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Boston Partners In Urban Recreation Grants Available To Neighborhoods

Boston Parks and Recreation Commissioner Robert R. McCoy invites Boston neighborhood and community groups to submit proposals for Boston Partners in Urban Recreation Community Incentive Grants.

The Boston Partners Program will award grants to over 30 organizations to develop new ways of expanding services in parks and recreation facilities operated by the Boston Parks and Recreation Department. \$175,000 is available through Boston Partners for the first year of the two year program. Boston Partners will allow groups to address parks and recreation issues that are important to their community as well as to develop a responsive community based program.

*All Boston community organizations may apply, including private non-profit, civic and social groups, community development corporations, athletic associations and park interest groups.

*Application deadline is Friday, January 28, 1983 at 5:00 p.m.

*Question and answer period for applicants is scheduled for December 16 at 7:30 p.m. - Room 801, Boston City Hall.

*Proposal application packages are available at the Boston Parks and Recreation Department, Room 816, Boston City Hall and at Bunker Hill Recreation Room, 15 Lyndeboro Street, Charlestown.

The Boston Parks and Recreation Department received the \$431,398 federal grant from the Urban Park and Recreation Recovery Program under the U.S. Department of Interior last August.

Boston was awarded the grant in a nationwide \$5 million competition and received one of the largest awards in the country. The program will serve as a national model for public/neighborhood/private sector partnerships.

For information call Valerie Burns at 725-3812.

E.T. Helps Out In Bazaar



MEMBERS of St. Francis de Sales Parish set up a table display of raffle prizes for this year's Christmas Bazaar, in front of Johnnie's Foodmaster. The table received many a wishful stare from child passersby as well

as helped the parish members sell raffle tickets for this Thursday and Friday. Shown (l. to r.) Pat Hughes, Melony and Michael Marsden, Kelli Doherty and Billy and Zeke Marsden

Cable TV Coming To Charlestown

Charlestown's Cable Task Force will sponsor a Public Meeting on Tuesday, December 7 at 7:00 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street.

All those interested or curious about the types of programs that may be available to our community are invited to attend and share their ideas, comments, and questions with the following individuals:

Rick Borten - CATV Coordinator, Kathleen O'Keffe - Cablevision of Boston and Daniel Finn - President of Boston Community Access and Programming Foundation.

As the second neighborhood in the City of Boston to receive cable, Charlestown can look forward to producing its own programs that are useful to this neighborhood and its many organizations, but this takes community input and participation to ensure that Boston's cable meets the needs of all Charlestown's residents. Therefore, it is important to voice your opinions at this meeting on December 7.

For further information, please call 725-3112.

Meet Your Elected Representatives

On Sunday, December 5th, The Charlestown Preservation Society is having a very special

general meeting. CPS has invited all of Charlestown State and Local elected representatives, to attend and to be prepared to tell us what they plan to do for Charlestown during their

terms of office.

This meeting is a real opportunity to let our elected officials know that Charlestown is a constituency which can no longer be ignored.

The meeting will be held at the Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street at 7:30 p.m.

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Graduates

Karen Mitchell of 21 Prospect Street, Charlestown, received a Bachelor of Science degree at the September graduation of Boston University's School of Nursing.

Boston University is the fourth largest independent university in the United States with an enrollment

of about 20,000 full-time and 10,000 part-time students. The University is a composite of liberal arts and professional schools, offering bachelor's, master's and many doctoral or other graduate degrees.

Mitchell majored in basic nursing.

Charlestown Community Calendar

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, December 2

Whist and Cards for Senior Citizens - 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

"How To Get A Job" Seminar - 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Xmas Bazaar - 6:00 p.m. - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 305 Bunker Hill Street

Quilted Xmas Tree Skirt Workshop with Eileen McClellan - 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Friday, December 3

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

Holiday Cooking - 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Xmas Bazaar - 6:00 p.m. - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 305 Bunker Hill Street

Charlestown Historical Society Installation and Social - 7:30 p.m. - American Legion Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

Dance - 8:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Saturday, December 4

Annual Christmas Fair

Luncheon and Dinner - 10:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. - First Church, Green Street

Christmas Bazaar - 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. - St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society Dance - 8:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Sunday, December 5

Holiday Bazaar to benefit the Life Focus Center - 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

Charlestown Preservation Society Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Monday, December 6

Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting - 8:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Tuesday, December 7

Films For Children - 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

Public Hearing on Cable TV - 7:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

Dance Lessons - 8:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Upcoming Events

Thursday, December 9

Whist and Cards for Senior Citizens - 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Quilted Xmas Tree Skirts with Eileen McClellan - 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Friends of the Library Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

Friday, December 10

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

Holiday Cooking - 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Sunday, December 12

Holy Name Society Meeting - following the 8:30 a.m. Mass - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 305 Bunker Hill Street

Tuesday, December 14

Candy Xmas Wreath Workshop with Marie Walsh - 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street

Friday, December 17

Christmas Dinner Dance - 8:00 p.m. - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 305 Bunker Hill Street

Friday, December 31

New Year's Eve Dinner Dance - 8:00 p.m. - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 305 Bunker Hill Street

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Contributors to "Townie Santa" as of this date include:

Margie Kent	Margie's Somerville
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James Kent	Danny Cushman
Kathleen and	Charlie Ross/Knights of Malta
Jennifer Evers	Gloria & Jim Conway

The "Townie Santas" are looking for canned goods, toiletries, Christmas items, jams, tea, pens, pencils, ingredients for baking (a "cookie baking and gift wrapping night is slated for Monday, December 20th), gift wrap, scotch tape, etc. — no item or donation is too small.

The "Townie Santa" Committee will meet on Monday, December 6 at 1:00 p.m. at One Thompson Square. All interested persons are welcome to attend.

For further information, contact Mary Doherty at 242-3009 or Gloria Conway at 241-9511.

"TOWNIE SANTA"

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On Friday, December 10 and Saturday, December 11, 1982, the Boston Latin School Drama Club will present Agatha Christie's classic mystery, *The Hollow*.

The play will be presented at the Boston Latin School Auditorium, 78 Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston at 7:30 p.m.

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Speaking of Social Security, a representative of Social Security is available at the Kennedy Center on Wednesday morning between 9 and 12. He will provide information regarding Social Security or S.S.I.

The Food Stamp worker is available for intake on Thurs-

day afternoon. You may eligible. Give her a call or come in.

The Neighborhood Employment Center is recruiting:

1. The U.S. Postal Services has announced two tests that are available. These positions are 1. at the Vehicle Maintenance Facility at Boston, and 2. the position of Nurse at Boston. Applications are available at the Neighborhood Employment Center. Deadline is December 4, 1982.

2. Any college grads looking for a change? There are training programs available in the various banks in Boston. For information contact Dan McGoff at the N.E.C.

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Sunday, December 5

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Irish Update

by Patricia Kelly Pelton
for John Walsh

Many thanks to the members who went out of their way to join us at our

regular monthly meeting on the eve of Thanksgiving. We enjoyed the enlightening and productive input you offered us, and appreciate all your ideas and concerns for the future of our Heritage Society. I'm sure those who attended

will agree it was a most refreshing and relaxed meeting. Thank you again for showing your support.

I've recently become aware of other Society members who have been ill, or are still on the road to recovery. We'd like to send our "Best Wishes" out to...Helen Fidler, Gert Dagle, Anne Roche, Gert Roche and Phil Coleman. If you are home and feeling up to it, maybe we'll be seeing you at the next dance, and if we don't see you there, we'll keep you in our prayers and hope for your speedy recovery.

To those of you who know of any member who I have not mentioned please pass the word along so we can send them out regards also.

We have already received calls to reserve tickets for our upcoming dance on Saturday, December 4th at 8:30 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Please pass the word on to other members to join us. Tickets are available at \$6.00. Music by Dennis Curtin, along with

our tea table with Irish Bread and sandwiches.

By the way, Betty Walsh (children's committee) has been trying to arrange for Irish Stepdancing lessons for the children (male or female) of the members. If we could get an idea on the number of children interested and their age groups, we could get this program off the ground for the coming year. Please let us hear from you! Give your child his or her first taste of Irish culture by learning these beautiful traditional dances.

Until next week.....

Go mbeannat Dia dhuit
(May God Bless You!)

Legal Services

The Greater Boston Elderly Legal Service for low income persons age 55 years and over announces that they have changed their hours of operation from Tuesday to Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., at the Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop Street.

Community School News

An updated gym schedule will be published in next week's Patriot.

Charlestown High School's Basketball and Track Teams will be using the High School Gym for practice until 4:30 p.m. daily. The Community School Program will open the weightroom Monday through Thursdays from 2:30 to 4:00 for supervised use of the equipment. We have purchased olympic weights that should be delivered shortly.

An Intramural basketball league has been set up for teens 15 and under. Rosters have been set. Games will be played every Wednesday night at the High School Gym from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Parents are invited to come down and watch their kids play. Paul Willard, Kevin Mehegan, Phil Castor, Bobby Stingel, Danny Garvey and Paul Junta are putting together rosters for a 16 to 20 basketball league. Anyone interested should give their names to these team captains. Games will be scheduled for Wednesday nights.

The Kent/Charlestown will hire a Head Teacher/Education Coordinator to pull together our Adult Education Programs. The Council is looking for someone familiar with Charlestown, preferably a resident, with prior experience teaching adults. The position is for 12 to 15 hours a week and salary will be negotiated. Anyone interested should contact Michael Griffin at the Community School Office. 242-2770.

The intramural floor hockey league for 8 to 12 year olds will begin at the Kent on Friday, December 10th, at 3:00 p.m. Kids can still sign up. We will supply the sticks.

We are looking for sponsors for two basketball teams that will emerge from our intramural leagues. In the past we have placed teams in tournaments held in different Boston neighborhoods. One of our teams took second place in the Mattahunt Community School's Winter Tournament. We need uniforms for the teams. Are there any takers out there?

At the next meeting of the Council the Deputy Commissioner of the City's Commission on the Elderly will propose an outline for a community hearing to take place in January to inform the elderly, their children, neighbors and friends just what kinds of services are available to Senior Citizens and how they can be obtained. This will be the first of a series of such informational forums that the Kent/Charlestown Council will offer. The Kent Cafetorium is available to community groups who wish to hold a meeting, put on a show, etc. Sometimes, depending upon the purpose, of the presentation, there is a rental fee. For the most part, however, the Council would like to help those with something to say or something to do find the appropriate place to do it in.

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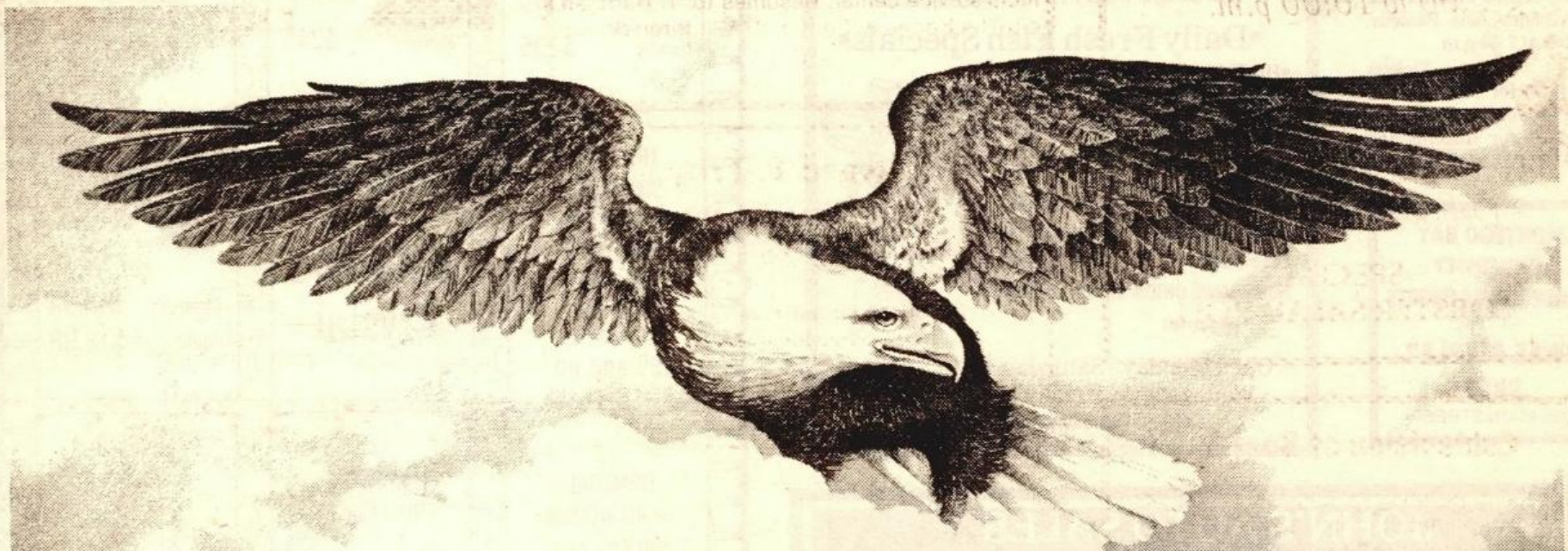
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A special feature of this year's St. Francis de Sales Christmas Bazaar will be the bike table. Thanks go out to the "520" Club for their donation of the top prize, a men's 10 speed Columbia "Black Shadow." Two second place prizes are: a girl's 20 inch 3 speed Columbia bike donated by Charlestown Kiwanis and the other, a boy's Huffy BMX 36 bike donated by George Bisacca, owner and operator of "Eastover." Three Little Wheels will be the third prizes, donated by friends of the school.

Six E.T.'s will be 4th prizes and go to the 7th to 12th names picked. These large E.T.'s (which are getting very scarce) were donated by friends of St. Francis de Sales. Also, we will have a few extra prizes not mentioned on the raffle ticket which will include passes to see the

movie E.T. and passes to the Museum of Science to see the E.T. Phone Display.

I would like to say "Thank You" to all the people who braved the cold outside Johnnie's last Wednesday. Pat Hughes had to almost jump in the oven with the turkey to warm up and I'm told Ruthellen Chardavoyne ended up with the flu. Sorry, Ruthellen! Sheila Walsh, our Parent's Club vice president, braved the cold that last shift at Johnnie's and told me Ruthellen said "Zeke ought to break his leg. I'm so coooooold!!!" Well! Sure enough, ask and you shall receive...Saturday morning I was on my way to the Church Hall to get the bikes and E.T.'s to set up the display to sell the tickets and I took a "header" outside the rectory. Thanks to Mike Walsh and Frank McInnis for set-

ting up the display and getting the thing together. Mike Walsh took me to Mass. General and now I'm on crutches.

So now I'm asking for everyone's help-from all our families in the school. Like I said in last week's Patriot, a book of chances went home - please check the bottom of those schoolbags. Also look for the flyer asking to help me bail this out.

Thanks go out to Nemo Kirk for sharing his gift and doing all our signs. And thanks to his wife, Alice, for putting up with all those phone calls and visits to make a few changes. Thanks to my friends and neighbors, Bruce and Norita Lee. Not only did they donate one of the E.T.'s, but Norita did the notices for me to send home to all the families. Norita has helped our school by doing many dif-

ferent types of notices over the past few years, but the appeal she did for me this week is the best yet! (Let's hope it works??)

I'd like to say thank you to Gloria Conway and Maria Girvin at the Charlestown Patriot for not ducking under the desk when they see me running in with some crazy idea or some short note like this one! Thanks also for correcting the spelling on my copy.

Thanks to everyone who is helping with the Bazaar at St. Francis de Sales. Don't forget, it is **TONIGHT**, Thursday, December 2nd and Friday, December 3rd.

Also, to our school parents, we'll be setting up the bike table at the Mall (maybe outside the Bank) if we get permission. We also have permission to spend a little time at Bradlee's in Somerville and we'll need people to

help with the bike table. If you think you could sell a few chances, we still have until Friday at 9:00 p.m. when we draw the prizes.

In the last week's paper I mentioned all the tables that will be set up at the Bazaar and I also said and "maybe a Smurf table." Well!!! The "Alert's" Club came to our rescue with a very generous donation. Not only will we have a Smurf table, we will have live and in color (blue and white of course) some Smurfs or Smurfette's on hand to meet their fans. It should be a nice table for the little ones to visit.

Don't forget, I really need your help...Oh NO...I almost forgot to mention the "Quilt." This is the fourth year Diane Hennigan has put a committee together to hand make a

quilt to be displayed at the Bazaar. This year's is really the best yet (practice makes perfect). The quilt is a true full size and has been in the making since late September. Every Tuesday night is "Quilt Night." Not to mention any names, but look at the poor husbands of the quilt makers. They have buttons missing and all kinds of rips and tears waiting to be sewn. Now that the quilt is done, we'll be looking much better now. Thank God!! The quilt will be on display this week. Tickets are still \$1.00 and the drawing will be Friday, February 11th at the Valentine's Dance.

I'd better close now...The end!

Zeke Marsden
President Parents' Club
St. Francis de Sales

Plan Your Own Funeral

No one likes to contemplate death, but planning for one's own death, now can make it less painful for loved ones later on. The cost and work will be minimized if others can simply comply with expressed wishes for the funeral ceremony and

burial. Those interested in planning a funeral may learn how to arrange a dignified, reasonably priced one when Doranne Jung of the Memorial Society of New England visits with the Parents' Discussion Group on Friday, December 3, at 10:00

a.m. for the program "Plan It Your Way: Making Your Own Final Arrangements."

The Memorial Society, established in the early 1960's, is a tax-exempt organization dedicated to promoting the concept of the prearranged funeral.

Anyone interested in knowing more about the Parents' Discussion Group Programs may stop by the library at 179

Main Street or call 242-1248.

A new and fascinating book on the subject of death is Philip Aries **The Hour Of Our Death**, a history of the treatment of death from the Middle Ages. John Longone's **Death Is A Noun** is an older book that deals with the mourning process and the funeral as well as such topics as euthanasia and abortion.

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Residents Appointed Judges In "That's My House!" Contest



JUDICIAL REVIEW - Richard Conrad (right), one of the Charlestown judges for "That's My House!", Newworld Bank's home-improvement contest, reviews a sample application with Robert W. Garver, President, Newworld Bank. Conrad is one of a three-person neighborhood judging panel whose members were specially selected for their expertise and involvement in the community. The judges will choose the most outstanding home-improvement project entered from Charlestown. A total of 16 \$1,000 winners will be selected from each of Boston's 16 neighborhoods. Then, a special blue-ribbon judging panel will pick a grand city-wide winner to be given an additional \$2,000.

(Photo by Shelly Harrison)

Three community leaders from Charlestown have been appointed to serve as judges for "That's My House!", the neighborhood-based, home-improvement contest sponsored by Newworld Bank (formerly Charlestown Savings). This year's program will provide a total of \$36,000 in cash prizes to conscientious home owners from Boston's 16 neighborhoods and 45 nearby towns.

Members of the Charlestown judging panel include Richard Conrad, Gloria Conway and Mary Granville. The judges, selected on the basis of their expertise, neighborhood involvement and varied perspectives on the community, will review all the entries submitted from Charlestown and select the most outstanding home-improvement project. The winning home owner from each of Boston's 16 neighborhoods will receive a \$1,000 prize. From these 16 winners, a single city-wide winner will be chosen by a special Blue-Ribbon judging panel and will be given an additional \$2,000.

Richard Conrad, one of last year's winners, is an opera singer, an artistic director of the Boston Academy of Music and a member of the Harvard Musical Association. Gloria Conway, publisher of the Charlestown Patriot, is

a member of the Bunker Hill Monument Association and the Charlestown Cable TV Advisory Committee. She is also past president of the Charlestown Historical Society. Mary Granville is the owner of

the Appraisers Collaborative.

Applications, due by December 15th, are still available at any of the Bank's offices or by calling the Marketing Department at 482-2600. Entry forms

are also available at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street; the Post Office; Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High Street; and True Value Hardware, 213 Bunker Hill Street.

Friends Of Library Feature Monet

"Smoothly written and pleasantly illustrated" (Publisher's Weekly)... "Not the usual art historical work" (Library Journal). So say the reviews of the book *Monet At Argenteuil* by Paul Hayes Tucker, a local Charlestown resident and Professor of Art at the University of Massachusetts.

At the next meeting of the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library on Thursday evening, December 9th at 7

o'clock, Mr. Tucker will speak on Monet and show slides of the artist's works. Through a study of Monet's paintings during the period when the artist lived in Argenteuil, a suburb of Paris, Paul shows how the Impressionist's work was influenced by the rapid urbanization and industrialization of France and how Monet, as an artist, responded to those

changes.

Anyone interested in learning more about the Friends Program should stop by the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street, or call 242-1248. A copy of Mr. Tucker's book, *Monet At Argenteuil* is available at the library for borrowing.

John T. Barrett
Branch Librarian

Childrens' Films

The Fall/Winter Film Program for School Aged and Pre-School Children will be held at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street on Tuesday, December 7, 1982 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

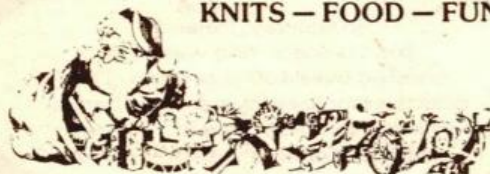
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formation about the program and conduct tours of the school and hospital. The School of Nursing is a National League for Nursing accredited program leading to a diploma in nursing. The program offered is two academic years in length for full time studies. A limited number of students may elect to enroll on a part-time basis. Graduates of the school are eligible to write the State Board Examination for licensure as a registered nurse. Additional information about the school and open house may be obtained by contacting Patricia Di-neen, 666-4400, Ext. 246.

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The following are some of the incidents which occurred in the Charlestown area over the past week:

ARMED ROBBERY

On November 19, 1982, a victim reported that while he was walking on Chelsea Street, two unknown males jumped out of the bushes. The victim states he was struck over the left eye with an unknown object causing him to temporarily lose consciousness. When he awoke, he discovered that his wallet had been stolen from his jacket pocket. He was conveyed to Boston City Hospital for treatment of an eye injury.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY

A Charlestown woman reported that about 12:55 a.m. on November 26, 1982 a man knocked on her door on Decatur Street and said he wanted to speak to her son about fixing a car. After she opened the door, the man forced his way in and began punching the woman and her son. She suffered injury to her left arm and there was extensive damage to the apartment. She has sought a complaint in court.

FIRE

On November 25, 1982 at 8:16 p.m., officers responded to Chelsea Street/Bunker Hill Street on reports of a working fire. Upon arrival, officers met with the Fire Chief and Arson Squad who stated that a fire of suspicious origin broke out in a vacant building. The fire was under control and the Arson Squad is investigating.

LARCENY FROM A BUILDING

The manager of the Boston School Department Security reported that a witness observed a white male, about 30 years of age, in a blue oil truck bearing partially obliterated lettering "Wingate Oil" on the door, hook up to the oil filler on the outside of the Charlestown High School on the Polk Street side. A witness reported that they called the police 911 line, and believed the culprit had a scanner radio, as he

fled when the call went over the air.

Officers upon arrival found nothing but an oil slick on the ground. The Security Manager determined that a total of 3,581 gallons of heating oil were stolen from the school. This incident is being investigated by the Detectives of District A.

DISORDERLY ARREST

A Roxbury youth was arrested for being a disorderly person at the Edwards Middle School. He was transported to Area A. This juvenile threatened two fellow students with a 4½ inch knife in the Gymnasium area of the School.

The manager of the Store 24 at 140 Main Street reported that about 9:57 p.m. on November 24, 1982, a Charlestown man came into the store took a few things from the shelves, and left the store without paying. Outside the store he began threatening the customers and said he would kill the manager. Offices were called and arrested the suspect at 2 Pleasant Street.

FOUND PROPERTY

On November 23, 1982 at Alford Street opposite the Edison Company in Charlestown, officers came upon a black safe 3'x2'. The outer door of the safe had been the inner door was intact. Detectives responded and printed the safe and transferred the safe to District A. This case is being further investigated.

About 3:30 p.m. on November 24, 1982, Detectives found a Sony FM/AM Cassette Car Stereo lying in the street. It was taken to Area A for safekeeping.

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS

Officers responded to Medford Street on November 19, 1982 for a Motor Vehicle accident. Upon arrival they met a man who stated that an unknown male hit his car, a Plymouth Horizon, with a Ford Torino, causing his vehicle to be knocked on the sidewalk in front of the Community School. The occupants of the Ford fled up Medford Street towards Main. No persons were injured. Officers are investigating the matter.

About 6:43 p.m. on November 21, 1982, Officers were sent to Medford and Mystic Streets for a M/V accident. A woman stated that she was operating her car, a 1979 Olds,

in an outbound direction on Medford Street, when in the vicinity of Mystic Street, a red 1980 Motorcycle, also traveling outbound, hit her car in the rear breaking the rear window. The woman was injured and transferred to the M.G.H. The driver of the Motorcycle was uninjured.

On November 21, 1982, Officers were sent via a radio call to Sullivan Square underpass for an overturned car. Upon arrival they met the driver of the overturned 1980 Toyota who stated that his M/V hit a bump in the road as he was heading northbound at Sullivan Square Underpass. His car then skidded and overturned. There were two people in the car. Both were shaken but did not request medical assistance. Upon investigation, Officers found a 1' by 3' piece of metal grating from an area northbound at the Sullivan Square Underpass, an area where the victim states he hit the bump. Also in the roadway was an oil slick. The Department of Public Works was notified and sanded the area.

On November 23, 1982, Officers responded to a radio call for a child hit by an auto at 105 Bunker Hill Street. Upon arrival they spoke with an MBTA bus driver who stated that a small girl got off her bus, walked around front, and was struck by a blue Buick. She suffered superficial face and left knee injuries. She was removed to MGH. A citation was issued to the driver of the Buick for illegally passing a bus.

MOTOR VEHICLE FIRE

Officers responded to a Radio call to 25 Samuel Morse Way on November 21, 1982 where they found a 1979 brown Olds which was burning out of control. The Fire Department responded and extinguished the fire.

On November 21, 1982 at 277 Main Street, officers found a 1975 Mercury Monarch completely burnt out. Witnesses reported that several youths were around the car and that they torched it.

About 4:35 a.m. on November 23, 1982, units responded to Chelsea and Medford Streets and found a burnt out 1974 Chevy Camaro. This matter and the others are being investigated by the Auto Unit of District A.

RECOVERED MOTOR VEHICLE

A motor vehicle stolen earlier this week was recovered at 28 Walker Street in Charlestown.



Views On Dental Health

by Jeffrey D. Cohen,
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Graduates

Sheila Blake of 68 Chestnut Street, Charlestown, received a Bachelor of Science degree at the September graduation of

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Blake majored in an interdisciplinary study.

Sponsoring Christmas Workshop

The Suffolk County Cooperative Extension Service 4H Youth and Development Program is sponsoring a "Christmas Crafts Workshop" on Tuesday, December 7, 1982 from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Campbell Resource Center, located at 1216 Dorchester Avenue. This workshop is intended to assist teachers, librarians, youth agency staff and after school day care personnel with craft ideas for the upcoming Yuletide Season. A hands on demonstration of Christmas arts, crafts, ornaments, decorations, wreaths and greens will take place during the Workshop. Admission is free! All are welcome to attend. For information

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