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Chief Marshal And W.W. II Vets Honored At Banquet

The recent Bunker Hill Day celebration afforded residents the opportunity to look back to the patriot forefathers of 220 years ago and remember the courage and fortitude of these poorly armed colonials as they stood tall

against the British forces, considered the most sophisticated and best equipped in the world at that time. This year also marked 50 years since the battles of World War II came to a victorious halt.

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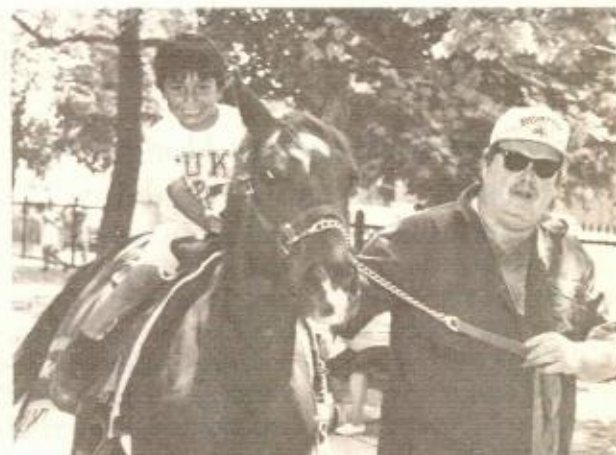
TOM HICKEY, chief marshal of the 1995 Bunker Hill Day Parade, was honored by the city of Boston with the presentation of an inscribed Paul Revere Bowl at the annual "Nite Before" Banquet. Shown (l. to r.) **Judy Evers**, regional coordinator, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services; **Hickey**; **Commissioner Tom Matrazzo**, city of Boston Veterans Services; and **Jim Conway**, Past National Historian of The American Legion.

Police Sponsor Family Fun Day At Doherty Park



FAMILY FUN DAY, sponsored by the Boston Police Department, filled Doherty Playground and the Clougherty Pool on Bunker Hill Street on July 6. Ideal weather coupled with an all-out effort by members of the Boston Police Department made it a great day for the community. Events included a cookout-out, a K-9 show, pony rides, caricatures and face painting by **Ken Partello** and a raffle. At the left are **Capt. Ron Conway**, commanding officer of Area A-1, and **Judy Evers**, regional coordinator from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, overseeing the day's activities which included pony rides (top right) and diving (bottom right).

(photos by Kathy Whitehouse)



THE HICKEY CHILDREN share the pleasure of the occasion with their father, 1995 Chief Marshal **Tom Hickey**, at the "Nite Before" Banquet held at the K. of C. Hall. Shown (l. to r.) **Tom Hickey Jr.**, **Maryellen Hickey Doherty**, the Chief Marshal and **Brian Hickey**.

(photos by John Dillon)



around the town

by Gloria S. Conway

★ **On Vacation . . .** Judy Evers, regional coordinator for the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, is on vacation now through July 23, returning to City Hall on Monday, July 24.

If you have a problem with city services during the next few days, please call Mayor **Tom Menino's** 24-hour number at 635-4500.

★ **Community Office Hours . . .** Judy Evers, regional coordinator from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, will be holding office hours on Monday, July 24 from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

She will be on hand to discuss problems and answer questions relative to city issues.

★ **Spray Pool At The Doherty Park . . .** Representatives from the Boston Parks Department met

with residents at the site of the spray pool in Doherty Park on Bunker Hill Street on July 19.

Boston Parks personnel **Justine Liff**, director of Planning and Development, **Stan Ivan**, chief engineer; and **James "Stretch" Walsh**, regional administrator, explained to the residents the procedure necessary to correct the problems at the spray pool.

The residents were told that it would be necessary to dig up the spray pool. They came to the decision that the spray pool should be left as is through the hot weather. Parents were admonished to take extra precautions with their children due to the rough surface of the facility.

According to the Parks Department, the spray pool will be dug up after Labor Day and will be resurfaced with concrete similar to the current edging on the pool. Also, four sprays will be installed,

bringing the total number of sprays to 10.

Parents were also told that when the concrete is poured at the pool, the youngsters will be able to put their handprints into the surface.

★ **The Warren Tavern License . . .** Judy Evers, regional coordinator, reports that the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services has received several telephone calls on the decision of the Consumer Affairs and Licensing on the entertainment license for The Warren Tavern.

Evers stated that according to **Donna Mueller**, executive director, the license granted to The Tavern is a provisional license, subject to review at any time, no later than Sept. 30, 1995.

During this time, the licensed premises shall be closely monitored for sound emanation problems. At the end of this provisional period, the

licensee may petition for a revision of the above conditions.

★ **Navy's Newest Destroyer To Be Commissioned In Boston . . .** The Navy's newest and most powerful guided missile destroyer, **Ramage** (DDG 61), arrived in Boston on July 18 in preparation for its commissioning on Saturday, July 22 at the Black Falcon Cruise Ship Terminal.

Sen. **John F. Kerry**, a former Navy swift boat commander in Vietnam, will be the guest speaker for the commissioning ceremony. Vice Adm. **Douglas Katz**, Commander Naval Surface Force, Atlantic Fleet, will place the ship into commission during ceremonies set to begin at 10 a.m.

The **Arleigh Burke** Class guided missile destroyer is 505' long, 66' wide and is propelled by four gas turbine engines

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Vanderpool Receives Honors At Boston University Academy

Boston University Academy has announced the names of those students earning distinction and high distinction for the 1994-95 academic year.

Alyssa Vanderpool, daughter of Irma Vanderpool of 68 Baldwin St., Charlestown, was awarded a certificate of distinction for maintaining an outstanding academic average of B or better for three terms.

Boston University Academy is a private co-edu-

cational day school on the campus of Boston University. Founded in 1993, the academy offers curious, motivated students the opportunity to earn 48 college credits by the end of the 12th grade.

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CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

this week at a glance

Thursday, July 20

• **3:30 p.m.** - Creative dramatics, improvisation and imaginative games, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Friday, July 21

• **7:30 p.m.** - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, off lobby, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave., Charlestown Navy Yard

Sunday, July 23

• **1:30 p.m.** - "Time Warp" produced by the CWT Acting Class, under the direction of Patricia Melanson, Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Tuesday, July 25

• **9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.** - Boston Water & Sewer Department representative to take bill payments and provide information, Golden Age Center, 382 Main St.

• **10:15 a.m.** - Preschool story program with stories and songs for preschool children accompanied by an adult, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

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

• **7:30 p.m.** - Overeaters Anonymous meeting, 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, July 26

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

• **4 p.m.** - "Reading Is Natural" Children's Summer Reading Club, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **6 to 7 p.m.** - Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

upcoming events

Friday, July 28

• **7:30 p.m.** - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, off lobby, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave., Charlestown Navy Yard

Saturday, July 29

• **10 a.m. to 3 p.m.** - Car Wash to benefit summer activities for J.F. Kennedy Center Day Care, behind Medford Street gym

Tuesday, Aug. 1

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plan ahead

Saturday, Nov. 25

• **7 p.m.** - Majestic Knights, St. Mary's Drill Team,

St. Mary's Cadets 1995 Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

The Kennedy Center Services At Community Sites

100 Ferrin St. For Seniors Only

Tuesday, July 25

9:30 a.m. - Coffee
10 a.m. - Crochet/Plastic Embroidery
10:30 a.m. - Swim at the YMCA
11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon, \$1
1 p.m. - Sitting Cises
1:30 p.m. - Transportation Access

Wednesday, July 26

9:15 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop

Thursday, July 27

9:30 a.m. - Coffee
10 a.m. - Crochet/Plastic Embroidery
10:30 a.m. - Swim at the YMCA
11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon, \$1
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Please Note: Diabetes Support Group will not meet during July and August.

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55 Bunker Hill St. Drop-in Resource Center

* for seniors only

Friday, July 21

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
10 to 11 a.m. - * Seniorobics
11:30 a.m. - * Kit Clark Luncheon, \$1
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Monday, July 24

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
10 to 11 a.m. - * Seniorobics
11:30 a.m. - * Kit Clark Luncheon, \$1
12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Tuesday, July 25

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
10 to 11:30 a.m. - * Seniorobics
10 to 11 a.m. - Head Start Spanish-speaking parents meet with Case Manager Elisa Cortes

Wednesday, July 26

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
11:30 a.m. - * Kit Clark Luncheon, \$1
12:30 p.m. - Bingo

Thursday, July 27

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
9:30 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop
10:30 a.m. - Healthy Charlestown Design Team (H&L) Meeting
11 a.m. to noon - Benefit Assistance with Colleen Justice

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ACTIVITIES

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

UPCOMING TRIPS

• A trip to Foxwoods will be on Monday, Aug. 7. Buses will be leaving at 7:30 a.m.
• A trip to Hampton Beach will be on Monday, Aug. 14.
• A five-day, four-night trip to Prince Edward Island is planned for Aug. 16-20. It will include round-trip transportation by deluxe motor coach and seven meals, including four breakfasts, two dinners and a lobster bake.
... Give a call to Snuggles at 635-5176 for more info.

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 & INFORMATION SERVICE

Housing, education and information service is available to seniors every Thursday 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.

BOSTON WATER & SEWER REPRESENTATIVE - JULY 25

A representative from the Boston Water & Sewer Department will be at the Golden Age Center on Tuesday, July 25 between 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. to accept payment for bills and/or to answer questions from residents.

History Comes Alive On The 'USS Cassin Young'

Boston National Historical Park will again present its program, "Tin Can Blue Jacket," a free living history tour of the WW II Destroyer USS Cassin Young (DD-793), every Monday and Friday at 2 p.m. through Aug. 20 at the Charlestown Navy Yard. There will be no program on Friday, Aug. 13.

The hour-long program will transport visitors in time and place to San Diego, California in May of 1946, where USS Cassin Young was being refitted. Their guide during the tour of Cassin Young will be Boatswain's Mate Second Class Christopher Heywood, portrayed in character by National Park Service Ranger Chris Edwards.

Many units of the National Park



PARK RANGER Chris Edwards as Petty Officer Christopher Heywood in "Tin Can Blue Jacket."

System offer "first person" living history programs. This is the first

time such a program has been presented aboard USS Cassin Young. Edwards used a variety of archival sources, as well as former ship's crew to research his character and the ship's history.

Tours are limited to 12 visitors on a first-come, first-served basis. Visitors should plan on arriving aboard ship by 1:30 p.m. Small children under four feet in height cannot be accommodated. Visitors should also be aware of steep ladders above and below decks during the tour. All National Park Service interpretive programs are offered free of charge.

For further information on this or other National Park Service programs, call 242-5601.

Summer Activities

Free Tennis Lessons

Free tennis lessons for young people 7 to 17 will be held from 6:30 to 8 p.m. each Wednesday night at the courts behind the gym on Medford Street.

Neighborhood Baseball Camp

Neighborhood Baseball Camp will be held from 10 a.m. to noon, Monday, July 24 through Friday, July 28 at the Barry Playground (Oilies) on Chelsea Street at Medford Street. There will be basic instruction in baseball for boys and girls 14 and under. The camp is sponsored by All Sport Body Quencher. For further information, please call the Boston Parks Department at 635-4505.

Barron Named Vice President For Corporate Lending At Citizens Bank

Citizens Bank of Mass. CEO and President Robert M. Mahoney announced recently that Julie Barron has been named vice president for Corporate Lending.



JULIE BARRON

Barron joined Citizens Bank's Corporate Lending Group on June 1. She was

most recently with US Trust as a vice president of Commercial Lending. She began her career with US Trust as a Credit Analyst in 1989, and advanced quickly to Loan Review Officer, Commercial Loan Officer, Assistant Vice President and finally, Vice President. Prior to her work with US Trust, Barron worked extensively in real estate project management and sales.

A resident of Charlestown, Barron received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from Boston College. She is active in several programs including Community Services, Operation A.B.L.E. and Junior Achievement.

Society Presents Scholarship Donation To BHCC



KEN OLSON, vice president of the Boston Chapter of the Refrigeration Service Engineering Society (RSES) (left), presents a check in the amount of \$1,000 to **Dr. C. Scully Stikes** (right), president of Bunker Hill Community College, to be used for a scholarship fund by the BHCC Foundation. In the center is **Frank C. Cashman** of Charlestown, institutional maintenance foreman of BHCC.

Thank You
St. Jude
C.G.

THANK YOU, GOD

Say nine Hail Marys for nine days and ask for three wishes. First business, second and third is for the impossible. Have this published on the ninth day and your wishes will come true even though you may not believe in it.

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Linda Griffin And Anthony Saitta Wed



MR. and MRS. ANTHONY SAITTA

Lynda Griffin, daughter of Renee and Eddie Griffin of Everett, married Anthony Saitta, son of Susan and Anthony Saitta of Charlestown, on July 1.

The ceremony took place at St. Francis de Sales Church and a reception followed at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Charlestown.

The groom, grandson of Fran Regan of Everett, formerly of Charlestown, and Connie Saitta of Charlestown.

Gail Griffin was maid of honor for her sister and the groom's brother Mark was best man.

The couple is residing in Charlestown.

McGonagle On Dean's List

Raymond J. Rodrigues, Ph.D., vice president for academic affairs at North Adams State College, is pleased to announce that Brian McGonagle of Charlestown has been named to the dean's list for the spring semester.

McGonagle, the son of Leo McGonagle of Elm Street, Charlestown, and Susan Smith of Saugus, is majoring in English and Communications and is a member of the class of 1997.

Mayor Presents 'Good Scout' Award To Looney



MAYOR THOMAS M. MENINO presents Charlestown resident Peter Looney with a "Good Scout" Community Service Award at the fourth annual Mayor's Testimonial Dinner on June 30. The award is granted by the Boy Scouts of America to individuals chosen by the mayor for their dedication and service to the community. Looney received the award for his dedication to Charlestown's youth and his efforts to educate them on drug awareness and substance abuse issues.

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Eileen & Leo, Jan & Joe, Peggy,
Snooky & John

Thanks to all our friends and
family your generosity and
friendship go unsurpassed.

Flapper & Dibs



When you were born, it was so new,
Ponytails, braces and boyfriends, too!
And now you've grown and it's still so new,
Because I've found a friend in you.
You've grown with friends and
Were on a mission,
Always looking for my permission.
You'll always be my little girl
Without that bigwheel, skates and curls.

Happy 18th Birthday, Desirée

on July 25th!

Love... Mom

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 here 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 secure 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.

A.M.

Not for nothin' ... But have you heard ...



• **'Time Warp' ...** "Time Warp" is the production of the acting class of the Charlestown Working Theater, under the direction of Patrice Melanson, will be presented at the theater, 442 Bunker Hill St., this Sunday, July 23rd at 1:30 p.m. ... This will be an opportunity for residents to see the play created and performed by local young people ... Admission is free and refreshments will be served following the performance.

• **Last Call ...** for 1995 Bunker Hill Day Parade T-shirts at just \$10 each ... The size is medium ... Give Marty O'Brien a call at 242-1939.

• **Captain Kirk ...** has a video for you ... The Captain captured the Chief Marshal's "Nite Before" Banquet on film and it can be obtained for \$10 by giving Captain Francis Kirk a call at 242-8865!

• **Birthdays, Birthdays, Birthdays ...** and the list starts today, July 20th, with the birthdays of Senator and our former City Councillor Bob Travaglini, "Young" Peter Looney and Lillian Thompson ... Mary Guittarr will celebrate on July 21st ... and it is also the 64th birthday of Tom Gorsuch ... it's party time for Paul Rizzo Jr. and Jamie Connors as they both reach the quarter century mark on the 23rd and 24th respectively ... and on July 25th, Donna O'Halloran O'Leary will party ... Have a wonderful day and best birthday wishes to all of you!

• **Happy Wedding Anniversary Wishes ...** go out to Fran and Joe Cottier as they celebrate their 62nd wedding anniversary on July 24th ... Kay and Bob Thompson will celebrate 52 years of wedded bliss on July 25th ... and, also on July 25th, Joan and John O'Halloran will mark their 47th.

• **The Sound Of Music ...** echoes throughout the city as free concerts and events fill the air ...

The Waterfront Jazz Series at Christopher Columbus Waterfront Park on Atlantic Avenue with "Cosmos Factor" on Friday, July 21st at 6:30 p.m.

The Oldies Concert Series on the City Hall Plaza stage features Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons, starting at 7 p.m. on Saturday, July 22nd.

The Wednesday Evening Concert Series continues on Wednesday, July 26th starting at 7:30 p.m. on City Hall Plaza and will feature Herb Reed and The Platters.

All these concerts are free ... all are welcome.

• **Good Doo-Bee ...** of the week award goes to Mazzie Jones for rescuing the baby blue jay. ... This is just to let you know that Charlestown has birds of a feather flocking together, not just the pigeons ... and this is straight from the pigeons beak!

• **Ready For A Party In The Park? ...** Head for the McCarthy Playground next Thursday night, July 27th, as The Courage Brothers bring an evening of musical entertainment to residents, starting at 7 p.m. ... It is free of charge ... and all you have to bring along is your lawn chair!

• **Summerfest Carnival On The Charles ...** The Royal Sonesta Hotel in Cambridge will host its annual Summerfest Carnival on The Charles from noon to 5 p.m. on Saturday, July 22nd ... Admission is free and tickets for individual activities will be sold at the event ... 100% of the carnival proceeds will benefit Boston Children's Hospital ... There will be clowns, face painting, moonbounce, velcro wall, baseball speedpitch, and more ... Park at Cambridge-side Galleria, or take a walk over the Gilmore Bridge ... For more info, give a call to 354-8747.

• **Boston Park Rangers ...** are continuing with free summer programs ... Every Saturday in July, beginning at 11 a.m. at the Boston Common Ranger Station, "Common Knowledge" will be featured. Founded in 1634, the Boston Common is the nation's oldest public park. Take this one-hour walk to find out why it is also the most popular and celebrated patch of green space in the Hub ... Saturday afternoons in July features "Boston's Botanical Beauty" with participants being asked to meet at the corner of Boylston and Charles streets at 5 p.m. Walk and talk with a Ranger to learn about the history and horticulture of the Public Garden.

• **Of Course You Folks Can Read! ...** Now at the end of the second week changing trash pick up from Monday to Friday, it is reported that all is going well!

• **This Week In History ...** marks the 220th birthday of the United States Postal Service which was founded on July 26, 1775!

Happy 29th Birthday

Annmarie McCaffrey

on July 21st!

From All Your Friends!

P.S. You're not the boss of me

HAPPY QUARTER OF A CENTURY ...

JAMIE

ON JULY 24TH

LOVE ...

NANA, MOM, DAD & JEFF



around the town

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Destroyer To Be Commissioned . . . delivering 100,000 shaft horsepower. **Ramage** is commanded by Cmdr. Daniel D. Thompson.

The mission of **Ramage** is to operate offensively as a unit of a carrier battle group and surface action group. **Ramage** is equally capable of conducting air, surface, sub-surface and strike warfare. The ship was built at Ingalls Shipbuilding in Pascagoula, Miss.

Ramage is named in honor of Vice Adm. Lawson P. Ramage, a native of Monroe Bridge, Mass. He was awarded the Medal of Honor for his actions during a pre-dawn attack by **USS Parche** (SS 384) on a Japanese convoy on July 31, 1944.

Throughout the remainder of WW II, **Ramage** served a personnel officer on the staff of Commander Submarines, Pacific Fleet.

Following WW II, **Ramage** served as chief of the Surface Objectives Branch, Office of the Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Guided Missiles); director of the Undersea Warfare Division, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations and deputy commander of the Submarine Force, Atlantic Fleet.

He retired from active service in the U.S. Navy in April, 1970, and died at his home in Bethesda, Md., on April 15, 1990.

★ **Bunker Hill Street Lights** . . . Judy Evers, regional coordinator for the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, reminds residents that the city of Boston Public Works Department has installed four prototype street lights on lower Bun-

ker Hill Street. This location provides easy accessibility for comparison to the acorn lights in the park at Hayes Square.

Public Works Department Commissioner Joseph Casazza will meet with community residents in August.

★ **Commandant's House Tour** . . . Boston National Historical Park's historic Commandant's House in the Charlestown Navy Yard is now open to visitors every Wednesday through Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. until Aug. 20, then on weekends only through Oct. 8.

Built in 1805, the Commandant's House is one of the oldest structures in the Navy Yard, and served the US Navy as both a private home and public place for more than 170 years.

Free interpretive talks on the history of the house are given at 1, 2, and 3 p.m. each day by a National Park Service Ranger or volunteer.

For more information on the Commandant's House or the complete summer program schedule for the Navy Yard or Bunker Hill Monument, call 242-5601.

★ **Navy Yard Walking Tours** . . . Boston National Historical Park is offering free walking tours of the historic Charlestown Navy Yard Wednesday through Sunday at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. through Aug. 20, then on weekends only through Oct. 8.

The 45-minute Ranger-guided walking tour will cover the history of the Navy Yard from 1800 through 1974, and will end at the new Navy Yard Exhibit, "Serving the Fleet." This is the only exhibit on the history of the Navy Yard, the many

ships built there, and the shipbuilding innovations developed at the facility.

For more information, call 242-5601.

★ **Hypnotherapy Session** . . . On Thursday, July 27, the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center's "Pack It In" Program will be hosting a "Stop Smoking Hypnotherapy Session." Richard Riel, M.Ed., the director of the New England Clinical Hypnosis Center will conduct the 90-minute session. Registration will be from 6 to 6:30 p.m. and the Stop Smoking Session will run from 6:30 to 8 p.m. The hypnotherapy session will include avoiding weight gain after quitting.

The cost for the Stop Smoking Hypnotherapy Session is usually \$50, but Riel will offer a special price of \$30, provided enough people register. Payment is not due until the night of the session.

In order to attend the hypnotherapy session, you must call the "Pack It In" Program office at 889-8541 to register.

★ **Meetings To Interview Superintendent Candidates** . . . Boston School Committee Chairman Felix Arroyo announced the schedule for open meetings as part of the selection process for the new superintendent of schools. The three finalists being considered are Anthony Alvarado, Thomas Payzant and Lewis (Harry) Spence.

The public is invited to the meetings which will be held at the Boston Public Library. The meeting with Alvarado is scheduled for Monday, July 24 at 7:30 p.m.; with Payzant for Thursday, July 27 at 7:30 p.m.; and with Spence for Monday, July 31 at 7:30 p.m. Members of the public may pose questions to the candi-

dates by submitting them in writing to the school committee prior to the meeting.

In addition to appearing at the open meetings, the finalists will have a private interview with the mayor and will meet with representative educational advisory groups.

★ **Grab A Seat In One Of Boston's Kindergartens** . . . For families with young children, the Boston Public Schools still has seats available in many half-day kindergarten programs for the fall. Children who will be 4 years old by Sept. 1 might be ready for Kindergarten I - "K I" program; students who will be 5 years old by Sept. 1 are eligible for a Kindergarten II or "K II" program. The Boston Public Schools also offers many K I and K II programs for children whose first language is not English and for children with special needs.

For parents who need full day care for their kindergarten children, the Boston Public Schools provides "alternative transportation," which allows your child to be picked up or dropped off at a school bus stop convenient to your day care provider; near the babysitter's home, for instance, or an after-school program. While there are some restrictions - the new stop must be on an existing bus route, for example - most requests are approved.

For more information on kindergarten programs and alternative transportation, call your Parent Information Center (PIC), and call soon. School starts in August! Call North Zone PIC at 635-8340.

★ **The Trash Attack Hotline** . . . is open 24-hours a day, seven days a week - call 635-4500.

Charlestown Catholic Graduates



CHARLESTOWN CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL held its graduation exercises at St. Francis de Sales Church. Shown front row (l. to r.) Erin McIsaac, Jennifer Centola, Meaghan Murray, Kerri Allen, Melissa Missett and Denise Devlin. Second row (l. to r.) Ryan Evers, Paul Doherty, Paul Kelly, Marc Russell, Jack Kelly and Jason Melaugh.



GRADUATION EXERCISES for Charlestown Catholic Elementary School were held at St. Francis de Sales Church recently. Shown front row (l. to r.) Caitlyn Callahan, Jaclyn Castro, Kristen Golden, Katelyn Considine and Jillian Griffiths. Second row (l. to r.) Stephen Flynn, Antonio Donahue, Michael O'Leary, John Ahearn, Phi Le and Eddie Donahue. (photo by Kathy Whitehouse)



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World War II Vets Honored At Legion's 'Nite Before' Banquet

photos by John Dillon



'Nite Before' Honors Chief Marshal And World War II Veterans

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This year's 'Nite Before' Banquet, a tradition with Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, for over 75 years was co-sponsored by the Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee and Bunker Hill Council 62, Knights of Columbus, who donated their hall for the event.

While the parade allowed for a public tribute to the veterans of World War II, the banquet was a special time, not only for this year's Chief Marshal Tom Hickey, but for the almost 30 veterans of that war who joined in the celebration. They were the recipients of a memorial coin marking the 50th anniversary of the World War II victory, designed by Tom Gorsuch and provided by Bunker Hill Post.

The evening began with the posting of the colors by the color guard from the USS Samuel Eliot Morison, docked in the Charlestown Navy Yard during the Bunker Hill Day festivities. A delicious full-course turkey dinner by Marty's Caterers, with the

background music of the WW II era by the Richard DeLuca Band.

The tone of the evening was set by Rev. Daniel J. Mahoney, pastor of St. Francis de Sales. In his invocation, Father praised the WW II veterans as "true keepers of the peace."

World traveler Joe Kelley, who had spent the previous weekend with Ambassador Raymond Flynn in Rome, brought an Apostolic Blessing to Jim Conway, parade chairman, and his wife Gloria. The blessing was offered to the "Conways and to the American Legionnaires of Charlestown on Bunker Hill Day as a pledge of continued divine protection from His Holiness John Paul."

Conway, who acted as master of ceremonies, introduced headtable guests including K. of C. Grand Knight Ed Woods and Building Committee Chairman Tom Cunha; WW II Marine veteran Herb Hodge; and U.S. Navy veteran and retired presiding justice of the Charlestown District Court Mary Brennan. Also

present was Mayor Thomas Menino, who had to leave prior to the start of the banquet, as did Senator Thomas Birmingham and Senator Robert Travaglini.

Cmdr. Thomas Daniel, USN, commanding officer of the *Morison*, brought greetings from the officers and crew of the ship, and presented Hickey with a souvenir packet.

Daniel was a shipmate of Cmdr. Richard Amirault, USN, commanding officer of USS *Constitution*, and that led to some banter. Amirault spoke of his relief of command of "Old Ironsides" the end of July and how it will be up to Cmdr. Michael Beck, to go up and down the hills of Charlestown. He also suggested a Charlestown turnaround on *Constitution* when her repairs are completed and she is out of drydock, and suggested a tape of the discussion be forwarded to Beck.

The 1995 Monument Orator James P. O'Donnell, USMC praised Conway for the work he does, noting he was a Marine, and said he was looking

forward to Bunker Hill Day.

Past Commander Arthur Hurley took the opportunity to introduce Charlestown Mayor Tom Donahue and Rose Nicole DeRoeve. Commander Paul Morceau expressed his appreciation for those who came to the event.

Boston City Councillor Diane Modica was joined by Councillor Albert O'Neil in presenting a City Council Resolution commending Hickey.

John Burchill, superintendent of the Boston National Historical Park, presented a WW II ballcap to Hickey. He told Hickey that he could never think of him without the verses of *How Great Thou Art*, the hymn Hickey sings traditionally during the Bunker Hill Day Patriotic Exercises. Burchill told him: "Tom, how great thou art!"

Commissioner of Veterans Services for the city Thomas Materazzo, was also a WW II U.S. Army veteran in the Battle of the Bulge, as was Hickey and O'Neil. He was joined by

Judy Evers, regional coordinator of the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, in presenting Hickey with an engraved Paul Revere Bowl.

Rep. Richard A. Voke, House Majority Leader, reflected on the WW II conflict. He spoke of the dedicated service by U.S. men and women in 1940 when this was an isolationist nation. After the attack on Pearl Harbor, the call went out and this single nation sent its troops into all the battles in Europe, Africa, the East and Near East and the Pacific, and defeated both Japan and Germany.

Voke noted, "Lest we forget." He did explain that he had not fought in time of war, but he has fought and will continue to fight for veterans benefits, veterans housing and proper medical care.

Bill McCabe, president of the Bunker Hill Associates, presented a WW II Victory Medal to Hickey, a WW II ballcap and a WW II banner, asking the Legion to keep the banner and put it in a place of


honor.

Conway presented the first WW II medal to Hickey and then Morceau and Hurley joined him, presenting the medals as Conway read the names.

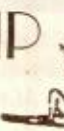
Among those receiving medals were headtable guests Brennan Materazzo, Hodge and O'Neil.

Presented medals were: Ed Boyle, Army; Alonzo Brooks, Navy; Harvey Campbell, Army; Ann Collins, Navy/Waves; Tom Cullity, Army; Phil Doherty, Army; John Fiske, Navy; Francis "Nipper" Harrigan, Army; John Hickey, Navy; Florence Johnson, Navy/Waves; Elmer Kaliniak, Marines; John M. Kelley, Army Air Force; Joseph "Joe" Kelley, Coast Guard; Philip Joseph "Joe" Kelley, Army Medical Corps.

Also, Edward F. Kelly, Navy; Jack Kelly, Army and former POW; Phil Kelly, Navy; Robert LeBreque, Army; Marty O'Brien, Navy; Francis Sullivan, Navy; Charlie Tomkewicz, Navy; George Walsh, Army; and Michael Walsh, Army.




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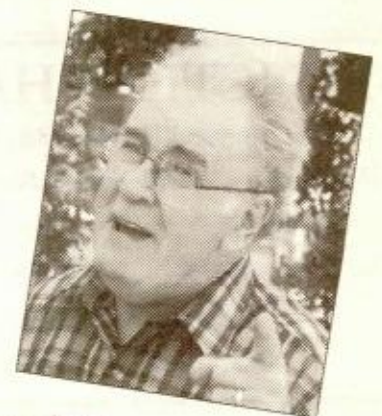


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Letters to the Editor must be signed and include name, address and telephone number for verification. The name will be withheld if the writer so requests. Anonymous letters will NOT be published.



Thank You

Dear American Legion Post 26:

Thank you for the opportunity to attend Boys State this past June at Bentley College. The week-long program afforded me insight into local, state and national politics, and allowed me to develop skills needed in public speaking. Furthermore, I was introduced to a number of Boys State citizens that can now be called friends.

Before my participation in the Boys State program, I knew little about the responsibilities and procedures of town government. However, through the creation of a mock town, with realistic problems, which were to be solved by us, the important role of town government became clear. When remembering the Boys State program this feature comes first to my mind. Although we participated in all levels of government, it was at the local level that everyone used their elected or appointed position to work toward solving given problems. Whether it was balancing our budget, or debating the development of an industrial park, at the local level we were able to see what resulted from our week-long efforts.

In the days leading up to the start of the

program, I wondered if I was going to have to speak in front of a large number of people. It became evident early in the week that no one had to run for an office if they didn't want to.

However, before the first day was completed, I realized that some positions interested me. Being the captain of my county's basketball team, the treasurer of the town of Pershing, and the delegate secretary of County H, were all of interest. Thus I chose to run for all three positions. Each required a short speech, followed by an election. I was happy to be elected for each of the positions, and to be appointed to another. By the end of the week I had gained what is perhaps the most valuable tool when speaking in front of others — confidence!

In the seven days at Boys State, hundreds of new friendships were created. They may have begun in the classroom, at a party convention, in the dorms, or during a sporting event, but they will surely last for years to come.

Thank you for making this week possible for us all.

Sincerely,
Patrick Mahoney

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The Collier Team Topples Looney Tunes In 'The Family Feud'



THE COLLIER TEAM came out victorious in the annual "Family Feud" match held at the K. of C. Hall during Charlestown Pride Week as part of the Bunker Hill celebration. The team won \$500 and donated \$200 to Charlestown Little League, \$150 to Charlestown Pop Warner and \$150 to the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club. Shown (l. to r.) David, Mazie and Bob Collier, Lyn Collier Parziale and George and Ann Collier.



LOONEY TUNES placed second in the Charlestown Pride Week "Family Feud" after years of coming in last. The \$400 won by the team was donated to the Christine Poole Scholarship Fund. Shown (l. to r.) Jim Mansfield, Judy Evers, Nancy Keyes, Jeanne Davis, Edna Kelly and Peter Looney. (photos by Kathy Whitehouse)

'Life In The City' Lecture Series At The Charlestown YMCA

"Life in the City," a three-part lecture series sponsored by all the churches in Charlestown, will begin on Sunday, Sept. 24 at the Charlestown Armed Services

YMCA on Second Avenue in the Navy Yard.

The purpose of the series is to build on common interests and to further develop and enhance connections among resi-

dents of Charlestown.

Opening the series on Sept. 24 will be Senate President William Bulger who will speak on "The Political History of Boston."

Irish-American writers Jack Beatty, Shaun O'Connell and Kevin Cullen are the guest speakers on Sunday, Oct. 15 and will lecture on "The Boston Experience."

Peter Meade will speak on "The Human Issue of Personal Commitment and Social Responsibility" on Sunday, Nov. 5.

The lectures will be from 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., and a light brunch will be served at each lecture. The cost of the three lectures is \$12, or \$5 each.

Tickets will be available Tuesday, Aug. 1.

For more information, call Father Ron Coyne at 242-1750, Rosemary Kverek at 242-3716, Ivey St. John at 508-858-9887, Mary Fahey at 242-7081, Paula Grady at 241-9874, Dorothy Sweeney at 241-5323, Marion Galvin at 241-7727, Phyllis Del Tergo at 242-5230 or Luette Bourne at 241-9494.

CATHERINE VESEY-CAIN

On Your Birthday . . . July 22nd

Ma, it's been 24 years and not a day goes by that my hurt of losing you has subsided. My greatest loss is that you missed out in knowing your grandchildren, MY Houlihan gang, MY five greatest accomplishments. And you know what, Ma? You're a great-grandmother now, too.

No matter, "THEY" can say what "THEY" say and "THEY" can do what "THEY" do, but THIS Houlihan lineage will continue . . .

You are lovingly remembered and sadly missed,

Your daughter,
Deniece

Grandchildren: John III, Shannon, Séamus, Breandan, Caitrin Houlihan.

Great-granddaughters: Kelsey Shay Houlihan and Rowan Deirdre Houlihan.

Czubinski Announces As Candidate For Boston City Council At-Large

Dick Czubinski recently announced his candidacy for Boston City Council At-Large recently in front of the Dorchester Heights Memorial before a crowd of friends and supporters. He proclaimed that a new era of political leadership is being ushered in with his aggressive style and fresh ideas about how city government should operate.

He angrily told the crowd, "There are many issues about which the public has been misled - such as the School Choice Program. The person left in charge of this has failed to bring it to the surface for the last two years, and the public is further misled by a con game asking Bostonians how they feel

about School Choice.

"I know how you feel! Private schools cost money! Where is your relief? Why can't we get the city attorney to begin legal action in Federal District Court to rule that Boston's desegregation plan is in violation of the U.S. Constitution? There is no better time than now!"

Czubinski added, "I also believe the council needs to have more authority in running city government and not the mayor.

Currently, Boston operates under the City Charter as a Strong Mayor-Weak Council form of government. I propose changing the city charter to a Weak Mayor- Strong Council form of government, therefore, bringing true dem-

ocracy to city government that will protect neighborhood interests."

Czubinski is opposed to forced housing, affirmative action, condom distribution, sex education in schools, the radical homosexual agenda and radical liberalism without carefully considering the consequences.

Czubinski is in favor of protecting children who wish to pray in school, death penalty in limited circumstances, labor movement, social justice, the unborn child's right to life and traditional family values.

Czubinski is asking for one of your four votes in the preliminary election to be held on Sept. 19.

(political announcement)

Heroes Honored At Wreath-Laying Ceremony



MEMBERS of the Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee, elected officials and representatives of the government of Spain and the JUAN SEBASTION de ELCANO paused during the Bunker Hill Day Parade to place a wreath at the statue of Col. William Prescott on the grounds of the Bunker Hill Monument. Shown (l. to r.) Cmdr. Richard Amirault, USN, commanding officer of the USS CONSTITUTION; Cmdr. Robert L. Gillen, USN (Ret.), former commanding officer of the USS CONSTITUTION and military liaison for the Bunker Hill Day Parade; Capt. Fermin Moscuso, Spanish Naval Attaché, Washington, D.C.; Sen. Thomas Birmingham, chairman, Senate Ways & Means Committee; Capt. Antonio Gonzalez-Aller, CO Buque, Escuela Espanol, JUAN SEBASTION de ELCANO; Hon. Carlos Sanchez de Boado, Boston Consul General of Spain; Mayor Thomas M. Menino; Rep. Richard A. Voke, House Majority Leader; R. Adm. Raymond O. Couture, USNR (Ret.); Cmdr. Thomas Daniel, USN, commanding officers, USS SAMUEL ELIOT MORISON; and James W. Conway, Past National Historian, The American Legion, and Parade Chairman.

It's A Girl . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Lepore of Brighton proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Theresa Rose, on July 1 at St. Elizabeth's Medical Center. She weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces.

The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Constantino Moschella of Las Vegas, Nevada, and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Lepore of Charlestown.

Theresa Rose was welcomed home by her big brother, Nicholas John.

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DICK CZUBINSKI,
Candidate For
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good people of Charlestown
for placing him on the
ballot Sept. 19.



Czubinski opposes affirmative action, forced housing and forced busing

"I respectfully ask for one of your four votes on Sept. 19th. Thank you, Charlestown, and God bless you and your families."

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Creative Costumes, Colorful Carriages In Annual Bunker Hill Day Doll Carriage Parade

photos by Kathy Whitehouse

"Many hands make light work." Proverbs, part 11, chapter 5.

Under the chairmanship of Edna Kelly, the annual Bunker Hill Day Doll Carriage Parade was held on June 17. It was a beautiful sunny morning where more than 50 children marched their doll carriages around the Training Field. Every carriage was beautifully decorated and all the participants wore their best holiday dress.

The sponsors were: Jim Conway and the Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee, Bud Whelan and the Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society, Tom Cunha and Bunker Hill Council #62 Knights of Columbus, Jack Sullivan and the 520 Club, David Balfour for the use of the skating rink as a back-up in case of inclement weather, and Father James Canniff, pastor of St. Mary's Church for the use of the parish hall. A very special thanks to two terrific ladies who send me a check to help support this procession.

The helpers were: Diana Galvin, Dottie Duffy, Ken

Hall, Ann Humphrey, Maureen McCabe, Maureen Kane, Barbara Kelly, Susan Kelly and our own Charlestown Rose Nicole DeRoeve. Many thanks to all for their continued support of the annual Doll Carriage Parade.

The winners of the Doll Carriage Parade were:

Most Original - Michaela, Catherine and Helen Farley, Stephanie Junta, Caitlan and Margaret Kelly, Addie Gorlin, Chelsea and Taylor John Simpson

Best Disney Theme - Alexander and Kathy Lane, Catherine and Owen Burke, Marissa Gould, Meghan Hickey, Kaikrick Gorman, Michael Lacey, Taylor Mahoney, Jenna Vraibel, Amanda Williams, Abbey Williams and Samantha Remy

Best Botanical Theme - Bridgette Chandhoke

Best Nautical Theme - Lauren Godding, Erin and Courtney Willis

Best Patriotic Theme - Kaitlin Gould

Best Cinderella - Paula Breen, Katie Ryan

Best Tea Party Theme - Taylor Rose, Morgan Rose Lopez

Best Small World Theme - Colleen and Christine Quinn

Best Cowboy Theme - Jack and Lily Amadeo

Best Curious George - Julia Shields

Best Peter Pan - Molly Fitzpatrick

Best Storybook - Hanna Wolsfelt

Best Soap Opera - Meghan Lowney

Best Elvis Theme - Dolores "Li'l Dodie" Boyle

Best Jasmine - Courtney Galvin

Most Artistic - Tricia, Shannyn and Meghan Moore

Best Egyptian Theme - Nikki Chiampa

My thanks to the parents and all the helpers who contributed to this great event. Hope to see you all again next year!

Edna Kelly, chairperson





Hot Weather Spells Danger! Attention Boston Senior Citizens

Heat is a killer. Most of the victims are elderly and hot weather can place a dangerous strain on your body, especially your heart. If the burden is too great, heat can make you very sick.

Facts About The Heat

- Temperatures above 90°F can be very dangerous, especially when the humidity is also high. Crowded living conditions increase this danger.
- Your body needs time to adjust to hot weather. A sudden increase in temperature, especially in early summer, is particularly dangerous because your body is unprepared for the strain.
- It doesn't take a "Killer Heat Wave" to kill you. If you are feeling hot and uncomfortable, take steps to avoid heat stress

• Heat stress can cause many medical problems including heat exhaustion, heat stroke, heart failure and stroke. Proper precautions can make you more comfortable, prevent illness and even save your life.

Watch Your Step

Your chances of getting sick in hot weather are increased by: A weak or damaged heart; hypertension; problems with circulation; diabetes, a previous stroke, being overweight, an infection or fever, diarrhea, drinking alcoholic beverages, skin diseases or a sunburn which may reduce sweating.

Drugs

Many prescription drugs can make you much more vulnerable to the heat. If you take medicine for high blood pressure,

nervousness, depression, poor circulation or sleeping, check with your doctor or pharmacist for advice.

Early Warning Signs

Heat stress can cause physical and mental changes. These changes are warning signs that your body is in danger. Some changes are more dangerous than others. Most people feel hot and uncomfortable during hot weather, and may notice a lack of energy or loss of appetite. These are MILD SIGNS, and unless they last a long time, there is no need to be alarmed.

Other signs are more serious. If you experience any of the **SERIOUS SIGNS** such as dizziness, weakness, fainting or vomiting during hot weather, call your doctor or seek other medical help.

To beat the heat:

- Drink plenty of fluids;
- Limit outside activities to early AM or late PM;
- Use a fan or air conditioner; if you do not have an air conditioner in the house, access a building where it's available;
- Take frequent baths or showers;
- Wear a hat and loose, light-colored clothing;
- Open window at top and bottom, and keep the shades down during the day;
- Avoid using the oven;
- Keep an eye on your neighbors who are at risk for heat disorders - "The Buddy System."

For more information, call the Elderly Commission Hotline at 635-4366. On nights and weekends call the Mayor's 24-hour Hotline at 635-4500.

Reading Is Natural At The Charlestown Branch Library

A reading club entitled "Reading is Natural" is taking place during the summer at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., every Wednesday at 4 p.m.

"Reading is Natural" is a statewide program designed to encourage children to read during the summer

The next meeting will

be held on Wednesday, July 26 and entitled "For the Birds!" The children will learn about their fine-feathered friends. This program series is geared for children ages 6-12.

Registration began on July 3 and will be ongoing throughout the summer. For more information, call Margaret McAteer at the library at 242-1248.

'Poetry In Motion' For Children At The BPL

Boston entertainer David Zucker will bring to life the almost lost art of performing poetry during a special summer performance for children of "Poetry in Motion" in the Rabb Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library in Copley Square on Tuesday, July 25.

This popular one-man show makes use of audience participation and an old steamer trunk brimming with props, costumes, masks and puppets, to introduce an irresistible cast of characters drawn from the world's best children's poems.

Represented are works of such poets as Langston Hughes, Karla Kuskin, Jack Prelutsky, James Whitcomb Riley and Shel Silverstein.

The 10:30 a.m. program is recommended for audiences 5 years of age and older and is free and open to the public. Seating is limited and groups cannot be accommodated. Infrared listening receivers are available for hard-of-hearing children.

For more information, call the Children's Room at 536-5400, ext. 328.

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Anyone interested in helping or giving some information about classmates, please call: Lisa McGoff Collins, 242-3907, class of '77; Doris VanGorder McGoff, 242-0819, class of '75-'76; Susan Kelly McGuire, 242-2014, class of '76; Carolyn Wrenn Shannon, 764-4177 (beeper), class of '77; and Peggy Gillen Gallagher, 242-7313, class of '78.

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'Serving The Fleet' Exhibit Now Open At The Charlestown Navy Yard

John Burchill, superintendent of the Boston National Historical Park, announced that a major exhibit, "Serving the Fleet," the history of the Charlestown Navy Yard, has opened. The free exhibit, located in Building 125, near the historic Lightship, Nantucket, is open every day

from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. through Oct. 8.

The Charlestown Navy Yard has a rich history of serving our nation's defense spanning the period from 1800 to its closure in 1974. During its most active period in WW II, it employed over 50,000 work-

ers, some 20 percent of whom were women.

"Serving the Fleet" details their stories, as well as the ships built at the Yard and the many innovations in shipbuilding developed at the facility. The making of rope and the invention of die-lock chain are also

discussed in the exhibit. A Park Ranger is available to answer questions about the exhibit, Navy Yard history and the National Park Service programs.

For more information on this exhibit and other National Park Service programs, call 242-5601.

Davis-Mullen Seeks Re-Election To City Council

Although it has never been a secret, Boston City Councillor Peggy Davis-Mullen made it official at her campaign kick-off in South Boston last week. She will seek re-election to the Boston City Council!

The first-term Boston City Councillor, who has virtually never stopped campaigning, made the announcement in front of an audience of more than 250. Davis-Mullen plans on using a positive campaign strategy that will focus on the issues and concerns of Boston residents.

Introduced as the "Education Councillor," and "an asset to the city of

Boston who is getting the job done for our families," Davis-Mullen has followed through on her promise to make the Boston Public Schools a credible, viable and better educational option for Boston parents.

In addition to assuring that more money for regular education students was put into the \$444 million school budget before her committee would pass it, Davis-Mullen's other accomplishments include: helping to create 17 new full-day kindergarten classes; obtaining \$31 million to improve public schools in danger of losing accreditation; \$750 thousand to

fund GED and Adult-Ed classes; and helping to create and implement Charter Education classes this fall for youngsters in grades K through 12. "If the neighborhoods of Boston are going to survive, it depends on the success of our public schools and the confidence parents have in those schools," she said.

Of particular note, however, is the progress she made on her "Neighborhood Schools" proposal. A strong opponent of the Boston Public School Controlled Choice assignment plan, Davis-Mullen is following through on her pledge to allow child-

ren to attend the school of their choice. Her Neighborhood Schools survey, which is privately funded by the Bain Co., is currently underway and changes in the assignment process will happen as soon as 1996. "I like my job and I want to go back to the city council to make sure the job is done right," Davis-Mullen told her supporters.

Davis-Mullen, who resides in South Boston with her husband William and three young sons, Jake, Jesse and Bartley, vowed to continue a leadership role on issues that are important to the residents of Boston. (political announcement)

Don Bosco Grads To Attend College

Three Charlestown residents, who were members of the class of 1995 at Don Bosco Technical High School, have enrolled at colleges and universities for the fall semester.

Timothy T. Griffin, son of Paul and Mary Griffin, will be attending Suffolk University; Timothy J. O'Shea, son of Mon and Ann Marie O'Shea, will be attending Bridgewater State College; and Jason Smith, son of Bill and

Minnie Smith, will be attending Fitchburg State College.

About 75 percent of this year's graduates are enrolled at colleges or universities for the fall semester.

Close to 90 percent of the seniors were accepted by the college of their choice. Many others will enter the job market generally in the areas which utilize their technical background. Nine graduates will enter the military.

Cardiovascular Ultrasound Information Session At BHCC

On Wednesday, July 26 at 1 p.m. an information session for the program in Cardiovascular Ultrasound will be held in Room E-175 at the Charlestown campus of Bunker Hill Community College. The full-time, one-year certificate program will begin in September.

The program of studies includes didactic and clinical experience. The focus is adult echocardiography and vascular sonography.

Applicants must meet certain prerequisites.

Designated classes will also be given at extended day sessions and weekends and will be open to anyone interested in the didactic courses only. Clinical placement is available only to those enrolled in the one-year certificate program.

Sarajan Graham, RD-MS, RDCS, M.Ed. is the program director. For more information and a brochure, call 228-2028.

Charlestown Community Centers Kick Off Summer Pool Program



MAYOR THOMAS M. MENINO officially kicked-off Boston Community Centers' summer pool and youth programs recently with children's relay races and the annual "Mayor's Cup Lifeguard Competition." Pictured above, Menino blows a whistle as dozens of children dive into Charlestown's Clougherty Pool in Doherty Park. In Charlestown, Community Centers runs two pools, the Charlestown Community Center Pool, which is currently under renovation until mid-August, and the Clougherty Pool in Doherty Park on Bunker Hill Street.

MWRA Members Raise Funds For St. Catherine's CYO



MEMBERS of the Mass. H₂O Athletic Association held a dance and social at the Preble Room in Building 5 of the National Historic Park section of the Charlestown Navy Yard in their annual project to raise funds to benefit St. Catherine's CYO. A check in the amount of \$1,612 was presented to Father Ron Coyne, pastor of St. Catherine's, to be used for the CYO. Shown (l. to r.) Tom Markham, Sheila McGann, Renie Murphy Walsh and Father Coyne. Missing from the photograph is Brian Leahy. (photo by Kathy Whitehouse)

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

▲ **Special Thanks** - We are deeply grateful to the Boston Chapter of the Knights of Columbus who sponsored our trip to Whalom Park on July 11. There were 175 Charlestown residents of all ages who boarded the buses at St. Catherine's for a wonderful family day. We appreciate the cooperation and positive attitudes of all who participated. Because of you, I'm sure we will be invited back next year.

▲ **CYO Boys Baseball** - We have two Cadet boys teams competing in the CYO Baseball League this summer. They are coached by Bill Kane, Bob O'Neill and Jim Dole. Boys wearing a St. Catherine's uniform are: Fred Arroyo, Zach Brennan, Lorcan Carleton, John Cepeda, Tim Dacey, Ryan Godfrey, Andrew Grzelcyk, Darwin Mendoza, Larry Mulcahy, Phil O'Neill, Joe Roche, Anthony Sorrentino and Derek Staples for the Cadet A team; Ian Burke, Steve Burke, Shane Coleman, Dave Evers, Chris Gallagher, Kevin Golden, Russell Groggett, Pat Lacey, Mike MacPherson, James Santosuosso, Mike Stone, Carlos Vega and Mike Woods for the Cadet B team. The schedule for this week is: Saturday, July 22 - Cadet A vs. St. Agatha at Andrew at 9 a.m.; and Cadet B vs. Sacred Heart at Bunker Hill at 1 p.m.

▲ **CYO Girls Softball** - Believe it or not, our regular season is coming to an end in the CYO Girls Softball League. We are having a great summer and all four teams are doing well. The playoffs begin in early August and hopefully some of our teams will be eligible. Our concluding regular season games are: Saturday, July 22 - Midgits vs. Gate of Heaven at 11 a.m. at M Street Park; and

Bantams vs. Sacred Heart at 1 p.m. at Healy. Sunday, July 23 - Cadets vs. Holy Name at 5:30 p.m. at Hynes. Wednesday, July 26 - Bantams vs. St. Theresa's at 6 p.m. at Roxbury Latin; and Juniors vs. St. William's at 8 p.m. at McConnell.

▲ **Red Sox/White Sox Game** - We have 40 tickets (bleacher seats) for the Red Sox game on Thursday, July 27 at 1:05 p.m. at Fenway Park. Tickets at \$4 each, are available to all ages, and are now on sale at the rectory. You must provide your own transportation.

▲ **Final Details on Montreal Trip** - All those going to Montreal July 24-26 must meet at St. Catherine's Rectory on Monday, July 24 at 9:30 a.m. Final payment is due this week. The total cost is \$150 per person, not including food. Each person must have his/her birth certificate with them to cross the Canadian border. Each person who signed up will also receive a permission slip in the mail to be signed by parent/guardian. We will return on Wednesday, July 26 around 7 p.m.

▲ **Trip to Six Flags In New Jersey** - St. Catherine's would like to offer all Charlestown residents the opportunity to travel to Six Flags Amusement Park in New Jersey on a 24-hour excursion. We will travel with Celebration Tours. The trip will include round-trip aboard deluxe, air-conditioned, lav-equipped motor coach; juice and donuts upon departure; admission to Six Flags Safari Park and all-day admission to Six Flags Amusement Park with over 100 rides, shows and attractions. Children under 3 years of age are free (if sitting in lap on bus). We will depart at 4 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 15 from St. Catherine's

Church arriving at Six Flags at 10 a.m. We will depart from Six Flags at 10 p.m. (when park closes) and be home at 4 a.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 16.

Total cost is \$55 per person and all ages are welcome as individuals or families. Seats will be reserved upon payment of \$55 in full when left at St. Catherine's Rectory. Checks should be made out to St. Catherine's. Seating is limited to 49. First paid will be guaranteed a seat. For more information, call Father Coyne at 242-1750.

▲ **Adult Summer Scavenger Hunt** - St. Catherine's will sponsor an Adult Scavenger Hunt on Saturday night, Aug. 5. There will be five players per team at a cost of \$50 per team. All teams must report to St. Catherine's Hall at 6:30 p.m. to receive instructions and will be given two hours to scavenge the Charlestown neighborhood for various items and must return to the hall to compete with all other teams. Judges will publicly compare all items to see which teams come out on top. Each team must have a Polaroid camera. Back at the hall, there will be a D.J. and a cash bar with snacks beginning at 8 p.m. The public is welcome to attend for a \$10 fee at the door. The teams will return at 9 p.m.

To register a team, please call Mary Rizzo at 242-1076 or Father Coyne at 242-1750.

▲ **CYO Deep Sea Fishing Trip** - All teenagers are invited to our next deep sea fishing trip on Thursday, Aug. 10. We will meet at the rectory at 5:30 a.m. and fish out of Plymouth Harbor. We will return around 5 p.m. The cost is \$15 per person and includes rental of rod and reel and use of bait. The trip is limited, so sign up early.

Summer Workshops For Preteens At The BPL

Rubber Duck Productions will present a series of "Summer Workshops for Preteens" in the Children's Room of the Boston Public Library in Copley Square on Thursday afternoons at 2:30 p.m. during July and August.

On July 27, preteens ages 9 to 12 are invited to participate in an "Arts and Crafts Workshop" where after spending an hour with a creative instructor, they will be amazed at

what they will be able to make themselves on a rainy afternoon at home. Dress to get messy. Arts and crafts materials will be supplied.

Then on Aug. 3, preteens are invited to a "Poetry Workshop" with the Rubber Duck professionals where participants will develop works of poetry both of their own and as a group.

The series will conclude on Aug. 10 with a

"Storytelling Workshop." Youngsters will hear tales from around the world told by a professional storyteller, and then have a chance to spin a tale or two of their own.

Attendance at these workshops is limited and preregistration is required. Groups as well as visitors only interested in observing cannot be accommodated. To register, call the Children's Room at 536-5400, ext. 328.

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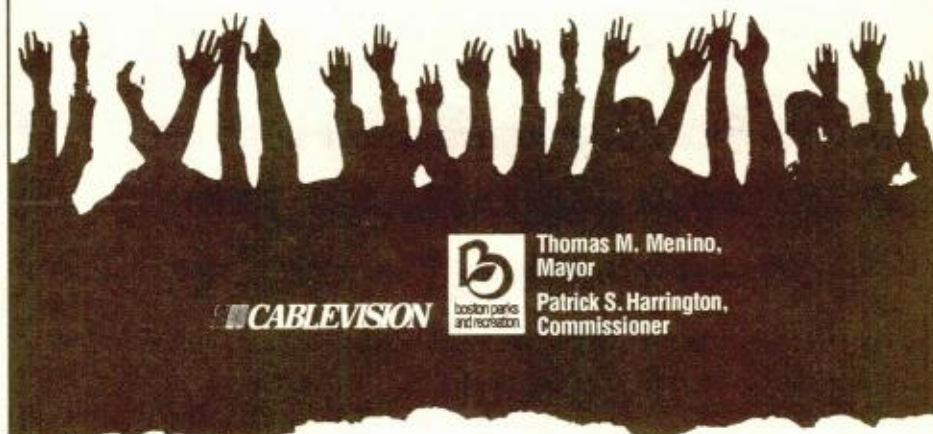
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◆ **RBI Baseball** . . . In Regional Tournament play, Team Boston defeated Connecticut, but lost to New Jersey and New York. Ricky Evers played excellent baseball in the tournament and the experience he has gained this year should secure a spot for him over the next few seasons. Ricky is definitely a player to keep an eye on.

Prior to the tournament activities, the Cardinals score another impressive victory, defeating the Orioles 17-6. Ricky Evers picked up the pitching win, bolstered by some great defensive play due to the efforts of Brendan Sullivan and Jimmy McIsaac, and the very hot bats of Shane Fisher and Gordon D'Ambrosio. The Cardinals are now 6-3, as we begin second-half play.

◆ **Old Colony Hoop** . . . Charlestown was defeated on Sunday by the Three D's 33-27. This week we face Baby Ruth. Game

time is 6 p.m.

◆ **Blade Hockey League** . . . Six teams representing Main Street, Newtowne, Boys & Girls Club, Carroll Club, Machado Boys and the Unknowns are taking part in the Teen Roller Blade Hockey League held at Eden Street. The league is sponsored by the Boston Police Dept. Area A-1 and co-sponsored by the Summer Teen Collaborative. Special thanks to Area A Youth Officer Teddy Boyle for all his help in getting the league rolling! Tonight's games are Newtowne vs. Carroll Club at 6 p.m.; Boys & Girls Club vs. Unknowns at 7 p.m.; and Main Street vs. Machado Boys at 8 p.m.

◆ **Rainbow II** . . . Last year I initiated a summer program for youngsters 6 to 12 years of age at the Bunker Hill Housing Development. The program was a great success and our Rainbow has become the logo for the entire BHA Youth on the Rise

Program. This is a great honor for the entire Bunker Hill Youth on the Rise Program. During the winter months Bob McGann and I sat down to discuss a collaboration between the Rainbow Program and the Charlestown Summer Camp Collaboration. This summer this collaborative effort has become a reality and the result is that more and more Charlestown youngsters are coming together. Thirty youngsters from the Bunker Hill Housing Development are now taking part in this six-week summer collaborative. Our Rainbow now encompasses all of Charlestown, and as usual, the gold at the end of this Rainbow is the young people.

◆ **Townies Time** . . . Marlboro proved why it is highly rated in the EFL Football world by shutting out our Townies 35-0. Tomorrow, Charlestown travels to Merrimack Valley. Kick-off time is 8 p.m.

Standings: Murphy Division - Marlboro

2-0-0; Merrimack Valley 1-1-0; Charlestown 0-2-0; Medway 0-2-0.

Chisholm Division - Mitchell Club 2-0-0; Ocean State 2-0-0; Boston Cowboys 1-1-0; and Randolph 0-2-0.

◆ **Baseball Camp** . . . The Boston Parks and Recreation Department will host a baseball clinic at the Barry Playground (Oilies) Monday through Thursday beginning July 24. The clinic is for youngsters 8 to 12 years of age and will take place in the morning from 10 a.m. to noon. Complete details can be obtained by calling the Parks Department at 635-4505.

◆ **Tidbits** . . .

- Jen, how was the harbor cruise?
- Johnny Stella was sighted in Somerville.
- Mark Mansfield would like to know where he can buy the FREE tickets to the FNX Concert.

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Jeanne Marie

Charlestown Little League

Williamsport Tournament Playoffs

On July 15, Charlestown, behind winning pitcher, Stephen Libby, beat Oak Square, Brighton, 8-3. The next game was scheduled for July 17 against Chelsea as they stay alive in the tournament.

Mayor's Cup Tournament

On July 15, the 9-year-olds team received its runner-up trophies from Mayor Thomas M. Menino. Despite the loss to Parkway, Manager Neil O'Brien and the coaches Ted Collins, Lester Boyce and Kevin Connolly, would like to salute this great bunch of kids for their play on the field and their conduct off the field. Let's not forget the parents and friends for their enthusiastic support of this team. Thank you for a great tournament. See you next year!

- by Kevin Connolly

Banners Decorate Little League Field - Advertise Businesses And Support League



SIX BANNERS were on the fences of the Little League diamond at Ryan Field during the past season. While advertising businesses, the banners provided the league with much-needed money. At the top is Richard O'Brien, proprietor of Bunker Hill Insurance Agency, with the banner from his firm as well as those of the 99 Restaurant and Massport. On the bottom is Joseph W. Motzkin, general manager of Prins Recycling Center, along with those of Nicholas C. Pino, MBA, and the Carpenters and Joiners Local Union 40.

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EFL Notebook

Last Friday evening, Charlestown yielded 35 points in its loss to Marlboro. The Townies, 0-2 in the Murphy Division, fell behind early in the Shamrocks tilt, suffering a 16-0 deficit after only one period of play.

Shamrock starting quarterback Dave Palazzi (2 of 5, 41 yards) put the game's inaugural score on the board when he hooked up with veteran Frank Fay on a 23-yard pass play down the right sideline. Ex-Townie kicker John Toyias booted the point after through the uprights to put the hosts ahead 7-0. Toyias would soon extend the Shamrock advantage when he kicked a 24-yard field goal midway through the period, giving Marlboro a 10-point cushion.

Palazzi, considered the best quarterback in American Minor League Football and a former quarterback with the Shreveport Pirates of the Canadian Football League, struck again late in the quarter when Bob Ferrari hauled in an 18-yard pass to put the Shams comfortably ahead. A 20-yard run by Fay in the closing stages of the first-half pushed Marlboro's lead to 22-0.

Things continued to be rough for Charlestown in the second-half when Chris Butts snared an Eddie Sullivan pass near midfield and returned it for a score, putting Charlestown down 29-0. Antwon Lark put the final nail in Charlestown's coffin when he gained possession of a Ken Kinsey throw at the 20 yard line and subsequently romped into the end zone in the game's closing minutes. While facing one of the best defenses in minor league football, Sullivan did the best that could be expected. The Pope John product completed six of 15 passes for 51 yards, not great, but solid.

John Fidler was the leading Townie rusher accumulating 25 yards on six carries.

Dan Hendrix excelled as Marlboro's second string quarterback. The former Maine Sabres' standout made five completions for 105 yards.

Charlestown made an improvement when playing Marlboro last Friday, although that may be hard to believe. The last time the two teams met on Aug. 6, 1993, the Shamrocks handed the Town Team a 36-0 defeat.

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EFL's public relations director Tony Sirrico reported the league's local nominations for honorable mentions in the player of the week category in which Rob Ferraro and Jim Gillis represented Charlestown.

Charlestown resumes action tomorrow, July 21, when they travel to Haverhill stadium to take on the Merrimack Valley Outlaws at 8 p.m.

STANDINGS

Murphy Division

	W	L
Marlboro Shamrocks	2	0
Merrimack Valley Outlaws	1	1
Charlestown Townies	0	2
Medway VFW Tigers	0	2

Chisholm Division

	W	L
Mitchell Club Cobras	2	0
Ocean State Buccaneers	2	0
Boston Cowboys	1	1
Randolph Oilers	0	2

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The space, which consists of the entire second floor, will serve as A&A's New England headquarters. Cushman & Wakefield's Barry T. Hynes represented owner Constitution Plaza Limited Partnership in negotiations.

"The extension of our current lease at One Constitution Plaza was not your usual 'add another five years to the term' deal," said A&A Regional

Managing Director William C. Brouillard. "It took a great amount of innovative negotiating between Spaulding & Slye and Cushman and Wakefield to develop a mutually beneficial deal."

One Constitution Plaza is part of Constitution Plaza, a 164,000 square foot two-building office complex in the historic Charlestown Navy Yard. The building has sweeping harbor views and is designed for maximum floor efficiency. The park is located at the base of the Mystic-Tobin Bridge.

"This is an important transaction for the Charlestown market," said Gould. "It represents 30 percent of the space at Constitution Plaza and provides the building with great stability."

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SPAULDING & SLYE has leased 46,121 square feet to insurance services company Alexander & Alexander Inc., at One Constitution Plaza in Charlestown. Shown here in Alexander & Alexander's new second floor space are (l. to r.) Spaulding & Slye Vice President Debra J. Gould, A&A Regional Managing Director William C. Brouillard and Barry T. Hynes of Cushman & Wakefield.

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Now that April 15 has passed, you probably aren't thinking about income taxes. But with summer here, you can still cut your taxes for 1995 and beyond.

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Combining business and vacation travel. Travel expenses are deductible if the travel is undertaken primarily for business purposes; thus you may wish to combine attendance at an out-of-town business conference with a visit to family or friends. (The expenses attributable to the personal part of the trip, though, remain nondeductible). When doing any business traveling, make a distinction in your records between expenses for lodging and transportation and those for meals and entertainment. Only the latter are subject to a 50% deduction limitation.

Hire the kids. If you own your own business, pay your children to work for you. You'll get a deduction at your higher bracket, while the children will be taxed on their wages at their lower rate. They won't be taxed at all on the first \$3,900 of earned income. Wages you pay to your under-18 child may be exempt from Social Security and Medicare tax. (This exemption applies only to your own children). The pay must be reasonable for the work actually performed.

Fixing up the house? If you make permanent improvements to your home - such as adding landscaping, fencing or a new porch - you will get no immediate tax benefit. But those costs will add up to additional tax basis in your home, which will reduce whatever gain you may realize when you sell.

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THE CHARLESTOWN POLICE LINE

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From the desk of Capt. Ronald X. Conway,
Commander, District A-1,
Boston Police Department

Saturday, July 8

A woman reported that she left her apartment on Old Ironsides Way at approximately 2 p.m. and when she returned at 5:30 p.m., someone had broken her front door lock. No entry had been gained.

A woman reported that during the day, person(s) unknown broke into her car, which was parked at Monument Square, and stole a briefcase, a wallet and glasses.

Monday, July 10

At 5:30 a.m., officers stopped a motor vehicle for speeding on Rutherford Avenue. A check of the operator's license revealed that he was operating with a revoked license. The suspect was placed under arrest.

A woman reported that during the night, person(s) broke into her car, which was parked on Tufts Street, and stole the car radio.

At 10:30 p.m., officers from the Drug Control Unit arrested a white female from Cambridge for possession of heroin. The arrest was made on Cambridge Street.

Tuesday, July 11

A male reported that while walking down Dunstable Street, he was assaulted by another boy who punched him in the face. The suspect's mother and the victim's mother were both notified.

A man reported that while his car was parked on Chelsea Street, person(s) unknown broke the front win-

dow of his car.

Wednesday, July 12

A man reported that he parked his car on Main Street and during the night person(s) unknown broke into the car and stole a construction hard hat.

A woman reported that while her car was parked on Sullivan Street, person(s) unknown broke into the car and stole a woman's workout suit and sailing equipment.

A man reported that during the night, person(s) unknown broke into his car, which was parked on Soley Street, and stole a car radio and golf equipment.

A man reported that he parked his car on Lawrence Street and during the night, someone broke the side window of his car.

At 1:30 p.m., a man reported that person(s) unknown broke into his car that was parked on Constitution Plaza and stole a radar detector and three sets of darts.

A 14-year-old male stated that while playing in the Kent School yard, three white males, about 16 years old and carrying a handgun, made racial remarks toward him. The incident will be further investigated by Area A-1 detectives.

A woman reported that at about 10:10 p.m., she saw a white male by her car. When she approached her car, the male fled the area. The victim then noticed that the passenger side door lock had been broken.

Thursday, July 13

At 1:10 a.m., officers arrested two male residents on Bunker Hill Street, one for operating under the influence

of alcohol, and the second suspect for possession of Class B drugs with intent to distribute.

A woman reported that between 5 and 10 p.m., person(s) broke into her apartment on Walford Way and stole a VCR and clothing.

Friday, July 14

A man reported that person(s) unknown stole his purple mountain bike from the front of his house. This incident occurred at about 12:05 p.m. on Russell Street.

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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Location of land: Building 104, First Avenue, Boston, MA Ward 2
Owner of land: Building 104 Ltd. Partnership
Address: P.O. Box 1140, Boston, MA 02130
Dimensions of land: Ft. front 111.64' Ft. deep: 208.78'
Area Sq. ft.: 23, 289
Number of buildings or structures on land, the use of which requires land to be licensed: One
Manner of keeping: Gasoline in tanks of vehicles.
Thomas McIntyre
104 First Ave., Boston, MA 02129

July 5, 1995
City of Boston, In Public Safety Commission. In the foregoing petition, it is hereby ORDERED, that notice be given by the petitioner to all persons interested that this Committee will on Wednesday, the 26th day of July 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, 1010 Mass. Ave., Boston, Mass. 02118. Gary P. Moccia, chairman; Martin E. Pierce Jr.; Frank A. Tramontozzi, Committee On Licenses. A true copy. Attest: Brigid Kenny, secretary.

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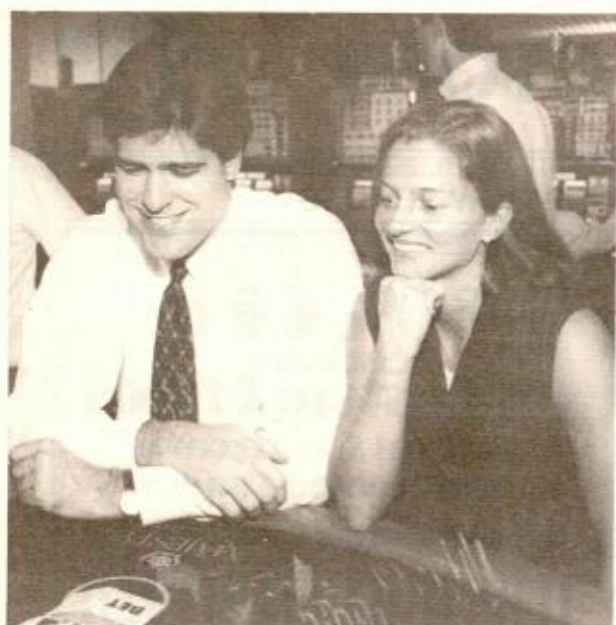
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HAPPENINGS AT THE CHARLESTOWN WORKING THEATER

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'TIME WARP'

Please join us this Sunday, July 23 at 1:30 p.m. for production of *Time Warp* by our acting class. *Time Warp* is the story of three girls and their adventures through time. It is conceived, written, designed and performed by members of the CWT's acting program under the direction of teacher Patrice Melanson. Come on down and support the imaginative work of our kids! Refreshments will be served after the performance.

'ANNIE'

Get ready for CWT's community production of *Annie*. Directed by Patrice Melanson, this production is open to anyone in our community wishing to participate. We need actors, designers, technicians, stage managers and more! Last season's *Oliver!* was a great success, thanks to all those who participated, and *Annie* will also be loads of fun. Auditions will be held soon, so keep an eye on the *Patriot* for details, or call the CWT at 242-3285.

STAFF ON TOUR

The staff of the CWT has just returned from Poland and the Ukraine where they enjoyed a successful tour with Double Edge Theater. Next we're off to Portland, Oregon, for the Portland Arts Festival in August.

COMING UP AT THE CWT

Making Your Own Three-Minute Video, Part III, taught by Lucy Vail and John Cagron
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Children's Film Program At The Charlestown Branch Library

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Tuesday, July 25 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "The Amazing Bone," a tale in which Pearl finds a magic bone while walking through a field, . . . "The Mole and the Chewing Gum" is the story of Mole who gets gum stuck all

over himself, . . . and two raccoons find a picnic lunch left by a group of boys in "The Raccoons Picnic."

Harry the dog is adopted by the Dobsons in "Harry Comes Home," shown only at 3:30 p.m.

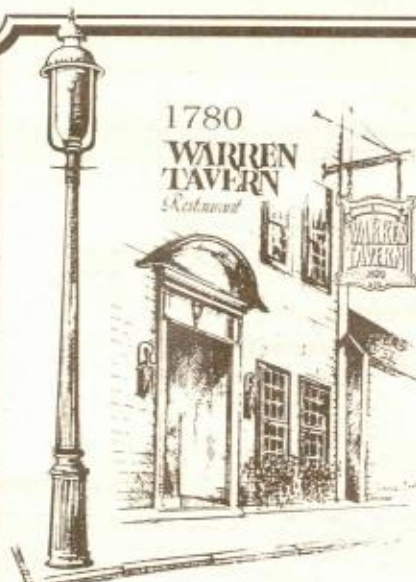
Suggested good books to read are *Little Raccoon* by Suzanne Noguere and *Moon Rope: Uno Lazo a la luna* by Lois Ehlert.

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