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Voke To Thank Charlestown

Rep. Richard Voke will be hosting a "Thank You, Charlestown" celebration on Thursday evening, March 21 from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St. To help him pay special tribute to his many friends and supporters who have returned him to the State House for another term in office, Rep. Voke will present the world renowned Noel Henry Irish Showband at this event.

"It has been my good fortune and a genuine pleasure to work with and serve the people of Charlestown.

More than anything else, I truly cherish the friendships and constant support so many in Charlestown continue to provide me. Because I am deeply appreciative of this relationship, it pleases me greatly to host this thank you party featuring everyone's favorite, Noel Henry," commented Voke.

In a move to offer even further gratitude, Voke has announced that all proceeds from the \$2 admission price will be donated to charities in Charlestown. "There is no other town which prides itself more on taking care of its own than does Charlestown. This is clearly evidenced by the many philanthropic and community boards and activities hosted locally. It is only fitting on a night of thanks we help show our appreciation to all those making noble efforts on behalf of our community by contributing every penny raised at our Noel Henry party to help our neighbors in need," said Voke.

If history repeats itself, tickets to Rep. Voke's event will go fast. For further information on how to acquire tickets, check the advertisement in this edition.

Community-Based Policing Plan Outlined For Neighborhood Council

A team from Boston Police Headquarters, headed by Police Commissioner Francis "Mickey" Roache, came to February's Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting to outline a community-based policing plan being proposed for the city. Accompanying Roache were Deputy Superintendent Annmarie Doherty; Ellen Daley from the Bureau of Administrative Services; Deputy Superintendent Robert Hayden Jr. and Community Relations Officer Joe McNulty from Area A.

Roache told the council that when he was sworn in as commissioner six years ago, he told the gathering that one of his aims would be to get the police officers out of their cars and onto the streets. He said that this policing plan would accom-

plish this as it includes violence prevention, cooperation with the city's licensing department on problem addresses and intensifying city services. The Boston Against Drugs program is one component of this plan.

According to Doherty, the Safe Neighborhoods Plan involves the cooperation of governmental and private agencies, and its focus is on priority locations. Aspects of the plan includes: economic development, expansion of business involvement, career development, alternative education and job training, street workers and peer leaders to work with youth, training in



BOSTON POLICE COMMISSIONER Francis "Mickey" Roache met with the Charlestown Neighborhood Council on Feb. 5 to solicit neighborhood input on the Community Policing Plan, a proposed police department plan to build coordination of public safety efforts between the neighborhood and the Boston Police Department. Shown front row (l. to r.) Judy Evers, Charlestown liaison, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services; Dan Kovacevic and Marilyn Darling,

CNC members; Marion Woods and Florence Johnson, residents; Kay Whelan, CNC member; Roache; BPD Deputy Superintendent Annmarie Doherty; Elaine McCarthy, resident; and Ellen Daley, director, BPD Bureau of Administrative Services. Back row (l. to r.) Marty O'Brien Sr., Ellen D'Ambrosio, Jim Mansfield, Dennis McLaughlin and Peter Looney, CNC members.

(photo by M.J. Maloney)

Gibson's Real Estate Report: SALES ARE PICKING UP

Finally! Some good real estate news. Charlestown brokers report more customers and sales. At the Gibson office in the last two months we have handled these sales:

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Deadline for advertising and copy is Monday at 5:00 p.m.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At A Glance

- Friday, March 1**
- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Pre-school Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 8 p.m. — Annual Charlestown Youth Hockey Association Spring Fund-Raising Dance, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, March 2**
- 7 p.m. — Gladys' Annual Corned Beef Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Monday, March 4**
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 10, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 7 p.m. — Charlestown Recycling Committee meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
 - 7:30 p.m. — Daughters of Isabella No. 1 meeting, VIP Room, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Tuesday, March 5**
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 11:30 a.m. — Charlestown Healthy Aging Program (CHAP) meeting, Constitution Co-op Apartments, 42 Park St.
 - 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Wednesday, March 6**
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
 - 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine St.
 - 6:30 p.m. — Tax Clinic, Golden Age Center, 382 Main St.
 - 7 p.m. — Mass for Peace, Chapel, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Upcoming Events

- Thursday, March 7**
- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour Restaurant
 - 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Bylaws Committee meeting, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
- Friday, March 8**
- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Pre-school Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 6 to 8 p.m. — Charlestown Little League Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.
 - 7 p.m. — 50s and 60s Night sponsored by Winnie Powers Walsh, candidate for Mayor of Charlestown, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
 - 8 p.m. — 25th Annual Irish Night Dinner Dance, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- Saturday, March 9**
- 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Charlestown Little League Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.
 - 8 p.m. — Dance sponsored by Linda Howell, candidate for Mayor of Charlestown, and her committee, Memorial Hall, 14 Green St.
- Sunday, March 10**
- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
 - 11:30 a.m. — Installation of St. Mary Parish Council, St. Mary Church, 55 Warren St.
 - 3:30 p.m. — Community Hymn Sing, First Church, Green Street
- Monday, March 11**
- 10:30 a.m. — Storytime for 2-year-olds and their parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 10, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 5 to 7 p.m., Mites and 7 to 8 p.m., Squirts — CYHA Travel Team Tryouts, Charlestown MDC Rink
 - 7:30 p.m. — The Wolfe Tones Concert, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Tuesday, March 12**
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 5 to 6 p.m., Squirts — CYHA Travel Team Tryouts, Charlestown MDC Rink
 - 7 p.m. — Boston Police/Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety Committee meeting, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.
- Wednesday, March 13**
- 3:30 p.m. — Puppet Performance with Claire DiMeo, sponsored by the Charlestown Association of Parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
 - 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine St.
 - 6:30 p.m. — Tax Clinic, Golden Age Center, 382 Main St.
 - 7 p.m. — Mass for Peace, Chapel, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
 - 7 p.m. — Novena of Grace, Upper Church, St. Francis de Sales, 313 Bunker Hill St. followed at 8 p.m. by a meeting of Court St. Jude No. 1123, CDA, Bishop Lawton Hall

It's A Girl . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Leo E. Ducey III of San Diego, Calif., are the proud parents of a new baby girl, Cassandra Marie, born on Feb. 19.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Couchman of California.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo E. Ducey of Baldwin Street, Charlestown.



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Plan Ahead

- Friday, March 15**
- 8 p.m. — St. Patrick's Day Dance with Dickie McManus and The Irish Revolution, sponsored by the Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Wednesday, March 20**
- 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Distribution of surplus food, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street
- Thursday, March 21**
- 7 to 10 p.m. — Rep. Richard Voke Thanks Charlestown Party with Noel Henry's Irish Showband, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Friday, March 22**
- 8 p.m. — Charlestown Mayor Election Night sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, March 30**
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Community Appreciation Awards Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Friday, April 5**
- 8 p.m. — Fund Raiser for Bunker Hill Day Parade Chief Marshal Patricia Farris, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, April 6**
- 6:15 p.m. — Annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner Dance, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Neighborhood Council Meetings MONTHLY MEETING

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 5 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

BYLAW COMMITTEE

Bylaw Committee Chairman Jim Conway has announced that the committee will meet on Thursday, March 7, at 7 p.m. to continue its review of the council's bylaws. The meeting will be held in the first floor conference area at One Thompson Square. **Council members please note:** This will be the final opportunity for members to participate so the committee can move forward with recommended bylaw revisions.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

According to Chairman Mel Stillman, the Public Safety Committee will meet with Boston Police Department Area A Community Relations Officer Joe McNulty on Tuesday, March 12 at 7 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

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

Charlestown Recycling News

by Mary Lynch

Johnnie's Foodmaster reports enthusiastic response to its plastic bag recycling program. Customers are returning their plastic shopping bags which are sold to the Ziff Company and made into new bags. Any clean empty bags can be dropped in the recycling bin. Johnnie's also encourages shoppers to bring used bags with them to carry groceries home. According to Paul Cotter, grocery manager, Johnnie's also recycles all its cardboard which is compacted on the premises and sold to be used again.



this one, future meetings will be held regularly on the first Monday of each month.

For information, call Peter Jones at 241-0425 or Kathy Callahan at 242-3512.

The Recycling Committee would like to hear about any Charlestown business recycling program or plans to start one. We'll write about your efforts for publication in the Patriot. Please call Mary Lynch at 241-0826 and leave a message.

The next Recycling Committee meeting will be held on Monday, March 4 at 7 p.m. at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St. If you are interested in joining or would like to know what you can do to recycle, please attend. If you miss

Peter R. Scott Dies In Connecticut

by Kathleen Giordano

Peter R. Scott, father of Charlestown Patriot publisher Gloria Jean (Scott) Conway, died on Feb. 17 at his home in Pawcatuck, Conn. He was 89 years old.

Born in Westerly, Rhode Island, on Oct. 8, 1901, Mr. Scott worked at the Harris Corporation, formerly the Cottrell Company in Pawcatuck, for over 55 years. He was a supervisor in both the Installation and Service Departments and the oldest member of the Cottrell Quarter Century Club.

Mr. Scott married the former Dorothy Pendleton in 1924. The couple celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary last June.

He was a member of Franklin Lodge No. 20 of Masons; Deborah Chapter, Order of Eastern Star; a past master of Quonochontaug Grange; and a member of Central Baptist Church in Westerly, R.I.

In addition to his wife and daughter, he is survived by a sister Lillian Norman, 91, of Wequetequock, Conn.; his son-in-law James W. Conway and two grandchildren, Dorothy Ellen Conway and Timothy Peter Conway, all of Charlestown.

Funeral services took place on Wednesday, Feb. 20 in Westerly. Interment

was in River Bend Cemetery.

The Scott family requests that remembrances in Peter's name be made to the efforts of the Charlestown Patriot to send Easter Baskets to Charlestown servicemen serving as part of Operation Desert Storm. Donations can be sent to: Charlestown Patriot, P.O. Box 54, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

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Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Marys and Glorias. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for us all who invoke your aid. Amen. This Novena has never been known to fail. I have had my request granted. Publication Promised. K.C.

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**Burke Receives Degree As
Doctor Of Chiropractic**

Dr. Dennis F. Burke received his degree of doctor of chiropractic (D.C.) during February commencement exercises at Palmer College of Chiropractic, Davenport, Iowa. Palmer College is the world's first and most respected accredited chiropractic educational institution.

A native of Charlestown, Dr. Burke is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Burke of Medford Street, Charlestown.



DR. DENNIS F. BURKE

To qualify for the D.C. degree, Dr. Burke completed four-academic-years of professional study at Palmer College. He also is a graduate of Boston College High School and attended North Shore Community College.

While at Palmer College, he was active in the Massachusetts Club, serving as

president for 1989-90, ACA, ICA and the Palmer Student Alumni Foundation. He was named to the dean's list four times and received research honors.

Dr. Burke, his wife Diane and their son Stephen plan to make their home in the Boston area where the doctor will set up a private practice.

**Planning
20th Reunion**

The Charlestown High School classes of 1969 and 1970 are planning a belated 20th reunion early in the fall.

If you are interested in attending, contact Marie Nadeau at 242-0479 for the class of 1969 and Linda

(Krafofsky) Rea at 241-8548 for the class of 1970 for further details.

The committee is also seeking current addresses for members of the two classes. Please contact Nadeau or Rea with this information.

Board Of Appeal Decisions

The city of Boston Board of Appeal has ruled on the following appeals by Charlestown residents over the past few weeks:

• **28 Mead St.** — Stuart R. Peeks requested a change of legal occupancy from a two-family dwelling to a three-family house.

The Boston Redevelopment Authority (BRA) and the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services (MONS) both recommended approval with provisos. Representatives of these two city agencies expressed concern with the lack of a second means of egress from the second floor unit.

The Board of Appeal decision was approval with provisos.

• **37 Union St.** — Lily Trust, Lillian D'Ambrosio Milgroom, trustee, requested a change in the legal occupancy from a three-family to a four-family dwelling.

The BRA and MONS both recommended approval. There was no opposition to the request.

The Board of Appeal voted to approve the request.

• **391 Bunker Hill St.** — John Brown, represented by Attorney David Hanson, requested that the legal occupancy of the building be changed from a one-family to a three-family dwelling. Brown had stated that the dwelling has been used as a three-family dwelling since he purchased it in 1975.

The BRA and MONS both recommended approval. There was no opposition to the request.

The Board of Appeal voted to approve the request.

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• **Looking For An Army Buddy . . .** from World War II . . . A.M. "Bud" Davis, 21500 Lassen No. 95, Chatsworth, Calif. 91311 is looking for J.T. Campbell, who once lived at 7 Chapman St., Charlestown and drove a taxi in this area . . . If anyone can help, please write to Bud at the above address.

• **Must Be In The Blood . . .** Former "Townie" Andy Whelan (Kay's son) has thrown his hat in the political ring in his new hometown — Walpole. Andy is running in that town's May election for Ward Representative . . . Guess he's walking in his mother's footsteps — member of the Neighborhood Council, former Ward Committee member, etc. . . . Best of luck, Andy!

• **And The Winner Is . . .**?! You'll have to be there when the big announcements are made at the Charlestown Neighborhood Council's Community Appreciation Awards Banquet that's fast approaching! Not only will it be a suspense-filled evening, it will be a night of good eatin', dancin' and out an' out fun! Tickets are sure to be at a premium. Contact Moe Gillen at 242-3746 or Bob Wallace at 241-8889 to reserve your ticket today. You won't want to be left out on this one, folks! . . . Saturday, March 30 at the K. of C. Hall! . . . Stay tuned for more details.

• **Gather Up Those Register Receipts . . .** from Johnnie's Foodmaster and get them to school. Each slip will go toward computers for the school and many local schools are involved with this project. Give them the help they need to help their students. The deadline for submission is March 17th.

• **ALERT! ALERT! ALERT!** . . . The fuel assistance program just received an additional infusion of federal funds. If you are a renter or homeowner you may be eligible for assistance. Contact the Kennedy Center at 241-8866 with any questions on the program.

• **Word From Former "Townie" . . .** Jim Mullin who now lives in Texas. Jim receives the *Patriot* each week, compliments of his brother John. After 40 years of living in Texas, Jim tells us that he still misses Charlestown. He was brought up on Sheafe Street and his favorite hang-out was in Thompson Square. There were seven boys and one girl in the Mullin family, and only John resides here now . . . So glad to hear you enjoy the *Patriot*!

• **A Special Message . . .** Happy Birthday, Soldier Boy! . . . Your mom said you'd know who you are?! Have a great one!

• **A Very Special Birthday Wish . . .** today, Feb. 28th to Constitution Co-op resident Wilfred Benoit who'll turn 92-years-young. Congrats, Wilfred, and best wishes!

• **Other Notables . . .** celebrating this week include . . . Mae Deering at the same address who'll only be 87 today. Hope it's a great one, Mae . . . Anna Ford will mark her big day on March 1 . . . March 2 will see Susan Catherine McClellan turn double digits (10). Hope it's a great year, little friend . . . Pat Johnson, who started celebrating on Feb. 27 with a dinner party, will no doubt continue partying until her March 2nd birthday . . . March 4th will see Bud Whelan (Kay's other son) get another year closer to the half-century mark (Ha! Ha!) . . . March 6th will be the big day for Zeke Marsden who will turn a nifty fifty while his son Billy celebrates his 19th on the same day . . . To each and all . . . have a ball!

• **It Only Took Congress 117 Years . . .** To officially designate the *Star-Spangled Banner* as the national anthem and that took place 60 years ago March 3rd. It was written by Francis Scott Key on Sept. 14, 1814 as he saw the American flag still flying over Fort McHenry after a battle with the British during the War of 1812 . . . Much has happened since . . . but the words are still hard for many to remember!

• **Lamb Or Lion? . . .** No matter how March comes in . . . there are only 20 more days 'til spring!

Governor Weld Welcomed At Monument Square Reception

photos by John Dillon



A RECEPTION honoring Governor William Weld was held on Feb. 21 at 4 Monument Square, the home

of Leslie Dangle. Over 50 residents had the opportunity to meet and talk with the governor personally

at the event hosted by Gerard and Kathleen Benoit, Leslie Dangle and John Falletti.

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Remembering . . .

Alumni Return For Annual Boys Club Reunion

photos by Michael Tognarelli



Remembering

by Charlie McGonagle

Many of the men simply walked up the street, but others drove from their new neighborhoods, some a great distance, but all came for the same reason, to relive a few moments of their youthful years at the old Charlestown Boys Club.

The oft-told stories were told once again, but somehow they seemed even more meaningful on this night of remembering. Some spoke of scoring the winning basket against the South Boston Clubhouse, some spoke of winning the 100-yard freestyle against the Pawtucket Boys Club, and others spoke of Louie and Stan and Sully and all the other men and women whose dedicated work transformed a red brick building in Charlestown into a Boys Club.

All of the men, some 175 strong, were there to say thanks to an organization which served some special purpose for them during their younger days in the Charlestown neighborhood. For some, the club was a home away from home and for others, the club was home.

They also came to recognize a couple of men for their contributions to the club and to the community. Bill "Speedy" Kane was the first to speak. He recalled his days at the

club, particularly the gym, when the late Fred Sullivan was physical education director and basketball coach. Bill's words came directly from the heart as he recalled the tremendous impact "Sully" had had on him and those with whom he played ball. Through these words, he made it quite clear that Coach Sullivan served as more than a coach to many of the boys, that he was, in fact, more of a father to some. As his words of thanks wound down to a conclusion, Bill summoned Fred Jr. and Danny Sullivan, to the podium to accept a plaque in honor of their father's many contributions to the old Charlestown Boys Club.

The contributions of Rudy Doenges were also recognized by those in attendance. Rudy's many years at the club led him to a lifetime of dedicated youth work. After spending many summers working with younger people at the pool at the Doherty Playground, Rudy displayed a natural ability to relate to the younger set by leading a group of preteens in the transformation of an old, weed-infested lot behind the club's High Street building into an attractive garden area.

The high esteem in which Rudy is held by members of his family became quite evident when younger brother David spoke of the impact his presence has had on his siblings



RUDY DOENGES was honored for his years of service to local youth at the annual Charlestown Boys Club reunion. Doenges was presented with a plaque in recognition of his contributions and his name has been inscribed on a permanent plaque that hangs in a

place of honor at the clubhouse. Shown (l. to r.) Denny Borden and Jimmy Connors, board members; Doenges; Steve Kenneally, chairman of the Alumni Committee; and Pat Sweeney, chairman of the board.

(photo by Michael Tognarelli)

over the years.

As the evening moved toward a conclusion and the men began their eventual return to today, they promised to be back next year to

once again visit that part of their past that has become so meaningful.

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SCHOOL SPOTLIGHT

St. Catherine's Mirror . . .



• **A First For St. Catherine School . . .** Should enough parents be interested, there will be a Kindergarten program at SCS beginning in September 1991! Kindergarten registration will be held at the school office from March 4 through 15 between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. To be accepted into this program, a child must be 5 years of age by Sept. 1. At this time we are in the planning stages with regards to opening and closing time. However, a full-day schedule will be set up for these children who will be the class of 2000!

• **Grades One Through Eight . . .** have openings for the 1991-92 school year. Parents who wish to enroll children may come to the school office between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., during days when the school is in session. There is a fee of \$50 for any registration in K through eight.

• **Cooperating Teachers . . .** Sister Barbara Hallisey and Anne O'Shea are presently working with Emmanuel College in the preservice teacher education program. We in the SCS community welcome Barbara Mack from Emmanuel to work with both



ANNMARIE O'SHEA'S SECOND GRADE CLASS participated in a recent Irish program at St. Catherine School. Shown front row (l. to r.) are Jennifer Ford, Justin Hermida, Roselyn Boyle, Stephen McCabe, Kevin Daniels and Timothy Brennan. Second row (l. to r.) Michael Travis, Douglas Masse and Loan Vu. Third Row (l. to r.) Nicole Eddy, Laurie Farrell, Debra Eatherton, Mrs. O'Shea, Crystal Lawton, John Fabiano and Thomas Centola. Back Row (l. to r.) John Lillis and Jenna Donovan.

(photo by Kathy Giordano)

teachers and students of grades two and five.

• **100 Days . . .** The following students are to be commended for their perfect attendance

for the first 100 days of the school year, here at SCS!

Grade One: Kelly Burke, Kathleen Lacey, Kendall Junta and William Durette.

Grade Two: Jennifer Ford.
Grade Three: Christina Biggins, Kelleigh Mahan, Bunny Riley, Jolie Burke, Jan Missett and Joseph Wilkins.
Grade Four: Melissa Missett and Jefflee Hermida.
Grade Five: Erin Dineen.
Grade Six: Tammy Biggins and Paul Keane.

• **Shorten The Road . . .** Tales Of Ireland, a theatrical presentation involving students from grades one, two, three and four was presented by children's actress Debbie O'Carroll in the school hall on Feb. 25. On their journey to the Emerald Isle, the audience met a magical, talking, tap-dancing donkey, imagined themselves as speakers of the Irish language and much more!

• **Alumni . . .** All Classes Take Note . . . There will be a reunion at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Saturday evening, Nov. 9. Continue to read the **Patriot** for more information. Suggestions for this undertaking are most welcome.

• **Servicemen . . .** Those who are readers of our column, be assured of remembrances in the prayers of faculty, staff and students of SCS.

Sister Catherine Loughran,
Principal

Residents Receive Scholarships At Don Bosco High School

A Mass for the Solemnity of St. John Bosco was celebrated for the students, faculty, staff and benefactors of Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston on the 103rd anniversary of the saint's death.

Charlestown recipients of scholarships awarded annually at the anniversary Mass included: Francis J. Coleman of 10 Lawrence St., Allen Roussel Scholar-

ship; Philip A. Zarate of 17 Albion Place, National Honor Society Scholarship; and Todd M. Fisher of 17 Corey St., Arthur Anderson Co. Scholarship.

The scholarships were presented by Charles A. Schuetz, principal, assisted by Father Sid Figlia, S.D.B., director of the school, and members from families for which scholarships were presented.

St. Francis de Sales School News



School Registration . . .

Registration for St. Francis de Sales School for grades one through eight takes place in the school office from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily. Information leaflets are available in the school office with details of the spiritual, educational and social activities of the school. September 1991 will begin 100 years of quality Catholic education at St. Francis.



MARGUERITE AND RANDY RANDAZZA share an Anniversary Dance at the first grade parents Valentine's Dance.



ENJOYING THE VALENTINE DANCE are (l. to r.) Josie Venezia, Fran Ringer, Mario Tognarelli and Florence Tognarelli.

Valentine Dance . . .

The first grade parents held their annual Valentine's Dance. A presentation was made to first grade teacher Linda Bergstrom by Anne Marie Murphy, a member of the First Grade Parents Committee. Music was provided by Alan & Tony of the D.J. Connection, and the hot and cold buffet and dessert was provided by the families of the school. As usual, a good time was had by all. Thanks go to Jackie Chaisson, Kazy Grzelcyk and their First Grade Committee. Thanks also go to Alice Ringer for the beautiful quilt that was drawn at the dance, and the lucky ticket was sold by Kathleen Lynch of grade one.



FATHER MAHONEY ANNIVERSARY BANNER is held by Michael Collins and Kristin Connolly.

Celebrates 35th Anniversary . . .

The students of St. Francis de Sales School joined in celebrating with Father Daniel Mahoney the 35 anniversary of his Ordination. The students presented Father Mahoney with banners, cards made by the students and three cakes from which Father Mahoney cut the first slice. Father John Stagnaro, principal, presented a gift from the faculty and staff of the school and parish.

On Dean's List

Dr. Nancy D. Harrington, president of Salem State College, is pleased to announce that Charlestown residents Kellie A. Cullen and Timothy J. Smith, both undergraduate students, achieved the academic honor of making the fall 1990

dean's list at SSC.

To earn dean's list status, a student must carry 12 credits or more per semester and attain a grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 with no incomplete or missing grades during the semester.

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Shea Serves As Girl Scout Cookie Sale Volunteer

Patriot's Trail Girl Scout volunteer, Janet Shea of Charlestown is serving as the Service Unit Cookie Manager for the 1991 Girl Scout Cookie Sale. This position encompasses a variety of responsibilities including processing troop orders, training troops in safety and sales procedures and supporting other community volunteers involved in the Cookie Sale.

"The Girl Scout Cookie Sale only comes along once a year," remarked Shea. "It is the major source of income for the Council, and it helps troops raise money for camping trips, program activities and special events." Shea also noted that girls can help defray the cost of summer camp and national and international travel opportunities through their sales efforts. Shea encourages Char-



GIRL SCOUT Cookie Sale volunteers include (l. to r.) East Boston residents Marilyn Ford and Anne Sangermano; and Charlestown resident Janet Shea.

(photo by Linda Haas)

lestown residents to support the girls in the community by participating in the sale. Residents who have not

been contacted by a Girl Scout taking orders door-to-door may order cookies by directly calling Patriots' Trail Girl Scout Council at 482-1078 or 1-800-882-1662.

Named To Dean's List

Dean of Students Jo-Anne Vanin has announced that two Charlestown residents qualified for the dean's list for the 1990 fall semester at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. The students are Ashley P. Doriss of 299 Bunker Hill St. and James Stella of 48 Mystic St.

In order to qualify, an undergraduate student must

receive a 3.5 grade point average or better on a four-point scale. "Because fewer than 15 percent meet this high standard, making the dean's list marks a significant accomplishment," said University Chancellor Joseph Duffey. "This academic honor is a source of pride to the entire University community."

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St. John Bosco,
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Exhibit To Open At BHCC Art Gallery

An exhibit of Constructed Paintings and Drawings by Ellen Rich will open in the Art Gallery of Bunker Hill Community College, New Rutherford Avenue, on March 1 and will continue through March 27. A reception will be held on Thursday, March 7 from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m.

The gallery hours are Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and by appointment.

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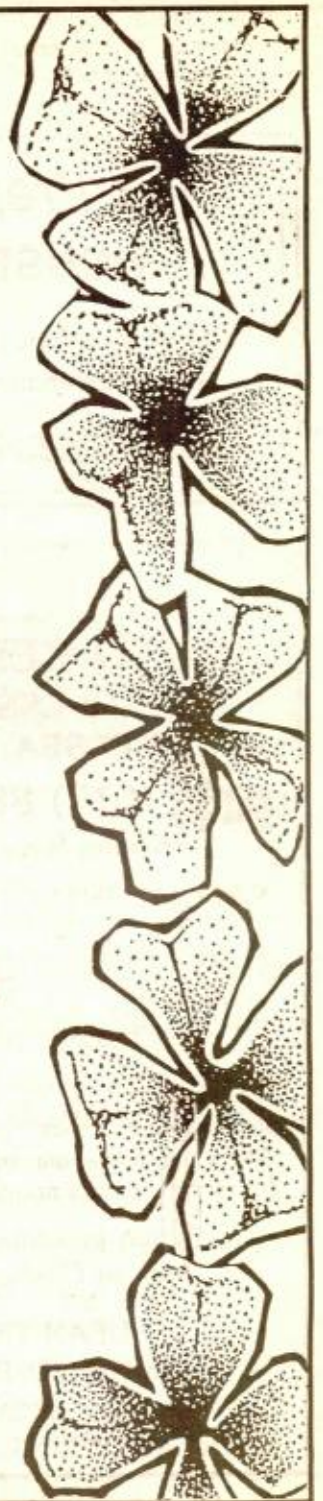
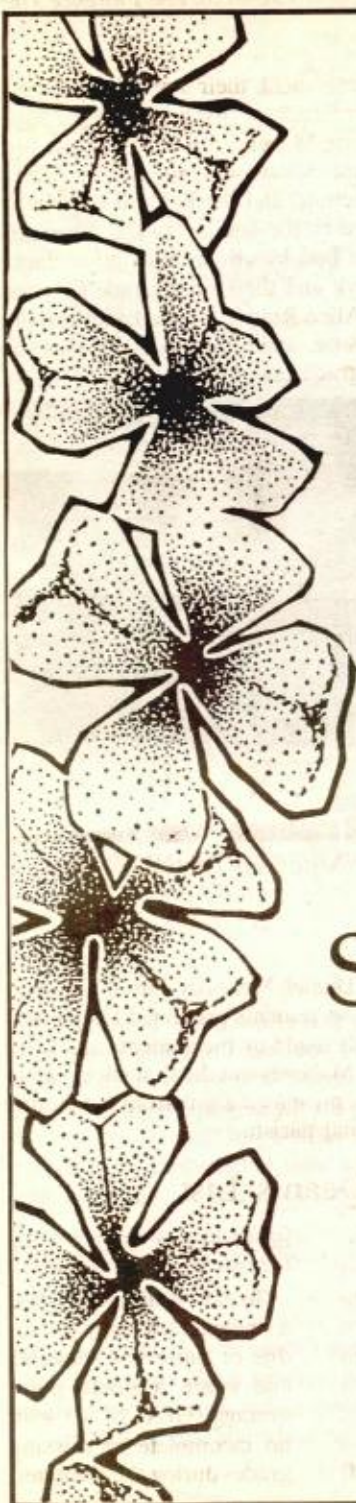
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UPDATE . . . OPERATION DESERT STORM



by Kathy Giordano

★ **Deadline . . . Deadline . . .** Easter Baskets to Charlestown's servicemen stationed in the Persian Gulf will be packed this Saturday, March 2. If you've been meaning to drop off something for the baskets, please do it now. Any and all donations can be brought to the **Patriot** office, One Thompson Square between now and Saturday at 1 p.m. If you'd like more info., call us at 241-9511.

★ **If You Have An Hour To Spare . . .** join us at One Thompson Square at 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 2 to help pack, seal and label the Easter Baskets for mailing. And, by the way, Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion will pay the postage to mail these packages.

★ **Address Changes . . .** An update of our servicemen's addresses includes:

CW2 R.D. Borden
024-34-6333

B Co. 47th SB (2nd Bde) 1st AD
Operation Desert Storm
APO N.Y., N.Y. 09663

Lt. Col. James O'Donnell
028-34-0692

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1st Marine Div.
FPO San Francisco, CA 96608-5500

Sgt. Samuel A. Morris
014-52-6346

557th N.C.S. Co., Maintenance
Rear D
APO N.Y., N.Y. 09749

★ **New Address . . .** Matthew Kyle of Dunstable Street was transferred to the Persian Gulf on Valentine's Day and ended up celebrating his 26th birthday on Feb. 23 over there. Matt has been in the Air Force for six years. Why not drop him a line and let him know he's being thought of?

Sgt. Matthew J. Kyle
1707 AREFW CP/OPS
APO N.Y., N.Y. 09617

From The Homefront To The Gulf

★ **Charlestown ServiceLADIES . . .** are included in Operation Desert Storm, but are serving their country in support teams elsewhere. Susan (Gardner) Evans grew up in the Bunker Hill Housing Development and graduated from Charlestown High School. She's 34 years old and is presently stationed in an Air Force hospital in England preparing for any wounded troops from the Gulf. Kathleen "Pee Wee" (Dennison) Paquette is on stand-by to be sent to the Gulf from her Washington, D.C. post. Pee Wee is in her late 20s and grew up on Oak Street. Although they might not be on the war front — yet — please send them a cheery note from home. We're told they are more than a little homesick and could use a little sunshine.

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APO N.Y., N.Y. 09198-0006
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★ **Brownie Troup 9307 . . .** will be selling Girl Scout cookies this Saturday to raise funds for the Easter Baskets going to the Persian Gulf. Each box will be decorated with a yellow ribbon, suitable for pinning on your coat, donated by Bunker Hill Florist . . . These little ladies raised money to purchase each box of cookies that they will sell. In turn, all the proceeds from the sale will be put toward buying items to be placed in the baskets. Plus, they will donate a box of cookies for each basket. Why not support their efforts and give them a little pat on the back at the same time at St. Mary's Parish Hall, Winthrop Street, Saturday, March 2 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

★ **A Call To Kelly Steele of Charlestown . . .** You were seen on Channel 7 last weekend during a newscast from a support group in Plymouth. The news story stated that you had a brother serving in the Gulf. Would you please

contact the **Patriot** office at 241-9511 so that we could include him in all that's trying to be done for Charlestown's servicemen? . . . If there is anyone else out there who has information on a Charlestown resident, present or former, who is stationed in the Gulf, please let us know. It might not mean anything to you, but to them it's word from home!

★ **Yellow Ribbons . . .** continue to go up. Adding to the list of businesses that have shown their support to the troops are: Boston Edison on Alford Street; the MBTA Maintenance Office in Sullivan Square; Engine 50 on Winthrop Street is displaying a "Support Our Troops" flag; Barrett's on Boston Harbour has decorated their entire dining room with yellow ribbons; and every train and bus in the MBTA fleet has been adorned with a yellow ribbon! . . . Store 24 in Thompson Square is setting aside a portion of the proceeds from each item in their Desert Storm merchandise toward the Army Relief Fund.

★ **Yellow Ribbon Dance . . .** will take place Friday night, March 1 at the Boys & Girls Club. Kids 12 and under are asked to come decorated in yellow ribbons (Good luck, moms, trying to find them!) with a prize for the best costume. Admission is only \$2. All in attendance will be asked to sign a card that's being sent to each Charlestown serviceman in Saudi Arabia.

★ **Prayer Reminder Boards . . .** at St. Francis de Sales Church are loaded with yellow doves, each imprinted with a name of a service man or woman serving in Operation Desert Storm. Any friend, relative or neighbor's name can be added to the board by contacting the rectory at 242-0147. Each name on the board is prayed for at daily Masses and by the children at St. Francis de Sales School.



Boston Sand & Gravel Shows Support Of The Troops



CEMENTING THEIR SUPPORT for the trucks with an appropriate expression of their sentiments. Manganiello worked for 50 hours designing and painting a yellow ribbon, American flag overlaid with a map



of the Persian Gulf, military armament and chasing agent. Shown next to the truck is Manganiello and Bob Connor, Boston Sand and Gravel pur- (photo by Kathy Giordano)

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I have been gone from Charlestown now for more than 20 years, but have almost always had the **Patriot** sent to me so that I could stay current with events in the town I grew up in. I always read "Not for Nothin'" and "Behind The Wall," and one writer that I miss very much is Charlie McGonagle. His human interest stories always remind me

of days past and the people that affected me. I could go on and on about the paper and you, but I'm going to try and get a few letters off to the people who have written to me.

I want to thank you again for the personal touch you give to the paper — as if it were written just for me. I also want you to know that this is not a letter to the editor, but a thank you to all of you (and to you, too, Jim) for the great job that you do.

God bless, take care and
Thanks for your support,
Bobby Borden

P.S. A good example of what I mean is your recent article about John Greatorex. I wish everyone could know this pillar of the community and the things he has done. I'm very proud to have known him since the early 50s and know what a wonderful human being he is.

B.B.

*Sullivan's Pays Tribute
To The Troops*



PATRIOTIC MURAL depicting five branches of the United States Military Service has been hung in Sullivan's Pub, 85 Main St. Proprietor Jack Sullivan commissioned local artist Nan Wilkins of High Street to create an appropriate painting portraying the Pub's support for the troops serving in Operation Desert Storm. Wilkins' chose to portray five servicemen in the uniforms of the Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Air Force, Army and Navy.

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TOWNIE SPORTS LINE

Charlestown Youth Hockey Notes

by Peter Golden

Bantam Report

The Bantams further tightened their hold on first place with a 7-1 blowout victory over Canton. Hustle, teamwork and passing were the keys to victory. Hopefully these keys will be present when the Bantams enter the State Championships on March 15 in Gardner.

Squirt I Report

The Squirt I team battled Brookline in a 1-1 tie. Dave O'Brien put the "Townies" up 1-0, finishing off a Jason Duncan pass with 1:40 left in the game. Unfortunately, Brookline roared back in the final minute to tie the game.

Squirt II Report

The Squirt team dropped a 5-3 decision to Parkway despite the fine play of Mike Machado in goal. Chase Runyon, Bobby Krol and Jack Kelly were the lamplighters. Dave Bryson and Kelly, on loan from the Mite team, played well in

their Squirt debut.

Mighty Mites Report GBL Mites

Sunday's action saw the GBL Mites drop a hard-fought 6-5 decision to Hyde Park. Despite the loss, the local lads featured a balanced attack with five different goal scorers. Fred Arroyo, John Ahearn, Matt Stein and the Kelly kids, Ed and Jack, had the scoring touch.

Murphy's Marauders

Murphy's Marauders tied Wakefield 3-3 on a goal scored with 28 seconds left in the game. Phil O'Neill, Pat McLaughlin and Jason Sousa scored the goals. Pat Doe was a passing wizard with three assists in the game. Jonathan Castro displayed excellent goaltending throughout the game.

Lynch's Leprechauns

The Leprechauns of Ed Lynch defeated Woburn 2-1. Brian Burke and Ryan Mainey were the snipers in this game. Ryan Connolly was excellent in goal.

Pee Wee Report

The Pee Wees of Moe Gillen had a bye in this week's GBL action.

In-House Teams

Saturday's games completed the regular season play as the In-House teams begin playoff action next Saturday.

The Flyers' 6-1 upset of the Wings combined with the Whalers' 10-3 victory over the Hawks produced a tie for first place with the Wings and the Whalers on top. The third game of the evening saw the Bruins beat the Sabres 6-1.

Players of the Week

Whalers	Chris Hayes Liam Lynch Brian McGonagle
Bruins	Phillip O'Neill Tom Smith Jon Castro Pat Lacey Chuck Ciulla John Ahearn
Flyers	Terry Smith
Sabres	Dave O'Brien
Wings	Brendan Coleman

Standings

Wings	11-4-0	22
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Whalers	11-4-0	22
Flyers	9-4-2	20
Bruins	7-7-1	15
Sabres	4-10-1	9
Hawks	1-14-0	2

In the first round of the playoffs, the Flyers will face the Sabres and the Bruins will meet the Hawks.

Tips Of The Hat . . .

The first of this week's "tips" goes to those "old legends" who defeated the "young pups" for the benefit of the CYHA. It was a great game that was enjoyed by all.

We give a "tip" to the Squirt I team for making it to the District Semifinals before losing a heartbreaking 4-3 overtime decision to Revere.

Reminder . . .

The CYHA Spring (?) Dance is being held this Friday night, March 1 from 8 to midnight at the K. of C. Hall. See Phil Coleman or Bill Burke for tickets. They promise no snow for this dance!

Charlestown Little League News

REGISTRATION

Registration for ALL Little League players will take place at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St., on the following dates:

Friday, March 8, 6 to 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 9, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Friday, March 15, 6 to 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 16, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

To be eligible for Little League, boys and girls must be 8 years old before Aug. 1, 1991, and must not turn 13 before Aug. 1, 1991.

The cost of registration is \$25 per family.

TRYOUTS

The schedule for tryouts is:

Saturday, April 6, beginning at 10 a.m.

Sunday, April 7, beginning at noon

RAINDATE: Saturday, April 13, beginning at 10 a.m.

All new players and players who played in the minor league last year must try out.

ATTENTION COACHES AND OFFICERS

The next meeting of the coaches and officers will be held this evening, Thursday, Feb. 28 at 7 p.m. at Memorial Hall, 14 Green Street.

NOTE: Anyone interested in volunteering as a coach or umpire should come to one of the registration dates and let your interest be known.

Teen Connection News

Congratulations . . . to The Total Package and the Nine Skinectadies on winning back-to-back coed volleyball championships. They captured the 1991 title last Thursday night.

Attention . . . An all-female Volleyball Tournament will be held Wednesday night, March 6. There is no age requirement. For details, call Danny, Greg or Kenny at 242-2770.

Boys Ball Hockey . . . rosters are due Monday, March 4 as games are starting on Tuesday night. Boys 19 and under can play, however, anyone 20 years old as of March 1 is ineligible.

Corrections . . . We appologize to Colleen Hayes and Brian McGonagle. We omitted their names on last week's Volleyball All-Star list. Also, the 1990 Flag Football Champions were the girls from the Main Street team. We apologize for these errors.

CYHA Travel Team Tryouts For The 1991-92 Season

Level:

Mite — 9 years old and under (cannot be 10 before Dec. 31, 1991)

Squirt — 10 and 11 years old (cannot be 12 before Dec. 31, 1991)

Pee Wee — 12 and 13 years old (cannot be 14 before Dec. 31, 1991)

Bantam — 14 and 15 years old (cannot be 16 before Dec. 31, 1991)

To try out for an age level above your birth group, you need permission from the CYHA Board of Directors before the tryouts.

Protected Teams:

Mite — One Greater Boston League, two Yankee Conference (International)

Squirt — Two Greater Boston League

Pee Wee — Two Greater Boston League

Bantam — One Greater Boston League

House League:

If you only intend to play in the In-House Program, there are no tryouts. Just plan to sign up at registration time.

Please Remember:

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Tryout Schedule:

Monday, March 11

5-7 p.m. Mites

7-8 p.m. Squirts

Tuesday, March 12

5-6 p.m. Squirts

Thursday, March 14

5-6:30 p.m. Pee Wee

6:30-8 p.m. Bantam

Friday, March 15

5-6 p.m. Squirts

6-7 p.m. Pee Wee

7-8 p.m. Bantam

Special Event:

From 4 to 7 p.m. on Saturday, March 16, the CYHA will feature year-end family skating.

Junior Bowling League Update

just as exciting as the first half of the season.

Standings

Team	Points
Erins	42
Sean Elevator	40
Jenny's Pizza	33
Mama Maria	32
Kennedy Center	28

Bunker Hill Florist	25
Charlestown Patriot	22
Sweeney's	22
B & B Oil	21
Kerrigan's	10
Bunker Hill Real Estate	8
Mr. Gourmet	7
Jason Melaugh of the Jenny's Pizza team had a	

terrific day last Saturday with three super strings and a high single of 96, helping to move his team up by eight points and into the third place position in the standings.

Stay tuned next week as the action continues.

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BOBBY D'S BEAT

by
Bob DeCristoforo

■ Bunker Hill Teen Council Attends Disney On Ice . . . Thanks to the efforts of Patty Papa of the Mayor's Office of Business and Cultural Development members of the Bunker Hill Teen Council attended the Disney on Ice show during vacation week. Each member of the council also brought a guest and a great evening was had by all. More activities of this nature will be taking place as the council moves ahead.

■ Townies Win City Hockey Title . . . Kempton Named MVP . . . The goal they wanted was reached. There were no coin flips this year, just good aggressive, offensive hockey. The Charlestown High Hockey Team is the Boston City Champion.

The "Townies" easily defeated Brighton to take home the title. Multi-goal performances were turned in by Jamie McLaughlin, Billy Kempton, Tony Matson, Joe Fitzgerald, Jimmy Gillen and Jamie Poole.

Kempton's effort earned him the Don Harrington Memorial Trophy, symbolic of the City Championship Game MVP. This is the first year the award was presented.

Congratulations to the players, the coaches and the supporters of Charlestown High Hockey.

The team is now preparing for the State Tournament game at noon on Sunday, March 3 in Watertown.

■ Hockey Express . . . Support Our Team. Transportation will be available to Sunday's State Tournament Game with a bus leaving from the Medford Street Gym at 11 a.m. sharp. The cost is \$5 per person. You must reserve a seat by Friday at noon by calling 242-2770.

■ St. Catherine's Wins Eighth Grade Boys Olympics . . . During school vacation week, St. Catherine's participated in the CYO Eighth Grade Boys Olympics for the very first time. St. Catherine's was the host parish for the event and Charlestown joined 12 other parish teams in the 17th annual Olympics held at West Roxbury High School.

St. Catherine (1) was coached by Paul Allen. Members of the team were Dennis Doris, Mark Luiso, Colin Swales, Jim McIsaac, Jim Yandle, Jim White, Paul Allen, Mike Lacey, Mike Chase, Jeff Houlihan and Brian Lacey.

St. Catherine (2) was coached by Bob DeCristoforo. Team members were Jimmy Tallent, Angel Moldanaro, Jason Smith, Chet Poliski, Tom McDonough, Timmy O'Shea, Sean Carrington, Adam Olsen, Danny Gibbons and T.J. Gould.

From 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. these teams took part in 14 events, with points earned for each event to a maximum of 120 points.

St. Catherine (2) did some amazing things. The team scored 37 points out of a possible 40 in the morning activities. After lunch we had a brief chat and said, "Let's just keep going hard, and see what happens."

In the afternoon when the team defeated Sacred Heart of Roslindale 4-3 in a ball hockey game, erasing a three-goal deficit, it crossed everybody's mind that we could bring home a trophy.

Going into the final two events we figured we were close to 100 points and that everything over 100 points would give us a shot at first, second or third place.

After the final event we chatted again, and I mentioned the fact that we all did our best, each member contributed to the day's activities, and that we could all be proud of our accomplishments. We anxiously awaited the results.

Place	Team	Official Results	Pts.
1st	St. Catherine (2), Charlestown		109
2nd	St. William, Dorchester		101
3rd	St. Kevin, Dorchester		96
4th	Gate of Heaven, South Boston		93
5th	St. Anthony, Allston		89
6th	St. Catherine (1), Charlestown		88
7th	St. Brendan, Dorchester		83
8th	Sacred Heart, Roslindale		79
9th	St. Theresa, West Roxbury		76
10th	St. John, North Cambridge		74
11th	St. Francis, Medford		73
12th	Our Lady of Lourdes, Jamaica Plain		71
13th	St. Ann, Somerville		69
14th	St. Margaret, Dorchester		62

Team MVP

Jimmy White, St. Catherine (1)
Jason Smith, St. Catherine (2)

We had one other squad in the olympics and you might call them St. Catherine's "A" Team. These were the Charlestown teens who helped staff the olympics and were tremendous help to Father Coyne. Without them the olympics would simply not work. Special thanks go out to Chris Sawyer, Jennifer Burns, Beth Golden, Jim Emerson, Jonathan Owens, C.J. Fornash, Jennifer Swales, Jason Messina, Tina McDonough, Joe Kacvinsky, Jonathan Lent, Dave Walsh, Jason Ezekiel and Chris O'Shea.

It was certainly another great day for Charlestown and for all our fine young people. We are the Champs!

50s And 60s Night With An Irish Hour Added

Winnie Powers Walsh, candidate for Mayor of Charlestown, has added a new twist for the benefit she is having on Friday, March 8, at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

Jack Dalton, singer, entertainer and guitarist of the South Boston Pub and Sully's Cafe fame, will be on hand to entertain with a medley of Irish songs from 7 to 8 p.m. Walsh promises a great night will be had by all with great songs and

dances of years gone by. A \$10 donation entitles you to 10 chances/votes for a round-trip airfare to Ireland or \$1,000 in cash.

Get your tickets early. Tables of 10 can be reserved and many have already been reserved. Don't forget, the time kicks off with Jack Dalton at 7 p.m. The D.J. starts at 8 p.m. and continues until midnight.

For tickets/chances to win, call Winnie at 242-0428.

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Community-Based Policing Plan Outlined For Neighborhood Council

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program, appoint a city-wide community policing coordinator and designate a community policing supervisor in each district. She added that the roles of the community service officer and youth service officer would be redefined and the program would be constantly monitored and reviewed.

In preparing for implementation of the community policing program, a training curriculum would be developed with input from the community, focusing on such issues as problem solving and cultural appreciation. Such training would be instituted for current personnel and recruits, and recruits would be assigned to community policing to complete their academy training.

Doherty stressed the importance of community input in this proposed policing plan. She said that Area Commanders would hold district-level meetings with community leaders to seek input into the components of the program such as determining drop-in locations, storefronts and walk and talk routes. The police would provide the community monthly updates on the

program.

In implementing the program, the police administration would be looking at three aspects: storefronts, drop-in locations and the walk and talk patrol.

Doherty said they are looking to establish storefronts within existing businesses and institutions. Such facilities would include a telephone and desk donated by the business and be selected with community input. She stated that following roll call, the community service officer would report to the storefront on a specific day and time to take reports, answer questions and provide public safety information. She added that the schedule might include specific hours at more than one site in a day.

In addition to the storefront, commanders would identify multiple drop-in locations in each sector. These sites would be determined, Doherty said, with community input and would require the officers to touch base with citizens and/or groups while remaining available to answer calls. She said the plan initially calls for 200-250 sites city-

wide. Another objective of the plan is to expand the walk and talk program. Doherty explained that this program involves a directed period of time during which the officer leaves the police vehicle and walks a predetermined route. She said that the pilot program instituted last October involves approximately 45 minutes per shift and they are looking to expand the time on the streets up to two hours per shift. Once again, community input would be solicited to identify the walking beats. In addition, plans are to include non-uniformed personnel on specific routes, primarily in business districts. She added that the goal is that 90 percent of all available officers would be out of their cars and walking in the neighborhoods daily for a specific period of time.

Doherty stated that Violence Reduction Strategies would be directed at priority locations — specifically those areas with high levels of violence, homicides, firearm violations and aggravated assaults.

Doherty explained that the plan increases the deployment of resources to locations experiencing high levels of violence and al-

lows the department to maximize current resources without affecting other neighborhoods or adversely affecting Priority One response. She stressed that the plan would not take officers from the districts.

Other violence reduction strategies would include warrant apprehension with the police following recent indictments involving violent crimes within priority locations, the developing of a most-wanted list by areas and establishing a court monitoring process to track results.

In addition, an anti-gun strategy would be developed said Doherty with two Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agents committed to the police department and the AT&F Task Force. The focus will be the removal of guns from the streets. A community task force would be established to make recommendations toward this end. One suggestion relative to this goal is setting a period of gun amnesty where individuals could turn in guns without fear of prosecution.

Following the presentation, council members questioned the commissioner on policing and the plan. Tom Cunha suggested that

there are some fine police officers from Charlestown and asked whether some of these officers, who know "who's who," could work in this community. Roache said they could ask if these officers want to be involved in the community. Cunha, noting the restrictions for emergency vehicles getting into the community, asked whether a facility such as the ambulance garage at Sullivan Square could be provided for the police. Roache said that such an issue would involve capital planning.

Jim Conway asked Roache if hours the officer would be in the storefront could be publicized much in advance so the residents, especially the elderly, could submit complaints and reports to the officers. He added that he believed the number of complaints would increase as it is presently so difficult to get in town to Area A. Roache said that notice of the storefront hours would be given a week in advance.

Peter Looney commended Area A Community Relations Officer Joe McNulty for his work in Charlestown. Looney went on to say that he didn't want

crime statistics in the neighborhood to escalate before the force is built up locally. He pointed out that Charlestown is growing, is going to continue to grow and a police station is necessary. Roache said that no resources will leave Area A, adding that Charlestown's problems are important to the police administration. He said he would have Ellen Daley contact the city's capital planning office as to the feasibility of a police station and would keep watch on the community's growth.

Roache told the council that community-based policing would probably do more to decrease violence than any other plan. He added that the police department will never solve all the problems but they "will work twice as hard." He also stated that if residents see officers out there doing their jobs well, he would like to know.

Public Safety Committee Chairman Mel Stillman told Roache that he would like to see this policing plan presented to the residents at a community meeting. Roache said such a meeting could be arranged in the near future.

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★ **City Square** — Two pedestrians just missed injury in an early morning construction accident in City Square on Monday, Feb. 25. Several hundred pounds of rock and debris broke loose from the North Washington Street Bridge construction area and came crashing down onto the pedestrian walkway on Water Street. The 8:20 a.m. incident happened with no warning and left construction crews and pedestrians badly shaken, but uninjured.

Jonathan Yeo, an MWRA employee, had just walked across the MDC locks on his way to work in the Charlestown Navy Yard by using the sectioned-off pedestrian walkway through the construction site. He reported that as he was reaching the section of Water Street immediately after the bridge underpass, large rocks and debris "came rushing down right in the middle of the walkway." Yeo stated that another pedestrian just in front of him only missed getting the full weight of the debris on top of him by seconds.

Stephen Collins, community liaison for the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) project stated: "The capstone was dislodged by vibrations caused by construction about 60 feet away. It was an unforeseen and unfortunate accident. We're grateful that no one was hurt."

Massachusetts Department of Public Works spokesperson Jody D'Ursu stated: "We have been assured by Ed Barr, CANA coordinator, that this was a freak accident. Public safety is our top priority." She said that MDPW Chief Engineer George Turner and CANA Administrator Horace DelGrasso toured the site shortly after the incident "to ensure that nothing like this could happen again."

Collins further explained: "The capstones at the pedestrian underpass have been removed and additional precautions are being taken to prevent this from recurring." He also stated: "Sometime during the next week that entire wall will be dismantled. During construction, pedestrians will be rerouted onto the street and police officers will be on duty. The department will also be putting up additional pedestrian signs and marking the pavement to further ensure safety."

Another minor incident was reported on Wednesday, Feb. 27. Construction crews working on the opposite side of Water Street at the end of the North Washington

Street Bridge inadvertently dropped debris onto the roadway, nearly missing an automobile just entering the street from the underpass. Barr stated that construction inspectors and detail police officers at the scene at the time of the incident reported that traffic had been stopped while the heavy equipment moved the concrete debris. The driver of one vehicle did not heed the orders, he said, and went ahead resulting in a portion of the debris just missing his car.

Barr added: "We are taking every precaution to ensure the safety of the public in and around the project area. That section of the bridge construction project was closed to all traffic between 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. on Feb. 27 while the remaining portion of the bridge was demolished."

★ **H.P. Hoods** — Two masked gunmen robbed the credit union at H.P. Hoods on Rutherford Avenue on Tuesday, Feb. 26, getting away with an estimated \$70,000.

Boston Police Department Community Relations Officer Joe McNulty reported that the two men entered the rear of the factory around 1:40 p.m. and told the

employees, "Don't move and no one will get hurt." One of the suspects was tall with a thin build and wore a three-quarter-length black leather jacket and a gray ski mask. He brandished a large handgun, believed to be a .357 magnum. The other suspect was 5'7" tall, wearing a short tan jacket and a light gray ski mask. It was reported that he carried an automatic handgun.

McNulty stated that a third man was waiting in a light blue Buick in the parking lot. All three fled in the car onto Rutherford Avenue and drove in the direction of Somerville. The car was reported stolen and found in Somerville on Feb. 27.

The incident is being investigated by the FBI, the Boston Police Bank Squad and detectives from Area A.

★ **Community Schools** . . . The Charlestown Community School Council election took place on Feb. 21.

Elected to the council were: Precinct 4, Mary MacInnes; Precinct 5, Anna Leonard; and At-Large, Jim Mansfield, Jacqueline Robinson and Thomas Desmond.

These newly elected council members will serve for a period of two years.

JOHN "SMOKEY" JOHNSON
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the death of our Dad
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because you were the greatest Dad,
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Friday, March 1

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

Monday, March 4

10 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Tuesday, March 5

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

Wednesday, March 6

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Anchorage Apts.
10 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments
10 a.m. - Arts & Crafts, Social Services and
Social Security Representative, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Thursday, March 7

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

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

CHAP Goes To The State House

When the Honorable William F. Weld made a proposal to cut over \$5 million from the elderly Home Care program, seniors from all over Massachusetts converged on the State House. The seniors chose Feb. 13 as the day to present the governor with valentine messages pleading with him to have a heart and not cut home care for the elderly. Most senior groups believe that the governor does not realize the rippling effect these cuts will have on the state.

The community's own Charlestown Healthy Aging Program (CHAP) was well represented at the State House on Feb. 13. Although Gov. Weld was not available to receive his valentines, the CHAP group was not discouraged.

CHAP met with an aide to Rep. Richard Voke, Sen. Tom Birmingham and Rep. Sal DiMasi. These elected

officials assured CHAP they would do what they could to avert this action. Birmingham had already sent a letter to the governor concerning the cuts. Rep. DiMasi's aide, Bob DeLaruso, had attended a meeting sponsored by Senior Home Care and was well aware of the harmful effects of these cuts.

CHAP wishes to thank all those who made the over 150 valentines delivered to the governor. CHAP is working tirelessly to make things better for all residents of Charlestown. Your support and cooperation would be greatly appreciated.

The next CHAP meeting is on Tuesday, March 5 at the Constitution Co-op Apartments at 11:30 a.m. We hope you can attend.

For more information, please contact Denise Monks at the Kennedy Center, 241-8866.

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- **Quilting** — Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **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 to Thursday from noon to 4 p.m., contact Christine Pizzurro.
- **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.

TAX CLINIC

There will be a Tax Clinic on Wednesday, March 6 and Wednesday, March 13 at 6:30 p.m. at the Golden Age Center. Contact Sheila Walsh for further information.

TRIPS PLANNED

The center is planning a trip to the Beacon Motel in Lincoln, N.H. for a St. Patrick's Day Party and Clambake on March 6 and 7. The two-day, one-night trip includes three meals and the cost is \$109 based on double occupancy.

A trip to Bally's Park Place Casino Hotel in Atlantic City is planned for April 1 to 3. The cost of the trip is \$169 per person based on double occupancy. The package includes bonuses of \$30 in coin and a \$15 food credit. A \$50 deposit is required when the reservation is made with the balance due by March 1. Please see Sheila Walsh for further information.

BUS TO STOP & SHOP

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

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McCabe received a grant to run a project that will assist in the examination of our earth, environment, and examine energy resources for today and the future.

Through the project, students will be able to identify pollution and weather's role in its control, gain an understanding of what one can do to help preserve our environment, and examine energy resources that are environmentally safe.

The teachers were selected by an application review committee consisting of educators and Boston Edison's Educational Services Manager. The winners receive up to \$300 for their classroom projects and must prepare final reports on their work. The reports will be compiled and published in a booklet made available to other teachers.

C.Y.O. NEWS

by
Father Ron Coyne

• **CYO Basketball** — St. Catherine's entered six teams in the CYO Basketball League (five boys' teams and one girls' team) for the first time in many years. We thought it might be a new experience because many were totally unfamiliar with CYO. We realized it would be difficult transporting our teams to various sites in and around Boston for the away games. We weren't sure if we could get enough gym time for practices and games. We wondered about the finances for uniforms and referees. We didn't know if we could attract coaches to a new program, etc.

Well, we just completed a season that began on Dec. 9 and for the last two months our young boys and girls have represented Charlestown throughout the CYO circuit and truly made themselves and all of us proud of their athletic ability and attitude. We played a total of 90 games during this time, and St. Catherine's CYO teams were a credit to all. The beauty of the CYO League is that it enables our young people to welcome opposing teams to Charlestown and make them feel at home. At the same time, as we travel to various parishes we have the opportunity to let people know what type of program and people we have.

We thank our teams for their dedication, our coaches for their concern for youth, our parents for their support, our sponsors for their financial backing, our community for gym time (the Boys & Girls Club and Community Schools), our cheerleaders for their energy and our parishes for the incentive.

Any boy or girl who played CYO Basketball had a very positive experience with CYO sports. Hopefully each of them and many more will play for us next season.

• **CYO Hockey** — Our CYO hockey season ended recently as we entered playoffs against first place St. Theresa's, West Roxbury, who had an undefeated record. Because of the stamina of this young team and the direction of our coaching staff, we had a very successful first season in the CYO Hockey League. We travelled each week to the Quincy and Milton MDC rinks to play. The playoff game ended with a 3-2 score. St. Theresa's won the game, but our accomplishments throughout the season did not go unnoticed as we finished the season with the fewest penalties of any team and impressed all those who watched us on the ice. We are very proud of all the boys who played on our team and we thank Tom McGoff, Paul Wrenn and Steve Considine, the coaches who brought this team together and gave them the incentive to play well.

• **Girls Color Guard** — It took us seven weeks of practice and competition but St. Catherine's "Little Townies" won their first trophy of the season in the Eastern Massachusetts Color Guard Circuit on Feb. 16 at Everett High School. They finished in third place behind Sacred Heart, Roslindale and Karizima, Lynn. This accomplishment not only touched the hearts of all our girls and their families but was overwhelmingly well received by the hundreds of people in the audience. They know how hard it is to begin a program such as a color guard and to compete in divisions with girls who have marched much longer than our six months. These girls generate excitement and we are so happy that they and their parents have chosen this healthy activity to enable them to build self-esteem and confidence. We are so proud of you. Their next competition will be held on Saturday, March 2 at Gardner High School beginning at 5 p.m. We appear within the first hour.

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The Howell for Mayor of Charlestown Committee is planning a gala fund-raising night on Saturday, March 9

from 8 p.m. to midnight at Memorial Hall on 14 Green Street.

Dennis Moore, Charlestown's own D.J., will supply the entertainment. There will be a cash bar, prizes and raffles. The donation of \$5 will not only admit you

to an evening of fun and entertainment, but will give you five chances to win a trip to Ireland or \$1,000 in cash.

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- YELLOW RIBBON DANCE**
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- LATIN SCHOOL PREPARATION**
 The Education Department is offering an enrichment program for fifth grade members who are interested in taking the Latin School exam in November. This program will include both academic and hands-on activities in science, computers, social studies and reading. In addition, field trips of an enrichment nature are planned. Also, a Latin School test preparation class will be offered on Wednesdays from 4 to 5 p.m. Anyone interested in either program should contact Connie MacDonald at the club.
- NATE HURWITZ TOURNAMENT**
 The deadline for teams to enter the 69th annual Nate Hurwitz Basketball Tournament is March 12. Applications are available at the clubhouse.
- DECATHALON OVERNIGHT**
 On Saturday, March 2, the Keystone Club and the Teen Center will sponsor a Decathlon Overnight. This will be for all club members 12 and 13, but it is limited to the first 30 members (15 boys and 15 girls) who sign up. The cost is \$4 and includes food. The event will end at 9 a.m. on Sunday morning. Larry is cooking breakfast!
- CLUB CLOSING**
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**Evers To Speak With
 Adult Discussion Group**

Judy Evers, Charlestown liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, will be the guest speaker at the Charlestown Branch Library's Adult Discussion Group on Friday, March 1 at 10 a.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

Evers, who is Charlestown's advocate in the mayor's office, will outline her duties for the group. She will talk about keeping abreast of Boston Housing Authority issues, helping to mediate pressures in the high school and working on resident issues.

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Thank You, Fantastic Sam's

I would like to thank the folks at Fantastic Sam's hair salon in the Bunker Hill Mall for finding and returning my wallet.
Sincerely,
Anna Roche

Thank You For Participating

I would like to thank everyone who participated in the benefit hockey game between the Charlestown High School All-Stars and the Charlestown Youth Hockey Organization coaches on Feb. 22. I hope everyone had a good time.
David Hansen

Thanks For Your Support

I would like to thank everyone who attended the benefit hockey game between the Charlestown High School All-Stars and the Charlestown Youth Hockey Organization coaches on Feb. 22. Your support was greatly appreciated.
David Hansen

My Thanks

Dear Gloria,
I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to the many friends and neighbors who graciously sent get well wishes during my recent illness.
I truly appreciate the flowers, cards, phone calls and visits.
Sincerely,
Joan Walsh

Congratulations To The CHS Hockey Team

Congratulations to the Charlestown High School Hockey Team for winning the City Crown. Keep up the good work, kids, in your games ahead.

It's great to have memories brought back about what we were so proud of in years past. I enjoyed reading Dan O'Neil's article about past hockey years. Also, where have they all gone?

I'm sure even though a lot of us "Townies" don't go to games to see you, our thoughts are with you always.
Again, keep up the good work.
Margie O'Halloran

A Sincere Thank You

Dear Gloria,
We would like to extend a sincere thank you to the entire Charlestown community for the overwhelming response to our fund raiser on Feb. 22 at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

We would like especially to thank the K. of C. for donating the hall; Mary Haskell, director of sales for Marriott Hotels for donating a weekend at the Marriott, won by Sheila Sweeney; Yankee Bus Line for donating a trip to Atlantic City for two, won by MaryAnn Ryan; Linda Howell, candidate for Mayor of Charlestown, for donating a \$25 gift certificate, won by Tish MacInnes; Winnie Walsh, candidate for Mayor of Charlestown, for donating a handmade quilt, won by B. Depauw; and Joanne Etherton for donating a \$25 gift certificate to The Lunch Box, won by Margaret O'Callahan. Twenty-five lottery tickets were won by Lillian Boutilier.

Again, thank you all for helping to make this such a great night for us. We were all pleased to realize that we had so many supporters!!

Sincerely,
The Council and Staff of
Charlestown Community Schools

Community Rallied For Community Schools

A great big "thank you" to the staff of the Charlestown Community Schools and the many others responsible for the wonderful turnout on Friday evening, Feb. 22.

The children of our town are certainly fortunate, benefiting daily from the many programs offered: sports competitions, bus trips, evening trips (movies, hockey games, etc.), ski trips, and many other fun and healthy activities. I would be remiss if I didn't give a much-deserved accolade to the staff for their patience and untiring efforts in trying to keep our children happy and busy.

The parents rarely have a chance to express their gratitude to the Community Schools, but it was clearly evidenced Friday evening that we care and want to thank you all very much.

Sincerely,
M.E. Ryan

My Thanks For Your Help

Dear Gloria,
I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who attended the Bike Across America Kickoff Fund Raiser at the Ironside Grille last Saturday evening. Thanks also go out to my local sponsors Ironside Grille and McCarthy Brothers Liquors for their time and effort in organizing this event, which was a major success. I would also like to thank The Print Stop for their help with the chance books which will continue to be available at my sponsors' business locations.

Many of my friends in Charlestown have helped me in the effort to reach my goal of raising \$5,000, and at this time, I'd like to thank the following: John Allen, Paul Allen, Mary Boucher, Paul Brady, Paul and Susan Breen, Jackie Burke and family, Billy Canton, "Young Bobby" Devine, Moe Devlin, Walter and Agnes Doherty, Walter and Ginger Doherty, Eddie Donovan, Dr. Clyde C. Lewis, Patrick Duffly, Engine 50 Group One, Christine Fitzgerald, Ronan and Mary FitzPatrick, John and Linda Gallagher, John Garvey, Eddie Johnson, Debbie Fitzgerald Kane, Eddie Kavanagh, Billy and Shelley Kelly, James and Margaret Kelly, Eddie and Sheila Mahan, Harry and Suzanne McCarthy, Richie McCarthy, Ann McKinnon, Pudgie O'Connor, Kenny Payson, Steve Marsel Studio Inc., Stickney Associates, Patrick Sullivan, Pat Sullivan and Michael and Winifred Walsh.

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Wednesday, Feb. 20

At 11:30 a.m., a resident of Ninth Street reported that while parking his motor vehicle, a man described as about 20 years old wearing a baseball cap and a blue windbreaker, approached the victim, showed a handgun and demanded that the victim get out of his automobile. The man then stole the victim's wallet and fled on foot.

At 5 p.m., two juveniles entered the liquor store at 200 Bunker Hill St. and fled with a case of beer.

At 5:30 p.m., two men entered the Main Street Market at 435 Main St. Both wore ski masks, one wore a red and gray jacket and the other wore a red jacket. Both showed knives and demanded the receipts. They then fled on foot with an employee in pursuit who lost the suspects on Rutherford Avenue.

At 8 p.m., officers on patrol observed two individuals attempting to break into an automobile at First Avenue and Ninth Street. The suspects attempted to flee on foot with the officers in pursuit. Both individuals, a 17-year-old resident and a 16-year-old resident, were apprehended and placed under arrest.

Thursday, Feb. 21

At 2 p.m., Officers Hogan and Hennessey observed two individuals jump from a parked automobile at 74 Decatur St. As the officers approached, the suspects fled on foot with the officers in pursuit. One of the suspects, a 15-year-old East Boston resident, was placed under arrest after being apprehended on the roof of an adjoining building. The vehicle had been reported stolen.

At 6 p.m., Officer Peters responded to 28 Monument Court where he found the residence had been broken into.

A window had been smashed.

At 7:30 p.m., two individuals entered the liquor store at 200 Bunker Hill St. One was carrying a knife and the other was carrying a handgun. They demanded the receipts after ordering the employee to lay on the floor. They then fled on foot.

At 9 p.m., the restaurant at 99 Cambridge St. was called to deliver food to 57D Old Landing Way. As the delivery man arrived, he was greeted by two men in the hallway. One showed a handgun and demanded the food. The victim ran from the scene.

An automobile parked on Spice Street was broken into.

Friday, Feb. 22

At 1 a.m., vandals broke three windows of the cleaning establishment at 245 Main St. and then fled on foot.

At 10:40 p.m., Detective Langlois approached an individual on Elm Street carrying a ladder. As the individual was approached, he threw the ladder at the detective and fled on foot.

During the evening, automobiles parked on Main Street, First Avenue and Monument Square were broken into.

Saturday, Feb. 23

At 5:30 a.m., Officers Bulman and Meade observed a 30-year-old resident looking into various automobiles parked on Decatur Street while carrying a beer can. The suspect was approached and was found to be carrying burglarious tools. He was placed under arrest.

At 11:30 a.m., a 38-year-old resident was placed under arrest at 25 Carney Court for possession of drugs with intent to sell. Eight packets of cocaine were recovered.

An automobile parked on Monument Street was broken into during the evening, and an attempt was made to steal the radio.

Sunday, Feb. 24

An automobile parked at 260 Main St. was vandalized.

At 1 p.m., Officer Bollen arrested a 40-year-old Framingham man on Cambridge Street for automobile violations.

An automobile parked on Corey Street was broken into during the evening.

Monday, Feb. 25

At 2:50 a.m., officers responded to an apartment at 283 Main St. on the report of a man shot. Upon arrival, they found a 26-year-old resident on the floor with gunshot wounds to his arm and head. He was transported to Mass. General Hospital. A woman and two small children were in another room and were not injured.

These incidents are under investigation by detectives of Area A.

Residents are reminded: If you know of any drug activity in your neighborhood, call the Boston Police Hot Line at 247-5625. It is not necessary to give your name, and all information will be investigated.



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