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Voke And Birmingham Top Ticket In Low Turnout State Primary Election

Rep. Richard A. Voke and Sen. Thomas Birmingham topped the ticket in the state primary election on Sept. 20, garnering 68 and 67 percent, respectively, of the Democratic vote cast.

The weather - just perfect - could not be blamed for the low voter turnout. Possibly it was the many uncontested races or just plain voter apathy.

Registered voters in Ward 2, Charlestown totalled 8,003 for this primary. Republican ticket - representing only 33 percent of the town's registered voters.

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with 4,929 registered as Democrats, 690 Republicans and 2,384 unenrolled.

At the polls, 2,313 took a Democratic ballot while 297 turned in a vote for the

Several heated contests will be unfolding over the next few weeks with possibly some new faces on the political scene come the night of Nov. 8.

The Dennis McLaughlin House . . . To Fulfill A Vision

People all over Charlestown knew of Dennis McLaughlin and his devotion to improving life for the people of his community. His contributions ranged from helping neighbors through hard times to helping the community to chart its course as a whole through his services as the Chairman of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council.

Dennis was surrounded by people struggling with substance abuse; he wanted to support them through their challenge. Women, in particular, must struggle to become self-sufficient at the same time that they jour-

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McLAUGHLIN HOUSE Executive Director Catherine Qualitz (on right) was welcomed aboard by Personnel Committee Chairperson and Assistant Treasurer Jacqueline Latta.

Voke Sponsors Fourth Annual Charity Benefit

Rep. Richard Voke has announced that his fourth annual Charlestown Charity Celebration will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 20 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St. The evening, which Voke hosts to thank Charlestown residents for their continued support and friendship, will feature the Andy Healey Band. As in

previous years, Voke will donate all the proceeds from the event to local charities.

"I feel very lucky to have had the distinct privilege to work with so many wonderful and community-conscious people in Charlestown. Because of the special friendships that I have developed, it gives me great pleasure to say thank you to Charlestown's residents by holding this celebration in their honor," said Voke.

Voke, who stated that he is inspired to hold this annual event by Charlestown's continued outpouring of community activism, has raised approximately \$7,000 for local charities over the last three years of sponsoring the celebration.

If history repeats itself, tickets to the event will go fast. For further information on how to acquire tickets, check the advertisement on page 20 of this edition.

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The deadline for advertising and copy is **Monday at NOON.**

Carroll To Lecture At Charlestown Branch Library

The Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library cordially invite you to attend a lecture by James Carroll, author of novels such as "Mortal Friends," "Family Trade," and "Prince of Peace." Carroll will speak about and read from his newest book, "The City Below," on Oct. 6 at 7:30 p.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

With characters hailing from and much of the action set in Charlestown, "The City Below" is a tale of family bonds and ethnic violence, vows and betrayals and political intrigue in the inner sanctums of both church and state.

Carroll's early experiences as a Catholic priest and activist in the civil rights and peace move-

ments inform his literary and personal preoccupation with the question of what it means to be politically and morally responsible in America today. He has explored that theme in regular sermons at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York and in articles for publications such as the "Atlantic Monthly," "The New Republic," "The New York Times," and "The Boston Globe."

Carroll lives in Boston where he teaches writing at Emerson College.

Admission is free and open to the public. The talk will conclude with refreshments and a chance to meet the speaker and have him autograph copies of his book.

CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

this week at a glance

Thursday, Sept. 22

• 5:30 p.m. - Healthy Charlestown Coalition meeting, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St.

• 6 to 8 p.m. - Gym Hockey Registration for boys 4-8 and girls 4-9, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 46 Winthrop St.

• 7:30 p.m. - Daughters of Isabella #1 meeting, K. of C. upper hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Sept. 24

• 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. - Gym Hockey Registration for boys 4-8 and girls 4-9, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 46 Winthrop St.

• 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. - Flea Market, First Church, Green Street

• 7:30 p.m. - Installation of Officers of Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

Sunday, Sept. 25

• 6:30 p.m. - Charlestown After Murder Program (C.H.A.M.P.) meeting, St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St.

Tuesday, Sept. 27

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

• 7:30 p.m. - Overeaters Anonymous, Bunker Hill Community College, Room E-232

• 8 p.m. - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alco-

holics, Mary Colbert Apartments (side entrance), 20 Devens St.

Wednesday, Sept. 28

• 3 to 7 p.m. - Farmers' Market, Main Street across from the Charlestown Branch Library

• 3:30 p.m. - Creative Dramatics, improvisations and imaginative games with instructor Ann Adams, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• 6 to 7 p.m. - Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square

• 7:30 p.m. - Country Store, sponsored by Court St. Jude #1123, Catholic Daughters of the Americas meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales, 313 Bunker Hill St.

upcoming events

• 8 p.m. to midnight - Charlestown "Crusaders" Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• 8 p.m. - "The Hermit of Chestnut Hill," presented by Wizard Productions, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, Oct. 2

• 6:30 p.m. - Beano returns to the Knights, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• 6:30 p.m. - Charlestown After Murder Program (C.H.A.M.P.) meeting, St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St.

• 7 p.m. - "The Hermit of Chestnut Hill," presented by Wizard Productions, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Monday, Oct. 3

• 7:30 p.m. - Daughters of Isabella #1 meeting, K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

Tuesday, Oct. 4

• 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. - Chil-

dren's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• 7 p.m. - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Monthly meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• 7:30 p.m. - Overeaters Anonymous, Bunker Hill Community College, Room E-232

• 8 p.m. - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, Mary Colbert Apartments (side entrance), 20 Devens St.

Wednesday, Oct. 5

• 3:30 p.m. - Creative Dramatics, improvisations and imaginative games with instructor Ann Adams, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• 3 to 7 p.m. - Farmers' Market, Main Street across from the Charlestown Branch Library

• 6 to 7 p.m. - Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square

plan ahead

sponsored by the Guild, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Thursday, Oct. 20

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Friday, Oct. 21

• 8 p.m. - Fund-Raiser Dance, sponsored by the Alumni of St. Francis de Sales School, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Saturday, Oct. 22

• 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. - Fill A Bag for \$1 Sale, First Church, Green Street

• 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Election for seven at-large members, K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, Oct. 28

• 7:30 p.m. - "The Legends," sponsored by the Knights, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, Nov. 4

• 5:30 to 10 p.m. - Auction to benefit the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, The Roxy, Tremont Street, Boston

Saturday, Feb. 25

• 7 p.m. - Charlestown Catholic Elementary School \$10,000 Drawing, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Thursday, Sept. 29

• 9:30 to 11 a.m. - Woman's Recovery Group, J.F. Kennedy Center's Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.

• 12:15 p.m. - Charlestown Kiwanis Club meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant, Constitution Plaza

• 8 p.m. - "The Hermit of Chestnut Hill," presented by Wizard Productions, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, Sept. 30

• 5:30 to 9 p.m. - Live Auction to benefit Camp Bunker Hill, Building 149, Charlestown Navy Yard

• 8 p.m. - An Evening with "The Capris," sponsored by the Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• 8 p.m. - "The Hermit of Chestnut Hill," presented by Wizard Productions, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Saturday, Oct. 1

Friday, Oct. 7

• 5 p.m. - Deadline for submitting nomination papers for election to at-large seats on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council, Patriot office, One Thompson Square

• 7:30 p.m. - Annual Charlestown Lions Club Charity Fund Dance with entertainment by The Legends, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Oct. 15

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. - Fall Flea Market, The Training Field (For tables, call Jan at 242-4235)

• 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. - Rummage Sale, First Church, Green Street

Sunday, Oct. 16

• 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. - Craft Fair,

Lent On Varsity Soccer Team

Jonathan Lent, son of Debbie and Tom Lent of 22 Dunstable St., Charlestown, has been chosen as a member of The Winchendon (Mass.) School Varsity Soccer Team.

Winchendon School participates in athletics under the auspices of the New England Preparatory School Athletic Association.

On Sept. 21, the Danish Tall Ship *Danmark*, sailed into Boston for a seven-day visit at the Charlestown Navy Yard district of Boston National Historical Park. The *Danmark* is one of the more notable participants in Boston National Historical Park's Visiting Ships Program. Since 1981, the park has brought in over 400 ships from all over the world to Boston

through its Visiting Ships Program.

There will be public boarding on the *Danmark* on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. on Pier One in the Charlestown Navy Yard. The Boston National Historical Park encourages the public to visit the ship and share in this rare opportunity to experience a tall ship.

The *Danmark*, built in

1933, is a 252-foot training ship for officers in the Danish Merchant Navy. She was utilized in the training of American Naval cadets during World War II. Steel-hulled and double-bottomed, the ship now supports a crew of 97, who train on her throughout the year. The *Danmark's* last visit to Boston was as part of the Sail Boston '92 celebration.

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Boston National Historical Park To Host Danish Tall Ship *Danmark*

The Dennis McLaughlin House . . . To Fulfill A Vision

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ney to recovery. Dennis saw a need to provide a safe, encouraging environment in Charlestown where women who had made a commitment to living substance-free lives could come to reshape their lives and their relationships. Dennis' untimely death made it impossible for him personally to fulfill his vision.

But through the gracious commitment of the Armed Services YMCA, with whom he negotiated for space, and the continued commitment of others in the Charlestown community, Dennis' vision is coming to life as The Dennis McLaughlin House of Charlestown Inc.

The McLaughlin House of Charlestown is being housed in one wing of the new YMCA facility in the Charlestown Navy Yard. The facility provides individual studio rooms, complete with cooking facilities. Adjoining bedrooms may also be opened up into suites for women and their children. One or more handicapped rooms are available to the program. While there, women will be able to make complete use of the facilities offered by the YMCA, as well as those programs especially designed for the McLaughlin House.

The concept of transitional housing has been implemented successfully



THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Dennis McLaughlin House of Charlestown. Seated (l. to r.) Helen Chin Schlichte; Andrea Quigley; Hon. Mary M. Brennan, vice president; Elinor Foley; and Marilyn J. Darling, program co-chairperson. Standing (l. to r.) James Mansfield; Linda J. Lacey; William P. Morrissey; Jean M. McLaughlin, assistant clerk; James W. Conway, president; Colleen Meyers, Esq.; Peter P. Looney; Edna M. Kelly; John W. French, clerk/treasurer; and Suzanne Roche. Missing from the picture are Maurice F. O'Shea, program co-chairperson; Patricia Hogan; and Jacqueline Latta, assistant treasurer.

all over the country for women who suffer from battering, homelessness, substance abuse, criminal histories and other life challenges. Transitional housing is not intended to provide crisis assistance but to fill a gap between a crisis situation and sustained self-sufficiency.

The intention of transitional housing for women in recovery is to provide a safe space to women who are on the path to healthy, independent living but need a little time and distance from difficult situations in their lives in order to stabilize their lives, think about next steps, learn skills to be self-sufficient and develop support

through community resources and healthy social relationships.

Transitional housing is not intended to be overly comfortable. Nor is it intended to be a crutch. It gives women the opportunity to think for themselves, to reach out for what they need and to learn how to support each other. The Board of the Dennis McLaughlin House of Charlestown is very eager to give women in the community this opportunity to reshape their lives.

The Dennis McLaughlin House mission is to assist women in the community who are in the process of recovering

from substance abuse and its effects to become substance-free, stable and self-sufficient by:

- providing a safe, encouraging transitional environment for them and their children;
- enabling them to find and make use of the community's resources to support their transition into an independent, substance-free life in the community; and
- encouraging them to build a new and healthy social network in the community.

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McLaughlin House Seeks Charlestown Clients

The Dennis McLaughlin of Charlestown is planning to open its program in October and is currently in the process of recruiting Charlestown residents who are eligible and interested in enrolling in the program.

The McLaughlin House is a new transitional housing program for women who are in at least six months of recovery from alcohol and/or drug addiction. The program, which is housed at the Armed Services YMCA, offers transitional housing for up to 18 months with a six month grace period.

The McLaughlin House is collaborating with a variety of health, social service, educational, training and housing programs in the community to provide its clients with a wide range of supportive services, which include: case management; information and referrals; advocacy; substance abuse and relapse prevention counseling; positive parenting classes; health and mental health services; educational training; job-readiness and job placement programs; childcare; a wide range of basic self-sufficiency skills workshops; a variety of cultural, recreational and social programs; assistance with applying for subsidized housing; and support in

locating permanent housing. Program graduates will be encouraged to continue their involvement in the program and receive follow-up counseling and housing stabilization services.

To be eligible for the program, women need to be: 1) at least 18 years of age; 2) substance-free for at least six months; 3) referred through a social service agency; and 4) working, in school or willing to pursue educational, training, or job opportunities. The program accepts women who are pregnant, women who have children up to 11 years of age, and women who are without children. If women have children in the custody of the Dept. of Social Services (DSS) or other caretakers, the McLaughlin House staff will provide family reunification services to those parents.

The McLaughlin House is also accepting referrals of women who are not yet six months into their recovery from substance abuse, but would like to be put on the waiting list. This includes women who are currently in substance abuse treatment programs.

To acquire further information and/or make a referral to the program, please call Cathy Qualitz, McLaughlin House executive director, at 242-0251.

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Councillors And Residents Continue To Address Issues At Charlestown High

District One Boston City Councillor Diane J. Modica, At-Large Boston City Councillor Peggy Davis-Mullen and representatives from Charlestown have been addressing and will continue to address the issues surrounding Charlestown High School.

Modica and Davis-Mullen have been meeting with community leaders and school officials since last spring to work out public safety issues and community concerns regarding Charlestown High School. The group also met before the start of this school year to ensure that the policies that were implemented last spring will continue this school year. The corrective measures that were implemented include: three additional school buses at closing, for a total of 12 buses, to encourage students' use of this transportation; an addi-

tional bus that is permanently stationed during school hours to transport students to various activities if the need arises; the addition of a community field coordinator who will monitor the outside of the building and communicate with local businesses and residents; and four additional paraprofessionals whose main responsibilities will be to monitor the doorways to help keep the students in the building during school hours.

The Boston Housing Authority (BHA) had also committed to have BHA officers assist the Boston Police Department during peak hours to assure that students are not leaving the school before dismissal time.

Last week's incident was unfortunate and, hopefully, an aberration. As a result of the incident, representatives from the community, Modica and Davis-Mullen's offices, the BHA, the Boston Police Department, the Boston School Department and the mayor's office convened a meeting in an attempt to determine what happened and what else could be done to prevent

future incidents from occurring.

The proactive measures that were implemented as a result of the prior series of meetings in city hall and at Charlestown High have the potential to be very effective if they are enforced. Modica stated, "We have been in front of the issues surrounding Charlestown High. Unfortunately, last week's incident calls for reactive response and the group that assembled last Wednesday includes key representatives from the pertinent departments that can only help our efforts. I am encouraged that everyone in attendance is committed to working collaboratively to correct the situation."

"A plan was devised to deal with issues identified last spring by community representatives and school officials," said Modica. "We need to give the new staff, such as the Community Field Coordinator, Nancy Gambi and the paraprofessionals, some time to become acclimated with the situation before we can fairly judge the effectiveness of the plan."

Peter Looney, chairper-

son of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council, was in attendance at last Wednesday's meeting, as well as at the series of meetings with the councillors and school department representatives. Looney stated, "The community needs to take the lead in addressing the issues. The meetings with Modica and Davis-Mullen have been very effective in implementing policies and assigning additional staff at Charlestown High. We need to continue to work together with the various city agencies to ensure that the needs of the community are addressed, and I am satisfied that we will make progress."

Davis-Mullen stated, "We hope these measures will alleviate the problem. However, we also need to face the facts that there are some students with violent or criminal histories that clearly do not belong in our high schools. We must immediately prioritize efforts to provide additional alternative high school settings for violent disruptive students. We must protect the majority of young people who deserve to learn in peace."



**Not for nothin' . . .
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• **Last Weekend . . .** #62 (Bunker Hill Council K. of C., that is) held its installation of officers . . . this weekend it's #26's turn (Bunker Hill Post, The American Legion). Incoming commander Paul Morceau invites all to join him and his officers at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 24 at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. for the installation ceremony, followed by refreshments and entertainment . . . Y'all come on down!

• **And The Winners . . .** of this year's "Chowda"fest, held last weekend at the Charlestown Navy Yard, were . . . first place, the 1994 "Chowda Champ," Gourneli's . . . second place, Turner Fisheries . . . and third place went to Catered Affair. Also, Maximilian's Cafe took the prize for the best decorated booth.

• **A Stroll Of Charlestown . . .** is being planned by the Historic Neighborhoods Society on Wednesday, Sept. 28 beginning at 5:30 p.m. at the Sullivan Square MBTA Station and will include the Charlestown Working Theater, the Gardens for Charlestown and the Forty Flights, all for a \$10 donation . . . On the same evening, a special dinner will be held at Olives with the proceeds going to the society's programs for Boston school children, and the cost is a tax-deductible donation of \$50. For reservations and further information, call 426-1885.

• **Happy Birthday Wishes . . .** go out to Emily "Nana" Howell who will celebrate her 80th birthday on Sept. 23rd . . . sharing that date will be John Dillon, who's just a wee bit over 50 . . . Scott Ridings will party on Sept. 26th . . . and Tim "Grampy" Conway will blow out 94 candles on his Sept. 28th birthday . . . The very best to you all!

• **Happy Anniversary Wishes . . .** to Joan and Ken Rae who will celebrate 22 years of wedded bliss on Sept. 23rd . . . Our very best to you both!

• **In Case You Don't Want To Wait . . .** for author James Carroll to arrive in Charlestown for the Friends of the Library meeting on Oct. 6, you can seek him out at the Boston Book Fair scheduled for Sept. 23 and 24 at Copley Square Park . . . Heard there's a line forming to let him know the sentiments of a large number of residents on his latest, "The City Below"!

• **The Boston School Committee . . .** has set an agenda for the year, bringing its monthly meeting to every section of the city . . . get your concerns and comments in order in preparation for the visit to Charlestown . . . slated for June 21, 1995!

• **A Message For "Snuggles" . . .** Bev wants Sheila "Snuggles" Walsh, author of an upcoming extravaganza on a life and death experience, to know that she is enjoying her vacation and doesn't miss the telephone at all!

• **To All Students . . .** or would-be students, the Boston Public Library at Copley Square will resume regular Sunday hours from 1 to 5 p.m. starting on Sunday, Oct. 2.

• **As You Read This . . .** it will be fall, which got underway at 1:19 a.m. EST this morning, Sept. 23rd!

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★ Neighborhood Council Meeting ... Election

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council election for seven at-large members will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 22 in the K. of C. lower hall, 75 West School St.

Any Charlestown resident 18 years of age or older may run for election to the council. Nomination papers will be available on Friday, Sept. 23 at **The Charlestown Patriot** office, One Thompson Square. They must be returned to the same location, containing 25 signatures of Charlestown residents 18 years of age or older, by 5 p.m. on **Friday, Oct. 7.**

For further information, contact Election Committee Chairman Kate McDonough at 241-8866.

Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the CNC will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 4 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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

★ **A License** ... was granted to Doug and Diane Ford by the city of Boston Licensing Board on Sept. 21 to allow them to open a "beer of the month club" business on Terminal Street, a concept similar to a book of the month club. Doug Ford made the presentation before the board, noting that it would only involve beer.

Judy Evers, community liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, told the board that the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Basic Services Committee held a meeting on Sept. 19 to hear a presentation by the Fords. The main concern was that the applicant would not promote the sale of beer at the Terminal Street location and the owners have noted that this is not their intention as it is a mail-order business.

Evers and Amy Chardavoyne, represent-

ing District One Boston City Councillor Diane Modica, both expressed their support of the application.

★ **Board Of Appeal Hearing** ... A public hearing will be held by the Board of Appeal of the city of Boston in Room 801 at Boston City Hall at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 11 to hear the petition by Joseph Stavis by Barlo Signs to install two message-center signs at 50 Brighton St. in Charlestown. For questions or concerns on this matter, call the board at 635-4775.

★ **Street Reconstruction Update** ... The Boston Redevelopment Authority's (BRA) Three Streets reconstruction project is progressing through the last major phase of work. Miscellaneous construction activities continue throughout several neighborhood streets.

Installation of precast concrete bases for new gas street lights is nearly complete on Monument Avenue. Boston Gas Co. crews will finish installation of service piping to the bases to feed the gas lamps shortly. Crews have also started patching the trenches from this work in the street and sidewalk.

The finish pavement surface has been completed on Monument Square. Preparations for repaving will begin this week on Pleasant Street and Monument Avenue. The old pavement surface will be ground, swept and patched and then the manhole covers and catch basins will be adjusted to meet the grade of the new pavement surface. Paving is tentatively scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 29.

Final clean-up and completion of Winthrop, Union, Tremont, Cordis and Soley streets continues. Included is the installation of new street name signs and miscellaneous traffic control signs. Crosswalks will be placed at the street corners to connect the newly constructed sidewalk wheelchair ramps. Tree plantings are now scheduled on Union and Tremont streets for the last week of this month.

Residents are reminded that weekday parking restrictions remain in effect as posted on those streets where construction work is taking place. Continued cooperation in complying with these restrictions is appreciated.

For questions, concerns or complaints, residents are requested to call 241-9509 or the Middlesex Corporation at 1-508-256-6534.



by Melissa Doherty

Last week, the Boston Police Department and Mayor Thomas Menino announced the new crime-fighting program which came as part of President Clinton's crime bill. The new unit is the Boston Police "Crimestoppers" and was established with help from the Boston Police Foundation whose members include Boston's business and academic leaders.

Sgt. Margot Hill, coordinator of the new unit, spoke briefly about its format and goals. "Crimestoppers is a nationwide program which uses a toll-free, non-recorded, non-traceable tip line," said Hill. "Upon the arrest and indictment of a felon due to an anonymous tip, the caller is offered a reward from \$100 - \$1000," she added. Hill also said that the nationwide conviction rate for this program is 97 percent. She hopes that through this new format and added financial incentive, Boston can match this figure on convictions.

In addition to the Crimestoppers tip line, there are also other aspects of the program. There will be a "Crime of the Week" which will be highlighted in all of Boston's newspapers. There will also be commercials on television about these different crimes.

The highlight will include a clip of the crime scene, an interview with the detective investigating the case and an interview with the victim or the victim's family to show how the crime has affected their lives. "We want people to know that crimes have victims and victims

hurt," said Hill.

The Crimestoppers hotline was plugged in Sept. 13 and the first crime highlighted was that of Louis Brown who was killed last December on his way to a Christmas party for Youths Against Gang Violence. Brown's parents, Joseph and Clementina Chery, attended the unveiling.

"It is unfortunate when

we have to offer rewards, however we understand pain and fear," said Joseph Chery. He also said that "the real sense of safety on our streets and in our neighborhoods lies in each one of us and we must learn to look out for one another."

If you have any information about a crime, call the Crimestoppers at 1-800-494-TIPS.

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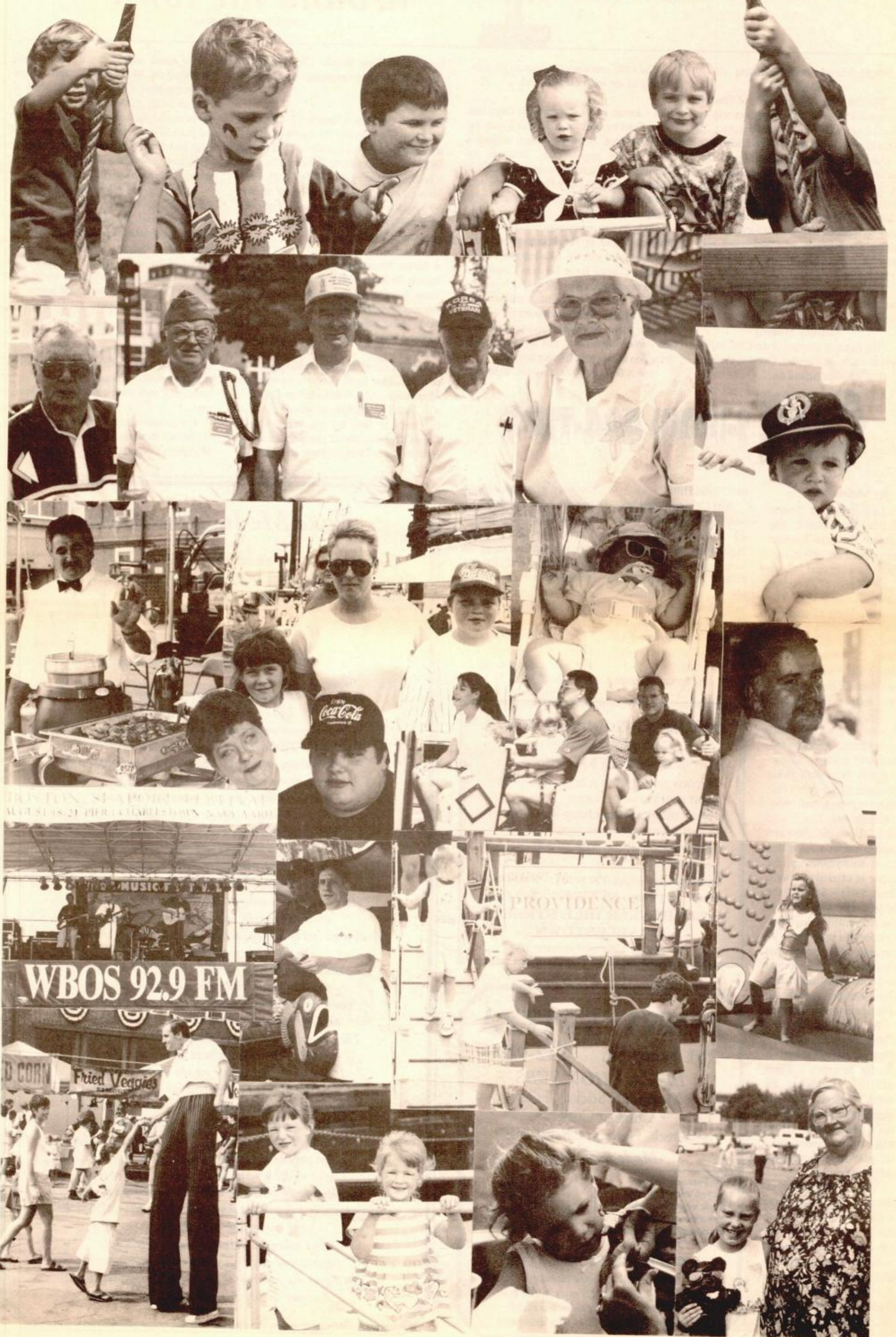
I'd like to say to those who do it, "Get out now, while you can still do it."

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*So now little man, you've grown tired of grass,
LSD, acid, cocaine and hash
And someone pretending to be a true friend
said, "I'll introduce you to Miss Heroin."
Well honey, before you start fooling with me,
just let me inform you of how it will be.
For I will seduce you and make you my slave,
as I've sent men much stronger than you to their grave.
You think you could never become a disgrace
and end up addicted to poppy seed waste.
So you'll start inhaling me one afternoon
and you'll take me into your arms very soon.
And once I have entered deep down into your veins,
the craving will nearly drive you insane.
You'll need lots of money (as you have been told), for darling,
I'm much more expensive than gold.
You'll swindle your mother and just for a buck,
you'll turn into someone vile and corrupt.
You'll mug and you'll steal for my narcotic charms,
and feel contentment when I'm in your arms.
The day when you realize the monster you've grown,
you'll solemnly promise to leave me alone.
If you think that you've got the mystical knack,
then sweetie, just try getting me off your back.
The vomiting, the cramps, your gut tied in a knot,
the jangling nerves screaming for just one more shot.
The hot chills, the cold sweats, the withdrawal pains,
can only be saved by my white little grains.
There's no other way, and there's no need to look,
for deep down inside, you will know you are hooked.
You'll desperately run to the pusher and then you'll welcome me back
into your arms again.
And when you return, (just as I foretold),
I know that you'll give me your body and soul.
You'll give me your morals, your conscience, your heart,
And you will be mine till death do us part.*

Seaport Festival Reaches New Heights



...and was a Swimming Success!

photos by Kathy Whitehouse



HEALTH UPDATE

**Massachusetts General Hospital
Bunker Hill Health Center**
73 High Street, Charlestown
724-8198

TO FIGHT BREAST CANCER, JOIN OUR MAKING STRIDES TEAM

A team from the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center will once again join the fight against breast cancer by participating in the Making Strides Against Breast Cancer fundraising walk on Sunday, Sept. 25. Last year, the Health Center team was comprised of over 50 staff members and community residents, had 242 sponsors and raised over \$2,600 for this cause. The goal for this year is to double the size of our team.

The five-mile walk, which begins at 11 a.m., starts and ends at the Hatch Shell on Boston's scenic Charles River Esplanade.

There are 4,900 reasons to join our team and you could know one of them. According to the American Cancer Society, approximately 4,900 Massachusetts women will be diagnosed with breast cancer this year, and 1,200 women will die from the disease. One of the women could be your mother, sister, wife, daughter or best friend. Funds raised through the Making Strides walk support scientific research on the causes of breast cancer and ways to prevent it; "Reach for Recovery," a one-on-one support program for women with breast cancer; support for legislation on mammography quality standards, insurance coverage; and other issues and education efforts.

To join or sponsor the Health Center team, or for more information about breast cancer, contact Karen Murphy-Lind R.N. at 724-8198.

Don Bosco Craft Show Oct. 22 And Oct. 23

The Mothers' Club of Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston will hold its annual Craft Show from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 22 and 23. The show is free and open to the public.

Additional crafters are invited for the show which will include 40 crafters, wood items made by Don Bosco students, many other activities and refreshments.

Peg DeThomaso of Weymouth, president of the Mothers' Club, has

named Mary Coleman and Joyce Mansfield, both of Charlestown, to the Craft Show committee. They will be in charge of the punch board table.

The annual open house will be held on the same days and at the same hours. All sixth, seventh and eighth grade boys and their families are invited to attend the open house and craft show.

For more information on the craft show and open house, call the school at 426-9457.

Continuing Education Series For Dental Practitioners At BHCC

A four-session Continuing Education series for Dental Practitioners will be offered by the Division of Continuing Education and Business Outreach (CE-BO) at Bunker Hill Community College beginning Saturday, Oct. 1.

The morning session, from 9 a.m. to noon, will cover "Addictions: A Primer for Dental Practitioners." The afternoon session, from 1 to 4 p.m., will cover "Psychoactive Drugs: Major Drugs of Use and Abuse." Three Continuing Education un-

its will be awarded for each session. The lecturer will be Rita M. Leonard R.D.H., B.A., M.E.D. The cost is \$60 in advance or \$65 at the door for each session.

Upcoming dates and titles are: Thursday, Oct. 20, "Oral Surgery: What Every Dental Practitioner Needs To Know," Thursday, Nov. 3, "Blood Borne Pathogens: An Update for General Practitioners," and Saturday, Dec. 3, "Nutrition and Womens' Health" and Nutrition and Disease Prevention.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



A Sincere Thank You

Charlestown Interagencies on Aging (CIA) would like to extend a sincere thank you to Mass. Bio-Medical Research of Mass. General Hospital for the Smart Choices for Charlestown grant, to the Lillian and Harry Cowan Foundation and to a generous Charlestown couple for funding us monies to run the program.

We are most grateful to the many volunteers who have serviced the elderly in so many ways this past year. They are: George Castagnetti, Susan Divney, Mary Driver, Eileen Duffy, Agnes Egan, Doris Emberley, Massport student Paul Flynn, Elvie Lacey, Donna Germino, Diane Martin of BHCC, Hazel McInnis, Katie McCarthy, Wendy Morgan, Carol Pimental, Anna Rainone, Carole Savinsky, Joanne Scoppetulo, Betty Task and Kathy Whitehouse.

If you are interested in volunteering, please call Ann Marino at 241-8866 and leave a message.

Sincerely,
Ann Marino

Meat Raffle A Big Success

Last Saturday at the Knights of Columbus Hall, St. Catherine's sponsored a meat raffle to benefit the Organ Restoration Fund. It was a big success and loads of fun!!

Our appreciation and thanks to all those who participated in the organizing, planning and support of the event. Their efforts were responsible for the success of the raffle.

A special thank you to the Knights of Columbus who donated the use of their hall.

The winners of the scratch ticket raffle were: M.T. Joyce and Sally Walsh. Congratulations too, to all those other lucky winners who went home with some delicious looking packages of meat!!!

Sincerely,
Bobby DeRegis

Growth At Miller Productions Spurs Staff Increase

Larry Miller Productions increased marketing and communications service offerings has spurred significant growth in the past year. To help manage the influx of new business, five new employees have been named.

Brian Dooley has been named account manager. Previously an account manager from Millipore Corporation, Brian's expertise is in producing seminars, trade shows, direct marketing and advertising for the biotechnology and high technology industries.

Dimitris Sivyllis has joined LMP as production manager to oversee the creative department production and traffic. He brings a unique background to this position, beginning as a professional photographer in London, then moving to creative production for Best Travel, London and Athens, and then moving to the states

where he was senior catalog production coordinator for Chadwick's of Boston.

To accompany LMP's new Avid 8000 system, LMP welcomes Mark Herd on retainer as editor-post production supervisor. Herd was most recently at Wave Inc. as their exclusive Avid editor, for clients in the consumer and high tech industries. In keeping with LMP's vision of advanced technology, he will oversee graphics not only for video, but for multimedia productions.

Carin Willis joins Larry Miller Productions as associate designer. She brings her Macintosh expertise to complement Larry Miller's growing demand for computer-based graphics and design. Most recently, Willis was a freelance designer for clients in the high tech industry. She recently designed the brochures for MacWorld

and CD-ROM Expo.

Kathleen Philbrook joins LMP as receptionist. She looks forward to a new career in communications. Previously, Philbrook taught freshman composition at Bunker Hill Community College and UMass/Boston and most recently she taught vocational training to welfare mothers at Dimock Community Health Center.

For 15 years, Larry Miller Productions has provided marketing and communications strategy, creative concept development, integrated marketing communications programs, and complete project management services for many of New England's large and emerging-growth companies. Our solutions to clients' marketing needs incorporate a variety of media including video, multimedia, presentation graphics, print, technical services and logistics.

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*There is but one and only one,
Whose love will fail you never,
One who lives from sun to sun
With constant fond endeavor.*

*There is but one and only one,
On earth there is no other,
In heaven a noble work was done,
When God made me your mother.*

*Sadly missed by your family . . .
"We love you"*

Second Anniversary Mass at 9 a.m.
Sunday, Sept. 25 at St. Catherine's

PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN

(never known to fail)

O most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in my necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times). Holy Mary, I place this cause in your hands 3 times. Say this prayer 3 consecutive days and then you must publish and it will be granted for you. Grateful thanks.

D.M.

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I love you . . .

Erin

To Barbara Kalin:

*God saw you getting tired,
A cure was not to be
So He put His arms around you
and whispered "Come to Me."
A golden heart stopped beating
Hard working hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.*

Love . . . Cheryl



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'The Hermit Of Chestnut Hill' To Open At The Charlestown Working Theater Sept. 29

"The Hermit of Chestnut Hill," a play with music, based on a true story, depicts a friendship between a student and a local hermit, Bill Britt. The play opens at the Charlestown Working Theater on Thursday, Sept. 29 and runs through Sunday, Oct. 16.

This two-character play is about a free-spirited, but troubled college girl, Sam, and her relationship with Bill. Sam finds purpose in the humble services she is able to perform for Bill, whose trust and spirit is renewed by the unique bond that develops between them.

The play is set in Britt's home; two box springs for shelter and the natural sculptures he crafted. Sam meets Bill while walking in the woods and she

quickly learns that he has spent 20 years living between the college she attends, the Evergreen Cemetery and a traffic rotary around a reservoir. Bill is now involved in a legal battle with the city to retain squatter's rights to his home. The relationship with Bill brings both healing and growth for Sam, who strikes out on her own life. Bill, on the other hand, is losing his. The drawn-out legal maneuvers of his enemies wear him down

and lead to his haunting death.

Lauren Hallal wrote the play, composed and performs the music. Describing the music as progressive folk rock, she says, "I wanted to use music in an unconventional way. Unlike most musical theater, the songs connect each scene and are performed by a soloist not acting in the play. The soloist becomes another voice, offering the audience additional insight."

The role of Bill will be played by Frank Biancamano, a well-known actor, who appeared for two years on Broadway as Frank Geminiani in "Gemini." He has also appeared locally in other leading roles such as the husband in Eduardo DiFillipo's "Philomena" at the Merrimack Repertory Theater and Marcus Hoff in Clifford Odet's "The Big Knife" at the Lyric Stage Company of Boston.

Danielle DiDio will be

playing the role of Sam. She has appeared at the Triangle Theater in Boston as Kathy in "Eye of the Gull" and at the Threshold Theatre as Lise Paquette in "Les Belles Soeurs." She also had numerous roles at the Actors Theatre of Louisville, where she spent one year in their rigorous apprentice program. DiDio holds a BFA in acting from the Tisch School for the Arts, New York University.

The director, Kathleen

Toledo, most recently directed "Marvelous Party" at the Triangle Theatre. She has an MFA in directing from Boston University, where she also has directed many plays including "Hedda Gabler" and "Blithe Spirit."

Performances will be Thursday through Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 7 p.m.

For ticket information, contact the theater, 442 Bunker Hill St., at 242-3285.

CHAD Bowling To Start Saturday

The CHARlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) Junior Bowling League will begin its season on Saturday, Sept. 24 at 11:30 a.m. at the Malden Bowladrome in Malden Square.

All boys and girls, ages 7 through 15 are eligible and welcome to bowl. The cost is \$5 per week.

If there are any youngsters who need a ride, meet in front of St. Catherine's Rectory at 11 a.m. sharp.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact John Dillon at 242-2692.

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STATE PRIMARY ELECTION - DEMOCRATIC BALLOT
 Ward 2, Charlestown Sept. 20, 1994
 Unofficial Tally by Precinct

Total Vote Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
	311	299	340	320	334	390	319	2313

Candidate Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
SENATOR IN CONGRESS								
* Edward M. Kennedy	198	217	209	165	215	232	153	1389
GOVERNOR								
George A. Bachrach	37	47	57	52	45	60	44	342
Michael J. Barrett	34	52	54	44	52	77	51	364
* Mark Roosevelt	157	132	156	132	166	154	106	1003
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR								
Marc D. Draisen	61	57	71	59	68	61	59	436
* Robert K. Maissie	118	108	125	132	109	136	103	831
ATTORNEY GENERAL								
* L. Scott Harshbarger	184	194	225	191	229	236	179	1438
SECRETARY OF STATE								
* William F. Galvin	145	165	137	160	201	192	139	1139
Augusto F. Grace	74	42	104	45	57	77	63	462
TREASURER								
* Shannon P. O'Brien	142	135	177	138	164	169	146	1071
AUDITOR								
* A. Joseph DeNucci	171	198	190	156	202	223	156	1296
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS								
* Joseph P. Kennedy II	205	226	192	190	224	242	180	1459
GOVERNOR'S COUNCILLOR								
* Dorothy A. Kelly Gay	118	123	151	127	151	169	108	947
Joseph G. LaBate	24	26	35	25	29	23	37	199
STATE SENATOR								
* Thomas F. Birmingham	218	195	232	199	256	259	181	1540
STATE REPRESENTATIVE								
* Richard A. Voke	199	203	242	212	241	276	201	1574
DISTRICT ATTORNEY								
* Gerard F. Malone	181	186	197	151	233	246	169	1363
CLERK OF SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT								
* Richard J. Rouse	119	125	139	106	148	155	112	904
CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT (CIVIL BUSINESS)								
* Michael J. Donovan	136	144	153	131	159	173	132	1028
CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT (CRIMINAL BUSINESS)								
Rosemary Cesario Carr	33	28	48	28	20	35	33	225
* John A. Nucci	139	128	118	84	138	115	87	809
Eve Piemonte Stacey	14	33	27	26	40	37	17	194
Peter A. Walsh	54	52	80	97	121	130	79	613
REGISTER OF PROBATE								
* Paul R. Tierney	157	70	187	146	173	208	149	1090

* Indicates Nominee

STATE PRIMARY ELECTION - REPUBLICAN BALLOT
 Ward 2, Charlestown Sept. 20, 1994
 Unofficial Tally by Precinct

Total Vote Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
	64	45	58	34	28	37	31	297

Candidate Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total
SENATOR IN CONGRESS								
John R. Lakian	8	8	5	4	1	5	1	32
* W. Mitt Romney	52	32	51	29	27	30	30	251
GOVERNOR								
* William F. Weld	56	41	53	28	26	34	28	266
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR								
* Argeo Paul Cellucci	50	39	54	25	20	27	24	239
ATTORNEY GENERAL								
* Janis M. Berry	39	22	35	11	14	15	9	145
Guy A. Carbone	10	13	9	12	7	9	3	63
SECRETARY OF STATE (No winner declared at press time)								
Arthur E. Chase	23	18	19	9	4	6	6	85
Peter V. Forman	16	10	18	13	15	12	6	90
TREASURER								
* Joseph D. Malone	43	30	44	20	25	24	18	204
AUDITOR								
* Forrester A. Clark	27	25	29	14	13	15	6	129
Earle B. Stroll	5	5	9	7	4	5	3	38
GOVERNOR'S COUNCILLOR								
* Virgil J. Aiello	62	31	38	7	16	19	11	184
DISTRICT ATTORNEY								
* Ralph C. Martin	53	36	47	23	21	25	19	224

* Indicates Nominee

**American Legion Installation
 To Be Held On Sept. 24**

All are cordially invited to attend the 76th annual installation of officers of Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, on Saturday, Sept. 24 at 8 p.m. at the Post Quarters, 23 Adams St., at the corner of Chestnut Street, Charlestown.

The installation will be conducted by National Executive Committeeman Nicholas D'Alessandro and the Suffolk County District 7 Installing Team.

Paul Morceau will be installed as commander. Morceau is a lifetime resident of Charlestown. A U.S. Army veteran who served with the military police from 1969 to 1971 in West Germany and in

the United States, he is also a member of the DAV Mass. Chapter 17 (Shipyard) and the U.S. Veterans Vietnam Era, Post 3 Everett.

Other officers to be installed are: First Vice Commander Al Gallarelli; Second Vice Commander Edward Kelly; Finance Officer John Kelley, P.C.; Assistant Finance Officer Arthur Hurley, P.C.; Adjutant William M. Thomas, P.C.; Assistant Adjutant Glenn W. Luce Jr., P.C.; Historian William J. Galvin; Graves Registration Officer Edward McKenna; Americanism Officer James W. Conway, P.N.H.; Chaplain Michael J. Walsh, P.C.; and Sergeant-At-Arms Ronald Taylor.

The members of the Executive Committee to be installed are: Florence Johnson, P.C.; Patricia Farris, P.C.; Jerry Sheehan; Philip Joseph Kelley, P.C.; Edward A. McGuinness, P.C.; Robert Pelletier; and Robert Gillen.

A collation and entertainment will follow the ceremony.

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CYO & ST. CATHERINE'S NEWS BY FATHER RON COYNE

▲ **The End Of An Era** - The Charlestown Community was blessed over the past few years to have been entertained by St. Catherine's Parish Shows directed by Ed Rooney. Last week Ed died from a heart attack and we lost a man who encouraged us to be the best we could be. Any child, teenager, adult or senior citizen who has ever worked with Ed will never forget him. His show style was professional and he demanded 100% cooperation so that we could be as proud of our efforts as he was of his.

St. Catherine's Parish and the people of our cast want to thank Ed for giving us the privilege of performing on stage and having a small idea of what it's like to be a star.

▲ **Boys Ball Hockey League** - We have begun our fourth fall season for our boys ball hockey league for 10-14-year-old boys. All games are played Monday through Friday at 3:30 p.m. in the Old Cage. There are 48 boys in the league. We are grateful to our volunteer referees Brian Dole, Jim Tallent and Joe Tallent. Our four team captains are Kenny Lewis (Islanders), Michael Stone (Panthers), Dave Evers (Mighty Ducks) and Michael Melaugh (Sharks). The season runs through Oct. 27 followed by playoffs.

▲ **Youth Lectors For Children's Mass** - St. Catherine's Children's Mass began Sunday, Sept. 18. Youth in grades five through eight are invited to be lectors at the

Masses. (Lectors are those who read the readings during Mass.) A meeting for all who are interested in being lectors will be held Tuesday, Sept. 27 at 5 p.m. in the lower church. There will be plenty of opportunities to practice for those who might be a little nervous about reading. Practices will be held every Tuesday at 5 p.m.

▲ **CYO All-Nighter** - Our next all-nighter for teenagers, ages 13-19, will be held from 6 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 14 to Saturday, Oct. 15 at 6 a.m. We will travel by bus throughout the night and take part in various activities. The cost is \$20 per person. You must sign up at St. Catherine's Rectory.

▲ **Bruins Tickets** - We have 25 tickets for the Boston Bruins vs. Toronto Maple Leafs game on Saturday, Oct. 8 at the Boston Garden at 7:35 p.m. The cost of each ticket is \$19 (obstructed view). This is the last year for the existence of the Garden. All ages are welcome. Tickets are now on sale at St. Catherine's Rectory.

▲ **CYO Ice Hockey League** - The CYO has an ice hockey league for boys 13 to 17 years of age. We don't know if there is a need for this team in Charlestown at this time, but if there is, we would like to provide the opportunity. Games are played weekends from December through February. We have coaches who are willing to take responsibility for the team. If any boys are interest-

ed in representing Charlestown in the CYO Ice Hockey League, please call Father Coyne at 242-1750 before Oct. 1. If we have enough interest, (we need 15-20 players), we will enter a team.

▲ **Adult All-Nighter** - The Adult All-Nighter will be held on Friday, Nov. 4 and Saturday, Nov. 5. It promises to be as much fun as the Scavenger Hunt. An all-nighter is a night filled with activities. We will take a bus to various fun spots around the city. We can't tell you all of the places we will go because that would ruin the surprise. We'll leave at approximately 7 p.m. on Friday and return Saturday at approximately 6 a.m. All this for only \$25! Yes, you'll be a little tired the next day, but you'll love it! Sign up at St. Catherine's Rectory. Payment reserves a spot. Call Mary Featherston at 242-1750 if you have any questions.

▲ **Junior CYO** - Join Junior CYO!! Children ages 9 to 12 are invited to participate in a new membership program. We are in the process of planning a variety of activities that are fun, educational and value oriented. Sign up at St. Catherine's Parish Hall on Wednesday, Oct. 5 from 4 to 5:30 p.m. and Saturday, Oct. 8 from 10 a.m. to noon. The membership fee is \$5 for one year. A parent's signature is required on the application. Our first activity will be miniature golf for new members only.

Pop Warner Corner

After losing all four games last week against Mattapan, we fared better this week against Braintree.

The A-Team . . . has their first win under their belt. With Russell Groggett scoring three touchdowns, they beat Braintree 19-0.

The B-Team . . . lost their game 13-12. After being down 13-0, John Ahearn scored two touchdowns late in the game.

The C-Team . . . had a disappointing loss. The game was scoreless until the last few minutes. Braintree won 12-0.

The D-Team . . . also lost 12-0. The boys played very hard and we are extremely proud of them.

We would like to give the cheerleaders a big round of applause. The girls do a great job.

At this time we would like to extend our thanks to our coaching staff, both cheerleading and football. There were many who said that they could do a better job in coaching and running our organization, however, these people were never around when needed.

Our final thanks goes to the local businesses that donated to our recent raffle. They are: Johnnie's Foodmaster, Bunker Hill Florist, The Wild Flower, Kerrigan's Florist, McCarthy Brothers Liquors, Comella's Restaurant, the 99 Restaurant & Pub, Salon 44 and The Ultimate. We appreciate your support.

First Bryan J. McGonagle Memorial Street Hockey Tournament

If you have registered for the tournament to be held Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 24 and 25, and have not received a phone call yet, call Jason MacDonald at 241-2956, Stephanie Ward at 242-1094 or Debbie Lent at 241-8656 right away.

All participants of the

tournament are asked to bring their own hockey sticks if possible.

Anyone who wishes to make a donation can do so by mailing it to: The Bryan J. McGonagle Ball Hockey Tournament, P.O. Box 415, Charlestown, Mass. 02129. All donations are truly appreciated.

St. Catherine's Color Guard News

The 1994-95 season for St. Catherine's Color Guard is well underway. This season we will be entering a Cadet Class and B Class guard unit into the Eastern Mass. Winter Color Guard Competitions. The girls have dedicated and committed themselves to be the best that they can be and have worked very hard so far this season to learn and perfect their performance.

The girls in the B guard are: Stacy Ainsley, Tara Awbrey, Tammy Biggins, Stephanie Centola, Shaina Coleman, Laura Corrado, Annemarie Fratalia, Kristen Golden, Janell Jones, Michelle Kelley, Kym Lawrence, Erin McIsaac, Jan Missett, Jen Missett, Melissa Missett, Gina Nye, Charlene O'Brien, Meghan O'Connor, Kelly Poliskey, Laurie Prince, Linda Rizzo, Allison Sargent, Deborah Shea and Kellie Walsh.

The girls in the Cadet guard are: Nicole Bourgeois, Bernadette Connors, Amy Copithorn, Christine Copithorn, Megan Costa, Christina Dalrymple, Kerrie Eddy, Jennifer Fidler, Barbie Gillis, Jillian Gillis, Danielle Gillis, Kerriann Gomperts, Kristin Gomperts, Kathleen Lacey, Elizabeth Leonforte, Caitlin Lewis, Lauren Mansfield, Nicole McNeil, Nicole Miller, Cara Mondello, Sarah Rabbitt, McKenzie Ridings, Allyson Roche, Sarah Rolinson, Ashley Smith, Alicia

Snow, Katie Swales and Katlyn Walsh.

During the summer months, several fund raisers were held and the girls would like to thank the people who helped this program get off to a great start. Thanks to . . . Ed DeSimone and Johnnie's Foodmaster for allowing the girls to hold a canister drive . . . Gary Justice and the Charlestown Men's Softball League for allowing the girls to have an on-going concession stand during the games . . . Steve Brennan and the Horseshoe Tournament Committee for allowing the girls to set up a concession during the tournament . . . Jeff McGann and the Charlestown Community Center for loaning gym space for the summer practices . . . Jackie Sawyer of the John F. Sawyer Funeral Home for allowing the girls to set up a concession on the night of July 4 . . . the Disney Character Committee for allowing the girls to set up a concession during the Character Day.

Also, thank you to Royal Pizza, Johnnie's Foodmaster, Christy's Subs, Mama Maria's, the Red Store and McCarthy Brothers for their donations during this fund raiser.

A very special thanks to all the girls and parents who helped during these fund raisers - it could not have been done without you.

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Please note: This is not a substitute for reporting incidents to the police or dialing 911 to report emergencies.

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BOB D'S BEAT

BY BOB DeCRISTOFORO

◆ **Dunny Cup Runneth Over - With Love!** . . . Jimmy Donovan will always be alive in our hearts and in our minds, and his love will always be felt in Charlestown. He was a very special person.

The third weekend in September is a special time in Charlestown as teams from all around, but especially around Charlestown, vie for the "Dunny Cup" in street hockey - a sport Jimmy truly enjoyed.

This year, teams included the Boys & Girls Club, the Mahoney Club, Mike Carroll Club, Hayes Square, Somerville, the Maulers, Pipswack, Mighty Mavericks, Celtics, Chiefs, Mayestown, Club 953 (which honored Mass. State Trooper Mark Charbonnier), JAFT, Bimba's Boys, the Junior Maulers, the Greg McNeil Club and the Joe Lawler Club.

Close to 170 participants played to honor the friendship of Jimmy Donovan. More people filled the park and lined the fences to say silently, but very clearly, "Jimmy, we love you." What a tribute to Jimmy, his beautiful family and his beautiful friends.

The JAFT team, whose members were Ronnie Poole, Billy Kempton, Mike Walsh, Dan Hooley, Anthony Matson, Tommy McGrath, Jimmy Gillen, Chris Russell, Joe DeRoeve and Todd Fisher, won the tournament. They defeated Bimba's Boys, whose members were Steve Brennan, Dick Centola, John Allen, Chris Brennan, Gerry Buckley, Mark Gorman, Mike Gautreau, Warren Fitzpatrick and Pat Considine. MVP of the tournament was Ronnie Poole.

The real champions and the real MVP is each one who was involved in the tournament. God Bless Charlestown!!

◆ **Bunker Hill Teen Center Awards** . . . The summer program has come to an end and yes, there will be a recognition night for all teens who participated in the summer leagues within the next couple of weeks. No, you haven't been forgotten! If you were involved with the "Rage in the Cage" Co-ed Tournament, Girls Ball Hockey or Boys Ball Hockey, keep your eye on this column. The awards have been ordered!

◆ **Charlestown High Notes** . . . High opening day expectations fell quite short as Burke defeated the Townies 28-8 at White Stadium. Quarterback Shawn Brown's 30-

yard pass to junior Gabe Soto in the fourth quarter accounted for the Charlestown touchdown.

Dressing for this varsity game were: Tim Warren (10); Shawn Brown (12); Juan Capeles (20); Ed Reynolds (21); Gabe Soto (22); Damien Finkley (24); Dornell Peterson (30); Greg Poole (31); Greg Staples (32); Rene Armador (50); Mark Roberts (51); Jason Nelson (52); Miguel Jose (61); Kwome Rhodes (64); Jeray Winder (70); Mike Garvin (72); Monhdil Jose (73); Jerome Allen (74); Hugh Coleman (80); Damien DuBose (82); and Andrew Ray (84).

Tomorrow, Friday, Sept. 23, Charlestown travels to Boston English. Game time is 3 p.m.

◆ **Bryan McGonagle Tournament** . . . Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 24 and 25, is the weekend to drop by Ryan Field to see our young street hockey players take part in the Bryan McGonagle Street Hockey Tournament. A lot of love and labor has been put in and fan support would be great!

◆ **St. Catherine's Ball Hockey** . . . Four years ago Father Coyne introduced his fall afternoon ball hockey league for boys 14 and under, and this week the 1994 season gets underway. Four teams have begun their quest for the championship banner. Teams and their members are:

Islanders - Captain Ken Lewis, Fred Arroyo, Marc Russell, Ryan Evers, Eric Pacheco, Ryan Connolly, Ryan Godfrey, John Fabiano and Robert Gil.

Panthers - Captain Mike Stone, Paul Hennessey, Bob Yandle, Vinnie Donovan, Mike Wilkins, Frank McPherson, John Wrenn, Timmy Brennan, Jeff Lynch and Tim Hickey.

Sharks - Captain Mike Melaugh, Brian Dacey, Jack Kelly, Paul Kelly, Joe Wilkins, Corey Hollien, Paul Doherty, Andrew Brennan and Danny Devlin.

Mighty Ducks - Captain Dave Evers, Chad Titcomb, Mike Sweeney, John Ahearn, Joe Roche, Tim Dacey, Phil O'Neil, Sean Rea and Jason Flint.

◆ **Urquhart Sparks Win** . . . Ian Urquhart led the combined Charlestown-Southie basketball team to a big win in the quarterfinal round of the Reebok Youth Division Tournament. The 48-45 win puts the team in this Saturday morning's semi-finals. Ian led all scorers with 18 points.

Also playing for the team from Charlestown is Shane Fisher.

◆ **High School Notebook** . . . Don Bosco's return to the Catholic Conference was greeted by St. John's Prep, but the welcome wagon rolled over the Bears 44-7. Rob DiFrummolo's 60-yard punt return accounted for the Bosco touchdown.

Jason Morant had three touchdowns for Catholic Memorial, but they weren't enough as the Knights fell to St. John's of Shrewsbury 28-20.

Malden Catholic had the early first quarter lead thanks to quarterback Jimmy Perry, but BC High roared back to take a 24-7 win. Scorers for the Eagles were Matt Hunt, Eric Tarzia, Jim Goldrick and Sean Joyce.

Dee Brown had two touchdowns for Matignon as the Warriors topped Boston Latin 18-6. Sterling Bishop scored the Latin touchdown.

West Roxbury defeated Latin Academy 30-8, Arlington Catholic shutout Old Colony 21-0 and Manchester blanked Pope John 20-0.

◆ **Weekend High School Football Watch** . . . The football schedule for this weekend is as follows:

Friday, Sept. 23
Charlestown at Boston English.
BC High at New Bedford

Saturday, Sept. 24
Latin Academy vs. South Boston
Bedford at Boston Latin
Savio Prep at Matignon
Tyngsboro at Pope John
Catholic Memorial at Durfee
Don Bosco vs. Xaverian
Nantucket at Arlington Catholic

Sunday, Sept. 25 - St. Clement at Manchester

◆ **Friends of Kenny O'Neil** . . . Congratulations to Mike Erardi and all those who helped to make the Kenny O'Neil tribute last Friday evening a great success. All of you, like Kenny, are very special people, and your hearts are very big and very beautiful.

◆ **Tidbits** . . .
- Donnie Kelsey countdown: 20 days!

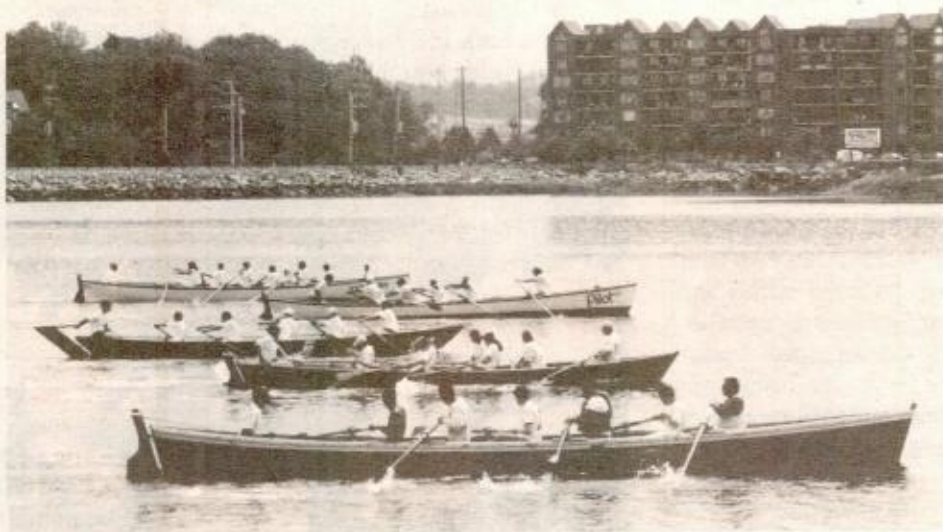
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Local Rowers Pick Up Prize In Steamboat Sprints

A rowing crew made up of novices from the Courageous Sailing Center placed third overall in "The Steamboat Sprints" rowing races held recently near Nantasket Beach. The crew, who had never before raced together, traveled to the old Steamboat Pier in Hull for the event. They demonstrated enormous determination, exchanging wind for oar power, plying their 12-foot "sticks" with surprising skill and courage.

The race was composed of five 32-foot rowing boats, each with six to eight rowers, ages 12 to 20, and a coxswain at the helm who lined up behind the old Paragon Park for a two-mile loop out into Hull Bay. The race, sponsored by a local Celtic pub the "Old Nantasket Steamboat," marked the kick-off of the fall racing season for most open-water rowers. The crews were from Hull, Hingham, Cohasset, Roslindale and Charlestown.

Both city crews had been training during the summer in the youth rowing programs offered by the Navy Yard Rowing Center on Pier 2 in the



National Park. The Navy Yard Rowing Center, the in-town wing of the Hull Lifesaving Museum, has been teaching kids boat building and year-round open-water rowing for six years.

This summer was the first time that Courageous sailors have tried out the rowing boats and, if their success is any measure, it looks as if they will be back for more. This is thanks, in large part, to the leadership of Courageous Director Kathy Kelliher, and youth rower Sean Porter.

For the race, the crew drew the pilot gig Kittery,

an exact copy of a boat used off the southwest coast of Cornwall for the past 200 years to ferry deep water ship's pilots to sailing vessels returning from the New World. The Kittery was loaned to the crew by boatbuilders from the Portsmouth, N.H. Naval Shipyard.

Driven over the race course by Sean Porter, the Courageous crew held their own with more experienced boats for nearly 1 1/2 miles, only slipping as the "pros" sprinted for the finish. Finishing a remarkable third overall, the Courageous kids took home the

Novice Crew first prize for the day.

As they crossed the finish line, rower Nathan Shamas seemed to express the sentiments of every crew finishing its first grueling encounter with racing with a resounding "Uggghh!"

Fall interscholastic rowing is beginning at the high school and middle school levels. Charlestown youngsters and their parents can obtain further information by contacting the Navy Yard Rowing Center, Boston National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

Last Call For Charlestown Gym Hockey Registration

Registration for gym hockey will take place tonight, Thursday, Sept. 22, from 6 to 8 p.m.; and Saturday, Sept. 24 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Mary's Parish Hall, 46 Winthrop St., Charlestown. The registration fee is \$10. Any names taken after these dates will be placed on a waiting list.

To be eligible to play,

boys must be ages 4 to 8, and girls must be ages 4 to 9. Boys turning 9 before Dec. 31 and girls turning 10 before Dec. 31 are not eligible.

Anyone willing to donate their time as coaches, referees, time keepers, score keepers, etc., should contact Jimbo Tucker at 242-3470, Timmy Dacey at 242-1937, Paul Buckley at 242-3944 or Debbie Lent at 241-8656.

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Gillis And Rose Take 1994 Horseshoe Tournery Championship

The 15th annual Horseshoe Tournament was held at the Doherty Park last month. As usual, there was a huge turnout and a great time was had by all.

year we'll need 100 t-shirts.

Second of all, I would like to thank all the people and establishments that made donations and really

thank my "Red Shirt" crew of Dan Noonan, Danny Awbrey, Mike Machado, Mike McPherson, Richie Claudio, Big Ed Greatorex and Jamsey Greatorex. A big thank you to my grounds crew of Andrew Brennan, Chuckie Kavanaugh, Erin Brennan, Chad Titcomb, young Chet Ferreira and my pal and fishing partner Michael Carey, whose mother Sue donated money for t-shirts. Also Gene Lawrence and Barbara Gillis for the great job with the refreshments with all the proceeds going to St. Catherine's Color Guard.

Special thanks to Phil Carey, Mark Smith, John Allen, Mike Ezekiel and my "Red Shirt" crew again, for all their help with the sand, stakes, digging and cutting of the

Delaney, Billy Stella, big and little Chet Ferreira and Normie Brennan - you guys made the tournament better than ever. And to all the fans for their support and fine behavior throughout the tournament, you are the ones who make the tour-

namment what it is - awesome!

The money raised at the raffle was donated to cancer research and to Charlestown Youth Hockey for a scholarship in Brendan McNeill's name.

Please forgive me if I have forgotten anyone and

I'm sorry for being late with this article. Thank you for your continued support. I will see you all again next year.

Just one more thing, welcome home Tommy Vesey! Take care.

Steve "Bimba" Brennan
Tournament Director



WINNERS of the 15th annual Horseshoe Tournament Tom Rose (left) and Neil Gillis (right) are presented with their championship trophies by Kelly Gouthro (center) whose family donated the trophies.

For the second year in a row, we have new champions - the team of Neil Gillis and Tom Rose. Rose and Gillis went into the finals undefeated with six wins and no losses. They faced the tough team of Tom (MaHa) Jackson and Bobby (Ringer) Yandle, who had five wins and one loss and would have had to beat Gillis and Rose twice to win the crown.

The first game went to Jackson and Yandle with a score of 15-1. Now the stage was set for the championship game - winner take all. MaHa Jackson and Ringer Yandle pulled out to a quick lead, but the Gillis and Rose team stuck to their game plan and roared back to win the championship by a score of 16-14. Congratulations to the newly crowned champs.

First of all, I would like to thank everyone that was involved in the tournament. A big thank you to Peter Walsh, candidate for Clerk of Suffolk County Superior Court for Criminal Business, for sponsoring the event and donating the t-shirts, which were great. Next



RUNNERS-UP in the 15th annual Horseshoe Tournament Tom Jackson (left) and Bobby Yandle (right) are shown with Kelly Gouthro (center).

got the event and raffle going. In no particular order they are: the Horseshoe Tavern, McCarthy Brothers Liquors, Chris Thornton and All-Pro Sports, Jim Vesey, Michelle Lynch and CCM Sports, Collier's Market, Grant Photo, John Collins, Bob and Jeff McGann, Peg & Al's Variety, and "Nipper" Harrigan, Kathy and Kelly Gouthro for the wonderful trophies, and Joannie McNeill and Red Noonan.

I would also like to

new horseshoe pits. Also Joe Wrenn, Brendan and Chris Brennan, Ed Greatorex Sr., Jamsey Greatorex and Phil Carey for their help with the raffles and setting things up, and Gloria Conway and Jeanne Davis at the Patriot for their continued support of the tournament.

A very special thank you to some friends who helped me out big time: John Allen, Jimbo Murphy, Gary Justice, Tom (MaHa) Jackson, Jackie (Let me tell the score)



THE HORSESHOE PITS were the recipients of some hard work in preparation for the 15th annual Horseshoe Tournament. Shown (l. to r.) Mike Machado, Danny Noonan, Francis "Nipper" Harrigan, Kelly Gouthro, Steve "Bimba" Brennan and Eddie Greatorex.



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.D.



Healthy Charlestown Coalition

MEETING TONIGHT

The Healthy Charlestown Coalition will meet tonight, Thursday, Sept. 22, at the Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St., from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

The agenda will include introduction of the new officers and steering committee, an update on the USAID Conference and the coordinator's position and member recruitment for upcoming projects.

As usual, a light supper and child care will be available. If you plan to attend and will need child care, please call the Coalition office at 241-3756 so the necessary arrangements can be made.



CHARLESTOWN BOYS & GIRLS CLUB NEWS

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♦ EDUCATION

Boston Latin Exam - The Boston Latin School exam will be held on Saturday, Nov. 5. If you are in the 6th or 8th grade, you are eligible to take the exam. The club will offer Latin Prep Classes throughout September and October to help students prepare. Call Jenny at 242-1775 to sign up.

Babysitter Certification - Babysitting classes have started, but it's not too late to join. Talk to Jenny.

Photography Classes - Sign-ups for beginners and advanced photography classes will be held this Saturday, Sept. 24 at noon. Classes begin the following week.

Computer Logo Classes - Classes will be starting on Thursday, Sept. 29. Sign-ups with Colin in the computer room will be on a first-come, first-served basis.

Tutoring - Classes will begin in October. If you want to sign up, talk to

Christine. Parents who would like a tutor for their child should attend the parents workshop on Thursday, Sept. 29 at 6 p.m. The topic will be "Helping Your Kids With Their Homework." Childcare and refreshments will be provided!

♦ GAMES ROOM

Torch Club - Meetings will be held every Friday at 7 p.m. The next meeting will be tomorrow, Sept. 23. Items on the agenda will include: a dance on Sept. 30, an apple picking field trip on Oct. 1 and tri-club events. See Mark for more information.

Guitar Lessons - Lessons have begun. They are held every Tuesday at 6 p.m. You must be 10 years of age or older. Having your own guitar is helpful, but not necessary. See Mark in the games room for more information.

♦ TEEN CENTER

Keystone Club Applications - Keystone applications are available in the Teen Center. Keystone is a youth leader-

ship group that organizes and runs activities for their peers. Anyone interested in taking part in Keystone should see Rachel in the Teen Center.

Flag Football Tourney - This Saturday, Sept. 24, we will be holding our second Flag Football Tournament at the Charlestown High Field beginning at 10 a.m. Rosters are due in Friday evening at the Teen Center.

College Club - This year's College Club met last Thursday evening to kick off the new year. The turnout was great. Any high school junior or senior interested in assistance in choosing a college or career should visit Maureen in the Teen Ed Room every Tuesday through Thursday from 6 to 9 p.m.

Mentoring Program - The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club is starting a new and exciting Mentoring Program. Club members ages 6 to 18 can be matched up with a local business for a year-long mentorship/job. Young people who are will-

ing to commit to a job from October to May, including some job skills workshops at the club, should talk to Maureen O'Mara at the Teen Center. Any businesses interested in more information about the program should contact Jenny Atkinson at 242-1775.

Boys Ball Hockey - On Wednesday evening, Sept. 28, we will be holding a Boys Ball Hockey Tournament for ages 13 to 15. Rosters are now available in the Teen Center.

Swim Team Registration - Registration for the swim team will take place at the Charlestown Community Center on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 26 and 27, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Practice begins Thursday, Sept. 29.

Mountain Biking Trip - There will be a mountain biking trip on Saturday, Oct. 1 for teens. For sign ups or more information, call Joe at 242-1775.

Teen Basketball - Games will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 p.m.

State Offers College Credits For High School Students

Rep. Richard Voke and Sen. Thomas Birmingham have announced that the legislature has funded a program that will allow qualified high school students to simultaneously earn both college and high school credits. The new Dual Enrichment Program will allow juniors and seniors who have a B or better grade point average (GPA) to enroll in public college or university courses free of charge.

"This program provides an outstanding opportunity for some of the best young students in the commonwealth. Prior to this measure, this type of opportunity was only available for the wealthy. Now talented high school students from all back-

grounds will be eligible for college classes at no cost to the students, parents, school district or community," commented Voke.

The plan was developed under the Education Reform Act of 1993 and was made viable with a \$500,000 appropriation included in the Fiscal Year '95 budget.

Voke and Birmingham said some of the criteria for eligibility includes: junior or senior level standing; a 3.0 grade point average and/or a recommendation from their high school principal, teachers or guidance counselor; students must meet higher education admission requirements; and students must have written approval from

their parents. Qualified students will be admitted to the Dual Enrollment Program on a first-come, first-served basis. Once accepted, the student would be required to maintain a B or better in all college-level course work.

"This program is good public policy. Not only does it open the door of opportunity for the individuals who participate in the program, but it also

continues previous efforts by the legislature to build a strong statewide education system. It is vital for the future economic development of the commonwealth to have an educated work force to compete in the global market. This can only be accomplished by providing our children with the best possible educational opportunities such as this," concluded Birmingham.

HAPPENINGS AT THE CHARLESTOWN WORKING THEATER 442 Bunker Hill St. 242-3285



Lots of things are happening at The CWT! Our free piano and acting classes are starting up again.

Piano lessons will be offered to students between the ages of 12 and 19, and for people ages 55 and over. Once again, they will be taught by Steve Lantner, who will interview and select students for the weekly half hour lessons. Potential students must be willing to commit to their weekly time slot, and must practice outside of class.

Acting classes will be offered to students ages 7-19, and they will be geared toward a December production of *Oliver!* Orientation will be on Saturday, Sept. 24 at 10:30 a.m. for ages 6-10, and 1 p.m. for ages 10-14. Classes will be taught by John Quinn.

Michael Teixeira of MIT Productions will teach a 6-week course in Technical Methods and Design for Theater. This class will focus on the nuts and bolts of theater production, such as set design, scenic painting, lighting design and installation, gaffing, etc. The final project of this class will be designing and building the set for *Oliver!* This class is open for ages 13 and up, and like our other classes, is offered free of charge.

We are also holding auditions for any adults who may be interested in performing in *Oliver!* No experience is necessary, so if you have ever wanted to try your hand at acting, this could be your chance. We are looking for actors and singers to fill out this large cast musical production. We are also seeking people who are interested in working behind-the-scenes on the technical production end of *Oliver!* The CWT hopes to make this show a real Charlestown community production, so we're counting on all our talented fellow residents to come on down and help out, and have a lot of fun while we're doing it!

The CWT is proud to host Wizard Productions presentation of "The Hermit of Chestnut Hill." This show is an original musical based on the life of Bill Britt, the Hermit of Chestnut Hill. The show will open on Thursday, Sept. 29 and run through Sunday, Oct. 16. Shows are Thursday through Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 7 p.m.

Our annual Haunted House returns on Friday, Oct. 28 through Sunday, Oct. 30. Keep your eye on the *Patriot* for more information about this spooky and fun event!

For class information, or to make reservations for "The Hermit of Chestnut Hill," please call The CWT at 242-3285.

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It may be in your best interest to expense your repairs rather than capitalize them, but how do you know which is which? Tax experts agree it's a gray area, but the IRS offers this guidance: if the expenditure increases the value of your property, makes it more useful, or lengthens its life, the expenditure must be capitalized and depreciated. Otherwise, it's an expense.

For instance, if you have a machine that requires you to replace parts to keep it running, the cost of the parts is considered an expense because you're maintaining the machine's existing life. But if you replace those parts during an overhaul of the machine, that's usually considered a capital expenditure, because the overhaul has lengthened the machine's life.

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Friday, Sept. 23

10 a.m. - Seniorobics, American Legion Hall
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
(*\$1 donation requested*)
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Monday, Sept. 26

10 a.m. - Seniorobics, American Legion Hall
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
(*\$1 donation requested*)
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Tuesday, Sept. 27

10 a.m. - Swim
10 a.m. - Crochet, Beading and Crafts,
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
(*\$1 donation requested*)

Wednesday, Sept. 28

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus from Anchorage
Apartments and Constitution Co-op
10 a.m. - Beading
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
(*\$1 donation requested*)
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Thursday, Sept. 29

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,
10 a.m. - Swim
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
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The commission offers free eye examinations and hearing screenings by appointment through its Bright Eyes and Sound Screen program at Boston City Hospital. Free transportation is provided. Please call 635-4050 to schedule an appointment for one of the following dates:

BRIGHT EYES
Wednesday, Sept. 28

SOUND SCREEN
Thursday, Oct. 13

Blood Pressure Screening will take place on Tuesday, Sept. 27, at the Constitution Co-op Apartments, 42 Park St., Charlestown from 10 a.m. to noon.

Please note that Bright Eyes is for Boston residents age 60 and over who have not participated in the program within the past two years and/or those who are not currently under the care of an eye specialist.

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- **Knit & Crochet**
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- **Liquid Embroidery**
Monday, 10 a.m. to noon, Reed White

UPCOMING TRIPS

- A trip to Pennsylvania Dutch Country is being planned for Oct. 18-21. The cost of the trip is \$299 for double occupancy and includes six meals and guided tours. Call or see Sheila for more details.
- An outing to the King's Grant Inn for "A Murder Mystery" is on the agenda for Friday, Oct. 28. The cost is \$30 for the show, lunch and transportation. Seats are limited, so call Sheila soon and join the detectives to solve the mystery!

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 &
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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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Religion classes for all public school students in grade 8 from St. Francis de Sales Parish will begin on Monday, Sept. 26 at 3 p.m. in the Rectory.

Religion classes for all public school students in grade 7 will begin on Thursday, Sept. 29 at 3 p.m. in the Rectory. These are the preparation classes for Confirmation. You must be a member of this class in order to attend Confirmation II Classes in the ninth grade.

The Guild of St. Francis de Sales is sponsoring a Craft Fair on Sunday, Oct. 16, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the Bish-

op Lawton Hall. If you are interested in a table, please contact the co-chairpersons: Honey McCreevan at 242-4850, Alice Ringer at 242-0126, Mary Saccardo at 242-0895, or the rectory at 242-0147.

On Friday, Oct. 21, at 8 p.m., the alumni of St. Francis de Sales School are sponsoring a parish fund raiser dance which will be held in the Bishop Lawton Hall. Tickets are \$10 and are available from Dave Whelan, Peggy (Small) Lynch, Jackie (Whelan) Chaisson, Kathy (Davis) Duggan, Kathy (Harrigan) Gouthro, Cathy (Murphy) Lavigne, Diane (McInnis) Miller, Mary (Blaikie) Ridings, the rectory and from the ushers at Mass. Dennis Moore will be the D.J. All are welcome to attend this parish fund raiser sponsored by the alumni. Come join us for a night of fun and surprises.

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Suffolk Division Docket No. 94C0252

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

To all persons interested in the petition hereinafter described. A petition has been presented to said Court by Kerri-Anne Wadman of Boston in said County, praying that her name may be changed as follows: Kerri-Anne Wadman to Kerri-Anne Burns.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Boston before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 6th day of October, 1994, the return day of this citation.

WITNESS, Mary C. Fitzpatrick, Esquire, First Justice of said Court, this 12th day of September, 1994.

James Michael Connolly
Register of Probate

CITY OF BOSTON

To the Public Safety Commission
Committee on Licenses
Building Department

Boston, Sept. 1, 1994

APPLICATION

For the lawful use of the herein-described building and other structure, application is hereby made for a permit to erect a private-public-business-garage, parking and storage of nine vehicles and also for a license to use the land on which such building or structure is/are or is/are to be situated for the KEEPING-STORAGE-and SALE of: 180 gallons of gasoline in tanks of vehicles, 1,000 c.f. of oxygen, 375 c.f. acetylene, six 33 1/2-lb. containers of propane, 110 gallons of anti-freeze, 2,000 gallons of #2 heating oil, 275 gallons of waste oil, 110 gallons of transmission fluid, two 55-gallon drums of hydraulic fluid, two 55-gallon drums of motor oil, 10 gallons of grease, 1 quart of paint, 1 quart of paint thinner.

Location of land: 410 Rutherford Ave., Ward 2

Owner of land: Pappas Corporation
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City of Boston, In Public Safety Commission, Charlestown Patriot. In the foregoing petition, it is hereby ORDERED, that notice be given by the petitioner to all persons interested that this Committee will on Thursday, the 29th day of September at 9:30 o'clock, A.M. consider the expediency of granting the prayer of said petition when any person objecting thereto may appear and be heard; said notice to be given by the publication of a copy of said petition with this order of notice thereon in the Charlestown Patriot and by mailing by prepaid registered mail, not less than 7 days prior to such hearing, a copy to every owner of record of each parcel of land abutting on the parcel of land on which the building proposed to be erected for, or maintained as, a garage is to be or is situated. Hearing to be held in the 5th Floor Conference Room, 1010 Mass. Ave., Boston, Mass. 02118. Chairman Acting Commissioner of Buildings Gary P. Moccia; Martin E. Pierce, Frank A. Trammontozzi, Committee On Licenses. A true copy. Attest: Henry R. Malbranche. 9/15-22-29

Film Program For Children

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Tuesday, Sept. 27 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "The Mole as a Watchmaker," the story about Mole who finds a cuckoo in a tree... "Sound of Sounds" is a tale of three friends that collect different sounds...

and the classic tale of "Three Little Pigs" is told with hand puppets. Paul and his blue ox, Babe, make pancakes in "Paul Bunyan: Lumber Camp Tales," shown only at 3:30 p.m.

Suggested good books to read are **Bear Child's Book of Hours** by Anne Rockwell, **The Fourth Little Pig** by Teresa Noel Celsi and **Paul Bunyan: A Tall Tale** by Steven Kellogg.



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Monday Sept. 12

During the day, a mountain bike was stolen from the hallway of a residence on High Street.

An attempt was made to steal an automobile that was parked on West School Street.

A stolen automobile was recovered on Lyndeboro Street.

Tuesday, Sept. 13

A stolen automobile was recovered on Tufts Street.

At approximately 1:40 p.m. while walking on Medford Street away from the high school, four teen-age residents were confronted by two individuals. One of these individuals was carrying a baseball bat and the other a golf club. After a brief argument, one of the teenagers was struck across the face with the bat. A struggle ensued which resulted in five individuals being arrested for assault or being a disorderly person. Another student who was leaving school and walking up Polk Street and unaware of the incident, was jumped by five teenagers who knock him to the ground, punched and kicked him, then fled on foot. Two individuals were taken to the Mass. General Hospital for treatment.

A stolen automobile was recovered on Dunstable Street.

Two automobiles parked at Chelsea and Bunker Hill streets were broken into during the day by someone who smashed the windows.

At 9 p.m., a resident of Walford Way reported that two teenagers smashed the windshield of an automobile with a hockey stick.

Wednesday, Sept. 14

A resident reported that while unloading items from her automobile at the rear of 29 Main St., someone came by and stole two suitcases containing personal items and a film editing device.

A stolen automobile was recovered in the parking lot on Eden Street.

An automobile parked on Walker Street was broken

into, and a radio was stolen.

Thursday, Sept. 15

An automobile parked on Monument Avenue was broken into, and a compact disc player was stolen.

During the morning, a bicycle was stolen from a hallway at Ninth Street.

At approximately 2 p.m., an automobile struck a fence on Short Street and the operator fled the scene. The vehicle was later stopped on Mead Street where the operator, a resident of New Hampshire, was placed under arrest.

Friday, Sept. 16

At approximately 9 p.m., officers observed two teenagers inside an automobile on Walford Way, which had been reported stolen. The two 15-year-olds, one from Roxbury and the other a Charlestown resident, were placed under arrest for receiving a stolen automobile.

Saturday, Sept. 17

A stolen automobile was recovered in the vicinity of 300 Main St.

At approximately 2 a.m., Officers Reaney, Kelley and Walsh observed an automobile being driven the wrong way on O'Meara Court. After stopping the vehicle, the officers observed a packet of cocaine in the vehicle. The driver and passenger, both 29-year-old Medford residents, were placed under arrest. The passenger in the rear, an 18-year-old Charlestown resident, was carrying assorted pills and marijuana and was also placed under arrest.

An automobile parked on West School Street was broken into during the afternoon, and clothing items were stolen.

During the evening, an automobile parked on Green Street was broken into and tools were stolen.

A Dorchester resident reported that she was approached by a man at Moulton and Vine streets who threatened her with a knife. The suspect, a 40-year-old resident, was observed a short time later and placed under arrest.

Sunday, Sept. 18

At approximately 12:45 a.m., a 21-year-old Reading resident was dropping his friend off on Walford Way when a group of four individuals wielding sticks assaulted him and caused damage to his truck. Further investigation by Officer Whiffen resulted in the arrest of a 19-year-old resident for assault and battery.

At approximately 5:30 p.m., Officer Whiffen stopped an automobile and the operator, a 26-year-old resident, was placed under arrest for operating with a suspended license.

During the day, an automobile parked on 13th Street was broken into and assorted clothing items were stolen.

An apartment on Old Landing Way was broken into during the evening by someone who climbed through a window and stole a Genesis game.

During the evening, an automobile parked on 13th Street was broken into, and golf clubs were stolen.

• 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.

• There is strict enforcement of the Public Drinking laws in cooperation with the Charlestown District Court where fines will be levied against anyone found guilty.

COMPLAINTS RELATIVE TO DRUG ACTIVITY

Commanding Officer Ronald X. Conway of Area A-1 has established a Post Office Box for complaints relative to drug activity in Charlestown. He strongly urges you to send the police anonymous letters of time, location, vehicles, buildings with street numbers and a thorough description of the individuals involved (age, race, height, weight, clothing and any distinctive features.).

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Kverek Recognized For Community Service



FRIENDS OF ROSEMARY KVEREK gathered at Thompson Square last week to congratulate her as Rep. Richard A. Voke presented her with a citation from the Mass. House of Representatives. Shown (l. to r.) Dan Kovacevic, Pat DeCain, Lee and Nathaniel Eiseman, Voke, Kverek, Charlestown Preservation Society President Annette Tecce, Jan Mastrocola, Ginger Leonard, Carol Bratley, Joe Trepiccione and Ken Stone.

Local community activist Rosemary Kverek was recently recognized for her outstanding work in neighborhood preservation and enhancement. The immediate past president of the Charlestown Preservation Society, Kverek has been deeply involved in many local

efforts to improve Charlestown's greenspace and further develop the character and history that sets apart local neighborhoods from others across the state.

In presenting an official citation to her, Rep. Richard Voke said that he sees in Kverek "an out-

standing example of the rich resources and devout community consciousness that has made Charlestown a better place to live and work."



REP. RICHARD A. VOKE, House Majority Leader, presents a citation and bouquet of flowers to Rosemary Kverek in recognition for her outstanding work in neighborhood preservation and enhancement.

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