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## Dedication Of Green Honoring Maj. Gen. Michael J. Galvin, USAR

Sen. Thomas F. Birmingham, Chairman of the Senate Ways and Means Committee cordially invites the residents of Charlestown to join with state and local elected officials, the Mass. Highway Department, the Galvin family and friends and members of the Charlestown Veterans Committee and Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion at the dedication of the Maj. Gen. Michael Joseph Galvin, USAR Green on Saturday morning, May 13 at 10 a.m.

The dedication will take place on the knoll of the "Galvin Green" at New Rutherford Avenue, directly across from the Shell Gas Station, south of City Square.

Birmingham, at the request of Attorney William J. Galvin Jr., nephew of Gen. Galvin, and with the endorsements of the Charlestown Veterans Commit-

tee, Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion and the Charlestown Neighborhood Council, included language in Chapter 273 of the Acts of 1994 to name land located between the southerly side of New Rutherford Avenue and ramp T-L as the Major General Michael Joseph Galvin, USAR Green.

Birmingham has stated that it was an honor to have been able to sponsor legislation honoring a truly heroic son of Charlestown.

Maj. Gen. Michael Joseph "Iron Mike" Galvin, a son of Irish immigrants, had to leave school after the eighth grade to help support his widowed mother and his nine brothers and sisters. While working, he went to night school for 11 years, graduating from Charlestown Evening High School and Northeastern School of Law, after which he passed the Mass. Bar.

The following are the words of the late Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives John W. McCormack entered into the Congressional Record in 1963 shortly after the untimely death of Gen. Galvin on Dec. 12, 1963: "A great American, and a close valued friend of mine, Maj. Gen. Michael Joseph Galvin, USAR, died.

"In addition to being the commanding officer of the U.S. Army 94th Reserve Division, Gen. Galvin was an outstanding member of the Mass. State Senate.

"His death, with years of valuable service ahead for him, is a great loss to nation and to state.

"Gen. "Mike" Galvin typified to the highest extent humanly possible the citizen soldier of our country.

"He loved our country, dedicating his life to our nation's best interests, both in time of peace, and in time of war.

"Enlisting as a private in the 94th Division in 1928, he rose through the different higher ranks to later become its commanding officer, with the rank of Major General at the time of his death.

"During World War II, then a colonel, he served with the 6th Armored Division in the famed 3rd

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## Victims Of Violence Remembered At Candlelight Vigil

Over 400 people gathered at St. Catherine's Church on April 30 to gather strength from each other - those who have lost a loved one, friends, neighbors, representatives from agencies and organizations - as members of the Charlestown After Murder Program (CH.A.M.P.) held its annual Candlelight Vigil to remember those whose lives have been taken too soon by violence.

Josephine Stone offered the welcome, with her daughter Beverly Gallagher and CH.A.M.P. Co-chairpersons Sandy King and Pam Enos at her side.

Stone stated: "Thank you for sharing this vigil with us who have lost so much. It is our way of letting people know they are not forgotten nor will they every be. As long as life and memory last, we will remember them. The Vietnam veterans have their healing wall. This vigil is our healing wall, and what better place than in God's house."

While tears were shed, there was music, prayers and even laughter during the ceremony.

As King joined in her welcome, a baby began to cry from the rear of the church. She said that the ceremony was a "celebration of the lives of our children." She continued: "A baby crying is a sign of life," adding, "please don't take the baby out."

Rev. Daniel Mahoney, pastor of St. Francis de Sales, delivered the opening prayer while Rev. Ron Coyne, pastor of St. Catherine's gave the blessing.

Music was provided by soloist Debra Rogers and organist Steve Lee with selections by a choir of children.

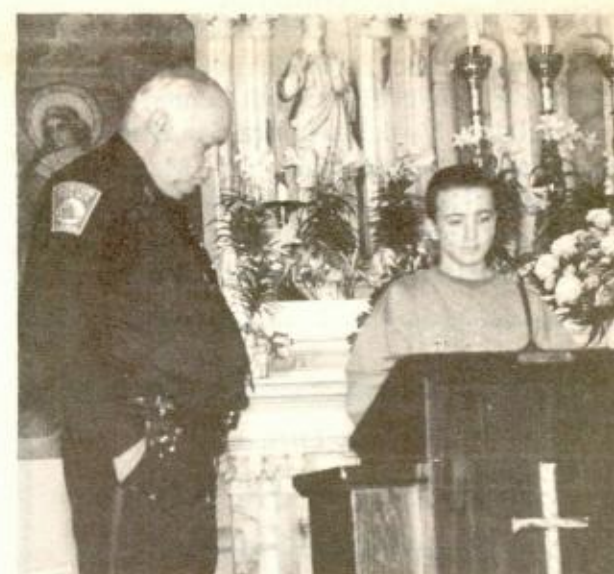
Readings were given by Michelle Krch, Debra Kerns Maher and Harold Nutt.

Terry and Al Titcomb were joined at the pulpit by their son Chad, their grandson Aaron and his mother Mary Johnson. Terry said that they have memories, but all little Aaron has is pictures as Aaron recognized a photo

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THE ANNUAL CANDLELIGHT VIGIL on April 30, which is sponsored by the Charlestown After Murder Program (CH.A.M.P.), opened with a welcome by Josephine Stone (front) who called the vigil the "healing wall" for those who have lost a loved one. Shown (l. to r.) Co-Chairperson Pam Enos, Beverly Gallagher and Co-Chairperson Sandy King. (photo by Kathy Whitehouse)



ANTONIO DONAHUE, an eighth grade student at Charlestown Catholic, reads his first place essay on "What I Can Do To Prevent Violence In Charlestown." At the left is Officer Jim McNamara of Area A of the Boston Police Department who presented the awards. (photo by Kathy Whitehouse)



TERRY TITCOMB and her son Chad leave the Candlelight Vigil at St. Catherine's carrying a candle in memory of her son and his brother, Albie, as the names of Charlestown victims of violence start to be read aloud and balloons with victims' names are carried into the sky. (photo by Kathy Whitehouse)

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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, May 16 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "Old Lady's Camping Trip," a tale in which the old lady who lives in the shoe takes her children camping... an owl and a cat go to sea in a pea-green

boat in "Owl and the Pussycat,"... and two sisters play-act on a windy day in "Windy Day."

"Koko's Kitten" tells the story of how Koko the gorilla loves her kitten, All-Ball, shown only at 3:30 p.m.

Suggested good books to read are **Koko's Story** by Francine Patterson and **Camper of the Week** by Amy Schwartz.

## The family of MARGARET HINGSTON

would like to thank the first floor staff of the Bunker Hill Health Center, especially Dr. Mark Eisenburg, Sandy Bock, Sharon McLaughlin and Margaret Drake for all the kindness shown to Peggy during her illness.

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# CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## this week at a glance

Thursday, May 11

• **11 a.m. to 6 p.m.** - MGH Bunker Hill Health Center's "Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart" Health Fair, Johnnie's Foodmaster, Bunker Hill Mall

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

• **6 p.m.** - Charlestown Old Schoolboys' Association Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• **7 p.m.** - CANA meeting on the landscaping in City Square, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown-To-Charlestown meeting on Aug. 1-13 Tour of Ireland, Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - The community is invited to meet "Louisa May Alcott," sponsored by the Charlestown Preservation Society and the Friends of the Library, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **8 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, May 12

• **10 a.m.** - Adult Discussion Group and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

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

• **7:30 p.m.** - Fund Raiser for Townies Football, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• **8 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Saturday, May 13

• **9 a.m. to noon** - Annual Park Cleanup, cosponsored by the Parks & Recreation Department's Historic Burying Grounds Initiative and the Charlestown Preservation Society, meet at Thompson Square at 9 a.m.

• **10 a.m.** - Dedication of the Gen. Galvin Green, City Square

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

• **2 to 4 p.m.** - Charlestown Pop Warner Football Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

• **6:30 p.m.** - Scavenger Hunt, sponsored by the St. Catherine's Color Guard Board, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

• **7 p.m.** - Daughters of Isabella #1 93rd Anniversary Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• **8 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, May 14

• **7 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Monday, May 15

• **10 a.m. to noon** - Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS) Play Group, St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St.

• **7 p.m.** - Bunker Hill Post 26,

The American Legion meeting, Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Daughters of Isabella No. 1 meeting, K. of C. Upper Hall, 75 West School St.

Tuesday, May 16

• **10 a.m. to noon** - Hearing Screening Program for senior citizens, Constitution Co-op Apartments, 42 Park St.

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

• **5:30 p.m.** - Healthy Charlestown Coalition meeting, 55 Bunker Hill St.

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Zoning Committee meeting, Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

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

• **7:30 to 9:30 p.m.** - Adult Basketball Clinic, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave.

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

Wednesday, May 17

• **4 p.m.** - Origami Workshop for youngsters 6-12, 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)

• **7 to 8 p.m.** - Charlestown Rose Application Distribution by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

## upcoming events

Thursday, May 18

• **9:30 to 11 a.m.** - Women'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

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

• **4 p.m.** - "That's How I Feel," created and performed by Jim Vetter for youngsters in grades K-8, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **6 to 8 p.m.** - Charlestown Gym Hockey Registration, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 46 Winthrop St.

• **8 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, May 19

• **8 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Saturday, May 20

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

• **9 a.m. to noon** - Annual Doherty Park Cleanup, sponsored by the Friends of the Doherty Park and the Boston Parks and Recreation Department, Doherty Park, Bunker

Hill Street

• **10 a.m.** - Navy Yard Neighborhood Association Annual Spring Clean-up, call 242-2217 for information

• **10 a.m. to 1 p.m.** - Charlestown Gym Hockey Registration, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 46 Winthrop St.

• **noon to 5 p.m.** - "Healthy Kids Day" for youngsters 12 and under, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave., Charlestown Navy Yard

• **2 to 4 p.m.** - Charlestown Pop Warner Football Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

• **7 to 11:30 p.m.** - Hypnotist Frank Santos, sponsored by the Charlestown Community Centers, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

• **8 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, May 21

• **11 a.m.** - Eumenical Service on Pier One in the Charlestown Navy Yard, followed by a Flag Ceremony at 11:45 p.m. and a march to the Bunker Hill Monument for a Flag Rally in support of a Constitutional Amendment authorizing Congress and the states to prohibit the physical desecration of the U.S. flag

• **noon to 4 p.m.** - Family Fun Day, Charlestown High School field, Medford Street

• **1 to 4 p.m.** - Community Open House, Bunker Hill Monument

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

• **7 p.m.** - Threshold Theatre production of "The Baltimore Waltz," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Monday, May 22

• **10 a.m. to noon** - Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS) Play Group, St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St.

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Emergency Fund Special Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Tuesday, May 23

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

• **5:30 p.m.** - Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) meeting, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

• **6 to 8 p.m.** - Charlestown Gym Hockey Registration, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 46 Winthrop 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, May 24

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



## Annual Doherty Park Clean-Up On May 20

The Friends of Doherty Park and the Boston Parks and Recreation Department will be cosponsoring the annual park clean-up on Saturday, May 20. Rakes, shovels, gloves and plastic bags will be provided. All that's required is your participation. Join in at 9 a.m. to share in the effort to give our national treasure its spring cleaning! We'll do sweeping, shoveling and collecting litter and some weeding. It's all over at noon, so the more adults and children, too, who can help - the merrier!

Doherty Park is the last remaining neighborhood park designed by Freder-

ick Law Olmsted for the city of Boston. Olmsted is recognized as the father of American landscape design and is the one person believed to be responsible for this country's park system as we know it. He designed parks in almost every major American city, including New York City's Central Park and the Capital grounds in Washington, D.C.

While he was working on the Emerald Necklace for Boston, he and his firm were asked to design five neighborhood parks. There are only two left, one at Copp's Hill in the North End, and ours here in Charlestown. It has only recently come to light that

ours is actually the last of Olmsted's parks for the city; Copp's Hill was designed by his sons.

Through the efforts of The Friends of Doherty Park, the Parks Department has completed a master plan for restoration of the park and work will begin on different areas of the park this spring. Final steps are being taken toward the park's being listed on the National Historic Register.

Doherty Park is on Bunker Hill Street near St. Francis de Sales Church and runs down to Medford Street. In case of rain, the clean-up will take place on Sunday, May 21.

## It's A Girl . . .

Ronald and Christine Gover of Stoneham, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Shauna Christine Gover, on April 23 at the New England Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 5 ounces.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis of Charlestown.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gover of Somerville.

Mrs. Gover is the former Christine Davis of Charlestown.

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## Reid Wins Greeting Card Design Contest



**MICHAEL REID** of Old Landing Way, a fourth grader at Charlestown Catholic, displays a \$100 Savings Bond for winning the Clerk Richard Rouse Holiday Greeting Card Design Contest. Standing with Michael are his homeroom teacher Patricia Senier, Supreme Court Clerk Richard Rouse and Sister Mary Ellen O'Connell, C.S.J., principal.

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## Local Carriers To Participate In Nation-Wide Food Drive

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A letter announcing the drive will be sent to all postal patrons. Your letter carrier will be doing a little bit more than delivering mail on that day and are asking for everyone's help.

On Saturday, non-perishable food items left by you next to your mailbox will be collected by your carrier. All items will be given directly to Rudy Doenges of the Ecumenical Food Pantry, located at St. Catherine's, for distribution to those in need in the Charlestown community.

Please join with your letter carriers in this worthwhile cause.

Christine Edwards, of Charlestown, has achieved honors for the third quarter at Mount St. Joseph Academy in Brighton.

A junior and a member of the Class of 1996, she is the daughter of Bob Edwards of Baldwin Street.

## Edwards Named To Honor Roll

A junior and a member of the Class of 1996, she is the daughter of Bob Edwards of Baldwin Street.

There will be games, arts and crafts, and other special activities encouraging safety. Children, ages 12 and under, may "drop in," accompanied by a parent, any time during the "Healthy Kids Day" hours.

## Healthy Kids Day At The YMCA

On Saturday, May 20, the Armed Forces YMCA will sponsor "Healthy Kids Day" between the hours of noon and 5 p.m. The theme of "Healthy Kids Day" is safety.

There will be games, arts and crafts, and other special activities encouraging safety. Children, ages 12 and under, may "drop in," accompanied by a parent, any time during the "Healthy Kids Day" hours.



U.S. POSTAL SERVICE WORKERS stationed at the Charlestown Branch will be taking part in a nation-wide food drive, sponsored by the National Association of Letter Carriers AFL-CIO. All donations collected in Charlestown on Saturday, May 13 will be given directly to the Ecumenical Food Pantry at St. Catherine's Church. Shown front row (l. to r.) Nancy Magee, Larry Atkinson, Lori Ghiozzi, Ann Yandle, Mazie Collier, Ray Cipoletti and Tom Flynn. Back row (l. to r.) Mark Boyden, Karen Grutner, Mike Hickey, Bill Duran and John Keegan. (photo by Ed Loan)



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

• **It's Now A Half Dozen Roses . . .** as six of the young ladies of Charlestown have entered the Charlestown Rose Contest, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee - and a trip to Ireland is one of the prizes . . . The contest is slated for Friday, June 2 at the K. of C. Hall . . . Chairman Arthur Hurley has reported that the six contestants to date are Kelly Burke, Nicole DeRoeve, Christy Lane, Cheryl Lyman, Shawna Pelton and Sheila Summers . . . More young ladies are welcome to join, so see Arthur this coming Wednesday, May 17th between 7 and 8 p.m. at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **A Tour Of Ireland . . .** is being planned by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee and a meeting on the tour will be held at 7 p.m. tonight, Thursday, May 11 at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. . . Anyone interested in the tour should come along to the meeting - there is no obligation.

• **A Message From Katerinia . . .** "I know, Gewarmo + Yon is a scared" . . . Katerinia. (?)

• **Remember . . . Today, Thursday, May 11th . . . Is Healthy Heart Day!** . . . And is a great opportunity to be tested, pick up valuable information and see various demonstrations between 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the Bunker Hill Mall . . . Many events are taking place inside Johnnie's Foodmaster, while the Lions Club Eyemobile is parked outside for vision testing . . . take advantage of this unique Health Fair that is organized by the Mass. General Hospital's Bunker Hill Health Center.

• **Recent Graduates . . .** of the Canton Police Academy are Peter A. Michalozski of Holbrook and Sal J. Giarratani of North Quincy . . . Michalozski is married to the former Jean Getherall of Charlestown. He serves as a special police officer for the Holbrook Police Department and will soon be appointed a town constable. He is also a senior construction analyst for the Boston HUD Regional Office . . . Giarratani is a police officer for the Mass. Department of Mental Health and during his Charlestown days was a member of both the J.F. Kennedy Family Service Center and the Charlestown EDC boards . . . Congrats to both grads!

• **Come On Along . . .** to the fund raiser that will be held starting at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, May 12th at the K. of C. Hall . . . There will dancing to the music of DJ Jim "Maca" McDougall . . . This event will benefit the newly reformed Charlestown Townies Football Team. For tickets, priced at just \$10, give a call to Danny Ryan at 241-3756 or they will be available at the door.

• **It's Birthday Time This Week . . .** as Julie Treanor and Fran Maher celebrate on May 13th . . . Ken Stone of billboard fame will mark his special day on May 15th . . . and the Wilkins family will honor their Mary on May 17th . . . The best of birthday wishes to you all!

• **Belated Birthday Wishes . . .** go out to Elsie Florentino who celebrated her 90th birthday on April 19th!

• **Wedding Anniversary Wishes . . .** go out to Mike and Donna Lane-Hickey and to David and Linda Flanagan, with both couples celebrating their 10th wedding anniversary on May 11th . . . on May 15th, Bernie and Rita Kelly will mark their 40th anniversary, Bob and Carol Scalli will celebrate their 35th anniversary and it will be the 30th anniversary for Jim and Gloria Conway . . . Best to you all!

• **Ready For A Good Breakfast? . . .** The 7th annual Charlestown Lions Club Breakfast will be held from 8:30 to 11 a.m. at the K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St. . . The \$4 donation will benefit the Lions Journey-For-Sight Program.

• **Locals Lit Up New York City . . .** last week and calls have been coming in about the appearance of Eileen and Susan McClellan on the David Letterman Show . . . Gather that the city will never be the same!

• **You Were Missed . . .** Jason Ezekiel, by the ladies at the Wednesday night Bingo . . . Didn't know you had such a large fan club, Jason.

• **CHAD Junior Bowlers . . .** Mark noon on Saturday, June 10 on your calendars as the annual Bowling Banquet will be held at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **This Is A Special Sunday . . .** and wishes go out to moms and grandmoms and all special ladies for a

*Happy Mother's Day!*

If you see  
Gloria or Jim Conway  
on May 15th,  
wish them a  
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Cassidy

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Grandma

Love . . . Cassidy

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Love,

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## Happy 11th Birthday

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on May 16th

Love,  
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## Happy 10th Birthday Kerrie Eddy

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Happy Anniversary!  
Thank you for  
Ten Wonderful Years!  
Love alway . . . Mike





## around the town

by Gloria S. Conway

### ★ Neighborhood Council Meetings . . .

#### Council Vacancies

Chairman Peter Looney has announced that there are three vacancies on the Neighborhood Council and he will be accepting letters of interest prior to the June 6 monthly meeting. A vote will be taken by the CNC at that time to fill these unexpired terms.

Jeanne Davis has resigned as Precinct 2 delegate as she has moved from the precinct; Pat McClellan has resigned as Precinct 4 delegate as his frequent work at night precludes him from attending meetings; and Nancy Keyes resigned as Precinct 6 delegate in order to run for at-large member at the May meeting.

Persons interested in being considered as a member must be 18 years of age and reside in the precinct in which they seek election. Letters of interest should be sent to Chairman Peter Looney, P.O. Box 397, Charlestown, MA 02129.

#### Zoning Committee Meeting

Chairman Tom Cunha has announced that the Zoning Committee will meet at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 16 at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. This will be an organizational meeting determining boundaries and perimeters of each precinct in the upcoming zoning process that will involve most of the town.

#### Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the CNC will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 6 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

#### Public Safety/Police Community Relations Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Public

Safety/Police Community Relations Committee will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 20 (note change of date) at the Mishawum Park Community Room at 95 Dunstable St.

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

★ **CANA Project Meeting . . .** Tonight, Thursday, May 11 at 7 p.m., the CANA Project will host a meeting at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St. At this meeting the architectural firm of CBT Inc. will review the landscaping in City Square implemented by the CANA Project and will solicit suggestions for enhancements. If you have any questions, please call Stephen Collins at 951-6066.

★ **Swimming Pool Closes . . .** The Charlestown Community Center announces the closing of the Charlestown High Community Center Swimming Pool for renovations. It is scheduled to be completed in late August.

★ **Yard Clean-out Collection . . .** Boston's Recycling Program will be collecting leaves and yard waste every Saturday during May. Leaves, grass clippings, plant cuttings and small twigs can be put out in large brown paper leaf bags or in open garbage barrels. Special Saturday collections start at 7 a.m., so get it out early. Please, no plastic bags. Any leaves put out in plastic bags will be left for the weekly garbage collection. For more information, call 635-4959 or 635-7573.

★ **Charlestown Emergency Fund . . .** Bill McCabe, chairman of the Charlestown Emergency Fund, has announced

that there will be a special meeting of the members on Monday, May 22 at 7 p.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

This will be a special meeting in lieu of the annual meeting to fill three positions as directors of the fund for a full term of three years. The three positions to be filled are presently held by William Galvin, Nancy Keyes and McCabe.

The public is invited to attend and by notice in **The Charlestown Patriot**, any person(s) interested in filling any of these seats are requested to attend and make their intentions known.

★ **Stop Smoking Program . . .** The MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center offers continuous five-week programs to help you stop smoking. The "Pack It In Program" sessions are held on Wednesday nights from 5:45 to 6:45 p.m. in the second floor conference room at the Health Center. The programs are free and you should call 889-8541 to register as space is limited.

★ **Board Of Appeal Hearings . . .** At a city of Boston Board of Appeal Hearing on May 9, Attorney Stephen Miller asked for a deferral on behalf of the Doe Family Trust II which is seeking permission to install a free-standing, double-sided illuminated monopole sign at 29-31 Austin St., the 99 Restaurant. Judy Evers, community liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, presented a letter of opposition voted by the Charlestown Neighborhood Council. The petition has

been deferred until June 20 at 12:30 p.m.

The petition of Gunwyn/Charlestown Limited Partnership to increase the parking at 28 Cedar St. from 17 to 22 spaces and to install new lighting and landscaping was approved by the board. Joseph Bagley made the presentation and introduced a petition signed by residents in the area. Evers told that two abutters meetings took place at the site and the applicant addressed the concerns of the abutters.

★ **Board Of Appeal Hearing . . .** A hearing will be held at noon on Tuesday, May 16 by the Board of Appeal of the city of Boston in Room 801 of Boston City Hall. Chin Realty Trust (David and Philip Chin, trustees) are seeking to change the legal occupancy of 36-40 Main St. from four apartments, store and office to four apartments, dry cleaners and ice-cream parlor, including take-out food.

★ **Bunker Hill Street Reconstruction . . .** Evers reports that the reconstruction contract is expected to go out to bid in June. The city is proposing acorn lights, similar to the new lighting at the park at Hayes Square. According to Evers, the decision on the lighting was made because of public safety and maintenance issues.

★ **Open House . . .** An open house will be held at the Courageous Sailing Center, Pier 4 in the Charlestown Navy Yard on Saturday, May 20, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. A 10% discount will be offered to those who become members on May 20.

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# Chief Marshal Tom Hickey Honored At Bunker Hill Day Parade Fund Raiser



photos by Kathy Whitehouse

On April 30, Charlestown joined Bunker Hill Day Parade Chief Marshal Tom Hickey and his family for a fund raiser to benefit the parade. Guests included Rep. Richard A. Voke, Rep. James DiPaola of Malden and Sen. Thomas Birmingham as well as a host of friends and supporters.

Birmingham and Voke each presented Hickey with a state citation to commemorate the event and to recognize him as the 1995 Chief Marshal. Voke, commenting

on the large turnout for Hickey, said: "I hope you don't think about running for office because I wouldn't have a chance!"

The afternoon was a great success and through the many contributions from everyone who bought tickets, a generous donation was made to the Bunker Hill Day Parade. The organizers of the event extend their thanks for joining together to make this fund raiser an event to remember for everyone involved.

Sheila Sweeney





## New Owners Take Over Main Street Business

This week saw a grand opening of a Main Street business when Cindy and Dan Wrenn said farewell to friends and customers at The Smoke Shoppe and Bob King and Joe and Genevieve King Sarno opened their new store, Doyle's, at the same location, 185 Main St. and welcome new and old customers. The store is named after a dear family member.

The Sarnos and King are residents of Charlestown. They grew up in the city, the Kings in Dorchester and Sarno in the North End. King will be the man in the store, which will be open from Monday through Saturday from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. He said that hot coffee, pastry and newspapers will be on sale to those headed for work.

Sarno related that there



JOE SARNO and BOB KING  
New Owners Of Doyle's On Main Street.

will be initial cosmetic changes with some brightening up of the interior and the replacement of the grate with wrought iron.

Familiar faces will join King in the store - Mae Killoran, and from time to time Jane Wrenn will be there.

During the summer,

King will be talking to customers inquiring as to what they would like to see carried by the store with changes or additions coming at the end of the summer . . . He has already taken one suggestion from a local and now stocks an assortment of old fashioned candy.

## Elias Receives Letter Of Commendation From U.S. Navy

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Daniel M. Elias of Charlestown, was recently given a Letter of Commendation while serving with Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron Two at the Naval Air Station in North

Island, San Diego.

Elias was chosen as the top performer from among all the sailors assigned to the command and was cited for outstanding professional accomplishment, proficiency, leadership, initia-

tive and military bearing.

A 1993 graduate of Charlestown High School, he joined the Navy in July 1993. He is the son of Russell Philipson and Evelyn G. Elias of 98 Walford Way, Charlestown.

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## Origami Workshop At The Charlestown Branch Library

An Origami workshop will be held at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Wednesday, May 17 at 4 p.m.

Origami, the Japanese art of paperfolding, will be

taught by instructors from Schaefer Shenanigans. Participants must be 6 to 12 years of age and preregister, as class size is limited.

For more information, call the library at 242-1248.

## Acting, Mime And Storytelling At The Charlestown Branch Library

Jim Vetter will combine acting, mime, storytelling and special effects in "That's How I Feel," a show created to promote self-esteem skills by showing kids how to handle difficult situations and feelings.

The performance will be held on Thursday, May 18 at 4 p.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Children will become actively involved with the characters and the dilemmas they face, in the show, created and performed by Jim Vetter. The performance is recommended for children in grades kindergarten through eight.

## Daughters Of Isabella No. 1 To Sponsor Crafts Fair

On Sunday, Sept. 10, the Daughters of Isabella No. 1 will sponsor a Crafts Fair at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

The committee will soon solicit some of the finest crafts-people throughout New England for this event. This idea has been bantered about around craft circles (tables) for years. Some talented crafts people would love the opportunity to show their wares in Charlestown. We "Townies" have this "other" reputation for appreciating craftsmanship, quality workmanship and creativity.

As a prelude to outside solicitation, the group wants to give creative Townies a few weeks to apply for tables. The tables are limited and the cost is \$40 per table.

This fair is for "HAND-MADE" crafts only, so please NO white elephant tables, unless of course, the items are handmade!!

For an application form, call Erin at 242-4171, Eileen at 665-7444 or Sharon at 242-4962.

Watch **The Patriot** for our ad in August.

Claire Lynch, president  
Daughters of Isabella #1

## LIONS EYEMOBILE



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This year's appearance of the Eyemobile is scheduled to coincide with the important efforts of the Bunker Hill Health Center in its "Charlestown Loves a Healthy Heart Day" on Thursday, May 11, and is a great opportunity for the people of Charlestown to take advantage of the multiple screenings being offered by the Bunker Hill Health Center and the Charlestown Lions Club.

## Fallon Named Director Of R.M. Bradley

John T. Fallon of 197 8th St. in the Charlestown Navy Yard, has been named a director of R.M. Bradley, one of New England's oldest real estate firms.

Fallon has been with the Bradley firm for nearly 10 years and presently serves as a residential sales broker in the Weston office. Before moving into residential sales, he developed an expertise in property management, first with the



JOHN T. FALLON JR.

management team at Prudential Center and later as

assistant property manager at One Beacon Street.

He also was responsible for the management of Bradley's headquarters at 250 Boylston St., where he directed a program of extensive renovations.

A native of Weston, Fallon is a graduate of Weston High School and studied business management at Curry College. He is an avid skier and sailor and is married to the former Patricia Bauer.

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## Regina T. Callahan Dies At 66

## Dedication Of The Galvin Green

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Army commanded by his long-time friend Gen. George Patton. Patton recognized his ability as a fighting commander and it was in this role — in the lead tank of Patton's flying columns — that by his leadership and courage, he made a most impressive war record.

"At the end of World War II, he emerged as a colonel, and for his bravery and outstanding leadership he was awarded the Silver Star and two Bronze Stars for gallantry, the Legion of Merit and the Croix de Guerre with gold combat star.

"In 1959, Galvin returned to the 94th Army Reserve Division as a Brig. Gen. He helped turn it into a prototype Pentomic Division. Assuming command of the 94th in 1959, under his leadership this division was recognized as the outstanding Reserve Division in the country. Certainly there were none better.

"Gen. George Marshall once called Galvin the outstanding 'reservist of World War II.' Everyone recognized him as a warrior. In time of peace, he dedicated himself in the service of nation and state.

"A close friend of the Gov. of Mass. and Secretary of Labor Maurice Tobin, Michael Galvin served with great distinction as Undersecretary of Labor from 1949 to 1953. His services, on a very high level to carry out important assignments, were also utilized by former President Eisenhower. He was also a close and valued friend of the late President John Fitzgerald Kennedy.

"In 1962, Gen. Galvin was a candidate for the first time for an elected office, being the Democratic candidate for the State Senate in what was

considered a safe Republican District. The confidence and respect of the people of his Senatorial District, Democrats, Republicans and Independents, was evidenced on election day by a surprising and convincing victory.

"While his service in the Mass. State Senate, due to his death, was short, in that period of time he made a record that usually take a number of terms to make.

"His life is the story and the spirit of America

where opportunity exists for all to go ahead and advance, if they have the ambition, the courage and the determination.

"The life of Michael J. Galvin, as a soldier and as a citizen, is one of Americanism at its best — an example and an inspiration for all to follow, and one that the youth of American should strive to emulate.

"In his death the nation has lost a great American; Mass. one of its outstanding sons, and I have lost a most valued friend."

Regina T. (O'Brien) Callahan, a retired telephone operator for New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, died Tuesday at Mass. General Hospital after a lengthy illness with diabetes.

A lifelong resident of Charlestown, Mrs. Callahan attended local grammar schools and graduated from Charlestown High School in 1947. She joined the telephone company in 1949 and served as an operator at the Bowdoin Square office until her retirement in 1987.

She was a member of

The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local #2222 and The Telephone Pioneers of America. She was also a member of the The Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association.

Mrs. Callahan is survived by her husband, Edward P. "Chris" Callahan, former president and business agent for Local 799, International Longshoremen's Association, now retired; three sons, Edward P., Director of Personnel for the Boston Police Department and Attorney Dennis C., both of Charles-

town; and Attorney Brian G. Callahan of Medford; two daughters, Patricia Powers and Mary Callahan, both of Charlestown; a brother, John O'Brien of Jamaica Plain, and nine grandchildren.

Visiting hours will be held at the Frank H. Carr Funeral Home, 220 Bunker Hill St., today, Thursday, May 11, from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m., with her Funeral Mass tomorrow morning in St. Catherine's Church at 9 a.m., followed by the interment at the Mass. National Cemetery in Bourne.

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**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. **M.B.**



# Victims Of Violence Remembered At Candlelight Vigil





## Join In Remembering At Candlelight Vigil

### CH.A.M.P. Essay Contest

#### What I Can Do To Prevent Violence In Charlestown

For non-violence you can join civil rights activists, get an honest job, work at the club or help the elderly. You can always try to make a difference in your community. Be a role model to younger people. If your town has a bad reputation, (such as ours), call up the local paper and say, "not everyone in our town is bad, there's just a few bad apples, that's all." If you have a chance to join a gang, don't do it. Explain to them the consequences. It may look good when they have all the cars, money and clothes, but think about where the money came from if they're drug dealers. Think of how many lives and families they had to destroy to get those things. Think.

First Prize - Antonio "Beef" Donahue  
Grade 8, Charlestown Catholic

To prevent violence in Charlestown I would have a gun exchange program and a community-neighborhood meeting once a month which would bring people together and let them exchange ideas.

Hopefully, a gun exchange would take some guns off the streets of Charlestown. This exchange would not eliminate all of the guns in our neighborhood, but even if it saves just one life, it is worth the effort. Too many lives have been lost because of guns in Charlestown.

Monthly neighborhood meetings could be held to discuss solutions to preventing violence. At these gatherings people of all ages would be encouraged to offer ideas. These opinions could allow people to take action to combat violence. A gun exchange program and a monthly neighborhood meeting could make Charlestown a safer place in which to live.

Second Prize - John Fabiano  
Grade 6, Charlestown Catholic

I can stop drugs, alcohol and violence by staying off the streets and keeping out of trouble. Going out for different teams in school can help. Or going up the Boys & Girls Club.

Get out and think about what is going on around you and your world. To stay off drugs, hang out with people who have their heads on straight. Drugs and alcohol are terrible things. They take over your mind and body. People try to pressure you into alcohol and drugs by saying they're great, but they're not. So don't try 'em.

Third Prize - McKenzie Ridings  
Grade 4, Charlestown Catholic

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of his father, Albie, among those of lost loved ones placed upon the altar. Mary, with tears streaming down her face, read a letter written to Aaron by his father just two months before he was killed. It told of his love for his son and for Mary.

Terry spoke of how she missed her son, noting that their family has been totally destroyed by this tragedy. She said: "I miss fighting with Al and giving him lectures and advice every day." She told of his addiction which started when he was 14 1/2. Terry went on to say that "he tried and tried and then would fall and we would be there. The only one Al ever hurt was himself and those he loved." She shared with the gathering his last day and the terrible moment when she got that call from Mary at 4:25 in the afternoon, adding that "he would have fallen over if someone breathed on him and there was no reason for those people to have done that to him."

Boston Police Officer Michael Charbonnier told of being the youngest of 11 children and his pride in being a member of the BPD. He spoke of the pain and anguish of Sept. 2, 1994 when his "cousin and dearest friend" Mass. State Trooper Mark Charbonnier was murdered. He said that Mark was devoted to his family and job. He related that people who commit such acts of murder "are cowards and have no conscience or morals." He said "Try to remember that tears and pain will not last forever.

er, but memories will . . . and we must maintain what is good."

Beverly Gallagher, who resides in Florida, said in past years her heart has been here, and this year she was pleased that she could be present.

Boston Police Officer Jim McNamara presented three prizes in the CH.A.M.P. essay contest to Antonio Donahue, John Fabiano and McKenzie Ridings and Donahue read his first place essay. McNamara said that there were no losers in the contest and asked for a round of applause for all participants.

Trudy Brennan, Pam Enos, Mary Johnson and Courtney Maher, joined by Officer Mike Charbonnier, began to light candles as a procession formed. Lighted candles were carried to the steps of the church where Matthew King tolled a bell and there was the reading of the victims' names by Trudy Brennan, Cheryl Bowers, Jennifer Johnson, Sandy King and Debra Kerns Maher. Balloons were released into the spring air, each carrying the name of a victim of violence.

Junior hostesses for the vigil were Lisa Bowers, Colleen Hoell, Erin McCallum and Kendra Rogers. Junior hosts were Chad Titcomb, Aaron Titcomb and John Murphy.

Angel gifts from first and second grade students at Charlestown Catholic Elementary School decorated the walls of the parish hall and all the guests were invited to take an angel home with them.

*We are the survivors, left behind to carry on.  
We are the survivors, joined together we are strong.  
We will speak out for our loved ones  
who were not given a choice.  
We are the survivors, hear our voice.*



### Adult Basketball Clinic At The YMCA

The Armed Services YMCA will be hosting an adult basketball clinic for both men and women. Jack O'Brien, Charlestown High School basketball coach, will be teaching the clinic.

There will be instruction for all levels of play-

ers from beginner to more experienced. Skills, strategies and an overall view of the game will be covered.

The clinic will be held on Tuesday, May 16 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. For more information call the Y at 241-8400, ext. 3020.

### 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. C.D.

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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## A Few Words From An Adopted 'Townie'

Dear Editor:

Tom White, a Marine Vietnam Veteran and Purple Heart recipient, invited me to attend the annual K. of C. Spring Golf Vacation at Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. Needless to say, as a retired school teacher, golf hacker and subscriber to a Boston newspaper, I was rather concerned about how I would be received by 40 "Townies."

Tom introduced me to these men after checking into the Breakers Hotel. They ranged in age from 25-70, and were mostly of Irish or Italian descent. There were firemen, longshoremen, T workers, salesmen, college students, and even a former Mass. Public Safety Commissioner. Most were concerned about their kids getting a decent job, tuition for schools, golf scores, or why Flapper Lyman was getting married at the age of 50.

I was totally fascinated by the way this divergent group interacted with each other. The closeness and mutual re-

### Thank You

I would like to thank Kitty Russell and all my friends in the Constitution Co-op and the Golden Age Center for all the cards they sent me during my recent illness. A special thank you to Father Canniff from St. Mary's, and Father Coyne from St. Catherine's who came to the hospital to see me.

Sincerely,  
E. Goldie

spect was evidenced by younger members "waiting" on the older members by buying them coffee, newspapers and cigarettes, and older members reflecting on past experiences or sporting events.

After breakfast each morning, groups would gather to walk the beach, swim or play golf. On Saturday and Sunday, most of these gentlemen attended Mass. It almost appeared they were all in the same family, and I couldn't help thinking, "Wouldn't it be great if every small town in the U.S. had a week like this?"

After returning home to Milton, I felt angered about the negative image that the Boston press gives Charlestown residents. Personally, I have never associated with a more decent, hardworking, fun-loving group of people, and I would be honored to be an adopted "Townie."

Sincerely,  
Eddie Benham

## TAROT CARDS

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## Bunker Hill Post Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday, May 15 at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St., at the corner of Chestnut Street.

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## COALITION MEETING

The next full meeting of the Healthy Charlestown Coalition will be held on Tuesday, May 16 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the BHA Administration Building, 55 Bunker Hill St. We have a full agenda which will include a report from the nominating committee on probable candidates for our June Executive Committee elections. There will be a short presentation by the Violence Prevention Design Team and a survey from Roberta Miller from the Healthy Boston evaluation team. As always, a light supper and childcare will be provided. If you will need childcare, please contact the coalition office beforehand. The meeting is open to the public.

## "DEFENDING OUR LIVES"

On Wednesday, May 17, the Violence Prevention Design Team will be hosting a presentation on domestic violence at St. Catherine's Hall at 6:30 p.m. The program will feature the award-winning documentary "Defending Our Lives," which is the story of the Framingham 8, who were imprisoned for killing their abusive partners. All are welcome.

## FAMILY FUN DAY

The fifth annual Family Fun Day will be held on Sunday, May 21 from noon to 4 p.m. As always, there will be games and activities for all ages as well as face painting and free hot dogs. This year a Zoo-mobile and a ball hockey five-hole competition will be featured. This event will take place at Charlestown High School football field.

## DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP

The Health and Lifestyles Design Team, with input from local residents, found that there was a need for a diabetes support group in Charlestown. The support group met for the first time in April and will continue to meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. in the community room at 55 Bunker Hill St.

Any local organization or individual who lives or works in the Charlestown community that would like to become involved with the coalition, contact Danny Ryan at the coalition office at 241-3756.

## HEALTH UPDATE

**Massachusetts General Hospital  
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724-8135

## DO YOU KNOW THE ABC's OF SKIN CANCER?

This year 32,000 Americans will be diagnosed with malignant melanoma and 7,000 will die from it. In addition 2,000 people will die of other forms of skin cancer. Early detection of this disease is easy because the signs are right there and visible on the surface of the skin.

A recent survey by the American Academy of Dermatology showed that fewer than one third of Americans currently examine their skin for signs of melanoma, and fewer than half don't know the signs of melanoma. When treated in its earliest stages, melanoma can be cured.

FREE skin cancer screenings will take place on Wednesday, May 17 from 3:15 to 5:45 p.m., and Wednesday, May 24 from 8 to 11:30 a.m.

The MGH Bunker Hill Health Center will be sponsoring FREE skin cancer screenings to coincide with National Melanoma/Skin Cancer Detection and Prevention Month. These screenings are co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society and the American Academy of Dermatologists. All screenings will be done by a dermatologist. This is only a screening and the findings of the exam and any recommendations will be given to the patient that day. To schedule an appointment, call 724-8160.

**ANSWER:** The ABC's of skin cancer are any change in asymmetry, border irregularity, color or diameter.

Kathleen O'Shea, M.D., Dermatologist  
Charles Taylor, M.D., Dermatologist



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

▲ **Three Day CYO Trip To Montreal** - We are planning a CYO trip to Montreal this summer for any teenagers 13 to 19. We would travel in two vans, 20 teenagers and two adults. The trip would be Monday through Wednesday, July 24-26, and would include two nights at a Montreal hotel, tickets to the forum to see the Montreal Roadrunners game (professional roller hockey), a day at Aqua Park (water slide village) and a night at LaRonde Amusement Park. The entire trip, including transportation, will be \$150 per person. You may sign up by leaving your name and a \$50 deposit at St. Catherine's Rectory. Sign up as soon as possible as there are only five spaces left.

▲ **Dana Barros (76 'ers Star) & CYO Offers Basketball Camp Scholarships** - Dana Barros will sponsor a basketball camp at UMass-Boston for boys and girls ages 8-18, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, Aug. 7-11. The camp is normally \$155 for the week, but he will

offer \$55 to every boy or girl from Charlestown, the CYO will pay \$50 for each youngster, therefore the cost is really \$50 per person. If you are interested, please call Father Coyne at 242-1750 for an application.

▲ **Religious Education Classes Conclude** - St. Catherine's CCD Program for the 1994-95 year will conclude with a special Mass on Sunday, May 21 at 9 a.m. This will also be our final Children's Mass for the school year. All children in grades 1-8 public school classes are encouraged to be present this Sunday, May 14 and next Sunday May 21.

All children who received First Communion at St. Catherine's are asked to wear their First Communion outfit on Sunday, May 21. We congratulate all the children and parents who participated in our CCD Program this year.

▲ **Family Fun Day** - We encourage all Charlestown families to set aside Sunday, May 21 from noon to 4 p.m., to join the Healthy Charlestown Coalition at its annual

Charlestown Family Fun Day. There will be games and activities for all ages throughout the afternoon, food, music, sports and a petting zoo. Families are encouraged to pack a picnic lunch. The festivities will take place at the Charlestown High School football field.

▲ **CYO Junior High Harbor Cruise** - The CYO is sponsoring its annual Junior High Harbor Cruise for boys and girls in grades 7 and 8 on Wednesday, June 28 from 8 to 10 p.m. We will board the Provincetown II at Atlantic Avenue. A bus will leave St. Catherine's at 7 p.m. and return around 10:30 p.m. All junior high students, public and parochial, are welcome. The cost is \$10 per person. You may sign up at the rectory by leaving your name and \$10.

There will also be two Harbor Cruises for teenagers 13-19 years of age on Monday, July 10 and Monday, July 17. Both cruises will be from 8 to 11 p.m. The cost is \$10. Sign-ups will follow soon.

## Charlestown Catholic Elementary Students Go To The Symphony

On April 28, students in Grades 5-7 went to Symphony Hall to attend the Handel and Haydn Society Youth Concert.

The formal affair included selections from Mozart. The students were dressed to impress, as the young ladies wore dresses, or attractive blouse and pant combinations, while the young gentlemen looked dashing in their shirts and ties.

The students applauded

the performances of conductor, John Finney and the choirs from Brockton, Madison Park and North Quincy High schools. Their singing and musical brilliance, particularly the "Ave Verum," "Sonata in D Major" and "Hallelujah," was enjoyed immensely by all who attended.

Symphony Hall itself impressed the youngsters with its majestic beauty and elegance. It is considered one of the world's finest

concert halls and was planned scientifically by architects to create excellent sound.

The concert was made possible through a grant from the State Street Bank and Trust Co. Special thanks goes out to the Boston Symphony Orchestra for their cooperation and support. Everyone had fun and appreciated the musical performance and they look forward to similar opportunities in the future.

## Receive Honors At Matignon

Gary LeFave, principal of Matignon High School in Cambridge, has announced that three Charlestown residents have achieved academic recognition for the quarter.

The students are: Kristin Connolly, daughter of Linda and Stephen Con-

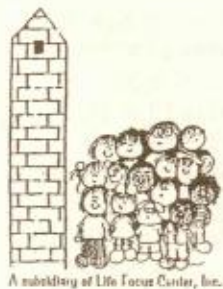
nolly; Corey Gallagher, daughter of Lois and Jim Gallagher; and Christine Southern, daughter of Fran and Wally Southern.

All are members of the class of 1995 and maintained marks of B- or above in all subjects.

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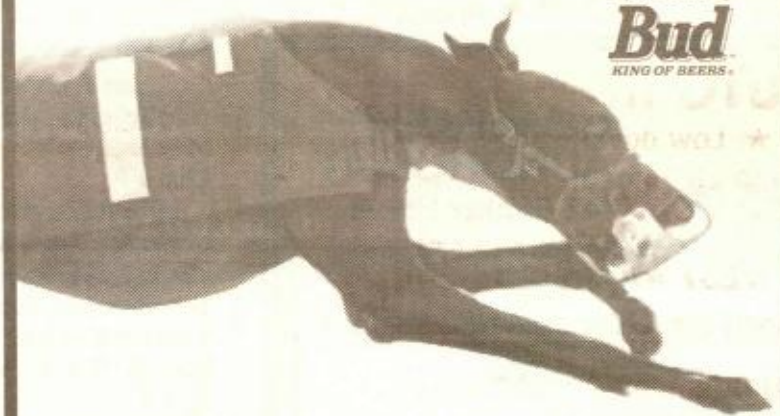
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## CHARLESTOWN BOYS & GIRLS CLUB NEWS

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### ♦ TEEN CENTER

**College Club** - At 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 16, there will be a mandatory meeting for all College Club members and Mentoring Program people in the teen education room.

**Roller Hockey** - The Teen Center will be playing a pick-up game of roller hockey this Saturday, May 13. Anyone interested should sign up with Kenny, Sharon or Derek. We will meet at the club at noon.

**Softball Challenge** - The staff at the Boys & Girls Club is issuing a challenge to any teen who thinks they can defeat the Green Street Monsters in a friendly game of softball. The game will be played on Saturday, May 20 at the Charlestown High School field.

### ♦ LIBRARY

**Cinco de Mayo** - On May 5 the library celebrated Cinco de Mayo by making creative masks, listening to Mexican folk tales and learning some names of colors in Spanish. And yes, Danny Ryan, Cinco de Mayo is always on the 5th of May!

**Invention Convention** - Last Saturday we held our annual Invention Convention. Many of our members took part in creating a new invention or helped to make an old invention better. Each member was a winner, and they will be treated to a pizza party tomorrow evening, Friday, May 12, at 6 p.m. The winners and their inventions are as follows:

1) Billie Zell: Penny Catcher - Best Invention/Best Overall; 2) Casey Dolaher, Zara Doyle, Jenna Hickey and Tracey Montgomery: Ant City - Best Architectural Design and Most Zoological; 3) David Boire and Julius Newton: Cookie Smeller - Most Original and Best for People on Diets; 4) Dorothy Polito: Crumb Catcher - Most Practical and Best for Messy People; 5) Ashley Carr: Book Holder - Most Practical and Educational; 6) Nicole O'Neill,

## From Jerry's Desk...



### Alumni Reunion To Be Televised

The annual Charlestown Boys Club Alumni Reunion, held in January, will be shown on Cablevision's Boston Neighborhood Network's (BNN) Moments in Charlestown this Sunday, May 14 at 3 p.m. and next Sunday, May 21 at 10 a.m.

Honored at this year's event was Bob Munstedt, who led the Bunker Hillbillies for over 40 years as they represented Charlestown throughout the city and beyond. It was a very special evening for Bob and all the Bunker Hillbillies, and one that's worth checking out this Sunday and next.

Thanks to Kevin Burke and friends for putting together this production.

### Kiwanis to Provide Overnight Camperships

As they have been doing for many years, the Kiwanis Club of Charlestown will be providing camperships to Charlestown youth interested in attending overnight camp this summer. These camperships are available to families who otherwise would not be able to send their children to overnight camp. The Boys & Girls Club has information and camp forms on Boys & Girls Club Camps Wing, Mitton and Stockade, all located in Duxbury.

Also, the Boys & Girls Club has additional vouchers from these camps, so any Charlestown youth who would like to attend camp, should be able to get some help.

For more information, contact Jerry Steimel at 242-1775. Camperships and vouchers are given out on a first-come, first-served basis.

Lauren DeMille, Jennifer DeMille and Bridgette Chaisson: Purple Passion Perfume - Most Romantic and Best for a Blind Date; 7) Deniece Simard: The Rocket Ship - Most Scientific; 8) Aaron Munde: Magic Eye Helper - Most Useful and Best for Bad Vision; 9) Mark Dillon: Wall Spyer - Best Investigative Work and Best James Bond Gadget; 10) Brendan Grace: Mini City - Best Visual and Best for Short People; 11) Stephanie Saccardo: Phone Without Buttons - Most Convenient and Futuristic; 12) Russell Girouard: Space Age Video - Best High-Tech Invention; 13) Shannon Reid and Marie Allen: Smart Detector - Most Intelligent and Most Important for Dating; and 14) Marianne and Theresa Allen: Rain Catcher - Most Economical, Environmental and Realistic.

Thanks to all who could make it up last Saturday and to the judges: John Killoran, Dan Ryan, Jenny Atkinson,

Kolleen Hayes, Mike Connell and Christine Stanford, who works at the South Boston Clubhouse. A special thank you to Joe at Bunker Hill Florist who gave us sweet flowers for the Purple Passion Perfume.

### ♦ EDUCATION / CULTURAL ENRICHMENT

**Talent Show Participants** - All talent show participants are invited to come to a pizza party tomorrow, Friday, May 12 in the library at 6 p.m.

### ♦ SPECIAL EVENT

A Toy Gun Buy Back Program, under the auspices of Hands Without Guns, will be held at the clubhouse from 4 to 6 p.m. on Wednesday, May 17. This will be an opportunity for youngsters to bring toy guns or knives to the club where they will be exchanged for non-violent toys or books. In addition, there will be workshops for the youngsters. You do not have to be a club member to attend.

## Charlestown Little League News

### Last Week's Scores And Highlights - Major League

**May 1:** K. of C. 12, Boys & Girls Club 9

Mike Reid's three hits, including two triples, Roger Kueny's two doubles and winning pitcher Brian Dacey's three hits helped K. of C. overcome a 9-1 deficit.

**May 2:** Peg & Al's 11, McKeon Club 4

Winning pitcher - Chad Titcomb

**May 3:** Cronin Club 4, Jenny's 3

In a great pitching duel between Ray Ortiz of Cronin and Michael Doe of Jenny's, it took a Derek Garceau's triple with two outs in the last of the sixth to score Ray with the tying run. Derek scored on an overthrow to complete the win. Tony Lopez hit his fourth home run of the season and drove in all of Jenny's runs.

**May 4:** Teamsters 20, Memorial Hall 5

Winning pitcher - Mike Wilkins

**May 6:** Cronin Club 11, McKeon Club 4

Ray Ortiz hit a home run to back up winning pitcher, Dan Devlin. Matt Monaco had three hits and pitched well for McKeon.

**May 6:** In an "old fashioned" pitching duel, Memorial Hall outlasted the Boys & Girls Club 21-16. This was umpire Phil Kelly's first game

back after being out of action for a while. Welcome back, Phil!

**May 6:** Teamsters 8, K. of C. 1

In an early season battle for first place, the Teamsters, behind winning pitcher John Fabiano's six-hitter, proved too tough for K. of C. despite their several sparkling defensive plays.

**May 6:** Peg & Al's game with Jenny's Pizza was postponed.

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### Little League Standings As Of

May 6

	W	L
Teamsters	4	0
Cronin Club	3	1
K. of C.	3	1
Peg & Al's	2	1
Memorial Hall	2	2
Jenny's Pizza	1	2
Boys & Girls Club	0	4
McKeon Club	0	4

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### Upcoming Games Of The Week

#### Major League

- Thursday, May 11 at 5:30 p.m.

Teamsters vs. Jenny's Pizza

- Saturday, May 13 at 10:30 a.m.

(1) Peg & Al's vs. Boys & Girls Club

(2) Memorial Hall vs. Jenny's Pizza

- Saturday, May 13 at 1 p.m.

(1) Cronin Club vs. Teamsters

(2) McKeon Club vs. K. of C.

- Monday, May 15 at 5:30 p.m.

Cronin Club vs. Memorial Hall

- Tuesday, May 16 at 5:30 p.m.

Peg & Al's vs. K. of C.

- Wednesday, May 17 at 5:30 p.m.

Teamsters vs. Boys & Girls Club

### Last Week's Scores And Highlights - Minor League

**May 1:** Bev's Minis 7, American Legion 0

**May 2:** Curtin Club beat K & M by 5 runs.

**May 4:** Patriot vs. Stoney's was postponed.

**May 6:** All games were postponed.

### Minor League Schedule

- Thursday, May 11 at 5:30 p.m.

American Legion vs. K & M

- Saturday, May 13 at 9 a.m.

Bev's Minis vs. K & M

- Saturday, May 13 at 10:30 a.m.

Curtin Club vs. Stoney's

- Saturday, May 13 at noon

American Legion vs. Patriot

- Monday, May 15 at 5:30 p.m.

American Legion vs. Stoney's

- Tuesday, May 16 at 5:30 p.m.

K & M vs. Patriot

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President Emeritus John Curtin is recuperating at home after being hit in the leg with an overthrown baseball. Get well, John, we miss your lucky charm!



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# BOB D'S BEAT BY BOB DeCRISTOFORO

◆ **Yawkey League Opener On Sunday** ... Young and enthusiastic is the best way to describe the Charlestown Pride Baseball Team that will take the field on Sunday afternoon, May 14 at McConnell Park in Savin Hill. The 4 p.m. start launches a 29-game season schedule that brings Charlestown back into the big leagues and should provide an exciting summer of baseball for our neighborhood.

The team will showcase our local baseball talent. Roster players include: Danny Martell, Mike Walsh, Tommy Holloran, Mike Leahy, Jason Smith, Marc Dollosa, Danny Dollosa, Mike Sullivan, Jeff McCarthy, Bill Connell, Mark Saitta, Matt Warren, Bobby Durette, Jason Ezekiel and Billy Anderson. Coaches are Rob McIntosh and Mike Giordano.

An endeavor like this takes a lot of effort, especially during the first year, but it is well worth the effort for the entire neighborhood. Game sponsors are needed for all games and any person, business, or organization who would like to sponsor a game, or make a contribution to the sponsorship of a game would be greatly appreciated. Game sponsorship is \$100 per game, and anyone interested should contact Bob D.

This Sunday's game is being sponsored by the Jimmy Donovan Scholarship Fund.

◆ **Bay State Games** ... Registration material for the 1995 Bay State Games is now available at high school and college athletic departments, local libraries, town

recreation departments, YMCA's and various sports organizations. Close to 10,000 amateur athletes are expected to compete in 21 sports.

Tryouts and qualifying tournaments start May 28 and run through June 24. The finals will be held from July 12-16 at five Boston area universities. Opening ceremonies will take place Thursday night, July 13, at Boston City Hall Plaza.

◆ **Youth Roller Hockey** ... Preregistration is required for the first annual Boston Roll-Off Citywide Roller Hockey Tournament. Age groups for the double elimination tournament are 6-8, 9-11, and 12-15. Players must furnish and wear their own safety equipment, including helmets with full face masks, elbow and shin pads, and gloves.

Charlestown is a site for one of four elimination rounds scheduled for Saturday, June 10, but the preregistration date is Friday, May 26. For further information call Joe Curran at the Parks and Recreation Department at 635-4505.

The tournament is a combined effort between the Parks Department and the New England In-Line Hockey League.

◆ **Red Shirt Jobs** ... The Boston Youth Clean-Up Corp will be accepting calls through the city of Boston Hope Line from youths ages 14-17 looking for summer employment. The Hope Line will be open from May 15-26, Monday through Friday, from 3 to 6 p.m. The phone number is 635-HOPE (4673). Have your name, address and Social Security num-

ber ready. This program is for city of Boston residents only!

At a later date, you will be notified on a first-come, first-served basis, as to when and where to report for further processing and placement. If you are notified, you will be required to bring a number of items with you including proof of your residency in Boston.

◆ **The Home Town Team** ... Charlestown High School's City Baseball League record is 5-1, and upcoming away games include West Roxbury on May 15, South Boston on May 16 and East Boston on May 22. These games start at 3 p.m. Local boys on the team include Timmy Warren, Ricky Evers, Mike Sweeney, Mike O'Brien and Richie Sullivan.

◆ **Family Fun Day** ... The fifth annual Family Fun Day will take place at the Charlestown High School field on Sunday, May 21 from noon to 4 p.m. It will be a great day for our Charlestown family to get together in Charlestown before the summer rush. Games, entertainment and refreshments will all be part of the day's activities.

◆ **Townie Football** ... Don't forget the Charlestown Townies Football Fund Raiser tomorrow evening, Friday, May 12, at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Danny Ryan and his committee are working hard to see that the Townies are back in action this season. Support the effort.

◆ **Spring Basketball League** ... Last call for the Spring Teen Basketball League. I am still looking for a couple of teams, so we can get the league underway. Some of

you have rosters, that must be turned in to Bob D. immediately.

◆ **RBI Baseball** ... Sign-ups for the 16, 17, and 18-year-old Charlestown RBI will take place this coming week. Interested players should see Bob D. for information. A birth certificate should be brought to the registration.

◆ **Youth Peace Conference** ... The 1995 Youth Peace Conference will be held on Saturday, May 20 from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Boston Park Plaza Hotel, 64 Arlington St., Boston, and young people throughout the city are welcome. There is a \$3 admission that includes lunch, a T-shirt, opportunities for summer jobs, workshops and entertainment. For more information, call 536-4266.

◆ **Bunker Hill Teens** ... Our Bunker Hill Teen Center teens have been very busy during the past few weeks involving themselves in such programs as the Women's Week Activities, computers and the We Care Senior Project. Special thanks to Carmen Nunez, and peerleader Amanda Fornash, who continue to work very hard. She is a great help to the many activities that we have been involved with.

◆ **Tidbits** ...

- Birthday best to Kelly Gilgunn.
- Ben Burnett, how was the sleepover?
- If you see Pat Lacey, don't call him Fluffy.
- Congratulations to Timmy Monaco.

**Happy Mother's Day!  
Smile!**

## Charlestown Gym Hockey News

Registration for Charlestown Gym Hockey's 1995-96 season will take place at St. Mary's Parish Hall, 46 Winthrop St. on:

May 18 - 6 to 8 p.m.  
May 20 - 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.  
May 23 - 6 to 8 p.m.  
May 25 - 6 to 8 p.m.  
June 1 - 6 to 8 p.m.  
June 3 - 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.  
June 8 - 6 to 8 p.m.

June 10 - 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Boys ages 4-8 are eligible to register. Boys turning 9 before Dec. 31 are not eligible.

Girls ages 4-9 are eligible to register. Girls turning 10 before Dec. 31 are not eligible.

Birth certificates must be presented at the time of registration. No child will be allowed to play until one has been turned in. The registration fee is \$10 per child.

## Pop Warner Corner

Charlestown Pop Warner will hold two more registrations. They will take place this Saturday, May 13, from 2 to 4 p.m. and next Saturday, May 20, from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Boys & Girls Club. Registrations can also be done over the phone by calling Jack Schievink at 241-7767.

As of May 8, there are 45 players registered. The South Shore Midget Football Conference has demanded Charlestown to have 100 players, 25 for

each squad, or the charter will be revoked and Charlestown will lose a very valuable program in the community. So it is up to you, the youth, who want to play and the parents, to encourage your children to sign-up. The deadline for the 100 players to register is Thursday, June 1. So don't wait or it will be too late and there will be no Pop Warner in Charlestown in 1995.

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**SUPER SATURDAYS**, featuring an hour of pool time followed by an hour of games and activities in the gymnasium, runs for five weeks starting May 20.

Section A	AquaKids	9-9:50 a.m.	PRICE \$25
(ages 3-5)	Supervised Gym	10-10:50 a.m.	

Section B	Supervised Gym	9-9:50 a.m.	PRICE \$25
(ages 6-10)	AquaKids	10-10:50 a.m.	

Each section is limited to 15 children.

• INSTRUCTORS: Joe Anthony, Alexis Malone, Ed Hurley and Danielle Horgan.

• WHAT TO BRING: Bring a swimsuit, towel and lock (locker facilities are provided).

Call the Control Desk, Armed Services YMCA,  
at 617-241-8400, ext. 3020, for further information.

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# Rep. Richard Voke Welcomes New Residents Of 100 Ferrin St. With Refreshments And Entertainment

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## Office Of Elderly Affairs Offers Free Health Programs

The city of Boston's Commission on Affairs of the Elderly offers free screenings and health education programs to Charlestown residents age 60 and older.

The Hearing Screening Program will take place on Tuesday, May 16 at the Constitution Co-op Apartments, 42 Park St., Charlestown from 10 a.m. to noon.

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, May 17

Wednesday, May 24

Wednesday, May 31

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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Wednesday, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., Jean Reilly
- **Flower Arrangements**  
Thursday, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., Jean Reilly
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Monday and Thursday, noon to 3 p.m., Sally Karos
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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

- The Valley Inn in N.H. will be the destination for a getaway weekend June 2, 3 and 4.
- A Mt. Sunapee Cruise with a buffet luncheon will take place on Sunday, June 25.
- A trip to Hampton Beach will be held on Thursday, July 13 and again on Monday, Aug. 14.
- Cruise on the *Spirit of Boston* on July 21st. The cost is \$28.
- 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.

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## The Kennedy Center Services At Community Sites

### 100 Ferrin Street For Seniors Only

#### Tuesday, May 16

- 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 (donation \$1)
- 1 to 1:30 p.m. - Sitting Cises
- 1:30 p.m. - Transportation Access

#### Wednesday, May 17

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

#### Thursday, May 18

- 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 (donation \$1)
- 12:45 p.m. - Bingo

#### PLAN AHEAD DATES:

- May 17 - Blackstone River Valley Trip (\$40)
- May 22 - Breakfast with the Judge (for those who attended the Mock Trial on May 4)
- May 23 at 1:30 p.m. - Blue Cross/Blue Shield for seniors

#### 100 Ferrin Street

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#### 55 Bunker Hill Street

- Activities for the elderly as well as for people of all ages.
- A collaboration with the Healthy Charlestown Coalition
- Activities organized by community residents, call with suggestions, 241-8866.

### 55 Bunker Hill St. Drop-in Resource Center

#### Friday, May 12

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

#### Monday, May 15

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

#### Tuesday, May 16

- 8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
- 11 a.m. to noon - Adolescent Issues with Sheila Dell'Orfano
- 1:30 p.m. - Bostonian Society (WW II)
- 2 to 3 p.m. - Exercise with Bobbie DiCarlo

#### Wednesday, May 17

- 8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
- 10 a.m. - Project Healthy Osteo + for seniors only
- 11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon, donation \$1
- 12:45 p.m. - Bingo

#### Thursday, May 18

- 8:30 to 10 a.m. - Coffee
- 9 to 10:30 a.m. - Head Start Parents meet with Linda Hudson
- 9:30 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop
- 11 a.m. to noon - Benefit Assistance with Colleen Justice
- noon to 1 p.m. - "All About Children" with Marianne Sample

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To reduce GATT's impact on an already huge federal deficit, Congress has modified the tax law to offset some of these lost revenues. Some of these changes may affect you. For example:

- If you contribute to a 401(k) plan, the limit on contributions will go up less frequently. But for most middle income taxpayers, the \$9,240 ceiling will still exceed their annual contributions.

- The minimum guaranteed rate for U.S. Series EE savings bonds will be repealed. This minimum rate, currently four percent, will remain in effect for bonds issued before Oct. 31, 1994.

- Newborn dependents claimed on your 1995 tax return need a social security number - unless the child is born after Oct. 31, 1995.

- Beginning in 1997, if you receive social security benefits you can elect to have the government withhold federal income tax at a rate of 7, 15, 28, or 31 percent.

The tax changes associated with GATT haven't received much press coverage because they're considered minor adjustments. But if they affect you or your business, you need to understand the best course of action. If you want to know more about the GATT tax changes and whether they'll affect you, give us a call.

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# THE CHARLESTOWN POLICE LINE

From the desk of  
**Captain Ronald X. Conway, Commander**  
**Area A, Boston Police Department**

## Monday, May 1

A woman stated that person(s) unknown slashed and ripped open the screen over her windows in an attempt to break into her apartment. No entry was made. This incident occurred on O'Meara Court at approximately 3 a.m.

At 11 a.m., a man reported that person(s) unknown broke into his car and stole his AM/FM car radio. This incident occurred on Sherman Street.

At 12:45 p.m., a man stated that person(s) unknown broke into his car and stole a computer. This incident occurred at Pearl and High streets.

A man reported that his Mass. license plate number 457 ZBZ was stolen from his car.

A man stated that two Asian males broke into his car while it was parked on Medford Street and stole a car radio and a cellular phone.

It was reported that two mountain bikes were stolen during the night from a bike rack in the Charlestown Navy Yard.

## Tuesday, May 2

At 3 a.m., a man reported that person(s) unknown smashed his car window by throwing a rock through it. The incident occurred on Terminal Street.

At 10:15 a.m., Lt. Durkin of the Boston School Police found nine pieces of what is believed to be crack cocaine in a classroom at Charlestown High School. The substance was turned into the drug lab.

A woman stated that person(s) unknown broke into her car, which was parked at the corner of Union and Lynde streets, and stole her car radio.

At 2 p.m., a man stated that while walking on Walford Way, he was struck from behind by a white car which threw him several feet and he struck the ground and split his head open. The victim was transported to Mass. General Hospital by ambulance. The Area A auto room will investigate further.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown broke into her car between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. and stole her car radio. This incident occurred on Washington Street.

## Thursday, May 4

A man reported that person(s) unknown broke into his van and stole several musical instruments, along with several speakers and head phones. This incident occurred on Bunker Hill Street.

At 11 a.m., officers responded to Charlestown High School for a report of a fire in the first floor bathroom. The building was evacuated, and there were no injuries.

At 2:20 p.m., a man reported that his car, which was parked on Harvard Street, was broken into and his car radio was stolen.

A man stated that his car, which was parked on Green Street, was broken into and his car radio was stolen.

A woman reported that two white males broke the back window of her van and then fled the area. Nothing was taken from the van. This incident occurred on Laurel Street.

## Saturday, May 6

A man stated that person(s) unknown to him broke into his car that was parked on Lexington Street and removed his car radio.

## Saturday, May 7

At 1 a.m., officers arrested a white female resident at

For more information regarding arrested individuals, contact Community Service Officer Bill Smith, 343-4627

66 Medford St. for an outstanding default warrant.

At 3:20 a.m., officers arrested a white female and a white male on Medford Street on a warrant for assault and battery by means of a dangerous weapon.

At 11 a.m., a man stated that person(s) unknown broke the rear window of his car which was parked on Walford Way. Nothing was reported stolen.

At 6:30 p.m., a man reported that while walking on Lexington Street, a group of four white males jumped him and stole a brown clipboard he was carrying.

At 7:05 p.m., officers responded to Russell and Sullivan streets where they arrested a white female for possession of a Class A substance.

## 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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Pursuant to Section 6104 (d) IRC, the annual returns of the Ansin Foundation (Harold S. Ansin, Trustee) can be inspected at the Foundation's office: c/o Patrick B. Maraghy, RINET Company, Inc., 213 Union Wharf, Boston, MA 02109, (617) 723-3718.  
 May 11, 1995

## Legal Notice

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
 The Trial Court  
 Probate and Family Court Department  
 Suffolk Division Docket No. 94D-0385

Summons By Publication  
 Qing Yang Zeng, Plaintiff  
 v.  
 Xiao Dan Zeng, Defendant

To the above-named Defendant:

A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff Qing Yang Zeng, seeking a divorce.

You are required to serve upon Qing Yang Zeng, plaintiff whose address is 25 Starr King Court, 856, Charlestown, MA 02129, your answer on or before June 29, 1995. If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Boston.

Witness, Mary C. Fitzpatrick, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Boston, this 18th day of April, 1995.

James Michael Connolly  
 Register of Probate  
 Publication, Charlestown Patriot

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## Charlestown Rose Contest To Be Held On June 2

The 1995 Charlestown Rose Contest, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, will be held on Friday, June 2. Charlestown now has a dozen Roses and on June 2 the first of our second bouquet of Roses will be chosen.

The Charlestown Rose Contest is unique for an Irish Rose contest in that the young woman selected

as the Charlestown Rose does not compete in a Greater Boston contest. The Charlestown Rose and her escort will be flying to Ireland in August to participate in The International Western Rose Festival in Charlestown, County Mayo.

If you are a young woman of Irish ancestry, single, a resident of Charlestown and between the ages

of 18 and 23, you could be the next Charlestown Rose. If you are the parent, relative or a friend of an eligible young woman, please encourage her to enter the contest.

For more information, call Arthur Hurley at 242-2724, Carol McClellan at 242-1254 or visit the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St., on Wednesday, May 17 between 7 and 8 p.m.

## Community Open House At The Bunker Hill Monument

In celebration of National Park Week, Boston National Historical Park will be holding its second annual Community Open House at the Bunker Hill Monument between 1 and 4 p.m. on Sunday, May 21. Charlestown residents and visitors are encouraged to stop by the grounds of historic Bunker Hill Monument and meet National Park Service Rangers and neighbors, as well as discuss and learn about the history of the Battle of Bunker Hill and the Bunker Hill Monument. Guests

will also have an opportunity to enjoy special costumed 18th century musket firing demonstrations (weather permitting), and learn more about the National Park Service and Boston's unique National Park. Light refreshments will be served.

National Park Service Rangers will be on hand to meet and greet members of the community. A 15-minute presentation will be offered at 2 and 3 p.m. about the Battle of Bunker Hill. Musket firing demonstrations will be offered

at 1:30, 2:30 and 3:30 p.m. The Monument will be open to climb until 4:30 p.m.

Boston National Historical Park would like to thank everyone who helped make last year's first-ever open house a huge success. The event is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate and strengthen ties between the Charlestown community and the National Park Service at the Monument. The community open house is free and open to all, but parking is limited.

## Sullivan Square Community Garden Annual Plant Sale

The Sullivan Square Community Garden is holding its 1995 plant sale from now, through Mother's Day, until June 18th, the day of the Bunker Hill Parade. There are abundant geraniums, pansies and many other flowers. This year we will take orders for plants we do not have. Vegetables and herbs will be available in mid-May. When you see a bright orange cone with the sign, "Plant Sale" at the entrance to the garden on Bunker Hill Street, you will know (without leaving your car) that the plant sale is up and running. If there is no orange cone, come back later. The Plant Sale is run with volunteers. We plan, however, to be open every weekend, Saturday and Sunday, between the dates given above the and most weekdays late in the afternoon, so you can buy plants and order others.

*Support Your Community Garden*



## Applications Are Now Available For The 13th Annual CHARLESTOWN ROSE CONTEST to be held

Friday evening, June 2  
Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

### APPLICATIONS

Applications may be obtained on Wednesday, May 17 from 7 to 8 p.m. at The American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. (between Mt. Vernon and Chestnut streets) or by calling Carol McClellan at 242-1254.

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An information meeting on the Tour of Ireland planned for Aug. 1-13 will be held tonight, Thursday, May 11 at 7 p.m. at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.



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