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Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Sponsors Veterans Day Mass



OFFICERS AND MEMBERS of Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, and its auxiliary, along with elected officials and friends, honored veterans of all wars, those who are now serving in the Armed Forces and those who made the supreme sacrifice, at a Veterans Day Mass at St. Francis de Sales Church on Nov. 8. The Mass was celebrated by Rev. Daniel J. Mahoney, pastor. The St. Francis de Sales Choir provided the inspirational music. The colors were presented by the color guard of the USS Constitution. Among those in attendance were Rep. Eugene O'Flaherty; Judy Evers, regional coordinator, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services; Thomas Materazzo, commissioner of Boston Veterans' Services; Lt. Michael P. Summers, USN, USS Constitution executive officer; Cmdr. Robert L. Gillen, USN (Ret.); Jerry Sheehan, Post 26 commander; Mary Walsh, Unit 26 president; and James W. Conway, Legion past national historian and Veterans Day chairman.

Deadline For Christmas Wish List Fast Approaching

The Charlestown Christmas Wish List Committee would like to remind everyone of their Nov. 20 deadline for donations and letters about children in need.

If you know of any child who needs extra help this holiday season, please send his or her name, address, and age to: Wish List, P.O.

Box 408, Charlestown, MA 02129. Also be sure to include what they need most, toys or winter clothing. All names will remain anonymous.

The Wish List Committee is pleased to announce that CHARlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) has taken a lead role in this

year's fund-raising efforts, to make it the most successful year yet. The committee would also like to thank the Charlestown community for the continued support of this valuable cause.

Please join the committee for the dance at the K. of C. Hall on Nov. 20 and join in the festivities.

Charlestown Neighborhood Council At-Large Election On Saturday

Chairmen Tom Cunha, Peg Bradley and Jim Conway have announced that the CNC At-Large Election will be held between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 14 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Residents will vote for seven of the nine candidates running in the election to fill the seven at-large seats on the council.

All residents of Charlestown, 18 years of age or older, are eligible to vote in this election. Proof of residency will be required. Those persons not listed on the city of Boston residents list can prove age and residency by producing a driver's license, an automobile registration, a Commonwealth of Mass. Identification card, a utility bill, tax bill or other form acceptable to the Election Committee, whose judgment will be final. According to Cunha, rent receipts will not be accepted as identification.

While campaigning is encouraged, the committee will adhere to the general rules

of conduct for municipal elections, namely no campaigning will be allowed within the building or immediately in front of the entrance. Displaying campaign literature within the building will be prohibited.

Candidates, in the order they will appear on the ballot, are:

John Dillon, 107 Bartlett St.

Ed Grace, 15 Auburn St.

Charlene Moore Kenney,

19 Constellation Wharf

Peter P. Looney, 338A Main St.

Jim Mansfield, 3 Essex St.

Daniel J. Marcella, 12 Wall St.

Martin J. O'Brien, 18 Oak St.

Brian O'Callahan, 9 Hill St.

Mel Stillman, 41 Tibbetts Town Way

At 2 p.m. on Nov. 14, the doors to the hall will be closed and any persons in the hall who have not voted will be allowed to do so. Immediately thereafter, the votes will be publicly counted. Candidates or their designees are encouraged to attend this count.

Residents Invited To Grand Opening Of Tennis Facility On Sunday

Please join Mayor Thomas Menino and your friends and neighbors at the grand opening ceremonies for Boston Community Centers' new tennis facility at 29 Terminal St., Charlestown.

The grand opening will take place on Sunday, Nov. 15 at 2 p.m. A ribbon-cutting ceremony, tennis carnival, tennis exhibition, music and light refreshments are all part of the festivities

planned for the day.

For more information, please call Sandy Holden at Boston Community Centers, 635-4920 ext. 2213, or the Charlestown Community Centers at 635-5169.

Editorial

Parental Responsibility

One of the most frequently asked questions around Charlestown today is "Where Are Their Parents?" This is a question asked by the businessman/woman, the clergy, the police officer, the youth worker and yes, sometimes, even the next door neighbor.

Where are the parents of the teen-agers who get such

a kick out of breaking windows and windshields and slashing tires of autos throughout the town.

Such acts place a heavy financial burden on local car owners and drive up auto liability insurance.

Where are the parents of the teens who go on frequent drinking sprees and then, in many cases, assault residents and visitors alike

as they walk the streets of our town.

Where are the parents of those teenagers who have, in greater numbers in recent months, been breaking into cars, stripping radios, cassettes, golf clubs and other valuables from these vehicles?

Where are the parents of the youth who have been harassing local storekeepers - such as the recent Halloween night incident at the Thompson Square Store 24 - assaulting an employee and causing havoc and vandalism in the store?

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THANKSGIVING DEADLINE

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, the deadline for the Thanksgiving Day issue of **The Charlestown Patriot** will be **Friday, Nov. 20 at 5 p.m.**

The Thanksgiving edition of the newspaper, dated Thursday, Nov. 26, will be on the stands on Tuesday, Nov. 24.

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Local news and photos are always welcome. This newspaper is not responsible for the return of photos sent for publication. Copy that is not signed will not be published.
The deadline for advertising and copy is Monday at NOON.

SERVICES FOR CHARLESTOWN RESIDENTS **Monday**

• **2 to 5 p.m.** - Office Hours with Judy Evers, regional coordinator, Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services will be held at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **5:30 to 6:30 p.m.** - Nicotine Anonymous support group meeting, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave., Charlestown Navy Yard

Monday And Friday

• **9 to 11 a.m.** - Charlestown Ecumenical Food Pantry open, Memorial Hall, 14 Green St. Bring your own bags.

Tuesday

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

Friday

• **3:30 to 5:30 p.m.** - Fresh fruit, vegetables and bread are available for \$1.25 a bag at the Charlestown Ecumenical Food Pantry, 14 Green St. Bring your own bags.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Al-Anon meeting with help for families and friends of alcoholics, off lobby, Armed Services YMCA, 150 Second Ave., Charlestown Navy Yard

CHARLESTOWN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

this week at a glance

Saturday, Nov. 14

• **9 a.m. to noon** - Young Adult Clothing Drive for the Long Island Shelter - St. Mary's Rectory, One Monument Square

• **10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council Election for At-Large Representatives - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, Nov. 15

• **Following 11 a.m. Mass** - Thousand Pounds of Turkey Raffle - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

• **1 to 5 p.m.** - Bag Ali Sale and Bake Sale to benefit St. Catherine's

Color Guard - K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

• **2 p.m.** - Grand Opening of Charlestown Tennis Facility - 29 Terminal St.

Monday, Nov. 16

• **7 p.m.** - Mass for deceased and honorary members of the Daughters of Isabella No. 1 with meeting to follow - Chapel, St. Francis de Sales, 313 Bunker Hill St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion monthly meeting - Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Charlestown Preservation Society Design Review

Committee Meeting - Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

Tuesday, Nov. 17

• **10 a.m.** - Rep. Eugene O'Flaherty Office Hours - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

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

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Historical Society meeting - Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square

Wednesday, Nov. 18

• **noon to 1 p.m.** - Sen. Thomas Birmingham Office Hours, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

upcoming events

Thursday, Nov. 19

• **noon** - Charlestown Business Association luncheon and meeting - Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant, Constitution Plaza

• **4 p.m.** - Casey Carle's "Bubble-Mania" - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **5:30 p.m.** - Charlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) meeting - Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St.

Friday, Nov. 20

• **10 a.m.** - Parents Discussion Group - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Holiday Dance to benefit the Charlestown Christmas Wish List Program - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Saturday, Nov. 21

• **10 a.m. to 4 p.m.** - 159th annual Harvest Fair - St. John's Parish Hall, 27 Devens St.

• **2 p.m.** - Holiday Bola to benefit the Bunker Hill Museum - American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Matt O'Neil Scholarship Dinner Dance - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Sunday, Nov. 22

• **2 p.m.** - Afternoon At The Races to benefit the Daughters of Isabella No. 1 - K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

Monday, Nov. 23

• **7 p.m.** - Townie Santa Committee meeting - Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

Tuesday, Nov. 24

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

• **3 p.m.** - City Councillor Paul Scapicchio Office Hours - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting to select seven non-profit representatives to the council - K. of C. lower hall, 75 West School St.

Wednesday, Nov. 25

• **7 p.m.** - Peeling, paring and preparations for annual Thanksgiving Dinner - American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

• **7:30 p.m.** - Thanksgiving Service - First Church, Green Street

plan ahead

Thursday, Nov. 26

• **noon** - Annual Thanksgiving Dinner for those who will be alone on the holiday - American Legion Hall, 23 Adams St.

Friday, Nov. 27

• **8 p.m.** - Las Vegas Night to benefit Charlestown Pop Warner - Good Time Billiards, Somerville

Saturday, Nov. 28

• **9 a.m. to noon** - Annual CHAD Breakfast (for tickets, call Kathy at 241-9511) - K. of C. Hall, 75 West

School St.

• **7 p.m.** - Harvest Dinner/Dance to benefit St. Catherine of Siena Parish - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

Thursday, Dec. 3

• **7:30 p.m.** - Evening of Holiday Song with Ruth Harcovitz, sponsored by Friends of the Library - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Saturday, Dec. 5

• **10 a.m. to 7 p.m.** - Annual Christmas Fair with Corn Chowder Luncheon from noon to 1 p.m. and a

Roast Beef Supper from 5 to 6:30 p.m. - First Church, Green Street

Sunday, Dec. 13

• **1 to 3 p.m.** - Terry Ring's Newtowne Christmas Stroll - CharlesNewtown Housing Development

Saturday, Nov. 27, 1999

• **7 p.m.** - Charlestown High School Classes of 1958 and 1959 Reunion - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. (contact: Carol [Lynch] McCarthy, 978-658-9855)

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A Tunnel Into The Future

by Charlie McGonagle

It was a one-penny gym check or a two-penny "combo" that would start our trip through the tunnel and, for a few minutes, let us travel back through that tunnel until we are able to find our yesterdays.

Maybe it was Jack, or maybe it was Harvey, or maybe it was one of their assistants who punched up that gym or "combo" check from the old brown register at the front desk, but the source of that check was not nearly as important as was where that check would take us.

It led first down a flight of stairs, and then into the locker area at the swimming pool, and eventually into the tunnel. Somehow, the trip from the pool through the darkened bowels of the windowless tunnel while we were fully clothed did not carry with it the mystery that the deepest part of our club would hold upon our return trip, a trip which nearly always found us naked.

We would run down the initial two flights, into the tunnel's depths until we reached the first of another two sets of stairs which, though separated by a hundred or so feet of twisting concrete, brought us to a door leading to the gym cage. Through the cage's steel wiring we could see a four-sided, rotating board on which numbers were clearly painted. A separate cup hook was placed immediately below each number, and an elastic-banded key dangled from each hook.

Our gym check or "combo," along with our club ticket would be handed to the attendant, perhaps Gene, who would then remove the key from the board, replace it with our ticket, and

hand it to us along with a pair of blue gym shorts and a clean white towel. With the two-penny "combo" we would be allowed to use both the gym and the pool. Upon receiving the key, we would pass through a wooden, swinging door, which led to a somewhat dark and cold locker room. Huge green lockers stretched along the room's wall and through its center.

Long wooden benches, permanently affixed to the hard concrete floor, rimmed the lockers. The room where we, as new and renewing members, faced our annual physical examination, the wood working shop, the photography lab, the "little" gym, and the shower room were all entered from the locker room, but it was the trip back and forth from the gym to the swimming pool which has become so memorable to many of us.

The cold concrete pressing against our bare feet on the first leg of this round trip was greatly magnified when, upon returning to the gym, we would be wet with water from the pool. It caused us to run, and when we stop to think of it, we always ran through the tunnel, especially when wet and naked.

There is no doubt that the Charlestown Boys Club, now the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, has become the source of many of our happiest childhood memories, but the other end of the tunnel is different now. In traveling through the tunnel of our earlier days, it truly has become a tunnel to yesterday, but come springtime, that every same tunnel will become a tunnel to tomorrow, and today's boys and girls will traverse its depths to a new place, to a place that, when years go

by, they might fondly remember as their own tunnel to yesterday.

Over the past few years, the need for rehabilitation of the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club has been well documented, and a drive to raise funds through the sale of bricks and granite pavers to assist in this rehabilitation process has proven to be highly successful. Work is currently underway to have a state-of-the-art facility available for the youngsters of this community as early as this upcoming spring, and the Club's Alumni Committee is planning an event and Open House to coincide with the completion of this project.

Last year, for the first time in several years and because of the community-wide effort to raise funds through the sale of bricks and paving blocks, the annual appeal to the club's extensive group of alumni was not made.

This year, however, with the newly rehabilitated Charlestown Boys & Girls Club on the immediate horizon, furnishings will be needed to help finalize this extensive undertaking. It is in this area that we seek your assistance.

Before we became whatever it is we have become, we were kids and while we were kids, we were members of the Charlestown Boys Club. Years have passed and things have changed, but there will always be kids, kids who need your help.

Anyone who is interested in supporting the young people of Charlestown by contributing to the Annual Gift Drive may do so by sending donations to the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club, 15 Green St., Charlestown MA 02129.

THE REAL ESTATE WEEKLY



Carolyn Sideman, Monument Properties

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You've decided it's time to move, but you're afraid to place your present home on the market until you've found a new one and completed negotiations for its purchase. At the same time, however, you find that most sellers are reluctant to finalize offers from buyers who must include contingencies calling for the sale of a current residence before settling on the new one.

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Good Things Happen At St. John's Harvest Fair

by Larry Henry

St. John's Church (Episcopal) at 27 Devens St. will hold its annual Harvest Fair on Saturday, Nov. 21 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. This year marks the 159th consecutive celebration of the Harvest Fair, a Charlestown tradition.

You can never tell what might happen at the fair. Five years ago at the fair, Marion Wood came to me with a clarinet.

"Somebody offered \$10 for this," she said. "Don't you think it should be more than that?"

Yes, I did. And the

more I thought about it, the more I wanted that clarinet. So I bought it (for \$40), started learning it, and now I'm playing it professionally.

See? You can never tell!

Katie Bigelow, fair co-chair with Rosemary Kelly, says the fair this year will be "pretty much the way it's always been." And that's fine, because that's the way everybody likes it.

Throughout the day, visitors can browse and shop upstairs in the St. John's Parish Hall. Sale tables include children's toys and equipment, books, "Attic

Treasures," handmade gifts, candies, gourmet foods, baked goods and Christmas items.

A turkey dinner will be served starting at noon, with accompanying music by me, on that miraculous clarinet, and my friend, Chris Felknor, on guitar.

Steve Spinetto and his brother, Jack, will handle the cooking on the day of the fair, itself, with the whole congregation pitching in on homemade apple pies the week before. If you really love a great Thanksgiving meal, and you'd like to eat two of

them, don't miss this one.

As always, the Fair Journal will be offered for sale. The Journal includes articles by St. John's parishioners, and advertisements from generous contributors throughout Charlestown.

Rosemary and Katie, plus the entire St. John's community, want to thank the people of Charlestown for making the St. John's Harvest Fair an outstanding holiday tradition.

Please come. Who knows what life-changing miracle you might find for sale!

Not for nothin' . . . But have you heard . . .



♣ **Have You Been Fall Cleaning?** . . . If you have some good clothing that you will probably never wear again, you can put it to good use on Saturday . . . just bundle it in plastic bags and bring it to St. Mary's Rectory, One Monument Square between 9 a.m. and noon on Saturday, Nov. 14th and, by afternoon, it will be at the Long Island Shelter, helping the homeless.

♣ **Be Sure To Vote** . . . on Saturday, Nov. 14th between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. to elect seven at-large representatives to the Charlestown Neighborhood Council . . . There are nine residents running for the seven seats, so your vote certainly will count . . . The election is taking place at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St. . . and good luck to the candidates!

♣ **It's Turkey Time** . . . and, as Thanksgiving is fast approaching, what better way to get your holiday bird than to take a chance for just \$1 on 1,000 pounds of turkey and, at the same time, help St. Francis de Sales Parish . . . The raffle is set for Sunday, Nov. 15th, following the 11 a.m. Mass . . . So, come along to Bishop Lawton Hall for Turkey Time!

♣ **Do Some Holiday Shopping** . . . on Sunday, Nov. 15th when St. Catherine's Color Guard presents a Bag Ali party from 1 to 5 p.m. at the K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St. . . Featured will be leather goods, including wallets and pocketbooks . . . there's bound to be that perfect gift for that special someone . . . and, at the same time, the Color Guard girls will be holding a bake sale . . . All are welcome.

♣ **The White Dome Comes To Life** . . . as the grand opening of Charlestown's new tennis facility is celebrated at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 15th . . . all are welcome to join friends and neighbors for a ribbon-cutting ceremony, a tennis carnival, a tennis exhibition, music and refreshments . . . the facility is on Terminal Street behind the Charlestown Community Centers building at 255 Medford St.

♣ **Calling All Parents** . . . A free drop-in group for parents, infants and children is being offered on Fridays from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the MGH Charlestown HealthCare Center, 73 High St. . . Share ideas on child development and stress management . . . For information on this ongoing program, call Carol Murphy, LICSW; Jennifer Traks, social work intern; or Kristin Stiles-Hall, social work intern, at 724-8200.

♣ **Birthday Wishes** . . . are sent out this week to Mary Kay Tkachuk, Betty Golden and Melissa Doherty, who all share a Nov. 15th birthday . . . Rudy Doenges celebrates his big day on Nov. 16th and Charlestown's City Councillor, Paul Scapicchio turns 33 on the 16th . . . and Peter Patrick (Looney, that is) will party for sure on Nov. 18th . . . The best of birthday wishes to you all!

♣ **Anniversary Wishes** . . . go out to Fran and Bob Harty who will celebrate 16 years of wedded bliss on Nov. 14th . . . and Jim and Carol Connors will mark their 29th anniversary on Nov. 15th . . . Many more years of happiness are wished for both couples!

♣ **Congratulations** . . . go out to Diane Bell Moriarty, who was sworn in as Associate Justice of the Wareham District Court in a State House ceremony on Nov. 10th . . . The mother of the new judge is Elizabeth McLaughlin Bell and her dad is John "Jack" Bell, formerly of Charlestown and now living in Hyde Park . . . proud members of the McLaughlin and Bell families were on hand for the swearing-in ceremony.

♣ **Fall Bazaar** . . . It may be worth a trip to Somerville on Saturday, Nov. 14th as the Little Sisters of the Poor hold their annual Fall Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 186 Highland Ave. . . All are welcome to attend and visit the many tables full of toys, punch boards, chances, ceramics, baked goods, Christmas gifts, Irish Bread, and much much more . . . all proceeds go toward the work of the Little Sisters of the Poor.

♣ **A Holiday Bola** . . . to benefit the Bunker Hill Museum is being planned for Saturday, Nov. 21st, starting at 2 p.m. at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St. There will be prizes galore for just \$1 a chance.

♣ **Caution Drivers** . . . The area in front of the Liquor Store in Thompson Square has been posted for two-hour parking between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. . . so long-time parkers beware!

♣ **Thought Of The Week** . . . Slumps are like a soft bed. They're easy to get into and hard to get out of.
- Johnny Bench

St. Catherine's Color Guard News!

With a new season fast approaching, the girls are learning new routines. You can see the focus and desire to be the best while practicing. Both levels will be very competitive in the eastern Mass. circuit.

The color guard activity will help young girls and young women gain confidence, self-esteem, discipline, and commitment, all values that will carry them through this coming season.

On Sunday, Nov. 15

from 1 to 5 p.m., color guard will have a representative from the Bag Ali Co. at the K. of C. lower hall, 75 West School St. It is a great opportunity to buy wallets, pocketbooks and many other leather products.

The color guard girls will be holding a bake sale, also on Sunday, at the same time in the K. of C. lower hall. Please keep this date in mind. Thank you for your support.

- Dan Awbrey

Married Recently

Michelle Hickey Graham, formerly of Charlestown, and Benjamin E. Long III of Mulberry, Florida, were married on Oct. 24 at the First Baptist Church in Mulberry.

The bride is the daughter of Margaret Hickey of Charlestown, and the late Thomas I. Hickey Sr. The bridegroom is the son of Betty J. Long and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin E. Long Jr., all of Tampa, Florida.

The maid of honor was Cheryl Ward of Mulberry, friend and future sister-in-law of the bride. The bride-

groom's father was best man.

The flower girl was Brianna Graham, daughter of the bride.

The soloists were Wade Lipham, friend of the couple, and Desirea Long, daughter of the groom.

Mrs. Long is a legal assistant at W.S. Badcock Corp. in Mulberry. Mr. Long is the purchasing manager for Trans Phos Inc. in Bartow Florida.

After a wedding trip to the North Carolina mountains, the family will reside in Mulberry.

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Happy
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Mama

THANK YOU, GOD

Pray 9 Hail Marys during 9 days. Ask 3 wishes, 1 concerning business and 2 impossible. On the 9th day, publish this article and your wishes will be answered even though you may not believe it.

M.S.



around the town

★ **Time To Talk Trash . . .** Looks like talking trash did very little good as residents whose usual trash pick-up is Wednesdays. Dozens and dozens dragged out their barrels on Tuesday night (and a few on Tuesday morning) so the town celebrated Veterans Day with streets lined in trash. Can't wait for Thanksgiving!

Any questions, give a call to Judy Evers at the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, 635-3485.

★ Neighborhood Council Meetings . . .

Non-Profit Organizations

May Apply For Seven Appointed Seats

CNC Chairman Peter Looney has announced that the application process is now open for the appointment of seven residents representing seven Charlestown organizations, to seats on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council.

Looney stated that representatives of non-profit organizations should submit a letter outlining the reasons why the group should be seated on the CNC. The 14 at-large and precinct-elected members will review the letters and vote approval of seven of the organizations to be seated on the council. The committee will approve the seven organizations and it will be the responsibility of the organizations selected to determine their delegates.

Letters should be addressed to Looney and mailed to P.O. Box 397, Charlestown MA 02129, postmarked no later than Nov. 22.

The elected members of the board will review applications and make appointments to the CNC at a meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 24 at the K. of C. Lower Hall, 75 West School St.

Monthly Meeting

Chairman Peter Looney announces that the monthly meeting of the Neighborhood Council will be held at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

All CNC meetings are open to the public.

★ **Fall Leaf And Yard Waste Collections . . .** The Boston Recycling Program has

announced that the city's Public Works Department will collect lawn clippings, leaves, twigs and leaves generated by Boston residences. The collections are scheduled for Saturdays, Nov. 14 and 21.

Residents should place their yard waste in paper leaf bags or in open barrels. Yard waste in plastic bags will not be collected. The yard waste must be placed at the curb at the same location where residents normally place their trash on collection days by 7 a.m. on the specified Saturdays.

For further information, please contact the Boston Recycling Program at 635-4959.

★ **Community Office Hours . . .** Judy Evers, regional coordinator from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, will hold office hours on Monday, Nov. 16 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

Evers may also be reached at 635-3485.

★ **CPS Design Review Committee Meeting . . .** The Charlestown Preservation Society Design Review Committee will hold its monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 16 at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

Homeowners, abutters and interested residents with design issues may contact Ron Swenson at 242-9213.

★ **Bunker Hill Post Meeting . . .** Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion will hold its monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 16 at the post quarters, 23 Adams St.

★ **Rep. O'Flaherty Office Hours . . .** Rep. Gene O'Flaherty will hold office hours at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 17. Constituents who are unable to attend the office hours may call 722-2370 to make an appointment.

★ **Sen. Birmingham Office Hours . . .** A member of Sen. Thomas Birmingham's staff will be available for community office hours in Charlestown on Wednesday, Nov. 18 from noon to 1 p.m. at the Charlestown

Branch Library, 179 Main St. The public is invited to attend the office hours.

In the event that a constituent is unable to attend, he or she should contact the senator's office at 722-1650.

★ **Charlestown Business Association . . .** Is your business ready to face the "Year 2000" problem, a/k/a Y2K? The problem is simple to explain, but is it simple to solve? If you intend to be in business in the year 2000, this CBA meeting is not to be missed!

John Anderson, the national Y2K Practice Manager at Keane Inc., will discuss how this computer problem affects businesses and ways they are meeting this major challenge.

The meeting will take place at noon on Thursday, Nov. 19 at Barrett's on Boston Harbour restaurant at Constitution Plaza. A luncheon will be served, at \$13 for members and \$18 for non-members. Reservations should be made with the office of McCullough, Stievater & Polvere by noon on Monday, Nov. 16, telephone 241-8332. All reservations must be honored.

★ **CHarlestown Against Drugs . . .** CHarlestown Against Drugs (CHAD) will meet at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 19, at the Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St. All interested persons are welcome.

★ **BNN-TV Annual Meeting . . .** The annual meeting of BNN-TV, Boston's public access station, will take place from 6 to 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 19 on the second floor of the State Transportation Building at 8 Park Plaza.

Election of the board of trustees and a business meeting are scheduled from 6 to 7:30 p.m., followed by a social gathering

and refreshments.

★ **Neighborhood Crime Watch . . .** Due to the recent string of events involving vandalism to vehicles and homes, City Councillor Paul Scapicchio has organized a Neighborhood Crime Watch meeting for residents in the Franklin Street area. Scapicchio believes that Neighborhood Crime Watches are useful for cracking down on petty crime and vandalism, and they have been successful in cutting such crime, such as vandalism, in other parts of the city.

If you would like more information on the Franklin Street meeting or want to find out how to start your own Crime Watch, call Scapicchio's office at 635-3200.

★ **Warnings To Become Tickets On Monday . . .** Charlestown's newest Resident Permit Parking Program will be effective on Monday, Nov. 16. "Resident Parking Only" signs have been hung on: Auburn, Baldwin, Belmont, Bunker Hill (from North Mead to #460), Chappie, Main (from #400 to #550), Medford Street (from #380 to #550), North Mead, Saint Martin and Short streets.

Parking Enforcement Officers from the Boston Transportation Department will be issuing \$20 parking tickets beginning on Monday, Nov. 16.

Only vehicles bearing current Charlestown Resident Parking Permits will be allowed to park in spaces designated for Resident Parking Only. Visitor Parking spaces will be established for all other cars.

Resident Parking Permits are distributed by the Office of the Parking Clerk, Room 224, City Hall. Call the Office of the Parking Clerk's Resident Parking Division at 635-4682 with questions on how to apply.

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IRS TAX UPDATE

• IRS interest rates for the fourth quarter of 1998 will remain at 8% charged on tax underpayments and 7% paid on tax refunds. Underpayments by large corporations will continue to face a 10% interest charge through the final quarter of 1998.

• In preparation for the Year 2000, the IRS is changing the date field on information returns (such as forms in the 1099 series) from a two-digit field to a four-digit field. If you will have to file any of these information returns for 1998 (generally due early in 1999), your systems should be updated now to comply with the new required date format.

• Various tax numbers are adjusted for inflation each year. One of those numbers is the threshold at which you are responsible for payroll taxes on wages paid to household help. The 1997 threshold had been \$1,000; that threshold increases to \$1,100 for 1998. Also changed for 1998: This year any payroll taxes due on household help must be prepaid through quarterly tax estimates or increased withholding. Last year, you were allowed to pay any 1997 "nanny taxes" in April 1998 when you filed your 1997 tax return. This year you may be subject to penalties if you have not prepaid the required amount.

• The IRS has announced an increase in the threshold at which small businesses are required to make payroll tax deposits. The previous threshold had been \$500. This threshold is increased to \$1,000, effective for quarterly returns for periods beginning July 1, 1998, and for annual returns for periods beginning Jan. 1, 1999. Employers whose payroll taxes fall below the \$1,000 threshold for a return period will not have to make monthly tax deposits. They will be permitted to send payment with the return filed for that period.

For details or assistance with any tax issue, please contact our office.

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Sergeant Runs Away With Top Honors At Army 10-Miler

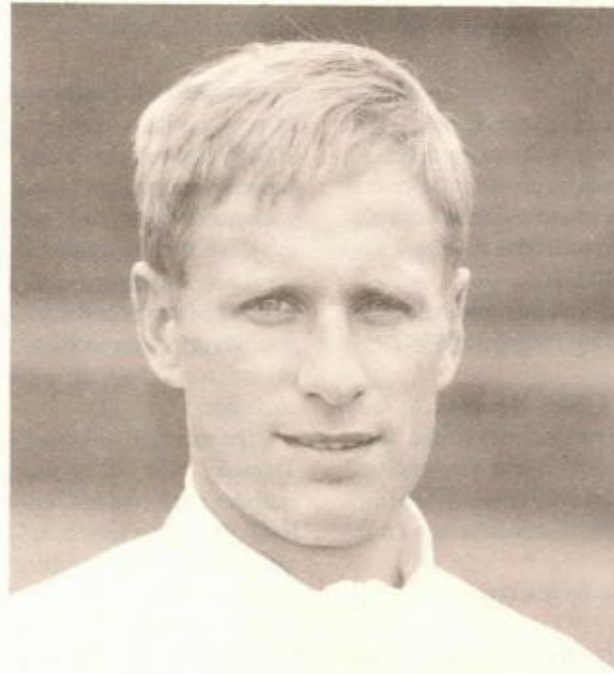
Team Raytheon successfully defended its title as Corporate Champions when they competed in the 14th annual Army 10-Miler held at the Pentagon on Oct. 11. For the third consecutive year, Raytheon's group of eight runners finished ahead of hundreds of other corporate teams. This is quite a feat, considering they've run for three years and won for three years.

Among the runners was Charlestown resident Steve Sergeant, who works at Raytheon Systems Company in Tewksbury. Sergeant has been on the winning team all three years and is also team captain. His time was 55:30, 11 seconds faster than last year.

Corporate winners are determined by combining times from the four fastest runners. This year, all eight runners finished under one hour, and if the team had been divided into two, they would have finished in first and second place.

The Raytheon team was made up Ryan Carrara, age 22, Tom Doody, age 36, John Clopeck, age 35, Jason Barnes, age 35, Sergeant, age 34, Steve Jackson, age 39, Jamie Boese, age 39, and Ed Tamuzzer, age 32.

The running at the Army 10-Miler marks the beginning of the Association of the United States Army (AUSA) annual meeting. At an AUSA luncheon later in the week, Lockheed Martin CEO Norm Augustine presented the first-place trophy to Sergeant as colleagues and competitors looked on.



STEVE SERGEANT

RUNNING CLUB MONUMENTAL RUNNERS

Isn't it time we started our own running club? After all, haven't we passed each other enough times going over the Gilmore and Washington Street bridges? As it gets colder and darker with each passing day, can you feel your motivation slipping away? Well I can, so won't you join me for a run?



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H.M.S. PINAFORE . . . The Ship That Sailed To Victory

The Boston Academy of Music (BAM) and the Boston National Historic Park will present a concert/lecture evening prior to BAM's Thanksgiving production of H.M.S. Pinafore at the Emerson Majestic Theatre on Nov. 27, 28 and 29.

The concert/lecture, entitled "H.M.S. Pinafore . . . The Ship That Sailed To Victory," will take place at the historic Commandant's House in the Charlestown Navy Yard, on Friday, Nov. 20 at 6:30 p.m.

Musicologist Steven Ledbetter, known for his

lectures and writings for the Boston Symphony Orchestra, and a renowned expert on Gilbert and Sullivan, will speak about H.M.S. Pinafore, and performers from BAM's upcoming staged production will present selections from the show.

Attendees will be able to view the Commandant's House, restored for the Junior League Showhouse last spring. A champagne and hors d'oeuvre reception will also be held.

For tickets and information, call Amanda Neff (617) 242-0055.



Adopt A Lightpole Help Decorate Main & Bunker Hill Streets

For the Holidays . . . \$15 Donation

The Charlestown Business Association (CBA) and volunteers will once again be decorating the lightpoles along Main and Bunker Hill streets with red bows, pine garlands and gift tags with the donor's name on Saturday, Dec. 12. You may donate a lightpole with your name, as a gift to someone else or in memory of a loved one. The CBA and volunteers will remove decorations on or before the first Saturday in February.

Volunteers are needed . . . Come and join the fun on Saturday, Dec. 12 at 10 a.m. from the Law Office of McCullough, Stievater & Polvere at 121 Main St. For more information, call Willard J. Stievater at 241-8332.

Complete this form and make checks payable to: Charlestown Business Association, and mail or hand deliver it to: 121 Main St., Charlestown, MA 02129.

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Charbonnier Receives Top Cops Honorable Mention

Boston Police Officer Michael Charbonnier was recently selected as an Honorable Mention winner of the prestigious Top Cops awards from the state of Mass.

An independent awards committee chooses one winning case from each state and from those selections, 10 are chosen as Top Cops, the remaining 40 are

Honorable Mention Award winners. This means that from hundreds of nominations, Charbonnier was chosen to win his state.

Charbonnier and his wife, Susan, flew to Washington, D.C. to accept the award at the Fifth Annual National Association of Police Organizations Top Cops Awards Ceremony, hosted by Lynne Russell of

CNN Headline News, and Richard Belzer of NBC's "Homicide."

Top Cop recipients were invited to the White House by President Clinton the following day for a Rose Garden Ceremony.

Charbonnier is a lifelong resident of Charlestown and a nine-year veteran of the Boston Police Department, assigned to Area A-1.

Citywide Sculpture Exhibit Comes To Charlestown

The Boston Parks and Recreation Department's ParkARTS program is proud to announce its second annual Plop Art outdoor art exhibition, *Common Space: Sculptures on the Urbanscape*, a temporary installation of sculpture appearing in 12 public spaces across the city.

Carol Seitchik of Environmental Arts Inc., is serving as curator of the exhibition, which is being sponsored by Bank Boston and the Mass. Cultural Council. New England artists created the pieces chosen for this project. The sculptures cover a broad spectrum in terms of scale, materials, content and style, but all represent important currents in contemporary outdoor sculpture. The pieces will be exhibited from now through Dec. 20, at which time they will be moved to the Boston Common Frog Pond area as part of the First Night celebration.

The sculpture now on display in Charlestown is Bill Harby's *Granite Reflections*, located in the Training Field. A sculptor who specializes in granite, marble and outdoor installations, Harby used seven Cape Ann granite slabs with mirrored stainless steel sur-



BILL HARBY'S "Granite Reflections," located in Charlestown's Training Field, is one of 12 outdoor artworks that make up the 1998 Park ARTS Plop Art Common Space exhibition. The sculptures will be on display from now until Dec. 20, at which time they will all be moved to the Boston Common Frog Pond for First Night. (photo by Karen Sparacio)

faces to create his piece. In his artists' statement, Harby notes the "unexpected images appear in the wrong places at strange angles, while the mass of the stones tends to disappear. The reflecting surfaces make the

site, with its landscape, buildings, sky and people, part of the work of art."

There is also one of the sculptures in Columbus Park in the North End. It is *Amaryllis* by Greg Curci.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES HAPPENINGS

Hurricane Mitch Special Collection

Please know how grateful I am for your magnificent response of last weekend to the appeal for help for all those suffering so much in Central America. Your sacrificial offerings for our sisters and brothers in need at this time due to the terrible devastation in their countries is a powerful sign of your goodness and spirit that has been a vital and viable sign of Christian love for one another that makes St. Francis de Sales the great Parish that it is.

Thank you, Father Mahoney.

Hungry Sunday

This is "Hungry Sunday" weekend in St. Francis de Sales Parish. Each of us is asked to bring one can of non-perishable food such as soups, meat products, vegetables or fruit to Mass for the Charlestown Food Pantry.

St. Vincent De Paul Society

After all the Masses this weekend as you leave the church, members of the Parish Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will be at the doors of the church to graciously accept your offerings that will assist them in their work with the poor among us in this coming Christmas season.

Turkey Raffle

It's Turkey Time! The parish is sponsoring a Thousand Pounds of Turkey Raffle on Sunday, Nov. 15 after the 11 a.m. Mass in Bishop Lawton Hall, and refreshments will be served. Tickets are \$1 each or a book of six is \$5. Tickets may be purchased from Fran Ringer, telephone 242-0126, at the rectory, or from the ushers at Mass.

Thanksgiving Day Mass

There will be a special family Thanks-

giving Mass at 9 a.m. in the church on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 26. This will be the **only** Mass on Thanksgiving. Following the Mass, a loaf of Blessed Bread will be distributed to each family to share at their Thanksgiving dinner. Make your Thanksgiving Day truly grateful by beginning the day with Mass. By participating in the Eucharist on Thanksgiving morning we give thanks to God for the many, many blessings and graces we have received in God's Providence.

Pine Street Inn

Again this year the Parish is conducting a Christmas Giving Program for the Pine Street Inn that shelters the homeless men and women of Boston. Useable hats, gloves, mittens and socks are in great demand during the cold months of winter. Those of you who may wish to assist in this Christmas giving program can drop your gifts in the basket at the ushers table at all the Masses three weeks from now, on the weekend of Dec. 5 and 6.

Breakfast With Santa

On Sunday, Dec. 13, the children of St. Francis de Sales Parish are invited to a Breakfast with Santa in the Bishop Lawton Hall after the 9 a.m. Mass. There will be breakfast and surprises. Parents -- please sign up for your child(ren) at the ushers table at Mass. Registrations must be made by Sunday, Dec. 6. No registrations will be accepted after that date because an accurate count is needed for the breakfast. Children of all ages are invited. There will be a meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at 7:30 p.m. (following the Guild meeting) in the Parish Center for anyone who would like to assist with this Breakfast with Santa.

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Persons Alone On Thanksgiving Welcome At A Special Dinner At The Legion Hall

Bob and Carol Sweeney, in cooperation with Bunker Hill Post No. 26, The American Legion, are inviting all their old and new friends to a family-style Thanksgiving Day Dinner on Thursday, Nov. 26, at the Legion Hall, 23 Adams St., at the corner of Chestnut Street.

This is the seventh year that it has been held at the Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion Hall.

Prior to 1992, the dinner was held at Sweeney's restaurant on Bunker Hill Street, and it has always been a great success. It has provided joy and togetherness for local residents who have no family, are estranged from them, or live too

far away to join with them to share Thanksgiving Dinner. This special dinner at the Legion Hall will help them share the tradition and spirit of Thanksgiving.

Again this year, not only will the Sweeneys, the members of Bunker Hill Post and friendly volunteers be serving dinner from noon to 2 p.m. at the Legion Hall, but they will also be delivering meals to shut-ins unable to get out to the hall.

If you know of anyone who will be spending a lonely Thanksgiving at their home, please give Bob or Carol Sweeney a call at 781-279-4246, the Patriot office at 241-9511, or leave a message on the

answering machine at the Legion, 242-2646 by Tuesday, Nov. 24, to make arrangements to join the gathering or to have a meal delivered to a shut-in, courtesy of the Sweeneys and Post 26.

Willing workers are needed on Wednesday evening, Nov. 25 at 7 p.m. to peel and pare vegetables, stuff turkeys and set tables. (Please bring utensils with you to pare and cut the vegetables.) Also on Thanksgiving Day, workers will be needed to finish preparing the food, welcome guests and deliver meals.

It is a great Thanksgiving as you give your time to make it a special day for others.

Meeting On The Future Of The Bunker Hill Museum

In 1975, the Bicentennial year of the Battle of Bunker Hill, the Charlestown Historical Society, in fulfillment of a long-held dream, founded The Bunker Hill Museum.

Through the effort of a small group of people, over the years and on a shoe string budget, the society has managed to maintain the museum. The physical condition of the building, located at 43 Monument Square, is in need of major renovations. It

is essential that the building be renovated and instituted as a fully functioning museum.

There will be a meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 17 at 7 p.m. to discuss the current status of the museum, the vision for the future and the establishment of a restoration committee. It will be held at the museum.

Anyone interested in the future of the museum is invited to attend.

- Arthur Hurley

Paul Revere Park Soon To Be Completed



Reconstruction has been under way on Paul Revere Park North for many months. The park is located on the south side of the Charlestown Bridge near the Charlestown (Gridley) locks, and will be owned by the Metropolitan District Commission (MDC). The \$5.6 million park will be 90 percent completed by the end of November 1998. When completed, it will be more than three acres.

The new elegant Paul Revere Park, with its elaborate stone walls, will have a wonderful children's play area (shown in photograph above), interpretive exhibits at the dam, a fishing pier, and reconstructed fish ladders.

There will also be a large assortment of plantings throughout the park (shown in the photograph below). Some of the plantings will include: 32 shade trees, seven pine trees, 61 flowering trees, approximately 2000 shrubs, and hundreds of perennials, bulbs, vines, and ornamental grasses.

There is also news on the CA/T construction. If you walk down to the dam you will notice that the first piece of roadway support steel over the Charles River is now in place. That particular piece is part of the new Storrow Drive connection to I-93 which will include roads and a new bridge.

- Ken Stone



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EVENTS

• **Friday, Nov. 20** - Nutrition presentation on foods that will prevent osteoporosis from 11 a.m. to noon.

• **Tuesday, Nov. 24** - Boston Water and Sewer Representative Office Hours from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

• **Wednesday, Dec. 2** - Program on how to prevent hypothermia and carbon monoxide poisoning from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

• **Thursday, Dec. 10** - Golden Age Bake Sale from noon to 4 p.m. Please sign up in advance if you want to bake something. There will be crafts, baked goods and a raffle. Everyone is welcome.

TRIP

• **Thursday, Dec. 3** - There will be a day trip to Danvers with shopping at Liberty Tree Mall, including Anne & Hope. Have lunch at the Hometown Buffet and see a movie at Revere Cinema.

• **Sunday, Feb. 5 to Saturday, Feb. 13** - A Las Vegas trip is being planned which includes round-trip airfare, accommodations at the Luxor Hotel & Casino, located on the Strip.

Please contact the Golden Age Center if you wish to sign up for an event.

Editorial

Parental Responsibility

(continued from page 1)

Where are the parents of the teens who are coming home high on alcohol or drugs?

The questions are endless. Yet, they are being asked daily in our community. What has happened to the "good old days" when parental responsibility was a sacred trust . . . when parents knew just where their children were, whom they were with and what they were doing . . . when respect and obedience were not only obligatory to your parents but to all in lawful authority - the clergy, the policeman, the teacher, etc.

Is this all "old hat" now? Is it too much to ask some of our local parents to inculcate in their offspring good manners, obedience and respect for law and order?

Don't these parents care what their children are doing - what sort of lives they are living?

This is by no means a condemnation of all the teenagers in our town or of all the parents. Charlestown is justly proud of the

vast majority of her teens and has countless wonderful parents who give a fine example.

Yet, there is an alarming rise in alleged juvenile criminal incidents and seemingly complete disregard of parental responsibility by many in our town. Parents must take responsibility - they must let their children know the basic difference between right and wrong - teach them respect for private property - not to drink until they are of age and then drink responsibly - to obey the laws of the land, respect their elders and those in authority.

Is this too much to ask of some of our parents? Are they even aware of what is going on right under their noses and speaking of noses, can't they smell the liquor off their youngster's breath OR DO THEY EVEN CARE?

Let this be a wake-up call to irresponsible parents before tragedy happens in your very household!

Goodwin Promoted To Partner At Ernst & Young

Ernst & Young LLP, one of the world's leading integrated professional services firms, has promoted Thomas W. Goodwin to partner in the tax practice of E&Y Kenneth Leventhal Real Estate Group (EYKL), the firm's real estate arm.

Goodwin, a former resident of Charlestown, is responsible for the delivery of tax services to developers, property and asset managers, brokers, real estate investments trusts (REITS), syndica-

tors, property owners and pension fund advisors.

Prior to joining EYKL in 1997, Goodwin spent six years as tax director for Cabot, Cabot & Forbes, a national real estate developer.

Goodwin, whose expertise includes REITS, pension investments in real estate and the structuring of partnership transactions, earned an undergraduate degree from Suffolk University and a master's degree in taxation from Bentley

College.

He is a member of the government relations committee of the National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts, and is active in the Real Estate Finance Association, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the Massachusetts Society of Certified Public Accountants.

Goodwin, the son of former Charlestown resident Thomas Goodwin, presently resides in Lexington.

Elia Receives 'Pride In Performance' Award

Joan Elia of Charlestown, a member of the FamilyNet Support team, was recently honored for excellence in public service on behalf of the Commonwealth's abused and neglected children at the 15th annual Pride in Performance Awards ceremony held in Cambridge.

The FamilyNet Support Team was responsible for working with the FamilyNet Team throughout the development and implementation of the Department of Social Services (DSS) critical new data

base system. Each and every member of the FamilyNet Support Team made a significant contribution to the success of FamilyNet.

The FamilyNet project was recently recognized for outstanding achievement by Gov. Paul Cellucci, through the Governor's Special Achievement Award. The FamilyNet Support staff played a major role in supporting the project effort over the past two years. Without their hard work and commitment to success, FamilyNet would not

be as triumphant as it is today. DSS representatives were pleased to have the opportunity to present the Commissioner's Special Achievement Award to this very exceptional team.

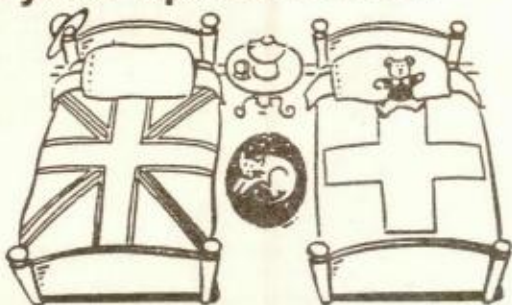
DSS Commissioner Linda K. Carlisle was joined by William D. O'Leary, secretary of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services, to present this year's awards by their peers out of appreciation and respect for their remarkable contributions to DSS and the families it serves.

Menino Helps Out City Year In Charlestown



VOLUNTEERS from City Year, who spent Oct. 24 working on landscapes throughout the city, watch as Mayor Thomas M. Menino digs a hole for a tree at the Charlestown Navy Yard. The young people, ages 17 through 24, spent the day preparing flower beds and planting more than 600 trees and bushes.

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News From Charlestown Catholic Elementary School

Late October and early November have been busy days for the students at Charlestown Catholic. The 6th graders went to the Museum of Science overnight while the 7th and 8th graders went to Plimoth Plantation for a day trip. Excitement abounded at the Pumpkin Decorating Contest. The creativity of the children and their families was overwhelming.

Plimoth Plantation

On Nov. 2, grades 7 and 8 went on a field trip to Plimoth Plantation. We met

many actors who portrayed the first settlers of New England. Some of the families that we met included the Fullers, Brewsters, and the Winslows. We learned many interesting facts about how these people lived. For example, in the morning, the women would garden, cook and clean, while the men were hunting, fixing their ships and praying. The women wore long skirts, a blouse and a vest and the men wore slacks, a blouse and a hat. The eighth graders have been studying the history of

Massachusetts, and the seventh graders will be doing the same next year.

By Kerry Brennan, David Wicker and McKenzie Ridings

Sixth Grade Camp-In

As you may or may not know, the 6th graders attended the Museum of Science Camp-In program on Oct. 30. There were some noisy times during our stay at the museum, for instance, the rain forest exhibit with live mice. We had to make a wall and hide a food pellet behind it to see

if the mouse could smell it. It could.

There were various times when we were able to explore the museum on our own. We saw dinosaurs, shells, the Mount Everest exhibit, the wave room, the musical stairs and the animal exhibit. It was a great experience.

Miss Teague, our teacher, had a blast checking everything out. We had to go to sleep at 12 a.m. We slept in an investigate room in the museum. We woke up to

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CHARLESTOWN CATHOLIC STUDENTS enjoyed Halloween with a Pumpkin Decorating Contest and visited Plimoth Plantation on an early Thanksgiving journey. TOP ROW: At the left are prize-winning pumpkins, including Tweety, created by Kristina McCarthy and Caitlin Ellis . . . In the center, Kelsey Johnson, Thomas Johnson, Paul Locke and Kaleigh Hickey present their pumpkin creations . . . On the right, Alyssa and Meaghann Gallarelli display

their winning tea set. SECOND ROW: On the left, Samantha Morrissey and Shannon Devlin stand with their prize-winning clown . . . In the center, Paige DeVinge, George Scales and Caitlee Carrier enjoying themselves in the "decorated" Pumpkin Patch. THIRD ROW: At the left, the Crossing Guard is presented by Isabella Garcia . . . In the center, Jared Silva's Haunted House was a winner in the scariest category . . . On the right, Sophia Desir, Kevin Pa-

quette, Paige Donovan and Melissa Ortiz admire the prize-winning pool created by Kylie McCarthy and Bridget Ellis. BOTTOM ROW: On the left, 7th and 8th graders pose with B.J. Rudder following his presentation about Plimoth. Shown are David Wicker, Ryan Hickey, Alex Rudder, Meaghann Gallarelli, Sharelle Bower, Sherina Purnell and Andrew Shea . . . At the right are Alyssa Settiani, Kaitrin Krol and Kieran Kelly displaying their pumpkin designs.

Charlestown Catholic Activities

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"Good Morning, Campers" over the intercom at 6:45 a.m.! Soon we walked down the hall to the cafeteria, where we ate breakfast. After breakfast, we saw a show called "Amazon" at the Omni Theater. It was awesome because it felt like you were really there! That concluded our visit to the Museum of Science Camp-In program.

By Charleen Owen, Kasey Owens and Pat Langan
Pumpkin Decorating Contest

On Oct. 30, the annual Pumpkin Decorating Contest was held. It was a great success. There were four original categories: cutest, most creative, scariest and funniest; but the pumpkins were so great the judges made a separate category called judge's choice. This contest was organized and run by Caitlin Durette and Erin Tiffany Lacy, 8th graders.

Meaghan Gallarelli and Alyssa Gallarelli won first place in the most creative category with their Tea Party pumpkin. David Gosciniak placed second with his Pump Truck pumpkin. In third place were Kylie McCarthy and Bridget Ellis with a Diving Pool pumpkin.

The Strawman Student pumpkin, made by Sara Johnson, placed first in the cutest category. Caitlin Ellis and Kristina McCarthy placed second with Tweety. Kerriann Hayes placed third with her Tubbybabies pumpkin.

The first place pumpkin in the scariest category was Jared Silva's Haunted House. Shannon Delaney and Kathleen Sullivan placed second with their Green Witch pumpkin. Padraic Lacey took third place with his Black Ghost.

Kaileen Burns and Keri McGuire tied with Shannon Devlin and Samantha Morrissey for first place in the funniest category. Both groups had clown pumpkins. Isabella Garcia placed second with her Crossing Guard pumpkin. Patrick Considine's Hockey Player pumpkin came in third.

Shanice Douglas and Caitlin Gallarelli placed first in the judges choice category with their Peace Around the World pumpkin. Corey Brennan's Graduate pumpkin was second. Kylie Watson placed third with her Fish Bowl pumpkin.

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Tuesday, Nov. 17
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 9:30 - Swim at the YMCA
 10:30 a.m. - Crochet
 11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
 12:30 p.m. - Bingo

Wednesday, Nov. 18
 9:15 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop

Thursday, Nov. 19
 9 a.m. - Coffee
 9:30 a.m. - Swim at the YMCA
 11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
 For further program information,
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Drop-in Resource Center**

Friday, Nov. 13
 8:30 a.m. - Coffee/Drop In
 10 a.m. - Seniorobics
 11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch
 12:30 p.m. - Bingo

Monday, Nov. 16
 8:30 a.m. - Coffee/Drop In
 10 a.m. - Seniorobics
 1:30 p.m. - Computer Access (by app't.)

Tuesday, Nov. 17
 8:30 a.m. - Coffee/Drop In
 9 a.m. - ESL/Asian
 10:30 a.m. - Hispanic Coffee Hour
 1:30 p.m. - Computer Access (by app't.)

Wednesday, Nov. 18
 8:30 a.m. - Coffee/Drop In
 11:30 a.m. - Kit Clark Birthday Lunch
 12:30 p.m. - Special Turkey Bingo

Thursday, Nov. 19
 8:30 a.m. - Coffee/Drop In
 9:30 a.m. - Bus to Stop & Shop
 11 a.m. - Computer Class
 1:30 p.m. - Computer Access (by app't.)
 2 to 4 p.m. - Help With Resumes

UPCOMING EVENTS
Nov. 23 - Floral Arranging at
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Dec. 8 - Bright Nights at Forest
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**Holiday Cruise
 For Seniors On Dec. 2**

Boston Community Centers' annual senior holiday party aboard the *Spirit of Boston* will be on Wednesday, Dec. 2.

Each year, hundreds of seniors participate in the holiday cruise which includes transportation to and from Charlestown, a full

turkey dinner, entertainment and a narrated tour of Boston Harbor. This cruise is an excellent way to get into the holiday spirit!

For ticket information, call Kaye Ryan, senior citizens coordinator, at 635-4920 ext. 2299. The cost is \$25 per person.

**WIN TICKETS TO
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The Charlestown Patriot is offering readers an opportunity to win tickets to "Sesame Street Live," a stage production at The Schubert Theatre in Boston.

The tickets are good for \$24.50 seats only for the matinee performances on Saturday, Dec. 12.

Submit the original coupon below (no copies, please) to The Patriot office, One Thompson Square, by 4 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 23. Winners will be announced in the Nov. 26 edition of The Charlestown Patriot.

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For more information and an application, call Garden Futures at 617-369-1996 or email at info@gardenfutures.org. The registration deadline is in late December.

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**Building "Old Ironsides"
 Sea Cart Demonstrations**

On Wednesdays, Nov. 18 and 25 at 1, 2 and 3 p.m., visitors can see and touch wood, rigging, and other objects from the *USS CONSTITUTION*!

For more information, call 426-1812.

**Celebrating Corporate Member
 Family Night**



USS CONSTITUTION MUSEUM volunteer and Charlestown resident Beverly Allen gives a youngster a replica sailor's hat during the recent Corporate Members Family Night. More than 350 people attended the event held at the museum in the Charlestown Navy Yard. Some 45 companies are involved with the museum's Corporate Program, including the Charlestown-based Keane Inc., H.P. Hood, and Delta Dental Plan of Massachusetts. The USS Constitution Museum is a nonprofit, educational institution dedicated to preserving the heritage of the USS CONSTITUTION - widely known as "Old Ironsides" - and to teaching about the American spirit and ideals the ship embodies.

Legal Notice

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To Emily O'Brien of Boston in said County of Suffolk, and to her heirs apparent or presumptive.

A petition has been presented to said Court alleging that said Emily O'Brien is a mentally ill person and praying that Rita Bianco of Boston in the County of Suffolk or some other suitable person be appointed her guardian.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Boston before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 27th day of November 1998, the return day of this citation.

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Richard Iannella, Register

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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, Nov. 17 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "Frederick," the fable of a field mouse who knows the importance of storing summer's

beauty against the cold dark days of winter . . . in "Five Chinese Brothers," the brothers outwit the executioner because they look exactly alike . . . and "The Gingerbread Kingdom" relates how Princess Margaretta is carried off by the wicked Dragon of Gingerbread

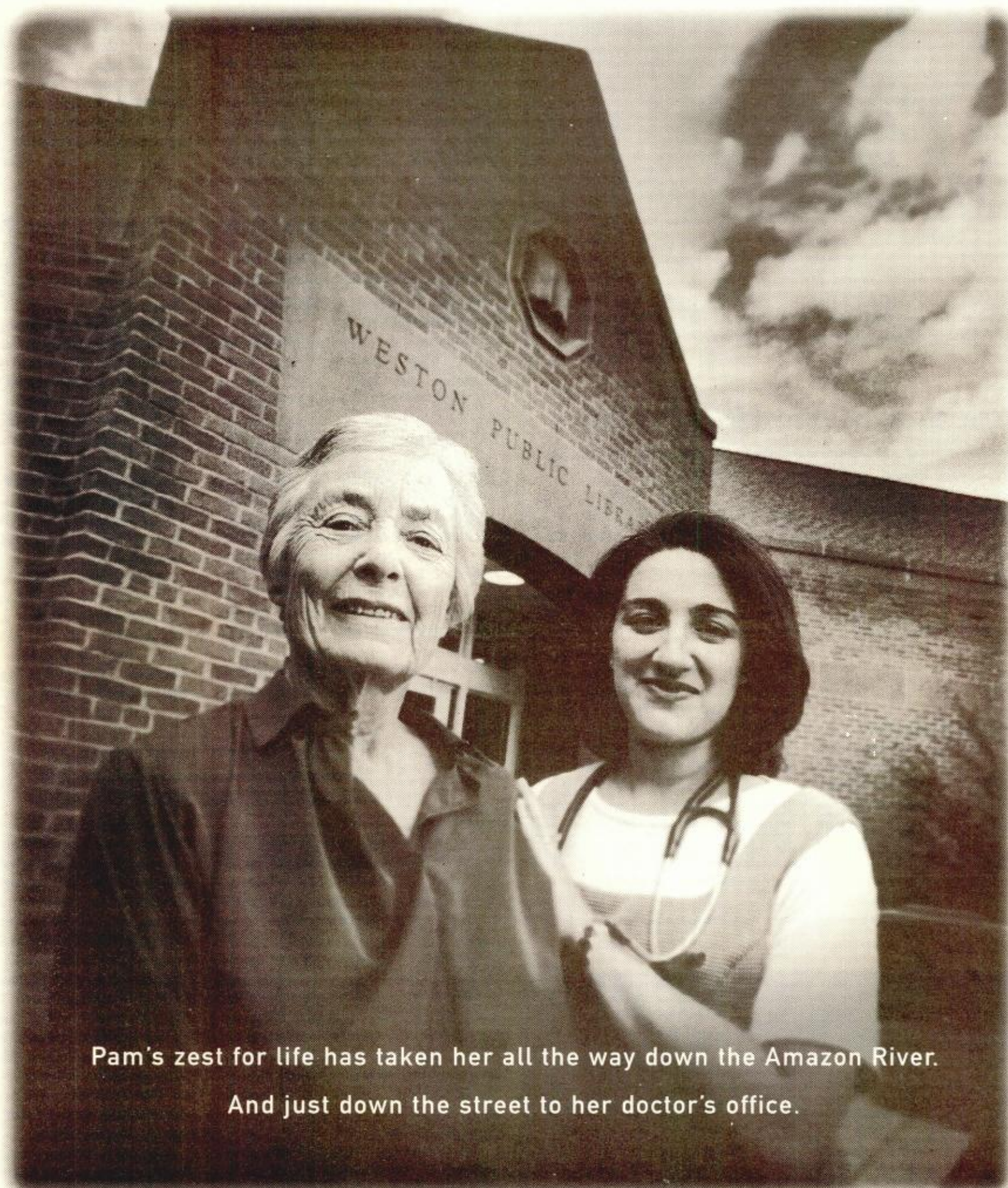
Kingdom and is rescued by Mark, the shoemaker's apprentice.

In "Winter of the Witch," which will be shown only at 3:30 p.m., a young boy and his mother move from the city into a country house which is haunted by a witch.

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Sithe New England Presents Donation To Charlestown Pop Warner



SITHE NEW ENGLAND recently presented a generous donation to Charlestown Pop Warner Football to be used for equipment and league expenses. Shown front row (l. to r.) are David Grace, Micah Young, Alyssa Settiani, Catherine Taglilatela, Joey Burke and Brendan Grace. Back row (l. to r.) are Marcia MacClary, director of public affairs for Sithe New England; John D. O'Brien Jr., vice president of Sithe New England; and John Taglilatela, Ed Grace and Jack Schievink, all from Charlestown Pop Warner. (photo by Ed Loan)

Charlestown Gym Hockey News

Standings - Nov. 7

	W	L	T
Bunker Hill Florist	7	1	0
Bryan's Pals	6	1	1
Grancey & Co.	6	2	0
Eagle Elevator	6	2	0
Poolie's Pals	4	3	1
Kerrigan's	4	3	1
Main St. Furniture/Medford	2	5	1
Jimmy's On Top	1	5	2
Li'l Al's	1	7	0
Grant Photo	0	8	0

Players of the Week - Nov. 7

Bryan's Pals	Kerin Scales
	George Scales
Bunker Hill Florist	Nicholas Cirame
	Alexandra Kupchaunis
Eagle Elevator	Ryan Ward
	Matthew DeMaio
Grancey & Co.	Kerryn Loan
	Leisa Loan
Grant Photo	Matthew Burton
	Chris Burton

Jimmy's On Top

Kerrigan's
Li'l Al's

Main St. Furniture,
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Poolie's Pals

Marc Considine

Andrew Michaels
The Few Who Came!
Rachel Rooney
Patrick McGoff
Yessie Gonzalez
Tiziana Vasquez
Justine Langone
Kayla DeRosa

Please Note!

There are still a few openings. Anyone interested should call Debbie Lent at 241-0434.

Parents: When you registered your child for Gym Hockey, you made a commitment to their team. It's not fair to the players who come every week to have to forfeit games because other players don't feel like coming. This has happened quite a bit this year. If you are unable to fulfill your commitment, please let us know.

Thank you,
Charlestown Gym Hockey Board

POP WARNER CORNER



Though the season will end this week with scheduled bowl games against the Medford Colts, you can get your dose of football this Sunday morning on channel A23 at 10 a.m., as the B-team's impressive victory against South Boston will be televised on Kevin Burke's, weekly Moments in Sports show. The A-team game against South Boston will be televised in the next few weeks so set your VCR's for this Sunday at 10 a.m. on channel A23.

We are in the process of planning the annual awards night, which will again be held in the Charlestown High School auditorium around the first week of December. The date of the awards night will be announced in the next few weeks. The rea-

son for the delay is that we are waiting for the scheduled date of arrival for the CPW jackets. Anyone who has not been fitted for a jacket must do so before Friday.

Start cleaning your football and cheerleading uniforms, as we will announce a date for all teams to return their uniforms in the condition that they were received. All cheerleading uniforms were dry cleaned before the season and we expect them to be returned in the same condition.

A Las Vegas Night has been scheduled for Friday evening, Nov. 27 from 8 p.m. to midnight at Goodtime Billiards in Somerville. Come on down as we begin our efforts to purchase new uniforms for next season.

- John Taglilatela

CHARLESTOWN BOYS & GIRLS CLUB NEWS

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Attention parents and high school students! Don't miss the College Club's Student/Parent Night at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 18 at the club library, 15 Green St. Professionals from various colleges will present a program on preparing for college, including the admissions and application process and financial planning procedures. They will also be available for questions. Your do not need to be a member of the College Club to attend. For more information, contact Maureen O'Mara or Michaela Keaveney at the club, 242-1775.

Congratulations to the winners of the library's "Who Am I?" contest. The winners were Nicole Callahan and Jennifer Santos, and the runners-up were Nicole McGrath, Isabela Garcia, Kaleigh Shea, Shanice Douglas, Valerie Charest and Cara

Shea.

Don't forget about photography classes on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for club members 10 years and older.

Call the club if you want to sign up for the new series of art classes.

It's not too late to join Earthforce. Talk to Jenny if you are 10 years and older.

★ SOCIAL RECREATION

There will be a dance this Friday, Nov. 13, sponsored by the Torch Club. This dance is for ages 10 and older only! Admission is \$1.

Don't forget!! Chess Club meets at 6 p.m. on Thursdays. See you there!

Congratulations to last week's tournament champs! They are Michael James - Bumperpool, Danny Meena and Alex Gaudette - Carpet Bowling, and Derek Materazzo - Foosball.

Young Adult Happenings

From The Desk Of Father McCarthy/St. Mary's

Clothing Drive

The annual Young Adult clothing drive will be held on Saturday, Nov. 14, from 9 a.m. to noon in front of St. Mary's Rectory. We need mostly men's clothing, in a variety of sizes, in usable condition. Please make sure that you drop the clothes off only between these hours and that the clothes are wrapped in plastic bags. All clothing will be placed in vans and brought right to the Long Island Shelter. Last year, had it not been for the Charlestown community, the men at the shelter would not have had enough warm clothing to get them through the winter months. So let's all get behind this.

Young Adult Mass

The Young Adult Mass of Thanksgiving will be held on Sunday, Nov. 15 at 5 p.m. at St. Mary's Church. Let us not forget who we are and what we are all about. And let us not forget to give thanks to God for his

many blessings to all of us.

Thanksgiving Dinner At The Legion

To the young adults who will not be going home for Thanksgiving or who will be eating their meal later in the day, volunteers are needed to help serve the meal at the Legion Hall on 23 Adams St. The community of Charlestown works very hard to ensure that those who are alone on this day have a place to go and have a Thanksgiving meal. Also, meals will be brought to those who are alone and cannot leave their home due to physical infirmities. However, people are needed to help assist with this project. Please consider giving an hour or so of your time from noon to 1 p.m. on this day.

Sign Up And Registration

Any person between the ages of 20 and 40, who is single, married, married with children, divorced or separated, is welcome to sign up for the Young Adult program. Contact Father McCarthy at 241-9014.

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Thurs.,	Dec. 10	11:00AM 7:00PM
Fri.,	Dec. 11	11:00AM 7:00PM
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ST. CATHERINE'S NEWS

★ **Christmas Bazaar** - Thank you to all who supported and were able to attend our annual Parish Bazaar. A special thanks to all those who donated goods, ran a table, volunteered time, baked, bought chances or served on a committee. Without your help, this year's bazaar would not have been such a great success.

★ **Ski Trip** - The CYO Ski Weekend will be from Friday, Jan. 15 to Sunday, Jan. 17 at the Waterville Valley resort.

The price of \$230 includes two nights lodging, two dinners, two breakfasts, a two-day lift pass and transportation. The hotel is located in the Ski Village, next to shops and there is free shuttle service to the mountain. There will be an informational meet at 6 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 16 in St. Catherine's meeting room, use the Corey Street entrance. A \$150 deposit is due Nov. 21.

For more information, contact Father DiPerri at 242-1750.

★ **CYO High School Boys Olympics** - The olympics will take place on Friday, Nov. 27 at the Murphy School in Neponset. The Charlestown CYO is seeking any teenage boys in grades 9 through 12 to participate on the team. Events include basketball, hockey, water polo and the Superstars contest. Each participant will receive lunch.

For more information,

BPS Programs At The Library

Martha Pierce from the mayor's office and Maureen Lumley from the office of the superintendent of schools, will answer questions and offer guidance to parents regarding the Boston Public School's kindergarten, extended day care and after-school programs during a Parents Discussion Group meeting at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Friday morning, Nov. 20.

The 10 a.m. program is free and open to the public. For information, call the library at 242-1248.

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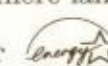
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BOB D'S BEAT

BY BOB DeCRISTOFORO



❖ **Wrong! Wrong! Wrong!** ... The main purpose of this column is to highlight our many great young people, and the great things so many of them are doing. Every so often I have to mention a negative, because it affects everyone, especially the young people. It gives us all a bad rap, and sometimes saying nothing says a lot. What happened at Store 24 on Halloween night was totally wrong and not what this fine town is all about. No one is pleased about this stupid act. You owe us all a great apology.

❖ **Education Plus** ... So, are you interested in taking the GED? Any adult resident of Mass., age 16 or older who has not graduated from high school, who is not enrolled in high school and who does not have a high school equivalency diploma, may take the test. Applicants 16, 17 or 18 years of age must present a letter from the last school attended stating the date of discharge which must be signed by the principal or guidance director.

❖ **College Board** ... It was a night of firsts over at Boston University. Terrier freshman Mike Pandolfo scored his first college hat trick. This BU freshman feat was last accomplished by brother, Jay Pandolfo, who now plays for the N.J. Devils. Freshman Chris Dymont scored his first college goal, but most importantly, the Terriers got their first win of the season, crushing Princeton 9-1. Spotted in the ice house were Townies Jack O'Callahan Sr., who had a note from his wife, Dennis Collins and Mike Doris.

Merrimack continued its hex over Northeastern. The Warriors nipped the Huskies 5-4. Chris Halecki had the game winner. Maine dropped Lowell twice, 3-2 in overtime and 5-2 to remain undefeated at 5-0-0. Providence and N.H. split their weekend series, the Friars winning 6-1, and then falling 3-1. Harvard defeated UMass Amherst 3-1.

On the football field, Northeastern was soundly stopped by James Madison, 31-7. Curry picked up its sixth win of the season, defeating winless UMass Boston 29-14. Bridgewater State crushed Fitchburg State 54-8 and Plymouth State stopped Keane 27-12.

❖ **High School Prep Notebook** ... The Wichenden School has picked up some fine student athletes in Jason Souza, who is playing soccer, and Kenneth Golden, who is running cross country. Both will play hockey in the winter. Up at Rivers, Chad Titcomb is tearing up the football field.

Lamont Harris, Tony Hobbs, Gabe Sotito, Shawn Goode and Phil O'Neil, plus some very stingy defense, helped Charlestown shutout Burke 26-0. Greg Young had three touchdowns as Madison Park crushed English 28-0. Rich Demers and Wayne Harris had two touchdowns each as Eastie rolled on, defeating Dorchester 40-8.

Good news, Timmy Brennan should be back in action for Latin Academy. Bad news, Southie dominated LA 34-0. Fitzroy Brown and Manny Goncalves were the heroes with two touchdowns each. Mike Vann had the only touchdown for West Roxbury, but it wasn't enough as BC High flew 20-6.

Catholic Memorial dropped Malden Catholic 22-14. Mike McGonagle had two touchdowns for CM, and Mike Arnold did the same for MC. Savio Prep ripped Trinity Catholic 44-6. Mike Gillespie led the way with three touchdowns. Pope John picked up its sixth win of the season downing Manchester 26-6. Top Tigers were Jimmy Rabi-deau and Kamau Ellis. Cathedral shutout St. Clement 16-0.

Jason Whyte had three touchdowns as O'Bryant tipped Brighton 40-6, and Mike Rogers had three touchdowns to lead Spellman past Arlington Catholic, 36-6.

Marshfield shutout Boston Latin 28-0, dropping the Wolfpack to 3-4-1. Arlington held Diamond Ferri to just one touchdown, but Jonathon Delgado, Nick Nazzaro and Victor Dragone picked up the slack, as Everett rolled to its seventh victory, 34-6.

Congrats to Caitlin O'Brien, who just completed a fine swim season at Boston Latin!

❖ **Weekend Football Watch** ...
Friday, Nov. 13

St. John's Prep at Malden Catholic
Latin at Concord Carlisle
Latin Academy at English
West Roxbury at South Boston
East Boston at Charlestown

Saturday, Nov. 14

Savio Prep at St. Clement
Arlington Catholic at Williams
Brighton at Burke
Minuteman at Pope John
BC High at St. John (s)
Catholic Memorial at Xaverian
Malden at Everett

Sunday, Nov. 15

St. Bernard at Matignon

❖ **ProLine** ... Checking the standings ... Keith Tkachuk's Phoenix team is 6-2-1 with 13 points and second place in the Pacific Division. Cousin Tommy Fitzgerald's Nashville team has a record of 4-7-1 for nine points, last place in the Central Division.

Teddy Donato is now a member of the New York Islanders!

❖ **College Board Special** ... Irish eyes were smiling all over town on the weekend, and I must admit I did get caught up in the "Blue and Gold" wave. I never saw so many Notre Dame fanatics in Boston. They certainly showed off their colors, their tradition and their pride.

On Friday night, the seventh rank hockey team held off a furious BC onslaught to hold onto a 5-5 tie. The Eagles roared back

from a 5-2 third period deficit. Two goals by Chris Masters and a goal by Andy Powers all in a 2-minute 51-second span forced the OT and kept BC ranked number one.

Saturday afternoon, I went to the football game and, as much as I like BC, I wanted to see ND. I focused on those golden helmets, and I thought about all the traditions of Notre Dame football. Just like the Canadiens, the Yankees and the Celtics, you put on that ND uniform and you are above the rest. Sure, I wanted to see BC win, sure I hoped for one more miracle finish and sure it came ever so close, but I saw Notre Dame. Some people never get the chance.

On Saturday night, I saw Notre Dame hockey at Northeastern. It was a lively affair. ND senior Brian Urick had the game-winning at the 12:36 mark of the third period. Jimmy Fahey had two goals for the Huskies, and Scott Sutton had a fine freshman debut with 29 saves. The NU goal to tie hit the post with less than a minute to go. Call it Irish luck!

A few items to note from the very impressive Notre Dame Hockey Media Guide: the hockey team posted a 3.1 team grade point average in the spring of '98 semester, Notre Dame hockey players have combined to post a nine perfect 4-0 semesters during the past four years, 1998 senior captain Steve Nobe graduated with a 3.956 cumulative grade point average, 17 Mass. players have donned the Blue and Gold, among them Brian "Dukie" Walsh of Matignon (1973-1977).

Final note ... When I am at BC, I usually attend Mass at St. Ignatius Church. The 4 p.m. liturgy is well attended. Following the BC Notre Dame football game, the church was packed. This says a lot, as I hope this College Board Special does.

❖ **Tidbits** ... Alexis sighting!
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CHAD Junior Bowling League News



by John Dillon

The Charlestown Patriot team took first place in the CHAD Junior Bowling League last Saturday with an 8-0 thrashing of the Jenny's Pizza team. High bowler for the Patriot was Mike Shackford with an unbelievable three-string total of 290. Mike, who has been bowling great, had single strings of 104 and 102. Runner-up was Tim Hickey with 212. Top bowler for Jenny's was Chris Schievink with 235, and runner-up was Brendan Brassil with 210.

The Red Store hung onto a piece of first place by dumping the Bunker Hill Real Estate team in a 6-2 contest. Top bowler for The Red Store was Brian Morrison with 268, and runner-up was Michelle Williams with 203. Brian and Michelle have been a good one-two punch for The Red Store. Top bowler for Bunker Hill was Sean Cronk with 231, and runner-up was Tim Venezia with 201.

In the next match, the Councillor Scapicchio team managed to keep sole possession of third place by tying the American Legion team 4-4. Top bowler for the Scapicchio team was Matt Manganelli with 206, and runner up was Quinn Evers with 196. Top bowler for the American Legion was Chris Boutwell with a nice 272. Chris also had a 102 string and a chance to break the high single. Runner-up was Ladonna Phipps with 185.

The Shamrocks keep moving up in the standings by blowing out the Crickets team with an 8-0 shutout. Top bowler for the Shamrocks was Matt Hickey with 212, and runner-up was Nick Celata with 178. Top bowler for Crickets was Eric Lynch with 207, and runner-up was Leesia Lawton with 193.

In the next match, the Constitution cannon-balled the McCarthy Bros. team in a 6-2 contest. Top bowler for the Constitution was Sheilann Williams with 249, and runner-up was Brendan Grace with 218. Top bowler for the McCarthy Bros. was Jeff Lynch with 252, who also had a 100 string, and runner-up was Fred Perito with 214.

In the final match of the day, the Celata Construction Co. team stoned the Kennedy Center in a 6-2 match. Top bowler for Celata was Shawn Burke with 227, and runner-up was Courtney Schievink with 216. Top bowler for the Kennedy Center was Jared Silva with 203, and runner-up was Jennie Perito with 174.

Bowlers of the week are: Mike Shackford 290, Chris Boutwell 272, Brian Morrison 268, Jeff Lynch 252, Sheilann Williams 249, Chris Schievink 235, Sean Cronk 231, Shawn Burke 227, Brendan Grace 218, Courtney Schievink 216 and Lauren Lynch 215.

Bowlers trying the hardest are: Jessica Grace 211, Casey Schievink 205, David Grace 199, Shannon Lynch

193, Alyse Fiamma 187, Matt Venezia 186, Nick Celata 178, Emily Perito 174, Brian Flynn 158, Colleen Lynch 155, James Clough 128 and Micaela Flynn 122.

Note To Parents

Please make a note on your calendar that on Saturday, Nov. 28 we will be attending the CHAD Breakfast. We will not be bowling that weekend.

Also, come out and vote this coming Saturday, Nov. 14, in the Charlestown Neighborhood Council elections which will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall. There are nine great candidates running, so please participate.

Billy Lynch and Linda Shackford will be in charge of bowling this coming Saturday as I (John Dillon) will not be at bowling this week. Bowling will take place on Saturday at 11:30 a.m.

Standings - Nov. 7

	W	L
Charlestown Patriot	30	10
Red Store	30	10
Paul Scapicchio	26	14
Celata Construction	24	16
Jenny's Pizza	24	16
Shamrocks	23	17
B.H. Real Estate	20	20
American Legion	17	23
Crickets	16	24
Constitution	16	24
Kennedy Center	12	28
McCarthy Bros.	10	30

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.



Our Sincere Appreciation

The staff of the Charlestown Ecumenical Food Pantry expresses their sincere appreciation to St. Catherine's for its canned food drive. Kudos to Mrs. McDonough and her 8th grade class. You kids are awesome!

Sincerely,
Rudy Doenges & Staff

Not A Laughing Matter!

I write this to urge those individuals who think it's fun and amusing to throw eggs at passing vehicles to stop and consider the many consequences of your childish behavior. You are endangering the lives of many people when you do this.

I had several eggs smash my windshield on Monday, Oct. 19 at about 7:15 p.m. on Medford Street at the Bunker Hill Housing Development. I was momentarily startled as the eggs slammed into my windshield, splattering all over the vehicle. Fortunately, I did not lose control of the vehicle and crash into a parked car, a motor vehicle in operation, a pedestrian, or some other stationary object.

As an operator of The Ride van, which serves to transport disabled/physically challenged/impaired or special needs clients, I find your actions deplorable. Often we are transporting clients in wheelchairs or with oxygen and sudden stops could prove quite hazardous to all on board. Surely, there are more constructive activities for you to involve yourself in than endangering the lives of others. Think before you act.

A Concerned Citizen

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AT CHRISTMAS

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

The committee asks that individuals and organizations submit names by **Monday, Nov. 23** which has been extended to make sure all eligible names have been submitted. This will be the final date so that the selection committee can conclude its arduous task. Time is also needed to purchase the items for the packages and to make plans for delivery on Sunday, Dec. 20.

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

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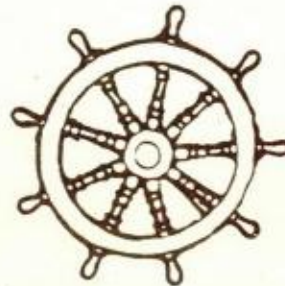
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- The second floor is accessed via a wide staircase on the easterly side of the building, directly from Sixth Street.
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- Windows are Thermopane with wood sashes and frames.
- The roof is primarily metal over the 2nd floor with rubber membrane over the single story elements.
- Basement level is finished for office use and document storage
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Saturday, Oct. 31

A Maryland woman reported that between 7 p.m. on Oct. 30 and 10 a.m. on this date, while her auto was parked in the vicinity of 280 Main St., someone smashed her windshield and broke the antenna.

A Charlestown man told police that between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., while he was working, he received information from his neighbors that a man, known to him, removed a television, a VCR, a cellular phone and a stereo system, with a total value of \$1,000 from his Decatur Street apartment.

At 11:27 p.m., police were called to Old Landing Way where they saw a male on his back with his knees curled up, trying to defend himself. Two suspects appeared to be striking the victim with a long, thin shaped tool and another suspect made a fast slashing movement toward the victim's head. Officers observed a suspect strike a male and break a stick over his back and then hit a female across the left forearm, causing bleeding. Suspects were seen running from the site of the attack and police attempted to stop them, but a large crowd had formed and the suspects were pulled into the crowd. Backup officers arrived and three suspects were arrested and charged with assault and battery with a dangerous weapon and being a disorderly person. A male and a female victim were taken to MGH for treatment.

At 11:40 p.m., a resident of Corey Street told police that someone threw an object and broke her living room window.

Sunday, Nov. 1

A man told police that he parked his leased car on 7th Street at 7 p.m. on Oct. 31, and when he returned at 8 a.m. on this date, he found that it had been broken into. Entry was gained by breaking the rear passenger window. A Nokia cellular phone was taken.

At 9:27 p.m., a 15-year-old Charlestown teen and three other individuals entered Store 24 in Thompson Square, took two-dozen eggs and refused to pay for them before fleeing the store. Complaints will be sought.

Monday, Nov. 2

At 2:15 p.m., officers, while on a school safety assignment

at Bunker Hill and Polk streets, were approached by a woman who stated that as she was driving down Elm Street, she observed a male wave a gun in the air as he walked down the street with a group of youths. Officers then observed a group of youth exit from Elm Street onto Bunker Hill Street and the woman identified the male as the one who was waving the gun. The suspect then entered 200 Bunker Hill St. and the officers waited for him to exit. When he did, they conducted a threshold inquiry and a pat frisk. A black 45 mm BB gun was produced from his front waistband. The suspect was placed under arrest.

At 5:30 p.m. officers met a woman on Carney Court relative to threats. The woman stated that on this date, a man who used to be her friend came to her apartment and took a woman's black leather coat, 15 CD's and 40 cassette tapes. She said he also showed a knife and made threats. The woman will seek complaints at Charlestown District Court.

At 7:30 p.m., police responded to Carney Court on the report of a fight. A 13-year-old male said that a group of males pushed him around and told him to stay out of their park as he walked with three friends.

Tuesday, Nov. 3

At 6:15 a.m., police responded to Monument Square on a family disturbance. Officers had a conversation with a woman who stated that her stepfather had assaulted her with a needle, fists and feet. Her boyfriend stated that they were visiting her stepfather when they started drinking and using heroin, and an altercation ensued between the woman and another man over a missing package of heroin, and it became physical. Police found that the woman had numerous cuts and a bloody nose and mouth, and she was transported to MGH for treatment. The two men involved in the altercation were transported to Area A and charged with assault and battery with a dangerous weapon. One was found to have an A&B violation of probation out of Boston Municipal Court and also a default out of the Chelsea District Court on threats to commit a crime.

A Hingham woman reported that between 8:30 p.m. on Nov. 2 and 8 a.m. on this date, her auto was broken into while it was parked at Green and Main streets. The convertible roof was slashed from front to rear. Taken were 30-40 CD's.

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Charlestown High School that a teen had threatened a teacher. The victim stated that she had asked the student to stop talking several times during class when he said he would get a gun and shoot her. He also said he was going to put sugar in her gas tank.

A woman whose van was broken into on Oct. 19 while it was parked on High Street, said that she had received a cellular phone bill with numbers on it from after the theft took place.

At 8:45 p.m., a Charlestown man was arrested at 297 Main St. on an outstanding warrant out of the Cambridge Court on motor vehicle violations.

Wednesday, Nov. 4

A Charlestown man reported that his granddaughter had removed blank personal checks from his bedroom dresser drawer, forged his signature and cashed them in her name between Aug. 18 and Sept. 23. A total of 18 personal checks were cashed, totalling \$4,390. He was advised to seek complaints in court.

At 4:35 p.m., a school bus operator stated that about every day, his bus is stoned by a group of four or five young males. He said that this gang waits until the last student gets off the bus at Carney Court and as he drives away, the rocks are thrown and racial slurs are shouted. He said he is fearful for his safety and for the safety of his student passengers.

A Chelsea man stated that between 5:45 and 6:45 p.m., his auto was damaged at 13th Street by a motorist who failed to stop and identify him/herself.

Thursday, Nov. 5

At 10:34 a.m., a taxi driver stated that while helping a woman on Sullivan Street, someone jumped into his taxi and stole his cellular phone.

At 7 p.m., a Dorchester man was arrested on Carney Court on warrants from the Hingham and Plymouth District Courts.

At 10 p.m., a New Hampshire teen was arrested on Walford Way on a Charlestown District Court warrant for trespassing.

Friday, Nov. 6

A Wilmington woman reported that between 8 p.m. on Nov. 5 and 7 a.m. on this date, the license plate was stolen from her auto while it was parked in the vicinity of 144 Bunker Hill St.

At 6:30 p.m., officers arrested a Charlestown man on Medford Street on a default warrant issued by the Cambridge District Court for destruction of property and being a disorderly person.

Saturday, Nov. 7

At 11:15 p.m., a Charlestown woman told police that she was notified by an unknown female neighbor that she had just observed her auto, which was parked and unoccupied, being hit by a blue or black colored motor vehicle driven by an unknown female with a female passenger. The suspects fled the scene. There were dents and scratches on the victim's auto.

Sunday, Nov. 8

At 2:25 a.m., police responded to Medford and Monument streets on the report of a motor vehicle accident. The officers spoke to a Dorchester man who stated that the alarm went off on his cousin's car at about 2:20 a.m., and when he looked out of the window, he saw four persons running up Monument Street and the vehicle was tipped on its left side. Officers righted the vehicle and searched the area for the suspects. There was damage to the vehicle.

At 11:40 a.m., officers arrested a 33-year-old Charlestown woman on O'Reilly Way on a warrant issued by Woburn District Court for annoying telephone calls and threats to commit a crime.

A Charlestown woman reported that between 8 a.m. on Nov. 4 and 5 p.m. on this date, the license plate had been removed from her auto while it was parked at the Harvard Mall. The license plate number was Mass. 483FSA.

At 5:03 p.m., officers arrested a 41-year-old Charlestown man at Main Street and Lawnwood Place on a warrant issued by the Charlestown District Court for driving under the influence of liquor, speeding and negligent operation of a motor vehicle.

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An invitation is extended to all to attend a community Thanksgiving eve service at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 25 at the First Church on Green Street.

Rev. Laurie Rofinot, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church will be the guest minister. Ben Sears will offer some favorite hymns as part of the service.

All are most welcome to join in the service.

Weekly 'ESL Conversations' At The Charlestown Library

Adult patrons for whom English is a second language are invited to improve their English language skills during weekly "ESL Conversation Group" meetings at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

The group is led by a volunteer English-speaking tutor and will meet every Monday evening during November from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. New members are always welcome.

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Boys & Girls Clubs Of Boston Names New President

Myra Kraft, chairman of the Boys & Girls Club of Boston, has announced that Linda Whitlock, an experienced educator and fundraising professional, has been named president and CEO of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston (BGCN). Whitlock will begin her new job on Jan. 1.

Since 1992, Whitlock has been a senior member of the management team of Buckingham Browne and Nichols (BB&N) in Cambridge, serving as the assistant head for Enrollment Management. In this position, she is responsible for enrollment at this independent school of 1,000 students, and for a financial aid budget of \$2 million. She serves on the Head of School's Administrative Team, the Educational Policy Committee, the Academic Review Committee, the Diversity Committee, the Publications Committee and the Athletic Task Force.

"We are very pleased to name Linda Whitlock as our new president and CEO since she cares passionately about civic involvement, education and the welfare of our children," commented Kraft. "She is a versatile professional who has good analytical skills, a delightful personality and public presence and a record of achievement in various areas."



LINDA WHITLOCK has been named the new president of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston. Shown (l. to r.) are Jerry Steimel, director, Charlestown Boys & Girls Club; Whitlock; and Lois Gallagher, chairman, Charlestown Clubhouse Advisory Board.

In accepting the position, Whitlock responded, "Because I am committed to the growth and development of children and adolescents, I am delighted to serve as the next President and CEO of the Boys & Girls of Boston. Through the generosity of many individuals, corporations and foundations, this organization has created exemplary programs which effectively serve the young people of Boston. It is an honor for me to join with the staff, board of directors, and advisory board members in carrying out

BGCN's primary objective: 'Changing our world, one kid at a time.'"

Whitlock has publicly stated that education and work with children have always been her passion. Prior to joining BB&N, she served as assistant head for marketing and associate director of admissions at Concord Academy. Her volunteer activities include serving as a member of the board of directors of Facing History and Ourselves and the City Bridge Program at Concord Academy.

Whitlock lives in Newton Highlands with her husband, Marc Cumsky, an attorney with the firm Cumsky and Carter, and their daughter, Leah Cumsky Whitlock, age 17 and a senior at Milton Academy. Their 24-year-old son, Jake, is a poet and advertising production assistant in New York City.

Casey Carle's 'Bubble-Mania' At The Library

Professional comic bubbleologist, Casey Carle, will present the amazing and amusing "Bubble-Mania" for children of all ages at 4 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 19 at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.

A former entertainer with the Ringling Brothers Circus, Carle creates intricate and mesmerizing bubble art that includes a bubble chain, a bubble spaceship, a bubble cry-

stal ball and more. All is done with music, wit and audience interaction.

This Reading Is Fundamental (RIF) program is co-sponsored by the Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library and supported, in part, by grants from the Mass. Biomedical Corp. and the RIF project and is free and open to the public.

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Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult and/or group leader.

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