. He is shown here with Father Mahoney. . . . At the right, Margaret Shaw Kirk of Longmont, Colo., a member of the Class of 1940, was the female traveling the farthest to the reunion. She is shown with Father Mahoney (left) and Father Stagnaro (right).

The gala Jubilee 100 Reunion Dinner and Dance for St. Francis de Sales School was held recently at Caruso's Diplomat in Saugus with over 800 in attendance.

Among those present were Bishop John H. Mulcahy, Auxiliary Bishop of Boston, priests, religious, present and past faculty, alumni, parishioners and friends of the school. Martin Pierce Sr., a graduate of the school, was the master of ceremonies.

Presentations were made to those alumni from the

earliest graduating class who were in attendance. They were Ruth Condon Thompson from the Class of 1921 and Cornelius O'Brien from the Class of 1912.

Also recognized were alumni from the most recent graduating class in attendance, Denise Kelly and Suzanne Delaney from the Class of 1982 and Edward O'Connell from the Class of 1978.

Presentations were made to the alumni who traveled the farthest to attend the Jubilee 100 Reunion —

Margaret Shaw Kirk, Class of 1940, who came from Longmont, Colo., and Lester Furlong, Class of 1930, who journeyed from Santa Cruz, Calif.

The final presentation of the evening was made to Father Daniel J. Mahoney, pastor, by Father Emilio S. Lobo on behalf of the Jubilee 100 Committee, in appreciation for his continuing dedication to the parish and the school.

Music and entertainment for the event was provided by Dick McManus and the Irish Revolution.



HEADTABLE GUESTS gathered at Caruso's Diplomat in Saugus to celebrate the 100th anniversary of St. Francis de Sales School. Shown (l. to r.) Father Thomas A. Navien; Martin Pierce Sr., master of ceremonies; Bishop John J. Mulcahy, D.D., Auxiliary Bishop of Boston; Father John J.

Spencer, S.J.; Sister Hugh Francis Carey, O.P.; Father William J. McConnell; Sister Jean Delaney, O.P.; Father James Braley; Sister Deidre Cotter, O.P.; Father John Stagnaro, principal; and Father Daniel J. Mahoney, pastor.





Massport To Develop Revere Sugar Buffer Zone With MWRA And Residents

(continued from page one) to do so," said Peter Looney, chairman of the CNC. "They've been responsive to us in the past and we thought that, since they're the MWRA's landlord, they might be able to help us out at Revere Sugar."

After a number of meetings, and at the urging of the community and Massport, the MWRA agreed to increase its landscaping commitment from \$10,000 to \$30,000. Massport will provide at least matching funds and, through its as-

sumption of administrative control of the project, will solicit community input.

Although the specific details have yet to be determined, a variety of landscaping and beautification elements will be employed toward sheltering and sepa-

rating neighborhood residents from commercial activities on Medford Street. Massport and the MWRA will be working

closely with the Charlestown Neighborhood Council as well as the 60 abutters who signed a petition requesting Massport's par-

ticipation. Meetings are expected to begin in the fall, with project completion anticipated in approximately one year.

National Park Service Presents Tours Of The Commandant's House

On Sundays, Aug. 2, 16 and 30, the Boston National Historical Park will offer a special tour of the Commandant's House in the Charlestown Navy Yard. The 50-minute tours are free and will depart from

the Charlestown Navy Yard visitor information center in Building 5, next to USS Cassin Young, at 12:30, 1:30 and 2:30 p.m.


The tours will highlight the architecture of the Federalist-period Georgian

structure and the prominent role which the Navy Yard Commandants played in Charlestown society. Participants will have to climb two flights of stairs.

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*A butterfly is a pretty thing
And the honey bees are out to sting.
Mother Nature was never a fool
But it's not the same without you.*

*The lovebirds sing, the church bells ring
Hear the ice cream truck go "Ding-a-Ling."
When we think of you, we melt in two
Because, Joe, you were so beautiful.*

*A year gone by, a lonely cry
As we remember a hell of a guy.
A brother who was loyal and true
Joe, it's not the same without you.*

— by Ronnie Doe

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State Highway Department Conducts Tour Of CANA Project

by **Kathy Giordano**
 Massachusetts Highway Department Commissioner James Kerasiotes last week extended an invitation to members of the North Area Task Force (NATF) and officials representing state and city agencies to tour the Central Artery/North Area roadway reconstruction project. The two-hour tour revealed the inner workings of two tunnel ventilation towers and the nearly completed tunnels under City Square.

Like many who were in attendance, he has worked long and hard to ensure that Charlestown's voice has been ever present during CANA construction. Having seen the progress made on the CANA project and reflecting back on all that Charlestown has experienced, Voke said he is truly pleased with the results. "More than anything else, this project is a great testament to Charlestown and its people," Voke stated. "From lobbying to get the project scheduled for funding, to the hundreds of community meetings,

through the years of construction, to this point, this project, like none before it, has had a distinctive local flavor. The people of Charlestown, therefore, should be very proud of what they have accomplished," Voke stated. Ken Stone, NATF co-chairman, stated: "Ten years ago today, we had lost this project from the federal government. Some 5,000 Charlestown signatures were gathered and resulted in bringing the project back to Charlestown." He added: "The project was brought forward through the efforts

of Rep. Voke." Stone thanked Voke for his assistance on behalf of the NATF and the community of Charlestown. Voke answered: "Although, at times, the road ahead has been unclear, one constant has remained unshaken throughout the entire CANA project, that being the tremendous commitment the people of Charlestown have made to make this project reflect positively on their community. To their credit, this goal has been achieved." Voke has been instrumental in bringing benefits back

to the community in relation to the CANA project. Chief among those benefits has been the securing of funds to establish ambulance service out of Sullivan Square for the project's duration, to locate a water shuttle in the Charlestown Navy Yard that goes to Long Wharf and to provide for a park to be built in City Square after the completion of the CANA project. Voke concluded: "I have been truly fortunate to have joined arms with so many dedicated local people to make this project work for Charlestown. It is for those

selfless people that I am most pleased because I know how tirelessly the NATF and other groups and individuals have given of themselves. Now that we can literally 'see a light at the end of the tunnel,' I know many more well-deserved accolades will be paid to the people of Charlestown for the first-class manner in which they have set such a lofty standard for community interaction." CANA Coordinator Ed Barr stated that the tunnels are expected to be completed and open to traffic in the spring of 1993.



MEMBERS of the North Area Task Force and state and city officials were recently taken on a tour of the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) ventilation buildings and tunnels.

TOP ROW: At the left, officials lead the tour of the CANA tunnels. Shown (l. to r.) CA/T Mitigation Planner Peter Smith, CANA Coordinator Ed Barr, North Area Task Force Co-Chairman Ken Stone, Rep. Richard A. Voke, Mass. Highway Commissioner James Kerasiotes, CANA Resident Engineer Bill Rogers, Boston Transportation Department (BTD) Commissioner Richard Dimino and CANA Resident Engineer Tony Petronio . . . In the center, city officials tour the CANA tunnels. Shown (l. to r.) Jim Mansfield, BTD director of community affairs; Judy Evers, Charlestown community liaison, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services; Sal Mattina, BTD Central Artery liaison; and Karen Anderson, BTD staff director . . . On the right, North Area Task Force members join representatives from state and city departments to tour the CANA tunnels.

SECOND ROW: On the left, tunnel construction is nearing completion at the CANA City Square connections to



the Central Artery project . . . At the right is the CANA tunnel entrance from the Tobin Bridge, Route 1. **BOTTOM ROW:** At the left is the computerized tunnel emergency control system located underground in one of the CANA ventilation towers . . . On the right is a view



of the Tobin Bridge tunnel connection which is near completion. Lowney Way can be seen on the left with Chelsea Street shown beneath the temporary bridge off-ramp on the right.

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Charlestown Kiwanis Club Sponsors Boys & Girls Club Awards Night

The Kiwanis Club of Charlestown recently hosted the annual Awards Night at the Boys & Girls Club. Over 100 young boys and girls were recognized by Kiwanis for their outstanding achievements at the club this past year. The guest speaker was Dave Cowens who inspired the young awardees with his words.

Some of the young people excelled in sports, others in the arts, and still others in educational activities. Many demonstrated outstanding leadership qualities and were able to contribute to the club and their fellow club members in ways that deserved recognition. All of them are examples of what's good about our town and they deserve congratulations.

The staff of the club would like to thank Charlestown Kiwanis for its participation and contribution to this event. Also contributing to the occasion were H.P. Hood and Bunker Hill Florist.

Award recipients were:

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Timothy Brennan
Meghan Buckley
Eryn Burke
Meaghan Burke
John Burns
Dave Bryson
Ashley Carr
Bridgette Chaisson
Chris Chiampa
Krystin Cormier
Brian Dacey
Kevin Dacey
Timothy Dacey
Michelle Davidcheck
Aileen Doherty
Angelina Felix
J.R. Felix
Jimmy Garvey
John Garvey
Kathryn Garvey
Candace Griffin
Corey Hollien
Paul Hollien
Paul Johnson
Mike Kowalczyk
Fallon Leonard
Christina Lewey
Lauren Mansfield
Amy Montgomery
Ashley Murphy
Charlene O'Brien
David O'Brien
Lauren-Kate O'Hearn
Ann Marie Ortega

Danny Ortega
Michelle O'Neil
Shawna O'Neil
Sean Poliskey
Sarah Rolinson
Andrew Southern
Allison Stanford
Judy Smith
John Sweeney
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Sheila Sweeney

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David Brady
Kairsten Burke
Arthur Cameron
Chris Connors

Matt Ezekiel
Pat Gould
Nicole Lunt
Michelle McLaughlin
Jacque Neff
Lesley Southern

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Paul Blaikie
John Burke
Kelly Burke
Kevin Daniels
Paul Daniels
Marc Duffy
John Fabiano
Aileen Gorman
Joe Harrington

Matthew Hickey
Timmy Hickey
Eddie Kelly
Jackie Kelly
Michael Kelly
John Lillis
Brian McCrary
John Murphy

Danny Noonan
Sean Noonan
Ray Ortiz
Mike Reid
Craig Shea
Anthony Sorrentino
Erin Weafer
Joe Wilkins



KENNY HAYES was this year's recipient of the Paul Jackson Award presented by the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club at its annual Award Night. Hayes, a senior clubhouse member, has shown extraordinary dedication to the club during his many years of membership. The award is named after Paul Jackson who served at the clubhouse from 1960 to 1987. Jackson's dedication to the club and the boys and girls of Charlestown will be remembered through this award. Shown with Hayes are former Boston Celtic Dave Cowens (left), the guest speaker, and Clubhouse Director Jerry Steimel (right).



COREY GALLAGHER was the recipient of the Thomas J. Lipton Award for Sportsmanship presented at the recent Charlestown Boys & Girls Club Awards Night. This award, sponsored by the Boys Clubs of America and Thomas J. Lipton Inc., recognized Gallagher for the outstanding sportsmanship she has demonstrated in her activities at the club. The award is a 12-inch bronze statuette of Sir Thomas Lipton, the famed sportsman who founded the World Cup Soccer Tournament, and is renowned for the good sportsmanship he displayed in five unsuccessful attempts to win the coveted America's Cup in sailing. The criteria considered in making this award are fraternity, integrity, courage, perseverance and challenge. Shown with Gallagher is basketball great Dave Cowens.



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or \$10 per person.

Registration will be at the park. For more information, see Steve "Bimba" Brennan at the park or call 635-5173.

BOB D'S BEAT

by

Bob DeCristoforo

■ **Bunker Hill Junior Basketball** . . . Thanks to the efforts of our Summerworks ABCD staff, 45 youngsters 13 and under are able to participate in the Bunker Hill Junior Basketball League on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. League staff members are Billy Barends, Tommy Gould, Mark Shean, Jimmy Yandle and Andrew Ray.

League participants include Joe Tallent, Joe Brennan, Dom Tamburello, Chris Tamburello, Mark Kempton, Francis MacDougall, Tim Warren, Greg Poole, Ricky Evers, Brian Houlihan, Bobby Yandle, Bobby Celata, Joe Burns, Mike Larson, Jimmy Donovan, Thai Tu, Mike O'Neil, Mark Doe, Mike Dole, Corey Hollien, Bonnie O'Leary, Kathie O'Leary, Shannel Auch, Jay Souza, Janelle Ortiz, Pat Dole, Todd Tu, Timmy McLaughlin, John Livingston, David Hurley, Mike Carroll, Timmy Monaco and Ben Burnett.

■ **Girls BNBL "Sweep"** . . . Charlestown hopes to clinch a playoff spot this week in the BNBL. Last week, our girls won all three games, upping their record to 5-3. Teagan Leonard is now a member of the team.

■ **Rock Hill Basketball** . . . Charlestown Pride defeated first-place Lavey's Giants on Sunday, knocking them from the undefeated ranks. This Sunday, we play Bezema Oil at 8 p.m.

■ **Eastern Football League** . . . The Charlestown Townies were defeated by Hyde Park on Saturday 27-20. This week the Townies travel to Rhode Island.

The EFL standings are: Middleboro 3-0-0, Randolph 3-0-0, Marlboro 2-1-0, Methuen 2-1-0, Medway 1-1-0, Hockomock 1-1-0, Rhode Island 1-2-0, Hyde Park 1-2-0, Charlestown 0-2-0, Maine 0-2-0 and Maine L/A 0-2-0.

■ **Rookie Ball Schedule — Monday, Aug. 3** . . . 10 a.m. - Boys & Girls Club (1) vs. Day Care 10:45 a.m. - Boys & Girls Club (2) vs. Bunker Hill 11:30 a.m. - Day Camp vs. Rookies

Members of the Kennedy Center Day Care team are: Billy Durette, Cailin Durette, Stacy Ainsley, Andrew Shea, Stephanie Saccardo, Thuong Duong, Carol Duong, Casey Dolaher, Courtney Schievink, Chris Schievink, Jillian Boyden, Patrick Kelly, Erin McIsaac, Frankie McPherson, Jarrid Ortiz, Nicole Ricchetti, Allison Sargent and Shannon Walsh. The coach is Paul Allwood.

■ **BNBL Notebook** . . . 19-and-under Standings: Eldersaldos 9-1, Funky C 6-3, Jack Rabbits 5-5, Newtown 3-7 and Monument Street 1-8.

15-and-under Standings: Furley 8-0, Cage 6-2, Chase 5-3, Toe Cheese 3-5, Much Murray 2-6 and Macker's Revenge 0-6.

■ **Project Discovery** . . . "Ask not what your country can do for you, ask what you can do for your country." The words of the young President echoed across the screen, and they seem just as relevant now as they did on that cold January day. "The Life and Times of President Kennedy" certainly came alive for the Charlestown teens who visited the Kennedy Library during the week as part of our Project Discovery program here at Bunker Hill. Participants were Mark Shean, Andrew Ray, Jimmy Yandle and Tommy Gould.

■ **Tom Yawkey Baseball** . . . Charlestown hopes to clinch a playoff spot in the Rivera Division this week as the regular season nears an end. Going into the week, the standings are: Al Thomas 16-5-1, Avi Nelson 14-8-0, Charlestown 13-9-0, McKay Club 12-9-0, ADSL 11-10-0, Cambridge 9-12-0, Shamrocks 5-16-1 and Powder House 5-17-0.

■ **Harbor Cruise Success** . . . Some 49 "Townies" accompanied Father Ron Coyne on the recent CYO Harbor Cruise. St. Catherine's joined about 1,000 other teens from parishes throughout the Archdiocese for a great evening of cool breezes and dancing.

Among the participants were: Mike Erardi, Billy Barends, Dede Arroyo, Paul Allen, Andrew Ray, Chris Finlay, Jeff Houlihan, Michael Carroll, Leslie Gould, Jim Yandle, Mark Shean, Leo Wright, Jimmy Tallent, Tom McDonough, Walter Egleston, Brenden Houlihan, Jimmy Saccardo, Greg Staples, Jimmy Carroll, Shannon McLaughlin, Tommy Whalan, Brian Wadman, Vinny Tamburello, Christina Poole, Nicole DeRoeve, Desirae Eatherton, Jill Doherty, April Locke, Kathrin Houlihan and Brian Houlihan.

The Charlestown team, made of up 10-year-old Charlestown Little League players, is competing in the South Boston Double Elimination Mayor's Cup Tournament.

As of July 26, Charlestown's record is three wins and one loss. Charlestown will be playing Cedar Grove on either July 30 or July 31 at 6 p.m. at Columbus Park in South Boston. The winner of this game will play Hyde Park in the finals on Saturday, Aug. 1 at a time yet to be determined.

Members of the team include: Fred Arroyo, Zach Brennan, Brian Burke, Ian Burke, Bob Celata, Tim Dacey, Marc Duffy, Jeff Fidler, Andy Grzelyck, Pat Kane, Ryan Mainey, Scott Moses, Philip O'Neil, Phillip O'Neil and Joe Roche.

Game 1, July 18
Charlestown 11 - Savin Hill 5

The winning pitcher, Tim Dacey, had 12 strikeouts. The offensive team effort was led by Fred Arroyo and Joe Roche with two hits each. The defensive play of the game was turned in by second baseman Ryan Mainey.

Game 2, July 19
Hyde Park 3 - Charlestown 2

In a well-pitched tough loss, Bob Celata threw a three-hitter and recorded 12 strikeouts. Charlestown was able to collect only four hits against a pitcher named "Bunker." There was a sparkling catch of a line

drive by first baseman Joe Roche.

Game 3, July 25
Charlestown 10 - South Boston 8

The winning pitcher, Tim Dacey, hung tough with six strikeouts. Dacey was backed up by the strong offensive support of Joe Roche, who had four hits, Jeff Fidler, who had three hits, and by Fred Arroyo, Bob Celata and Ian Burke who each had two hits. First baseman Celata and center fielder Roche sparked defensively.

Game 4, July 26

Charlestown Little League Team In South Boston Mayor's Cup Tourney

Charlestown 6 - Savin Hill 2

Charlestown again played a tough Savin Hill team with winning pitcher Bob Celata, in a great effort, again recording 12 strikeouts while allowing just four hits. Offensively, Fred Arroyo, Jeff Fidler and Zach Brennan each had two hits. Brennan drove in two key runs as did Ryan Mainey who struck in a timely hit. It was Phillip O'Neil's big hit that drove in the winning run. It was a great team effort defensively, especially the final out from

catcher Arroyo to third baseman Philip O'Neil.

The team, which is managed by Lester Boyce and coached by Joe Roche, Tim Dacey and Kevin Connolly, has been practicing and playing hard in the July heat. The staff thanks the players and their parents for giving their time and effort, especially during the vacation season.

As Boyce says: "I am in my 25th year of Little League and still enjoy it very much. I hope we had some fun along the way in this tournament."

Congratulate Gold Medal Winner



BHA JAMBOREE: Approximately 500 young people from Boston Housing Authority Developments across the city participated in a day-long sports jamboree on July 18 at White Stadium in Franklin Park. Shown (l. to r.) at the events congratulating the local gold medalist are Bill McGonagle, BHA deputy administrator; David Cortiella, BHA

administrator; Milton Cole, BHA superintendent of Crime Prevention; Jim Saccardo, a resident of the Bunker Hill Housing Development and a Gold Medal Winner at the event; and Bobby DeCristoforo, BHA youth worker at the Bunker Hill Housing Development.

Courageous Sailing Program Underway At Charlestown Navy Yard

Come sail historic Boston Harbor with the Boston Parks and Recreation Department aboard the **Courageous**, a two-time America's Cup winner, donated to the city of Boston in 1986.

Each summer, more than 10,000 youths participate in the Courageous for Kids Sailing Program, co-operated by the Boston Parks and Recreation Department and

the Courageous Sailing Center.

Water instruction and classroom sessions provide young sailors with basic skills, boating safety tips and rules of the sea.

The program is free to all Boston residents, ages 8 to 20, and operates out of the Charlestown Navy Yard Pier 4. The sailing program continues through Aug. 28.

Don Bosco Lettermen Enroll In Colleges

Four Charlestown senior lettermen at Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston have enrolled at colleges or universities for the fall semester.

The athletes, the sports they participated in and the institutions they will enter are: Paul Tibbetts of 46 Cook St., hockey co-captain, will attend Stonehill College in North Easton;

Todd Fisher of 17 Corey St., hockey, and Fran Coleman of 10 Lawrence St., cross country tri-captain, indoor track captain and spring track and field tri-captain, both will attend Northeastern University; and Mike Lyons of 7 Walker St., football, indoor track, spring track and field, will enter UMass/Boston.

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★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★

Friday, July 31

10 a.m. - Arts and Crafts, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Monday, Aug. 3

10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Tuesday, Aug. 4

10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
10 a.m. - Sunshine Club, Senior lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

Wednesday, Aug. 5

9:30 a.m. - Hampton Beach Trip
9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Anchorage Apartments
10 a.m. - Crochet, Arts & Crafts and Seniorobics, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Thursday, Aug. 6

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop bus, Senior Lounge, Constitution Co-op Apts. and Golden Age
10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

★ UPCOMING TRIPS ★

• **Vanity Fair Trip** — Thursday, Oct. 22. The cost is \$22.50 and includes transportation and lunch at the Hawthorne Country Club with a choice of schrod or chicken.

For more information on senior activities, home-maker services or transportation, contact Judi Meaney, director of Senior Services, at 241-8866.

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KIT CLARK SENIOR LUNCH PROGRAM

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Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill St.

July 31 - Aug. 6

Friday — Tuna salad, lettuce and tomato, three-bean salad, mixed fruit

Monday — Sloppy Joe, corn, green beans, fresh fruit

Tuesday — Chicken salad, potato salad, sliced tomato, cookies

Wednesday — Swedish meatballs, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, pears

Thursday — Honey-glazed chicken breast, oven-browned potatoes, carrots, pineapple

Bread, margarine and milk served with all meals.

Ida Moore Dies In California

Ida W. Moore, a long-time resident of Charlestown, died in Glendora, Calif. on July 9 at the age of 94.

Mrs. Moore was born on March 31, 1898 in Haverhill and spent most of her adult life in Charlestown. She leaves her son Edward and his wife Marie, with whom she lived in Calif., three granddaughters and several great-grandchildren.

She was active in the community, working in later years at the Senior Lunch program. She went to live with her son several years ago when she was unable to care for herself, but wanted more than anything to come back "home" to Charlestown.

Mrs. Moore had many friends in the community and could be seen at all

hours helping someone. She cared for her husband during his long illness by herself, asking for no help. She loved her church and never missed any services or other activities. She enjoyed helping at the annual Fair and other sales at the First Church where she was a member. She also participated in activities at other Charlestown churches.

Mrs. Moore was a kind and caring individual who will be long remembered for her love and loyalty.

Services To Resume Sept. 13

The First Church in Charlestown on Green Street is closed for the summer. Worship services will resume at 11 a.m. on Sunday, Sept. 13.

First Anniversary Mass
In Memory of My Husband
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Sunday, August 2, 1992
St. Mary's Church at 11:30 a.m.

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Kitty Sullivan

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PRAYER TO ST. JUDE

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ACTIVITIES

- **Quilting** — Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

CONCERTS ON CITY HALL PLAZA

Contact Sheila Walsh for the transportation schedule to the Wednesday night concerts on City Hall Plaza.

LAKE MOREY INN RESORT

A trip is being planned to the Lake Morey Inn Resort, Fairlee, Vt. on Oct. 13, 14 and 15. The trip will include five musical review shows, sightseeing on Lake Morey, golf, bingo, seven meals and a Down-East Clambake. The cost of the three-day, two-night trip is \$270 and it must be paid for by Aug. 17. See Sheila for more information.

BUS TO STOP & SHOP

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

HOUSING, EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE

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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Monday, July 20

At 2:55 p.m., officers responded to Dexter and Alford streets for a pedestrian struck by a motor vehicle. The victim stated that he did not remember what happened. The operator of the motor vehicle said the victim was on a bicycle coming toward him in traffic when he apparently panicked and fell off of the bike in front of the motor vehicle. The victim was transported to the hospital for treatment.

At 8:15 p.m., a victim reported that between July 11 and 20, unknown person(s) forcibly entered the apartment at 33 Old Ironside Way through a sliding door and removed valuables, including \$2,500 in cash. Detectives responded to the scene to take fingerprints.

At 11:50 p.m., a victim reported that he was surrounded by a group of males at Caldwell and Main streets who choked him and robbed him of his wallet containing \$100. They fled on foot toward Mt. Vernon Street in Somerville.

Tuesday, July 21

At 4:30 p.m., a victim and his father came to the police station to report that he had been struck by a motor vehicle at Main Street and Sullivan Square. The victim sustained an injury to his right leg. The incident is currently under investigation by the Area A Auto Investigation Squad.

At 8:25 p.m., a motor vehicle was stopped at Sullivan Square for a traffic violation. Further investigation reveal-

ed that the driver did not have a license. The driver was advised of his rights and placed under arrest.

Wednesday, July 22

At 9 a.m., a victim reported that unknown person(s) forcibly entered the premises on 8th Street and ransacked the apartment. A VCR and jewelry were stolen.

At 1 p.m., officers responded to 74 Decatur St. for a fire. All tenants were evacuated. The fire is currently being investigated by the Arson Squad and other agencies.

Saturday, July 25

At 6:27 p.m., officers observed an individual at Bartlett and Trenton streets known to them to be under 17 years of age carrying several cartons of alcohol. The suspect was advised of his rights and placed under arrest on charges of a minor transporting alcohol.

At 6:30 p.m., an officer responded to Terminal Street and

Boston Police Hold Office Hours In Charlestown

The Community Relations Office of Area A of the Boston Police Department is holding weekly office hours in Charlestown.

The officer will be on hand in the first floor conference area at One Thompson Square to meet with residents or business persons on an individual basis. Office hours will held on Wednesday, Aug. 5 from 10 a.m. to noon.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Massachusetts Port Authority invites submission of proposals from persons or firms interested in entering into a three year agreement for the provision of Window Cleaning Services for Terminals A, C, D, E and Pedestrian Walkway at Logan International Airport. Sealed proposals will be received by the Massachusetts Port Authority at or prior to 11:00 a.m. local time on August 26, 1992 at the Executive Offices of the Authority, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116-3971. A presubmission conference and on-location inspection of the areas to be cleaned will be held on August 5, 1992 at 10:00 a.m. at the Terminal D, 2nd floor Conference Room, adjacent to the Massport Purchasing Department, Logan International Airport. The conference will be conducted by Mr. Richard Dalton. Questions asked at that conference will be answered at that time or as promptly as possible thereafter. Bid documents may be obtained at the office of Mr. Richard Dalton, Manager of Airport Maintenance, Heating Plant, Logan International Airport (Tel. 561-1958). The Authority is soliciting competitive proposals pursuant to a determination that such a process best serves the interest of the Authority, and not because of any legal requirement to do so. The Authority reserves the right to accept one or more or none of the proposals by category, to reject any or all proposals, to waive an informality of the proposal form, to modify or amend with the consent of the proposer any proposal prior to acceptance, and to affect any agreement otherwise, all as the Authority in its sole judgment may deem to be in its best interest.

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spoke with a Massport Officer who stated that he observed two males push a motor vehicle into the water under the Tobin Bridge. He gave the license plate number of the motor vehicle to the officer. The incident is under investigation by the Boston Police Harbor Patrol Unit.

At 11:35 p.m., an officer observed a suspect drinking from an open bottle of alcohol at Bartlett and Sullivan streets. He advised the suspect of his rights and placed him under arrest.

**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.

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C.Y.O. & St. Catherine NEWS

by Father Ron Coyne

• **The Ultimate Sport . . . Paint Ball** — We had such a great response to our first trip to play Paint Ball during the last All-Nighter that we have planned a day trip to The Ultimate Sport in Brockton on Saturday, Aug. 22. The bus will leave St. Catherine's Church at 8 a.m., and return around 3 p.m. We suggest you eat a big breakfast. The games will be played outdoors at the 100-acre facility which includes 10 different fields. The cost will be \$30 per person and includes admission, three cartridges of paint balls and transportation. We can take 50 teen-agers 13 to 19 years of age. You may sign up at St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St. No

name will be taken without full payment of \$30.

• **Red Sox/Angels Tickets** — We have 40 tickets to the Boston Red Sox vs. California Angels baseball game on Wednesday, Aug. 19 beginning at 7:35 p.m. These are all bleacher seats and they are on sale now at the rectory, 49 Vine St., for \$3.50 each. All ages are welcome. You must provide your own transportation.

• **CYO Three-Day Montreal Trip** — Two vans will leave St. Catherine's Church at 9:30 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 3 carrying 20 of our teen-agers to Montreal for three days. All must have a birth certificate with them to cross the Canadian border. We will stay two nights at the Radisson Gouveneurs Hotel and the trip will include the Montreal Expos vs. Cubs game, a day at Aqua Park and the evening at La Ronde Amusement Park. Everyone must also have a permission slip.

• **Niagara Falls/Toronto Trip** — The final plans are now completed for our trip to Niagara Falls/Toronto from Wed-

nesday, Aug. 26 to Saturday, Aug. 29. There will be 25 going. The final payment for all altar boys from their Walk-A-Thon is due this week. All others accompanying us are asked to pay in full by Aug. 15. Letters will be sent out to each person when the final payment is made. The trip includes transportation by motorcoach mini-bus, three nights lodging, six meals, IMAX multi-media show, "Maid of the Mist" boat trip at Niagara Falls, a visit to the Toronto Exposition amusement park, Blue Jays vs. Brewers baseball game, and visits to the Maple Leaf Village, the Hockey Hall of Fame, Skylon Towers, Science Park and more.

There are still a few seats available. The cost is \$319 for four to a room.

• **CYO Trip To Canobie Lake** — The CYO will sponsor a trip for teen-agers 13 and over to Canobie Lake on Friday, Aug. 14. The bus will leave St. Catherine's Church at 4 p.m. and return around 11 p.m. The cost is \$11 per person which includes admission, all rides and transportation. You must sign up and leave \$11 at St. Catherine's Rectory this week.

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Dr. Burke Announces Opening Of Charlestown Chiropractic

(continued from page 3)

Charlestown. He was born and raised on Mystic Street, the son of Dennis and Marie Burke. He attended St. Francis de Sales School and graduated from Boston College High School in 1981. As a teen-ager, he worked at the Boys & Girls Club, participated in club tournaments and was a day camp

counselor.

He worked for a year after high school at International Ice Cream on Rutherford Avenue. Responding to an inner call, he enrolled in the nursing program at Youville Hospital, graduating in 1983 as a Licensed Practical Nurse. He worked at the Youville Rehabilitation Hospital in rehabilitative medicine until entering Palmer College of Chiroprac-

tic in Davenport, Iowa.

Burke graduated from Palmer College in 1991 with his bachelor of science and Doctorate of Chiropractic degrees. He received dean's list and president's list honors and was named a Research Honors graduate. After passing the three mandatory national medical boards, he passed the state examinations in N.H. and Mass. in the spring of 1991.

He married the former Diane Zampine of Scituate in 1985. The couple have a

son, Stephen, born in 1989, and make their home in Milford.

Burke received privileges at the Mass. General Hospital Bunker Hill Health Center at 73 High St. to order x-rays, laboratory work, physician referrals and physical therapy when needed.

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Charlestown Youngsters Enjoy WHDH-TV Kid's Day



A KID'S DAY celebration during the Sail Boston festivities was enjoyed by over 100 youngsters who are involved in the Courageous Sailing Center in the Charlestown Navy Yard, including members of the Charlestown Community Center's Day Camp Collaborative. Sponsored by WHDH-TV, Channel 7, the youngsters were treated to lunch on the waterfront, an exciting musical performance by Maurice Starr's Perfect Gentlemen and a private tour of the U.S.C.G. Barque EAGLE. Bruce Marson, WHDH-TV vice president and general manager, presented a check to Boston Parks and Recreation Director of Programming Frank Grigalunas to benefit the Courageous Sailing Center.

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If one hour per day is impossible, then do some type of aerobic exercise (an exercise that uses up oxygen) three times a week for a least 20 to 30 minutes. This will be very beneficial. An aerobic exercise is one which, by using oxygen, adds to our cardiovascular well being. Climbing stairs, running, walking, swimming or bicycle riding for at least 20 minutes are aerobic activities. Stretching slowly before and after exercise is useful in preventing injuries.

Increasing intensity and length of exercises should always be done gradually. If you have a heart murmur, smoke, have chest pains or other health concerns, if you are over 40 and just starting on an exercise program you should check with your medical provider before starting. HAPPY TRAILS!

Sandra Bock, PA-C, M.Ed.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



Thanks To The Red Shirts

To The "Red Shirts"
Re: Boswell Lane

This letter is to express our sincere appreciation to the "Red Shirt" crew for their great work in cleaning Boswell Lane. We have been waiting 16 years for this to be cleaned, and on July 23 it happened.

From all of us to each of you, WE THANK YOU!
Residents of Monument Street

The Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Says Thank You

The Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee extends its thanks and publicly acknowledges the following contributions:

Massport \$500
Evans Alternative Inc. \$100
Wendy Withington & David Paisner \$25
Anonymous \$25

Contributions to the Bunker Hill Day activities are still most welcome. There are several outstanding bills yet to be paid and the committee would appreciate any and all assistance.

The Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee

Times, They Are A Changing

To The Editor:

Who threw the overalls in Mrs. Murphy's chowder? Nobody answered so I hollered all the louder. 'Tis an Irish trick it's true, and I'll lick the Mick who threw the overalls in Mrs. Murphy's chowder.

Wasn't this a fun song to sing? Well, the times they are a changing. To keep up with the time, here's the latest rhyme.

Who threw the baby pool keys down the well? When their "pals" didn't stop them and surely wouldn't tell. They threw down the pool pump and water hose as well. 'Tis a nasty trick it's true, and I wish the whole town knew, who threw the pool equipment down the well.

Yep, like I say, the times they are a changing. I thought even the dumbest of all animals knew that you don't bite the hand that feeds you.

Who am I? I am one of the Townies who used to sneak into the pool at night for a swim — but that was all we did.

Board Of Appeal Hearings

The city of Boston Board of Appeal will hold public hearings on Tuesday, Aug. 4, in Room 801, Boston City Hall.

• At 9:30 a.m., Veronica Castelli will seek variances from the Boston Zoning Code to establish the legal occupancy of 10 Lexington St. as a three-family dwelling. There is no record of occupancy in the Building Department.

• At 10 a.m., Grace Meehan will appear before the board for a public re-hearing seeking variances from the Boston Zoning Code to change the legal occupancy of 49 Chestnut St. from a two-family to a three-family dwelling.

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★ **Theft At The Sailing Club . . .** The Schrafft Sailing Club, located behind The Schrafft Center at 529 Main St. (Sullivan Square), is asking the residents of Charlestown for their help and support in retrieving a stolen motor.

During the day on Tuesday, July 14, a 9.9 Yamaha outboard motor was taken from the Sailing Club. It was removed from one of the club's boats moored behind the former candy factory. The loss of this motor has created a severe set-back to the program that offers free sailing lessons to the youngsters of Charlestown. This educational program is solely dependent on charitable donations.

If anyone has information regarding the whereabouts of the motor, they are asked to please call the Sailing Club at 241-5431. An answering machine will take your anonymous call. No questions will be asked.

The support of the community will enable the Sailing Club to continue to offer this free instructional and enjoyable program to the young people of this community during this, their fourth year of existence.

★ **Biomedical Research Center . . .** The Final Environmental Impact Report for the Biomedical Research Center proposed for Buildings B and C in the Charlestown Navy Yard has been filed and is available for review and comment.

The July 23 issue of **The Environmental Monitor**

reports that the final date for comments is Aug. 24, 1992.

For information on the Boston Redevelopment Authority report, call William Gage a 727-5830, ext. 308. For a copy of the EIR, contact Victor Karen at 722-4300, ext. 4225.

★ **Charlestown Street Reconstruction Update . . .**

Ralph Cunningham, resident engineer with Bryant Associates, states that work is underway on nine streets.

The main thrust of last week's activity was in the Rutherford Avenue area where the contractor, the John Mahoney Construction Company Inc., did the final preparatory work and poured the new sidewalks after finishing the installation of new gas light poles. According to Cunningham, Rutherford Avenue and Devens Street are finally black again as the base course of pavement was put down on Rutherford Avenue from Union to Washington streets and on Devens Street. Sidewalks were also poured on Devens Street.

Utility work by the Boston Water and Sewer Commission was still being done on Washington Street. Last week, the contractor did set the curb and got most of the light bases installed on that street.

Also last week, the contractor got the curb set and did the fine grading and rolling to prepare Russell Street for paving.

Work got going in earnest last week on Monument Court where the pavement was stripped and some work

was done by Boston Gas. The contractor must do some roof drains on the court before the street rebuilding can get underway.

The water main crew continued on Mt. Vernon Street, installing a new 8-inch main.

Lead services must still be replaced on Concord Street where the contractor set the new curb and did the sub-base grading in preparation for the gravel subbase.

Down on Putnam and Ellwood streets, the gas light bases were installed and preparation for the sidewalks were made. Boston Gas and Boston Edison have just about completed their work on these streets.

The next streets on the reconstruction schedule are Lyndeboro and Middlesex.

Questions and comments on the reconstruction of the Mead Street Stairs (40 Flights) should be directed to Community Liaison Peter Looney at 722-4300, ext. 5674.

Residents who wish to discuss concerns or have complaints about the street contracts, can call Megan Mahoney at 696-8446. All calls will be recorded and forwarded to Looney who meets with the resident engineer on a daily basis.

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

Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy II will join with people from throughout the Massachusetts' Eighth Congressional District for the second annual "Bike Tour of the Eighth" in the "Ride, Stride and Glide Celebration" on Saturday, Aug. 1. People will be riding bicycles, striding on foot and

gliding on in-line skates to promote human-powered transportation.

Registration begins at Herter Park, 1600 Soldier's 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. Every-

one is invited to participate. For further information, call 242-0200.

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Please join us as we aid Pauline Davis and her family who were burned out of their apartment on July 19.

For tickets, contact:

Paula Greatorex 242-2024

Shirley Doris 242-3804

Maureen Stillman 242-4777

Claire Lynch 242-4962

Tickets will be sold at the door.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Charlestown residents entering into a private contract to replace water service lines are reminded that this is a contract between the homeowner and the contractor.

It is an agreement solely between the homeowner and the contractor, and does NOT represent any contract or agreement with any government agency or authority.

Boston Water and Sewer Commission