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### Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Holds Annual Veterans Day Mass



OFFICERS AND MEMBERS of Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, and its auxiliary, elected officials and friends honored departed veterans of all wars and those who have served and are now serving in the Armed Forces, at a Veterans Day Mass at St. Francis de Sales Church on Nov. 7. The "USS Constitution" and the Charlestown High School Air Force JROTC color guards posted the colors at the ceremony at which Rev. Daniel J. Mahoney, pastor, officiated. The St. Francis de Sales Choir provided the

inspirational music. Among those in attendance were Rep. Richard A. Voke, House Majority Leader; Cmdr. Richard Amirault, USN, commanding officer of "USS Constitution"; Cmdr. Robert L. Gillen, USN (Ret.); Judy Evers, community liaison, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services; Maj. Arthur Gaetjens, USAF (Ret.), head of the CHS JROTC program; Arthur L. Hurley, Post 26 commander; and James W. Conway, Legion Past National Historian and Veterans Day chairman.

### Local Charities Given Proceeds From Voke Benefit

Ten Charlestown organizations were presented with donations from Rep. Richard Voke this week.

The funds were raised at Voke's third annual Charlestown

Charity Celebration held last month at the Knights of (continued on page 3)



REP. RICHARD A. VOKE presented checks to the grand prize winners in the representative's annual Charlestown Charities benefit held last month at the K. of C. Shown kneeling is Bill Collins of the Jimmy Donovan Scholarship Fund. Front row (l. to r.) Gregg Nolan, Jimmy Donovan Scholarship Fund; Bob DeCristoforo and Jimmy Yandle, Bunker Hill Teen Center; Voke; Beth Crosby,

Charlestown Pop Warner Football; and Mary MacInnes, Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force. Back row (l. to r.) Anne Kelly and Bob McGann, Charlestown Community Centers; Jim Conway, Dennis McLaughlin House; Jack Millerick, Life Focus Center; and Kristen Johnson, Charlestown Working Theater.

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### Let's Celebrate ... Thanksgiving

Come to the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Wednesday, Nov. 24 and celebrate Thanksgiving. There will be stories, games, songs, crafts and surprises with a Thanksgiving theme. The program will take place from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Children ages 5 to 10 and their parents are asked to reserve a place by calling 242-1248.

Suggested good books to read about the Thanksgiving holiday are: **My Very Own Thanksgiving** by Robin West; **New Friends in a New Land** by Judith Bauer Stamper; **The Purple Turkey and Other Thanksgiving Riddles** by David Adler; **Thanksgiving at the Tappletons!** by Eileen Spinelli and **A Visit to Grandma's** by Nancy L. Carlstrom.

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## CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### This Week At A Glance

**Thursday, Nov. 11**

#### VETERANS DAY HOLIDAY

- 3 p.m. — Memorial Mass for deceased chaplains and members of Court St. Jude No. 1123, CDA, Chapel of All Souls, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St. (meeting to follow)

**Friday, Nov. 12**

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown High School Classes of 1972 and 1973 Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Saturday, Nov. 13**

- 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. to 4 p.m. — St. Mary's Annual Bazaar, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.
- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — St. John's 154th Annual Fair, St. John's Parish House, 27 Devens St.
- 1 p.m. — Meat Raffle to benefit the Daughters of Isabella No. 1, K. of C. lower hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, Nov. 14**

- 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. — Annual Christmas Bazaar, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Low-Cost Rabies Vaccination Clinic for Dogs and Cats, Charlestown Fire Station, 525 Main St.
- 6:30 p.m. — CH.A.M.P.: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.

**Monday, Nov. 15**

- 10:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. — Toddler Storytime with stories, songs, games, fingerplays and fun for children 2 and 3 and their parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Mothers Support Group, sponsored by CHAD, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.
- 7 p.m. — Memorial Mass for deceased members of the Daughters of Isabella No. 1, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St. (meeting to follow in Bishop Lawton Hall)

**Tuesday, Nov. 16**

- 7 p.m. — Friends of City Square Park Meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion Meeting, Post Quarters, 23 Adams St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Charlestown Emergency Fund Meeting, St. Francis de Sales Rectory, 303 Bunker Hill St.

**Wednesday, Nov. 17**

- 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. — Kennedy Center Board of Directors Election, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 5:30 p.m. — Healthy Charlestown Coalition Meeting, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Overeaters Anonymous, Gen. Warren Elderly Complex, rear of 110 Rutherford Ave.
- 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Surplus Food Distribution, St. Catherine's Parish Hall, Tufts Street
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
- 7:30 p.m. — A Public Forum on the Workings of Boston City Hall, sponsored by the Charlestown Women's Caucus, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

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### Upcoming Events

**Thursday, Nov. 18**

- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 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.
- 4 to 5 p.m. — Ninots Puppet Theater followed by a Reading is Fundamental book giveaway, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 to 8 p.m. — Open House on Central Artery funded skills training, prevocational and building trade programs, sponsored by the Kennedy Center, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.
- 7 to 11 p.m. — Matt Stillman Vocational Benefit, sponsored by Bunker Hill Council No. 62, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Friday, Nov. 19**

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 8 p.m. — The Charlestown Roses 1983-1993 Reunion Dance, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Saturday, Nov. 20**

- 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Annual Craft Fair, sponsored by Life Focus Center — **cancelled**
- 7:30 p.m. — Matt O'Neil Scholarship Dance, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, Nov. 21**

- Following 9 a.m. Mass — St. Francis de Sales Holy Name Society Meeting featuring a program on 'Hospice,' Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 6:30 p.m. — CH.A.M.P.: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.

**Monday, Nov. 22**

### 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.

- noon to 4 p.m. — Charlestown Elderly Thanksgiving Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Mothers Support Group, sponsored by CHAD, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.

**Tuesday, Nov. 23**

- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, 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, Nov. 24**

- 3:30 p.m. — Let's Celebrate Thanksgiving with stories, games, songs, crafts and surprises for children 5 to 10 and their parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Thanksgiving Service with special music, First Church in Charlestown, Green Street

### Plan Ahead

**Saturday, Nov. 27**

- 1 p.m. — Meat Raffle to benefit Camp Bunker Hill, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown High School Classes of 1957, 1958 and 1959 Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Tuesday, Nov. 30**

- noon to 2 p.m. — Panel Discussion on Domestic Violence, Conference Room, second floor, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St.

**Saturday, Dec. 4**

- 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. — Christmas Bazaar, St. Catherine's Parish Hall, Tufts Street
- 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. — Annual Christmas Fair with luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and dinner from 5 to 6:30 p.m., First Church in Charlestown, Green Street

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## Persons Alone On Thanksgiving Welcome At A Special Dinner At Legion Hall

by Jeanne Davis

Bob and Carol Sweeney, in cooperation with Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion, are inviting all their old and new friends to a family-style Thanksgiving Day Dinner on Thursday, Nov. 25, at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St., at the corner of Chestnut Street.

This is the second year

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

Prior to 1992, the dinner was held at Sweeney's former restaurant on Bunker Hill Street, and has always been a great success. It has provided joy and togetherness for local residents who have no family, are estrang-

ed from them, or live too far away to join with them to share Thanksgiving Dinner. This special dinner at the Legion Hall will help them to share the special tradition and spirit of Thanksgiving.

Again this year, not only will the Sweeneys, the members of Bunker Hill Post 26, A.L., and friendly volunteers be serving dinner from noon to 3 p.m. at the Legion Hall, but they will also be delivering meals to shut-ins unable to

get out to the hall.

If you know of anyone who will be spending a lonely Thanksgiving at their home, please give Sweeney a call at 438-3584 by Tuesday, Nov. 23, or leave a message on the answering service at the Legion, 242-2646, to make arrangements for the person to join the gathering or, if the person is a shut-in, to see that a little Thanksgiving is delivered to him or her, courtesy of the Sweeneys and Post 26, A.L.

## A Public Forum On The Workings Of Boston City Hall

The Charlestown Women's Caucus (CWC) will hold a free public forum on Wednesday, Nov. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St., Charlestown.

The invited speakers for the forum include the following city hall representatives: Ellen Lipsey, director of the city of Boston Department of the Environment, whose Landmarks Commission completed an historic survey of Charlestown; Linda Mongelli-Haar, assistant director of planning, Boston Redevelopment Authority, whose office conducted rezoning for Charlestown; and Alice Hennessey, staff director for the Boston City Council. These three women will explain the roles of their offices and how Charlestown residents can benefit from a greater understanding of services they provide.

The CWC is a newly formed organization with a mission to politically acti-

vate and educate women, their families and friends so that they may more fully understand and participate in government on all levels.

This is the first of a series of quarterly forums, structured around the following topics: local, state, federal government and the public school system. Elected officials or appointed staff at these levels will be invited to speak about their position as well as how change may be better accomplished and effectuated.

For more information about either the forums or the CWC, please call 242-3356.

### It's A Boy . . .

Joe and Tricia Joyce of Charlestown are proud to announce the birth of their son, John Kilmer Joyce, on Oct. 27 at the BirthPlace at Mt. Auburn Hospital.

The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Kilmer Joyce of Cataumet, Mass.

## Local Organizations Benefit From Voke's Charity Event

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Columbus Hall. In addition to the 10 grand prize winners, another seven Charlestown groups will receive a donation, bringing the total number of local organizations benefiting from the Voke party to 17.

"The third annual Charlestown Charity Celebration was our best one yet. We raised more money this year than in previous years which goes directly back to many worthy organizations that do so much for the town. It was a splendid time for the standing-room-only crowd, and I was truly overwhelmed to be joined by so many wonderful friends," said Voke.

The grand prize winners were the Charlestown Working Theater, Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force, Jimmy Donovan Scholarship Fund, Bunker Hill Teen Center, Dennis McLaughlin House, Charlestown Community Centers, Charlestown Pop Warner, Life Focus Center, Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) and Charlestown Youth Hockey.

Additional groups receiving a donation from Voke are the Charlestown Healthy Aging Program, Matt O'Neil Scholarship Fund, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, St. Catherine's CYO,

Bunker Hill Museum, Camp Bunker Hill and the Charlestown Pride Program.



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## THE REAL ESTATE WEEKLY



By Carolyn Sideman, Monument Properties

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Setting a fair price is a crucial first step in putting your home on the market, and it begins with a professional market analysis of the property. You might start by looking around the neighborhood at other houses for sale. Then contact a realtor familiar with your area to get information about the asking prices of these homes and the length of time each one has been on the market. Your realtor will also be able to provide you with information from official records about the actual sale prices of homes similar to your own, as well as the features of each property that might have affected its value, such as the number of rooms, the overall condition and the extras — fireplaces, roof decks, garages or hardwood floors. By putting all of this information together, you can establish a market value for your home, or a price range in which it is likely to sell. If you set your price too high, it could take months, even years, to sell your home. But if it's priced within about five percent of the established market value, your house should sell.

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### Ninots Puppets Will Perform At The Charlestown Branch Library

The Ninots Puppet Theatre, one of Boston's best known attractions for children, will present a program of "Animal Tales" at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Thursday, Nov. 18 at 4 p.m.

Puppeteers Jane Urban and Mark Dannenhauser will perform "Bruno the Dancing Bear," a European circus story, and "The Sound of Flowers," a tale from the Caribbean, in a

special Reading Is Fundamental (RIF) program co-sponsored by the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library, the Mass. Biomedical Research Corp. and the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Ninot is a Catalan word from the Barcelona region of Spain and refers to comic, wooden-headed folk puppets. In common language, it means "blockhead." Following the performance, there will be a Reading Is Fundamental

(RIF) book giveaway. Each school-age child attending the performance between the ages of 6 (grade one) and 12 (grade 6) will select

two paperback books to take home.

For additional information, please contact the library at 242-1248.

### Married Recently



SEAMAN CHAD and JEAN MARGARET WILLIAMS

Jean Margaret Schulte, daughter of George and Theresa Schulte, of Howell, Mich., became the bride of Chad Carlis Williams, son of Carl and Betty Williams, also of Howell, Mich. The double-ring ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Samuel Leon in front of the fireplace at Leon Mannor, East Parish, Haverhill, on Oct. 2. The matron of honor was Florence Leon.

An afternoon lunch at Markey's Lobster Pound, Seabrook Beach, N.H. was followed by dinner at Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant, Constitution Plaza, Charlestown.

The bride is a graduate of Howell High School, Mich., and is a sales consultant. The groom is a graduate of Pinckney High School, Mich., and is a seaman with an assignment to the crew of the famous frigate "Old Ironsides" stationed at Charlestown Navy Yard.

The couple is planning a honeymoon when the groom is eligible for a furlough.

### It's A Boy . . .

Donna and Thomas Whalen announce the birth of their son, Joseph Thomas, on Oct. 6 at the Brigham & Women's Hospital. The baby weighed 6 pounds 5 ounces.

ly of Charlestown.

Joseph Thomas was welcomed home by his sisters, Kathleen and Stephanie, and his brother, Thomas.

Mrs. Whalen is the former Donna Harkins.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harkins of Charlestown. The maternal great-grandmothers are Alice O'Leary and Gertrude Harkins, both of Charlestown.

The paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Francis Whalen of Carver, former-

### Bunker Hill Post To Meet

Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, Nov. 15 at 7:30 p.m. at the post quarters, 23 Adams St.

Happy Birthday  
**NANA**  
"Anna Duarte"  
on November 12th  
Love . . .  
**Michael, Billy,  
Patrick & Stephanie**

Happy 13th Birthday  
**MICHELLE**  
on November 15th  
Love . . . **Mom**

Congratulations . . .  
**PATRICK**  
on your first goal!  
November 6, 1993  
Love . . . **Dad**

Happy 7th Birthday  
**TRICIA ANN  
MOORE**  
November 15th  
Love,  
**Nana MacInnes**  
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**MEG . . .**  
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of our lives!  
Lots of Hugs & Kisses  
on your **3rd** Birthday,  
November 13th!  
**Mom, Nana, Papa,  
Peggy & Joe**

Happy 7th Birthday  
**TRICIA**  
on November 15th  
Love,  
**Dad, Mom & Shannyn**

**The Big 11 !!!**  
Happy Birthday  
**CHARLENE & JOEY**  
Love you and miss you . . .  
**Your Dad, Nana, Grandpa,  
Aunt Dawn, Uncle Bobby,  
Uncle Daniel & Dana, Tracey & Keith**

Happy 3rd Birthday  
**MEGAN O'NEIL**  
on November 13th  
"WE LOVE YOU TO PIECES"  
**Aunt Sally, Kevin & Steve**

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



• **This Is The Weekend . . .** to do some Christmas shopping, purchase a special holiday decoration or two and, for the little ones, pay a visit to Santa Claus . . . St. Mary's Annual Bazaar is set for Saturday, Nov. 13, beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing to 4 p.m. at the parish hall on 48 Winthrop St. There will be craftware, sweaters, afghans, games of chance, a white elephant table, homemade pastries and their famous homemade baked beans. Santa Claus will pay a visit between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and will gladly pose for pictures with the children (and adults, too) . . . St. John's 154th Annual Fair is also on Saturday, Nov. 13 at the parish hall, 27 Devens St. Preparations are underway for a homemade turkey dinner that will be served beginning at noon, and there will be a variety of tables for your shopping pleasure . . . and while you are in the mood for holiday fairs, St. Clement's Mother's Club will be holding its annual bazaar up the road a piece at 71 Warner St. in Somerville. Fair hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 13 and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 14 . . . and St. Francis de Sales will hold its Annual Christmas Bazaar on Sunday, Nov. 14 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. in Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill St. There will be Christmas crafts and decorations, baked goods, knit items, toys, chances, refreshments and raffles. Santa will be in his place of honor for photos and to listen to long Christmas lists . . . So, get in the holiday spirit . . . and enjoy!

• **Our Thanks . . .** to the staff and participants at the Senior Lounge for the beautiful fall flower arrangement which we are enjoying . . . also, to Christine at ABC Ceramics for the Thanksgiving dried flower arrangement . . . we appreciate you thinking of us and brightening up our office.

• **A Holiday Meat Raffle . . .** will be held by the Daughters of Isabella No. 1 at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 13 at the K. of C. lower hall, 75 West School St. . . . Come on down and take a chance . . . you might stock your freezer for the upcoming holidays!

• **Election Update . . .** With the official election results forthcoming from City Hall, Charlie Clabaugh, aide to Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini, advises us that Michael Travaglini, in his bid for an at-large seat on the Boston City Council, placed second in Charlestown with 2,325 votes, one vote ahead of incumbent John Nucci who recorded 2,324 votes.

• **A Reminder . . .** The Townie Santa Committee is asking that persons submit names to be considered as recipients of Christmas packages by Monday, Nov. 15 . . . Don't let a deserving person you know be left out . . . Fill out the form elsewhere in this week's Patriot and mail it . . . today!

• **Congratulations . . .** to Javier Betancourt of Charlestown who was nominated for the Big Brother of the Year Award by the Big Brother Association of Greater Boston. He has been a "big brother" to Jesus Guzman of Boston for the past year . . . Last year, the association served 410 boys, but nearly 600 boys are still waiting for Big Brothers . . . To find out more information on the program, call 426-1237.

• **It's Birthday Time This Week . . .** for Susan Carey, who will celebrate on Nov. 12th . . . and caretaker of the Ecumenical Food Pantry, Rudy Doenges, will mark his big day on Nov. 16th . . . Best wishes!

• **Who Said June Is The Month For Weddings? . . .** Best wishes go out to Fran and Bob Harty who mark their 11th anniversary on Nov. 14th . . . Jim and Carol (Brenda Starr) Connors will celebrate their 24th anniversary on Nov. 15th . . . and Nov. 16th is the 19th anniversary of Dennis and Michelle Isbart . . . Many more years of wedded bliss to each of you!

• **To Be Honored . . .** Amanda Fornash and Jimmy Tallent will be the recipients of Boston Housing Authority Youth On The Rise award on Nov. 19 at an awards dinner. The event will pay tribute to the late Emmanuel "Manny" Wilson, a BHA police officer killed in the line of duty . . . Public housing young people from across the city will be honored for their community service, outstanding youth leadership and community involvement . . . Congratulations Amanda and Jimmy!

• **Veterans Day Parade . . .** will take place today, Thursday, Nov. 11th, starting at 1 p.m. from Commonwealth Avenue at Hereford Street.

• **It's A Time To Remember . . .** those who served our country throughout its proud history and those who serve today, committed to protect and defend our nation's freedom . . . Join us in paying tribute to our men and women who have worn the military uniforms of our country with pride and honor . . . especially those who made the supreme sacrifice, the laying down of their lives for their country.

TODAY IS VETERANS DAY  
TAKE A MOMENT TO PAUSE AND REMEMBER!



## around the town

by Gloria S. Conway

### ★ Neighborhood Council Meeting . . . Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the council will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 7 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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

★ **Bunker Hill Street Bus Stop . . .** According to Jim Mansfield, director of Community Affairs for the Boston Transportation Department (BTD), the bus stop at 220 Bunker Hill St. which was removed on a 60-day trial basis on Oct. 23, will be reinstated in approximately two weeks.

The bus stop was removed in coordination with the MBTA reportedly to alleviate the vandalism and disruption which was occurring at local businesses by students waiting for the bus.

Questions or comments on the bus stop should be directed to Mansfield at 635-4810.

★ **Emergency Fund Meeting . . .** A meeting of the Charlestown Emergency Fund will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 15 at St. Francis de Sales Rectory, 303 Bunker Hill St.

★ **Friends Of City Square Park . . .** An organizational meeting for people interested in being part of the formation of the Friends of City Square Park will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 15 at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss the development of a group mission statement and the group's goals and objectives.

For more information, contact Ken Stone at 242-2837.

★ **Licensing Board Hearing . . .** The petition of Chris A. Lutes Jr. and Robert Wesley Sargent to the Licensing Board of the city of Boston for a C.V. 7-Day All Alcoholic Beverages License for 34-44 Charles River Ave. in Charlestown, originally scheduled to be heard on Nov. 10, has been withdrawn.

★ **Board Of Appeal Hearing . . .** A city of Boston Board of Appeal Hearing is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 23 in Room 801, Boston City Hall to hear the petition of Damic Realty Trust (by Store 24 Inc.) to change the legal occupancy of 132-148 Main St. from a retail store to offices and a retail store including take-out food.

★ **Public Hearing . . .** Boston School Committee Chairman Paul Parks will accept testimony during a hearing on Saturday, Nov. 13 on proposed legislation to hold parents accountable for the criminal acts of minor children. The hearing will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Edward J. Winter chambers at the School Committee Headquarters, 26 Court St.

Recommended by Parks last month, the

proposal was triggered by soaring crimes committed by youths and by Parks' perception that too many parents are abdicating their responsibility to both teach and discipline their children.

★ **To Serve Or Not To Serve . . .** Charlestown resident Irene Bent will be a guest on BNN-TV's channel 24 at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 16. She will talk about alcohol servers training programs, especially for local bar and restaurant servers/owners.

Bent has been a regional planner with the governor's Highway Safety Bureau since 1983. Her areas of responsibility include statewide alcohol education and awareness programs. She has conducted countrywide alcohol server liability conferences and is currently working on community-based alcohol server awareness seminars.

The program is part of the "Keep Boston Moving . . . Safely" series on The Answer Channel 24 which is a community traffic safety program within the Boston Transportation Department. Viewers may call the Answer Channel at 973-4848 with their questions and comments.

★ **Kennedy Center Board Election . . .** The annual election for members of the Board of Directors of the John F. Kennedy Family Service Center will be held from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 16 at the center, 27 Winthrop St.

Candidates for precinct seats are: Precinct 3, Elaine McCarthy of 8 Prospect St.; Precinct 5, Shirley Foley of 3 Allston St.; and Precinct 7, Ruthellen Chardavoyne of 51 Chappie St.

The at-large candidate is Diane Ortega of 76A Dunstable St.

★ **Charlestown Community Centers . . .** The election for the Charlestown Community Centers Council was held on Nov. 9. Elected to an at-large seat on the council were: Lillian Boutilier, Ruthellen Chardavoyne, Thomas Desmond, John Ezekiel, Peter Looney, Jason MacDonald, Jim Mansfield, Thomas Pitts and Danny Ryan. Elected precinct representatives were: Precinct 4, Mary MacInnes; Precinct 5, Anna Leonard; and Precinct 7, Judy Evers.

★ **Warning To Parents Of School Children . . .** A warning on a form of tattoo called "Blue Star," which is being sold or given to school children, has been issued by Judy Evers, community liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services.

The tattoo is a small piece of paper containing a blue star. It is the size of a pencil eraser, and each star is soaked with LSD. The drug is absorbed through the skin by handling the paper. This method of appealing to young children is a new way of selling acid. Ingestion of the drug by mouth is not necessary.

There are also brightly colored paper tattoos resembling postage stamps that have a picture of Superman, Mickey Mouse, butterflies, Disney characters, Bart Simpson or clowns. Each one is wrapped in foil.

Parents and children are cautioned not to handle the pictures or the paper as they are laced with drugs. These are known to react quickly and some are laced with strychnine.

The symptoms are: hallucinations, severe vomiting, uncontrolled laughter, mood changes and a change in body temperature.

Persons finding these tattoos should report it immediately to the police.

★ **Public Safety Committee . . .** The Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety/Police Community Relations Committee meeting was held on Nov. 9. Officer Jim McNamara of Area A of the Boston Police Department (BPD) and Chairman Mel Stillman conducted the meeting.

Two residents brought up concerns about a rash of robberies in Charlestown Navy Yard businesses. They questioned the safety of the area and the frequency of police patrols. McNamara stated that police do patrol the area on a regular basis. He suggested that they seek information from the BPD Crime Watch office in setting up a Crime Watch in the area. The lack of lighting in several areas of the Navy Yard was also brought up and Judy Evers, community liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, will look into securing more lighting from the city and the Boston Redevelopment Authority, particularly on undeveloped buildings.

It was suggested that an upcoming meeting of the Public Safety/Police Community Relations Committee meeting be held at a site in the Navy Yard.

Another concern was the illegal parking many nights at the Devens, Prescott and Main streets intersection. McNamara advised the resident to call the police when that occurs and ask for a car to be sent out,

particularly when access for emergency vehicles is blocked.

It was noted that the Police Line would not be in the **Patriot** this week as officers from the Community Service Office are on vacation. Several residents asked McNamara to request that a more complete account of incidents that happen in the community be included.

The committee meets on the second Tuesday of the month, and the next meeting will be on Dec. 14.

★ **Street Reconstruction Update . . .** Mario Susi & Son's construction force has just about completed the punchlist work on the project. They have had multiple crews going for a couple of weeks and the majority of the work will be done by Thanksgiving.

The landscape subcontractor, Schumacher, has been on-site these past two weeks completing the fall planting. They are now concentrating on the tree pits for both the existing and new trees, and fixing any settled tree pits from the spring planting.

Traffic signs are also being installed by L&C Barricade. They have been on-site since late last week and have completed sign installations on about half of the 26 streets in the project.

The fencing contractor is due in anytime to finish the guardrail and railing work at the end of Washington Street, and Susi is expecting the remaining gas light heads by Dec. 1. The lights will be put up as soon as they arrive. The Boston Water and Sewer Commission inspections of all the water and drainage work has been rescheduled for this week.

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

## Veterans Day 1993



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# Charlestown Lions Club Holds Entertainment And Dance

The Charlestown Lions Club recently held its eighth annual Charity Fund Dance at the Knights of Columbus hall, with a sold-out audience. Entertainment was provided by "Late Greats and Friends," impersonators of Elvis Presley, Rod Stewart, Marilyn Monroe and Frank Sinatra. Music

for dancing was provided by Michael Kelly.

The hit of the evening was the entertainer impersonators staying and dancing and singing with the audience. They had as much fun as everyone else. The event was a great night for all.

Proceeds from this annual event will be used to support the Lions Eye Research Fund, the Lions Eyemobile Program, local organizations and other Charlestown Lions activities.





# Rose . . .

by Charlie McGonagle

When I think of Rose, I think of beauty, for when I was very young she was as beautiful as any starlet who ever graced the silver screen. She was my cousin, my father's sister's daughter, but because she was several years my senior, I looked upon her as an aunt. When I was born, she was chosen to be my godmother, and she filled the role nobly.

Rose loved the Red Sox of the late forties, and often I was her companion at the games. I can remember the pride I felt when walking with her. I was only a kid, but I was with the prettiest girl at Fenway Park. Heads turned as we walked to our seats, and in the eyes of many a man, the game became secondary to my beautiful companion.

I do not remember my exact age when

I received First Holy Communion, maybe eight or nine, but I vividly remember Rose's gift to me on that day, a blue baseball jacket with a red and white Red Sox emblem sewn on the left breast. I am sure I received other gifts that day, but isn't it strange that I can remember only the jacket?

To her I was "Cha," and although other family members referred to me that way, they did so only occasionally. To Rose, "Cha" was an exclusive.

The place I first remember visiting with Rose was on Decatur Street before the Tobin Bridge (then the Mystic River Bridge). She was living with her mother, Etta, and in the parlor of that apartment was a player piano. On a stool and pedaling away, I was transformed into a master. Upon my completing a tune, Rose would change the roll, and I would pump the pedals while watch-

ing the keys move magically to create the sounds of another song.

Rose was truly blessed with rare beauty, but the weight of tragedy so cruelly placed upon her was as ugly as she was beautiful.

Back around the time this country was becoming involved in World War II, Rose married Al. They were young, they were enormously happy, and he was as handsome as she was beautiful. Together they seemed the perfect couple. The war beckoned, however, and Al answered the call. Tragically, on some distant battlefield, the hopes and dreams of Rose and Al were ended by enemy fire. Rose suffered greatly from her loss, and although she was able to hide that suffering from many, (perhaps I was too young to recognize it) I have been told more recently of how devastating it was for her.

Rose lived with an aching heart for two decades until she met Paul. Finally, it seemed, she was able to look forward toward happiness rather than backward toward tragedy.

Her marriage to Paul produced first one son, Paul, and then another, Mark. It all appeared to be a certain panacea to a long-time aching heart, and just when the clouds seemed to be parting to allow a ray of bright sunshine into Rose's life, tragedy reared its ugly head and visited one more time. Paul, her husband, died quite unexpectedly, and once again Rose was forced to carry the cross of widowhood. Without any warning, the hurt that she had so long ago experienced returned, and once again she was forced to live with it.

Rose was a relatively young woman when Paul passed away, and if there was

any consolation at all, she still had young Paul and Mark.

Through the two boys, she was able to hide her enormous grief and even look to the future. The look, however, would be brief as both boys were taken from her in separate, tragic accidents. Rose had buried two husbands, and now she would twice suffer the greatest loss of all, the loss of a child.

If there is a certain amount of tragedy to be passed around in this world, Rose was given enough so that at least one hundred others would not have to suffer at all. The pain had a devastating effect on her, but she carried on until a couple of weeks ago when the hurting finally reached a merciful ending.

Yes, Rose was my cousin and she was my godmother. In earlier years we spent happy times together, but later, when she might have appreciated my company, I was not there. There were no notes, there were no visits, and there were no kind words. For certain, there were silent promises made, but there was always tomorrow. Unfortunately, tomorrow never did come. I was reminded of all of this while sitting in a pew at St. Catherine's Church a couple of weeks ago paying my last respects, and to each thought of neglect, I plead guilty.

The guilt, however, is not mine alone. Most, if not all of us, have somebody, be it a relative or a friend, who has touched our lives in a special way. There is a time to offer our thanks, and there is a time when it is too late to do so.

Pick up a phone, pick up a pen, or get in your car and drive. Just do not wait until you have to tell yourself "I should have." It is not a very nice feeling.

## Kennedy Center To Sponsor Training Open House

On Thursday, Nov. 18, The Kennedy Center will hold an Open House for Charlestown residents interested in applying for Central Artery funded skills training, prevocational and building trade programs for the 1994 winter and spring cycles. These programs typically run between eight and 20 weeks. This is an excellent opportunity to obtain free training with the potential for receiving employment upon completion of the program.

The open house will be held on Thursday, Nov. 18

from 7 to 8 p.m. at St. Mary's Parish Hall, first floor, 48 Winthrop St., Charlestown.

Stop by the open house and learn more about these programs. For more information call Kristen Garfield, training coordinator, at 241-8866.

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The Kennedy Center is now taking applications from Charlestown residents interested in applying for The Boston Building Trades Apprenticeship Preparedness Program. This is a 10-

week orientation to the building trades which will begin in early January. Classes meet on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at Roxbury Community College and includes visits to various Boston building/union sites on some Saturdays.

If you are interested in applying to the course, call 241-8866 to make an appointment, or stop by the open house on Thursday, Nov. 18 to learn more about the program. Women are encouraged to apply.

## ABCD Surplus Food Distribution In Charlestown On Nov. 17

Action for Boston Community Development, Inc. (ABCD) and the Kennedy Center announce that free surplus food will be distributed to income-eligible Charlestown residents on Nov. 17.

Government-issued commodities will be distributed at St. Catherine's Parish Hall, Tufts Street from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 17. ABCD expects to distribute peanut butter, applesauce, vegetarian beans, orange juice and double butter during this distribution. However, they cannot guarantee that all commodities will be available from the government.

All surplus food recipients must have new registration cards with them when they go to pick up their food. If you do not have a red, white or green card, you must contact the

Kennedy Center at 27 Winthrop St., Charlestown, and show proof of income-eligibility to receive a new card. Self declarations are no longer accepted.

If you receive benefits from any of the following programs, you are eligible to receive free surplus food: Veterans' Benefits; Fuel As-

sistance; Food Stamps; SSI; Welfare; Women, Infants and Children (WIC); Head Start; AFDC; or Medicaid/MassHealth (not Medicare). If you don't receive any of these benefits, call the Surplus Food Hotline at 357-6000, ext. 239 to find out if you are eligible to receive surplus food.

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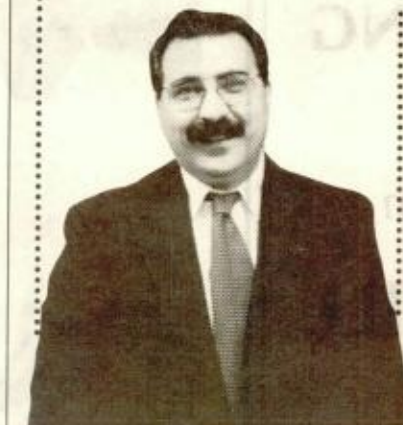
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## Wide Range Of Community Issues Brought Before The CNC

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council (CNC) got off to a slow start at its monthly meeting on Nov. 8 as members arrived at the K. of C. Hall only to find every available space filled with meetings of various sorts. It was then a move to the American Legion Hall and a few minutes delay as members found their way to Adams Street.

Chairman Peter Looney presided at the meeting, welcoming newly elected precinct representatives. The new member of the CNC, Pat McClellan, representing Precinct 4, was introduced. A round of applause was offered to former Precinct 4 representative Tom Pitts, in absentia, for his service to the CNC. Pitts chose not to run for re-election.

Members presented included Tom Cunha, Mel Stillman, Jim Mansfield, Nancy Keyes, Bob Scalli, John Dillon, Marty O'Brien, Jim Conway, Judy Brennan, John Iacoi, Kate McDonough, Bill McCabe, Edna Kelly, Moe Gillen, Bill Galvin, Kay Whelan

and McClellan.

Looney called on Dorothy Steele, community liaison from Massport, who requested to speak on two issues.

The first involved the lead paint removal and painting of the Tobin Bridge. Steele reiterated that all work on the bridge has been halted and Dynamic Painting has been discharged from the project. She requested that a community meeting be set up, possibly under the CNC Environmental Committee. Steele stated that Massport would like to give residents an opportunity to air their concerns and frustrations. Massport asks to be allowed to present its information on the project including the results of soil and air samples, concerns from the OSHA report and what plans are being made to resume the project in the spring.

Looney told Steele that his concern is what will be done in the future on the bridge-painting project and he didn't want to hear excuses. Conway asked Steele

to arrange for the experts to come to the community to address the issues and bring a timetable.

Looney asked that Brennan, as chairman of the Environmental Committee, arrange for a meeting on the bridge painting.

The second issue Steele brought before the CNC was that Massport is preparing a Request For Proposal (RFP) for the development of the former Revere Sugar refinery site with the exception of that portion leased by the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority. She said that persons interested in obtaining a copy of the RFP could contact her.

Looney reported on Basic Services Committee action during October. The committee met with Paul Harvey, executive director of the Armed Services YMCA in the Charlestown Navy Yard. According to Looney, the meeting focused on three points — the occupancy of the third floor of the building by residents under the state's welfare system, complaints by the elderly of lack of affordable programs and a request by the Townies Color Guard to use the gym for practice on Sunday mornings.

Looney said that the occupancy by the welfare residents was never brought before the council. He went on to say that Harvey told

the committee that the housing of welfare residents was accepted at the Y to help defray opening costs. He added that the occupancy of the building was beginning to stabilize and this aspect of the housing would probably be phased out over the next year.

Galvin said that 80 percent of the revenue for housing at the Y is currently state-generated. He asked that the program not be expanded and that the council be given a timetable as to when the program will be terminated.

Conway, who is a newly elected member of the Y's Board of Trustees, related that it has not been brought before the trustees to expand the Department of Social Services housing at the Y. He added that some of the trustees were not happy with this type of housing there and his sense from some members is that they wish to see it phased out.

Conway added that the Y had been assured prior to its opening that military personnel would be housed there while ships were undergoing repair. However, with the cutbacks in the military, this population was not to be. He went on to say that the Y has done marketing and outreach and the occupancy rate has been increasing. He did note that the Y has been a good

neighbor in the fact that a large portion of its staff are Charlestown residents.

Looney asked that discussion on this aspect of the Y concerns be deferred for 90 days. At that time he would request that Harvey come before the CNC with an update and the members would vote on it.

McDonough stated that since the meeting with the Y, arrangements have been made for Charlestown senior citizens to use the pool and gym facilities at no charge during specified times during the week.

She said that concerns had been expressed by Y staff that damage to the gym floor might occur by use with improper footwear and thus the hesitation in allowing use by the color guard. Conway added that there is a problem with the gym floor presently and discussions are ongoing with the contractor for repairs. He noted that this condition might preclude use of the gym until repairs are made.

Looney also reported on a meeting with representatives from Charlestown High School, including the

principal, Boston and School police, the Department of Justice, residents and business persons relative to CHS students going to and coming from school. He said that there are serious concerns that must be addressed but admitted that previous meetings have left residents frustrated. It was suggested that a meeting be set up with Mayor Tom Menino, School Superintendent Lois Harrison-Jones and Police Commissioner William Bratton relative to these concerns.

Cunha reported on the Development Committee meeting with the city's Public Facilities Department relative to the proposed construction of 40 units of elderly housing on the site of the former municipal building at Lexington and Bunker Hill streets. He said the last permit is in place and some foundation work should get underway in about two weeks and will continue until January. Construction will then resume in the spring.

Cunha said that since this will be HUD-assisted housing

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### Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Tuesday, Nov. 16 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "Curl Up Small," a film that describes the worlds of animals and man; two hats

are separated and united in "Johnny Fedora and Alice Bluebonnet," and a boy makes leaves with paper and crayon in "Leaves."

A fox teaches a bear how to fish with his tail in "How the Bear Lost His Tail," which will be shown only at 3:30 p.m.

### St. John's To Hold Fall Church Fair, A 154-Year Charlestown Tradition

by Lawrence Henry

St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St., will hold its 154th annual Church Fair on Saturday, Nov. 13 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This year's fair, say co-chairs Marie Hubbard and Oren McCleary, will feature a turkey dinner prepared by Jack and Stephen Spinetto, including fresh apple pies made by the congregation, under the direction of Alice Krapf. Upstairs in the hall, parish members will offer attic treasures, baked goods, books, Christmas ornaments, gift ideas, a special exhibit from the Episcopal Church Women, and toys.

The fair "is a way of inviting the community into the church," says Hubbard. The tables upstairs will have "some good bargains, because people have been very generous with their donations."

In addition to the sales tables, "we are going to have some music this year, which we haven't had for a while," Hubbard adds. Charlestown resident Michael D'Ambrosio is going to play the piano in the parish hall.

The fair continues to be the highlight of St. John's year. "The fair brings together all the people of the parish to work on one event," says Father Franklin Mars, priest in charge at St. John's.

McCleary says that he and co-chair Hubbard "have been working like Pharaoh's slaves" on the fair exhibits and on the fair's official publication, The Fair Journal, which will be offered free to all comers. McCleary especially wants to thank all the local merchants for their generosity in sponsoring the Fair Journal.

Hubbard, who has attended St. John's since she was a child, remembers the fair as "a happy time, a fun time when the whole church gets together. Everybody does their share, and that's what makes it a success. In my childhood memories of it, it was the highlight of the year for the children and for most adults too. And we still try to hold on to that tradition today."

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## Three Charlestown Parishes Celebrate Confirmation

The three parishes of Charlestown culminated their two-year Confirmation program on Oct. 17 with a Mass celebrated by The Most Reverend Alfred C. Hughes at St. Francis de Sales Church.

Receiving Confirmation were: Tiffany Benoit, Mary Black, Robert Brady Jr., Colleen Callahan, James Carroll, Michael Collins, Todd Conley, Jennifer Copping, Christopher Corrado, Valerie Costas, Steven Dalzell, Stacey Doe, Candace Doherty, Christine Edwards, Dennis Elwell and Nicole Fitzsimmons.

Also, Timothy Gallagher, Kelly Ann Gilgunn, Peter Golden III, Ronald Gover, Michele Hathcock, Theresa Hayes, David Hurley, Kevin Hurley, Jill Kelly, Christine Kozlowski, Erin Krol, Joseph Lawler, Christopher Lent, Christine Locke,



MEMBERS of the parishes of St. Catherine of Siena, St. Francis de Sales and St. Mary received the Sacrament of Confirmation recently at St.

Francis de Sales Church. The Most Reverend Alfred C. Hughes was the celebrant. The two-

year confirmation program was coordinated by Father Robert Casey of St. Mary's.

Eleanor Lonergan, Jill MacKillop, Francis Manganello, Michael Marsden, Jennifer McCabe, Erin McDonough, Michael Mc-

Gonagle, Courtney McLaughlin, Daniel Murphy, Kristen Murphy and Nicole Nickerson. Also, Daniel O'Brien,

Anthony Pantone, Ruth Pearson, Stephen Powers, Alicia Pradas-Monne, Helena Reilly, Scott Ridings, Maria Rose, Harold Rowse, Lisa Schievink, Maureen Shea, William Simpson, Jennifer Smith, Nicholas Smith, Michael Sullivan, Christopher Tinsley Jr., Jill Twomey, Christopher Walsh, Kimberly Weaver and Nicole Williams.

### Birmingham To Keep Charlestown Under New District Plan

State Sen. Thomas F. Birmingham is pleased to announce that under a new redistricting plan, all of Charlestown will remain in the district he represents, the Suffolk, Essex and Middlesex District. The Senate passed the plan this past weekend.

"I am happy to report that the new plan will keep Charlestown in one senate district, the one I now represent," said Birmingham. "I will continue to do my best to fight for the interests of the hard-working people of Charlestown, just as I fought hard to retain Charlestown in the Suffolk-Essex-Middlesex District.

"The district will no longer, however, include the North and West Ends, nor most of Revere, which I have been honored to have served over the last three years. During that time, I have had the opportunity to

develop friendships in those areas which will last a lifetime, and I feel a sense of personal loss about the changing lines. At the same time, I am excited at the prospect of representing an area as rich in politics and history as Cambridge and look forward with enthusiasm to the inclusion of Cambridge in the Suffolk-Essex-Middlesex District."

The re-drawn district includes Charlestown, Chelsea, Everett and parts of Saugus, as it does currently, and includes parts of Cambridge, Somerville and Allston-Brighton. Under the plan, the district represented by Sen. Robert E.

Travaglini, will include most of Revere, which Birmingham now represents, and all of the North End, which is currently represented by both Birmingham and Travaglini. Birmingham will retain Ward 6 in Revere. The Suffolk-Essex-Middlesex District will include a large portion of Cambridge, currently represented by Travaglini and Sen. Michael J. Barrett. The new district lines are proposed to take effect for the 1994 elections.

This plan has passed the House of Representatives and is now before the governor.

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## Expansion Of Biotech Firm Means New Jobs For Charlestown Navy Yard

BioLease Inc. an affiliate of the Raymond Company, announced the expansion of BioTransplant Inc. on Oct. 21. The new site will be within the Charlestown Navy Yard as the firm relocates to a 35,000-square-foot building from its present 15,000-square-foot facility. The \$6.5 million new facility is due to be completed in June 1994, and will bring 90 construction jobs and 50 new permanent biotech jobs to the site.



AT A CEREMONY in the Charlestown Navy Yard, city officials, banking and BioLease Inc. representatives announce the expansion of Bio Transplant Inc. Shown (l. to r.) Paul Barrett, director of the Boston Redevelopment Authority; Thomas Menino, acting mayor of the city of Boston; Guillaem Aertsen, department executive of Bank of Boston's Real Estate Department; John Littlechild, vice-chairman, HealthCare Investment Inc.; James English, president, BioLease Inc.; and Neil St. John Raymond, developer.

"My company is honored to be involved in helping to make Boston a center for biotech in the world. We believe the efforts of the numerous scientists and technicians working in this facility and the others in the Navy Yard will ultimately do much to reduce the costs of medical care and, most importantly, save lives," said Neil St. John Raymond, developer.

City officials present at the announcement were Thomas Menino, acting mayor of the city of Boston,

and Paul Barrett, director of the Boston Redevelopment Authority. Guillaem Aertsen, department executive

of Bank of Boston's Real Estate Department, was also present. The Navy Yard facility is one of the first loans that the Bank of Boston is making for the construction of biotech facilities in the area.

BioTransplant Inc. was founded by HealthCare Investment Corporation, the largest investor of venture capital in biotech in the country. BioTransplant Inc. is a growing biotech company which conducts cutting-edge research in the fields of organ transplantation, including development of new therapies and products.

**LAS VEGAS NIGHT**  
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## Employers Invited To Participate In BHCC Job Fair

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participate in the Fall Job Fair to be conducted at Bunker Hill Community College's (BHCC) Charlestown campus on Tuesday, Nov. 30, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the main lobby, second floor and in the "C" building corridor.

Employers interested in attending should contact the Office of Career Services, 241-8600, ext. 245.

## 'Old Ironsides' To Be In Drydock Until 1996

The Commanding Officer of **USS Constitution**, Commander Richard Amirault, USN, announced that "Old Ironsides" will remain in drydock through 1995. The ship will be fully rigged and back at Pier 1 by March of 1996. Amirault says: "The scope of the current overhaul has been broadened to include the reinstallation of key structural supports. Performing the work now rather than during a post-bicentennial overhaul will enable us to realize a significant cost savings." The two-year continuation will cost \$5 million.

The additional savings can be attributed to the improved methods used in determining what repairs must be done to the ship. Charles Deans, the director of the Naval Historical Cen-

ter Maintenance and Repair Detachment, which is responsible for performing the work, says: "These innovative methods, including ultrasonic testing, and x-rays, have taken the hit-or-miss out of our work. In fact, it allows us to be more accurate than at any time in the history of ship repair. This saves time and money." Sixty-five civilian employees working for the Navy will complete this work.

The absence of the structural supports was discovered during the inspection phase of the current drydocking. Research revealed that some of the original structural supports were removed during previous repair periods. Restoring the supports will renew the strength of the ship's hull. Amirault notes: "When

completed, this work will ensure the integrity of a ship that has played a great role in our nation's history. It would be irresponsible not to preserve the ship for future generations of Americans." **USS Constitution** is not a replica and approximately 20 percent of the ship is original dating back to 1797.

The planned work will not interfere with the daily on-board tours of the ship. In addition, the story of **USS Constitution** comes alive at the USS Constitution Museum, which fills the role of the ship's interpretive voice. Through artifacts and displays, the museum, located next to the drydock, is able to detail the rich history of the ship. The Boston National Historical Park will continue to supplement the public's "Old Ironsides" experience with special exhibits and programs at the Charlestown Navy Yard. The combination of **USS Constitution**, the USS Constitution Museum and the World War II destroyer **USS Cassin Young**, makes the Charlestown Navy Yard unit of the Boston National Historical Park one of the most popular attractions along Boston's Freedom Trail.

## Hospice

What does it involve?

How does it function?

The answer to these and other questions will be given by William Wallace and Giam Martin, members of the Brookline Hospice Society, on Sunday, Nov. 21 at the Bishop Lawton Hall, following the 9 a.m. Mass at St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Everyone is welcome to attend. Refreshments will be served.

## 'Breast Cancer: The Other Epidemic' To Be Featured At The Library

Karen Murphy-Lind, R.N., an outreach worker with the Mass. Department of Public Health's Breast Cancer Initiative Grant Program, will talk to women about "Breast Cancer: The Other Epidemic" during the Charlestown Branch Library's weekly Adult Discussion Group meeting at 10 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 12 at the library, 179 Main St.

Murphy-Lind will discuss the importance of self-examination and mammo-

(continued from page 8) ing, there can be no units set aside specifically for Charlestown residents. However, he explained, it is guaranteed that the three to seven person selection committee will be comprised of Charlestown-based people from such areas as medical, senior care specialists, clergy and elder needs workers. He added that applications for housing will be picked up and dropped off at the site.

Cunha said "Stoney Beach" will be constructed on the side of the building with the original granite, and the original granite posts will be used in the fencing.

The request by Store 24 at Thompson Square for a variance on its occupancy to include 36-A, for take-out food, was brought to the Development Committee last week. Cunha stated that representatives from Store 24 brought with them plans to change their parking lot and landscape the area. He said they told the committee the 10-yard dumpster currently in use will be replaced with a three-yard dumpster enclosed by a fence. He added that trash pick up will be three times a week during the day so as not to disturb abutters.

The council voted to endorse the variance for take out requested by Store 24 with the provision that they work cooperatively with the Thompson Square Park Committee and the Charlestown Preservation Society on plans for the area.

Cunha stated that much to his "chagrin" he read that the "Whydah project is back on the Boston Redevelopment Authority's table." He said that he had sat down with Barrett five days before the announcement on the Whydah came out in the Boston newspapers, ad-

## Wide Range Of Community Issues Brought Before The CNC

ding, "It must have slipped his mind." He said that he would like the CNC to rescind its agreement made with the developers of the Whydah complex last year. Conway said that the agreement would have been negated once the developers left Boston for Tampa. He added that they would have to come back to the community like any new developer.

Dillon said the CNC should look at the project as jobs for the community. Looney noted that they came before the community and "they walked out on us — maybe we should up the ante." Cunha stated that he obtained a copy of the mitigation agreement of the Whydah Complex with Tampa noting that "it contains some interesting points." Looney added that it is not known if the Whydah group has plans to come to Charlestown, and

Scalli added that in any event, the council should be prepared.

Gillen reported on a poorly attended Mitigation Committee meeting on Oct. 26 at which Massport presented information on the proposed buffer zone along Medford Street, to be constructed at a cost of approximately \$175,000. He proposed that a meeting be held at the end of November when Massport would present plans, charts and schemes to the community.

Cunha brought to the attention of the CNC the need by the Townie Color Guard to secure a full gym in which to practice its routines. Some members of the council pledged to assist the color guard organization in securing a practice facility.

The next monthly meeting of the CNC will be on Tuesday, Dec. 7 at 7 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

## Charlestown Catholic Second Graders Plant Daffodils



**DAFFODIL PLANTING:** "And when you see clouds upon the hills, there's soon to be crowds of daffodils." These lines from a familiar song may seem more fitting quoted in April; however, for second grade students at Charlestown Catholic Elementary, October was a perfect time to discuss daffodils. Due to a generous donation to Charlestown Catholic by the Boston Parks and Recreation Department, children in Miss Fopiano's and Mr. Fraine's second grades were able to be part of a hands-on lesson in ecology and science. The donation of daffodil bulbs was accompanied by a visit to the school by representatives of the Park department. Shown above is General Superintendent of Horticulture Mike Taylor instructing the students in the procedures for planting and caring for the daffodils. Shown below, James Walsh, regional administrator of the Parks Department, spoke to the students. Just as the Apostle Paul planted, Apollis watered, and God gave the increase (Corinthians 3:6); and the students planted, the students will water and God will give the increase — an increase that will result in daffodils, one of the first flowers of spring.



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The committee asks that individuals and organizations submit names by **Monday, Nov. 15** to allow the selection committee time to begin its arduous task. Time is also needed to purchase the items for the boxes and to make plans for delivery on Sunday, Dec. 19.

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

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## MGH Bunker Hill Health Center Holds Annual Employee Recognition/Anniversary Celebration

The MGH Bunker Hill Health Center celebrated its 25th anniversary recently. The Health Center opened on Sept. 14, 1968 with a staff of 10 and has grown to a staff of 96 today. Each year the Health Center administration takes this special occasion to honor and thank staff for years of service. This year, 15 staff were honored.

The recipients were: 15 years — Sandra Bock, PA-C, M.Ed., adult medicine, and Helen Ryan, CPA, adult medicine; Five years — Margaret Drake, adult medicine secretary, Barbara Kelly, adult medicine secretary and Carol Murphy, LICSW, mental health/social services; Three years — Lois Cutillo, ob/gyn secretary, Susan Cutillo,

mental health/social services secretary, Denise Feudo, LPN, ob/gyn, Lyn Lindpaintner, M.D., adult medicine, Mary Marcella, secretary, Scott McLeod, MA, mental health/social services, Allison Moore, MSCCC, speech/language, Marjorie Rogers, R.R.A., medical records, Lisa Solomon, Ph.D., mental health/social services and Edward Soloway, D.P.M., podiatry.

Gifts were presented by the supervisors and Peggy Carolan, administrative director of the Health Center. Mary Leary, director of MGH Community Health Centers, told the group that the Health Center is an important part of the community and is poised to face the future challenges of the changes in health care.



EMPLOYEES of the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center were honored for service at a reception marking the 25th anniversary of the center. TOP ROW: At the left are employees celebrating 15 years at the center. Shown (l. to r.) are Sandra Bock and Helen Ryan with Administrative Director Peggy Carolan . . . On the right, with five years of

service, are (l. to r.) Carol Murphy, Margaret Drake and Barbara Kelly. BOTTOM ROW: Honored for three years of service are (l. to r.) Mary Marcella, Scott McLeod, Lisa Solomon, Susan Cutillo, Lyn Lindpaintner, Lois Cutillo and Edward Soloway.

### Elcox Elected President Of The American Lung Association

Dr. Kathleen M. Elcox, director of Health and Handicap Services at Bunker Hill Community College (BHCC), has been elected president of the American

Lung Association of Mass. (ALAM). The ALAM fights lung disease, the third leading cause of death in America. Along with its medical section, the Mass.

Thoracic Society, the association provides programs of education, community service, advocacy and research. Its activities are supported by donations to Christmas Seals and other volunteer contributions.

As president, Elcox will provide leadership for the Lung Association and its branch and affiliated offices across the state. She will work with board members, volunteers and staff to enhance the association's fund-raising activities which support programs such as Camp Chest Nut, a

week-long overnight camp for children with asthma, an annual flu prevention program and the Lung Association's acclaimed smoking cessation programs.

In addition to her BHCC position, Elcox is a consultant in Health Education (medicine) at Mass. General Hospital, a position she has held for 15 years.

Elcox studied nursing at the Montreal General Hospital. She holds a M.Ed. from Northeastern University and a Ph.D. from Columbia Pacific University in San Rafael, Calif.

### HAPPENINGS AT The Charlestown Working Theater



442 Bunker Hill St. 242-3285

CWT celebrated Halloween weekend by presenting a Spooky Halloween House and Halloween activities, along with the group Women in Art. The Haunted House was a great success, and we enjoyed scaring many of our fellow Townies as well as people from other parts of the city. For our smaller visitors, we offered face painting, trick or treat bag decorating and storytelling.

Special thanks goes out to: The Patriot, Rep. Richard Voke, Pat Johnson, all our volunteers, Women in Art, Mary Featherston, Father Ron Coyne and everyone who joined us on such a rainy weekend.

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For more information, contact Peggy O'Brien or Patty Gould at 635-5169.

## Burke Opens Breed's Hill Pet Grooming On Main Street

There is one thing that is an absolute must for a person running a pet-grooming establishment and that is a love of animals.

Catherine Burke's love of animals is evident in any conversation, and this attribute, combined with her almost lifelong experience in working with animals, has led her to where she is today — the very capable and caring owner of Breed's Hill Pet Grooming at 269 Main St.

Burke grew up in N.H., and has raised a variety of animals — from collies to a Persian cat, to chickens, rabbits, a calf, a goat, finches, parakeets and gerbils.

During high school, she earned a N.H. educational scholarship for her outstanding leadership and accomplishments in the 4-H Club dog care program. In 1968 she represented N.H. at the 47th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago where she was presented a national scholarship award sponsored by the Ralston Purina Co. for her work with the 4-H guide dog program.

While attending the University of N.H. for Animal Science, Burke was in a work-study program for a veterinarian in North Hampton, N.H. During high school and college vacations she was employed as a kennel attendant and groomer, and acted as manager while the owners were on the dog show circuit for the summer.

Burke has been grooming for 27 years and was owner/manager of Shear Perfection Dog Grooming Salon in Everett from 1979 to 1984. In 1989 she won third place in grooming with an American cocker spaniel at the New England Professional Pet Grooming Contest. She hones her skills by attending dog-grooming seminars.

Burke exudes pride in her Main Street shop and encourages people interested in using her services to call for an appointment to come and visit.

She states that her specialty is de-matting and scissor cuts on long-haired dogs that avoids a shaved-down look. The shop also does "puppy cuts," a shorter style that is easy to manage.



A NEW SHOP, Breed's Hill Pet Grooming, opened recently at 269 Main St. Shown are owner/manager Catherine Burke and Dr. John DeJong, DMV, of the Boston Mobile Veterinary Clinic. (photo by Jeanne Davis)

Although the professionals at the shop will bathe and clip the animal's nails, self-service bathing is available at a reduced rate. Burke said this is particularly important for hard to handle or one-person dogs. She also does Persian cats, angora rabbits and long-haired guinea pigs. She does ask, for the safety of the pet, that all dogs be leashed when entering and leaving the shop, and that cats be in a carrier or box.

Other services for pets offered at the shop include a flea treatment, a hot-oil treatment for dry skin, medicated and iodine baths for skin problems, hypo-allergenic shampoos for dogs allergic to soap or sprays and botanical and chemical flea sprays and dips.

At the present, Burke says, there is a limited retail stock of collars, leashes and grooming supplies. Her plans are to carry Science Diet, a premium cat and dog food, hopefully by December.

In addition, Dr. John DeJong, DMV, owner of the Boston Mobile Veterinary Clinic, is at the shop on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to noon. Persons interested in having their pet seen by

the doctor should call the shop at 241-7070 for an appointment. Currently, Burke has a full-time job with the shop open Tuesday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. But she does have plans for the future which includes a puppy kindergarten, a pick-up and delivery service for pets and lines of premium pet food.

In her spare time, Burke grooms cockers for adoption through the Cocker Spaniel Rescue of Greater Boston, located in Charlestown. Also, she, along with her husband, Charlestown native Kevin Burke, are avid gardeners involved with the Charlestown Community Gardens at Sullivan Square.

Professionally Burke is where she wants to be — with her own shop, taking care of the animals she loves. She states: "The art of grooming is a light touch and learning how to read the animal. There is a special respect and deep trust between a good groomer and their animals. The feeling I have for my dogs isn't just in my head or wallet, it is in my heart. Grooming gives me an emotional boost. It's the same feeling a sculptor achieves when he creates something, only I work with living art and fur," said Burke.

## The 196th Birthday Of 'Old Ironsides'



RYAN EISNER from Henderson, Nev. was the 196th visitor on board the "USS Constitution" in the Charlestown Navy Yard on Oct. 21, the 196th birthday of the ship. Ryan, 3-months-old, received a shell from one of the ship's cannons from Cmdr. Richard Amirault, USN, commanding officer of "USS Constitution." Shown (l. to r.) Harvey Eisner, Linda Eisner holding Ryan, and Amirault.



### Healthy Charlestown Coalition

I was recently stopped on the street by a long-time Charlestown resident who was concerned about the quality of life in her neighborhood. She wanted to know what I — a Healthy Charlestown Coalition member — was going to do about her problems. I told her I was sorry that she was upset and that I, me alone, couldn't do much. Together, us — she and I/the coalition — we, could do a lot.

Healthy Charlestown is about speaking up and being heard. Healthy Charlestown is a community coalition that is a chain only as strong as its weakest link. From what I know of this community, our weakest link still makes us a pretty strong chain.

The Healthy Charlestown Coalition will be making an important step into its next phase of growth and development. Our next meeting, which will be from 5:30 to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 16 at the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St., will include the finalization of our community assessment report. This report has been several months in the making and is the product of many hard-working concerned people who live and work in Charlestown. Tuesday's meeting is an excellent opportunity for you to become involved in the future and growth of your community. We need your voice and ideas regarding the information we have gathered.

For more information, please call 241-3756.

Annie Copps  
Healthy Charlestown Coalition

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# TOWNIE SPORTS LINE

## BOB D'S BEAT

by

Bob DeCristoforo

■ **Townies In ROTC** . . . If you happen to catch a parade this Veterans Day, look closely, you just might see members of the Charlestown High School ROTC in the line of march. Members of the squad include Jimmy Yandle, Romeo Colorado, Phyllis Whelan, Patrick Collins, Kelly Ann Moses, Domenic Tamburello, Shawn Porter, Jennifer Evers, Peter Gabbaro, Kerry Ortiz, Jeanett Perito, Sean Scuturio, Laura Sullivan, Robert Coleman, Dawn Marie Lavallee and Darlene Elias.

■ **Greg McNeil** . . . Congratulations to Greg McNeil who finished second in the first annual BHA Citywide Essay contest in the 16- to 18-year-old category. Over 200 young people from every neighborhood in the city entered the contest, the topic being, "What Family Means To Me." Greg represented the Bunker Hill Development. He is a senior at Charlestown High School, a member of the Bunker Hill

Teen Council and a Charlestown Teen Connection peer leader. He was also a delegate at the recent Youth Congress, and he will enter college next September.

■ **High School Football Scoreboard** . . . Cohasset defeated Charlestown 23-6 in a non-leaguer at the high school field on a rainy Friday afternoon.

Greg Smith was the hero both offensively and defensively, as Malden Catholic rolled past Don Bosco 40-12. Calvin Bryant once again had all the offense for the Bears.

BC High shut out Somerville 41-0. The Eagles are now a respectable 4-4-0. Stoughton defeated Boston Latin 18-7. Brockton had little trouble with Catholic Memorial by zapping the Knights 37-8. Latin Academy kept its playoff hopes alive by defeating Brighton 14-8. Arlington Catholic defeated Cardinal Spellman 14-0.

Dee Brown had all the touchdowns, including the OT win-

ner, as Matignon topped Bishop Fenwick, and Pope John got into the win column by defeating St. Clement's 28-20.

■ **Weekend Watch** . . .

Saturday, Nov. 13

Charlestown at Seekonk  
Concord-Carlisle at Latin  
East Boston at Latin Academy  
Don Bosco at Catholic Memorial  
Malden Catholic at St. John's  
Savio Prep at Arlington Catholic  
Northeast at Pope John  
Matignon at Shawsheen  
St. John's at BC High

Sunday, Nov. 14

Trinity Catholic at St. Clement's

■ **Final Tally** . . . The Bunker Hill Teen Center sent a check for \$216.15 to the the U.S. Committee for UNICEF.

■ **Pro Line** . . . Great to hear that Keith Tkachuk has been named new Winnipeg Jet captain, a very well-deserved honor. Hard to believe that Keith is only 21 years old. Prediction: Keith will be named to the NHL All-Star Team in '94.

■ **Basketball Clinic, Tonight, Nov. 11** . . . Andrea Higgins will be at the Boys & Girls Club tonight for a basketball clinic beginning at 7 p.m. Andrea is a Boston University All-American. The clinic will be hosted by the Boston Police Athletic League (PAL).

■ **Rep. Voke** . . . The members of the Bunker Hill Teen Council would like to thank Rep. Richard A. Voke for his donation to the Teen Center as part of his Charlestown Charities Fund Raiser.

■ **Friendship League Citywide** . . . We're still looking for our first victory in Friendship Citywide play. We were defeated on Saturday 7-4 by West Roxbury. The game was played at the new Bryan McGonagle street hockey facility down at the Neck. Joining the squad this week were Greg Staples, Ricky Evers, Jimmy White and Jamie Carroll. Keith Wallace helped out with the coaching. Players are reminded that they must have the league fee prior to next week's game.

■ **College Board** . . . In football action, UMass-Boston picked up its second win of the season by defeating Fitchburg 18-2. The Beacons close out the tough year when they host Framingham State on Saturday.

■ **The Word Is** . . . Scrabble has become a daily activity among the members of the Bunker Hill Teen Center. The winner of the first week's tournament was Steven Mahan, whose score of 323 withstood the week.

■ **Wanted** . . . The Bunker Hill Teen Center is in need of a bookcase. Please call 242-3200 if you can help!

■ **Tidbits** . . .

- Birthday best to Dickie Centola.
- Great to see Vermont Hockey Hall of Famer Tommy Cullity, his son Pat and his father attending the weekend Boston College-Vermont game. Tom brings back some great memories of Lexington and Bunker Hill streets, fondly remembered as "Straight Corner," and also "Stoney Beach."
- Mike Woods has a nice pair of PJs.
- Congratulations to John Cowan who won the annual Halloween Egg Toss contest. The prize: Dinner at the Whelan residence.
- Jimmy Yandle does a great impression of Michael Jordan.

*Have A Great Veterans Day!*

### Matt O'Neil Junior Hockey Update

by Bernie "Scoop" Kelly  
Merrimack College Edges  
O'Neil Club 5-3

The O'Neil Club suffered another setback at the hands of the Warriors last Wednesday, as Coach Ri-

chie "Hondo" Hart tried in vain to end a losing streak that has been plaguing the team for the last four weeks.

After a close first period with a score of 2-1, War-

riors, the O'Neil Club put the pressure on to take the lead 3-2 as the second period ended.

The third period was wide open with good solid hockey when, within 34

seconds, the Warriors scored two fast goals, allowing O'Neil a single goal as the game ended.

**O'Neil Club Loses**

**Another Classic 8-4**

Coach Hart must now think the gods are against him as he suffered another defeat at the hands of the NECDL Classics on Friday night, before a warm crowd of boosters at the rink in Canton.

Before the crowd of hockey buffs could settle in their seats, the O'Neil Club had compiled a solid 3-0 score as the first period came to an end.

As the second period started, it looked as though the Classics were playing for the Stanley Cup, as they put the O'Neil Club on the defense and scored four goals in eight minutes and one more to bring the second period to a 5-3 close.

The Classics added three goals while the O'Neil Club could only muster one goal in this feisty, hard-hitting third meeting between these two teams, final score 8-4, Classics.

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Games this week are Friday, Nov. 12 versus the Granite State Stars, and Saturday, Nov. 13 versus the Springfield Pics. Both games are at 8 p.m. at the Emmons-Horrigan-O'Neil MDC Rink in Charlestown.

### Segal On Boston Hockey League Team

Andrew Segal is a member of the Boston Junior Terriers Bantam Minor Hockey Team which has qualified to compete in two of the largest and most pres-

tigious tournaments in the world: the Esso Cup to be held in Toronto in December, and the Quebec International Tournament to be held in February.

Segal is a forward and also plays right wing for the Boston Junior Terriers. The Terriers ended up in first place with a record of 7-0-4, and the opportunity to compete in the two Cana-

dian tournaments.

Teams from all over the world vie for a chance to compete. A good portion of NHL players have played in this tournament, and this is where Wayne Gretzky broke all records.

Segal is the son of former Charlestown native, Laura Agcaoili Segal, the granddaughter of Mabel Agcaoili of Ferrin Street and the nephew of Suzette Pacheco.

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This will be an opportunity to wish Matt well  
as he begins his second year of study for the  
priesthood at St. John's Seminary.

## CHAD Bowling League Update

by John Dillon

Bunker Hill Real Estate keeps moving along and trounced the Kennedy Center this past Saturday for a 6-2 victory in the CHARLESTOWN Against Drugs (CHAD) Junior Bowling League. Adrien and Mike Crowley were immense for the Bunker Hill team as they both scored over 200.

Holding up the rear guard was Katy Boutwell with a 202 and Colleen Boutwell with a 174. Jimmy Kissane was top bowler for the Kennedy Center team with a 221. Meghan Buckley, Tacara Bowman and Marianne Kissane all had a good day for the Kennedy Center in a losing effort.

Mama Maria's took ad-

vantage of an undermanned Jenny's Pizza team, slamming them for an eight-point victory. Sean Reilly bowled a fantastic 300 for the day, the first time this has been done this year. Sean also had a 114 single string. Aileen Doherty bowled 50 pins over her average to make the victory complete. In all fairness to the Jenny's Pizza team, Michelle Marino was taking her SAT exams and Philip O'Neil was injured.

The Crickets team pounded away at the Cappucci team for an 8-0 victory. Mike Shackford had his best day of the year, bowling 78 pins over his average and carrying the Crickets team to victory. Matt Paley had a nice 238 and Jon Paul Aubrey turned in a 171 for Crickets. Kevin McCusker had a wonderful 250 for the Cappucci team. Philip Murdahl, Shawn Burke and Jennifer Williams bowled well for the Cappucci team but they couldn't overcome the performance by Shackford.

In other action, the Charlestown Patriot and Nucci teams split their match 4-4. Chris Headle was top gun for the Nucci team with a nice 229. Chris Hanley and

Michelle Davidcheck both had a good day. Christina Biggins was top bowler for the Patriot team, followed by Chris Boutwell, 169, John Harrington, 168, and Sheri Havens, 142.

In the final match, the American Legion team blasted the B&B Oil team for a 6-2 victory. Taylor Haley had a great 234 for the American Legion team. Bryan Passamonti turned in a nice 134. Again, in fairness to the B&B Oil team, Andrea Webber was taking her SATs and Jill Connolly was out sick, so Kathleen Lynch and Kelly Gouthro had to carry the team and they both did a great job with Gouthro bowling 36 pins over her average.

Bowlers of the week are Sean Reilly, 300, Adrien Crowley, 251, Kevin McCusker, 250, Matt Paley, 238, Taylor Haley, 234, Christina Biggins, 232, Chris Headle, 229, and Mike Crowley, 227.

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

### Standings

	W	L
B.H. Real Estate	26	6
Crickets	22	10
Nucci	20	12
Mama Maria's	20	12
Kennedy Center	18	14
American Legion	18	14
Jenny's Pizza	16	16
Cappucci	8	24
B&B Oil	6	26
Charlestown Patriot	6	26

## Gym Hockey

### ★ Players Of The Week ★

• **B & H Cleaning:** Jennifer Buckley and Corey Brennan

• **Bryan's Pals:** Matthew Manganelli and Michael Grzelecyk

• **Bunker Hill Florist:** Brian Griffiths and Vanessa Tamburello

• **Charlestown Home Furniture:** Justine Yandle and Billy Langan

• **Kerrigan's:** John Bercier and Patrick McGrath

• **Mama Maria's:** Michael Evers and Brendan Doe

• **Moe's Variety:** John and Lauren Murphy

• **Peg & Al's:** This week's bye

• **The Blow Up:** Joe DeMaio and Jamie Jones

• **The Horseshoe:** Rory Doherty and Kevin Smith

• **T.J.'s Kids:** Jimmy Murphy and Michael D'Ambrosio

### Standings

	W	L	T
Moe's Variety	5	0	0
Bryan's Pals	4	1	0
Chas'n. Home Furniture	3	1	0
The Horseshoe	3	2	0
B&H Cleaning	3	2	0
T.J.'s Kids	2	2	0
B.H. Florist	2	2	0
Kerrigans	1	3	0
Peg & Al's	1	3	0
Mama Maria's	1	4	0
The Blow Up	0	5	0

## C.Y.O. & St. Catherine NEWS

by Father Ron Coyne

• **CYO Basketball Teams Begin Practice** — We are now practicing for our 1993-94 basketball season and are continuing to register boys and girls ages 10 to 18 for our CYO teams. Practices began this week, and the regular season will begin in early December. The CYO teams will play their home games at the Boys & Girls Club and at the Community Center. Boys and girls interested in playing under 13, under 15 or under 18 basketball who have not registered, may fill out a form at St. Catherine's rectory. The cost is \$15 per person or \$25 for a family of two or more.

• **Roller-Skating Party** — We are sponsoring four roller-skating parties during the school year for all children and teen-agers from both public and parochial schools. Our first party will be from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 26 at Rollerworld in Saugus. Busses will leave St. Catherine's Church at 3:45 p.m. and return at 7 p.m. The cost is \$5 per person which includes skates, admission and transportation. If you have rollerblades, you may bring them.

• **Celtics Tickets** — We have 40 tickets for the Celtics/Orelando Magic game on Friday, Nov. 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the Boston Garden. Tickets are \$12 each and are on sale at the rectory. All are welcome.

• **CYO Convention** — The annual convention, sponsored by the CYO and held at BC High School, will take place on Saturday, Nov. 20, from 1 to 10 p.m. The day will feature speakers, workshops, dinner and a dance. There will be over 1,000 teenagers present and we are privileged to be among them. The cost is \$10 per person. You may sign up at the rectory. We will provide transportation.

• **CPR Course Offered To Charlestown Residents** — On Saturday, Nov. 27, from 8:45 a.m. to 3 p.m., all Charlestown residents are invited and encouraged to take part in a life saving course including healthy living, CPR, first aid, Heimlich maneuver, test and certification. This program is being offered through the American Heart and Lung Association. It is limited to 25 people, teen-agers and adults. The course will be held in St. Catherine's Parish Hall. The cost is \$20 per person, which includes the textbook and certification.

To register, you must leave your name, telephone number and \$10 at St. Catherine's rectory. For more information call Gordon at 242-3372 or Father Coyne at 242-1750.

• **Adult Mystery Ride** — A mystery ride for our adults will be on Sunday evening, Dec. 12. We guarantee you a good time, great company and lots of laughs as we travel to who knows where. The bus will leave St. Catherine's Church at 5:30 p.m., and return around 11 p.m. The cost is only \$25 per person and includes . . .

If you want to book a spot on the bus, call Sandra Moccia at 242-9612.

• **Parish Show Proceeds** — The purpose of St. Catherine's Parish Show is to bring together the residents of our community of all ages, provide healthy entertainment and instill self-esteem among the cast members.

The financial success is secondary. Our proceeds all went into our CYO program which offers athletics, programs and activities throughout the year. We want all of those who support our efforts to be aware of the cost involved. The following are our costs: choreographer \$1,000; pianist and percussionist \$900; rentals (spotlights, organ, sound system, costumes, props, etc.) \$1,733.08; custodial fees \$764.39; ad book and tickets \$829.24; stage manager \$575; cast parties \$515.81; soloists, projectionists and chief spot \$350, with total expenses: \$6667.52.

Our income was as follows: ticket sales \$6348; ad book \$1770, with total proceeds: \$8118.

The profit on our 1993 show was \$1450.48. We thank you!

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### News From The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club 15 GREEN ST. 242-1775



- NEW CLUB HOURS FOR 6- TO 8-YEAR-OLDS**  
 As of Tuesday, Nov. 16, any club member between the ages of 6 and 8 will not be able to remain in the clubhouse after 6 p.m.  
 Buses leave the clubhouse at 5, 5:30 and 6 p.m. However, there is no 5:30 p.m. bus on Wednesdays.
- PHYSICAL EDUCATION NEWS**  
**Coed Basketball League** — All boys and girls who are interested in playing in the in-house basketball league should be in the gym at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow, Friday, Nov. 12. The registration fee is \$5, and it will include a T-shirt.
- Swim News** — The swim team showed some impressive outings against Billerica and Woburn this past week. The

team's next meet will be against the West End house next week.  
 Don't forget, the parents hold bake sales at all home meets to support the swimmers. Please help!  
**Swim-A-Thon** — The Swim-A-Thon will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 16 and Thursday, Nov. 18. Swimmers will be trying to raise money for transportation and other expenses. We truly appreciate all the help we can get.

- BASKETBALL CLINIC**  
 A free Basketball Clinic for girls 10 to 14 will be held tonight, Thursday, Nov. 11, at 7 p.m. in the gym. The event, sponsored by the Boston Police Athletic League (PAL), will

### Marshalls Inc. To Hold Fund Raiser For Boys & Girls Clubs

Marshalls Inc. announced it will support the Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston's

100th anniversary celebration with a special fund raiser and fashion show dona-

tion. On the evening of Nov. 17 from 6 to 9 p.m., Marshalls will hold a preview party fund raiser in its new South Bay Center store in Dorchester. Pledging \$10 per attending guest, Marshalls will donate up to \$5,000 to benefit the Boys & Girls Clubs' various after-school programs and activities and give away \$100 gift certificates to three lucky winners that evening. All Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston members, volunteers and supporters are invited to attend.

In addition, Marshalls will donate \$2,500 worth of fashions from its local Boston area stores to support the clubs' 100th anniversary Guys and Dolls fashion show. The 40 children from the Boys & Girls Clubs' three clubhouses located in

Charlestown, South Boston and Roxbury, who are modeling the fashions, will also be able to keep them, courtesy of Marshalls. The fashion show will be held at Bunker Hill Community College on Friday, Nov. 19 from 7 to 9 p.m. For ticket and additional information, call Kathryn Holmes Johnson at 973-5400.

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston is a non-profit, youth development agency serving 5,200 Boston city youth. With plans to open a fourth clubhouse in Dorchester in late 1994, Boys & Girls Clubs programs include extracurricular education such as academic tutoring and field trips, in addition to social recreation, physical and emotional development programs that serve to enrich the lives and experiences of Boston city children.

feature former Boston University All-American Andrea Higgins who will help young hoopsters who are interested in improving or learning new skills.

Area A Deputy Superintendent Robert Hayden and Officer Ted Boyle will also be on hand. Each participant will receive a free PAL T-shirt.

- DANCE**  
 There will be a dance in the gamesroom between 6 and 8 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 12 for members ages 9-12. Admission is \$1, and all profits will benefit the Torch Club.

- TO ALL TORCH CLUB MEMBERS:**  
 There is a mandatory meeting at 4 p.m. this Friday, Nov. 12, in the gamesroom. If you are in the Torch Club, you must attend.

- EDUCATION/CULTURAL ENRICHMENT**  
 — Come by the library for communication activities: Tuesdays - pen pals, Wednesdays - sign language, Thursdays - Spanish/English and Fridays - Bo Knows geography activities. Sign up with Christine to be in the Bo Knows Contest.

- The Read-A-Rama began on Tuesday. Drop by the library to get your official entry form for the reading contest.

- This week's forum is cancelled. Watch for a new date!  
 — It's not too late to sign up for Interpretive Dance. If you are 10-15, sign up with Jenny.

- There will be a field trip to the Computer Museum on Friday, Nov. 19. Call Christine to sign up.

- Drawing (3 to 4 p.m.) and painting (4 to 5 p.m.) classes start on Tuesday, Nov. 16. Sign up with Jenny. The art room is also open for drop-in activities every Wednesday and Friday.

- Science classes will be on Tuesdays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. for 6- to 8-year-olds, and Thursdays from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. for 9- to 12-year-olds. Talk to Jenny. Drop-in times are Tuesdays from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Wednesdays from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. and Thursdays from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

- Jazz dance classes are every Wednesday from 3 to 3:45 p.m. for 6- to 8-year-olds, and from 4 to 4:45 for 9- to 12-year-olds. It's not too late to sign up. Talk to Jenny.

#### For Teens

- Now that the November SAT is over, it's time for seniors to start completing college applications. Talk to Maureen in the teen ed room. We have many applications and lots of information about colleges, so drop by. Many staff members at the club are willing to write letters of recommendation, if needed. If you still haven't taken the SAT, talk to Maureen right away!

- Drop by the club for homework help — especially Tuesday nights when we have tutors available.

- Sign up with Jenny for the trip to the Computer Museum. We go on Friday afternoon.

- The Battle of the Brains starts on Wednesday, Nov. 17 at 7 p.m. Get a team together and sign up with Maureen.

- TEEN CENTER NEWS**  
**Lawler Dominates Ping-Pong Circuit** — Once again, Joe Lawler demonstrated that he is the dominant force in Charlestown Ping-Pong. On Wednesday night, Lawler won his fifth weekly title in as many tries, by defeating newcomer to tournament play, Corey Gallagher, in the finals. Lawler also played Mike O'Leary later in the evening for the October championship.

Ping-Pong championships are held every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Weekly winners will play for a monthly grand prize.

- O'Leary Regains 9-Ball Crown** — Mike O'Leary regained his 9-Ball crown last Saturday as he defeated a talented pool of over 20 sharpshooters. O'Leary won back-to-back titles in mid-October and will play Matt Ezekiel, Ben Burnett and Pat Healey this week for the October championship. Weekly 9-Ball championships are held every Saturday at 1 p.m. Weekly champions are eligible to compete for monthly grand prizes.

- Dating Game** — The Dating Game is coming to The Teen Center on Tuesday, Nov. 23. Prizes will be awarded. Interested contestants should contact Danny.

- Arts & Crafts** — The Teen Center's new Arts & Crafts room opened this week. Classes will be from 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

- Aerobics** — Aerobics classes are being held in the Teen Center every Tuesday and Thursday night at 6 p.m. For details, contact Joe or Danny.

- Teen Ed Room** — The Teen Education room is open Tuesday through Friday nights for tutoring, SAT prep, college information, computer learning and much more. Please contact Maureen, Jenny or Danny for details.

- Tailgating Party** — This Saturday, The Teen Center will celebrate college football at its best. Number one in the country Florida State and number two Notre Dame will be playing for what could be the national championship. We will have the game on and the grill going, so come by and enjoy the autumn atmosphere!

- Thanksgiving Dance** — The teen room will sponsor a dance from 7:30 to 11 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 24. The cost is \$2.

Game of the month for November — Backgammon!!

### Low-Cost Rabies Vaccinations For Pets On Nov. 14 In Charlestown

Citing the sharp increase in the number of rabies cases reported in and around Boston, a coalition of animal and health organizations will host a low-cost rabies vaccination clinic for dogs and cats on Sunday, Nov. 14, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Charlestown Fire Station, 525 Main St., Sullivan Square, Charlestown. The cost for each pet is \$2.

According to officials, all pets are vulnerable to rabies, even indoor animals. In fact, most pet owners don't realize that if pets

have encounters with potentially rabid wildlife, officials must recommend euthanasia if the pet is not vaccinated against rabies.

The MSPCA, Animal Rescue League of Boston, the Boston Department of Health and Hospitals and local veterinarians agreed to sponsor the clinic because too many pets, the most likely conduit to people, are not being vaccinated.

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## SENIOR UPDATE

### Golden Age Senior Center

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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.

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#### ★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★

##### Friday, Nov. 12

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

##### Monday, Nov. 15

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

##### Tuesday, Nov. 16

- 10 a.m. - Sunshine Club, Crocheting,  
Arts & Crafts and Beading, Senior Lounge
- 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

##### Wednesday, Nov. 17

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

##### Thursday, Nov. 18

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

\* Starting Friday, Dec. 3, Seniorobics will be held at the YMCA in the Charlestown Navy Yard. Transportation will be provided.

#### ★ FREE SWIM ★

Anyone interested in a Free Swim at the YMCA in the Charlestown Navy Yard on Tuesday mornings at 10 a.m., please call Bobbie DeCarlo at the Kennedy Center. Please bring your own lock, soap and towel. Transportation will be provided. This program will start Tuesday, Nov. 30.

#### ★ UPCOMING EVENTS ★

- **Tree Decorating Brunch** — Wednesday, Dec. 8 at 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Lounge.
- **Beans & Beano** — Monday, Dec. 13 at 4 p.m. at the Senior Lounge.  
Please sign up now with Bobbie or Phyllis.

#### ★ UPCOMING TRIPS ★

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

- **LaSalette Christmas Light Trip** — Tuesday, Dec. 7, departing at 2:30 p.m. and returning at 10 p.m. The cost is \$22 which includes dinner.
- **'Forever Plaid' Day Trip** — A day trip on Thursday, Dec. 9, departing at 11:15 a.m. and returning at 4:45 p.m., will include lunch and the show "Forever Plaid" at the Boston Park Plaza Hotel. Space is limited, so sign up early. The cost is \$34.

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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.

- **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 TRIPS

See Sheila for details and reservations on . . .

- **Movie and Lunch Trip** — Tuesday, Nov. 16. The cost is \$13 which includes the bus and movie. Lunch at the Weathervane on Route 1 will be on your own.
- **Spirit of Boston Holiday Party** — Wednesday, Dec. 1. The cost is \$20, which includes a full turkey dinner, transportation and entertainment.
- **Vanity Fair Shopping And LaSalette Shrine** — A bus trip is planned for Thursday, Dec. 2 to Vanity Fair for shopping and a visit to see the Christmas lights at LaSalette Shrine. Lunch will be on your own at the Red Lobster with a 10 percent discount.
- **Atlantic City** — Bally's Park Place in Atlantic City is the destination of a trip on Jan. 30 and 31 and Feb. 1. The cost is \$119 per person with \$30 in bonuses. There will be full on-board refreshments.

#### HOUSING, EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE

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

For more information, contact Beverly Gibbons at 635-5176 or 635-5175.

### Names Being Accepted For Elderly Thanksgiving Dinner

The Charlestown Elderly Thanksgiving Dinner will be held on Monday, Nov. 22 between noon and 4 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

To be eligible for tickets, a person must be 60 or older and be a current resident of Charlestown. Tickets will be distributed on a first-come, first-served basis.

Names are being accepted for tickets at the following locations:

- **Kennedy Center Senior Lounge**  
55 Bunker Hill St. - BHA Building  
241-8866 - Contact Person: Phyllis Bryant or Bobbie DeCarlo
- **Golden Age Senior Center**  
382 Main St.  
635-5175 - Contact Person: Sheila Walsh

Tickets may be picked up at the same location where the person submitted their name on or after Friday, Nov. 12.  
Margie Kent, dinner coordinator

### AARP To Meet Nov. 17

Boston Chapter No. 88 of the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) will meet at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 17 at St. Paul's Cathedral, 138 Tremont St., Boston.

The speaker will be Da-

vid E. Appel, representative of the New York Life Insurance Co., who will be discussing long-term care.

Come prepared to ask your questions and make your comments.

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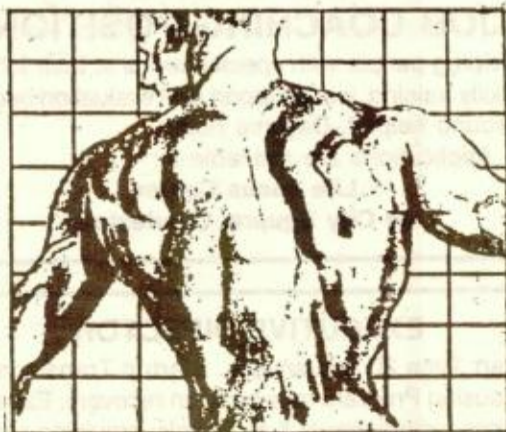
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



There Is A Lot To Be Said Positively About Charlestown Youth

The Boston Herald One Herald Square Boston, MA 02106

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing in response to an article printed in the November 3, 1993 issue of The Boston Herald entitled "Charlestown Youth Kicks Cat To Death." As I read into the story, I came to find out that the youth actually got on a bus on Bunker Hill Street in Charlestown heading toward Haymarket. It seems to me that the true title should have read "Youth In Charlestown" so as not to give the impression that the youth was actually a Charlestown resident.

Reading the Boston Herald today, (November 4, 1993) I came to realize "The Charlestown Youth" was actually a black male who was NOT a resident of Charlestown. I was also glad to hear that I am not the only Townie who responded to this misinterpretation. It seems to me that The Boston Herald took advantage of what has been going on in Charlestown and used that title to attract the reader's attention.

I am 21 years old and was born and raised in Charlestown. Although, like every neighborhood, Charlestown has its bad times, there is a lot to be said positively about Charlestown youth. Why not try that approach on your readers instead?

A Concerned Townie, Robin M. Gochakowski

cc: The Charlestown Patriot

Our Deep Appreciation

Dear Friends,

We express our deepest appreciation for all you have done during our time of sorrow.

Thank You, The family of James L. McDonough

My Sincere Thanks

I would like to express my sincere thanks to 911 and the firefighters who came to my aid twice within 10 days.

Thanks also to Father Coyne for his visit and blessing, the Sisters of Mercy, Kay Bryant for the flowers, the medical personnel at Mass. General and especially to my neighbor, Sheila McDonald for doing my shopping.

Thanks again, Rita Frederickson

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Dear Gloria:

In reference to the Boston Herald's article of Nov. 3 on the killing of the cat at the bus stop outside Jopa's on Bunker Hill Street, all I can say is what a horrible thing to have happened.

What is wrong when we don't start speaking up in this town? It's about time something is done with that bus stop anyhow. Margie and her husband Jopa, have put up with

We Are A Voice In The Wilderness

Congratulations to Mrs. Settiani on her letter of Oct. 28.

We have listened to and read all the slanted pieces that the media has done, the so-called cross burning and the molotov cocktail. The feds and police brass were tripping all over themselves, hollering racism, civil rights violators. But strangely enough, nothing was said about the stabbing by a gang who arrived in our town in cars with knives and baseball bats. But we're used to it by now, we don't expect fairness.

Hats off to our so-called friends, the politicians whose voices we could have appreciated in our support, who deafened us by their silence. Except for a few toadies, we Townies won't hear from them until its "handshaking promise you anything time" a few years down the road. That's the problem here, we have no local representative to fight for us, we are a voice in the wilderness.

Look at Mattapan, Roxbury, Dorchester, Jamaica Plain and West Roxbury, the Gestapo wouldn't dare go in there with half-proven accusations, not unless they had a Panzer Division with them.

I would be willing to bet that if anything negative comes of this latest fiasco, it will be the Townies who end up on the short end.

Sincerely, A 68-Year-Old Born and Raised Townie W.B. Crowley

Evers Asks That Bus Stop Be Restored

Commissioner Rina Cutler Transportation Department Boston City Hall

Dear Commissioner Cutler:

The M.B.T.A. and the Transportation Department have removed a designated bus stop at 220 Bunker Hill St. in Charlestown. This has created a problem for many residents on School, Elm, Mystic and Pearl streets. A great number of elderly live in the area and find the walk to another location very difficult. Many residents use this bus stop to go to work every day and find the change inconvenient.

The change was made because of ongoing concerns with the students from Charlestown High School. We must resolve these other issues; changing the bus stop is not the answer.

I am requesting that the bus stop be restored as soon as possible.

Sincerely, Judy Evers, coordinator Neighborhood Services

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Send resume, cover letter to: Search Committee P.O. Box 376, Charlestown, MA 02129.

We Must Speak Up

an awful lot all these months. Why isn't anybody listening to her?

Try to get on the bus going in town from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Forget it! It isn't fair to the residents of this town. The same thing in the morning from 6:30 a.m. to 8 a.m. People have to walk two stops to Polk Street if they are going to Sullivan Square after the students from Charlestown High depart from the bus. These residents are trying to go to work. Is that fair?

Never mind doing away with the bus stop at 220 Bunker Hill St. either. There again you are depriving our fellow residents the right to get on a bus. That isn't fair either.

The solution to this problem is to find money in somebody's budget to put the Charlestown High students back on their own buses coming and going from our town, and we won't have any problems.

To the person who killed that poor cat, you desperately need help, not that it's going to matter to you. I want you to know that it was someone's pet. Again, as if you care. I'm glad to know that no one in our town was responsible for that cowardly act, as the headline would lead you to believe.

There again, it brings to mind the 15 individuals who came into this town and did what they did to three of our residents. Those kids didn't deserve that either, and Charlestown was brought down because of it. Towns all over have good and bad, just remember that.

To all the elected officials and the organizations representing us, try to help us so we as residents can get on a bus, no matter what time of the day, in peace, and be able to get a seat.

One last favor. Please help Jopa's establishment. They are hard-working people as all our businesses are on Bunker Hill Street, trying to make a living. No one should have to put up with this nonsense. What is happening is that the kids keep moving down the street.

Hopefully something good comes from my letter. I thank you for publishing this.

Sincerely, Margie O'Halloran

My Thanks

I want to thank all my family and friends for the great surprise party they had for my 50th birthday at the K. of C. Hall on Oct. 8.

Special thanks to my sister Peg for all of her hard work, my sister-in-law Rita and Milly for the great decorating job they did in the hall, my super nieces and nephews who are always so special and my great-nieces and nephew for sharing in the celebration. Thanks also to Doug of Flowers First for the floral arrangements and DJ Leo Harrington for a super job. Thanks to all my fantastic family and friends that were there and provided the delicious food; my friends from GSA and Joan for flying in from Florida.

Extra special thanks to my sons Kevin and Steve for all the planning and running they did to have this party turn out so special. I am super proud of both of you.

Thank you again, Sally Robinson

Legal Notice

CITY OF BOSTON

To the Public Safety Commission Committee on Licenses Building Department

Boston

November 3, 1993

APPLICATION

For the lawful use of the herein-described building and other structure, application is hereby made for a permit to Maintain a business garage for 5 Forklift Trucks and also for a license to use the land on which such building or structure is/are or is/are to be situated for the KEEPING - STORAGE - 220 gallons of motor oil, 165 gallons of waste oil, 55 gallons of transmission fluid, 400 lbs. of grease, 165 gallons of hydraulic oil, 50 gallons of anti-freeze, 220 gallons of industrial lube oil, 500 gallons of diesel fuel, 55 gallons of solvents, 15 gallons of solvents in three parts cleaning stations, 35 cylinders of propane at 282 c.f. each, 20 cylinders of propane at 367 c.f. each, 20,000 gallons of #2 heating oil, 100,000 gallons of #6 fuel oil. The issuance of this license will replace previous license at this location.

Location of land 200 Terminal St., Charlestown, Ma., Ward 2. Owner of land United States Gypsum Co., Address 200 Terminal St., Charlestown, MA 02129. Dimensions of land: Ft. front 673 approx., Ft. deep 560 aver., Area sq. ft. 355,000.

Manner of keeping motor oil in four 55 gallon steel drums, waste oil in three 55 gallon steel drums, transmission fluid in one 55 gallon steel drum, grease in 30 gallon steel drum, hydraulic oil in three 55 gallon drums, anti-freeze in plastic containers, industrial lube oil in four 55 gallon steel drums, solvent in one 55 gallon steel drum, propane in cylinders. Heating oil and fuel oil in aboveground tanks.

United States Gypsum Co., Anthony J. Kelley for Owner, 200 Terminal St., Charlestown, MA 02129.

City of Boston. In Public Safety Commission, November 3, 1993. In the foregoing petition, it is hereby ORDERED, that notice be given by the petitioner to all persons interested that this Committee will on Thursday the 16th day of December at 9:30 o'clock, A.M., consider the expediency of granting the prayer of said petition when any person objecting thereto may appear and be heard; said notice to be given by the publication of a copy of said petition with this order of notice thereon in The Charlestown Patriot and by mailing by prepaid registered mail, not less than 7 days prior to such hearing, a copy to every owner of record of each parcel of land abutting on the parcel of land on which the building proposed to be erected for or maintained as, a garage is to be or is situated. Hearing to be held in 4th floor meeting room, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston, MA 02118.

Thomas McNicholas, Chairman, Martin E. Pierce Jr, Richard Dimino, Committee on Licenses. A true copy. Attest: William W. Keddy, Secretary. Nov. 11, 18, 25.

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### Annual Food Pantry Drive

The fourth annual Ecumenical Food Pantry Drive will be held at Johnnie's Foodmaster on Saturday, Nov. 20 from 9 a.m. to closing, and on Sunday, Nov. 21 from noon to closing.

Non-perishable foods and monetary donations will be welcomed so that local families might be provided with much-needed

food for the upcoming Thanksgiving holiday.

#### THANKSGIVING DEADLINE

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, the deadline for the Thanksgiving Day issue of **The Charlestown Patriot** will be **Friday, Nov. 19 at 5 p.m.**

The Thanksgiving edition of the newspaper, dated Thursday, Nov. 25, will be on the stands on Tuesday, Nov. 23.

Thank you for your cooperation — and Happy Thanksgiving to all!

### Parks Department Improves Play Lot Equipment



**UPDATE PROGRAM:** In a city-wide effort to maintain the many Boston parks and playgrounds renovated over the past five years, the Boston Parks and Recreation Department has launched a program to update and restore children's play-lot equipment in various parks throughout the city. Shown (l. to r.) Parks Department Carpenter and Char-



lestown resident Michael Burke and Carpentry Foreman Frank Wigmore installing a new bridge at the McCarthy Playground on Main Street in Charlestown. Also assisting with the job are Superintendent of Trades Frank Anzelmo, Parks Department Engineer Jeff Foley and Carpenter Kevin Williams. (photo by Terri Davis)

Saint Francis de Sales Parish

## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

**SUNDAY, NOV. 14**  
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