

## Sheriff Kearney Visits Teen Center



TEENS AND ADVISORS from the Charlestown Teen Center give Sheriff Kearney a warm"Townie" welcome during recent visit.

## William "Billy" Carroll

## Farewell, My Comrade

St. Mary's Church was packed this past Monday morning, as hundreds of friends, relatives fellow members of the Boston Police Department and Marine Corps "buddies" from the First Marine Division Association filled the church to overflowing as they paid their final respects at the Requiem Mass for Patrolman William F. Carroll of Charlestown.
"Billy", a 17 year veteran of the Police Department, died Thursday January 25 , dig9 Beth Israel Hospital where at Beth Israel Hospital where he was rushed that day suffering a fatal heart attack. He was only 48 years of age and till then in the prime of health
"Billy" would have loved the send off he was given - the wonderful eulogy - the detail of 30 Police Officers, led by the Police Color Guard that marched from
the church to Thompson Square were they formed an Honor Guard for the funeral cortege to pass through. The impressive U.S. Marine Corps Firing Squad from Worcester - all in dress blues - under the command of Captain Carter Hunt, a close friend of "Billy's", who fired their final salute to their fellow Marine, as taps was sounded by the trumpeter from the Boston Police Department, at the internment ceremony at Woodlawn Cemetery. Followed by the presentation of the American Flag - which he so proudly fought under as a Marine - by Captain Hunt to "Billy's" single sister Patricia who made a home for her bachelor brother for the past several years.
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The deadline for copy and advertisements remains Monday at $6: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. to be included in the Thursday issue, and the telephone number is still 241-9511.

## Scholarships Available

(photo by Jim Charbonnier)


#### Abstract

The Norumbega Woman's Club of Charlestown, through the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, has available several scholarships for this year's High School Graduates. These are offered by the Art Institute of Boston Endicott College Fisher Junior College College, Fisher Junior College, and Mount ida Junior Coliege for


 plication to any of these schools.life - who attended his Requiem Mass. School chums who sat side by side with him in the public school system in Charlestown. Neighbors who grew up with him first on Pleasant Street and then later when he moved to Union Street, at the corner of Lawrence. Marine buddies - such as Gunney Sergeant Bill Hughes, Col. Dan Regan and Jim "O'Bie" O'Brien of Monument Ave., formerly of Chestnut Street, who were fellow active members of the First Marine Division Association. Members of his family including his six sisters: Margaret McLaughlin of Dorchester
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On Tuesday evening, February 6, 1979 at 7 p.m. a meeting of the Charlestown Veterans Com mittee and Friends of the Bunker Hill Day Parade will be held at the Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion lower hall.

All interested residents of Charlestown are cordially invited to attend and sign up to work on the various parade committees: bands, military, militia, floats,

There are also an Art and a Music Scholarship.
An Art Contest with a small award is being held for Young People ages 9-14.
Anyone desiring more information should get in touch with Miss Mona E Shute, 29 Auburn St. Tel. 242-1960. All applications must be filed before March 1st.

## Parade Committee To Meet

community organization par ticipation, fund raising etc With the enthusiasm shown at the last meeting and with additional volunteers this year's Bunker Hill Day Parade- Sunday afternoon, June 17th, 1979-should be one of the best in years. Chief Marshal Arthur L. Hurley and the Charlestown Veterans Committee looks forward to a reat celebration with the influx of new volunteers.

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## Charlestown Community Calendar

Thursday, February
Basketball League Registration (5th \& 6th grade boys) $-6: 30$ to $7: 30$ p.m. - Kent Gym
Friends of the Li

Friday. February
Library
Saturday. February 3
National Teamball League Game - 7:30 p.m. - Medford Street Gym Sunday, February 4
Charlestown Preservation Society Meeting - 8 p.m. - Charlestown

Monday. February 5
Adult Film Program - 2:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library
Special Liturgy in honor of St. Catherine's School Week - 7:30 p.m. t. Catherine's Church (lower hall

Meeting of Charlestown Merchants \& Businessmen-7:30 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street
Tuesday, February 6
Registration for Grade 1 at St. Catherine's -9 a.m. to 11 a.m. - School Child
Children's Film Program - 3:30 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Legion
Hall, 27 Chestnut Street

Wednesday, February 7
Registration for Grade 1 at St. Catherine's -9 a.m. to 11 a.m. - School Office.
Thursday, February 8
Teen Night At The Library - 6:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library
Special Mass - 7:00 p.m. - St. Francis de Sales Church
St. Catherine School Open House - 7 p.m. to $9: 00$ p.m. - St. Catherine's School
Saturday, February 10
Charlestown Community Center Birthday Dinner/ Dance - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Sunday, February 11
Senior Citizens Valentines Day Party - noon to 4 p.m. - Kent Community School.
Friday, February 16
Penny Sale - $6: 30$ p.m. -St. Catherine's School Hall
Valentine's Dance - 8:00 p.m. - St. Francis de Sales Church Hall
Thursday, February 22
Teen Night At The Library - 6:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library Friday, March 2
Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Annual Corned Beef Dinner - 7:30 p.m.
K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Saturday, March 24
10th Annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner/ Dance - $6: 15$ p.m St. Catherine's Hall.

## Farewell, My Comrade

(Continued From Page One) Madeline Silvestri of East Boston, Mildred Fishera of Melrose, Henrietta Murray. Helen Hoey and Patricia Carroll all of Charlestown and their families.
The Sullivan Clan of Washington Street-several of the brothers and sisters were at the service - whose house during 'Billy's" youth was called a "second home."
His fellow Police Officers - that Thin Blue Line - many of thom he had served with since his appointment to the department in 1961 in District 14 Allston Brighton AllstonThose
Those he met socially or
through his affiliation with Bunker Hill Council No. 62, Knights of Columbus, The Boston Police Patrolman's Association and other organizations.
Many, at the church, like this writer, possibly reflected on the many ways that "Billy" Carroll had touched their lives and had touched their lives and prought a bit of humor, hapsharing a libation and joining in a sharing a libation and joining in a
song - preferably Irish if not the Marine Corps Hymn.
Me was known to gather with both TOWNIE friends and First Marine Division Association Marine Division Association
buddies at Sully's, at Union and buddies at Sully's, at Union and Lynde Street, on a Saturday

T.V. or on festive occasions join in song
He took great pride in being a Marine, having served with distinction for 6 years, including a combat tour during the Korean Conflict. After his honorable discharge, he continued his love for the Corps through his afiliation with the First Marine Division in which he had been active for past decade.
This writer, as he reflected in the Church, recalled vividly - as if it was only yesterday rather than close to 40 years ago-when he, as a product of the Charlestown Clubhouse, Boys' Clubs of Boston as was "Billy", both spent part of a summer vacation at Camp Wing. How "Billy" - long-legged "Billy" - won the road race and the coveted prize with this writer coming in second.
After a lapse of a number of years both paths crossed again in the early 1960 's. Meeting "Billy" with John Dunlea and John MacDonald in an Irish organization called the Tara Club of Boston. All four were amongst those invited to a private party at $331 / 2$ Beacon Street. Boston in which the great Irish writer Brendan Behan was the guest of honor
How "Billy" and Dunlea would vie in singing Irish songs and through the Tara Club "Billy" gained friendship with Mary Tierney who originally wrote an Irish column for the Herald-

Traveler Newspaper
Then this writer and "Billy's' paths again crossed a few years back at the First Marine Division Association when the meetings were held at the Club at the Marine Barracks at the Charlestown Navy Yard.
It was a pleasure for this writer to know "Billy" Carroll not as a close personal friend but as a fellow TOWNIE - to have the good fortune of knowing "Billy" and the opportunity of joining with him in the growing process and the camradie of both song and mutual love and pride in the U.S. Marine Corps.
"We salute you" Billy Carroll
"Farewell our comrade."

## Parents'

## Discussion Group

The Parents' Discussion Group of the Charlestown Branch Library will present "From Yankee to Irish" a program on the influence of the Irish in Boston, the reasons for their immigration, and the response of the Yankees on Friday morning, February 9, 1979 at 10:00 a.m. The speaker will be Ms. Sam Barnes of the Boston Community School.
All are welcome. Children who are at least three years of age are welcome at the pre-school story hour held at the same time.

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## Chad Green Belongs With His Parents

by Freda Getherall
When the parents of Chad Green of Scituate were ordered back to the Massachusetts Superior Court by Judge Guy Volterra, it was said that Laetrile was on trial. That obviously is the issue.
Seventeen states thus far have legalized the use of Laetrile within their boundaries-Alaska, Arizona, Delaware, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Nevada, New Hampshire. New Jersey, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, Maryland, Idaho and Washington...but the attempts to do it here have never succeeded.
On December 14 of last year, a five member panel of the Appellate Division of New York State Supreme Court ruled that nine year old Joey Hofbauer can continue a life saving program of metabolic treatment, including the use of Laetrile, for his cancerous Hodgkins desease, He is a patient of Dr. Michael Schachter, nutritional specialist of Nyack, N.Y. and is being treated without chemotherapy. The Appellate Division panel upheld a June 28, 1978 ruling by Saratoga County (N.Y.) Family Court Judge Loren Brown. At that time, Judge Brown said: "This court also finds that
metabolic therapy has a place in our society; and hopefully its proponents are on the first rung of a ladder that w
forms of cancer.
Mrs. Hollis
Mrs. Hollis Green, the boy's grandmother, told me in an interview that metabolic treatment does indeed have a place in our society, but that few medical colleges in the United States have courses on nutrition.
She also felt that the pressure was on the media to downgrade the Green's arguments and that the opinions of Dr. Ernesto Contreras, who had practiced medicine for 38 years, was deserving of more respect. She
described him as a man of kinddescribed him as a man of kindness and understanding.
Mrs. Green said, "the government is very powerful, but Diana and Jerry, through their courage are blazing a trail-not only for the sake of their little boy, but for all the Chads of the world.' If you would like to help them, donations may be sent to the Chad Green Fund, Plymouth Home National Bank, 34 School St., Brockton, Mass. 02401.

FORCED BUSING LOSES
IN CALIFORNIA SENATE In California, State Senator Alan Robbins (D-Van Nuys) has thus far been tremendously

## USO To Celebrate 38th Birthday

The USO, founded in 1941 to serve the welfare and morale needs of the armed forces, is celebrating its 38 th birthday with an open house at the Boston USO Center, 104 Boylston Street, Sunday, February 4th, 1979, from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
During times of war and peace, the military members and their families have always had a true friend, both stateside and overseas, in the USO. In 1978, some 38,500 (unduplicated visits) servicemen and women visited the Boston USO Center.
Among the services available to the Military are free or discount tickets to theatre and sporting events, hay rides, ski weeks and a wide variety of other social events.
The presence of seven U.S. Navy ships in Boston for overhauls has taxed USO's
facilities, but the center's staff and volunteers have responded to the challenge. Some 7,500 volunteer hours were served 1978. People helping people. Special Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners were served to those unable to get home for the holidays, followed by a night at the theatre.
The USO, a civilian, non-profit organization is supported by the contributions of the American public through the United Way combined federal campaign and individual donations
The general public is invited to attend the festivities and to show their support of the only social agency, exclusively designed to meet the needs of today's armed forces.
For more information, please contact the USO Center telephone number 542-7257, 7258
uccessful toward getting an antibusing amendment on the ballot for 1980 .
On January 10, 1979 the amendment was approved on a $10-1$ vote by the Senate Education Committee. That was followed on January 18 by a 31 to 5 vote in the California Senate. Now the major hurdle will be to win approval of the Assembly Judiciary Committee which has rejected it since Robbin's initial try in 1977. However, there is more enthusiam for the legislation now that city-suburban busing is on the horizon.
A report in the Los Angeles Times $1-11-79$ stated that the one dissenting vote of the Senate Education Committee was cast by Senator Diane E. Watson, a black, elected to that office last November. She formerly served on the L.A. city school board, is in favor of the busing plan and was highly critical of two other blacks
ehalf of the Robbins legislation. 'These arguments (against busing) are 100 or 200 years old..some people have forgotten so soon where they came from" she said.
One of the black witnesses was Mrs. Verdelle C. Reynolds, Superintendent of Pasadena Schools, who contended that a return to basic education in the district had done more for black children than the district's desegregation program.
She also argued against the idea that black children learn better by sitting along side whites---she called it "an insult to black parents" and asked, "what kind of an ego are we building in these little ones?
The other black witness, according to the report, was the Rev. W.C. Jackson, a Los Angeles minister who called the city district's current busing program "devasting". "The chaos in unbelievable", he said
Y.A.C. News

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Attention Seniors
Any Senior who is planning to go to college and has not filled out the Mass. Financial Aid Forms must do so by February 15th. The Y.A.C. Office has forms if any Senior needs them. See Frank Perreault or Bob Baldacci. MoI S
High School Students who have not taken advantage of the Mass, Occupational Information Service still can make an ap pointment with Mike Nigro daily from 9 to 5 . This is by far the best information you can obtain about what career jobs are on the current market. Also any information about colleges courses, and financial aid can be obtained through this machine Bermuda Trip
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## To Talk Of Many Things

## by Sal Giarratani

## Which way is 1-93?

A situation exists down by the Prison Point Bridge which I believe needs immediate attention. As cars come from Rutherford Ave the bridge to tells motorists to turn right for I95 and an older sign tells people to turn left for North 99 but no sign is there telling people how to get to Interstate 93 ?
Many people
the area going unfamiliar with the area going straight across to Thompson Square. A I-93 directiona
A 1-93 directional sign could solve the problem and the DPW should correct this oversight Maybe, they're not even aware of

## Finally:

It was, indeed, good news last week to read that Roberta Delaney of the Little City Hall has organized a community meeting for the town's merchants and businesspeople to activate a Charlestown Businesmen's Assn. The only way to deal with the myriad of problems facing our business community is to unite. Community meeting is the Kent Community School this coming Ionday at 7:30 p.m

## Kudos to CBS

Kudos go to Roger Mudd and he CBS News Division for the surprisingly fair news coverage of the March for Life held last week in the Nation's Capital...Kudos also go out to Suzanne Somers of ABC-TV's Three's Company who in last Sunday's Globe is quoted: "I stil!
believe-that the fetus is a living being. Even now I have a terribly hard time coming to a logical conclusion about abortion rights...emotionally, I can't ...accept the idea of abortion." She appears well on her way to being a pro-lifer
Clay Smothers, Remember Him? Most people within the antiforced busing fight remember hearing Clay Smothers of Dallas when he came up here to speak at a number of anti-busing meetings and rallies several years ago. He has since been elected to the Texas State Legislature and recently spoke at a Ft. Worth Family Rights Rally.
Rep. Clay noted there that it was "just as bad for women to go to clinic and let a doctor use his scalpel... and kill her unborn baby as it is to step up in South America (Guyana) ... and kill him with cynanide Kool Aid'

They ride horses, don't they? Like McCloud on television, police horse romped riderless from Chinatown to the back of the City Hospital. It seems the newly acquired mount threw his rider Ptl. Bob Chenette near Tyler St. and headed for the Expressway The horse was finally tracked down after going thataway and returned to the stable for more schooling.
Closer to home, the Boston Police Mounted Patrol has arrived in Charlestown and now rides trail here. Good to see 'em:
A Texan Rides Again
The day following President Jimmy Carter's St President Union message, John B. Con-

Firefighters Donate

## To Shriners Burn Institute



THE BOSTON FIREMENS Relief Association has Roslindale, Michael J. Scanlan, Vice President, donated three Harvard syringe infusion pumps to the B.F.R.A., firefighter, Walpole, Harold R. MasterShriners Burns Institute in Boston. This new medical man, member Board of Governors, Shriners Burns appliance controls the rate of i.v. fluids and prevents Institute receiving the Harvard infusion pumps, an overload of fluids on the heart and lungs of the Francis J. Chapin, President B.F.R.A., and Boston patient. The Institute which is the worlds greatest Fire Lieutenant, South Boston, Elizabeth Sheehan, philanthropy receives children from the world over, R.N., Director of Nursing and Edward J. Everett, and there is never a charge to the patient. Shown at firefighter, Charlestown. The Boston Firefighters the Institute ceremonies were (l. to r.) Richard D. Relief Association is now planning their 100th Annual Reynolds, firefighter. Brighton, Chester W. East- Ball to be held at the Park Plaza Hotel in May. Over man. Boston Fire Chief, West Roxbury, Thomas W. 2.000 members and guests are expected to attend this Matthews. Treasurer. B.F.R.A., firefighter historic event.
nally, former Texas governor and Secretary of Treasury, announced for President in the Republican Party
Even though Boston's Mayoral Campaign hasn't exactly switched into high gear yet, Campaign ' 80 has. Connally, running 'moderate-centrist", once said of

candidate Jimmy Carter in the Summer of 76 that "Jimmy Carter is just Southern fried George McGovern, thats all and he can be beaten, no doubt about it."
Connally plans to do just that next year. Shortly, after his announcement last week, Sen McGovern denounced him and Connally retorted "I guess that means McGovern won't be heading up a Democrats for Connally Committee." Connally just might pull over a Carter in 1980
DiCara \& those CDB Grants As the CDBG proposal deadline passed, criticism aimed at the mayor and Boston HUD office over last year's application still echoes.
Councilor Larry DiCara, the new chairman of th Neighborhood Development Committee, announced two weeks ago that his office is taking steps to make this year's program as open and fair as possible.
"Last year, "DiCara said, "The City Council held meetings with...community groups who were interested in these funds"

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And after assurances from the Mayor's Office that council recommendations would be taken seriously, DiCara continued, "The Mayor just went ahead and ignored our recommendations." DiCara thinks, "having the council take part in the decisions council take part in the decisions keeps the whole thing more hont and Democratic Good luck to Larry in his endeavor. He has a hard act to follow in chairing the Neigh borhood Development Com mittee.
Councilor Ray Flynn did a great job in that capacity last year and I hope that Larry neighborhood values neighborhood values and strength.
Radio Talk
City Council President Joe Tierney will be on this week's broadcast of Mead Irwin's Public Affairs Studio, tonite at 7 p.m., on WZBC, 90.3 FM.
The interview will deal with pay raises for city employees, the care received at the Boston City Hospital, and how to deal with Governor King's cutbacks. Take a listen!

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## Charlestown Teen Center News

Our Youth Enrichment Program began this month with a visit from Sheriff Dennis Kearney. He spoke to a full house of local teenagers about his duties as Suffolk County Sheriff and his involvement with the Charles St. Jail. Through the Youth Enrichment Program the Teen Center intends to bring in a least two speakers per month. The Youth Enrichment Program attempts to allow teenagers to become more familiar with public figures who have an effect on their community. It also attempts to show Charlestown youth the variety of job opportunities available to them.
We would like to thank Sheriff Kearney for taking time out from his busy schedule to visit the Toen Center. Also, we would like the Sheriff's visit porsible Future speakers for possible Future speakers for the Youth Enrichment Program will in clude local people of varied pubkgrounds. Commissioner of Public Safety. Dennis Condon. talked at the Teen Center January 30

The Teen Center is located in the basement of St. Catherine's Rectory. It is open to all teenagers (13-18) in Charlestown weeknights $6-9$ p.m. and weekends $2-9 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Some of the activities include weekend camping trips. field trips. camping trips, field trips,
bumper pool, darts, cooking, art. leadership training, etc...The Teen Center staff is available for help with school work, and any help with school work, and any
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SHERIFF DENNIS KEARNEY shares information and ideas on his Charbonnier) teens at the Charlestown Teen Center. (photo by Jim


Carrie O'Connor, and Janet Thompson. (photo by Jim Charbonnier)


## Sweeney Named To

## Special Commission

Mayor Kevin H. White an nounced today the appointment of Edward Sweeney, of Charlestown, Chairman of the Bunker Hill Task Force to "The Special Commission on the Housing Authority". The com mission will study public housing in Boston. The formation of the commission marks the com mencement of a major effort to determine the effects of court intervention in public housing; a priority area named by the Mayor in his "State of the City" address
The nine member commission chaired by housing developer chaired by housing developer Arnoad public debate on the effects of court intervention on public of court intervention on public borhoods. It will also address the
problems of management, funding and accountability for public housing conditions. The commission will report its finding to the Mayor on May
"On naming this commission of experts we will get the answers we need to act on one of Boston's most distressing problems - public housing," Mayor White said. "Sweeney's involvement with the Bunker Hill Tenant Task Force will assure that the needs of Boston's public housing tenants will be recognized and addressed by the Commission.
Boston Housing Authority operations have been under court supervision since a court ap pointed master was assigned to the BHA in 1975 as a result of a class action suit filed by BHA
tenants. tenants.

## Accepted At BHCC

Many Charlestown students have been accepted at Bunker Hill Community College in Charleston for the Spring semester, it has been announced by Dr. Harold E. Shively, President.

Marie A. Allwood, 55 Chestnut St
Donald J. Buckley, 51 Allston St
Stacy R. Burstein, 66 O'Brien Ct .
Michael F. Butler, 27 Mt . Vernon St.
Mari Anne Clougherty, 87 Dunstable St.
Sandra D. Creaser, 114 Main St.
Denis E. Desmond, 52 Pleasant St.
Dorothy-Anne Lamont, 53 Tufts St
Lee M. Langlois, 42 St. Martin St.
Marylin I. Lent, 12 St . Martin St
John F. McCabe, 2 Hill St.
William H. McIntosh, 87 Russell St
Joan M. McNeil, 14 Wall St.
Ann F. McNeill, 14 Albion Pl.
James M. Powers, 11 Short St.
Anne M. Rogers, 11 Parker St.
Anne M. Rogers, 11 Parker St.
Michael P. Slavin, 65 O'Reilly Way
Anthony E. Strano, 34 Green St.
Anthony E. Strano, 34 Green St.
Linda M. Travis, 33 O'Reilly Way
Linda M. Travis, 33 O'Reilly
Shuk M. Wan, 217 Main St.
Jacqueline M. Whelan, 3 Forest Pl.
David E. White , 30 Soley St.

## Knights Knotes

## by Charlie McGonagle

It was a fine effort, indeed, on the part of Jimmy Carr last Saturday evening, as he was successful in promoting a Dance which brought a good number of old friends together for an evening of enjoyment. Jimmy has worked hard over the past few months and his diligence and determination has paid off handsomely.
The music spans the three decades of the forties, fifties, and sixties with something to satisfy the needs of all the dancers. Jimmy is planning another dance for the near future. Keep your eyes open for the ad vertisement in this paper

## Senior Citizens <br> Valentines Day Party

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Members should note that yesterday, Wednesday, January 31, was the due date for first quarter dues. Members who have not met their obligation will be denied the privileges of the Club.
Pa Walsh's still wounded pride has been somewhat repaired by the Boston College Basketball Team. Left in near critical condition by the B.C. Football Squad this past season, Pa has been given new hope in his Alma Mater by the Eagle Cagers. Their recent wins over UMass and UConn in the Colonial Classic at the Boston Garden more than solidified their position as one of the top two teams in New England. They were easily defeated by Rhode Island earlier in the season. Rhody seems to be a cut above the others in N.E. Well, it's some consolation, isn't it Pa?

## Board To Meet

The Harbor Mental Health and Mental Retardation Area Board will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday, February 8, 1979 at 7:00 p.m. at the Massachusetts General Hospital - Medical Staff Room, Bulfinch 2, Fruit Street, Boston. The agenda will include a presentation of MGH Description of Harbor Area Psychiatric Residency Training Program. The Harbor Area advises and makes policy for the Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High Street, Charlestown.
Area Board meetings are open to the public. For further inGiordani, 727-7632.

## St. Catherine's Jottings

Last week we talked a bit about the upcoming Catholic School Week and invited everyone to share in our special liturgy to kick it off. This week the school has been ablaze with frenetic activity in preparation of our Grand Open House. The faculty and students have outdone themselves with programs geared to conveying to others what a Catholic School really is. Have you ever wondered what the kids were talking about when they asked for help with Bases,

## Teen Nights At

## The Library

The Charlestown Branch Library, in conjunction with the Charlestown Teen Center, will be Charling two Teen Nights in the hosting two Teen Nights in the coming weeks. The programs vilms to be shown at the library ilms to be shown at the lebrary 6:00 p.m. The first program will be held on February 8th with Alfred Hitchcock's film "Suspicion" Starring Joan Fontaine and Cary Grant, this suspenceful firm is about a shy English girl who marries a charmer and soon begins to suspect him of murder. On February 22nd, the film to be shown will be "The Lord of the Flies", based on William Golding's classic book on the story of survival on a desert island. Although these programs are geared toward the interests of young people, everyone in the community is invited. Book displays will accompany the films.

## Pop Warner

## Banquet

The Pop Warner Banquet will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Friday, March 9,1979 . The Hall will be opened at 7:00 p.m. and a Buffet will be served at 7:30 p.m. Bar Service will be available.
Guests speakers will be introduced following the buffet and jackets and trophies will be presented to the boys and girls Tickets will be $\$ 4.00$ for adults and $\$ 2.50$ for children under 16 and may be obtained by calling 242-2370 between 9 a.m. and noon. We will mail tickets to parent this year with a cover letter. This method may help to reduce confusion and aid us in obtaining an early attendance estimate Plan on attending as we know you will enjoy it. These banquets are a big event for the kids and your support will make it even more important to them.
The drawing for the color TV will be held at the banquet will be held at he banquet Anyone who still has chances, possible. Thank you
Pop Warner Board of Director

Card of Thanks
The family of the late Victor Conte, who died in Genoa, Italy on October 25,1978 , wish to extend their gratitude to all their friends for their expressions of sympathy and for attending a Memorial Mass held at St. Mary's Church, Charlestown on January 1, 1979. Following the service, the guests paid their respects to Mrs. Conte and her children at their home on 53 Monument Avenue, Charlestown

Properties, Commutative Associative and Distributive No, these terms do not refer to business friends and functions It's that "new-fangled math" and you have a big surprise in store for you. We won't give it away now but promise that the aura of mystery will be removed forever if you join us for this presentation
Also planned are musical and artistic events as well as a pane of students discussing "Family of students discussing "Family Views of God in Our Time". We have projects on nutrition and "Family Tree". But graphs are being constructed showing students relatives, grand parents, parents, brothers and sisters, who Who Catholic soull se yours. maybe you'll see yours.
A special edition of our newspaper, Caedrwe Fainte ( hundred thousand wer the being prepared under the able leadership of Kathy Burn, and will be avallable to all wo atto Open House on Thursday evening, February 8 from 7 to p.m. Do yourself a favor and us. You won't be sorry-the spiri is contagious?
Something else is contagious
down here on Tufts Street. We're old that this common bond between Pat Russell, et al, has been expanded to include Jean Collins, Cece Emerson, Jackie Fabiano. Sheila Jackson (the Devlin sisters, for short), Frances Johnson, Ellie McLaughlin and Carol Nolan. Well, maybe they'll let us in on it next week.

## Politically Speaking

Due to the hectic pace prior to High School Exams the following is long overdue in coming to the attention of the public. Grade 8 Class Officers have assumed responsibility for class government. They are:
Treasurer-Marcy C. Boucher; Secretary-Marianne E. Regan; Vecretary-Marianne E. Regan; Vice President-Daniel M. Fitzpatrick: a
Sullivan.
The choices are excellent and thus the class is reflected in their thus the class is reflected in their leaders.

## Victory

They did it! Sunday January 21. 1979, St. Catherine's Cadet CYO Girls' Basketball Team had another victory The girls played the B Team of Sacred Heart School in Roslindale and wiped them out with a final score of 38 -
10. All the girls were tremendous 10. All the girls were tremendous
and showed good sportsmanship. Much thanks goes to Sr Catherine, who rented a bus to go to the game and to the spectators who came to cheer the Warrior on to victory. Also thanks goes to Lynn Anthony for keeping score the cheerleading section, the two referees Maureen and Sharon and to Mr. Kelly. Many thanks goes to Janie Fitzgerald for donating all her time. She's such a great help to the girls and I don't think they could have done it without her.
Warriors who contributed to the score and their points were. Grace Monaco-8; Marianne Regan-6; Barbara Goggin-6 Karen Stillman-6; Deneen Davis 6; Lisa Byrne-2; Pat Monahan-2 and Lisa Fabiano-2
Well girls it was a great game and we all hope you can play just as well for the rest of the season. There are nine games left at this time. Hopes are high, the team has the drive. They may not take first place this year but the girls work as a team and are great to work with.
CYO Roster includes: Eileen Browne, Lisa Byrne, Deneen Davis, Lisa Fabiano, Janet Flynn, Barbara Goggin. Theres King Judy McCarthy Grace

Monaco, Patricia Monahan, An Noone, and Karen Stillman Marianne Regan and Kelly Dever are Co-Captains. Mary Boucher '79
Dennis Borden, Marty Fabiano, Dave Jackson and Bobby Smith, under the direction of Fr. Quinn, are in the process of forming a basketball league for ifth and sixth grade boys. Registration will take place at the Kent Gym on Thursday. February 1 from 6:30 to 7:30 and is open to all boys of Charlestown. There is a fee of $\$ 3.00$ to cover teeshirts and equipment but no additional expenses are anticipated. Games will be played on Monday evenings at the Kent with the first week being devoted to a basketball clinic. Instruction and coaching will be on-going to provide a new sport for those who have never played and an opportunity for others to improve their skills.

Reminder
Mark your calendar for our fantastic Penny Sale to be held at 6:30 p.m. on Friday evening. February 16. 1979 at St Catherine's Hall. Come have some fun while donating to a worthy cause.

THANKS,

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for your friendly welcome.
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## Boys' Club Big Winnèr At "Nite At The Races"



## 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.

## Concern For

## The People

To The Editor:
The article in the "Patriot" of January 25,1979 by Maria Girvin concerning my comments as as a committee member of the Advisory Committee of the Charlestown Navy Yard expressed my views as I gave them to her and I would like to thank her.
My greatest concern is now, and always has been for the future of Charlestown for the people of Charlestown. As a committee member, I have often voiced my opposition to luxury housing and a Marina because I do not believe them to be in the best interest of the people now living here. A guarantee in writing that this proposal for luxury housing will not effect the Real Estate in Charlestown so that the long-time residents of Charlestown and the elderly will ease my mind. My voice is small but sincere, and my concerns are echoed by many people in the echoed by many Man
Many of our civic leaders, proponents of this plan, call it
progress. Does progress mean that family life for people of modest income will no longer be a modest income will no longer be a Federal Grants, guaranteed no risk loans FHA matching city funds make all this possible. These are funds that the largest majority of the population largest majority of the population cannot qualify for, nor would they be considered. Our new governor wants to cut spending, maybe he will begin with a good hard look our tax dollars

Peggy VanGorder
Charlestown, Ma. 02129

## Elderly Housing

In Navy Yard
To The Editor
Regarding elderly housing in the Navy Yard, I am afraid that these plans are not going to work out for the interest of the little persons. Knowing what the ordinary rents in Charlestown are now, I am afraid that the Navy Yard housing will certainly be at least seven hundred dollars ( $\$ 700.00$ ) per month.
How can the ordinary person afford this? Some of the elderly who need housing are on fixed incomes now and if our Social Security is in such a precarious state, I don't know just how any of us are even going to survive. I am interested in Charlestown and its people and I am anxious to see what plans are being made for them.

Respectfully
Hazel Jennings
441 Bunker Hill St. Charlestown, Ma

## On The Navy <br> Yard Plans

To The Editor,
The Navy Yard plans now being presented for Charlestown bring to mind the West End. An entire neighborhood was destroyed and the people forced from their homes. They were replaced by luxury housing. Money talks. Does anyone think it can happen here?

Alice McGoff

Troop 776

## Seeks Help

6 Sunset Avenue
Woburn, Mass. 01801 January 27, 1979

## Charlestown Patriot

7 Belmont Street
Charlestown, Mass. 02129
Dear Friends of Charlestown;
The Boy Scout Troop $\$ 776$ of Charlestown is seeking Funds to supply their Troop with badly needed equipment. They would very much like to go Camping but they have no equipment to do so We are trying to contact the business people of Charlestown and ask their assistance by way of donations to help them get the badly needed equipment for the Troop. Our goal is to transform boys into upstanding citizens of Charlestown and hopefully the Nation.

Any donation you can possibly give no matter how small or large will greatfully be appreciated Respectfully
Troop $\# 776$ Sec. / Treas.

## Thank You

We would like to thank everyone-friends, neighbors, and relatives for their support and kindness during our time of need.

Thank you,
Mrs. Jan Hayes \&

## What About Us?

To the Editor
If the legislature can afford to grant $\$ 8,000,000$ for the Mass. College of Art, why can't it support housing the people of Charlestown can afford?

Thank you,
Mary MacInnes
58 Monument Street

## City Hall Exhibits Local Art

Twenty works by Charlestown artists have been selected for display in the Community Arts Connection Show in the Main Gallery of Boston City Hall. This selection was made from over 30 works submitted.

This City Hall Exhibit runs from February 5 through February 27 and the Gallery is
pen from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m
Monday through Friday
The Community Arts Connection is a collection of works of all Boston's Neighborhoods. This show is sponsored by the Mayor's Office of Cultural Affairs. For more information, call Marlin Kaplin, Artist Director, Mayor's Office of Cultural Affairs at 725 3000.


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renew your membership
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As I wind up this week's news
notes, I would like to welcome

Kay McConnell-back after her illness. I know how much i.er afternoon friends missed her because they called often. It's very good to see her back on her steady feet
Happy Birthday to the February birthdays....the Center, Ramona, George Washington. Abe Lincoln. and most especially our terrific
bubbly daughter Paula who turns bubbly daughter Paula who turns 15 years on Saturday! See you all soon, especially looking forward
to seeing many old friends at the to seeing many old friends at the Birthday Party. Take care. stay healthy and be happy

## Honor Students

The Principal of St . Dominic Savio High School, East Boston. announced that the following Charlestown students have achieved High Honors for the Fall Semester: Senior Edward McGill and Freshmen Joseph Norton and Patrick Dever

## To Meet Monday

Charlestown merchants and meeting to discuss the myriad of meeting to discuss the myriad of problems facing the business February 5, 1979 at $7: 30$ p.m. February 5.1979 at 7:30 p.m. a Bunker Hill Street Mrs. Robert Bunker Hill Street. Mrs. Roberta Delaney, Manager of the Charlestown Little City Hall wil be the moderator of this meeting

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Monday, January 22, 1979
ordis St resident repor upon leaving his home he found a 38 caliber bankers special. estigation disclosed owned by a gun shop in Cam bidge, Mass. Detectives are now continuing their investigation. A 1972 Chevy, stolen in Burington was found on Cook St. esponded to claim his vehicle. A Daisy B.B. pistol was recovered from a locker in Charlestown High School. The outh who wass Ave. Boston and he was suspended. Complaints will be sought in court plaints 1976 Ford stolen ridge was found on oid bridge was found on Old Ironvailable, and the vehicle was towed for safekeeping

Charlestown resident reported he left a local "watering hole" and was assaulted by three "tough guys" who stole his wallet with $\$ 35.00$ and personal papers He will come to District Fifteen and view the photos of local beauties.

Tuesday, January 23, 1979
28 year old Newton woman was removed from Rutherford

Ave after she was involved in an accident. She was taken to the MGH for treatment
The operator of a school bus reported while on Medford St persons unknown stoned the bus with rocks and injured a black student. She was removed to the student. She was removed to the BCH by the bus driver, treated vestigation to follow
destigation to follow
Aill Comrty Guard at the Bunker Hill Community College reported he observed a couple of thieves in the parking lot attempting to steal parts from a motor venicle He gave chase and they fled the scene. A registration number was
obtained and Detective Ryan will obtained and Detective Ryan wil seek complaints for Attempted Larceny.
The operator of a school bus reported he was parked on Main St. awaiting the arrival of some school children when the bus was stoned by a group of youths who fled the scene. No injuries reported Investigation to follow. A Concord St. resident reported persons unknown stole four hub caps from his vehicle while it was parked in front of his home

Wednesday, January 24, 1979 Two Somerville men were

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B\&E in the Nightime. They were arrested while in Sullivan Sq. MBTA station and booked at District Fifteen
Two motor vehicles were towed from Laurel St. by the BFD for blocking the fire apparatus from entering this area. The owner will be notified and they will be charged for the towing and storage fee.
A 1977 Dodge stolen in Somerville was found at the housing project. The owner was notified and will come for it. .

Thursday, January 25, 1979 A 63 year old resident of Old Landing Way reported he was woken up during the late hours and observed two youths fleeing his apartment. A search of the area by the responding officers proved negative
A 1978 Chrysler stolen in Lexington was found in the housing project. The owner was notified and responded to the scene.

## Friday, January 26, 1979

 MBTA Police Officers responded to Sullivan Sq. for a motor vehicle accident. On arrival, one of the persons involved in the accident was known to have an outstanding warrant for him from Billerica. He was rrested for $\mathrm{B} \& \mathrm{E}$ in the nightime and booked at District Fifteen A 15 year old student from Roxbury was arrested at the Edwards School for Disturbing a Public Assembly. She was removed from the school to court and the case was continued. and the case was continued.Saturday, January 27;1979-

Officers responded to Cam bridge St . relative to a motor vehicle going about $80 \mathrm{~m} . \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{h}$ According to witnesses, he wa thrown about 75 feet from the area. On arrival the Docto pronounced the victim dead at the scene. He was removed to the Northern Mortuary and his family was notified. Officer Ryan, Auto Specialist, and the Registry of Motor Vehicles Fatal Team responded to the area and conducted an investigation. A possible suspect is now being investigated.
The operator of a Checker Taxi reported he picked up three males and two females in Park Sq. area. When in the project one of the men pulled a knife and demanded his money He gave him $\$ 1.00$ and then jumped from the cab and threw his jacket at the culprit and fled the scene The victim will come to scene The victim will come to District Fifteen and view photos.
A 1979 Chrysler stolen in Boston was found in City Sq. The owner was notified and responded to the ane.
A 1974 Chevy stolen in Medford was recovered on Main St. The owner was notified and will come to the station
A 13 year old Charlestown girl reported while returning home from church she was approached by a "maggot" who accosted her with several questions and grabbed her by the arms. She fled he area with this "creep" in pursuit. He then left in another direction. Detectives are now inyestigating.
A 19 year old Charlestown man was arrested for Unlawful Possession of Class "D" sub-
stance. He was booked at District Fifteen and will appear in court to answer this charge.
A resident of Cedar St. reported that upon returning to her apartment she found persons unknown had entered her apartment and stole a stereo and two rugs.
A 15 year old Charlestown girl was arrested for Drinking in a Public Place when at Monument and Walford Way. She was inormed of her rights, and booked at District Fifteen and released to relatives. She will appear in court to answer this charge.

## Ordinances and Statutes

of the City of Boston
Chapter 11, Ordinance 14, Se
291 Dog Fouling
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No owner or tenant of an estate abutting on a sidewalk shall place or suffer to remain for more tha three hours between sunrise and sunset any snow upon such sidewalk unless such ice is made even and covered with sand sawdust, or ashes, to prevent slipping.

## Boys' Club News

The McLaughlin Club the right to face the Driscoll Club by defeating a very stubborn Walsh Squad last Thursday evening in Alumni League action. In the game, a thriller from the start Ro Walsh continually rallied his forces from the brink of defeat, only to come up one point short.
The final game will be played Thursday evening, February 1, at 6:15.

Physical Education Director, Joe McGonagle, has announced the formation of an Intra-Mural Basketball League for members fifteen years of age and under. The League will operate two nights a week, probably Tuesday and Thursday. Interested members should sign-up with Joe in the Gym as soon as possible.

While on the subject of
Basketball, Joe also reports on
the progress of Jim Daigle Jimmy has come a long way or us since the start of the season. He has become a better player through hard work and determination. With his natura good size, he should be a good one."

Don't forget the professional Teamball Game Saturday night the Medford Street Gym It will be the Boston Comets against the Detroit Squad. Adult Tickets are priced at $\$ 2.00$. Children's Tickets will sell for $\$ 1.00$.
Last week when reporting on the Teamball Squad, two local eam members were inad leam members were inad players from the Charlestown Area Gerry McCormack and Joe DeRosa should have been Joe DeRosa should have been
listed with the other perfromers.

The Charlestown High School Swimming Team, spearheaded

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by Boys' Club trained Swimmers, defeated Umana Tech recently in very exciting meet, 41-30. The victory enabled the boys to even off their season record at 2 2. The team is very optimistic about the remaining meets on its schedule. Having already faced the two most powerful schools in the city league, Latin and Tech. Outstanding performances, thus far, have been turned in by Mark Butler, who has been defeated only once in four tries in the five hundred yard freestyle, and Eddie Kyle, who swam his way to five consecutive victories in the fifty and one hundred yard reestyle events before being defeated by teammated John defeated by leammated John Cummings
John, incidentally, has shown his versitality by earning vicories in the 200 yard individual medley, where each of the four competitive strokes are used, and he 100 yard backstroke
Freestyles Johnny Hamilton and Dominic Rowell, together with diver Tom Smith, have contributed immensely to the eam's success with their outstanding efforts.

## BHCC Registration

For Somerville
Registration for classes at the Somerville High School branch campus of Bunker Hill Comcampus of Bunker Hill Com-
munity College in Charlestown munity College in Charlestown February 5-6 from 6 to 9 p.m February $5-6$ from 6 to 9 p.m. Eight credit courses are being
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Films For Adults
"The Other Half of the Sky" will be the feature of the Adult Film Program of the Charlestown Branch Library on Monday afternoon, February 5, 1979 at 2:00 p.m. Actress Shirley MacLaine directed this fascinating film about the first American Women's delegation to visit the People's Republic of China. The group met on a person-to-person basis with the people of this little known country. A timely topic.

Visiting Aides

## Available To

## Elderly

The Visiting Aides Program administered by the Mayor's Commission on Affairs of the Elderly, provides companionship and health monitoring to isolated elder Bostonians. The Program is unique in placing primary emphasis on services to the many seniors who are homebound and cut off from their communities, says Mayor Kevin H. White "Visiting Aides provide the link necessary to bridge the gap of isolation. In many cases, the Program means the difference between life at home and life in an institution.'
The Program employs 75
Visiting Aides between the Visiting Aides between the ages of 55 and 85 who serve 13 Sponsor Agencies throughout Boston's 18 neighborhoods. Visiting Aides are trained in areas relevant to their job responsibilities and in issues of particular interest to elders. Each aide carries an ongoing caseload of 10 to 15 clients and meets with them weekly in clients' homes. In addition to providing friendly visits on a one-to-one basis and health monitoring, aides offer information, referral, follow-up services when necessary, and escort services to medical ap pointments and shopping trips Visiting Aides also provide clients with emotional suppor during periods of stréss and supportive counseling during periods of transition
"We are very proud of the
outstanding services, often unseen but of vital importance to Boston's isolated elderly, provided by the Visiting Aides and Sponsor Agencies," says Guiney.
If you are interested in having an Aide visit your home, call the Mayor's Elderly Hotline at 722 4646.

## Mounted Patrol Expanded Into Charlestown

Mayor Kevin H. White today announced the expansion of the Boston Police Department's innovative Mounted Patrol program into Charlestown.
Mounted police beats will patrol Main Street in Charlestown from City Square to Eden Street both day and night. Presently they patrol 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. The patrol also tends The Edwards Middle School crossing daily at $1: 50$ p.m.
That announcement came at the graduation of 18 more officers from the BPD's intensive tenweek Mounted Patrol Hor-
semanship Training Program Mayor White said, "When we started the horse patrols out in Dorchester this summer, we were frankly experimenting. We had a good program, but we weren't sure how the neigh borhoods would respond to the idea of mounted police. The response has been tremendous, and we have now placed mounted officers in nearly everysection of the city.
Mayor White added, "This program has proven to be an effective method for bringing police services closer to the neighborhood people, while also

Greyhound Park Announces Bargain Dinner Rate

President Edward J. Keelan of Seabrook Greyhound Park today announced Kennel Club "bargain" dinner rates for parties of 40 or more people. "We will supply round trip free bus transportation, roast beef dinner at the Kennel Club, two beverages, and a free program, all for $\$ 12$ a person," stated

## Children's

Film Program
"Really Rosie", the story of Rosie who imagines herself as a movie star, will be the feature of the Film Program for Children at the Charlestown Branch Library on Tuesday afternoon, February 6, 1979 at $3: 30$ p.m. Storytelling or Children will follow the film
"The bargain dinner rates are ideal for class reunions, bowling league banquets and functions for civic, fraternal, military and labor organizations," he added Organizations taking part wil have a race dedicated in their name and will present to the owner of the winning greyhound a trophy given in the organization's name at a photo-taking session a the finish line, Keelan continued Seabrook Greyhound Park known as the House of Action! offers all forms of multiple betting and the finest greyhound racing in the country
"If one needs further in formation, they can call our Boston toll-free number 284-4222; or, if you live in New Hampshire call our N.H. toll-free number 800-582-7274," said Keelan

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How can we, the public, believe the propaganda being fed to us regarding the safety and security in the storage of LNG, when two men can break the lock on a gate and climb to the top of the gas tank in Dorchester before being spotted?

Would be interested in the rules and regulations regarding the lagging and towing of abandoned cars? A brown auto has been parked on the wrong side of Bunker Hill Street across from Bunker Hill Liquor going on to three weeks. Why? Why? Why?
Have you noticed how many dogs roam the streets of Charlestown and how they never seem to deposit on their master's sidewalk or yard?????? May be the New York City Ordinance where you clean up after your own pet should be instituted and then ENFORCED
providing a commanding police presence.
The training that the mounted patrol officers receive is designed to train both horse and officer to work as a single ef fective police unit. That rigorous instruction includes control of animal under street conditions care of animal and hor semanship, and two weeks of field training where trainees respond to neighborhood calls Police Commissioner Joseph
M. Jordan said, "These officers represent the cream of the crop their training and personality characteristics make them the best possible police officers for this type of duty. They are superb officers, and it shows in the way they perform their duties." The Mounted Patrol Unit is composed of volunteers from the police department ranks ranging from probationary recruits fresh from the police academy to 25
year veterans of the force.


MA YOR KEVIN H. WHITE and Police Commissioner Joseph Jordan congratulate new members of the Police Department's Mounted Patrol Unit at recent graduation ceremonies.


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