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Boston Harbor Marine Terminal No-Show Aggravates Neighbors

by Lynn Peters

Boston Harbor Marine Terminal principals declined the invitation to present their plans to residents for the former Amstar Domino Sugar refinery site on Charlestown's Medford Street waterfront. In a letter to Bill Galvin, chairman of the hosting Charlestown Neighborhood Council's Mitigation Committee, Dean Boylan Jr. and Stuart Lamb Jr. wrote, "We feel that due to our incomplete operating plans ... our appearance at a public forum would be premature."

The April 18 letter, which was hand-delivered by a resident employed by Boylan at the start of Tuesday's scheduled meeting, raised the ire of committee members and residents and stirred some anxious debate on how to have community input on the reshaping of the site's operations.

In July landlord-developer Harold Brown purchased the defunct 20-acre refinery site and leased 11 acres to Boston Harbor Marine Terminal, a newly formed partnership between Boylan's Boston Sand and Gravel and Lamb's Trimount Bituminous Products Co. Boston Harbor's 10-year lease includes the pier, dock, crane and dome-shaped sugar storage facility, and the partners state that

they plan to operate a general marine cargo terminal.

What exactly Boylan and Lamb plan to import or export through, what they call Boston's only privately owned marine terminal, is still a mystery. And the se-

cret has neighbors angry for not having a say, anticipating disastrous impacts on the community and frustrated that they can't get solid answers from the principals. Tuesday night's failed

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New Home Completed For Charlestown-Based Ambulance



A COOPERATIVE EFFORT led up to the April 18 ribbon-cutting ceremony shared by state, city and community people in welcoming the official opening of the Charlestown-based ambulance's new home. Shown are (l. to r.) Ken Stone, North Area Task Force co-chairman; Jon Fasano, Boston Emergen-

cy Medical Services director; Senator Francis Doris; MDPW Commissioner Jane Garvey; Elaine McCarthy, North Area Task Force member; Representative Richard Voke; and Judy Evers, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services Charlestown liaison. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

at Tuesday's ceremony. "The key to success is co-operation." Senator Francis Doris and Representative Richard

Voke commended the North Area Task Force on working to get the Charlestown-based ambulance and

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Charlestown Neighborhood Council Committee Meetings

Housing and Development Committee Meeting Tuesday, April 25

Tom Cunha, chairman of the Housing and Development Committee, has invited representatives of the Bank of New England to make a presentation on the plans for the renovation of the bank's Charlestown branch.

The meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 25 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 W. School St.

Veterans Committee Meeting Tuesday, April 25

Jim Conway, chairman of the Veterans Committee, along with vice-chairmen Ronan FitzPatrick, Eugene "Bud" Whelan and Tom White, have invited representatives of the Korean Veterans Memorial Association to present their proposal for the construction of a memorial in Shipyard Park in the Charlestown Navy Yard.

The meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 25 at 7 p.m. in the Hull Room, Building Five in the National Historical Park portion of the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting Tuesday, May 2

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, May 2 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 W. School St.

New England Aquarium Meeting Wednesday, May 10

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will meet as a committee of the whole on Wednesday, May 10 at 7 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St. to discuss issues involving the New England Aquarium's proposed move to the Charlestown Navy Yard.

The scheduled agenda includes discussion about Dry Dock 5 possibilities, the workshop schedule and a review of the traffic report.

These meetings are open to the public and all are invited to attend.

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Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society Holds Its Annual Election

The Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society held its annual election on Tuesday, April 18 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The election results are as follows:

Eugene "Bud" Whelan, President
Pat Farris, First Vice President
Mary Lou Tracy, Second Vice President
Grace Campbell, Treasurer
Ed McKinnon, Recording Secretary
Sheila Brown, Corresponding Secretary
David Whelan, Sergeant-At-Arms
Helen Mansfield, Advocate
Maryhelen Harty, Historian

The Board of Directors are Peg White, Kathy Tracy-Walsh, Janet LaPointe and Sally Woods.

'S.W.O.N. Songs' Introduced At Charlestown Working Theater Benefit



"S.W.O.N. SONGS," a musical based on the lives of the shipbuilding women of the Charlestown Navy Yard, was featured at a gala benefit for the Charlestown Working Theater in Building 125 in the Charlestown Navy Yard. The production will open at the theater, located at 442 Bunker Hill St., on April 27 for a four-week run. Shown at the

benefit were (l. to r.) Margaret Ings, a founder of the CWT and member of the Board of Trustees; Randall Warren, president, CWT Board of Trustees; Phoebe Blake, member, Board of Trustees; and Ron Jenkins, CWT Artistic Director.

(photo by Chris Burnett)

Charlestown Kids Make A Move In The Right Direction

by Tricia Booker

"The hardest thing about drunks," said 8-year-old George, "is that it's really hard to wake them up."

He was sitting on the concrete steps behind St. Catherine's Church in Charlestown, waiting for an Alateen meeting to begin. The door leading to the lower rectory where the meetings are held was marred by graffiti. "A.A. meetings," it said. "This Bud's for you."

George's father is a recovering alcoholic. In the old days, George used to practice waking his father because he wanted to be able to do it if there was a fire.

"Once," he whispered, looking behind him to see who might be listening, "it took two buckets of water, and then I had to slap him."

Alateen is a branch of the Al-Anon group. Al-Anon was formed as a support system for relatives of alcoholics.

Linda Lacey sponsors the Alateen program in Charlestown for children of alcoholics and alcoholic children. She helps kids like George see the problems in their homes, and she helps them to understand the re-

sentment they often feel toward their parents. But she also tries to help them understand drug abuse before they are tempted to try it themselves.

Lacey's mother was an alcoholic, and she and her husband are recovering alcoholics. She began Alateen a year ago in Charlestown to help her own three young children.

"When I was in recovery, I kept waiting for someone from Alateen to come forward," she said. "No one did."

So, she started a program of her own. Once a week after school, she meets with children and young adults, and she does her best to help them cope.

Lacey's program is one of several Charlestown organizations that have started tackling drug abuse before it begins. In this neighborhood, like many others, children have become the unwilling victims of substance abuse.

"Charlestown is a town of denial," said Lacey. "We have a serious problem. No one wants to address it, no one wants to take the heat."

According to Lacey, children from alcoholic homes are especially susceptible to

the temptations of drugs. Her Alateen meetings attempt to prevent these young victims from turning to drugs for comfort.

"We're trying to build up the self-esteem that they may have lost," she said. "It's just trying to make them survivors."

Lacey knows that most of the children that join her group have tried, or will try, drugs.

"We're not going to stop them from trying it," she admitted, "but we can give the education. It's making them see that they've got a choice."

While Linda Lacey meets with her group, Boston Police Officer Richard Gannon is often across the street at the Kent Community School, explaining D.A.R.E. to a group of parents. He always arrives on time, wearing his uniform, which he says gives him "instant credibility." He likes to be called Officer Rich.

Officer Rich tells the parents that D.A.R.E. stands for Drug Abuse Resistance Education. It is a substance-abuse prevention course presented in several fifth-grade classrooms throughout Boston. Officer

Rich meets once a week with Harvard/Kent School fifth-graders and teaches them how to stay away from drugs. Each week he talks about something different — such as peer pressure, addiction and frustration.

"I run my classroom like a mini police academy," he told parents at the April 5 meeting. "It's a crazy sick world out there. They (the kids) are exposed to drugs. I teach them to be aware of what's going on around them."

"Between fifth and sixth grade is an enormous transition," he explained. "That's when you want to intervene."

Gannon provides basically the same course for the parents, although they do not meet as often. He says he thinks it is important for the parents to be in touch with what their children are learning. Last week, for example, he talked about stress.

"How many of you think you have stress?" he asked. "Let's just take this stress test and find out." He passed out sheets of paper that listed stressful situations. Parents marked the ones they had experienced in the

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MK Real Estate Sponsoring SUPERFIT Program

Mary Kay Donovan of M.K. Real Estate recently presented a check to Jerry Steimel, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club director, as sponsor of this year's SUPERFIT program at the clubhouse.

SUPERFIT is a program designed to introduce club members to the benefits of regular exercise and offers them the opportunity to challenge themselves with a variety of activities. Among the activities included are water aerobics, an obstacle course, various games and relays and a climb up the Bunker Hill Monument. The program begins April 25 and ends with a SUPERFIT Awards Banquet on May 30.

This program is open to all youths 6-13, and sign-ups are happening now. So,


don't be just fit, be SUPERFIT! "Thanks to Mary

Kay Donovan, for without her support this program

would not be possible," Steimel says.



GETTING SET TO BE SUPERFIT: A donation from Mary Kay Donovan of MK Realty will provide the funds for the SUPERFIT Program at the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club starting on April 25. A variety of activities will be incorporated into this program for 6-13 year olds. Shown front row (l. to r.) Paul Keane, Timmy Seavy, Charlene Fitzpatrick, Jennifer Keough, Jennifer Fitzpatrick and David Evers. Second row (l. to r.) Cori Mirdik, Ryan Evers and Rebecca Donovan. Back row (l. to r.) Clubhouse Physical Education Director Shelley Montgomery, Clubhouse Director Jerry Steimel receiving the donation from Mary Kay Donovan, and John Santry.



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By Joseph P. Gannon III
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Headstart Fire Fund Benefit A Great Success — Kennedy Center Moving Forward On Building Renovation

photos by Kathy Giordano



1988 MAYOR OF CHARLESTOWN Claire Lynch presents a \$300 check to Kennedy Center Executive Director Kate McDonough for the Headstart Fire Fund.



JIM "BUTSY" AND MARIE McGrath donated a 6-foot-tall stuffed teddy bear to the Headstart Program to be raffled off and raise funds for the school's rebuilding drive.



KATE McDONOUGH, executive director of the Kennedy Center, addresses the capacity crowd at the dance to benefit the Headstart Fire Fund.



RITA AND DANIEL McDONOUGH, parents of Kennedy Center's Executive Director Kate McDonough, chat with Congressman Joseph Kennedy at the Headstart Fire Fund Dance.



NANCY KEYES, president of the Kennedy Center Board of Directors, announces that ground-breaking ceremonies will take place in three weeks at the Headstart Program's burned-out building in Hayes Square.



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Life Behind The Wall



by Ronan FitzPatrick

Hailing the reduction of its initiation fee by 50 percent, Ironside Nautilus on Third Avenue is in the process of undertaking some heavy advertising. Claiming to be Charlestown's only full-service fitness center, the flyers and newspaper advertisements highlight other monthly savings. During April, aerobics will cost \$40, fitness \$45, and fitness and aerobics \$50. This handy Billings Building facility is open Monday - Friday 6 a.m. to 10 p.m., and on Saturday and Sunday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. These are ample hours to lose the excess girth acquired over the winter months. Equipped with 28 nautilus machines, Stairobic machines, Monark bicycles, Concept II rowing ergometers and a full aerobic dance program, all that is needed is a little cash and a lot of desire. All eager can call 242-3303 for further information on departing with some of your disposable income and superfluous avoirdupois.

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The Hall of Flags at the State House was all attention on Tuesday, April 11 as the Ambassador from South Korea, received the replica of the proposed memorial. President Robert E. Nolan of the Korean War Veterans Committee of Massachusetts Inc. explained the design and expected timetable for construction. Following the picture session, the group adjourned to a reception room for a brief lunch. State Veterans Commissioner Halachis and Boston Veterans Commissioner Materazzo were in attendance, joined by the Korean veterans and interested parties.

Having been informed that the Charlestown Neighborhood Council authorized the establishment of a subcommittee to direct the memorial's potential of being erected at the knoll in Shipyard Park, KWVCM was delighted. Chaired by Jim Conway, and assisted by Bud Whelan, Tom White and myself, a presentation of the proposed memorial will be held at the Hull Room in Building Five on Tuesday, April 25 at 7:00 p.m. Past president Bill Mason will be presenting the model in conjunction with Bob Nolan. Long hours of planning and meetings are beginning to generate positive progress. Boston Deputy Veterans Commissioner Tom Lyons feels that the memorial is long overdue and wants all to have input in the final developmental stages. Residents can walk the park area prior to the April 25 meeting at the Hull Room to project the memorial's placement. President Nolan has informed us that the model will continue to be displayed in the Hall of Flags, and he looks forward to discussing the merits of the project in the yard at the meeting.

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Flags are not in place at The Raymond Group's Flagship Wharf project facing Pier Five and the harbor. Eventually, the flags will find their way. Until their arrival, Flagship is wearing a banner declaring its name and marketing telephone number. On the west side of the 201-unit luxury condominium, the general contractor has positioned its banner for all to see. Turner Construction Co. prudently utilized the building's facade for great advertisement. This is outdoor advertising at its best and in good taste.

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Uncle Miltie is the talk of the Anchorage. Most remember Uncle Miltie Berle of early television fame, the Anchorage's Uncle Miltie is of Lori Ann's. You can see him during the week dispensing his products at the Bunker Hill Street shop. He is going to dispense good will, and hopefully fortune, to a group of residents on Sunday, April 23 when A Night at the Races will take place at Wonderland Park. Great anticipation is running rampant among the lucky group. Clubhouse amenities will be enjoyed with only a few steps to the wager windows. This will be a night certainly to be remembered, thanks to the kindness of Milton. A reciprocal treat for Milton will be planned when the weary bettors return.

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With binoculars in hand, George Frost strolled from his parking space with his wife Marie at his side. A little early for yacht watching I thought, and George confirmed that when he showed me his Armstrong. A healthy afternoon was experienced at Suffolk Downs by George and Marie. As a jogger quickly passed us on First Avenue, George and Marie regretted that their afternoon was so fleeting. In addition to increasing their purses, they were within the company of two Hollywood legends. The stars didn't exert any of the energy they are known for universally, but let the horses make the command performances. Donald O'Connor and Mickey Rooney graced the track, and Donald gave his autograph to Marie. The duo departed quickly before the winnings could be determined. This was a double treat for George and Marie, which will be a common occurrence when

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'S.W.O.N. Songs' To Open At The Charlestown Working Theater

Thursdays. Students, senior citizens and Charlestown residents receive \$2 off the

ticket price. MasterCard and VISA are accepted. For further information

and reservations, call 242-3534, Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.



THE CAST of "S.W.O.N. Songs — a 1940s Capeless, Bobbie Steinbach, Director and Homefront Cabaret" is set for the opening of a four-week run at the Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St. on Thursday, April 27 with five performances each week. Shown front row (l. to r.) Jodi

City Square Park Committee Meeting

"Other City Parks" will be discussed at the next meeting of the City Square Park Committee to take place on Monday, April 24 at 7:30 p.m. at the Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance).

Charlestown resident and committee member Ron Malden will speak on parks he has visited across the country as a landscape architect. Representatives from the Boston Redevelopment Authority Urban Design and Development Department and the Parks and Recreation Department's Planning Division are also scheduled to speak. The process of developing parks and avoiding problems oth-

er park planners faced will be discussed.

The public is welcome to attend. Refreshments will be served.

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Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony Marks Opening Of Charlestown Ambulance Facility

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garage.

"The North Area Task Force is a great study in community activism," Voke said.

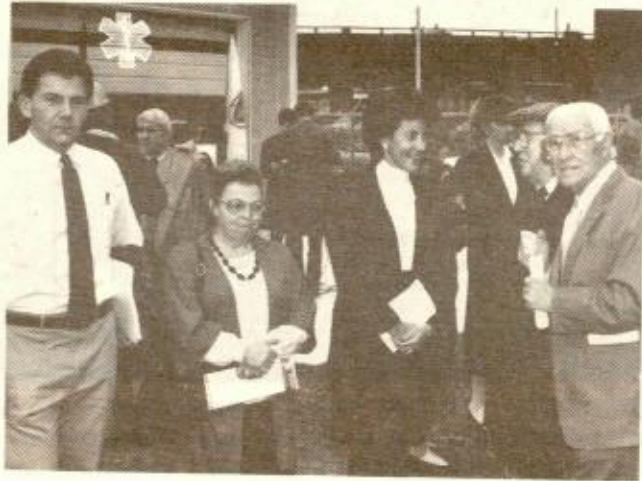
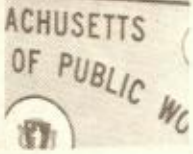
"If it wasn't for active community participation year after year and people like Mr. Voke and Mr.

Doris, this could never have happened," said Ken Stone, NATF co-chairman.

Representatives of MD-PW, the Boston Police Department, the community and Boston Emergency Medical Services turned out for the event. This week's official opening of the garage comes only months after the new ambulance was stationed in Charlestown in September. The MBTA had allowed the ambulance to be temporarily housed at a garage on Alford Street while the new facility was being built.

The EMS' Department of Health and Hospitals owns and operates the ambulance and building. The new Charlestown location will allow the community greater access to medical services, while the traffic impacts of City Square construction enter the most-troublesome phase.

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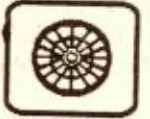
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Boston Harbor Marine Terminal No-Show Aggravates Neighbors

(continued from page one) meeting further left committee members and residents without an opportunity to ask questions.

"I think they have a responsibility to us," committee member Tom Cunha said. "A lease has been signed that affects this community, and we've had no input. Whatever they're going to do is going to impact us in some way, shape or form."

Committee member Jim

Conway accused the partners of having "unmitigated gall" for not showing.

Boylan and Lamb claim that they are still studying the marketing opportunities before they decide on the proper commodity.

"Our vagueness stems not from an effort to conceal any plans, but from the fact that we simply have not decided upon the specific activities we will pursue," Boylan and Lamb's letter read.

Galvin was not reassured by the partners' intent, nor the letter's assertions that neither Boylan or Lamb plan to build concrete or tar manufacturing plants on the property or to move their existing plants.

"The language is restrictive (legally) and an attempt at stonewalling us," Galvin said. "The public should be involved in the planning stages."

Resident Arthur Crotty was frustrated with the lack of input. "It's privately owned," Crotty said, "And they can thumb their noses at us."

Strategies to stir some reaction from the partners were discussed, with committee members and residents agreeing that a more active approach should be taken.

"We have to get adamant and militant about getting all the information that we should be getting," Cunha said. And Conway suggested that neighbors call Boylan and Lamb directly to ask questions and voice concerns. "Call them and tie up their phones," he said. Committee members voted to invite elected officials to another meeting to voice their concerns and solicit support.

Galvin said a response letter will be sent to Boylan and Lamb. "It's insulting," he said. "If they think they can ignore us, then the next guy coming in will think he can get away with it."

Boylan told the Patriot that he hoped the duo could present more solid plans in the next month or two, but couldn't guarantee a specific time frame.

But presenting finalized

plans without community input will probably not smooth out any bad feelings, as resident Bobby

Wallace remarked.

"When they do meet with

us, they're going to meet with some very hostile people," he said.

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APPLICATIONS

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Central Artery
North Area Project

by David Flanagan

Community Liaison, Mass. Dept. of Public Works
GROUND-BREAKING CEREMONY

A ground-breaking ceremony to kick off the construction of the tunnel phase of the CANA project will be held on Tuesday, April 25 at 11 a.m. at City Square. A reception will follow the ceremony in the CANA Field Office on Rutherford Avenue.

CANA COMMUNITY MEETING

The Mass. Department of Public Works will sponsor a Central Artery/North Area (CANA) community meeting on Thursday, April 27 at 7 p.m. at the Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance). Issues to be discussed at the meeting include:

- An overview of upcoming tunnel construction schedule and utility work;
- An update on the Chelsea Street detour and mitigation plans;
- A review of the public safety measure that have been implemented in the Training Field area; and
- A question-and-answer period.

If you have any questions concerning the CANA Project, please contact David Flanagan at the CANA Hotline 241-5560 or 973-7500.

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**Applications Available For The
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The Winifred Talbot Duffy Scholarship was established through the generosity of James Duffy in memory of his wife, Winnie, to assist a Charlestown girl entering her sophomore, junior or senior year in a four-year baccalaureate program.

The award is made annually through the Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association and the name of the winner will be drawn from all the applicants at the association's annual dinner in

May.

**Criteria For The
Scholarship**

- Open to females only;
- Must be a permanent resident of Charlestown for at least 10 years;
- Applicant must be entering her sophomore, junior or senior year in an accredited four-year college or university;
- More than one eligible daughter in a family may apply;
- No written papers or tests are required; and
- Completed applications must be received by the Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association no later than April 30.

Applications may be obtained by writing to the Scholarship Committee, OCSGA, P.O. Box 276, Charlestown, Mass. 02129 or they may be picked up at the Charlestown Patriot office, One Thompson Square.

**'Demand Reduction'
Program**

Stephen Morreale, a special agent with the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency, will present the program "Demand Reduction" at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Friday, April 28 at 10 a.m.

**Merchants Association To Hear
Gilligan's Travel Tips**

The April meeting of the Charlestown Merchants Association will be held on Thursday, April 27 at 5 p.m. at the offices of M.K. Realty, 273 Main St., Charlestown.

Thom Gilligan of Charlestown's Marathon Tours will present "Travel Tips" with the focus on Consumer Protection Laws for the

airline traveler. With the peak travel season approaching Gilligan's subject is most timely.

A light hors d'oeuvres buffet will be served and the meeting will conclude no later than 6:30 p.m.

Reservations should be made with Frani Gilardi at 242-4672.

**MATTERS
OF THE
HEART**



The Cardiac Advisory Board of the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center was established in December 1986 in response to the alarming report prepared by the Massachusetts Department of Public Health and Boston Health and Hospitals, "An Analysis of Mortality in Boston Neighborhoods 1979-1982." That report focused on the three leading causes of death: heart disease, cancer and stroke. Charlestown ranked the highest of all Boston neighborhoods in mortality from these diseases.

In 1986, Dr. Roger Sweet and Peggy Carolan from the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center utilized the resources of health center staff members who lived in Charlestown to identify key community leaders who would be potentially interested in serving on a Cardiac Advisory Board. They met with over 20 individuals who either worked in or lived in Charlestown. Representation was also sought from the Department of Health and Hospitals and from the office of the House Ways and Means Chairman, Richard A. Voke.

At the first meeting in December 1986, the mortality data was presented, and the board quickly began to discuss ideas for helping the community understand the problem and plan for intervention and education strategies.

Charlestown Loves a Healthy Heart was the logo selected by the board as the headline for a community-wide cardiac risk screening program which was first offered in April 1987.

In 1988, the Lions Club joined the Cardiac Advisory Board and together planned another community-wide screening program which included the eyemobile. Each event reached 400-500 people.

The work has only just begun. Building on the past successes, another cardiac screening program is planned for May 24 at Johnnie's in the Bunker Hill Mall.

This article includes excerpts from a report prepared by Ann Kelly, Cardiac Advisory Board member, in June 1988, and is the kickoff to the "Matters of the Heart" column which will run weekly in the Charlestown Patriot through the end of May.

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**THANK YOU,
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Oh Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue, and rich in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need, for you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present and urgent petition, in return I promise to make your name known and cause you to be invoked.

Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Marys and Glorias. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for us all who invoke your aid. Amen. This Novena has never been known to fail. I have had my request granted. Publication Promised. C.R.

G.E.D. TESTING DATES

G.E.D. Testing dates have been set for May 15, 16 and 17 at Charlestown Community Schools. Pre-registration is required for initial testing and re-testing. Registration dates are from April 24-27. For more information call:

Peggy O'Brien at 242-2770

ARE YOU AS BAD AS YOU CAN BE?

Jesus describes the awful potential of men to sin when He said, "For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lasciviousness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness: all these evil things come from within, and defile the man." (Mark 7:21-23). Of course all men are not as bad as they can be, but make no mistake, man is capable of committing any act of sin. Many are restrained from committing the grosser acts of sin by social custom, religious training, ethical principles, and influences of one kind or another. But this ability to restrain oneself from committing gross sin in no way should be considered one's means of salvation. The Bible declares that all are sinners and guilty before a Holy God. "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God." (Rom. 3:23). But God is love and sent His Son to die for our sins. Christ's death, burial, and glorious bodily resurrection provides a way of salvation for sinful man. This way of salvation is by faith alone in the name of Jesus Christ (Rom. 10:13). Pray now, and ask God to save you from sin. He will. Come to Church this Sunday.

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'Alice in Wonderland' At Bunker Hill Community College

The Bunker Hill Community College Play Production Workshop will present the games, tricks, puzzles and endless curiosities of "Alice in Wonderland" on Thursday, April 20 at 7 p.m. in the auditorium, Room A 300, at the college.

The play will be presented at no charge, is open to the public, and offers a wonderful diversion for children during school vacation week and for those who want to recapture the fantasies of childhood.

"Alice in Wonderland" has been enjoyed by genera-

tions who have been entertained by Louis Carroll's nonsensical tales of Alice and the Cheshire Cat, the famous Jabberwocky poem, and the mysteries of mimsy, gimbles, haddocks' eyes and treacle-wells.

See Alice as she wanders through Wonderland and meets such delightful characters as the White Rabbit, the Queen of Hearts, the Dormouse and the March Hare. Witness the antics of Tweedledum and Tweedledee and find out why green whiskers pose a special problem for the White King.



FEATURED IN PLAY: Carrie Greland (left) and Robin Ruggiero of Charlestown will be featured in Bunker Hill Community College's production of "Alice in Wonderland" at the Charlestown campus. The performance on April 20 is open to the public at no charge.

Now you can eat your way from City Square to Sullivan Square in a few hours, for just a few dollars, all under one roof, and all for a good cause. Joining the lineup of Charlestown chefs and caterers in fundraising efforts for Camp Bunker Hill are Harvest Caterers, The Red Store, Creative Gourmet, Sorelle, Collier's Market and Johnnie's Foodmaster.

Camp Bunker Hill, a therapeutic summer day camp for troubled Charlestown youths, is in financial difficulty as a result of drastic budget cuts. In order to continue to provide this vital service, the directors of the camp have appealed to the general public for support. Charlestown chefs and caterers have rallied to provide a memorable event to raise the much-needed funds.

Baker's Dozen Now Signed Up For Camp Bunker Hill Food Fest

In a gala festival of food scheduled for Saturday, May 6, under the Atrium of Building 149 of the Navy Yard, The Raymond Group and MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center will host a gala fund raiser to keep the camp open this summer. All proceeds from the event will go to Camp Bunker Hill.

When the doors open at 7 p.m., the public will be invited to sample the cuisine of dozens of Charlestown's finest chefs and caterers. Seiler's, Olive's, Harborwatch, Fond Memories, The Warren Tavern, the MGH dietary department and Scalli's Caterers will also be on hand to help raise money for Camp Bunker Hill. Entertainment by DJ Eric Johnson and a silent auction will round out the menu for the evening, and the festivities will last

until midnight.

In order to experience Charlestown's finest food, pick up a ticket at the Bunker Hill Health Center on

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