## CHARLESTOWN and Somerville Chronicle VOLUME 37 NUMBER 30 CHARLESTOWN, MASS. PRICE 25¢ THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1995

#### Youngsters And Parents Cautioned About Rollerblading

The snowy winter of 1993-94 brought caution to young people and their parents about "bumping." This is a practice by young people who attach themselves to the rear of vehicles and slide along as the vehicle moves forward.

This spring, with the lack of snow and the influx of rollerblades, the sport has taken on a new, but none-theless dangerous, turn. Young people with rollerblades have been reported to be attaching themselves to the backs of vehicles and go for a ride as the vehicle pulls the skater along. Many drivers have been frightened by this practice and the initial response tends to be to slam on the brakes or speed up, both of which pose a danger.

Bill Smith, community service officer for Area A of the Boston Police Department, has issued a warning to rollerbladers on the danger of this activity and to parents, as well, to take responsibility for their youngsters in discouraging this activity.

Smith advises drivers facing the situation to slow down and pull over to the side of the roadway and slowly stop. He also tells residents to call 911 to report areas where this activity is happening.

## Annual Lt. Michael P. Quinn, USMC Scholarship Dinner

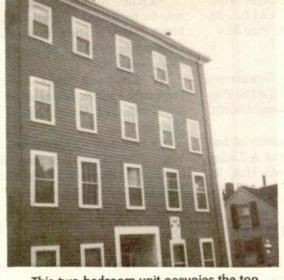


AMY NOEL URQUHART, the silver anniversary award winner of the Lt. Michael P. Quinn, USMC Scholarship and a freshman at Barnard College in New York, received a citation from Rep. Richard A. Voke, House Majority Leader, at the annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner. Shown (l. to r.) is Amy's mother Patricia, Voke, Urquhart and Virginia Quinn, mother of Michael P. Quinn. (photo by Michael Tognarelli)



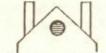
MICHAEL CONTOMPASIS, principal of Boston Latin School, was the guest speaker at the annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner held recently at the K. of C. Hall. Shown (l. to r.) Patricia Urquhart, Amy Urquhart, Contompasis and Virginia Quinn, mother of Lt. Michael Quinn. Boston Latin was the alma mater of Mike Quinn and Amy is the 10th graduate of that school to receive the Quinn scholarship. (photo by Michael Tognarelli)

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OFFICERS AND TRUSTEES of the Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Committee are shown at the annual scholarship dinner (. to r.) Bob Quinn, Tom White, Mike Powers,

Ed Doherty, Ed Johnson, John Tibbetts, Tom Morrissey, Bill Koelsch and Ronan FitzPatrick (photo by Michael Tognarelli)

## Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Seeks Community Support

The Charlestown Veterans/Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Committee is making plans for the annual Bunker Hill Day Parade both to honor our patriot forefathers who fought for freedom 220 years ago on the hills of Charlestown during the Battle of Bunker Hill and also to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the World War II victory and the outstanding men and women who

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served in the U.S. Armed Forces during that war, especially those from Char-

The committee is seeking the financial support of the residents, merchants and local organizations for the 1995 celebration in order that the events will serve as a significant and meaningful tribute to those who not only fought and died at the Battle of Bunker Hill, but also during World War II.

The highlight of the celebration will be the Bunker Hill Day Parade, which will be held on Sunday, June 18, commencing at 12:30 p.m. from the Hayes Square area of the town. This should be one of the largest and most outstanding parades in the Greater Boston area.

As you are most likely aware, due to the fiscal constraints imposed on the city of Boston, the funds available from the city to help underwrite parades are extremely limited, and the small reserve that the committee had built up in the parade fund in prior years is now non-existent. Thus, increased financial assistance must once again be sought from the community - from you the residents, local business people and community organizations - to make this, the 220th commemoration of the Battle of Bunker Hill - a success.

The fund raising for the parade and commemorative celebration again this year is being carried out by a small but dedicated group of residents. These people

are giving many hours of their time to make this a truly memorable celebration for the community and they need the support of every resident, whether a lifelong "Townie" or a newer resident of the town.

Money must be raised in order to pay the fee or expenses for each band, drum corps, color guard or other unit that takes part in the parade. Musical units charge from \$800 to \$2,500 for their participation in the parade if they are from Massachusetts and the cost is much more for those units that are being brought in from distant states - none of them comes for free.

There are several ways that you, the resident, local business person or (continued on page 9)

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#### Children's Film Program At The Charlestown Branch Library

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Tuesday, April 25 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "Sprigs and Twigs," a tale in which Fingermouse and Flash hunt for wood . . . Willie desperately wants to learn how to whistle in "Whistle for Willie," . . . and tools come alive and create a ballet in "Toolbox Ballet."

"Flurina" tells the adventures of a little Swiss girl who saves a bird and finds a gem, shown only at 3:30 p.m.

Suggested good books to read are Whistle for Willie by Ezra Jack Keats and Angelina Ballerina by Katharine Holabird.

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## CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## this week at a glance

Thursday, April 20

· 4 p.m. - Creative Drama with dramatics, improvisation and imaginative games, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• 7 to 8 p.m. - Matt O'Neil Roller Blade League Registration, K. of C. Hall 75 West School St.

· 7:30 p.m. - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Zoning & Development meeting to explain new zoning, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, April 21

· 3 to 5 p.m. - Pop Warner Football and Cheerleaders Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

Saturday, April 22

Thursday, April 27

Library, 179 Main St.

Friday, April 28

Saturday, April 29

Thursday, May 11

Bunker Hill Mall

Friday, May 12

Saturday, May 13

Main St.

· noon to 2 p.m. - Pop Warner Football and Cheerleaders Registration, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

Sunday, April 23 · 9 a.m. - Annual Firefighters Communion Breakfast, Bishop

· 9:30 to 11 a.m. - Woman's Re-

· 12:15 p.m. - Charlestown Ki-

· 4 p.m. - Creative Drama with

• 7 p.m. - "The Life of a Coral

· 10 a.m. - Adult Discussion

covery Group, J.F. Kennedy Center's

wanis Club meeting, Barrett's on

Boston Harbour restaurant, Consti-

dramatics, improvisation and imagi-

native games, Charlestown Branch

Reef," a lecture illustrated with

slides by Dr. Grazia Walker, Charles-

town Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Group and Preschool Story Hour,

Charlestown Branch Library, 179

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. - Rummage

· 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. - MGH

Bunker Hill Health Center's "Char-

lestown Loves A Healthy Heart"

Health Fair, Johnnie's Foodmaster,

Schoolboys' Association Reunion,

K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

· 6 p.m. - Charlestown Old

· 7 p.m. - Charlestown Old

· 1 p.m. - Meat Raffle to benefit

Schoolgirls' Association Reunion,

Barrett's on Boston Harbour res-

taurant, Constitution Plaza

Old Kent School, 23A Moulton St.

Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

• 1 p.m. - Annual Charlestown Little League Parade and Jamboree, from Hayes Square over Bunker Hill Street to Ryan Field at Sullivan Square

· 1 p.m. - Charlestown Softball League Registration for all teams old and new, Old Sully's

Monday, April 24

• 10 a.m. to noon - Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS) Play Group, St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St.

· 7 p.m. - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Basic Services Committee meeting on bus stops and traffic in City Square, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

 7 to 8 p.m. - Charlestown Rose Applications available from the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. Tuesday, April 25

· 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, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

 5:30 p.m. - CHarlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) meeting, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St.

• 7:30 p.m. - Overeaters Anonymous meeting, Bunker Hill Community College, Room E-232

· 8 p.m. - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, Mary Colbert Apartments (side entrance), 20 Devens St.

Wednesday, April 26

· 6 to 7 p.m. - Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

· 6 p.m. - Pop Warner Coaches and Board members meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

## upcoming events

Sale, First Church, Green Street

· 2 p.m. - Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee meeting, American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

Sunday, April 30

· 2 to 6 p.m. - Dickie McManus and the Irish Revolution sponsored by Chief Marshal Tom Hickey to benefit the Bunker Hill Day Parade, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

· 4 p.m. - Candlelight Vigil, sponsored by CH.A.M.P., St. Catherine's Church, 49 Vine St.

Monday, May 1

• 10 a.m. to noon - Charlestown Association of Parents (CAPS) Play Group, St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St.

• 7:30 p.m. - Daughters of Isabella No. 1 meeting and A Living Rosary, K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

Tuesday, May 2

· 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. -Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

· 7 p.m. - Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

• 7:30 p.m. - Overeaters Anonymous meeting, Bunker Hill Community College, Room E-232

· 8 p.m. - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, Mary Colbert Apartments (side entrance), 20 Devens St.

Wednesday, May 3

10 a.m. and noon - Free Presentation and Screening on anxiety, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St.

· 6 to 7 p.m. - Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

## plan ahead

Hall, 75 West School St.

 7 p.m. - Daughters of Isabella #1 93rd Anniversary Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, May 20

· 10 a.m. - Navy Yard Neighborhood Association Annual Spring Clean-up, call 242-2217 for informa-

Sunday, May 21

· noon to 4 p.m. - Family Fun Day, Charlestown High School field, Medford Street

Saturday, June 3

• 9:30 a.m. - Outdoor Volleyball Tournament sponsored by the Friends of the Clougherty Pool,

Charlestown Community Center Field, Medford Street

Wednesday, June 14 · 1 to 4 p.m. - Dance and En-

tertainment, sponsored by Charlestown Healthy Aging Program (CHAP), K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Friday, June 16

• 7 p.m. - Annual Chief Marshal's "Nite Before" Banquet, sponsored by Bunker Hill Post 26, A.L. and the Charlestown Veterans Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, June 18

· Bunker Hill Day Parade

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#### Have You Been Wondering Where Your Recycled Materials End Up?

Cathleen Douglas Stone, Chief of Environmental Services, and John McCarthy, recycling coordinator, Public Works Department, city of Boston, will give an update on the city of Boston's Curbside Recycling Program. They will explain where your recycled materials end up after you put them in the city's BLUE BOX at your curb.

The Charlestown recycling volunteers would like to take this opportunity to thank the Charlestown community and the recycling volunteers for supporting the recycling effort and assisting in our mission to bring recycling to Charlestown.

Please come and join us on Thursday, May 4 at 7:30 p.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Refreshments will be served following the discussion, which is co-sponsored by the Charlestown Recycling Volunteers and the Friends of Charlestown Branch Library.

### Registration Ongoing For First Annual Volleyball Tournament

The Friends of the Clougherty Pool are happy to announce that 25 teams have already registered for the first annual Outdoor Volleyball Tournament on Saturday, June 3. The committee is very pleased with the response it has received and looks forward to a great day of volleyball.

Once again, the committee would like to remind people that all of the proceeds will go to

benefit the Clougherty Pool (the Bunker Hill Pool). If there are still people out there wanting to play, but haven't registered, don't wait too long!

Please call David Whelan at 242-1604 or JoAnn Doherty at 242-8532 with any questions or if you are interested in registering a

Thank you for your interest. Keep an eye on the Patriot for further informa-

#### Mentoring Program At The Boys & Girls Club

The Mentoring Program is in full swing at the Boys & Girls Club. Twelve Charlestown teens have been working after school in offices throughout Charlestown and downtown Boston learning about careers that interest them, gaining valuable job skills and getting an introduction to the business world under the direction of their mentors. This program, funded by Mass. Biomedical Research Corporation's "Smart Choices" program, has been ongoing this year.



COLLEEN WALSH and mentor Thom Gilligan stop to pose for a picture during a busy day at Marathon Tours

Additional matches include Eric Ridlon at the Boston Stock Exchange; Michael Leahy at McCall & Almy; Erin Blaikie and Desiree Eatherton at Smith Barney; Ian Urquhart at Calenda & Iacoi; Eddie Gallagher at Leers, Weinzapfel Associates Architects Inc.; Danny O'Brien at the club; Greg McNeil at American Speedy Printing Centers; Brian Wadman at National Leisure Group; and Courtney McLaughlin at John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co.

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#### Parade Committee To Meet

The Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee will meet at 2 p.m. on Saturday afternoon, April 29 at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St., at the corner of Chestnut Street.

Plans are being made for the June 18 parade and people willing to assist are welcome to attend.

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APPLICATIONS

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Celebrate & Support The Bunker Hill Day Parade with 1995 Chief Marshal

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#### Program On 'Parental Stress' At The Charlestown Branch Library

Hypnotherapist Robyn Cohen-Moore of Charlestown Psychotherapy will talk about "Stress Issues Around Parenting" at the weekly adults' discussion program at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Friday, April 28 at 10 a.m.

Raising children in a healthy home takes patience and skill. CohenMoore, a licensed social worker, will talk about some of the pressures of parenting young children and strategies that can be used to make life easier for the whole family.

The hour-long program is free and open to the pub-

For more information, call the library at 242-1248.

#### Daly O'Brien Plans Emmanuel College's 75th Anniversary Celebration

Peg Daly O'Brien of Charlestown, an alumna of Emmanuel College, is serving on the committee planning the college's 75th anniversary dinner celebration, Party at the Plaza, scheduled for Saturday, May 6, at the Park Plaza Hotel in Boston.

The dinner and events to be held the following weekend will mark the grand finale to a year-long celebration. Emmanuel's graduation and reunion weekend, scheduled for May 12-14, will conclude with a special Liturgy celebrated by His Eminence Bernard Cardinal Law on Mother's Day, May 14, on the college campus.

For more information about the *Party at the Plaza*, please call the office of development and alumnae relations at 735-9829.

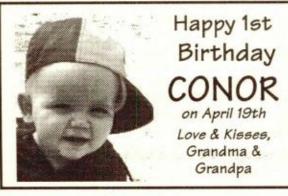
#### Brown Bag Bookies To Meet At The Charlestown Branch Library

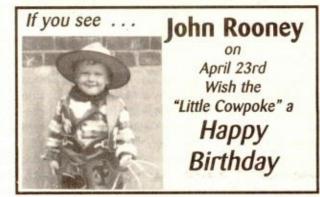
The Brown Bag Bookies, the adult discussion group of the Charlestown Branch Library, will meet on Tuesday, April 25 at noon at the library, 179 Main St.

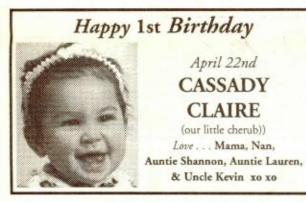
The book to be featured this month is On The Black Hill by Bruce Chatwin. The Atlantic stated: "He is learned, humorous and observant, he writes extremely well, and he is resolutely blind to the commonplace."

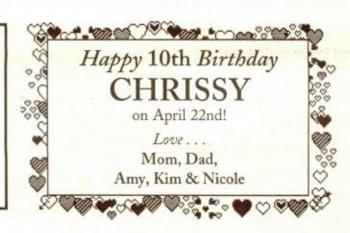
Chatwin has charted the passage of the 20th century from the viewpoint of people who live within the radius of a few ideal square miles. In its literary power and precisely nuanced social detail, in its felicitous descriptions of an extraordinary landscape and its brilliant characterization of passionate men and women, his new novel reaffirms a great tradition of English and European fiction.

Participants may bring their lunch. New members are always welcome. For further information, call Theresa Francisco at 242-1248.









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- It's Here! . . . Tomorrow night, Friday, April 21 is the Community Appreciation Awards Banquet to be held at the K. of C. Hall, with the event getting underway at 7 p.m. . . . Those who will receive the 1995 awards are: Jenny's Pizza (business) . . . CHarlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) (organization) . . . Jay Ash (public servant) . . . Sister Ann Rita Sullivan and Zelma Lacey (elderly) . . . Nicole DeRoeve (youth) . . . Francis "Bud" Coleman (unsung hero) . . . and Patricia Simpson and Erin Farley (new resident) . . . If you haven't purchased your ticket, give a call to Chairman Peter Looney at 242-4032 or Ticket Chairman Stephen Collins at 242-2839.
- The Official Start Of Charlestown Little League . . . takes place this coming Sunday, April 23rd, with the organization's annual parade and jamboree . . . The teams, their coaches and the board members will march up Bunker Hill Street from Hayes Square to Sullivan Square, starting at 1 p.m. . . . Everyone is welcome to come on out and cheer the youngsters on, and plan to join them for a jamboree at Ryan Field.
- Twenty-sixth Annual Walk For Hunger... is set for Sunday, May 7th. Tens of thousands of Mass. residents will step out and make a difference in over 500 emergency feeding programs in 127 communities in the state... Registration for the walk will be on May 7th between 7 and 9 a.m. at the Boston Common... Walk Guides are available at area stores or by calling 723-5000.
- Project Safe Baby . . . which was created by Midas Muffler & Brake Shops, is a public affairs program to promote and encourage the correct use of car seats. They are looking for local charities who would be interested in receiving free Century 1000 STE child safety seats this summer . . . Interested charities should send a written request for car seats on their organization's letterhead to: Project Safe Baby, Schneider & Associates, 585 Boylston St., Boston, Mass. 02116 . . . The deadline for submissions is Friday, May 5.
- It's Birthday Time This Week . . . for Tom Getherall, who will celebrate on April 21st, and April 24th is party time for Paul Howell . . Birthday wishes to you both! . . . And, this week is the 102nd birthday of the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club . . . Congratulations!
- Anniversary Wishes . . . go out to Ellen and Russell Mondi, who will be celebrating their 32nd year of wedded bliss on April 21st . . . The very best to both of you!
- Volunteers . . . are needed by the American Cancer Society to answer phones and register the public for SkinSavers '95, a free statewide skin cancer screening campaign . . . Two shifts are available: 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., or 12:30 p.m. to 4 p.m., from Wednesday, April 26th to Wednesday, May 3rd . . . The phonebank office is located on Bear Hill Road, off Route 128 in Waltham. Training will be provided. For more info, call the SkinSavers Coordinator at 1-800-952-7664, ext. 1404.
- Celebrating Boston's Neighborhoods . . . has been taking place on Thursdays at noon at the Old South Meeting House . . . This week, Ken Stone, governor of the Friends of City Square Park, used slides to trace the history of the city of Charlestown that was Puritan John Winthrop's first choice for settling.
- Food Stamp Outreach Program . . . Out of work? Working but can't make ends meet? Don't wait. Find out about food stamps today. Call: 1-800-645-8333 . . . Food Stamps - a smart move in tough times.
- Free Programs . . . are offered by the city of Boston Parks and Recreation Department Park Rangers . . . "Make Way For Ducklings" is an ideal opportunity for preschoolers to meet the famous Mrs. Mallard and her family in the Public Garden. Rangers will read the classic tale, then help participants feed the ducks in the Lagoon. Meet at the corner of Beacon and Charles streets at 1 p.m. on Friday, April 21st . . . Flower Power is the tour for Sunday, April 23rd. The Public Garden is Boston's botanical beauty, and the oldest public botanical garden in the nation. This one-hour tour will be a combination of history and horticulture, amidst flowers, trees, shrubs and plants. Meet at 2 p.m. on the corner of Arlington Street and Commonwealth Avenue.



## around the town

★ Neighborhood Council Meetings . . .

Vacancy On Neighborhood Council

With the recent resignation of Gregg Nolan as an at-large member of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council, Chairman Peter Looney has declared a vacancy. Residents who have a strong interest and commitment to the community who wish to be considered for council membership to serve Nolan's unexpired term, should call Looney at 242-4032.

#### Zoning & Development Committee Meeting

Chairman Tom Cunha has announced that a meeting of the Zoning & Development Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. tonight, Thursday, April 20, in the main hall of the Knights of Columbus, 75 West

This will be an informational meeting on zoning, how it will affect the seven precincts in the town and how the process will work.

**Basic Services Meeting** On City Square Traffic & Bus Stops

Bill Galvin, chairman of the Basic Services Committee, has announced that a meeting focusing on the traffic and bus stops in City Square will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday, April 24 at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

Billboard Committee Meeting

Chairman Ken Stone announces that the Billboard Committee will hold a public meeting at 7 p.m. on Monday, May 1 at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St. concerning the request by the 99 Restaurant in the Bunker Hill Mall to install a free-standing double-sided 10 foot 41/2 inch by 12 foot illuminated monopole sign with a 6-foot protective top.

Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the CNC will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 2 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

#### Public Safety/Police Community Relations Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Public Safety/Police Community Relations meeting will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 9 at Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

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

\* Mishawum Park Meeting . . . A general meeting of the Mishawum Park Tenants Association will be held tonight, Thursday, April 20, at 7 p.m. at 95 Dunstable St. The agenda will include a public viewing of a grant application for funding by C.E.D.A.C.

\* Parks Department Meeting . . . The city of Boston Parks and Recreation Department will meet with community residents at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 26 at Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Polly Melton, project manager, will present design ideas and solicit input from the community on the Tot Lot at the Ryan Playground in Sullivan Square.

Interested residents are urged to attend and participate in the process.

\* Saturday Is Earth Day . . . The city of Boston and UMass-Boston will present Boston's first Automotive Waste Recycling Day on Earth Day, Saturday, April 22. It will be held from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the UMass-Boston Harbor Campus in Dorchester. Take the JFK/UMass exit off the expressway, and watch for signs to the service lot.

The site will be open to all city of Boston residents, and no commercial waste will be accepted. Tires with or without rims, automotive batteries, used motor oil (in clean, sealed containers, do not mix with other substances), and used antifreeze will be accepted.

For more information, call the Boston Environment Department at 635-3850.

- \* Board Of Appeal Hearings . . . The city of Boston Board of Appeal will meet at noon on Tuesday, April 25 in Room 801 at Boston City Hall to hear the appeals on two Charlestown properties.
- · John White is seeking permission to allow his Mobil Station at 428A Medford St. to be used for the display and sale of five used and/or new cars.

· Hugh C. Bigney is seeking to construct a shed dormer at the rear of a threefamily dwelling at 12 Mt. Vernon St.

At a Board of Appeal Hearing at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, May 9, the Doe Family Trust II by Dana G. Doe, trustee is seeking to install a free-standing, double-sided illuminated 10' 41/2" x 12' monopole sign with 6' protective top at 29-31 Austin St., the 99 Restaurant.

★ Red Cross Responds To Oklahoma Explosion . . . The Red Cross responded immediately to help victims of the explosion in Oklahoma City on Wednesday. Emergency response vehicles were on-site and provided essential services such as food and water to injured persons as well as to medical and emergency rescue workers.

Red Cross volunteers in Oklahoma City assisted with first aid and mental health services and expects to provide counseling and make referrals for individuals affected by this explosion.

In addition to the Oklahoma crisis, the

American Red Cross of Mass. Bay responded to the evacuation of government employees at Government Center Plaza. Volunteers handed out snacks and hot coffee to all emergency workers and to employees displaced from their work sites.

The Red Cross cannot accept disaster welfare inquiries for 48 hours. After this time if family members are unsuccessful in reaching loved ones in Oklahoma City, they may call the Amercian Red Cross of Mass. Bay and initiate a health and welfare inquiry. For additional information call 375-0700.

★ Normal Anxiety Or Anxiety Disorder? . . . To find out, the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center invites you to attend a free presentation and screening on Wednesday, May 3. There will be two presentations, one

at 10 a.m. and the other at noon. Join with friends and health center staff to learn more about these most common mental health problems that affect more than 25 million Americans each year and seriously impair the ability of those afflicted to function.

Participants will learn about the signs and symptoms of the most common "anxiety disorders" and how to distinguish normal adaptive anxiety from "anxiety disorders." They will receive information on some of the more common treatments for these disorders. For more information, or to sign up for the 10 a.m. or noon session, please call 724-8200 by Friday, April 28.

★ Where's My Refund? . . . Wondering where your refund is? Has it been eight weeks since you filed your paper tax return, or four weeks if it was filed electronically?

If you answered "yes" to either of these questions, why not call the IRS' Tele-Tax System at 1-800-829-4477. To check the status of your refund, have a copy of the 1994 tax return available for the following information: the first social security number shown on the return, the filing status, and the exact whole dollar amount of your refund.

Then follow the recorded instructions to enter this information on your telephone's alpha-numeric keypad. The Tele-Tax System refund information is updated once a week each Friday, so it's best to wait seven days before calling back again.

Taxpayers whose returns require additional information will be sent a notice of verification which must be filled out and returned to the service center before a refund can be released. Once accurate information is received, the IRS will continue processing the return and mail the refund

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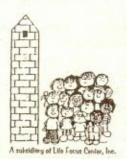
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# Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Sponsors Hospital Party Commemorates Legion's 76th Birthday

Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion sponsored its 25th annual March Hospital Party at the Chelsea Soldiers' Home on March 30. This party not only honored all the veteran patients born in the month of March, but also celebrated the 76th anniversary of the founding of The American Legion, the largest veteran organization in the world with over three million members.

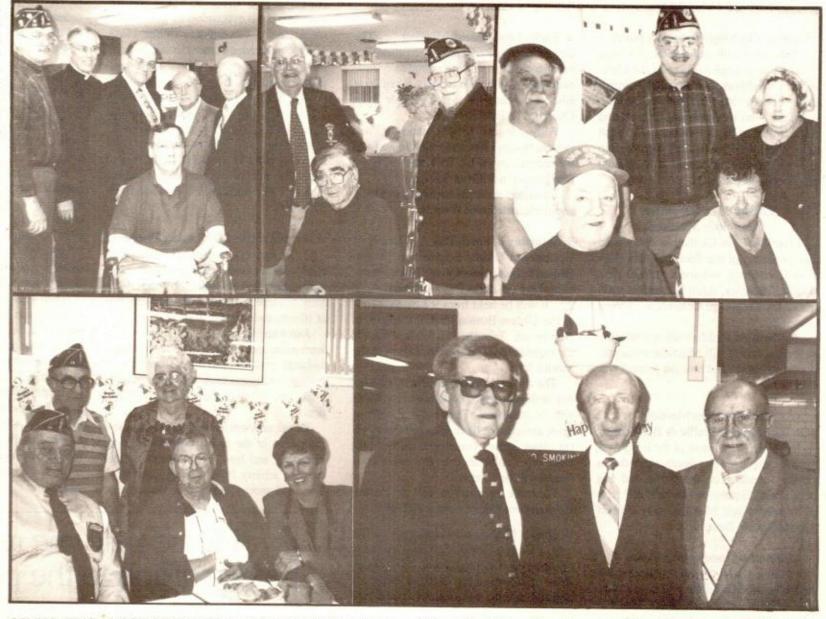
Both Rev. Harold Small, the Protestant chaplain, and Rev. Lawrence Sullivan, the Catholic chaplain, at the Chelsea Soldiers' Home, were in attendance to help the patients celebrate and to also offer a prayer for them.

Other officials in attendance were: William D. Thompson, commandant of the home, and Robert Crowley, acting chairman of the Board of Trustees of the home.

Steve Stouffer, dormitory recreation director, organized the party around an Irish theme with Irish Bingo. Irish singing was provided by patient John Dunlea and Post 26 Past Commander Mike Walsh.

Masimo Santeusanio, a 100-year-old World War I Navy veteran, had the honor of being the oldest March Birthday guest present

Legionnaires from Bunker Hill Post 26, A.L. in attendance at the party were Commander Paul Morceau, Finance Officer and Hospital Chairman John M. Kelley, P.C.; Senior Vice Commander Al Gallarelli; Chaplain Michael J. Walsh, P.C.;



CELEBRATING MARCH BIRTHDAYS at the Chelsea Soldiers' Home. TOP ROW: At the left seated is Dormitory Recreation Director Steve Stouffer, and standing (l. to r.) Post 26 Commander Paul Morceau, Catholic Chaplain Rev. Lawrence Sullivan, Protestant Chaplain Rev. Dr. Harold Small, Board of Trustees Acting Chairman Robert Crowley and Commandant William D. Thompson . . . In the center, seated, is patient John Dunlea and standing (l. to r.) are Post 26 Finance Officer and Hospital Chairman John M. Kelley, P.C., and Post 26 Chaplain Michael J. Walsh, P.C. . . . On the right, seated, are Chelsea Soldiers' Home residents James Kelly and Richard "Wimpy" Keegan. Standing (l. to r.) are resident

Robert "Coffy" Coughlin, Morceau and Irma Vanderpool, supervisor of recreation therapy for the hospital section of the home.

BOTTOM ROW: On the left, seated, are Post 26 Sergeant-At-Arms Ron Taylor, patient Tom Sexton and his wife Mary (Babcock) Sexton. Standing (l. to r.) are Post 26 Senior Vice Commander Al Gallarelli and Past Commander Florence Johnson . . . At the right are Legion Past National Historian Jim Conway, secretary of the Board of Trustees of the home, Commandant William D. Thompson and Board of Trustees Acting Chairman Robert Crowley.

Executive Committee Member Florence Johnson, P.C.; Sergeant-At-Arms Ron Taylor; and Legion Past National Historian James W. Conway, P.C., who is also the secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Chelsea Soldiers' Home.

Other "Townies" in attendance were patient Tom Sexton and his wife Mary (Babcock) Sexton, patients/residents James Kelly, Richard "Wimpy" Keegan, Robert "Coffy" Coughlin and the supervisor of recreation therapy of the home's hospital section Irma Vanderpool.

#### High School Juniors Will Be Sponsored For American Legion Boys And Girls State

Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion will again sponsor high school junior boys and girls attending the state-wide American Legion Boys State to be held June 17-23 on the campus of Bentley College, and American Legion Auxiliary Girls State to be held on the campus of Mount Holyoke College during the same period.

These six day live-in programs are essentially practical courses in civics, designed to develop the participants' working knowledge of how government works.

Students study parliamentary procedures, participate in mock elections and learn the importance of good citizenship.

It should be of particular interest to students involved in, or wishing to become involved in, student government. There are extensive recreational activities associated with the programs. All the Charlestown students who have attended the programs in the past have highly recommended them.

Bunker Hill Post 26 will pay for all tuition fees.

Any interested high school junior should contact Boys and Girls State Chairman Bill Galvin at 242-3862 for further details.

THANK YOU ST. JUDE and BLESSED MOTHER

THANK YOU ST. JUDE for favors granted. C.P.D.

## Commonwealth's Libraries Laud Voke

Having been a longtime advocate for the Commonwealth's libraries, Rep. Richard Voke was pleased to accept the recognition of the Mass. Library Association. Voke was praised for his recent work to advance a library technology enhancement and resource sharing bill through the first stage of the legislative process.

"As we enter the age of the 'information superhighway,' the manner in which people communicate, work and learn has been and will continue to undergo dramatic changes. Advancement in telecommunications and computer technology have revolutionized the national and global economy, as well as almost every aspect of our lives," stated Voke. "These new technologies bring with them an unprecedented demand for information. To meet this public demand, libraries will play an ever-increasing role, not only to provide access to information, but also to present it in a rational, organized and useful form."

According to Voke, the bill would serve to position libraries to fit this new roll by implementing a strategic plan which would address the statutory, regulatory, programmatic, technological and funding issues which the library system faces as it looks to the future. Included in the plan are such provisions as an expansion of the Regional Public Library systems to include academic, school and special libraries in Mass. and the enhancement of the Mass. Library and Information Network capabilities.

The bill also contains

measures which address the inequalities in access to information that exist throughout the state. Currently, the quality and range of services can significantly vary from library to library, with poorer urban areas facing the biggest needs. The proposal recognizes this and attempts to guarantee that every resident of Mass. has a basic level of access to information.

Voke concluded by stating, "As we prepare the Commonwealth for the 21st century in terms of infrastructure such as our roads and bridges, we must also prepare our intellectual and cultural centers. Libraries must be able to provide the residents and businesses of a community with the ability to access and utilize global information resources.

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#### **BHCC** Alumni Association To Hold A Spring Dance

The Bunker Hill Community College (BHCC) Alumni Association will hold a Spring Dance on Friday, May 5, from 7 p.m. to midhight at the Holiday Inn in Somerville.

Dancing to the music of the 50s, 60s, 70s and 80s will be featured. There

will be free hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar. Everyone 21 and over, is welcome to attend. Admission is \$15 and \$10 for dues-paying alumni and present stu-

For further information, call the BHCC alumni office at 228-2411.

#### Rep. Joe Kennedy Is Accepting Internship Applications For Summer

U.S. Rep. Joseph P. Kennedy II, has announced that the Eighth Congressional District Offices in Charlestown are currently accepting applications for student internship positions for the summer of 1995.

Interns work closely with staff to operate an effective congressional office, including all aspects of constituent casework, intake, written correspondence and data entry.

There are also intern-

ship positions available in the press and scheduling departments. Student interns will also be required to participate in general office support work. Typing and data entry skills are a plus.

To arrange an interview, call Al Rielly or Brian O'Connor at 242-0200 or send a cover letter and resume to: Cong. Joseph P. Kennedy II, The Schrafft Center, Suite 605, 529 Main St., Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



#### Thank You

I would like to thank everyone for their cards, flowers, prayers and get well wishes during my recent hospital

Mary Luce

#### 'The Life Of A Coral Reef' At Charlestown Branch Library

The public is cordially invited to join Dr. Grazia Walker at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Thursday, April 27, at 7 p.m for a lecture on The Life of a Coral Reef.

Walker is a biologist who has specialized in the study of marine life. She has taught in Japan for nearly 20 years, both at the high school and university levels.

The formation and evolution of coral reefs will be illustrated with slides from Walker's work in the Pacific. Highlighted reefs are off the western coast of Australia, Okinawa, and also include Diego Garcia and Kwajalein. The talk will focus on evolutionary changes brought by both nature and man.

The program is free and open to the public.

#### Thank You

Noreen, Joe and I would like to personally thank anyone we may have overlooked in our recent loss.

We appreciate your caring and sympathy and we won't ever forget you.

Thanks again, Edith Sullivan

#### My Grandfather (Bud Sullivan) He was such a good man, He was a down-to-earth human. I remember flying my kite. My love will always be in flight. He loved flowers, animals, too. He always came to our rescue. He never thought anyone was bad, And he never got mad.

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Friday, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., Jean Reilly

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Monday, 10 a.m. to noon, Reed White

### UPCOMING TRIPS

 The Irish Village in Yarmouth is the destination for a Sunday, April 30 trip, leaving at 10 a.m. from the Golden Age Center. Included is transportation, lunch and a show. There will also be some shopping at the Christmas Tree Shop.

· A trip to Foxwoods Casino is on the agenda for Monday, May 8. The bus will be leaving at 7:30 a.m. See Snuggles for further information.

• The Valley Inn in N.H. will be the destination for a getaway weekend June 2, 3 and 4.

· A Mt. Sunapee Cruise with a buffet luncheon will take place on Sunday, June 25.

· A trip to Hampton Beach will be held on Thursday, July 13 and again on Monday, Aug. 14.

· A five-day, four-night trip to Prince Edward Island is planned for Aug. 16-20. It will include roundtrip transportation by deluxe motor coach and seven meals, including four breakfasts, two dinners and a

Give a call to Snuggles at 635-5176 for more info.

#### BUS TO STOP & SHOP

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

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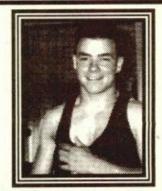
Housing, education and information service is available to seniors every Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Golden Age Center. Applications and help completing them are available.

For more information, contact Beverly Gibbons at 635-5176 or 635-5175.

PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN

BLESSED VIRGIN
(never known to fail)
O most beautiful flower of
Mount Carmel, fruitful vine,
splendor of Heaven, Blessed
Mother of the Son of God,
Immaculate Virgin, assist me in
my necessity. O Star of the
Sea, help me and show me
here you are my mother. O
Holy Mary, Mother of God,
Queen of Heaven and Earth, I
humbly beseech you from the Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to secure me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand your power. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recoursed to thee (3 times). Say this prayer for 3 consecutive days and then you must publish it and it will be granted to you.

Some people come into our lives and quickly go. The footprints you left in our hearts will never show. But the seventeen years you were near to us here, We will hold ever so close and ever so dear. Marcus! Even though your years here were few, We will never be the same as we go on without you April 21 was a day to behold, For you, my son, would have been. Twenty Years Old.



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"Pop," we will do all of this because it's what you would have wanted of us, but we will look back to all the wonderful and loving memories of you which will be loved and cherished by us and all who knew you.

We miss you and wish you were here, Your daughter & son, Noreen & Joe

PRAYER TO THE **BLESSED VIRGIN** 

(never known to fall)
O most beautiful flower of
Mount Carmel, fruitful vine,
splendor of Heaven, Blessed
Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me here you are my mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I until the season was from the Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to secure me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand your power. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recoursed to thee (3 times). Say this prayer for 3 consecutive days and then your must publish it. and then you must publish it and it will be granted to you.

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## Support Needed For The Bunker Hill Day Parade

(continued from page 1) representative of a community organization can

· 'Send in a donation to the parade using the coupon on this page. Once again this year, the Monument will be featured in the Patriot so the community can see the results of the fund-raising efforts. Contributions of \$25 or more will be acknowledged under the Monument, but all donations are welcome.

· Obtain a booster sticker for \$1 or more donation. The boosters will be available shortly from members of the Parade Committee.

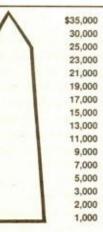
· Buy a raffle ticket at \$1 per chance (\$10 per book) on a number of prizes to be drawn on June 17th.

Information on when and where the boosters and raffle tickets will be sold will be announced in upcoming editions of the

Organizations, businesses, clubs, elected officials and candidates for public office who are interested in sponsoring a band, drum corps or other unit for the parade, should contact the Parade General Chairman James W. Conway at 242-

The Chief Marshal of this year's Bunker Hill Day Parade is Thomas M. Hickey, a World War II

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veteran of the U.S. Army who fought at the Battle of the Bulge and who serves as soloist at St. Francis de Sales Church.

He and his wife Bridget reside on Belmont Street.

The next Parade Committee meeting will be

held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 29 at the Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Hall, 23 Adams Street, at the corner of Chestnut.

All persons willing to help on planning and fund raising for the parade are welcome to attend.

### Registration For Summer Sessions At BHCC

Registration for three summer sessions is now on-going at both the Charlestown and Chelsea campuses of Bunker Hill Community College (BHCC). Students from local colleges and other colleges throughout the country may find it convenient to take a course for credit toward their degree at BHCC during the summer.

Summer session I will be held from May 22 to June 29, session II will

start on July 5 and end on Aug. 10. The evening session will start on June 5 and end on July 27.

Registration will end on May 23 for the first day session, June 6 for the evening session, and July 6 for the second day session. Walk-in registration is available Monday through Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., and Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Other registration options are mail-in, FAX 228-2082, and phonein 228-2422.

Financial Aid is available for the summer sessions to those who qualify. In addition, Financial Aid Information Sessions are held every Thursday at 3 p.m. Admission/Enrollment Information Workshops are held Mondays at 6 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays at 2 p.m.

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## State Treasury Seeks To Return \$80 Million In Unclaimed Property

State Treasurer Joe Malone announced that the state treasury has compiled a list of individuals and organizations who have money waiting for them under the Commonwealth's abandoned property law.

"This year over \$80 million has been turned over to my office as unclaimed property," Malone said. "I urge every citizen to check the abandoned property listing we publish because we are eager to return all of this money to its rightful owners."

Under Mass.' abandoned property law, accounts which have been inactive for more than three years are declared abandoned and turned over to the state treasury for safekeeping. Unclaimed property consists of any financial asset that has not had any owner-generated activity for an extended period of time. This includes savings accounts, checking accounts, unpaid wages or commissions, stocks, underlying shares, uncashed dividends, customers deposits or overpayments, certificates of deposit, credit balances, refunds, money orders, paid-up life insurance policies and uncashed benefit checks.

In accordance with the Mass. Unclaimed Property Act, property becomes "Unclaimed" when the owner does not respond to attempts by the holder of the asset for a three year period, 15 years in the case of travelers checks.

Under the law, the "Holders" (banks, insurance companies, businesses, etc.) must make a determined effort to locate the true owner. If they are unsuccessful, they are to report the names and last known address of the owners to the state treasury. The money is then deposited in the general fund. Owners can always claim their financial assets and there is no time limit on claiming the money. Owners and their heirs need not pay a finder's fee to anyone to claim what is rightfully theirs. All funds accrue interest until claimed.

Anyone who sees their name of the unclaimed property list may call Malone's office at 367-0400, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., or write to : State Treasury, Unclaimed Property Division, One Ashburton Place, 12th floor, Boston, Mass. 02108. When writing or calling, respondents should give the name as it appears on the list, plus current address, address three years ago, social security number, and daytime telephone number.

#### Healthy Charlestown Coalition

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#### HOMEBASE PROGRAM

The Healthy Charlestown Coalition, in cooperation with the city of Boston Homebase program, will be providing classes for first-time homebuyers. These classes will be held on five consecutive Monday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., beginning April 24 at the Charlestown Community Center, 255 Medford St. Classes are free of charge and space is limited. To enroll in this class, please call the Public Facilities Homebase office at 635-3582.

#### COMMUNITY HEALTH DATA FOLLOW-UP

The Health and Lifestyles Design Team has begun the follow-up process to the Community Health Data Reports. This report was distributed during a public community meeting in January. The follow-up process will allow community residents and service providers to use this data to establish and address the most pressing health issues in the Charlestown community. This process will be community-driven with assistance from private and public health institutions. The group will be meeting at noon every Wednesday at the Boys & Girls Club conference room. Anyone interested in joining this group can call Danny at the coalition office.

#### INCREASE THE PEACE WEEK

The Violence Prevention Design Team has been working on an agenda for "Increase the Peace Week," which is May 14 through 21. So far, they will be sponsoring a domestic violence workshop on Wednesday, May 17 from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at St. Catherine's parish hall. The week will also include peer mediation training for teens and a toy-gun buy back, as well as activities during Family Fun Day on May 21. The next meeting for this design team will be Thursday, April 27 at 9:30 a.m. at 76 Monument St. Anyone interested in getting involved with this group can contact the coalition office, or call Denise at the Boys & Girls Club at 242-1775.

#### Scholarship Applications Available MICHAEL P. QUINN SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are being accepted for the 1994 Michael Patrick Quinn Scholarship which carries a combined award of \$3,000. To be eligible, you must be a Charlestown resident for the past four years and graduate with your high school class of 1995. The application deadline is May 1.

To obtain an application, please call 242-5493, 242-5445 or 242-4353.

#### OLD CHARLESTOWN SCHOOLBOYS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are now available for the \$1,000 Old Charlestown Schoolboys' Association scholarship. In order to be eligible for the scholarship, the boy or girl must be a senior in high school, be a resident of Charlestown for 10 or more years, complete a scholarship application, enclose a copy of his or her high school transcript and at least three letters of recommendation, preferably from references listed on the scholarship application. Completed applications should be mailed to Kenneth Awbrey, P.O. Box 375, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

Applications are at the **Patriot** office, One Thompson Square, and at the Charlestown High School office, 240 Medford St. The deadline for filing completed applications is **May 2**.

#### WINIFRED TALBOT DUFFY SCHOLARSHIP

The scholarship is given annually by the Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association through a contribution by James Duffy in memory of his wife.

The \$500 award is presented to a young woman who has been a permanent resident of Charlestown for at least 10 years and who has completed her freshman year at a four-year college.

Applications are available at the **Patriot** office, One Thompson Square or by writing to the OCSGA Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 276, Charlestown, Mass. 02129.

The deadline for submission of completed applications is May 5. The winner will be selected in a random drawing at the Schoolgirls' reunion on May 12.

#### MATTY O'NEIL SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are now being accepted for the Matty O'Neil Scholarship which is awarded annually to a qualified Charlestown youth. The applicant must be a resident of Charlestown since 1988, graduate with his or her high school class of 1995 and have applied and plan to attend college in the fall of 1995.

The scholarship is for \$1,500 and there is no gender restriction. The money is a one-time award to be used by the student to help defray any college expenses, including tuition, room and board or books.

If you have any questions, please call 241-9282. Completed applications must be returned to the scholar-ship committee at 23 Cross St., Charlestown, Mass. 02129 by May 26.

#### BUNKER HILL COUNCIL NO. 62 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

Applications for the Knights of Columbus Scholarship are now available at the **Patriot** office, One Thompson Square.

The applicant must be a high school senior who is a resident of Charlestown or the child of a paid-up member of the Bunker Hill Council. He or she must complete a scholarship application and enclose a copy of his or her high school transcript along with three letters of recommendation and copies of letters of acceptance.

Completed applications must be mailed or delivered to K. of C. Council 62 Scholarship Committee, 75 West School St., Charlestown, Mass. 02129, by June 1.

#### Volunteers Wanted For After School Program

Boston Community Centers and the Boston Public Schools are seeking volunteers to provide fun, enriching and innovative after-school programs for youth at the Cleveland Middle School (Dorchester) and English High School (Jamaica Plain).

If you are able to teach a class (i.e. dance, arts& crafts, theatre arts, martial arts, health education, sports, job training, etc.) and can contribute 1-2 afternoons per week for 2-3 months, please write us at:

Safe Schools c/o Boston Community Centers 1010 Massachusetts Ave. Boston, MA 02119 Attention: Ginny Guild

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401(k) plans, offered by many employers, are a great way to save for retirement. Every dollar you contribute directly reduces your taxable income, the earnings grow tax-free, and most employers will match at least part of your savings. For 1995, you can contribute up to \$9,240. If you work for a tax-exempt organization, the plan is called a 403(b) – the features are similar except for the annual contribution limit.

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PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN

O most beautiful flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea, help me and show me here you are my mother. O Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven and Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to secure me in my necessity (make request). There are none that can withstand your power. O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recoursed to thee (3 times). Say this prayer for 3 consecutive days and then you must publish it and it will be granted to you.



## The Kennedy Center Expands Services At Community Sites Telephone: 241-8866

## 55 Bunker Hill St.

Drop-in Resource Center

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 Activities organized by community
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Friday, April 21

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Drop-in coffee for all ages
10 to 11 a.m. - Seniorobics for seniors only
11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon
for seniors only, donation \$1
12:45 p.m. - Bingo for all ages

Monday, April 24

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Drop-in coffee for all ages 10 to 11 a.m. - Seniorobics for seniors only 11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon for seniors only, donation \$1 12:45 p.m. - Bingo for all ages

Tuesday, April 25

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Drop-in coffee for all ages 11 a.m. to noon - "Adolescent Issues" with JFK Center's Sheila Dell'Orfano

2 to 3 p.m. - Exercise with JFK Center's Bobbie DiCarlo

6:30 p.m. - Diabetes Support Group for Adult Diabetics (type I & II's) Orientation/dinner meeting

Wednesday, April 26

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Drop-in coffee for all ages 10 a.m. - Project Healthy Osteo + for seniors only

11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon for seniors only, donation \$1 12:45 p.m. - Bingo

Thursday, April 27

8:30 to 10 a.m. - Drop-in coffee for all ages
9 to 10:30 a.m. - Head Start Parents meet
with JFK Center's Linda Hudson
9:30 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop for all ages
11 a.m. to noon - Benefits Assistance with
JFK Center's Colleen Justice
11 a.m. - Seniors depart for Country Legends,
return at 5 p.m. The cost is \$41.
noon to 1 p.m. - "All About Children" with
JFK Center's Marianne Sample

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Tuesday, April 25

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11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon (donation \$1)

1 to 2 p.m. - Sitting Cises

Wednesday, April 26

9:15 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop

Thursday, April 27

9:30 a.m. - Coffee 10 a.m. - Crochet / Plastic Embroidery

10:30 a.m. - Swim at the YMCA

11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Luncheon (donation \$1)

12:45 p.m. - Bingo

PLAN AHEAD DATES:

May 1 - Beans & Beano at 4 p.m., May 4 - Healthy Charlestown (H&L) Design Team meeting, May 17 - Blackstone River Valley (\$40), May 19 - Berkshire Cottage Tour (\$41)

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#### Larry Miller Productions Adds Creative Director

Kathy Gunst recently joined Larry Miller Productions (LMP) at One Thompson Square, Charlestown as creative director. Gunst will put her unique style and creativity to work for LMP's high tech and retail clients. Her responsibilities will be concept development, creative direction and writing for marketing communications programs, theatrical productions, and a wide range of corporate meetings and

Gunst's experience as an award winning director, executive producer and interactive designer will help to further LMP's rapid growth in both traditional video and film production, as well as new media development and production.

Prior to joining LMP, she was creative director of Quantic Communications, providing creative direction for integrated marketing communications programs and events for a range of clients including Digital Equipment Corp., Fidelity Investments, Marshalls and NECX.

Before that she was communications consultant at DEC where she designed and directed major interactive multimedia programs for clients such as General Motors, AT&T, Sanders, McDonnell Douglas, and Steelcase.

For 15 years, LMP has provided marketing and communications strategy, creative concept development, video, multimedia, print, technical services and logistics for many of New England's large and emerging-growth companies.

#### 'Chinese Brush Painting' For Preteens At The BPL

Preteens ages 9 to 12, are invited to join a trained artisan from the Chinese Culture Connection in the Children's Room of the Boston Public Library in Copley Square at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 22 for an exciting creative arts workshop on the ancient folk art of Chinese brush painting.

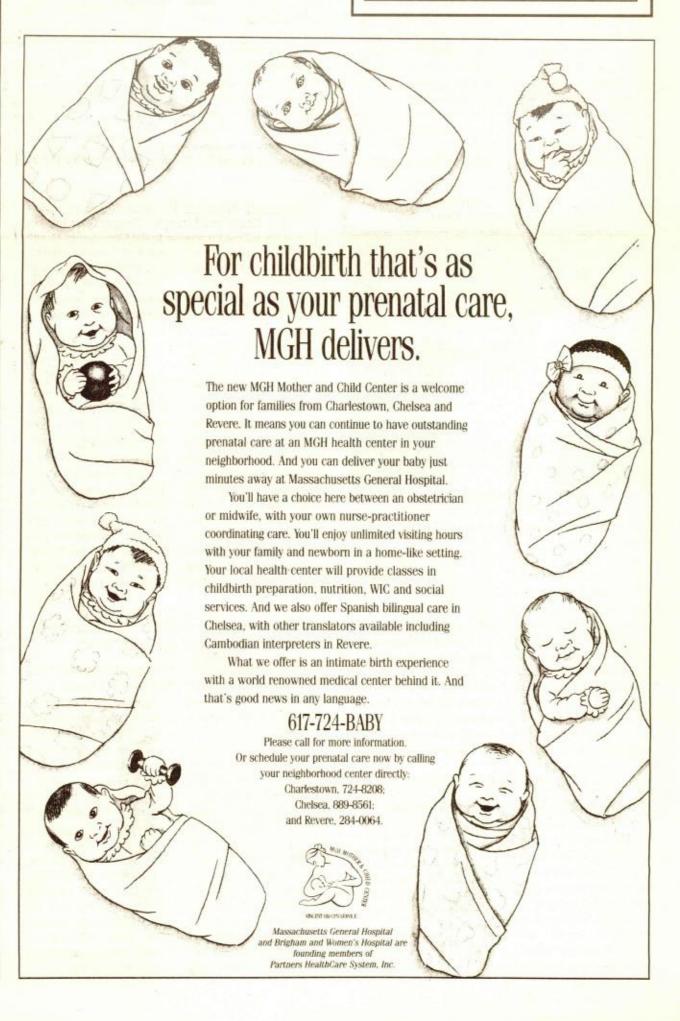
Participants will receive instruction in using Chinese brushes and brush strokes and will work with ink to create original and interesting artwork.

Attendance is limited and preregistration is required. Groups as well as individuals only interested in observing cannot be accommodated. To register for this interactive multicultural event, call the Children's Room at 536-5400, ext. 328.



# RUMMAGE

SATURDAY, APRIL 29 10 A.M. TO 3 P.M. FIRST CHURCH, GREEN ST.



## BOB D'S BEAT BY BOB DECRISTOFORO

◆ Hola Charlestown! . . . I know most you would like to be here in Cancun, and believe it or not, I wish you were here. Phones - no, schedules - no, meetings - no, deadlines - no, friends - Si! I highly recommend time off for everyone. We all need it, and if we don't take it, we're hurting ourselves. Plain and simple - everyone needs a vacation away. This place is beautiful. You can do nothing or you can do everything and have a great time either way. The weather is beautiful, the beach is beautiful and the people are beautiful. It's a great small world and you don't realize it until you go away.

◆ Thank You . . . The Bunker Hill Teen Center would like to thank the Kennedy Center, Jenny's Pizza and the Boys & Girls Club for their support. You have helped us give positive activities and opportunities to our young people.

◆ Coaches Wanted . . . A coach is a very special person, and the title says a lot about the character, reputation, commitment and skills of the individual. Everyone cannot be a coach, everyone should not be a coach. Someone should be a coach. In Charlestown, we have been fortunate enough to have had many such quality people over the years and some are still going strong. We need more. There are a lot of quality coaches home on the couches, and there are a lot of quality kids who need you. There are also many extraordinary programs around to hook up with, but we can't because there is nobody who will coach with that needed quality. I had hoped that the RBI coach would be named before I left on my trip, but I still can't make that announcement. The RBI kids are looking forward to play. I hope I can have the right person who is

looking forward to coach.

◆ Summerworks Deadline... Today, April 20, is the day your Summerworks applications are due at the Kennedy Center. If you are eligible, completed the application and have all the needed documents, TURN it in. Jobs might be hard to come by in the summer of '95.

♦ Come On Down! . . . Charlestown Pride Yawkey League Baseball try-outs will be taking place at 6:15 p.m. tonight, Thursday, at the Neck (Ryan Field). We need players. The enthusiasm at our initial meeting was very real as we move into the next phase of bringing a complete baseball program into the town. Interested persons may also call Coach Rob McIntosh at 242-7270 for more details about try-outs. Our 29-game schedule begins around May 14, and that's not far away!

◆ Congratulations Derek! . . . The

Nate Hurwitz Tournament was a great success and took a lot of work. Derek Gallagher, the new gym director at the Boys & Girls Club, did a great job, as did his staff! This was Derek's first Nate Hurwitz Tournament.

◆ Yawkey Hall Of Fame Banquet
... The Yawkey Baseball League annual
Hall of Fame Banquet will take place this
Friday evening at Lombardo's in Randolph. The 1994 league awards will be
presented and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas
Yawkey will be honored as the first Hall
of Fame inductees.

♦ Tidbits . . .

- Mike Upton's favorite dog: A huskie.
- Eric Burns, please STOP!
- Ian sends greetings to Ben from Cancun.
  - See you next week!

Smile!

#### Applications Available For New Boston Public School

Seats are still available for the fall 1995 opening of the Boston Renaissance Charter School which will serve students in grades K-2 through fifth. The Renaissance School charges no tuition and is located in Park Square. There is no admissions test and all Boston residents may apply.

The Boston Renaissance Charter School offers a comprehensive program for all students including a school building open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. and a school year of 206 days; a variety of instructional methods to match the needs of every student; access to the latest in technology including intensive computer use; a teaching force comprised of innovative professionals; and parents as partners who help establish school goals.

If there are more applicants than seats, students will be selected at random from the applicant pool. For applications and more information, please write to the Renaissance School at P.O. Box 3383, McCormack Station, Boston, Mass. 02101, or call 345-3472 or 451-9113. Applications are due by May 5 with acceptances being mailed out in mid-May.

## Pop Warner Corner

Charlestown Pop Warner will hold its second registration at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club on Friday, April 21 from 3 to 5 p.m., and Saturday, April 22 from noon to 2 p.m.

Boys or girls registering for football must be 8 years old on or before July 31, 1995. Cheerleaders must be 8 years old and cheer mascots must be 5 years old.

The registration fee is \$25 per person, \$35 for a family of two, and \$45 for a family of three. Players and cheerleaders must have medical approval by Aug. 1 or they will not be able to participate until proper documentation is approved by a doctor and CPW

The next coaches and board meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 26. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St. Please be on time as the meeting will start promptly at 6 p.m. If you have any questions, contact Jack Schievink at 241-7767.

Sloper Named All-Scholastic In Hockey



RYAN SLOPER (left) of Billerica, Arlington Catholic High School's two-time All-Scholastic goalie, is shown with his grandparents Helen and Jack Dennehy of North Mead Street.

Ryan Sloper, a thirdyear starter and two-time All-Scholastic goalie, finished his career in style by posting eight shut-outs and an 0.90 goals-against average in Arlington Catholic's 19-2-3 campaign.

Arlington Catholic High School will be hard-pressed to replace Sloper who led the team to state final appearances in '93 and '94 and the final four of this year's Division 1A tournament. People are still talking about his 21-save second period against Catholic Memorial High School in the tournament.

Sloper is the son of Kathleen (Dennehy) and Walter Sloper of Billerica, and the grandson of Helen and Jack Dennehy of North Mead Street, Charlestown.

#### Cameron Named Resident Manager At Stonehedge Inn

Christina Cameron of Charlestown has been appointed to the position of resident manager at the Stonehedge Inn in Tyngsboro.

In her new position at Stonehedge, Cameron will be responsible for all guest services and all aspects related to the guest room, including reception and concierge, check-in and check-out activities, as well as housekeeping and doormen operations. She will report directly to Levent Bozkurt, general manager of Stonehedge.

Her previous position was with the Four Seasons Hotel in Boston as hotel assistant manager. Cameron joined Four Seasons in 1991 as front office receptionist before being promoted to front office supervisor and overnight assistant manager.

Cameron, born and raised in Portsmouth, N.H., attended Portsmouth Senior High School. She graduated from UNH in 1989 with a bachelor of arts degree in communication.

Stonehedge, a 30-suite English country-manor, noted for its relaxed luxury and European style, is a member of the Insignia Resorts, an exclusive independent group of the world's top resorts.

#### American Cancer Society Honors Community Members

On April 27, the American Cancer Society will honor eight dedicated individuals from the towns that comprise the Metro North Unit. The annual "Making a Difference" Gala serves to recognize the efforts of those who have made a difference in the communities where they live or work.

Among this year's honorees is Karen Murphy-Lind R.N., a Metro-North Unit volunteer. Murphy-Lind has worked at the MGH Bunker Hill Health Center for the past 23 years where she helps educate the community about the importance of preventive medicine. Last October she received the ACS's Life-saver Award, which is given to public service volunteers to recognize services that encourage people to change their behavior to healthier lifestyles and practice early cancer prevention.

The gala will be held at the Harborside Hyatt near Logan Airport. Ticket information or sponsorship of the program can be obtained by calling Holly Jones at the American Cancer Society, 643-3010.

#### 'The Enchanted Doll: A Russian Cinderella' At The BPL

"The Enchanted Doll: A Russian Cinderella," an ancient tale about a young girl who, with the help of a magic doll and her own resourcefulness, wins the love and respect of the Tsar, will be performed by the Starbird Puppet Theatre in the Rabb Lecture Hall of the Boston Public Library in Copley Square on Friday, April 21, at 11 a.m. and again at 1:15 p.m.

Research for this puppet performance was conducted on-site in Moscow, resulting in authentic music, costumes and folklore that give this highly acclaimed production a rich flavor of old Russia.

These performances are part of an all-day open house celebrating the official reopening of the newly refurbished and redecorated Children's Room.

The puppet theatre is intended for children 5 years of age and older and is free and open to the public. Day care groups cannot be accommodated. Infrared assistive listening devices are available for hard-of-hearing children. For more information, please call the library at 536-5400, ext. 328.

#### Swan Boats Launch 1995 Season

world famous Swan Boats of the Boston Public Garden launched their 119th season last Saturday. A venerated Boston tradition, the annual Patriot's Day weekend event at the Public Garden Lagoon is considered the first true rite of spring in Boston. The Boston Public Garden is the oldest public botanical garden in America and is managed by the city of Boston Parks and Recreation Department.

The Swan Boats' hours of operation are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. from now to June 20, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. from June 21 to Labor Day. Swan Boats run seven days a week, weath-

er permitting. Prices are: \$1.50 for adults; \$.95 for children under 12; and \$1.25 for senior citizens. For reservations of 20 people or more, please call 522-1966.

The signature symbol for Boston, the Swan Boats have graced the Boston Public Garden since 1877. The patented Swan Boats design was inspired by Wagner's opera "Lohengrin." Owned and operated by the Paget family since their inception, each boat carries 20 people and weighs approximately three tons. The oldest Swan Boat dates to 1918 and is named Bertha.

## \_\_\_ Little League News \_\_\_\_

All registration fees and birth certificates must be in by Sunday, April 23, the day of the Little League Parade. Players should take care of these matters with their managers and coaches.

Anyone wanting information on original birth certificates in the league's possession should contact Wayne at 242-2109.

Players are still needed for minor league rosters. It's not too late! Anyone interested in playing should call Wayne at 242-2109 or Eddie at 242-3956 before April 23.

Charlestown Little League Board of Directors

## Charlestown Catholic Elementary School Community Responds To The Needs Of Others

Spring is here and with it comes Easter, a time for new hope and new life. Students and faculty of Charlestown Catholic have been busy reaching out to those in need, offering new hope and new life into the lives of others.

During Lent, students and faculty collected many useful household goods soap, paper towels, dish cloths, dish detergent, etc. These items were then packed in newly purchased laundry baskets and delivered to residents of the Dennis McLaughlin House in Charlestown and the Bethany Hill School in Framingham.

The Dennis McLaughlin House is a transitional house for women in recovery and is located at the Charlestown YMCA. Catherine Qualitz, director of the house, and Wanda, a resident, welcomed Jennifer Fidler, Michelle Dagle and Sister Mary Ellen who delivered the baskets, and gave them a tour of the wonderful facility. Michelle and Jennifer, fifth graders, are related to Dennis McLaughlin, after whom the housing was named.

Bethany Hill School, sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph, is a former college building converted into 40 apartments for residents who are deaf, handicapped, as well as for men and women with AIDS, and women with families. There are a few homeless families who may reside there for six to 12 months before finding permanent housing. At both facilities,

dents were busy making Easter Baskets for parents or another loved one. The fourth graders, directed by Mrs. Senier, used bleach bottles and cotton balls to create a very attractive Easter Bunny.

Are you concerned about the violence that you see on the television? Join the parents and faculty of Charlestown Catholic Eleby fifth grade teacher, Sister Charlotte Ann. These parents delivered to all parents in the school postcards addressed to the major television stations and sample letters expressing approval or disapproval of particular shows based on the violence in the program.

If you would like to be involved, please contact the school at 242-0169. We will send you a packet



THE STUDENTS AND FACULTY of Charlestown Catholic Elementary School celebrated Easter by reaching out to those in need with Easter gifts . . . At the top left, Sister Roberta Ristuccia (rear) of the Bethany Hill School in Framingham, gratefully accepts Easter baskets from (l. to r.) Erin MacIsaac, Bridgette Chaisson, Melissa Missett and Kathleen Lacey ... On the bottom left are fourth graders proudly displaying their home-

In Framingham, Sister Roberta Ristuccia welcomed Sister Mary Ellen,

Melissa Missett, Erin Mc-Isaac, Bridgette Chaisson and Kathleen Lacey. warm gratitude of residents and administrators. Meanwhile, other stu-

Catherine Qualitz, director of the house. gram "Charlestown Acts." This program was presented to parent representatives

made Easter Bunny baskets. Shown (l. to r.) are Vanna Perrone, Colleen

Hoell, Kerriann Gomperts, Erin-Tiffany Lacey, Ryan Travis, Chad

Titcomb and William Boyle . . . At the right, a special delivery of Easter

Baskets was made to the Dennis McLaughlin House by fifth graders.

Shown (l. to r.) Michelle Dagle, Jennifer Fidler, Wanda, a resident, and

ters. Take a stand against the violence that enters your home daily.

## CYO & ST. CATHERINE'S NEWS BY FATHER RON COYNE

▲ Atlantic City Trip- Forty-seven of Charlestown's finest will travel to Atlantic City April 26-28 to seek their fortune. We are truly grateful to Sandra Aldrich for coordinating this trip for St. Catherine's. The bus will leave St. Catherine's Church on Wednesday, April 26 at 7 a.m. and return around 9 p.m. on Friday, April 28. We are traveling with Fox Tours, and will be staying two nights at Resorts on the Boardwalk.

▲ Three Day CYO Trip To Montreal - We are planning a CYO trip to Montreal this summer for any teenagers 13 to 19. We would travel in two vans, 20 teenagers and two adults. The trip would be Monday through Wednesday, July 24-26, and would include two nights at a Montreal hotel, tickets to the forum to see the Montreal Roadrunners game (professional roller hockey), a day at Aqua Park (water slide village) and a night at LaRonde Amusement Park. The entire trip, including transportation, will be \$150 per person. You may sign up by leaving your name and a \$50 deposit at St. Catherine's Rectory, first come, first served.

▲ CYO Boys Baseball and Girls Softball Coaches Meeting - Anyone interested in coaching CYO boys baseball or CYO girls softball this summer should meet in the rectory on Tuesday, May 2 at 7 p.m. We will discuss practice times, umpire fees, uniforms, registration, equipment, schedule, fields, etc. Girls softball is 12 & under, 14 & under, 16 & under and 19 & under as of Sept. 1, 1995. Boys baseball is 16 & under and 19 & under as of Sept. 1, 1995.

▲ CYO Baseball and Softball Registration - We will have registration for CYO baseball and softball on Monday, May 8 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in St. Catherine's Parish Hall. The fee is \$15 per person (\$25 for a family of two or more). Practices will begin that week. The season opens in early June for softball and mid-June for

▲ Special Thanks For Good Friday - Traditionally we commemorate Good Friday with a special children's service at 3 p.m. and the re-enactment of the final days of Christ's life by fifth and sixth grade children. This year they also performed the previous Wednesday before the entire student body of Charlestown Catholic. The children who volunteered to be part of this solemn play included Nicole Bourgeois, Roselyn Boyle, Ryanne Burton, Bridgette Chaisson, Brian Dacey, Jennifer DeMille, Malorie Doherty, Christie Donahue, Brendan Doris, John Fabiano, Laurie Farrell, Jennifer Fidler, Elizabeth Leonforte, Sean Rea, Michael Travis and Paul Woods. We thank these children for their faith and creativity.

▲ First Communion - St. Catherine's will celebrate First Communion on Saturday, May 6 at the 9 a.m. Mass. There will be 65 children receiving the Eucharist for the first time. We appreciate the instruction and encouragement of Julie Quinn, our Religious Education coordinator; Sister Mary Ellen O'Connell, Charlestown Catholic principal; Fran Taylor, second grade CCD teacher; and Pat Fraine and Robin Fopiano, second grade teachers at Charlestown Catholic.

We invite all families, friends and neighbors to join us.

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## THE CHARLESTOWN POLICE LINE

From the desk of Captain Ronald X. Conway, Commander Area A, Boston Police Department

Tuesday, April 11

At 2:15 a.m., person(s) unknown broke into the Dunkin' Donuts at 99 Cambridge St. and removed money from the cash drawers. Area A detectives will investigate

#### Wednesday, April 12

A woman reported that person(s) unknown broke into her apartment while she was not at home by going through an unlocked sliding glass door. A Sony Walkman and jewelry were removed. Area A detectives will investigate.

A woman stated that person(s) unknown broke into her car, which was parked on Rutherford Avenue, and removed a radio and a book bag.

At 8:30 p.m., a man reported that a white male broke the left rear window of his car and fled the area before police arrived.

At 10 p.m., a man stated that he left his car unattended on Union Street and person(s) unknown slashed the four tires.

#### Thursday, April 13

A woman reported that while her car was left unat-

tended on Lawrence Street, person(s) unknown smashed the rear window of her car.

At 2:35 p.m., officers observed a Charlestown resident on Polk Street whom they knew had an outstanding arrest warrant. The officers arrested the suspect and transported him to Area A.

At 9:20 p.m., a man stated that person(s) unknown popped the door lock on his car, sounding the auto alarm. When the victim returned to the car, he reported that nothing had been taken.

#### Friday, April 14

At 2:50 p.m., a woman reported that while her car was parked in front of 49 Vine St., person(s) unknown broke into the car and removed an AM/FM car radio and a tape player.

A woman reported that person(s) unknown broke into her apartment on Bunker Hill Street between the hours of 2 and 6 p.m., and removed a woman's ring.

A man stated that a 14-year-old resident jumped on the hood of his car, causing damage. This incident occurred at 66 Decatur St.

#### Saturday, April 15

At 1:20 a.m., officers arrested a Charlestown resident on Main Street for operating a car without a license.

At 2:15 p.m., officers arrested a Charlestown resident at the corner of Main and Salem streets on an outstanding

For more information regarding arrested individuals, contact Community Service Officer Bill Smith, 343-4627

warrant.

#### Sunday, April 16

At 7:35 a.m., a victim stated that person(s) unknown drove nails and screws into the tires of four cars parked

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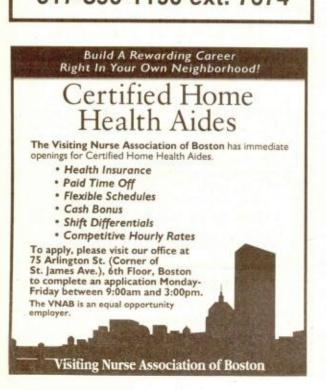
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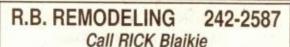
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## Mayor Awards Safe Neighborhood Grants To Charlestown Groups

Mayor Thomas M. Menino awarded three Charlestown groups with Safe Neighborhood Youth Fund grant awards. The grants were awarded to support the role these programs play in offering safe, positive learning activities and alternatives for young people in Boston.

Menino said, "Every young person in Boston deserves to grow up with positive and constructive altematives to the streets. We know the difference that community groups make in alleviating fear in our neighborhoods and fostering the kind of strong communities that come from resident participation."

The Clarence R. Edwards Middle School Par-



MAYOR THOMAS M. MENINO stands with (l. to r.) Maureen McGoldrick, Edwards Middle School Parent Council and Bob DeCristoforo of the Bunker Hill Teen Center after a ceremony to present each group with a Safe Neighborhood Youth Fund Award. The Charlestown One Room School House program also received an award. The ceremony was held recently at the Fairmont Training Center in Hyde Park. The grant awards help fund neighborhood programs across the city that provide job and life skills training, conflict resolution and build selfesteem

ents Council's Rising Stars Program, The Charlestown One Room School's Pulling Together program and the Bunker Hill Teen Center's For Teens Only program are the three groups selected for grant awards.

The Safe Neighborhood awards were distributed to

neighborhood groups across the city which have identified their ability to improve the quality of life for Boston's youth, address community needs and maintain youth outreach and parental or volunteer participation. They have also demonstrated their ability to work with other

agencies in pursuing program goals. A total of 36 groups received grants from this funding cycle.

The grants range from under \$1,000 to \$7,000 and support activities that empower young people. The Safe Neighborhoods Youth Fund is now in its fifth year.

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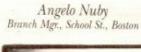


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