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## Hundreds Pause To Remember Victims Of Violence

by Gloria S. Conway

The haunting strains of a lone bagpipe ... warm sunshine ... a spring breeze ... and bouquets of green, white and gold balloons, each bearing the name of a Charlestown person who was a victim of violence were all part of the scene outside St. Catherine of Siena Church in Hayes Square last Sunday afternoon, as members of the Charlestown After Murder Program (CH.A.M.P.) welcomed family, friends and neighbors to the annual Candlelight Vigil.

Many who entered the church came with heavy hearts, carrying the burden of the loss of a loved one, a



WINNERS of an essay contest sponsored by CH.A.M.P., all students at Charlestown Catholic Elementary School, read their essays on the topic "What Can One Individual Do To Prevent Violent Acts?" during Sunday's Candlelight Vigil. Shown (l. to r.) Kerri Stone, Andrea Webber and Christine Keane, with Pam Enos at the back.



WELCOMING the gathering of almost 500 to the Candlelight Vigil on April 24 at St. Catherine's Church are (l. to r.) Sandy King, Gene Lawrence and Pam Enos. The annual service of remembrance is sponsored by the Charlestown After Murder Program (CH.A.M.P.).

friend, a neighbor, an acquaintance, or in support of those who are suffering the pain of losing someone to violence. Others, although sad, look upon the vigil as a means of trying to do something positive to resolve the issue of violence in memory of their loved one.

Sandy King, whose son Christopher was killed in 1986 and son Jay killed in 1991, Pam Enos, whose son Adam was killed in 1991, and Gene Lawrence, whose sister Judy was killed in 1984, served as hosts at the Vigil.

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More than three dozen prospective gourmet chefs donned aprons and took to the kitchen for the Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston's (BGCB) fifth annual Chef's Club Cook-Off on April 16, at the Roxbury Clubhouse. The contest featured club members from the Charlestown, Roxbury and South Boston clubhouses in a culinary coup for the coveted Silver Ladle Award. The contestants in this battle for BGCB bragging rights are members of the Thomas A. Pappas Chef's Club, a club program for the past three decades.

In this annual showcase of creative cooking, each team was required to prepare a full-course meal without the assistance of parents or BGCB staff. The decision of what delicious dish to prepare was made by the group members themselves. The Charle-

### BGCB'S Edible Education

stown club chose to prepare a dinner of chicken cacciatore with garlic bread, tossed salad and fruit salad with yogurt.

Judging was based on food presentation, taste and originality. "The menu was their choice, as long as it looks good, tastes good and serves 20 people," said Howie Bunkley, Chef's Club director.

One of the key ingredi-

ents to the Chef's Club's success has been the direction of Howie Bunkley. For the past 31 years, Howie, as he is known to his young charges, has been teaching the fine art of food preparation to BGCB club members.

According to Bunkley, the goal of the Chef's Club is to relate the importance of good nutrition and hygiene, as well as teaching the

tricks of the culinary trade. These "tricks" include the rudiments of cooking, food service techniques and proper table etiquette.

The BGCB program teaches other lessons as well, ones far more important than how to broil, bake and fry. These future food fixers also learn about self-confidence, teamwork, cooperation and how to shop

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THE CHEF'S CLUB of the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club recently competed in the Fifth Annual Thomas A. Pappas Chef's Club Cook-Off held at the Roxbury Clubhouse.

Ready to serve their chicken cacciatore dinner to the judges are: front row (l. to r.) Steven O'Neil, Derek Garceau, John Fabiano, Tony Tu, Michael Woods and Thai Tu. Back row (l. to r.) Assistant Chef Matt Ezekiel, Sheila Woods and Eileen O'Brien-Woods who accompanied the members.

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**Financial Planning For Women  
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"Financial Planning for Women," a two-part series aimed at women in charge of household finances, will be held at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on consecutive Friday mornings, beginning April 29 at 10 a.m.

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ting priorities, making goals and planning.

In her second program on May 6, "Saving and Investing for Women," Mason will cover making financial plans for the long haul, including planning and mapping our saving and investment strategies.

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**CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

**This Week At A Glance**

**Thursday, April 28**

- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 p.m. — Gym Hockey Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Friday, April 29**

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Pre-school Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

**Saturday, April 30**

- 1 p.m. — Meat Raffle to benefit the Bunker Hill Day Parade, K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, May 1**

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

**Monday, May 2**

- 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Mothers Support Group, sponsored by CHAD, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting, K. of C. lower hall, 75 West School St.

**Tuesday, May 3**

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

**Thursday, May 5**

- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. — "Prevention Day," sponsored by the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center, Building 149, Charlestown Navy Yard
- 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Mock Trials celebrating Law Day, Charlestown District Court, City Square, with an awards ceremony at 7 p.m.
- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant
- 3 p.m. — Court St. Jude No. 1123, C.D.A. Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7:30 p.m. — BHCC Department of Theatre presents "Carnival," A-300 Auditorium, Bunker Hill Community College

**Friday, May 6**

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Pre-school Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Liam Tiernan in Concert, to benefit the Bunker Hill Day Parade, American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.
- 7:30 p.m. — BHCC Department of Theatre presents "Carnival," A-300 Auditorium, Bunker Hill Community College

**Saturday, May 7**

- 9 a.m. to noon — Doherty Park Cleanup, sponsored by the Charlestown Preservation Society, the Friends of the Doherty Park and the Boston Parks Department, Doherty Park, Bunker Hill Street
- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Courageous Sailing Center Open House, Pier 4, Charlestown Navy Yard
- 2 p.m. — BHCC Department of Theatre presents "Carnival," A-300 Auditorium, Bunker Hill Community College

**Thursday, May 12**

- 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. — Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart "Let's Make Smoking History" Day, sponsored by MGH Bunker Hill Health Center, Johnnie's Foodmaster, Bunker Hill Mall
- 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. — Lions Eyemobile, sponsored by the Charlestown Lions Club, Bunker Hill Mall
- 6 p.m. — Annual Old Charlestown Schoolboys' Association Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Following 7 p.m. Mass — Giant Parish Bola, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Robin Lane presents "First Ladies," sponsored by the Charlestown Preservation Society and the Friends of the Library, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

**Saturday, May 14**

- 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Book Sale, sponsored by the Friends of the Library, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — House Tour of Charlestown, sponsored by the Charlestown Preservation Society, starting from the former high school on Monument Square
- 7:30 p.m. — An Evening of Entertainment with The Superstars, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, May 15**

- Family Fun Day, sponsored by the Healthy Charlestown Coalition

- noon — Charlestown Business Association Luncheon and Meeting, Tavern-On-The-Water, Pier 6, Charlestown Navy Yard
  - 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
  - 7:30 p.m. — Overeaters Anonymous, Gen. Warren Elderly Complex, rear of 110 Rutherford Ave.
  - 8 p.m. — Al-Anon Meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, Mary Colbert Apartments (side entrance), 20 Devens St.
- Wednesday, May 4**
- 10 a.m. — Charlestown Healthy Aging Program (CHAP) Meeting, Community Room, Constitution Co-op Apartments, 42 Park St.
  - 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
  - 7 to 8 p.m. — Charlestown Rose Applications available from the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.
  - 7 p.m. — Monument Square Neighborhood Association Quarterly Meeting, 4 Monument Square, No. 2
  - 8 p.m. — Convivium Musicum Concert, St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St.

**Upcoming Events**

- 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. — Charlestown Artists Exhibit Reception and Awards, sponsored by the Charlestown Preservation Society and the National Park Service, Preble Room, Building 5, Charlestown Navy Yard
- Sunday, May 8**
- 6:30 p.m. — CH.A.M.P.: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- Monday, May 9**

**CURBSIDE NEWSPAPER RECYCLING WEEK**  
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- 10:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. — Toddler Storytime with stories, songs, games, fingerplays and fun for children 2 and 3 and their parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
  - 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Mothers Support Group, sponsored by CHAD, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.
- Tuesday, May 10**
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
  - noon — Brown Bag Bookies adult book discussion meeting featuring **Fifth Business** by Robertson Davies, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
  - 7:30 p.m. — Overeaters Anonymous, Gen. Warren Elderly Complex, rear of 110 Rutherford Ave.
  - 8 p.m. — Al-Anon Meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, Mary Colbert Apartments (side entrance), 20 Devens St.
- Wednesday, May 11**
- 1 to 2:30 p.m. — Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy Office Hours, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
  - 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

**Plan Ahead**

**Friday, May 20**

- 7 p.m. — Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association Reunion, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant, Constitution Plaza

**Saturday, May 21**

- 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Spring Rummage Sale, First Church in Charlestown, Green Street
- noon — First Annual River Run/Walk, starting at Bunker Hill Community College, New Rutherford Avenue

**Sunday, May 22**

- noon to 4 p.m. — Flea Market, sponsored by Charlestown Pop Warner, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

**Saturday, May 28**

- 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. — Annual Charlestown Lions Club Breakfast, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Friday, June 3**

- 8 p.m. — Charlestown Rose Contest, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, June 12**

- 12:30 p.m. — Annual Bunker Hill Day Parade

**Friday, June 17**

- 6 p.m. — Celebration of the 30th anniversary of the J.F. Kennedy Family Service Center, Charlestown Navy Yard

**Saturday, July 9**

- 7 p.m. — Townie Reunion for Old Lawrence Street Neighborhood, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

## CHAD Members Discuss Recent And Future Events

by Melissa Doherty

On April 22, the bi-monthly meeting of Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) took place at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club. There were over 20 people present representing over 12 community and city organizations. The meeting focused on the discussion of recent and future events that CHAD is participating in or sponsoring.

Some events that CHAD has been involved in are the "Just the Facts Day," held on April 9 at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club. More than 90 Charlestown youth were educated on topics such as smoking, drug abuse, hate, AIDS and anger. There was also a Parent Workshop held at the Club on April 21. This workshop focused on the various ways parents could discipline their children. On April 24, a delegation from CHAD took part in a parade that was held for the opening of the Little League season, starting at Hayes Square and concluding at the Ryan Field in Sullivan Square. However, the most important activity that CHAD has been involved in is the youth newspaper "The Other End." The paper is written by teens for teens and is headquartered at the Kennedy Center.

CHAD also has many events planned for the coming weeks. Saturday, April 30 is the 3rd Annual BAD Forum to be held at Don Bosco Technical High School, and youth from Charlestown will attend. Monday, May 9 is Tobacco Control Ad-

vocacy Day at the State House on Beacon Hill. This day will give people the opportunity to hear the latest in Massachusetts tobacco control developments, and a chance to meet their legislators. This year's Family Fun Day, sponsored by the Healthy Charlestown Coalition, will be held on Sunday, May 15. There will be games, entertainment, food and square dancing. CHAD encourages parents to bring their children and enjoy themselves. There will also be the annual Citywide Peer Conference on Monday, May 23. This is an event "by young people for young people," and the cost is \$5.

Tom Desmond, director of the CHAD Tennis Team, announced that the United States Tennis Association has named the local team a New England award winner. Desmond will travel with tennis team member Anthony Matson to Conn. to accept the award. This award is important because it recognizes the determination and talent of the team, and also might bring in a corporate sponsor.

The Raymond Group presented CHAD with a \$5,000 donation at the meeting. The Raymond Group donates to CHAD because they feel that it is the only Charlestown association that contributes to all areas and organizations in the community.

The next CHAD meeting is at noon on Friday, May 6, at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St., and is open to the public.

## O'Neil Joins Mintz & Hoke/Boston

Patrick O'Neil of Charlestown has joined Mintz & Hoke Advertising and Public Relations/Boston, as an Account Coordinator according to Steve Sullivan, president of the Boston office. O'Neil works on a variety of the agency's accounts including Wendy's.

Prior to joining Mintz & Hoke/Boston, O'Neil interned at Ingalls, Quinn & Johnson, The Weber Group and Miller Communications, all in Boston. He is a graduate of Boston College.

Mintz & Hoke has offices in Avon, Conn. and Boston, and serves a roster of clients including The 1995 Special Olympic World Games, Aetna Life



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## Law Day Program At Charlestown District Court

The annual Law Day program will be held on Thursday, May 5, at the Charlestown District Court. The schedule for the day starts with the probation staff speaking at local schools from 9 to 11 a.m., and from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., mock trials will be held.

Residents are invited to sit as a jury member at the mock trials during the day. The trials are scheduled as follows: Charlestown High School vs. the Edwards Middle School at 11 a.m.;

the Kent School vs. the Warren-Prescott School at 1 p.m.; and at 3 p.m., Charlestown Catholic Elementary School vs. the Back To School Program.

Beginning at 7 p.m., there will be an awards ceremony with guest speakers, a fife and drum musical performance and a special surprise to be announced.

Refreshments will be served in the foyer immediately following the ceremony, and the public is cordially invited.

## Manganelli On Honor Roll

Sister Cathy Clifford, principal of Arlington Catholic High School, is pleased to announce that Francis C. Manganelli of Charlestown has achieved honor roll status for the third quarter of the 1993-1994 academic year. He is a member of the Class of 1996.

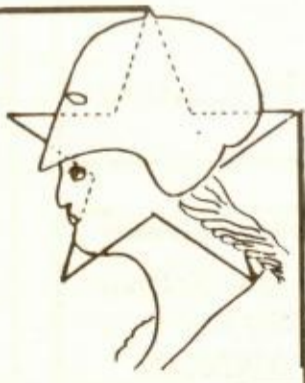
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## 50th Anniversary Celebration 'Oklahoma!' Comes To The Wang Center

"Oklahoma!", the great American musical, sweeps into the Wang Center for the Performing Arts from May 17 through May 22 as part of its 50th Anniversary Celebration Tour. The press opening is Wednesday, May 18, at 7 p.m.

This beloved and enduring classic forever revolutionized the Broadway stage, when it opened on March 31, 1943. It was the first of many triumphant collaborations of Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein II, and introduced the outstanding choreography of Agnes De Mille, changing the face of musical theatre forever.

The innovative dances and enchanting score still refreshes and cheers audiences with unforgettable songs including, "Oh, What a Beautiful Mornin'," "People Will Say We're in Love," "The Surrey With the Fringe On Top," and its title song, the only Broadway showstopper to become a U.S. state song. "Oklahoma!" is currently being honored as a postage stamp.

"Oklahoma!" is set in the

summer of 1907 as two young lovers, Laurey (April Harr) and Curly (George Merrick), venture down the road to romance. Interfering with their true love is Jud Fry (Craig Benham), the gloomy farmhand who helps Laurey and Aunt Eller (Pamela Gregory) with their chores. Additional featured roles are Will Parker (Brian Myers), his sweetheart, Ado Annie (Amanda E. Watkins), who sings the memorable song, "I Cain't Say No," her father, Andrew Carnes (Albert Parker) and Ali Hakim (Rick Ginn), a flirtatious peddler who sells anything to everyone.

The beautiful and dream-like choreography of "Oklahoma!" is recreated by Daniel Pelzig. Pelzig's background includes ballet, opera and musical theatre. He has choreographed tours of "Grand Hotel," "My One and Only," "Meet Me in St. Louis," "West Side Story," "The King and I" and "The Mystery of Edwin Drood." Earlier this year, Pelzig became the 1994 Gold Medal winner of Boston Ballet's

International Choreographers Competition.

Director Linda Brovsky has directed "La Traviata" with the San Francisco Opera Center, "La Boheme" with the Florentine Opera, "Don Pasquale" with the Palm Beach Opera and "Carmen" with the Knoxville Opera, plus many others.

The additional creative team for "Oklahoma!" includes: James Fouchard, Scenic Designer; Dean Brown, Costume Designer; and Marcia Madeira, Lighting Designer.

Performances and prices for "Oklahoma!" at the Wang Center for the Performing Arts May 17-22 are as follows: Tuesday through Saturday at 8 p.m., Saturday and Sunday at 2 p.m., tickets are \$49.50, \$44.50, \$32.50, \$27.50 and \$15; Thursday at 2 p.m., tickets are: \$47.50, \$42.50, \$30, \$25 and \$15. Half-price tickets are available for students and seniors at the Thursday matinee.

For ticket information, call the Wang Center at 482-9393.

## On Honor Roll At Newman Prep

Francis L. Donelan, dean of Newman Preparatory School in Boston, has announced that Michael K. Melaugh, son of Herbert and Diane Melaugh of 18 Old Ironsides Way, Charlestown, has been named to the honor roll.

To qualify for this honor, a student must maintain an average of 85 or higher for the first half of an academic session. If this excellence continues for the entire spring session, the student will be appointed to the dean's list.

## Gallagher Awarded Scholarship

Corey Gallagher, daughter of James and Lois Gallagher of 97B 13th St., Charlestown, is the 1994-1995 recipient of the Elaine A. Redgate Scholarship awarded by Matignon High School of Cambridge.

The scholarship, established by Howard Redgate, M.H.S. '64, in memory of his mother, is given to reward the industry of a young, talented woman from Charlestown who demonstrates academic responsibility and displays school citizenship. The scholarship is in the amount of \$1,500.

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



• **It Was A Great Occasion . . .** last Saturday night as seven were honored at the Charlestown Community Appreciation Awards dinner . . . Congratulations to The Red Store, Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, Charles McAfee, Mary Featherston, John Walsh, Kolleen Hayes and Terry Ring . . . Also, congrats to the hard-working committee on a great job!

• **Just A Reminder . . .** to those who would like to send greetings to their mom, grandma or special lady on Mother's Day through the pages of the Patriot, your advertisements must reach us by this coming Monday, May 2nd at noon!

• **Andy . . . This Bud's For You . . .** Edward "Bud" Whelan was credited in last week's story on the Thompson Square groundbreaking with accompanying his sister Kathleen "Cookie" Giordano to the ceremony . . . The truth of the matter is that it was Andy Whelan pictured at the event soaked from the pouring rain while Bud was home and dry . . . Sorry Andy!

• **Old Charlestown Schoolboys . . .** will hold their 81st reunion on Thursday, May 12 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. . . Membership is open to men who attended school in Charlestown prior to 1945 . . . For more info. or a membership application, give Ken Awbrey a call at 242-3573.

• **Old Charlestown Schoolgirls . . .** will hold their annual reunion on Friday, May 20 at Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant, Constitution Plaza, starting with a social hour at 7 p.m. . . Membership in the association is open to women who attended school in Charlestown prior to 1950 . . . For more info. or a membership application, write to the OCSGA, P.O. Box 276, Charlestown or pick up an application at the Patriot office, One Thompson Square.

• **Get Well Wishes . . .** go out to Jack Loan who is recuperating from surgery at the Lawrence Memorial Hospital . . . We know he would appreciate a greeting or two from his many friends, and cards should be sent to the hospital at 170 Governors Ave., Medford . . . Get well soon, Jack!

• **It's A Busy Birthday Week . . .** coming up in town . . . with Judy Evers (Jr.) celebrating today, April 28th . . . the Charlestown Branch Library's pride and joy Maureen Marx partying on April 29th . . . Barbara Kelly's big day is April 30th . . . Carissa Upton will celebrate her 1st birthday on May 1st, a date shared by Phillip O'Neill, who will turn 11, and Melanie Marsden, who, we understand, will be on her way to Australia come September . . . May 2nd is the 85th birthday of Ed McGuinness . . . Mary MacInnes will party for sure on May 3rd . . . and May 4th is shared by Evan Flanagan, who will turn 3, and Sal Giarrantani . . . Happy Birthday to you all!

• **Anniversary Wishes . . .** go out to Joan and Ed McKinnon who will celebrate 29 years of wedded bliss on May 1st . . . Best wishes for many more!

• **CYO Gym Hockey . . .** will celebrate the end of a successful season when the players, their coaches, the board and family members gather for the annual awards banquet starting at 6 p.m. tonight, Thursday, April 28th at the K. of C. Hall.


• **A Rose Is A Rose Is A Rose . . .** and applications for the 12th annual Charlestown Rose Contest are available for only a short time from the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee . . . As of April 26th, two more names have been added to list of young lassies who have declared their intentions of seeking the title of 1994 Charlestown Rose . . . Kelly Burke and Beth Golden join Kelly Moloney, Sharon Durban, Kolleen Hayes and Meg Lillis . . . Also, the committee has announced that the tour of Ireland will be from Aug. 1 to 14. Give a call to Arthur Hurley at 242-2724 for more info.


• **25th Anniversary Walk For Hunger . . .** will take place this Sunday, May 1st . . . Join more than 46,000 people to raise funds to help hungry families. Register for the Walk between 7 and 9 a.m. at the Boston Common . . . Walk Guides with important info. may be obtained by calling Project Bread at 723-5000.


• **The 10th Anniversary Celebration . . .** of BNN-TV's Neighborhood Network News will be held at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4th at Faneuil Hall featuring Boston newsmakers, 1984-1994. It is open to the public, free of charge.

• **Liam Tiernan In Concert . . .** will be on Friday evening, May 6th at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. . . and all proceeds will benefit the Bunker Hill Day Parade . . . Tickets, priced at just \$5, are available at the Patriot office, One Thompson Square or by calling Arthur Hurley at 242-2724 . . . Tickets are going fast, don't be left out.

• **Don't Forget . . .** the gigantic meat raffle at 1 p.m. this Saturday, April 30th at the K. of C. Hall . . . Come on down, take a chance and support the Bunker Hill Day Parade!


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Happy Sweet 16  
**KELLY**  
on April 29th!  
Love, Lipstick Face, Tiffany

  
Happy 21st Birthday  
May 2nd  
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**DEBBIE**  
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and Son Timmy



## around the town

by Gloria S. Conway

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

The monthly meeting of the council will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 3 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Among the items on the agenda will be an update on the Courageous Sailing Center on Pier 4 in the Charlestown Navy Yard by Kathy Kelleher; a presentation by Kathy Qualitz, executive director of the Dennis McLaughlin House, on the plans for the facility's opening in the Armed Services YMCA in the Charlestown Navy Yard; and information on the local Farmers' Market.

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

★ **Main Street Traffic Light . . .** Numerous inquiries have been received on when the traffic light at Main and Essex streets will be put into service. The long-awaited traffic light is about to be a reality.

According to Judy Evers, community liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, it will be "any day now." On Wednesday morning, she was told by Frank Tramontozzi, acting director of the Boston Transportation Department, that "the crews are out there now, and it will be stop and go by Friday."

★ **Sullivan Square . . .** At approximately 9:30 a.m. on Monday, April 25, the report of a strong smell of gas brought Boston Gas, the Boston Fire Department (BFD), the Boston Police Department and Boston Health and Hospitals Emergency Services to the Sullivan Square area.

According to a BFD spokesperson, people were evacuated from buildings at Spice and Cambridge streets, including Priscilla of Boston. Reports were that homes in the Brighton and Parker streets area were filled with the very strong gas odor, and many were checked out by Boston Gas employees.

The MBTA yard at Sullivan Square was also evacuated, and six people from that facility were taken to the hospital. He stated that a total of 12 people were taken to the hospital with complaints of lightheadedness and nausea, and all were treated and released.

Frank Arricale, public information officer for Boston Gas, stated that initially it was treated as a gas leak but as the investigation continued, it was found to be a chemical called Mercaptan that is added to natural gas so it can be detected. He noted that natural gas has no smell. Arricale went on to say that the substance was "not hazardous, nor was it toxic, but it might cause an upset stomach."

Arricale stated that the Boston Gas system was thoroughly checked and found to be safe.

The BFD said the odor seemed to come out of Everett initially, with reports com-

ing in on a straight line along Route 99. Arricale said that complaints were received by Boston Gas from the Watertown and Newton areas within its district, and further reports came in from Natick, Framingham and Worcester, appearing to follow the route of the Mass. Turnpike.

The cause remains a mystery to the BFD and Boston Gas. Arricale said that Boston Gas is not conducting any further investigation but the federal authorities may be looking into the matter.

★ **Cleaning Up Charlestown . . .** Clean-up efforts will be going on in three sections of the town on Saturday, May 7.

From 9 a.m. to noon, the Charlestown Preservation Society and the Friends of the Doherty Park will take on the annual task of cleaning up the Doherty Playground. Participants are asked to meet in the park at 9 a.m. to get their tools, gloves and T-shirt.

The annual clean up of the Mishawum Park Housing Development will get underway at 10 a.m. with participants meeting at 41 Tibbetts Town Way.

A clean up of the Charlestown business district, sponsored by the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services and the Boston Public Works Department, will be from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Participants are asked to meet at Peg & Al's Store, 277 Main St.

For more information, please call Judy Evers at the Mayor's Office, 635-3485, or Charlestown Neighborhood Council Chairman Peter Looney at 242-4032.

★ **Monument Square . . .** The Monument Square Neighborhood Association will hold its quarterly meeting on Wednesday, May 4 at 4 Monument Square, No. 2. There will be an opportunity to meet neighbors between 7 and 7:30 p.m., with the meeting beginning at 7:30 p.m.

★ **Recycling Charlestown . . .** The Charlestown Recycling Volunteers have announced that in addition to its monthly recycling of clear and mixed colored glass bottles and jars, tin and aluminum food and beverage cans, plastic no. 1 and 2 bottles and brown paper and corrugated cardboard, Goodwill Industries will be on hand for the May collection.

The drop-off will be between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 14 in the parking lot adjacent to Johnnie's Foodmaster in the Bunker Hill Mall. Goodwill will be accepting any clean and useable clothing and household items.

Also, volunteers are needed for collection day. For more information or to volunteer, call Edith Jones at 241-5452.

★ **Trash . . . Trash . . . Trash . . .** A spokesperson from the city of Boston Code Enforcement has reported that complaints have been arriving at that office in increasing numbers as to the time, manner and method of placing trash at the curbside.

Last week the residential regulations were published. This week the focus is on commercial trash regulations.

- No rubbish will be placed out for collection on a public street, sidewalk or alley between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m.

- Rubbish may be picked up during these hours but it must be transported from your premises where it is stored.

- Rubbish must be stored in durable containers, dumpsters or tightly secured plastic bags.

- Dumpsters must be placed on private property; have lids which are closed at all times; and be picked up regularly to avoid a health hazard.

- Rubbish shall not be placed out in cartons or paper bags.

- Receptacles must be returned to their normal place of storage as soon as possible. When pickup occurs between the hours of 7 a.m. and 8 p.m., receptacles must be returned to their place of storage immediately.

- Storage containers, dumpsters and storage areas must be thoroughly cleaned following the removal of garbage and rubbish.

- The business owner is responsible for cleaning up the loose trash from the sidewalk following collection.

- These regulations will be strictly enforced, and violators will be fined.

Any complaints regarding violations of these regulations should be forwarded to Code Enforcement at 635-4896.

★ **Board Of Appeal Hearings . . .** The city of Boston Board of Appeal will hold hearings on two Charlestown properties on Tuesday, May 10 in Room 801 at Boston City Hall.

At 9:30 a.m., Andrew Tiffany will present his petition before the board asking permission to construct a shed dormer and enlarge an existing dormer on a one-family

dwelling at 6 Bunker Hill Court.

At 10 a.m., John Sitton will appear before the board for a re-hearing at which time he will request the change in the legal occupancy of 8 Allston St. from a two-family to a three-family dwelling.

★ **Street Reconstruction Update . . .** The Boston Redevelopment Authority's reconstruction of Union, Tremont and Winthrop streets began on Monday, April 25. The contractor, The Middlesex Corporation, will initially concentrate on Tremont and Winthrop streets.

Middlesex began the widening of Tremont Street at Lowney Way by removing the existing wall and excavating and grading the empty field. They will continue to grade, have begun the footing for the new relocated wall and have coordinated with the utility companies for pole relocations and gas main extensions for the new lights. A second crew started installing drainage pipe and structures in Winthrop Street.

This contract is commonly referred to as the "Three Streets Contract" because of the total reconstruction of Union, Winthrop and Tremont streets, but includes the installation of gas lights and pavement repairs to Cordis, Boyle, Pleasant and Soley streets, Monument and Cordis Street avenues, and Monument Square. Middlesex hopes to get the major street reconstruction done by the end of June and then concentrate on the gas lights, pavement grinding and overlays in July. Because of the long lead time necessary for the manufacturing of gas light poles and heads, they will be installed toward the end of the project in September/October, along with the fall tree plantings. The schedule takes into account the planned Bunker Hill Day festivities.

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

### NOTICE

The construction contract between the Middlesex Corporation and the Boston Redevelopment Authority has been signed and the BRA has issued the notice to proceed for the reconstruction of Winthrop, Union and Tremont streets along with the installation of lights on Cordis, Boyle, Pleasant, and Soley streets, Monument and Cordis Street avenues, and Monument Square. The reconstruction includes the installation of new gas street lighting, drainage improvements, tree planting and complete street and sidewalk reconstruction.

Activities during the first phase of work will be limited mainly to Winthrop Street and Tremont Street. The work on Tremont Street began this week with excavation to remove and rebuild the stone retaining wall at the Lowney Way end of the street. On Winthrop Street, work crews are installing new building roof drain connections along with the other storm drain improvements. Installation of gas piping for the street lamps will begin shortly.

Leaflets were distributed last week to inform the residents in these areas of the scheduled construction activities and to allow them to plan for alternate parking arrangements during the construction hours of 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Residents are reminded that parking is currently prohibited during these hours on Winthrop and Tremont streets. We regret that violators will have to be towed at their own expense.

For questions, concerns or complaints, residents can call Community Liaison Peter Looney at 722-4300, ext. 5674.



1994 Charlestown Boys & Girls Club

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# Hundreds Pause To Remember Victims Of Violence At Candlelight Vigil Sponsored By CH.A.M.P.



SEVERAL HUNDRED family members, friends and neighbors gathered at St. Catherine's Church on April 24 to take part in a Candlelight Vigil sponsored by the CHARlestown After Murder Program (CH.A.M.P.) to remember Charlestown victims of violence. TOP ROW: At the left is Kenny Giordano, a bagpiper from the Kevin Barry Bagpipe Band, played outside the church prior to the service . . . Speakers at Sunday's service in-

cluded (l. to r.) Deputy Superintendent Robert Hayden, Area A, Boston Police Department . . . Sandy King . . . Gene Lawrence . . . Maureen McCallum . . . Rev. William McConnell . . . and Police Officer Joseph Twomey. SECOND ROW: At the left, Joe Glynn sings "My Son" . . . "Ah, Poor Bird" is sung by (l. to r.) Maureen McCallum, Kendra Rogers on the recorder, Colleen Hoell, Debra Rogers, Erin McCallum and Lisa Bowers.

BOTTOM ROW: On the left, Jennifer Johnson, Trudy Brennan, Cheryl Bowers and Debra Kerns Maher read the names of the victims while Matthew King tolls a bell at each name. Balloons bearing the names of the victims were then released toward the sky. . . In the center are participants Michael MacDonald and Rev. Ronald Coyne . . . At the right, the gathering files to the altar to receive a lighted candle at the conclusion of the service.

## 'What Can One Individual Do To Prevent Violent Acts?'

by Andrea Webber  
(Second Place Winner)

There are only a few ways one individual can help to prevent violence, and I'm going to do one of those tasks. I'm going to help someone get out of a negative situation.

I know of someone who is a nice kid and all, who is in an awful circumstance. This person will stay anonymous. This person is always saying he's the best and when someone disagrees with him, or tells him he's wrong, he'll try to beat them up. My best friend and I have tried to help him in the past, but he won't stop. I think he just wants to prove to people that he's good at something and wants respect and attention. That is what I'm going to do for him, show him respect.

All people need respect. If someone is treated without any respect, then they will be self-conscious and think they are no good. This person is good. He is very good, and I'm going to try to put that point across to him.

## 'What Can One Person Do To Prevent Violent Acts?'

by Kerri Stone  
(First Place Winner)

I think that if we can get to the main root of violence, which is usually hatred, and begin to understand each other, we can try to stop the violence. It's sad, but if we can make people realize that hating, hurting and even killing someone over prejudice isn't the way to solve your problems, we may gradually be able to end violence.

A way we can do this is by speaking out, and doing something when you know someone's going to hurt somebody else. Not everything you try will work, but wouldn't it be worth the effort of knowing that you might not have changed everyone you spoke out to, but you could have changed one person?

Remember, it took one person to start violence and it's going to take one person to start putting an end to violence.

## 'What Can One Person Do To Prevent Violent Acts?'

by Christine Keane  
(Third Place Winner)

Violence is one of the biggest problems in the world. Violence is everywhere you look — in your state, city and neighborhood. If violence can be caused by one person, it can certainly be prevented by one, too.

One person can make a difference, even if it is sitting down and talking to another person who causes violence. If you talk about how violence affects people in different ways and the person listens, then they may start to change his or her life.

One individual may start a group and change the lives of many people. One person organizes a midnight basketball league for teens and young adults to go to, instead of being on the streets. Everyone has a job in our world and community to stop violence. One individual can do more than they think they can, if they set their mind to it!

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stairs into the church, they were greeted and presented with a scroll containing a copy of the poem, encircling a green carnation. On a bench in front of the altar rested photographs of many who have lost their lives to violence in Charlestown.

Music and scripture readings, poems and prayers carried the several hundred people in the church through personal thoughts and memories.

Enos told how the organization helps people who feel so alone after the violent death of a loved one, and she welcomed the gathering.

King, in her welcome, said that the people were present to remember those they had lost and loved so dearly.

Lawrence added that all were there to keep alive the memory of those they lost.

Father Ronald Coyne, pastor of St. Catherine's,

delivered the opening prayer, asking God to bless the gathering and the town so that no one else might have to suffer as those present.

He went on to say that it is a privilege and responsibility for St. Catherine's to welcome CH.A.M.P. and those whose lives have been devastated by murder. He said, "The church owes you a place to come and be strengthened."

Father Coyne noted that when people talk about violence, they talk about physical violence. He pointed out that "violence can also take a person's spirit." He went

on to say that when you put a person down, name call and tell that person over and over that they are no good, if the person hears it often enough, he or she will believe it and lose the will to live. He added, "To take away the will to live from another is most tragic." Father concluded by stating, "Don't just vow to put down weapons that destroy the body, vow to put down that which destroys the spirit."

Enos read from the book of Isaiah and Maureen McCallum read from Genesis. Father William McConnell of St. Francis de Sales deli-

vered the Responsorial Psalm. Tears flowed as Joe Glynn sang "My Son," accompanying himself on the guitar.

King thanked Rev. Daniel Mahoney, pastor of St. Francis de Sales, Father McConnell, law enforcement representatives present including Deputy Superintendents Robert Hayden and Ed McNelley, and District Attorney Ralph Martin, and Jim and Gloria Conway from the Patriot.

She said that these are among a lot of people who truly care. She noted that "we (CH.A.M.P.) never tried to put down Charlestown," adding that "if we pull together, we can change the only one little bit of Charlestown that's not good."

Michael MacDonald of South Boston, a member of Citizens For Safety (CFS), reflected on his young life. He called himself a "sur-

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# CH.A.M.P. Candlelight Vigil On Sunday

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vivor," noting that by the time he was 19 he had lost three brothers to the drug trade in South Boston, one of them murdered. In addition, his mother survived being shot and his sister is crippled, having been pushed off a roof.

MacDonald said he "got a message" that the only way he could fulfill his life is to work on violence, and he had to get involved.

With CFS, MacDonald is working citywide on crime and violence. He spoke of the gun buy-back program and conducting workshops with young people last summer. This summer CFS will be working with siblings of victims of violence. He concluded by stating, "You never heal, you learn to deal," adding that young people can also help in dealing with violence.

Deputy Hayden shared acts of violence that had affected his family and his professional life. He told the group that "what the police department wants is to be accessible" with people being able to call and knowing the officer driving by. He praised Charlestown and stated that there would be "accessibility as long as I am in Area A."

Police Officer Joe Twomey, who is stationed in Charlestown, spoke about the history of this town, particularly the patriots who fought injustice during the Revolutionary War. He stated, "We are here to help."

Enos introduced Kerri Stone, Andrea Webber and Christine Keane, the first-, second- and third-place winners in the CH.A.M.P.-sponsored essay contest on the subject "What Can One Individual Do To Prevent Violent Acts?" Each of the winners, who are students at Charlestown Catholic Elementary School, read their essays at the service.

Lawrence came to the podium telling the gathering that "it was time to make amends." He explained that his sister Judy was killed 10 years ago and he hadn't talked to her for 10 months prior to her death.

He stated: "I remember like it happened yesterday. When I got the message that my mother needed me right away. I knew, I sensed it — something terrible had happened."

"My mother told me to go up to Judy's apartment. She said the police and a lot of other people were there. There's a body there. Find out what's going on."

"I believe she knew then, as did my father and I. We just did not want to accept it. Judy had been murdered. We were still trying to accept the death of my younger brother James, who had died just 10 months earlier."

"To this very day, it's as if a bomb has gone off in the middle of our family. We all love and care for

each other, but I know from where I stand, none of us are the same persons, not since their deaths and especially Judy's murder.

"Judy was murdered by people we know and grew up with. My family and I have watched these people walk the streets of Charlestown, pretending they did nothing wrong."

"What sometimes hurts even more are the friends of Judy and our family, who knew who did this — people who held keys to solving the murder of my sister, their friend. Yet, they choose to stay silent. I understand the fear of retaliation. 'If I say something, they will come after me, too. I'm afraid they'll kill me.' These fears are real. What I can't understand are the people who refuse to come forward out of fear of what people may think or say about them. I'm sure if you knew what it is like to go on living as a survivor of a murder victim, you would realize what others think or say means very little. There were a lot of times my life meant and felt very little to me when Judy was murdered."

"Townie Pride had done it again."

"I am old enough to remember when Townie Pride stood for things posi-

tive about our town. We were rich with industry, rich with working-class people, rich with good athletes, decent schools and our neighbors and families meant something to us."

"We were Townies and proud of it."

"Well, I see Townie Pride turning to crap. Townie Pride is at the center, the nucleus of a storm that is raging through the lives of all of us. Surrounding this nucleus of pride is denial, silence, rigidity and fear. Even isolation."

"We continue to deny there is a problem when we make statements like, 'They probably deserved it,' or 'They had it coming.'"

"Silence. We've all heard about the silence. Not talking about our problems, whatever they are, does not make them go away."

"Rigidity. I was very rigid. I lived in this storm that raged through the lives of others. I could not see what I could do to change the way things were. It was suggested I not worry about other people, places or things, to be willing to change myself."

"This brought about a lot of fear. I needed a greater power than myself to guide me through my fears. For this, I turned to God. I have made a decision to turn my

will and my life over to the care of God. Today, I have a wonderful relationship with God. Having sought out and developed a conscious contact with God, my life has changed. God has taken away my sadness, eased my troubles and filled my life with gladness."

"The members of CH.-A.M.P. are doing their part to slow this storm of violence that continues to rage through our lives. We may never be able to stop this storm completely, but each and every one of you Townies can make a difference in slowing this storm even more. We may never know whose life we may save by slowing this storm."

"We, again, can be proud Townies if we are willing, as individuals, to do our part. It's your choice. God works through people."

Lawrence then played a recording of "Have I Told You Lately That I Love You."

During the service, soloist Debra Rogers, accompanied by Eric Anderson, sang "I Have Loved You," "The Greatest Love Of All" and "From a Distance." Also, Rogers and McCallum were joined by Lica Bowers, Colleen Hoell and Erin McCallum, with Kendra Rogers accompanying them on the recorder as they sang "Ah, Poor Bird." These young ladies, along with Tiani Fonseca, had served as junior hostesses

prior to the service.

As the service drew to a close, Father Coyne delivered a blessing and Trudi Brennan, Courtney Maher, Jason Kerns Gallo and Debra Kerns Maher approached the altar to light candles carried by each person at the Vigil from the Easter candle as they filed to the front of the church.

The gathering proceeded to the church steps with a candle in hand and stood in silence as the list of Charlestown victims of murder were read by Brennan, Jennifer Johnson, Cheryl Bowers and Debra Maher. As

each name was spoken, Matthew King tolled a handbell in his or her memory and white, green and gold balloons bearing the name of each victim were released into the afternoon sky.

Yes, there were many tears shed on Sunday, but there was laughter and joy and caring, as the victims of murder were remembered and strength and support were forthcoming for the other victims of murder — those who are left behind. *If their song is to continue, then we must do the singing.*

— Author Unknown



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## Doherty Named To Trial Court Advisory Committee

The Chief Justice for Administration and Management of the Trial Court, John E. Fenton Jr., announced the appointment of 18 members to serve on a newly established Trial Court Advisory Committee. The committee will study various issues and policies pertaining to the administration of the Trial Court and will make recommendations to Fenton. Among the members are Attorney Gerard F. Doherty, a resident of Charlestown.

The members, who will serve indefinite terms, consist of prominent attorneys, business and academic leaders and community repres-

entatives with diverse backgrounds and expertise. Fenton appointed Brian M. Hurley of Milton, an attorney at the Boston law firm of Rackemann, Sawyer and Brewster, as the committee's chairperson.

In announcing the new committee members, Fenton said, "I am very grateful to these distinguished individuals who are volunteering their time to serve as advisers to the Trial Court. With their breadth of knowledge and experience, I am confident that they will bring fresh insights and perspectives to important issues affecting the Trial Court administration."

## Courageous Sailing Center To Host Open Houses

The Courageous Sailing Center will host an open house on Saturday, May 7 and Saturday, May 21, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Center, located at Pier 4 of the Charlestown Navy Yard.

The open houses will feature free one-half hour sailboat rides, musical entertainment, refreshments and a 15 percent discount on memberships.

Established in 1986, the Courageous Sailing Center is the most progressive sailing club on Boston Harbor. A public/private partnership with the city of Boston Parks and Recreation Department, the Center pro-

vides opportunity for all to enjoy the sport of sailing at affordable costs. A variety of affordable memberships and instructional programs provide challenges for sailors of all levels. Lessons are offered between July 5 and Sept. 2. The Center encourages interested participants to call now for reservations.

The Center's facilities are handicap accessible and offer special programs, instruction and racing for the physically challenged. Each summer, the Center's free Youth Sailing Program teaches thousands of inner-city youth to sail.

For more information, contact the Courageous Sailing Center at 242-3821.

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## Local Chef's Club Takes Part In Boys & Girls Clubs Of Boston Competition

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on a budget, all valuable life lessons. Explaining why he has devoted three decades of his life to BGCB's aspiring chefs, Bunkley said, "I get a lot of self-satisfaction from doing something to help young lives." When he's not passing-on the "recipe for success" to his proteges, Bunkley is Director of Food Services for the Department of Youth Services in Jamaica Plain.

The Chef's Club program is hosted by each of BGCB's three clubhouses, with Bunkley dividing his time between them. Each week, the student chefs spend several hours in the kitchen, slicing, dicing and spicing under his watchful eye. Individual clubs are responsible for purchasing their own groceries, according to their meal plan and budget. While the main objective of the program is not to promote cooking as a vocation, several Chef's Club alumnae have graduated from culinary school and enjoy successful careers in the food service industry.

The Chef's Club is no "home economics" class. It serves a more practical purpose. The Roxbury group puts their culinary knowledge to work preparing dinner for other BGCB club members and staff who are in the clubhouse at night. In Charlestown, the Chef's Club has taken cooking one step further by starting its own catering service.

And how did Charlestown fare in this year's contest? Well, the dinner prepared by Assistant Chef Matt Ezekiel and members



**THE CHEF'S CLUB** of the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club faced formidable challenges from the Roxbury and South Boston clubs at the recent Cook-Off held at the Roxbury Clubhouse. **TOP ROW:** At the left, Head Chef and Chef's Club Director Howie Bunkley praises the local club's chicken cacciatore that captured the Best Presentation as John Fabiano holds the award . . . In the center, each Chef's Club member was presented with a chef's hat and apron. Shown

(l. to r.) Steven O'Neil, Derek Garceau, John Fabiano, Tony Tu, Matt Ezekiel, Thai Tu and Michael Woods . . . On the right, Steven O'Neil and Derek Garceau with the club's sign. **BOTTOM ROW:** On the left, judges begin the pleasurable task of sampling the food offerings from the three clubhouses and asking questions of the chefs on the preparation. Among the judges were Frank Bell of Small Planet Bar & Grill,

Darrell Settles of Bob the Chef and Steven Cassavoy of House of Blues . . . In the center (l. to r.) Frances Mosely, CEO and president of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston, and Russ Epker, chairman of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston Board, congratulate John Fabiano and the Charlestown Club on receiving the award . . . At the right, club members hold high their new roasting pan, won for the Best Presentation.

Steven O'Neil, Derek Garceau, Michael Woods, Thai Tu, Tony Tu and John Fabiano, with encouragement from Eileen O'Brien-Woods and Sheila Woods, was outstanding, to say the least, and their table was beautifully decorated as well. Although the local club missed out on the Silver Ladle

Award this year, they did capture the Best Presentation Award for their chicken cacciatore, and a new roasting pan is the prize brought home to Charlestown.

Next year, wait and see. The annual event is scheduled to be held on home turf at the Charlestown Clubhouse.

## Police Officer Assaulted At Hayes Square

Hundreds of participants at the Charlestown After Murder Program Candlelight Vigil at St. Catherine's Church exited the services on Sunday, April 24 with lit candle in hand to discover that an assault had taken place outside the church at a car parked at Corey and Vine streets.

Boston Police Officer Quion Riley had been assigned to Boston Police Commissioner Paul Evans who was attending the Vigil. He reports that he left the church and preceded the commissioner to his vehicle in which the commissioner's wife, Karen Evans, and his 9-year-old son, Paul Evans Jr., were passengers.

Riley states that he was sitting in the driver's seat of the vehicle using the cellular telephone when the suspect approached the driver's door from the rear of the car, reached through the open window and grabbed Riley by the left shoulder. The officer turned toward the suspect who then struck the officer several times on the left side of his face while yelling, "..... get out of my town" and "..... stay out of Charlestown."

According to the police report, Riley attempted to get out of the vehicle as the suspect pressed his body against the vehicle door, ripping at the officer's clothing and continually punching and yelling at the officer.

At this point in time,

Deputy Superintendent Robert E. Hayden and Officer Robert Guiney, who were coming out of the church, ran to the vehicle and pulled the suspect away from the car door. Riley then exited the vehicle and assisted Hayden and Guiney with the arrest. The suspect resisted violently, biting, kicking and yelling racial slurs.

The suspect was advised of his rights and transported to Area A-1 for booking. He was identified as John J. Locke, age 44, of Beverly, a former Charlestown resident.

Locke was charged with assault and battery with a dangerous weapon, a shod foot, three counts of assault and battery on a public official, and a civil rights

violation with bodily injuries, a felony. Locke appeared at the Charlestown District Court for arraignment on April 25. Following a meeting with a court-appointed psychiatrist, Judge Milton Wright sent him to Bridgewater State Hospital for 20 days of observation to determine if he is able to stand trial, and set \$25,000 cash bail.

Following Sunday's assault, the officers were treated at Mass. General Hospital and released. Riley suffered injuries to his face, lacerations inside his mouth, loosened teeth and lacerations to his hand. Guiney was treated for a bite wound to his left wrist and a strained lower back. Hayden suffered bruised right ribs.



**THE SUSPECT** in an assault on Boston Police Officer Quion Riley, John J. Locke, age 44, is escorted by Police Officer Robert Guiney and an unidentified officer to a waiting patrol car at Hayes Square shortly after 5 p.m. on Sunday, April 24.

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COMMANDER Arthur Hurley congratulates Katherine McDonagh who was sponsored by Bunker Hill Post 26, A.L. in the recent Suffolk County District 7, A.L. High School Oratorical Contest.

Suffolk County District 7, A.L. Oratorical Contest



BUNKER HILL POST 26, The American Legion was the sponsor and host for the recently held District 7, A.L. High School Oratorical Contest. Shown seated (l. to r.) are: First place winner Julie Barnes, a senior at Milton Academy; second place, senior Latoyia C. Foster, fourth place, freshman Maitiu Oheigeartaigh and fifth place, junior Katherine McDonagh, all students at Boston Latin Academy; and third place, Paul Lydon, a senior at Catholic Memorial. Standing (l. to

r.) Legion National Executive Committeeman Nicholas D'Alessandro; Judges William "Bill" Foley, chief of interpretation, Boston National Historical Park, Margaret "Peggy" Ings, coordinator for the Midtown Cultural District for the BRA, Nancy Keyes, director of auxiliary services, Bunker Hill Community College; Contest Chairman Jim Conway; and District 7, A.L. Oratorical Chairman John Walsh.

Voke Announces Free Financial Aid Hotline Tonight

Rep. Richard A. Voke has announced that a toll-free hotline will be available tonight to answer any and all questions relative to financial aid and financial aid award offers. The hotline, sponsored by the Mass. Educational Financing Authority (MEFA) in cooperation with the Mass. Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators (MASFAA), is designed to help prospective college students and their families through the critical time of the college selection process.

"I am extremely pleased to help make people aware of this outstanding service for college students and their families. The timing of the hotline is perfect because colleges and universities are beginning to notify applicants of their admission decisions and many families have questions about the various financing options available to them. This hotline will help students make the sometimes difficult decision on whether or not they can afford the school of their choice," noted Voke.

The hotline will be available tonight, Thursday, April 28, between 5:30 and 8 p.m., and can be reached by calling 1-800-842-1531. The hotline will be staffed by financial aid experts from MASFAA and MEFA who will be able to answer both general and very specific questions that may arise.

MEFA is a non-profit, quasi-public authority providing middle income families with low interest, fixed and variable rate loans through their MassPlan.

We Are So Grateful

Dear Gloria,

We have no words that can explain how grateful we are to all of those who helped us and Baby Kyle through the past year.

We know everyone that knew Baby Kyle is mourning his loss.

We also know, Baby Kyle is an angel in heaven and will watch over all who loved him.

There will always be a special place in our hearts for the people of Charlestown.

Sincerely,  
Cindy & Bob Fitzpatrick  
and Families

There will be a Mass of the Angels said for Baby Kyle at St. Francis de Sales Church at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 30 (Month's Mind Mass)

State Treasury Seeks To Return \$70 Million In Unclaimed Property

State Treasurer Joe Malone announced that the State Treasury has compiled a list of individuals and organizations who have money waiting for them under the Commonwealth's abandoned property law.

"This year, over \$70 million has been turned over to my office as unclaimed property," Malone said. "I urge every citizen to check the abandoned property listing we publish, because we are eager to return all of this money to its rightful owners."

Under Massachusetts' abandoned property law, accounts which have been inactive for more than three years are declared abandoned and turned over to the State Treasury for safekeeping. Unclaimed property consists of any financial asset that has not had any owner-generated activity for an extended period of time. This includes savings accounts, checking accounts, unpaid wages or commissions, stocks, underlying shares, uncashed dividends, customers deposits or overpayments, certificates of deposit, credit balances, refunds, money orders, paid-up life insurance policies and uncashed benefit checks.

In accordance with Massachusetts' Unclaimed Property Act, property becomes "Unclaimed" when the owner does not respond to attempts by the holder of the asset for a three-year period and fifteen years in the case of travelers checks.

Under the law, the "Holders" (Banks, Insurance Companies, Businesses, etc.) must make a determined effort to locate the true owner. If they are unsuccessful, they are to report the names and last known address of the owners to the State Treasury. The money is then deposited in the General Fund. Owners can always claim their financial assets and there is no time limit on claiming the money. Owners and their heirs need not pay a finder's fee to anyone to claim what is rightfully theirs. All funds accrue interest until claimed.

Anyone who sees their name on the unclaimed property published list may call Treasurer Malone's office at 367-0400, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. When calling, respondents should give the name as it appears on the list, plus current address, address three years ago, social se-

curity number and daytime telephone number.

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# CHAD Sponsors 'Just The Facts' Day At The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club





by Melissa Doherty

The sixth annual "Just the Facts Day" was held at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club on April 9 for Charlestown youth ages 6-12. The event, which was co-sponsored by Boston Against Drugs (BAD) and Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD), gave children the opportunity to learn more about the problems facing them today.

The event, which 90 children attended, centered around six different workshops. The children were divided into two age groups, 6-8 and 9-12, and then given color-coded cards that represented different workshops. The younger group attended workshops entitled "Substance Abuse Prevention," "Tobacco Abuse Prevention," "Anger Management" and "Conflict and Resolution". The older children also attended the substance and tobacco workshops, and in addition attended "Hate Is Against the Law" and "HIV/AIDS." Each child attended all of the workshops in their age group, and had the opportunity to ask questions and discuss their feelings.

The workshops, each with 10-12 children, also used other methods to teach them the facts and hazards of the various topics. The abuse prevention workshops were based on presentations. However, the children used games and storytelling in the anger and conflict workshops. The

older children received information from Sgt. Brian Flynn of the Boston Police Department's Community Disorders Unit, on the topic of hate crimes. In addition, the Red Cross helped the youth learn the causes and prevention of HIV and AIDS. The children also received a visit from Mayor Tom Menino, who stopped in to view the different workshops.

A unique aspect of the day was the participation of teen "peer leaders" who led the discussions in both of the abuse-prevention workshops. The teens from the South Boston Boys & Girls Club and the East Boston Youth Outreach Program have been trained on a specific topic and taught how to relate their knowledge to other youth. The peer leaders also helped in the workshop on HIV/AIDS. Peer leadership training programs are currently taking place in Charlestown, at the Edwards Middle School and at Charlestown High. The teens are being taught about drugs, alcohol and the statewide violence prevention campaign "Words not Weapons." This will give Charlestown teens the opportunity to lecture local young people and others about the dangers of drugs, smoking and violence.

At the end of the day, the participants took part in a raffle prize drawing. The children had received tickets for

the drawing at each workshop they attended, and then had the chance to win various prizes.

Charlestown resident Krystina Harrington, 8, said: "My mother smokes and I'm trying to make her stop." She already knew that cigarettes made people's hands and clothes smell, but she learned from Just the Facts Day that smoke can infect your lungs. "I don't want to get infected and die."

Elvis Santos, 10, also of Charlestown liked the day "because I learned a lot". He especially enjoyed the workshop on HIV/AIDS because he learned that it is important for mothers to be healthy. "They can give AIDS to their babies, if they have it," he said.

Jerry Steimel, director of the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club and Treasurer of CHAD, felt that the day was "the best ever. As far as what we were able to offer the kids, [they] got a lot of information," he said.

Sgt. Flynn was greatly impressed with the day and the participation of the children. "The response of the kids was great. At this age, they treat kids as kids and do not judge them by color," he said. Flynn commended the organizers of the event, adding "that's the time and age to get them." He also felt that the children he met were a "great group of kids."

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## Crew's Navy Yard Aerobics Launch 1994 World Health Events

The opening ceremony for the 1994 U.S. World Health observance took place in the Charlestown Navy Yard on April 4, before the crew of the USS Constitution and others assembled for the annual physical fitness aerobics workout and run. This year's theme is "Oral Health For A Healthy Life" and ushers in a full year of happenings to recognize the essential role of oral health in promoting good health.

The Charlestown observance, as in past years, began with the 8 a.m. morning gun salute and colors. Attending with crowns and sashes, were Miss Massachusetts-USA Michelle Atamian and Mrs. Massachusetts Karen Faye, who is also Miss Physical Fitness-United States.

Also in attendance were Capt. Robin Lawrence, DDS, MPH, acting director, Division of Health Services Delivery, U.S. Public Health Service, Region 1, who will be heading up the Year Of Oral Health for Region 1; MG Robert C. Davenport, Ret., past president, National Sojourners, New England Chapter No. 12; and Officer Joseph F. McNulty, Community Services, Area A, Boston Police Department.

Emil Fleischaker, representing the American Association for World Health, displayed a proclamation from Mayor Thomas Menino heralding World Health Day, distributed copies of



DISPLAYING the Kokopelli 1994 World Health Day poster during the opening ceremony of this year's U.S. World Health observance in the Charlestown Navy Yard are (l. to r.) Emil Fleischaker, representing the American Association for World Health; Seaman Recruit Audrey Lynch of Portales, N.M.; Mrs. Massachusetts Karen Faye; and Seaman Chadwick Williams of Ann Arbor, Mich. Both Lynch and Williams are assigned to the "USS Constitution."



ATTENDEES at the 1994 World Health Day event at the Charlestown Navy Yard included (l. to r.) Mrs. Massachusetts Karen Faye, Police Officer Joe McNulty of Area A of the Boston Police Department and Miss Massachusetts USA Michelle Atamian.

letters from Mass. Senators Edward Kennedy and John Kerry endorsing the objectives of the World Health Organization, and showed this year's AAWH poster, which features Kokopelli, a modern Pueblo Indian counterpart to the prehistoric humpbacked flute player portrayed in Southwestern American Anasazi rock art, ceramics and wall murals, whose dance and music suggests joy and well-being, themes consistent with this year's main World Health Day theme of Oral Health For A Healthy Life.

Fleischaker also drew attention to former Surgeon General C. Everett Koop's role as National Honorary Chairman of Oral Health 2000, the initiative of the American Fund for Dental Health, and referred also to George Washington's false teeth as a vivid example of dental neglect.

Keynote speaker Karen Faye, who is also a nurse, presented a program on conditions conducive both to good physical health and good oral health, illustrating some of her points on proper nutrition by displaying, among other items, a head of broccoli. She cautioned against baby bottle tooth decay, and emphasized that smoking or chewing tobacco can cause oral cancer, and stated that there are over 86,000 American deaths annually due to oral cancer.

Lawrence C. Wood, M.D., president and medical director of the Thyroid Foundation of America Inc., who is on the staff of Mass. General Hospital, also spoke and drew attention to the thyroid effects from the Chernobyl nuclear accident and the worldwide problem of iodine deficiency.

Seaman Chadwick Williams of Ann Arbor, Mich. was master of ceremonies, and also organized the aerobics program, which Faye led enthusiastically.

The morning activities ended with a run around the Navy Yard, led by Seaman Timothy Ballin.

## Girls' Center Update



Wow! What a vacation we had last week. Every day was something exciting.

On Tuesday we visited Purgatory Chasm where we rock climbed.

On Wednesday, the girls took part in "Take Our Daughters To Work Day." This event gave the girls the opportunity to step into the real world for a day. Needless to say, they had a ball visiting various job sites, such as the Stock Exchange and Diet Workshop. The girls learned a lot and would like to thank the women who made it possible for them to do so.

After a "hard" day at work, the girls sat back and picked up their feet at the Revere Movie Cinema, where some cried at *Philadelphia* and laughed at *The Paper*.

Thursday was quite an adventure as we toured the historic sites in Salem. First we marveled at the world-famous Fisherman landmark (twice), then we moved on to Hammond Castle. We wrapped up our tour with a visit to the Witch House. Later on we were tossed, turned and soaked at M.O.M. (Motion Odyssey Movie) at Jordan's Furniture in Avon. (Thanks Barry and Elliot).

Since everyone was exhausted on Friday, we decided to wind down at the movies. We had tons of fun and many laughs. We can't wait until the summer vacation — more time, more fun!

## Information Sessions For Health Care Training

The Allied Health Certificate Programs (AHCP) at Bunker Hill Community College will conduct a series of information and interview sessions for people interested in entry-level health care training in Room B-337 at the Charlestown campus.

The dates will be Fridays, April 29, May 6 and 13 and Wednesdays, May 18, June 1, 8, 15 and 22. The time for all sessions will be 10 a.m. No appointment is necessary. All interested candidates must attend one of these sessions in order to obtain more information and to apply for the programs. Candidates should plan to spend two hours at the session.

The AHCP will train both native and non-native English speakers. Students may select one of five dif-

ferent programs to start in September 1994. They are patient care assistance, medical assistant, phlebotomy technician, medical lab assistant and health careers preparation. Each program will begin in September and continue until May 1995.

Students may also take prerequisite courses for nursing, medical radiography and nuclear medicine, or other electives. A total of 24-29 college credits will be earned.

The requirements for the program are a high school diploma or GED and proof of citizenship or a green card. Additional requirements may apply, and tuition will depend upon funding.

The classes will meet from 8:25 a.m. until 2 p.m. Monday through Friday for two semesters.

## Convivium Musicum Marks Fourth Year With St. John's Concert

by Lawrence Henry

Charlestown resident David Hodgkins has now directed the 18-voice Renaissance choir Convivium Musicum for four years. The group will begin its spring concert series with a Wednesday night performance on May 4 at 8 p.m. at St. John's Church, 27 Devens St. in Charlestown.

Proceeds benefit the St. John's organ fund. Tickets are \$9, and \$6 for seniors and students.

The concert serves as the unofficial kick-off for Preservation Week events in the town.

The choir performs twice a year in Charlestown. The next performances will be during the Christmas season.

The current program is devoted entirely to works by composer Heinrich Schuetz.

Hodgkins took over direction of the ensemble in 1990. Until then, the group had been known as the Long Chorus for Early Music, and had been mostly self-directed. Since then, "Musically, we've come a long way," Hodgkins says. "The level of musicianship has risen tremendously over the past three or four years."

Within the next two years, Hodgkins aims to have Convivium Musicum perform not just alone, in their familiar a cappella fashion, but with instrumental ensembles or dance companies.

## Money Matters

by Nicholas C. Pino

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"NO ONE cares about Charlestown. It is dead."

"Charlestown is an alright place but it needs a real positive influence."

"If you are out here praying, then you better pray hard, this is a tough place."

"If you people cared about this city then you would be doing something helpful and not just praying all over and everything."



These are actual quotes of some young adults and some adults who were asked what they thought about Charlestown.

Are we listening to these very legitimate statements about their city? Can we do anything about it realistically? Do we care enough to bother? Are these young people important enough to us?

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

by Father Ron Coyne

• **Congratulations to 8th Grade Girls Olympic Team** — Charlestown was well represented in the annual 7th and 8th grade girls junior olympics held on Wednesday, April 20, at West Roxbury High School. There were ten parishes competing in basketball, volleyball, water basketball, gym hockey, and superstars contests throughout the day. St. Catherine's team finished in sixth place and was coached by Mary Featherston. Our team members were: Kerri Allen, Jackie Castro, Katelyn Considine, Lisa Curley, Deborah Jones, Stephanie Jones, Michelle McLaughlin, Jacque Neff, Lynn Huynh, Meghan O'Connor and our MVP, Janelle Ortiz.

First place team was St. Brendan's of Dorchester; second place team was St. Kevin's of Dorchester and third place team was Sacred Heart of Roslindale. We are grateful to the following teen-agers for volunteering to referee the events: Gordon D'Ambrosio, Kevin Golden, Dave Hurley, Jim McIsaac and Mike Santosuosso.

• **CYO Girls Softball Registration** — The CYO girls softball league runs throughout the summer months and St. Catherine's hopes to enter four teams in the league. There are three divisions: under 12, under 14, under 16 and under 19.

Registration will be held at St. Catherine's Hall on Wednesday, May 4, from 6 to 8 p.m. The fee is \$15 per person and \$25 for a family of two or more. Practices will begin the week following registration and the season will begin the first weekend in June. All teams will play home and away games against other parishes in and around Boston.

• **Thanks For Bike-A-Thon Support** — In an effort to help our young people and their families to afford a trip to Disney World this August, we sponsored a 20-mile Bike-A-Thon last Saturday along the Charles River. Each boy and girl was asked to get sponsors to help defray the cost of the trip or to earn spending money. There will be 99 Charlestown people going on this trip from Aug. 20-27.

We congratulate the following for taking part in our bike-

a-thon and we are grateful to all those who sponsored them: Josh Smith, Gordon D'Ambrosio, Roselyn Boyle, Neal Boyle, William Boyle, Chris Hayes, Son Dinh, Kevin Golden, Kristen Golden, Erin McCallum, Katelyn Considine, Jacque Neff, Patrick Hurley, Dave Hurley, Philip Jones, Michael O'Brien, Tim Healey, Dan Noonan, Dave Brady, Jim Kane, Jamie Carroll, Colleen Carroll, Kristen Connolly, Brian Dacey, Tim Dacey, Andrew Brennan, Jeff Sullivan, Dave Evers and Brian Ward.

Special thanks to those adults who helped to oversee the event: Michelle Cannizarro, Tim Dacey, Steve Brennan, Mary Featherston and Maryann Hurley. We are grateful to all for their cooperation and spirit.

• **Congratulations To Our Master Teachers** — We are proud to announce that for the past 30 weeks, five of our Religious Education teachers and staff have been attending classes at Aquinas Junior College to deepen their faith and sharpen their teaching skills to better serve our children. They will graduate at the Cathedral on Sunday, May 8, at 2 p.m. Congratulations to Connie Calvert, Maureen Condon, Nancy Flynn, Helen Garafano and Fran Taylor. Your

presence is a gift to our community.

• **Adult Mystery Ride** — Our spring Adult Mystery Ride will take place on Wednesday, June 1. Buses will leave St. Catherine's Church at 11:30 a.m. and return around 4:30 p.m. We sponsor two mystery rides each year and they are always well received. The cost for the transportation and all the surprises, mysteries and fixins' is only \$25 per person. If you are interested and like taking chances, please call Sandra Aldrich at 242-9612 to reserve a spot.

• **Whalom Park Trip** — St. Catherine's is sponsoring its second annual trip to Whalom Park on Sunday, May 22. The price is a low \$10 which includes admission and the bus ride.

The bus will leave St. Catherine's at 11 a.m., and return around 7:30 p.m. A picnic area has been reserved for our group for those who want to bring lunch. Payment reserves a seat and must be received by May 15.

Over 250 took the trip with us last year and a great time was had by all. If you would like to join us or need more information, please call Mary Featherston at 242-1750.

## Marine Reunion To Be Held May 6

Members of the 2nd Infantry Bn. and members past and present of the 1st Bn/25th Marines are invited to a dinner on May 6 at the Morrisette American Legion Post in Quincy. The principal speaker will be Commander in Chief of the U.S. Central Command Gen. Joseph P. Hoar, USMC. Hoar was a Marine hero of Desert Storm and a classmate of Senate President William Bulger at Boston College.

Members will also honor the memory of Col. Ira "Jake" Irwin served in both WW II and Korea. As a member of the 1st Raider Bn., he took part in the battles at Guadalcanal, Tulagi and New Georgia. On the Canal, he took part in the battle of Bloody Ridge, where 4,000 Japanese attacked Edson's Raiders. The Raiders were still there in the morning and the enemy were all dead or wounded. He was also an active scout and scoutmaster.

For tickets or information, call Sgt./Maj. James Cavanaugh at 335-7981.



COMMITTEE MEMBERS for the reunion of the 1st Bn/25th Marines and the 2nd Infantry Bn. Seated (l. to r.) Departed Marine hero Col. Ira "Jake" Irwin, Maj. Gen. Michael Waters and Col. Howard Fiest. Standing (l. to r.) Col. Edward Fitzgerald, Col. Ralph Bagley, Lt. Col. Robert Shortleeves and Col. Ernest Graustein. (photo by Bob McDermott)

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To obtain an application, please call 242-5493, 242-5445 or 242-4353.

#### OLD CHARLESTOWN SCHOOLBOYS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are now available for the \$1,000 Old Charlestown Schoolboys' Association scholarship. In order to be eligible for the scholarship, the boy or girl must be a senior in high school, be a resident of Charlestown for 10 or more years, complete a scholarship application, enclose a copy of his or her high school transcript and at least three letters of recommendation, preferably from references listed on the scholarship application. Completed applications should be mailed to Kenneth Awbrey, P.O. Box 375, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

Applications are at The Charlestown Patriot office, One Thompson Square, and at the Charlestown High School office, 240 Medford St. The deadline for filing completed applications is May 2.

#### WINIFRED TALBOT DUFFY SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is given annually by the Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association through a contribution by James Duffy in memory of his wife.

The \$500 award is presented to a young woman who has been a permanent resident of Charlestown for at least 10 years and who has completed her freshman year at a four-year college.

Applications are available at the Patriot office, One Thompson Square or by writing to the OCSGA Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 276, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

The deadline for the submission of completed applications is May 13. The winner will be selected in a random drawing at the Schoolgirls' reunion on May 20.

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#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

Applications for the Knights of Columbus Scholarship are now available at the Patriot office, One Thompson Square.

The applicant must be a high school senior who is a resident of Charlestown or the child of a paid-up member of Bunker Hill Council. He or she must complete a scholarship application and enclose a copy of his or her high school transcript along with three letters of recommendation and copies of letters of acceptance.

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## BOB D'S BEAT

BY BOB DeCRISTOFORO



ENJOYING the sun and fun in Cancun are (l. to r.) Shannon McLaughlin, Kathie O'Connell and Shannon Blaikie . . . Jason Smith who gained some weight . . . Paul Allen,



Paul Myers and Mark Mansfield . . . Kathie O'Connell and Alexis Finneran . . . and below, Pat Woods, finally taking a nap.

■ **Cancun Experience** . . . Cancun '94 is a very pleasant memory, and you would have to say that the "Townies" who made the trip, had a good time, a real good time.

Cancun is the new hot spot, and this year it was hotter, more lively and even more colorful. Braids were in, sleep was out, and our Townies rose to their new neighborhood challenges quite well.

Seeing this particular group have so much fun made my week even that much more enjoyable. Indeed, the whole week re-energized my spirit and has given me an even brighter outlook.

Charlestown has a lot to be proud of, and these young people are a big part of this pride.

■ **Cancun Lessons** . . . We're all glad to be home, but I don't think anyone would hesitate to go back. I also think we learned a lot about ourselves and about how people live in another country, really not far from home. Cancun was a warm and friendly place and I think all of us are back

looking at things with a new perspective, and maybe a better perspective. I think we need a little Cancun right back here in Boston.

■ **Tidbits** . . .

- Top pick-up line — "My name is Pat Woods."
- Paul Allen Jr.'s new nickname is "Credit Card."
- Shannon Murray has become a Canadian fan.
- Has anyone seen a Camel?
- Shannon McLaughlin may open a Cancun T-shirt shop in Charlestown.
- Eric Ridlon rocked the dance floor at every Cancun disco.
- Mark Collins learned Spanish the first day.
- Mark Mansfield is thinking about a movie called "Sleepless In Cancun."
- Shannon Lawler and Dennis Doris appeared in Fat Tuesday's mysteriously.

Smile!

### ABCD Summerworks Job Applications Available

If you are between 14 and 21 years old by July 1, live in Boston and meet federal income guidelines, you may be eligible to work for the Action for Boston Community Development Summerworks program. Apply early for your ABCD summer job by picking up an application at the Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St., Monday through Friday between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Work starts on July 5 and ends on Aug. 19. ABCD workers are paid minimum wage for a 25-hour week at

a variety of jobs in Charlestown.

When you return your application, you must also provide proof of age, residency and income to be considered for a summer job. Specific information is available at the Kennedy Center, and you will have help completing your application before the May 5 deadline.

Pick up your application as soon as possible, or call Lynn Peters at the Kennedy Center at 241-8866.

### CHAD Junior Bowling League Update

by John Dillon

After 30 weeks of bowling, the CHARLESTOWN Against Drugs (CHAD) Bowling League finally has a second-half champion. The Cricket's team, by defeating the Nucci team 6-2,

#### Open House/Parent-Teachers Meeting

Madison Park Technical Vocational High School is hosting an Open House/Parent-Teachers Meeting. The Open House allows parents to pick up the report cards for their children and to meet with teachers to discuss their children's grades for the third marking term.

claimed the second-half championship. The Bunker Hill Real Estate team had already won the first half championship, so these two teams will face off against each other this Saturday at 11:30, at the Malden Sq. Bowladrome. All parents

All Madison Park parents are urged to attend.

It will be from 7 to 9 a.m. on Thursday, May 5, at the Madison Park Technical Vocational High School, 75 New Dudley St., Roxbury.

Please call 635-8970 for further information.

and children are welcome to come and watch the match. In our final week, the top bowler for Cricket's team was Mike Shackford with a 225. Runner-up was Jon Paul Aubrey with a 215. Holding up the rear flank was Kevin McCusker with a 208. Top bowler for the Nucci team was Chris Headle with a 236. Steve Webber was runner-up with a 196.

In our next match, BHRE split with the Patriot in a 4-4 match. Adriene Crowley was the top bowler for BHRE with a 240 and Mike Crowley was runner-up with a 226. Top bowler for the Patriot was Christina Biggins with a 216.

In other action, Jenny's finished up with a bang by swamping Mama Maria's in a 8-0 shutout. Michelle Marino was top gun for Jenny's with a 235 and Christine Keane was runner-up with a 215. Sean Reilly was top bowler for Mama Maria's with a 246. Jean Wall was runner-up with a 191 and Ryan Stillman had a good day with a 158.

The Cappucci team got out of the cellar by defeating the B&B Oil team 6-2. Top bowler for Cappucci was Andrew Atkins with a 164. Runner-up was Shawn Burke with a 160. Top bowler for B&B Oil was Jill Connolly with a 184. Runner-up was Kelly Gouthro

with a 131.

In our final match of the day, the American Legion team defeated the Kennedy Center team 6-2. Stephen Wall was top bowler for the American Legion with a 264. Taylor Halley was runner-up with a 218 and Bryan Passamonti had a good day with a 166. Top bowler for the Kennedy Center was Jimmy Kissane with a 228 and runner-up was Meghan Buckley with a 192.

My congratulations to Bunker Hill Real Estate and the Cricket's. Both teams did a great job finishing first. See you Saturday at the rollofs, everybody is welcome to attend.

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Bowlers of the week are: Stephen Wall, 264; Sean Reilly, 246; Adriene Crowley, 240; Chris Headle, 236; Michelle Marino, 235; Jimmy Kissane, 228; and the bowler that tried the hardest, Bryan Passamonti.

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Bowling is at 11:30 a.m. sharp. See you all Saturday!

#### Final Standings Second Half

	W	L
Cricket's	64	24
Nucci	55	33
B.H. Real Estate	55	33
Jenny's	53	35
Chas'n. Patriot	50	38
Mama Maria's	44	44
American Legion	41	47
Kennedy Center	38	50
Cappucci	22	66
B&B Oil	18	70

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# News From The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club

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**• TALENT SHOW**

The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club Talent Show will be at 7 p.m. on Friday, May 20. Anyone who has an act for this show should talk to Jenny Atkinson at the club as soon as possible. Mark your calendar now so you don't miss the show.

**• DRAMA CLUB**

Any 8- to 12-year-old can still join the Drama Club which meets every Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m.

**• BABYSITTER CERTIFICATION**

Anyone 10 or older who wants to be certified to babysit, should call Jenny to sign of for the class.

**• AIDS WALK**

Club members and staff will be participating in the "From All Walks of Life" AIDS Walk. Call the club if you would like to join us.

**• TEEN CENTER NEWS**

**Women's Week** — This past week has been declared Women's Week. Activities have gone on each night just for young ladies. The week finishes with a Career Exploration Night at the Boys & Girls Club Teen Center tonight, Thursday, April 28 at 7 p.m., and an all-nighter tomorrow, Friday, April 29, starting at 9 p.m. and continuing until Saturday, April 30 at 7 a.m.

**Teens vs. Police Softball Game** — On Saturday, April 30 at 9:30 a.m., there will be a slugfest between officers from the Boston Police Department and a handful of local teens. The event will take place at the Oilies on Medford Street and a barbecue lunch will be served.

**Career Awareness Fair!!** — On Thursday, May 5, there will be a career fair from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Teen Center. There will be representatives from many local businesses on hand to discuss career fields, job opportunities and education with teen-agers who are looking for guidance in choosing a career path. There will be an abundance of information on hand, and anybody interested in attending is welcome. Refreshments will be served. For more information, contact Maureen.

**Staff Vs. Teens** — During vacation week, the staff of the Boys & Girls Club displayed some awe-inspiring athletic ability as they soundly defeated the teens in the first two

rounds of the Staff/Teen Challenge.

In the hockey challenge on Tuesday, the staff grabbed an exciting 11-10 victory in the final seconds of the contest as sniper Dan "Doberman" Killoran, one-timed it past outstretched goaltender, Mike Collins. The staff continued their winning ways on Wednesday as they won the volleyball segment two games to one behind the fearless leadership of Allison "Spike" Arkin. The basketball challenge was postponed to a later date to allow the teens to regroup and wait for some of their so-called franchise players to fly back from Cancun, Mexico.

**Staff/Teen Hoop League** — Any teen-ager 13-19 can register now for the staff/teen basketball league. The league will consist of four to six teams with staff members on each team. It will take place every Wednesday and Friday evening and begins on Wednesday, May 18. Sign up with Derek, Joe or Danny.

**Running Club** — With the Bunker Hill Road Race just a few weeks away, we are establishing a running club to enhance our team's pre-race ranking. Any teen interested in training for the race with the Boys & Girls Club team, can sign up with Joe or Danny.

**For Your Information** — Arts & Crafts is Tuesday and Thursday from 7-9 p.m. . . . Aerobics is Tuesday and Thursday from 6-7 p.m. . . . The Teen Ed Room is open Tuesday through Thursday from 4-9 p.m. . . . Chess Club meets Wednesday and Friday at 6 p.m. . . . Dart tournaments are every Thursday at 7 p.m. . . . Weight room training is Wednesday and Friday from 7-9 p.m. and Saturday from noon to 2 p.m.

**• GAMESROOM**

**Tournaments** — Elvis Santos dominated play last week in capturing the championship in both foosball and bumper-pool. He received a "mystery" prize and a certificate for each win. Congratulations, Elvis! The next round of tournaments is scheduled for May 3 to 7. See Mark in the gamesroom for more details.

**Torch Club Members** — There will be an important meeting on Friday, April 29, at 4 p.m. We need to plan the Spring Fling Dance, (May 13) and discuss the possibility of an overnight trip in June.

**Friday Night Volunteer Party** — There will be pizza and movies and tonic — all free — for volunteers who have worked one or more hours during the month of April. This month's party will take place tomorrow, Friday, April 29, from 6 to 8 p.m. in the gamesroom.

**• PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

**Karate** — We have started a Karate class for kids between the ages of 6 and 12. Classes are on Fridays at 4 p.m. For more information, see Joe Fitz.

**Classes** — Aerobics is on Tuesday and Thursday from 6 to 7 p.m. . . . Adult Lap Swim is Tuesday through Friday from 7 to 7:45 p.m. and Saturday from 4 to 4:45 p.m. . . . Parent-Tot Swim is Saturday from 11 a.m. to noon . . . and Karate is Friday at 4 p.m.

## YOUTH OF THE MONTH



ELVIS SANTOS

Elvis Santos has been a member of the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club since the beginning of the year. Elvis has been involved in many of the club programs: all of the NIKE Challenge Contests, the Invention Convention, tutoring program, computer classes, Piece of Peace Project, and Gamesroom tournaments. Elvis is always willing to give a helping hand whenever needed. Elvis is an inspiration to the club staff, as well as a role model for our club members.

### Win Bosco Basketball Tourney



THE HAIRY BACKS won the Division I title in the annual 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament at Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston. Shown (l. to r.) Dan Nee of South Boston, Mark Carroll of North Abington, Mike Collins of Charlestown and Chris Collins of Hyde Park.

### BHCC First Annual River Run Or Walk Set For May 21

The First Annual River 4.5 mile run or power walk has been scheduled during 20FEST on Saturday, May 21 as part of the celebration of Bunker Hill Community College's (BHCC) 20th anniversary. It will start at noon.

The 4.5 mile route will begin at the BHCC Charlestown campus, cross the Gilmore Bridge, proceed along the Charles River to the Hatch Shell and loop back along the lagoon finishing up back at the college.

Every registered walker or runner will receive a 20FEST T-shirt and water bottle. Cash prizes for the first male and female finishers will be awarded, as well as to the youngest walker/runner and the oldest walker/runner.

The entry fee will be \$10 for applications received before Wednesday, May 18. Entries may be mailed to BHCC Road Race, Community Services Office, 250 New Rutherford Ave., Charlestown Mass. 02129. Entrants registered on the day of the race will pay a \$12 entry fee.

Runners and walkers may pick up numbers and T-shirts on Thursday, May 19, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the main lobby of the Charlestown campus of BHCC or on the day of the race beginning at 10:30 a.m. at the check-in table.

Food and beverages for runners/walkers are being donated by Stop & Shop and Johnnie's Foodmaster. For more information, call 241-8600, ext. 442.

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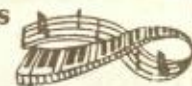
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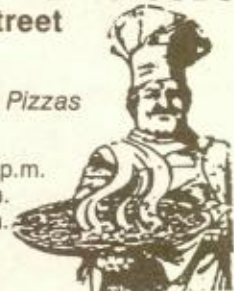
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JUST GIVE US THE T-SHIRTS won the Division II title in the annual 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament at Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston. Shown (l. to r.) Mike Walsh and Gerry Kelly, both of Brighton, and Tim O'Shea of Charlestown.

## Brown Bag Bookies To Meet

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

The book under discussion will be **Fifth Business** by Robertson Davies. John Fowles states: "Many thanks for **Fifth Business**. My approval has been a little bit in demand these last few months and I've read

more first chapters only than most people. But **Fifth Business** I really did read with great pleasure. It seems to me a minor classic of its kind — one of the rare books that might have been even better if it had been longer."

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

## MATTERS OF THE HEART



Your ears are complicated, sensitive and miraculous mechanisms. With proper care, your hearing should last a lifetime.

The Speech and Language Department of the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center will be offering free hearing screenings at both the upcoming MGH Bunker Hill Health Center Loves A Healthy Charlestown — Prevention is the Key: Let's Make Smoking History spring events.

On Prevention Day, Thursday, May 5, a speech and language pathologist will be available from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Conference Room B on the first floor of Building 149 in the Charlestown Navy Yard to screen your hearing and answer any questions that you may have about hearing and/or communication.

On Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart Day, "Let's Make Smoking History," being held Thursday, May 12, at Johnnie's Foodmaster, the hours of the screening will be 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. On this day, the screening will be done inside the Lion's Club Eyemobile. Please stop by and take your hearing to heart.

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## SENIOR UPDATE

### CHAP Meeting On May 4

The Charlestown Healthy Aging Program (CHAP) will meet at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, May 4 in the Community Room of the Constitution Cooperative

Apartments at 42 Park St. Plans will be formalized for the June festivity.

All persons interested in CHAP are invited to attend.

## Golden Age Senior Center

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

### UPCOMING EVENTS

See Sheila for details and reservations on . . .

- **Montvale Plaza** - An evening of fun with "Mario and Mary's Comedy Wedding" at Montvale Plaza will be on Friday, May 13. The bus will leave the Golden Age Center at 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$45.75 which includes transportation, dinner and the show.

### BUS TO STOP & SHOP

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

### HOUSING, EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE

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

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

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### EVENTS OF THE WEEK

#### Friday, April 29

10 a.m. - Seniorobics, Senior Lounge  
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge (\$1 donation requested)  
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

#### Monday, May 2

10 a.m. - Seniorobics, Senior Lounge  
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge (\$1 donation requested)  
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

#### Tuesday, May 3

10 a.m. - Swim at the YMCA, Charlestown Navy Yard (for a ride, meet at the Senior Lounge at 9:30 a.m.)  
10 a.m. - Crochet, Beading and Crafts, Senior Lounge

11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge (\$1 donation requested)

#### Wednesday, May 4

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus from Anchorage Apartments  
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge (\$1 donation requested)

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

#### Thursday, May 5

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus from the Senior Lounge, Constitution Co-op, and the Golden Age Center

10 a.m. - Crochet, Crafts and Sunshine Club, Senior Lounge

10 a.m. - Swim at the YMCA, Charlestown Navy Yard (for a ride, meet at the Senior Lounge at 9:30 a.m.)

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

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Monday, May 16** - Beans & Beano will be held at the Senior Lounge starting at 4 p.m. The cost is \$5.

- **Wednesday, May 18** - There will be free Blood Pressure Screening at the Senior Lounge from 11 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

- **Monday, May 23** - "Hi" Tea will be held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. as the Senior Lounge activities move to the Community Room at the Constitution Cooperative Apartments, 42 Park St.

- **Wednesday, June 15** - A Mystery Ride is being planned. The cost is \$36 and includes transportation, dinner and a show. The bus will leave at 10:45 a.m. and return at 4 p.m. For reservations, call Phyllis or Bobbie at 241-8866.

- **Thursday, June 23** - A trip to see "Forever Plaid" will leave at 11 a.m. and return at 4 p.m. The cost is \$38 and includes transportation, lunch and the show.

### MAY BIRTHDAYS

Happy May Birthday to . . . Phyllis Bryant, Gert Brown, Mary Crowley, Mary Devlin, Ruth Duffy, Nathan Fisher, Anne Fyler, Theresa Gallagher, Peg Green, Mary MacInnes, Anna McDevitt, Gert McMaster, Mary Noonan, Marge O'Halloran, Millie O'Leary, Pauline O'Neal, Dot Rogers, Catherine Rosa, Jean Tallent and Anthony Troisi.

### NOTICE

Starting on Monday, May 23, the Senior Lounge will be located in the Community Room at the Constitution Co-op Apartments, 42 Park St. The Senior Lounge will be open from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, for breakfast, Kit Clark Lunch, scheduled activities and drop-in. Transportation will be provided from your home or from 55 Bunker Hill St.

We wish to extend our sincere appreciation to the management and residents of the Constitution Co-op Apartments for allowing us the use of the Community Room during the renovation of the Senior Lounge.

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**Thank You**

I would like to thank the Kit Clark Senior House for the delicious meal at the Senior Lounge.

Congratulations on celebrating 20 years of service.

Sincerely,  
Helen Clark

**Thank You, All**

I would like to thank the Charlestown Community Appreciation Committee for honoring me this past weekend at the Community Appreciation Awards Banquet. It certainly was an honor.

I would also like to thank all those who nominated me for the prestigious award and my family and friends for their loving support.

Sincerely,  
Kolleen Hayes

**I Had A Wonderful Reign**

The selection for the 1994 Charlestown Rose is just around the corner. As the outgoing Rose, I must say I had a wonderful reign. Every event I attended was a blast, especially the trip to Ireland. The people are extremely considerate and hospitable. To be the Charlestown Rose or to even compete is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. Representing my hometown was a great honor, and I'd do it all over again. Although Charlestown has it's faults, like any other town, it has something every other town has very little of — Faith, Pride, History and "Townies."

I encourage all women between the ages of 18-23, who are unmarried and of Irish descent, to participate in this exciting event. Best of luck to the new Rose, whomever she may be.

Thank you,  
Julie Treanor  
1993 Charlestown Rose

**Residents Invited To Free Community Education Program**

May is Mental Health Awareness Month and in honor of this, the Counseling and Mediation Center at 238 Bunker Hill St. will be offering three free community education programs during the month. A video will be shown, followed by a discussion.

On Thursday, May 12, the program will be "Faces of Anxiety;" "The Panic Prison" will be the

subject on Thursday, May 19; and "Depression: The Storm Within" will be shown on Thursday, May 26. Each of the programs run from 7:30 to 9 p.m.

Dr. Jean Wright, director of the Counseling and Mediation Center, and Linda Lawless, MA, will co-lead the discussion following the viewing of the video. Seating is limited. Please call 241-5433 to reserve a place.

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Boston, Mass. 02106

I am responding to your article "Hub Cops Hurt in Racial Attack" in the April 25, 1994 edition of your newspaper (the Boston Herald). There are several statements in this article that are of concern to me.

The first, "The incident, another in the neighborhood's bitter history of race relations," makes Charlestown sound like a racial battleground. This is certainly untrue, Charlestown now has a large minority community that is accepted and welcomed into our community. Racial disharmony has been kept to a minimum. If the history you are referring to is busing, it is time for the Herald to start moving forward and help the city of Boston to build a brighter future. It is not productive for this newspaper to continue to tarnish the city and its residents because of past history.

The second statement, "Authorities were not sure why Locke was in Charlestown, but believe he may have lived there in the past." It is not relevant that Mr. Locke may or may not have lived here in the past, Mr. Locke is a resident of Beverly and clearly his actions do not represent the feelings of our community.

The Herald seems to take great joy in blaming Charlestown for any problem that may happen in the neighborhood. For example, last fall the Herald did a story on a cat that

was kicked to death. The Herald headline stated "Charlestown Man Kicks Cat to Death." The facts of the case at the time showed that the man guilty of this disgusting act was not a Charlestown resident, but in fact, a student from outside the community waiting for a bus into town.

The Herald continues to be unfair and uncaring in its coverage of Charlestown. This past weekend was a very exciting week full of pride for our community. On Saturday evening, seven individuals in the community were honored for their dedication and service to the community at the 4th annual Charlestown Appreciation Awards Dinner. The Herald did not cover this story. Sunday, Charlestown held its annual Little League opening parade, where an award was presented to Judy Evers of the Mayor's Office for her dedication to the community and the league. The Herald did not cover this story. Sunday afternoon, the Charlestown After Murder Program held a candlelight vigil to remember those who had died and to help the community to heal over past violence. The Herald did not cover this story. The Herald decided to cover the story of one man, who does not live in Charlestown, who chose to act out violently and inappropriately while he was traveling in Charlestown. How unfortunate it is for the Herald that they continue to forget that coverage of positive actions is also important to a well-rounded, fair newspaper.

Sincerely,  
James M. Mansfield

**Old Ironsides Has Two**

Old Ironsides has always been a source of pride for me, living right here next to her berth in Charlestown. She's a part of our history, taught about in schools, known all over the world.

People's pride in her led to a street named Old Ironsides Way here in Charlestown, which is where I live.

When I first moved here I thought it was really nice. It wasn't just another address, but one I enjoyed using because of her history.

As time went by, I began to realize my address was becoming a problem. Now there are some who will say I should get a hobby or something and forget about it, but it gnaws at me. It's like the cap being left off the toothpaste or the toilet seat always being up . . . small problems maybe, but aggravating.

My problem is that everyone feels they must eliminate the "s" from Old Ironsides, making her one-sided.

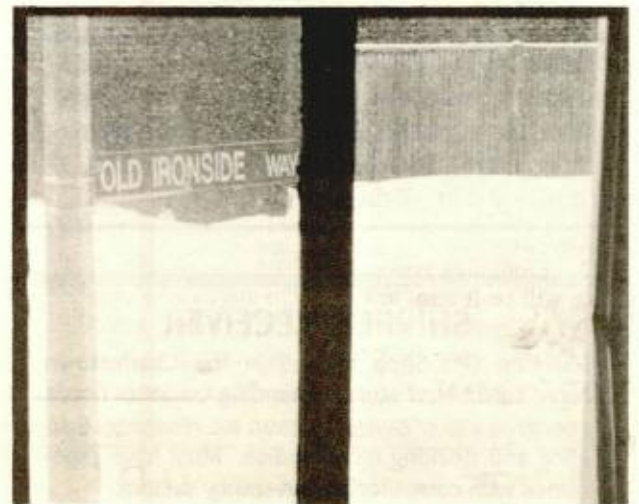
I diligently made out my address card at my bank to be transferred to my checks . . . they left off the "s."

Most of my mail arrives without an "s."  
My own daughter, who used to live here, sent me a greeting card, carefully omitting the "s."

Whenever I have to give my address to someone, I feel as though I have to say "Old Ironsides . . . with an "s," like anyone who has a name that's difficult to spell.

It just seems to be common sense to me that Old Ironsides must have two or she would sink. People who pay good money for a fine meal and a view of her at Barrett's would be viewing Old Ironsides' insides. Get my point?

Now, where I live on Old Ironsides Way is U-shaped,



needing a street sign on both ends. Some revelers in the past deemed to knock down the one on my corner, which is why all the cabs you call go to the other corner with the sign, wondering where you are . . . another small problem, and the sign wasn't replaced for years.

As I was leaving my home recently, I glanced through my hall window and . . . lo and behold . . . someone had put up a new street sign. I was thrilled except for one thing . . . you got it . . . no "s."

Gee, I don't know where to turn now. Do you think Mayor Menino would listen? Or maybe the Kennedys?

Evelyn Cali  
Old Ironsides Way, Charlestown

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If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Boston on or before 10:00 in the forenoon on May 12, 1994.

In addition you must file a written statement of objections to the petition, giving the specific grounds therefore, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the Court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 16.

Witness, Mary C. Fitzpatrick, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Boston, the 15th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-four.

James Michael Connolly  
Register of Probate

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When writing or calling, please give your name as it appears on this list, plus your current address, your address three years ago, social security number, and daytime telephone number. We are here to help you Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



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# THE CHARLESTOWN POLICE LINE

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

**Monday, April 18**

A resident of Chestnut Street reported that someone entered his apartment through the unlocked front door but the person fled when the resident yelled at him.

**Tuesday, April 19**

A resident reported that at approximately 5 p.m. when he was exiting a cab on Medford Street, a group of teen-age males approached and began to make threatening statements. The victim jumped back into the cab and fled. The suspects hurled rocks at the cab as it left. Officers Connolly and O'Malley responded. The victim identified two of the suspects, a 23-year-old and an 18-year-old, who were placed under arrest for assault and malicious destruction.

**Wednesday, April 20**

At approximately 1 a.m., Officers Nolan and Reaney stopped an automobile on O'Reilly Way after the report of an accident. The driver was found to be operat-

ing without a license and registration, and was placed under arrest. A female occupant became abusive and pushed an officer, and she was placed under arrest.

An automobile was recovered in the vicinity of 400 Bunker Hill St., and another was recovered near 100 Bunker Hill St.

At approximately 6 p.m., Officer Whiffen stopped an automobile on Polk Street for a violation and found the operator, a 29-year-old resident, was operating with a suspended license, and he placed the driver under arrest.

**Thursday, April 21**

An apartment on O'Reilly Way was broken into during the evening. The front door lock was forced, and a television and VCR were stolen.

During the evening, an automobile parked on Monument Square was broken into, and a radio was stolen.

**Sunday, April 24**

At 2 a.m., Officers Lee and Nolan observed a group gathering at Main and Dunstable streets. One of the individuals was drinking from a beer bottle and

smashed the bottle on the ground. The 31-year-old female resident was placed under arrest for public drinking.

At approximately 5 p.m., officers responded to Walford Way where a 23-year-old resident was found to have a stab wound to his arm. He was transported to Mass. General Hospital for treatment. He could not say who stabbed him.

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

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

• Residents are reminded that if you purchase alcohol from a local liquor store for someone under age, you are subject to arrest.

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The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Tuesday, May 3 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.  
The features will be "Stringing Along," in which four friends collect different types of string; "Two Frosts" is the tale of two ice ghosts who make people cold during the winter; and Crystal begins a fitness program in "A Yo-yo and a Physical Fitness Program."  
"The Happy Prince," a film based on a fairy tale by Oscar Wilde, will be shown only at 3:30 p.m.  
Suggested good books to read are **String: Tying it Up, Tying it Down** by Jan Adkins and **Winter** by Ron Hirschi.

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## Charlestown Friends To Sponsor Book Sale: Book Donations Needed

On Saturday, May 14, the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library will hold a book sale at the library from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Book donations are needed. Clear off those shelves, you'll never read those books a second time anyway! And at the same time, you'll be making room for new purchases on the 14th. Books can be dropped off at the library any time during regular operating hours: Monday - Wednesday, 9 to 5; Thursday, 10 to 8; Friday, 9 to 5; and Saturday, 9 to noon.

House Tour, scheduled for the same day.

It is hoped that the book sale will be a substantial money maker, as it was two years ago, when more than \$1,000 was raised. The mission of the Friends, which this year celebrates its 40th anniversary, is to assist the library, its staff and patrons. In recent months, substantial efforts have been made toward the installation of new window blinds, repair and refurbishing of the library's upholstered chairs, and sponsorship of a lecture series, children's art classes and the Reading Is Fundamental program. Your help, either by book donations or volunteering to help on the day of the sale, (or ideally, both) will enable the Friends to continue to achieve these and other worthy goals.

Volunteers are needed for the day of the sale as well. If you can assist for a couple of hours on the 14th, please call Bruce Garr at 242-3356 or Barbara Perry at 242-5118. You will still have plenty of time to enjoy the Preservation Society's

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## Charlestown Business Association To Meet At Tavern-On-The-Water

The Charlestown Business Association will meet at noon on Tuesday, May 3 at the Tavern-On-The-Water, located on Pier 6 in the Charlestown Navy Yard. The Tavern is owned and managed by Bob Hertzog and Cathy Petrie, owners of The Warren Tavern.

The guest speaker at the meeting will be Thom Gilligan of Marathon

Tours and Travel. He will talk about his company's involvement with the Boston Marathon and looking ahead two years to the 100th running of that marathon. Gilligan will also relate some unusual tours arranged by his company and comment on the article on him and his company that appeared recently in *The Wall Street Journal*.

CBA members are encouraged to attend and prospective members are welcome.

### On Honor Roll

The honor roll for the third quarter at Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston has been announced by John J. Goff, principal.

Michael J. McNelley of Charlestown, a junior, received second honors.

The school is owned and operated by the Salesians of St. John Bosco.

## Friends of City Square Park Inc. Is Formed

The Friends of City Square Park Inc., a newly formed organization in Charlestown, was formed to promote the history of City Square and the Charlestown community, to raise funds in order to ensure the proper maintenance, preservation and care of the park, and to encourage the hiring of Charlestown residents for that purpose.

On April 11, the first meeting of the Friends took place at Olive's restaurant. There were over 60 attendees, 54 of which became

members of this new organization. The members of the Friends also elected their 20-member board.

On April 18, the new board met to elect its officers and committee chairs. The officers are as follows: President Ken Stone, Vice president Annette Tecce, Secretary Carl Zellner, Treasurer Eric Philippi, and Clerk Guest Perry. The committee chairs are: Finance William Galvin, Fund raising Donald Amaya, Maintenance Dan Kovacevic and Bob Spencer and Membership David Paisner.

At present, the City Square Park groundbreaking is tentatively scheduled for early fall of 1994 with a 52-week construction period ending in October 1995. The Friends will keep the community informed of park schedule updates through their open community meetings and the *Patriot*.

If you wish further information or would like to become a member, please contact Ken Stone at 242-2837. All are welcome, and the Friends look forward to your participation.

## Celebrates 92nd Birthday



ANNE SHANAHAN KEANE was honored at a surprise 92nd Birthday Party given by her children at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Charlestown on April 17. A great time was had by all, especially the guest of honor who ended the party by dancing a good old-fashioned Irish jig. Shown (l. to r.) with Anne Keane are Frank Keane, Edward Keane, Kay Cadigan, Peggy Melanson and Nancy Jackson.

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\$25,000 is needed to put the Bunker Hill Day Parade on the streets of Charlestown on Sunday, June 12. With the fiscal constraints on the city of Boston, only a limited amount of money is being allocated to the celebration by the city and each unit is asking for an increase in its fee. Thus the success of the celebration depends on you — the residents, merchants and organizations. Donations of \$25 and over will be publicly acknowledged.

Donations have been received from:

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St. Francis de Sales Parish	\$100
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