CHARLESTOWN and Somerville Chronicle **VOLUME 30 NUMBER 26** CHARLESTOWN, MASS PRICE 10° THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1988

Charlestown Democrats To Caucus On Saturday

Acting chairperson Kevin Roche will sound the gavel on Saturday, February 27 at 2:00 p.m. to call the Ward Two, Charlestown Democratic Caucus to order at the

Neighborhood Council To Meet

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 1 at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street.

Included in the agenda will be a presentation on Neighborhood Councils by John Riordan, assistant director of the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services.

The public is welcome to

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Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street.

The purpose of the caucus will be to elect delegates to the 1988 Massachusetts Democratic Conven-

Ward Two, Charlestown will be electing 12 delegates and four alternates, equally divided between men and women.

The caucus is open to all registered Democrats. The only persons eligible to participate in any portion of the caucus are those who were registered Democrats in the the ward as of December 30, 1987.

Meeting To Focus On Future Parking Space Demands In Charlestown

The Planning and Zoning Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold a meeting tonight, Thursday, February 25 at 7:00 p.m. at the Charlestown High School Auditorium, 254 Medford Street (note change of meeting

The committee is seeking

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community input into parking space demands for future residential and commercial developments in Charlestown. Co-chairman John Lynch noted that this would not be a meeting on residential parking.

All are urged to attend as this is an important topic that should be of concern to all residents.

On Thursday, March 3rd, the Planning and Zoning Committee will discuss parking and traffic at their (continued on page 2)

Congressman Joseph Kennedy Hosts Town Meeting In Charlestown

"There has to be a trust between you and me," Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy told a gathering of over 150 Charlestown residents on Monday evening, February 22nd, at what was billed as a Town Meeting. "There has to be trust that I will be here . . . not only on election day asking you for your vote, but I want to be here on the issues Charlestown is facing. I want to be here with you and stand with you when times are tough as well as when times are good."

Following a welcome by Father Thomas Reilly, pastor of Saint Catherine's, Kennedy opened the meeting, pointing out that there were many in the audience who had assisted him in his election campaign for Congress two years ago. He noted, however, that many present were not involved in that campaign and commended all for their caring about the affairs of their community and country to



EIGHTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT United States Representative Joseph P. Kennedy conducted a Town Meeting at Saint Catherine's School Hall on Monday evening, February 22nd. Kennedy was seeking input and support from his Charlestown constituents on such issues as affordable housing, health care and education.

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attend this meeting.

Kennedy indicated that living in Washington, DC does not always provide a

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orado Springs, and John Doherty of 108 Elm Street, who has been nominated for appointment to the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, Both McGonagle and Doherty are seniors at Boston Latin. Shown (l. to r.) McGonagle, Congressman Kennedy and

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Planning & Zoning

Committee Meeting

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regularly scheduled meet-

ing which will be held in

the Boston Redevelopment

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34, Charlestown Navy

Yard, from 6:30 to 8:30

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This Week At A Glance

Charlestown Community Calendar

Thursday, February 25

- · 4:00 p.m. "Creative Library Drama" for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main
- 7:00 p.m. Planning and Zoning Committee of the Neighborhood Council Meeting on parking for future residential and commercial developments, Charlestown High School Auditorium, 254 Medford Street

Friday, February 26

 10:00 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group and Pre-School Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main

Saturday, February 27

• 2:00 p.m. - Charlestown (Ward Two) Democratic Caucus, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

· 8:00 p.m. - Winter Dance sponsored by the Charlestown Townies, Preble Room, Building Five, Charlestown Navy Yard

Monday, February 29

 7:30 p.m. — Workshop on the "Road Less Traveled," St. John's Episcopal Church Parish House, 27 Devens

Tuesday, March 1

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

• 7:00 p.m. - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Wednesday, March 2

- 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument
- 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Income Tax Return Preparation for low-income residents by Community Tax Aid, Charlestown Community School, 255 Medford Street
- 7:30 p.m. Court St. Jude 1123, CDA Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street
- 7:30 p.m. Friends of the Harvard Mall Meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street
- 8:00 p.m. Charlestown Little League Meeting, Memorial Hall, 14 Green Street



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Upcoming Events

• 6:30 p.m. - Planning and Zoning Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, BRA Office, Building 34, First Avenue, Charlestown Navy

Friday, March 4

- 10:00 a.m. Adult Discussion Group and Pre-School Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main
- 6:00 p.m. Annual Penny Sale, St. Catherine's School Hall, 13 Tufts Street
- 7:00 p.m. St. Patrick's Dance for 13 to 18 year olds, Kent Community School Gym, 50 Bunker Hill Street
- 7:30 p.m. Dance to benefit the playground drive for CharlesNewTown, Preble Room, Building Five, Charlestown Navy Yard
- 8:00 p.m. Dance to benefit the Charlestown Youth Hockey Association, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Saturday, March 5

• 7:00 p.m. - Gladys' Corned Beef Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Monday, March 7

- 7:30 p.m. Workshop on the "Road Less Traveled," St. John's Episcopal Church Parish House, 27 Devens
- 7:30 p.m. Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Tuesday, March 8

- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- 7:00 p.m. Police/Community Relations Meeting, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street Wednesday, March 9

 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument

• 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Income Tax Return Preparation for low-income residents by Community Tax Aid, Charlestown Community School, 255 Medford Street

 7:30 p.m. — Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Meeting, First Floor, One Thompson Square

Plan Ahead

Thursday, March 10

- 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy Office Hours, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens
- 7:30 p.m. Friends of the Library Meeting featuring "Photographic Images of Ireland's Literary Places," Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

Friday, March 11

- 6:00 p.m. Spaghetti Supper sponsored by the Kiwanis Club to benefit the Charlestown Headstart Fire Fund, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green
- 7:00 p.m. Claire's "Fun RaiSer," Memorial Hall, 14 Green Street
- 8:00 p.m. Irish Night Dinner Dance, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill
- 8:30 p.m. Dance featuring the Billy Kearns Band, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Saturday, March 12

 8:00 p.m. — Dance to benefit the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, Preble Room, Building Five, Charlestown Navy Yard

Sunday, March 13

- 1:00 p.m. Mother/Daughter Brunch sponsored by the Charlestown Teen Connection, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- 3:00 p.m. Longwood Opera Company's production of Mozart's "Don Giovanni," St. John's Church, 27 Devens Street

Monday, March 14

• 7:00 p.m. - Meeting of the Mitigation Committee on Massachusetts Water Resources Authority's use of the Revere Sugar site for equipment transfer, MWRA Offices, 100 First Avenue, Charlestown Navy Yard

Wednesday, March 16

- 9:30 a.m. to noon Registration for Little Patriots Child Care Center for September, 1988, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street
- 7:30 p.m. Charlestown Economic Development Corporation Meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street

Thursday, March 17

• 8:00 p.m. - Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society Dance with Dickie McManus and the Irish Revolution, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Friday, March 25

· 8:00 p.m. - "Mayor of Charlestown" Election Night, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

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Plans To Develop 127 Main Street Meet With Opposition

by Kathy Giordano

"You're not listening to the community," stated Judy Evers, Community Liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Service, who voiced the frustration of the neighborhood residents at the Housing and Development Committee meeting held Tuesday evening, February 23rd to review the proposal of Dick Held and Paul Kelly to develop the lot at 127 Main Street, located behind the liquor store at Thompson Square.

Attorney Michael Lo-Presti, representing the developers, stated in response "I feel I'm listening to the same eight people for the past two years." Thus went the public meeting, with conflict between neighbor and developer continuing until adjournment.

Held and Kelly plan to build a four-story structure, approximately forty feet high, extending between Main and Warren Streets, with twenty-one condominium units, plus two retail spaces on Main Street and parking on the first floor level and underground for twenty-one cars.

Residents expressed their displeasure with the density of the project and repeatedly asked the developer if he would be willing to scale down the size of the project. LoPresti stated that there were no plans to change their design and felt that the developers had made sufficient adjustments since they last appeared before the Board of Appeals, stating "We're going forward with the proposal."

Concerns that the residents felt were not being addressed were the additional residential and guest parking problems this development would create in an already over populated area. When asked where will the additional cars go, LoPresti stated "on the street." The mass of the structure was also a concern. Archetect William Lamb, a Warren Street abutter, stated that the project was "too bulky" with the only open space being the alleyways between the buildings. Lamb also noted that this design was "out of character with this part of Charlestown" and 'this isn't the sort of thing we should create," noting that he didn't see significant changes from the original proposal.

Carol Bratley, also an abutter, stated that "everyone is opposed to a fourstory building. You have shifted the design of the facade, but underneath its the same product. The major problem is the number of units. There are too many for that site. Density is a serious problem."

The developers were reminded that the Board of Appeals, when denying the developer's request last June, asked that they go back to the community and work out the problems, something most in attendance felt the developer did not do. As one resident stated, "We can understand that you want to make a profit, but there must be a way to make a profit, make a nice development with less units and still come out with a reasonable amount of money." Another stated that "what you build, we will have to live with for years and years to come."

Traffic in the area was another problem the residents felt was not being addressed. Due to the narrowing of the roadways on

Main and Warren Streets, it was noted that a backup of traffic would occur with residents trying to enter the garage on Warren Street and trucks delivering to the liquor store on Main Street. It was stated that Held had made arrangements with his distributors to use smaller trucks and to schedule deliveries so that only one truck would be at the store at any one time.

Residents complained that LoPresti was not answering the questions posed to him, rather "answering around the problems." At this point Council Chairman Dennis McLaughlin stated that "the Council would vote on the issues, not on what the developer says."

Another concern voiced was the question of any future plans to build onto the liquor store. John Bell, Project Coordinator for the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) was asked how many units could be built on this size lot by BRA specifications. When neither the developer, the architect nor the BRA could give a figure on the size of the lot, Bell stated that he'd get back to the community with that information. (Attempts to obtain this information before publication were unsuccessful.)

McLaughlin requested that residents send their concerns to the Neighborhood Council prior to their March 1st meeting so that the members would be better informed on the overall concerns and objections that the residents have with this development proposal.

These letters should be sent to: Dennis McLaughlin, Chairman, Charlestown Neighborhood Council, 26 Mount Vernon Street, Charlestown.

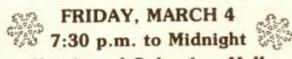
Another meeting will be set up by the Housing and Development Committee before the Council's April 5th meeting to further discuss the overall concerns of the neighborhood on this proposal.

A request to defer action on this proposal to a later date will be made at the Board of Appeal hearing scheduled for March 1st. Dates of both the upcoming meeting and Board hearing will be published in the Patriot when the information is made available.



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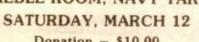
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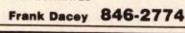
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Generous donations by local organizations, residents and friends of the Headstart Program, edged the Charlestown Headstart Fire Fund past the \$15,000 mark this week - on its way to a community goal of \$100,000, which represents only a portion of the several hundred thousand dollars that will be necessary to rebuild the Old Kent School on Moulton Street, home of the Headstart program, that was destroyed by fire in December. Headstart provides an educational pre-school program and day care for nearly 170 Charlestown children. Applications have been made to various grants and programs for additional

The building, which was owned by the City at the time of the fire, was not insured. Monies must be raised to reopen this vital facility

A Fire Fund has been established and donations are being sought and the help of all is needed. Donations in any amount are welcome - no contribution is too large or too small. All donations will be publicly acknowledged. Please lend a hand in this effort.

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Life Behind The Wall



by Ronan FitzPatrick

Parking promulgations have been issued to Shipway residents from the Board of Managers. In an effort to acquaint existing and new residents in the proper parking procedures, the four paragraph letter covered all facets of significant importance in the maintaining of the fire lanes from vehicles. Any vehicle that exceeds the allowable time of fifteen minutes will be subject to ticketing by the Boston Police and towed at the owner's expense. Abiding by the conditions will allow for the overall well-being of the residents.

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During the month of hearts, parking and its ramifications is giving heartburn to many inhabitants. Exception to the "no parking" at the intersection of First Avenue and Thirteenth Street has been raised on the daily shuttle bus. Many are disturbed by the tickets that are generated at this site - an area that to some should be exempt from the "no parking" ban. Relief from Transportation Commissioner Dimino is the avenue to approach. Until the Navy Yard Master Plan is in its final stage, temporary waivers could be issued from the Commissioner's office. To Bob and other concerned residents who ride the shuttle, call 725-3073 or write to Commissioner Richard Dimino at City Hall for a hearing on the merits. On a wide host of issues, Mayor Flynn's Department heads have been available for community meetings and City Hall conferences to resolve problems. With perseverance, the aforementioned should be attainable.

America's favorite past time has begun its preparation for the season ahead. Camps first greeted pitchers and catchers on February 18th, with the remaining players reporting within ten days from the above. For the baseball aficionado, joy returns to Mudville. Exercising the limbs and coordination are the disciplines that warrant the most activity. Too bad the news delivery service at the Shipways doesn't require their personnel to follow baseball's regimentation. The daily Wall Street Journal falls short of its destination. Strewn on the sidewalks in front of the northern commercial units, they go unattended. A prescription of attention to the address label will result in the correct drop off - a minor complaint we hope won't develop into a major one.

*** On the waterfront, commercial vessels Gjertrud/ Romo and Mee May/Limassol hurried to their tieup sites. Southern named tug, Raleigh Ann, completed its job and returned to its dock. In the process of viewing the above, I was opening correspondence from the Department of the Navy. Anticipating clearance for the nameplate from USS Suffolk County (LST-1171) now in mothballs and to be relocated at the Shipways, the response was tentative. To accommodate the Chief of Naval Operation's policy, a sponsoring entity must be requested with the Department of the Navy. Quoting Captain C.J. Smith, "By law, we can only place historical properties on loan with recognized historical, educational, veteran, civic and museum organizations." Procedures also call for loans or donations of combat equipment for display to be made at no expense to the Government. At this point in our efforts to remember the USS Suffolk County, the last ship launched from Shipways One on September 5, 1956, we need a little help from our friends. A hosting organization in the Yard, whether it be the Boston Redevelopment Authority or the USS Constitution Museum, is mandatory to couple with Chapter X and the facilities report for borrowing insitutions. Back to the research board and general inquiries, but the tribute is deserving and hopefully the originator of the memorial, Joe Kent, will cut through the maze and make it a reality. We will update the status within a month.

Was that an aerobics class in the first floor hallway of the Anchorage over Valentine weekend? One thinks not. Instead, it was an overjoyed granddaughter of Alice and Ed Marcella enjoying the corridor and its vastness, under the watchful eye of Alice. With an abundance of energy, her choreography brought rave reviews. Proceeding to the foyer elevators, Alice looked forward to a respite and the passing of the chaperoning to Ed. What a blessing grandchildren bring and on Children's Day, June 12th, the joy can be rewarded. 合合合合合

The Winter Olympics have brought tragedies and few triumphs. Alpine skiing was shut out temporarily by the Chinook winds of Calgary. Locally, the residents of Shipways were buffeted by cold and wind that created havoc with their heat pumps. To the rescue, Alpine Air Conditioning was called for speedy main-(continued on page 16)

Board Of Appeal Votes To Defer Action On Common Street Proposal

The City of Boston Board of Appeal voted on Tuesday, February 23rd to defer action on a proposal by Vahid Nickpour and Navid Realty Trust to construct four two-bedroom condominiums with four parking spaces on a 2,400 square foot parcel of land at 23-24 Common Street.

This action was requested by Allen Jarasitis, attorney for the development team, following a community meeting on February 16th where area residents requested reconsideration by the developers of the mass of the structure, the turn radius for the parking spaces and the front doorway.

The hearing before the Board of Appeal has been scheduled for Thursday, May 5 at 9:30 a.m. A community meeting will be held prior to this hearing. No date has been set for this

Workshop For Parents Continues At The Library

The third segment of a six-week workshop for parents of pre-school children will be held on Friday, February 26th at 10:00 a.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street.

This workshop, under the leadership of Susan Comstock, early childhood specialist from the Family Service Association of Greater Boston, is designed for parents of children ages two to five years. Its purpose is to develop communication skills needed to become more effective in helping your child to grow.

This group will provide the opportunity to learn new ways of encouraging positive behavior and build effective communication between parent and child and to share with others the joys and challenges of parenting.

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EDIC Taking Action On The March 18th Closing Of Amstar

nomic Development and Industrial Corporation of Boston (EDIC) to Mayor Raymond L. Flynn this past week.

Lloyd stated that the EDIC would be meeting

Friends Of Harvard Mall To Meet

The Friends of the Harvard Mall will meet on Wednesday, March 2 at 7:30 p.m. at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens

The closure of the Am-

star/Domino Sugar Refi-

nery on Medford Street,

Charlestown, was the sub-

ject of correspondence

from Marilyn Swartz

Lloyd, director of the Eco-

The agenda will include a discussion on lights for the Mall.

Openings Available In Adult Substance Abuse Group

The Substance Abuse Program of the Kennedy Center has openings in an Adult Substance Abuse Group for individuals 18 and over who wish help becoming or remaining free of alcohol and/or drugs. The group meets on Thursday evenings. Anyone who thinks that they might have an interest may contact Hill Ohrstrom at 241-8866 for further information or to arrange an initial interview.

with the employees to explain the steps that the city and state would be taking jointly in dealing with the closure of this plant, set for March 18th.

She told the Mayor that a Workers' Assistance Center would be set up for the laidoff employees and the state, which directly funds such centers, would propose a separate center at the Domino plant if this is determined to be the most favorable site.

Lloyd stated that EDIC will meet with local company officials, union representatives, staff from the state's Industrial Services Program and the Office of Jobs and Community Services to discuss details of a

Workers' Assistance program. She also noted that EDIC will ask the company to provide financing or inkind service support.

The EDIC, according to Lloyd, will make arrangements through Amstar's New York headquarters for a physical inspection of the site to determine its potential for new industrial uses.

She also said that a study will be conducted to determine the feasibility of ED-IC acquiring the site for subsequent lease or sale to another maritime industrial user and that they would explore various financial options including the use of neighborhood development

Enjoying Boston Ballet Benefit



MIKE PALTER (left) and Bernice Speen of Charlestown (right) congratulate WGBH-FM's "MusicAmerica" host Ron Della Chiesea (center) on his 50th birthday and on acting as master of ceremonies at the tea and concert held at the Lafayette Hotel as a benefit for the Boston Ballet. The event followed the Ballet's Choreographer Competition at the Wang Center. (photo by Sam Greenwald)

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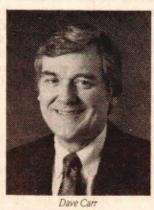
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start Fire Fund in their efforts to help rebuild Pierce, secretary of the Associates; Mccember. John McLaughlin, president of Bun-vice president of the Associates.

MEMBERS of the Bunker Hill Associates re- ker Hill Associates, made the presentation cently presented a check in the amount of to Kate McDonough, executive director of \$2,500 to support the Charlestown Head- the Kennedy Center. Shown (l. to r.) Jack the Old Kent School, site of the Headstart Laughlin; McDonough; Tom Cunha, trea-Program, which was destroyed by fire in De-surer of the Associates; and Jerry Sheehan,

It's A Girl . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Chiampa of 55 Old Landing Way, Charlestown, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Nicole Marie, on February 21st at Brigham and Women's Hospital.

The maternal grandmother is Alice McGoff and the paternal grandmother is Virginia Chiampa, both of Charlestown.

Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street on Tuesday, March 1 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "The Ball That Wanted To Play," in which a rejected little ball has fun while searching for a playmate; "Bear Cub And The River Inhabitant," the story of a cub who wonders who the creature is he sees reflected in the river; and "Carrot Nose," in which children discover some unlikely thieves while building a snowman.

"The Legend Of Sleepy Hollow" is the tale of a schoolmaster and the headless horseman who haunts the Hudson River. It will be shown only at 3:30 p.m.

The suggested readings in conjunction with these films are: The First Book of Bears by Robert Whitehead: The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats; and Rip Van Winkle and Other Stories by Washington Ir-

Nicole was welcomed home by her brother, Christopher Matthew, age 31/2.

Mrs. Chiampa is the former Robin McGoff of Charlestown.

Special Days For Local Schools During Boys And Girls Club Membership Week

In conjunction with Membership Week activities at the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, Clubhouse staff have planned special days for local schools to inform the students of the programs available to them at the Club.

Tuesday, March 1st is

Saint Catherine's Day; Wednesday March 2nd is Saint Francis' Day; and Thursday, March 3rd is Edwards School Day.

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MEMBERSHIP WEEK - MARCH 1st to 5th

During Membership Week, there will be many special events and activities at the Clubhouse. This week is a special chance for kids and parents to come up to the Clubhouse, experience some of our programs and to see all that the Clubhouse has to offer. Our programs range from athletic to educational as well as social development activities. Our membership fees are minimal and we provide excellent supervision throughout the building and during all of our activities. We hope you'll take this opportunity to come meet the Clubhouse staff and learn more about the programs we offer the young people of Charlestown.

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Jerry Steimel, Club Director

Saturday

Dan Frangos, Program Director

Elleen O'Brien, Membership Director *******

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Special events and activities all afternoon in the Library, Games Room and Gymnasium. A chance for everyone to participate in activities in all these clubhouse areas.

6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — PARENTS HOUR

Chance for all interested parents to meet with staff, learn more about our programs, and receive tours of the Clubhouse.

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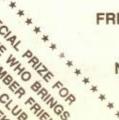
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* SATURDAY TRIPS *

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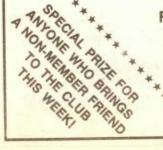
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Engineers Consider Revised MWRA Plan

The United States Army Corps of Engineers is soliciting public comments on the revised plan of the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) for water transportation to serve the proposed Boston Harbor wastewater treatment facilities at Deer Island. The Revere Sugar site is now being considered and may replace Piers 48, 49 and 50 in Charlestown.

The application for the federal permit was filed

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To assist in evaluating the revised proposal, the Engineers are soliciting public

It's A Boy . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Robert den Hospital.

The maternal grandpar-Glasgow, Scotland.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Atkinson of 39D Old Landing Way, Charles-

comments. Written statements should be forwarded to their office no later than March 21. Additional information may be obtained by contacting Karen Adams at

the New England Division, United States Army Corps of Engineers, 424 Trapelo Road, Waltham, MA 02254-9149, telephone 647-

"Mayor's" Race Gathers Momentum



TWO OF THE THREE CANDIDATES for "Mayor of Charlestown" met recently with Chairman Peter Looney of the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, sponsor of the "Mayor's" race, to discuss the plans for Election Night which will be held on Friday, March 25th at 8:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street. Shown (l. to r.) Candidate Claire Lynch, Chairman Looney and Candidate Jim Carroll. Missing from the photo was Candidate Robert Boyden.

News From The Charlestown **Boys And Girls Club** 15 GREEN STREET

MEMBERSHIP WEEK

March 1st to 5th is Membership Week at the Clubhouse. There are still a lot of young people and parents in the community who are unaware of all that the Club has to offer and we are making a special effort during this week to get the word out. There will be special activities, games and trips all week, as well as a Carnival and a dance on Friday. See the advertisement in this week's Patriot for more details and a schedule of events. The Club is still the best deal in town with a six to 12 year old's membership costing \$5.00 a year and a 13 to 17 year old's membership costing \$8.00

MARTHA'S VINEYARD TRIP

The Clubhouse girls' basketball team traveled to Martha's Vineyard this past Saturday to play in a tournament and to spend a day on the Island. Everyone had a great time and to see the Island in winter was a special experience for the Clubhouse members. "Where are all the people?" was the most common comment. Representing the Clubhouse were: Cheryl Collins, Jennifer Gill, Corey Gallagher, Leah Kilmartin, Carrie Kilmartin, Mayra Adams, Michelle Bryant and Erin McDonough.

RED AUERBACH 3 on 3 TOURNAMENT

Registration for the Annual 3 on 3 Tournament begins this week. Players must register by Friday, March 4th. The age categories are: A) 13 to 15 year olds and B) 16 to 17 year olds.

The Tournament will also include a "Hot-Shot" competition to test a person's shooting skills. For more details on this and the entire Tournament, see Don or Shelley in the gym.

THANKS

Our thanks to everyone who bought raffle tickets to support the Clubhouse Ski Trip. Joe Collier was the winner of the Celtics tickets and, thanks to everyone's support, 26 Club members were able to spend last Thursday at Crotched Mountain in New Hampshire. The Clubhouse hopes to sponsor one more ski trip before the season ends.

THEATRE TRIP

A group of Club members will be going to the Children's Theatre at New England Life Hall this Friday evening, February 26th to see a performance of "It Happened In Hamlin." The play is a take-off on the Pied Piper story and it should be an enjoyable experience for all. The play is free and anyone interested in attending should see either Connie or Jean in the

TRI-CLUB

There will be a Tri-Club trip this Saturday involving the South Boston and Roxbury Clubhouses. The current plans are to go ice skating and anyone interested in trying their luck on skates should see Eileen at the front desk. All ages are welcome and, again, there is NO COST for Club members.

GYMNASTICS

There are still spots available in the upcoming eightweek gymnastics session beginning tomorrow, Friday, February 26th. Call the Club at 242-1775 or sign up with Eileen at the front desk.

Class times are:

 $2:\!45$ to $3:\!30$ p.m. - 6 to 9 year olds $3:\!45$ to $4:\!30$ p.m. - 10 to 12 year olds 4:45 to 5:30 p.m. - 13 to 17 year olds

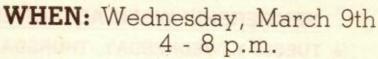
If the given times are not convenient, we're flexible. Call Shelley at 242-1775 for more details.

Atkinson of 43B Old Landing Way, Charlestown are proud to announce the birth of their son, Scott Bryan, on February 9 at the Mal-

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Housing And Development Committee Votes On Parcel P-2A

by Kathy Giordano

The Housing and Development Committee of the Neighborhood Council met on Wednesday, February 17 at the Charlestown Working Theater to review design changes made in the proposals submitted by four developers for the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) parcel P-2A, located at the intersection of Bunker Hill and Main Streets, directly behind the Theater and the Charlestown Community Garden. After hearing the design changes from the developers and concerns from the community, the Committee voted on the proposal they felt should go forward to the entire Neighborhood Council for a vote at their next meeting on Tuesday, March 1st.

Council member Moe Gillen, who chaired the meeting, informed the audience that the meeting was being held in response to a Council vote to insure the community and abutters of another public meeting in their neighborhood to review the changes made in the four proposals before the Council voted on the developer they would recommend to the BRA.

Present at the meeting to oversee the presentation by the developers and listen to the concerns of the neighborhood were BRA representatives Larry Brophy, senior planner, and Housing Creation Team Specialists Bob Rush and John
Noone. The Mayor's Office
of Neighborhood Services
Director Don Gillis, Assistant Director John Riordan
and Community Liaison
Judy Evers were also present.

Brophy stated that "We're

(BRA) certainly looking for input from the Neighborhood Council on which way to go" (with this parcel). "The idea of housing - and affordable housing, there's no question whatsoever about that - is something we would like to do, if possible, this year. I realize it's not going to be a very easy decision to make." Brophy then outlined the procedure the developer would have to go through before receiving final designation on the parcel and stated, "I would expect the neighbors here would like to see the drawings before final designation is made. If asked for a time frame on the process, I would say 14 months on the fast side or 18 months on the slow side, but with a little bit of luck, there could be occupancy within one

Don Gillis stated that "the Charlestown Neighborhood Council deserves a lot of credit in handling the number of parcels that have come before them during the past year." Although a lot of experts got involved with the process, he continued, "the real experts are the folks in the neighborhood who know what they need and what they want for this property. Our goal overall is to get a proposal with the most affordable type of housing you want to provide opportunity for Charlestown residents. We need to move as quickly as possible and are looking to you for your advice."

The Committee vote could not be interpreted as an overwhelming vote of confidence for any of the four developers. Seven members voted for Gate Five Associates, five voted for Myerson/Allen and three voted for Crowninshield Corporation. Charlestown Garden Town Houses (Conroy Development) received no votes.

Although Gate Five Associates received the majority of votes from the committee, their recommendation will now have to go to the full Neighborhood Council for a final vote on March 1st.

The breakdown on the proposals submitted by the four developers are as follows:

Gate Five Associates:
 28 single family units - fee simple.
 14 units market rate with two bedroom units at \$210,000 and three bedroom units at \$265,000;
 14 units

affordable with two bedroom units at \$86,000 and three bedroom units at \$98,000. (Two bedroom units will consist of 21/2 stories for a total of 1,280 square feet and three bedroom units will consist of 31/2 stories for a total of 1,900 square feet); 32 on street parking spaces will be provided. The total cost per square foot is estimated at \$70. The 25 percent community contribution would be \$137,721 that would either go to the Life Focus Center, as previously committed, or go back into the project to reduce the cost of affordable

· Myerson/Allen:

32 Condos - fee simple, with group ownership of parking. 16 units market rate at \$196,000 (no breakdown on unit sizes given); 16 units affordable with two bedroom units at \$86,000 and three bedroom units at \$98,000. (The two bedroom units will consist of 1,030 square feet and the three bedroom units will consist of 1,400 square feet - no size given for one bedroom units); 52 parking spaces will be provided. The total cost per square foot is estimated at \$82. The community contribution would be \$164,000 (25 percent) that would go back into the

affordable units. · Crowninshield Corp.: 44 Condos - fee simple - six one-bedroom, 32 two-bedroom and six three-bedroom units. 22 units market rate with two bedroom units at \$200,000 (no other figures were given); 22 units affordable with the average price at \$58,000 (no other figures were given); the average size of units would be between 1,500 and 1,600 square feet; 80 parking spaces provided, half of which would be located under the units. The total cost per square foot is estimated at

munity contribution would (continued on page 14)

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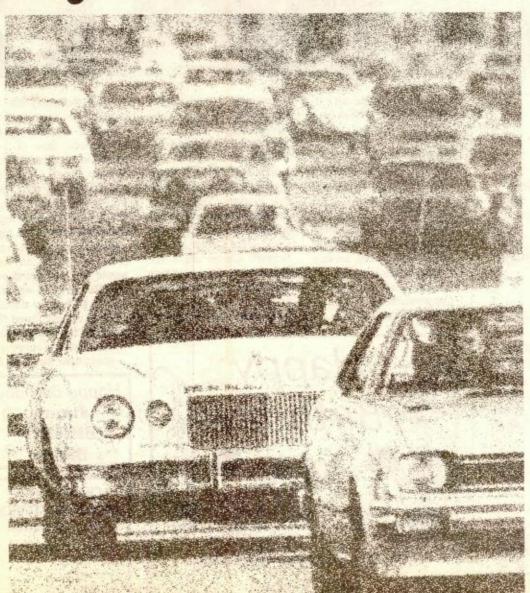
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that such a Town Meeting
allows him to stay focused
on the concerns of the residents — concerns such as
affordable housing, health
care and education.

The Congressman was critical of the Reagan Administration, stating that every time the Housing Committee, of which Kennedy is a member, proposes a bill to try to do something on affordable housing, they are told there is no money and yet when the issue of Contra Aid came before the House of Representatives, the money was not an argument.

Kennedy told the residents that it "doesn't take guts to stand up and say this country needs a new missile or weapons system, but it does take guts to stand up and try to re-direct the nation's priorities." He gave a general overview of the nation's expenditures, quoting "\$220 billion for servicing the national debt . . . \$300 billion on national defense



LES FROST, president of the tenants' group at Anchorage Apartments in the Charlestown Navy Yard, commended Congressman Kennedy for his assistance in working with their group and the MHFA to monitor the management's expenses closely and securing a three percent rather than a ten percent rent increase.

8 - 20, Misses

. . \$400 billion on Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid . . . with \$150 billion left for roads, health care, housing and education"

Kennedy touched on taxation, noting that 20 percent of the people at the top of the income bracket earn 47 percent of the wealth in this nation, whereas the 20 percent at the bottom earn only 4.7 percent of the wealth. He stated that he could not say "never raise taxes," but the question is "who is going to be taxed and whether they should pay their fair share" of taxes.

As to priorities, Kennedy stated that it is time that Americans came out and stated that they believe in a strong America. He said that the country should "get a hold of old basic values" in order to make this a country of which we can all be proud.

The first question from the gathering to Kennedy concerned the recent curtailment of the hours of window service by the Postal Service as a part of the federal cut-back. A resident told Kennedy, "Last week I went down to the Post Office [between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m.] and they were closed. I though I was in Mexico." He stated that he "sat down and wrote a letter" to Kennedy and, as he stood up and passed it to Kennedy, noted that he was hand-delivering it as he didn't "trust the Post Office.

Kennedy stated that residents shouldn't blame the Post Office for the cutback in service. He said that because the Post Office makes money, citing the sale of stamps as the prime source, the federal government is going to utilize some of that money to pay other debts.

Jim Walsh, Charlestown District Representative



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from the Congressman's office, later stated that their office has written to the Charlestown Neighborhood Council asking for their assistance in formulating a plan that would be optimal for the community, given the 39½ hour time frame for this Postal Office, and this would then be brought back to the Postal Service

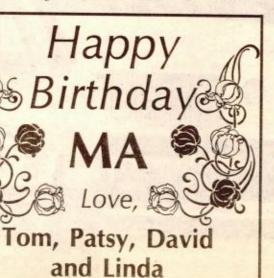
for their consideration.

Carol Grace asked the

Congressman for his assistance in obtaining funds, in

the amount of one-half million dollars, to rebuild the fire-damaged Old Kent School which housed the Headstart Program. Walsh responded that the Congressman has worked with the Flatley Company to provide a temporary site to relocate Headstart in the Child Care Center at The Schrafft Center on a six month basis. He added that they hopefully will be able to help in securing funds.

Resident Ken Stone ask-



ed the Congressman for support in opposing the proposed locating of the northbound lane of I-93 closer to residential Charlestown as part of the Central Artery project. Stone pointed out that there was a section in the federal legislation that prevented a highway from being built over a park and that this lane would be constructed over Paul Revere Park, which he termed a "heavily traveled area." Kennedy stated that his office has been in touch with federal and state high-(continued on page 11)

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Congressman Joseph Kennedy Hosts Town Meeting In Charlestown

(continued from page 10) way people. He said that he wasn't aware that there was a "law to hang our hat on" in following up on these concerns.

Mount Vernon Street resident Bob Wallace raised the point of drugs being a major issue facing the community. He stated that drugs are destroying our country, our people and especially our children and noted that it was "about time the federal government did something."

Kennedy acknowledged the problem with drugs, noting the fact that he lost a younger brother to drugs and knows the devastation on the family. He stated that ultimately the problem is only going to be solved by the people in the communities who recognize that drugs are present and deal with that issue. He said that no matter how much money is spent by the federal government to prevent drugs from entering this country, the fact remains that there are tens of thousands of miles of border and drugs would get in. He also pointed out that not all drugs are imported, some are grown in this country.

Tom Cunha raised the question of the bill submitted as the National Community Housing Partnership Act. Kennedy stated that the bill would provide \$500 million to non-profit organizations throughout the country in order to provide affordable housing for senior citizens, the middle income and poor residents.

He said that changes in the tax code have decreased the incentive for individuals and businesses to invest in such housing. This bill is an attempt to get money directed toward non-profit organizations who can build affordable housing at a lesser cost, especially when the cost of the land and developers' fees are waived.

Other issues that were discussed at the meeting included the resignation by the Secretary of the Navy; the Leland/Kennedy bill being introduced in Congress next week to provide aid for the homeless; the prospects of a maritime industry in this country (Kennedy noted it was cheaper to build ships overseas); the trade deficit; military protection of the oil ships in the Persian Gulf; the prospects of

anti-takeover legislation on corporations; benefits for dependents of retired military personnel; question on invasion of privacy with all children over five now having to have a Social Securi-



TOM WHITE asked for the Congressman's insight into the resignation of Secretary of the Navy Webb.

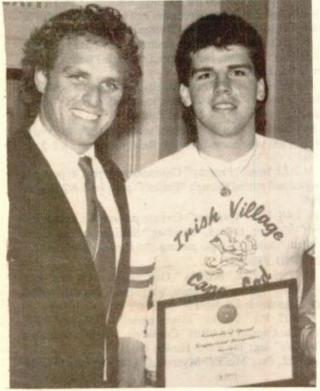
ty number to be claimed as a dependent under the new income tax law; fuel assistance; the study by Johns Hopkins University citing the loss of hearing from a combination of carbon monoxide and noise; increasing job training programs; and public housing.

Another local issue involved the closing of the Amstar Plant and Kennedy pointed out that his office has been following this closely.

One woman expressed concern about the establishment of a staging area in Charlestown by the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA). Kennedy told her that Charlestown is not getting a sludge plant. He stated that all are concerned about a clean harbor and in order to ac-

complish that, a staging area is necessary to transfer construction materials to Deer Island. He pointed out that there will be an end to this project - ten to 12 years - and it is important that the community see that MWRA goes through a mitigation process in order to insure minimal impact on Charlestown. Kennedy stated that his office has been investigating the feasibility of utilizing the railroad and that it is important to minimize truck traffic through Charlestown.

When asked by Mary Walsh what his major frustrations were after a year in Washington, Kennedy reiterated the government's failure to act on his three basic concerns of decent housing, health care and education.



A CERTIFICATE of Special Congressional Recognition was presented to Charlestown resident Tim Donovan (right) by Congressman Joseph Kennedy (left) acknowledging Donovan's accelerated completion of the Carpenters' Council Apprenticeship Training Program. Donovan completed the four year course in two and a half years.



PRESENTS COMMEMORATIVE SHOVEL: Thomas Cunha (right), president of the Charlestown Economic Development Corporation, presented a commemorative shovel to Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy (left) in appreciation for Kennedy's efforts on behalf of affordable housing. Kennedy recently filed the National Community Housing Partnership Act which cites Economic Development Corporations as the type of non-profits that should receive funding to carry out programs of constructing affordable housing.



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by Bernie "Scoop" Kelly STOP THE PRESSES . . .

Senior League Late, Late Press Release.

ATTENTION: A secret meeting was held between the Commish, "Fast Eddie" Johnson, and a select group under the guise of "fairness in hockey," or "break up the cliques." They met long into the night and maybe after a few "moussey's" it is said the Commish was starting to "lean," others say bend . . . and who knows, maybe after a moment of weakness the Commish, being human, broke, they say, and a deal was struck for the All-American out of Merrimac College. Jim "Merry-mac" Vesey, rounding out his brilliant career waiting some "Pro" offers and looking to stay in shape, has made it known through the grapevine that he's available . . . Ahhemm, "with certain concessions," which are being ironed out as we speak and read. But, said Commish "Fast Eddie," "we will put his services with the 'Screaming Eagles,' who presently are in last place, in fairness to all teams." But my informant says the terms of the agreement are still up in the air since Jim Vesey's "player agent" is the alleged Joe "Whiplash" Kelly, whose deals for players have left many a "player" with "Whiplash" . . so goes his nickname. None-the-less, "Fast Eddie" would still like to make it a "Sweetheart Deal" before the playoffs, to make Jim "Merry-mac" Vesey eligible for the "Manly Cup Play-off Series" in March!

Should the Commish succeed in his horse-trading, this could make the Eagles the series' "Dark Horse" and should C-Town's All-American, Jim "Merry-mac" Vesey explode and continue on his record-setting role as a leading scorer he could turn the "Dark Horse" Eagles into the "Trojan Horses" and capture the "Man-ly Cup" out of the hand of the near champions . . . whoever they should be, "Whiners,

Wimps or Blimps!"

Oh, mercy, what does the Commish, "Fast Eddie," see in his "Magic Ball." Pray tell, Eddie, pray tell!

MAN-LY CUP "FEVER"

With the "Man-ly Cup" Fever starting to build and showing its effects on the league leaders, it is the Huskies who could be the "Spoilers." They continue to pick away at the runner-ups proving they mean business as the season winds down, with their solid 10-5 victory over the cocky Eagles. In keeping with Captain Ed "Biff" Considine's desire and determination to establish a fierce impetus to carry them successfully through the Semi's, that momentum should be enough to prove an equal victory in the Championship game, or a dream come true giving the Huskies the "Man-ly Cup" and the right to be called "Champions." "Oh ya, sez who?" . . . sorry "Biff," you must also believe in the "Tooth Fairy"

like "Bruiser," because all the team captains feel the same way about the Championship Game, so you better go back to the strategy board or borrow the Commish's "Magic Ball" if you think winning the "Man-ly Cup" is that easy! Take for instance, the former "Wimp" Crusaders, the

pressure is so "touchy" that the Bush Captain, Ed "Mugsy" Kelly, has ordered his "Wimps," oops, "Awesome Ones" to practice their after-scoring acts, you know, when a player scores he lifts one leg and balances on the other while pumping his right arm up and down as if to say, take that and that, etc. So Bush, "Mugsy," so Bush!

Then there's the trembling Terriers, loaded with "Hot Air," lacking "Class," holding early morning practices up at Skate 3 in Saugus hoping to perfect the hidden-player trick that comes about when a real "Low-Bush Player" cutely sneaks by the opposing defensemen and crouches down on the other team's blue-line where he coyly waits till his team gets ahold of the puck and quickly fires it over the opposing defensemen's heads to the lurking "Bush Terrier," who then goes in all alone on the defenseless goalie for what is considered in hockey circles the lowest, muzziest, the cheapest "Bush Goal" a player can claim and supposedly calling himself a senior hockey player. "Phooey," or as true hockey buffs say, that's Bush, Bush, Bush League!

As for the Huskies, Captain Ed "Biff" Considine could be without his veteran goalie, Tom "Bruiser" Bryson, who is still on R & R, but could show up in a pinch, or with a paunch. Well anyway, his back-up man out of Newman Prep, who continues to fool his worthy opponents and has baffled the local Hockey Buff who gazes into a "Magic Ball" and carries a rabbit's foot on his key chain. He has suddenly become a believer and thinks that the "Preppie," "Randy Risky Vera," could be the long-shot of the finals. If he gets by the Semi's, he has the same chance of winning the "Man-ly Cup" as his worthy opponent, because as "Yogi" said, "It ain't over till it's over," and the Commish, "Fast Eddie," may be the only person in A.H.A. Hockey that knows what the "Magic Ball" holds, and right now, the "Ball's" in "Eddie's" Court!

Incidentally, the League Commissioner, Eddie "Baron" Johnson, will stay with the established rules for the Semi-Finals. In a league with four teams, the top team finishing in first place with the most points will play the team finishing fourth, with the least points, while the team finishing second is matched with the team finishing in third place!

At the completion of the Semi-Final match-up, the two teams emerging as winners of the Semi-Finals will then defend their colors, honor and win to be officially acclaimed and crowned the "Man-ly Cup Champions!"

The "Man-ly Cup" Champions will be honored on April 22nd at the Third Annual Senior League Banquet to be held at the Knights of Columbus (lower hall), Charlestown, which is shaping up as the place to be that evening among C-Town "hoy-fulloy" or "upper-class" hockey buffs, who want to be seen in the right circles with the who's who of C-Town society breaking bread with the Senior League stars and wonderful supporters who will be flashing their best glad rags, joining in the "titter-tatter" of hockey jargon and enjoying a cool evening among friends.

We look forward to your presence at the affair which will be highlighted with the awards presentation to those players who have reached the ultimate attainable success for solid effort and achievement during an exciting Senior League season that should forever remain an exciting highlight at family gatherings for years to come!

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HUSKIES . . . 10, EAGLES . . . 5!

FIRST PERIOD . . .

The Huskies opened the scoring, when at 13:16, Dennis "Kid" Dowd sent a perfect pass to Pat "Mucka" Myers, who scored through "Bubba's" legs for a 1-0 Huskie lead! At 12:17, Mike "Frenchy" Gautreau sent a pass to Jackie 'Sandbag' Sullivan, who scored through "Bubba's" legs for a 2-0 Huskie edge!

At 9:45, Richie "Hunso" Doherty passed to "Warr-Blitz" Fitz, to Robby "Rip" Cahill, who scored through "Risky Randy's" pads for a 2-1 Huskie lead!

At 4:56, Joe "Rambo" Gauthier sent a neat pass to "Warr-Blitz" Fitz, who scored through Randy's legs for a 2-2 tie

At 2:23, Mike "Frenchy" Gautreau went post to post unassisted and scored through "Bubba's" pads for a 3-2 Huskie

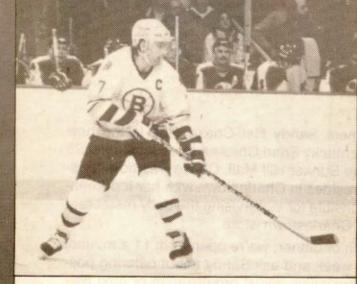
At 1:48, Ken "Gunboat" Guitarr passed to Captain Ed "Biff" Concee, to Jack "Sandbag" Sullivan for the score through "Bubba's" legs, putting the Huskies ahead 4-2! SECOND PERIOD . . .

At 12:21, Mike "Frenchy" Gautreau made a neat pass to Dennis "Sparky" Callahan, who scored through "Bub-ba's" legs for a 5-2 Huskie lead!

At 8:17, Pat "Mucka" Myers passed to Dennis "Kid" Dowd, to Captain Ed "Biff" Considine, who score through "Bubba's" legs for a 6-2 Huskie edge!

At 4:12, Pat "Mucka" Myers sent a perfect pass to Billy (continued on page 13)

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Little League News.

The Charlestown Little League will hold a meeting on Wednesday, March 2 at 8:00 p.m. at Memorial Hall on 14 Green Street.

All officers, managers, coaches and umpires are requested to please be there! This is a very important meeting!

Early reminder to par-

ents: Get those birth certificates ready. Registration dates will be listed in the Patriot for the next three weeks. Please remember, a boy or girl must be eight years old before August 1, 1988 and not 13 years of age before August 1, 1988. Eight year olders will play only in the minor league.

Many thanks to Commissioner Sue Pierce and the Certified Public Accountants Softball League for their generous contribution to the Charlestown Little League. We appreciate your thoughtfulness. Have a good season.

> Thank you, John Curtin

Charlestown Youth Hockey News

On Friday, March 4, we will be holding our only dance of the year. This dance is an important fundraising source since it helps to defray the expense of this

We realize that there are a great many activities which need your support,

but if not for a function such as this and donations from organizations within the community, the cost of running this program would destroy it.

At present, parents are paying \$275 per child on the travel team and \$175 per child on the house teams. If

we do not raise outside funds, the cost would almost double. This cost reflects ice cost (MDC \$65 per hour) and (GBL league \$72. per hour), which is approximately \$24,000 for ice during this 1987-1988 hockev season.

The bottom line is, we need your support at this dance. Tickets are priced at \$10 and we can make two promises: 1) you'll have a good time at the dance and, 2) we will publish in the Patriot in April, a full accounting of all monies spent by Youth Hockey during the 1987-88 year.

Thank you, C.Y.H.A.

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(continued from page 12) "K.O." Kirk, who scored through "Bubba's" glove for a

7-2 Huskie lead! At 3:00, Richie "Hunso" Doherty passed to Robby "Rip" Cahill, to Paul "Duff" Duffy, who scored over "Risky's" head, making it 7-3 Huskies!

At 1:01, Jackie "Sandbag" Sullivan went net to net, unassisted, scoring through "Bubba's" mask for an 8-3 Huskie

THIRD PERIOD . .

At 11:55, "Warr-Blitz" Fitz passed to Robby "Rip" Cahill, to Paul "Duff" Duffy, who scored through "Randy's" glove for an 8-4 Huskie edge!

At 6:33, Dennis "Kid" Dowd passed to Jack "Sandbag" Sullivan, who scored by "Bubba," making it a 9-4 Huskies!

At 2:58, Ken "Gunboat" Guitarr sent a neat pass to Captain Ed "Biff" Considine, who scored through "Bubba's" noseguard, making it 10-4 Huskies!

At 1:31, Mike "Dasher" Doherty sent a quick pass to "Bronco Billy" MacDonald, who scored through "Randy's" helmet for a final score of 10-5 Huskies!

SCORING BY PERIOD

TEAM PERIOD	1	2	3	FINAL
HUSKIES	4	4	2	10
EAGLES	2	1	2	5

GOALIES	SAVES
Randy "Risky" Vera - Huskies	24
Seano "Bubba" Feeney - Eagles	29
(substituted for "Knobby")	

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CRUSADERS . . . 7, TERRIERS . . . 5!

FIRST PERIOD . . .

The Terriers opened the scoring when at 11:06, Pat "Hawkeye" Considine, from the point, scored unassisted through "Gumper II's" legs for a 1-0 Terrier lead!

SECOND PERIOD . . At 14:49, Captain Ed "Mugsy" Kelly hit the free man, Dan "Hombre" Awbrey, who scored through "Bubba's"

skates, making it a 1-1 tie game!

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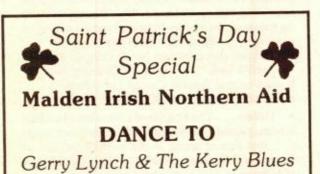
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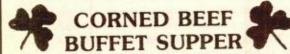
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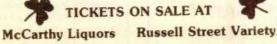




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At 7:45, Matt "Flash" Mahoney, on a give and go to Mike

"The Yank" Anthony, who scored through "Bubba's" noseguard for a 2-1 Crusader edge! At 6:52, "Darby Dan" Considine passed to Matt "Flash"

Mahoney, to Mike "Yank" Anthony, who scored through "Bubba's" pads, making it 3-1 Crusaders!

At 1:36, Captain Joe Wilkins sent a neat pass to John "Showbiz" Dowd, who scored by "Gumper II's" bumpers for a 3-2 Crusader edge!

THIRD PERIOD . .

Boston Babies.

regular season games which led to a two out of

three series with the top two

teams competing for the

In a very exciting and

emotional series between

Main St. and the Clydesdales, the first game went in

Main St.'s favor with a

score of 3-1. Nancy King

scored two of the goals and

Nancy Kane the other for Main St. The lone tally for

the Clydesdales came from

the stick of Andrea Gor-

In game two, which was a do or die situation for the Clydesdales, they prevailed with a score of 3-2. The Clydesdales goals were by

Christine Mahan, Maureen

Sullivan and the game win-

ning goal was by Kathleen

Connolly. Kathy Kavinsky

was responsible for both of

Main St.'s goals.

man.

At 13:47, Captain Ed "Mugsy" Kelly sent a lead pass to Chris "Cool Hand" Carr, who scored by "Bubba's" glove for a 4-2 Crusader lead!

At 12:22, the former captain, Paul "Fox-Ox" Wilkins, went post to post unassisted and scored through "Gumper II's" helmet, making it 4-3 Crusaders!

At 11:55, Captain Ed "Mugsy" Kelly, sent a lead pass to "Darby Dan" Considine, who scored through "Bubba's" armpits for a 5-3 Crusader lead!

At 7:22, the former captain, "Fox-Ox" Wilkins, sent a drop pass to John "Showbiz" Dowd, who scored through "Gumper II's" pads for a 5-4 Crusader edge!

At 3:35, Captain Joe "Gung Ho" Wilkins sent a perfect pass to Chris "Showboat" Thornton, who scored through "GiGi's" knees, tying the score at 5-5!

At 1:52, Mike "The Yank" Anthony sent a neat pass to Jack "Jocko" Martin, who scored through "Bubba's" mouthpiece, making it 6-5 Crusaders!

At 0:12, "Darby Dan" Considine sent a perfect pass to Matt "Flash" Mahoney, who scored through "Bubba's" helmet for a 7-5 win for the Crusaders!

SCORING BY PERIOD

TEAM PERIOD	1	2	3	FINAL
CRUSADERS	0	3	4	7
TERRIERS	1	1	3	5

"Clydesdales" — The Champs

Game three was played in The Charlestown Teen front of a jam packed au-Connection recently completed their 1987-1988 Girls' dience at the Kent School Gym. The Clydesdales Ball Hockey League. The teams that participated jumped out to a quick lead with goals by Suzanne were: Clydesdales, Main St., Silver Box, Barbies and Wrenn, Kathleen Connolly and Maureen Sullivan. Each team played eight

Kathy Kavinsky to make the score 3-1 after the first period. In the second period, the Clydesdales scored three unanswered goals by Andrea Gorman, Maureen Sullivan and Christine Mahan and never looked back.

Name

was a great team effort and a key player throughout the season and definitely in the playoffs was the goalie, Kim Campbell.

Congratulations to both teams for a fine series and to all the girls involved in the League.

Mike "GiGi" Giordano - Crusaders 19 22 Seano "Bubba" Feeney - Terriers * GAME STARS * Matt "Flash" Mahoney - Post to Post

GOALIES

Darby "Dan" Considine - Hit Man Paul "Fox-Ox" Wilkins - Last Hurrah

**** SENIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS

TEAM	W	L	TIE	*POINT STANDINGS
Crusaders	10	2	1	21 points
Terriers	7	6	0	14 points
Huskies	5	8	0	10 points
Eagles	3	9	1	7 points

SENIOR LEAGUE TOP SCORERS

Goals

19

16

11

* RISING STARS *

Assists

11

12

13

13

12

10

Dennis Dowd - Terriers

Richie Doherty - Eagles

Team

1) Matt Mahoney - Crusaders

4) Mike Anthony - Crusaders

5) Eddie Considine - Huskies

8) D.J. Harrington - Terriers

9) Jack Martin - Crusaders

10) Eddie Kelly - Crusaders

2) Chris Thornton - Terriers

3) Mike Castano - Terriers

6) Paul Duffy - Eagles

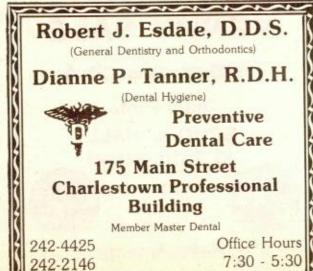
7) Warren Fitz - Eagles

Ken Guitarr - Huskies

Scotty Geezil - Crusaders

Main St. scored a goal by The final score was 6-1. It

THE CLYDESDALES captured the cham- Connolly. Back row (l. to r.) Christine Mapionship in the Charlestown Teen Connec- han, Paula Wrenn, Suzanne Wrenn, Pam tion's Girls' Ball Hockey League. Shown Doherty and Andrea Gorman. Missing from front row (l. to r.) Kim Campbell, Kerry the photo was Bridget Hanlon. Woods, Maureen Sullivan and Kathleen





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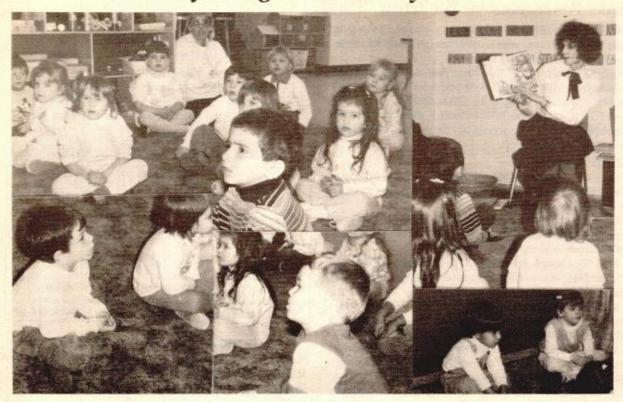
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Jean Peters of the Charlestown Branch Library recently spent a storytelling hour with the children. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

Charlestown Boys And Girls Club Basketball Update

. The 16 and Under Boys' Basketball Team improved their record on Saturday, February 20 by defeating South Boston 66 to 55. The outstanding record is currently 5-1. High point

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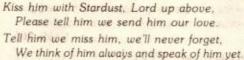
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scorers were:

Dan Martell - 19 points Dave LaRovere - 16 points Derek Gallagher - 14 points

· The 14 and Under Girls' Basketball Team traveled to Martha's Vineyard on Saturday, February 20 for the N.E.-N.E.A.P.C. Basketball Sectionals Tournment. The tournament was played in a round-robin style between Martha's Vineyard, South Boston and Charlestown. Though Charlestown proved to be the best team at the tourney, Martha's Vineyard proved to be victorious by a mere two points (25 to 23).

The team roster included: Cheryl Collins, Jennifer Gill, Corey Gallagher, Leah Kilmartin, Carrie Kilmartin, Mayra Adams, Michelle Bryant and Erin McDonough.

A special congratulations goes out to high point scorer Corey Gallagher who scored 21 of the 23 points.

· Girls and boys 11 and under interested in playing basketball this Saturday, February 27 in an N.E.N.E.A.P.C. Sectional Tournament in Woburn, should contact Shelley immediately at 242-1775, extension 124.

Shelley Montgomery

Charlestown Youth Hockey Playoffs CHARLESTOWN RINK

Saturday, February 27

5 p.m. - Team 1 . . . vs . . . Team 3

6 p.m. - Team 2 . . . vs . . . Team 4

Saturday, March 5

5 p.m. - Consolation Game 6 p.m. - Championship Game

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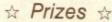
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Housing And Development Committee Votes On Parcel P-2A

(continued from page 9) be \$300,000 to go back into project to reduce the costs of affordable units and \$50,000 for Charlestown Working Theater.

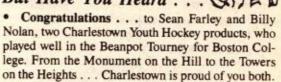
· Charlestown Garden Town Houses (Conroy Development): 41 Condos. 21 units market rate ranging from \$210,000 to \$295,000 (no other breakdown given); 15 units affordable, ranging from \$80,000 to \$90,000 (no other breakdown given); five units handicapped accessible, with two and three bedroom units ranging between \$50,000 and \$60,000. (Two bedroom units would consist of 1,073 square feet and three bedroom units would consist of between 1,370 and 1,625 square feet); 41 parking spaces would be provided. The total cost per square

foot is estimated at \$128.58. The 25 percent community contribution would be \$175,500 to go back into the project for affordable units

All proposals would leave the Charlestown Community Garden at their present location and allow space behind the homes on Baldwin Street for those abutters to have a common area.

It has been a long process. At least seven meetings have been held and all parties involved agree that it is time for a decision to be made as to who will develop this parcel of land. This decision should come at the Neighborhood Council meeting on March 1st at the Knights of Columbus Hall which should prove to be a most critical meeting for the members of the Council.

Not For Nothin' But Have You Heard . . .



- Was That You David? . . . When not working at his job for the State DPW on the CANA project. our "man about town," David Flanagan, is using his spare time politicking for the "Duke's" presidential bid. Heard David spent time up north in Salem and Pelham, New Hampshire night before the primary . are you going to find time to venture to a warmer climate for those upcoming primaries, David?
- Did You See . . . Charlestown resident John McKay in the monthly mags in a Shawmut Bank ad? John is a delightful man who lives on one of those floating homes docked at the "Yard." You looked great, John! Nice to know a celeb!
- Complaints Continue To POUR In . . . on the bad taste and odor emanating from our water. Warren Zepp, assistant superintendent of Water Quality for the City, states that the problem is algae growing in the sun in the reservoir. He said, "It's not pleasant, but it's safe . . . it's disgusting, but it's harmless." He stated that it will go away in the summer . . . only to be replaced by another growth. Don't know what the solution is, but guess we will have to stock up on bottled water for a while longer.
- · Wow! . . . Did you hear that Frank "Chuckie" McCarthy, a Charlestown actor is doing well in Hollywood? Glad to hear it! . . . And Joe Foley is at it again, working on an upcoming Leonard Nemoy movie being filmed around Boston. Talk about celebs!
- · Good Work Susan Catherine . . . heard you made it to the refrigerator door. Great report card! It should be posted in a prominent spot. (Grandfather Bill's buttons are popping.)
- · Happy Birthday Wishes . . . to our singing postman extraordinaire, Jimmy Barker, who celebrated his big date yesterday . . . Mae Deering turns 84 on Saturday, she's home from the hospital now recuperating - to the delight of all who know her . Pat Keigney also celebrates her birthday on Saturday and a little "Bat" from the Training Field informed us that Frannie Carroll just turned 65 . . . many happy returns to each of you!
- . . . The Knights of Columbus Main Hall is being painted prior to installation of their new carpet first sign of spring - the sweeper was out on Bunker Hill Street this week . . . Mike McLaughlin of Monument Air Conditioning has been seen up and out again after his hospitalization. Get well soon, Mike . . . a request from the over-worked and under "womaned" staff at the Patriot - how about a two week moratorium on all meetings in the community? Sounds reasonable to us!! . . . I don't care what they say, Larry Brophy is one of the good guys . . . Don't forget to get down to the Knights on Saturday at 1:30 p.m. for the Democratic Caucus . . . see you there!

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Hooray for Judi Meaney and her staff at the Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill Street. The Valentine Party was really great. It was well organized and we enjoyed it tremendously.

Thanks again and God bless.

Lil ("Townie") Boutilier

Commissioner Garvey Responds To Problem Of Construction Debris

Councillor Michael J. McCormack Boston City Council City Hall Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councillor McCormack:

I'm writing in response to your recent letter regarding construction debris dumped on Boston Housing Authority property in Charlestown.

Department personnel who inspected the site indicated that some, but not all, of the debris was temporarily stockpiled by contractors connected with the I-93 project. In an effort to quickly alleviate the problem, however, the Department directed the general contractor to remove all of the debris. This work was completed by the end of the work day on February 2, 1988.

Unfortunately on the morning of February 3, three additional piles of debris were discovered on the site, dumped by unknown parties. The B.H.A. has been notified of this situation and has indicated that they will assume responsibility for this problem from now on.

The Department has notified its contractors that dumping of debris will not be permitted at this location. We will continue to make every attempt to monitor the area to prevent any additional dumping in the future.

Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention.

Very truly yours, Jane Garvey, Commissioner Massachusetts Department of Public Works

Thank You, Charlestown

Dear Friends,

cc: "Charlestown Patriot"

I take this opportunity to say good-bye and thank you as I leave the Charlestown Patriot to work for the Boston Carpenters Union. For the past eight months, so many of you in the community invited me to your meetings, talked openly to me of issues important to you and welcomed me into the neighborhood as a lifelong "Townie."

I couldn't have asked for a better place to work as a reporter. Among other things, Charlestown allowed me to interview the Mayor of Boston, experience the bicentennial of the Constitution while standing by its namesake on Pier One and witness the perfect civic lesson of freedom of speech at many a meeting. The people, the places, the moments . . . I could have never experienced so many of these things on my own or in another community.

More importantly, I got to meet so many of you. For eight months I had the opportunity to examine, question, observe and reflect upon your everyday lives. I learned about the special importance of community.

I would particularly like to thank certain people who truly helped me. To David Flanagan and John McDermott, both from the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, and resident Ken Stone, I say thank you for explaining and reexplaining the Central Artery/North Area project when I couldn't grasp it. A thank you goes out to Judy Evers, community liaison for the Mayor's office of Neighborhood Services for answering all my phone calls. I never would have understood the town without you, Judy. And I especially want to thank Gloria, Cookie and Judie of the Patriot. I couldn't have asked for better co-workers and friends.

I wish you all well in the future and hope to see you soon. Thanks again, Charlestown!

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Board of Appeal Hearings

A public hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday,

March 1, 1988 by the Board of Appeal of the City of Boston

in Room 801, City Hall, seeking variances from the terms

Tontine Crescent Associates, 3, 5 and 7 Winthrop

Street, seeking appeal from the terms of the Commonwealth

of Massachusetts, State Building Code, Chapter 802, Acts

of 1972, to increase demolition, increase reconstruction as

per plans. Section 302.0; Restrictions within the fire limit.

Table 302 requires a 3 hour fire resistance rating when a

building is more than 3' but less than 6' from a lot line.

Section 609.0; Number of exitways. 609.2 Minimum Num-

ber: There shall not be less than two approved independent

exitways serving every story. Also required by Article 21

building code provisions for one and two family dwellings.

March 1, 1988 by the Board of Appeal of the City of Bos-

ton in Room 801, City Hall, seeking variances from the

ticles 14(14-1) 15(15-1) 17(17-1). Erect four-story building for

proposed occupancy as 21 apartments and two offices with

terms of the Boston Zoning Code:

basement parking.

A public hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday.

Richard Held, 127 Main Street, seeking variance — Ar-

and Education Program (STEP), funded by the Ford Foundation, which enrolls academically at risk youth in a nationally renowned, education/work program that tests the effects of remedial education and skill training on the achievements of 14 and 15 year olds. The program will also continue to run the Boston Youth Conservation Corp. (BYCC), which is funded by the City of Boston, and combines work improving Boston's parks with environmental education.

Summerworks is funded with federal and state monies through the Mayor's Office of Jobs and Community Service (JCS). Because of a drastic, 24 percent reduction in federal funding

for summer jobs in the state of Massachusetts, ABCD's Summerworks program will once again have to turn away potential clients.

Over 1,800 Boston youths - over a thousand less than were served in 1986 - were served in last year's program, and more of those 1,800 will be cut from Summerworks 1988.

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The appeal of William F. Haley concerning the premises at 334 Medford Street and the appeal of Bernard W. Burke concerning the premises at 89-91 Main Street were both granted with provisos and the decisions were filed in the Building Department on Monday, February 22nd.

(printed as a public service)

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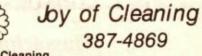
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Life Behind The Wall

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Gate One returned to substantial activity on a past Friday evening as Chole Incorporated positioned its equipment within the Yard's entrance. A small community was established when the dressing for the stars was placed adjacent to Building Five. At the former commanding officer's quarters, klieg lights were made ready and segments of an unknown series were ready for production. "Townies," talent, teamsters and setting will yield superior cinematography.

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The Irish Pride And Courage Banquet

A hearty group of "Townies," the proud sons and daughters of Ireland's

heritage, followed their ancestral instincts that led to the John Hancock Hall on a recent Saturday night to join the other true "Fenians" at the 18th Annual Boston Unit Irish Northern Aid Banquet.

Matt O'Neil Scholarship Applications Available

The Matt O'Neil Scholarship Fund has announced that applications are now available at the guidance offices of all local high schools, both parochial and public. This scholarship is open to all graduating seniors who will be attending college in the school year 1988-89. The deadline for filing applications is March

This year's scholarship banquet will be held on Saturday, April 16 at 6:30 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West

For tickets to the banquet or for scholarship applications, contact Sis O'Neil at 241-9282 or Ed Johnson at 241-9891.

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Irish Coll

C-Town's own John Hurley was honored for his dedicated work to unfold this unjust shackle on the Irish six counties and his tireless efforts were heralded by his recent elevation as President of the Boston Unit of the National Assembly of Irish Northern Aid. Also, heaps of praise

Also, heaps of praise were shown to another equally hard working "Townie" who never ran from a fight for the rights of freedom of his fellow man. I refer to none other than the "Old Sod Townie," Joe Kelly, the Donegal Danny of Green Street and Ireland, whose work to see Ireland set free is set in concrete. Up Donegal!

Tom Clifford of TV Channel 3's "Ireland on the Move," was taping the event and while scanning the tables and dance floor, captured another future "Townie

Irish Colleen," namely our own Ann Marie, maybe "Tralee" O'Brien of Oak Street. She was sashaying from table to table, flashing her "Big, Baby Blues," but only batting them for a certain "Irish Rogue" with a "Brogue" whose name es-capes me. We found Ann Marie exchanging chitterchatter with brother Roy who dressed like Sean Thornton, the famous "Quiet Man," as Ann Marie tried unsuccessfully to get Roy on the floor for an Irish Jig or the "Seige of Ennis," which would give "Sis" a chance to say

Incidently, it was Roy's wife, Cheryl (boy is she like her mother, Bridget), who won the grand door prize which was a lovely Waterford crystal vase and as her name was called, just like her mother, she strutted to

"show off!"

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Appointed To Israel Bond Post

Donald R. Hootstein, a resident of Charlestown, has been selected to serve as Associate Chairman in charge of Institutional Funds of the Greater Boston Israel Bond Organization, it was announced by Harvey Allen, general chairman of the local Bond campaign.

Hootstein has served on the Boston Israel Bond Campaign Cabinet for several years and is a member of the organization's prestigious Prime Minister's Club. He is also a member of the Alumni Association of the University of Pennsylvania.

Hootstein recently joined Group Four Design, a product and package design firm, as Vice-President of Sales and New Business Development.

He earned a BA in sociology/marketing from the University of Pennsylvania and an MBA from the Wharton School of Finance.



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Data And Information Coordinator

Successful applicant for this position will be responsible for assisting in the development, maintenance, use and management of information systems and forecasting and allocation models used and created by the Budget Department. To qualify, an undergraduate degree is required. Three years of experience in development or conversion of fiscal management information systems preferred.

Rates Analyst

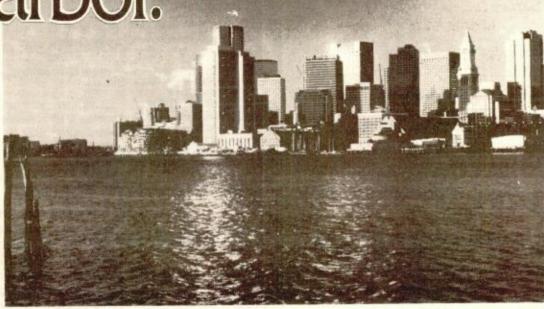
This position requires an individual who is responsible for conducting quantitative and financial analysis, as well as data base design and maintenance to support the Authority's rate-making objectives. An undergraduate degree with two years of directly related experience required.

Revenue Manager,

This position is responsible for analysis, policy development and projections of Authority revenue for rate impact analysis and projections and development of cost allocation methods and analyses. A graduate degree in a field providing analytic and/or fiscal training is required with five years of related experience preferred.

Performance Review Supervisor

Individual will be responsible for managing the development of program performance standards and objectives for all Authority programs and monitoring and reviewing program performance. Applicant will provide assistance in development of information systems to monitor program performance. To qualify, a graduate degree in management, public administration, engineering or related field is required with four years' related experience preferred.



Capital Program Analysts

Applicants for these positions will be responsible for assisting in the development of the Authority's Water or Wastewater Capital Improvement Program and for monitoring their status. To qualify, two years of relevant experience, preferably in an engineering position, is required, with a graduate degree in engineering, business, planning or related field a definite plus. An undergraduate degree or P.E. License and three years of experience in addition to the experience listed above may be substituted for a graduate degree.

Capital Planning Supervisor

This position is responsible for assisting in development and coordination of an ongoing Authority-wide capital planning process and the development and maintenance of a comprehensive capital improvement program. Successful applicant will assist in monitoring ongoing capital planning decisions. To qualify, 4 years of related experience, preferably in a public or non-profit agency is required. A graduate degree in engineering or public administration is a definite plus.

Treasury

Manager of Information

This individual will be responsible for developing and maintaining systems which provide financial and statistical management reports to Authority managers. To qualify, an undergraduate degree and a minimum of seven years' experience in public accounting, administration, data processing or consulting required.

Senior Systems Analyst

The successful applicant will assist in the preparation of mechanized financial and management reports for the Authority and insure that the computer service needs of the Treasury Department are received. Four years of work experience in a financial computer applications environment and an undergraduate degree are required.

Manager of Debt and Investments

This individual will develop and monitor an investment strategy for the Authority and insure that all note and bond indentures are complied with. The Manager of Debt and Investment will be a key player in the Authority's multi-billion dollar public finance program. An undergraduate degree is required along with a minimum of five years' responsible experience in banking, investment, or financial management. A strong public finance background is preferred.

Procurement

Deputy Contract Managers

Applicants will manage either professional services contracts or construction and non-professional services contracts from pre-bid or pre-selection to close-out including drafting, negotiating and other related aspects of such contracts. To qualify, four years of supervisory experience in contract management or design and other professional services contracts, or construction and non-professional services contracts, is required. Applicants for managing professional services contracts should be familiar with cost plus fixed tee contracts, and applicants for managing construction and non-professional services contracts must be familiar with MGL Chapters 149 and 30.

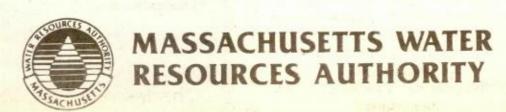
Internal Audit

Supervisory Auditor

The successful applicant will supervise the financial and operational audits of the Authority's internal organization, functions, activities and capital programs. To qualify, individual needs six years of auditing experience, a CPA and CIA or CISA certificate or graduate degree preferred. Also required is an undergraduate degree in Business or Public Administration.

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Friday, February 26

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

Monday, February 29

9:00 a.m. - Sunshine Club, Senior Lounge

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

12:45 p.m. - Bingo and Drawing of January's \$10 Jackpot and Chance-of-the-Month, Senior Lounge

Tuesday, March 1

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - Penny Sale, Senior Lounge

Wednesday, March 2

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

10:00 a.m. - Social Services, Senior Lounge

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colber Apartments 10:00 a.m. - Arts and Crafts, Senior Lounge

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

Thursday, March 3

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

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge

10:00 a.m. - Sewing, Senior Lounge.

10:00 a.m. - Arts and Crafts, Senior Lounge

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

1:00 p.m. - Pokeno, Senior Lounge

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- RSVP Brunch Friday, March 4 at 10:00 a.m. Donation \$1.00.
- Movie Tuesday, March 8 at 1:00 p.m.
- Birthday Brunch Friday, March 11 at 10:00 a.m. Donation \$1.00.

For more information on senior activities or transportation, laundry service or homemaker service, contact Judi Meaney, Director of Senior Services, at 241-8866.

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Scanlon Promoted To Patrolman At Bunker Hill Community College

Richard J. "Skeets" Scanlon, a life-long resident of Charlestown, has recently been promoted to patrolman in the newly formed Police Department of Bunker Hill Community Col-

Scanlon, formerly of High Street and now a resident of 62 Washington Street, is a five year veteran in the employ of the College working as parking and traffic control officer. He works under the direction of another life-long "Townie," Richard J. O'Connor, chief and director of security at BHCC.

Scanlon is a Merchant Marine veteran of World War II as well as having served during the Korean and Vietnam conflicts.



RICHARD J. SCANLON

He was a member of the National Maritime Union from 1942 to 1969, when he retired from that organization after 27 years of ser-

Scanlon is an Honorary Deputy Sheriff of Suffolk County.

St. Francis To Hold Their Annual Irish Night Dinner Dance

The 22nd Annual Saint Francis de Sales Irish Night Dinner Dance will be held on Friday, March 11 at 8:00 p.m. in Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill

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Senior Citizen Lunch Program

The Kit Clark Senior House provides lunches for Senior Citizens, Monday through Friday, under the Title III Senior Nutrition Program at the Rutherford Avenue Senior Center, 114 Rutherford Avenue.

MENU

Friday, February 26 - Seafood salad pocket, pita bread, leaf lettuce, cream of tomato soup with crackers, beets/ onion, sliced peaches.

Monday, February 29 - Meatloaf with mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, wheat bread with butter, vanilla pudding with jimmies.

Tuesday, March 1 — Chinese beef, peppers, steamed rice, peas, dinner roll with butter, fortune cookie/pineapple tidbits.

Wednesday, March 2 - Baked chicken with gravy, parsley boiled potatoes, cut green beans, corn bread with butter, cranberry sauce, chilled fruit.

Thursday, March 3 - Eggplant parmesan with meatsauce, tossed salad with dressing, crusty roll with butter, brownie.

Tax Preparation Service At BHCC

Bunker Hill Community College Accounting students are available to assist Charlestown residents with their tax preparation as part of the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) pro-

The program offers free tax form preparation and tax information to the public. Students work under the supervision of their professors. Last year, BHCC students assisted over 4,000 individuals with their taxes.

In Charlestown, the VITA program is located at the College. For further information, call 241-8600.

DID YOU KNOW . . .

The Social Security Administration publishes informational articles for distribution and re-publication in local newspapers or newsletters. The following is such an article and similar articles will be found in this column periodically.

Don't forget that a Social Security Representative is available at the Kennedy Center each Wednesday morning. He alternates weekly between the Winthrop Street office and the Senior Lounge on Bunker Hill Street. Check the Senior Lounge calendar for his schedule or call the Kennedy Center at 241-8866.

SOCIAL SECURITY NEEDS HELP IN FINDING SSI RECIPIENTS by Peter Toland Social Security Manager in Boston

The Social Security Administration could use your help. It's trying to get a message to people who are aged, blind, or disabled, but it's a difficult task. The message is: "If you're 65 or older, blind, or disabled with a limited income and resources, you may be eligible for supplemental security income (SSI) checks."

SSI is a Federal Program administered by the Social Security Administration. Its basic purpose is to assure a minimum level of income to people who are aged, blind or disabled and who have limited income and resources. In Massachusetts an individual must have a monthly income of less than \$488 and assets totalling no more than \$1,800 to qualify for SSI. These levels are naturally somewhat higher for couples.

SSI isn't just for adults, but many parents are unaware that their disabled or blind children may be eligible. SSI is for anyone who is disabled or blind with limited income and resources. It makes no difference how young a person is.

Some elderly people may be aware of the program, but are afraid to apply for fear that a lien will be placed on their home. Social Security does not put a lien on the home of anyone getting SSI.

People don't need to be completely destitute to get SSI. For example, they can own their home. In fact, under certain conditions and within certain limits, people can own other things: a car, insurance policies and personal or household goods, for instance. People also can have some income from a Social Security check or job, for example - and still may get part

Being eligible for SSI means more than just getting monthly checks. SSI recipients are often eligible for Medicaid, which can help pay health care expenses. They may be eligible for food stamps and other social services.

If you know someone who might qualify for SSI payments, do them a favor - tell them to call Social Security and ask about SSI, or call the Kennedy Center at 241-8866 and arrange an appointment with the Social Security field representative.

Denise Maher Community Advocate J.F. Kennedy Center

Scoops From The Past To The Present ... Or ... The Rest Of The Story

(continued from page 16) center stage, accepted the prize and did a perfect model's turn toward the TV camera. She hesitated just a second or two then, throwing her hair to the side, walked into the camera's last close-up. She then headed for her table which by now was giving her a standing "O." Now, that's what I call "Showbiz!" Boy, ain't that just like her mother, Bridget, "the Ashmont Queen?'

Husband Roy thought that it would make a great beer mug in a pinch, then changed the subject when Cheryl's eyes found Roy's and a short exchange of daggers left Roy speechless.

The TV camera was back at our table capturing the gaiety of the evening. The camera paused on Jack and Betty Kelly, the "Hoff Falutors" of "Shoe the Donkey" fame, which saw Betty slyly glancing into the TV camera, occasionally wetting her lips like Betty Davis used to do before lighting a cigarette and saying, "Darling." "Big Jack" stared with delight, perhaps thinking of when Betty served as an usherette during the Saturday night dances at the YMCA around the end of WW II. Jack would sneak through the fence to dance with "Betty Boop" between her coffee and donut rounds. By the way, these innocent dances eventually led to them tying the knot, or was it the chain? Well, anyway, they got hitched! Imagine, just sneaking into a dance led to so much hap-

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Phil and Rose Kelly, you remember "Hoop's" mom and dad from "Mudfidd." former "Townies," extended themselves beyond the call of duty when they agreed to take several of us to the Banquet in their Toyota wagon that had been packed in with a shoe horn as we left C-Town. Ten rather large people alighted from the wagon and as the last one got out, Phil swears the Toyota wagon let out a loud, "Sagasui Ta Si Gu," which was later translated by Phil's personal interpreter, "Arts-So," who said it screamed, "Ouch, let's scram, just think of what they'll weigh after the banquet." This is alleged to be a true story and in order to protect the innocent, we will not give out the names, unless asked!

An Olde "Townie" Remembers . . .

While at Wonderland Ballroom on a recent Sunday night with my wife Rita, Rita Sullivan of the "Isle of Innis Free" fame, and my two grandchildren, Shawna and Kelly Pelton, for an evening of entertainment with the Brendon Boyer Royal Irish Showband, we saw other "Townies" seated a few tables away. There was "Big Dan" Harrington, the official bodyguard and chaperone of the evening, "Big Marty" O'Brien, moving with the Irish music between our chatter and singing with the stars, Ed Kavanaugh, Geno O'Neill, Mike O'Donnell, Mrs. Smith and husband, as

well as the McLaughlins, Dowds, Marsdens and Shorty Donovan, blending his voice to the harmony of the band.

Then, as we were entering the promenade, we locked hands with Ruthie and Suitcase Fidler who have seen the Irish Royal Showband a few times here and in Vegas and were totally enjoying the evening! Finally, after all the pleasantries were made and the grandchildren introduced. Ruthie wanted to say how much they enjoy the Patriot stories about the town and people since they are now at Revere "By the Sea" and how they hear from time to time from old friends in Florida and other places. So, Ruthie mentioned an old "Townie" named Joe "Double-Dribbles" Kelly, whose dad owned Kelly's Pub on the corner of Concord and Bunker Hill Streets and that Joe, or "Dribbles" as he goes by, would like to hear from his old friends. Joe is now living in Jenson City, Florida and loves to read the Patriot about old friends back home, wishing he were

Joe's childhood was spent at the Boys' Club, where Nate Hurwitz ran the club basketball teams, of which Joe was a great guard and an "Awesome Dribbler." Joe sometimes missed supper to practice his dribbling

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so he could be the best. What determination! Unfortunately, there were no pro-teams in the area in those days and if there had been, who knows, maybe Joe "Dribbles" Kelly could have been C-Town's Bob Cousy. According to "Suitcase" Fidler, Joe was the first player to try a "double dribble" during a Boys' Club Championship game, creating a near riot and causing the league officials to insert the "double dribble rule" into the book of rules. So, I suppose in a way, Joe "Double Dribble" Kelly did leave a legacy for us "Townies" to remember. Just think, now there's no more "double dribbles" in professional basketball. Thanks, Joe! Joe remembers, once a "Townie," always a "Townie," right?

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Tuesday, February 16

A resident of Harvard Street reported that an individual entered his apartment with a key while the resident was asleep. The suspect fled out the front door when he awoke. The resident was advised to change the apartment lock.

Wednesday, February 18

At approximately 12:30 a.m., an 18 year old Charlestown resident was arrested on Bartlett Street when Officers Smith and Green observed him driving a stolen motor vehicle.

At approximately 3:30 a.m., an 18 year old Charlestown resident was arrested on Dunstable Street when Officers Smith and Green observed him driving a stolen motor vehicle with which the driver attempted to hit the cruiser head on. The Officers swerved to avoid a collision, then pursued the suspect vehicle, at which point the driver stopped the vehicle and tried to flee on foot. The Officers pursued on

foot and apprehended the suspect.

An automobile that was parked on Winthrop Street was vandalized by slashing the convertible roof.

A 17 year old resident was arrested by Officers Smith and Green at Sullivan and Main Street for drinking in public.

Friday, February 19

An automobile that was parked on West School Street was vandalized during the daytime by breaking the side window.

An automobile that was parked on Roland Street was vandalized during the nighttime by breaking the side window.

An automobile that was stolen from Revere was recovered at the corner of Winthrop and Warren Streets.

A female visitor was on her way to visit a resident on High Street. When she was on the second floor landing, two juveniles approached her, knocking her to the ground and fleeing with her pocketbook.

Saturday, February 20

An automobile that was parked on Walford Way was van-

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dalized by slashing the four tires.

A Burlington resident, working in the area of 500 Main Street, reported that someone forced open the rear door of his truck and stole various tools.

At approximately 2:00 p.m., Officers responded to an apartment at 82 Decatur Street where they found a 28 year old individual, who had been visiting friends, shot in the head. The victim was transported to the MGH where he was operated on to remove the bullet from his head. He was reported in stable condition.

Sunday, February 21

A stolen vehicle from Somerville was recovered on Lawrence Street.

Monday, February 22

A stolen vehicle from Winchester was recovered on West School Street.

These incidents are under investigation by the Detectives and Officers of Area A.

Residents are reminded: If you know of any drug activity in your neighborhood, call the Boston Police Hotline at 247-4697. Is is not necessary to give your name and all information will be investigated.

Monthly Police/Community Meeting

The monthly Police/Community meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 8th at 7:00 p.m. in the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street.

All are welcome to attend.

Applications Available For The Michael P. Quinn Scholarship

Applications are now available for the Annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship. The scholarship award

is for \$1,250 for the recipient's first year of college only.

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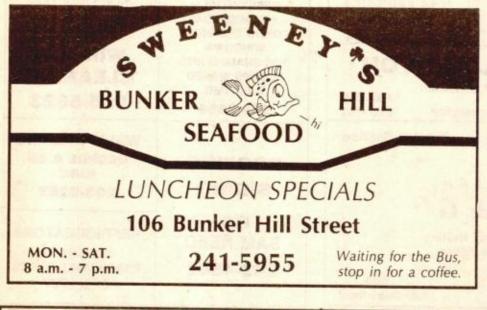
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Charlestown Preservation Society Donates \$1,000 To Headstart Fire Fund



THE CHARLESTOWN Preservation Society recently donated a check in the amount of \$1,000 to the Charlestown Headstart Fire Fund to assist in rebuilding the facility that was destroyed by fire in December. John Tobin, president of the Society, also announced that a portion of the revenue realized from

the Society's Preservation Week activities in May will be earmarked for the Fire Fund. Shown (l. to r.) Kate McDonough, executive director of the J.F. Kennedy Family Service Center, accepting the donation; Tobin; and Anne Gill, director of the Headstart Program.



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