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May 24 Is 'Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart Day'

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May 24 at Johnnie's Foodmaster in the Bunker Hill Mall, sponsored by the Community Advisory Board on Cardiac Health Enhancement of the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center and Johnnie's.

Healthy Heart Day will enable Charlestown residents to learn of their risks of developing cardiac disease. Free blood cholesterol, blood sugar, blood pressure, height and weight screenings will be provided, and you will be asked to complete a questionnaire regarding stress, exercise and smoking habits.

Staff members from the Bunker Hill

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Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force To Hold Annual Job Fair

The Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force will be holding its Annual Job and Training Fair on Thursday, May 25 from 1 to 4 p.m. at St. Catherine's Church Hall on Tufts Street. The fair is open to all residents of Charlestown. Refreshments, door prizes and free child care will be a part of the day's events.

Representatives of more than 17 Boston employers, including Bank of New England, New England Telephone, Mass. General

Hospital, Boston Water and Sewer Commission, local Laborers Union and Massport, will attend. All participating companies will be accepting applications for employment. Career opportunities will include banking, nursing, clerical, sales, office support and manufacturing.

Educational and job training programs will be accepting applications for admissions into secretarial, GED, building and techni-

cal trades, customer service and word processing programs. There will be representatives from Bunker Hill Community College, Boston Technical Center, Northeastern University, Training Inc., Hickox School and many other educational and job training programs.

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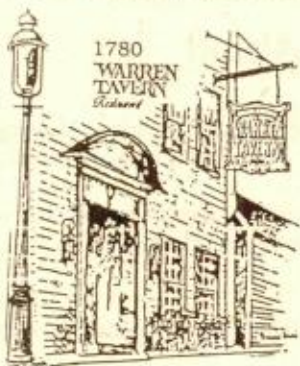
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Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association Holds Ninth Annual Reunion



KATHLEEN DUNLEA TWOMEY, the new president of the Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association, presented a gift to outgoing president **Katherine Martell Perreault** for her service to the organization at the annual reunion held May 12 at Barrett's on

Boston Harbour Restaurant. Shown (l. to r.) **Sister Stephen Marie, C.S.J.**, treasurer; **Twomey**; **Perreault**; **Eileen O'Brien Carroll**, vice president; and **Marie Flynn Walsh**, secretary.

The waterfront was rocking on May 12 as the Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association held its Ninth

Annual Reunion at Barrett's on Boston Harbour Restaurant. Over 330 women attended, all of whom had

entered one of Charlestown's schools prior to 1940.

It was an evening for renewing friendships, enjoying a delicious dinner and, of course, dancing.

During a brief program, the association's new president **Kay Dunlea Twomey**

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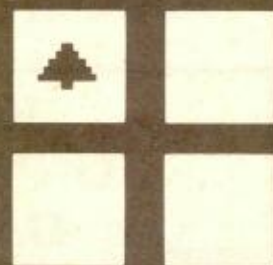
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It's A Boy . . .

Leo Richard and Elizabeth Paquette of 119 Elm St. are pleased to announce the birth of their third child, a boy, Timothy John Edward on April 27. Timothy weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces at birth.

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Charlestown Community Calendar

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, May 18

- 4 p.m. — Creative Drama Class for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Charlestown Youth Hockey Association Registration, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
- 7:30 p.m. — Annual Business Meeting, Appreciation Night and Election of Officers of Friends of the Charlestown Branch Library, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 8 p.m. — "S.W.O.N. Songs," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, May 19

- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 2 p.m. — Groundbreaking Ceremony for renovations to the Old Kent School, home of Charlestown's Headstart Program, Old Kent School, Hayes Square
- 6 to 8 p.m. — Charlestown Youth Hockey Association Registration, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
- 7:30 p.m. — "Charlestown Topics," Cable channels A3 and A8
- 8 p.m. — St. Catherine's School Fund Raiser with Dick McManus and the Irish Revolution, K. of C. Hall, 75 W. School St.
- 8 p.m. — Dinner Dance to benefit St. Francis de Sales School, Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 8 p.m. — "S.W.O.N. Songs," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Saturday, May 20

- 10 a.m. — Charlestown Youth Baseball tryouts for 13-15 year olds, Ryan Playground, Sullivan Square
- 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Rummage Sale, First Church in Charlestown, 10 Green St.
- noon to 3 p.m. — Bunker Hill Day Parade Grand Irish Bola, K. of C. lower hall, 75 W. School St.
- 1 to 3 p.m. — Windmill Hill Quilters, St. John's Parish Hall, 27 Devens St.
- 3 and 7 p.m. — "S.W.O.N. Songs," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, May 21

- 2 and 7 p.m. — St. Francis de Sales Spring Concert, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — "S.W.O.N. Songs," Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St.

Monday, May 22

- 7 p.m. — New England Aquarium Answer Group Meeting on Traffic and Parking, BRA Conference Room, Building 34, Charlestown Navy Yard

Tuesday, May 23

- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour Restaurant
- 2 p.m. — Discussion Group for Senior Citizens, basement conference room, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Basic Services Committee Meeting with Boston Water and Sewer Commissioner Ron Catina, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — New England Aquarium Answer Group Meeting on Community Benefits, BRA Conference Room, Building 34, Charlestown Navy Yard

Wednesday, May 24

- 8:45 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. — Charlestown Welfare Information Office Open, The Schrafft Center, Mezzanine 1, 529 Main St.
- noon to 8 p.m. — Charlestown Loves A Healthy Heart Fair, Johnnie's Foodmaster, Bunker Hill Mall
- noon to 8 p.m. — Lions Eyemobile featuring free vision, glaucoma and fundus camera screening, Bunker Hill Mall
- 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. — Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini Office Hours, One Thompson Square, First Floor Conference Area

- 6 to 7 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Mitigation Committee Meeting, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — Court St. Jude 1123, CDA Spaghetti Supper, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 7 p.m. — Drug Abuse Resistance Program (D.A.R.E.) with Jerrolyn Simpson presenting "Early Intervention Parenting Skills," Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Upcoming Events

Thursday, May 25

- noon — Charlestown Merchants Association Luncheon and Meeting, Warren Tavern, 2 Pleasant St.
- 1 to 4 p.m. — Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force Annual Job & Training Fair, St. Catherine's Hall, Tufts Street
- 4 p.m. — Creative Drama Class for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Housing and Development Committee Meeting on proposed Medford Street car wash, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Friday, May 26

- 6 to 8 p.m. — Kids Connection Dance for boys and girls 7-12, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, May 28

- 10 a.m. — Annual Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Memorial Day Mass, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Tuesday, May 30

- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour Restaurant
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Wednesday, May 31

- 6 to 7 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
- 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine St.
- 7 p.m. — New England Aquarium Answer Group Meeting on Community Benefits, BRA Conference Room, Building 34, Charlestown Navy Yard

Plan Ahead

Thursday, June 1

- 7 p.m. — Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Meeting, First Floor Conference Area, One Thompson Square

Friday, June 2

- 7:30 p.m. — Charlestown Rose Contest sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, K. of C. Hall, 75 W. School St.

Saturday, June 3

- 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. — St. Catherine's Annual Carnival

Monday, June 5

- 7 p.m. — New England Aquarium Answer Group Meeting on Public Access/Urban Design, BRA Conference Room, Building 34, Charlestown Navy Yard

Tuesday, June 6

- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 W. School St.

Saturday, June 10

- 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Flea Market (Rent a table, call 242-1112), First Church in Charlestown, 10 Green St.

Tuesday, June 13

- 7 p.m. — New England Aquarium Answer Group Meeting on Public Access/Urban Design, BRA Conference Room, Building 34, Charlestown Navy Yard

Friday, June 16

- 7:30 p.m. — Annual "Nite Before" Banquet sponsored by Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, Preble Room, Building Five, Charlestown Navy Yard

Saturday, June 17

- 9 a.m. — Bunker Hill Day Ecumenical Services, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- 10:30 a.m. — Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Exercises, Bunker Hill Monument Grounds

Sunday, June 18

- 9 a.m. — Bunker Hill Two Mile Novice Road Race to benefit the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, starting at the High Street entrance to the Clubhouse
- 10 a.m. — Battle of Bunker Hill 10K Road Race to benefit the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, starting at Building 149, Thirteenth Street, Charlestown Navy Yard
- 12:30 p.m. — Annual Bunker Hill Day Parade

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Community Pride Keeps Harvard Mall Alive

by Lynn Peters

Two years ago the summer scene at the John Harvard Mall was less than inviting. Tourists were being chased out by rowdy teenagers. Neighbors were finding Liberal Go Home flyers in their doorways, stepping on broken glass in the park and being threatened themselves by the same group of teens.

An August 1987 neighborhood meeting gave people a chance to vent their frustrations, and city and police representatives came to help the effort to keep the park from decaying.

At the request of nervous but hardy neighbors, the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, City Councillor Robert Travaglini, and the police and parks and recreation departments stepped in. Signs were posted with park closing hours, the broken lanterns that give the area its character were fixed and police details were assigned to the park on Friday and Saturday nights. Community cleanups took care of the glass, trash and graffiti. Two years later, keeping the John Harvard Mall safe, attractive and enjoyable has become more manageable.

Laurie Sterling, vice president of the Friends of the John Harvard Mall, speaks with pride on the coordinated city and neighborhood accomplishments. She says the police details helped break the routine for the vandals, and park neighbors call each other and confront any troublemakers as a group. And the local activists have added a dose of prevention to ward off problems.

"We're trying to get younger kids involved in working with the park," Sterling says, holding her young son Max. "If we're working, we'll hand a kid a broom or get him to help plant seeds. If they start to respect the park early in



JOHN HARVARD MALL, once hit hard by vandals and bored teen-agers, now shows the success of the city and neighborhood working together to keep the park safe and clean for everyone.

their lives and have memories here, that'll perpetuate itself."

The picture isn't entirely rosey. The park still has its problems with the summer months bringing bored pranksters to hang out and undo cleanup efforts. Still struggling with a few troublesome youngsters and annoying dog-walkers minus their pooper-scoopers, John Harvard Mall lovers keep working.

"You look out the window and see flowers scattered all over the place," Sterling says of last year's ruined plantings by the Friends beautification committee. "It's sad, and you wonder why you keep doing it."

But they keep doing it for those who love the park. Any afternoon it's full of sunning moms and dads with the baby carriages, climbing kids in the tot lot and those lurching on a day off. Children are everywhere, coming from local day-care centers, babysitters and the Life Focus Center. The plush shade trees bring the birds and squirrels, for an urban park atmosphere that has been enjoyed since 1943.

Perhaps the best thing that has happened in the last two years for the park is the reawakening of the 40 Friends of the John Harvard Mall and the reconnecting of the neighbors through a common goal. The more-active Friends group sponsors five free events with city Park Partnership Grants during the year, enjoyed, according to Sterling, by hundreds of children and adults. The different com-

mittees have different tasks, and members have scrubbed bricks, planted flowers and planned the Easter egg hunts, jazz concerts and the like. This year the Friends hope to locate a flag and pole in time for a Bunker Hill Day flying. The group also hopes to have the MDC traveling petting zoo come to Charlestown in June.

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and grants to the non-profit Friends organization. The city's nursery donates the flowers for the annual plantings. People donate their time. While the grants keep the park alive, the Friends and neighbors keep the spirit of community focused on preserving the park for

everyone.

Sterling is hopeful about the future for the John Harvard Mall, which she says will be successful through continued cooperation.

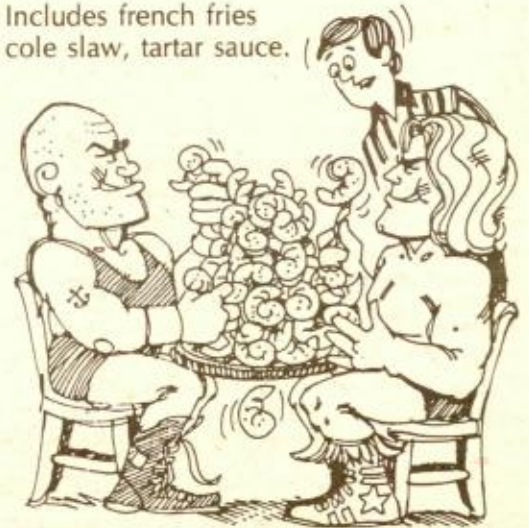
"We're grateful for all the help we've gotten," Sterling adds. "We're still seeing the results."

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By Joseph P. Gannon III
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 The Charlestown Rose will enjoy travel, adventure and excitement during her year — don't miss the opportunity to compete for the title.

The Boston Parks and Recreation Department has appointed Leo Boucher as regional administrator for South Boston and South Dorchester, where he will oversee programming, capital improvements, maintenance and permitting for 20 parks and playgrounds.

Boucher was previously a neighborhood coordinator with the Office of Neighborhood Services and a corrections officer/case-worker for the Middlesex County Sheriff's Department.

He has been involved with city youth for eight years, directing the Boston Neighborhood Basketball League in Charlestown, co-directing the Ray Flynn Basketball Tournament and coordinating youngsters at

Parks Department Names Boucher New Coordinator



LEO BOUCHER

A Charlestown native, Boucher graduated from Christopher Columbus High School, and St. Anselm College in 1985. He currently lives in Dorchester.

Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St. on Tuesday, May 23 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "The Lone Chipmunks," which tells how Chip-N-Dale capture a dangerous bank robber; "Fish Is Fish," tells whether or not a fish can survive life on land; and in "Curious George Goes To The Hospital," find out how a piece of puzzle lends George in the hospital.

Story Hour Diplomas

Story Hour diplomas will be awarded to children attending the Preschool Story Hour at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., at a Friday, May 19 graduation ceremony at 10 a.m.

Grandparents and other family members are invited to attend.

"Lafcadio, The Lion Who Shot Back," the story of how a sharp-shooting lion is unprepared for forest life, will be shown only at 3:30 p.m.

The suggested readings in conjunction with these films are: **The World Beneath the Sea** by Susan Harris, **Deputy Dan Gets His Man** by Joseph Rosenbloom and **Lafcadio, the Lion Who Shot Back** by Maurice Sendak.

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Charlestown Stands Up To Be Heard On The New England Aquarium

by **Kathy Giordano**

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council Aquarium Committee-of-the-Whole's May 10 meeting on the New England Aquarium gave residents a chance to voice their feelings toward the facility's "world-class" move to the Charlestown Navy Yard.

The Kent School cafeteria was full beyond capacity. If you were not there that evening, it is a sure bet that one of your neighbors was. To allow everyone an opportunity to speak, the meeting did not adjourn until close to midnight. City councillors, civic leaders, representatives from the building trades, and various city and state agencies stood beside old and new residents while 19 of the 21 neighborhood council members sat before them to hear testimony.

The issue that evening was not "if" the aquarium should move into the Charlestown Navy Yard, but "where" the facility should be placed — Dry Dock 2 or Dry Dock 5 — to allow the aquarium to come back to the community with definitive plans for a site. Comments from the 31 who approached the microphone were predominantly in favor of the aquarium's move to Charlestown. Their principal concerns were about traffic generated by the estimated 2 million annual visitors, where those visitors would park their cars and the loss of public open space in Shipyard Park. Other issues discussed were jobs, community benefits and affordable housing.

To better understand the truly democratic spirit of the meeting where all who requested to be heard were allowed to, with very few

interruptions from the crowd, comments made on both sides of the issue are as follows:

Jim Conway, council member: "The New England Aquarium would be a jewel in the crown of Charlestown provided important questions, such as the crucial factor of traffic and parking, are answered."

Ellen D'Ambrosio, council member: "How much space will be taken away from Shipyard Park and Pier 4? Will more space be needed for expansion in the future?"

Elaine McCarthy, resident: "I am in favor of the aquarium moving into the Yard, but not in Shipyard Park. This park is a benefit from the federal government to the city, the public's piece of pie, while the rest of the Yard was given over to developers. Shipyard Park is our entitlement. We suggested Parcel 5, Dry Dock 5, as an alternate site, never Dry Dock 5 alone. We receive this report that compares Dry Dock 5 to Dry Dock 2 and surprisingly it comes up short — literally, financially, structurally and programmatically. I have a lot of problems with this report. There are conclusions that are not substantiated by fact. Synergy, a new word in town, refers to the aquarium in Dry Dock 2. Why limit benefits of synergy to the two major attractions in the Yard (the aquarium and the USS Constitution)? Clumped together, they only benefit each other. Spread apart, like the anchors in a

large shopping mall, they would benefit all the business in the Yard. This is the first publicly announced discussion on siting. The feasibility report does not address the issue. This is an enormous project. Let's do it right."

Joe Nigro, representative from the Boston Building Trades: "Dry Dock 5 is a rouse by those people who don't want the aquarium at all. Traffic is another rouse. This project is a long-term plan, approximately three years. CANA will be done in three years. There will be parking, and there will be additional traffic flow that makes it better, all completed before this job starts. We must move forward and continue to make Boston a first-class city."

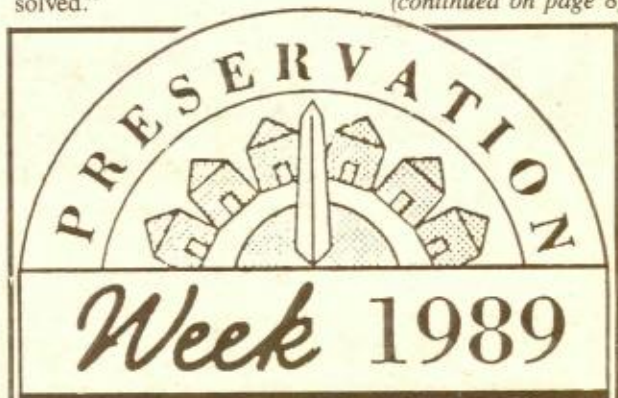
Kathryn Downing, resident and former council member (addressing the council): "You will decide. You have power to give away half of Shipyard Park.

Look at the historic perspective. Those who do not learn are condemned to repeat in the name of progress. Dewey Beach, the park on Seaver Street and City Square — all public areas given away in the name of progress. When they are lost, we don't get them back. We can count. We know which votes will be cast by whom. In mid-August on Saturday, 14,000 will visit Charlestown, equal to the total population of Charlestown. Forty-four hundred cars will come out on that day, and I will look for you and watch you looking for a cool space by the water to get a sea breeze and ask you if you gave away Dry Dock 2 for \$1 and ask you if you thought you made the right decision."

Doug McDonald, resident: "It would be a sad state of affairs if we can't give it a shot. If I spent \$150 million on a project, I would make sure that the

parking issue would be resolved."

Jedd Dodd, Navy Yard
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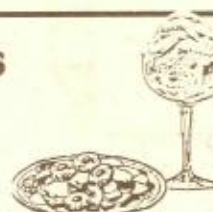
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Laura M. Langdon Dies At 91

Laura M. Langdon, formerly of Wellesley Hills, and most recently of Monument Square, Charlestown, died on May 10 at Winchester Hospital after a short illness. She was 91.

She was the widow of William R. Langdon, an American diplomat largely stationed in occupied China as consul in the Far East. Langdon went to remote outposts with her husband as well as the more familiar cities, and both developed an interest in Oriental objets d'art in their 40-plus years abroad. Upon retirement they opened a shop in Wellesley, which included their collection.

Langdon went into partnership with Russell Alberts upon the death of her



LAURA M. LANGDON

husband and established a business on Boston's Charles Street, offering to the public dynastic and rare Oriental art. Langdon was commended several times by the Boston Museum of

Fine Arts for her donations of paintings and porcelains from the Yuan Dynasty.

She was held in great respect and in affectionate regard by both her peers and her customers. Langdon was recently seen on a public television show on the disadvantages of retirement, for she rejoiced in her work and her second career, and attended her shop until her 91st year.

She leaves behind three daughters, Anne Magill of Washington, D.C., Louise van Agt of Boston, and Ruth Inglis of London, England; eight grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. Burial will take place at Woodlawn Cemetery in Wellesley on May 21.

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CHARLESTOWN RESIDENTS Ilene Hanlon and Richard Guiney (center) and Providence, R.I. resident Mary Mattos (right) receive prize certificates redeemable for a free trip for two to Bermuda from Common-

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It's A Girl . . .


Thomas and Kimberly Fallon of 30 Parker St. are pleased to announce the birth of their first child, Alyssa Marie, on May 9 at Winchester Hospital.


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Charlestown Stands Up To Be Heard On The New England Aquarium

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resident: "I first was in favor of the aquarium, but as things go on I become skeptical of the BRA and New England Aquarium. I'm not sure that our issues are being addressed. I have visions of the Navy Yard, post-aquarium. I see the park becoming a lunchroom for visitors and massive traffic in the Navy Yard spilling over onto Charlestown streets. Comparing the aquarium as a world-class facility to the San Diego Zoo — San Diego is known for its zoo, Boston for its aquarium. That translates to Charlestown, which would be a zoo as well."

Joe Barnes, resident: "Dry Dock 2 and the USS Constitution come hand in hand. It's a money-making

thing. It's a lot of bologna when they say they can't go down to the end of the Yard. Right now we are saturated with cars. We are the door-mat to the city economy. Routes I-93 and I enter the city through Charlestown. Commuters park here to save money. When the Navy Yard closed there was no big commotion when jobs were lost. The job factor was minuscule. We don't have to give them anything because we don't need anything."

Susan Wareham, resident of Bunker Hill Housing Development: "We have no place to go in the summer but to the Shipyard Park wading pool. I can't see giving it up. We can't put children at risk due to the traffic. It would be hard for them to cross Chelsea

Street to enter the Yard."

David Dow, resident and business representative for Carpenter's Local 218: "Thousands are unemployed now in Boston. The aquarium would have a positive impact on the construction trades. As a resident and a father I have been keeping an eye on this proposal. I ask the council to protect the park and hold the aquarium's feet to the floor. Give them the right to continue the process. If no good solutions come forward, I'll stand with you against them."

City Councillor Albert "Dapper" O'Neil: "Looks like a hung jury to me. I haven't heard 'kill the whole thing.' The question is over the other dry dock. Put the question on the ballot in September, only for Charlestown. You're the people of Charlestown. You know what you want and don't want. You tell me if you decide to put the issue on the ballot and I'll file it for you."

Bill Ezekiel, resident and developer in Navy Yard: "I see this as a no-win situation. Dry Dock 5 or 2 would have the same impact on the shipyard. The New England Aquarium is a good idea for the town. You should challenge the aquarium as to what it will give to the community. I'm hearing a lot of fact and fiction here tonight. This is such a divisive issue, pitting new people against residents of the housing projects, neighbor against neighbor. Ask the aquarium 'what can you do for us' in jobs and benefits to the people in the town."

Julia Rodrigues, resident, member of the Affordable Housing Coalition

and former council member: "If the New England Aquarium goes into Dry Dock 5, what is that going to do to affordable homes planned in that area? I can't see residents in the Bricklayers wanting traffic and pedestrians going past their

ready paid \$8 million to develop that parcel. They will give \$1 million back to the community. We've already lost \$7 million in the deal. Pier 4 was Charlestown's town pier — no more. So much for BRA promises."

proposal: "The neighborhood has to decide. We put the transportation study together based on the Charlestown Navy Yard Master Plan. The BRA would not support, nor allow, any proposal that would take away any green space. No affordable homes will be lost with the aquarium in Dry Dock 2. Affordable homes would be lost if the aquarium is not accepted, due to a loss of \$1 million in linkage money. When we get into design, the National Park Service and other landlords will be involved in the process. Whatever the impact on Charlestown will be explained. The Master Plan has been brought to a hold, waiting on the New England Aquarium. All options will be explored on land and open-space issues. As soon as the site issue is resolved, the BRA would bring the Master Plan back to the neighborhood, perhaps in mid-June."

John Prescott, executive director, New England Aquarium: "The New England Aquarium wants to work with the community and be a good neighbor. We want to minimize the impact on the park. With the community's OK we can proceed with the process."

As reported in last week's Patriot, the council voted 14-5 in favor of the New England Aquarium proceeding with its development plans for Dry Dock 2. Meetings on the aquarium proposal have been set up to discuss the primary issues of traffic and parking, community benefits, and public access and urban design. The full schedule of "Answer Group" meetings is posted above.

New England Aquarium Announces 'Answer Group' Schedule

The New England Aquarium has announced the schedule of "Answer Group" meetings to address issues that have been raised by the community in relation to the aquarium's proposal to construct a new facility in Dry Dock 2 in the Charlestown Navy Yard.

All of the meetings will be held at 7 p.m. in the Boston Redevelopment Authority Conference Room, second floor, Building 34, Charlestown Navy Yard.

- The schedule of meetings is as follows:
- **Monday, May 22** — Traffic and Parking
 - **Tuesday, May 23** — Community Benefits
 - **Tuesday, May 30** — Traffic and Parking
 - **Wednesday, May 31** — Community Benefits
 - **Monday, June 5** — Public Access/Urban Design
 - **Tuesday, June 13** — Public Access/Urban Design
- The public is welcome to attend these meetings.

homes. I would prefer it in Dry Dock 2, away from housing. We can't afford to lose affordable housing. It cannot compare to the benefits of a park."

Arthur Walsh, resident: "Do we need these problems? We have tons of attractions. Chelsea could use it (the aquarium). They have nothing. Will they bring the Discovery vessel with them and dock it on Pier 4? There goes the public pier. If they want to come to the Navy Yard that bad, let them spend the money and go to Dry Dock 5."

Mike Ward, resident: "Old and new came together on this issue in opposition to Dry Dock 2. Others pay for land from the BRA, not \$1, and pay taxes on that land. They will pay nothing. We as taxpayers al-

David Francis, president of The Raymond Group: "What is our position on the New England Aquarium in Dry Dock 5? We have designation, and the right to develop remains with us. The New England Aquarium made a good assessment when it came to the conclusion that Dry Dock 5 does not work for them. The Raymond Group endorses the aquarium's move to the Charlestown Navy Yard and Dry Dock 2." When Francis was asked by Arthur Walsh if he would sell Dry Dock 5 to the aquarium for \$1, he answered, "The Raymond Group would not give Dry Dock 5 to the New England Aquarium for \$1."

Paul Barrett, ombudsman from the BRA on the New England Aquarium

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Commissioner Ron Catina from the Boston Water and Sewer Commission will meet with the Basic Services Committee and residents on Tuesday, May 23 to address questions from the committee and the neighborhood. The meeting, chaired by Peter Looney, will be held at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St. at 7 p.m.

Mitigation — Wednesday, May 24

The Mitigation Committee, chaired by William Galvin, will meet on Wednesday, May 24 at 7 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.

According to Judy Evers, community liaison with the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, Sen. Fran Doris, Rep. Richard Voke, Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini and Jim Walsh from Congressman Joseph Kennedy's office have confirmed that they will be present. Representatives of Boston Harbor Marine Terminal, who have leased 11 acres of the former Amstar sugar refinery site on Medford Street, have been invited to attend.

Housing And Development — Thursday, May 25

Chairman Tom Cunha has announced that the proposed car wash on Medford Street will be the subject of a Housing and Development Committee meeting on Thursday, May 25 at 7 p.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

These meetings are open to the public and all are invited.

Kiwanis Club Scholarship Applications Available

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Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association Holds Ninth Annual Reunion At Barrett's Restaurant

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welcomed the gathering and presented a gift to outgoing president Kay Martell Perreault for her service to the organization.

Twomey noted with sadness the passing of former president of the Old Charlestown Schoolboys' Association Jim Carr, and she praised his counsel and patience in assisting in the formation of the Schoolgirls' organization. Those in attendance joined her in a moment of silence in his memory.

A highlight of the evening was the drawing for the Winifred Duffy Scholarship, an award presented annually to a Charlestown young woman entering her sophomore, junior or senior year in a four-year college. The monies for this award are donated by Jim Duffy, in memory of his wife Winnie.

This year's recipient of the \$500 award, drawn at random from all the entries, was Christine E. DeRoeve, a sophomore at Springfield College. She is the daughter

of Peter and Kathaleen DeRoeve of 20 Monument St.

Twomey also announced that the eligibility date for membership in the association has been extended to Jan. 1, 1945.

The officers of the association for 1989-1991 are: President Kathleen Dunlea Twomey, Vice President Eileen O'Brien Carroll, Treasurer Sister Stephen Marie C.S.J., and Secretary Marie Flynn Walsh.

Members of the executive committee are: Margaret Barry McEleney, Eva De-

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D'Ambrosio, Eurice Lagorio Corbett and Dolly Smith Murphy. Past presidents, who serve on the executive committee, are

Mary Allwood Coughlan, Mary McGaffigan Doherty, Margaret Galloway Motherway and Katherine Martell Perreault.



OFFICERS and Executive Committee members gathered for the Ninth Annual Old Charlestown Schoolgirls' Association Reunion. Shown (l. to r.) Marge Coleman, executive committee; Bernadette Toomey, executive committee; Mary Doherty, past president; Anna Burke, executive committee; Eurice Corbett, executive committee; Dolly Murphy, executive committee; Sister Stephen Marie, C.S.J., treasurer; Kathleen Twomey, president; Marie Walsh, secretary; Eva Fleming, executive committee; Eileen Carroll, vice president; Rose D'Ambrosio, executive committee; Katherine Perreault, past president; and Margaret Motherway, past president. Missing from the picture were executive committee members Margaret McEleney and Catherine R. Collins, and past president Mary Coughlan.





A "Quantum Leap" Back In Time

by Bob Lezak

St. John's Episcopal Church will celebrate its sesquicentennial, or 150th anniversary in 1990. As a prelude to the more than year-long celebration of this event, a time capsule was opened at St. John's at a Sunday brunch on May 7. The capsule had been placed in St. John's safe at the 100th anniversary celebration in 1940.

To move forward with any certainty, you should

know your past and be connected to it. Charlestown has great connections to its past, as was evidenced by the contents of this time capsule.

The capsule contained copies of "Wings of Love," April 1939-July 1940, the winning essay for the centennial celebration and the contest rules, the program for the anniversary events and fair, a letter to posterity from the rector and parishioners, greetings from

members of St. John's Church School to the boys and girls of St. John's, mementoes, reports and newspaper clippings on the anniversary, and program books and journals marking milestones in the church's history.

Two items found in the capsule bring home the connection to the past. One is a guest list signed by William Wood and Florence Ineson (now Johnson), both of whom are active at St.

John's today. The other was the copy of the winning centennial-celebration essay entitled "The Future of Charlestown."

The essay, while bringing back memories to some, will let us all look at where Charlestown has come since 1940. The contest was open to the youth of Charlestown who were attending a senior high school or its equivalent, or who were between the ages of 15 and

18. The first prize was \$10, second prizes \$5, and the third prizes were \$1 each. If a contest is held this year, a difference in the monetary prizes will help bring us into the reality of the 1990s.

The author of the prize-winning essay, Laura Isom (now Crawley), is retired and living in North Carolina. Here for your enjoyment and reminiscence is Laura's winning essay.

The Future Of Charlestown

We may reflect upon the past accomplishments of Charlestown, we may ponder over its present condition; but as to the future, no one is able to make any definite predictions. However, taking a very optimistic viewpoint, we can hope that Charlestown will again see days as prosperous as those of a century ago, when Charlestown was a thriving, industrious community.

What does Charlestown need to regain its past prominence? Education, religion, and an incentive are probably the most important factors in the crusade for advancement. Our educational and religious facilities here in Charlestown can compare effectively with that of any other town its size. We have several grammar schools, parochial schools, and the Charlestown High School, whose graduates are capable of competing favorably with graduates of any other Boston high school. An example of the fine representative work done by the pupils of the Charlestown High School is reflected in one of our senior girls who won the grand prize in an essay contest sponsored by the Boston Art Museum. That Charlestown High School should receive the grand prize in a competition with all other Boston high schools is surely an indication of even greater future accomplishments.

Then, too, we have several churches of different denominations in Charlestown, so that the religious future of this community is well provided for.

We need only to gaze upon the impressive Bunker Hill Monument to realize that there we have one of the finest incentives possible. In times of disillusioned unhappiness, we need only to reflect upon the true meaning of our famous Monument. It means that we in Charlestown have a noble heritage. Ever since our forefathers founded this community, we have had just reason to be proud. These religious and political enthusiasts, whose stubborn beliefs made it impossible for them to endure the unbearable penalties of an imposed religion and of political helplessness, were among the first of a proud nation of free, liberty loving people.

At the Battle of Bunker Hill, our ancestors immortalized our town forever. Why, Charlestown has made history! What other town its size is able to boast of such an accomplishment?

The Federal Housing Project is undoubtedly the beginning of better days for Charlestown. Neat, attractive brick buildings are rapidly replacing the unhealthy and unsanitary tenement houses. Not only will this effect the lives of the people who dwell in these buildings, but private owners as well. The inhabitants of these new buildings will naturally strive to preserve the fine appearance of their new homes, and with such competition of clean, attractive apartments at a reasonable rent, landlords will be forced to improve the general appearance of their own tenements.

Gradually the smaller apartments which will certainly be vacated when the Project is ready for occupancy, will be rented by people who would like to live near their offices in Boston and to whom the short hike across the bridge to Boston is just a pleasant jaunt. Personally, I do not doubt that perhaps this new Project may have even a greater influence on the future of Charlestown.

It is unanimously agreed that the one serious blot on Charlestown's history is the appearance of the notorious so-called "loopers" or reckless speeders who so frequently endanger the lives of our citizens by racing at breakneck speed along our main streets. Exactly what can be done about eliminating them, I am not so sure; but of this I am positive — they can be stopped. If espionage, dope smuggling, and homicide and other crimes can be uncovered and punished, surely the police should not be stumped by a mere thrill-mad speeder. Upon the completion of the Project, if speeding in that vicinity were made a federal offense, I predict with all sincerity that within a few years the "looper" would be a thing of the past.

The provision of adequate recreational facilities, of course, plays a great part in the development of good citizens, a necessary asset to the advancement of any community.

Charlestown has a generous amount of recreational opportunities, of which the Boys Club and the Bunker Hill Girls Club are shining examples. The Boys Club, especially, even has its own Boys Town, governed by the boys, thus providing practical experience for the future citizens and lawmakers of the country. Girl Scout and Boy Scout Troops, and various church organizations provide other club activities for the people of Charlestown.

Of course, we realize that we have had our share of ill luck; but the pendulum has swung as far back toward the side of ill luck as it can go, and there remains only the long swing back to prosperity and better days.

As long as there are public-spirited people, people who have a keen interest in the welfare and future of Charlestown, anything is possible; for briefly, Charlestown has had a very significant past — why not an equally prominent future?

Laura Isom
June 17, 1940



ST. JOHN'S Episcopal Church began the celebration of its 150th anniversary recently with the opening of a time capsule that had been placed in the church's safe some 49 years ago. Community residents joined parishioners

for the event, anticipating a look back in the history as William Wood opened the safe, removed the covered and sealed box and shared the contents of the capsule with the gathering. (photos by Jeanne Davis)

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



Thank You For Your Kindness

Recently my daughter Jennifer had an accident near the Training Field. I would like to express my sincere gratitude to Marie Walsh, her friend, Paul Cedarchuck and the other firemen on Winthrop Street for their concern and kindness.

Thank you,
Mickey Coppinger

There Is Another Side To The Story

To the Patriot:

I would like to respond to the letter which appeared in the May 4 edition of the Patriot which was critical of the care the Boys and Girls Club provides its younger members. First, I would like to apologize for the fact that Ms. Harrington was given the wrong information that day concerning the hour the club would close. We always try to announce well in advance any changes in the clubhouse hours either, through the Patriot or by posting them on the clubhouse door. We failed to do that on the day Ms. Harrington spoke of, but this was not the fault of the woman at the front desk who did not have that information when she spoke to Ms. Harrington.

While I apologize for this error I feel it is unfair to imply that we are not sensitive to the needs of our younger members. In fact, the "woman at the front desk" has on many occasions walked this same young member down to Papa Gino's when no one has come to the club to pick him up. Papa Gino's has always been the place where his mother has picked him up when she cannot make it to the club. Our membership director, Eileen O'Brien, and other staff members have on many occasions stayed late, called parents, walked members home and in other ways ensured the safety of our younger members when the club is closing and their rides have not appeared.

Also, I hope that parents know that when we do make mistakes we want to hear from them. My office door is always open and I appreciate any calls from parents who have questions or concerns about clubhouse policies. We really do want to serve the young people of Charlestown as best we can.

Sincerely,
Jerry Stiemel
Clubhouse Director

Congratulations To The Charlestown Neighborhood Council

To the Editor:

Congratulations to the Charlestown Neighborhood Council for their vote in favor of all the people in Charlestown with their 14 to 5 vote supporting the New England Aquarium's proposed move to Dry Dock 2 at the Navy Yard.

The people who opposed the Dry Dock 2 location are the same people who would have opposed the Dry Dock 5 location if that had been proposed by the New England Aquarium.

These people own their own condos, have big jobs, and drive cars out of Charlestown on weekends. They really couldn't care less about the less fortunate who might not own a condo or a car or both and might not even have a job. They couldn't care less about the youngsters in Charlestown or the elderly who might like to have an exciting place to go nearby and something to do instead of hanging around bored with nothing to do.

These people might pretend to be concerned about us when they talk about open space and traffic and parking, but when all is said and done, they are really interested in protecting the quality of their lives and their investments so that they can cash in when they decide to sell and move out.

In the meantime, most of us who are trying to earn a living or raise a family are too busy or too tired to attend community meetings and workshops and focus groups three or four times a week like the activists do.

These activists and the liberal do-gooders who are able to speak so eloquently at public meetings have been able to manipulate the press and are trying to impose their will on the silent majority. They do not represent the majority of regular people in Charlestown. They represent their own selfish interests. They oppose economic development even when economic development helps the people who need help the most — the poor, the young and the elderly.

If we allow them to have their way they will strangle economic prosperity for Charlestown under the guise of saving the environment.

So, again, congratulations to the Charlestown Neighborhood Council for representing all the people of Charlestown especially those of us who are not all set in life.

Sincerely yours,
A. Smith

Thank You

To The Old Charlestown Schoolboys' Association:

I would like to thank you for your kindness in awarding me the Old Charlestown Schoolboys' Scholarship. I feel privileged and proud to be the 1989 recipient of your generous award.

Thank you very much,
Karen Ezekiel

Thanks For Your Support

Dear Gloria,

We would like to express our thanks to the entire community for the overwhelming response to our request for assistance with fund raising for Camp Bunker Hill.

The Spring Dance and Food Festival held last week was a tremendous financial and social success. We estimate proceeds to total over \$15,000.

We wish to extend special thanks to The Raymond Group, MGH, steering committee and program committee members, food vendors and local businesses.

We apologize for inadvertently omitting the Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force from our program book. If we overlooked anyone else we would like to know so we can publicly acknowledge the oversight.

Sincerely,
Tom Panowicz, Director
Camp Bunker Hill

Presents Check To Camp Bunker Hill



PETER LOONEY, chairman of the Charlestown-to-Charlestown Committee, presented a \$300 check to Mike Cauley and Tom Panowicz, co-directors of Camp Bunker Hill. Looney presented the check on behalf of the 1988 "Mayor of Charlestown" Claire Lynch, at the May 6 benefit dance.

Judy Evers — A Person Who Helps

To The Editor,

Charlestown is a better place to live because of people like Judy Evers and the Neighborhood Services office at City Hall. Judy is the person who speaks to you directly and gets back to you promptly. She helps to eliminate the bureaucratic red tape often associated with the city government.

The Charlestown Healthy Aging Program, CHAP, wishes to express its belief in the necessity of continuing the Neighborhood Services office, especially, the Charlestown liaison position belonging to Judy Evers. We, the CHAP coordinators, are grateful to Judy for her many services to CHAP and the community. If cuts need to be made in the city's budget, this essential office, which provides direct services to the neighborhoods of Boston, should not be eliminated.

Sincerely,
Zelma Lacey and Sr. Ann Rita Sullivan
CHAP Co-coordinators

Attention Senior Citizens

Senior Citizens Please Be Aware:

Because of a handful of people, we may lose having the New England Aquarium move to Charlestown. If we don't take a stand and be counted now, we could spend the rest of our days truly regretting that fact.

Be aware also that Shipyard Park will not be taken by the aquarium as rumored!

Please contact each of the officials listed below by telephone, postcard or letter as soon as possible:

Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, 2400A JFK Federal Building, Boston, Mass. 02203, 565-3170;

Sen. John Kerry, Room 3220, 10 Park Plaza, Boston, Mass. 02116, 565-8519;

Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy, Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. Federal Building, Room 1111, 10 Causeway St., Boston, Mass. 02222, 565-8686;

Sen. Francis Doris, Room 315, State House, Boston, Mass. 02133, 722-1650;

Rep. Richard A. Voke, Room 243, State House, Boston, Mass. 02133, 722-2990;

Rep. Salvatore DiMasi, Room 138, State House, Boston, Mass. 02133, 722-2900;

Mayor Raymond Flynn, City Hall, Boston, Mass. 02201, 725-4000; and

Councillor Robert Travaglini, City Hall, Boston, Mass. 02201, 725-3200.

It would also be a great help to write: Stephen Coyle, Director of the BRA, City Hall, Boston, Mass. 02201.

Sincerely yours,
Ruth E. Duffy

Judy Is Continuously On The Job

Councillor Thomas Menino
Boston City Hall
Boston, Mass. 02201

Dear Councillor Menino:

This letter is in response to information that the budget of the Neighborhood Services may be eliminated.

If this department were to be abolished, it would cause great consternation to your constituents in Charlestown. It is of the utmost importance that a person of Judy Evers' caliber, who is motivated, dedicated and hard working, be retained to continue to solve the everyday problems of the inhabitants of this community.

Judy has been continuously on the job to help people in distress, regardless of the problem, and especially to cut through the ongoing red tape of government bureaucracy. She would make contact with the concerned department to correct the problem, and to make sure it has been corrected. Without this follow-up the everyday problems of Charlestown would never be solved.

Charlestown needs a liaison with City Hall, and Judy Evers now has the experience and is an excellent one. She is an asset to your organization.

Previously, no one ever seemed to care about Charlestown. With all the problems in Charlestown, Judy has been one of the few following through to the completion of same. The fact that your office, because of budgetary reasons, is considering abolishing the position Judy holds would be detrimental to Charlestown and all its residents.

It would be to your advantage to find some other means of balancing the budget. Charlestown will be greatly appreciative.

Sincerely,
Anne Collins

cc: Mayor Raymond Flynn
Councillor Robert Travaglini
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CHIROPRACTICS AND YOU

By Dr. Kevin J. Loughlin
North End Chiropractic



NOTHING TO SNEEZE AT

Conservative estimates suggest that at least 10 percent of Americans suffer from some type of allergy. What many of us fail to realize is that "allergy" is not a disease; it is a condition in which an individual responds negatively to a substance that does not affect most people adversely. We tend to dismiss allergies as minor irritations, yet they can range from the swollen eyes of hayfever to severe asthma attacks and anaphylaxis.

Because allergy symptoms can be both uncomfortable and potentially life-threatening, traditional medical treatment consists of symptomatic relief. In many cases, however, the treatment exacerbates the problem. Nasal sprays, for example, may temporarily relieve hayfever congestion, but they ultimately irritate nasal passages. When systemic medications such as steroids and cortisone are used, already deficient adrenal glands are further depleted, leading to increased susceptibility to allergies.

The chiropractic solution for allergies consists not in the suppression of symptoms but in the detection and treatment of the cause.

Regular chiropractic care is a wise way to maintain good health. For an appointment with Dr. Kevin Loughlin of North End Chiropractic call 742-5797. My practice is located at 350 Hanover Street in Boston.

Townie Sports Line

Little League News

EAST	STANDINGS		W-L
	W-L	WEST	
Teamsters	3-0	Cronin Club	3-1
Townie Oil	1-1	Boys Club	2-2
Laidlaw	1-2	Jenny's Pizza	2-2
Memorial Hall	0-3	K. of C.	1-2

Tuesday, May 9: Cronin Club 21, Memorial Hall 8. The winning pitcher was Jason Smith who had 5 hits. Dave Burns had a home run and 3 hits, and Mike Lynch had a home run and 2 hits. Rob Murray and Phantom Stein had 3 hits; and Mike Fidler, Collin Swales and Jim Mahoney had 2 hits each. For the Cronin Club, Dan O'Brien and Peter Golden had 2 hits each.

Wednesday, May 10: Teamsters vs. K. of C. postponed due to rain.

Thursday, May 11: Townie Oil vs. Jenny's Pizza postponed due to rain.

Friday, May 12: Boys Club vs. Laidlaw postponed due to rain.

Saturday, May 13:

Game 1: Jenny's Pizza 17, Memorial Hall 5. The winning pitcher was Brian Lacey who had 2 hits, Joe Brennan had 4 and Brian Gillis had 2 hits. For Memorial Hall, T.J. Gould had 2 hits.

Game 2: Teamsters 11, Boys Club 5. The winning pitcher was Steve Lennane. Dennis Doris had a home run and 2 hits. Gordon D'Ambrosio had 3 hits.

Game 3: Townie Oil 18, K. of C. 7. The winning pitcher was Greg Staples. Corey Gallagher had 3 hits. For K. of C., Mike Sullivan had a home run.

Sunday, May 14 — Mother's Day - No Games

Monday, May 15: Cronin Club 12, Laidlaw 6. The winning pitcher was Jason Smith who had a grand slam and 2 hits. Dave Burns had a grand slam and Chris Donovan

drove in the winning run with a double.

HOME RUN DERBY!

Dave Burns, 2. Mike Lynch, Dennis Doris, Mike Sullivan and Jason Smith, 1 each.

MAJOR LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Thursday, May 18 — 6 p.m. Teamsters vs. Cronin Club

Friday, May 19 — 6 p.m. Laidlaw vs. Jenny's

Saturday, May 20

noon Memorial Hall vs. Boys Club

2 p.m. Teamsters vs. Jenny's

4 p.m. Townie Oil vs. Cronin Club

Sunday, May 21 — RAIN DATE

Monday, May 22 — 6 p.m. Laidlaw vs. K. of C.

Tuesday, May 23 — 6 p.m. Teamsters vs. Memorial Hall

Wednesday, May 24 — 6 p.m. Jenny's vs. K. of C.

Thursday, May 25 — 6 p.m. Boys Club vs. Cronin Club

MINOR LEAGUE GAMES

Saturday, May 13: The Patriot 11, Curtin Club 4

MINOR LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Saturday, May 20, 9 a.m. — The Patriot vs. American Legion Post 26

Sunday, May 21, 6 p.m. — Curtin Club vs. American Legion Post 26

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John Curtin

Basketball League Returns To Boston Neighborhoods

Mayor Raymond Flynn and the Boston Community Schools and Recreation Centers have announced the return of the Boston Neighborhood Basketball League to local playgrounds, parks and Community Schools throughout the city, marking its 21st season.

BNBL kicks off its 1989 summer season on Monday, June 26 and will continue through mid-August with All-Star games in late July. Playoffs and city championship games will be played in late August.

Games will be played Monday through Thursday

evenings at 20 neighborhood locations in four divisions: Men 19 and under; Women 19 and under; Boys 15 and under; and Girls 15 and under.

Neighborhoods are regionalized and John Horan has been named regional supervisor for Region I which includes Charlestown, the North End, East Boston and South Boston. He may be reached at 973-8064

For more information

regarding BNBL teams, rules and regulations, contact the site coordinator Mike Johnson at the Kent Community School at 242-2439.

For additional information on BNBL, contact Dan Monahan or Ron Bell, league directors, at 725-4920. For information about other summer programs offered by Boston Community Schools and Recreation Centers contact the central office at 725-4920.

Charlestown Rally Falls Short, Brighton Wins 77-76

Trailing 44-30 at the half, Charlestown mounted a superb second-half rally, but fell short as field-goal attempts by Billy Hayes and Danny Martell missed the mark in the closing seconds of the opening game of the 11th Annual Ray Flynn/Store 24 All-Boston Basketball Tournament at Don Bosco High School.

Steve Fabiano led the Charlestown scorers with 27 points, and Hayes with 22 points played his best game of the year. Martell finished the game with 12 points, Derek Gallagher had 11. Mike Connell chipped in nine points. Roger Britton had six points, and John Rivers closed out the scoring with three points to complete the Charlestown offense.

The Charlestown team, coached by Bob DeCristoforo, was the youngest team to take part in this year's tournament.

Scoreboard

Brighton 77	Charlestown 76
South Boston 76	Dorchester 72
Roxbury 70	West Roxbury 65
East Boston 63	Jamaica Plain 61
Brighton 69	Hyde Park 50

Semifinals

Roxbury 80	East Boston 37
South Boston 78	Brighton 76

Championship

Roxbury 86	South Boston 67
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Girls All-Stars

North 59	South 58
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The MVP for this year's tournament was Terrance Corpening of Roxbury.

The All-Tournament players were: Calvin Jones of Brighton, Frank Shea of East Boston, Dan Kelly and Dave Andrews of South Boston, and Mario Munroe of Roxbury.

The player named best sportsman in the tournament was Allan Kelley of Brighton.

The Girls All-Stars named Averil Robert of Boston Latin the North MVP and Antonia Markin of Boston English as South MVP for this year's tournament.

Charlestown Youth Hockey News

Five persons were elected to the Board of Directors of the Charlestown Youth Hockey Association. The newly elected members are: Phil Coleman, Anne Considine, Joe Lawler, Bud Lacey and Dan Awbrey.

These new members will join current members Bill Burke and Bob Manning for the 1989-90 season.

Hockey registration is Thursday and Friday, May 18 and 19 at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St., from 6 to 8 p.m. Anyone interested in play-

ing hockey should register on these nights. A \$25 registration fee is due and all past dues must be paid. A parent must accompany any child who is registering.

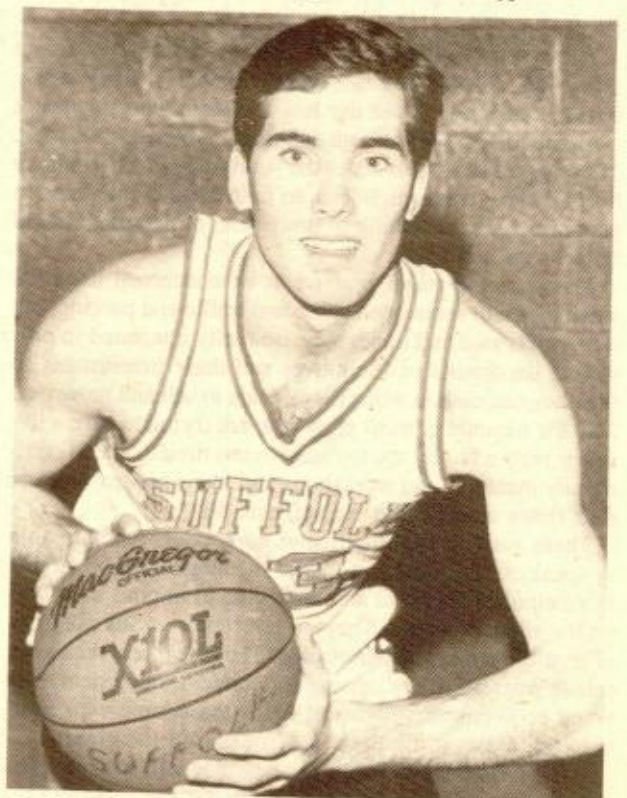
CYHA Board

Baseball Tryouts

Tryouts for the Charlestown Youth Baseball Team will be held down at the Neck in Sullivan Square on Saturday, May 20 at 10 a.m. All interested 13-15 year olds are welcome to attend.

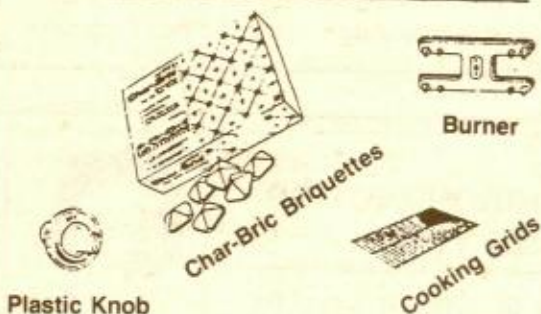
For further information, call Rob at 242-0541.

Elected Tri-Captain At Suffolk



ED CIRAME of Charlestown has been elected tri-captain of the 1989-90 Suffolk University basketball team. A 1986 graduate of Matignon High School, Cirame is a senior majoring in psychology. He averaged 17.3 points per game for the 1988-89 Rams. He is the son of Robert and Edith Cirame of Charlestown.

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• **Stop The Presses . . .** Word from a reliable source, although unconfirmed at press time, is that the first Charlestown family will move into the Bricklayers Affordable Housing in the Charlestown Navy Yard on Thursday, May 25. Stay tuned for more news!

• **Headstart Groundbreaking Tomorrow . . .** at 2 p.m. at the site of the three-alarm fire that destroyed the building. See you there on Moulton Street in Hayes Square. Be there — show your support!

• **Good News and Bad News . . .** Over 60 volunteers cleaned the Doherty Playground on Saturday morning as part of the Charlestown Preservation Society's Preservation Week activities . . . By dawn on Sunday morning the park was littered with beer cans and empty cartons. A big tip o' the hat to all those who came out to pitch in at the cleanup. A boot in the behind to those who saw fit to mess it up.

• **New Word in Town . . . SYNERGY!** . . . Means a combined action of two or more agencies to achieve an effect greater than that of which each is individually capable . . . came up at the last aquarium meeting. At least this one is in the dictionary. Others, such as SIGNAGE, have been invented to suit the occasion.

• **Dark Day in New England History . . .** was May 19, 1780! Near total darkness fell on the greater portion of New England in the middle of the day. No scientific explanation for the event has ever been found. At the time, some believed it was the Day of Judgment. Today, some would be out doing a "shadow study!"

• **The List Goes On . . .** Charlestown firms using Boston 02129 addresses. This week's culprits are Mass. Citizens for Life and Business Interiors, both located in the Schrafft Center in Sullivan Square, and Harold Cabot & Co. Inc., located at One Constitution Plaza. Get with it fellas! If you find it suitable to locate your businesses IN Charlestown, why not use this proud name on your mailing addresses? . . . we must thank fellow residents for bringing these addresses to our attention. It proves we are not alone in this quest!!!

• **Big "Dig" in Town . . .** dignitary that is! Seen in the Coffee Shop in Thompson Square last Saturday was former Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee and State Auditor John Finnegan, who dropped in with a few friends after a local church wedding . . . One never knows just who'll be stopping by this popular eatery nowadays!

• **They Did It . . .** walked the 20 miles. Shelagh Farley and Lisa Ryan, both employees of the Bank of New England, participated and finished the 20th Annual Walk for Hunger on May 7. Congratulations, ladies!

• **Good Time Had By All . . .** at this year's Old Schoolboys and Old Schoolgirls gatherings. The boys met on Thursday night and the girls on Friday. All reports back have been glowing!

• **May 20 Seems To Be The Day . . .** for birthdays, that is. Mary Gillen of St. Martin Street will turn a youthful 84, and Peggy Ings will be celebrating another anniversary of her 29th! Have a great day, ladies . . . Belated wishes go out to Fran Maher, the Kenney Development Co.'s man-extraordinaire and Cordis Street resident, who celebrated his day in fashion on May 13. Happy 39th, Fran! (again) . . . and St. Mary's own Mary, Mary Wilkins, celebrated her special day on May 17. All hope you have a great year, Mrs. W.

• **In the News . . .** this month's **Better Homes And Gardens** features an article on the annual Harborfest activities and pictures the **USS Constitution** . . . Sunday's **Globe** quoted one of Charlestown's future leaders, Melanie Marsden, speaking about today's teens at an outing held on Thompson Island . . . and Charlestown's newest restaurant, Olives, was featured in Tuesday's **Globe**. So nice to see good news connected to our community.

• **Just Wondering . . .** Now that Dave Carr's picture is on the Newworld Bank advertisement . . . doesn't it mean he has to pay a "fine" at the Kiwanis Club?

• **Seen gardening . . .** was Cordis Street resident Doug Cummings preparing sidewalk and garden space near his home! Looks great, Doug, but wethinks you need a new hat!

• **Tradition Continues . . .** Sunday, May 21 is Lilac Sunday at the Arnold Arboretum. All day, from dawn to dusk, visitors are welcome to view the lilacs and picnic on the grounds. No admission charge. Have a great time!

• **Was Your Father In The Navy? . . .** We've got the perfect Father's Day gift for you! Honor him by enrolling him in the Navy Memorial Log that will be housed in a visitors center next to the U.S. Navy Memorial in Washington, D.C. Send \$25 before June 9 and a specially prepared greeting card will be sent by Father's Day. More info - 1-800-821-8892.

• **Hang Out Those Flags . . .** Saturday is Armed Forces Day!

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MORE THAN 1,800 young people from every Boston neighborhood joined Mayor Raymond L. Flynn, city officials and business leaders May 13 in kicking off the Boston Youth Campaign to recruit 5,000 volunteers to work with youths this summer. After a boat ride to Thompson Island, the day-long event was filled with a series of games and activities and a cookout. Shown here are Brandon Jackson, 9, of Old Ironside Way, Sherry Jackson of Charlestown's JobStart office and Mimi Dowd of Charlestown Community Schools. (photo by Michael Finkle)

Reminder:
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The Charlestown Welfare Office will be open on Wednesday, May 24 from 8:45 a.m. to 5 p.m. at The Schrafft Center, Mezzanine 1, 529 Main St.

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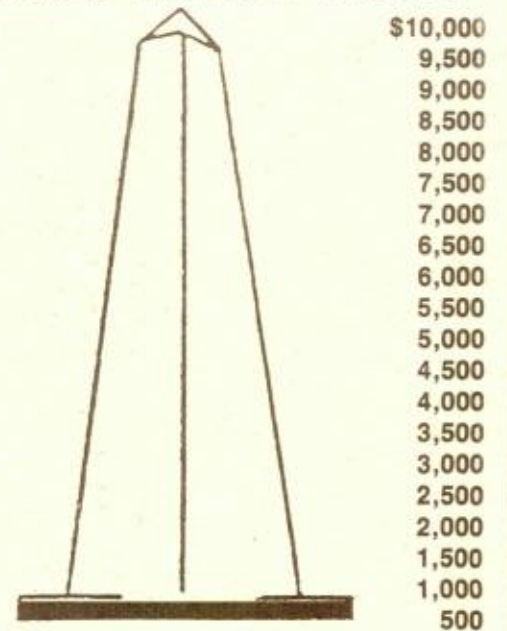
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Knights Of Columbus Hosts Second Annual Statewide Cribbage Tournament

by Charlie McGonagle

On Saturday, April 8, Bunker Hill Council 62 hosted the second annual Statewide Cribbage Tournament. Last year the event was held during the month of March, and the threat of snow worried tournament director Jack Pierce so much that he decided this year to move the event to April to avoid this very real possibility. So, as you can probably guess, it did not snow on the March date, but the white stuff was more than visible on this year's April date.

The inclement weather, though, had very little effect on the turnout, as 32 councils from across the state entered a total of 128 players vying for the championship trophy.

In order to maintain interest throughout the entire day of competition, this year's tournament format was changed a bit from last year's to include a Loser's Tournament. This slight alteration enabled players eliminated in the first round of action to compete in another contest of lesser proportion.

The day's activities were set in motion shortly after State Deputy John Ragali addressed the group and extended his good-luck wishes to all involved. Other dignitaries in attendance included past State Deputy Walter Almond, and current district deputies Joe Craven, Ted Darling, Ralph Dumas, Joe Stone, Jim Saunders and Joe Tomaski, who was the winner of the event's door prize.

Immediately following the first round of competition, all the players and their guests were treated to a delicious roast beef dinner prepared by Brother Knight Dale Newbanks.

When action resumed, many of the original 128 players became tournament spectators, as they watched Pa Walsh of Bunker Hill, Ray Sherwood of Melrose, John McCabe of Cambridge, Joe DuPont of Leominster, Dick Gray of North Cambridge, Ron Cote of Fitchburg, Bob DeStefano of Cambridge and Fran Kelley of North Cambridge reach the quarter-final round.

After several hours of

championship play, John McCabe of Charlestown, representing Cambridge Council 74, emerged victorious over Ron Cote of Fitchburg Council 99. Cambridge will now wear the winner's crown for a year before returning next spring to defend its title.

Although the Loser's Tournament carried a bit less prestige than the championship round, it provided one of the day's highlights when Ted Stavro of Allston Council 555 turned over a rare 29-point hand, the highest possible count in a cribbage game. Ted's 29, however, was not enough to carry him to the Loser's Crown as Bill DiNapoli of Monsignor Chittick Council 89 defeated John McNamara of Scituate Council 3716 for the title.

Tournament founder and director Jack Pierce is to be commended for his tireless efforts in reaching across the state to attract a large number of talented cribbage players to compete in this annual event. This was the tournament's second year of existence, and the improve-

ments made by Jack, Grand Knight Bill Boyle and other members of the tournament

committee will go a long way toward making this annual attraction an anticipa-

ted event on the Knights of Columbus calendar of activities.



JOHN McCABE of Charlestown won the second annual Statewide Knights of Columbus Cribbage Tournament held recently at the K. of C. Hall in Charlestown. McCabe represented Cambridge Council 74. Shown (l. to r.) Tournament Director John "Jack" Pierce, McCabe, Bunker Hill Council Grand Knight Bill Boyle and tourney official Paul Morrison, a member of Bunker Hill Council.



Association To Hear Director Of Camp Bunker Hill

The May meeting of the Charlestown Merchants Association will be held on Thursday, May 25 at noon at the Warren Tavern, 2 Pleasant St.

Tom Panowicz, director of Camp Bunker Hill, will give a presentation on the

current programs and direction of the camp. The camp is connected with the Bunker Hill Health Center and is a vital part of Charlestown's youth outreach.

Lunch will be served at noon with Panowicz's presentation to follow. The

meeting should conclude around 1:15 p.m. Local merchants are invited to come and learn about Camp Bunker Hill and the benefits it provides to local youngsters.

Members should call Frani Gilardi at 242-4672 for reservations.

On The Air In Charlestown



WEEI'S MORNING NEWS TEAM, Bill Lawrence and Bruce Lee of Charlestown, broadcast from WEEI's new facility at The Schrafft Center in Charlestown.

It's A Boy . . .

Michael and Maureen Evers of 117 Dunstable St. are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Michael James Jr., on May 12 at the Melrose-Wakefield Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Buckley of 106A Dunstable St.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Evers of 49 Pearl St.

The maternal great-grandmother is Helen Oatway of Charlestown.

Michael was welcomed home by his sister Kristin Marie, 2.

Mrs. Evers is the former Maureen Ann Buckley of Charlestown.

Walch Elected To Student/Faculty Committee At Tilton School

Mindy Walch, a freshman at Tilton School in New Hampshire and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Walch of Charlestown, has recently been elected to the Plus/5 Committee at the school for the 1989-90 academic year, representing next year's sophomore class.

The Plus 5/Committee, comprised of five students and six faculty members, evaluates and institutes changes in the school's

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The Flatley Co. Welcomes Allied Plywood Corp.

The Flatley Co. has leased 11,200 square feet at the Schrafft Center to Allied Plywood Corp. Joseph Zink, Flatley's director of industrial leasing, and Margot Maffei, Flatley leasing agent, negotiated the lease with Morton Waldfogel, chairman of the board of Allied Plywood.

Allied Plywood, a division of Ply Gem Industries Inc., is a national diversified wholesale distributor of plywood, lumber and related products. This location will be the new corporate office for its national headquarters.

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Allied Plywood will join other new tenants at the

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ALLIED PLYWOOD has signed a lease with The Flatley Co. to lease 11,200 square feet at the Schrafft Center in Charlestown. Seated (l. to r.) William Murray, vice president of domestic operations, Allied Plywood; Tilman Cormier, vice president of finance, Allied Plywood; and Ronald Liberatori, vice president of international operations, Allied Plywood. Standing (l. to r.) Robert Prezzano, president of Allied Plywood; and Margot Maffei, leasing agent for The Flatley Co.

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Friday, May 19

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

Monday, May 22

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

Tuesday, May 23

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

Wednesday, May 24

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

Thursday, May 25

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Senior Lounge and Constitution Co-op Apartments
10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
1 p.m. - Ceramics, Senior Lounge

★ EVENTS AT THE SENIOR LOUNGE ★ Contact Fran or Phyllis at 241-8866

• **Beans and Beano** — Monday, June 12, 3:30 to 6 p.m.

★ DAY TRIPS ★

Contact Phyllis Bryant, 241-8866

• **Showtime in Dennis** — Tuesday, June 27. The cost of the trip is \$22.50, which includes round-trip motorcoach transportation leaving at 10 a.m., lunch, entertainment and a visit to the Xmas Tree Shop.

• **Hammersmith Farm, Newport, R.I.** — Tuesday, July 18. The cost of the trip is \$21, which includes round-trip motorcoach transportation leaving at 9 a.m. and lunch.

• **Hampton Beach** — Tuesdays, July 11 and 25, and Aug. 8 and 22. The cost of each trip is \$8 for round-trip luxury coach transportation.

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Senior Companions Share Their Spirit

by Carol Ellenberg
She is a burst of pleasure, a blast of delight, an incurable rascal, an irreclaimable libertine and, as poet Alfred Lord Tennyson once

put it, she is: "Life piled on life." Indeed, she is like no one you've ever met in your life. Who is she? She's 77-year-old Mary Puccetti. Although you've probably ne-

ver heard of her and perhaps never will again, Puccetti, in essence, is what most of us want to be when we grow up — frisky and feisty with a touch of finesse.

Mary is too happy for words and too hyper for thought. She is constantly up and about, briskly moving throughout her Charlestown apartment, all the while laughing at herself because she seems to know that, deep down inside, she's off her rocker. In other words, she knows that a 77-year-old woman who, with the degree of frailness and the proclivity for falls that Mary endures, should not be scampering around upon fixing everyone there a cup of tea or coffee and something to eat. But Mary does so, and happily at that.

But, the question is: Should a woman of this jovial and energetic caliber be forced to keep it all to herself in her furnished, yet otherwise empty apartment? Shouldn't those attributes be shared with someone just as deserving yet not quite as vivacious? Would it not be almost a crime for such spirit to go untouched? Untapped? That's what staffers with the Elderly Commission's new Senior Companionship Program (SCP) feel. It is a program perfectly suited to tap into individuals such as Mary. Seniors with so much spirit and energy to share, yet no one to share

it with. According to Gloria Rice-Stuart, director of SCP, the program, which is funded through ACTION, a federal volunteer program, was designed in the spirit of "neighbor helping neighbor." Rice-Stuart also points out that SCP was started to fulfill two goals: to provide elders with an opportunity to share special talents and attributes, and also give them an avenue for supplementing their income in a small way.

"The program provides a part-time, stipended volunteer community service opportunity for low-income people aged 60 and over," Rice-Stuart explains. "And also provides a supportive person-to-person service to older homebound adults who have unmet physical, mental and social needs."

According to Rice-Stuart, SCP comes at a very appropriate time, in that budget cuts on the state level are expected to severely affect homemaker services needed by homebound elders.

A three-minute decision

Marie McCarron, also of Charlestown, was chosen to be Mary's companion. Marie, 66, says it took her only three minutes to make up her mind. In those three minutes Marie was asking herself: "How will I get to know this person if I volunteer? What will I do for this person? Will it be worth it? And that was the final question I had to ask myself be-

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CHAP's May Hat Party Rah, Rah, Rah!

CHAP is sponsoring a May Hat Party on Wednesday, May 24 at the Rutherford Avenue Senior Lunch Site. Fix yourself a hat, any kind or shape, and win a prize for the ugliest, the prettiest or the most crea-

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- **Lunch** — Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at noon, contact Dolly Rocco.
- **Knit & Crochet** — Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

TRIPS BEING PLANNED

A Sunday ride to Kittery, Maine will take place on June 11. The bus will leave at 10:30 a.m. from Newworld Bank at Bunker Hill Mall and from 55 Bunker Hill St., and will return at 5 p.m. The cost of the trip is \$9 with lunch on your own at The Weathervane.

Trips to Hampton Beach, N.H., will be on Friday, June 30 and Thursday, Aug. 10. The cost of each trip is \$8 for transportation only. Pickup will be at 10 a.m. at Newworld Bank, and return at 6 p.m.

A day at the Rockingham Park Racetrack will be held on Tuesday, July 18. The \$21 cost includes transportation by motorcoach, a buffet, entrance fee, program and a race dedicated to the group. Pickup will be at 11 a.m. at Newworld Bank, and return at 6 p.m. Contact Sheila Walsh for reservations.

A three-day/two-night trip to the Beacon Motel in Lincoln, N.H., is planned for Aug. 20, 21 and 22. The cost of this trip is \$189 per person, double occupancy, and includes transportation, lodging and meals. Registration for this trip must be made no later than Friday, June 30 and must be accompanied by a check for the price of the trip.

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Senior Companions Share Their Spirit

(continued from page 18) cause the answer, as I knew, lies within. Of course it would be worth it to be of value to another human less fortunate than I."

Meanwhile, Mary, who's always got something up her sleeve, is prancing here and there showing us this and that. A large embroidered tablecloth that she made herself, which she throws over me, a big pillow that she needlepointed, which she throws at me, and a bag of candy. Ouch, this time she flung it.

Everyday is Halloween in Mary's home. Each corner and on each table is a dish of assorted sweets and she'll push them on you. Or throw one at you, if you politely decline. So hyper is Mary, that if she asks you a question and you don't answer in what's called a New York second (split second), she'll leap to another topic or snap her fingers five times fast indicating, "Hurry up, will ya!" She can leave you out of breath by just watching her. And she speaks just as fast. After she makes a point, if you ask how or why, she answers instantly, "IDoNotKnow!" Meaning, let's get on to something else.

Inside Mary's freezer, which she shows me, is every kind of ice cream bar imaginable. Inside the fridge, are food fetish items in uncountable numbers. One shelf of Hostess Twinkies, Devil Dogs and cupcakes. Another shelf holds nothing but Creme Horns. And a shelf of premade chicken salad sandwiches. As Shakespeare put it: "To

thine own self be true." Or didn't he?

Together, Mary and Marie will have chats (fast), take walks (fast), play cards, scrabble, more babble, food-shop or whatever else their large hearts desire. Possibly a walk around the Bunker Hill Monument and a trip into downtown to Filene's Basement. Whatever it is, it is inevitable that they will enjoy it. Why? Because Mary, like General Electric, brings good things (Marie) to life!

More volunteers needed

Rice-Stuart has been recruiting for SCP since late last November and has since matched up nine volunteers with clients. However, another 24 volunteers are needed to fulfill ACTION's grant requirements. Therefore, the program currently seeks additional volunteers.

"Each volunteer chosen undergoes an initial 40-hour training session prior to becoming matched up

with a client," says Rice-Stuart. "Then, they receive ongoing in-service training for four hours per month each month thereafter."

There are only a few requirements volunteers must meet. They are: to be 60 or older, meet specific income guidelines, be a Boston re-

sident, but perhaps most importantly, possess a strong desire to help older people.

An SCP volunteer receives a stipend (which does not affect any government benefits received), transportation reimbursement, accident insurance, vacation and sick leave and an annual physical exam.

While all volunteers receive the aforementioned

stipend and benefits, as well as recognition at an annual luncheon, for most volunteers, the real gratification seems to come from within. The same holds true for those clients with whom the volunteers are matched.

Anyone interested in becoming a volunteer should call Gloria Rice-Stuart at 725-3988.

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MARY PUCETTI (right) and MARIE McCARRON — senior companions sharing the spirit. (photo by Boston Seniority photographer Robert Gillis)

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From the desk of
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Monday, May 8

A motor vehicle was stopped at City Square at approximately 10 a.m. by Officer Bollen. The 27-year-old East Boston man was driving with a suspended license and was placed under arrest.

An automobile parked on Corey Street was vandalized by a group of youths who broke the window and slashed the tires.

A window of an apartment at Walford Way was smashed during the evening.

Tuesday, May 9

An automobile parked on Pearl Street was broken into during the evening, and the stereo was stolen.

Wednesday, May 10

An automobile parked on O'Meara Court was vandalized. The window was smashed and the dashboard damaged.

An automobile parked on Carney Court was vandalized and several dents were made on the roof and side.

An automobile parked on Henley Street was broken into during the evening, and the stereo was stolen.

Thursday, May 11

An automobile was stopped at Cambridge Street at ap-

proximately 10 a.m. by Officer Bollen. The vehicle was unregistered and the operator, a 26-year-old Malden man, was placed under arrest.

An automobile was stopped at Cambridge Street at approximately 11 a.m. by Officer Bollen. The vehicle was unregistered and the operator, a 26-year-old Lynn man, was placed under arrest.

A stolen automobile was recovered on Terminal Street at 10 p.m.

Friday, May 12

An automobile parked on Main Street was vandalized at approximately 2 a.m. by someone who smashed the windows.

A homicide took place at 10 O'Meara Ct. at approximately 3 a.m. when gunmen entered the apartment and shot a woman occupant to death and wounded two Charlestown men.

At approximately 7:50 p.m. a group of about 20 male and female students were visiting the Bunker Hill Monument when they were confronted by approximately 15 teen-agers who threw rocks and sticks at them while yelling threats. A few of the students were struck with rocks but were not seriously injured.

A resident reported that he was in front of 74 Medford St. when two individuals approached him and one of them threatened him with a knife and demanded that he leave the area. Officer Worthy responded, and with a description,

arrested a 21-year-old resident for assault by means of a dangerous weapon.

Saturday, May 13

At 1:40 a.m. Officer Casinelli responded to the John Harvard Mall on a report of vandalism to automobiles. The officers observed a 24-year-old Charlestown man assault a resident. They approached the suspect and he began to fight with them. He was subdued after a struggle and placed under arrest for assault and battery.

At 10 p.m. Officer Cody responded to 138 Medford St., where he observed a 28-year-old resident drinking a beer in a public place and placed him under arrest.

These incidents are under investigation by the Detectives of Area A.

Residents are reminded: If you know of any drug activity in your neighborhood, call the Boston Police Hotline at 247-4697. It is not necessary to give your name, and all information will be investigated.

Diabetic Eye Screening Coming To Charlestown

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health, in conjunction with the Charlestown Lions Club Eyemobile, will offer a free diabetic eye screening in Charlestown on Wednesday, May 24 from noon to 8 p.m. All screening activities will take place inside the Lions' Eyemobile, which will be located in front of Johnnie's Foodmaster at the Bunker Hill Mall.

All people with diabetes,

who either have been using insulin for five or more years or do not use insulin and have not had an eye exam in the past year, are encouraged to come to the Eyemobile for this free screening.

Diabetes can cause serious changes in the eye without sending any warning signals. This disease often weakens the blood vessels in the eye, which may then leak or rupture. The screening test will help find these

and other changes before they create problems.

The screening is painless; nothing is put into or touches the eye. Polaroid pictures will be taken of each eye. These photographs will then be sent to an eye specialist at the Joslin Diabetes Center who will check for any signs of eye disease. His findings will be reported to the persons screened and their doctors.

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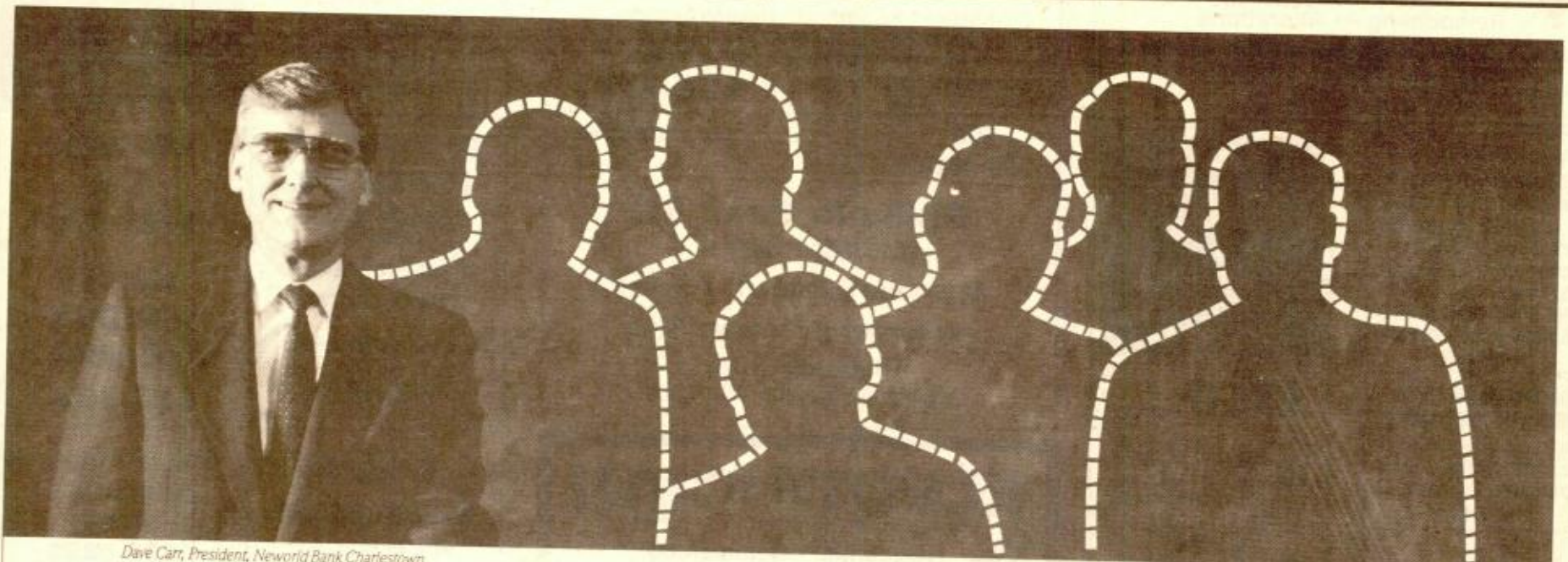


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