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Charlestown One Of Four Sites Being Considered For Transfer Facility

by Chris Nicastro

If the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA) selects Charlestown as the site for a new transfer facility it could mean 190 trucks traveling up and down Chelsea Street everyday.

It could also mean more than 2,400 new jobs (not all for Charlestown residents) and eventually a cleaner harbor for all of Boston.

The MWRA is considering four sites for the transfer of construction equipment and material to Deer and Nut Islands: Piers 48-49-50 in Charlestown, General Dynamics Shipyard in Quincy, Pier 6 in South Boston, and the

MBTA power plant in South Boston. After meeting with each of the communities to discuss its plans, the MWRA will select at least one of the four sites.

The MWRA is holding a public meeting on the transfer facility on Wednesday, April 1 at 7:30 p.m. at Charlestown High School, 254 Medford Street.

In order to ease the transportation of construction equipment from different parts of Massachusetts, the MWRA may construct two transfer facilities. Previously, lighter construction material and personnel have been brought to Deer Island through Winthrop. However, according to Elisa Speranza from the MWRA

public information office, the large tractor trailers needed for this project would be unable to negotiate the narrow streets of Winthrop.

Speranza emphatically denied persistent rumors that the transfer facility will be eventually used as a

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Parade Committee To Meet

The Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee will meet on Monday evening, March 30 at 7:30 p.m. at One Thompson Square.

All who are interested in assisting in the preparations for the June 14th — Bunker Hill Day Parade are welcome to attend.

The Flatley Company Hosts Senior Citizens At Saint Patrick's Day Party



THOMAS J. FLATLEY, President of the Flatley Company, hosted over 400 Charlestown senior citizens at a Saint Patrick's Day Dinner and Party at The Schrafft Center in Sullivan Square. Residents enjoyed a traditional corned beef and cabbage dinner and entertainment sponsored by Flatley and served by company and community volunteers. Shown (l. to r.) enjoying the day's festivities were Sister Mary Martin, O.P., Sister Ann Rita, O.P., Thomas Flatley and Sister Hugh Francis, O.P.



MAYOR Raymond Flynn (left) greeted the guests at the St. Patrick's Day Party and commended Thomas J. Flatley (right) for hosting the event at The Schrafft Center.



AMONG the invited guests at the St. Patrick's Day Dinner were Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini (left) and Representative Richard Voke (right).

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Traffic Mitigation Measures Topic Of NATF Meeting

The next meeting of the Central Artery North Area Task Force will be held on Tuesday, March 31 at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street in Charlestown.

Discussion will focus on local traffic mitigation measures. The public is welcome to attend.

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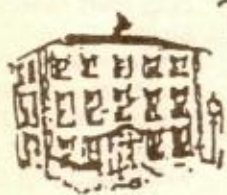
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Deadline for advertising and copy is Monday at 5:00 p.m.

Charlestown Community Calendar

This Week At A Glance

Thursday, March 26

- Head Start Registration - 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street and Old Kent School, 23A Moulton Street
- Book Discussion Group featuring **Mornings On Horseback** by David McCullough - 6:30 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- Charlestown Comedy Night featuring Steve Sweeney, sponsored by Charlestown Boys and Girls Club - 8:00 p.m. to midnight - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Friday, March 27

- Head Start Registration - 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. - Charlestown Community Center, 14 Green Street and Old Kent School, 23A Moulton Street
- Adult Discussion Group and Pre-School Story Hour - 10:00 a.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

Saturday, March 28

- Charlestown Little League Tryouts - 11:00 a.m. - Little League Field, Ryan Park, Sullivan Square
- Fundraiser to benefit the Heart, Juvenile Diabetes and Leukemia Funds - 7:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Sunday, March 29

- Charlestown Little League Tryouts - noon - Little League Field, Ryan Park, Sullivan Square
- The Upper Hand Theatre presents "The Magic Hat," sponsored by CAPS - 2:30 p.m. - Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street
- Special Lenten Service and Hymn Sing - 3:00 p.m. - First Church in Charlestown, Green Street

Monday, March 30

- Human Services Committee of the Neighborhood Council Meeting with Dr. Roger Sweet from MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center - 7:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

- Bunker Hill Day Parade Committee Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - One Thompson Square

Tuesday, March 31

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

- Meeting on the North Area/Central Artery Reconstruction Project - 7:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Wednesday, April 1

- Service of Evening Prayer - 6:00 p.m. - St. John's Church, 27 Devens Street

- Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours - 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. - Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square

- Free Income Tax Preparation Assistance - 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Charlestown Community Schools, 255 Medford Street

- Alzheimer's Support Group - 6:30 p.m. - Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill Street

- Fellowship and Discussion Group - 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. - First Baptist Church, 5 Monument Square

- Public Meeting on On-Island and On-Shore Water Transportation Plan sponsored by Massachusetts Water Resources Authority - 7:30 p.m. - Charlestown High School Auditorium, 254 Medford Street

- Bunker Hill Post 26, American Legion Meeting - 8:00 p.m. - Life Focus Center, One City Square

Upcoming Events

Thursday, April 2

- Condominium Close-Up, a free seminar for prospective condo owners - 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. - Bunker Hill Community College

Friday, April 3

- Adult Discussion Group and Pre-School Story Hour - 10:00 a.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

- Boston Police Explorers Post 1212-15 Meeting - 2:45 p.m. - 55 Bunker Hill Street

Saturday, April 4

- Ordination and Institution as Rector of Reverend Brian Murdoch - 5:00 p.m. - St. John's Church, 27 Devens Street

- Annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship Dinner Dance - 7:30 p.m. - Preble Room, Building 5, Charlestown Navy Yard

- Charlestown Youth Hockey Benefit Dance - 8:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Sunday, April 5

- Annual Family Communion Breakfast sponsored by the Holy Name Society - following 8:30 a.m. Mass - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street

- Five Mile Love Run Road Race, sponsored by Toys For Puppies & Kitts - noon - from Charlestown High School

- Kennedy Center Board of Directors Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Multi-Service Center, 76 Monument Street

- Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Tuesday, April 7

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

- "The Nutritional Management of the Diabetic" Seminar - 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Bunker Hill Community College

- Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Wednesday, April 8

- Career Day - 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. - Main Lobby, Bunker Hill Community College

- Service of Evening Prayer - 6:00 p.m. - St. John's Church, 27 Devens Street

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- Charlestown Economic Development Corporation Meeting - 7:30 p.m. - Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street

Plan Ahead

Thursday, April 9

- Magical Puppet Play for Children - 4:00 p.m. - Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

Friday, April 10

- Charlestown Pop Warner Dance for 8 to 14 year olds - 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

Saturday, April 11

- Spring season of Charlestown Youth Soccer begins - 10:00 a.m. - Charlestown High School Field, Medford Street

- Third Annual Matty O'Neil Scholarship Dinner Dance - 6:30 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Sunday, April 12

- Charlestown Ecumenical Clergy Council presents the first segment of the film "Jesus of Nazareth" - 7:00 p.m. - St. Catherine's Church, Hayes Square

Monday, April 13

- Charlestown Ecumenical Clergy Council presents the second segment of the film "Jesus of Nazareth" - 7:00 p.m. - First Baptist Church, 5 Monument Square

Tuesday, April 14

- Police Community Relations Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street

- Charlestown Ecumenical Clergy Council presents the third segment of the film "Jesus of Nazareth"

- 7:00 p.m. - St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens Street

Wednesday, April 15

- Alzheimer's Support Group - 6:30 p.m. - Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill Street

- Passion Play "Triumph and Tragedy" - 7:30 p.m. - St. Mary's Church, Warren Street

Thursday, April 23

- Charlestown Historical Society presents a slide show on "Old Charlestown" - 7:30 p.m. - Hull Room, Building Five, Charlestown Navy Yard

- Dance sponsored by Camp Bunker Hill Advisory Board - 8:00 p.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

- Noel Henry Night Dinner Dance - 8:00 p.m. - Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street

- Spring Rummage Sale - 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - First Baptist Church, 5 Monument Square

- Annual Firefighters' Mass and Communion Breakfast - 10:00 a.m. - St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street

- St. Mary's Annual Mass of Anointing - 11:00 a.m. - K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

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Saint Francis Eighth Graders Visit Washington, D.C.

by Jane Fratalia

The eighth grade students of Saint Francis de Sales traveled to Washington, D.C. during the week of March 9-12 as their graduating class field trip.

While in the nation's capital, the class enjoyed a most memorable educational and emotional experience.

Accompanied by the principal, Sister Saint Ag-

nes Spillane, S.N.D., the eighth grade teacher, Mrs. Gallant, and the President of the Parents Club, Jerry Benoit, the class took in several of the most noteworthy attractions the capital has to offer. Thanks to the efforts of Jim Walsh, Benoit and Congressman Joseph Kennedy, the students visited the White House and toured the Senate and the House of Repre-

sentatives. The students were also invited to Kennedy's office for a luncheon, but time was not available for them to do so.

In addition to touring the historical spots, the class had a chance to visit the Vietnam Memorial. Already prepared with a list of the Charlestown men who were killed in Vietnam, they had an opportunity to see these names

first-hand on the Memorial — an emotional experience they will always remember.

A special thanks was extended to Jim Walsh in Congressman Kennedy's Boston office for all his help; to Congressman Joe Kennedy for his cooperation, and to the chaperones for their concern and their time. Congratulations to the class for their exemplary behavior. They are a credit to their parents as well as their teachers.

Kennedy Center Board To Meet

The Kennedy Center Board of Directors will meet on Monday, April 6 at 7:00 p.m. at the Multi-Service Center on 76 Monument Street.

There is a seat open on the Board for a resident of Precinct Three. Anyone interested in representing this precinct should attend the meeting.

The public is invited.

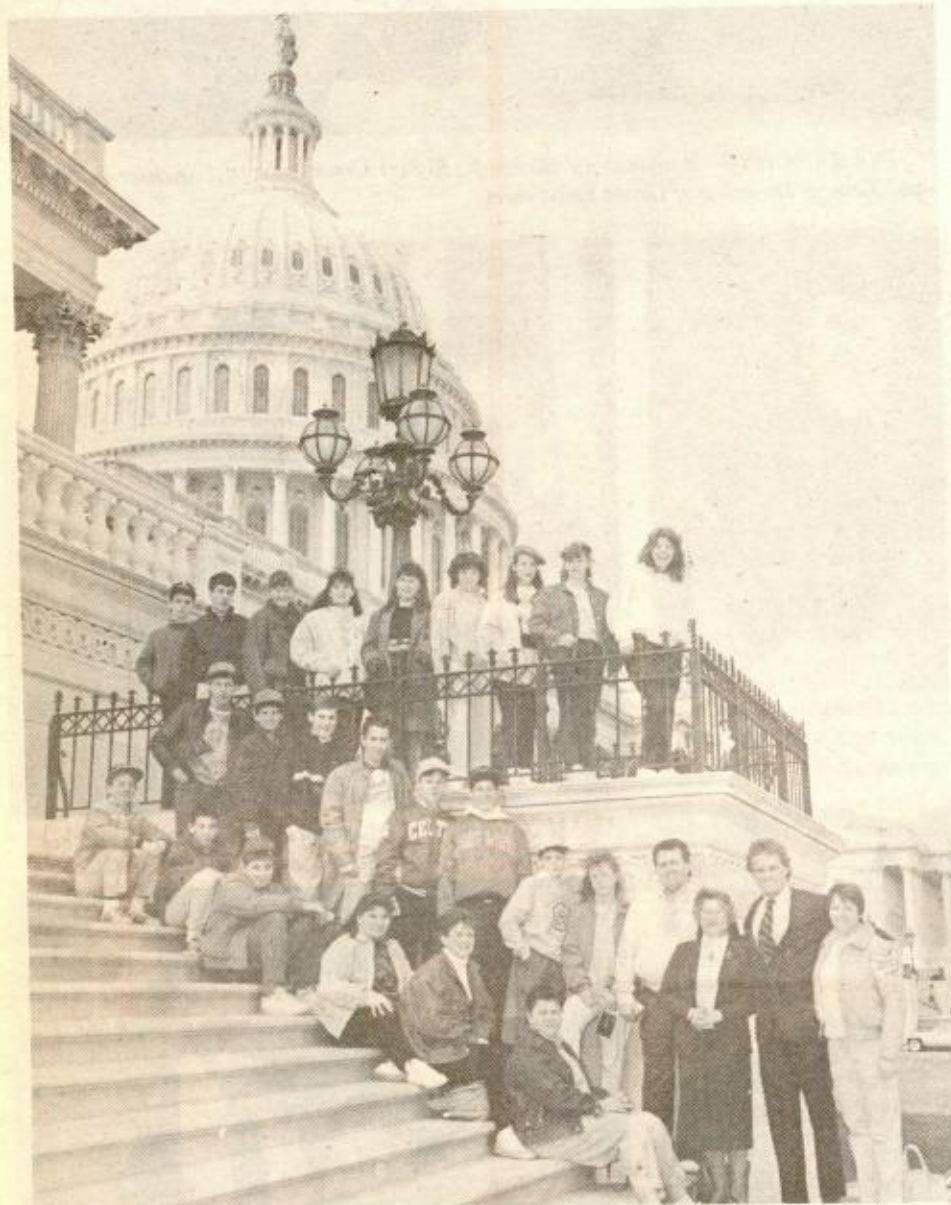
It's A Girl . . .

Robert and Linda Pieper of East Boston are proud to announce the birth of their daughter on February 25 at Beth Israel Hospital.

The new arrival has been named Amanda Ann. She weighed six pounds 13 ounces.

The paternal grandparents are Robert and Margaret Pieper of Charlestown. The maternal grandparents are Jerry and Antonette D'Amato of East Boston.

The great grandparents are Frances D'Amato of East Boston and Margaret Malone of Charlestown.



CONGRESSMAN Joseph P. Kennedy hosted the students from Grade Eight of Saint Francis de Sales School and their chaperones at a visit to the Nation's Capitol during their recent tour of Washington, D.C. Shown seated (l. to r.) Daniel Marcella, Robert LaPorte, Anthony Higgins, Christy Lane, Michelle Summers and Shannon Houlihan. Middle row (l. to r.) David Cameron, James McLaughlin, Chris Connors, William Sullivan, James Burke, Stephen Power, Keith McKeon, Annmarie Martin, Parents Club President Jerry Benoit, Principal Sister Saint Agnes Spillane, S.N.D., Congressman Joseph Kennedy and Eighth Grade Teacher Lisa Gallant. Top row (l. to r.) Neil McLaughlin, Michael Davide, Cheryl Collins, Jennifer Gill, Shannon Lawler, Kerri Gillen, Margaret Borden, Margaret Chase and Eileen Lynch.

Kent Monitoring Progress Of Main Street Reconstruction

Joseph Kent of Charlestown has recently joined the Boston Redevelopment Authority and will be monitoring the progress of the reconstruction project on Main Street in Charlestown for the Authority. Kent

works at the Harbor Planning and Development Site Office at the Navy Yard.

Any inquiries concerning the status of the Main Street Project should be directed to Kent at 242-2282.



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Chicken Noodle Soup	Cup \$.95	Pint \$ 1.85
Chicken Pot Pie w/garlic bread & salad		\$ 3.99
Sandwich Special: Ham & Cheese Croissant w/salad		\$ 3.49

FRIDAY

Oyster Stew	Cup \$ 1.25	Pint \$ 2.25
Haddock ala Roughan w/salad		\$ 3.99
Sandwich Special: Tuna Melt Croissant w/salad		\$ 3.49

"Spenser" Films Scenes On Cordis Street

by Kathy Giordano

Filming for the last episode of the season of "Spenser For Hire" was a media event yesterday, March 25. Film crews arrived early on Cordis Street as did WRKO's mobile van with Janet and Ted, broadcasting live from the top of the street. Members of two of the 6:00 p.m. news teams were on hand with their camera persons as was the "crew" from the **Charlestown Patriot** to catch the goings on.

Robert Urich, star of the show, was most accommodating to all the fans who waited patiently for a glimpse of him between shots. He posed for pic-

tures, spoke to residents and waved to the crowd. The film crew and the Cordis Street neighbors seemed to be enjoying each other's company as laughter could be heard as stories were passed back and forth.

The filming took place inside 18 Cordis Street, the home of Bruce and Andrea Garr, but the entire street was taken up by the trucks and equipment needed by the filming crew. Director's chairs were lined up outside neighboring houses denoting the star that would sit in that spot. Cameras from pocket size to video, Polaroids to sophisticated

equipment with zoom lenses were being used by the crowd as everyone wanted to get a memento of the star and the show, proving the popularity this series has in Boston, and especially in the Charlestown neighborhood.

According to a spokesperson from the film crew, the episode shot on Cordis Street will be seen in two weeks. "Spenser For Hire" has not been cancelled next year, but on the other hand, it has not been renewed either.

If you would like to see "Spenser" next season, drop a line to ABC and let them know.



LYDIA DOWNING, daughter of Richard Robert Urich, star of "Spenser for Hire," and Kathryn Downing of Green Street meets



Boston Police Explorers Post 1212-15

The Boston Police Explorers Post 1212-15 will meet on Friday, April 3 at 2:45 p.m. at 55 Bunker Hill Street.

This meeting will involve planning for the Post's annual visit to the Police Academy.

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— PUBLIC MEETING —

MASSACHUSETTS WATER RESOURCES AUTHORITY (MWRA)

will hold a public information meeting to discuss the possible use of Piers 48, 49 and 50 in Charlestown for the transport by water of construction equipment and supplies to Deer Island.

The meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 1, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. at Charlestown High School, 254 Medford Street.

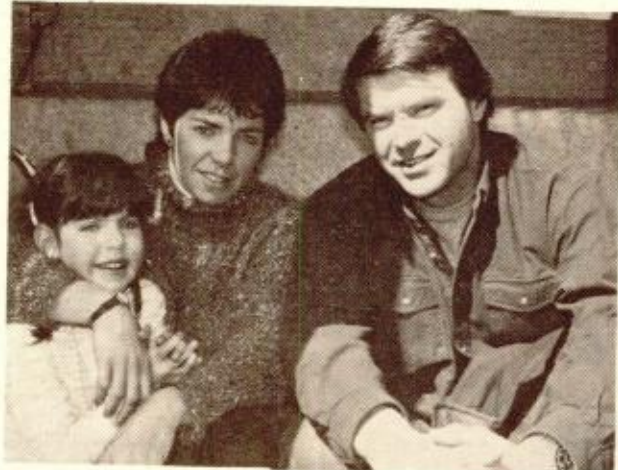
This study is part of the MWRA's Boston Harbor Clean-Up Program.

For more information, please call:

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CASEY and ANDREA GARR pose with Robert Urich during a break in filming. Garr's house on Cordis Street was used for a scene for the last episode of the season.



ADAM GUARINO, grandson of Eleanor and Victor Micarone of Pleasant Street, meets Robert Urich.



MAG MAHER of Cordis Street and Robert Urich pose for photo during a break in filming.



KAY WHELAN of Cordis and Ron Gollobin, news reporter for WCVB-TV, Channel 5, were among the many on-lookers during filming of "Spenser for Hire."



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Affordable Housing — One Step Closer

by Kathy Giordano

Applicants for the soon to be built affordable housing units in the Charlestown Navy Yard have been streaming into the Parris Building to pick up the papers that will enable them a chance to be put into the lottery for these units. At press time, over 700 applications had been given out, of which 70% were distributed to Charlestown residents.

The current plans for the units to be built on Thirteenth Street in the Navy Yard include 24 one-bedroom units, 750 square feet in size, three of which will be handicapped accessible; five two-bedroom units at 1150 square feet; nine 2½-bedroom units with 1300 sq. ft.; 8 - 3 bedroom units at 1350 square feet; and two four-bedroom units with 2070 square feet. Prices for these condominiums will range between \$77,400 to \$88,900 and are being designated for first time home-buyers of low or moderate income. 70% of the units will be allotted to Charlestown residents and the remaining 30% to residents of Boston.

In talking to many Charlestown residents on their thoughts regarding these units, the response has been overwhelmingly favorable with praise for the Bricklayers and Laborers Non-Profit Housing Co., Inc. for bringing this opportunity into the area for many local families to stay in Charlestown. Many families feel that this might be their last change to stay in the community due to not only the high price of housing, but also the astronomical rents for two and three bedroom apartments.

Others, however, voiced their distrust in the process of selection stating that "those units are already



EARLY ARRIVALS to pick up applications for affordable housing in the Charlestown Navy Yard were Charlestown residents (l. to r.) Kerrin Donahue, Shauna Donahue, Carol Hurley and Courtney Donahue. Lorraine Lynch of the Bricklayers & Laborers Non-Profit Housing Co., Inc. was on hand assisting applicants.

gone . . . it's all sewed-up even before anyone applied for them!" In response to such remarks, Tom McIntyre of the Bricklayers stated, "There is no winking or no blinking . . . everyone gets a fair shake." He also stated, as he has done many times in the past, "When the drawing for the new housing units takes place, it will be done in a public place. Each person will put their

own name into an open bin and then the names will be selected by an impartial person under the watchful eye of the other applicants." McIntyre also stated that when a similar drawing took place for affordable housing in South Boston, Mayor Flynn's niece was in the pool of applicants and she "took her chances just like everyone else." (She did not get a unit.)

Applications can be picked up through April 4th in the Navy Yard. For place, dates and times, see the Bricklayers advertisement in this edition of the Patriot. Personnel will be on hand from both the Bricklayers & Laborers Non-Profit Housing Co., Inc. and the Boston Redevelopment Authority to assist hopeful applicants and answer any questions they might have.



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Applications and selection criteria for the purchase of these condominium units will be available at the BRA Office, Charlestown Navy Yard / Parris Building, One First Avenue, First Floor, Charlestown, MA, on the following dates only:

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Charlestown has a serious health problem in that too many people die of heart disease. In a community-based effort to improve the public awareness of this issue, the Cardiac Health Advisory Board, made up of community residents, Charlestown based agencies and business people, have volunteered to advise the Health Center staff on how best to help the community achieve the goal of a healthy heart.

During the week of April 6 through 10, Charlestown will be celebrating Healthy Heart Week. Free blood pressure screenings, cholesterol testing, heart healthy food demonstrations, school-based education programs and free exhibits, health information and much more will be happening in the community. Look for the Healthy Heart Van which will be coming to many areas of town. Come by and bring your family and neighbors. This will be an opportunity to get your free Cardiac Health Risk Profile done.

The week of April 6-10 is just the beginning of a community campaign to help the people of Charlestown live a longer and healthier life.

The events of April 6 through 10 are:

Monday, April 6 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., the Healthy Heart Van will be at Constitution Co-op Apartments and Saint Mary's Church on Warren Street; from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., the Van will be at Saint Francis

de Sales Church on Bunker Hill Street.

Tuesday, April 7 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., the Healthy Heart Van will be at Saint Catherine's Church on Vine Street; from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., the Van will be at Anchorage Apartments on Ninth Street in the Navy Yard.

Wednesday, April 8 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., the Heart Health Fair will be held at Johnnie's Foodmaster with food demonstrations and recipes; **Free** cholesterol screening; blood pressure screening; information and exhibits on exercise, nutrition, stress and smoking; and Walk For Heart Health with the National Park Service at 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. The Heart Healthy Van will be at the Knights of Columbus Hall on 75 West School Street from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Thursday, April 9 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., the Healthy Heart Van will be at the Mary Colbert Apartments and Saint John's Church on Devens Street; from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., the Van will be at the Charlestown Community Schools on 255 Medford Street.

Friday, April 10 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., the Healthy Heart Van will be at the Donut Maker on Cambridge Street; from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., the Van will be at the Kent Community School on 50 Bunker Hill Street.

Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented

at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street on Tuesday, March 31st at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "One," in which a boy manages to have fun, even though he has no money; and the world's tiniest elephant proves that size isn't everything in "Goliath II."

"Winnie The Pooh And A Day For Eeyore" will be shown during the 3:30 p.m. program only. This is the story of Eeyore who learns that "it's the thought that counts."

The suggested readings, in conjunction with these films, are: **Bored — Nothing To Do** by Peter Spier, **Eli** by Bill Peet, and **Winnie The Pooh** by A.A. Milne.

Dr. Sweet To Speak On Plans And Programs Of Health Center

Moe Gillen, Chairman of the Human Services Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council has announced that Doctor Roger Sweet, Director of the MGH Community Health Group will present the plans and programs of

the MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center to the committee on Monday evening, March 30 at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street.

The public is welcome to attend.

Appearing In "Sweet Beginnings"

Bernadette Merullo of Charlestown is appearing in "Sweet Beginning," a musical being presented by Mount Saint Joseph Academy on April 1, 2 and 3 at 8:00 p.m. in the school gymnasium, 617 Cambridge Street, Brighton.

Bernadette, a senior at the Mount, has a featured role in the musical, which centers around the attempts of a pathetic clown figure to demonstrate that the

world is not as empty as it seems.

Tickets are \$5.00.

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Life Behind The Wall



by Ronan FitzPatrick

Talk about your fuzz busters, what a scene outside Gate 5 the day after St. Patrick's Day! Without exaggeration, upon my departure over thirty Claude Aikins' vehicles idled, awaiting their acceptance or deliverance. I wonder, was it Ed Johnson's departure that created the line? To those teamsters, it was more a blue line.

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Activity has been going on within the Shipway Commercial Condominiums. With two presently anchoring, it will be just a matter of time before the number will be tripled. The south side appears ready for occupancy. The mats are out, and the prospective clients can't be far behind. As the specific uses become known, I will share same.

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Not exactly a St. Patrick's arrival, but close. Dressed in the appropriate colors, the **Irving Eskimo**, with port of origin St. John N.B., sailed down the harbor on St. Patrick's Day, it's Kelly green below deck design complimenting its top-side white trim. Incorporating a substantial bulk, the voyagers were looking forward to a night of entertainment — one of the best Ports was their call.

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A change of venue in the yard as the all important personal office of the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority has moved from the Ironsides Building on First Avenue. Fear not, it has only gone across the street to the Parris Building.

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Signs are appearing as if a hotly contested election is being staged. Navy Yard Plaza Associates have begun the major developing of Building 39, to be known as the Carriage Building. Blue George Macomber signs are strategically placed on the building that borders First Avenue, Seventh Street, and Ninth Street. With the admonition this a Hard Hat job, the work crews were aptly applying their honed skill. We look forward to the completion of this facility due to its focal position within the Yard.

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Was that Business Manager "Townie" Mike Walsh exiting from First Avenue last week? No doubt he was calling on the sheet metal workers which he represents so professionally. Hope he made it before Gate 4 was blocked off for construction purposes.

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For all the French-Anglo collaboration over the years, the stretching crane adjacent to Pier 4 is reminiscent of our once strong French alliance. Not to be confused with the Eiffel Tower, it renders a faint resemblance. Maybe the Park Service's budget will result in illumination for our next Christmas season.

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Rampant stories of the Stock Exchange, Dow Jones, and mergers and acquisitions, predominate the financial and daily publications. With the numerous deliveries Waltham Lime and Cement has and continues to make, check with your broker to make a modest investment.

Five Hour Tobin Bridge Closure On March 29

The lower deck of the Tobin Memorial Bridge, Route 1 northbound, will be closed for five hours on Sunday, March 29, from 7:00 a.m. to noon while a section of the bridge's supporting structural steel is repaired. Massport has announced.

As part of Massport's ongoing preventive maintenance program for the Tobin Bridge, repair steel is being installed on a cross girder on a portion of the bridge on the lower level across from the Charlestown Navy Yard. The torquing of high strength bolts which fasten the new steel to the cross girder must be done without traffic on the bridge; therefore, vehicles will be restricted from leaving Boston via the Tobin Bridge from Route I-93 and

the Central Artery during the prescribed hours.

Because the repair work requires a full closure on the lower level, Massport and its consulting engineers have developed a plan to condense the work period into just five hours. Work crews will be using large air impact wrenches run by air compressors. Therefore, Charlestown residents who reside in neighborhoods close to the Tobin Bridge may experience an increase in noise during this particular repair procedure.

In addition, a detour will direct traffic leaving the Central Artery to the City Square Constitution ramp. From this point traffic will be diverted north via Chelsea, Terminal, and Medford Streets in Charlestown to Route 99 by way of

Sullivan Square. During the detour, southbound traffic on Chelsea Street will be diverted to Vine Street to avoid interfering with the detour.

"Massport has worked closely with its contractor to minimize the inconvenience to both the traveling public and to the Tobin Bridge's neighbors," said Bridge Director Joseph Greene. "This repair work is absolutely necessary and we intend to complete the procedure as quickly and as efficiently as possible," Greene added.

The placement of closure signs and other traffic control devices will begin around 5:00 a.m. in one closed lane in preparation for the subsequent closure of all three lanes on the lower level. Commencing

promptly at 7:00 a.m., the lower level will be closed to all traffic and work will begin immediately. The torquing process is expected to take no longer than four hours and an additional hour of closure has been scheduled to provide for a margin of safety. The lower deck will be reopened at noon.

In case of inclement weather, the shutdown will be postponed to the following Sunday, April 5th. This is the final closure required during this particular phase of structural repairs on the Tobin Bridge.

Book Discussion Group

The Book Discussion Group will meet on Thursday, March 26, at 6:30 p.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street. The book to be discussed is **Mornings On Horseback** by David McCullough.

Teddy Roosevelt's struggle to overcome boyhood sickness is told with warm compassion by McCullough. This book is a journey into the heart of the Roosevelt family.

Winner Of "Young Miss" Award

April Lee Golden of 142 School Street, Everett recently won the John Robert Powers School of Modeling "Young Miss" Photogenic Award.

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Street Cleaning To Begin On April 1st

by **Kathy Giordano**

Charlestown streets will get a good spring cleaning starting April 1st when the street sweeper will make an encore appearance in our fair town.

The Traffic and Parking Department has announced that "courtesy tagging" will begin on Wednesday,

April 1, allowing residents ample time to become familiar with the cleaning schedule on their street. Actual tickets will be handed out starting April 8th.

According to Karen Anderson, Public Relations spokesperson for the Department, "those streets not already posted for street

cleaning will be included in the cleaning schedule and posted in the near future."

It has been quite a few years since a Charlestown-wide street cleaning program has been enacted. Residents are urged to cooperate with the "sweeper" to allow him to do a thorough job.

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Public Works Department Faces Battle To Maintain Services

by Chris Nicastro

Pressured by the rising cost of rubbish hauling, an expensive effort to maintain the city's bridges and an inability to attract enough workers, the Boston Public Works Department has no major programs scheduled for Charlestown this year and is struggling to meet the day-to-day maintenance needed for the neighborhood's upkeep.

At a meeting with community residents on Tuesday, March 24, sponsored by the Neighborhood Council, Boston Public Works Commissioner Joseph Casazza said these fiscal constraints and several jurisdictional restrictions prevent him from acting decisively on several of the community's concerns. Major bridge repairs, and construction projects such

as the North Area Central Artery project and the Main Street reconstruction currently underway, are out of his range, he explained.

Maintenance work, including sidewalk repair, street cleaning and street light repair, however is under the Public Work's jurisdiction and much of the discussion at Tuesday's meeting focused on these

areas.

According to Casazza, street cleaning for all of Charlestown will begin April 1. Meter maids will begin enforcing parking regulations by first issuing warnings to delinquent vehicles, followed by parking tickets, and if necessary towing will be considered.

Tom McLaughlin of 10 Seminary Street urged Casazza to follow through on a pledge former Mayor Kevin White made to widen his street and install new street lights. Casazza said he would look into the re-

quest but doubted that funds would be available.

Steve McHugh of Mead Street asked the commissioner to repair the "forty flights" stairway at the end of his street. The stairway, according to McHugh, is in a state of great disrepair and is dangerous for the children who frequently play on it.

Fred Cefalo of 3 Cordis Street said a light on his street has been out of commission for 18 months. Calls to City Hall about the situation, he added, were ignored. According to Ca-

sazza, the Public Works Department has had trouble replacing many of the City's street lights because of its trouble negotiating a reasonable contract with the manufacturers of the lights.

"The law of supply and demand has gone against us," said Casazza. "Bids have gone out twice, but we are not going to settle for the higher price."

A similar problem in contracts with local towing companies, he said, has hampered the City's ability to haul abandoned cars.

Kennedy Honored For Public Service

Katherine Kennedy of Charlestown was recently honored for her many years of outstanding public service with the Massachusetts Department of Revenue (DOR). Revenue Commissioner Ira A. Jackson presented Service Awards to the 40-year veteran in a

special ceremony at the Cambridge Historical Society's Hopper-Lee-Nichols House.

Kennedy, Principal Assessing Clerk was among only 22 employees with 35 or more years at DOR honored at the event. Commissioner Jackson

paid tribute to Kennedy by citing her dedication in service to the State's taxpayers. "You are a vested owner of the company," he stated. "Your pride in, and appreciation of, what you do makes the Department of Revenue the model agency it is."



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Flatley Company Seeks Permit For Mystic River Work

The Flatley Company is seeking permission from the United States Army Corps of Engineers to accomplish work in the Mystic River at Charlestown for the construction of a parking lot for tenants of The Schrafft Center and a public waterfront park. The work would include dredging a 45,205 square foot area, placing 19,698 cubic

yards of fill in 79,313 square feet of tidelands, and construction of boardwalks, a pier, a water taxi landing, a sailing club, floating docks and a gazebo.

The application for the federal permit was filed with the Engineers in compliance with Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act which provides for federal

regulation of any work in, under or over navigable waters of the United States and Section 404 of the Clean Water Act which regulates the discharge of dredged or fill material in United States waters, including wetlands.

To assist in evaluating the proposed work, the Engineers are soliciting public comments. Written state-

ments should be forwarded to their office no later than April 20, 1987. Additional information may be obtained by contacting Philip Hetzner at the New England Division, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 424 Trapelo Road, Waltham, MA 02254-9149, telephone 647-8494 (toll free 1-800-362-4367).

Update On The Schrafft Center

Since the Flatley Company purchased the former candy factory two years ago, The Schrafft Center, encompassing 600,000 square feet, has undergone an extensive transformation and is one of the largest private commercial buildings to undergo rehabilitation in the history of Boston. The Schrafft Center nears 50% occupancy in its first year.

When the Schrafft Candy Factory ceased operation, 800 people lost their jobs. Thomas Flatley expects The Schrafft Center to employ approximately 2,000 people upon completion. With the implementation of a training program by Flatley, in conjunction with Bunker Hill Community College, many former candy factory employees will have the opportunity to be retrained to work in skilled and semi-skilled jobs for the new companies moving to The Schrafft Center.

Carmella O'Grady, a Charlestown resident, recently reminisced about working at the Schrafft Candy Factory in 1947 where she packed candies. Carmella still works at the Schrafft building, although today she is employed by Fotec, a high-tech maker of fiberoptic support equipment. "We discovered there were a lot of highly qualified people that were easy to recruit, who were living in this area and commuting to places like Burlington and Concord. We were able to get the cream of the crop," stated Jim Hayes, President of Fotec.

As Thomas Flatley originally envisioned, the Schrafft Center facility has become an anchor for the Charlestown community while living up to expectations for its utility as a home for high-tech and commercial tenants.

The Flatley Company is incorporating an amenity package for the tenants of The Schrafft Center that is unequalled in the city. It includes an on-site restaurant, a complimentary shuttle bus to public transportation, a sailing club, retail lobby shops, water taxi service and the planned Child Development Center and Fitness Center.

The Child Development Center and Health Club is housed in the former power house which generated all the energy for the former candy factory. The grand opening will take place in April.

The planned water taxi service to Logan Airport will also benefit the tenants of The Schrafft Center. "We're interested in making sure there is easy accessibility to Logan and the water taxi will be very effective," stated Flatley. A public boat ramp is expected to be completed by next year.

The Schrafft Center has welcomed prestigious companies such as Fotec, Orion Research, IMEC Corporation, the Department of Human Services and Target Productions, to name a few.

Chet Collier, a six-time national Emmy Award winning television executive and President of Target Productions has made his home at The Schrafft Center. Target Productions houses over 2.5 million of the latest video technology and includes two multi-format editing suites, 1,000 square foot production studio, and a complete computer graphics capability. "The whole Center is designed around expansion," stated Collier, President of Target Productions.

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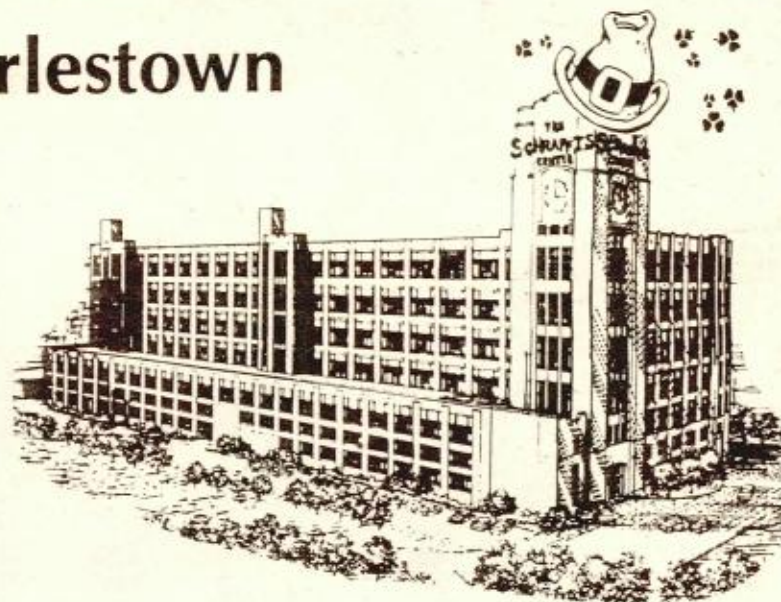
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Charlestown Senior Citizens Celebrate St. P

The Schrafft Center, owned and managed by the Flatley Company, hosted an "Old Fashioned" Saint Patrick's Day Dinner at The Schrafft Center for 430 Charlestown senior citizens, while volunteers served the traditional corned beef and cabbage dinner.

During the meal a five piece band, under the direction

of Joe Joyce, played Irish favorites while Irish step dancers performed. The Flatley Company coordinated the affair with the Kennedy Center and the Charlestown Community Schools to provide transportation for the elderly to The Schrafft Center.

The guests were greeted with an impressive 40-foot

rainbow, designed with a colorful array of balloons that adorned the new three story atrium, ascending from the first mezzanine into a pot of gold. The Schrafft lobby is impressive in its own right with a green marble floor with an inlay of a brass clock.

Invited guests who attended the dinner included Mayor





photos by John Dillon

Patrick's Day In Style At The Schrafft Center

Raymond L. Flynn; Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini; Commissioner of Elderly Affairs for the City of Boston Michael Taylor and Assistant Commissioner Jim McCarthy; State Representative and Chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means Richard A. Voke; the 1986 "Charlestown Rose" Peggy Ann Brennan as

well as the many volunteers from the community, its agencies, organizations and businesses that assisted in serving the dinner.

* Mayor Flynn donated Shamrock plants and green carnations to the elderly Charlestown residents. The guests

also received chocolates with an imprint of The Schrafft Center from Thomas J. Flatley.

This event met with raves from the Charlestown senior citizens with thanks to Thomas Flatley for hosting the party that made Saint Patrick's Day memorable.



Communion Breakfast

Saint Francis de Sales Holy Name Society will hold its Annual Family Communion Breakfast on Sunday, April 5, following the 8:30 a.m. Mass, in Bishop Lawton Hall, 313 Bunker Hill Street.

wealth of Massachusetts. William McCabe of Charlestown. Tickets are priced at \$5 per person and children under twelve will be admitted free. Tickets can be purchased from Kenneth Rae at 242-0481, Wayne Black at 242-0453 or from the ushers after the week-end Masses.

The guest speaker will be Commissioner of Public Safety for the Common-

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Completes Unit Training

Army Private Daniel B. Getchell, son of John R. Getchell of 1 Auburn Place, Charlestown and Sandra L. Getchell of Everett, has completed one station unit training (OSUT) at the United States Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia.

OSUT is a 12-week period which combines basic combat training and advanced individual training. The training included

weapons qualifications, squad tactics, patrolling, landmine warfare, field communications and combat operations. Completion of this course qualified the soldier as a light-weapons infantryman and as an indirect-fire crewman.

Soldiers were taught to perform any of the duties in a rifle or mortar squad.

Getchell is a 1984 graduate of Charlestown High School.

PUBLIC HEARING

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ENGINEERING DIVISION OF THE WETLANDS AND WATERWAYS REGULATION WATERWAYS REGULATION PROGRAM

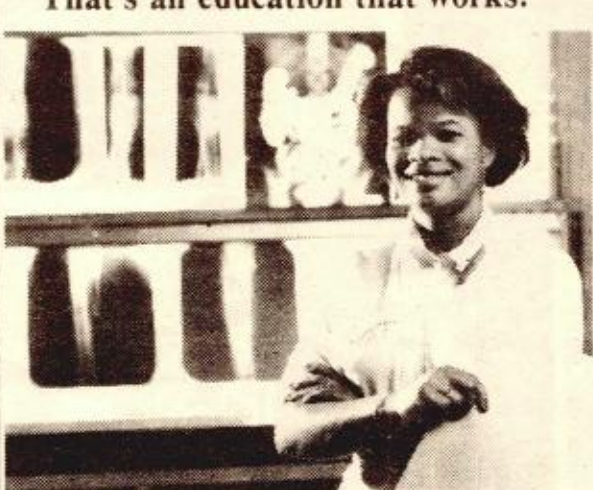
Notice of Public Hearing and License Application Pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91

Waterways License Application No. 86W-228N
Immobiliare New England, A Limited Partnership
City of Boston

Notice is hereby given of a public hearing and the application of Immobiliare New England, A Limited Partnership, 2201 Eighth Street, Charlestown, MA 02129 to perform the following activities: Completely renovate Building 197 in the Charlestown Navy Yard for use as 141 residential condominium units with related interior parking and the construction of up to 92 new residential condominium units with related parking and landscaping on Parcel 1A. Construct and maintain a landscaped public walkway and open space with seating and other amenities on Parcel 1C for direct public access to the water. The property is located on 8th Street, in the Charlestown Navy Yard. This site is located on formerly filled tideland of Boston Harbor.

The Department of Environmental Quality Engineering, Division of Wetlands and Waterways Regulation, will conduct a public hearing on the aforesaid project proposal on Tuesday, April 7, 1987 beginning promptly at 3:00 p.m. in the 10th Floor Conference Room at DEQE, One Winter Street, Boston, Massachusetts. The Department will conduct this public hearing in order to receive information to be used in its decision on whether to grant a Waterways License pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91. The Department will consider all written comments on the aforesaid application within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice in the MEPA Environmental Monitor. Furthermore, any aggrieved person or ten citizen group that has submitted written comments pursuant to said regulation may also petition to intervene to become a party within 30 days from the date of publication in the Monitor. These comments should be addressed to: Charles J. Natale, Jr., Waterways Regulation Section Chief, DEQE Division of Wetlands and Waterways Regulation, One Winter Street, Boston, MA 02108. Plans and documents for the application are on file with the Department for public review at the Boston Office, 292-5695.

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On Dean's List

Sheilah S. Mahan of 8 Ludlow Street, Charlestown has been named to the Dean's List for the Spring 1987 semester at Curry

College in Milton, according to Marshall T. Keys, acting Dean of the College. The list is based on the Fall 1986 semester averages.

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



- **Signs of Spring all around us . . .** joggers are dodging the baby carriages around the Monument . . . baseball bats and gloves are replacing hockey sticks and skates . . . three wheelers up to 10-speed bikes are seen instead of sleds and snow shoes . . . brooms have been seen cleaning off sidewalks instead of shovels . . . and neighbors are getting reacquainted as they stroll to the store and meet each other on a street corner.
- **True Sign of Spring . . .** only 15 days 'til opening game at Fenway Park for the Boston Red Sox! First Home Game will be held on April 10th!
- **“Neither snow, nor rain, nor heat, nor gloom of night . . .”** the motto of the U.S. Postal Service has been taken one step further by our own Clerk in Charge of the Charlestown Branch and Charlestown resident Bob Rooney as he rehearses for his encore appearance as a Centurion in Saint Mary's Annual Passion Play “Triumph and Tragedy.” Such talent in one little post office cannot possibly be matched anywhere in the United States. Bob does a splendid job as do all the “amateur” performers in this much heralded annual play held during Holy Week in the Church. A must see for the entire family!
- **Mayor of Charlestown 1987 . . .** Tootsie Doris was runner-up to Jim “Honey Fitz” Fitzgerald . . . photos and story will be in next week's edition of the Patriot.
- **“What's Cookin'” . . .** column by Whitney Ward in the Herald yesterday stated that the “perfect donut” could be found at Lori-Ann Donuts on Bunker Hill Street. “They're super!” stated Ward . . . we've known that for years!
- **Visitors to Massachusetts' attractions . . .** listed by the Massachusetts Division of Tourism indicated there was an increase of 13% over the number of visitors to the USS Constitution from the Winter of 1986 to the Winter of 1987. An additional 5,000 visitors boarded “Old Ironsides” this year.
- **Happy Birthday Wishes . . .** go out to Marion Austin Gray this week. How old, Marion — 29 (again)??
- **Talented “Townie” of the Week . . .** goes to Billy Marsden who is appearing regularly on “Teen Talk” which can be viewed on Cable Channel A-23.
- **33 Years in a Row . . .** that's how long Franny Keane has been running in the Saint Patrick's Day Road Race in South Boston. Franny placed seventh this year - he's 51 years old! Great Job, Fran!
- **Oh! Oh! . . .** the next time you take a walk in the “Yard” stop by the BRA office and ask Larry Brophy to tell you why the Oh, Oh bird has become extinct! Interesting story!
- **Ballet at the Edwards . . .** the Ballet Theatre of Boston presented a performance at the Clarence R. Edwards School recently. The students were delighted with the performance.
- **The Dust Was Flying . . .** the contractors working on the garage at Henley and Warren Street were reported to the Inspection Services Department again this week for sandblasting without proper covering. The dust was billowing over the area and landing on both the houses and passersby. The Patriot office contacted the proper City authorities and an inspector came right out. The contractor was warned that if he violated the law again, a court order will be served on him! Stay tuned, folks!
- **Are you O.K.? . . .** Friends of Cordis Street resident Kay Whelan became concerned when they noticed wreaths of flowers on her door a few Sundays ago. One stopped a family member to ask the health status of all the occupants of the Whelan home. When assured that all were well, the neighbor stated that seeing the flowers on the door reminded concerned neighbors of the days when such an occurrence meant a wake was taking place inside. Seems that the beautiful floral decorations were in celebration for granddaughter Jeanne Scannell's wedding — Jeanne always wanted her reception in her grandmother's home. Congratulations to the new bride and groom!
- **Happy vacationers . . .** Ken and Margie Mehan of Elm Street are whiling away the winter in sunny Florida - should arrive home soon . . . Firefighter Dennis Scannell and his wife Margo are sunning themselves at Gulf Port. Denny is stationed at Ladder 9 but can be usually seen collecting money for Muscular Dystrophy around town . . . wonder if they know how great the weather is here!?

CHEER ON THOSE SOX !!!

Charlestown One Of Four Sites Being Considered For Transfer Facility

(continued from page one)

sludge treatment center. The only product coming off of the islands through the transfer facilities, according to Speranza, will be clean fill.

"The rumors about sludge just aren't true," said Speranza. "After talking to the community last year, we reopened the search to over three hundred communities."

Design for the transfer facility is scheduled to be completed in January 1988 with construction beginning in September 1988. Construction is slated to be completed in May 1990.

Speranza noted that there will be a one-year overlap between the operation of the transfer facility and construction work on the North Area Central Artery reconstruction project. The State Department of Public Works (DPW), however, has assured the MWRA that the area can handle the additional traffic burden. Also, the MWRA plans to implement a detailed traffic mitigation proposal in conjunction with the DPW's own program.

"We won't come plowing through Charlestown without working something out with residents. We

want to tailor a mitigation package to the needs of the community," said Speranza.

Still, according to some residents and community activists, traffic mitigation may not be enough. After meeting with the MWRA last week, Neighborhood Council Vice-Chairman Tom Cunha said he believes a transfer facility would be unacceptable to the community. Citing the North Area Central Artery project, expansion in the Navy Yard, and construction on Main Street, Cunha said that Charlestown has

borne a disproportionate amount of the city's traffic and parking problems. Use of the rail lines at Piers 48, 49 and 50 to transport the equipment by train, he added, would solve the traffic problem.

The MWRA estimates that from 1990 to 1993, there will be 190 one-way

trips per day, 137 trips per day from 1993 to 1997, and 40 trips per day from 1997 to 1999.

The MWRA is constructing the transfer facilities as part of a federally mandated program designed to clean up Boston Harbor. The facilities are needed to transfer building materials

and equipment to Deer and Nut Islands where the agency will be upgrading primary sewage treatment plants and constructing a secondary treatment facility. Construction of the secondary treatment facility, which is required by federal regulations, will not be completed until 1999.

Residents Invited To Attend Home Buyer's Seminar

Local residents interested in obtaining more information on home buying and mortgages are invited to attend a free seminar sponsored by The Boston Five Arlington Loan Office, Bunker Hill Community College and local Realtor Betty Gibson and Associates. The seminar is scheduled for Thursday, April 2 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at Bunker Hill Community College, located on Rutherford Avenue in Charlestown.

Throughout the evening, various speakers will ad-

Bunker Hill Post Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, will be held on Wednesday, April 1 at 8:00 p.m. at the Life Focus Center, One City Square.

Members are urged to attend and prospective members are welcome.

dress topics relating to the home buying process, from the Realtor's role in finding a home to mortgage financing options. The legal aspects of financing a home will also be discussed.

Scheduled speakers include Realtor Joel C. Claydon of Betty Gibson and Associates; Attorney Daniel M. Polvere of McCul-

lough, Stievator and Polvere; Realtor Sandra L. Hudson of Cambridge Condominium Collaborative and a representative from The Boston Five.

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"Paco" The Clown Delights Children At CAPS Performing Art Series Event

Charlestown youngsters and their parents enjoyed a delightful performance by "Paco" the clown at the Boys and Girls Club on Sunday, March 8.

The performance was the

third in a continuing series of the 1987 performing arts program sponsored by the Charlestown Association of Parents. Each performance is aimed at entertaining children on a Sunday after-

noon during the winter months.

The last performance (and possibly the most dramatic) will take place on Sunday, March 29, at 2:30 p.m. at the Charlestown

Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street, Charlestown.

At that time, "The Upper Hand Puppet Theatre" will perform a one hour exciting puppet adventure as well as give a demonstration on

how they make, and operate their unique brand of puppets. All children can benefit from this entertainment and demonstration.

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children. For more information regarding this or next year's performing art series, please contact Alice Connolly 242-0898 or Andrea Garr 242-3356.



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Red Auerbach 3-On-3 Basketball Tourney Gets Youth Jumping

The Second Annual Red Auerbach 3-on-3 Basketball Tourney will take place on April 4 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Roxbury Boys and Girls Club, 115 Warren Street, Roxbury. The competition involves boys and girls ages 13 to 17 from area clubhouses including Charlestown. The Tourney brings over 100 inner-city high school students together to play half-court basketball.

The Tourney is organized by the Boys and Girls Clubs of Boston with a grant from the Red Auerbach Fund of the Boston Foundation. The Red Auerbach Fund was established in 1984 as a permanent en-

dowment within the Boston Foundation. The fund provides athletic development opportunities and encourages inner-city neighborhood communications among youth of different ethnic and racial backgrounds in the Greater Boston area.

Boston University Basketball Coach Mike Jarvis will begin the event with a warm-up basketball clinic at 9 a.m. Jarvis will teach basketball techniques and encourage teamwork. He will also stress the importance of staying in school, the harm of drugs and alcohol and the general need for good health and fitness throughout life.

Little League News

Tryouts for Charlestown Little League will be held at the Little League Field, Ryan Park, Sullivan Square on Saturday, March 28 at 11:00 a.m. and Sunday, March 29 at noon.

The rain date will be Saturday, April 4 at 11:00 a.m.

Boys or girls who have not registered may do so at the tryouts. Bring your birth certificate and a \$15 fee per family.

Players on Major League teams must register, as must those who tried out in September.

Bring only your gloves — no bats or baseballs — to tryouts.

Please Note: All officers, managers and coaches

must attend the tryouts. It is very important that you see and meet all new players.

Beginning in next week's **Patriot**, those who have contributed to Little League will be acknowledged in this column.

People who have businesses in Charlestown should get more involved in the community. Little League would appreciate your support and donations are welcome.

Checks should be made payable to **Charlestown Little League** and forwarded to Peter McGill, Treasurer, 70 High Street, Charlestown, MA 02129.

Thank you,
John Curtin

C.Y.H.A. Bruins



CHARLESTOWN YOUTH Hockey Association House team, the Bruins, include: Front row (l. to r.) Richie Hagerty, Mark Saitta, Mike Lyons, Michael Brady, Michael MacPherson and Pat Walsh. Second row (l. to r.) Coach Frank

Stillman, Mark Mansfield, Chris Rizzo, Brendon Brennan, Paul Allen, Mark Fennelly, Terry Smith and Mark Delosa. (photo by John Dillon)

Columbus Girls Teams Accepted Into Catholic Suburban League

Director Bob DeCristoforo,

is about to begin.

Girls' cross country track

and field and swimming might not be too far away!

Beginning next year, in addition to the cheerleading program, girls at Christopher Columbus High School will have an opportunity to play volleyball in the Fall, basketball in the Winter and softball in the Spring.

The school's goal has now become the girls' goal and together a bright new chapter in Columbus Sports

Sailing On The Charles

Sailing on the Charles River gets underway on Saturday and Sunday, April 4 and 5, with Community Boating's annual Opening Weekend. Everyone is invited to go for a free sail and attend classes and films. The boathouse is located on the Esplanade between the Hatch Shell and the Longfellow Bridge.

and will be open from 9 a.m. to sunset both Saturday and Sunday.

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Thanks For A Great Day

To the Flatley Company and those wonderful people that support the elderly in Charlestown — Thank you for a great Saint Patrick's Day. You sure do know how to put on a party!

Saint John's Episcopal Church
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Thank You, Mr. Flatley

Dear Mr. Flatley,

I just want to say thank you for the wonderful Saint Patrick's Party you gave to us.

I don't think you missed anything. You thought of everything from your wonderful staff of workers, the Medics, Police Officers, transportation, waitresses, waiters, the band, step dancers, the photographer (John Dillon), the flowers, candy, plants and an excellent dinner.

Mr. Flatley, you also brought class to our Town.

Now when I am on a trip with Phyllis, who is in your class, if anyone asks me where I come from, all I can answer is, I am from Charlestown where the Flatley Company is located.

Thank you once again.

Sincerely yours,
Jane Bernice

Thanks For Your Support

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who "bought a vote" for either candidate in this year's "Mayor of Charlestown" fundraiser. Because of you, this year's race was the most successful yet.

I would personally like to thank Mary Lou and her daughter, Aunt Patsy, Lil, the Scadding Family, Donna, and especially my family, who worked so hard in such a short period of time.

Also, I would like to extend my appreciation to the entire Charlestown-to-Charlestown Committee. Your hard work and dedication really showed the night of the election. It was a great time. Your fairness and cooperation made it a pleasure (and very rewarding) to be part of this year's race.

Last, but certainly not least, my congratulations to "Fitzie." He was a gracious winner (even though he really does need a lot of work on his acceptance speeches!!) It was almost worth losing just to hear him utter those immortal words: "The drinks are on me!!!" (He's expected to make a full recovery in the near future.) Congratulations, "Fitzie."

Thanks again.

"Tootsie" Doris

Comprehensive Traffic And Parking Study Underway

John L. Tobin, Chairman
Chairman Neighborhood Council

Dear Mr. Tobin:

Thank you for your letter dated March 12, 1987 in which you voiced the concerns of the Neighborhood Council regarding traffic and parking in Charlestown. I'd like to take this opportunity to inform the Council and local residents about the City's efforts to address issues surrounding local circulation patterns as well as the larger issues relating to upcoming construction projects.

In recent years, Charlestown has experienced significant changes in density and population that have had significant impacts upon the amount and types of traffic on local residential streets. In response to this, in February, the Department hired the consulting firm of Vanasse/Hangen to conduct a comprehensive study includes the following:

1. A comprehensive traffic flow & circulation study;
2. A parking study;
3. An evaluation of the impacts of the North Area project on areas of the neighborhood not within the project's limit; and
4. An evaluation of the transportation access needs of Charlestown.

This planning is designed to ensure proper coordination between the current circulation patterns and the local street system proposed as part of the North Area Project. It is important that careful planning be a part of each action to ensure that changes benefit the entire community and that traffic problems are not merely shifted from one area to another.

I can assure you that neighborhood participation will be an integral part of this planning effort and that no action will be taken without full knowledge of the affected community. I look forward to working closely with you and the Council in the months ahead.

Sincerely,
Richard A. Dimino, Commissioner
City of Boston Traffic and Parking

Reflections On Our Town

Dear Gloria,

My husband, Tom, and I spent two weeks in Florida and were happy to return home to Charlestown and **The Patriot**. Friday morning coffee and **Patriot** have become a must in our household. We take pride in reading about the happenings in Our Town.

This past week's issue was most interesting and most of us old-timers share Kay Whelan's sentiments.

We have many newcomers on Pearl Street, but fortunately most of them are former "Townies." The population is increasing by leaps and bounds, but Pearl Street has always been well populated. Fifty years ago the size of the average family was ten to twelve members.

Certainly there were enough kids to make for a game of "scrub" or "ring-ring-relievo." The good parents provided plenty of time and refreshments galore.

There was a store on every other corner and one lingering memory is the delicious smell of hot peanuts coming from Raftell's on the corner of Elm Street.

One regret of this past week is that we missed the dinner

Mr. Flatley - A Gracious Host

Dear Editor:

This is just one of many "Thank You" notes to Mr. Thomas Flatley.

We each want him to know how much we enjoyed the Saint Patrick's Day dinner and entertainment he treated the Charlestown "Golden Agers" to.

Every single thing about the party was done with thought and care and in the very best taste possible.

Mr. Flatley is the epitome of the words, "a gracious host" and each of us wishes him continued success and good health. No one deserves it more.

Sincerely,
Ruth E. Duffy and
all the Anchorites who were
fortunate enough to attend

Kathy To The Rescue

Dear Editor,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Kathy Giordano of the **Patriot** office for her assistance during the recent problems experienced by the residents of Constitution Co-op.

Due to the sand blasting taking place at the garage located across from our building, the area was over-run with rats. We didn't know what to do about it. Kathy to the rescue! She knew who to call and how to get the ball rolling. Soon a representative from the City of Boston Inspectional Department was on the scene and he ordered a clean-up of the area and extermination of the rodents.

It certainly is nice to know that when a problem arises we have someone who cares enough to come to the aid of Charlestown's seniors.

Thank you for caring,
A Friend at Constitution Co-op

"Hail To The Chief"

The Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee would like to express its gratitude and congratulations to Charlestown's new Mayor, His Honor Jim "Honey Fitz" Fitzgerald and acknowledge the great effort he made in his endeavor to succeed out-going Mayor "Broadway Joe" Crilley. We wish His Honor the best and are looking forward to a banner year during his term of office.

We would be remiss if we did not commend his formidable opponent, Tootsie (Devlin) Doris for a job well done.

It is the candidates who make possible the sending of a young lady from Charlestown to the Western Rose Festival held in Charlestown, County Mayo, Ireland each August.

Hats off also to our present "Rose" Peggy Brennan and all the former Mayors and Roses whose participation is essential for continued success.

Thank you all!

For the Committee
John F. Reveliotis

Thank You

Mrs. Evelyn Scalli-Jennings
42 Park Street
Constitution Cooperative Apartments
Charlestown, MA 02129

Dear Mrs. Scalli-Jennings:

Thank you for alerting the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services about the conditions across from the Constitution Cooperative Apartments.

Frank Sylvester of Rodent Control visited the site on February 26th. He found many violations and told the owner to clean up the area around the building and get an exterminator. He will check the area again in a few days.

Brian Glascocky, closed down the complete operation on March 3rd.

Because of your call, we were able to provide a quick solution.

Thank you again for your service to the elderly.
Sincerely,
Judith Evers, Coordinator
Neighborhood Services

for the elderly provided by Mr. Flatley. Each person I meet has just raved about the food and decorations. However, we did enjoy delicious corned beef and spare ribs from Bob Collier's Market. Super meal!

A note of caution to future Charlestown residents — if you plan on multi-dwellings, please make sure that the future tenants have ample parking areas. Our streets are screaming for space. A few families have two cars and some three and others do not own one vehicle. Imagine what havoc more multi-dwellings will do to the serenity of our community.

Thank you, Gloria, for keeping us abreast of the news.
Sincerely,
Agnes O'Neil

Licensing Hearings

The Boston Licensing Board will hold a hearing in Room 808a, City Hall, Boston on Wednesday, April 1, at 11:00 a.m. on the petition for a transfer of the licensed business from Regatta, Inc., Pier 6, Charlestown Navy Yard to Pier 6 Corporation, Robert A. Connell, Manager, at the same location. They are holder of a C.V. 7-Day All Alc. Bev. Lic.

The Boston Licensing Board will hold a hearing in Room 808a, City Hall, Boston on Wednesday, April 1, at 11:40 a.m. on the petition, of The Front Page Eating and Drinking, Inc., 29-31 Austin Street, Charlestown, holder of a C.V. 7-Day All Alc. Ve Bev. License, for permission to open at 11:00 a.m. on Sundays for the sale and service of alcoholic beverages.

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Named To Dean's List At BHCC

Bunker Hill Community College is pleased to announce the following Charlestown residents named to the Dean's List at Bunker Hill Community College for the fall semester: Gerard Buckley, Sarah Hitchcock, Kathleen Hutchins, Virginia Melanson, Julianne Norton, Colleen O'Neil, Thomas Pitts, Wesley Taylor and Mary Wilson.

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Arthur Miller's Drama, "All My Sons" At The Wilbur Theater

"All My Sons," Arthur Miller's powerful post-war drama of an all-American family, starring Richard Kiley and Joyce Ebert and directed by Arvin Brown, opened March 24 and continues through April 5 at the Wilbur Theatre, 246 Tremont Street, Boston. It is being produced by Jay H. Fuchs and Steven Warnick. Prior to its Boston engagement, it opened to rave reviews at the Ford's Theatre in Washington.

Audiences will best remember Richard Kiley for

his role of Cervantes in the musical "Man Of La Mancha," for which he received a Tony Award. On Broadway he has starred in "Absurd Person Singular," "Advise And Consent," "No Strings," "Kismet" and "Redhead" (for which he won his first Tony).

Joyce Ebert has been a member of the Long Wharf Theatre Company for twenty of its twenty-two years. Among her New York credits are "The Trojan Women" for which she won an

Obie Award.

Arvin Brown has been Artistic Director of Long Wharf Theatre for the past twenty years. He directed Al Pacino in "American Buffalo" and "Joe Egg" on Broadway last season, with Stockard Channing and Jim Dale which received the 1985 Tony Award for Best Revival.

Arthur Miller, one of America's foremost dramatists and a three time Tony Award winner, has written "The Crucible," "The Price," "A View From The Bridge" and the now classic "Death Of A Salesman" for which he received his second New York Drama Critics Award and the 1949 Pulitzer Prize for Drama. Spanning more than four decades, Miller has provided the American Theatre with further significant works, including: "After The Fall," "Inci-

dent At Vichy," "The Creation Of The World And Other Business," "The American Clock" and the one-act play "A Memory Of Two Mondays."

"All My Sons" celebrates its 40th anniversary this year and was Miller's first Broadway success receiving the New York Drama Critics Award for Best Play of the Season in 1947. It is one of the most powerful dramas of the World War II decade, exploring the impact on an American family of the tensions between business and ethics, and the battles between a father and his son.

Tickets are \$13.50 to \$28.50.

For more information, call the box office at 423-4008. For group sales, call 426-6444. Student rush half price tickets may be purchased a half hour before curtain every performance.

Coughlin Selected To Represent Copley High On Canadian Trip

Sherry Coughlin, a junior at Copley Square International High School, was one of seven students to be selected to represent the school in a Canadian exchange program.



SHERRY COUGHLIN

Students from Canada will arrive in Boston on May 2.

Coughlin, an honor roll student, is the daughter of Kay and Frank Coughlin of 63 Old Landing Way, Charlestown.

Students interested in participating were asked to write essays telling about themselves and their interest in the trip. The applicants were narrowed to ten and the seven finalists were then chosen.

The students leave for Montreal, Canada on April 4. During the trip, they will live with host families and attend school. They return to Boston on April 12.

Adult Discussion Group

On Friday, March 27, "The New Tax Laws" will be the topic of the Adult Discussion Group at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street. The discussion will begin at 10:00 a.m.

The speaker will be Rick Fentin, Registered Representative and Personal Financial Planner.

To take full advantage of the new tax laws many people will have to make some adjustments in financial planning. Fentin will explain some of the changes in the tax laws and answer questions as time allows.

The topic of the Discussion Group on Friday, Ap-

ril 3 will be "Foster Parenting: A Family Choice." The guest speaker will be Marianne Lynch, Protective Social Worker, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Lynch will be speaking about foster parenting opportunities in Charlestown. She is currently working with the Charlestown Foster Parents Task Force.

Suggested reading in conjunction with this discussion includes **Family and Nation** by Daniel Patrick Moynihan, **Human Service Yellow Pages of Greater Boston 1985-86** and **No More Here and There** by Ann Carney.

Commuter Water Transportation To Begin On April 6

Through a joint effort of Boston Harbor Cruises and the Boston Redevelopment Authority, peak hour commuter water transportation service will begin on the morning of Monday, April 6, between Pier 4 in the Charlestown Navy Yard and Downtown at Long Wharf. The service is intended as a six month trial which will help demonstrate the current viability and feasibility on inner harbor/inner development water transportation services.

During a meeting with Boston Redevelopment Authority officials, Boston Harbor representatives, current tenants at the Navy Yard, potential users, as well as neighborhood groups, a tentative schedule was drawn up based on the needs of the public and the feasibility to provide these services at peak hours.

According to Jim Lambert, a spokesman for the cruise line, "based on the success of the six month

pilot program, a determination will be made relative to long term, full day service." The commencing of the service coincides with the construction of the five year North Central Artery project. It will offer Charlestown residents as well as North Shore area residents a viable alternative to Route 93 and the Charlestown bridge.

As an incentive for potential users there will be low rate parking available in the 1400 car garage in the Navy Yard and the fee for the boat will be \$1.00 per trip with a 60 ride pass available for \$45.00.

The morning service will leave from Charlestown at 7:00, 7:40, 8:20 and 9:30 a.m. and from Long Wharf at 7:20, 8:00 and 8:40 a.m.

In the afternoon, departures will be from Long Wharf at 4:05, 4:45 and 5:35 p.m. and from Charlestown at 4:25, 5:15 and 6:15 p.m.

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"Run For The Animals" On April 5

Toys for Puppies & Kitts is planning the First Annual "Run for the Animals" on Sunday, April 5 at noon. The race will traverse a five mile route through the streets of Charlestown, beginning and ending at the

Charlestown High School at 254 Medford Street. Runners must register before 11:45 a.m. on the day of the race. There is a \$2.00 entry fee payable at the time of registration. Individual prizes will be

awarded to male and female winners, including those age 40 and over. Entrants under 16 years of age must have their parents' permission.

In addition to the race, Scamp, the official MSP-CA mascot will be on hand. There will be entertainment, balloons, raffles and prizes. The drawing for a

12-speed racing bike at \$1.00 per chance will be held.

Co-sponsors for this event include the MSPCA, McDonald's, Boston Sand and Gravel, Charlene's Hair Salon and New Balance Running Shoes.

All proceeds of this event will go to help abused and unwanted animals.

Volunteers Needed For "A Magical Kingdom"

"A Magical Kingdom" is the spring musicale to be presented by Saint Mary's Parish during the weekend on May 29-31. Director Bob Couchon is seeking bass and alto singers; musicians that play the piccolo, flute, clarinet, trumpet, trombone and drums; and also volunteers for sewing costumes.

To sign up or obtain

more information, call 242-4664.

Noel Henry Night

Saint Francis de Sales Parish will present a Noel Henry Night on Friday, April 24, at 8:00 p.m. in the Bishop Lawton Hall.

Scholarship Applications Available

MICHAEL P. QUINN SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are available for the Eighteenth Annual Michael P. Quinn Scholarship. The scholarship award is for \$1,250 for the first year of college only.

The applicant must be a Charlestown resident since September, 1986 and graduate from high school in June, 1987.

For applications, call 242-5445, 242-5493 or 242-4353, or write to P.O. Box 216, Charlestown, MA 02129.

The application deadline is May 1.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications are available for the Bunker Hill Council Number 62, Knights of Columbus Scholarships. This year, two scholarships will be awarded — one to a high school senior and one to a college freshman.

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Monday, March 16

- An automobile was broken into and the radio was stolen while it was parked on 13th Street.
- An automobile parked on Pearl Street had a windsurfer stolen from the roof.
- Officer Harrington attempted to stop a vehicle which fled at a high rate of speed to City Square where an occupant jumped out and was apprehended. The vehicle continued, with Officers Whiffen and Keller, in pursuit to Medford Street where Officer O'Malley was able to apprehend the driver for larceny of a motor vehicle.

Tuesday, March 17

- A building was broken into on Roland Street. Various items were stolen along with the company's van.
- A Charlestown resident was arrested by Detectives Leahy and Donahue on a warrant for armed assault in a dwelling, which had occurred the prior week.

Wednesday, March 18

- An automobile parked on Perkins Street was vandalized with a BB gun.
- A Charlestown resident was arrested by Officers McKenna and Lopes for trespassing and public drinking at Walford Way.

Councillor Travaglini Appoints Roche To CEDC Board

Boston City Councillor Travaglini is please to announce the appointment of Attorney Kevin Roche to serve as the Councillor's representative on the Board of Directors of the Charlestown Economic Development Corporation (CEDC).

Roche, a Charlestown resident whose law practice is also in Charlestown, has long been active in the community and its organizations.

Councillor Travaglini stated, "The addition of Kevin Roche to the CEDC will certainly compliment the caliber of professionalism which already exists on this hard working board. I am impressed with Kevin's sincerity and familiarity with the issues that confront our community, and I applaud him for assuming the responsibilities of this task."

Thursday, March 19

- A Charlestown woman was knocked to the ground at City Square and her pocketbook was stolen by two white male teenagers, one wearing a white jacket and the other a black windbreaker.

Friday, March 20

- A Cambridge resident was arrested by Officers Caulfield and Dowman for driving after revocation of his license.
- An apartment at CharlesNewTown that was undergoing rehabilitation was broken into and the furnishings stolen.
- A Charlestown resident was arrested by Detectives Donahue and Leahy for the robbery of the Store 24 on Atlantic Avenue.
- An automobile was broken into on Polk Street by a white male in his 20's, wearing a red sweatshirt and red cap.
- A Charlestown juvenile was arrested by Detectives Donahue and Leahy on a default warrant.
- An automobile was broken into at Cambridge Street and construction tools were stolen.

Sunday, March 22

- An apartment on Mystic Street was broken into and a 10-speed bicycle and personal items were stolen.
- 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 Drug Hotline at 247-4697. It is not necessary to give your name and all information will be investigated.

The monthly Police/Community meeting will be held at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street on Tuesday, April 14 at 7:00 p.m. Officer Bob O'Leary will speak about residential security.

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