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Supporting Our Troops



MRS. FRAN MORRIS of Russell Street displays a few of the handmade items she has crocheted to raise funds for the Charlestown Community Easter Basket being prepared to send to the Gulf. Morris' son, Sergeant Samuel Morris, is serving in Operation Desert Storm. Shamrocks, Easter Bunnies and Chickies can be purchased for 50¢ at the "Patriot" office. Gift packages to 21 Charlestown servicemen stationed in the Gulf will be mailed March 2. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

Community School Council Election Today

by Kathy Giordano
The Charlestown Community Schools Council election takes place today, Feb. 21 between 3 and 7 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St. (Hayes Square). The election will be held in the first floor community room.

Candidates seeking election to Council At-Large seats are James Mansfield, Jacqueline Robinson, both currently serving as councillors, and Tom Desmond.

Mary MacInnes is seeking re-election to her Precinct 4 seat. Anna Leonard seeks to return to her Precinct 5 seat.

The candidates elected will serve on the Community School Council for a term of two years.

Eligible voters must be Charlestown residents, 18 years of age or older and be able to provide proof of residency if needed.

For more information, call 242-2770.

Ten Winners Drawn In New England Home Show Contest

Ten winners were drawn in the "New England Home Show" Contest sponsored by The Charlestown Patriot. Each of the winners will be awarded two passes to attend the upcoming "New England Home Show" at the World Trade Center.

The winners are:

- John B. Crosby Sr., 389 Bunker Hill St.;
- Jean Fitzpatrick, 113 Bunker Hill St.;
- Pat Flaherty, 26 Cook St.;
- Nathalie Hern, 169 Bunker Hill St.;
- J. Lawler, 6 St. Martin St.;
- Annette L. Marchetta, 64 Ferrin St.;
- John M. May, 8 Washington St.;
- Bill Pierce, 59 Sullivan St.;
- Julia Skinner, 91C Old Ironside Way; and
- Kevin Whitehouse, 21 Cross St.

The winners may claim their passes at The Charlestown Patriot office.

Gillen Takes Command Of Bay State Office

by Mark Finley
Lt.C. Bay State Office

At first, this appears to be Annapolis; the cadets are clean-cut, wear pressed uniforms and walk erectly with decision and purpose down the hallways of West Roxbury High School in Boston.

Boston? I thought you said Annapolis!

Well, it could be, because the skipper runs a tight ship, no slouch-and-grunt hangabouts in bozo pants and nearly every teen-ager has a Big "A" commission in periscope — there's always room for good officer material in the U.S. Navy.

Now say "Hello" to Commander Robert L. Gillen, head of the Naval Science Department, former Commanding Officer of the USS Constitution and new president of the Massachusetts state department of the

Military Order of the World Wars — elected by a landslide vote.

Of Irish heritage, Gillen achieved a distinguished service record . . . more of that in a moment . . . but it's the new facet of training youth that excites him now.

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First, he is serious about class study — no paper airplanes, spitballs or gum chewing. He points to a young man absorbed in a notebook as he reviews for today's class in navigation. Gillen relates: "Age 15, great-grandson of slaves, mother a scrubwoman, can hardly wait to get into Officer Candidate School and his hands on the stick of an F-15."

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A Visit To The Library



DAISY GIRL SCOUT TROOP 9308 recently visited the Charlestown Branch Library. The scouts had stories read to them, watched videos and made crafts. Shown (l. to r.) Lisa Kimball, Aileane Doherty, Erin Walsh, Librarian Ann Smart, Ashley Carr, Caitlin Collins, Katlyn Walsh and Sheilann Williams. Troop leaders are Barbie Marsden and Cathy Walsh.

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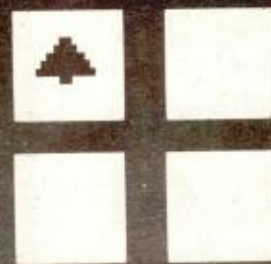
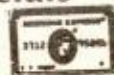
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At A Glance

- Thursday, Feb. 21**
- 2 p.m. — February Vacation Children's Film Festival, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 3 to 7 p.m. — Charlestown Community Schools Council Election, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St.
 - 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Bylaws Committee meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- Friday, Feb. 22**
- 6-8 p.m. — Charlestown Youth Hockey Benefit Hockey Game, CHS All-Stars vs. CYHA Coaches, MDC Rink, Union Street
 - 7 p.m. — Charlestown Community Schools Fund-Raising Dance, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, Feb. 23**
- 8 p.m. — Kick-off Night Fund Raiser to sponsor Bob Quinn in a coast-to-coast bike ride, sponsored by The Ironside Grille and McCarthy Brothers Liquors, The Ironside Grille, 25 Park St.
- Monday, Feb. 25**
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 10, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- Tuesday, Feb. 26**
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- Wednesday, Feb. 27**
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. 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. — Mass for Peace, Chapel, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
 - 7 p.m. — Charlestown High School Class of 1971 20th reunion meeting, back room, Sullivan's (Sully's) Restaurant, 56 Union Street

Upcoming Events

- Thursday, Feb. 28**
- 12:15 p.m. — Charlestown Kiwanis Club Meeting, Barrett's on Boston Harbour Restaurant
- Friday, March 1**
- 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Pre-school Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 8 p.m. — Annual Charlestown Youth Hockey Association Spring Fund-Raising Dance, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, March 2**
- 7 p.m. — Gladys' Annual Corned Beef Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Monday, March 4**
- 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 10, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 7:30 p.m. — Daughters of Isabella No. 1 meeting, VIP Room, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Tuesday, March 5**
- 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
 - 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Wednesday, March 6**
- 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. 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. — Mass for Peace, Chapel, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
 - 7:30 p.m. — Court St. Jude No. 1123, C.D.A. meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

Plan Ahead

- Friday, March 8**
- 8 p.m. — 25th Annual Irish Night Dinner Dance, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
 - 8 p.m. — 50s and 60s Night sponsored by Winnie Powers Walsh, candidate for Mayor of Charlestown, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, March 9**
- 8 p.m. — Dance sponsored by Linda Howell, candidate for Mayor of Charlestown, and her committee, Memorial Hall, 14 Green St.
- Sunday, March 10**
- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- Monday, March 11**
- 7:30 p.m. — The Wolfe Tones Concert, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Wednesday, March 13**
- 3:30 p.m. — Puppet Performance with Claire DiMeo, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
- Friday, March 15**
- 8 p.m. — St. Patrick's Day Dance with Dickie McManus and The Irish Revolution, sponsored by the Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Wednesday, March 20**
- 7:30 p.m. — Country Store in the Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, Bunker Hill Street
- Saturday, March 30**
- 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Community Appreciation Awards Banquet, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Friday, April 5**
- 8 p.m. — Fund Raiser for Bunker Hill Day Parade Chief Marshal Patricia Farris, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, April 6**
- 6:15 p.m. — Annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner Dance, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Friday, April 12**
- 8 p.m. to midnight — Charlestown Headstart Dance with Dickie McManus and The Irish Revolution, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Sunday, April 21**
- Following 9 a.m. Mass — Holy Name Society annual Family Communion Breakfast, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- Friday, May 3**
- 8 p.m. — Dance featuring Paula Wiles and The Dream Machine to benefit The Life Focus Center, Preble Room, Building 5, National Historical Park section of the Charlestown Navy Yard

It's A Girl . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Goldberg of 370 Bunker Hill St., Charlestown, announce the birth of their daughter, Jillian Ann, on Feb. 8 at the Winchester Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Griffin of Phoenix, Ariz. The paternal grandmother is Rosalind Goldberg.

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Work Proceeds On Hayes Square

The city of Boston Trust Office reports that the renovation of the central park at Hayes Square in Charlestown, which began this past fall, has reached the midway point and should be completed this spring.

The major restoration project was made possible through a \$300,000 grant from the Edward Ingersoll Browne Trust Fund at the request of the Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force and the city of Boston Parks Department.

The Browne Fund is one of a number of major trust funds bequeathed to the city by philanthropic citizens and administered by the city's Trust Office.

Mayor Raymond L. Flynn, who serves as Trustee of many of the city trust funds including the Browne Fund, praised the project as a "shining example of the city and the community working together to restore and beautify our neighborhood parks and open spaces for the benefit of neighborhood residents."

The park, which is located between the Harvard/Kent School and the Bunker Hill Housing Development, had fallen into a state of disrepair over the years. In 1987, a group of concerned neighborhood residents led by Mary MacInnes and John Ballard contacted the city's trust office to seek



WORKERS INSTALL granite slabs which form parts of the sundial.

assistance for renovations. A design was developed with community input and subsequently approved for construction funding in two phases by the Browne Fund Commission.

The new design allows for a bricked in area with shady trees, granite paving and a public work of art which will depict artisans from Charlestown's history at work at their respective trades such as The Stonecutter and The Candlemaker. Each figure will appear on a stone numeral which will form the pattern of a sundial with the inscription, "Charlestown, 1629."

The art pieces were designed and fabricated by noted sculptress Lu Stubbs after numerous meetings with Charlestown residents, particularly those residents from the adjacent Bunker Hill Housing Development.

In his remarks, Mayor Flynn praised the work of the city's Trust Office in "maximizing the use of non-city funds during these fiscally lean times for the benefit of neighborhoods such as Charlestown."

Robert J. Fleming, executive secretary of the Trust Office, said: "The funds we administer, such as the Ed-

ward Ingersoll Browne Fund represent monies which were left to the city of Boston by generous benefactors to be used for good causes and charitable works. Under the Flynn administration there has been renewed emphasis to use these funds for neighborhood projects such as the renovations of the Hayes

Square Park."

City of Boston Parks Commissioner Lawrence Dwyer was enthusiastic about the new park. Dwyer said: "I look forward to the new park at Hayes Square and I am sure that it will be enjoyed by Charlestown residents for many years to

come."

Judy Evers, Charlestown coordinator for the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, added her support for the project.

Work on the Hayes Square Park renovations should be completed in the spring.

Evers To Speak With Adult Discussion Group

Judy Evers, Charlestown liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, will be the guest speaker at the Charlestown Branch Library's Adult Discussion Group on Friday, March 1 at 10 a.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

Evers, who is Charlestown's advocate in the mayor's office, will outline her

duties for the group. She will talk about keeping abreast of Boston Housing Authority issues, helping to mediate pressures in the high school and working on resident issues.

Suggested reading in conjunction with this program includes **The Boston Day Care Directory**, **The Boston Job Bank** and the 1990

edition of the **Human Service Yellow Pages of Massachusetts**.

On Friday, March 8, Nancy Paton, manager of Nutrition Services for the Community Health Centers of Mass. General Hospital, will speak on "Healthy Snacks For Children."

THE REAL ESTATE WEEKLY



By Carolyn Sideman and Joseph Gannon III, CRS, GRI

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tus. "This is a one-year Division of Continuing Education program that offers LPNs the opportunity for upward mobility," said Kate Cauble, division dean at BHCC. "Moving from

LPN to RN offers greater responsibility and options in healthcare delivery, increased pay and overall career advancement and education opportunities."

Classes begin in June, however, LPNs must go

through an admissions process now in order to ensure a place in the program. Evening classes for the program will be offered at BHCC's Chelsea campus while clinical work will be done at a variety of acute-care hospitals in the area.

For more information about the program, call Marjorie Langway, director of nurse education, at 241-8600, ext. 296 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Applicants can also register by calling BHCC's admissions office at ext. 420, or through BHCC's Chelsea campus by contacting Director Janet Sortor at 889-5110.

Happy 25th Anniversary



DAD & MA

on February 25th

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MOMMY

Love,

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• **That A Way, Girls . . .** St. Catherine's Color Guard took 3rd place last weekend at a competition held at Everett High School. Only weeks into their existence, and a trophy is in their hands. Very well done, ladies!

• **Oops . . .** He falls down — and we suffer! Bob Rooney is home recuperating from a bad fall last week, leaving us to put up with those who have been left to run the Thompson Square Post Office! Egads, Bob, you are surely missed. (Boy, will I pay for this! Stamps are 39¢ you say?!) . . . A REAL speedy recovery, Bob (please)!

• **Speaking Of The Post Office . . .** that other guy there, you know, the blond! Baker, Barker, Booker . . . whatever, will be celebrating a birthday this week. Have a wonderful day on the 24th, Jim!

• **Birthdays Galore This Week . . .** Bill Kane and Jim Doherty will celebrate on the 22nd. Bill Foley of the National Parks on the 24th. Russell Mondy on the 25th. Kevin O'Halloran and Phoebe Blake on the 26th. Patsy Keigney on the 27th . . . but, today is the 18th birthday of twin sisters Jessica and Kathy Haney! Have a great year, folks!

• **Belated Birthday Wishes . . .** go out the Cathy O'Halloran of Old Ironside Way (Jay's Mom) . . . and Mary Tanous on the 18th. You might have gone out of sight, Mary — but not out of mind . . . have a great year, ladies!

• **Girl Scouts Volunteers Needed . . .** Patriots' Trail Girl Scout Council is looking for women and men who can spend some time in Charlestown to fill a wide range of exciting volunteer opportunities. If you can help out, call Christine Thompson at 695-1715.

• **Kudos . . .** to all the volunteers at Boston City Hospital. Great article in one of Boston's dailies last week about their generous giving of time and talents to the patients. But we were especially proud to see a photo of Claire Smith of Charlestown included in the story . . . Claire, you can sing to us anytime!

• **Spin Dry . . .** at Mishawum Park Laundry on Main Street. Last week a resident went into the laundry only to find students from the junior high school using the dryers — on fellow students! When she told them of the possible danger of such a prank, she was informed, well, never mind — can't print it . . .

• **Where Is . . .** Monument Hill Avenue? A photo of it is included in a flyer put out around town this week by the Mayor's Office of Capital Planning!!!

• **St. Patty's Day . . .** is fast approaching. With it comes the annual dances and dinners that we all look forward to each year. The 19th annual Gladys's Corned Beef Dinner will take place on Saturday, March 2 at the K. of C. Hall. Tickets are really going fast for this event that has become one of the best dinners around. Call today to reserve your seat — Gladys Gauthier at 242-2627, Judy Burton at 241-2913 or Mary Callahan at 396-6490 . . . The 25th annual Irish Night Dinner Dance at St. Francis de Sales will take place on Friday, March 8 at Bishop Lawton Hall. You'll receive a corned beef dinner and be entertained by The Silver Spears. Tickets can be picked up at the Rectory or from the ushers after weekend Masses . . . On March 15, the Bunker Hill Irish Heritage Society will hold its annual St. Patty's Day Dance at the K. of C. Hall. Dancing and a buffet will be provided. For tickets, call Grace Campbell at 242-5075 or Bud Whelan at 242-4217.

• **Ah, Arthur Crotty . . .** Please come to Cordis Street and pick up a member of your raccoon family! Boy, you've been feeding him well!?

• **Don't Despair . . .** Spring is almost here! . . . Only 27 days left!

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BY MARCH 8

Gillen Takes Command Of Bay State Office

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Secondly, Gillen strives to create a school presence at public events and the ROTC was the first Boston Public School representative since desegregation to march in the St. Patrick's Day Parade in South Boston. You can see the street sideline crowd snap to attention as the West Roxbury white-gloved cadets march past.

Thirdly, Gillen is concerned about geographical orientation. Kids of all races, from modest neighborhoods to dilapidated coke/crack alleys, take officer-supervised training flights to Newport, R.I., Jacksonville and Key West, Fla., and learn the meaning of ethics, strategy, tactics and human management as a commissioned officer-to-be of the U.S. Navy. Sixty-eight percent of Gillen's students are Afro, Hispanic or Asian.

Gillen is a native of Charlestown where the Silver-smith Paul Revere waited to see two lanterns hoisted in the belfry tower of Old North Church across the river, then rode to Lexington to warn colonial farmers the British were coming.

As a teen-ager, he'd swim in the Charles River, then sneak aboard the **Constitution** to try to filch one of the crew's special traditional period tar-hats for a souvenir.

In 1951 at age 17, he enlisted and began his rise through ranks. As a CPO in the Cruiser-Destroyer Force in 1962, he received a direct commission as Ensign of a special support team during the Cuban missile crisis. This was followed by OCS at Newport and duty in the Philippines with the 7th Fleet, which included assignment with the 9th Marine Expeditionary Brigade in Da Nang — and authority to wear the Fleet Marine Combat insignia, along with his eight other decorations.

Movement to new posts means stress for some officers, but the adaptable Gaelic character in Gillen seemed to wear well at Adak, Alaska; Rota, Spain; with Amphibious Group 2 aboard SS **Guam** during the earlier Jordanian crisis; and later with the Commander Striking Fleet Atlantic.

On R & R in 1953, he flew from Morocco to Ireland in search of relatives — and found a bride: Eileen Paula Therese Foran, one of 14 children of an office manager of the Guinness brewery.

The Gillens, who reside on Wallace Court, have two children, Robert L. Jr., a graduate of The Citadel and now a career officer in the Navy; and Eileen Mercedes Gillen, a young executive in the investment industry.

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(Col. Finley is a Boston journalist.)

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The features will be "The Alphabet Dragon," in which a dragon grants a family one wish for every letter of the alphabet; a tailor wins a princess and saves a kingdom in "The Brave Little Tailor;" and a boy finds a home for his overgrown pet in "The Mysterious Tadpole."

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The music will be provided by the Dee Jay Connection, and the night will include a cash bar, food and refreshments as well as free door prizes.

A \$10 donation will entitle you to 10 votes / 10 chances to win either round-trip air fare to Ireland or \$1,000 cash. All proceeds will be used to send one of our own young ladies to Charlestown, County Mayo, Ireland to

represent Charlestown in the International Western Rose Contest in August.

Walsh promises the night will have many of the old time favorites such as the Jitterbug, Stroll, Cha Cha, Twist, Hully Gully, Chicken Dance and many, many more favorites for all to enjoy.

There will also be old time dance contests including Jitterbug and Freeze contests and much, much more. Prizes will be awarded to the winners.

The Dee Jay Connection promises to have a variety of modern-day songs for our younger generation and some 40's hits for those who enjoy the Big-Band era.

So, don't forget, Friday, March 8th, come on down and experience a night filled with dancing, fun and

enjoyment. All are invited.

For tickets, please call 242-0428.

Update On Race For Mayor Of Charlestown

As we enter the last few weeks of the election for Mayor of Charlestown, candidates Winnie Powers Walsh and Linda Howell are campaigning hard. The results will be announced on Friday, March 22nd at the Knights of Columbus. The festivities begin at 8 p.m. and there is no admission charge.

Meanwhile, both candidates continue to canvas the town for votes. If you miss

them on the streets, Walsh can be reached at 242-0428 and Howell will host her own fund raiser at Memorial Hall on Green Street on Saturday, March 9 at 8 p.m. Admission to the Howell for Mayor event is \$10, or one book of chances.

Walsh will sponsor a 50s and 60s night at the Knights of Columbus on Friday, March 8 at 8 p.m.



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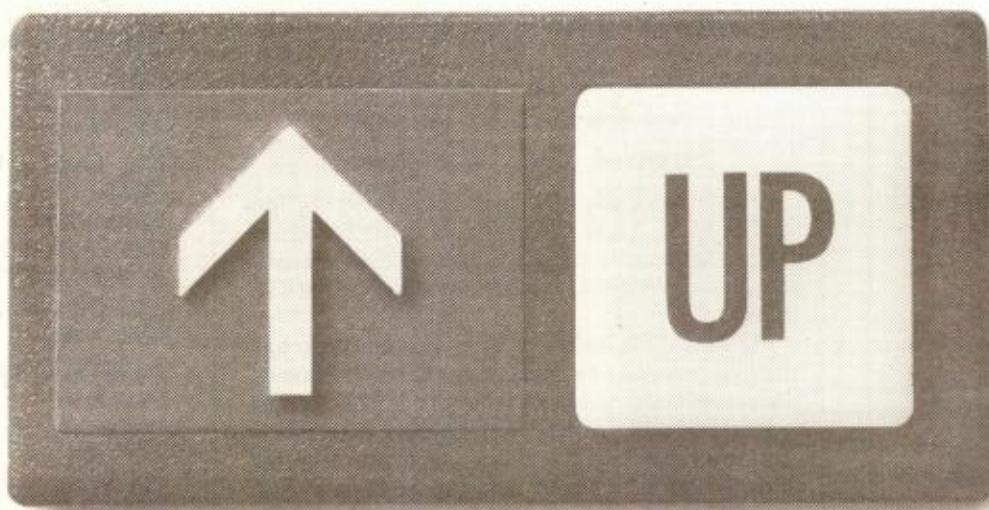
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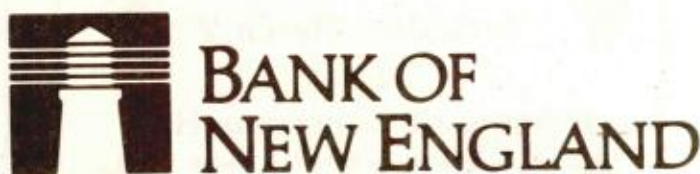
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UPDATE . . . OPERATION DESERT STORM



by Kathy Giordano

★ **The Deadline Is Approaching . . .** for sending community Easter Baskets to Charlestown's 21 servicemen stationed in the Persian Gulf as part of Operation Desert Storm. Gifts can be dropped off at **The Charlestown Patriot** office until March 1 at 5 p.m. Gifts should be non-perishable items such as toiletries, gum, cookies, hand-held games, writing paper, batteries, pens, Kool-Ade, teabags, magazines, paperback books, puzzle books, etc. If you need more information, call the **Patriot** at 241-9511. The gift packages will be put together on March 2 and mailed in plenty of time for the servicemen to receive them before Easter.

★ **OK, David . . .** David Krasner called his mom, Bethlyn, on Valentine's Day and wanted her to pass along his best wishes and many thanks to all for the support being sent his way. Glad to hear your injury was minor, David, and you've been allowed to return to your unit . . . Be safe!

★ **Just In Time . . .** Jack McGonagle finally received his Christmas package from Charlestown. Better late than never, Jack . . . Then he had to pack it up to go on shore leave. Glad to say that Jack is home with his family for a short time. We know that's one family doing some celebrating this week!

★ **Showing Support . . .** for the troops are two more businesses seen this week in the community. High Pharmacy is displaying yellow ribbons and Main Street's Bagley and Bagley and Donald Breen have decided to fly the red, white and blue 24 hours a day until the conflict is over . . . The list grows each week. Stay tuned!

★ **Important Phone Numbers . . .** for families with relatives serving in the Persian Gulf who are seeking information are:

- US Army — 1-800-626-1440
- US Air Force — 1-800-253-9276
- US Navy — 1-800-255-3808
- US Marine Corps — 1-800-523-2694
- US Coast Guard — 1-800-367-8724

These 24-hour phone lines have been set up by the Pentagon. Callers should provide the spelling of last name and as much information as possible such as the Social Security number and military rank.

★ **Foreclosure Protection . . .** A Massachusetts law — The Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act — provides a guarantee that interest on a mortgage that belongs to a service man or woman serving in the Persian Gulf is capped at 6 percent annually until the borrower returns from duty

From The Homefront To The Gulf

abroad. Charles Trombly Jr., chief clerk of the Massachusetts Land Court states that this act protects military personnel from foreclosure while they're not home to defend themselves. Call him, he says, if a bank threatens foreclosure and his office will step in to help.

★ **Persian Gulf Service Families . . .** needing legal assistance on a variety of problems can call the following phone numbers: Boston Bar Association at 742-0615; Air Force Legal Office at 377-2361; Navy Legal Office at 786-2621; Coast Guard Legal Office at 223-8500; and Army Legal Office at (508) 796-3928.

★ **Let's Give A Round Of Applause . . . To The IRS? . . .** Boston's IRS District Office has announced new programs to help military families: tax assistance/preparation at local IRS offices and military VITA sites; drop-off sites for electronic filing of federal returns to be transmitted from Boston; speakers for seminars and group meetings; suspension of collection or examination action; and a toll-free number for help, 1-800-829-1040.

★ **"A Hero's Welcome Fund" . . .** has been established by Congressional Medal of Honor Winner Tom Hudner and State Treasurer Joe Malone. The fund raiser will provide a monetary tribute for every Bay State citizen serving in the Persian Gulf. BayBanks, Inc. has offered to collect the voluntary contributions from residents of the state who would like to show their support for our service men and women. To contribute to the fund, send a check to: "A Hero's Welcome," c/o BayBank, P.O. 5-0900, Woburn, Mass. 01815. For more information, call 647-2659.

★ **Memorial Hall . . .** and its members invite the community to show their support to the troops by wearing a badge with yellow ribbon attached as their gift. Drop by the hall at 14 Green St. this Saturday, Feb. 23, at 10 a.m. to pick one up.

★ **Support Group . . .** to meet. The Military Families Support Network, a national organization supporting our troops and working for peace in the Persian Gulf, will meet on Monday, Feb. 25 from 7 to 10 p.m. at Boston City Hall in the Piemonte Room, 5th floor (please use the Dock Square entrance, across from Faneuil Hall). All military families and supporters are encouraged to come.

★ **Updating Mailing Addresses For Servicemen . . .** serving in and around the Persian Gulf is done on a daily basis at the **Patriot**. The list below is the most current available to us. Why not drop them a note of support — today?!

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E4 Daniel B. Getchell
026-48-6682
D. Co. 1/325 A.I.R.
TF 1/325 AIR
82nd ABN Div.
APO N.Y., N.Y. 09656

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B Co. 47th Spt Bn
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1st MAR Div. G-3
FPO San Francisco, CA
96608-5500

Capt. Charles Michael Ryan, MD 021-54-2365
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1st HU
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HHC Discom 24 ID
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HQ VII Corps
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Operation Desert Storm
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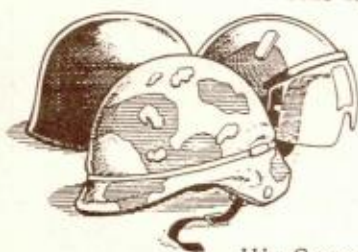
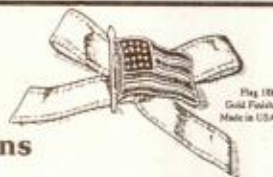
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Boston Recycling Coordinator Speaks At Charlestown Meeting

by Kathy Callahan

John McCarthy, the city of Boston's recycling coordinator, spoke at the Charlestown Recycling Committee meeting on Feb. 4. He explained what is presently ongoing within the city regarding recycling.

Last February, Jamaica Plain was chosen as a pilot community for curbside pickup of three-color glass, newspaper and HDPE-#2 which includes plastic milk and water jugs. McCarthy reported that there is a 76 percent participation in the area which has a 7,000 population.

The city has printed a flyer listing the five drop-off sites within the city, with one open each Saturday of the month. The first Saturday is in South End/Roxbury; the second in Jamaica Plain; the third at U/Mass Boston, Harbor Campus; and the fourth is

in Roslindale/West Roxbury/Hyde Park. Allston/Brighton has a drop-off site open daily.

The publicity committee has left some of these flyers at the Charlestown Branch Library. It lists how to recycle and what materials can be deposited at each site. Since December, tin, including any bi-metal, steel or aluminum food or beverage cans, is collected at all the sites with the exception of Allston/Brighton. All these sites are run by volunteers in cooperation with the Department of Public Works. The city is also in the process of investigating a city-wide newspaper pickup.

McCarthy stated that because of the interest shown in East Boston as well as in Charlestown, a grant has been submitted for containers earmarked for the two communities. Presently, the



JOHN MCCARTHY
City Recycling Coordinator

drop-off sub-committee of the CRC is investigating available sites within Charlestown and/or if a container is an option to be pursued. Whatever option is chosen, many volunteers will be needed in order for it to work.

McCarthy went on to talk about the Boston Recycling

Ordinance which was passed in July 1990. This ordinance mandates recycling for the city and he outlined the goals of participation with and without a Materials Recovery Facility (MRF). The goals are:

- July 1, 1992 to June 30, 1993 — without a MRF, 20 percent and with a MRF, 28 percent;
- July 1, 1995 to June 30, 1996 — without a MRF, 25 percent and with a MRF, 38 percent; and
- July 1, 1998 to June 30, 1999 — without a MRF, 35 percent and with a MRF, 50 percent.

A MRF acts as a transfer/storage area for recyclable materials. Massachusetts has one in Springfield which collects and processes various recyclable materials including three types of glass (clear, brown, and green), newspapers and

plastic. Subsequently these materials are sold and revenue is realized. Usually communities that use such a facility do not have to pay tipping fees and thus save money from disposing of materials in a landfill.

McCarthy also distributed a flyer on the city's upcoming "Recycling Awareness Poster and Writing Contest." The publicity committee is working to make sure this information is distributed to the schools in Charlestown as well as

posting this flyer at the Charlestown Branch Library. For more information, or to receive an entry form, contact: John McCarthy, Recycling Coordinator, City of Boston Public Works Dept., 1 City Hall Plaza, Rm. 714, Boston, Mass. 02201, or call him at 725-4959.

Anyone wishing more information on the Charlestown Recycling Committee can contact either Pete Jones at 241-0425 or Kathy Callahan at 242-3512.

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Charlestown Youth Hockey Notes

by Peter Golden

The Charlestown Youth Hockey Association travel teams have been busy the past three weeks despite the mid-season hiatus of this column.

Bantam Report

The Bantams have used this time to their best advantage by capturing first place in the GBL. The main reason for their success this year has been the fine disciplined teamwork displayed week after week. This work ethic is a tribute to the team, their coaches and parents. Congratulations Bantams!

Pee Wee Report

The Pee Wees have struggled in spite of strong play at times. Their lone victory in four games came at the expense of Quincy. This 3-1 victory was a complete team effort with fine positional play. Paul Allen, Mike Collins and Jay Smith were the local scorers. The three close losses were tough ones to take. Even with the early leads, the Pee Wees hit dry spells that enabled the other clubs to come back. Paul Allen, Jay

Smith and Mike Collins were the only players to find the scoring touch in these games.

Squirt I Report

Dave Hansen's Squirt Team has recorded a win and a tie in the last couple of weeks. The tie, 3-3, came against Somerville two weeks ago. The story of this game was the spectacular goaltending of Pat Lacey. He was stalwart in goal as he repulsed numerous hilltopper shots until his teammates found the scoring touch. Trailing 3-2 late in the game, Somerville pulled their goalie and with the extra skater tied the game. Bill Burke, with two goals, and Jason Donovan were the Squirt offensive stars.

The Squirts then avenged this disappointing tie with a 12-1 rout of Medfield. The team gave the previous weeks star Pat Lacey a break and mounted a relentless attack that produced the 12 goals. Every forward on the club scored.

Squirt II Report

The Squirt II team of Jim Kane has fallen on some

hard times lately. Despite great hustle they have dropped three games in a row, 10-1 to Quincy, 8-2 to Needham and 4-1 to Pembroke. Rob Celata, Jim Kane and Tony Giglio were the only Townies to light the lamp. I'm certain that these lads will bounce back and return to their winning ways.

Mighty Mites Report GBL Mites

The GBL Mites, coached by Dave Bryson, have also fallen on hard times with one win in three weeks. The lone bright spot was a 3-2 win over Quincy. Matt Stein, Jack Kelly and Fred Arroyo were the goal scorers. Jim Garvey was brilliant in goal. His best save came with a minute and a half left in the game. Quincy had a 4-0 breakout which he completely foiled. His teammates played a solid, two-way game that helped him preserve the victory. Alas, the same wasn't true when they faced off against South Boston and Somerville. Powerful South Boston defeated the Townies 10-2 in spite of the efforts of Ryan Tucker in goal, who made many sensational saves. Despite the lopsided score, the team hustled throughout the game and notched two third period goals by Dave Bryson and Jack Kelly. The following week they dropped an 8-6 decision to

Somerville. Jack and Ed Kelly had two goals each and Matt Stein along with Brian McCreary added single goals.

Murphy's Marauders

John Murphy's Marauders have continued their fine play during the last three weeks. This week's action saw them win one 3-1 over Wakefield and lose a tough 6-5 decision to Winchester. Murphy, Mike Doe and Bryan McGonagle powered the 3-1 win. Jonathan Castro played his steady game in the nets. The Winchester loss came despite John Murphy's two goals and single markers by Mike Smith and the Doe brothers, Pat and Mike.

The two previous games produced a 1-1 tie with Newton and a 7-2 victory over Belmont. Murphy scored the tying goal against Newton thanks to fine passes by Mike Smith and McGonagle. Standout goaltending was provided once again by Castro. The victory over Belmont was powered by the dynamite Doe brothers who had hat tricks. Smith added a goal to the winning margin. Coach Murphy mentioned the fine play of Cole Justice, Nick Philippi; and Eddie Mullen, Mike Reid, Derek Garceau, Pat McLaughlin and Guerin.

Lynch's Leprechauns

Ed Lynch's Leprechauns have had a tough time lately with only one win in three games. The lone victory came over Woburn, 6-2. Chad Titcomb and John Tobin were the hot hands in this game. Titcomb lit the lamp four times and Tobin did it twice. Dan Considine, with three assists, was the passing wizard. Ryan Connolly was solid in goal.

This week saw the Lynch sextet lose a 2-1 heart-breaker. Ray Ortiz was the lone scorer for the local club. The week's second game saw Lynch's lads fall 6-0. This was a surprise, but I'm sure the boys will return to their winning ways.

In-House Teams

In-House play continues each Saturday evening at the Charlestown Rink. This weeks action saw the Bruins

(continued on page 11)

BOBBY D'S BEAT

by

Bob DeCristoforo

■ **Fornash, Brennen Represent Teens At Police Focus Meeting . . .** Carol Fornash, a member of the Bunker Hill Teen Council, and Chris Brennen, a member of the Charlestown Teen Connection, represented the Teens of Charlestown at a meeting at Boston Police Headquarters.

The meeting was called to present and discuss the new Community Policing in Boston policy that will soon be implemented in the city.

One aspect of the policy is a Walk/Talk Program that takes the police out of their car and back on the street as part of their regular patrol. Another aspect puts a Community Service Officer right in the neighborhood each week.

The meeting was chaired by Police Commissioner Roache and Deputy Doherty. Invited to the meeting were teens and youth workers from around the city. Danny Ryan and myself were the youth workers from Charlestown. Fornas and Brennen are both students at Charlestown High School.

■ **St. Catherine's Juniors Outlast St. Williams, Stun St. Andrews . . .** Jonathan Owens and Pat Owens saw Billy Owens' 30-point performance dazzle Boston College on Saturday.

The impact of the Syracuse Owens certainly had an impact on our Pat Owens, who came off the bench early in the first half to lead St. Catherine's Juniors to its seventh win of the season.

St. William's staged a late comeback in the second half, but St. Catherine's held its cool and its head to win the 61-53 contest.

Pat Owens had 14 points for the victors. This was the team's first road win of the season. Jimmy Burke played a key role in the win.

Earlier in the week, St. Catherine's avenged a one-point loss by stunning a high in the standing St. Andrew's team 72-59.

Pat Woods and Steve Mahan had 16 points each in this win. Pat Owens had 10.

The final regular season game takes place tonight, Thursday, Feb. 21, when we travel to St. Ann's in Neponset.

■ **Woods Earns MVP In Cherry Tree Invitational . . .** The 1991 Andy Puopolo Cherry Tree Basketball Invitational is history. The Condon Community School of South Boston outlasted the eight-team field to take the title in the all-day, eight-hour basketball marathon held at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club on the Washington's Birthday holiday.

Charlestown Pride took an early exit, defeated by the tournament finalist Nazzaro of the North End in the quarterfinal round.

The "Pride" bright spot was Pat Woods, who scored 22 points, and led the team in rebounds. His play, spirit and hustle earned him the Team MVP Award, and a spot on the All-Tournament Team.

All-Tournament Team

Jesse Sarzano, Nazzaro (North End)
Jerry O'Neil, Condon (South Boston)
Chris Murray, St. Augustine (South Boston)
Pat Woods, Charlestown Pride
Chris Ryan, St. Brenden (Dorchester)
Bob Fournier, Dorchester
Don Efstathiou, St. Andrew (Jamaica Plain)
Frank LaMonica, Tynan (South Boston)

Being named to the All-Tourney Team is quite an accomplishment when we realize that close to 100 players took part in the Cherry Tree Basketball Invitational Tournament.

St. Catherine's Intermediate Basketball

by Cecil Jones

The home team took it on

the chin with a 66-63 loss to St. Theresa's of West Roxbury. St. Catherine's only had five of their players available and still had a chance to win in the final minute.

Steve Fabiano led the team with 30 points and again played a great game. Joe Porter and Tommy Brown, each with 8 points, played great games on both boards. Brown came up with good tough defense.

Also playing very well were Joe Macomber who had a terrific left handed lay-up late in the game and Mike Walsh who played on an injured ankle.

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Charlestown Youth Hockey Notes

(continued from page 10) and Flyers battle to a 3-3 tie. The Bruins were led by John Ahearn, Adam Smith and Phil O'Neill with a goal each. Ed Kelly with two

goals and Ryan Mainey answered for the Flyers. ****

The Wings kept their hold on first place by beating the second place

Whalers 6-2. Brian McCreary was the big man for the Wings with three goals. Bill Burke had a pair of goals and Ed Prince had one. Matt Stein with two goals was the only Whaler to find the scoring touch. ****

The third game saw the Sabres overwhelm the Hawks 16-7. The Kelly boys, Jack and Mike, led the Sabres with 10 goals between them. Rob Lawrence found the scoring touch five times. Jason Sousa closed out the Sabre attack. The hustling Hawks were led by Joe Wilkins' hat trick. Josh Manning, Joe Tallent and Bob Krol also lit the lamp for the Hawks.

Players of the Week

Whalers	Matt Stein
Whalers	Dan Murphy
Bruins	Mike Machado
Flyers	John Jones
Flyers	Pat Kane
Flyers	Jim Kane
Hawks	Ian Fitzsimmons
Hawks	Bob Krol
Hawks	Joe Tallent
Sabres	Ed Mullen
Sabres	Jack Kelly
Sabres	Mike Kelly
Wings	Tim Warren
Wings	Ed Prince

The standings after 14 weeks of play finds the Wings, Whalers and Flyers tightly bunched at the top of the league.

Standings

Wings	11-3-0	22
Whalers	10-4-0	20
Flyers	8-4-2	18
Bruins	6-7-1	13
Sabres	4-9-1	9
Hawks	1-13-0	2

Tips Of The Hat . . .

To the Bake Sale Committee and its Chairwoman Marie Nadeau for a job well done.

To all the seamstresses in the town for the flag patches that adorn the uniforms. ****

Upcoming Events . . .

A benefit hockey game between the Charlestown High All-Stars and the Charlestown Legends will be held Friday, Feb. 22 at

6 p.m. at the Charlestown Rink. The CYHA Benefit

Dance will be held on Friday, March 1 at the K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.

from 8 p.m. to midnight. The admission is \$10.

News From The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club



242-1775

NATIONAL WOMEN IN SPORTS DAY

The Clubhouse will be observing National Women in Sports Day on Wednesday, Feb. 27 in our gymnasium. It will be "girls only" from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. in the gym. There will be an obstacle course, relay races, jump rope contests, ball hockey, and ice cream to top it all off. We encourage all of our female club members to come "check out the gym!" and join in the fun.

TEEN PROGRAMS

We now have tutoring available for all teen-agers in the Teen Education Center located in the Teen Center. Larry in the Teen Center or Connie in library can set students up with tutors in any subject area. Also available are computers that can be used for typing school term papers or for computer instruction.

If any parents or kids are interested in participating in the Jail Break Program offered by the Suffolk County Sheriff's Department, see Larry in the Teen Center.

On Saturday, March 2, the Keystone Club and the Teen Center will be sponsoring a Decathlon Overnight. All kids 12 and 13 can participate in this all-night athletic contest. The first 30 kids (15 boys and 15 girls) can sign up. The cost of this will be \$4 that includes food, etc.

INVENTOR'S WORKSHOPS

The Education Department of the Club will be sponsoring an Inventor's Workshop in our Science Lab on Friday, Feb. 22. This enjoyable and enlightening workshop will encourage creative thought while providing lots of fun.

EPSTEIN ARTS CONTEST

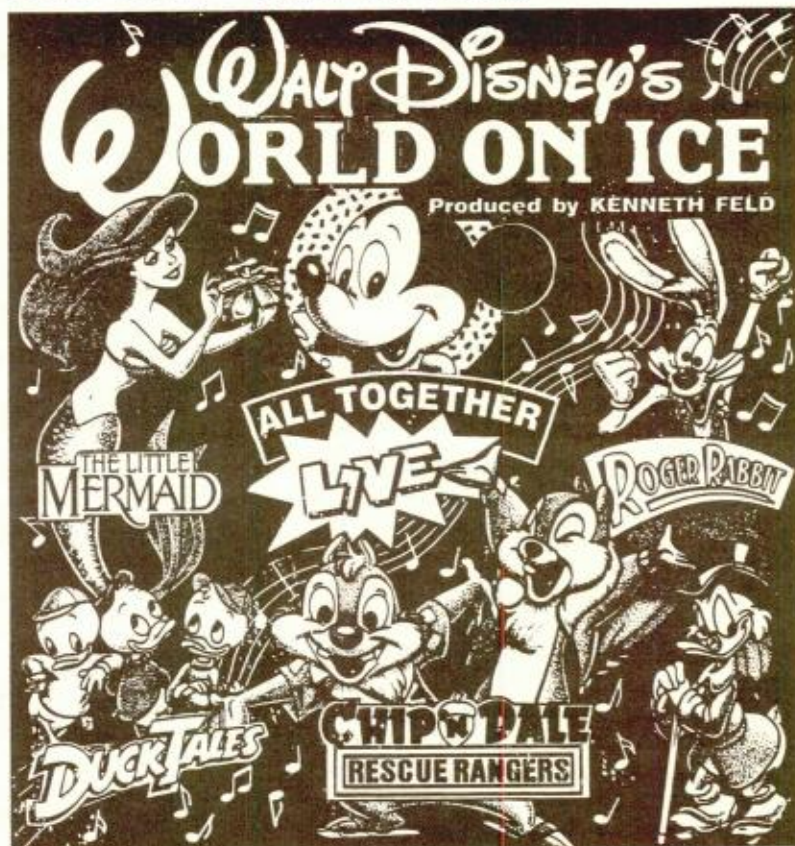
Congratulations to all our young artists who participated in the Epstein Arts Contest sponsored by Boys & Girls Clubs of America. All of our local winners' art work has been sent to Newport, R.I. where it is competing in a regional competition. We wish them the best of luck. Beth Krensky's art classes will continue at the Club every Thursday and Friday afternoon until June. Come explore your artistic abilities.

NATE HURWITZ TOURNAMENT

Applications are now available for the 69th annual Nate Hurwitz Basketball Tournament. The deadline for applications is Tuesday, March 12 and the tournament begins Tuesday, March 19. Finals will be both Saturday, April 20 and Sunday, April 21. There are eight separate divisions: Boys 11 and Under, 13 and Under, 19 and Under; Men's Open and Corporate Division.

CLUB CLOSING

The Club will be closed on Saturday, March 2 for staff training.



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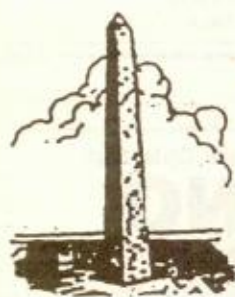
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★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★

Friday, Feb. 22

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

Monday, Feb. 25

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

Tuesday, Feb. 26

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

Wednesday, Feb. 27

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

Thursday, Feb. 28

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Senior Lounge,
Golden Age Ctr., Constitution Co-op Apts.
10 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

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Thursday - Tarragon chicken, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, corn, sesame twist, pineapple

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Don Bosco Super Bingo

Don Bosco Technical High School, 300 Tremont St., Boston, will conduct an \$8,000 Mini-Super Bingo on Sunday, Feb. 24, starting at 1 p.m. The amount of the prizes will be determined based on the number of players buying the suggested package. The all-day cost for 21 cards will be

\$30.

The doors will open at 9:30 a.m. for participants with reservations only. Others will be admitted at 11 a.m.

Refreshments will be available for purchase.

For information, call 426-9457.

Alzheimer's Advocates Training

Boston Senior Home Care and the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association of Eastern Mass will host an Alzheimer's Advocates training session on Friday, March 1. Advocates will be trained in a variety of volunteer activities benefitting Alzheimer's victims.

The training session will

be conducted at Boston Senior Home Care, 600 Washington St., Suite 630, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Participants are asked to bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and drinks will be provided.

To register and receive a map, call Mike Splaine at the Alzheimer's Association 494-5150.

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ACTIVITIES

- **Quilting** - Tuesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **Arts & Crafts** - Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **Flower Arrangements** - Thursday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.
- **Ceramics** - Monday to Thursday from noon to 4 p.m., contact Christine Pizzurro.
- **Beano** - Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:30 p.m., contact Sheila Walsh.
- **Lunch** - Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at noon, contact Sheila Walsh.
- **Knit & Crochet** - Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

TRIPS PLANNED

The center is planning a trip to the Beacon Motel in Lincoln, N.H. for a St. Patrick's Day Party and Clambake on March 6 and 7. The two day, one night trip includes three meals and the cost is \$109 based on double occupancy.

A trip to Bally's Park Place Casino Hotel in Atlantic City is planned for April 1 to 3. The cost of the trip is \$169 per person based on double occupancy. The package includes bonuses of \$30 in coin and a \$15 food credit. A \$50 deposit is required when the reservation is made with the balance due by March 1. Please see Sheila Walsh for further information.

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Court Reception Honors Justices



FRIENDS of the Charlestown District Court Committee recently honored Judge Albert Burns for his service to the court in carrying out the duties of Acting Presiding Justice. Shown (l. to r.) Chief Probation Officer Barbara Burke; committee members Mary MacInnes and Kay Whelan; Judge Burns; committee member Peter Looney; and committee chairman Marty O'Brien. Missing from the photo is committee member Mel Stillman. (photo by Kathy Giordano)



RETIRED Presiding Justice of the Charlestown District Court Mary Brennan congratulates the new justices and bids farewell to Acting Presiding Justice Albert Burns at a recent court reception. Shown (l. to r.) Judge Brennan, Presiding Justice Peter Agnes, Associate Justice Allen Jarasitis, Judge Burns and Chief Probation Officer Barbara Burke. (photo by Kathy Giordano)



CHARLESTOWN DISTRICT COURT Justices were honored at a recent reception held at the historic City Square courthouse. Judge Albert Burns (center) was recognized for his contributions to the court while performing the duties of Acting Presiding Justice. Associate Justice Allen Jarasitis (left) and Presiding Justice Peter Agnes (right) were officially welcomed to the court at the reception. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

Quinn Scholarship Fund Dinner Dance

On Saturday, April 6, the Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Fund will celebrate its 22nd dinner dance at the Bunker Hill Knights of Columbus Hall. Commencing with a 6:15 p.m. social hour, a six-course roast beef meal will be served, prepared by Mr. Joseph's II of North Attleboro under the direction of Linda Messina. The musical entertainment will be provided by the Dee Jay Connection with Alan LaBella and Tony Bruno Jr.

A salute is planned for the 21st recipient, Christopher O'Brien, the eldest son of Arthur and Cheryl O'Brien of 7 Oak St., Charlestown. O'Brien is a freshman at the College of the Holy Cross with the Class of 1994. Additionally, all veterans will be honored for their past and present service to the country. Presently Brig. Gen. R.I. Neal, U.S. Marine Corps, director, Manpower Plans and Policy Division will be the featured speaker, constrained only by his assignment in Operation Desert Storm.

The program will be dedicated to departed friend and trustee, Francis J. McClusky, who passed away on Sept. 4, 1990.

Tickets for this educa-

tional and patriotic event are \$25 per person, and may be purchased by calling 242-5493, 242-5445 or 242-4353. They are also available by writing to the Quinn Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 216, Charlestown.

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MWRA Announces 1991 Poster/Essay Contest For Students

cently announced the Eighth Annual School Contest to encourage student awareness of the ongoing need for water conservation and the importance of the federally mandated Boston Harbor project to rebuild the wastewater system that has polluted the harbor for decades.

Contest rules require that posters be about specific

ways people can save water and/or the importance of water in our lives. The essay contest topic is "Why It Is Important to Clean Up Boston Harbor."

Poster contest entrants will be judged in three categories — kindergarten through third grade, grade four through six, and grades seven through eight. Essay contest entrants will

be judged in the categories of grades four through six, grades seven through eight, and grades nine through 12.

First prize in each category is a \$200 savings bond. Second prize is a \$100 bond, and third prize is a \$50 bond. Honorable mention awards will recognize other outstanding entries. Each student who participates will receive a certificate. Prizes will be awarded at a special cere-

mony during Water Conservation Week in June.

All entries must be received at MWRA headquarters in the Charlestown Navy Yard, Charlestown, by 5 p.m., Friday, April 19.

Classroom materials and programs on both topics are available free of charge from the MWRA, along with further information about the contests. Call 242-SAVE for details.

On Dean's List At Bentley College

Bentley College undergraduate Dean H. Lee Schlorff has announced that two Charlestown residents earned dean's list honors for outstanding academic achievement in the fall semester.

Receiving honors were Colleen T. Kinsella of 28 Washington St., a sopho-

more, and Denise Poplawski of 27 Phipps St., a senior. Both are studying toward a bachelor of science degree in accountancy.

To be named to the dean's list, a student must have a semester grade point average of 3.2 or higher with no course grade falling below a 2.0 during the term.

Windmill Quilters Join In Making Quilts For AIDS-Infected Children

A national effort to send

homemade quilts to babies and toddlers who have the HIV/AIDS virus is underway.

To help in this effort, the Windmill Hill Quilters, a local chapter of the New England Quilters Guild, a non-profit corporation, needs to hear from any quiltmakers, club leaders, school principals and teachers who are interested in helping.

Donations of postage money or help with mailing costs and UPS charges are needed as well as are heavy wrapping materials. Contributions from Charlestown banks and local residents and merchants would be very much welcomed.

Please write to Windmill Hill Quilters, P.O. Box 448, Charlestown, Mass. 02129 if you are interested in contributing your help to this cause.

Inquiries can be made by calling 242-1799.

Interested In A 25th Reunion?

Members of the Charlestown High School classes of 1965 and 1966 would like to plan a 25th reunion in June. Anyone interested in planning such a joint venture should call Linda at 242-1558.

It's A Girl . . .

Maura and Scott Donahue of 38 Dunham Road, Beverly are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Megan Marie, on Feb. 10 at the Beverly Hospital.

The maternal grandparents are Jack and Marie Alves of Beverly. The maternal great-grandmother is Kitty Callahan of Charlestown.

The paternal grandparents are Jimmy and Jo Donahue of Charlestown. The paternal great-grandmother is Mary Donahue of Malden.

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Stone Attends San Diego Highway Conference

by Kathy Giordano

San Diego, California's planned SR-15 (State Route-15) highway project has awakened strong resistance from residents in the City Heights, Normal Heights and Kensington sections of that city. In an 11th-hour attempt to fight the state highway's intrusion on their neighborhoods, community activists called together a Blue Ribbon Panel of city planners and engineers from across the country. Engineers and consultants from Chicago, Seattle and Boston attended the panel discussions that brought new insight into the project.

Invited to participate in the Blue Ribbon Panel was Warren Street resident, Ken Stone, at the suggestion of former Massachusetts Transportation Secretary Fred Salvucci. Stone's participation on the North Area Task Force (NATF) for the past 10 years, presently serving as its co-chairman, was the reason for Salvucci's request to have him attend the West



KEN STONE (far right) participated on a Blue Ribbon Panel in San Diego, Calif., the site of a proposed highway project that would involve the taking of hundreds of homes.

Coast meetings. Salvucci informed the city of San Diego of the success the NATF has had in working with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works on the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) project to the betterment of the Charlestown neighborhood of Boston.

Stone stated that he attended the city's briefing session on the state's first-of-a-kind proposed uncovered,

underground tunnel system and also spoke at a community hearing on the project. He said that the proposed SR-15 project cuts a 2 1/2-mile split right through a section of San Diego, eliminating hundreds of rental housing units and single-family homes. Residents, he stated, were eager to find out about similar projects being constructed nationwide and any ramifications that have taken place affect-

ing the surrounding communities.

Stone was the only community activist included on the trip. He informed the residential group of the NATF's role in creating a livable CANA project that was also buildable by the state's standards. He stated: "I told the residents that the success of the CANA project was due to the input of our state representative, Richard Voke, who was always in Charlestown's corner. When we ran into problems, he was there to help." He added: "Community leaders and residents wanted to know how Charlestown put its project together. The answer to those questions, I told them, was community interest and input." He also stated: "I tried to impress upon them that community input was critical and equally important was the need to hold regularly scheduled meetings."

Stone hopes to be able to return to San Diego in March to keep abreast of the city's "Bury the Highway Project" campaign.

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Tuesday, Feb. 12

At 1:30 p.m., Officer Donahue observed an 18-year-old resident on Medford Street breaking into an automobile. As the suspect was apprehended, he attempted to drop a screw driver.

Wednesday, Feb. 13

At 1 a.m., Officer Bulman stopped a motor vehicle on Rutherford Avenue for a violation. The officer smelled a strong odor of drugs, observed drugs inside the vehicle and placed the driver, a 32-year-old Malden resident, under arrest.

At 5:15 a.m., Officer Connolly observed a vehicle on Gray Street commit a moving violation. The suspect refused to stop and crashed the vehicle into a barrier. The operator, an 18-year-old resident, attempted to flee on foot but was apprehended after a brief chase. The vehicle had been reported stolen.

At 8 p.m., two men entered the liquor store at 200 Bunker Hill St., one displayed a handgun and demanded the receipts. Both suspects fled on foot.

A truck parked in the rear of 90 Cambridge St. was bro-

ken into during the night, and office furniture was stolen.

An office at 134 Bunker Hill St. was broken into during the evening by prying open a vent and breaking through a wall. Cigarettes and currency were taken.

An automobile parked on Green Street was broken into.

Friday, Feb. 15

At 11:30 a.m., two teen-age males, one described as wearing a blue hooded sweat shirt and the other a dark leather coat, attempted to break into an apartment at 2 Henley St. The suspects were frightened away by a neighbor.

At 10 p.m., Officers Byrne and MacPherson responded to Union Street where they observed two individuals inside an automobile. Upon investigation, they observed a bag containing 33 paper folds of white powder believed to be cocaine. A 20-year-old resident and his 19-year-old companion were placed under arrest.

Two automobiles, one parked on Second Avenue and the other on Dunstable Street, were broken into during the evening.

Saturday, Feb. 16

A stolen automobile was recovered on Carney Court.

Sunday, Feb. 17

An automobile parked at Monument Square was broken into during the daytime, and two suitcases were stolen.

Monday, Feb. 18

At 6 p.m., a Malden resident reported that while walking along Cambridge Street he was jumped by two men who attempted to rob him. The victim struggled and one of the suspects stabbed him then ran. The victim sustained superficial wounds.

These incidents are under investigation by detectives of Area A.

Residents are reminded: If you know of any drug activity in your neighborhood, call the Boston Police Hot Line at 247-5625. It is not necessary to give your name, and all information will be investigated.

Charlestown Cooperative Bank Awarded Top Five-Star Rating

Charlestown Cooperative Bank has been awarded a five-star rating by Bauer Financial Reports Inc., a Coral Gables, Fla. research firm. This prestigious award identifies this institution as one of the safest, most credit-worthy savings associations in the United States.

The award is based on a zero to five-star rating assigned by BFR based on its analysis of the June 30, 1990 financial data as filed

with federal regulators.

A five-star rating for the safest savings associations in the country, indicates that the institution's tangible capital exceeds 6 percent of tangible assets, its core capital ratio exceeds 6 percent, its risk-based capital ratio exceeds 8 percent, that there are no excessive delinquencies or repossessed assets and that the institution was profitable or suffered an insignificant loss for the quarter ended June

30, 1990.

Paul A. Bauer, president of the research firm said: "Our five-star rating is awarded to traditional savings and co-operative banks, institutions that serve the local community and watch their bottom line.

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Neighborhood Council Meetings BYLAW COMMITTEE

Bylaw Committee Chairman Jim Conway has announced that the committee will meet tonight, Thursday, Feb. 21, at 7 p.m. to review the council's bylaws. The meeting will be held at Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.

MONTHLY MEETING

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 5 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

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