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Halloween Happenings . . .



HALLOWEEN was enjoyed by youngsters of all ages as costumes were created, faces painted and homes and stores decorated. Shown at the left are the Halloween hauntings at Peg's Beauty Salon on Bunker Hill Street with Paula,



Kathy and Bob watching over Witch Jo . . . In the center is Meg Gallagher whose Queen of Hearts costume was complimented by a custom-made heart face created by artist Laurie Zallen, shown here with her fife, at the Charlestown Working Theater's annual Halloween face painting session



. . . On the right, Monument Square resident Phoebe Blake greets trick-or-treaters awed by the colorful display of sights and sounds, including the apparition of a levitating and talking hat on her walkway, a/k/a Peter McClure.

Veterans Day Mass

Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion, will sponsor a Veterans Day Mass at 11 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 8 at St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

A collation will follow the Mass in Bishop Lawton Hall.

All are welcome to attend.

Where Charlestown Goes — So Goes The Nation

Charlestown voters turned out in record numbers on Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 3, with 53 percent giving their presidential and

vice presidential vote to the Bill Clinton-Al Gore ticket.

In spite of wet weather that at times included torrential downpours, 77 percent of the registered voters in Ward 2, Charlestown made their way to the polls with some facing long waiting lines, reportedly up to an hour and a half. The unofficial total vote in Charlestown was 7,101, compared to 6,748 in 1988 and 6,237 in 1984.

As of Election Day, there was a total of 9,213 registered voters in this communi-

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Who Went To The Polls . . .

With 7,101 of the 9,213 registered voters in Charlestown going to the polls on Election Day for a 77 percent turnout, a comparison has been made of the seven Charlestown precincts to see where the voters came from.

Precinct	Registered Voters	Number Voting	Percent Voting
1	1345	1069	80
2	1505	1118	74
3	1441	1157	80
4	1106	807	73
5	1269	965	76
6	1603	1242	78
7	944	743	79
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Deadline for advertising and copy is Monday at 5 p.m.

New Art Exhibit Opens At BHCC

"Gain a new perspective" is the title of this month's art exhibit at Bunker Hill Community College, 250 New Rutherford Ave. The exhibit, which will run through Nov. 28, features

the art of the BHCC faculty and staff.

The gallery is open from Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and by appointment.

Mochen To Speak At Holy Name Society

Residents are cordially invited to attend the meeting of the Holy Name Society on Sunday, Nov. 8, following the 9 a.m. Mass. The meeting will be held at the Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

en of the Boston Fire Department. His subject will be the work and apostolate of Opus Dei, an organization greatly favored by the church to stress sanctity in our lives and occupations.

Refreshments will be served.

The guest speaker will be Deputy Chief Kevin Moch-

Richard Warner

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CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, Nov. 5

- 6:30 p.m. — CHarlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) program for parents on "Communication With Children On Drugs And Alcohol," Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.
- 7 p.m. — Tufts Street Ladies Club Meeting, St. Catherine Lower Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 7 p.m. — Teddy Bear and Pajama Story Hour, for children 2 to 8 and their parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Friday, Nov. 6

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 8 p.m. — Karaoke Night to benefit St. Catherine's Color Guard, St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street

Saturday, Nov. 7

- 4 p.m. — Twilight Tour of USS Constitution and reception to benefit the Charlestown Christmas Walk, leaving from the Commandant's House, Boston National Historical Park, Charlestown Navy Yard

Sunday, Nov. 8

- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 11 a.m. — Annual Veterans Day Mass, sponsored by Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 6:30 p.m. — CH.A.M.P.: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 7 p.m. — Thousand Pounds of Turkey Raffle to benefit St. Francis de Sales School, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Monday, Nov. 9

Curbside Newspaper Recycling Week — Put your newspapers out on your regular trash pick-up day, rain or shine, in paper bags or bundled in string and a separate truck will pick up the newspapers. For information, call 635-4959.

- 5:30 p.m. — Christmas Walk Committee Meeting, Otis & Ahearn offices, 92 Main St.

Tuesday, Nov. 10

- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. — Kennedy Center Board of Directors Election, Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon — Brown Bag Bookies, an adult book discussion group, will feature *How The Garcia Girls Lost Their Accents* by Julia Alvarez, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety/Police Community Relations Meeting, Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — Public Hearing on CDBG Application and the city's Five-Year Capital Plan, sponsored by the Public Facilities Department and the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — "Sailing the America" Lecture with Jerry Kirby, USS Constitution Museum, Charlestown Navy Yard

Wednesday, Nov. 11

VETERANS DAY HOLIDAY

- 7 p.m. — Memorial Mass for deceased members of Court St. Jude No. 1123, CDA, followed by a meeting, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Upcoming Events

Thursday, Nov. 12

- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy Office Hours, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
- 7 p.m. — School Option Series presents Private School Night, sponsored by the Charlestown Branch Library and the Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS), Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Friday, Nov. 13

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 p.m. — Jack The Barber Roast, sponsored by the Charlestown Youth Athletic Fund, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Nov. 14

- 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Charlestown Recycling Drop-off Center open, in the side parking lot adjacent to Johnnie's Foodmaster, Bunker Hill Mall
- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — St. Mary's Annual Bazaar, St. Mary's Parish Hall, 48 Winthrop St.
- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — 153rd Annual Harvest Fair, St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St.
- 8 p.m. — Comedy Night with Tony V. to benefit the Charlestown Working Theater, Preble Room, Building 5, Charlestown Navy Yard

Sunday, Nov. 15

- 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. — Christmas Bazaar, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- noon to 5 p.m. — Cut-A-Thon to benefit the Charlestown Youth Hockey Association, Blow Up Hair Designers, 225 Main St.
- 6:30 p.m. — CH.A.M.P.: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.

Monday, Nov. 16

- 10:30 a.m. — Toddler Storytime with stories, finger-plays, songs, games and crafts for children 2 to 3 and their parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 10:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. — Blood Pressure Screening for senior citizens, Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting, K. of C. VIP Room, 75 West School St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Meeting, Post Quarters, 23 Adams St.

Tuesday, Nov. 17

- 9:30 to 11 a.m. — Woman's Recovery Group Meeting, Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon to 1 p.m. — Ironsides Toastmasters Meeting, Mass. General Hospital East, 7th floor auditorium, Building 149, 13th Street, Charlestown Navy Yard (use 13th Street entrance)
- 7 p.m. — "Rounding the Horn: A Sailor's Lament" Lecture with Brian Hancock, USS Constitution Museum, Charlestown Navy Yard
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Planning and Zoning Committee Meeting, Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Wednesday, Nov. 18

- 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Surplus Food Distribution, St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 5 to 7 p.m. — Boston Police Community Relations Office Hours, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
- 5 to 7 p.m. — Sen. Thomas Birmingham Office Hours, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

Plan Ahead

Thursday, Nov. 19

- 7 to 11 p.m. — Matt Stillman Vocation Benefit, sponsored by Bunker Hill Council No. 62, K. of C., K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, Nov. 27

- 9 p.m. — Harvest Dance with Dickie McManus and The Irish Revolution, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street

Saturday, Nov. 28

- 6 p.m. — Friends of the Cobblestone Reunion, K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.
- 6:30 p.m. — Majestic Knights Drum Corps Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Tuesday, Dec. 1

- 6 p.m. — Charlestown Pop Warner Awards Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, Dec. 4

- 8 p.m. — Installation of Officers of Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion, Post Quarters, 23 Adams St.

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Cablevision is working

with Cable in the Classroom to bring new teaching tools into classrooms for teachers to use as curriculum aids. The mini-workshop in Charlestown will include an overview of Cable in the Classroom, EXTRA HELP highlights, curriculum ideas and strategies, and questions and answers.

Editorial

Veterans Day 1992

One day each year Americans come together to honor all those men and women who have served their nation in uniform.

The day was born out of war — at 11 a.m. on Nov. 11, 1918, the fighting in World War I ceased with the signing of an armistice. The uneasy peace after that event was hard won by those who fought in the trenches of Europe. Since then, American service members have been sent around the world to defend liberty in large conflicts and what some people might call "brushfires." Combat is a deadly behavior, regardless of its scale, and those people who serve us and come home to rejoin the daily lives of private citizens have earned our respect, our admiration and our gratitude.

Of course, on this Veterans Day, many of us will reflect on the newest generation of veterans — the brave men and women of Operation Desert Storm. Many of our newest veterans may be our next door neighbors, our doctors, lawyers, grocery clerks and plumbers. In the American tradition of the citizen soldier, volunteer members of the Reserves and National Guard, the best and brightest, again set aside their careers and postponed their futures to answer their nation's call.

Their combat service in that far away region demonstrates that military service is not always easy, and that the unthinkable one day can become the routine of today. It is the devotion to duty we see every day that we salute on Nov. 11.

For more than a decade veterans fought to return Veterans Day to Nov. 11 from what became a convenient Monday holiday. The people who waged that campaign knew what others forgot — the day was set aside to honor those who sacrificed for their country. That is not a weekend endeavor; it is not an occasion for mattress sales; it is not a time to go to the beach. Rather, it is an appropriate time to pull back from the workday world and reflect on the sacrifices made by brave service men and women that have made America the envy of the world. It's time to say solemnly and sincerely, "Thanks."

Veterans Day activities vary from community to community, but the meaning of the day comes through no matter where you are. There can be no more appropriate way of spending a portion of this coming Wednesday than to reflect on the service, the sacrifice and the honor of those who have kept us free.

Giving Three Cheers . . .



THREE CHEERS FOR YOU, JIMMY! Boston Fire Fighter Jim Borden of Charlestown chats with Ted Dansen, star of the NBC hit show "Cheers" during the comedy show's recent filming of upcoming episodes in Boston. Dansen is on board Ladder 24 from the Beacon Hill Firehouse, named "The Duke" in honor of the late John "The Duke" Reilly of Charlestown, former Fire Captain of Ladder 24.

(photo by Arthur Pollock, Boston Herald)

JROTC Cadets Participate In National Red Ribbon Campaign

Cadets from the Charlestown High School Air Force Junior ROTC unit recently participated in the National Red Ribbon Campaign. The campaign is an effort to build awareness by promoting the wearing of red ribbons as a way to show others pride in remaining drug-free citizens. During the recent campaign, over 300 students and cadets wore a red ribbon and signed a pledge resolving to be drug free.

Currently the cadets are collecting for the citywide CAN Share Food Drive. If each student and faculty member brings in one item of food for the needy, the school will meet its goal of 1,000 items. All donations will be taken to Boston City Hall on Friday, Nov. 13

for distribution to the city's food banks.

THE REAL ESTATE WEEKLY



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Don Bosco Class of 1982 To Hold 10th Reunion

The athletes from the 1978-1982 era at Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston will have more than academics and technologies to reminisce when the Class of 1982 gathers for its 10th reunion on Nov. 28 at Florian Hall in Neponset.

Nine banners hang in the school gym representing five top finishes, two co-championships and two

runner-up spots in league competition.

Charlestown athletes who competed during that period were Ken Johnson, indoor track, and Ed "Oakie" O'Connell, football and baseball.

O'Connell, a Charlestown native who now resides in Winthrop, is serving as chairman of the reunion.

Committee For Youth Plots 'The Great Escape'

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston's Committee for Youth invites you to pack your suitcases for "The Great Escape" on Friday, Nov. 13 from 8:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Great Hall in Faneuil Hall Marketplace. The party benefits Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston (BGCBS), which serves more than 5,200 youth in the HUB and its neighborhoods.

Donors may purchase raffle tickets to win week-end getaways at some of Boston's finest hotels, including the Boston Harbor Hotel, Ritz-Carlton and Le Meridien, and a chance at the grand prize — a week vacation at the Sheraton Bal Harbor, Fla. Raffle tickets are \$5 each or three for \$10 and may be purchased at the event or separately by calling 422-5600, ext. 224.

The Standing Hamptons

will supply live music with a mix of cover tunes by current alternative artists such as U2, R.E.M. and Squeeze, as well as early 80s New Wave classics by Elvis Costello, The Police and Talking Heads. Catering will be provided by Creative Gourmet. Semi-formal attire or "your getaway best" is requested.

The Committee for Youth is a group of BGCBS donors, age 22 to 35, dedicated to supporting city kids through fund raising for BGCBS's educational and recreational programs, including the Charlestown clubhouse.

Advance tickets for "The Great Escape" are \$25 for the first ticket and \$20 for each additional ticket. Tickets will be \$25 at the door. For advance ticket information, call 422-5600, ext. 224.

Clinton Wins In A Landslide — At The Boys & Girls Club



GATHERING AROUND THE VOTING BOOTH at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club are (l. to r.) Patrick Gould, Katy Titcomb, Paul Johnson and Shara Glew.

The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club held its own election last week, with 131 members casting their ballots for president and vice president.

Prior to the election, guest speakers from the Bush-Quayle, Clinton-Gore and Perot-Stockdale campaigns addressed the members. The youngsters were

encouraged to ask a lot of questions on issues that concerned them. The members then held mock debates, watched news updates on the candidates and then cast their own votes.

When the votes were counted, Clinton-Gore had 71 votes, Bush-Quayle received 40 votes and Perot-Stockdale had 20 votes.

Teddy Bear And Pajama Story Hour

Teddy Bears and pajamas are optional for a special evening story hour at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Thursday, Nov. 5 from 7 to 8 p.m.

The special story hour, which will include stories, songs, and games, is intended for preschool children

whose parents work outside the home. There will also be time for parents to check out books.

The program is free and open to the public, although seating is limited. For additional information, please contact the library at 242-1248.

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



• **Wow!** . . . Are we impressed! Jim Walsh's election predictions for the presidential race were so close that we've appointed him the (unofficial) Patriot Political Consultant! . . . Jim predicted that Clinton would take 34 states, he carried 35, and that Bush would walk away with 16 states, he took 15. (Alaska's vote is still not tallied.) . . . Jim also put his reputation on the line as to how Charlestown would vote. He said that Clinton would take 49% of the vote, he took 53%; Bush would have 32%, he had 27%; and that Perot would take 17% — which he did. His prediction on the actual Bush vote for the town was 1,961 and the unofficial tally gives Bush 1,951 . . . Great job, Jim!

• **Congrats** . . . to candidate Kathy (Brennan) McMenimen, formerly of Charlestown, who did sooo well in her first bid for state office. Although Kathy came up short by a few votes to claim a victory, her initial bid for State Rep. from Waltham proves that she'll be a strong contender in future elections. Meanwhile, she still holds a Council-At-Large seat in Waltham . . . This is one lady worth watching!

• **"Now And Forever"** . . . will be the theme song at the K. of C. Hall on Nov. 28 when former members of the Majestic Knights Drum & Bugle Corps hold their reunion. Festivities will start at 6:30 p.m. and continue with a full-course roast beef dinner at 7:30 p.m. Music will be provided by D.J. Eddie Brown, and we're sure that if asked just once, "Wednesday At Seven" will get up and entertain with some familiar tunes . . . Tickets are still available at \$22.50 each by calling Richie Powers at 356-2078. All former members of St. Mary's Drum Corps and the Majestic Knights of Columbus, as are their friends, are invited to join the fun.

• **Gobble, Gobble** . . . The annual Turkey Raffle to benefit St. Francis de Sales School is set for Sunday, Nov. 8 at 7 p.m. at Bishop Lawnton Hall. A thousand pounds of turkey will be raffled off for \$1 a chance, or a book of six for \$5. Get your chances at the rectory, school office or call Fran Ringer at 242-0126.

• **Birthdays, Birthdays, Birthdays** . . . Congratulations go out to: Jay Ash, Margie Fitzpatrick, Caitlin Walsh and Lorraine Connolly, all on the 7th . . . Debbie Giordano and Jennifer Haynie, both on the 8th . . . Betty Doherty on the 9th . . . and Liz Gallas on the 10th . . . Belated wishes go out to Joe "The Florist" Shadrui who turned 40 on Oct. 26th and to Gertie Urquhart who celebrated her big day on Nov. 1st . . . Have a wonderful year, each and all!

• **Tune Up Those Tonsils** . . . for Karaoke Night to benefit St. Catherine's Color Guard. It will be from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 6th at the school hall on Tufts Street . . . Light snacks and a cash bar will be provided for an admittance fee of only \$10 per person. A great night of entertainment is planned!

• **Ladies, Choose Your Partner** . . . Sadie Hawkins Day is Saturday, Nov. 7th. It's the lady's chance to take the initiative and invite that someone interesting out on a date . . . Good luck!

• **Start Your Christmas Shopping** . . . on Saturday, Nov. 7 at St. Benedict's Little Flower School, right over the Charlestown line on Franklin Street, Somerville. The Christmas Bazaar will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and a full array of gift items, baked goods and photos with St. Nick will be offered.

• **Try Your Luck** . . . at a Las Vegas Night from 7 p.m. to midnight on Saturday, Nov. 14th at the Meadow Brook Country Club, 292 Grove St., Reading to benefit the SpinaBifida Association. For more info, call Annmarie Curtin at 241-8600, ext. 462.

• **A Salute** . . . to the U.S. Marine Corps on its 217th birthday Nov. 10th . . . and to military families who'll be honored on Nov. 11th, National Military Family Recognition Day.


• **Veterans Day Parade** . . . will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 11th, starting at 1 p.m. from Commonwealth Avenue at Hereford Street.

• **Irish Regiments To Be Honored** . . . on Saturday, Nov. 7th with a re-enactment of the Irish 9th Regiment participation in the Civil War on the Boston Common from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.


• **It Is With Sadness** . . . that we say goodbye to Kathy "Cookie" Giordano as she leaves the staff of the Patriot after many years in many roles. Her caring and concern, her reporting on local happenings and outstanding feature stories will be long treasured. She is a true friend of the community as well as of all of us here at the newspaper. Cookie, we wish you only the best and, needless to say, we will miss you.

• **It's A Time To Remember** . . . those who served our country throughout its proud history and those who serve today, committed to protect and defend our nation's freedom. Join us in paying tribute to our men and women who have worn the military uniforms of our country with pride and honor.

REMEMBER VETERANS DAY, NOVEMBER 11th




Happy 11th Birthday
ZAK
on November 5th
Love, Hugs & Kisses . . . Little Diane



Guess Who's Turning 1?!

Happy Birthday
MATTHEW BUCKLEY
on November 11th
Love . . .
Gramma Boutilier



Happy 26th Anniversary


MOM & DAD
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Happy Birthday
My Two Pals
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The Big 10
Love always . . .
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REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS
AT CHRISTMAS

The "Townie Santa" Committee is seeking the names of needy, elderly Charlestown shut-ins 60 years of age or older who may benefit from a visit from Townie Santa at Christmas.

The committee asks that individuals and organizations submit names by **Monday, Nov. 16** to allow the selection committee time to begin its arduous task. Time is also needed to purchase the items for the boxes and to make plans for delivery on Sunday, Dec. 20.

The committee requests that the names of eligible recipients who received a basket last year be resubmitted, along with the names of any elderly, needy shut-in of whom you may be aware.

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Organization Selection Committee To Select Seven For CNC Seats

by G.J.C.

The process to solicit interest from Charlestown organizations to fill the seven appointed seats on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council (CNC) got underway at the Nov. 2 meeting with the appointment of member Tom Pitts as the committee chairman.

Pitts has called for any Charlestown organization "with a proven track record" to submit a letter of interest to him at P.O. Box 397, Charlestown, by Nov. 20. He will chair a meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 24 at the American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St., where the 14 elected members of the council will select seven organizations from the letters of interest and seek approval from the CNC at its December meeting.

Two new members, Edna Kelly and Bill McCabe, elected to at-large seats on Oct. 24, were welcomed by Chairman Peter Looney. Others members present included: First Vice Chairman Tom Cunha, Second Vice Chairman Mel Stillman, Jim Conway, Bob Scalli, Marty O'Brien Sr., Kate McDonough, Moe Gillen, Dan Kovacevic, Bill Galvin, Judy Brennan, Ken Stone and Pitts.

Looney thanked former council member Bob Wallace for his service to the council and to the community,

adding that he knows that Wallace will be back on the council in the future. At the suggestion of Conway, Wallace was given a standing round of applause.

Wallace congratulated the new members of the council and commended the Election Committee. He noted: "The Charlestown Neighborhood Council is our voice — a lot wouldn't come before the community without the council."

Dorothy Steele, community liaison for Massport, told the CNC that Massport has met several times internally on the Medford Street landscaping and buffer zone, which is now being administered by the authority. She said they are working to set up goals that include the physical attractiveness of the area, a plan that would not preclude the haul road or railroad development and would make the property safe. She said that a meeting will be scheduled for mid to late November to update the community on the plans.

According to Steele, there is a commitment by Bay State Express to demolish the dilapidated buildings on the former Somerville Lumber property, now owned by Massport. She said that the agreement was the buildings be down by December, and if they aren't, Massport will demolish them.

lish them.

Steele introduced Mike Grieco, who serves as the East Boston liaison for Massport. He will assume Steele's duties in Charlestown in mid-December when she is on maternity leave.

Looney introduced Harry Collings, one of five members of the Community Appeals Board (CAB) appointed by Boston Police Commissioner Francis "Mickey" Roache this past summer in response to a recommendation from the St. Claire Commission.

Collings briefly outlined the procedure that a citizen would follow in filing a complaint about the conduct of a Boston police officer. He said that a formal complaint could be filed at any police station or at headquarters. At that point, investigators from the Police Department Internal

Affairs Division would handle the complaint, notifying the complainant within 90 days of its findings. At this point the complainant would have the option of appealing to the CAB if there were questions on the investigation or any objections to the process.

Information on the CAB procedure can be obtained by calling 625-3211. Cunha suggested that Collings attend a future Public Safety Committee meeting to further explain the CAB to residents.

Public Safety Committee

Chairman Stillman reported that the major complaint at October's meeting was the area around the Edwards Middle School and the Eden Street Park. He said that the problems of drinking and vandalism had somewhat subsided early in the summer but have returned and neighbors report

that it is worse than ever.

Stillman said that when police respond to the area, they tell the youngsters that the neighbors have called to complain, then the youngsters retaliate by breaking windows. He related that there seem to be an increase in the number of youngsters in the area and they are younger — in the 13 to 14 age range.

He told the members that Charlestown resident Dennis Isbart, who works in the 911 tower, had given the committee a thorough presentation on the emergency system.

Basic Services Committee

Looney reported on a committee meeting last week on several problems in the City Square area.

He said that the road signs on Rutherford Avenue have been adjusted to deter traffic from residential streets.

Complaints of traffic backup on the Gilmore Bridge and the question of the timing of the signals at the end of the bridge and McGrath Highway were discussed. The recommendation that a letter be sent to the MDC Commissioner asking for a traffic study was approved.

A proposal to petition the city for 18 metered parking spaces behind the Ironside Grille on Park Street was approved. The maintenance would be coordinated by the city and CANA officials and it was suggested that the

time on the meters be geared so the parking wouldn't be used by persons attending events at Boston Garden.

Development Committee

Chairman Cunha stated that at the last meeting it was requested that the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) dispose of open lots in the town. He said that only a few applied and apparently many residents didn't understand how to go about requesting the lots. He suggested that the BRA prepare a list of the lots and that a meeting be held to explain the procedure.

He also asked that the Charlestown liaison for the BRA, John O'Brien, come to the monthly meetings of the CNC prepared to update the members on the BRA sites, plans and board decisions concerning the town.

Cunha would also be seeking information from the city's Public Facilities Department on the elderly housing planned for the corner of Lexington and Bunker Hill streets that was slated to get underway in September.

The question of a BRA Board vote concerning a change in use for the Henley Street garage was brought up by Cunha. John O'Brien said that the garage, which is now owned by US Trust, asked the board to change the third floor to parking rather than the ori-

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★ Charlestown Neighborhood Council ...

Public Safety Meeting

Chairman Mel Stillman has announced that there will be a brief Public Safety/Police Community Relations Meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at the Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St. This will be held prior to the city's public hearing on CDBG applications and the five-year capital improvement plan.

Rezoning Charlestown

The Planning and Zoning Committee will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 17 at 7 p.m. at the Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St., according to Chairman Tom Cunha.

The meeting will continue to focus on the use and zoning of the five parcels in the City Square area that will become available upon the completion of the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) roadway reconstruction project. Representatives from the Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA), the Massachusetts Highway Department and the Division of Capital Planning and Operations will be present.

All residents, especially abutters to the City Square area, are encouraged to attend.

Organization Selection Committee

Chairman Tom Pitts has announced that the Organization Selection Committee will meet at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 24 at the American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

The committee will be recommending to the full council at its December meeting, the seven organizations that will be selected to fill the appointed seats on the council. The 14 elected members of the council will be allowed to sit on the committee.

As has been done in the past, any organization with a demonstrated track record in the town may apply for the seats.

Organizations wishing to be considered for membership on the council should send a letter of interest to Pitts at P.O. Box 397, Charlestown, Mass. 02129 by Friday, Nov. 20.

Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Neighborhood Council will be on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at 7 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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

★ **Public Hearing** ... A public hearing, co-sponsored by the city of Boston Public Facilities Department and the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at the Kent Community Center, 50 Bunker Hill St.

The purpose of the hearing is to gather resident input for the development of the Fiscal Year 1994 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application and the city's five-year capital improvement plan "Rebuilding Boston" for Fiscal Years 1993-98.

Residents are encouraged to attend and voice neighborhood needs.

★ **Kennedy Center Election** ... The annual election for the Kennedy Center Board of Directors will be held from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at 27 Winthrop St.

Dennis Collins is the candidate for an At-Large seat on the board.

New Scholarship For High School Seniors

Patriot's Trail Girl Scout Council has initiated an annual scholarship award known as the President's Scholarship Award. An award of \$1,000 will be made to a graduating senior who

is an active Girl Scout in Patriots' Trail's jurisdiction in recognition of her significant involvement in the community. The award may be utilized for any type of study beyond high school.

Applications and award guidelines are available from local high school guidance counselors as well as from the Patriots' Trail Girl Scout Council, telephone 482-1078.

★ What's Closed On The Holiday ...

Veterans Day will be celebrated on Wednesday, Nov. 11. The Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce has announced that the following will be closed: manufacturing, banks, state/county/municipal offices, schools and libraries. Retail stores, supermarkets, liquor stores and the Stock Market will be open.

Streets posted for street cleaning will not see the sweeper. Scheduled trash pick-ups will not take place on Wednesday, but will be delayed one day for the remainder of the week.

The post office will be closed and there will be no regular mail delivery in observance of the holiday. Exceptions will be Special Delivery and Express Mail. Mailbox collections will be made according to the holiday schedules.

The Postal Service reminds residents that 24-hour service, seven days a week, is available at the self-service Postal Center located in the lobby of the Boston General Mail Facility, 25 Dorchester Ave., Boston.

★ **Street Reconstruction Update** ... Susi continues to get the streets that were left open by the Mahoney Construction Co. ready for paving. On Putnam and Ellwood streets, the curb was completed, the roadways reggraded and the sidewalks poured after the new gas light locations were modified slightly by the Boston Lighting Department.

On the Austin Street end of Washington Street, the concrete walkways and stairs were finished and the area was loamed and seeded, with new trees to follow in the spring.

On Lyndeboro and Middlesex streets, the gas light bases were installed. Susi also finished the drainage on Middlesex Street. On these two streets, sidewalks were poured except where new survey bounds were required and where some of the castings were raised. The streets were also rough graded. The gas company must still run feeds to the new light bases and then the street will be almost ready for paving.

The contractor has also made good headway on Monument Court, installing the remaining roof drains, resetting and installing the rest of the curb and the new light bases. Susi's subcontractor also got some of the sidewalk poured. The other street that got some attention was Mt. Vernon Avenue where lights were laid out and drainage work was started. Susi hopes to finish the work on these streets preparing for paving by the end of this week and the beginning of next week. His attention will then be focused on Mt. Vernon Street. However, Susi did move onto Mt. Vernon Street this week to finish the roof drain connections.

On the Mead Street Stairs (40 Flights), Middlesex Corp. continued to apply waterproofing to the inside of the wall/foundation joint almost to the top of the stairs and compacted the interior gravel. He also continued pouring the last portion of the stair walls. They have started building the forms and installing the steel reinforcing for the stairs themselves. Bryant Associates tagged the specified trees at a nursery; Lindens for the sidewalks and Crab Apple for the hill side.

Concerns and complaints are being handled by Community Liaison Peter Looney at 722-4300 ext. 5674.

Come To The Second Annual Charlestown ... Make A Wish Dance

The Christmas season is fast approaching. The economy being what it is, it will be difficult for numerous Charlestown residents to furnish gifts for their families.

With the support of the residents, businesses and organizations, we would like to make Christmas a happy and joyous occasion for as many people as possible. Charlestown ... Make A Wish is a fund raiser to assist the less fortunate in our community during the holidays.

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We need your help in ensuring that these wishes come true. So come to the Knights of Columbus Hall on Saturday, Dec. 5 between 8 p.m. and midnight and be the cause of putting

a smile on someone's face on Christmas Day.

For tickets to the dance, please contact Pat Harty at 241-9343 or Shannon Kiely at 242-5172.

Any donations made to this project will be greatly appreciated. Checks should be made payable to Charlestown ... Make A Wish, and mailed to P.O. Box 408, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

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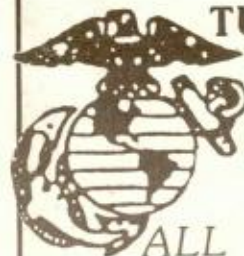
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ginal office use as there is an abundance of office space in the area.

A discussion ensued on the concern by some CNC members that actions at a July BRA Board meeting ultimately resulted in the decision by the Whydah Pirate Complex to select Tampa, Fla. as the site of its new museum. The decision of the council was to send a letter to the board noting its failure to support development in Boston.

Galvin spoke of an announcement at a press conference that the Teamsters want to secure an existing building in the Charlestown Navy Yard for the development of a sound stage to promote the motion picture industry locally.

Conway suggested that the BRA should inform the community when a major proposal is being considered. It was noted that residents read about the possibility of Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital coming to the Yard in the Boston dailies. Conway added: "The BRA is always good to us when they want our support . . . they should make it a point to keep us informed on a regular basis."

Kovacevic noted that the lack of a new Gate 6 and a haul road will stymie Navy

Yard developers. He recommended pushing the BRA on these issues so there won't be obstacles.

Planning & Zoning Committee

Cunha spoke on the three meetings held by this committee, focusing on the six parcels that will open up in the City Square area with the completion of the CANA roadway construction project.

He said that participants did some "mock zoning" on Parcel 3 and a little on Parcel 6. Cunha noted that the principals involved with the project have informed him that approximately 100 parking spaces are due the Boston National Historical Park although a specific parcel has not been designated for this.

According to Cunha, at the next meeting on Nov. 17, the group will continue to look at the zoning for Parcel 6 which has been discussed for a public safety facility such as a courthouse and/or a police station. He said that in December the committee will fit Charlestown zoning into documents that have already been approved in the East Boston and Allston/Brighton communities so Charlestown won't "have to re-invent the wheel."

Cunha went on to say that in December and January the committee will zone City Square and then "move on to the other end of the town."

Billboard Committee

Stone reported that Ackerley Communications, owners of the electrified billboard atop Roughan Hall in City Square, came before the committee asking for a one-year extension on its lease for the site in exchange for the funding of 10 summer jobs for Charlestown youth. Stone said that Ackerley would not return for an extension of the billboard at that site.

Galvin said he was opposed to the proposal as 10 jobs were too few in exchange for the enormous revenue realized from that site. Conway added that he was opposed to the billboard three years ago and is still opposed, adding that the company will be back again next year.

Kovacevic stated that Ackerley should write a letter to CNC as to the terms of the agreement. Looney said that he agreed that a letter should be requested, adding that jobs are important to young people. Kovacevic replied that the company is using those jobs to get the CNC to agree on an illegal billboard.

The council voted to approve the year-long extension on the billboard with two members in opposition and one abstention.

Environmental Committee

Chairman Brennan reported that Richard Hunter, director of Regulatory Affairs and Quality Assurance for Diacrin Inc., has asked to come before the council to present the company's plans for the use of Building 96 in the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Since the plans include DNA at the site, they are required to inform the community at a public meeting. He will attend the monthly meeting on Dec. 1.

Conway brought up several concerns regarding the new Charles River Crossing design of the Central Artery project. He praised the efforts of the Bridge Design Review Committee in reducing the mass of the former Scheme Z, but noted that problems were created by a northbound exit ramp off the Central Artery. It would cut through the Bunker Hill Community

College playing field, impinge on at least one A Street business, effectively eliminate the site at A Street and Rutherford Avenue for the construction of a new facility by Life Focus Center that already has cost \$40,000 in preplanning and bring traffic down from the ramp on to already congested Rutherford Avenue at a signalized intersection that would allow traffic to move across the avenue with the removal of the existing barricades and turn left toward Sullivan Square.

It was moved that the CNC send a letter outlining the concerns to the Secretary of the Massachusetts Executive Office of Environmental Affairs and also present it at a Massachusetts Highway Department (MHD) scoping session on Nov. 4.

Galvin pointed out another problem and that is the failure of the MHD to devise a plan to remove the temporary overhead structure in City Square, thus limiting development in that area for six to eight years. Brennan added that any

comments on both these issues must reach the Secretary of EOE by Nov. 23. It was voted that letters be drawn up, approved by the executive committee and be sent immediately.

The CNC also approved a letter of support for the Phipps Management Co. to file an application with the Department of Housing and Urban Development for a grant under the Federal Drug Elimination program. Their plan is to open the community room in Mishawum Park as a drop-in center that would be staffed by the Boys & Girls Club. It would provide social, recreational and educational programs.

A letter will also be sent to the principal of the Harvard-Kent School pointing out to him the importance of being able to use the school at night for community meetings and activities.

The CNC will hold its monthly meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Local Legionnaire Attends Fall Conference At National Headquarters



NATIONAL COMMANDER Roger A. Munson commends Massachusetts American Legion leaders attending a recent conference in Indianapolis for their dedicated service. Shown (l. to r.) are Bunker Hill Post 26, A.L. Commander and Past National Historian Jim Conway, who serves on the Na-

tional Legion Magazine Commission, a monthly magazine with a circulation of 3.1 million; Munson of Ohio; Past National Commander Jake Comer; Mass. Department (State) Commander Nick D'Alessandro; and Department Adjutant Dom Genetti.

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Residents Praise New River Crossing — Raise Concerns On Two Ramps

by G.J.C.

Representatives of the Mass. Highway Department (MHD) involved with the Central Artery/Tunnel Project (CA/T) led residents through a overview of the Revised Charles River Crossing document at a community meeting on Oct. 29. Although over 50 people were in attendance, the vast majority were staff from the agencies involved with the planning of this massive construction project.

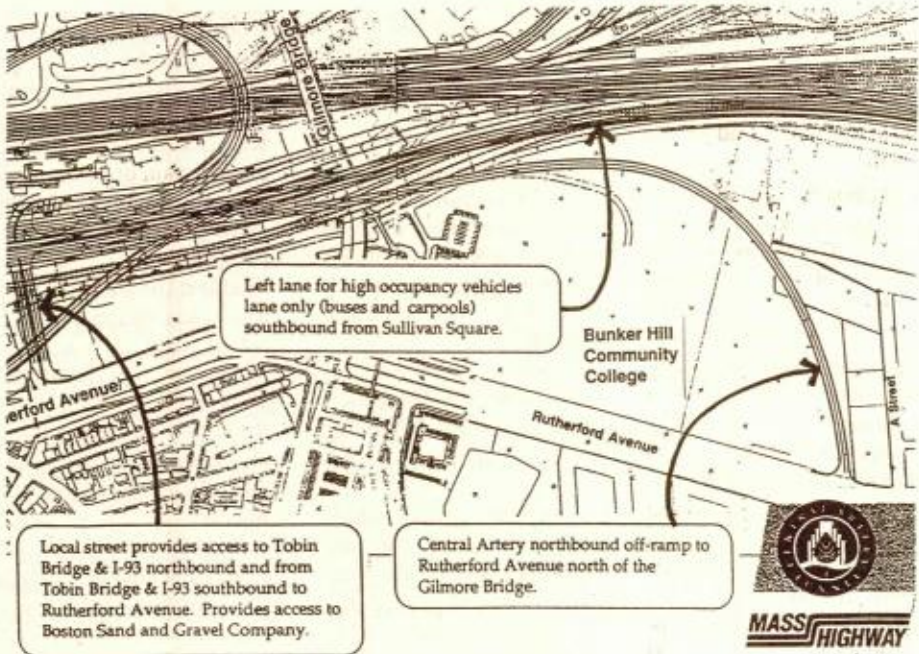
There were charts, models and maps available for viewing, and Community Liaison Stephen Collins gave a slide presentation outlining the design constraints within the Charles River Crossing area, the traffic advantages of the plan, the visual characteristics of the project, parklands, waterways and navigation, air quality, long-term benefits and construction-period impacts. It also showed the changes in the new plan compared to the now-infamous Scheme Z.

While residents were impressed with the work of the Bridge Design Review Committee in reducing the size and overall impacts of Scheme Z, there were issues raised on the plan.

Rich Johnston, co-chairman of the North Area Task Force (NATF), said that the members have been urging CANA to eliminate the temporary connector to the Tobin Bridge as soon as possible. He said that there is a fear if it isn't removed soon it will be left standing for six more years.

NATF Co-Chairman Ken Stone stated that to build a temporary road and yet leave the temporary ramp that has no traffic on it would not benefit the community.

While a MHD representative said they were working toward designing temporary ramps that will be



A CENTRAL ARTERY northbound off-ramp would bring the traffic down to a signalized intersection on Rutherford Avenue and, by constructing an opening in the barricades dividing this busy roadway, traffic could go either right or left.

similar in design to the final ramps, the problem was how to build the new ramps and keep the temporary structure. Another added that it now looks like the ramp will stay.

Johnston told them that it took enormous talent to solve the problems of Scheme Z and suggested that some of the energy and talent be put into solving this much smaller problem.

Mon O'Shea, vice president of Bunker Hill Community College, opened the discussion on the second area of concern. He began by stating that so much of what he had seen of the plans was terrific. However, in the proposed change, a northbound ramp from the Central Artery had been added that cut through the playing field of the college. This would allow, through signalization, traffic to

come down the ramp and go either right or left on Rutherford Avenue. O'Shea added that this would have a major impact on the college.

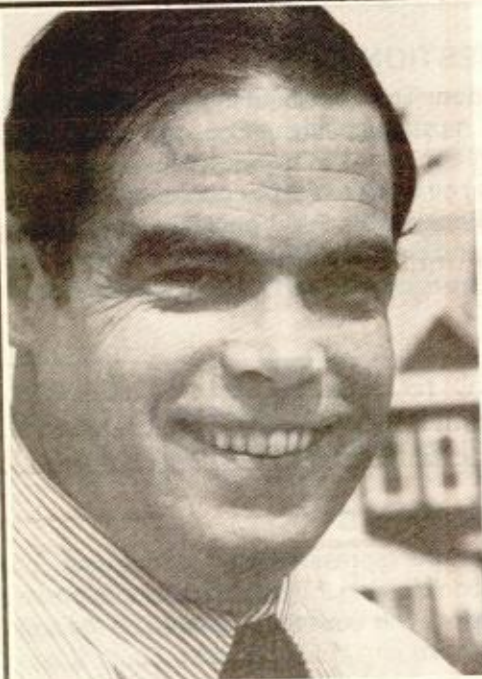
A spokesperson for Liberty Bell Wholesale Grocers on A Street questioned what MHD is trying to create with the ramp. He pointed out the backed-up traffic on Rutherford Avenue each morning at 8 a.m.

Gerry Conway of G. Conway Inc., also of A Street, stated that the speakers were indicating that the ramp was a new concept, but surveyors had been on the site in 1987 and 1988 for this. He said he was impressed with the increase in parkland along the Charles, but noted that instead of putting abutments and a ramp in the college track and field, traffic could be

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Sen. Birmingham Office Hours Nov. 18

Sen. Thomas F. Birmingham will hold office hours in Charlestown from 5 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 18 in the first floor conference area at One Thompson Square.



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Thomas Birmingham

MY SISTER MARY

Three and a half years ago, Mary was diagnosed with cancer, that oh so terrible disease that claimed the lives of so many of her loved ones.

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Any concerns Mary had were not for herself, but for her children and grandchildren. Mary's love affair with her lovely daughter Michele was indeed unique and beautiful. Her son Mike, his wife Bobbie and their children Mike, Mark and Christine, were a source of much love and joy. If she had a sparkle in her eyes, you knew that Debbie had been there.

During my visits with her, though she could speak only a whisper, she did all the talking. She was always eager for news of friends, and Mary had so many it was almost enviable.

She loved to reminisce about the good old days. In spite of the sadness, we didn't cry, we laughed together. I would come away from this lovely lady thinking to myself — I came to comfort you, Mary, but instead it was I who was comforted. As we grieve and weep, we must also smile for all the wonderful memories.

You will be sorely missed, my beautiful sister Mary.
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Where Charlestown Goes —
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Rep. Richard A. Voke, the House Majority Leader, captured the largest percentage of the local vote in his re-election bid. Voke, who was unopposed, garnered 75 percent of the vote in the Charlestown portion of the Second Suffolk District which includes precincts 2 through 7.

U.S. Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy II recorded 74 percent as he sought to represent the Eighth District in Washington for his fourth term. However, in a surprising vote, political unknown Alice Harriet Nakash, an Independent candidate from Watertown, polled 1,035 votes in the community in the congressional race.

Robert Rufo, Sheriff of

Suffolk County, soundly defeated Republican candidate Glenn LaCedra in Charlestown and throughout the district. Rufo captured 73 percent of the Charlestown vote, 85.5 percent of the vote cast city-wide and 84 percent of the vote countywide. The unofficial vote total in the race was 150,599 for Rufo and 28,896 for LaCedra.

Sen. Thomas Birmingham, who had opposition in the primary, was unopposed in Tuesday's election. He took 72 percent of the votes cast in Charlestown.

Also unopposed was Rep. Sal DiMasi of the Third Suffolk District, which includes precinct 1 in Charlestown. He received 60 percent of the vote cast in that district.

A three-person race for Governor's Council in the Sixth District, which includes Charlestown, apparently went to the Democratic contender, Dorothy Kelly Gay of Somerville. At press time, Gay's campaign headquarters reported that

she was leading in the race by 53,000 votes reported by 17 out of the 18 towns in the district and they were waiting for the results from the Boston precincts. The two other candidates in the race were Virgil Aiello, a Republican, and Independent Anthony Pini.

With the Clinton-Gore vote at 53 percent in the presidential-vice presidential race, the George Bush-Dan Quayle re-election bid received 27 percent of the vote, followed by the Ross Perot-James Stockdale team with 17 percent. In 1988, the Dukakis-Bentson candidacy recorded 61 percent of the local vote with the

Bush-Quayle ticket receiving 38 percent. In 1984, Mondale and Ferraro received 56 percent of the vote while Reagan and Bush gleaned 43 percent.

In another race of local interest, District One Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini was elected to the state senate representing the Second Suffolk & Middlesex Senatorial District. Travaglini captured 68 percent of the vote, with opponent Marc Pascucci receiving just 15 percent. Travaglini, whose City Council district includes Charlestown, is planning to retain his seat on the council until the 1993 election.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
State Election
Ward Two, Charlestown — Nov. 3, 1992
Unofficial Vote By Precinct

PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Candidate	Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
Bush and Quayle		311	278	307	217	271	333	234	1951
* Clinton and Gore		544	625	600	431	520	659	364	3743
Fulani and Munoz		2	3	2	0	1	2	3	13
Hagelin and Tompkins		2	0	0	1	0	1	1	5
LaRouche and Bevel		0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2
Marrou and Lord		0	1	2	0	0	2	2	7
Perot and Stockdale		163	201	186	155	155	195	124	1179
Phillips and Knight		0	0	2	0	1	0	1	4

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS

Candidate	Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
* Joseph P. Kennedy II		767	845	802	604	742	933	551	5244
Alice Harriet Nakash		167	172	208	107	120	156	105	1035

GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL

Candidate	Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
Virgil J. Aiello		275	265	265	136	181	204	115	1441
* Dorothy A. Kelly Gay		380	430	450	297	414	516	278	2765
Anthony Pini		110	154	115	107	111	152	200	949

SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT

Candidate	Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
* Thomas F. Birmingham		740	798	835	583	713	885	545	5099

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
(Precincts Two through Seven)

Candidate	Precinct	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
* Richard A. Voke		822	840	605	723	939	573	4502

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
(Precinct One)

Candidate	Precinct	1							total
* Salvatore F. DiMasi		642							642

SHERIFF

Candidate	Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
* Robert C. Rufo		764	810	821	598	731	933	559	5216
Glenn P. LaCedra		137	177	164	99	111	147	91	926

TOTAL VOTE

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
	1069	1118	1157	807	965	1242	743	7101

* Denotes election

Thousand Pounds Of Turkey Raffle

The Parent's Club of St. Francis de Sales School is sponsoring a Thousand Pounds of Turkey Raffle for the benefit of the school. It will be held at 7 p.m. on

Sunday, Nov. 8 in the Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill St. Refreshments will be available.

Tickets are \$1 each or a

book of six for \$5. Tickets may be purchased from Fran Ringer, 242-0126, or at the school office, the rectory or from the ushers at Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
State Election — Ballot Questions
Ward Two, Charlestown — Nov. 3, 1992
Unofficial Vote By Precinct

QUESTION 1

Law proposed by initiative petition: The law would establish a Health Protection Fund to pay for health programs relating to tobacco use. It would establish a new excise tax of 25 cents per pack of cigarettes and 25 percent of the wholesale price of smokeless tobacco.

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
* Yes	528	520	634	313	440	506	318	3259
No	342	447	414	361	416	509	342	2831

QUESTION 2

Law proposed by initiative petition: The law would require certain banks, insurance companies and publicly traded corporations to file annual reports with the Massachusetts Secretary of State, including profit, income, corporate income tax due, deductions, exemptions and credits. These reports would be made public.

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
* Yes	401	424	524	304	420	439	305	2817
No	385	475	440	293	341	480	309	2723

QUESTION 3

Law proposed by initiative petition: The law would require all packaging used in Massachusetts on or after July 1, 1996 to be reduced in size, reusable, or made of materials that have been or could be recycled. The requirements would apply to any packaging or containers used to protect, store, handle, transport, display or sell products.

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
Yes	441	388	571	267	340	466	275	2748
* No	416	570	469	395	484	537	373	3244

QUESTION 4

Law proposed by initiative petition: The law would impose an excise tax on oil, toxic chemicals and other hazardous substances, and would direct that the money raised, along with the fees paid by hazardous waste transporters and specific revenues under other state laws, be deposited in the state Environmental Challenge Fund. Money in the Fund would be used, subject to legislative approval, to assess and clean up sites that have been or may be contaminated by oil or hazardous materials, and to carry out and enforce the excise.

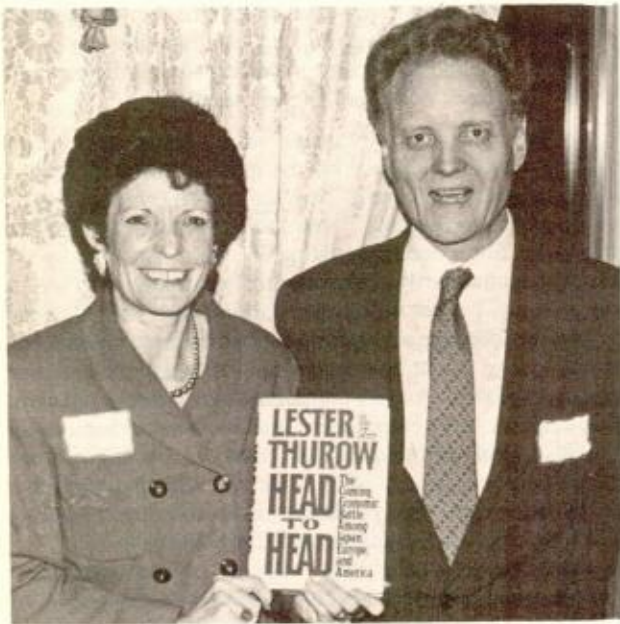
Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
Yes	395	386	487	249	344	401	277	2539
* No	430	522	505	376	436	549	353	3171

QUESTION 5

This question is not binding: Shall the representative from this district be instructed to vote in favor of legislation banning the sale, transfer and possession of handguns in the city of Boston. This question appeared on the ballot in Precincts 2 through 7 in Charlestown and in East Boston, South Boston, Roxbury, West Roxbury, Mission Hill and Jamaica Plain. The results from these areas will not be available until next week.

Precinct	2	3	4	5	6	7	total
Yes	498	535	341	427	503	342	2646
No	425	293	239	273	343	230	1803

Thurow Speaker At Meeting Of Women In World Trade



NOTED ECONOMIST Lester Thurow, dean of the MIT Sloan School of Management, is congratulated on his illuminating talk on the current and future global economic situation to members of Women in World Trade at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel by Vice President Cynthia Livingston of Charlestown. She displays a copy of Dr. Thurow's latest book, "Head to Head." Women in the World Trade is sponsoring an all-day seminar on "Women Going Global: Developing Your International Career," Nov. 7 at the Ritz-Carlton. (photo by Sam Greenwald)

Murphy Elected To Board At USS Constitution Museum

Three new trustees were elected to the board of the USS Constitution Museum Foundation Inc., at its annual meeting, according to outgoing President Caleb Loring Jr. The meeting was held at the museum in the Charlestown Navy Yard, and was attended by approximately 150 supporters. The Boston Harbor Hotel provided the catering for the event.

The new trustees are Rear Adm. W. Norman Johnson, USN (Ret), vice president and dean of students at Boston University; Harvey "Chet" Krentzman, a leading small business consultant; and Jeremiah P. Murphy Jr., formerly of Charlestown, president of the Harvard Cooperative Society.

"These individuals are leaders in America's busi-

ness and education worlds, and we know the museum will benefit from their considerable abilities, knowledge and experience," Loring said. "We are approaching a very exciting time as we prepare to expand the museum and to celebrate the Bicentennial of USS Constitution in 1997. All of the new trustees and overseers will be invaluable members of the museum family as we continue to develop the museum's support base locally and nationally, in preparation for these large-scale projects," said Loring.

Murphy brings to the board extensive retail management and operations experience. He became president of the Harvard Cooperative Society in 1991 after almost 15 years in senior positions with Neiman-

Marcus in Dallas, Texas.

Now a resident of Dover, Murphy grew up in Charlestown and his family has

a long history here. He continues a family tradition by becoming a trustee as his father was also a museum trustee.

Friends Of The Library To Be Featured At Adult Discussion Group

Joanne Massaro, president of the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library, will be the speaker at the Adult Discussion Group meeting on Friday, Nov. 6. The group will meet at 10 a.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

Massaro will outline the plans for the group's 1992-93 program season. In addition, she will speak about how the Friends are working to broaden their base of participation, become better known in the community and to respond more fully to community needs.

Suggested books to read include **Boston Public Library: A Centennial History** by Walter Muir Whitehill, **A Century of Town Life: A History of Charlestown, Mass., 1775-1887** by James F. Hunnewell and **The Whole Library Handbook** by George M. Eberhart.

Diana Greene, community services officer with the Boston Police Department, will speak on "Domestic Violence: A View From the Police Department" on Friday, Nov. 13 at 10 a.m.

Charlestown Christmas Walk Sunday, Dec. 13

USS CONSTITUTION Twilight Tour

A twilight tour of the USS Constitution, including the firing of the venerable ship's cannons, a review of the ship's artifacts on the pier, a tour of the ship, a guided walk through the USS Constitution Museum and a reception at the Commandant's House will be held on Saturday, Nov. 7 starting at 4 p.m.

A \$25 per person donation to the Christmas Walk is requested, and reservations may be made by contacting Annette Tecce at 242-6004 or from Jackie Latta at the Charlestown Cooperative Bank, 201 Main St. Tickets should be picked up at the Commandant's House by 4 p.m. on the day of the event.

Bullmarket Carts

There are only 10 Bullmarket Carts left for persons to rent for the sale of crafts or holiday items on the day of the Christmas Walk. Don't delay... call Elinor Foley today... at 241-8150 after 5 p.m.

Christmas Walk Committee Meeting

The next meeting of the Christmas Walk Committee will be on Monday, Nov. 9 at 5:30 p.m. at the offices of Otis & Ahearn at 92 Main St. All are welcome.

"Adopt-A-Pole" And Help Light Up Christmas

Last year the Charlestown Christmas Walk brought joy to everyone who attended. This year, you can help by "adopting" one of the many gas lamps along the Walk route. When you Adopt-A-Pole, the Walk Committee will decorate it with a red bow, natural pine bough and a gift tag with the donor's name on it. You may donate a pole as a gift to someone else or in memory of a loved one or pet.

The minimum donation is \$15, however, the more you contribute, the more that can be added to the Walk festivities.

All donations are tax deductible, and the proceeds of the Walk will benefit Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD).

Please complete the form below, make checks payable to: Charlestown Christmas Walk Inc., and mail them to:

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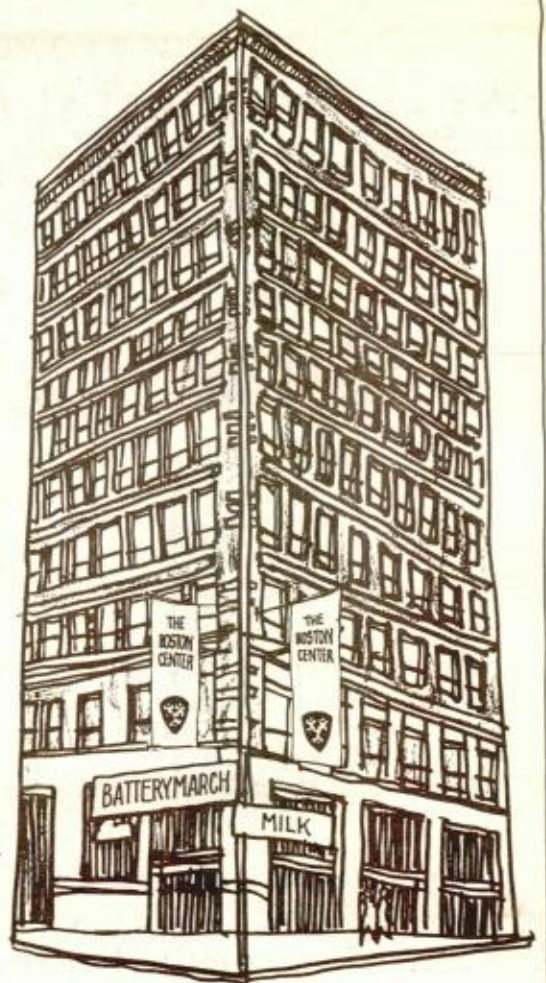
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Thinking Out Loud . . .

by Sal Giarratani

MA AND DAD: TOGETHER FOREVER

"... it will never be night again, and they will not need lamplight or sunshine because the Lord God will be shining on them." — Rev. 22:4-5

"May she always be remembered with the kind of courage and strength that highlighted her life."

— Mayor Raymond L. Flynn

My mother was called Mary by all her friends and all whose path she crossed. She lived a good long life. She did the things she wanted to do. She never let other people place limits on her. The sky was her limit. Her husband and two sons her world. But the sky fell on Aug. 5, 1989 when my father passed away over at the Brigham and Women's Hospital. He died five days short of their wedding anniversary and was buried on Aug. 9th, the last day of 42 years together. And together doesn't begin to explain their life. My parents did everything together. They weren't just a couple, they were bonded with each other. They really lived their marriage vows: that two shall become one.

Most folks who always saw my parents walking together all over Charlestown wondered how long my mother would last as a widow. She even surprised me. I don't think any of us really knew how strong she was. For a whole year, she continued to live at Constitution Co-op Apartments, doing the best she could. But the aging process snuck up on her so fast, she never saw it coming. She had to go on an oxygen tank and once remarked to me that she was now on a leash and had to give up her walking. She was angry about getting old and wanted to be 16 again. Life, she said, stinks when your body fails you. But she continued to survive because she didn't appreciate the alternative.

She missed my father so much and longed for earlier days when the two of them would walk across the High Bridge for a stroll into Downtown Boston. She was proud of her two sons. She would boast that her sons were a lawyer and a police officer and she bragged about her five grandchildren, especially the youngest, Nealie, my daughter. Nealie has my mother's spunkiness and survival instincts and Ma



MARY and DOMINIC GIARRATANI

saw it.

How I remember those weekly lunches I had with my mother and daughter over at the Howard Johnsons at Wellington Circle in Medford. How I'll miss those phone calls from my mother informing me about changing the clocks in October and April.

Recently, I thought: Here comes another year of riding up and down Cambridge Street to visit my mother over at Youville Hospital in Cambridge. Winter evenings always seem so damn depressing. I thought my mother would live to be 100. Everytime death knocked on her door, she chased it away, or so it seemed. But, my mother was 83 years old. A tiny little old lady whose body was running out of time. She was weak and frail. But I never saw her hopeless. The word wasn't in her vocabulary. When her wedding anniversary came around, she would have a sad look on her face, but also remembered how to smile over all those wonderful memories locked inside her.

There's a new book out on James Michael Curley and

one section speaks of Cardinal O'Connell comforting a young Frank Curley whose mother lay dying. The Cardinal said: "Do not let it cross your mind that I came here to give your mother courage to face her day. She is a saint in heaven already, and I come to see her to find the courage to face my day." Sounded like my mother.

My last visit with my mother was an unexpected one. I was over in Charlestown on the morning of Oct. 16 and something told me to go to Youville. When I arrived on her ward, an aide remarked, "Your mother said you were coming today. She's been up waiting for you." How strange, I thought momentarily. I entered her room and her face lit up with joy. I spent 40 minutes talking with her. She was sitting up, affective and gabbing about my father, about my daughter and about how rotten her life had become over the past months. But her comments were mostly positive. She said she was getting better and she wanted some jelly donuts. I held her hand and felt good. As I left, I told her I'd be back on Sunday after work and she said good-bye in the usual way, "See ya Sunday. Remember, drive safely, don't pick up any strangers and don't forget to eat." My brother saw her on Saturday with his youngest daughter, Talitha, and had a good visit too. However, we've been told she became medically unstable and passed away in her sleep on Sunday morning, Oct. 18 at 1 a.m.

Her time ran out. Her life's journey completed. I think of her and I cry. I feel like an orphan. But I am comforted by the words of St. Paul: "I am already being poured out like a libation. The time of my dissolution is near. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith."

Ma and Dad are together forever, walking in the heavens as they walked the streets in this earthly existence. I miss them so much, but know from the faith they passed on to me that death is merely a passage into a better place. Their example of life and their ethical beliefs will continue with me and, I'm sure, my brother.

Thank you, Ma and Dad, for so many memories, for guiding my life and being my personal heroes.



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Back-To-School Program

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Residents Concerned On Two Ramps

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diverted out further toward Somerville and not dumped into Charlestown.

In an Oct. 27 letter to Susan Tierney, Secretary of the Mass. Executive Office of Environmental Affairs, C. Scully Stikes, president of the college, told her that the change is "devastating to the future" of the college.

He noted that "the land designated as the proposed local northbound exit ramp is an integral part of our campus" and that a physical education complex was planned for the site.

Stikes also pointed out the impact on air quality and the increase in noise levels and that the new intersection on Rutherford

Avenue "would effectively block access to the college in peak traffic periods."

Conway had suggested to traffic engineers that they consider installing the ramp over the railroad tracks at the back of the Rutherford Avenue properties. And, since it was reported that 60 percent of the traffic on the off ramp would not be

headed for Charlestown, it would be better planning to bring the traffic out onto Cambridge Street where it would be more easily accessible to Somerville, Cambridge and Everett destinations.

Traffic engineers were asked to come out to the site to conduct further studies on the already congested

roadway, also taking into account the 24-hour a day truck traffic from A Street.

Steve McHugh told the staff that he would hope that they would meet with the residents periodically. He also encouraged the submission of written comments on the project.

Residents who were unable to attend the Oct. 29 meeting are invited to view the model and diagrams of the proposed changes at a 7

p.m. meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 10 at the Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital at 125 Nashua St. Parking will be available.

Persons wishing to comment on the project changes must submit them in writing by Nov. 23. They should be sent to: Susan Tierney, Secretary, Mass. Executive Office of Environmental Affairs, 100 Cambridge St., 20th floor, Boston, Mass. 02202, attention MEPA Unit.

St. Francis de Sales School News



• **Pumpkin Contest** . . . During the month of October, the grade 3 students took part in a contest. Miss Davis, their homeroom teacher, offered a 36-pound pumpkin to the student who completed the most papers. Congratulations to Jason Tamburello who completed the most papers and took the 36-pound pumpkin home. Maybe Jason will bring a pumpkin pie in for his class.

• **Speedy Recovery** . . . The students wish a speedy recovery to Kay McGreal, one of the school librarians, who is in the Respiratory Unit at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. Get well cards and best wishes have been sent from the school. The students say, "Get well soon Mrs. McGreal, we miss you!"

• **A Day At The Fair** . . . The students recently visited the Topsfield Fair and enjoyed their day. Grade 1 students enjoyed the pig races, grade 3 liked the animal exhibits, grade 4 thought about the wonders of living on a farm and especially the North American Grizzly Bears and grade 5 visited the petting zoo and were interested in oxen pulling and bee keeping. Everyone had a different idea of what life on a farm would be after they visited the exhibits at the fair. A good day was had by all.

• **Recruiting Scouts** . . . A representative of the Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts visited the school and the boys in grades 1 through 4 enjoyed the presentation. In fact, some were

so enthralled that they signed up that same day.

• **Congratulations** . . . to the newest members of the Law Academy, Patrick Kane, Lauren Page, Michael Powers, Andrea Webber and John Wrenn. Good luck with your new endeavor.

• **Prize Winners** . . . in the Boys & Girls Club Swim Meets were Eddie Donahue, Meaghan Murray and Denise Devlin. Congratulations and good luck during the coming year.

• **Parish Christmas Bazaar** . . . The students are preparing for the Parish Christmas Bazaar which will be held on Sunday, Nov. 15 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall. During their art classes, the students are making crafts to be sold at the bazaar. Also, the members of the Student Council will be running a White Elephant Table at the event.

• **A Sigh Of Relief** . . . The students are breathing a sigh of relief now that their week of standardized testing is done. The results of the testing will be presented at a parents meeting later in the year.

• **A Thousand Pounds Of Turkey** . . . will be raffled on Sunday, Nov. 8 at 7 p.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall. Fifty 20-pound turkeys will be raffled, refreshments will be served and everyone is welcome at this school benefit.

Father John Stagnaro, principal

News From The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club 15 GREEN ST.



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• EDUCATION/CULTURAL ENRICHMENT

— **Scary Story Night At Success:** Last Thursday night we had a packed library of ghosts and goblins and authors of scary tales. Some 35 club kids gathered round the light of only a flashlight to be entertained by spooky stories for an hour and a half. Margaret Adams organized the event and read some stories, however, we had some talented storytellers keep the group on the edge of their chairs. Patrick Gould, Ashley Carr, Katie O'Leary, Jackie Kelly and Christopher Tamburello all told stories.

— **Tutoring Available To Club Members:** We are offering one-to-one tutoring in math, reading, phonics and any other school subject any club member needs help with. For more information, please see Margaret in the library Tuesday through Friday from 3 to 8 p.m. or on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

— **Ceramics Classes:** Ceramics classes are beginning on Nov. 7. They will be held each Saturday from 10:30 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Sign-ups will start today, Thursday, Nov. 5.

• COLLEGE CLUB

The College Club meets every Tuesday and Thursday evening from 6:15 to 9 p.m. For more information, call Jack Sheehan on Tuesday or Thursday evening at 242-1775.

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BFI	2	3	0
Kerrigan's	2	3	0
A.A. Radiators	2	3	0
Blow Up	0	5	0
T.J.'s Kids	0	5	0

★ Players Of The Week ★

- **Bryan's Pals:** Maureen Coppinger and Padraic Locke
- **BFI:** Brittany Wilkins

- and Andrew Shea
- **A.A. Radiators:** Timmy Hickey and Brendan Doe
- **Village Market:** Michael and Eric Reid
- **Bunker Hill Florist:** Lydia Downing and Michael Kowalczyk
- **Kerrigan's:** Kendall Junta and Nicole Miller
- **Ironside Grille:** Rory Doherty and Chris Dacey
- **Blow Up:** Michael Griffin and Nicole Dagle
- **Peg & Al's:** Chad Titcomb and Andrew LaBoa
- **T.J.'s Kids:** Danielle and Pakky Lacey

CHAD Junior Bowling Update

by John Dillon

CHAD Junior Bowling is into its fifth week, with all the youngsters bowling their hearts out. By next week, all the teams will have sponsors.

Andrea Webber bowled a three-string total of 155 to help her team achieve six out of a possible eight points.

Jimmy Kissane bowled an outstanding three-string total of 166, which was 31 pins over his average.

Leslie Southern really knocked them down with a fantastic 178 — 28 pins over her average.

Chris Headle is showing us how to bowl with a 224, which was 20 pins over his average.

Taylor Halley had a wonderful string of 73 and finished with a 192, 24 pins over his average.

Patrick Pinder was his steady self, helping his team win four out of eight points with his 152.

The bowler of the week was Maryanne Kissane who bowled 85 pins over her average, helping her team win all eight points. Nice going, Maryanne.

We'll see you all the the Malden Bowladrome on Saturday at 11 a.m. We still have room for a few more bowlers.

Pop Warner Corner . . .

The Charlestown Pop Warner teams played their final games of the season on Nov. 1 against Dedham.

The A-Team lost 20-0. The entire team played great on both offense and defense.

The C-Team, though it lost 21-0, played its heart out Sunday against an undefeated Dedham team.

It's tough to put into words the pride, sportsmanship and hustle Charlestown put forward on Sunday, holding the Number One team to only eight points in the first half.

The defense had some big plays by Steve Flynn, Ian Burke, Russell Groggett, Bob Burton and Roger Parker, who recovered a fumble.

The offense was highlighted with two great passes by Groggett to Danny Lau that covered 50 yards of offense. Chet Ferreira and Mike O'Leary added some great runs to the running game.

Every week I am asked to single out the players who perform better than others. This is tougher, I think, than coaching the team itself. I would just like to say that every player on the team deserves credit for a great effort.

This was Charlestown's first season back in Pop Warner Football and I don't think there is a prouder coach in the league than myself. Charlestown took this tough challenge, stuck together and played every down as if it were the last. They showed great sport-

smanship and pride, and should be commended for their efforts. I can promise bigger and better things for next season.

John Collier

The D-Team lost to Dedham 18-0. On a very cold morning, the kids showed a lot of heart, courage and teamwork.

The offensive stars were Ray Ortiz, Danny Devlin and Mike Crowley. The defensive stars were Eddie Kelly, Kevin Daniels and Mike Ortiz.

Anyone who has not turned in equipment is asked to do so or to pay for the equipment.

Please call Jack Schievink at 241-7767 to make arrangements to return the equipment.

The raffle was drawn. The first prize of a television went to Beth Crosby; a sports package, which was the second prize, went to Sharon McLaughlin; and the third prize of \$50 was won by Bernie Salway.

The Awards Banquet will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 1 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. The dinner will begin at 6 p.m., followed by award presentations.

The cost is \$5 per person for an adult or child. It is free for the players.

John Dillon will be at the banquet and will have team pictures available for \$7.

Jack Schievink, president
Pop Warner Football

BOB D'S BEAT

by

Bob DeCristoforo

■ **BHA "Youth On The Rise"** . . . A program we sometimes don't realize exists has been a part of the Boston Housing Authority for the past five years. "Youth On The Rise" has youth workers in every BHA Development throughout the city. Operated by the Community Service Department in Jamaica Plain, Youth on the Rise provides services for the young people who live in BHA housing. Street outreach, educational opportunities, field trips, drop-in centers, athletics and employment opportunities are just a few of the many varied and diverse positive activities that Youth On The Rise offers throughout the year. As the BHA youth worker for Charlestown, I know from experience how important Youth On The Rise is to the young people around the city and here in Charlestown at the Bunker Hill Housing Development.

■ **High School Notebook** . . . Two first half touchdowns by Sean Brown, including a spectacular 96-yard run back resulting from his interception in the opening minutes of play, sparked Charlestown's 22-14 win over East Boston in an Inter-League Boston Conference matchup. Jose Alicia's 36-yard touchdown run in the third quarter proved to be the game winner. Charlestown's overall record is now 3-3-0.

Lincoln-Sudbury remained undefeated in Dual County action, shutting out Boston Latin 14-0. Latin has dropped two of its last three games.

Pope John got its first win of the season, edging Lynn Tech 8-6 in the last minute of play. BC High got back on the winning track, defeating Malden Catholic 27-6. Spellman turned back Matignon 35-22 and Archbishop Williams got its first win of the year, blanking Don Bosco 30-0.

Weekend Watch

Friday, Nov. 6 Charlestown at Cohasset
Don Bosco at Malden Catholic
Saturday, Nov. 7 Weston at Boston Latin
Phillips Andover at BC High
Sunday, Nov. 8 Pope John at St. Clement
Bishop Fenwick at Matignon

■ **The Pro Line** . . . The Providence Bruins split their home and home weekend series with the Capitol District team. Capitol District is affiliated with the New York Islanders. They topped Baltimore 4-1 on Sunday. Providence enters this week at 5-8-0.

■ **College Board** . . . Good news, the Beacons won! UMass-Boston defeated MIT 40-13.

■ **Friendship League Opener** . . . Charlestown Pride traveled to East Boston on Saturday morning to play Brighton in the opener of the citywide 13- to 16-year-old Friendship Street Hockey League.

Chris Lent had two goals for Charlestown. Greg Staples and Shane Fisher had one goal each. Brighton won 6-4. The game was close throughout, and we even pulled goaltender Jim White in the final 35 seconds, having a chance to tie. White did the job in the nets and everyone commented on the energetic play of the Charlestown Five.

This Saturday's game is at Garvey Park in Dorchester. The League visits different sites and neighborhoods each weekend.

■ **Spooky World** . . . Charlestown teens went on the Haunted Hayride at Spooky World in Berlin, Mass. The 43 participants represented the Charlestown Teen Connection, the Charlestown Girls Center and the Bunker Hill "Youth On The Rise" program. Mimi Dowd-Wrenn coordinated the well-organized event.

■ **Winners Circle** . . . Jack Sheehan and Dave Martell, our local staffers, do a fine job with the Winners Circle after-school program. Many Charlestown youngsters take part in this daily activity, which is a combined effort between the Boston Public Schools and the Boston Community Centers. The program is operated at the Edwards Middle School and the Charlestown Community Center.

■ **Your Vote Counted** . . . Congratulations to all those who voted on Tuesday.

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CHARLESTOWN POP WARNER

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O'Neil Club Aim . . . Quality Hockey

by Bernie "Scoop" Kelly

Matt O'Neil Club Chairman Eddie "Baron" Johnson stated: "Thanks again, you Townie sports fans, for your confidence and support of the semi-pro Matt O'Neil Club. Your presence at the rink to view top-notch junior hockey serves notice to our organization that the stage is set for either critical commentary or deserving applause,

whichever is warranted."

Coach "Maxie" Hart Sets Course

Just after Sunday night's frustrating loss to the Ramapo Saints out of N.J., Coaches "Maxie" Hart and "Cagie" Collie held an impromptu interview with yours truly to announce their team's course for the 1992-93 season.

Hart stated: "The O'Neil Club is a fine group of

players who are forming and meeting each other for the first time, so time and patience is our best hope until the boys really jell and excel. Collie and I hope to bring this group on a journey to stardom by molding these gladiators into a precision, non-fearing team of champions."

Last Week's Games

On Oct. 28, the O'Neil Club defeated Team New

England by the score of 8 to 1.

The O'Neil Club split a Friday and Saturday night series with the Long Island Breakers, losing the first game and then taking the second game 4 to 2.

The Ramapo Saints out of N.J. took the Nov. 1 game, defeating the O'Neil Club 2 to 1.

The record for the O'Neil Club to date is two

wins and three losses.

Upcoming Games

• Friday, Nov. 6, 8 p.m., at Charlestown vs. Dumarco Bulls

• Saturday, Nov. 7, 8 p.m., at Charlestown vs. Bay State Hawks (this promises to be a barn burner)

• Sunday, Nov. 8, 11 a.m., vs. Miller Lights

Games are played at the

Emmons-Horrigan-O'Neil (MDC) Rink on Union Street. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$1 for children.

Quinn Club Tryouts

President John "Topper" Tibbetts announced that the Quinn Club tryouts will finish next week. The club will be preparing for its European trip in March 1993.

C.Y.O. & St. Catherine's NEWS

by Father Ron Coyne

• **CYO Ice Hockey Practice Begins** — Any boy 14 to 17 who would like to play on St. Catherine's CYO Ice Hockey team should come to practice on Wednesdays from 4 to 4:50 p.m. at the Charlestown Rink. The registration fee for the season is \$15 and we expect each boy to pay \$5 per practice. Our coach is Paul Wrenn. Games will be played on Saturday mornings beginning in early December.

• **Boys Ball Hockey** — As we conclude our regular season games and prepare for playoffs that begin this week, the sixth-place Boys Ball Hockey team, the Sharks, have a record of one win, 10 losses and one tie. The members of the team are: Captain Brendan Sullivan, Tim Warren, Michael Sullivan, Kevin Golden, Eric Pacheco, John Harrington, Peter Golden, Jamie Carroll and Jim Considine. They have lost some tough games and made it difficult for other teams to win easily.

• **CYO Basketball Practices** — Practices for all CYO basketball teams, both boys and girls, will begin this week. The registration fee is \$15 per person or \$25 for a family of two or more. Any boy 10 to 19 or any girl 10 to 17 is invited to play. If you have not registered and would like to sign up and find out practice times, call Father Coyne at 242-1750.

• **Children's Roller-Skating Trip** — All Charlestown children, teen-agers and adults are invited to join us for a roller-skating party to be held at Rollerworld in Saugus on Friday, Nov. 27. Busses will leave St. Catherine's Church at 3:45 p.m. and return around 7 p.m. The cost is \$5 per person which includes transportation, admission and skate rental. Tickets are now on sale at St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St.

• **CYO Convention** — The annual CYO Convention for over 1,000 teen-agers will be held at B.C. High on Sunday, Nov. 22 from 1 to 9:30 p.m. The entire day will focus on youth and their priorities and needs with speakers, workshops and discussions. Mass will be celebrated, followed by dinner and a dance. A bus will leave St. Catherine's Church at 12:30 p.m. and return at 10 p.m. The cost is \$15 per person. You may register by leaving your name and \$15 at the rectory, 49 Vine St.

• **CYO Ski Trip** — It is a little early to be thinking about the three-day CYO ski trip, but we want you to reserve the dates and begin saving your money for a wonderful, healthy

weekend. We will ski at Sunday River in Maine on the weekend of Friday, Jan. 22 to Sunday, Jan. 24. The trip will include lift tickets for two days, transportation, ski rental, three meals and two nights in the Sunday River Ski Dorm, located on the side of the mountain. There will also be a pizza party as well as two dances. The cost is \$185 per person. There will be about 200 teen-agers in the dorm, and we will be able to take 45 Charlestown teen-agers, 13 to 19. To guarantee a spot, you must leave a \$50 deposit at St. Catherine's Rectory by Thanksgiving. For more information, call Father Coyne at 242-1750.

• **Teen-age Dance In Charlestown** — CHARlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) is working with St. Catherine's CYO, the Boys & Girls Club, the Community Center and the Bunker Hill Teen Council to sponsor a teen-age dance on Saturday, Dec. 5 from 8 p.m. to midnight at St. Catherine's School Hall. There will be refreshments available. The dance will feature "Ivory Soul," live, with two female singers and two dancers. There will also be a disc jockey.

This is an attempt by the Charlestown community to put our faith in the young people of our town. We believe this dance can be a positive activity and convince our teen-agers that CHAD is very much ready to do all it can to encourage good, healthy programs.

The dance will be for all teen-agers 13 to 19. The cost will be \$3 per person to be paid at the door. Once you enter the dance, you are expected to remain. If you do leave, you must pay another \$3 to enter.

• **Adult Confirmation Classes** — St. Catherine's will be offering Adult Confirmation Classes beginning Wednesday, Nov. 11 with four Wednesday evening classes from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the lower church. These will be open to any adult 18 year and older who is interested in becoming a Catholic or receiving First Communion or Confirmation. For more information, call Father Coyne at 242-1750.

Harvest Fair At St. John's

The 153rd annual Harvest Fair will be held at St. John's Church, 27 Devens St., from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 14.

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ACTIVITIES

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

LUNCH, SHOPPING AND MOVIE

There will be a trip to the Hilltop Steak House in Saugus, with a stop at the Christmas Tree Shop and a movie at the Revere Cinema on Thursday, Nov. 12. The bus will leave Charlestown at 10 a.m. and return at 4:30 p.m. The cost is \$10 for transportation and the movie. The price of the lunch is extra. Contact Sheila for reservations.

See Sheila Walsh on the following events ...

- New Year's celebration in Sturbridge, Dec. 30 to Jan. 1. The cost is \$270, which includes five shows and six meals.
- Atlantic City Trip, Feb. 28. The cost is \$109, with a \$30 coin bonus.
- Irish Bash at the Nashua Tara Hotel, March 21 to 23. The cost is \$265, which includes a concert with the Clancy Brothers, six shows and seven meals.

BUS TO STOP & SHOP

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

HOUSING, EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE

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

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Nov. 6 - 12

- Friday** — Turkey Divan, rice pilaf, broccoli spears, whole wheat bread, cookies
- Monday** — Vegetable beef soup, salmon patty with cocktail sauce, Delmonico potatoes, pumpernickel bread, apple-sauce
- Tuesday** — Chili with cheese, rice, mixed vegetables, corn bread, Mandarin oranges.
- Wednesday** — Sites closed, Veterans' Day Holiday
- Thursday** — Chicken patty with gravy, red potatoes, green beans, rye bread, blueberry pie
- Bread, margarine and milk served with all meals.

Free Blood Pressure Screening For Senior Citizens

The city of Boston's Commission on Affairs of the Elderly is offering free blood pressure screening for Charlestown residents

60 years and older.

It will be held from 10:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 16 at the Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill St.

Brown Bag Bookies To Meet

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

The book under discussion will be **How The Garcia Girls Lost Their Accents** by Julia Alvarez. According to Booklist, this is the story of "four sisters and their experiences of life and love — in both the Do-

minican Republic where they were born and the U.S. where they now live. The Garcia girls represent an immigrant family that honors traditional ways and changed realities in a not always comfortable mix of old and new."

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

Surplus Food Distribution In Charlestown On Nov. 18

Action for Boston Community Development Inc. (ABCD) and the John F. Kennedy Family Service Center announce that free food will be distributed to income-eligible Charlestown residents from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 18 at St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street.

ABCD expects to distribute flour, peanut butter, raisins, canned corn and double butter. However,

they cannot guarantee that all commodities will be available from the government.

All surplus food recipients must have new registration cards with them when they go to pick up their food. If you do not have a red, white or green card, you must contact the Kennedy Center at 27 Winthrop St., telephone 241-8866, to receive a new card.

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★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★

Friday, Nov. 6

- 10 a.m. - Arts & Crafts and Seniorobics, Senior Lounge
- 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
- 12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Monday, Nov. 9

- 9:30 a.m. - Flu Shots, Senior Lounge**
- 10 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments
- 10 a.m. - Seniorobics, Senior Lounge
- 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
- 12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Tuesday, Nov. 10

- 10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
- 10 a.m. - Sunshine Club, Senior lounge
- 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

Wednesday, Nov. 11

CLOSED FOR VETERANS' DAY

Thursday, Nov. 12

- 9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop bus, Senior Lounge, Constitution Co-op Apts. and Golden Age
- 10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
- 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

★ UPCOMING EVENTS ★

- **Blood Pressure Screening** — On Monday, Nov. 16 from 10:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., there will be a free Blood Pressure Screening at the Senior Lounge.
- **Podiatrist** — The podiatrist will be at the Senior Lounge at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 17.

★ TRIP ★

- **Christmas Light Bus Trip** — A Christmas Light bus trip will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 9, leaving at 3:30 p.m. and returning at 9 p.m. The cost is \$20, which includes dinner at the Hawthorn Country Club with a choice of broiled schrod or boneless chicken, followed by a visit to LaSalette Shrine in Attleboro.

★ NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS ★

Best wishes go out to the Senior Lounge participants who are celebrating their birthdays during November. Happy Birthday to ... Lil Boutilier, Jeanette Carmody, Rita Causno, Catherine Ciccarrelli, Rose DeLuca, Frances Devlin, Mary Devlin, Betty Doherty, Mary Doherty, Betty Donahue, Catherine Dunne, Margaret Edwards, Ruth Fidler, Helen Fitzpatrick, Ellye Hand, Patricia Hurley, Esther Justice, Helen Kelly, Anna Kent, Phyllis Mahoney, Alice Marcella, John McDermott, Cece McNeley, Helen Oatway, Peggy O'Keefe, Helen Parsons, Carol Pimental, Linda Ross, Mabel Sirois, Mary Stockbridge, Maggie Urquhart, Barbara Walsh and Betty Zissman.

For more information on senior activities or transportation, contact Judi Meaney, director of Senior Services, at 241-8866.

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Collins Honored By St. Lawrence University

Susan M. Collins of Charlestown was one of five distinguished graduates of St. Lawrence University in Canton, N.Y., to be honored during Homecoming Weekend at the University, Oct. 25-27.

Collins, regional administrator for New England of the Federal Small Business Administration, received an Alumni Citation at the ceremony.

The text of the citation read as follows:

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employing millions. Susan Collins, you work to keep that backbone strong.

"As New England regional administrator for the U.S. Small Business Administration, you direct a staff of 200 in seven field offices to stimulate the economy of New England. You came to your position just recently after five years as commissioner of the Maine Department of Professional and Financial Regulation. In that role, you oversaw the regulation of state-chartered financial institutions, the insurance industry, grantors of consumer credit and numerous licensed professions. You served as the governor's principal advisor on worker's compensation issues and you chaired the Governor's Cabinet Council on Health Care Policy.



SUSAN M. COLLINS (right) of Charlestown with St. Lawrence University President Patti McGill Peterson as Collins is presented with an Alumni Citation from the University. (photo by Christopher Morrow)

Board Of Appeal Hearings

The city of Boston Board of Appeal will hold public hearings on Tuesday, Nov. 10, in Room 801, Boston City Hall.

• At 11:30 a.m., John G. MacLetchie will seek variances from the Boston Zoning Code to change the legal occupancy of 40 Chestnut St. from a three-family to a four-family dwelling.

• At 11:30 a.m., Grace Meehan will seek variances from the Boston Zoning Code to change the legal occupancy of 49 Chestnut St. from a two-family to a three-family dwelling.

(Printed as a public service.)

Legal Notice

Massachusetts Port Authority invites submission of proposals from persons or firms interested in entering into an agreement for the operation of a food and beverage concession at Terminal A, Logan International Airport. Sealed proposals will be received by the Massachusetts Port Authority at or prior to 11:00 a.m. local time on December 21, 1992 at the Executive Offices of the Authority, State Transportation Building, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, MA 02116. A pre-submission conference, followed by a tour of Terminal A, will be held on Monday, November 9, 1992 at 2 p.m. at the Massport Media Room, Old Tower Building, Second Floor, Logan International Airport, East Boston, MA. Questions asked at that conference will be answered at that time or as promptly as possible thereafter. Proposal documents may be obtained at the Airport Business Office, Logan Airport (Tel. 617-561-1662). The Authority is soliciting competitive proposals pursuant to a determination that such a process best serves the interest of the Authority and not because of any legal requirement to do so. The Authority reserves the right to accept any proposal, to modify or amend with the consent of the Proposer any proposal prior to acceptance, to reject any or all proposals, to waive any informality and to effect any agreement otherwise, all as the Authority in its sole judgment may deem to be in its best interest.

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your father's and uncle's careers in the Maine State Legislature. It was perhaps genetic that you possess, as a St. Lawrence faculty member wrote in 1975, a high level of intellectual honesty, responsible judgment, passion for the democratic process and, quite simply, brilliance. But you have used your gifts well. Your alma mater honors you as you honor your degree from St. Lawrence. Please accept today a 1992 Alumni Citation."

Neighborhood Services Cited For Relief Efforts

The Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services was recently awarded a "Good Neighbor Award" by the American Red Cross, Mass Bay Chapter, for its work to help disaster victims across the city.

During a ceremony in Mayor Raymond L. Flynn's City Hall office last week, Red Cross representatives gave a plaque to the staff of Neighborhood Services - which staffs coordinators in each neighborhood of the city who respond to fires and other calamities on a 24-hour basis.

Neighborhood Services, which assists the Red Cross in finding shelter for fire victims and rallies community support for other vic-

tims of accidents, was cited for its "interest and cooperative support in behalf of the American Red Cross."

Jonathan C. Goldfield, government liaison for the Red Cross, and Lynn Klumb, director of emergency services, presented the award.

The proclamation given to the office reads: "Thank you for your significant humanitarian contributions to effective delivery of services to the community."

The Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services also staffs an emergency 24-hour hotline - 635-4500 - that provides quick answers to pressing questions relating to city services.

Legal Notice

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A petition has been presented in the above-captioned matter praying that the will be proved and allowed and that Margaret Elwell of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, be appointed executrix without sureties on her bond.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Boston on or before 10:00 in the forenoon on November 19, 1992.

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

Witness, Mary C. Fitzpatrick, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Boston, the 27th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-two.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



Thank You So Much

My 60th surprise birthday party was a huge success. My brother Jay was a great master of ceremonies and the roast was a wonderful trip down memory lane. We have special memories of each and everyone of you who were in the hall.

I would like to thank Dennis Moore for the music, and Griffin Catering was excellent.

I wish to extend a special thanks to my wife and children for a great surprise party. To each and everyone of you, I want to say "Thanks For The Memories!"

Love you,
Jack Marsden

Small Claims Advisory Service Offers Help To Residents

Founded in 1974 by Small Claims Court Judge John C. Cratsley, the Small Claims Advisory Service is a non-profit, public service group that helped over 1,100 individuals last year through its telephone and walk-in services.

This volunteer organization, staffed and run by Harvard undergraduates and members of the community, targets low-income individuals, the elderly and immigrants for its services. However, it welcomes calls from anyone who has a question about the Massachusetts Small Claims Court.

Advisors answer procedural questions, assist in case preparation and attend court with individuals who ask their advisors to accompany them. Throughout the year, advisors also give presentations to community groups about small claims court procedures and statutes.

The organization's office, located at Phillips Brooks House in Harvard Yard, is open Mondays to Fridays, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., with a 24-hour answering service. The office telephone number is 497-5690. All advice is given free of charge.

Thank You

To the Charlestown Pop Warner players, I would like to say, we may not have made it to the championships but we had a great time trying. Remember, there's always next year.

To the coaches, there are no words in the English language that could begin to describe the depth of appreciation I feel for you. Simply put, there would have been no teams without you. I hope to see you next year.

To the board and committee members, I could not have hand-picked a finer group of hardworking and multi-talented individuals. Each of you accepted more than your fair share of very difficult challenges and let no obstacles stand in the way of accomplishing them. I am honored to have been given the privilege of serving you and I look forward to the beginning of an exciting new year as a team.

To all the wonderful parents, spectators and businesses who supported our efforts both emotionally and financially, you made the dream a reality.

And, most importantly, to my daughters Courtney and Casey who have given the greatest sacrifice of all by freely allowing Daddy to spend time away from home, I want to say I love you very, very much!

Jack Schievink, president
Charlestown Pop Warner Football

Thanks To The Residents Of Monument Square

Dear Gloria:

On behalf of the Charlestown Association of Parents, I would just like to say thank you to all the residents of Monument Square who opened their homes to our trick-or-treaters. The decorations were terrific and the costumes were fabulous.

We would like to extend a special thank you to Bill Foley of the Boston National Historical Park and Joe McNulty from Area A of the Boston Police Department for their support.

Maggie Moss-Tucker

What Would They Be Doing Today?

*As I strolled the broad avenue
Of Bunker Hill Street one day
Awaiting some friends who were walking my way,
I stopped near the entrance of number 113,
There I found a remembrance which remains so keen —
Of my grandmother and her neighbors
As they sat near the stoop.
Then I glanced at the memorial honoring our fallen troops.
Soldiers who've died to insure freedom's path,
Stand enshrined on these grounds,
Thanks to Butsy McGrath.*

*Yet as I paused but briefly, I could not help but see,
How the ravages of war stole their lives too suddenly.
Causing me to wonder (as I'm often prone to do)
What would these men be doing today?
Had not they died for me and you.*

*Would they be bouncing a grandchild on veteran's knees?
As a baby's love comes so to please.
Or would war-weary limbs become gracefully old?
As those tangerine days of summer
Wend their way toward autumn gold.*

*From another generation, a different place in time,
When every man who was a man
Put himself and his life on the line.
Across every parallel, point and seam
Did these men sacrifice their lives for a dream?*

*When called unto war as their kinship before them
These soldiers would harken to the purpose of free men
And the women and children whom they protected so well
So that family and honor could peacefully dwell,
Stand testament to that action with a legacy to tell.*

*Never tardy for duty, never slow on command,
Did these brothers of Charlestown defend this proud land.
Though I know not of what they'd be doing today
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From the desk of
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Area A, Boston Police Department
Monday, Oct. 27

At 5 p.m., a resident of Dunstable Street reported that three teen-age youths stole a bicycle from the porch of the residence. A short time later, the suspects were apprehended by police officers. The victim did not want to press charges, and the teen-agers were sent home to their parents.

Wednesday, Oct. 28

At 9 p.m., detectives arrested a 43-year-old resident on Polk Street on outstanding warrants.

A resident of High Street reported that at approximately 11 p.m., someone threw a flower pot through the front window.

Friday, Oct. 30

A stolen automobile was recovered on Terminal Street.

At 12:30 a.m., Officer Watts responded to the laundromat at 295 Main St. where he observed an individual inside, breaking into the machines. The suspect, an 18-year-old resident, attempted to flee. He was apprehended and placed under arrest for breaking and entering in the nighttime.

At 3 a.m., Officer Bollen stopped an automobile at Sul-

livan Square on a violation, and placed a 27-year-old resident under arrest for operating under the influence of liquor.

A resident reported that at approximately 1 p.m., two teen-agers began to force the alleyway door open at 18 Polk St. and then fled.

At 8:15 p.m., officers from the parole board arrested a 31-year-old individual on Walford Way on an outstanding warrant.

Saturday, Oct. 31

A stolen automobile was recovered on Rutherford Avenue.

At 2 a.m., Officer Jones observed an automobile being driven at a high rate of speed. The driver of the vehicle failed to stop until reaching Dunstable Street where the 27-year-old Everett resident was placed under arrest.

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

School Options Series Continues At The Library

The School Option Series, co-sponsored by the Charlestown Branch Library and the Charlestown Association of Parents, holds its final program on Thursday, Nov. 12 at 7 p.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

The program will focus on private school education with guest speakers Kim-

berly Buell, director of admissions, Shady Hill School, Cambridge; Linda Whitlock, director of admissions, Buckingham, Browne & Nichols School, Cambridge; and Reiko Foster, director of admissions, Atrium School, Watertown.

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

Boston Police Hold Office Hours In Charlestown

The Community Relations Office of Area A of the Boston Police Department is holding weekly office hours in Charlestown.

The officer will be on hand in the first floor conference area at One Thompson Square to meet with residents or business persons on an individual basis. Office hours will be not be held on Wednesday, Nov. 11 due to the Veterans Day holiday. They will resume on Wednesday, Nov. 18 from 5 to 7 p.m.

Charlestown Residents Graduate From Boston University

Boston University awarded academic degrees to 1,047 students this fall.

Receiving degrees were Charlestown residents Marianne Gibbons, MBA in Business Administration and Management, honors; Stephen M. Gordon, MBA in Business Administration and Management; Karen E. Perry, MS in Speech-Lan-

guage Pathology; and Susan M. Wye, MBA in Business Administration and Management.

Boston University is the fourth largest independent institution of higher learning in the United States, with more than 28,000 students enrolled in its 15 schools and colleges.

Children's Films

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

The features will be "Blackberry Subway Jam," the story of how Jonathan discovers that his bedroom is a subway stop; a lonely porcupine looks for a friend to hug in "Hug Me;" and "The Table, the Donkey,

and the Stick" is a puppet version of the Grimm's fairy tale.

Professor Ludwig Von Drake discusses American popular music in "Symposium on the Popular Song," shown only at 3:30 p.m.

Suggested good books to read are *Left Behind* by Carol Carrick, *A Porcupine Named Fluffy* by Helen Lester and *Rumpelstiltskin* by Paul O. Zelinsky.

Newspaper Recycling

The city of Boston Public Works Department continues to recycle newspapers every other week in Charlestown. Bundles should be placed in plain view out with your trash by 6:30 a.m., rain or shine.

In Charlestown, newspaper recycling for the month of November will be on the weeks of the 9th and 23rd.

Residents are asked to place **newspapers only** in brown paper bags separate

from their regular trash. Please remember; plastic bags, old mail, office paper, telephone books, magazines and cardboard will **not** be accepted.

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'Tony V. And Friends' To Present CWT Comedy Night Benefit

Nationally recognized comedian Tony V. will donate his time and talent to benefit the Charlestown Working Theater on Saturday, Nov. 14 at 8 p.m. The fund raiser, which will be held at the Preble Room in Building 5 in the National Historical Park section of the Charlestown Navy Yard, is called "Tony V. and Friends" and, according to Tony, it will be just that.

"People are very excited about the reopening of the Charlestown Working Theater," says Tony. "Just about everyone I approached on the benefit was more than willing to help out. The comics involved are some of Boston's favorites, as well as my personal favorites. Brian Kiley will be there. Jonathan Groff, Frank Santorelli, Tom Bailey and some special surprise guests as well. There will



TONY V.

also be live music!"

Tony, whose film credits include "Housesitter" and "Shakes The Clown," and whose television credits include "A&E's Evening at the Improv," "MTV's Half Hour Comedy Hour," "Caroline's Comedy Hour" and Fox's "Comic Strip Live," has worked at CWT and is dedicated to helping the theater in any way he can. "I've had many great ex-

periences at CWT. I had a great time performing my one-man show there, and I really believe in the whole idea of making theater available to the community."

The Charlestown Working Theater, which has been closed for over a year, will reopen its doors after a considerable fund-raising effort which includes the comedy benefit and the "Light the Lights" campaign.

Charlestown native Jennifer Johnson, co-managing director of CWT, explains why she wants to be a part of the theater's revitalization: "CWT has been a part of my life since I was 10 years old. It's a beautiful building — a great organization. CWT has combined strong community support and involvement with innovation and exciting theater. Not a lot of theaters in Boston can say that."

Originally from Medford, Tony V. is the husband

of CWT's co-managing director Kristin Johnson, also a Charlestown native. Tony has lived in Charlestown for almost 12 years and considers it his adopted home.

"Charlestown is great," says Tony. "I've always liked living here. I have to travel so much, it's nice to come home to friendly faces."

"I hope everyone gets the chance to come down on the 14th to support the theater and enjoy themselves," he continues. "If you don't, remember I live here too and I'll follow you around and bug you."

His wife attests that this is not an idle threat.

So remember, come see "Tony V. and Friends" on Saturday, Nov. 14 at 8 p.m. in the Preble Room, Building 5, in the Charlestown Navy Yard! Tickets are \$15 and will be sold at the door, or they may be reserved by calling 242-0815.

Doherty Second Recipient Of McCluskey Honorarium

Having completed her freshman year at Northeastern University, Melissa A. Doherty was awarded the Francis J. McCluskey Honorarium of \$875. Doherty is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Doherty of 11 Ellwood St., Charlestown.

This grant is awarded to the annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship recipient. Doherty graduated from Boston Latin School in 1991, the same year as she was selected as the 22nd annual Quinn scholar.

The award is named for the scholarship fund's late friend and trustee, Francis J. McCluskey, who passed away on Sept. 4, 1990. It was a tragic loss for his family and the countless friends Frank had in his short but productive 47 years.

Frank's acumen was never better demonstrated than when, at the annual meeting in the spring of 1976, he proposed that the scholarship be open to women. After a period of debate, Frank's progressive views became reality; and in 1977, Ann Marie F. Duffy, who went on to attend Simmons College, became the first woman recipient. Since her selection, a total of eight young women have been awarded the scholarship.

The scholarship committee is proud to perpetuate the name of Michael P.

It's A Boy . . .

Paul and Sheila Pieper announce the birth of their first child, Paul Michael Pieper, on Sept. 18. He weighed 7 pounds 10 ounces.

The paternal grandparents are Margaret and Robert Pieper, and the paternal great-grandmother is Mildred Malone, all of Charlestown.

Quinn and his friend, Francis McCluskey, and extend best wishes to Melissa in her college and professional career.

Ronan J. FitzPatrick,
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