



VOTE ON ELECTION DAY — TUESDAY, NOV. 3

Tuesday, Nov. 3 is State Election Day in Massachusetts. Every registered voter should take the few minutes necessary to cast a ballot.

If the community is to continue to have an influence on the local, state and federal levels, the support of candidates who reflect the interests and concerns of Charlestown residents is paramount — and that support can be shown on Tuesday at the ballot box.

Exercise your prerogative — vote on Tuesday, Nov. 3.

WHEN AND WHERE TO VOTE

Registered voters will be able to cast their

ballots between the hours of 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. at the following locations:

Precinct One

Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

Precinct Two

Harvard-Kent School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Precinct Three

Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

Precinct Four

Harvard-Kent School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Precinct Five

C.R. Edwards Middle School, 28 Walker St. (enter through rear schoolyard)

Precinct Six

C.R. Edwards Middle School, 28 Walker St. (enter through rear schoolyard)

Precinct Seven

Fire Station, Main and Bunker Hill streets with the voter entrance on Medford Street

THE BALLOT

Voters will cast their ballots for their choice for President and Vice President, Representative in Congress, State Senator,

State Representative, Governor's Councillor and Sheriff of Suffolk County.

In addition, five questions will appear on the ballot in Ward 2, Charlestown, requiring a Yes or No vote.

Candidates will appear on the ballot in the following order:

PRESIDENT and VICE PRESIDENT (vote for ONE)

- George Bush and Dan Quayle Republican
- William Clinton and Albert Gore Democrat

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Halloween Happenings . . .



Halloween is an adventure for youngsters as they don that special costume and walk the streets with the ghosts and goblins. Activities with the Halloween theme will take place in the town over the next few days.

- **A Spooky, Spooky Halloween**, a program featuring stories, games, songs, crafts and surprises, will be held at 3:30 p.m. today, Thursday, Oct. 29, at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- **Scary Stories** will be told tonight, Thursday, Oct. 29, at 6 p.m. in the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club library, 15 Green St.
- **Halloween Party and Haunted Hallway** will take place at 6:15 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 30 at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St. for members 6 to 12. There will be games and prizes.

- **Halloween Dance** for youngsters of all ages will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 30 at St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street.

- **Pumpkin Carving Party** is planned for noon on Saturday, Oct. 31 at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St. This is for members 6 to 12.

- **Halloween Face Painting** will be available from 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 31 at the Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St. at the cost of \$1.

- **Halloween Parade** around the Bunker Hill Monument will get underway at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 31. Youngsters of all ages are asked to meet at the Monument for this annual event, which is sponsored by the Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS).

Four Incumbents, Three New Members Elected To Neighborhood Council

Thirteen residents sought election to fill the seven at-large seats on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council for a two-year term on Oct. 24 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Five incumbents along with eight hopefuls were on the ballot in the election that drew 744 residents to the polling site.

Incumbents Peter Looney and Martin O'Brien Sr. tied for the top spot on the ticket, each with 485 votes. Looney has served as chairman of the council since the death of Chairman Dennis McLaughlin in May. O'Brien had served as an appointed member of the council during its first two years of existence, and was elected to an at-large spot two years ago.

Mel Stillman placed third in the balloting with 457 votes, the same spot he held in the 1990 elections.



CANDIDATES for the seven at-large seats on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council waited at the K. of C. until 4 p.m. for the 744 ballots to be counted and the results announced. Candidates included, front row (l. to r.) Edna Kelly, Peter Looney and Mel Stillman. Back row (l. to r.) Moe Gillen, Dan Evers, Patrick McClellan, Marty O'Brien Sr. and Bob Wallace.

The fourth and fifth spots went to Bill McCabe and Edna Kelly, respectively, in their first run for the council. McCabe, who recently retired as Commissioner of

Public Safety for the Commonwealth, garnered 425 votes. Kelly, who has been active in various community events and chairs the an-

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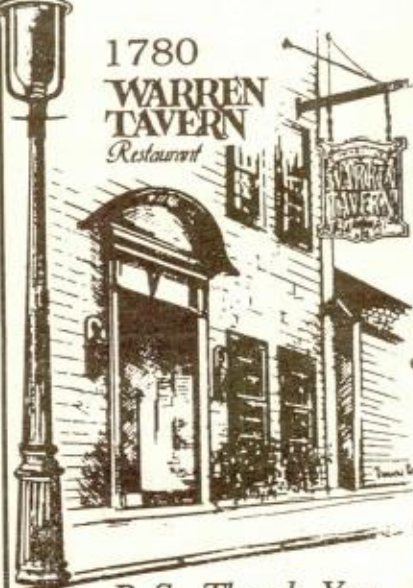
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Deadline for advertising and copy is Monday at 5 p.m.

School Options Series Continues At The Library

The School Option Series, co-sponsored by the Charlestown Branch Library and the Charlestown Association of Parents, continues tonight, Thursday, Oct. 29 at 7 p.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

The program will focus on parochial school education with guest speakers Sister Lois Lyons, princi-

pal, St. Catherine's School; Father John Stagnaro, principal, St. Francis de Sales School; and Sister Eileen Harvey, principal, St. John's School, North End. All are welcome.

The final program in the series, on Thursday, Nov. 12, will feature information on private schools.

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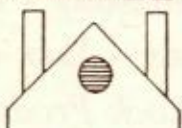


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CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, Oct. 29

- 6 p.m. — Program on transitions with Dr. Lonnie Carton, Edwards Middle School, Walker Street
- 7 p.m. — School Option Series presents Parochial School Night, sponsored by the Charlestown Branch Library and the Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS), Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 p.m. — Tufts Street Ladies Club Meeting, St. Catherine Lower Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 7 p.m. — Meeting on the new Charles River Crossing proposal, sponsored by the Mass. Highway Department, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 7 p.m. — Cub Scout and Boy Scout Registration, American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Slide Presentation: "The Four Shapes of Boston" by Boston By Foot, sponsored by the Charlestown Preservation Society, Hull Room, Building 5, Boston National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard

Friday, Oct. 30

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon — Dedication and 75th Anniversary Celebration of the Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second St., Charlestown Navy Yard
- 7 p.m. — K. of C. Halloween Costume Party, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Bunker Hill Community College Alumni Association Las Vegas Night, Holiday Inn, 30 Washington St., Somerville

Saturday, Oct. 31

- 1 p.m. — Meat Raffle to benefit the Girls Club Alumni Scholarship Fund, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, Nov. 1

- 6:30 p.m. — CH.A.M.P.: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.

Monday, Nov. 2

- 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force Board of Directors Election, Boston Housing Authority Office, 55 Bunker Hill St.
- 5 p.m. — Deadline for return of nomination papers for Precinct 6 and At-Large seats on the Kennedy Center Board of Directors, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Monthly Meeting, Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.
- 7 p.m. — Memorial Mass, St. Mary's Church, 55 Warren St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting, K. of C. VIP Room, 75 West School St.

Tuesday, Nov. 3

- 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. — Polls open for Election Day
- 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. — Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force Board of Directors Election, Boston Housing Authority Office, 55 Bunker Hill St.
- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon to 1 p.m. — Ironsides Toastmasters Meeting, Mass. General Hospital East, 7th floor auditorium, Building 149, 13th Street, Charlestown Navy Yard (use 13th Street entrance)
- 7 to 9 p.m. — Line Dancing with Frank "Zip" Campbell, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Wednesday, Nov. 4

- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 5 to 7 p.m. — Boston Police Community Relations Office Hours, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Upcoming Events

Thursday, Nov. 5

- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant
- 6:30 p.m. — Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) program for parents on "Communication With Children On Drugs And Alcohol," Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.
- 7 p.m. — Tufts Street Ladies Club Meeting, St. Catherine Lower Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 7 p.m. — Teddy Bear and Pajama Story Hour, for children 2 to 8 and their parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Friday, Nov. 6

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 8 p.m. — Karaoke Night to benefit St. Catherine's Color Guard, St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street

Saturday, Nov. 7

- 4 p.m. — Twilight Tour of USS Constitution and reception to benefit the Charlestown Christmas Walk, leaving from the Commandant's House, Boston National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard

Sunday, Nov. 8

- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 11 a.m. — Annual Veterans Day Mass, sponsored by Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 6:30 p.m. — CH.A.M.P.: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 7 p.m. — Thousand Pounds of Turkey Raffle to benefit St. Francis de Sales School, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Monday, Nov. 9

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

- 5:30 p.m. — Christmas Walk Committee Meeting, Otis & Ahearn offices, 92 Main St.

Tuesday, Nov. 10

- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. — Kennedy Center Board of Directors Election, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon — Brown Bag Bookies, an adult book discussion group, will feature **How The Garcia Girls Lost Their Accents** by Julia Alvarez, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 to 9 p.m. — Line Dancing with Frank "Zip" Campbell, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety/Police Community Relations Meeting, Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — Public Hearing on CDBG Application and the city's Five-Year Capital Plan, sponsored by the Public Facilities Department and the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Wednesday, Nov. 11

- 7 p.m. — Memorial Mass for deceased members of Court St. Jude No. 1123, CDA, followed by a meeting, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Plan Ahead

Friday, Nov. 13

- 7 p.m. — Jack The Barber Roast, sponsored by the Charlestown Youth Athletic Fund, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Nov. 14

- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — St. Mary's Annual Bazaar, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.
- 8 p.m. — Comedy Night with Tony V. to benefit the Charlestown Working Theater, Preble Room, Building 5, Charlestown Navy Yard

Friday, Dec. 4

- 8 p.m. — Installation of Officers of Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion, Post Quarters, 23 Adams St.

Saturday, Dec. 5

- 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. — St. Catherine's Christmas Bazaar, St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street
- 1 to 4 p.m. — Meat Raffle to benefit Camp Bunker Hill, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, Dec. 13

- 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. — Annual Christmas Walk

Friday, Jan. 29

- 7:30 p.m. — Life Focus Center 15th Anniversary Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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A Mystery Unfolds In Charlestown

by G.J.C.

A cold October wind blows across the almost treeless expanse . . . the rushes along the water's edge bend low, their grey fluffy heads bowing toward the muddy ground.

The water is brown and murky . . . reflecting nothing. Silence engulfs the desolate wasteland, broken only by the rumble of a distant truck.

There in the eerie fall sunlight, three objects come into view . . . twisting and turning with every gust of wind. They appear to move over the water as if an unknown presence is scouting the shoreline. They are brown in color and shaped like canoes, with the sides projecting dried weeds, tied together in a manner suggesting a thatched roof.

Peering through the rushes covering the banks of the water, the sight brings clusters of goose bumps up and down the arms . . . and a cold chill rises and falls up and down the spine. Protruding from the hollowed-out interior of each of these vessels are . . . bones!

Under the shadows of a newly constructed ramp to nowhere is found another curious sight. A circle has been cleared, measuring some 15 feet in diameter with its outline delineated by cut brush and white tiles of several shapes and sizes. In its center is a mound of brush stacked in a neat pile, appearing to be waiting for



A VESSEL, described by some as a pod, is seen through the reeds by the water's edge, casting an eerie shadow on the murky water.

the moment of ignition.

Questions come to the minds of the curious who happen upon the strange vessels and circle. Have these vessels arisen from some long-forgotten burial ground? . . . Are the bones human? . . . Are they animal sacrifices from a mysterious cult? . . . Is this a scientific experiment by students from the nearby college? . . . Are these the long-lost bones of Jimmy Hoffa?

And Now For . . . The Rest Of The Story!

This story began last weekend when a local youngster rode his bicycle down along the roadways bordering the Boston Sand & Gravel property and ended up under the ramps of the Central Artery/North Area project and alongside Miller's River.

He spotted the vessels containing the bones, which were suspended over Miller's River by wires, and

saw the circle cut out of the brush. He hurried home to relate his findings to his mother.

She and a friend investigated his story, and as they told others of the findings, the questions came fast and furious as to just what this was.

After several visits to the site and more than a few telephone calls, the truth came to light.

It seems that over the Columbus Day weekend, Reclamation Artists held an exhibit in the area along the Charles and Miller's rivers. This is the third such exhibit in as many years and this year brought over 20 artists to the area with the intention, according to their press release, of "provoking ideas about this lost half mile" of the Charles River from the Science Park dam to the North Washington Street Bridge.

Well, provoke ideas it did!

The exhibits that remained on the site this past week were the creations of two students at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston.

The creator of vessels, or as one woman called them "pods," suspended over Miller's River was Christopher Frost. He gave the organizers of the exhibit an overview of his presenta-

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THE REAL ESTATE WEEKLY



By Carolyn Sideman and Joseph Gannon III, CRS, GRI

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lestown.

Gerard was born on Oct. 7 at the Beth Israel Hospital.

His grandparents are Bob and Pat Rooney of Mt. Vernon Street and Bob and Carol Scalli of Sackville St.



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Veterans Day Mass On Nov. 8

Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion, will sponsor a Veterans Day Mass at 11 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 8 at St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker

Hill St.

A collation will follow the Mass in Bishop Lawton Hall.

All are welcome to attend.

Edwards Middle School News

• **Parents' Night** — Parents' Night is tonight, Thursday, Oct. 29 from 6 to 8 p.m., when Dr. Lonnie Carton comes to the Edwards Middle School, 28 Walker St., as a guest speaker.

Parents, please come and have Dr. Carton reassure you that it is OK to say NO to your child. She is full of common sense ideas to help parents. You have heard her on radio and seen her on TV, now come and see her live and in person.

• **Election Day Bake And Craft Sale** — An Election Day Bake and Craft Sale will be held from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 3. Staff and friends of the school are warming up their ovens to prepare homemade goodies which you may purchase after you vote.

Also, our talented students and staff are making crafts which will also be for

sale. It is a golden opportunity to serve some special dessert and to get an early start on your holiday shopping.

• **A Great Big Thanks** — to Senate President William Bulger for hosting the newly elected Student Council in his office and the Senate Chambers. He spoke to the students about leadership and was ever so patient in answering all their questions.

Students were then treated to a tour of the State House, arranged by Rep. Richard Voke. At the end of the tour, pictures were taken with Voke and Speaker of the House Charles Flaherty.

Before returning to the school, students were treated to complimentary lunch at MacDonald's, provided by our school's MacDonald's partner at Twin City Plaza.

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

• **Tuesday, Nov. 3rd is Election Day . . . GET OUT AND VOTE!**

• **The Great Prognosticator . . .** Jim Walsh, foretells the upcoming Presidential Election. Clip it out and check the results. Jim states: The Clinton ticket will carry 34 states; the Bush ticket will carry 16 states; and Perot will not carry any states. In Charlestown, 6,127 voters will turn out at the polls and will give Clinton 3,002 votes (49%), Bush 1,961 votes (32%) and Perot 1,042 votes (17%). Two percent of the electorate will not vote for any of the three . . . In Boston's 22 Wards, 75% of the registered voters will come out to cast their ballots . . . The state will see an 84% voter turnout, the highest since 1968 when 86.1% voted. Of that vote, Clinton will receive 46%, Bush 32%, Perot 21% and others, one percent. Jim says the total national vote will follow, with Clinton winning with 45% of the vote, Bush taking 37% and Perot 17%. All votes are + or - 100 . . . Good luck, Jim. We'll all be watching!

• **Best Of Luck . . .** on Election Day to native daughter Kathy (Brennan) McMenimen who is running for state Representative in Waltham . . . It's truly the year of the woman, and Kathy would bring to the House a voice of compassion, wisdom, nobility and a touch of Irish wit that is known of her by her many friends back here in Charlestown . . . Good luck, Kathy!

• **Election Day Bake Sales . . .** will take place at the Harvard-Kent School to benefit St. Catherine's Color Guard. Stop by for a cup of coffee and some pastry between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. as you vote in Precincts 2 and 4 . . . on the other side of town, the Edwards Middle School will be holding a Bake and Craft Sale from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., so voters in Precincts 5 and 6 take note and drop by.

• **Election Day Trivia . . .** To prove that YOUR vote does indeed count, look at these statistics on presidential elections: In 1884, the equivalent of less than one vote per precinct in N.Y. state would have elected James Blaine over Grover Cleveland . . . in 1916, Woodrow Wilson was re-elected by carrying one state (Calif.) by less than one percent of the vote . . . in 1960, a shift of the equivalent of one vote in every precinct in Ill. would have given Richard Nixon an additional 26 electoral votes and a victory over John F. Kennedy . . . a third candidate in this year's election could make for an interesting — and long — Election Night victory announcement . . . But whatever you do on Tuesday, get out and vote!

• **Did You Know . . .** that one of Thomas Edison's lesser known, but very important, inventions was the electric voting machine in 1869? The invention was first used in the election of 1892!

• **Wishes For Many Years . . .** of happy retirement go out to Rev. Thomas Navien of St. Francis de Sales who'll be leaving the parish on Nov. 2nd to take up residence at the Regina Cleri House, 60 Cardinal O'Connell Way, Boston . . . We're sure he'd love to hear from his many Charlestown friends.

• **Birthday Celebrants . . .** this week include Steve Giordano, who is celebrating today, the 29th . . . Everett Thompson on the 31st . . . Ryan Stillman's 6th is on Nov. 1 . . . Bill "Wonka" LaPointe on the 2nd . . . Timmy O'Connell will turn 9 and Karen Giordano reaches 18 on the 4th . . . and Fran Smith and Tom White will also be celebrating during the week . . . Have a wonderful year, each and all!

• **Special Birthday Wishes . . .** go down to Kensington, Md. where Bill Whelan will celebrate his 85th birthday on Nov. 2nd. Special greetings to you, Bill!

• **Happy Anniversary Wishes . . .** to Cookie and Steve Giordano, who are celebrating their 21st wedding anniversary today, Oct. 29th. Here's wishing you many more years of wedded bliss!

• **Celebrate Halloween . . .** at the K. of C. Costume Party, beginning at 7 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 30 at their hall, 75 West School St. An evening of fun is planned.

• **Stamp Out Hunger . . .** at the Charlestown Post Office. From now until Nov. 13, the Post Office will be the place to leave canned goods to be distributed by the Boston Food Bank to food pantries throughout Greater Boston . . . Next time you drop by to take care of your postal needs, bring a donation and drop it in the collection carton in the lobby.

• **Spend Halloween On Beacon Hill . . .** and visit the mystery and suspense locked behind those historic doors. Boston By Foot will present a 90-minute guided tour on Saturday, Oct. 31. Meet at the foot of the State House steps on Beacon Street at 5:30 p.m. The tour is \$8 for adults and \$4 for children 6 to 12. For more info, call 367-2345.

• **Booooo . . .** Saturday is Halloween! Be careful! Don't let the goblins get ya! . . . Stay safe! Watch the traffic and have Mom or Dad check all your goodies before you dive into them! . . . But most of all, have a

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

Happy Birthday
To Our
DAD
on October 29th

Love . . . Karen & Steve

Happy 17th Birthday

KELLY MONACO

Oct. 30th

Love . . .
Your Best Friend
Kellie

Happy 18th Birthday

KAREN

November 4th

Love . . .
Dad, Mom & Stevie

Happy 12th Birthday
TRACY

on October 31st

Love . . .
Ma

Happy 21st
Wedding Anniversary
Steve & Cookie

Giordano

on October 29th

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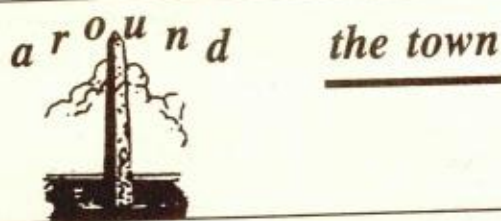


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So I will ask God to do this for me
In His own gentle way
Love you, Ma . . . **Janet**



★ Charlestown Neighborhood Council ... Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Neighborhood Council will be on Monday, Nov. 2 at 7 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. Please note change in day and location.

Public Safety Meeting

Chairman Mel Stillman has announced that there will be a brief Public Safety/Police Community Relations Meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at the Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St. This will be held prior to the city's public hearing on CDBG applications and the five-year capital improvement plan.

Rezoning Charlestown

The Planning and Zoning Committee will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 17 at 7 p.m. at the Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St., according to Chairman Tom Cunha.

The meeting will continue to focus on the use and zoning of the five parcels in the City Square area that will become available upon the completion of the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) roadway reconstruction project. Representatives from the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA), the Massachusetts Highway Department and the Division of Capital Planning and Operations will be present.

All residents, especially abutters to the City Square area, are encouraged to attend.

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

★ New Charles River Crossing Proposal

... The Massachusetts Highway Department (MHD) will be coming to Charlestown tonight, Thursday, Oct. 29, at 7 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. to present its new Charles River Crossing proposal for this portion of the Central Artery/Tunnel Project. According to MHD, the revised design is a major improvement over the original proposal — Scheme Z.

At the meeting MHD will explain the new design and solicit community input. CA/T Project staff will brief residents on the details of the revised Charles River Crossing plan and its benefits and impacts. The meeting will include a question and answer, and public comment period. Public input will focus on the revised design and any additional environmental information the community wants the MHD to provide.

The notice of project change has been submitted to the state for review in accordance with the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act. The state review process provides a 45-day public comment period, and written comments on the proposal are due by Nov. 23 at the Office of the Secretary, EOE, 100 Cambridge St., 20th Floor, Boston, Mass.

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For further information, contact Community Liaison Stephen Collins at 457-5502.

★ Rusty Water . . . The Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) Waterworks Division will be exercising main-line valves during the weeks of Nov. 2 and Nov. 9 which may affect areas of Charlestown.

The valve work is expected to cause rusty water and pressure loss can be anticipated in the neighborhoods of Perkins Street and Broadway at the Charlestown/Somerville line.

These pressure losses should be anticipated for the week and discolored water should be anticipated up to two weeks after the work is completed. According to the MWRA, rusty water does not create a health hazard.

★ Street Cleaning . . . The Boston Public Works Department advises residents that street cleaning operations in Charlestown will continue through Nov. 30. All vehicles should be removed from posted streets on assigned dates or they will be ticketed.

★ Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force Election . . . The Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force Election for members of its Board of Directors will be on Monday, Nov. 2 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and on Tuesday, Nov. 3 from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. The election will take place at the Bunker Hill Housing Development Management Office at 55 Bunker Hill St. Residents seeking election to the board for two-year terms are:

- Mary Baker, 34 McNulty Court;
- Ed Coughlin, 105 Walford Way;
- Mary Fisher, 17 Corey St.;
- Nellie Gilgunn, 161 Bunker Hill St.;
- Mary MacInnes, 57 Polk St.;
- Jan Nardone, 34 McNulty Court; and
- Terry Titcomb, 58 Decatur St.

In addition to voting, residents will be asked to complete a short questionnaire to assist the board in identifying problems within the development.

★ Deadline For Nomination Papers . . . The deadline for submitting nomination papers for residents seeking election to the Kennedy Center Board of Directors is 5 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 2. Completed nomination papers must be returned to the Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.

Nomination papers are available at the Kennedy Center for Precinct 6 and At-Large seats on the board.

The election will be from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at the Kennedy Center.

★ Street Reconstruction Update . . . Susi continues to get the streets that were started by the Mahoney Construction Co. ready for paving and sidewalks, and have actually com-

pleted all the new concrete sidewalks on Washington Street. Many loose ends and needed coordination with the city lighting department and the gas company, in particular, have somewhat hampered progress.

Susi is, however, making very good progress on Putnam and Ellwood streets as well as on Lyndeboro and Middlesex streets. These four streets should be ready for sidewalks and paving by the end of the week. Week's end may also see Susi on Monument Court getting ready for sidewalks and paving.

It was initially planned to have Chestnut and Concord streets and Nearen Row paved by now, but this was prevented by Boston Edison having to remove the old electric lights and, in some cases, dig in the street to make the electrical disconnect. This work must be done prior to paving.

It is also planned that the new gas lights will be lit before the old electric lights are removed. This will, hopefully, be coordinated and carried out next week and the paving will follow.

The present plan is to move onto Mt. Vernon Street and Avenue the week of Nov. 9 for the reconstruction of those streets, and continue paving the other open streets until completed.

On the Mead Street Stairs (40 Flights) project, the subcontractor for Middlesex Corp. has most of the reinforced concrete sidewalks waterproofed and the area partially backfilled. He is now starting to form and set reinforcing steel for the stairs themselves.

Concerns and complaints are being handled by Community Liaison Peter Looney at 722-4300 ext. 5674.

Lecture Series On Yachts At The USS Constitution Museum

The USS Constitution Museum is presenting "Yachts," a lecture series featuring four pre-eminent personalities from the yachting world. All lectures are at 7 p.m. in the museum, Boston National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard.

On Wednesday, Nov. 4, Ben Fuller will speak on the "History of Wooden Boat and Ship Building."

"Sailing the America" by this year's America's Cup winner Jerry Kirby will be featured on Tuesday, Nov. 10.

On Tuesday, Nov. 17, world renowned offshore sailor Brain Hancock will present the adventures of his trip around Cape Horn in the lecture "Rounding the Horn: A Sailor's Lament."

The series concludes on

Tuesday, Nov. 24 with "Building the Wooden Ship: The Herreshoff Tradition" by Halsey C. Herreshoff, president of the Herreshoff Maritime Museum and four-time America's cup competitor.

General admission prices are \$6 per lecture or \$20 for the series, with a \$1 discount on each lecture for museum members.

For more information, call 426-1812.

In his first term Bob Rufo redefined the job of Sheriff.



Manager Bob Rufo's responsibilities have increased from less than 300 inmates at the Charles Street Jail to 1650 now in custody.

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Four Incumbents, Three New Members Elected To Neighborhood Council

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nual Bunker Hill Day Doll Carriage Parade, received 375 votes.

Incumbent Maurice "Moe" Gillen took the sixth spot with 369 votes. He was followed closely by new member John Dillon who captured 357 votes.

The six candidates who failed to garner sufficient

votes for election were: Daniel Evers, 309 votes; incumbent Robert Wallace, 307 votes; Patrick McClellan, 274 votes; Dan O'Neil, 195 votes; Francis Rolinson, 59 votes; and Ed Rolinson, 50 votes.

The newly elected members will assume their seats on the council at the monthly meeting on Nov. 2.



PREPARING to organize the count of the 744 ballots for the seven at-large seats on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council are council members Jim Mansfield (left) and Tom Cunha (right), who served as Election Committee chairman.



'Our Massachusetts Bays Program' Subject Of Adult Discussion Group

"Our Massachusetts Bays Program: The Resource In Our Backyard" with Elizabeth McEvoy, director of outreach and education for the Massachusetts Bays Program, will be the feature of the Adult Discussion Group meeting on Friday, Oct. 30. The group will meet at 10 a.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

The Massachusetts Bays Program is a consortium of local people throughout the region working together to protect our bays and coastline. McEvoy will talk about this exciting environmental program.

Suggested books to read include *A Field Guide to the Atlantic Seashore* by Kenneth L. Gosner, *The Smithsonian Guide to Seaside Plants of the Gulf and Atlantic Coasts* by Wilbur Howard Duncan

and *Water Plants* by Dorothy Childs Hogner.

Joanne Massaro, president of the Friends of the

Charlestown Branch Library, will speak on the library's support group on Friday, Nov. 6 at 10 a.m. All are welcome.

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Over 100 Residents Hear Update On Domino Sugar Site

by G.J.C.

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council (CNC) sponsored an informational meeting on Oct. 22 to update residents on activity relative to the Charlestown Marine Park at 425 Medford St., the site of the former Domino Sugar refinery. Over 100 residents gathered in Bishop Lawton Hall at St. Francis de Sales Church — a large number considering the short notice on the meeting.

CNC members present included: Chairman Peter Looney, Tom Cunha, Jim Conway, Bob Scalli, Tom Pitts, Mel Stillman, Bob Wallace, Jim Mansfield and Moe Gillen.

Looney had scheduled the meeting to address any issues raised on the morning of Oct. 22, at a hearing requested by Jay Cashman of J.M. Cashman Inc. before the Mass. Building Code of Appeal Board to have the Stop Work Order imposed by the city of Boston on 425 Medford St. overturned. Cashman asked the board for a continuance and a new hearing was set for Thursday, Nov. 12 at 9:30 a.m.

Looney announced that the negotiations between Cashman and the city of Chelsea for a transfer facility on the property of Northeast Petroleum had "fallen through."

By their presence and questions, it was evident that residents continue to be gravely concerned as they have been since early September when they first heard of the plans of J.M. Cashman Inc., under a contract awarded by the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA), to transfer some 750,000 cubic yards of landfill from Deer Island as part of the Boston Harbor Clean-up project. The plan called for landfill to be barged into Charlestown at the Medford Street site and out over the Char-

lestown streets, which at its peak would result in some 400 truck trips each day.

Commissioner Tom McNicholas of the city's Inspectional Services Department told the residents that the Stop Work Order served to the 425 Medford St. site on Sept. 24 was still in effect as was the order to the MWRA preventing the transfer of landfill to that location from Deer Island. He stressed that his department was ready to fight Cashman at the hearing before the state's Code Appeals Board and vowed to be fully prepared on Nov. 12 if the hearing goes forward.

McNicholas praised the strength and unity of the residents, and urged them to remain focused.

Mansfield, who is the community affairs director for the Boston Transportation Department (BTD), spoke on behalf of BTD Commissioner Richard Dimino. He said that Dimino had spoken to MWRA Executive Director Douglas MacDonald that day, and several sites were being looked at by Cashman. Mansfield told the residents that there was an ongoing combined city effort to make sure Charlestown is not impacted by the transfer process.

Mansfield said that he believed Cashman and the MWRA would have to sit down and talk with community residents in the near future. He added that although no activity is going on at the site at present and the Stop Work Order is still in effect, he cautioned residents that they must be alert.

Charlie Clabaugh, assistant to Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini, stated that the process to date has been a good example of government and the people working together. He said that Travaglini,

along with Rep. Richard Voke, Sen. Thomas Birmingham and the CNC have united on this, adding, "The MWRA has heard us loud and clear, and the work is going to get a site elsewhere."

Looney stated that although people were called to notify them that the Building Code of Appeals hearing had been postponed, residents, along with Mike Sullivan from Voke's office, Ed O'Neil from Birmingham's office and Attorney John Tobin, who is representing the people of Charlestown on his own time, were present.

In addressing another area of concern at the Medford Street site, Looney said that he had heard nothing from the city's Health & Hospitals Department or the state's Department of Environmental Protection following an Oct. 9 site visit to determine the status of

the asbestos removal on the exterior of the property.

One resident suggested that since there are so many complex issues involved on this site, the CNC might consider the formation of a separate committee, including interested residents, to work on obtaining information on the asbestos problem and the hazardous materials reported on the site.

The question was raised by a resident as to why the Fore River Shipyard in Quincy, owned by MWRA, was not utilized by Cashman as a transfer facility. Cunha replied that it was his understanding that Quincy had reached the maximum number of trucks allowed under its mitigation agreement with the MWRA. In order to bring Cashman's facility to Quincy, said Cunha, the agreement would have to be opened up.

Mansfield pointed out a problem that might arise when Cashman finds another site, and that would be how he would move the landfill now stockpiled at the Domino location. He said that the community would have to make a decision on that when the time comes.

He went on to say that the MWRA is working with the community to have Cashman move out, cautioning residents "not to hit them (MWRA) now for past mistakes."

Conway noted that MacDonald has "done a 360 degree turnaround" and is now talking about being a good neighbor. He added that with the pressure by the "community and its heavy-hitting elected officials" there has been a complete change in MacDonald and in his dealings with Charlestown. He noted that the "whole community is uni-

ted and no one is off making a separate deal."

Other comments raised from the audience included keeping an eye on Trimount and Boston Sand & Gravel, who also have a lease at 425 Medford St.; covering the large piles of dirt on the site; and the status of the proposed haul road.

Cunha said that pressure has to be put on to move a haul road forward. Gillen added that the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) is the agency responsible for developing the haul road with funding for an engineering study committed from the BRA, Massport and the MWRA. He added that a haul road wouldn't help with these 400 trucks.

Tobin reported on the postponed hearing before the Building Codes Appeal Board, noting that this is an obscure state agency and he

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C.Y.O. & St. Catherine's NEWS

by Father Ron Coyne

• **CYO Ice Hockey Practice Begins** — Any boy 14 to 17 who would like to play on St. Catherine's CYO Ice Hockey Team should be at the first practice on Wednesday, Nov. 4 from 4 to 4:50 p.m. at the Charlestown Rink. The cost is \$5 per practice. Games begin in early December, and will be played on Saturday evenings. The coach is Paul Wrenn.

• **Boys Ball Hockey** — After five weeks of regular season play, the Devils are in fifth place in the Boys Ball Hockey League, although they are the highest scoring team, averaging 9.8 goals per game. They have a record of three wins and seven losses. The players are: Captain Chris Lent, Phil Jones, Bill Burke, Brian Houlihan, Mike Machado, Mark Russell, Joe Wilkins, Pat Doc, John Lillis, Joe Brennan, Joe Lawler, Ian Urquhart and Mike McGonagle.

• **CYO Basketball Registration** — Any boy or girl who is interested in playing CYO basketball for St. Catherine's is asked to sign up on Monday, Nov. 2 between 6 and 7:30 p.m. in St. Catherine's School Hall. The cost is \$15 per child, or \$25 for a family of two or more. Coaches will be present and practice times will be assigned.

Girls' divisions are: Bantam (under 13), Cadet (under 15) and Junior (under 18). Boys divisions are: Bantam (under 13), Cadet (under 15), Junior (under 18) and Intermediate (under 20). The boy or girl must be of the age appropriate to the division as of Sept. 1, 1992.

• **Children's Roller-Skating Trip** — All Charlestown children, teen-agers and adults are invited to join us for a roller-skating party to be held at Rollerworld in Saugus on Friday, Nov. 27. Busses will leave St. Catherine's Church at 3:45 p.m. and return around 7 p.m. The cost is \$5 per person which includes transportation, admission and skate rental. Tickets are now on sale at St. Catherine's Rectory, 49

Vine St.

• **CYO Convention** — The annual CYO Convention for over 1,000 teen-agers will be held at B.C. High on Sunday, Nov. 22 from 1 to 9:30 p.m. The entire day will focus on youth and their priorities and needs with speakers, workshops and discussions. Mass will be celebrated, followed by dinner and a dance. A bus will leave St. Catherine's Church at 12:30 p.m. and return at 10 p.m. The cost is \$15 per person. You may register by leaving your name and \$15 at the rectory, 49 Vine St.

• **Opportunity For Charlestown Teens To See The Pope** — Pope John Paul II will be in Denver, Colo. from Aug. 11 to 15, 1993, and there will be young people from all over the country gathering there at that time to participate in this historic event.

We would love to have Charlestown teen-agers 13 to 19 among the Boston teens who will represent the CYO.

The cost will include airfare and hotel accommodations for five nights. There will be many events and opportunities to enjoy this trip. If any teen-ager is interested, please call Father Coyne at 242-1750. We will encourage the church and the community to do their best to finance the trip.

• **Adult Confirmation Classes** — St. Catherine's will be offering Adult Confirmation Classes beginning Wednesday, Nov. 11 with four Wednesday evening classes from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the lower church. These will be open to any adult 18 year and older who is interested in becoming a Catholic or receiving First Communion or Confirmation. For more information, call Father Coyne at 242-1750.

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New Charles River Crossing Proposal

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Thursday, Oct. 29, at 7 p.m.	Knights of Columbus, 75 West School St., Charlestown
Thursday, Nov. 5, at 7 p.m.	Kennedy School, 158 Spring St., Cambridge
Tuesday, Nov. 10, at 7 p.m.	Spaulding Hospital, 125 Nashua St., Boston
Thursday, Nov. 12, at 6 p.m.	CAT Project Office, One South Station, Boston *

Project staff will present the improved design and answer questions.


To receive a copy of the Notice of Project Change, call:
Christopher Melendez at 457-5516.

If you have any questions, please call one of the following Community Liaisons:
Charlestown/North Station/Back Bay/ Beacon Hill - Stephen Collins at 457-5502
Cambridge/Somerville - Katherine Rafferty at 457-5426
North End - Joe Sgarano at 951-6114

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Over 100 Residents Hear Update On Domino Sugar Site

(continued from page 7) assumed Cashman wanted to get the city's Stop Work Order overturned with a minimum of public scrutiny.

He stated that he had filed two motions to intervene in the Cashman request before the board. He said the first was on behalf of four

residents who would "be substantially and specifically affected by the Plaintiff/Appellant's (Cashman's) activities as a result of increased truck traffic and the resulting degradation of the environment."

In the second motion filed for intervention, Tobin, on behalf of 10 residents,

stated that "allowing the Plaintiff/Appellant (Cashman) to proceed will damage the environment in that its activities will cause increased air pollution, water pollution, excessive noise and other forms of pollution and be destructive of rivers, streams and the like."

Tobin said that it is up to the discretion of the board whether the interventions will be allowed which would permit him to argue on behalf of Charlestown. He added that if the interventions are allowed and the board goes against the

city, an appeal can be filed in Superior Court.

In addition, Tobin has written a letter to Thomas Rodgers, administrator of the board, asking that the public records on the appeal by Cashman against the city be made available for review. This had been denied Tobin, and he said that if it is further denied, he would take the matter to the Attorney General's office.

Tobin said that the motions to intervene with an attorney's name on it "lets Cashman know that we are

going to give him a fight."

He suggested that residents plan to attend the Nov. 12 hearing at 9:30 a.m. in Room 1301 at One Ashburton Place, Boston.

In addition, he recommended that there be numerous affidavits from neighbors on the effect of the trucking operation on them and their environment.

LaCedra Seeks Election As Suffolk County Sheriff

On Sept. 8, Glenn Patrick LaCedra announced his candidacy for Suffolk County Sheriff to the people of Charlestown and received a great response in the primary. LaCedra asks for your support and your vote for change on Nov. 3.

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VOTE ON ELECTION DAY — TUESDAY, NOV. 3

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- Lenora Fulani and Maria Munoz
..... New Alliance Party
- John Hagelin and Mike Tompkins
..... Natural Law Party
- Lyndon LaRouche and James Bevel
..... Independent (No party)
- Andre Marrou and Nancy Lord
..... Libertarian
- Ross Perot and James Stockdale
..... Independent (No party)
- Howard Phillips and Albion Knight
..... Independent Voters Party

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

Eighth District

(Vote for ONE)

- Joseph P. Kennedy II, 73 Bigelow St., Boston, Democrat, candidate for re-election
- Alice Harriett Nakash, 22 Bates Road, Watertown, Unenrolled/Independent

GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL

Sixth District

(Vote for ONE)

- Virgil J. Aiello, 56 River St., Boston, Republican
- Dorothy A. Kelly Gay, 1 Avon St., Somerville, Democrat
- Anthony Pini, 159 Cambridge St., Cambridge, Independent, non-party

SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT

Suffolk, Essex & Middlesex District

(vote for ONE)

- Thomas F. Birmingham, 9 Nichols St., Chelsea, Democrat, candidate for re-election

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Second Suffolk District

(Precincts 2 - 7)

(Vote for ONE)

- Richard A. Voke, 61 Breakwater Drive, Chelsea, Democrat, candidate for re-election

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT

Third Suffolk District

(Precinct 1)

(vote for ONE)

- Salvatore F. DiMasi, 102 Commercial St., Boston, Democrat, candidate for re-election

SHERIFF SUFFOLK COUNTY

(vote for ONE)

- Robert C. Rufo, 36 Atkins St., Boston, Democrat, candidate for re-election
- Glenn P. LaCedra, 118 Pearl Ave., Revere, Republican

BALLOT QUESTIONS

QUESTION 1

Question 1 is an initiative petition for a law entitled "Tax on Cigarettes and Smokeless Tobacco."

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives before May 6, 1992?

Summary

This proposed law would establish a Health Protection Fund to pay for health programs relating to tobacco use, including distribution of information about tobacco use, to be financed by a new excise tax on cigarettes and smokeless tobacco. The Health Protection Fund would be used, subject to appropriation by the state Legislature, to supplement existing funding, for the following purposes: school health education programs including information about the hazards of tobacco use; smoking prevention and smok-

ing cessation programs in the workplace and community; tobacco-related public service advertising; drug education programs, support of prenatal and maternal care at community health centers which provide programs on smoking cessation and information on the harmful effects of smoking; and monitoring by the state Department of Public Health of illness and death associated with tobacco.

The proposed law would establish a new excise tax of one and one-quarter cents per cigarette (25 cents per pack of 20) and 25 percent of the wholesale price of smokeless tobacco. This excise would be in addition to the excise already imposed on cigarettes and smokeless tobacco. The new excise would be collected by the state Department of Revenue under the same procedures that apply to the existing tobacco excise.

The proposed law would direct the State Comptroller to report annually on the revenues and expenditures of the Health Protection Fund. The proposed law states that if any of its provisions were found invalid, the other provisions would remain in effect. The proposed law would go into effect on Jan. 1, 1993.

- A **yes** vote would establish an additional tax on cigarettes and smokeless tobacco and place the money raised into a new state Health Protection Fund.

- A **no** vote would not establish an additional tax on cigarettes and smokeless tobacco, or create a new state Health Protection Fund.

QUESTION 2

Question 2 is an initiative petition for a law entitled "Public Reporting of Corporate Tax Information."

Do you approve of a law summarized below on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives before May 6, 1992?

Summary

This proposed law would require certain banks, insurance companies and publicly traded corporations to file annual reports with the Massachusetts Secretary of State listing information from their state tax returns, including profit, income, corporate income tax due, deductions, exemptions and credits. These reports would be made public. This provision would apply only to those banks, insurance companies and publicly traded corporations required by federal and other Massachusetts laws to disclose information concerning their federal tax payments.

Note

Proponents and opponents of Question 2 reached a compromise after the question was put on the ballot. This compromise would be put into effect regardless of the results of the voting on the question.

QUESTION 3

Question 3 is an initiative petition for a law entitled "Requiring Reduced, Reusable or Recyclable Packaging."

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives before May 6, 1992?

Summary

This proposed law would require all pack-

aging used in Massachusetts on or after July 1, 1996 to be reduced in size, reusable, or made of materials that have been or could be recycled. The proposed law would provide for exemptions for health, safety, and other reasons and would establish penalties for violations.

Packaging would have to be either reduced in size by at least 25% every five years; or designed to be reusable at least five times, with at least 50% of such packaging actually being reused; or recycled at a 50% rate; or composed of 25% or more of recycled materials (increasing to 35% on July 1, 1999 and 50% on July 1, 2002); or composed of materials being recycled at an annual rate of 25% (increasing to 35% in 1999 and 50% in 2002). The requirements would apply to any packaging or containers used to protect, store, handle, transport, display, or sell products.

These requirements would not be applicable to tamper-resistant or tamper-evident seals; packaging for medication or medical devices; packaging merely being shipped through the state; packaging required by federal or state health or safety laws or regulations; or flexible film packaging necessary to prevent food from spoiling.

The state Department of Environmental Protection could also grant exemptions for packaging that represents an innovative approach for which additional time is needed to meet the requirements of the law; or packaging made of material that cannot be reused or recycled, and cannot be made of recycled materials, but is being composted at a significant rate; or products for which there is no complying packaging and for which compliance with the law would impose undue hardship (other than increased cost) on Massachusetts residents. A person applying for an exemption would pay a fee to be used, subject to legislative appropriation, to pay the cost of administering the proposed law.

The Department would be required to issue regulations to carry out the proposed law and would be required to investigate suspected violations. After issuing a warning, the Department could assess administrative penalties of up to \$100 for each offense and up to \$10,000 for any single shipment or single continuing act of non-compliance. The state Attorney General could also file court actions for civil penalties of up to \$500 for each offense and up to \$25,000 for any single shipment or continuing act of non-compliance, and could seek a court order requiring compliance. Each non-complying piece of packaging would be considered a separate offense or act of non-compliance.

The proposed law states that if any of its provisions were declared invalid, the other provisions would remain in effect.

- A **yes** vote would require most packaging used in Massachusetts to be reduced in size, reusable or made of recycled or recyclable materials.

- A **no** vote would not require most packaging used in Massachusetts to be reduced, reusable or made of recycled or recyclable materials.

QUESTION 4

Question 4 is an initiative petition for a law entitled "Tax on Oils and Hazardous Materials."

Do you approve of a law summarized below, on which no vote was taken by the Senate or the House of Representatives before May 6, 1992?

Summary

This proposed law would impose an excise tax on oil, toxic chemicals, and other hazardous substances, and would direct that the money raised, along with the fees paid by hazardous waste transporters and specific revenues under other state laws, be deposited in the state Environmental Challenge Fund. Money in the Fund would be used, subject to legislative appropriation, to assess and clean up sites that have been or may be contaminated by oil or hazardous materials, and to carry out and enforce the excise.

As of July 1, 1993, the excise would apply to persons, businesses, and other entities possessing 50,000 pounds or more of oil and toxic chemicals covered by the proposed law.

Toxic chemicals would be covered if classified as toxic by the federal Environmental Protection Administration (EPA) under federal law. As of July 1, 1994, substances listed as hazardous by the EPA under federal law would also become subject to the excise.

Until June 30, 1995, the excise would be two-tenths of one cent (\$0.002) per pound. In later years, the state Commissioner of Revenue would set the excise rate at a level, not to exceed two-tenths of one cent per pound, sufficient to yield \$35 million annually in 1995 dollars.

The excise would not apply to gasoline or other special engine fuels, jet fuel taxed under other state law, numbers 1 or 2 fuel oil, kerosene, animal or vegetable oil, or waste oil classified as hazardous waste under other state law. Nor would the excise apply to oils, toxic chemicals, or hazardous substances merely being shipped through Massachusetts; or contained in a consumer product intended for retail sale; or present in a mixture at a concentration of less than one percent; or present in hazardous waste being transported by a licensed hazardous waste transporter who had paid or will pay a transporter fee under state law; or for which the excise tax has already been paid under the proposed law and which have not been reprocessed or recycled since payment of the excise.

The excise also would not apply to oils, toxic chemicals, or hazardous substances that are possessed by individuals for personal, non-business purposes; or are contained in vehicles or vessels intended to be used for normal purposes; or are produced in Massachusetts as a by-product of pollution control equipment or the clean-up of hazardous materials and are handled in compliance with federal and state environmental laws. Finally, the excise would not apply to toxic chemicals or hazardous substances in a manufactured product the use of which requires a specific shape or design and which does not release toxic substances under normal use.

Under the proposed law, the excise would ordinarily be collected from the first person or business within Massachusetts to come into possession of materials subject to the tax. If that person or business had not paid the excise a later possessor could be required to pay the excise and could then recover a corresponding amount from the first possessor. The proposed law would provide credits for excises paid on materials that become ingredients in the manufacture of other materials subject to the tax, and it would provide credits for similar excises or taxes paid to other states.

Persons possessing more than 25,000 pounds of materials subject to the excise in any six-month period would be required to obtain a license from the Commissioner of Revenue. The Commissioner could issue regulations establishing record-keeping and reporting requirements for persons possessing such materials. The Commissioner would collect the excise through procedures similar to those for other state taxes and could issue regulations to implement the proposed law.

The proposed law states that if any of its provisions were declared invalid, the other provisions would remain in effect.

- A **yes** vote would establish the proposed tax on certain oils and hazardous materials and place the money raised into the state Environmental Challenge Fund.

- A **no** vote would not establish the proposed tax on certain oils and hazardous materials, or create a state Environmental Challenge Fund.

QUESTION 5

Question 5 is not binding.
Shall the representative from this district be instructed to vote in favor of legislation banning the sale, transfer and possession of handguns in the city of Boston?

Voters Please Note: This ballot question will appear in Precincts 2 through 7 only. The question will **not** be on the ballot in Precinct 1.

For questions on voting status or polling site, call the city of Boston Election Commission at 635-4635.

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Acting on public safety issues is not new to Richie. He's had guardrails installed on the Gilmore Bridge, got traffic engineers out on Rutherford Avenue, brought an ambulance to Charlestown and secured more policemen for CANA.

Senior citizens have Richie's respect. He fought for a COLA for retirees and beat back the governor's bid to make it harder to gain access to a nursing home. That's why 32 elder organizations granted Richie their 1992 "Award of Excellence."



Enhancing Charlestown has been a top priority of Richie's. In addition to securing \$4.5 million for a new park in City Square, Richie has successfully moved state officials to repair Main Street and renovate boarded up Bunker Hill Development units.

Richie's proud of Charlestown and is glad to help local residents and groups any way he can. Whether it's youth activities, community issues, senior needs or charitable endeavors, Richie is there to lend a hand.



Kids count on Richie, so he's fought for more funding for skating rink repairs, head start renovations and new educational aid for local kids.



FOR ALL OF US . . .

RICHIE VOKE

CHARLESTOWN'S REPRESENTATIVE

MGH-BHHC Honors Staff At Anniversary Ceremony

The MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center recently celebrated its 24th anniversary. The Health Center opened on Sept. 14, 1968 with a staff of 10 and has grown to a staff of 96 today. Each year the Health Center administration takes this special occasion to honor and thank the staff for its years of service. This year, 22 staff were honored.

- The recipients were:
- 20 years — Peggy Carolan, Health Center manager, and Karen Murphy-Lind, CPA, Specialties.
 - 15 years — Isabelle Carr, Specialties secretary; Michael Cauley, Ph.D., Mental Health/Social Services; and John Sheehan, RT, Radiology.

- 10 years — Barbara Penn, MD, Adult Medicine, and Alice Sullivan, WIC secretary.
- Five years — Beth Beaumont, RN, director of nursing; Virginia Harlan, LICSW, Mental Health/Social Services; Richard Huggins, Maintenance; Marin Konstadt, RNP, Mental Health/Social Services; Richard MacDougall, Laboratory; Sharon McLaughlin, RNC, Adult Medicine; Jean Prince, Ob/Gyn secretary; and Frances Taylor, Billing/Registration.
- Three years — Carol Breed, RD, WIC; Ann Marie Garceau, Secretary; Stephen Kleinman, MD, Mental Health/Social Services; Mariette Murphy, MD, Pediatrics;

Nancy Paton, MSRD, Nutrition; Maribeth Rafferty, Speech/Language secretary; and Janet Silva, Laboratory. A new feature was added this year — "Special Mention." All staff were invited to nominate a fellow staff member who had gone out of his/her way to do something extra during the past year. The following 17 staff members received Special Mention: Sandra Bock, Mary Bozzi, Michael Cauley, Claire Conlan, Marcia Cunha, Susan Cutillo, Margaret Drake, Ann Marie Garceau, Susan Houghton, Mary Marcella, Sharon McLaughlin, Carolyn Pacella, Linda Pennacchio, Maribeth Rafferty, Barbara Regan, Helen Ryan and Charles Stockbridge.



STAFF MEMBERS of the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center were honored recently at an employee recognition/24th anniversary celebration.

TOP ROW: At the left are staff members marking three years of service. Shown (l. to r.) Maribeth Rafferty, Ann Marie Garceau, Janet Silva and Carol Breed . . . In the center are Peggy Carolan (left) and Karen Murphy-Lind (right) each with 20 years of service . . . On the right,

marking 10 years of service, are Alice Sullivan (left) and Barbara Penn (right) with her daughter Carolyn.

BOTTOM ROW: At the left, Roger Sweet, MGH Community Health Associates director, and Peggy Carolan, Health Center manager, present a gift to Alice Sullivan for 10 years of service. Shown (l. to r.) Sullivan, Carolan and Sweet . . . In the center are Isabelle Carr and John Sheehan, honored for 15 years of service . . . On the top

left are five-year service recipients (l. to r.) Virginia Harlan, Sharon McLaughlin, Beth Beaumont, Jean Prince and Richard McDougall . . . At the bottom left are Special Mention recipients. Shown front row (l. to r.) Fran Taylor, Susan Houghton, Barbara Regan, Marcia Cunha, Sharon McLaughlin, Mary Bozzi and Sandra Bock. Back row (l. to r.) Beth Beaumont, Susan Cutillo, Margaret Drake and Maribeth Rafferty.

Local Students Attend College With Help From BHA Grant

Todd Fisher, Gemao Huang, Tuan Tran and Nancy King of Charlestown are among 22 Boston-area residents entering Northeastern

University who have been nominated to receive a Boston Housing Authority (BHA) Grant. The award provides full tuition to stu-

dents attending Northeastern for the 1992-93 academic year.

Students receiving BHA grants must apply to the

University, be accepted and provide proof of residency in an authority-run building.

Instituted by Northeast-

ern in 1982 as the Alice Taylor Grant Program for residents of Mission Hill Extension, the program was renamed and expanded in

1984 to include residents living in all BHA housing developments.

The number of available slots increased from five to 100, and the duration of the scholarships increased from one to five years, allowing these students to continue through to graduation.

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A Mystery Unfolds In Charlestown

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tion, with the short history lesson on which his concept was based.

Frost said that his project was "born out of the contrasting characteristics of the site; a seemingly beautiful body of water surrounded by tall natural reeds of equal quality." He went on to say that "these images are overshadowed by industry's steel overpasses and ramps, as well as engulfed by the city's skyline."

As to the river's history, Frost relates that it also reflected contrasts of nature and industry. He stated: "In 1870, nine slaughterhouses lined the Miller's River, and they disposed of the waste of 500,000 hogs into the river each year. The Mass. State Board of Health declared the river to be in the most foul and dangerous condition and seeped with more virulent forms of epidemic disease than any other territory in the state." He added that after much fighting between private businesses and the state, the river was finally filled in so as to rid it of its noxious effects.

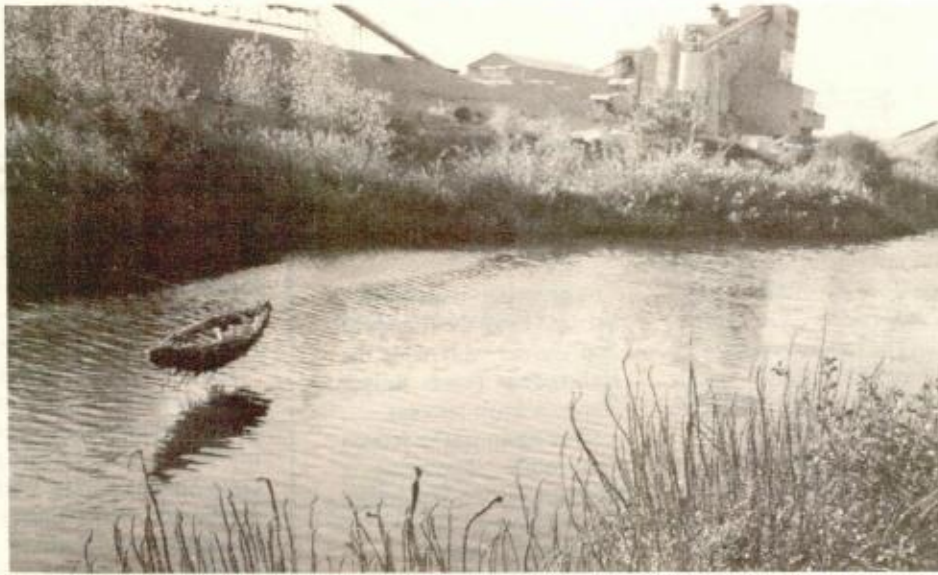
"The Miller's River Project," according to Frost, "attempts to reflect the river's senses of naturalistic beauty with its tainted past and scarred present. The reed boats represent nature through their materials, history and their quiet, justified presence while their cargo, the polluted river, and the steel cables which bind them above the water's surface, reek of industry and a gruesome part of its past."

In conclusion, Frost relates: "Through the reeds and colored maples, these silent majestic boats of ancient design meander down the brown river on some quiet journey . . . dragging behind them some diseased remnants of an industrialized society."

The bones used by Frost were found to be of plaster, sand casted in the soft dirt at the side of the river.

As for the other exhibit, the cleared circle, creator Miguel Rodriguez proposed to construct a "Ritual Space," using only materials found at the reclamation site. He states: "The space contains specific objects gathered by me and then ordered in such a way as I feel is harmonious. Some of the materials I used are bricks, stones, wood and bones . . . with the aesthetic aim to empower the site."

Thus the mystery of the suspended reed pods and the circle of brush and tile was solved. It would have probably been more exciting for some to conjure up tales of suspense on this Halloween weekend . . . Instead it was the creations of two artists, left behind to stir the imagination of a young Charlestown boy . . . and the many older folk who peered through the reeds to Miller's River and speculated on the strange visions.



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Charlestown Pop Warner Corner

The Charlestown Pop Warner Football teams played Randolph this past Sunday down at The Neck. All three teams played well against the Randolph teams which are undefeated in seven games.

The A-Team lost 36-0. The stars were Dominic Tamburello, Tim Monaco and Brian Ward.

The Charlestown C-Team lost 21-0 but the score is not indicative of what a hard-fought battle it was. Randolph scored on early fumbles, but Charlestown stuck right with them the rest of the way.

The defensive stars were Ian Burke, Jackie Kelly and Roger Parker. The offensive stars were Derek Staples, Ryan Godfrey and Russell Groggett, who was asked to play quarterback at the last minute and performed admirably.

The D-Team lost 24-0, playing a tough game despite losing its scoring machine, Eddie Kelly, who was hurt late in the second quarter. Brian McCreary

came in to relieve Kelly and played a good game at quarterback and cornerback on defense.

The stars defensively were Mike Kelly, Mike Crowley and Ryan Getherall. The offensive stars were Brian McCreary, Danny Devlin and Chris Michaels.

All teams play their final game this Sunday, Nov. 1 against Dedham. The games will be played in Charlestown, rain or shine.

Please come and enjoy a great day, watch the Char-

lestown youth and cheer them on. I promise you will have a good time.

A great big "Thank You" goes out to all the friends of Pop Warner who made the Halloween Fund Raiser Dance a huge success.

Once again you've proven that while supporting a worthy cause, a good time can be enjoyed by all.

Thanks so much!
Jack Schievink, president
Charlestown Pop Warner Football

Ice Skating Classes

Ice Skating classes will begin soon at MDC Rinks for boys and girls 5 and older and adults. Learn beginner, intermediate and advanced skills. Use figure or hockey skates. Classes are held at Cleveland Circle, Everett, Hyde Park-Dedham, Lynn, Medford-Flynn, Medford-Loconte, Milton, Newton-Brighton,

Quincy, Somerville, Waltham, West Roxbury and Weymouth.

The seven-week series is \$59 for a child and \$70 for an adult, and includes admission. For registration information, call Bay State Ice Skating School, 965-4460, Monday through Friday, from 9 to 5 p.m.

Cub Scout And Boy Scout Registration

A meeting will be held at 7 p.m. tonight, Thursday, Oct. 29, at the American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. to register boys for Charlestown Cub Pack 2 and Scout Troop 2, sponsored by Bunker Hill Post 26.

Boys and their parents

who are interested in scouting and would like to find out more about the local pack and troop, should come to the Legion Hall tonight, Oct. 29, where registration will be taking place.

CYO Ball Hockey

Standings

	W	L	T
B.H. Florist	3	0	1
Village Market	3	0	1
Bryan's Pals	3	1	0
Peg & Al's	3	1	0
Ironside Grille	3	1	0
BFI	2	2	0
Kerrigan's	2	2	0
A.A. Radiators	1	3	0
Blow Up	0	4	0
T.J.'s Kids	0	4	0

★ **Players Of The Week** ★
Oct. 17

★ **Bryan's Pals:** Shawn Doherty and Robert Collier

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• **BFI:** John Murphy and Corey Lonergan

• **A.A. Radiators:** Timmy Hickey and Brendan Doe

• **Village Market:** Michael Reid and Marc Doe

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

• **Kerrigan's:** Israel Senter and Sean Anthony

• **Ironside Grille:** Andrew Brennan and Kevin Dacey

• **Blow Up:** Roslyn Arroyo and Jennifer Buckley

• **Peg & Al's:** Ryan Vraibel and Katie Pacheco

• **T.J.'s Kids:** Danielle Lacey and Brian Hennessey

★ **Players Of The Week** ★
Oct. 24

• **Bryan's Pals:** John Grzelczyk and Tommy De-Rosa

• **BFI:** Bryan Rose and Kasey Cedorchuk

• **A.A. Radiators:** Matthew Hickey and Derek Black

• **Village Market:** Jeff Lynch and Robert Shea

• **Bunker Hill Florist:** Brian Morrison and Phillip Carr

• **Kerrigan's:** Jake Keady and Gregory Collins

• **Ironside Grille:** Catherine Burke and Bobby Hoell

• **Blow Up:** Kerry Brennan and David Crasco

• **Peg & Al's:** Brendan Vraibel and Erin Shannon

• **T.J.'s Kids:** Billy MacDermid and Jimmy Murphy

BOB D'S BEAT

by
Bob DeCristoforo

■ **Friendship League . . .** The newly formed Friendship League Citywide Street Hockey Program begins this Saturday. Charlestown Pride will join teams from West Roxbury, South Boston, Hyde Park, the North End, East Boston, Dorchester and Brighton.

After a week of tryouts, the following players were selected for the Charlestown team: Brian Houlihan, Jimmy White, Ricky Evers, Stephen Livingston, Jimmy Tallent, Chris Lent, Jimmy Yandle, Mike Burns, Greg Staples, Brian Wadman, Steve Linnane, Dom Tamburello, Shane Fisher, Brenden Sullivan, Joe Lawler and Michael Sullivan. Donnie Kelsey and Bob D. will be coaching the team.

■ **High School Notebook . . .** Madison Park shutout Charlestown 18-0. Andrew Ray had a good game for Charlestown.



ANDREW RAY

Boston Latin got back on track, defeating Acton-Boxboro 13-0.

Xaverian held off a pesky B.C. High team in the final minute for a 22-17 win.

Matignon tipped Malden Catholic 22-16, and Trinity bounced Pope John 32-0.

Townie football roots at Pope John include Eric Gould, Kevin McMaster and Ernie Fratalia. Young Paul Allen is turning some heads at Matignon. He is having an outstanding year on both the JV and freshman levels, and is even dressing for the varsity Warriors.

The Charlestown Soccer Team enters the week at 7-3-0, and is in second place in Boston North.

Weekend Watch

Friday, Oct. 30 East Boston at Charlestown

Saturday, Oct. 31 Matignon at Spellman

Lincoln-Sudbury at Boston Latin

Don Bosco at Williams

Malden Catholic at B.C. High

Lynn Tech at Pope John

■ **The Pro Line . . .** The Providence Bruins had a tough week, dropping games to Hamilton, Rochester and New Haven. They are now 2-7-0, and they will host Capitol District on Friday evening at the Civic Center.

Marlboro defeated Randolph 22-19 in the Eastern Football League championship game.

■ **College Board . . .** Maine Maritime sank UMass-Boston 26-14 in a New England Conference football game.

Boston College defeated Army 6-2 in the hockey opener, giving first-year coach Steve Cedorchuk his first win. BC travels to Alaska this weekend.

■ **Vote . . .** On Tuesday, America elects a president and vice president for the next four years. It is a very important day. Voting is a right that many people in the world don't have. On Tuesday, exercise YOUR right — VOTE!

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Roast Update . . .

by Ed Loan

As Friday, Nov. 13 quickly approaches, many of Jack's friends, young and old, are preparing for an evening which promises to be a four-star event. The Roast has been the stimulus for many to look back into his or her memory and recall how this man, in his own special way, touched their lives.

Former "Townie" star halfback Bill "Nippy" Nolan related some of his special memories of a man he refers to as his friend. With a smile on his face, Nolan sat in the living room of his Trenton Street home and seemed to stare off.

His golden memories enabled him to wander back to the late 1950s and early 1960s when sports weren't so widely broadcast on television as they are today. Instead, people rallied around local sporting events such as the 56-team Senior Park

Football League. It wasn't uncommon, Nolan related, to see from 3,000 to 4,000 people from Charlestown in the stands when the Townies played in Portland, Maine.

Although Nolan's memories of Jack are numerous, most were born in the dirt, mud and agony of football fields all over the city.

At the time, legendary Townie football teams held the undisputed title of Champion for four years straight, beginning in 1959. They were bone-crushing times when the fun was measured in yards of adhesive tape, broken bones, cuts, bruises and a few lost teeth.

Behind the Townies was their coach — Jack the Barber. Photos of the time portray Jack as an imposing figure with his soft hat and dark glasses. From frigid sidelines or in morgue-like fieldhouse boiler rooms,

the Barber could be heard barking orders at his team: "When you hit the bums, put them down for good" . . . "If you don't win, I'm cuttin' off your beer" . . . or his famous "Run — run — pass — punt."

Nippy stated: "Jack had a positive effect on so many kids in the town, and I don't think he was even aware of it."

With a deep sense of pride, Nolan recalled the 1960 season. It was the year the Townies defeated the Chippewas and moved on to the championship. One ecstatic fan was so moved by the victory that he returned to the Chippewas' home field, knocking down one of the goal posts with his car and bringing it back to Charlestown.

Shaking his head, Nolan stated: "We carried that goal post all over town and ended up the Alibi Cafe on Main Street — what a time!" Soon afterward, in a drizzling rain, the Townies took their second straight at Boston College in a close battle with the Tornados. Upon their triumphant return to Charlestown, the members of the team's motorcade found the Oily



CHARLESTOWN TOWNIES 1962-63 football team photograph. (photo courtesy of Bill "Nippy" Nolan)

ablaze with flares laid out in the shape of a giant "V."

Flipping through the yellowed pages of a 1962 *Sports Illustrated*, which featured a story on the Townies, Nolan pointed to his former comrades and began to rattle off some of their old nicknames. There was Razz Murray, Zonka Doherty, Crash McNeil, Tarts Coyman and Quey O'Donnell, who once played for the Charlestown Cardinals and, according to Nolan, "had an arm you wouldn't believe." Next there was an impressive photo of tackle

Pat "Cuddles" Considine. A tough customer at 285 pounds, Considine was considered the fastest lineman in the league. These were just a few of the names from a team of champions!

Nolan concluded that they were great memories of good times and good friends, with one in particular named "Jack."

This is only a taste of what the Roast holds in store — don't be left out! Tickets may still be purchased from the following committee members at \$25 per person, with tables

available for 10: Tom Anaratone, 242-2027; Sheila Brown, 242-2683; Buddy Coleman, 242-2063; Dennis and Stephen Collins, 242-2839; Tom Desmond, 241-8932; Kevin Gallagher, 242-7313; Peter Looney, 242-4032; Robert McGann, 242-7339; Martin O'Brien, 242-1939; Eric Philippi, 241-8185; Jack Sheehan, 337-3878; Dan Smith, 242-7420; John Tobin, 241-7222; James Walsh, 241-9429; Bill and Maureen McCabe, 242-9068; Walter "Bo" Batchelder, 233-4259; or Phil Carr, 242-1509.

News From The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club



242-1775

• HALLOWEEN PARTY & HAUNTED HALL

Our annual Halloween Party and Haunted Hallway will take place this Friday, Oct. 30, beginning at 6:15 p.m. All club members from 6 to 12 are invited. There will be plenty of games and prizes. So come on up and enjoy a little taste of Halloween.

• PUMPKIN CARVING

This Saturday, Oct. 31, at noon, we will be holding our yearly Pumpkin Carving Party. Members from 6 to 12 are welcome to come up and pick out a pumpkin. There are a limited number of pumpkins, so get here early.

• PHYSICAL EDUCATION NEWS

— *Girls Ball Hockey:* Nicole Matson scored a goal in overtime to lift the girls past Newton in a thrilling opening Girls Ball Hockey game. Matson had two goals in the victory while Kim Weafer and Courtney McLaughlin had one each.

The team continued its winning ways on Saturday as they traveled to the Dan Marr Club and defeated the Colonels 5-4. Christine Locke had two goals and an assist and her linemate, Rachel Britton, had three assists to lead the Charlestown girls toward their second win of the week. Strong goaltending by Colleen Walsh and Caitrin Houlihan was also instrumental in the victory.

• WELCOME

The Boys & Girls Club would like to welcome its two newest staff members — Dan Ryan in the teen room and Mark Boyden in the weight room. Good luck, fellas!

• EDUCATION/CULTURAL ENRICHMENT

— *Scary Stories:* Scary Stories will be told tonight, Thursday, Oct. 29 at 6 p.m. in the library.

— *Election '92:* After visits from representatives of each of the three presidential campaigns and mock debates, we have been registering club members to cast their votes for our own Presidential Election. We also have voted on a club mascot. The voters got to choose between a lizard, guinea pig, hamster, turtle and hermit crab. We'll let you know the results.

— *Field Trip To Salem:* Sign-ups will start on Nov. 3 in the library for a trip to Salem on Nov. 7.

— *Field Trip To The Museum Of Fine Arts:* This trip is for 6- to 8-year-old club members who have not been to the Museum of Fine Arts before. It will be from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 11. Sign-ups with Beth start on Tuesday, Nov. 3.

— *Needed:* People to come talk about their jobs to groups of 6- to 12-year-olds. We are planning a career forum on Friday, Nov. 13, and if you are interested in being a guest speaker to talk about your job, please call Beth at 242-1775.

• COLLEGE CLUB

The College Club meets every Tuesday and Thursday evening from 6:15 to 9 p.m. For more information, call Jack Sheehan on Tuesday or Thursday evening at 242-1775.

by Bernie "Scoop" Kelly

Officially, "Scoop" is back. Unofficially, that is, until I claim foul or have to eat crow . . . whichever comes first! Right, "Baron?"

Incidentally, time sure flies! It was three years ago that I had the pleasure of writing a sports column for the "C-Town Patriot" on the senior Matt O'Neil Hockey Club and the internationally renowned Boston Barons who performed at the C-Town (MDC) Emporium prior to the rink's majestic renovations. Its beautiful locker rooms, spectator stands and refreshment bar make it unique from other less colorful Ice Gardens, offering a fine setting for local family enjoyment.

Now, the Junior Hockey Franchise of the Matt O'Neil Hockey Club is located right here in C-Town, bringing additional prestige to our already traditional claims of producing top-notch hockey players who have met the challenges of high school, college and, ultimately, the professional hockey ranks.

The Management Team

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and savvy are the credentials carried by Eddie "Baron" Johnson. His long-standing ties as a Regional Delegate to the AHACM more than qualifies him for his role as chairman of the new franchise.

An equally talented executive director, whose skills continue to serve him in his role as president of the club is Johnny "Topper" Tibbetts. His keen insight into amateur and professional hockey assures strong leadership and less deadlock in negotiations — if push comes to shove.

The role of vice president is relegated to Conn. businessman Richard S. Purbeck, whose job will include organizing and soliciting the necessary funding to assure the organization's success.

Ingenuity and record-keeping, plus the selection of player personnel was left in the able hands of Philip E. "Colonel" Coleman, the treasurer/personnel director. His years as director and treasurer of the C-Town Youth Hockey Association ensures quality control and top enforcement in both categories. He is also a skillful negotiator in arbitration mediations.

The head coach is C-

Attention: All Charlestown Sports Fans, Semi-Pro Hockey Is Back In Town!

Town's own Richie "Max" Hart, whose early training began with the "Major" himself, Matt O'Neil Sr., who helped establish a hockey style that Hart molded into an elusive nightmare for opposing defensemen. This led to his reputation as one of the most feared players in schoolboy and college ranks.

His assistant coach, young Jim "Cagey" Collie, is another former Townie now out of Jamaica Plain. He was an outstanding high school hockey star and college standout and brings his fine sense of hockey know-how to bolster Hart's style.

The addition of Mike "GiGi" Giordano as medical trainer and Henry "Jocko" Mansfield as equipment manager solidifies and strengthens the very important aspects of keeping the players healthy as well as well-dressed and protected. This is a busy job for both!

1992-93 Hockey Season Gets Underway

The hockey season began

on Oct. 23, and will be going into its second week of play.

Charlestown players include Jim Gillen and Bill Kempton.

The schedule for the upcoming games is:

• Thursday, Oct. 29, 8 p.m., at Charlestown vs. Suffolk University Captains

• Friday, Oct. 30 and Saturday, Oct. 31, 8 p.m., at Charlestown vs. L.I. Junior Breakers

• Sunday, Nov. 1, 11 a.m., vs. Ramapo Saints AA

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SENIOR UPDATE

Names Being Accepted For Elderly Thanksgiving Dinner

The Charlestown Elderly Thanksgiving Dinner will be held on Monday, Nov. 23 between noon and 4 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

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

Names are being accepted for tickets at the following locations:

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

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

MY THANKS

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- **Quilting** — Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **Arts & Crafts** — Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **Flower Arrangements** — Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **Ceramics** — Monday and Thursday from noon to 3 p.m., contact Pat Venezia.
- **Beano** — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:30 p.m., contact Sheila Walsh.
- **Lunch** — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at noon, contact Sheila Walsh.
- **Knit & Crochet** — Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **Liquid Embroidery** — Monday from 10 a.m. to noon, contact Reed White.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SPIRIT OF BOSTON

Come aboard the **Spirit of Boston** for a Senior Holiday Party on Tuesday, Dec. 1. Tickets are \$15, and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Call Sheila for reservations.

See Sheila Walsh on the following events ...

- New Year's celebration in Sturbridge, Dec. 30 to Jan. 1. The cost is \$270, which includes five shows and six meals.
- Atlantic City Trip, Feb. 28. The cost is \$109, with a \$30 coin bonus.
- Irish Bash at the Nashua Tara Hotel, March 21 to 23. The cost is \$265, which includes a concert with the Clancy Brothers, six shows and seven meals.

BUS TO STOP & SHOP

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

HOUSING, EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE

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

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Friday, Oct. 30

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

Monday, Nov. 2

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

Tuesday, Nov. 3

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

Wednesday, Nov. 4

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

Thursday, Nov. 5

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

★ UPCOMING EVENTS ★

- **Flu Shots** — On Monday, Nov. 9 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., Flu Shots will be given out at the Senior Lounge, free of charge.
- **Blood Pressure Screening** — On Monday, Nov. 16 from 10:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., there will be a free Blood Pressure Screening at the Senior Lounge.
- **Podiatrist** — The podiatrist will be at the Senior Lounge at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 17.

★ TRIP ★

- **Christmas Light Bus Trip** — A Christmas Light bus trip will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 9, leaving at 3:30 p.m. and returning at 9 p.m. The cost is \$20, which includes dinner at the Hawthorn Country Club with a choice of broiled schrod or boneless chicken, followed by a visit to LaSalette Shrine in Attleboro.

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Dorothy Kelly Gay Seeks Citizen Input On Judicial Nominations



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Dorothy Kelly Gay, a candidate for Governor's Council from the Sixth District which includes Charlestown, has proposed opening up the confirmation procedures of the council to include citizen input and evaluation.

"The current process for selecting judges in our state is heavily weighted toward a review of a candidate's legal experience," said Gay. "The people deserve judges with outstanding legal qualifications as well as an understanding of the complexities of modern-day life," she added.

"Judges must be sensitive to people of both genders, all races, various economic backgrounds and all age

groups. They must be able to maintain a patient attitude and respectful manner for all who appear before them. Judges must be accountable to the community," continued Gay.

"We can best ensure this by establishing public hearings allowing the general public to question judicial nominees before confirmation," she declared.

The Governor's Council interviews judicial nominees selected by the governor and votes to confirm or not to confirm their appointment. Currently, candidates complete a personal data questionnaire which is considered by the Judicial Nominating Council, a 55-

tion, law practice and professional activities. The Joint Bar Committee on Judicial Appointments reviews nominations made by the governor, contacts attorneys and judges familiar with their work and ranks them "well-qualified," "qualified" or "not recommended."

Gay states that she will form an advisory council of leaders of relevant citizens' organizations and community representatives to serve

as a resource and assist her in screening judicial nominees. She says that she will question judicial nominees on their managerial talents, their ability to handle mounting caseloads, make decisions, be innovative and supervise personnel. She added that she will question them to determine the presence of biased attitudes which could be detrimental to any persons coming before them.

Gay also stated that she

would encourage the improvement of recruitment efforts for women and minorities to judgeships. She expressed her support for some type of limit on the terms of judicial appointments, and stated she would seek opportunities to express her views on matters affecting the judiciary to the governor and members of his administration, the state legislature and justices themselves.

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Charlestown Hearings On CDBG Application And Capital Plan

The city of Boston Public Facilities Department (PFD) and the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services are jointly sponsoring a public hearing to gather resident input for the development of the Fiscal Year 1994 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application and the city's five-year capital improvement plan "Rebuilding Boston" for Fiscal Years 1993-1998.

The hearing will take place on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at 7 p.m. at the Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St., Charlestown. Residents in attendance will be given an opportunity to testify as to the needs of their neighborhood and make recommendations on how city resources can best be used to improve and strengthen their community.

CDBG, an acronym for Community Development Block Grant, are federal grants, administered by PFD to support the development of affordable housing, business district and open space improvements and economic development.

The city's capital budget comes directly from city bond funds and state and federal grants. Capital funds are used for long-term improvements to the city's roadways, sidewalks,

schools, parks, community centers, police, fire and health care facilities.

This public hearing will not cover the human service or job training programs also supported by the CDBG grants. The Jobs and Community Services Division of the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation (EDIC) will be holding public hearings later this year to gather neighborhood feedback on these components of the CDBG application.

Charlestown Youngsters Invited To Enter Poster Contest

The Lions International Peace Poster Contest has been expanded to include any school child, age 11, 12 or 13, who is a resident of Charlestown.

For those young people who go to school outside of Charlestown, information

on how to enter is available at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Charlestown Lions Club winning posters will be entered into international competition with the international winner receiving \$1,500 and a trip for two to

the United Nations on International Lions Day in 1993.

The deadline for entries is Nov. 23.

For further information, contact Catherine Donovan at 242-0548 or Theresa McLaughlin at 242-2418.

Brown Bag Bookies To Meet

Brown Bag Bookies, the adult book discussion group of the Charlestown Branch Library, will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at noon at the library, 179 Main St.

The book under discussion will be **How The Garcia Girls Lost Their Accents** by Julia Alvarez. According to **Booklist**, this is the story of "four sisters and their experiences of life and love — in both the Dominican Republic where they were born and the U.S. where they now live. The Garcia girls represent an immigrant family that honors traditional ways and changed realities in a not always comfortable mix of old and new."

Participants are invited to bring their lunches, and new members are always welcome.

Children's Films

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

The features will be "Hot Hippo," the story of how an overheated hippo came to live in the water; in "Let's Give Kitty A Bath," two children attempt to bathe their wary pet cat; and a happy couple and their guests prepare for the wedding in "The Pig's Wedding."

A blind girl goes into the forest to find the foxes in "The Girl and the Foxes," shown only at 3:30 p.m.

Suggested good books to read are **Jake Baked the Cake** by Barbara G. Hennessy, **Rotten Ralph's Show and Tell** by Jack Gantos and **There's a Hippopotamus On the Roof Eating Cake** by Hazel Edwards.

Free Workshops For Women

Women in the Building Trades will be offering free introductory workshops for women who are interested in entering the building trades. The workshops will be held at 555 Amory St. in Jamaica Plain.

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71 Forest Hills Avenue Jamaica Plain, MA	Three units; All vacant

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



God, Forbid!

To The Editor:

A Draft Dodger in the White House? God, forbid!

Robert C. Hagopian
Past State Department Commander
DAV — Department of Massachusetts

My Thanks

I would like to thank my relatives, friends and neighbors for voting for me in last Saturday's Charlestown Neighborhood Council election. I appreciate your support.

Sincerely,
Mel Stillman

Thank You

My thanks to everyone who took time out from their busy schedules on Saturday to vote for all the candidates for the Charlestown Neighborhood Council. I appreciate your support.

Marty O'Brien Sr.

Thank You For Voting

I would like to thank all the Townies who took the time to vote in the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Election this past Saturday.

To the Townies who voted for me, I say thank you very much. I will always work for the good of the community to the best of my ability.

Thanks again,
Peter Looney

Clarifying Question 2

To The Editor:

As a supporter of the upcoming corporate tax reporting referendum (Question 2), I would like to take this opportunity to clarify the compromise settlement under which adherents of both sides of the issue have suspended their campaigns:

1. The legislature will enact a law requiring Massachusetts banks, insurance companies and publicly traded corporations (about 8,000 to 10,000 of the 100,000 corporations in the state) to disclose state tax payments and profits, as they are already required to do on the federal level.

2. Other information, including tax credits and deductions, will be reported on an aggregate basis by the state's Department of Revenue. The first reports of both company-specific and aggregate data will be made available to the public by Dec. 31, 1993.

3. A commission will study the Commonwealth's taxes on business and issue a report by May 31, 1993, recommending changes, if appropriate, to reform the corporate tax structure.

Question 2 will remain on the ballot and, although the

Thanks From The Halligan Club

Dear Gloria:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Grand Knight Paul Herrick and the members of Bunker Hill Council No. 62, Knights of Columbus for their generous hospitality toward the members of the Halligan Club. Your acceptance of our membership during the duration of our club's remodeling was much appreciated by each Halligan Club member.

For the membership,
Tom Donahue, treasurer

Hugs And Kisses

Hugs and Kisses to all the great people who took time out of their busy schedules on Saturday to vote for me for the Charlestown Neighborhood Council.

Thank you,
Edna Kelly

agreement holds whether it wins or loses, both sides are asking the public to vote "YES," with the understanding that their vote is an endorsement of the compromise.

Sincerely,
Katy Bennett



REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS AT CHRISTMAS

The "Townie Santa" Committee is seeking the names of needy, elderly Charlestown shut-ins 60 years of age or older who may benefit from a visit from Townie Santa at Christmas.

The committee asks that individuals and organizations submit names by **Monday, Nov. 16** to allow the selection committee time to begin its arduous task. Time is also needed to purchase the items for the boxes and to make plans for delivery on Sunday, Dec. 20.

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

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In addition to reserved seats at the Music Hall, there will be visits to Ellis

Island, the Statue of Liberty and Rockefeller Plaza. There will be time for a little Christmas shopping and browsing at Macy's, too. The Empire State Building Observatory with its view of the magnificent skyline of the city is also a feature of the trip.

Transportation, hotel accommodations, a breakfast and dinner in New York are all included in the cost.

If you are interested in taking advantage of this great opportunity to visit New York at Christmas-time, call Anne Regan at 242-1750. Reservations will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Don't be left out!

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POLICE LINE

From the desk of
Deputy Superintendent Robert E. Hayden Jr.
Area A, Boston Police Department

Monday, Oct. 19

At 10 a.m., officers responded to Charlestown District Court where they placed a 20-year-old resident under arrest for an assault on another resident which had occurred during the prior week.

During the day, a building at Monument Square was entered, and a mountain bike was stolen from the hallway.

A Chestnut Street apartment was broken into during the day, and a mountain bike and a radio were stolen.

At 4:50 p.m., officers responded to Medford and Chelsea streets on a report that automobiles were being broken into and they found three that had been broken into. Witnesses to the incident identified a 16-year-old resident as one of the individuals who had committed the breaks, and he was placed under arrest.

An automobile parked on Spice Street was broken into during the evening, and a radio was stolen.

Tuesday, Oct. 20

A building at 50 Terminal St. was broken into during the weekend, and two sprinkler systems were stolen.

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Wednesday, Oct. 21

At approximately 2 a.m., someone smashed the front window of the museum at 55 Constitution Road.

At 11 p.m., a man entered the donut shop on Cambridge Street where he reached over the counter, stole a small sum of money and fled in an automobile. A store camera captured the culprit on film, and the incident is under investigation.

Thursday, Oct. 22

A stolen automobile was recovered in the vicinity of 600 Main St., and another was recovered on Monument Street.

At 11 a.m., a resident observed two individuals having an argument on Old Landing Way when one of them turned and threatened the resident and then left.

At 7 p.m., a resident of Mead Street observed a male, about 16 years of age, who had broken into the rear of the apartment building. The suspect fled on foot.

A resident reported that someone struck his parked automobile at Main and Monument streets causing extensive damage.

Friday, Oct. 23

At 6 p.m., officers responded to an apartment on Old Landing Way where they arrested a 28-year-old resident for a family dispute.

Saturday, Oct. 24

A stolen automobile was recovered on Roland Street.

At 4 p.m., Officers Witherspoon and Tyler observed a group standing at Main and Dunstable streets. As the officers approached the group, one of the individuals became disorderly and was placed under arrest.

At 8:30 p.m., officers responded to Bunker Hill Street where they met two youths who reported that another resident, who appeared intoxicated, had chased them. An individual who fit the description was found in the area, and was brought to the police station for being drunk. The area detectives are investigating the incident.

Sunday, Oct. 25

At 12:15 a.m., officers responded to Cordis and Warren streets on the report of an individual being chased with a knife. The suspect, a 35-year-old resident, was apprehended

and placed under arrest for assault by means of a dangerous weapon.

At 1:25 a.m., Officer Klockman observed three individuals acting suspiciously at Monument and Medford streets. As the officers approached, one of the suspects, a 19-year-old resident, was found to have a packet of marijuana, and was placed under arrest. At about the same time, Officers Lee and Kelly stopped a 26-year-old South Boston resident who became disorderly, and was also placed under arrest.

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

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

Boston Police Hold Office Hours In Charlestown

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

The officer will be on hand in the first floor conference area at One Thompson Square to meet with residents or business persons on an individual basis. Office hours will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 4 from 5 to 7 p.m.

Ings Featured On Halloween Show

Charlestown resident George Ings, son of Margaret Ings, will be featured on WBZ (1030 AM) radio's "Kid Company" on Saturday, Oct. 31 at 5 p.m. in a Halloween special. Ings, a seventh grader at the Brim-

mer and May School in Chestnut Hill, will read his original story, "Tap, Tap Ahieeee," on the show.

His story was selected from over 90 entries submitted by Brimmer and May students.

McDonald's Children's Charities Donates To The Boys & Girls Clubs

McDonald's Children's Charities has made a \$13,000 contribution to the Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston to support "Activities Club." The program will add to existing athletic, recreational and academic after-school programs by affording club members an opportunity to take up new hobbies, such as photography, bird watching and magic.

Bud Walker, owner of the McDonald's at 58 Summer St., presented the donation to Melanie Marsden, Boys & Girls Clubs of America State Youth of the Year, representing the Charlestown clubhouse; Frances Moseley, Boys & Girls



A DONATION of \$13,000 from McDonald's Children's Charities was recently made by Bud Walker, owner of McDonald's at 58 Summer St., to representatives of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston. Shown (l. to r.) Melanie Marsden of Charlestown, Walker, BGCBA President and CEO Frances Moseley and a member of the Roxbury clubhouse.

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Voke Votes To Honor Veterans

"The democracy they strived to protect has not forgotten their efforts," noted Rep. Richard Voke while discussing several initiatives honoring veterans. With Veterans Day just two weeks away, Voke says his legislative efforts in moving veterans measures to adoption have been made as a fitting remembrance to veterans for their great sacrifice in serving their coun-

try. "While I, like many Americans, am honored to join in Veterans Day festivities, I am equally as pleased to show my appreciation every other day of the year for our uniformed men and women, past and present, by moving to secure important landmarks and appropriations," said Voke.

In addition to supporting increased appropriations

for the Chelsea Soldier's Home, Voke helped direct funds in the FY'93 budget to match privately raised money to build a Korean War Memorial in the Charlestown Navy Yard. Bills also approved by Voke create the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Highway along Route 114 between Lawrence and Danvers and establishes a POW Memorial in Nurses Hall at the State

House.

"Respectful and grateful to our veteran community for meeting the needs of our nation and her people, I am hopeful that the actions I have taken to recognize those efforts will continue to remind us all of the sacrifices that have been made on our behalf. Our veterans certainly deserve our continued thanks and support," concluded Voke.

McCallum Benefit On Nov. 7

A fund raiser in memory of Patrick McCallum, formerly of Charlestown, will be held from 7 to 11 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 7 at the Dante Club on Craigie Street in Somerville. The

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