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## Council Establishes Committees To Review New Navy Yard Master Plan

"I am nervous about being a conduit from the community to the BRA," stated Tom Cunha at Tuesday night's Charlestown Neighbor-

hood Council meeting, "but if we don't do it, the BRA will do what they want. As long as we hold public meetings, the town

will have a voice."

Cunha was referring to the new master plan for the Charlestown Navy Yard which had been presented

to the Council by Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) Director Stephen Coyle that afternoon in a two hour information session at the BRA's Navy

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## Ceremonies Mark Ordination And Institution Of Reverend Murdoch



THE ORDINATION to the Priesthood and the Institution of Reverend Brian Murdoch as Rector took place on Saturday, April 4 at Saint John's Episcopal Church on Devens Street. Members of the clergy, family, parishioners and residents packed the church to witness the impressive ceremonies. Shown (l. to r.) Father William Murdoch of Christ Church in Hamilton, brother of the newly ordained Priest; Helen Murdoch, their mother; and Father Brian Murdoch of Saint John's Church.

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\$166,000	contract signed	two bedroom condominium
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### Public Meeting On Schiavone Re-Use

Massport will present their plans for the re-use of the Schiavone Terminal, adjacent to the Moran Terminal on Terminal Street, at a public meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. at Charlestown High School, 254 Medford Street.

Anne Aylward, Maritime Director, will present the plan on behalf of Massport.

This meeting is being sponsored by the Charlestown Neighborhood Council and will be chaired by Moe Gillen.

The public is welcome to attend.

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### General Post Office Open Until Midnight On Wednesday, April 15

The General Main Post Office Facility at 25 Dorchester Avenue, Boston (located behind the South Station Train Terminal) will be open until midnight on Wednesday, April 15 to assist taxpayers trying to meet the income tax filing deadline.

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<p><b>WALT DISNEY'S CLASSIC</b> <b>THE ARISTOCATS</b> DAILY 12:00-1:45-3:30-5:15-6:45 <b>G</b></p>	<p><b>CITIZENS ON PATROL</b> <b>POLICE ACADEMY 4</b> DOLBY STEREO 12:45-3:05-5:10-7:40-9:50 Fri &amp; Sat 11:50 <b>PG</b></p>
<p><b>Wes Craven's</b> <b>A Nightmare ON ELM STREET 3</b> <b>Dream Warriors</b> 1:15-3:15-5:15-7:40-10:00 Fri &amp; Sat 12:00 mid. <b>R</b></p>	<p><b>Mickey Rourke</b> <b>ANGEL HEART</b> 12:30-2:00-5:15-7:40-10:00 Fri &amp; Sat 12:15 <b>R</b></p>
<p><b>KIM BASINGER BRUCE WILLIS</b> <b>Blind Date</b> <b>PG-13</b> 12:45-3:00-5:05-7:35-9:45 Fri &amp; Sat 12:00 mid.</p>	<p><b>BETTE MIDLER SHELLEY LONG</b> <b>OUTRAGEOUS FORTUNE</b> DAILY 8:20 10:15 Fri &amp; Sat 12:00 mid.</p>
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<p><b>MATTHEW BRODERICK</b> <b>PROJECT X</b> Following orders isn't the only way to become a hero. <b>STARTS FRIDAY, APRIL 17th</b> <b>PG</b></p>	

# Charlestown Community Calendar

## This Week At A Glance

### Thursday, April 9

- Magical Puppet Play for Children - 4:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- Registration for Aerobics Class - 7:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

- "Career Opportunities In Real Estate," sponsored by Century 21 Silva Realty Associates - 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. - Holiday Inn, 30 Washington Street

### Friday, April 10

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

- Charlestown Pop Warner Dance for 8 to 14 year olds - 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

### Saturday, April 11

- Start Up Day for Gardens for Charlestown - Sullivan and Hathon Squares

- Spring season of Charlestown Youth Soccer begins - 10:00 a.m. - Charlestown High School Field, Medford Street

- Charlestown Youth Hockey Children's Pizza Party - 1:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Third Annual Matty O'Neil Scholarship Dinner Dance - 6:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

### Sunday, April 12

- Charlestown Ecumenical Clergy Council presents the first segment of the film "Jesus of Nazareth" - 7:00 p.m. - St. Catherine's Church, Hayes Square

### Monday, April 13

- Charlestown Ecumenical Clergy Council presents the second segment of the film "Jesus of Nazareth" - 7:00 p.m. - First Baptist Church, 5 Monument Square

### Tuesday, April 14

- Children's Films -

## Upcoming Events

### Thursday, April 16

- Health Fair - 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - Lobby, Bunker Hill Community College

### Friday, April 17

- Adult Discussion Group and Pre-School Story Hour - 10:00 a.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- Good Friday Way of the Cross Procession, sponsored by the Ecumenical Council of Charlestown - noon - from Thompson Square

### Monday, April 20

- Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - One Thompson Square
- Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

- Performance of **Danton's Death** by Georg Buechner - 2:00 p.m. - Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill Street
- "Fresh Start" Stop Smoking Program - 10:00 a.m. to noon - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- "Townie Santa" Annual Meeting and Election of Board of Directors - 7:00 p.m. - Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street

## Plan Ahead

### Thursday, April 23

- Book Discussion Group featuring **Time And Again** by Jack Finney - 6:30 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- Meeting on Parcels R-87, R-23B and R-59 by the Development Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council - 7:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

- Charlestown Ecumenical Clergy Council presents the third segment of the film "Jesus of Nazareth" - 7:00 p.m. - St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens Street
- Meeting on the re-use by Massport of Schiavone Terminal, sponsored by the Charlestown Neighborhood Council - 7:30 p.m. - Charlestown High School, 254 Medford Street

### Wednesday, April 15

- Health Fair - 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - Lobby, Bunker Hill Community College

- Sports Spotlights with Bob Lobel - noon - Bunker Hill Community College

- Deadline for submission of names for Charlestown Neighborhood Council - 5:00 p.m. - c/o John Tobin, 1 Church Court
- Service of Evening Prayer - 6:00 p.m. - St. John's Church, 27 Devens Street

- Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. - Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square
- Free Income Tax Preparation Assistance - 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Charlestown Community Schools, 255 Medford Street

- Alzheimer's Support Group - 6:30 p.m. - Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill Street
- Fellowship and Discussion Group - 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. - First Baptist Church, 5 Monument Square

- Passion Play "Triumph and Tragedy" - 7:30 p.m. - St. Mary's Church, Warren Street

- Annual Firefighters' Mass and Communion Breakfast - 10:00 a.m. - St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street
- Rummage Sale - 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. - Constitution Co-Op Apartments, 42 Park Street

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### Sunday, April 26

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- Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. - Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square
- Fellowship and Discussion Group - Potluck at 6:30 p.m., Discussion at 7:30 p.m. - First Baptist Church, 5 Monument Square

- Program on alcohol and drug abuse featuring Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy, sponsored by the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club - 3:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street
- Dance sponsored by Camp Bunker Hill Advisory Board - 8:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Noel Henry Night Dinner Dance - 8:00 p.m. - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street

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- "Fresh Start" Stop Smoking Program - 10:00 a.m. to noon - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

- "Mega-Drawing" Dinner Dance - 8:00 p.m. - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street

- Annual Old Charlestown Schoolboys Association Dinner - 6:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

- Head Start Dance - 7:00 p.m. to midnight - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

- 85th Anniversary Banquet of the Daughters of Isabella No. 1 - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

- Fifth Annual Charlestown Rose Contest, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

- Annual Bunker Hill Day Parade - 12:30 p.m. - streets of Charlestown

- Flea Market (Rent a table \$5, call 242-1112) - 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - First Church in Charlestown, Green Street

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## Parks, Pool And Police Station Main Focus Of City's Capital Outlay

by Chris Nicastro

The rehabilitation of Charlestown parks, Clougherty pool, and temporary repairs on the Sullivan Square underpass are among the major local projects in Boston's 1987 capital planning budget.

In a meeting with the **Charlestown Patriot**, Director of the Mayor's Office of Capital Planning Mary Nee outlined the portion of the city's budget designated for Charlestown. According to Nee, the Mayor plans to follow through on his campaign pledge to improve neighborhood parks. To this end, the city plans to renovate three Charlestown playgrounds. Minor renovations will be undertaken and completed this Spring on Barry and Doherty playground and a major rehabilitation of Ryan Playground is slated to begin in October.

### Ryan Playground

Although the city is still waiting for the state legislature to approve matching funds, it has moved ahead with the design phase for the rehabilitation of this park. The following improvements are slated to begin in October and should be completed by fall: wall repair, new as-

phalt walks, a new chain link fence, rehabilitation of the infields, new spectator benches, drinking fountains, new tot lots, vehicle barrier gates and extensive landscaping. Capital Planning estimates the cost of the improvements at \$460,000.

### Barry Playground

The following improvements are scheduled to be completed this May: rehabilitation of the athletic fields, the backstop will be repaired, players' benches will be replaced, and the asphalt area adjacent to Medford Street will be removed and resod.

### Doherty Playground

The following renovations will be completed this spring: the strip along Bunker Hill Street will be resod and new benches and a horseshoe pit will be installed there. New play equipment and a sandbox will also be purchased.

### Clougherty Pool

The pool will open on schedule this year with a number of noticeable improvements. More than \$200,000 worth of renovations are planned for the pool over the next two years. The first phase of improvements, slated to be completed before the summer, includes the construc-

tion of a new sundeck, access between the main pool and the kiddie pool and an open-diving pool. Also, all of the pools will receive a fresh coat of paint. In September, electrical and mechanical repair of the pool's filtration system will begin. Once again this year, the Community Schools will operate the pool.

### Sullivan Square Over/Underpass

The State Department of Public Works has agreed to fund a temporary reconstruction project on the underpass. The city plan calls for an upgrading of the lighting system, the structural repairs on the underpass and the deck of the overpass. The project will cost \$775,000 and will be completed by the end of the year. A major rehabilitation of the structure will not take place until after the Central Artery/North Area

project is completed in 1991.

### Fire House

\$115,000 will be spent to replace the roof, boiler and upgrade the heating system for the Winthrop Street Station.

### Police Station

\$800,000 has been set aside to finance the complete interior renovation of the former Police Station in City Square. Anne Beha was recently selected to design the renovations which will begin next Spring.

Dave Williams of the Public Facilities Department said the Police Station was closed in 1981 as a cost-saving measure in response to Proposition 2½. Williams said Flynn's pledge to reopen the Charlestown Police Station and other neighborhood stations will be a boon to all of Boston's communities. "The

police will be able to respond more quickly to neighborhood situations

and in general, be more accessible to local residents," said Williams.

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### Stop Smoking With "Fresh Start"

As a follow-up to the Healthy Heart Fair, the Charlestown Branch Library at 179 Main Street, will host **Fresh Start**, a program designed to help individuals stop smoking. The program is sponsored by the Malden office of the American Cancer Society.

The meetings will take place over a two-week period. They are scheduled for Wednesday, April 22; Monday, April 27; Wednesday, April 29; and Monday, May 4 from 10:00 a.m. to noon.

To sign up, either telephone the Library at 242-

1248 or stop by in person.

### Century 21, Silva Realty Associates To Present Career Night

A special seminar, "Career Opportunities in Real Estate," will be presented at the Holiday Inn, 30 Washington Street, Somerville, tonight, Thursday evening, April 9, from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. The session is open to licensed agents as well as those potentially interested in a career in real estate sales.

The seminar, sponsored by Century 21 Silva Realty Associates, Inc., will explore the rewards of a real estate career, ingredients for success, and the typical workday of successful agents.

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### Letters to the Editor

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### "For Our Friends Fundraiser" A Tremendous Success

The "For Our Friends" committee would like to publicly thank all the people who participated in our fundraiser. As usual, when a need arises the "Townie" spirit will always prevail.

We would like to thank the families of Pat Brennan, Sheila Noonan and Lorraine Piscione Noonan for attending and supporting us in this event.

We cannot thank the Knights of Columbus organization enough, particularly Grand Knight Tommy White and Deputy Grand Knight Eddie Lynch for donating the hall and their tremendous support since the idea of a fundraiser was first conceived. We thank the bartenders that night — Billy Boyle, Jackie Dewey, Eddie Lynch, Jackie McGonagle and Tommy White. They not only donated their time to a toilsome task, they also donated their tips to our charities, which realized a profit of over \$500.

We also wish to thank Joe Considine for the tickets, Red Noonan for sponsoring the DJ, and Joseph's II of North Attleboro who gave us a fantastic price for a superb meal.

We thank the Halligan Club and Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini who each donated \$100 to our cause, to the new "Mayor of Charlestown" Jimmy Fitz who made a personal contribution and to Gloria Conway and the Patriot for the quick "non paid for" publicity.

Kudos are in order for all those who donated to our raffle: Jim Ward and Chipa Godding of Gentlemen Jim's, Patty Heelen of The Ultimate Touch, Rosie Mullane of Rosie's Sub Shop, Mike Venezia of Mama Maria's and Peg from Peg's Beauty Salon, each of whom donated gift certificates to their respective establishments. Thanks to Eileen and Leo Breen, Eddie and Alice Lynch, and Pat and Bob Harty who each donated a \$25 gift certificate to the Hilltop; to Bea Moynihan, instructor of ceramic classes at the Kent School who donated a beautiful electrified ceramic village scene, which played music to boot; to Ellen Haley, Kim and Dineen Davis, Linda Lacey of 5 L Catering, Colleen, Tom-

Dear Editor:

I would like to thank my relatives and friends for being so kind to me during my recent hospitalization after an operation and now during my recuperation. And a special thank you for all the cards, flowers and gifts. They are most appreciated.

Sincerely,  
Dolly Ferreira

### Thank You

### Our Thanks

On behalf of my sisters, Mary and Edith, and my family, we would like to thank our neighbors and friends in Revere and Charlestown for the kindness and words of comfort all of you gave to us during those hard days of my mother's wake and funeral. She will be missed by all of us. I'm sure she is happy in heaven watching over us.

God love you all,  
Margie O'Halloran

### Thank You All

I want to take this opportunity to thank all the people that sent me get well cards, Mass cards, fruit baskets, flowers, cookies and candies during my recent operation. I simply can't answer all of the cards, but this is my way to say thanks.

In the last six months, I have had two major operations, and I can assure you that it hasn't been easy. First, it was my throat operation, and then the removal of a disk and three spurs. All my life, I have never had an operation, but in the past six months, I sure have had my share.

I also thank the wonderful doctors, nurses and employees of the Beth Israel and the Carney Hospitals for the wonderful work they performed on me and all I can say is God bless them.

I am back to work now and again I fooled all my enemies. I had a lot of time to think and I can assure you that I will get right down to work and report to the people of this city as to just what is going on with the taxpayers' money.

Thank you all again from the bottom of a very grateful heart. There are an awful lot of good people out there, especially in this sick society.

Albert L. "Dapper" O'Neil  
Boston City Councillor At-Large

### Open Letter To Tom And Eddie

The Honorable Grand Knight - Thomas White  
The Honorable Deputy Grand Knight - Edward Lynch  
Knights of Columbus Council 62  
75 West School Street  
Charlestown, MA 02129

Dear Tom and Eddie;

The "For Our Friends" committee would personally like to thank you for all your help and support during and before our recent fundraiser.

It was mainly due to people like yourself, that we were able to surpass our goal of \$1000 to each charity. In actuality, we have sent a check to each charity in the amount of \$1,229.23.

We can not express fully in words our tremendous appreciation to you and the Knights of Columbus organization and your members who gave so much of themselves for our cause. Please be assured that if ever you need our help or support in any of your endeavors, we would be more than happy to help in any way we can.

I have sent the Patriot an article to be published to thank you all publicly.

I am extremely proud of that "Townie Spirit" that prevails whenever someone is in need!

I hope you and your brother members who contributed in any way to our benefit will share in the satisfaction of knowing that their efforts may sustain a life, give a victim of these diseases a qualitative life or maybe even that unthought of miracle . . . a cure.

Again we thank you.

Sincerely,  
"For Our Friends" Committee

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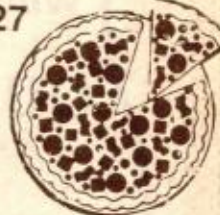
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### Main Street Construction Update

by Kathy Giordano

The weather this past week has caused delays in the reconstruction work being done along Main Street. Traffic has been switched to the opposite of the roadway and work on the water main connections at Baldwin, Armory, Mead and Oak Streets have been completed. Fred Gibson, Project Manager for the State Department of Public Works, stated that the residents of that area should not have any further problems with water shut downs.

A crew has been kept constantly busy trying to maintain the surface of the roadway, patching pot holes on a daily basis.

Motorists are urged to be aware of the traffic flow changes. Residents are reminded not to park along the construction route. Cars will be towed from posted areas.

### Councillor Travaglini Tours The Main Street Construction Site

On Monday morning, April 6, Boston City Councillor Robert E. Travaglini toured the Main Street roadway construction site with Charlestown residents Gerry Benoit and Jake Getchell.

After viewing the situation on Main Street and the side streets leading into it, the Councillor along with Benoit and Getchell met with Fred Gibson, the State's Project Manager for the site. Concerns discussed at this meeting included traffic management, police details, posting of signs, and notification of the community of all aspects of the construction affecting it. All concerns are being addressed by Gibson with po-

lice detail support provided by Boston Police Deputy Superintendent Ronald Conway.

Councillor Travaglini stated that "because of the scope of the project and the fact that Main Street is one of Charlestown's busiest streets, some inconvenience to residents has to be expected. However, Gibson, Deputy Conway and I are committed to minimizing the potentially negative impacts of the project by working together as closely as we can.

If you have any questions or concerns about the Main Street project, the Councillor asks that you call his office at 725-3200.

### Charlestown Historical Society To Present Slide Show

The Charlestown Historical Society invites residents and all interested persons to a program on old Charlestown. This event will be held on Thursday evening, April 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the Hull Room, Building Five, in the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Featured will be a slide presentation on "Old Charlestown" by Robert Bayard Severy. Severy has photographed this community for many years and will share many fascinating

anecdotes along with the views of Charlestown.

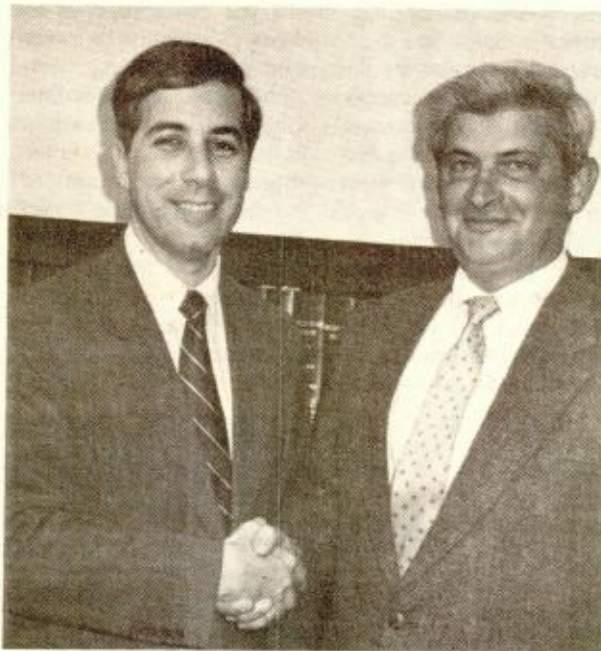
All are welcome to attend and admission is free.

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## Sheriff Rufo Appoints Brassil As Special Sheriff

Sheriff Bob Rufo has named Superintendent John M. Brassil of Charlestown as his new Special Sheriff. Rufo joined the Sheriff's Department in 1963, and has worked for five Sheriffs.



SHERIFF Bob Rufo (left) recently appointed John M. Brassil (right) of Charlestown as Special Sheriff.

This is the position Sheriff Rufo himself held under former Sheriff Dennis Kearney. It is second-in-command to the Sheriff and carries the authority of the Sheriff when the Sheriff is out of the County.

Superintendent Brassil brings 24 years of experi-

ence to this position. He joined the Sheriff's Department in 1963, and has worked for five Sheriffs.

Former Sheriff Kearney promoted him to Superintendent in May 1977, a position he continues to hold as well as his new position of Special Sheriff.

The Superintendent is the third of fourteen children born to Thomas and Margaret Brassil. His grand-

father, Thomas Brassil, worked in the old Charlestown prison, and his father was brought up on the old Charlestown Prison grounds. Superintendent Brassil still lives in Charlestown with his wife, Marilyn and his three children, Tom, John Jr. and Lyn.

In addition to Brassil, the Sheriff has appointed Paul McGill to the position of General Counsel and Thomas Yotts as Director of Administrative Services.

### Don't Be Left Out!

There are just a couple of tickets remaining to be purchased for the "Mega-Drawing" to benefit Saint Francis de Sales Parish. This event, to be held on Friday, May 8 at Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill Street, will feature a dinner, dancing and a chance at a \$5,000 drawing.

Tickets are priced at \$125 per couple and may be purchased by calling Gerry Benoit at 241-8115.

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## “Charlestown Healthy Heart Week” Continues Through Friday

“Charlestown Healthy Heart Week,” is a community-wide response to this neighborhood’s Number One health problem: heart disease. The event continues through April 10.

Heart disease is a great concern in many of Boston’s neighborhoods. But Charlestown has the unfortunate distinction of having the highest rate of deaths due to the disease in the City of Boston, according to a recent study.

Healthy Heart Week events were designed to encourage Charlestown residents to change their lifestyles to help themselves to healthier hearts. Free blood pressure screenings are being held through Friday, April 10. A full day of events took place on Wednesday, April 8, including heart healthy food demonstrations at Johnnie’s Foodmaster Supermarket. A “Walk For Heart Health” was conducted by the National Park Service through Charlestown to emphasize the role of exercise in maintaining a healthy heart. In addition, school-based education programs, free exhibits, and health infor-

mation are being offered throughout the town.

The event is being sponsored by the Cardiac Health Enhancement Advisory Board of the Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH)-Bunker Hill Health Center, a group composed of community residents, Charlestown-based agencies, and businesses, civic, political leaders, and the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center. The mission is to develop programs to educate the community about the risks of heart disease.

Healthy Heart Week is the culmination of a project undertaken nearly three years ago at the request of Charlestown Representative Richard A. Voke. Concerned about the seemingly excessive number of deaths from heart disease, cancer, and stroke in Charlestown, he asked the Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) to conduct a retrospective analysis of deaths due to those three diseases.

The study, supported by the DPH and the Boston Department of Health and Hospitals, revealed that Charlestown did indeed

have excessive rates of the three diseases compared to other Boston neighborhoods and led the city in deaths due to heart disease. The report stated that Charlestown’s males had a 38 percent excess and its females a 63 percent excess in deaths from heart disease when compared to Boston as a whole. South Boston showed a similar, though less striking pattern.

In response to the findings, Roger H. Sweet, M.D., Director of MGH Community Health Associates, and Margaret Caro-

lan, Manager of the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center, presented the problem to the staff at the Health Center.

“The consensus was to work aggressively with community leaders, businesses and others within Charlestown to develop a community-wide and community-run program to combat heart disease,” said Dr. Sweet. “Although family history and environmental factors contribute to heart disease as well, we felt that a program emphasizing life-style changes

could make a significant impact in reducing the large number of deaths in this community.”

Healthy Heart Week is

the first of what the organizers hope will be a continuing community effort designed to educate residents about health issues.



KAREN MURPHY LIND checks the blood pressure of Charlestown resident Tina Calabrese during a visit to the Healthy Heart Van. Residents still have the opportunity to take advantage of the screening and health counseling available at various sites in the community through Friday.



TEAMSTERS UNION 25 provided the van that is being used this week to provide health screening and blood pressure testing in various areas of the community. Shown (l. to r.) are Roy Herrick from Teamsters Union 25 and Clara Mahoney from the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center who manned the van this past Monday.



CLARA MAHONEY welcomed Frank Talbot to the Healthy Heart Van, completing a health profile to better counsel participants in the community effort to decrease the risk of heart disease.



RESIDENTS took advantage of the “Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart” Van visit to Warren Street on Monday morning. Shown (l. to r.) Eileen Buckley, Nutritionist from the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center; Tina Calabrese; Frank Talbot; and Karen Murphy Lind, Float Ambulatory Care Assistant from the Center.



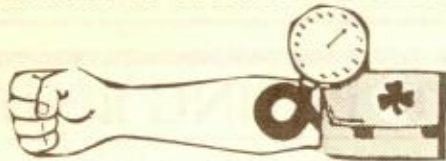
SARAH SANTOS was the first resident to take advantage of the services provided on the Healthy Heart Van during this week that focuses on preventing heart disease. Her blood pressure is being taken by Karen Murphy Lind from the Bunker Hill Health Center.

### Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart



by Dr. Charles Weiss, Chief, Internal Medicine  
Bunker Hill Health Center, for the  
Community Advisory Board  
On Cardiac Health Enhancement

TAKE CARE OF YOUR BLOOD PRESSURE



#### What is Blood Pressure?

Blood pressure is the amount of force or push that is required to circulate the blood through your body. The force for the required circulation comes from the heart as it “beats” or contracts.

#### What The Numbers Mean?

A blood pressure reading is made up of two numbers. The first number (systolic pressure), always the higher reading, measures the pressure as the heart contracts and the blood is pushed from the heart into the blood vessels. The second number (diastolic pressure), referred to as the lower pressure, measures the pressure of the blood against the vessel walls when the heart is relaxed, between beats.

#### What’s Normal?

The range of normal blood pressure readings is approximately 90/60 to 139/89. Blood pressure fluctuates constantly and can change significantly from one reading to the next. It is when the individual’s blood pressure readings are consistently above 139/89 after several periodic measures that the blood pressure is known as hypertension. Detection and control of high blood pressure can prevent long term complications that can seriously affect your health.

#### Why Treat High Blood Pressure?

Over time, uncontrolled high blood pressure can damage your heart, kidneys and brain. The possibility of stroke (a blockage of the blood supply to a part of the brain which results in the death of brain cells) is increased if you have high blood pressure. Damage resulting from high blood pressure can be prevented or reduced if it’s discovered and treated early — and if treatment is continued for the rest of your life. The only way to know if your blood pressure is high is to have it checked at least once a year by a doctor.

Have your blood pressure checked free of charge during “Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart” Week from now through April 10. Check the schedule and visit the Healthy Heart Van when it comes to your neighborhood.

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#### FRIDAY, APRIL 10

9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. — Donut Maker, Cambridge Street  
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## Multi-Media Production Of "Danton's Death" To Open April 23

On Thursday, April 23, the Charlestown Working Theater will open its multi-media production of "Danton's Death" by Georg Buechner. Performance art, poetry readings, street performances and illustrated lectures will be used to portray the last days of Georges Danton, the great ex-hero of the French Revolution, and to dramatically involve the audience in the philosophical problems raised by revolution.

The setting of the play is Paris in the spring of 1793, during the French Revolu-

tion. Robespierre, the ascetic and tormented leader of the revolutionary government, sees no other way of assuring the lasting success of the Revolution but to get rid of his parliamentary opponents. In the course of less than two weeks, the leaders of both the popular Left and the moderate Right are arrested, tried, and guillotined.

Danton has been one of the Revolution's heroes. An unforgettably ugly man of enormous strength and commanding presence, he

is also a comfort-loving bourgeois, fond of domestic peace and the pleasure of a cafe. He thinks the Revolution has gone far enough; he wants to retire. From the great leader of the Parisian poor he has become the mainstay of the moderates.

Unfortunately, his retirement does not come about as he envisions. Moderation is now considered an impediment to progress, and the Revolution's ex-hero is condemned to share the fate of his own former victims. Caught in the tide of History, Danton and his friends travel back through a Hell of their own creation, slowly ground up by a legal machinery which they themselves have established.

"Danton's Death" will be directed by Malgosia Askanas, who has been responsible for directing

Boston premieres of "Elias Cannetti" and "Yukio Mishima."

The Charlestown Working Theater was a participant in this year's United Airlines Royal Pacific Cultural Exchange between Boston and Melbourne, Australia. Last year, CWT received the "Best of Boston" award from *Boston Magazine* for the Best Theatrical Production, and also a Boston Theatre Critics Circle Award.

"Danton's Death" will run for five weeks, from April 23 through May 23. Performances are Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights at 8:00 p.m., and Sunday afternoons at 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 with a \$2 discount for students and seniors. The theater is located at 442 Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.

For reservations, please call 242-3534.

## Navy Amphibious Ship To Visit Charlestown

The amphibious warfare ship **USS Harlan County** (LST 1196) will be open for general visiting from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., April 11 through 15 behind the **USS Constitution** at Pier One, Charlestown Navy Yard, Boston National Historical Park.

The **Harlan County** is a Newport Class tank landing ship. Its main mission is to transport 400 United States Marines and up to 500 tons of supplies, tanks and other heavy vehicles from shore to shore. It can do so without the use of a pier or docking equipment.

The ship's bow splits in the middle allowing vehicles to drive off the ship on a 112-foot ramp right to the shore. Equipment can also be on- or off- loaded by small landing craft through the ship's stern gate. The 522-foot long **Harlan County** is homeported in Little Creek, Virginia with a crew of 18 officers and 272 enlisted men.

The 15-year-old vessel has been involved in numerous operations since its commissioning. The **Harlan County's** most recent operational deployment was to the West African Coast in 1986. **USS Harlan County's** participation in the West African Training Cruise (WATC) included training African navies and delivering \$73,000 of charitable materials including medicine and clothing to impoverished African nations.

The ship's commanding officer, Commander John

E. O'Neil, Jr. is a native of Leominster and is a graduate of Springhill College, Mobile, Alabama. His father John E. O'Neil, Sr. is a retired United States Navy Captain.

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## Construction Of Detour Structure Set To Start On Central Artery/North Area Road Project

by Chris Nicastro

After years of planning and public discussion, the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) reconstruction project is scheduled to begin this month, with the construction of a temporary detour running from the Tobin Bridge to the Central Artery high-level bridge.

According to project engineer Fran Bruno, the long heralded \$3 billion

depression of the Central Artery will have little impact on the construction and time schedule for the CANA project.

"The design schedules have been coordinated and the impact will be minimal," said Bruno. "Our design plan is completely compatible with the depression of the Central Artery."

The only portion of the project that will be affected, he said, is the construction of the loop ramps over Boston Sand and Gravel. These ramps, which will run from City Square, through Boston Sand and Gravel and onto Route I-93, will have to be cut tighter to account for changes on I-93 into Boston to ease the depression of the Central Artery in Boston.

Route I-93 in Charlestown, currently double-decked, will be widened allowing for two roadways running side-by-side at a single level. According to Bruno, this modification should be finalized within four years, giving the loop ramp contractors ample time to meet their completion dates.

In other CANA news, the DeMatteo Construction Company, the contractor of the temporary detour structure, has proposed closing the Route I-93 South to Route I North to the Tobin Bridge and the Water-Chelsea Streets off ramps during construction. According to the Department of Public Works (DPW), these closings have been postponed because of the heavy rains.

Speaking out at last week's CANA community meeting, several residents said they feared these closings would effectively cut Charlestown off from Bos-

ton and the surrounding communities. "I have trouble giving clients directions to my office now," said one woman who owns a business in Charlestown. "Once these ramps are closed it's going to be next to impossible."

Residents were also upset at the seeming lack of publicity surrounding the kick-off of this \$228 million project. Speaking on behalf of the North Area Task Force, a neighborhood organization formed to provide community input into the construction project, Ken Stone blasted the DPW for failing to follow through on promises made to the group months earlier.

"Months ago, I heard all sorts of analogies between the Southeast Expressway project and this one," said Stone. "I remember very big PR campaigns and all kinds of media which really informed people to stay off the Expressway. We don't have anything like this. We're talking two or three weeks and I don't see anything in the papers."

Finally, after months of negotiations and lobbying back and forth, the DPW has agreed to setup a 72-space parking lot opposite Gate One of the Navy Yard. The Federal Highway Administration has stipulated that those 72 spaces be included in the final designs before federal funds are granted. The DPW said

that the Gate One parking area will be used only until a more agreeable location can be found.

### Questions And Answers On The Central Artery/North Area Project

Whenever the city or the state plans a construction project, questions arise. When the project costs over \$200 million and is scheduled to last for at least five years, the answers to these questions can often be longer and more confusing than the questions themselves. In order to clarify some of the confusion surrounding the Central Artery North Area Construction Project, the **Charlestown Patriot**, in conjunction with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works, is publishing a two-part CANA "Question and Answer" series.

**Q. Why is this project being undertaken in the first place?**

**A.** The primary purpose of the Central Artery North Area (CANA) project is twofold — to improve safety and traffic flow. The current I-93/Route 1/Storrow Drive/Central Artery interchange area is a section of highway that forces drivers to make critical decisions in a very tight, congested area (650 feet to make lane changes). This section of highway has the highest accident rate in Massachusetts. In addition, the approach to the Tobin Memorial Bridge is on a hazardous "S" curve, a location which has the third highest accident rate in Massachusetts.

**Q. When will construction on the detour start?**

**A.** Construction of the temporary detour structure will start in April, 1987.

**Q. When does the new detour go into effect?**

**A.** Traffic will begin to use the temporary detour by May 31, 1988, as stipulated in the contract.

**Q. When will the YMCA demolition begin?**

**A.** Demolition of the YMCA will begin in the summer of 1987.

**Q. When will the project be completed?**

**A.** The entire CANA project is scheduled for completion by the summer of 1991.

**Q. What are the construction hours going to be?**

**A.** In conformance with City of Boston regulations, the contract stipulates that work can take place only between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m. No work can be done on holidays, weekends, or nighttime hours. Also, all equipment must be removed from the work area after these hours.

**Q. Will traffic increase because of the construction?**

**A.** Traffic in the City Square area will increase somewhat, primarily because of the elimination of the overhead ramps between I-93 and Route 1. Traffic on the ramp from I-93 to Route 1 at present amounts to 10,000-plus vehicles on an average weekday, of which about one-third are destined for downtown Boston via the Navy Yard off-ramps, Chelsea Street, and the Charlestown Bridge, thus reducing traffic on Chelsea Street. The remainder of the traffic on the ramp from I-93 to Route 1 is headed to the Tobin Bridge. Although some of this remaining traffic will use the Route 99 and 16 detour route, much of it will go through City Square via Rutherford Avenue southbound and Front Street to the Tobin Bridge. Since this route is not within the Charlestown community, the neighborhood impact of this added surface traffic should be negligible.

Traffic from the Tobin Bridge to I-93 at this time represents about 8,000 vehicles per day. As with traffic on the other I-93 southbound-Route 1 north ramp, about one-third of the total is vehicles traveling between downtown Boston and I-93. At present, this traffic travels via the Charlestown Bridge, Park Street, and the Park Street on-ramp to I-93. During construction, this traffic will be re-routed directly up Rutherford Avenue to reach I-93 north of Sullivan Square. This traffic re-routing will reduce the number of vehicles in the Charlestown community, particularly on Park Street. Of the remaining two-thirds of the total traffic now using the ramp from Route 1 to I-93, a portion will use the Route 16-Route 99 detour route. The rest of the drivers will traverse the City square area via Henley Street and the one-block section of Main Street between Henley Street and City Square.

**Q. If I have complaints or questions about the construction project, to whom would I talk?**

**A.** The Department has set up a "hotline" number for questions, comments, and/or complaints. Department Community Liaison person for this project is David Flanagan. He is responsible for following through about concerns and/or complaints received. He may be reached at 973-7500.

**Q. Will police be assigned to monitor traffic?**

**A.** Police will be stationed at critical points along the posted detour route as well as at other areas if deemed necessary, in order to keep traffic moving smoothly.

**Q. Will there be access for emergency vehicles, such as ambulances, police and fire trucks?**

**A.** The Department has been working with the City of Boston, Massport, and the State Police and is developing a plan to ensure priority access for emergency vehicles traveling through City Square and on the Expressway system (for example, a designated lane on the Tobin Memorial Bridge will be cleared to allow an emergency vehicle to get through).

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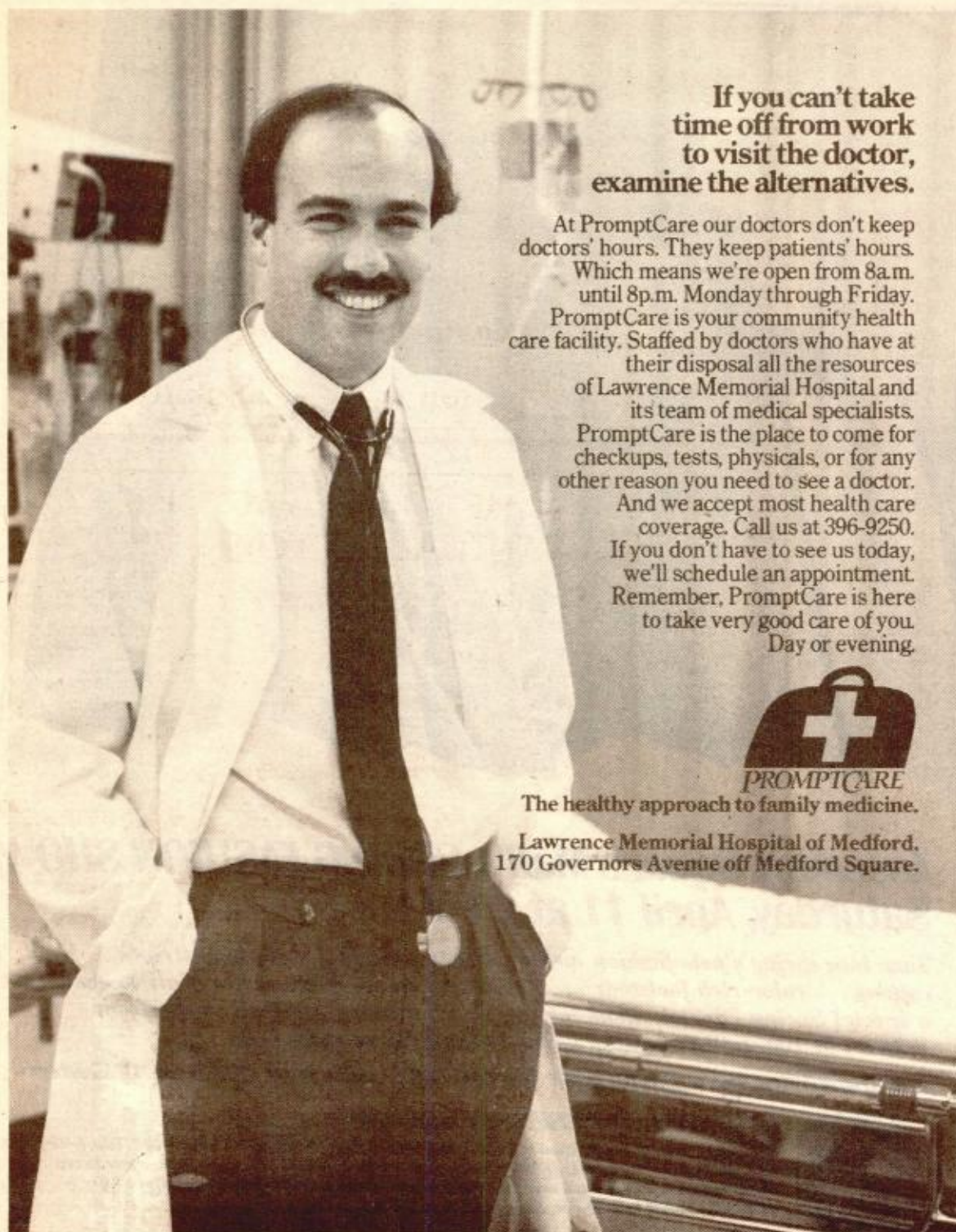
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## City Launches Spring Neighborhood Street Sweeping

Mayor Raymond L. Flynn has announced that on April 1 the City of Boston started its neighborhood street sweeping program in Charlestown. The pilot program is jointly sponsored by the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, the Public Works Department, and the Transportation Department and will

operate through November 30, 1987.

Mayor Flynn said, "The cleaning of our neighborhood streets and business districts is a top priority and regular mechanical street sweeping has proven to be the most effective way to clean litter and trash from the streets. Over the past two years, we have had a

very positive response from neighborhood residents and merchants and we now have plans to expand the program to new areas this spring."

The Public Works Department estimates that approximately 90% of the litter on city streets lies within eighteen inches of the curb. "The most efficient way of picking up this trash," said Jim Vrabel, Assistant Director of Service Delivery in Neighborhood Services, "is by mechanical sweeper which can collect between six and eight tons of litter on a given day if given ready access to the gutter. One of the most frustrating sights to community residents and public works officials alike is a street sweeper riding up the middle of the street unable to pick up trash because it cannot reach the curb."

Enforcement, which includes tickets and possible towing was implemented as of April 8.

In the pilot areas, signs are posted on certain streets indicating the particular day each week where parking will be prohibited for a four hour period. During that interval, street sweepers will thoroughly clean the street and gutters. Resi-

dents who fail to move their car on the assigned day will receive a \$15 ticket and could be subject to being towed.

"The program," said the Mayor, "can only be effective if all residents move their cars on the assigned day. Cooperation of residents with city program efforts is an integral part of making this program a success."

## Life Behind The Wall



by Ronan FitzPatrick

We have a home grown resident eminently qualified for the 1988 Summer Olympics accelerated walking event. With precision and determination, Boston Police Department Personnel Director, Ed Callahan, can be observed in his training within the piers and walkways of the Yard. One not familiar with this physical fitness procedure would think Ed was in hot pursuit. Continued intensified training, Ed, we all look forward to your wearing of the Gold on your return from Seoul, South Korea.

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As the **Esso Guatemala** was exiting the Harbor over the weekend with its destination Monrovia, many an angler waved it home. Several of the northern piers were decked with anxious fishermen awaiting an early Spring catch. It was noted that numerous inhabitants of the briny were caught for filleting and that evening meal.

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What was the bright orange helicopter sitting on the Shipways Marina apron recently carrying out? It attracted a large audience of inquisitive visitors. Stencilled on its rear were 1200 AM and 105 FM. I doubt if it was Traffic Control on Sunday. It was possibly looking for some new and local talent for its airwaves. It gave an interesting contrast with a TWA and PAN AM landing within seconds across the water at Logan Airport.

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Ever so slowly the slips at the Shipyard Marina are once again being populated. The active, agile, and ancient mariners are awaiting their seasonal home with renewed excitement. With the maiden voyage of the water taxis, the old and new navigational fleet will swell the activity of the erstwhile harbor.

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Have you been to Holland? Whether it be in Europe or Michigan, postpone your travel plans. The precious commodity that they offer will be in our command shortly. In excess of 13,000 tulips will be blossoming within the Navy Yard domain shortly, a hardy and aesthetic project undertaken by the Boston Redevelopment Authority and associates. A rainbow of tulips will dance and grace the Spring season — a great entrance into the warmer weather and delightful outdoors. To the brainy creators of the bulb explosion, an early Easter basket is warranted.

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It has been dubbed the silver bullet. Stretching to a considerable length along Thirteenth Street adjacent to the affordable house site, this multiple wheeler was a unique site. Temporarily resting or preparing to disembark its contents, the question is unanswered. Its New York State license plates advise that its appearance will be short lived.

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Restoration is accelerating on the **Glad tidings** at Pier Two. When completed, it will resemble an 1870 British Frigate with all the trimmings. It will serve as the ambassador ship for the National Park Service. Extended praise to Mr. Mullins and Mr. Wilcox for a job well done.

## Army Achievement Medal Awarded

Sergeant First Class Thomas P. McGann, son of Paul R. and Norma J. McGann of 26 Concord Street, Charlestown, has been decorated with the fourth award of the Army Achievement Medal in Japan.

The Achievement Medal is awarded to soldiers for meritorious service, acts of courage, or other accomplishments.

McGann is an infantryman with the United States Army, Japan.

He is a 1974 graduate of Charlestown High School.

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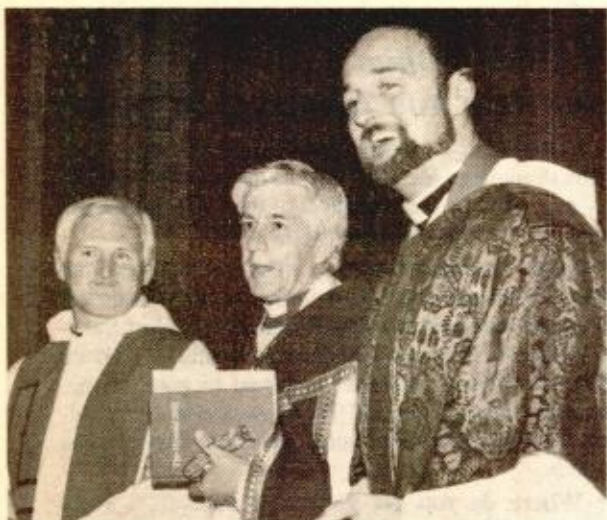


# Reverend Brian Murdoch Ordained To Priesthood And Instituted As Rector In Ceremonies At Saint John's Church

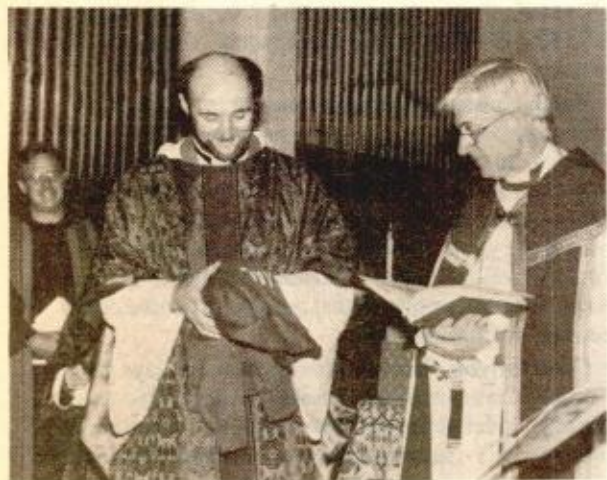
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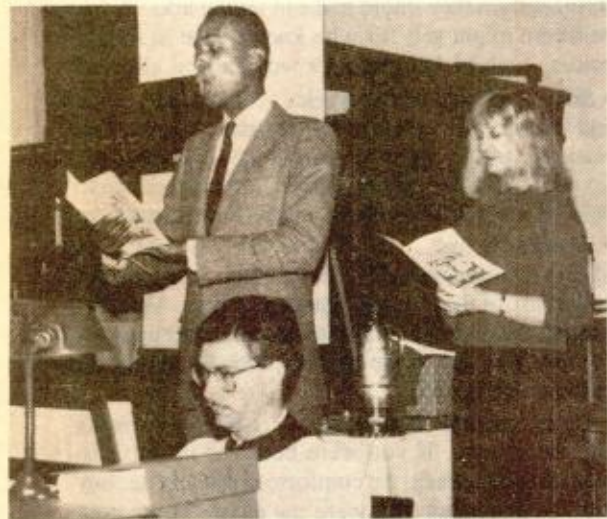




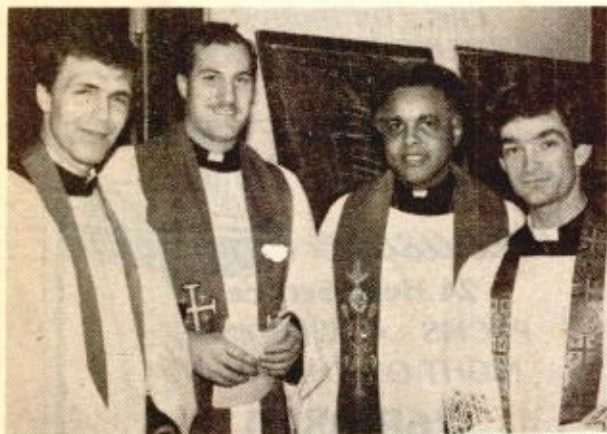
THESE TWO BROTHERS were both ordained by the Right Reverend David Elliot Johnson, Bishop of the Diocese of Massachusetts. Shown (l. to r.) Father Bill Murdoch, Bishop Johnson and Father Brian Murdoch.



FATHER BRIAN MURDOCH received a surprise gift, an "Official Townie" sweatshirt from parishioner Florence Johnson. Shown viewing the gift (l. to r.) Father Chris Keenan, O.F.M. of Saint Anthony's Shrine who delivered the sermon; Father Brian; and Bishop Johnson.



CEREMONIES at Saint John's Church concluded with the resounding "Battle Hymn of the Republic" led by soloist Steven Major West (left), an actor and friend of Reverend Murdoch from New York City; organist Ken Scott (center); and Kathy Sheperd of the Boston Philharmonic.



CLASSMATES of Father Brian Murdoch from the General Theological Seminary in New York City were on hand for the ceremonies.

### Children's Films

The Charlestown Branch Library at 179 Main Street will present a film program for children on Tuesday, April 14 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be

### Scholarship Raffle Winners

The Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Committee announces the winners of the raffle to benefit the scholarship program.

The first prize of \$300 was won by Helen Carpenter of Charlestown. Jim Connors of Charlestown won the second prize of \$100. He, in turn, donated the prize back to the fund. D. Barry of Charlestown won the \$75 third prize.

Ronan J. FitzPatrick, Treasurer of the Fund, extends thanks to all who made the evening a success.

### It's A Girl . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Powers of 118 Eutaw Street, East Boston, announce the birth of their daughter, Caitlin Marjorie, on March 24 at the Malden Hospital.

The maternal grandmother is Marjorie Davis of 51A Old Ironsides Way, Charlestown.

The paternal grandparents are Olive Powers of Charlestown, Rhode Island and Don Powers of Londonderry, New Hampshire.

Caitlin was welcomed home by her sister Alicia, age seven, and her brother Justin, age five.

### Adult Discussion Group

The Adult Discussion Group will meet on Friday, April 10, at 10:00 a.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street. The topic of the discussion will be "Your Home: Re-Financing and Home Equity Alternatives." The guest speaker for the discussion will be Jill Ghormley, Loan Officer, The Boston 5.

A home is a valuable asset. There are various ways to use this asset to your advantage in planning your family finances. Ghormley will be reviewing some of the many possibilities and how to determine what's best for you.

"Cricket, Tiglet And Friends," in which Sarah visits a center that cares for injured and abandoned owls; learn some new words on a family cookout in "Picnic;" and enjoy a day in the pasture with cows in "The Cow."

An addition film entitled "Sweetwater," the story of a nine year old orphan who looks for a home, will be shown at 3:30 p.m. only.

The suggested books to read in conjunction with the film program include **The Winter Picnic** by Robert Welber, **The Owl And The Pussycat** by Edward Lear, **Milk** by Donald Carrick and **The New Girl At School** by Judy Delton.

### Townie Santa Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the "Townie Santa" Committee Board of Directors will be held on Monday, April 27 at 7:00 p.m. at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street.

Election of the Board of Directors will take place at this meeting. Nominations and elections for Officers of the Board will also take place.

All are welcome to attend.

### Book Discussion Group

The Book Discussion Group of the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street will meet on Thursday evening, April 23 at 6:30 p.m.

The book to be discussed will be **Time And Again** by Jack Finney. Simon Morley is approached at his New York adver-

tising agency by a mysterious government agent. In spite of his better judgment, Morley finds himself involved in a secret project that send him back in time to Victorian New York.

For further information, call Tess Nesbit, Adult Librarian, at 242-1248.

### A Lenten Experience

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**WEDNESDAY**  
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**MAUNDY THURSDAY**  
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**GOOD FRIDAY**  
Noon - The Way of the Cross, starting at Thompson Square  
1:00 to 3:00 p.m. - The Church will be open for Silent Meditation

**HOLY SATURDAY**  
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**Holy Week Schedule**

**SPY WEDNESDAY** — April 15, Saint Mary's Passion Play "Triumph and Tragedy" will be presented in the upper church at 7:30 p.m. All are welcome!

**HOLY THURSDAY** — April 16, 7:30 a.m. Mass in the lower church.

Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30 p.m. in the upper church.

**GOOD FRIDAY** — April 17, Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 3:00 p.m. in the upper church. Stations of the Cross at 7:30 p.m. in the upper church.

**EASTER VIGIL** — Saturday, April 19, Easter Vigil Service and Mass at 7:30 p.m. in the upper church.

**EASTER SUNDAY** — April 19, Mass at 7:30 a.m. lower church.

Masses at 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. in the upper church.

Following the Children's Mass at 9:30 a.m., the Annual Easter Egg Hunt will take place at the Training Field.

**CONFESSIONS**

**Thursday, April 16** from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.

**Friday, April 17** following the 3:00 p.m. Service and the 7:30 p.m. Service.

**Travaglini To Play Advocacy Role In Disposition Of City Buildings**

Boston City Councillor Robert E. Travaglini has announced that he will play a community advocacy role in the disposition of surplus city properties. Although community participation in these dispositions is provided by means of the public meetings offered by the City's Department of Public Facilities and by means of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council, Councillor Travaglini is aware that community input can get diluted as it is absorbed by the various layers of bureaucracy that come into play in this process.

In view of this, the Councillor has stated that,

"As part of my responsibility to best represent the Charlestown community, I am prepared to take a very active role in advocating for the community's interests with the different agencies and departments that are involved in a property disposition. I know that often it can be a frustrating and seemingly impossible task to get answers and movement when dealing with city bureaucracies. I want the community to be assured that I will use all of the resources of my office to ensure that the process is open, fair, done in a most expeditious manner, and best serves the interests of Charlestown."

**New Kentucky Fried Chicken Opens In Charlestown**

Scott's Food Service/Kentucky Fried Chicken announces the grand opening of their newest Boston restaurant, located at 25 Austin Street in the Bunker Hill Mall, Charlestown. This is the first new location built in 17 years.

The building features a new, more contemporary image and is run by the latest state-of-the-art food service equipment. Of the

many conveniences offered to their customers, the Kentucky Fried Chicken in Charlestown also specializes in catering to groups of any size. Hours of operation are 11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m., seven days per week.

A celebration in honor of the event is being planned for Monday evening, April 27.



**Boston Police Explorer Post 1212-15**

Members in good standing of Boston Police Explorers Post 1212-15 are, for the second year, invited to attend the Boston Police Academy. Ronald X. Conway, Deputy Superintendent of Area A of the Boston Police Department has made arrangements for twenty members of our post to participate in the activities on April 23.

Members wishing to attend are asked to be in touch with Jay Crowley as soon as possible — space is limited.

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• **Owner has been found . . .** The tent that flew into David Flanagan's backyard during the high winds last week has been claimed by Ranessa Howell of Sackville Street! That's quite a distance to Marshall Block for a small tent to travel and land in good shape. Ranessa was very lucky! The Howells have rewarded the Flanagans with some delicious home baked goods.

• **Where do you get your hair cut? . . .** Patty Heelen, proprietor of The Ultimate Touch, was the winner of a gift certificate for a hair cut at Peg's Beauty Shop in a raffle at the "Our Friends Fundraiser" last weekend !!!

• **Buy of the week . . .** There is a house for sale on Monument Square. They're only asking \$2,750,000! You read it right, folks . . . that's \$2 million . . .

• **Talking about affordable housing . . .** Of the 1736 applicants for the new housing units to be built in the Navy Yard, 631 are residents of Charlestown! Best of luck to each of the families trying for these homes. Developers take note — the demand is here — in your own back yard! Wouldn't it be wonderful if every future development in Charlestown had to include a few affordable units so that our young people could remain in Charlestown?

• **Good for you, Tom . . .** It's been twelve days since Tommy Cunha had quit smoking cigars. His wife, Marcia, is delighted but just wishes he'd drop some other vices — such as going to so many meetings!

• **Mudville! . . .** Did you see the car buried up to its doors in mud this week on Main Street at the Bank of New England driveway?

• **Want to buy an ark? . . .** Joel Claydon of Betty Gibson Real Estate and Bill Galvin of Bunker Hill Real Estate were overheard this week discussing the profit margin they might make in selling arks. A four bedroom might sell for who knows what at today's prices — and I bet that pets wouldn't be allowed!

• **Super pot hole of the week . . .** had to be at Pearl and Bunker Hill Streets on Wednesday. The site even made the traffic report on one of the local radio stations. It was filled quickly before a developer started pouring the foundation for a unique housing package.

• **Traffic tie up? . . .** No, that was just the line up of cars unlucky enough to hit the rather large pothole at the base of the Sullivan Square overpass. Motorists had no choice but to leave their cars lined up along the overpass due to the damage done by hitting this pothole. BEWARE!

• **Can't control those leaks . . .** Not news leaks, but water leaks. If you were bothered by this problem this past week, be comforted (just a little, anyway) to know that you were not alone. Many complaints from all over the town of basement flooding and roof leaks.

• **Water shuttle might be the answer . . .** The new Navy Yard Shuttle began this week between Long Wharf and Pier 4 in the Charlestown Navy Yard. For more information, call 227-4320.

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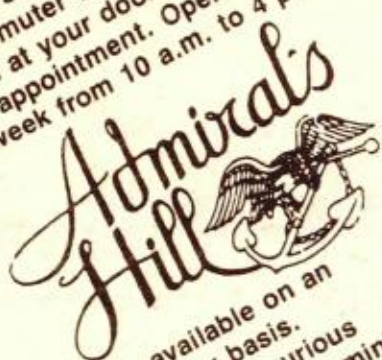
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### Gerard Carmody Promoted To Postal Inspector

Gerard Carmody, formerly of Charlestown, has been promoted to United States Postal Inspector for San Bernadino, California. He will assume his new post later this month when he and his wife Carolyn

will move from their Dorchester home to California.

Carmody is the son of Jeannette Carmody and the late John Carmody of Charlestown. He is the grandson of Mrs. Margaret O'Keefe of Charlestown.

### Affordable Housing Update

by Kathy Giordano

On Saturday, April 4, when the last person had left the temporary office of the Bricklayers and Laborers Non-Profit Housing Co., Inc. in the Charlestown Navy Yard, a total of 1736 hopeful persons had obtained applications for the 48 units of affordable housing to be built by the Bricklayers on 13th Street in the Navy Yard.

Of that total, 631 were Charlestown residents, 938 Boston residents and 177 lived outside of Boston.

70% (34) of the units are designated to go to Charlestown residents. The remaining 30% (14) will be allotted to Boston residents.

The condominium units, available to first-time homebuyers, will range in price from \$77,400 to \$88,900 for a one to four bedroom unit. All applications must be returned by April 30, 1987. A lottery system will be set up at a later date to select the homeowners from those eligible applications received.

### Miriam Banks, Gray Shoppe Owner, Dies At Age 81

Funeral Services were held on March 29th for Miriam Banks, age 81, well known as "Banksie," the owner of the Gray Shoppe on Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.

For 30 years, her specialty shop sold clothing for the entire family. The shop first opened in 1938 in a small store at 130 Bunker Hill Street and in 1942 mover to larger quarters at 215 Bunker Hill Street.

"Banksie" made friends with her customers and they still remember the many kind deeds extended to them. Her gifted hands custom designed one of a kind communion and confirmation veils, handknitted suits and infant sweater sets, until the day she died.

She tailored uniforms without charge for all three Parochial Schools that were open at that time.

The Gray Shoppe was famous for its unusual children's clothing and the Rosette Bow, which she made. If she didn't have what you wanted in stock, she would get it for you.

Mrs. Banks was the original personalized shopper.

### Burke Accepted At Hesser College

David Burke, a member of the graduating class of 1987 at Charlestown High School, has been accepted to Hesser College in Manchester, New Hampshire.

When David begins his studies at Hesser College in September, he will be pursuing an Associate Degree in Business Management.

David is the son of Dennis and Marie Burke of Charlestown.

### Congressman Kennedy To Speak On Alcohol And Drug Abuse

Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy will speak on the topics of Alcohol and Drug Abuse at a community meeting to be held on Friday, April 24 at 3:00 p.m. at the Kent School Cafetorium, 50 Bunker Hill Street.

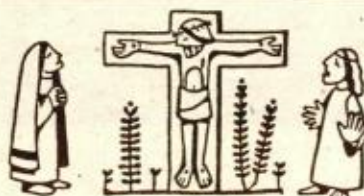
This program, sponsored by the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, will be moderated by Marty Shannon, Drug Educator for the Charlestown Clubhouse.

Residents of all ages are invited to attend.

### Fitzgerald Promoted To Senior Vice President

Robert P. Fitzgerald has been promoted from vice president to senior vice president of the Production Division of Carroon & Black/Fairfield & Ellis, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Carroon & Black Corporation which is a leading insurance services firm in Massachusetts.

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The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John McDonagh of Somerville. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Kenneally of Charlestown.



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## Senior Hockey League Update

by Bernie "Scoop" Kelly

The video production of the Championship "Man-ly Cup" Game, played on February 23 by the Senior Hockey League is finally completed and ready for sale!

Our thanks to Kevin Burke, the game video specialist, who taped the game. Special thanks to the video master Thomas "Bruiser" Bryson, whose long hours and expertise transformed this "B" rated video into a work of art. We soon realized his talents after viewing both versions of the video, to see and compare his work when he edited, deleted and monitored the film, cutting out

the unnecessary footage, adding the Rocky II music, producing the dubbed voice script, and turning this "B" video into an Academy Award spectacular for all Senior League Players and their families interested in this fine production for future hours of family enjoyment.

The video tape can now be purchased at the "Bank Vault" of the Old Charlestown Savings Bank, One Thompson Square from Video Specialist, Ed Burns who agreed to make the video tapes for the Senior League for the reasonable price of \$8.00 (which includes the cost of the tape). What a guy ... thanks Ed!

## Charlestown Youth Hockey News

The Annual Charlestown Youth Hockey children's Pizza Party will be held on Saturday April 11 at the Knights of Columbus Lower Hall, 75 West School Street. The party will start promptly at 1:00 p.m.

All children who participated in hockey this year

are requested to attend and we would hope all parents would make an effort to bring their children. Each child will be given a small remembrance of their 1986-1987 hockey season with Charlestown Youth Hockey.

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## C.Y.H.A. Capitals

**THE CAPITALS**, one of the five Charlestown Youth Hockey Association House teams, include: Front row (l. to r.) Jason Daniels, Kevin Golden, Greg LaVallee, Joshua Smith, Bill Burke, Robbie Murray and Michael Upton. Second row (l. to r.) Coach John Ezekiel, Peter Golden, Stephen Connell,

Joe Fitzgerald, Herb Upton, Jamie McLaughlin, Robbie Upton, Sean Connolly and Trainer Steve Connolly. Missing from picture was Jason Scales. (photo by John Dillon)

## Charlestown Soccer Club News

The Spring 1987 Soccer Season will begin on Saturday, April 11 at the Charlestown High School field on Medford Street at 10:00 a.m.

Players will be assigned to teams, receive their shirts and participate in practice activities.

The Club is looking forward to another great season of fun and exercise. See you there!

## On Honor Roll

Sister Jane Michael, Principal of Saint Rose High School in Chelsea, has announced that Karen Miete of Charlestown received honors for the second trimester. She is a member of the freshman class.

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## Charlestown Youth Hockey Board Of Directors Elections

The Charlestown Youth Hockey Association Board of Directors will hold their election of officers on Wednesday, May 13 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Charlestown Community School on Medford Street.

To be eligible to vote, you should be a past or present parent or a C.Y.H.A. member in good standing.

This year there are four seats slated for election.

Anyone interested in being nominated for the Board should contact Election Committee members Linda Rea at 241-8735 or Bill Burke at 242-0578. The deadline for nominations is April 29. No nominations will be accepted after this date.

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**Annual Hockey Party**  
The Annual Hockey Party will be held on Saturday,

April 11 at the Lower Hall, Knights of Columbus, 75 West School Street. The party will begin promptly at 1:00 p.m.

Players who have not yet returned their uniforms and equipment, please do so at the party.

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## Council Establishes Committees To Review New Navy Yard Master Plan

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Yard Office.

The Council members discussed methods to address the plan and the resulting residential concerns.

Council Chairman John Tobin commended Coyle for meeting with the members and discussing the development proposal. Tobin stated, "The door has been opened to the Charlestown Neighborhood Council by the BRA to work with instead of at odds with the community." He said that Coyle talked about "trade-offs" to benefit the community and the Council was willing to talk to him about this.

Tobin stated that the present committee structure could deal with many of the Navy Yard issues such as density, traffic, parking, fire protection and affordable housing, but with the two to three month time frame given to provide input on the plan, Tobin felt that it would be a test of the Council as to whether "they can do it and get the community plugged into it."

Cunha stated that when the committees were established, members may have had different issues in mind so there should be flexibility in order that members might be able to plug into committees of special interest to the individual. He noted that input from the entire Council is needed.

Ken Stone was disturbed that much of the afternoon's meeting was taken up by information on downtown issues and with the history of the Navy Yard, leaving members no time for questions.

Traffic congestion and parking were two of the major concerns expressed by members. Jim Mansfield stated that one area of discussion should be access to the Navy Yard with the City Square roadway reconstruction project.

Ken Stone said that it is necessary for the Council to address the Navy Yard, City Square and Chelsea Street — not just one area. He said what with the proposed Massachusetts Water Resources Authority transfer facility, there would be one truck every 30 seconds, along with construction vehicles, thousands of jobs and housing units in the Yard. He stated that "if we are to have any quality of life, we have to look at the whole."

Cunha agreed, stating that traffic in three to ten years would be staggering.

Kathryn Downing noted the decrease in the overall size of the master plan since the "Globe" printed an article on the Yard several weeks ago. She noted that the plan is still some 2,000 parking spaces short for the number that would be needed to serve the business and housing needs of the Yard.

Council member Ronan FitzPatrick, who is a resi-

dent of the Navy Yard, stated that the Yard is "grid-locked." He said that no matter what was developed, traffic and parking will never fully be addressed.

Mike Powers said that authorities know that an ambulance wouldn't be able to get to the proposed MWRA transfer site pier and they have talked about emergency medical airlifting by helicopter. He referred to a January community meeting at which a Massport spokesperson told the gathering that they had no usage planned for those piers and "now they predict 180 trucks per day on Medford Street."

Powers also noted that the City Square roadway construction is "a go" and on top of that the Central Artery. He stated "Boston Police don't know what to do with the traffic now."

Powers also took long-time residents back to the time when the Navy Yard was operational with the hundreds of automobiles speeding up Bunker Hill and Medford Streets each night at 4:00 p.m. He told the gathering, "I can predict that in three years this will be repeated."

Stone suggested that Coyle be asked to give money for a traffic and parking survey of the entire Yard.

Several public safety concerns were addressed. Marty O'Brien took strong issue with the priority given by Coyle to a fire station in the Yard. He stated that a fire house had been "put into the fourth phase by Coyle and should be brought up to the first phase." He said that this is a priority with all those living in the Yard.

Tobin stated that the BRA would first have to designate space for a fire station in the Navy Yard.

Also, Moe Gillen told the Council that a demand should be made for a Health and Hospitals ambulance to be permanently stationed in Charlestown.

Affordable housing was a concern brought out at the meeting. Kay Whelan said that she felt that the 500 units of affordable housing grouped in one location was like "sticking a housing project" in the Yard. She went on to say that affordable housing could be built instead of a greenhouse or pools, to give them room and "allow people to breathe." Whelan emphasized that she was for as much affordable housing as possible.

Julia Rodriguez added that she didn't like the affordable housing in only one area.

Tobin announced committees and their chairmen, noting that this was a tentative listing. Named were Tom Cunha, Development and Housing Committee, which would address density and housing; Moe Gillen, Human Services and Basic Services Committee,

to focus on transportation and jobs; and Dennis McLaughlin, Public Safety Committee, to look at traffic, parking and fire protection.

Tobin urged the chairmen to get their committees together soon. Moe Gillen suggested that the BRA be asked to designate a person to act as a liaison with each committee. He stressed that one person for all committees would not be adequate.

Stone cautioned that a timetable for development was important and he didn't think that every decision had to be made quickly. Cunha pointed out that "developers want to develop," to which Stone responded that to rush the Navy Yard may be the worse thing the council can do.

Dennis McLaughlin stressed the importance of being part of the process in making decisions on the Yard. He said he would rather be in than out. He stated that if there is a public hearing with input, "even though we don't get our way, it will be out in the open."

Tobin stated that the Council must make sure the BRA comes back with some hard facts. Steve McHugh also noted that the Council needs to know what has been designated and what remains "up for grabs."

Mel Stillman said that he has confidence in the committees. He said that the Council "won't go along just to get along."

In other issues brought before the Council, Ken Stone reported that the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering (DEQE), under their Waterways Regulation Program, awarded a permit to Immobiliare at a hearing on Tuesday for permission to develop Building 197. The Council had requested postponement of a decision, but Stone reported that the letter had not reached DEQE prior to the hearing.

Dennis McLaughlin, Chairman of the Nominations Committee reported that there are four vacancies on the Council and residents must submit their names to be considered for nomination by Wednesday, April 15 at 5:00 p.m.

Both Tobin and McLaughlin stressed the importance of a full Council with the work that must be done on the Navy Yard as well as other local issues.

Moe Gillen presented a report on the community meeting he chaired for the Public Facilities Department to request residential input into reuse of the Municipal Building at 112 Bunker Hill Street.

It was the consensus of the group that the Council ask the City to re-submit the notice of the availability of this building to the various city department heads. If it is not of use as

a city building, then it was suggested that the building be publicly advertised in Charlestown to secure proposals for its re-use.

Gillen noted that this might allow community groups an opportunity for lead time to submit a proposal.

Later in the meeting, resident Joe Kent stated that the potential difficulties in getting into City Hall with upcoming road construction might make this a viable site for city offices, in conjunction with a non-profit organization.

Moe Gillen also reported on a recent meeting with Dr. Roger Sweet from the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center at which he related the statistics on the high rate of death by heart disease, cancer and strokes in this community.

Gillen stated that it was an outstanding meeting with open dialogue between the members and the doctor. Among the issues discussed was the utilization of linkage monies to conduct a study as to determine the factors that contributes to the particular causes of death. A linkage proposal was also discussed for helping support programs such as Camp Bunker Hill which is directed to children with emotional problems and/or community outreach.

Mike Powers, Chairman of the Development Committee told the Council that a Request for a Proposal (RFP) has been done on Parcel P-2A (the triangle at the intersection of Bunker Hill and Main Streets) and that the BRA be requested to put it out for bid for development.

Kathryn Downing questioned voting on an RFP that the Council hasn't seen. Powers said that a vote on the RFP was taken last August. Downing said that she hadn't seen whether the BRA included the

### Nominations For Vacancies On Neighborhood Council

Nominations are being accepted to fill the vacancies on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council until April 15 at 5:00 p.m.

Eight names have been submitted to date.

Anyone interested may submit their name, address and a brief biography to:

**John Tobin**  
1 Church Court  
Charlestown, MA 02129

Council's recommendations on the Community Gardens. Cunha stated that the BRA included all but one paragraph of the letter of recommendations sent to them on the parcel in the RFP they adopted.

McLaughlin pointed out that either the BRA takes the suggestions of the Council or they don't and at that point "our involvement ends."

Powers announced that a public hearing on Parcel R-87 (Tremont and Prospect Streets), Parcel R-23B (36 Belmont Street) and Parcel R-59 (41 Old Rutherford Avenue) would be held on Thursday, April 23 at 7:00 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street.

McHugh questioned the inclusion of Parcels R-96 and R-107 (Main Street at Lawnwood Place and High Street at Bartlett Street). Powers said that when the proposals come in to the BRA on these parcels, a community meeting would be held to view the plans and drawings of developers and residents would be able to speak on specific issues.

Downing felt that the RFPs contained much "boiler plate" and the 107 RFP didn't even refer to parking. She agreed that responding to a proposal does make discussion more concrete, but expressed concern that abutters were not being able to speak on what they wished to see developed on these parcels.

Tobin questioned Powers as to whether the BRA had returned to the committee with figures as to the economic feasibility of developing individual houses on Parcel P-87. Betty Golden stated that Peter Dreier had promised to get back to them with that information.

Steve McHugh had prepared a Statement of Purpose and Procedure for the Charlestown Neighborhood Council for the members to review.

Tobin stated that he is in the process of preparing a letter to the City of Boston Public Works Commissioner Joseph Casazza with a list of concerns raised at the recent community meeting.

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I keep wondering why the Lord didn't take me instead!  
I am bitter . . .

at all the unfairness  
at the justice system,  
at all the things unthinking people say to me.

Mostly, though, I am angry at the criminals.  
Why should you have paid the price for their problems?  
Why should I suffer a life sentence of pain?

It's so hard to get up and face each new day.  
I just don't seem to have any energy left . . .  
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hurt and trigger memories of you.  
Such a short time between the promise of your Spring and the coming of your Winter!

You are so much alive within my pain!  
It seems that hurting is my way of loving you now.  
I just wish I could hold you tightly and end this senseless Good Friday of my life.

And then I think of someone else's Good Friday . . .  
Yes, Jesus, too, was murdered . . . and He chose to forgive.  
Have you been able to forgive those who hurt you, too?  
How can I learn to forgive them?

Dear Child, it helps me to know that you are now at peace.  
Make sure God takes good care of you and also gives me strength along the way.

I am trying to rebuild my life by  
accepting what has been,  
affirming what there is, and  
trusting what will be

I am learning to put my sorrow at the service of  
others who are hurting, too.  
I hope one day I will be happy again.

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### Memory of Years Gone By

Dear Gloria,

I would like to thank all the "Townies" who took the time to send a note or call me after my recent letter in the Patriot. It was nice to recall the good old days and to hear from friends who have moved away but keep in touch with the town through the pages of your paper. Their hearts are truly still here in Charlestown.

I am sure that everyone has a story they would like to tell about their early days. I would like to share one of my favorite memories of years gone by.

A young woman in the early 1920's felt very badly that the young men arriving from Ireland could not find employ-

ment once they arrived here. No jobs could be found anywhere if you were Irish and Catholic! Many of them came with a trade but the only place they could find employment was at "longshore." That is why there were so many Irish longshoremen living in Charlestown.

At that time, H.P. Hoods would not hire an Irish Catholic, although there were many jobs to be had at their plant. Many of the beautiful homes along Main Street employed Irish maids. Many of these maids had brothers and fathers looking for work. Hoods would deliver milk to these fashionable homes everyday.

This particular young married woman, whose husband worked "longshore," took it upon herself to visit each household with an Irish maid — most of them had traveled from Ireland with her — and asked them to convince their mistresses to boycott Hoods until they changed their hiring practices. Every afternoon, with her children in hand, she would go from door to door until she had talked to every household. Her efforts produced a boycott.

Mr. Hood worked at Hoods at that time and became very upset and as a result changed the hiring practices at his plant. The Irish Catholics started working at Hoods only through the efforts of this one woman who fought for what she felt was wrong and wanted to change it.

This is the background of many a "Townie." We always fought — and always will fight — for anything that will improve our town and way of life for our families.

By the way, I was one of those small children who was proud to accompany my mother each afternoon on her righteous walk.

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Kay Whelan

### Board of Appeal Hearing

Notice is hereby given that at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 14, 1987 a public hearing will be held by the Board of Appeal of the City of Boston in Room 801, City Hall upon the appeal of Susan Trefethan, seeking with reference to the premises at 14 Soley Street, Ward 2, Variance from the terms of the Boston Zoning Code (see 1956, c665) in the following respect: Article 14(14-2). Change legal occupancy from one-family dwelling to two-family dwelling.

### NOTICE OF DECISIONS

The petition of Patricia M. Curtis concerning premises at 16 R Union Street to the City of Boston Board of Appeal has been granted with provisos and the decision filed in the office of the Building Commissioner, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue on Friday, April 3, 1987.

The petition of 31 Union Street Inc. (Alex Hillman) concerning premises at 31 Union Street to the City of Boston Board of Appeals has been granted with provisos and the decision filed in the office of the Building Commissioner, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, on Friday, April 3, 1987.  
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The events leading to the establishment of the Constitution that took place during this week two hundred years ago were:

April 9, 1787 - Governor Bowdoin of Massachusetts issued commissions to delegates to the Philadelphia Constitutional Convention.

April 10, 1787 - A dispatch from Worcester, Massachusetts reported that rebels Shays, Day, Parsons and Wheeler were in St. Johns, Canada, but would receive no help from that government.

April 11, 1787 - The Virginia Independent Chronicle complimented the Convention delegates, "... what happy consequences may not all the true friends to Federal Government promise themselves, from the United Zeal, Policy, and Ability of so August an Assembly."

April 12, 1787 - The Newport Herald reported concerning Rhode Island, "... the clamour is now loud against your State, and will daily increase."

April 13, 1787 - Congress circulated to the States a letter from John Jay chastising them for not adhering to the terms of the Treaty of Paris.

April 14, 1787 - The Massachusetts Centinel reported Benjamin Franklin's election to the Philadelphia Constitutional Convention stating that a union of so distinguished a body of men cannot but produce the most salutary measures.

April 15, 1787 - Henry Knox told Winthrop Sargent that he felt like, "... the most wretched man on earth ... the poverty of the public is so great that all national operations might soon cease."



## Coordinated Services To The Elderly

The Charlestown community has coordinated its efforts to assure adequate and quality services are provided to our elderly people. There are two groups which meet on a regular basis.

The first is the Charlestown Elderly Planning Col-

laborative (CEPC). Leading representatives from Charlestown churches, health, social and governmental agencies have begun meeting to assess gaps in service and discuss overall planning. They have identified housing and access as priorities and have set up

subcommittees to work on each of these. The housing subcommittee is looking into housing alternatives for those people needing various levels of care. The access subcommittee is seeking ways to make already existing services better known to the elderly population and to make it easier for them to use these services.

The second group is the Charlestown Interagency on Aging (CIA). This group is more concerned with the provision of direct helping services to the Charlestown elderly population than with community planning. The CIA meets monthly to share information about current and upcoming activities, minimize

duplication of efforts and to inform the planning group (CEPC) of observed unmet needs.

Together these two groups address the problems of community planning (CEPC) and more direct services provided to elders by church and agency staff. Both groups are open and would welcome participation by anyone interested in elder services.

For more information concerning the Charlestown Elderly Planning Collaborative (CEPC), call Kate McDonough, Kennedy Center, 241-8866 or for the Charlestown Interagency on Aging (CIA), call Maureen Marx at the Charlestown Branch Library, 242-1248.

### RESOURCE GUIDE FOR THE ELDERLY

#### The Charlestown Inter-Agencies on Aging

##### GENERAL INFORMATION

Charlestown  
Kennedy Center.....241-8866  
Community School.....242-2770  
Citywide  
(State) Hot Line.....1-800-882-2003  
(Boston) Hot Line.....772-4646  
United Way Information.....482-1454

##### GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS

Medicare.....223-1521  
S.S.I. - Social Security.....227-2400  
Medicaid.....227-8320

##### EMPLOYMENT

Project Able (Boston).....338-0219  
Job Match.....725-3987

##### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

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Bunker Hill Community College  
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##### EDUCATION

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Community College.....241-8600 x 410  
Elderhostel.....426-7788  
Charlestown Branch Public Library  
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##### RECREATION

Charlestown Community Schools..242-2770  
Golden Age Center  
Marge Coghlan.....242-9335  
Kennedy Center Senior Program  
Ann Doherty & Phyllis Bryant....241-8866

##### SOCIAL SERVICES

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Sue Ellen Muse.....241-8866  
Charlestown Community Schools..242-2770  
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Senior Home Care (Intake)..451-6400 x 226  
Bunker Hill Health Center  
Hank Sikkema.....242-5784

##### HOME HEALTH SERVICES

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Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital..720-6576  
Boston Family Services.....523-6400  
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##### TRANSPORTATION

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Kennedy Center Shopping Bus  
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##### HOUSING ALTERNATIVES

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##### LEGAL SERVICES

Greater Boston.....357-5757

##### OTHER SERVICES

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Kit Clark Senior House.....825-5000  
Meals On Wheels  
Ed Jacobson, Coordinator.....825-5000

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

#### MENU

**Friday, April 10** - Casserole of fish Creole, rice, peas, chocolate pudding, rye bread with butter.

**Monday, April 13** - Lasagna with meat sauce, grated cheese, spinach, chilled fruit, Vienna bread with butter.

**Tuesday, April 14** - Juice, brunswick stew, fresh fruit, biscuit with butter.

**Wednesday, April 15** - Turkey, gravy, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, green beans almandine, ambrosia, dinner roll with butter.

**Thursday, April 16** - Juice, meatball stew, hunter's pudding, sourdough bread with butter.

Milk served with all above meals.

#### Country Store


Boston Chapter 88 of American Association of Retired Persons will hold its annual Country Store and Bake Sale on Wednesday, April 15, at 1:00 p.m. in Saint Paul's Cathedral in Boston. Guests are welcome.

#### Seeking Volunteer Drivers

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#### ★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★

##### Friday, April 10

10:00 a.m. - Arts & Crafts, Senior Lounge  
1:00 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

##### Monday, April 13

9:30 a.m. - Sunshine Club, Senior Lounge  
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments  
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge  
1:00 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

##### Tuesday, April 14

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge  
12:30 p.m. - Bowling, meet at Senior Lounge.

##### Wednesday, April 15

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Anchorage Apartments  
9:30 a.m. - Social Security Representative, 27 Winthrop Street

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments  
1:00 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

##### Thursday, April 16

9:00 a.m. - Coupon Club, Senior Lounge  
9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Senior Lounge and Constitution Co-Op Apartments  
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge  
1:00 p.m. - Whist, Senior Lounge  
1:00 p.m. - Health Insurance LEADERS, Senior Lounge

#### EVENTS AT THE SENIOR LOUNGE

(contact Ann Doherty at 241-8866)

• **Soup and Sandwich and Movie** — Friday, April 17 at 1:00 p.m. featuring "The Robe." The donation is \$1.00.

• **Birthday Brunch** — Wednesday, April 22 at 10:00 a.m. The donation is \$1.00.

• **Pokeno** — Thursday, April 23 at 1:00 p.m.

• **Whist** — Thursday, April 30 at 1:00 p.m.

#### TRIPS

(contact Phyllis Bryant at 241-8866)

• **Christo's in Brockton** — Friday, April 24, leaving at 10:30 a.m. The cost is \$25, which includes transportation, choice of roast beef or broiled scrod dinner, and entertainment by comic Pat Paulson and banjo player Richard Pearl.

• **Sturbridge Village** — Tuesday, April 28, leaving at 10:30 a.m. The motor coach trip includes lunch and special activities at the Village. The cost is \$13.

• **King Phillip's Ballroom** — Friday, May 22, leaving at 10:30 a.m. The cost is \$25 which includes transportation, choice of chicken or scrod dinner, and entertainment by the Leahy Family and Yakou Noy.

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### The Only "Scoop" Worth Reading

by Bernie "Scoop" Kelly

It must be that time of the year again for with all the clandestine meetings going on at the "Vault" in the Old C-Town Five Bank Building it can only mean that we will be seeing those funny dressed men with the short knickers, and the tri-cornered hats, running around all spiffed up, making ready the plans for the colorful "Battle On The Hill."

The battle will involve local militia companies and the Redcoats leaving no stone unturned to make

June 11 through 14 the most memorable "Olde Home Week" for all "Townies," past and present to enjoy and remember for a long time to come!

Like the men of action in "75," those gallant heroes will be replaced by men like Commander Robert L. Gillen, U.S.N. (Retired), who was asked to fill the rank of Officer of the Day, which incorporates the entire "Demonstration of the Battle" on the Hill, at the request of John Burchill, Superintendent of Park Services. This will be done in

conjunction with the Charlestown Militia Company, captained by Frank Maggelet and his "Aide De Campe" John "Fitzzy" Fitzgerald. Former past captain of the Charlestown Militia and the founder of the Colonel Thomas Gardner's Regiment back in 1967, now a New Hampshire horse breeder or trader, Jimmy O'Neil, will be burning the lamps until the wee hours laying out the battle plans and using every trick in the books to defeat the "British," just once, if at all possible!

### Scadding Honored For Service



**HONORED:** Bob Scadding of Charlestown was honored for ten years of service with the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation of Boston (EDIC/Boston) at a City Hall ceremony. Scadding is a maintenance mechanic and driver at EDIC/Boston's Marine Industrial Park in South Boston. Shown (l. to r.) at the recent ceremony were Mayor Raymond L. Flynn, Scadding, and Marilyn Swartz Lloyd, Director of the EDIC/Boston.

### Operation ABLE Offers Training To Boston Residents 55 Or Over

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### Mentor Program Participants Attend Breakfast At C.H.S.

Headmaster Robert F. Murphy at Charlestown High School hosted another in a series of mentor breakfast meetings between high school senior students and their Mentors, who are members of the Boston business community volunteering time to meet monthly on a one to one basis.

The participants gathered together at the high school's Cafe Montego and met individually to discuss the student's future plans and formulate their career goals.

Highlights from the recent program schedule include guest lectures by Janice Thomas and Kyle Goodrich from the Office of Admissions, Bunker Hill Community College, who

discussed preparation for college life and the social changes that occur after matriculation, and Allan McMillan from Businessland (East Coast distributors for Apple and Macintosh computer systems) who addressed motivational training in relation to a successful career in business.

In addition, Mary Todd from the Office of Planning and Development at Bunker Hill Community College administered the Myers-Briggs Personality Indicator. Students as well as Mentors were overwhelmed by the accuracy of this questionnaire which outlines the way individuals look at life and the way one prefers to go about decision

making.

Present at the breakfast meeting were Mentors from Liberty Mutual Life Insurance, Bunker Hill Community College and Massport. Also present were Marta Dennis and Susan Vogt from School Volunteers of Boston who have been extremely helpful in leading group discussions between students and Mentors since the beginning of the program in September, 1986.

The Mentor Program is one of the many Career Beginnings programs designed to directly involve students in educational experiences that will enable them to prepare for a career or

higher education after high school. The Mentor Program is coordinated by David Lloyd Brown, Design Teacher at Charlestown High School, who works closely with Ralph H. Berkowitz the head of the Career Beginnings program and Frank Raio, Charlestown High School's Private Industry Council representative.

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## Residential Security To Be Topic Of Police / Community Meeting

Officer Bob O'Leary will address the topic of residential security at the monthly Police/Community Meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 14 at 7:00 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street. All are welcome to attend.

### Monday, March 30

An automobile was broken into on Old Landing Way and the radio was stolen.

### Tuesday, March 31

An automobile was broken into on Concord Street and the radio was stolen.

### Wednesday, April 1

An apartment was broken into on Salem Street Avenue and personal items were stolen.

An apartment was broken into on Cook Street and building materials were stolen.

An automobile was broken into on Concord Street and the radio was stolen.

Building 106 in the Charlestown Navy Yard was broken into and construction equipment was stolen.

### Thursday, April 2

An automobile was broken into on Washington Street and the radio was stolen.

### Saturday, April 4

An automobile was broken into on Russell Street.

An automobile was broken into on Elm Street and the radio was stolen.

### Sunday, April 5

An automobile was broken into on Bartlett Street and the radio was stolen.

An automobile was broken into on Allston Street and the radio was stolen.

The glass door of the cleaners at 40 Main Street was smashed.

NOTE: The main type of automobile that is being broken

into is the BMW.

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

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

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The monthly Police/Community meeting will be held at the Kent Community School on Tuesday, April 14 at 7:00 p.m. Officer Bob O'Leary will speak about residential security.

## It's A Boy . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Murphy of 6 Murdock Avenue, Quincy are proud to announce the birth of their son, Matthew Ryan, on March 21 at the Malden Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Arbuckle of 302A Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Murphy of Quincy.

Mrs. Murphy is the former Donna Arbuckle of Charlestown.

### ITEMS FOUND

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