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### Neighbors Outraged Following Fourth Fire At Olives

**by Kathy Giordano**  
When Dan Junta stepped outside his Winthrop Street home last Saturday night, he couldn't believe what he saw. Burning embers were flying in the air, landing on to the rooftop and into the yard of the house in front of him. He knew from past experience where they were coming from and ran in that direction — Olives restaurant.

Junta entered the restaurant on Main Street and alerted a waitress of the fire. He then ran to the fire station on Winthrop Street to get help.

The Melcher family lives over Olives. On Saturday

night they put their two young children to bed and settled down for a comfortable evening. The sounds of sirens brought them to the window. It wasn't until they saw the firemen run toward their front door toting hoses that they realized they had to move fast. They wrapped their babies in blankets and ran out on to the street.

Most families practice fire drills with their children. The Melchers don't need to practice. They have lived through this before. In the past three years, four fires originating at Olives have forced the Melchers out of their home.

Problems at the well-known eatery started as far back as February 1989. The Fire Department responded to the 67 Main St. location after a call was received to determine the origin of heavy, odorous smoke filling the area. The cause, according to Boston Fire Department records, was discovered to be emanating from the wood-burning stove used to create Olives' award-winning delicacies.

Four fires have resulted from the ventilation system for this wood-burning stove to date. The first fire was in December 1989. Then again in May 1991. The third blaze happened in front of thousands of Christmas Walk revelers on Dec. 8, 1991.

Each fire brought new inspections by the Inspectional Services Department (ISD). Each fire resulted in a redesigned flue system to correct the problem. Each fire made the neighborhood more fearful.

The fire on Feb. 22 started shortly after 10 p.m. The dining room at Olives was full of patrons. Although Junta notified the waitress of the danger be-

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### Ward 2 Democratic Caucus To Be Held On Saturday, Feb. 29

Registered Democrats in Charlestown will be holding a caucus on Saturday, Feb. 29 at 2 p.m. to elect delegates to the 1992 Massachusetts Democratic Convention.

Charlestown, Ward 2 will be electing 13 delegates and four alternates, equally divided between men and women, to send to the convention. The apportioned number of delegates has been allocated on the basis of a formula giving equal weight to the Democratic Party registration and the average vote for Democratic candidates in the last general elections for governor and president for which figures were available at the time delegate tabulations were prepared.

Thomas S. Cunha will call the caucus at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St. The caucus is open to all registered Democrats, persons ineligible to register and media representatives. The only persons eligible to participate in any portion of the caucus are those who are registered Democrats in the ward or town as of December 31, 1991. There will be

no absentee or proxy voting.

Registration shall remain open until all persons presenting themselves by 2:15 p.m. have registered, including any in line or outside the meeting place.

Candidates for delegate and alternate must also be present, voting and give his or her written consent to be nominated and that nomination must be seconded by two persons present at the local caucus.

All ballots will be written and secret. Those candidates

receiving the greatest number of votes on the first ballot will be elected.

Each candidate will be allowed to make a two-minute speech and to distribute on his/her behalf one sheet of paper listing qualifications and ideas.

Slate-making is allowed, but no special preference shall be given to slates. There is no quorum required for the caucus.

There will be no admission or expense charge at the caucus, although donations may be solicited.

### Giordano Is New Charlestown News Reporter

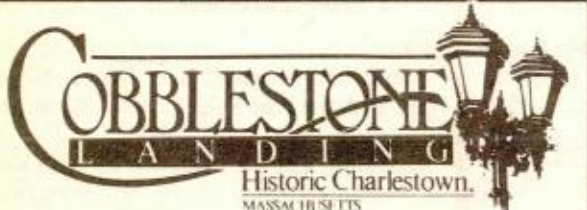


CHARLESTOWN PATRIOT reporter Kathy Giordano has become the Charlestown reporter for Boston Neighborhood Network News. The Charlestown Report can be seen on cable channels 3 and 8 every other Monday at 5:30, 9 and 11 p.m. The next report may be seen on Monday, March 9. Shown (l. to r.) Giordano, News Director Charles Rasmussen and News Anchorman Chris Lovett.

#### NOTICE OF PRICE INCREASE

Beginning with the March 5 issue, the price of **The Charlestown Patriot** in the local stores will be 25¢. This will be the first increase in the price of the newspaper since it went from 5¢ to 10¢ in 1976.

Expenses involved in publishing the newspaper have escalated dramatically over the past 16 years and we postponed an increase for as long as we were able to do so.

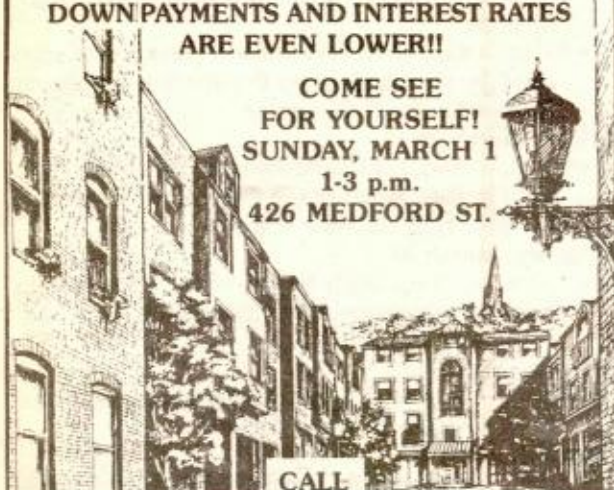


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Deadline for advertising and copy is Monday at 5 p.m.

**Adult Discussion Group To Look At 'Children's Sleep Patterns'**

Dr. Mariette Murphy, a pediatrician with the Massachusetts General Hospital's Bunker Hill Health Center, will discuss "Children's Sleeping Patterns" at the Charlestown Branch Library's weekly Adult Discussion Group on Friday, Feb. 28 at 10 a.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

Getting children to bed, where they should sleep and how much sleep they need are topics of concern

to parents that Murphy will talk about along with children's sleeping patterns and what parents can do to make their night hours less stressful.

Suggested reading in conjunction with this program includes: **The First Three Years of Life** by Burton L. White, **The Sleep Book For Tired Parents** by Rebecca Huntley and **Solve Your Child's Sleep Problems** by Richard Ferber, M.D.

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**COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

**This Week At A Glance**

**Friday, Feb. 28**

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 3:30 p.m. — Celebrity Basketball Game with the Mayor's All Stars vs. the Winner's Circle, Charlestown Community Center Gym, 255 Medford St.
- 8 p.m. — Dance to benefit the Charlestown Youth Hockey Association, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 8 p.m. — Fund Raiser for Charlestown Mayoral Candidate Mary Lou Tracy, Memorial Hall, Green Street

**Saturday, Feb. 29**

- 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. — CYO T-Ball Registration, St. Mary Parish Hall, Winthrop Street
- 2 p.m. — Charlestown Ward 2 Democratic Caucus, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 8 p.m. — Old-Fashioned Irish time with music by The Silver Spears Irish Showband, sponsored by Charlestown Mayoral Candidate John Dillon, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, March 1**

- noon to 5 p.m. — Fund Raiser to benefit Charlestown Pop Warner Football, Papa Gino's, Bunker Hill Mall
- 4 p.m. — Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Meeting, Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.
- 6:30 p.m. — CH-A-M-P: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.

**Monday, March 2**

**Curbside Newspaper Recycling Week** — Put your newspapers out on your regular trash pick-up day, rain or shine, in paper bags or bundled in string and a separate truck will pick up the newspapers. For information, call 725-4959.

- 5 to 10 p.m. — Fund Raiser to benefit Charlestown Pop Warner Football, Papa Gino's, Bunker Hill Mall

**Tuesday, March 3**

- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- noon — Brown Bag Bookies adult book discussion group featuring **Before The Trumpet: Young Franklin Roosevelt, 1882-1905** by Geoffrey C. Ward, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 1:30 p.m. — Court St. Jude No. 1123, CDA, Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. — Charlestown Pop Warner Football Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- 7 to 9 p.m. — Line Dancing with Frank "Zip" Campbell, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

**Wednesday, March 4**

- 10 a.m. to noon — Boston Police Community Relations Office Hours, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
- 11 a.m. — "Mom's Morning Out," basement of St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 4:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 10, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
- 7 p.m. — Tufts Street Ladies Club Meeting, St. Catherine Lower Rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Lions Club Meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

**Upcoming Events**

**Thursday, March 5**

- 9:15 a.m. — Charlestown Development Training Series featuring "Basic First Aid/Home Safety," sponsored by the Charlestown Head Start/Day Care Program, Old Kent School, Hayes Square
- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant
- 4 p.m. — Mr. Kevin, the children's musician, sponsored by the Charlestown Association of Parents, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

**Friday, March 6**

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Little League Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

**Saturday, March 7**

- 10 a.m. to noon — Little League Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.
- 1 to 6 p.m. — CHAD Just The Facts Day for ages 6 to 12, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.
- 7 p.m. — Gladys Corned Beef Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, March 8**

- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 2 p.m. — Gardens for Charlestown Inc. Annual Meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
- 6:30 p.m. — CH-A-M-P: Charlestown After Murder Program Meeting, St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St.

**Monday, March 9**

- 7:30 p.m. — Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting, K. of C. VIP Room, 75 West School St.

**Tuesday, March 10**

- 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. — Polls open for Presidential Primary Election
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

**Wednesday, March 11**

- 4:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 10, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 5 to 7 p.m. — Boston Police Community Relations Office Hours, first floor conference area, One Thompson Square
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**Plan Ahead**

**Friday, March 13**

- 8 p.m. — Annual Irish Night Dinner Dance, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 9 p.m. — Annual St. Patrick's Day Dance with Dick McManus, sponsored by the Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Monday, March 16**

- noon to 3 p.m. — Annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner for Charlestown Senior Citizens, sponsored by The Flatley Co., The Schrafft Center, 529 Main St.

**Thursday, March 19**

- 7:30 p.m. — Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library presents Sharon Kennedy with an "American Storyteller in Ireland," Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 8 p.m. — Concert by the Esterhazy Baryton Trio, sponsored by the Charlestown Preservation Society, St. John's Church, 27 Devens St.

**Friday, March 20**

- 8 p.m. — Mayor of Charlestown Election Night, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Saturday, March 28**

- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Community Appreciation Awards Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Saturday, April 4**

- 6 p.m. — Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner Dance, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Saturday, April 11**

- 7 p.m. — Bunker Hill-Council No. 62, Knights of Columbus 100th Anniversary Black Tie Ball, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Sunday, April 12**

- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society Annual Family Communion Breakfast, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

**Friday, April 24**

- 7:30 p.m. — Annual Girls Club Reunion, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

**Saturday, April 25**

- 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Charlestown Lions Club Annual Flea Market, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

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## Dennis Honored For Volunteer Service At Boston City Hospital

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The recipients were cited by Boston Department of

Health and Hospitals Commissioner Judith Kurland for "having gone above and beyond what has been expected of them and for becoming a role model to which others can aspire." Each was chosen for the special honor by their department heads. Dennis is a volunteer in the Babes in Arms Program at BCH.

BCH volunteers work in a number of different areas including the pediatrics reading program and the

Kids in Arms program where volunteers hold and interact with children visiting BCH clinics and staying on inpatient floors. BCH

has approximately 200 volunteers. Anyone interested in being a BCH volunteer should call Volunteer Services at 534-5122.

## The Esterhazy Baryton Trio To Give Concert In Charlestown



THE ESTERHAZY BARYTON TRIO will appear at 8 p.m. on Thursday, March 19 at St. John's Church, 27 Devens St. in a concert presented by the Charlestown Preservation Society. The baryton, a 12-stringed cousin of the viola da gamba, was the favorite instrument of Prince Niclaus Esterhazy, Josef Haydn's patron. Haydn, himself, wrote 175 works for the instrument, including 125 trios. The Esterhazy Trio, which includes violin and viola, is under the patronage of a present-day Esterhazy princess. Tickets will be available at the door for \$10.

## Boston Public School Registration Underway

Round one of the registration process for Boston Public School students in grades one through 12 is underway and continues through March 13. Your child must be 6 years old by Oct. 31 to enter grade one.

Round one of registration for Kindergarten I and II begins on March 16, and ends on April 27. Your child must be 4 years old by Oct. 31 to enter Kindergarten I and 5 years old by Oct. 31 to enter Kindergarten II.

To help you select the right school for your child, all North Zone schools are ready and waiting to set up appointments for you to see them in action and answer any questions you might have. Please call the schools you most want to see and arrange a tour!

In addition, we have arranged for free transportation to all North Zone schools on Tuesday, March 3 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30

p.m. and on Wednesday, March 4 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Buses will be available at central locations (MBTA stations, some schools and the North Zone office) to take you to the schools you are interested in seeing. Light refreshments will be served at the schools.

Please call the North Zone Parent Information Center at 338-5789 if you have any questions about school visits or the transportation schedule for March 3 and 4. Once you know the schools, you can choose the one that best meets your child's needs.

## Elected To Student Council

Anthony J. Palaza of Hanson has been elected president of the Student Council at Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston.

Other officers are Brian M. Wyllie of Dorchester, vice president; Mark S. Arlauskas of South Boston, treasurer; Paul M. Griffin of 74 Bunker Hill St., Charlestown, secretary; and Anthony L. Gilardi of South Boston, public relations.

The council members who, are the liaison between the student body and the administration and faculty, are elected by their peers.



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### Mom's Morning Out

All Moms are invited to come and enjoy "Mom's Morning Out" at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, March 4 in the basement of St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St. Kids are welcome, too.

This is a free program designed to support, educate, listen, laugh and to come together as Moms in Charlestown. Issues that affect you and your kids will be addressed and refreshments will be served.

### CAPS And Boys & Girls Club To Co-Sponsor Babysitting Course

The Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS), in conjunction with the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, will be offering an American Red Cross course on babysitting.

This is a six-week course that covers the following areas: babysitting responsibilities, characteristics of children, selecting toys and games for children, supervising children, accident prevention, emergency ac-

tions and basic care of children. Every participant who completes the course will be certified by the American Red Cross.

In order to take this course, a youngster must be at least 12 years old by July 1, 1992.

The instructor will be Eileen Daley, who is a registered nurse and is employed by the Boys & Girls Club.

This course begins on Wednesday, March 4, and registration is at the Boys & Girls Club or through

CAPS.

Following the Babysitting Course, there will be a four-week Mother's Helper Course designed for younger children ages 9 through 11 who will be trained to assist parents in the care of their children. More information on this course will be available in the near future.

For more information on this opportunity, call Club Director Jerry Steimel at 242-1775 or Joanne Masaro of CAPS at 242-5208.

### Musical Afternoon With Mr. Kevin

ry, 179 Main St.

The Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS) is sponsoring an afternoon of music with children's musician Mr. Kevin at 4 p.m. on Thursday, March 5 at the Charlestown Branch Libra-

All children are encouraged and welcomed to attend. Mr. Kevin's music is best enjoyed by boys and girls ages 3 to 7.

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



• **Ward 2 Democratic Caucus** . . . happens this Saturday. Doors will open at 1:30 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall for all Charlestown registered Dems to gather for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention to take place in Worcester this May . . . Get there before 2:15 p.m. or you'll be left out in the cold . . . See ya there!

• **Looking For Volunteers** . . . Camp Bunker Hill will hold a fund-raiser on July 11th as part of the Tall Ships visit to Boston. Help is needed to coordinate the event. If you can spare some extra time for this worthy cause, please give Dan O'Neil a call at 242-3195 . . . Stay tuned for more details on this gala event!

• **Gladys Is Looking For You** . . . to attend her Corned Beef Dinner! She'd love to see all her old friends at the popular annual Daughters of Isabella No. 1 event at the K. of C. on Saturday, March 7th . . . For tickets, call Gladys at 242-2627.

• **C.Y.H.A. Fund Raiser** . . . will take place on Friday, Feb. 28th at the K. of C. Hall. Tickets are \$10 for an evening of dancing that will support youth hockey in Charlestown. Call Phil Coleman at 242-3006 and reserve your ticket.

• **Best Wishes For A Speedy Recovery** . . . go out to Barbara Owens . . . who's recovering from surgery at the Lawrence Memorial Hospital . . . Get well soon, Barbara!

• **Please Send A Cheery Note To** . . . Mike Harrington of Marshfield (former Townie and member of the Old Schoolboys) who is spending some time at the Braintree Rehabilitation Hospital, 250 Pond St., Braintree, Mass. 02184 . . . and to a newcomer who has suffered a broken knee and because of her youthful age of 82 will be laid up for a while — Eleanor McCarthy of 72 Winthrop St., Charlestown . . . They'd really appreciate your thoughtfulness!

• **The Winner** . . . of St. Catherine's "Little Townies" 150 Club drawing for this month is Joe Kelly.

• **Happy Birthday Wishes Go Out To** . . . Adam Millerick who turned 1 year old yesterday, Feb. 26th . . . Patsy Keigney will celebrate her special day today, Feb. 27th . . . Mae Deering at Constitution Co-op will turn a very young 88 on the 28th . . . Double popsicle sticks will be the age of Susan Catherine McClellan on March 2nd . . . Pat Johnson shares that date, but knowing Pat's many friends, the celebrations will last at least a week . . . A real trooper, Bud Whelan, will be treated to a gala celebration on March 4th . . . and how could we have forgotten to wish Virginia Whitehouse a happy 31st on Feb. 22nd . . . and last but not least, a happy 40th to Dave Justice who missed a gala celebration on the 11th (heard the guys had a great time, Dave!) . . . Make it a great one, each and all!!!!

• **Register By March 1st** . . . for the annual St. Patrick's Day Road Race. The 4-mile race will benefit the South Boston Boys & Girls Club, and will take place on Sunday, March 15th at noon . . . The registration fee is \$10 before the 1st or \$12 after that date . . . For more info, call 268-4301.

• **We've "Weighted" So Long** . . . but it's finally here! It's Weights and Measures Week! The city's Inspectional Services Department (ISD) will observe the occasion between March 3rd and 5th with a display in the main lobby of City Hall between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. . . . Come and discover the significance on the marketplace of a tare or a tret, a zero setting or an acceptance tolerance in these times of austerity . . . Sounds like fun to me, folks . . . See you there?

• **Get Set** . . . for the fifth annual Prudential Center Stairclimb on Sunday, March 1 . . . that's right, folks, 50 flights or 1,028 steps! . . . It's all for a great cause, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation . . . If you'd like to join the thousands of climbers, call 1-800-966-0444 for more information.

• **Hungry?** . . . A purchase from Papa Gino's on Sunday, March 1 from noon to 5 p.m. and on Monday, March 2 between 5 and 10 p.m. will also help Charlestown Pop Warner Football. A percentage of the Papa's profits during those hours will go to the local lads.

• **Celebrating Its 25th Anniversary** . . . with a gala ball on April 4th will be Pope John XXIII Central High School. To make reservations or receive more info, call Rosemary Hughes at 389-0609 or Michael Maresco at 389-1554.

• **It Only Happens Every Four Years** . . . but 1992 is a Leap Year . . . Tradition allows women to become more forward and propose matrimony to the man of their dreams . . . However you'd like to celebrate, you'll have a whole extra day to do so. Get out there and enjoy Feb. 29th!

• **Upcoming Dates** . . . March 1st is "National Pig Day" . . . March 3rd is Mardi Gras Day . . . March 4th is Ash Wednesday . . . but hang in there . . . only 23 days left 'til spring!

### Happy 21st Birthday



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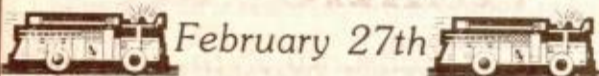
February 28th

Love . . .

Ma, Dad,  
Paul, Michael  
and Ann Marie

### Happy Birthday

**UNCLE WALTER**



February 27th

Love . . . Rosetta

### Happy 16th Birthday

**KERRY  
PIERCE**

Love Ya . . .

Your Family

### Happy 21st Birthday

**TINA**

March 2nd

Love . . .

Kathy, Erin,  
Michelle, Jennifer, Diane, Nancy,  
April, Mary and Ellie

### Happy 6th Birthday

**KRISTINA  
MATARAZZO**

Feb. 27th

Love . . .

Your Family

xo xo xo xo



If you see this  
Bathing Beauty  
on February 27th,

wish her a

Happy

6th

Birthday

Love . . .

Mickey Mouse  
and Papa





**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE**

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• **Michael P. Quinn Scholarship** — The scholarship offers an award of \$1,750 for the recipient's first year of college only. The requirements are that the applicant must be a Charlestown resident since September 1991 and must graduate with the class of 1992. Applications are available at Charlestown High School or by calling 242-5493, 242-5445 or 242-4353. The application deadline is May 1.

**HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP**

• **Graham, Redgate, Wall Memorial Scholarship** — The Girls' Club Alumni are offering two grants of \$500 each in memory of three persons who served the Girls' Club for many years. This scholarship is dedicated to the educational advancement of Charlestown boys and girls.

An applicant must be a resident of Charlestown, a member of the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club and be entering high school.

Application forms will be available at the clubhouse on 15 Green St. starting on Friday, Feb. 28. Completed applications must be returned by Tuesday, March 31. The winners will be notified by Saturday, April 18 and the awards will be presented at the Alumni dance on Friday, April 24.

**Edwards Middle School Students Prepare For Annual Science Fair**

Parents of Edwards Middle School students are probably watching their children put the finishing touches on their science projects.

Projects will be initially screened by grade level on March 3, 4 and 5. Approximately 50 entries from each grade will be selected to enter in the school-wide fair to be held on March 6 from 8:50 to 10:45 a.m.

Volunteers, representing business, community, political and education leaders, will be the judges. The school is most grateful to these volunteers who set aside time to come and judge the projects. Their involvement emphasizes to the students the importance of education. The projects will be judged on the basis of creativity, scientific method and information/re-

search. First, second and third place awards and 10 honorable mentions will be presented to each grade.

Parents are asked to encourage their children to do their very best work. These projects combine many aspects of learning, science, reading, research, art/creativity and writing. It is a wonderful opportunity for students to display their individual talents.

**Happy 18th Birthday**  
**JAMIE**

on March 3rd

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**Happy 21st Birthday**  
**RONNIE**

on March 4th

Love . . .

**Mom, Dad & Greg**

*We Knew  
You Could Smile  
When You Hit  
"50"*

Love . . . **6 Gs**



**ON FEBRUARY 27th**

**Happy 21st Birthday**  
**Tracey Buckley**

**Happy 18th Birthday**  
**Amy Buckley**

Love . . . **April**



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Sunday, March 1st,  
wish her a  
HAPPY 17th  
BIRTHDAY!*

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**Auntie Kay**

February 27th

Love . . . **MAXX**



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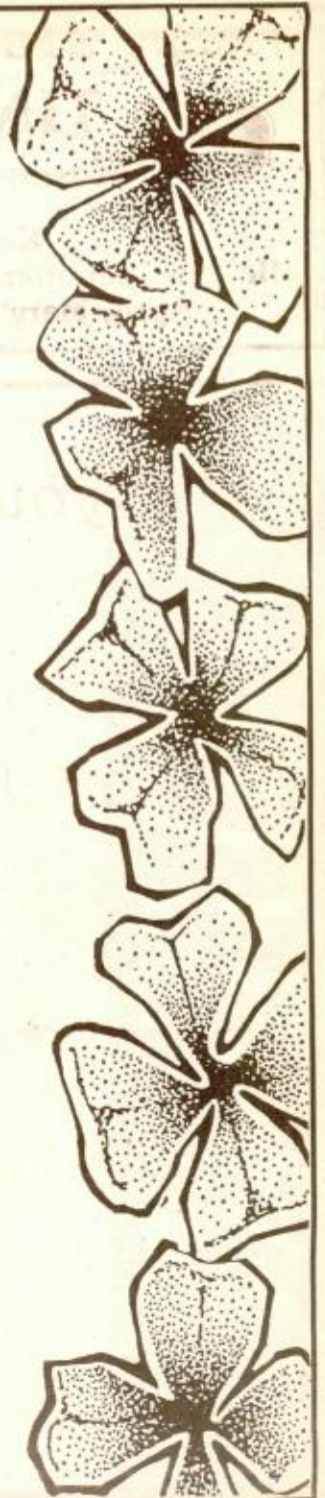
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## Neighbors Outraged Following Fourth Fire At Olives

(continued from page one)  
 fore running to the fire station, he stated that no one had left their tables by the time he returned with Engine 50 at his heels.

In the aftermath of this latest fire, the neighbors have galvanized their efforts to secure safety for themselves and their homes. Pledging to no longer endure the terror they have been forced to live with, they have bombarded city and state officials with telephone calls and office visits seeking a resolution to the situation.

On Tuesday, Feb. 24, representatives from the Boston Police Department, the Boston Fire Department, City Councillor Robert Travaglini's office and members of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety Committee met with residents of the neighborhood most heavily impacted by Olives. Each neighbor testified to their

personal experiences on living with the ongoing problem, after which they were informed that actions to correct the fire hazard had already been put into motion.

A Fire Department spokesman stated that an abatement order had been served to Olives' owners, Olivia and Todd English, that morning, forcing them to rectify the problems with the flue system or close the restaurant indefinitely.

Later that same day, ISD Commissioner Tom McNicholas and Inspectors Hal Abrams and Gary Moccia were joined by Public Safety Committee Chairman Mel Stillman and Charlie Clabaugh from Travaglini's office to inspect the flue system and kitchen at Olives. McNicholas informed the Englishes that wood could no longer be used as a cooking fuel at the 67 Main St. location. An existing gas stove, he stated,

could be used in the future for cooking.

At the ISD inspection, Todd English produced a certificate indicating the exhaust system had been cleaned as recently as Feb. 5. He stated that similar cleanings had taken place in December 1991 and January 1992, as mandated by the Fire Department after the Dec. 8, 1991 blaze.

English said that he can only go on the word of the contractor performing the cleaning that the work had been completed and done properly. He stated that the wood-burning ovens would no longer be used at 67 Main St. "Hopefully, this will stop the problem," he added.

A resolution to the recurring fires will be discussed later this week when ISD, the BFD, Clabaugh, Stillman and the Englishes meet. According to a BFD official, at that time action needed to be taken by the



OLIVES PATRONS were forced to leave the restaurant's ventilation system on Feb. 22 when a fourth fire erupted in the building. (photo by Michael Tognarelli)

restaurant owners to eliminate the fire hazard will be outlined and must be operational before they are allowed to reopen their business.

Demands for upgrading existing building and fire codes are being pursued by the neighbors. According to one resident, each time the

flue system was corrected, it passed inspection by ISD. Each new flue system was found to be faulty, he stated, resulting in another fire.

For the duration of the imposed closure of the restaurant by the Fire Department, neighbors are enjoy-

ing restful nights. Fear of sparks flying onto their rooftops or smoke filling their homes has disappeared.

The determination to keep this sense of security is steadfastly clung to by each of Olives' neighbors.

## Charlestown After Murder Program To Host Meeting With Roache

Boston Police Commissioner Francis "Mickey" Roache was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Greater Boston Chapter of Parents of Murdered Children. Members of the Charlestown After Murder

Program (CH-A-M-P) were presented at this meeting and invited Roache to speak with the Charlestown group. Representatives of the organization are working with Roache to schedule a meeting in the communi-

ty. The date and time will be announced as soon as it becomes available.

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 Congressman Joseph Kennedy, along with James Walsh and Edward Mahoney of his staff, met recently with members of CH-A-M-P. The CH-A-M-P representatives shared their experiences and the problems faced by those surviving homicide. Both parties came away with increased awareness and contact was established between the residents and the congressman. Kennedy pledged his support to help survivors deal with their acute grief and to look at the criminal

justice system in dealing with these crimes.

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 A candlelight vigil in memory of all Charlestown homicide victims is being planned for Sunday, May 3 at 4 p.m. at St. Catherine's Church.

CH-A-M-P invites families of Charlestown murder victims who would like to have their loved ones remembered to send any information on the victim to: CH-A-M-P, P.O. Box 753, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

The group would also welcome photographs and comments from the families.

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 CH-A-M-P meets every Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m. at St. Catherine Rectory, 49 Vine St. All are welcome.

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## Charlestown Residents Save Over 600 Trees

Charlestown residents participating in the city of Boston recycling program helped save over 600 trees in 1991, according to John McCarthy, the city Recycling Coordinator.

"In Charlestown alone, we've collected 35.6 tons of newspaper," said McCarthy. "That's the equivalent of 605 trees. And the recycling program is only in its infancy."

Citywide newspaper curbside recycling started last September as an expansion to the pilot program that was started in Jamaica Plain in 1990. In this program, newspaper, glass and plastic was being collected

every week. "Over 70 percent of the material being collected was newspaper," McCarthy said.

"We found that people were very good about recycling their newspapers. We decided to expand the program to recycling newspapers at the curb citywide."

Curbside newspaper recycling is done like regular trash pick-up. Half of the city is picked up one week while the other half is picked up the next week. Recyclers have to have their papers on the curb by 6:30 a.m.

In Charlestown, the next newspaper recycling will be during the week of March

2.

A private contractor picks up the papers using packer trucks marked City of Boston Recycling. "The trucks pick up more households. It's quicker and more efficient because the packers don't have to sort through the material," McCarthy said.

The goal of the curbside

recycling program is to have all Boston residents participate in the curbside program. Why throw it in the trash when you can recycle it and in the process help the environment.

Residents interested in finding out more about the curbside newspaper recycling program should call 635-4959.



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The features will be "The Flying Guchito," the story of a gaucho who finds a flying burro; in "Louis James Hates School," a boy learns

## Farrington Honored

Jennifer Farrington of Charlestown has been recognized by Office Specialists, a temporary employment service located in Cambridge, as its "Outstanding Temporary of the Month."

Farrington has been selected for the honor based on excellent performance, dependability and flexibility in accepting a variety of assignments with some of the company's major clients. She will be awarded a certificate, a special gift and will be included on a plaque at Office Specialists.

the importance of an education; and the Marx Brothers show how to win a football game in "Pigskin Capers."

A gorilla who speaks American Sign Language gets a pet cat in "Koko's Kitten," shown only at 3:30 p.m.

Suggested good books to read are *Josefina February* by Evaline Ness and *When Will I Read?* by Miriam Cohen.

## Girls' Club Annual Reunion

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## THANKSGIVING NOVENA TO ST. JUDE

Oh Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue, and rich in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need, for you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present and urgent petition, in return I promise to make your name known and cause you to be invoked. Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Mary's 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. C.M.B.

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The maternal grandparents are Carl Ahlberg of Woburn and Gretta Ahlberg of Cambridge. The maternal great-grandparents are Alec Bruff and the late Rita Martin.

The paternal grandparents are Walter Travis of Charlestown and the late Joanne Travis. The paternal great-grandparents are Priscilla and Reynolds Sylvester of Reading.

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Signed: **CMP**

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**C.Y.O. NEWS** by Father Ron Coyne

• **CYO Ball Hockey Tournament** - St. Catherine's CYO sponsored a Ball Hockey Tournament at the Kent Community School on Feb. 18 involving two teams from Roslindale, two from Charlestown, one from Jamaica Plain and one from Dorchester. It was a 17-and-under double elimination tournament.

Play began at 10 a.m., and the final game at 2:30 p.m. featured both Charlestown teams going for the championship.

Members of the championship team were: Anthony Matson, Mark Collins, Joe DeRoeve, Mark Chardovoyne, Jason McDonald, Keith Wallace, Bill Lynch and Josh Smith.

The runners-up were: Paul Allen, Brendan Brennan, Mark Mansfield, Jason Smith, Sean Connolly, Kevin Hurley and Mike Yanovitch.

We are deeply grateful to the Community Center for the use of the Kent gym and especially to Greg Jackson for refereeing the entire day.

• **St. Catherine Repeats As Eighth Grade Boys Olympic Champions** - There were 13 teams competing at West Roxbury High School in the annual Eighth Grade Boys Olympics on Feb. 19. The boys played gym hockey, basketball, volleyball, water basketball, pictionary, and superstars throughout the day, changing opponents and games each half hour. We entered two teams because we had so many boys interested in representing Charlestown and hoping to capture the championship for the second year in a row - and that goal was accomplished.

Our teams finished in first place and sixth place, and they enjoyed every minute of competition.

Our first-place team, coached by Bob DeCristoforo, received 92 points. Members included Terry Smith, Michael Collins, Joe Lawler, Tim Gallagher, Joe Tal-ent, Joe Burns, Steve Livingston, Walter Egleston, Shane Fisher, Rob Murray and Nicholas Smith, who was named the Most Valuable Player.

The sixth-place team, coached by Paul Allen, received 71 points. Members included Mike Fidler, P.J. Hansen, D.J. O'Brien, Tim Warren, Brian Ward, Joe Brennan, Mike Christopher, Chris Lent, Bill Burke, Rob DiFrummolo and Dave Hurley, who was named the Most Valuable Player.

St. Catherine, sponsors of this event, wants to thank the following adults and teen-agers for volunteering their day to referee, time keep and score keep: Joe Doherty, Don Kelsey, Gordon D'Ambrosio, Jim Tal-ent, Tom McDonough, Tina McDonough, Beth Golden, Jennifer Burns, Katie Farrell, Toby Mirdik, Mary Featherston, Mike Cummings, Jason McDonald, Mark Chardovoyne, Jill Emerson, Jim Yandle, Denise Demers, Ming Ngan, Greg Staples and Jimmy White. Our young people are our strength.

• **CYO Cheerleading Contest** - We are grateful to the high school girls who were cheerleaders for our junior and intermediate boys basketball teams. These young ladies practiced week in and week out to cheer for our Charlestown CYO teams and performed for all at halftime.

We are proud to announce that nine of our girls have been chosen to enter the annual CYO Cheerleading Competition on Sunday, March 1 at B.C. High beginning at 11 a.m. with Charlestown on at about 1 p.m.

Representing St. Catherine and the entire Charlestown community will be Lori Burke, Sharon Burke, Jennifer Burns, Erin Blaikie, Colleen Hayes, Shannon Lawler, Shannon McLaughlin, Shawna Pelton and Maureen Wedge.

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# Charlestown High School Class Of 1971 Holds 20th Reunion

photos by Debbi Brooks Langone





*a r o u n d* **the town**



by . . .  
**Kathy Giordano**

**★ Quick Action Saves Life** — When a Winchester man collapsed while shopping at the Bunker Hill Mall on Feb. 26, the immediate response by two passersby turned out to be the difference between life and death.

Tonia Medina, an occupational therapist with the Visiting Nurse Association of Boston, just happened to be walking through the Mall after making visits in Charlestown when the incident occurred. Bill Kirk of Adams Street had stopped to do some shopping. He, too, was in the right place at the right time.

When Medina and Kirk noticed the man falling, they rushed to his aid and started to administer CPR. As a result of their efforts, the victim was stabilized by the time the ambulance arrived.

The victim, identified as W. Gagan, was rushed to Mass. General Hospital where he was reported to be in stable condition at press time.

**★ \$150 Grand Up For Grabs** — The Charlestown Neighborhood Council Community Benefits Committee met for the first time on Feb. 19 to set down ground rules for the distribution of \$150,000 to community organizations.

The financial windfall comes from the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) under a Memorandum of Understanding with Charlestown as the result of mitigation proceedings between the MWRA, the city of Boston, the Neighborhood Council and residents who attended council Mitigation Committee meetings. The money would be distributed in a sum of \$50,000 a year for the next three years.

The Community Benefits Committee will establish a process which organizations will follow to apply for the funds. It will recommend to the MWRA who will receive the money and determine what percentage of the funds will be awarded to each applicant. The MWRA would then make the final decision and distribute the checks.

Committee Chairperson Nancy Keyes invited input from the community in setting up criteria for the application process. Attending the meeting were representatives from a number of Charlestown sports, cultural and service organizations. No requests for financial support from organizations were allowed at the meeting.

Keyes stated that the committee will report its discussions to the Neighborhood Council at its March 3 monthly meeting. The council will then review the suggestions for the criteria, she said, and will send the committee back to the community to fine-tune the process.

According to Keyes, after another public meeting to set down guidelines and criteria for the awarding of funds, a workshop will be held to help organizations better understand the process.

Committee members present at the meeting were Co-Chair Bill Galvin, Mel Stillman, Jeanne Davis, Moe Gillen, Tom Pitts and Kevin Roche.

Meeting dates will be announced in the Patriot as soon as they are set.

**★ Award Winners Announced** — The Community Appreciation Awards Committee has announced the winners of the second annual Community Appreciation Awards.

Committee Chairman Tom Cunha stated that although the 14 committee members "were faced with a hard task to choose from the over 150 nominations received from the community for the seven award categories, this year's winners stood above the others to receive recognition."

The 1992 award winners and the category they represent are: Organization, Townie Santa; Business, The Charlestown Patriot; Public Servant, William McCabe, former commissioner of Public Safety; New Resident, Rosemary Kverek; Youth, Dan Dollosa; Elderly, Florence Johnson; and Unsung Hero, Anne Considine.

The award winners will be honored at a banquet to be held on Saturday, March 28 at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Tickets are \$15 per person for an evening of unforgettable memories that will include a hot and cold buffet by caterer Bob Scalli and dancing to the sounds of the 40s through the 80s courtesy of disc jockey Eric Johnson. The event begins at 7 p.m.

Tickets are available by contacting Ticket Committee Chairmen Moe Gillen at 242-3746 or Stephen Collins at 242-2839.

The Awards Committee is sponsored by the Charlestown Neighborhood Council. Other members of the committee are: Treasurer Bill Galvin, Financial Secretary Kathy Giordano, Judy Evers, Petie Hilsinger, Peter Looney, Jim Mansfield, Marty O'Brien Sr. Mel Stillman, Ron Taylor, Bob Wallace and Kay Whelan.

Cunha said that he still receives comments from those who attended last year's award ceremony. "This year will prove to be just as memorable," he said. "Seating is limited, sold on a first-come, first-served basis. If you wish to attend this year, you had better reserve your ticket now."

For more information, call Giordano at 241-9511 or Evers at 635-3485.

**★ Neighborhood Council Meetings**

— **Charlestown Neighborhood Council**  
The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 3 at 7 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

— **Public Safety Committee**  
The Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety Committee and the Boston Police Department Community Relations meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 10 at 7 p.m. at the Charlestown District Court at City Square. (Please note new location.)  
The meetings are open to the public and all are invited to attend.

**★ Area Roadway Construction** — Several areas of roadway construction in and around Charlestown may affect motorists.

— **North Washington Street Bridge:** Construction continues on the bridge with new traffic patterns that allow for only two lanes of traffic entering City Square.

— **Alford Street Bridge:** Construction reduces the northbound side of the Alford Street Bridge to one lane with two lanes open southbound. Work in this area is expected to continue until May.

— **Rutherford Avenue Underpass:** Ongoing construction in the Rutherford Avenue Underpass will result in the closing of the northbound lanes indefinitely.

**USPS Presentation Marks Founders Day**

Joyce Carpenter, incoming commander of the Boston Power Squadron, presented Dru Slattery and Francis Charles, co-directors of the Courageous Sailing Center, with a Basic Boating course video developed by the United States Power Squadrons, in recognition of USPS Founders Day.

Founders Day commemorates the incorporation of USPS on Feb. 2, 1914. Since that time, the USPS has been the forerunner of safe boating education, exemplified by its Basic Boating course, now available in video form.

The Courageous Sailing Center of Charlestown, a public/private partnership under the leadership of Mayor Raymond Flynn and the Boston Parks and Recreation Department, has sailing programs for the physically challenged and for inner-city youth. The center recently received an award for hosting the Harry McDonough Regatta for the Blind this past summer which attracted competitors from as far away as Texas,

and for hosting the Regatta for Physically Challenged Persons.

The video presentation took place adjacent to the

12-meter Americas Cup two-time winner **Courageous**, used by the center for teaching sailing and for fund raising.

**WAC Veterans Association To Meet**

The Women's Army Corps Veterans Association, Chapter 14, will hold its next meeting on Saturday, March 7, at the Mt. Vernon Restaurant, 14 Broadway, Somerville. A 1 p.m. business meeting will

follow a luncheon at noon.

Any woman who served honorably or is currently serving in the US Army is eligible for membership and will be welcomed.

For further information, call 508-668-5108.

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# TOWNIE SPORTS LINE

## FINAL STANDINGS (Regular Season)

Team	W	L	T
Village Market	17	3	0
Ironside Grille	16	3	1
BFI	16	4	0
Blues	13	5	2
T.J.'s Kids	8	11	1
Bryan's Pals	7	12	1
Kerrigan's	7	12	1
Peg & Al's	6	14	0
Nanny Goats	4	16	0
Blow Up	3	17	0

### Players Of The Week Feb. 15

- Bryan's Pals - Erin & Maureen Coppinger
- BFI - John Woods and Neil Gillis
- Kerrigan's - Nicole Miller and Geno Lawrence

• Village Market - Brian McCrary and Patrick Langan

- Blues - Matthew O'Connell and Billy Buckley
- Nanny Goats - Paul Collins and Harry Sullivan
- Ironside Grille - Andrew Brennan and Kevin Smith
- Blow Up - Chuck Ciulla and Calvin Jones
- Peg & Al's - Chad Titcomb and Steven Byrnes
- T.J.'s Kids - Robert Gill and Sean Hennessey

### Players Of The Week Feb. 22

- Bryan's Pals - Jonathan & Danny Castro
- BFI - Kevin O'Neil and Patrick Fidler

• Kerrigans - Guerin Miller and Caitlin Collins

- Village Market - Michael Reid and Marc Doe
- Blues - Brian Flynn and Brian Griffiths
- Nanny Goats - Tommy Johnston and Matthew Hickey
- Ironside Grille - Paul Woods and Timmy Buhay
- Blow Up - Kathleen Lacey and Michelle Dagle
- Peg & Al's - Steven Awbrey and Ryan Vraibel

• T.J.'s Kids - Neil O'Brien and Bridgette Chaisson

### Playoffs

- There will be no Gym Hockey on Saturday, Feb. 29. The playoffs will start on Saturday, March 7. The schedule is:
- 9 a.m. — Village Market vs. BFI
  - 10 a.m. — Ironside Grille vs. Blues
  - 11 a.m. — T.J.'s Kids vs. Kerrigan's
  - noon — Bryan's Pals vs. Peg & Al's

• 1 p.m. — Nanny Goats vs. Blow Up

Good luck to all the teams.

## St. Catherine To Take Part In CYO Cheerleading Competition

Members of the St. Catherine CYO Cheerleading squad will be taking part in the CYO Cheerleaders Competition to be held at 1 p.m. on Sunday, March 1 at B.C. High School in Dorchester. The local squad will be on first in the competition.

There will be a bus leav-

ing from the Charlestown High School gym on Medford Street at noon. The cost for the bus is \$3 and there is a \$3 admission to the competition.

The local girls ask for the support of the residents as they represent Charlestown in this competition.

## CYO Ball Hockey Update

### CYO T-Ball Registration

Registration for CYO T-Ball will be held on Saturday, Feb. 29 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Mary's Parish Hall on Winthrop Street.

The registration fee is \$10 per child. Children are eligible to play if they are 4 years old by April 1 and will not turn 8 years old by Aug. 1.

### Free Boating Safety Class

A free six-week United States Power Squadrons Boating Safety Class will begin at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 10 at Medford High School.

For information, call 235-7863.

## Southie Tops Townies In Sensational First Annual Street Hockey Classic

by Brian Ward, League Commissioner

The Friendship Games, the first annual Street Hockey Classic, were held recently in South Boston, and Charlestown and South Boston put on one of the best inter-community showcases that either has witnessed in a long time.

It was Southie's 13-16 Division All Stars from their league versus Charlestown's 13-16 All Stars, a powerful unit put together by Bob DeCristoforo.

The game, refereed by Rep. Paul Gannon, was

great! There was up and down action throughout with plenty of good moves, great passing and spectacular goal scoring. An empty-net goal by Southie's Billy Baker with 48 seconds to play gave Southie the difference for a 7-5 victory in what proved to be a win for everyone involved — Southie and Charlestown.

A pizza party for both teams was held at the Bay-side Club in South Boston, and trophies were awarded that had been donated by Charlestown's Leo Boucher.

The awards were: Champion - South Boston, Runner-up - Charlestown, Southie MVP - Billy Baker and Townie MVP - Shawn Connolly.

The Charlestown team was coordinated by DeCristoforo and coached by Jason MacDonald, Tom McGrath and Jimmy Gillen. Members of the Townie team were: Paul Allen, Brendan Brennan, Shawn Connolly, Eric Gould, Mike Yanovitch, Chris Brennan, Keith Wallace, Mark Mansfield, Jeff Houlihan and Danny Dollosa.

## Little League News

It is nearing the time to sign up for Charlestown Little League. Registration will be at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St. on:

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

Saturday, March 7 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Friday, March 13 from 6 to 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 14 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The registration fee is \$25 per family, and a birth certificate must be brought to registration.

Players who are already on a team do not have to try out, BUT they have to pay the registration fee for 1992.

In order to be eligible to play, boys and girls must be 8 years of age before Aug. 1, 1992 and not reach 13 by Aug. 1, 1992.

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Tryouts will be at the Little League Field at Sullivan Square on Saturday, March 28 at 10 a.m. and on Sunday, March 29 at 1 p.m.

The rain date is Saturday, April 4 at 10 a.m.



THE FRIENDSHIP GAMES, the first annual both the South Boston and Charlestown Street Hockey Classic, were held recently in teams. South Boston. Shown here are members of

## CHAD Junior Bowling Update . . .

by J.D.

The B&B Oil team stands proudly at the top of the standings for the second week in a row in the CHAD Junior Bowling League, in-

creasing its lead over second place Judy's Jants to three points. Hennessey Carpet and the American Legion teams held on for a tie for third with 24 points

each.

### Standings

Team	Points
B&B Oil	30
Judy's Jants	27
Hennessey Carpet	24
American Legion	24
Lori-Ann's	22
Charlestown Patriot	21
Bunker Hill Real Estate	12
Bunker Hill Florist	10
Kennedy Center	9
Mayor Howell	8
Travaglini	4
Erins	1

### Player Of The Week

Krystina Harrington was named Player of the Week. She bowled 33 pins over her average for the Travaglini team. Her first and second strings were consistent nines and eights and she bowled a good spare in the third string.

Congratulations, Krystina.

**Charlestown Youth Hockey Association**

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## BOB D'S BEAT by Bob DeCristoforo

**Charlestown Pride** . . . Writing most of this extensive column on Saturday at home while watching Team USA play its last game of the '92 Winter Olympics puts a lot of what has been going on here into proper perspective. Indeed, as you read you might see some glaring similarities in Team USA's quest and what we have been involved with over the past couple of weeks.

I know many of the players on Team USA. They are young people, full of energy and life, who I am proud to know. While the Olympic experience has certainly been worthwhile, I know they can't wait to get home. A true champion is a person who goes out and gives his very best. Each Olympian is a true champion, and we are proud of them. Soon we will say "Welcome Home."

The young, energetic people many of us have been involved with over the past days are also champions, and we are proud of them. The future is bright because of each of them.

The Olympics bring people together and the host town touches each of them in a special way. Over the past two weeks, Charlestown and Townies have been involved with nearly 30 separate teams involving almost 300 young people, and each was touched by love and kindness.

It has been another good week for Charlestown, and a great week to be a Townie. The Olympic Flame may be extinguished in Albertville, but it still burns brightly in the hearts of all those who felt its warmth.

An ocean away here in Charlestown, Mass. the warmth of Charlestown and its people is also felt by many as we keep spreading the Townie Spirit.

**High School Update** . . . The regular season is over. The high school tournaments are underway. In hockey, to borrow a quote, "Many are called, but few are chosen." In basketball, everyone was invited to the party and just about everyone accepted the invitation.

**Charlestown High:** CHS geared up for the "Party Tournament," defeating Burke 60-56. The Townies were led once again by Teddy Bonds with 22 points to advance to the finals. The streak was abruptly halted by East Boston, 73-53, who took the City Championship. Charlestown will enter the tournament the No. 4 seed and on Wednesday they played the winner of the Latin Academy-Wilmington game. A victory will put them in the quarter finals at 3 p.m. on Saturday at Salem High School.

**St. Clement:** St. Clement went to the party but left early. Tyngsboro did the damage, downing the Somerville parochials 59-42. In their Tourny Tuneup, Townie Brian Thompson reached the 1,000 point mark.

**Don Bosco:** Pat Woods got his first shot in the States, and Don Bosco won its first game 51-50 in overtime, defeating Chelmsford. A win versus Haverhill will have Bosco playing Malden Catholic at 6 p.m. tonight in Beverly.

**Basketball Action:** In other first round basketball action, Boston Latin plays West Roxbury, and Lowell takes on Somerville.

**Hockey Action:** On the hockey front, there will be a lot of attention on the Super Eight Double Elimination Tournament. In round one held Monday at Boston Garden, Bosco played St. John's Prep, and tonight the Bears play round two at Boston University. Sunday's **Boston Herald** profile feature was Bosco goaltender Todd Fisher.

In Division 2, Boston Latin plays Andover, in Division 3, Pope John takes on South Boston, and Latin Academy will play St. Mary's of Lynn on Friday at Watertown beginning at 4 p.m. All Division 3 quarter final games will take place on Sunday at Merrimack College.

For results, check the Boston daily newspapers.

## Charlestown Pop Warner Update . . .



**by Matt Stillman**  
Pop Warner Football registration will be held from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 3 at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St. The registration fee for one person playing is \$25 and for two people in the same family, the fee is \$35.

All applicants will be accepted at this time, but the target ages are 8 and 9 so that a "D" team can be fielded.

Persons who cannot come to the club to register may call 242-3035.

**Chance Books**  
The players have received their chance books. Please help by purchasing a raffle ticket.

**Papa Gino's Fund Raiser**  
On Sunday, March 1 between noon and 5 p.m. and

on Monday, March 2 from 5 to 10 p.m., Papa Gino's will be running a fund raiser for Pop Warner Football. Plan to come down to Papa Gino's in the Bunker Hill Mall during these hours and purchase something to eat . . . and at the same time you will be supporting Charlestown Pop Warner as a portion of their proceeds will go to the organization. It would be nice to see a lot of people down there, especially the parents of children playing for Charlestown Pop Warner.

**Donations**  
Charlestown Pop Warner would like to thank those who have contributed to the program. Donations will be publicly acknowledged.

Our thanks to:  
• Lori-Ann's Donut Shop for the \$25 contribution.

**Charlestown Wins Second Straight Olympics** . . . Twelve parishes entered teams in the 1992 Eighth Grade Boys Olympics held at West Roxbury High School with nearly 120 competitors. Charlestown, represented by St. Catherine, successfully defended its title, scoring 92 out of a possible 100 points. The team defeated second-place finisher St. William's of Dorchester by three points. St. Catherine needed a sweep in the final event of the day — a 25-point superstar competition — to win the olympics.

On a personal note, winning the Eighth Grade Olympics "back to back" in 1991 and 1992 is quite a feat and something that I, as team coach, am quite proud of. Representing Charlestown and St. Catherine Parish is an honor for me, and whenever I do, I give it my best. The young people I select share the this same pride and attitude. Everyone who goes out and gives his best is a champion. This is all I have asked from any team I have coached, and if in the process we pick up a trophy, we will. If people think I take this competition seriously, they are right.

**For Girls Only** . . . The next meeting of the "For Girls Only" group will be on Monday, March 2 at the Boys & Girls Club. The topic will be self defense, and the meeting begins at 5:30 p.m.

**More BAD Trips** . . . Thanks to Ed Burke of the Neighborhood Services Department and to Tom Keady over at Northeastern University we obtained tickets courtesy of Boston Against Drugs for the Northeastern hockey games versus N.H., Maine and Boston College.

The Boston College game will take place this Sunday at 3 p.m.

**Friendship All-Star Game '92** . . . The print on the hockey sweater was more important than the score of the game. What happened at Columbus Park in South Boston was far more enjoyable than the outcome itself.

The most noticeable word on the sweater, the word that really stood out, was FRIENDSHIP, and any observer going by the park would have seen a great group of young people from South Boston and Charlestown surrounded by a lot of caring adults out having some fun.

The event was the first annual Street Hockey Classic Southie vs. Townies, and for some strange reason the abbreviation for versus seemed quite out of place. Each team member received a shirt, and after the game both teams shook hands and then went out to eat together.

When Brian Ward of the Parks Department accepted the Charlestown challenge a few months back, we both had a goal, and the goal was reached on a very beautiful day, in a very beautiful manner.

Our thanks to all who made the day a success, and we extend a special thanks to Bunker Hill Cards & Comics for donating the awards.

**Mark Collins** . . . I had some great news after our final CYO game of the season. Mark Collins was not going to play basketball for me next year. Mark has decided to play high school ball at Don Bosco — and that's great.

This year I lost two ballplayers — Jonathan Owens to Somerville and Pat Woods to Don Bosco. The more the merrier! I am looking forward to seeing them in the state tournament, and next year I hope to see Mark doing the same. High school basketball and high school sports is the goal everyone who can should attempt.

Mark Collins has certainly caught the basketball bug. On a recent Sunday, Mark played versus the N.J. team at the high school, headed over to UMass/Boston for an ADSL game, came back to the Boys & Girls Club for a 3-on-3 Tournament and then went over to South Boston for his CYO game. Collins' only problem seems to be what shirt to wear! Of course, I tell him to bring them all.

Mark Collins is a fine kid, and his family can be proud of him. Our CYO Basketball loss will definitely be a Don Bosco gain.

**St. Catherine KO** . . . In the Interparish Basketball League semifinals, Gate of Heaven defeated St. Catherine 62-60, eliminating the host parish from the playoffs. Billy Hayes had 29 points for St. Catherine, but the late-game injury to Derek Gallagher proved to be the crucial blow.

Gate of Heaven will now play St. Peter and Paul in a two out of three series for the championship.

**Another Hall Of Famer** . . . Congratulations to Al Chardovoyne on his selection to the Boston Latin Hall of Fame.

Al "Butch" Chardovoyne is a good man, a proud Townie and an even prouder family man. His athletic accomplishments are well documented and this honor is well deserved.

**Charlestown-PAL 3-on-3** . . . Three teams are left in the Charlestown-Boston Police Athletic League 3-on-3 Junior Basketball Tournament. The two finalists will play a two out of three championship series.

Looking for the final two spots are Yogi Yahoos, The Adams Family and Houlihan's Heroes.

**Senior 3-on-3 Tournament** . . . Applications for the Senior 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament are now available at the Boys & Girls Club, the Bunker Hill Teen Resource Center and the Charlestown Community Center.

The age for the Senior Division is 16 to 19, and teams who registered before must complete the new application.

## A Look Back At Pop Warner . . .



A CHARLESTOWN POP WARNER 1971 football team poses for its official photograph at the Ryan Field. Shown front row (l. to r.) Gerry Suprey, Rod Charbonnier, Chester Gallagher and Heck Lynch. Second row (l. to r.) BooBoo Barrett, John Aquelli, Tommy Joyce, Edso Tucker, Jocky Sindoris, unidentified player, Billy Cotter, Paul Allen and Cooney. Third row (l. to r.) Steve McDonald, Gerard Doherty, un-

identified player, Cahill, Mickey Coppinger, Bobby Hickey, Billy McGoff, unidentified player, Walsh and Howie Long. Fourth row (l. to r.) unidentified player, Kenny Russell, unidentified player, Danny Henry, Paul Lane, unidentified player, Paul Biggins, Sweeney, Steve Martell and unidentified player. In the back are Pop Warner officials.



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## Teen Connection Corner . . .

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• **Younger Boys Ball Hockey . . .** Sign-ups are now going on for 14-and-under boys ball hockey. The league will run on Mondays and Wednesdays at the Kent Community School starting at 3:30 p.m. We are looking at a March 2nd starting date. To sign up, come down to the Medford Street Gym or call Danny and leave you name, age and telephone number.

• **Older Boys Ball Hockey . . .** Rosters are now available for 19-and-under boys ball hockey. The league will begin as soon as the girls league is finished.

• **War Games . . .** War games will be held on March 28 at Adventure Games of N.H. in Weare. Any teen 16 years or older interested in going with us must have a \$10 deposit down to the gym by Friday, Feb. 28.

• **Girls Ball Hockey . . . by Colin Swales . . .** On Feb. 13, the number one Silver Box attained another victory, this time from Newtowne. Newtowne could not produce any goals throughout the evening due to a stingy Silver Box defense. The first goal for Silver Box came by way of Shannon Lawler. Corey Gallagher scored the remaining two goals to assure a Silver Box victory.

The second confrontation of the evening brought forth the Parkies opposite the extraordinary Lancers, who would look to up their record with a win. Nicole Matson scored the Lancers' opening goal. Courtney McLaughlin netted one of her own but was countered by Maureen Wedge of the Parkies. The second half, though, was all Lancers as Matson started a scoring spree followed by Christine Locke, McLaughlin and Erin McDonough, leaving the final 7-1 Lancers.

On the following Thursday, a classic rivalry between the two top teams, the Silver Box and the Lancers, was witness-

ed. The first goal of this encounter was from Rachel Britton of the Lancers which was quickly answered by Corey Gallagher of the Silver Box. The Lancers wasted no time in turning this one into a victory. Nicole Matson had the second Lancer goal, followed by one from Britton. A C.J. Fornash goal and two quick scores from Christine Locke put the Lancers in the driver's seat. The Silver Box didn't lose hope though, sending Cheryl Collins to the net for their second goal. But their comeback hopes were suffocated by the Lancers, courtesy of Locke and Erin McDonough. The only goal of the second half was produced by Melissa Doherty of the Silver Box, but it just wasn't enough as the Lancers won 8-3 and took sole possession of first place.

In the next competition, Newtowne clashed with Main Street in a well-fought battle. First up was Shannon McLaughlin who scored two for Newtowne, followed by Michelle Macomber for her first goal of the evening. In second-half action, Macomber hit again but Main Street arose with two quick goals, one from Christine Sorrentino and the other from Patty Reilly. Macomber and McLaughlin each completed hat tricks to put Newtowne in control. Main Street attempted to narrow the margin with scores from Linda Howell and Reilly, but that was it as Newtowne tallied one more from Macomber and another from Christin Powers to put the game out of reach.

The playoffs are right around the corner and there doesn't seem to be a clear-cut favorite, so things could get interesting down the stretch.

The girls play on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 p.m. at the Kent Community School gym and spectators are encouraged to come and cheer the girls on.

The standings are: Lancers 5-1-0, Silver Box 4-2-0, New-

## Harvard-Kent Students At Championship Race Kick-Off



REPRESENTATIVES from the Harvard-Kent School in Charlestown, offer a greeting to the students and officials gathered for the kick-off of "Cross-Country/Cross-Culture," in the language of their "adopted" country, Brazil. "Cross-Country/Cross Culture" is part of the I.A.A.F. World Cross-Country Championships, a race being held in Boston on March 21 at Franklin Park, and the competition will bring together an estimated 1,200 of the world's best runners and Olympic hopefuls.

## Charlestown Community Center Pool Schedule

Charlestown Community Center Pool, 255 Medford St.

### SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE MARCH 2

**Monday - Wednesday - Friday**

4:30 to 6 p.m. — Lap Swim

6 to 7:30 p.m. — Open Swim

**Tuesday - Thursday**

4 to 5 p.m. — Winner's Circle Program

5 to 6:30 p.m. — Lap Swim

6:30 to 7:30 p.m. — Open Swim

## Celebrity Basketball Game With Winner's Circle Vs. Mayor's All Stars

A Celebrity Basketball Game will be played at 3:30 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 28 at the Charlestown Community Center gym on Medford Street, according to Charles McAfee, principal of the Edwards Middle School, and Bob McGann, director of the Charlestown Community Center. Members of

the Edwards School faculty and Community Center staff will play the Mayor's All Stars.

A little bit of history . . . 25 years ago, McAfee was on the Dorchester High School basketball team. Mayor Raymond Flynn, a well-known basketball star, played against that Dorchester High team. Well, Mayor Flynn's team won that game . . . now it's the principal's turn to win . . . it should be a great rematch, and maybe McAfee will be able to get help from the super stars!

This is all being done as an opening celebration for the young people in the Winner's Circle Program. The program is a collaboration between the Boston Public Schools and Boston Community Centers. It offers students personalized tutoring, sports, arts, recreational activities, field trips and special events. The activities are designed to enhance their academic performance, raise self-esteem and expand their abilities and talents to their greatest potential.

Parents and well-wishers of students in the program are encouraged to come down and cheer for the teams, meet the program staff and enjoy refreshments following the game.



towne 3-2-1, Main Street 1-4-0 and Parkies 0-4-1.

The leading scorers are: Corey Gallagher 19, Nicole Matson 16, Shannon McLaughlin 11, Michelle Macomber 9 and Linda Howell 5.

## News From The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club



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### • BABYSITTING COURSE

The Boys & Girls Club, in conjunction with the Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS), will be offering a babysitting course at the clubhouse. This is a six-week course that will begin on Wednesday, March 4 and each class will run from 4 to 6 p.m. There is no cost to club members and, upon completion of the course, participants will become certified by the American Red Cross. There are limited slots available, and you must be 12 by July 1, 1992 in order to participate. The instructor will be Eileen Daley, an education assistant at the club who is also a registered nurse. For more information, please call the club at 242-1775 and ask for Club Director Jerry Steimel or Daley.

### • HURWITZ BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

The 70th annual Nate Hurwitz Basketball Tournament will be held beginning March 18, with the finals scheduled for Saturday, April 18. Applications are now available at the club in the following divisions: Boys 11-and-under, 13-and-under, 16-and-under and 19-and-under; Girls 14-and-under and 18-and-under; plus the Men's Open Division. Applications must be submitted by March 12.

### • CORPORATE HOOPS

For the past three years, there has been a Corporate Division in the Hurwitz Tournament. This year we have decided to run a completely separate corporate tournament which we are calling "Corporate Hoops." This double elimination tournament begins on March 14 with the finals on April 4, and all games will be played on the weekends. Preliminary rounds will be at Boston Latin High School, and the semifinals and finals will be held at the Boston Garden on the parquet! Following the finals, there will be a banquet at the Blades & Boards that will be free for every tournament participant. The entry fee for each corporate team is \$1,000. If you know of a corporation that would be interested in this tournament, please call the Boys & Girls Club and speak to Jerry Steimel.

### • CHAD JUST THE FACTS DAY

On Saturday, March 7 from 1 to 6 p.m., the Boys & Girls Club will be hosting the CHArlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) Just The Facts Day. Just The Facts Day is a series of workshops designed to both educate young people on the dangers of drugs and alcohol and to teach them coping skills when they encounter substance abuse among their friends and family. At 3:30 p.m., there will be a special presentation for parents, and at 5 p.m. a simple supper buffet will be served for all children and parents who participated. We hope as many young people as possible between the ages of 6 and 12 and their parents can join us that day.

### • CULTURAL ENRICHMENT

— *Woodworking . . .*

Jack Marsden is running the woodworking program, and it is in full swing! If you have any new or used wood or dowels, please donate them to the club.

— *Photographs At The Public Library . . .*

An exhibit of photographs taken by club members will be shown at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. until mid-March. Go check it out!

— *Darkroom Completed . . .*

The long-awaited darkroom is now finished. Club members who are involved with photography will be learning how to develop and print their photographs in our new darkroom. For more information on the photography program, see Beth or Eliza.

— *Video . . .*

We are still in need of a standard VHS video camera for our video program. Anyone interested in donating ANY type of video equipment, should contact Beth or Kevin at 242-1775, ext. 212.

### • BASKETBALL

In the Reebok Basketball Tourney, Nick Smith finished out an excellent game by sinking two free throws with five seconds on the clock to seal the victory over Allston-Brighton. Mark Collins and Brenden Brennan led the way with 26 and 27 points respectively in the 62-59 win.


### • 6- TO 9-YEAR-OLD BASKETBALL SIGN-UPS

Those interested in signing up for a 6- to 9-year-old basketball league should contact Joe or Derek in the gym.

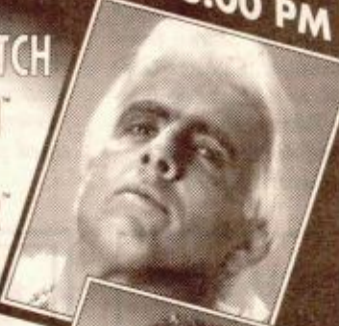
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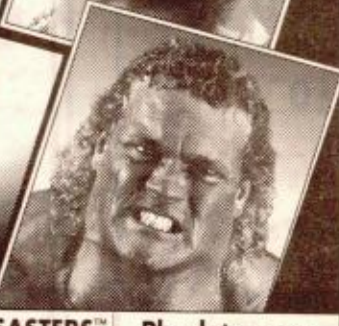
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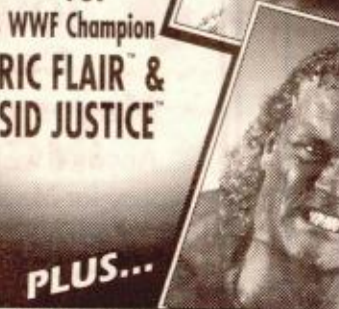


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**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

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



**My Thanks**

Dear Editor,

I would like to thank all of my relatives and friends for the plants, cards and especially their many visits during my recent three-week stay at the Mass. General Hospital.

Last, but certainly not least, I appreciated the several visits by Father Ron Coyne.

Sincerely,  
Marie L. Lynch

**Answer Through The Ballot Box**

Dear Gloria:

I am writing this letter with a heavy heart. The U.S. Government has deported Joe Doherty, an Irish man who asked for political asylum in the United States. The U.S. Government kept him locked up for nine years although he never committed a crime in the United States. The Supreme Court, packed with Reagan and Bush appointees, finally denied Joe political asylum.

I am really disappointed with my government's decision. The only way to answer that behavior is through the ballot box. I hope the people of Charlestown will speak loudly in the upcoming election.

Sincerely,  
John M. Dillon

**Rediscover The Catholic Church**

Dear Friends:

I am writing to invite you, on behalf of the Catholic community of St. Catherine's Parish, to think about your relationship with the church.

If you are a Catholic but for any one of many reasons have not been to church in a long time or felt like you were not welcome in the church, please read on.

We are making an attempt to bring together people from our community who may be in the following situations: those divorced and remarried or married outside the church; those wondering about annulments and who can get them; those who have experienced personal tragedies and wonder "why me?"; people who believe the church is out of touch with reality or find Mass not fulfilling; people in different lifestyles; those angry at or hurt by the church in the past; those who question the whole meaning of confession; people who have never been baptized or received communion or confirmation and are embarrassed to go to a priest; or those who are very confused over the changes that have taken place in the Catholic church over the past 30 years.

Why are we bringing you together? The reason is that we feel that many of you would like an opportunity to get active once again in your church and parish. These evenings will give you the chance to ask the questions that may have been on your mind for a long time. We want to assure you that you are loved by God and welcome in St. Catherine's church.

**I Live In A Danger Zone**

To The Editor:

I am writing regarding the recent fire that occurred at Olives restaurant on Saturday, Feb. 22. I live in the immediate danger zone of this restaurant and yes, that is correct, I mean danger zone.

How many people have experienced the fear of turning the corner to see six fire engines in front of their home, approximately 15 firemen surrounding the house and fire hoses being dragged onto their property? Let me tell you, your heart sinks to your stomach as you imagine complete and total personal ruin caused by a greasy restaurant fire.

Once you realize that the wonderful firemen have again saved your house from destruction and you begin to get your bearings, you see that in front of the restaurant, the patrons are still being served their dinner and drinks. As you stand despondently in the freezing cold wondering if you can sleep that night or will the fire trucks be called again because of a slow-burning ember, the patrons continue to stage their party on the streets.

This has become too much. My health, safety and mental well-being are constantly at stake due to uncaring restaurant owners who believe that acquiring big bucks and the accolades of the media the ultimate goal. Damn human life or decency. As long as the money keeps rolling in and the Englishes don't have to live next door, why should they care if they jeopardize my life or my belongings. Their expressed concerns for the community can only be termed laughable. If the Englishes were residents above this restaurant, you can be sure that the screams of an indignant Olivia and Todd English would be heard across all of Charlestown.

Why do these people believe that the lives and homes of their neighbors are less worthy than their lives or property? Living next to Olives has taught me a sad lesson regarding the lack of goodwill toward your fellow man.

Sincerely,  
A Very Concerned Neighbor

**Smoke Stack Must Be Shut Down**

To The Editor:

On Saturday, Feb. 22 at 10:15 p.m., the smoke stack at Olives restaurant, once again, was on fire. This is the second fire in the past three months and one of several in the past few years. How many times are we going to come this close to a tragedy before the danger of the smoke stack is recognized?

As the flames shot from the tops of the stack and burning embers floated atop the neighboring houses (most of them wooden), the fear of losing our homes, personal belongings and more so our loved ones, was much more evident than before because this fire was far more serious than the past fires. If not for the damp weather and the quick

response by the fire department, this incident could have been far worse.

What makes this situation more complicated is the fact that the Englishes refuse to recognize the damages their smoke stack and its burning embers can cause. In an article in the **Boston Herald** featuring Olives restaurant, Todd English appeared to view his neighbors' concerns as trivial and stated it was jealousy. I don't know if it is ignorance or arrogance on his part, but I do know our concerns are well-founded and that flame thrower that is used for a smoke stack must be shut down and dismantled.

A Concerned Neighbor,  
Daniel M. Junta

**My Thanks To The Fire And Police Departments**

I would like to thank the Boston Fire and Police Departments for their quick response to the most recent fire which occurred on Feb. 22 at Olives restaurant in Charlestown. In an area consisting of all wooden older structures, it is very frightening to have five fires in a restaurant within 2 1/2 years.

The cost of the fire and police responding to these five fires is in the thousands and the fear of the residents in the building and surrounding buildings is very apparent. something must be done so that there are no injuries and/or deaths caused by this restaurant.

Thank you again for helping us by responding so quickly to this emergency situation.

Sincerely,  
Rosemary Kverek

**Outraged, Frustrated And Concerned**

To The Editor:

Having now experienced the fourth fire at Olives restaurant located at 67 Main St., we, as the closest abutters, feel compelled to publicly express our outrage, frustration and concerns over the practices allowed to continue at this establishment.

We have tried over the last four years to work in a good-faith effort with Todd and Olivia English, the owners of Olives, to effect mutually agreeable solutions to problems. They, however, pay lip service to issues and only act when forced to by public pressure and the demands of external regulatory agencies.

The series of fires that have occurred are the most serious example of their cavalier attitude and of a concept that has always been flawed in its implementation: open fire and rotisserie cooking do not belong in a wooden historical structure surrounded by others of the same nature and vintage.

Each time a fire has occurred, there has been disagreement among city services as to who has the rights to "shut them down"; as a result, no one has and we and others are forced to continue to live in danger.

The scene on this past Saturday night was particularly disturbing as we watched and assisted the young couple who live in the apartment above Olives carry their babies wrapped in blankets out into the winter night while Olives patrons in fur coats laughed and continued to be served drinks and dessert on the sidewalk.

We, too, chose to live in Charlestown and take pride in this neighborhood. We cannot, however, stand by and watch an entire block be jeopardized by unsafe and irresponsible business practices. Our homes and our lives will not be sacrificed for a restaurant owned by uncaring and selfish individuals.

We are grateful to those in the community who have worked with us and on our behalf; we stand ready to assist in whatever efforts are necessary to ensure that this never be allowed to happen again.

Sincerely,  
The Deacon Larkin Condominium Association

We are sponsoring three nights during Lent and ask you to set aside all three so that we can hear you, respond to your situation and help you to rediscover the Catholic church which, in many cases, is not the same church we remember.

These evenings are sponsored by our Pastoral Council and will be held in our school hall on Tufts Street from 7 to 9 p.m. on Thursday evenings March 12, March 19 and March 26.

If you attend all three nights, we believe you will accomplish what you have been thinking about and planning to do for a long time.

If you are married and have children, this decision will not only affect you but the lives of those you love the most . . . your children.

All adults and young adults from our community are welcome to join us.

For more information, call Father Coyne at 242-1750.

Sincerely,  
Father Ron Coyne and the Pastoral Council  
St. Catherine's Parish

**Sad Day When One Must Live In Fear**

Dear Editor:

It's a sad day in the community when one must live in fear of losing one's home, property and life. It is a cause for even more distress when this fear results from four fires at the same location (Olives restaurant) which continue to threaten an entire neighborhood; fires which shoot out of chimneys like fireworks, sending flaming embers which land on roofs of neighboring homes, cars and property; four fires which continuously are written off as minor chimney fires and complaining neighbors are written off as suffering from a neurotic syndrome of "perceived fears" of eminent danger.

Shame on all who are ultimately responsible and seem to have no conscience for what they do. It should be remembered that what goes around usually comes around to those who consider themselves above the law and above all which is common decency to their fellow mankind.

Don't you think the time has come to wake up and smell the smoke?!?!

Nervous Nellie

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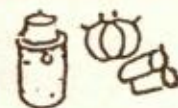
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**SENIOR UPDATE**

**Golden Age Senior Center**  
 382 Main St., Charlestown  
 635-5176 635-5175  
 (Open Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.)  
 Main Office - 255 Medford St. - 635-5169

**ACTIVITIES**

- **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 and Thursday from noon to 3 p.m., contact Pat Venezia.
- **Beano** — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:30 p.m., contact Sheila Walsh.
- **Lunch** — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at noon, contact Sheila Walsh.
- **Knit & Crochet** — Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

**ST. PATRICK CELEBRATION**  
 In celebration of St. Patrick's Day, the center is sponsoring a trip to the Beacon Motel in Lincoln, N.H. on March 8 and 9. The cost is \$109 for double occupancy or \$134 for single occupancy, and includes one night's lodging, transportation, an all-you-can-eat buffet, a free mug and free wine with a complete Corned Beef Dinner. Contact Sheila for information.

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

**HOUSING, EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE**  
 Housing, education and information service is available to seniors every Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Golden Age Center. Applications and help completing them is available.  
 For more information, contact Beverly Gibbons at 635-5176 or 635-5175.

**Brown Bag Bookies To Meet**

Brown Bag Bookies, the adult book discussion group of the Charlestown Branch Library, will meet on Tuesday, March 3 at noon at the library, 179 Main St.

This month's featured book is **Before The Trumpet: Young Franklin Roosevelt, 1882-1905** by Geoffrey C. Ward.

A **New York Times Book Review** stated: "If the outlines of the broad story are familiar, if some of the family anecdotes have been told before, the texture is nonetheless richer, the detail more finely tuned than in other portraits of Franklin Roosevelt's early years."

Participants may bring their lunch, and new members are welcome at any time. For more information, call Tess Francisco at 242-1248.

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 (BHA Administration Building)

**★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★**

**Friday, Feb. 28**  
 10 a.m. - Arts & Crafts and Seniorobics, Senior Lounge  
 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge  
 12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

**Monday, March 2**  
 10 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments  
 10 a.m. - Seniorobics, Senior Lounge  
 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge  
 12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

**Tuesday, March 3**  
 10 a.m. - Crochet and Sunshine Club, Senior Lounge  
 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

**Wednesday, March 4**  
 9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop bus, Anchorage Apartments  
 10 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments  
 10 a.m. - Arts & Crafts, Senior Lounge  
 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge  
 12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

**Thursday, March 5**  
 9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop bus, Senior Lounge, Constitution Co-op Apts. and Golden Age  
 10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge  
 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

**★ WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE . . . QUEEN FOR A DAY? ★**  
 Watch this column for more information.

**★ SENIOR EVENTS ★**

- **Podiatrist** — The podiatrist will be coming to the Senior Lounge on Tuesday, March 10 at 1:30 p.m.
- **St. Patrick's Celebration** — A St. Patrick's Day celebration will be held on Friday, March 13 at 10 a.m. with the Harvard-Kent fifth graders.
- **Beans & Beano** — Beans & Beano will be held on Monday, March 23 at 4 p.m. \$5 per person. It is necessary to sign up in advance.
- **Surplus Food** — Surplus Food will be distributed on Wednesday, March 25 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street.

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

**Senior Citizen Flower Show Raffle**

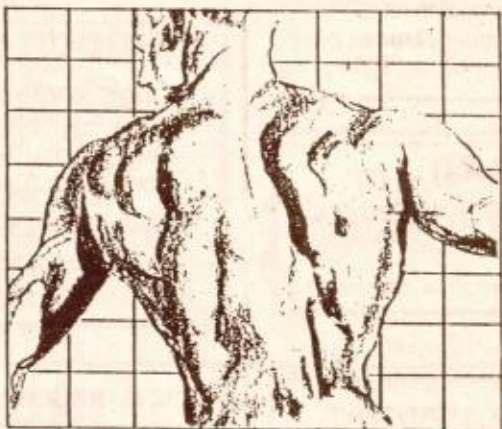
Gardens for Charlestown, Inc. is a local group with gardens at Sullivan Square and Hathon Square.

The organization will be holding its Annual Meeting on Sunday, March 8 at 2 p.m. at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St. (use side entrance). At that time, Gardens for Charlestown, Inc. will draw the names of 10 Charlestown senior citizens who will be awarded a free pair of tickets to the Massachusetts Horticultural Society Flower Show to be held March 14 through March 22 at the Bayside Expo Center.

Entrants must be residents of Charlestown and be senior citizens. Send in the coupon below — no photocopies will be accepted. All entries must be received by Friday, March 6. Entries should be mailed to:

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## Irish Night Dinner Dance

The 26th annual Irish Night Dinner Dance will be held on Friday, March 13 at 8 p.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

A Corned Beef Dinner by Joseph's Caterers will be served and the Silver

Spears will provide great music for dancing and entertainment.

Tickets are \$15 per person and may be purchased from Chairperson Essie Martin, or from the ushers at Mass, at the rectory or at the school.

## The Charlestown Against Drugs Corner . . .



### EFFECTS OF MARIJUANA

- **On The Brain** — Long-term marijuana users are at risk for serious or premature memory disorders as they age. THC, marijuana's psychoactive ingredient, directly affects the part of the brain that may underlie memory. THC damages and destroys nerve cells, and the loss of these brain cells is similar to the loss seen with normal aging.
- **On The Lungs** — Smoking 1 to 3 joints a day causes about the same lung damage and cancer risk as five times as many cigarettes.
- **On Heart Rate and Blood Pressure** — Using marijuana and cocaine together causes severe increases in heart rate and blood pressure. Each drug causes the same condition, and when they are combined, the effects are greater and last longer.
- **On The Ability To Deal With Problems** — Even though adults who smoke marijuana daily believe that it helps them to function better, and improves their self-awareness and relationships with others, the drug serves as a buffer to enable users to tolerate problems rather than make changes. Smoking marijuana helps to avoid dealing with difficulties, and the avoidance makes the problems worse.

For help with alcohol/drug problems, call:

AA	426-9444
Al-Anon/Alateen	843-5300
NA	884-7709
Bunker Hill Health Center	242-5760
Kennedy Center	241-8866
Statewide Alcohol/Drug Hotline	445-1500

For further information on CHAD and its programs, call CHAD Secretary Lynn Peters at the Kennedy Center, 241-8866.

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In the County of  
Suffolk

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A petition has been presented in the above-captioned matter praying that Lois V. Sutherland of Boston, in the County of Suffolk, be appointed administratrix with sureties on her bond.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Boston on or before 10:00 in the forenoon on April 30, 1992.

Witness, Mary C. Fitzpatrick, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Boston, the 18th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-two.

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## The Freedom Trail Foundation Elects Officers And Board

Officers and board members of The Freedom Trail Foundation Inc. were recently elected at the organization's 33rd annual meeting.

Warren S. Berg, former vice chairman, assumes the role of president, and Frederick J. Davis was elected vice president. Charles Francis Adams, former president, will serve as the new vice chairman. Mayor Raymond L. Flynn continues as chairman.

Among the new board members, serving one-year

terms, is Cmdr. Richard B. Amiraull, USN, commanding officer of USS Constitution. Board members re-elected include: John J. Burchill, superintendent, Boston National Historical Park; Ellen A. Kraft, director, USS Constitution Museum; and Caleb Loring Jr. from the USS Constitution Museum.

The Foundation is an independent and non-profit educational organization founded in 1964 to promote the 2.5-mile route of the Freedom Trail.

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### JOB OPENING

#### Part-Time Secretary

Part-time secretary needed for Head Start/Day Care Program. 25-hours per week. Good typing and filing skills are a must.

Application available at the Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St., Charlestown until Monday, March 2. (241-7018). E.O.E.

### SOCIAL SERVICE COORDINATOR

Community organization seeks a Social Service Coordinator to facilitate the delivery of human services, assess tenant needs, and initiate program development activities that promote economic opportunity, health, and constructive alternatives for youth.

**Qualifications:** Prior experience in working with local social service networks addressing basic education, job training, substance abuse prevention, and urban youth needs. MSW or BA with 3 years relevant experience preferred. Good communication and computer skills are essential. Knowledge of community organizing and public housing issues is helpful. Must be self-motivated and able to work effectively with Board of Directors. **Salary:** \$28,000 plus benefits.

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## YOU CAN DO IT!

The Life Focus Center of Charlestown is expanding its can and bottle recycling program to help support its vocational programs that serve people with disabilities. These programs have been severely impaired by recent state budget cuts.

If you would like to participate, please put your recyclable beverage containers (glass and aluminum soda and beer cans and bottles) aside, then give LFC a call.

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### Boston Drug Treatment Improvement Project — Cluster I

Position available in interagency regional network of substance abuse treatment providers located in Allston-Brighton, Back Bay, Charlestown, East Boston, North End and West End. Part of a time limited city-wide federal demonstration grant to create an integrated and decentralized system of enhancements to drug and alcohol treatment. Primary target populations: Pregnant and parenting women, ethnic and linguistic minorities and adolescents.

**CASE MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR** — Administer case management activities for the cluster; coordinate with city-wide case management; member cluster coordination team. Masters degree in relevant field, good knowledge of substance abuse recovery, two years management experience essential; excellent communications skills.

Send resume and cover letter by February 28 to: Search Committee — Cluster I, J.F. Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St., Charlestown, Mass. 02129. No phone call please.

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## Scholarship Pageant Seeks Contestants

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The search is on for the next Miss America — it could be you!

This year's Miss Tricounties/Miss North Shore Scholarship Pageant will be held on Sunday, April 5, at the Melrose Middle School in Melrose. In order to qualify, a young woman must be between the ages of 17 and 26, unmarried, and either live, work, or go to school in Suffolk, Essex or Middlesex County.

The pageant consists of four phases of competition: interview, talent, swimsuit and evening gown. Winners and runners-up will receive scholarship money and prizes. Last year the Miss Tricounties/Miss North Shore Pageants awarded over \$2,000 in scholarships to their contestants. In addition, title winners receive the opportunity to compete for the title of Miss Massachusetts 1992, who will represent the Commonwealth at the Miss America Pageant in Atlantic City in September.

A contestant orientation is scheduled for Wednesday, March 4, at 7 p.m. For information, contact Aura Lee McCarthy-Allegretto at 345-3276 days (ask for attorney McCarthy) or 233-0491 evenings; or Kathleen Callahan Bousquet at (508) 995-3598.

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### 'Late 20th Illuminations' Featured At BHCC

"Late 20th Illuminations and Other Works" will be featured at the Bunker Hill Community College Art Gallery from March 3 through March 31. The exhibits are fabric collages by Clara Wainwright and students of the Fenway Middle College School. Also on display will be "Faces of Fenway and Beyond," which are works by photographer Janice Rogovin and

Fenway students.

An opening reception will be held on Thursday, March 5 from 12:45 to 2 p.m.

The BHCC Art Gallery is open from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. It will be closed from March 16 through March 20.

For information, call 241-8600 ext. 410.

### Child Development Training Series

The Charlestown Head Start/Daycare Program is sponsoring a Child Development Training Series. All workshops will be held on Thursday mornings from 9:15 to 11 a.m. at the Old Kent School, Hayes Square. All interested community members are welcome to attend any or all of the topics.

The topic schedule is as follows:

- March 5 ..... Basic First Aid/Home Safety
- March 12 ..... How to Handle Your Child's Feelings
- March 19 ..... Stress Issues
- March 26 ..... Guidance and Discipline
- April 2 ..... Guidance and Discipline
- April 9 ..... Sibling Rivalry
- April 16 ..... Summary and Conclusions

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### Keane, Inc. And Edwards Middle School Announce Partnership

Keane, Inc., one of the nation's leading custom software development companies headquartered in Charlestown, and the Clarence R. Edwards Middle School, a designated North Zone computer magnet school located in this community, announce a partnership agreement as part of the Boston Private Industry Council (PIC) Program. This school-business partnership will allow Keane to assist the school in successfully reaching a number of human resources development and technology goals, including the integration of its leading-edge computer resources within the curriculum.

According to John F. Keane, president of Keane, Inc.: "Keane's partnership with the Edwards School gives the company an opportunity to make a difference in the education of the city's youth. We consider the time, energy and resources targeted toward the school as an investment which will pay off in the development of students equipped with the necessary skills to be successful in an increasingly technology-driven society."

Charles E. McAfee, principal of the Edwards Middle School, states: "We wholeheartedly welcome



JOHN F. KEANE (forefront), president and CEO of Keane, Inc., a \$93 million custom software development company headquartered in Charlestown, joins Principal Charles E. McAfee (back), students and other administrators of the Clarence R. Edwards Middle School in Charlestown to kick off their school-business partnership as part of the Boston Private Industry Council Pro-

gram. Pictured front row (l. to r.) are Jamie Hutchins of Charlestown; Instructional Support Teacher Diane Gandy; Keane; Pamela Wu of Boston. Second row (l. to r.) Diane Ferreira of Charlestown; Librarian Wanda Cain; Jenny Dang of the South End; Citty Wade and Antwan Crawford of Dorchester; and Deanna Andujar of the South End.

(photo by Mim Fawcett)

Keane's partnership with our school. We are hopeful that the same expertise which has made Keane successful will assist us in utilizing all of our resources, including new technology, to the best advantage of our students."

Keane, Inc. is a \$93 million company which designs, develops, integrates and

maintains software for corporations and hospitals. The company markets its services through a network of 20 branch offices located in metropolitan areas in the eastern half of the United States.

The Clarence R. Edwards Middle School was established in 1931. The school serves sixth-, seventh- and eighth-grade students from various areas of the city including Char-

lestown, Chinatown, Dorchester, Roxbury, Brighton, East Boston and Jamaica Plain.

The Boston Private Industry Council (PIC) was formed to assist educators and administrators of the Boston school system in the development of management, productivity and economic skills utilized in business in order to enhance the operations of the city's educational system.

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## POLICE LINE

From the desk of  
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Area A, Boston Police Department

### Monday, Feb. 17

An attempt was made to steal an automobile parked on Spice Street.

### Tuesday, Feb. 18

At 5:35 a.m., Officer McCormick, while on patrol, observed smoke in the area of 28 Dunstable St. Further investigation revealed that the apartment was engulfed in flames. No occupants were inside at the time. The cause is being investigated by the Arson Squad. Damage was estimated at approximately \$50,000.

A warehouse at 42 Spice St. was broken into during the evening, and a compressor was stolen.

A stolen automobile was recovered at 19 Austin St., and another was recovered on Middlesex Street.

### Wednesday, Feb. 19

At 1 a.m., Officers Kelley and Reaney stopped an automobile on Decatur Street and found that the vehicle was not registered but did have a plate attached. The officers placed the 36-year-old resident under arrest.

A stolen automobile was recovered on Terminal Street.

### Thursday, Feb. 20

A building at 529 Main St. was broken into during the evening, and a stereo was stolen.

Stolen automobiles were recovered on Old Ironside Way, Dorrance Street and Cambridge Street.

### Friday, Feb. 21

A stolen automobile was recovered on Walker Street.

A stereo was stolen from an automobile parked on Spice Street.

### Saturday, Feb. 22

At 10:24 p.m., Officer Connolly responded to Olives restaurant at 67 Main St. on the report of a fire. The officer met Boston Fire Department Chief O'Donnell at the scene who stated that the restaurant had a fire in the smoke stack. He further stated that once the fire was extinguished, he instructed the owner to close the establishment. There was no estimate of damage.

### Sunday, Feb. 23

A stolen automobile was recovered on Polk Street.

A storage trailer parked at 174 Alford St. was broken into during the weekend, and a large number of tools were stolen.

A business in Building 62 on 13th Street was broken into, and a computer and an answering machine were stolen.

*These incidents are under investigation by Area A detectives.*

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Residents are reminded: If you know of any drug activity in your neighborhood, call the Area A Detectives office at 247-4571. It is not necessary to give your name, and all information will be investigated.

### Boston Police Hold Office Hours In Charlestown

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

The officer will be on hand in the first floor conference area at One Thompson Square to meet with residents or business persons on an individual basis on Wednesday, March 4 from 10 a.m. to noon.



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## Voke Gets Commitment From MDC On Gilmore Bridge Safety

Continuing his efforts to improve pedestrian safety on the Gilmore Bridge, Rep. Richard Voke has successfully secured a commitment from the Metropolitan District Commission (MDC) for immediate action. At a meeting this past Monday morning on the Gilmore Bridge, Voke was informed that the MDC will extend curbside barriers along the entire length of its Gilmore Bridge roadway.

"I am pleased the MDC has heeded my advice by committing to install guardrails along their Gilmore Bridge property. The addition of these guardrails will certainly provide the increased protection I have sought for pedestrians who walk over that bridge," noted Voke.

This past November, a truck jumped the Gilmore Bridge sidewalk and struck a Charlestown woman. Since then, Voke has been in contact with state and city officials, seeking to ensure the public is better protected by bringing the needed safety improvements to the bridge.

"As we were standing on the unprotected portion of the Gilmore Bridge sidewalk in Cambridge, the dangers to pedestrians com-

ing from Charlestown were painfully clear. Cars are traveling at a high rate of speed, often screeching to a stop for the red light ahead. Without the addition of guardrails, accidents like the one that recently occurred could happen more frequently. With time of the essence, the MDC's response to my inquiries will be swift," Voke stated.

Although pleased with the commitment to add guardrails, Voke says he

will continue to focus on the length of the bridge, seeking other ways to improve public safety. "During my meetings with the MDC, ideas came up relative to the state and city working together to improve conditions on the non-MDC portion of the roadway. For example, the city has been contacted about the possibility of installing pedestrian crossing lights at the intersection of the bridge with Rutherford Avenue. In addition to this,

we will also be in touch with them shortly to discuss the implementation of other cooperative efforts," concluded Voke.

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