# CHARLESTOWN and Somerville Chronicle VOLUME 31 NUMBER 20 CHARLESTOWN, MASS. PRICE 10¢ THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 1989

# Boston Latin School Bus To Be Discussed At January 18 Meeting

In response to complaints from parents of Boston Latin School students, the Basic Services Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council will meet on Wednesday, January 18 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall (third floor VIP room), 75 West School Street to address the issue of a bus for the students.

Last year, there was a bus from Haymarket Square

# MWRA Mitigation Committee To Meet

The Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MW-RA) Mitigation Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council, under the chairmanship of Bill Galvin, will meet on Tuesday, January 17 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall,

75 West School Street.

The committee will review the mitigation process and discuss the city-proposed Memorandum of Understanding with the MWRA.

The public is welcome to attend.

#### directly to Boston Latin School accommodating Charlestown, North End and East Boston students. There has been no direct bus run to the school this year and parents wish to investigate the possibility of obtaining this bus.

Boston School Committee members John Nucci and Robert Cappucci have been invited to attend this meeting.

The public is welcome to attend.

# Activists 1, Billboard 0 — Community Scores In Battle Against Billboards

by Lynn Peters

The billboard is down. The billboard, most recently advertising The Boston Globe, sat atop historic Roughan Hall and was one of the largest in the city. January 10 proved paramount for those townspeople determined to see developer Jonathan Davis keep his promise to terminate his lease with Ackerley Communications of Massachu-

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THE BEGINNING of the end of the Roughan Hall billboard came mid-morning on January 10. For residents who kept pushing for the sign's removal, it marks the beginning of the end for the rest of Charlestown's unsightly billboards. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

# CEDC Board Election January 28

An election for three openings on the Charlestown Economic Development Corporation (CEDC) board will be held on Saturday, January 28 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Community Room of the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street. Representation for a three-year term in Precinct 6, Precinct 7 and one at-large seat is sought.

Tom Cunha, current board president, is running for reelection from Precinct 7, and Peter Looney is running for reelection from Precinct 6. The at-large seat

is currently held by Joseph Foley.

Any Charlestown resident over 18 years of age interested in entering this election should contact the CEDC office at 241-5762 for nomination papers. The papers require 25 signa-(continued on page 11)

# Presented Community Service Award By The Boston Police Department



REPRESENTATIVES of the Boston Police Department recently presented a Community Service Award to Kathleen "Kathy" Giordano of the "Charlestown Patriot" in appreciation of her service to the Charlestown communi ty on behalf of the department. Shown (l. to

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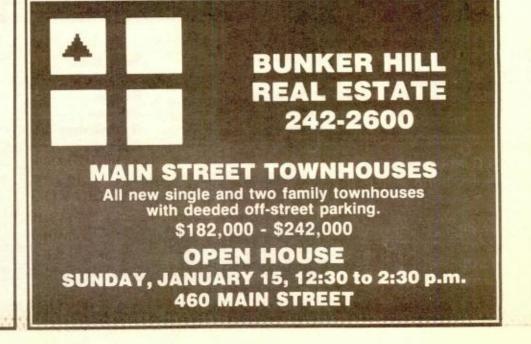
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TWINS (PG) \* 12:30-2:40-4:50-7:00-9:30 FRI. - SUN. 11:35 PM

DIRTY ROTTEN SCOUNDRELS (PG)

FRI. - SUN. 12:15 AM RAIN MAN (R)

NO PASSES - DOLBY SOUND \* 1:00-4:00-7:15-10:00 FRI. - SUN. 12:20 AM

> BEACHES (PG-13) DOLBY SOUND 1:30-4:30-7:20-10:00 FRI. - SUN. 12:15 AM

# **Charlestown Community Calendar**

# This Week At A Glance

Thursday, January 12

 4:00 p.m. — Creative Drama Class for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street

 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. — Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy Office Hours, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens

Friday, January 13

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

· 8:00 p.m. - Winter Fest Dance with Noel Henry and The Celtic Band, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street Saturday, January 14

 7:00 p.m. — Charlestown Boys Club Alumni Reunion, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, High Street Build-

Sunday, January 15

 noon — Free Throw Championship for boys and girls ages 10-14, sponsored by Bunker Hill Council 62, K. of C., Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green

7:30 p.m. - School Benefit Bola, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street Monday, January 16

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

Tuesday, January 17

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

 2:00 p.m. — Discussion Group for Senior Citizens, basement conference room, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High Street

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

 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. — Nomination papers for "Mayor" of Charlestown" Race, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, available at Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street

Wednesday, January 18

 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

· 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. - Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine

 6:00 p.m. — Program on Lowering Cholesterol with Lori Lieberman, RD, MPH, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High Street

 7:00 p.m. — Basic Services Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting on obtaining a bus for Boston Latin students, K. of C. Hall (third floor VIP room), 75 West School Street

 7:30 p.m. — Friends of the John Harvard Mall Meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

# "GRAMMY"

Helen Conway

January 15th



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# **Upcoming Events**

Thursday, January 19

 4:00 p.m. — Creative Drama Class for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street Friday, January 20

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

Monday, January 23

 5:00 p.m. — Deadline for submission of nomination papers for candidates for the Charlestown Economic Development Corporation (CEDC) Board, CEDC Office, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street

 7:00 p.m. — Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Kennedy Center, Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill

Tuesday, January 24

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

 2:00 p.m. — Discussion Group for Senior Citizens, basement conference room, Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High Street

Wednesday, January 25

 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. — Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini Office Hours, One Thompson Square, First Floor Conference Area

 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)

 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. — Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine

 7:00 p.m. — Housing and Development Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting on plans for 250 Main Street and for Bank of New England, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

# Plan Ahead

Friday, January 27

 8:00 p.m. — Fund-Raising Dance to benefit the Charlestown Youth Hockey Association, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Saturday, January 28

 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. — Charlestown Economic Development Corporation Board Election, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street

Monday, February 6

• 5:00 p.m. - Deadline for submission of nomination papers for Precinct One seat on the Charlestown Neighborhood Council, JobStart Office, One Thomp-Tuesday, February 7

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

Saturday, March 4

 7:00 p.m. — Gladys 17th Annual Corned Beef Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Thursday, April 20

 7:00 p.m. — Concert by the Princemen Chorus, sponsored by the Daughters of Isabella No. 1, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

Saturday, June 17

 10:00 a.m. — Bunker Hill Day Ecumenical Services, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street 11:00 a.m. — Bunker Hill Day Commemorative Exer-

cises, Bunker Hill Monument Grounds Sunday, June 18

12:30 p.m. — Annual Bunker Hill Day Parade

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# James P. "Jimmy" Carr Dies At 74

James P. "Jimmy" Carr passed away on Monday, January 9 at his home on Austin Street. With him at the time of his death were his sister Mary and brothers Dan and John.

A life-long resident of Charlestown, Carr graduated from the Warren School and Charlestown High School. He served in the United States Army during World War II in the European Theater and was decorated for his service to this country.

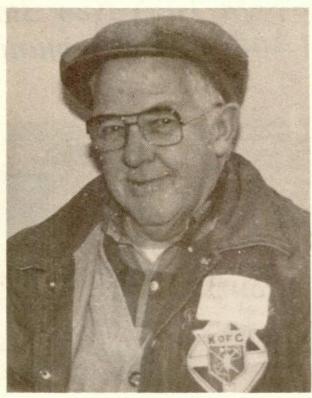
He was retired from the United States Postal Service as a special delivery postal carrier. After his retirement he could be found at the Shell Gas station in City Square where he helped out his late brother, Frank, in the office.

Active in many area organizations over the years, Jimmy had become a primary organizer of the annual gathering of the Old Charlestown Schoolboys Association, having served as president and was currently association's secretary, an office he had held for many years.

Carr, who was one of the four charter members of the Charlestown Lions Club,

was serving as its treasurer at the time of his death. He had worked with the Lions on that organization's Eyemobile during its visits to the community. He was active in the Saint Mary's Parish St. Vincent de Paul Society and was an usher for the church. He was a member of the Bunker Hill Associates. Carr was also past president of Local No. 11 N.A.S.D.M., General Post Office, and was a member of the McKeon Post No. 146, V.F.W.

Last December, Carr was honored by Bunker Hill Council No. 62 of the Knights of Columbus with a special life membership award for "his many years of dedicated, unselfish service to the council." He had served as Grand Knight of the Council three times and had been the recipient of the "Knight of the Year" award in both 1981 and 1982 in "recognition of his outstanding service to the council and the community." Until the onset of illness, Carr ran weekly dance lessons at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The Daughters of Isabella No. 1 made him an honorary member for his service to



JAMES P. "JIMMY" CARR

that organization.

Carr was the son of the late James W. and Louise (Gray) Carr. He is survived by his sister Mary Cushman of Bunker Hill Street, brother Daniel of Cordis Street, Charlestown, and brother John of Concord. His brother, Frank, died unexpectedly last year. He also leaves 21 nieces and nephews.

A Funeral Mass will be said on Saturday, January 14 at Saint Mary's Church on Warren Street at 10 a.m. Burial will take place at Saint Bernard's Cemetery in Concord.

Visiting hours are at the Murphy and Turnbull Funeral Home, 322 Bunker HIll Street on Thursday between 7 and 9 p.m. and on Friday, 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that donations be made in Jimmy's name to the Bunker Hill Health Center, 73 High Street, Charlestown, MA 02129.

"Jimmy" will be sadly

missed for his many charitable activities throughout the community. He had volunteered his services at the three Catholic churches in Charlestown, was a helper for many years at the annual distribution of baskets to elderly shut-ins of "Tow-

nie Santa," served tables at the annual Thanksgiving, Christmas and Bunker Hill Day dinners for the elderly, to mention just a few of his activities. The community grieves with his family at the loss of its good neighbor and valued friend.



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# REAL ESTATE WEEKLY

By Joseph P. Gannon III Silva Realty Associates

### THE LAST CLEAN UP

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Shannyn was welcomed home by her sister Tricia Anne, age 2.

The maternal grandmother is Mary MacInnes of 57 Polk Street, Charlestown.

The paternal grandparents are Eileen and Charles Moore of Charlestown.

Mrs. Moore is the former Elizabeth MacInnes of Charlestown.

## Kennedy Center Board Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Kennedy Center will be held on Monday, January 23 at 7 p.m. at the Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill Street. The public is invited to attend.

There are two open seats on the board which will be filled by appointment by the full board of directors. The seats include a two-year term for a resident of Precinct 2 (representative must reside in the precinct) and a one-year term for an at-large seat.

Charlestown residents, 18 years and older wishing to be considered for either seat, may come before the board at the annual meet-

ing. If more than one individual expresses interest in one seat, the board will choose the representative.



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# Headstart On To A New Start With Reopening And More Community Support

photos by Jeanne Davis

by Lynn Peters

Bank of New England employees treated more than 180 boys and girls enrolled in Charlestown's Headstart program to dolls and toys at a December 22 reopening celebration on the third floor of Saint Catherine's School, 13 Tufts Street. As part of the bank's annual toy and doll drive, employees of all levels donated or purchased Christmas gifts for children attending five Charlestown, Boston and Malden day-care classrooms.

Dolls given to the girls were dressed by employees, who either bought costumes or knitted outfits by hand. This special part of the program was originally one bank worker's idea and has grown to an established money collection in employees' cafeterias and a month-long toy drive starting at the end of November. More than 400 dolls were outfitted, and 600 toys for the boys were donated.

The John F. Kennedy Center's Headstart program isn't what it used to be since last year's devastating fire at the Old Kent School, but the holiday celebration for finding a temporary classroom site at Saint Catherine's helped move preschoolers toward the future. Recently installed Head Teacher Mary Ellen Connors accepted a \$2,000 donation from Bank of New England at the open house, which she says will boost the fire fund.

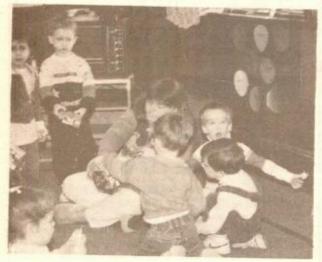
"We're not able to do all we could at the Kent, but at least we're still providing service," Connors said.















# Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street on Tuesday, January 17 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "The Napping House," that tells who joins Granny on her sagging bed on a drowsy day; "Curious George," in which George and his new friend in the yellow hat find adventure; and in "I'm Not Oscar's Friend Anymore," discover if two friends can survive their angry feelings.

"Morning Spider," which shows a day in the life of a hardworking, but inept spider, will be shown only at 3:30 p.m.

The suggested readings in conjunction with these films are: The Napping House by Audrey Wood, The Snow Spider by Jenny Nimmo and What Makes Me Feel This Way? by Edna LeShan.











# Life Behind The Wall



by Ronan FitzPatrick

The new year has brought a return of street lighting to the northern end of First Avenue, bordering Ninth and Thirteenth Streets, a dark area, and to some threateningly passable. With the restoration of the illumination, acceptable safety levels have also been brought aboard. This joint venture of the city and Boston Edison is one that the tax- and ratepayers applaud. Staying on the positive side of lighting poles, the colorfully decorated lampposts throughout the town were once again cheery. How about extending the annual program to the yard? Connecting all available poles would attract many to the yard to share the holiday scenes. It's open for discussion, so let the writer hear your thoughts on this program expansion.

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Keep in mind when entering and exiting the yard that traffic patterns have radically changed as of January 4. When exiting Gate Four, turning left onto Chelsea Street will allow you to travel to Gray Street where traffic will merge from the new ramp. This ramp replaces the Henley Street one and will serve all traffic from the north into Boston or further south. For those exiting Gate Four and taking a right to proceed up Lowney Way at the intersection of Bunker Hill Street, you must follow through to Park Street. Jersey barriers have been installed at the southern section of Lowney Way preventing traffic from here onto Chelsea Street and the entrance to the Tobin Bridge. Henceforth, Chelsea Street will be one way in a northerly direction. Suffice to say that trial vehicle runs in offpeak hours will afford you the right direction to travel. Contacting the Department of Public Works at 951-6000 or the Boston Transportation Department at 725-3073 would be advisable for more details as these patterns will be the norm for the next four years. Be prepared, be patient and be early to keep your blood pressure down during your commutes over the long years ahead. \*\*\*

Attempting to block the arctic winds on First Avenue while waiting for the daily commuter bus, resident Warren Morse met with little success. Outfitted in the best-of-season wear from his wide-rimmed hat to wool overcoat, Warren would have gladly traded his Boston location for Boca Raton. Don't fret, Warren, the height of the season is coming to a close, and now is the appropriate time to plan a great escape. The Florida Keys sound great or, possibly, the tropical islands. The selection is yours, Warren, as you switch your thoughts from frozen Charlestown to frozen coladas.

A major contingent of Anchorage Apartment residents have gone south for varied periods of winter vacation. Arrivals have been observed in Tampa, St. Petersburg, Fort Lauderdale, Jupiter, West Palm Beach and Coral Gables to date. These snowbirds look forword to a warmer season than usual.

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Hailing from Norfolk, Virginia the Andrew Hale was safely towing the Philadelphia Trader south. Not far behind was the Julie N, port of call Monrovia, steaming out of the Little Mystic into Boston Harbor and on to Presidents Row. Activity has been moderate, but with spring and summer on the horizon, container movement will be increasing.

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Andre Coachlines surprised the daily commuters with the arrival of its new 8500 Series motor coach. Its normal bus fell ill to the elements. A welcome vision was this neoplane luxury model with its comfortable reclining seats. A digital clock announced the time, and the music, whether or not it was each individual's choice, was pleasurable and well-received. Wide windows made the trip enjoyable, although destinations were arrived at too suddenly. Many would have preferred a round trip from First Avenue to Post Office Square to savor the amenities. Reality returned the following morning as the old yellow bus returned, but the short transportation venue was appreciated.

Briskly stepping from his law office at Thirteenth Street, barrister Jack Cullen entered the passenger side of an awaiting vehicle. His mission was not at the bench, but all Shipways residents hoped it was a journey to the locksmith. Finally, all storage bins have been completed, and the only item remaining was the locks and keys for the 58 units. Departing from Gate Five, Jack and his anonymous driver traveled to Thompson Square for the locks and keys, and once again we all hope not for certified mail. Knowing the benevolent president of the Shipways board, his ultimate objective was probably to secure a belated Christmas present that will always open our storage bins, to say nothing of our hearts. We now must wait for his presentation.

# The Charlestown Daisies Troop Continues An Active Program

t the Leader Rosemarie Keane.
Some of last year's Daijust sies have already moved up

to Brownies. Besides Brownies there is also a Junior Girl Scout Troop in Charlestown. They are part of the Patriots Trail Girl Scout Council.



MEMBERS of the Charlestown Daisies mas Party at the Mary Colbert Apartments
Troop celebrated the holidays with a ChristCommunity Room.

A Christmas Party at the Mary Colbert Apartments Community Room is just one of the various activities of the Charlestown Daisies

The Daisies, who are 5 and 6 years of age, are the youngest of the Girl Scouts. This is the second year for the Daisies in this community. Members of the troop include: Christina Celata, Charlene Fitzpatrick, Jennifer Fitzpatrick, Jennifer Griffin, Crystal Lawton, Christina Lewey, Katherine Morceau, Charlene O'Brien, Laurie Prince, Tammy Scuturio and Shannon Walsh.

The troop holds regular meetings each week at the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club under the direction of Troop Leader Linda Morceau and Assistant Troop

# It's A Girl . . .

Robert and Alana Borden of 33 Corey Street, Charlestown are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Meaghan Alana Borden, on January 9 at Saint Margaret's Hospital. Meaghan weighed 6 pounds 10 ounces.

The maternal grandmother is Emily Arsenault of Chelsea.

The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Borden Sr. of Canton.

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Morrissey observes a lot of myths in the general public about mental illness and the mentally ill.

He will appear on Weekly Forum on Friday, January 13, at 6:30 p.m. on BNN-TV, channel-A3 to address these issues and also to inform cable viewers about an opportunity to sell properties for homes for the mentally ill in a major capital housing program already budgeted by the state.

Proposals to sell property are open to review before purchase.

Steve Coveney of Roxbury is producer of "Weekly Forum,"

# Single Mothers Support Group

A Single Mothers Support Group is offering an opportunity for single mothers to meet with other single mothers ages 17 to 26 to share concerns and to get and give support to one an-

The group meets each Monday from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at 5 Monument Square and is lead by Marion Gray, a lifelong resident of Charlestown, and Ginger Ryan of the Boston University School of Social Work.

For more information. call 241-9197 and leave your name and telephone num-

Former Charlestown resident John J. Enright died on Saturday, January 7 after a long fight with cancer. He was 54 years of age and was a resident of Norwell.

At the time of his death, Enright was a sergeant on the Norwell Police Department, where he had served for the past 10 years. Prior to that, he had been a member of the Boston Police Department, joining in 1961. He was one of the first officers chosen to form the Tactical Patrol Force. During his 17 years with the Boston Police, he served as a detective in the homicide bureau of the Suffolk County District Attorney's Office and investigated, among other cases, the Boston Strangler and many "gangland slayings." He had also been a patrolman in Districts 1, 6 and 13 and a detective in the robbery squad. He had received

# Sergeant John "Jack" Enright Dies After Long Illness

three citations during his career in Boston for meritorious police work and bravery.

He transferred to the Norwell Police Department in 1978 because he and his family resided in Norwell. and Boston had initiated a mandatory city residency requirement for city workers. He topped the Civil Service sergeant's exam shortly after he transferred to Norwell and was named to that position eight years

A native of Cambridge, he was the son of the late John Joseph Enright of Tarbert, County Kerry, Ireland, and the late Mary (Dwyer) Enright of Ballymote, County Sligo, Ireland. He graduated from schools in Cambridge and also held credits in law enforcement management from the School of Continuing Education at Babson

College. He resided in Charlestown with his sister Mary on Elm Street prior to his marriage to the former Judith Erion.

He is survived by his wife, Judith, editor of the Norwell Mariner, and by two sons, Sean Dwyer Enright, a senior at Vermont Academy, Saxtons River. VT and Patrick Meehan Enright, a junior at Boston College High School; a brother, Patrick Enright of

Madison, CT; two sisters, Mary Harrington of Charlestown and Margaret Enright of Cambridge; an uncle, John Dwyer of Cambridge, and two aunts, Nora Tracey of New York and Delia Coleman of Ireland.

A Funeral Mass was offered in Saint Helen's Church in Norwell on January 12. Burial will take place in New Hampshire in the spring.

# Massport Ready To Develop Piece of Hoosac Pier

by Lynn Peters

Massport announced last week that 29,800 square feet of Hoosac Pier property next to the Charlestown Navy Yard is available for development. Proposals are now being accepted, and the development office released Massport's objectives and guidelines for leasing the parcel, which is now being used as a parking lot by Constitution Plaza tenants.

According to Massport's guidelines, proposals are expected to include development compatible with plans to connect the Navy

Yard to the downtown area with a walkway and with the CANA project's reconnection of Charlestown to the waterfront. Massport is asking proposals to include: a three-story height limit on buildings so that water views from CANA development area are not blocked; walkways along the parcel's waterfront; and concealed parking within or below the building.

The deadline for proposals is 5 p.m. on February 24. Questions about submitting a proposal are being fielded by Massport's Rhonda Spector at 973-

# Receives Airman Award For 1988

Senior Airman Nicole Gignac, a supply specialist with the 157 Air Refueling Group, New Hampshire Air National Guard, Pease AFB, NH, has been selected for The Retired Officer's Association First Term Airmen Award for the year 1988.

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Gignac has been a member of the NHANG since December 1985, works in Charlestown and is attending Bunker Hill Community College.

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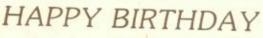
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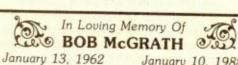
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# Boys And Girls Club Alumni Reunion Planned For January 14



JOE LYNCH coached the Boys' Club Cham pionship Basketball Team of 1964.



THE LATE Clyde Washington is shown here with his 1964 Boys' Club Basketball Team. The Alumni Committee of the Boys and Girls Club is planning an Alumni Reunion on Saturday, January 14 starting at 7 p.m. at the High Street Building. Tickets are priced at

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**BOA** Approves Sub Shop Construction On Medford Street

A plan by Gil and Joanne Eatherton to build a onestory, 15-foot by 24-foot building to house a sub shop at 320 Medford Street was presented to the city of Boston Board of Appeal (BOA) on January 10. Joanne Eatherton made the presentation to the BOA, describing that this would be a family-run business to operate between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 to 5 p.m.

Judy Evers, community liaison from the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services, addressed the BOA in support of the Eatherton proposal. She stated that she felt it was an appropriate location for such a business and could forsee no negative impacts from the size of the structure.

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council had voted to support the proposal at their last meeting and a letter in favor of the sub shop had been sent to the BOA by the council.

Speaking to the BOA in opposition to the plans was Robert Konuch, whose property at 52 Allston Street directly abuts the Medford Street site. Konuch cited an increase in truck traffic in the area as one reason for his opposition. He also noted that a one-story building was out of character in the neighborhood and proposed that a second story be considered.

Hill Street resident Fran Ferguson, father of appellant Joanne Eatherton, spoke in favor of the proposal. He added that such a business would not cause

any more traffic and that the building would not be offensive.

Also speaking in favor of the plans was Ann Considine of 10 Tufts Street. She told the BOA that the appellants had gathered over 200 signatures of residents in favor of the plan.

The BOA approved the appeal by the Eathertons, subject to design review.

# Neighborhood Council Seeks To Fill Vacant Seat

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council has announced its plans to fill a seat left vacant by the resignation of Annemarie Vesey who was elected to the council in 1987 to a twoyear term. The person selected will complete Vesey's term of office representing Precinct One.

To be eligible, the candidate must be a resident of Precinct One, be at least 18 years of age, but does not have to be a registered voter. Nomination papers can be picked up at the JobStart Office at One Thompson Square starting Tuesday, January 17. Twenty-five

signatures from residents of Precinct One must be obtained by the applicant. All nomination papers must be returned to the JobStart Office no later than 5 p.m., on Monday, February 6.

Neighborhood The Council will review all nomination papers at their February 7 meeting. A vote will be taken by council members to elect the person to fill the vacancy and the the successful candidate will be seated at the meet-

For more information, contact Election Committee members Bill Galvin at 242-2600 or John Lynch at 241-7867.

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# Prizes, Surprises And A Visit From Santa Highlight Saint Mary's Annual Christmas Bazaar



# CANA: Moving Right Along

by Lynn Peters

Massachusetts' largest reconstruction job ever undertaken may prove to be one of Charlestown's nastiest headaches as the Central Artery/North Area (CA-NA) project begins to hit this neighborhood hard.

and traffic backed up around Charlestown, off the Tobin Bridge, and in and out of the city. The combination of frigid temperatures, scant policemen and newly installed, but minorly faulted traffic lights, did little to move the logjams.

order for rush hours.

Massport figures released this week showed a drop in the number of motorists using the Tobin Bridge each day from an average of 42,000 to 38,000. The loss of southbound Tobin Bridge travelers might present the



GRAY STREET, the latest southbound Tobin demolishing January 10. Bridge exit, replaces the background Henley Street ramp, which CANA engineers began

tionally, a traffic engineer is

monitoring the area, iden-

tifying problems and mak-

ing recommendations for

January 10 marked the

beginning of the Henley

Street ramp demolition,

which will not shut down

Lowney Way, but will add

background noise to CA-

NA's ever-presence into the

early 1990s. For approxi-

mately one month we can

expect a comparable scene

to the City Square over-

Traffic is not expected to

be prohibited from Lowney

Way during demolition,

with the possible exception

of one- or two-hour disrup-

tions during off-peak travel

times. Flanagan said any

traffic closings "for a cou-

ple of hours here or there" would come after the morn-

removed.

any needed changes.

(photo by Kathy Giordano)

IT WAS TRAFFIC as usual in City Square Monday morning and just short of a week since the new Gray Street off-ramp opened. This mild scene would change Tuesday when

City Square traffic would stretch up Main Street all the way to the Charlestown Cooperative Bank. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

As of January 11 the Wa-This week getting around ter Street on-ramp will be was mild at times, chaotic used again Monday through at others, as drivers become Friday from 6 a.m. to 2 more accustomed to the p.m., temporarily replacing consistent changes in Bosthe current Chelsea Street ton traffic patterns. More entrance to the Tobin than a dozen policemen di-Bridge during these hours. recting commuters through Travelers should be able to City and Sullivan Squares follow the signs, and police during morning and evenwill help direct them ing rush hours are working through. Exasperated? This to find efficient ways to deal with traffic snags. Two lanes are now open for Tobin Bridge travelers coming

authority with revenue worries, but for David Flanagan, Charlestown liaison for the Massachusetts Department of Public Works (MDPW), the figures mean 6,000 less cars through the City Square area.

"We're still pushing alternate routes so people will avoid City Square," Flanagan said. He added that there are varying factors that influence traffic, including the weather, and heavy Wednesdays and Thursdays. "We expect confusion when there are changes and make allowances," he said. Addi-

ing rush hours, and neighbors would be notified ahead of time via flyers or newspapers.

Brace yourselves. We're in the worst of it now. That is, until the real work begins in the spring on digging the trenches for the tunnels scheduled to run under City Square. The six lanes on the North Washington Street Bridge will be reduced to four to make way for construction of a 1,500-foot

northbound and 800-foot southbound tunnel. On this side, we can expect construction of a temporary walkway from the bridge to Water Street.

"Now's the time Charlestown's going to feel the crunch," said John McDermott, public relations specialist for MDPW. "As people get used to the changes the problems smooth out, but there will be some discomfort."

# Open House At Somerville Hospital School Of Nursing

Open House will be held at the Somerville Hospital School of Nursing, 125 Lowell Street, Somerville, on Wednesday, January 18 from 7 to 9 p.m. This recruitment function is for people interested in a career as a professional registered nurse. Faculty and nursing students will be available to provide information about the program and conduct tours of the school and

is just the beginning.

Confused commuters

battled their way through

and around City Square last

week with the opening of

the Gray Street off-ramp,

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## On Dean's List

Ralph Conte, a junior political science major at Salem State College, has been named to the dean's list for the 1988 fall term.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Conte of Charlestown

sing. The program offered is two academic years in length for full-time studies. A limited number of students may elect to enroll on. a part-time basis. Graduates of the school are eligible to write the State Board Examination for licensure as a registered nurse.

into Charlestown. And two

of last week's three new

traffic lights are in working

Additional information about the school and open house may be obtained by contacting Patricia Dineen at 666-4400, extension 246.

Housing And Development Committee To Meet On Renovation Plans The Housing and Devel-Bank of New England will opment Committee of the

Charlestown Neighborhood Council will meet on Wednesday, January 25 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street.

On the agenda will be the proposal by new owner Carmen Merlino to renovate the former Charlestown Cooperative Bank site at 250 Main Street. Also, representatives from the

present their plans for the renovation of their bank building at 437 Rutherford

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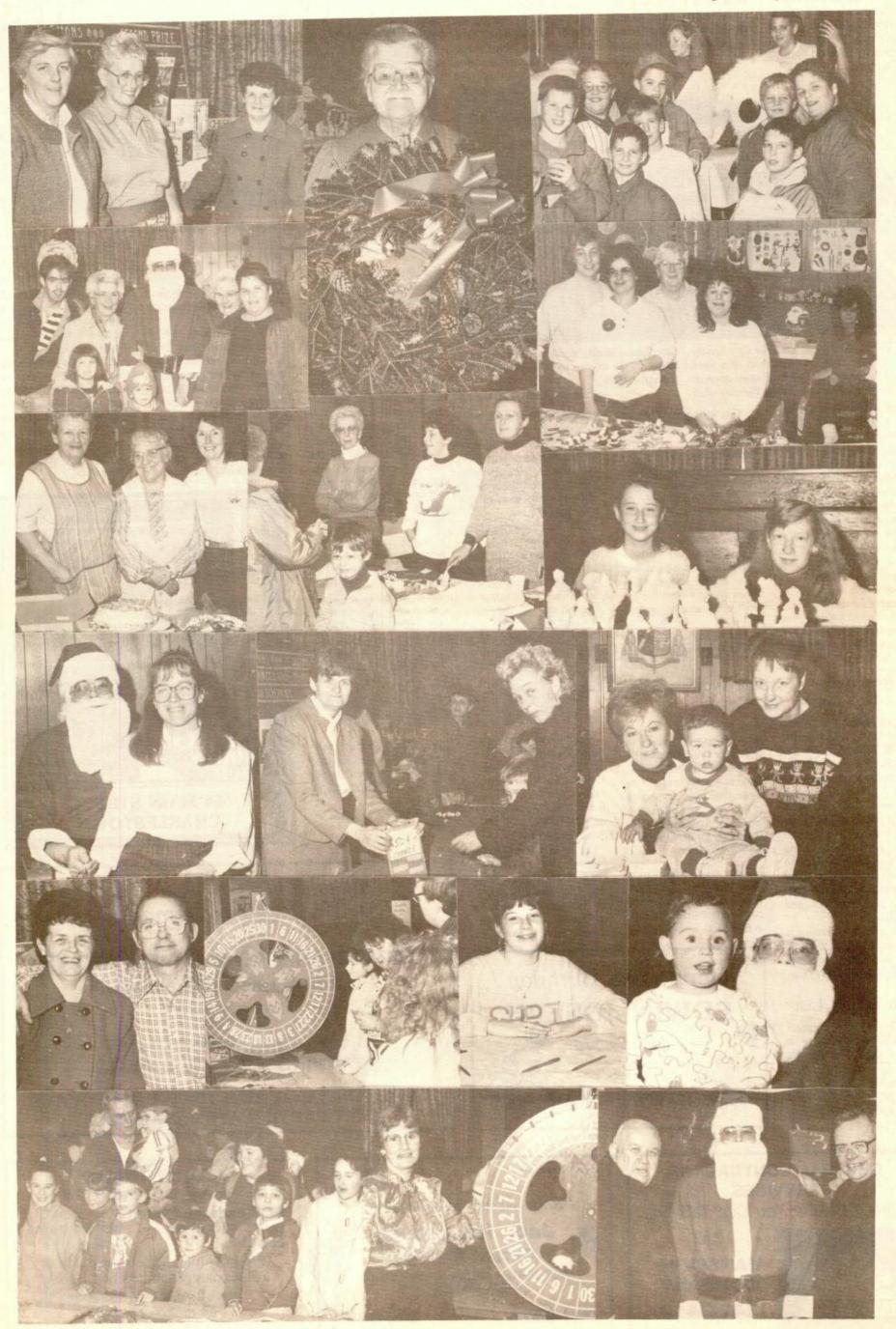
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# Gifts Galore And A Visit From Santa Highlighted The Saint Francis De Sales Annual Christmas Bazaar

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# Opposition Wants Licensing Board To Postpone Decision On Olives

by Lynn Peters

Attorney John Tobin says nothing was resolved in a Tuesday meeting with hopeful restaurateurs Todd and Olivia English and his Deacon Larkin Condominium clients who oppose the couple's request to operate a 58-seat cafe with a beer and wine license. The Englishes have applied to the City of Boston Licensing Board to serve beer and wine with full meals at Olives, which would take the place of Jamason's Cafe at 67 Main Street.

"We weren't able to reach an agreement but sincerely hope that the neighborhood council will hear us," said Tobin of the January 10 meeting. The licensing board's chairwoman Andrea Gargiulo suggested that the two sides meet to discuss neighborhood issues before a formal decision could be made. "We're going to ask the council to hear this issue and ask the

board to postpone its consideration until then," Tobin said. The board took the Englishes' application under advisement on January 4, but tabled its decision for two weeks.

But Olivia English, who would operate the business while husband Todd serves as chef, says that she wants everything to keep moving. The Englishes are hoping to open an upscale neighborhood bistro that would be open at 6 p.m. and take orders until 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday, until 10:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and possibly lunch and a limited Sunday brunch.

"As far as we're concerned, our mission was to deal with the two major concerns: parking and garbage," English said of the meeting. "At this point it doesn't seem to have much to do with a beer and wine license; if we didn't want the license there wouldn't

# Activists 1, Billboard 0

(continued from page one) setts Inc. and remove the sign.

The Massachusetts Historical Commission, Charlestown Preservation Society and a group of involved residents, Eric Anderson, Ken Stone and Jim Bradley, have been waiting to wave goodbye for a long time. Removing the billboard became a cause for them, one that has extended on to include other roadway boards around town and the proposed lighted sign above the former Nancy Sales building.

In 1985 Davis, president of H.J. Davis Development Corporation and building owner, began work on restoring Roughan Hall, Charlestown's 1892 vintage City Square landmark. Once one of the town's most important commercial and social places, Roughan Hall sat boarded up for more than 15 years. Davis was awarded 25 percent of his total rehabilitation costs, amounting to \$600,000, in federal tax credits in July 1987 when Roughan Hall was certified for a listing in the National Register of Historical Places. The billboard was to be removed

Ackerley Communications' lease with Davis extended to July 1988 and was then stretched to the end of October. Lou Nickinello, president of Ackerley Communications, said in November that he was under pressure to find another location for his account with the Globe. At that time Nickinello said he needed time but would remove the billboard "in a timely way to achieve the goals of the community."

Last Tuesday morning the infamous landmark was on its way out, ending a frustrating but victorious communitywide effort to preserve historically significant Charlestown.

As the billboard was coming down, Bradley, a Park Street resident and one of the Massachusetts Historical Commission's people, said, "the next to go is the one on Chelsea Street, then the one on top of the box factory on Water Street and the ones along the North Washington Street Bridge." The goal, Bradley added, is "to get all the billboards out of this end of Charlestown."

# **EDC** Election

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tures of support and must be returned to the CEDC office by Monday, January

be an issue."

Opposing residents are concerned about the Englishes' reputation in the culinary arts bringing more traffic from around the city into a congested area of Charlestown's Main Street and about trash sitting in front of the restaurant over night. The Englishes originally suggested valet parking, which might actually encourage patrons to use their cars, in response to neighbors' complaints. They said trash would be stored in plastic containers overnight and would be picked up six times a week by a private collector.

"We're willing to make a concession on parking," English says. "We want to do good business, get along with our fellow merchants and the neighbors in the area." But she says that she has trouble with the garbage issue because the opposition is suggesting that the Englishes put their cans on Monument Avenue. "We can't solve problems by turning the corner and putting them on the other side of the street," she says. "Why put trash out on Monument Avenue and not in front of our own address on the space we lease?" According to English. Olives' trash would be put out and picked up the same way as the

current cafe's is.

At last week's board

hearing residents expressed additional concerns that the quality of life would fall in Charlestown and that there is no public need for another establishment serving alcohol.

Tobin and the Englishes'

lawyers, Charles Artesani Jr. and Bryan O'Neil, will submit letters to the board by January 18 on behalf of their clients. Tobin will be looking for a postponement, while the Englishes will ask for a decision.

# All Are Welcome At The Monument Square Community Church

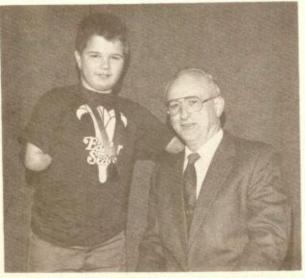
The new Monument Square Community Church (MSCC) gathered for its first worship service and celebration on January 8 at 5 Monument Square. Sixtythree people participated in the evening's program, which included group singing, special music, a short film, small-group discussion and a vesper service led by Pastors John Wilbur and Marty Miller Maddox. Child care and a light supper were provided.

An atmosphere of joyful

expectation prevailed at this first meeting. Those proposing the new church anticipate that there will be many others who will want to join this ecumenical undertaking, which is affiliated with the American Baptist Churches, USA.

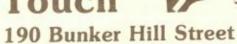
On Sunday, January 15 at 5 p.m., the MSCC will meet again at 5 Monument Square for a similar worship service and celebration. All are welcome to join this new faith experience.

# Attend Telethon Kick-Off



MASSACHUSETTS EASTER SEAL CHILD, Bobby Boothbay, wishes John McBride of Teamsters, Local 25 in Charlestown good luck in his fund raising efforts for the 1989 Easter Seal Telethon at a recent Telethon Kick-off Breakfast. The Telethon will air on channels 22, 27 and 38 on March 5. Meanwhile, Massachusetts volunteers are working hard to meet their goal of \$1.7 million. The funds provide Easter Seal services for people with disabilities: physical and occupational therapy, speech therapy, home health care, summer camp, therapeutic swim programs, loan of special equipment, support groups for people who have had strokes, and information and referral services.

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# **Townie Sports Line**

# "Townies" Swim Team

The Charlestown Boys and Girls Club/Community Schools Swim Team improved their season record to 4-3 after defeating the Arlington Boys and Girls Club on January 6. The results were:

8-and-Under	Charlestown	Arlington
10-and-Under	45	23
12-and-Under	37	30
17-and-Under	20	48
TOTALS	155	124

Top place finishers were:

8-and-Unders

100-Yard Medley Relay 1:43.6 — Katie O'Leary, Katie Gillis, Cairsten Burke and Megan Murray

100-I.M. 2:02.75 — Katie Gillis
25-yard Butterfly 28.63 — Megan Murray
50-yard Freestyle 51.87 — Katie O'Leary
25-yard Backstroke 26.97 — Cairsten Burke
100-yard Free Relay 1:34.97 — Katie O'Leary, Katie Gillis, Cairsten Burke and Megan Murray

#### 10-and-Unders

100-yard Medley Relay 1:23.69 — Tegan Leonard, Alisha Kilmartin, Erin McDonough and Nicole Matson 100-yard I.M. 1:42.80 — Erin McDonough

100-yard Freestyle 1:23.0 — Rachel Britton 50-yard Backstroke 47.17 — Matt Chardovoyne

#### 12-and-Unders

50-yard Backstroke 39.94 - Mike Leahy

17-and-Unders

200-yard Medley Relay 2:14.16 — Mayra Adams, Susie
Burke, Al Disessa and Timmy Quigley
200-yard Freestyle 2:32.60 — Al Disessa
100-yard I.M. 1:12.04 — Timmy Quigley
50-yard Freestyle 31.53 — Mike Walsh
50-yard Butterfly 35.60 — Brian Edwards
100-yard Freestyle 1:15.29 — Mayra Adams
200-yard Freestyle Relay 2:06.53 — Paul Griffin, Chris
Merullo, Brian Edwards and Mike Walsh

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The Townies also had an exhibition meet on January 7 against a very large, highly competitive Pittsfield team. "Pittsfield Boys and Girls Club has an excellent swim team, but certainly had a tough meet against the Townies," said coach Shelley Montgomery. "Realistically, we expected to be blown away, but the kids swam out of their minds and we almost beat them."

The results were:

Q and III. I	Charlestown	Pittsfield
8-and-Unders	22	40
10-and-Unders	41	21
12-and-Unders	20	48
14-and-Unders	52	25
17-and-Unders	35	51
Totals	150	185
The top place Guisha	17 1 017	

The top place finishers were Katie O'Leary, Katie Gillis, Cairsten Burke, Megan Murray, Tegan Leonard, Alisha Kilmartin, Erin McDonough, Matt Chardovoyne, Rachel Britton, Mike Leahy, Leah Kilmartin, Jesse MacDonald, Jonathan Heelen, Jamie Poole and Brian Edwards.

Congratulations to all 58 members of the team!

The next swim meet is at home against the Daniel Marr Boys and Girls Club of Dorchester on Friday, January 13 at 5:30 p.m. Warm-ups begin at 5 p.m.

# Charlestown Youth Hockey Action For January 7-8 TRAVEL TEAMS

Pee Wee

Charlestown 1, Quincy 12

Squirt

Charlestown 3, Quincy 5. Scoring goals for Charlestown were: B. Lacey, K. Hurley and J. Smith.

Charlestown 1, Hyde Park 4. K. Hurley scored the only Charlestown goal.

Mite

Charlestown 6, Albright 4. Scoring goals for Charlestown were: M. MacPherson, S. Coleman, D. Aubrey, P. Walsh and J. Brennan.

Charlestown 3, Medfield 3. Scoring goals for Charlestown were D. Aubrey and T. Smith.

#### IN-HOUSE TEAMS

· Hawks 8, Wings 4

Scoring goals for the Hawks were S. Connolly, P. Myers, T. Smith and E. Gould.

Scoring goals for the Wings were J. Greatorex and M. Machado.

Flyers 9, Sabres 8

Scoring goals for the Flyers were G. Lavalee, M. Mansfield and J. Fanning.

Scoring goals for the Sabres were B. Brennan, G. D'Ambrosio, E. Pacheco, J. Kane and M. Fidler.

Stop by the rink on Saturday from 4 to 6 p.m. and see some great action.

# Charlestown Youth Hockey News

We would like to take this opportunity to thank everybody who has helped and will help in the future for the betterment of our organization. As can be seen, just about every night, and especially on Saturday from 4 to 7 p.m., the organization is once again a thriving enterprise. There are a great number of volunteers who have committed their time and energies to this hockey program, and the results have given us one of the best programs in the area.

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There are currently two fund-raising activities to be held in January and February. The first event is a dance on Friday, January 27 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School Street. The tickets are priced at \$10 per person. The Castletone Show Band will be featured.

Between January 16 and February 24 the kids will be selling peanut butter cups at \$1 for each package. Each child will have a letter from youth hockey authorizing the sale of the candy.

We ask that the community support these activities, as they have in the past, since this is very important to the success of our program.

Sincerely, CYHA Board

# CHARLESTOWN BOYS & GIRLS CLUB

# Physical Education Update

Congratulations . . .

Congratulations to the following boys who made the 13and-Under Boys' Basketball Team: Jackie Kelly, Adam Olson, Joe Kavinsky, Jamie Smith, Nicholas Smith, Mike Collins, Matthew Warren, Danny Gibbons, John Kelly and Timmy O'Shea.

The team, coached by Bobby Smith, will play its first home game this Thursday, January 12, at 6:30 p.m. against the Newton Boys and Girls Club.

· Callouts . . .

Girls' Basketball Team tryouts for girls ages 10 to 17 Tuesday, January 17 from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

13-to-17-year-old In-House Basketball League will play Wednesday nights from 6 to 8 p.m. Sign your team up now by filling out a roster in the gym. The league begins on January 25.

Alumni In-House League sign ups are taking place. Enter your team in the 1989 Alumni League. The league will begin the week of January 23. Games will be played Wednesday nights or Saturdays after 4 p.m., depending on interest.

A soccer program for members ages 6 to 12 will be held Wednesdays from 3 to 4:30 p.m. There will be organized games for six weeks beginning January 25. Just show up!

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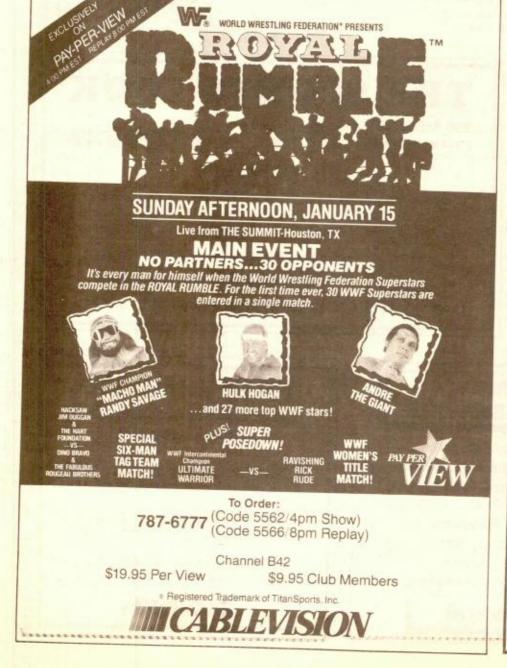
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# Irish Rebels Over Baron's Bullys 12-4 Colonial Boys Defeat Black & Tans 9-6

#### by Bernie "Scoop-er" Kelly

I think it was a wise man, or maybe it was "Scoop" who said, "The moment of truth has to come," and come it did this past Monday night when the 1987-88 Man-ly Cup Champion Crusaders, now known as the Irish "Cocky" Rebels, handed the league-leading surly up-starts, known as the Baron's Bullys, a much needed thrashing. This was a comeuppance for those early defeats inflicted by the Bullys on most teams while players were adjusting to one another.

The contest was pretty even until 12:50 of the second period with the scoreboard reading 2-1 in favor of the Rebels. From that point on, the Bullys ran for cover! The Rebels of old started to show the form that gave them the Man-ly Cup as 1987-88 top scorer Matt "Flash" Mahoney tallied four goals and two assists that brought back flashes of his former scoring prowess. This has put him in the fifth spot, 10 points behind the present leader Mark "Ace" Lally.

Another marksman finding his former eye for playmaking and scoring is the former cadet and captain of Norwich University, Jackie "Jocko" Martin, who loves to hustle. He faked and out-foxed the Bullys' defense, penetrating their zone at will, setting up the Rebel shooters who shattered the daydreaming, dumb-founded, drowsy-eyed sure to be "Hall of Flamer," Tom "Rumpy/Bumpy" Bryson. Bryson's protruding buttocks and/or rump was being peppered by the Rebel sharpshooters who found the "Bruiser's" weakness and put the wood to him for the surly attitude and cavalier, cocky, tackless manner he displayed when the Bullys were in first place. Now it is a different story. With the Irish Rebels handing him a solid thrashing, let's see if "Lumpy" or "Dumpy," or is it "Rumpy" or "Bumpy," can take the heat for the second half of the season.

By the way "Rumpy," what's this I hear? You get a lot of seedy C-Town news right from the "Front Page," yeh, the restaurant. Perhaps you get it from some "bloke" from down under. Sounds like he's from Australia, sporting a green card and pretending he's a maitre d' or something. His name sounds English with an Australian drawl, like Fevin "Kilty" Kitzsimmons, which sounds like an alias if he is English. Well it seems he liked to eavesdrop while setting tables and handing out menus. He says it helps to better understand the "Yanks" and their ways.

## "UNOFFICIAL" OR RECENT RINK RUMORS

Don't say you read it in the "Patriot Sports Line," but whispers heard through a reliable hockey buff claim a possible coup d'essai (a first attempt) to oust or overthrow the "Czar" of the Senior Hockey League, Commish Eddie "LeBaron" Johnson. As rumor has it, a certain ambitious CYHA Director, known in certain circles as the "Colonel," has admitted that he did entertain that thought should the present commissioner default or resign. When questioned this week about a certain coup d'etat to overthrow the "Czar," the "Colonel" refused to answer the charges and quickly exited the rink through the rink manager's office side door. He faded into the darkness of a nearby side street cafe that served as a sanctuary for the nervous and unwilling witness known as the "Colonel."

A bit of mystery still surrounds the coup d'etat attempt to unseat the aging yet somewhat dedicated "Commish" and "Czar," who has held the prestigious leadership of the Senior Hockey League and internationally acclaimed Boston Barons since their inception. The Boston Barons are about to embark on their Fifth Annual Chris Verwijst Invitational European National Tournament. They will depart sometime around March 17 for Tilburg, Holland. The "Czar," Eddie "LeBaron" Johnson, hopes to capture top honors in the competition and this time bring home the "Gold" medals. Viva Le Baron!

### REMEMBER

League Games will start at 9 p.m. (first game) with the second game at 10 p.m. until further notice.

# FINAL DEADLINE TRADE . . .

It's official . . . Knobby's dad, the legendary Triple "E" League out of Saugus, fill in/fall out goalie Gerry "Nabby" McIntosh, was traded after Monday night's game on an unconditional release to the Saskatchewan Mudcats out of Mishoba, Canada for a player to be named in February. The emotional "Nabby" was overwhelmed with tears and fits of anger while his family tried to console him. Who knows, "Nabby," the weather may agree with you. Good luck at Triple "E."

#### IRISH REBELS RALLY, BARON'S BULLYS TOPPLE 12-4!

The Irish Rebel captains, Ed "Mugsy" Kelly and Mike "Yank" Anthony, cashed in all their "at-a-boy" cards Monday night as they literally took the play away from the league-leading Bullys. The Bullys were shy two key players, the preacher Paul "Amos" Anthony and stalwart defenseman Ken "Gusty" Guittarr. Their talents were most needed in this crucial game to offset the constant pressure by the Rebel forwards. The Rebels found the Bullys' goalie highly nervous and confused and started peppering the aging "Hall of Flamer," Tom "Rumpy-Lumpy" Bryson. Bryson was really getting his lumps in all the right places, so to speak, shattering his "ego," which was getting out of control anyway as long as the Baron's Bullys were in first place!

#### SCORING BY PERIOD

TEAM PERIOD	1	2	3	FINAL
Irish Rebels	2	5	5	12
Baron's Bullys	1	0	3	4

GOALIES			SAVE		
ean '	"Bubba"	Feeney - Rebels	20		
		Bryson - Bullys	25		

#### \* GAME STARS \*

Jack "Jocko" Martin — Jack of Old Matt "Flash" Mahoney — He's Coming Mike "Yank" Anthony — Older is Wiser

#### COLONIAL BOYS DISCIPLINE BLACK & TANS 9-6!

Congratulations go to Dan "Darby" Considine who had a hat trick and two assists, putting him into the top 10 scorers' column along with brother Eddie "Biff" Considine and the Colonial Boys' Paul "Rickshaw" Wrenn, who had two goals and two assists this week, just missing out on the top 10 list. He won't be out for long, you can bet on that!

The young captain, Steve "Cargo" Considine, had three assists for the Colonial Boys, who put the wood to the Black & Tans, while Joe "Tip Toe" Upton contributed two goals and one assist in the victory!

Pat "Hawkeye" Considine contributed one goal and one assist in their losing cause. Scott "Shifty" Sheehan had a hat trick plus one assist for a very noteworthy effort from "Shifty." Bet he will be a top scorer when we get near the championship games in March. Right, "Shifty?"

#### SCORING BY PERIOD

TEAM PERIOD	1	2	3	FINAL
Colonial Boys	2	3	4	9
Black & Tans	1	2	3	6

GOALIES
Robby "Knobby" McIntosh - Boys
Sean "Bubba" Feeney - Tans

SAVES
20
21

\* GAME STARS \*

Paul "Rickshaw" Wrenn — Playmaker Scottie "Shifty" Sheehan — Mr. Hustle Mark "Misty" Mahan — Sure Shot

#### SENIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS

TEAM	W	L	TIE	*POINT STANDINGS
Irish Rebels	6	2	0	12 points
Baron's Bullys	5	3	0	10 points
Colonial Boys	3	4	1	7 points
Black & Tans	1	6	1	3 points

\* SENIOR LEAGUE TOP SCORERS \* Assists **Points** Goals Name Team 1) Mark Lally - Bullys 29 11 27 15 Mike Anthony - Rebels 3) Paul Anthony - Bullys 12 25 4) Jack Martin - Rebels 11 20 19 5) Matt Mahoney - Rebels 11 17 6) Eddie Considine - Bullys 15 7) Eddie Kelly - Rebels 14 8) Mike Moloney - Bullys 13 9) Dan Considine - Rebels 13 10) John Dowd - B & T

Also Rans, with 12 points each . . . Paul Wrenn, Pat Considine and Richie Doherty

#### \* RISING STARS \*

Scottie Sheehan — Black & Tans Sean Ridings — Baron's Bullys Jay Wallus — Irish Rebels Lennie Hoey — Black & Tans

# Boston Barons Prepare For International Tournament



is currently practicing for its participation in the International Tournament in Tilburg, and Holland in March. Members of the team and staff include: Front row (l. to r.) Coach John Tibbetts, Mark Tracy, R. Northam, Joe Bosse, Mike Tibbetts, Mike Interante, Dana Finnegan and Team Doc Mike Giordano. Se-

cond row (l. to r.) Paul Tibbetts, Bob La-Porte, Keith O'Brien, Mark Chardovoyne and Keith DiVincent. Third row (l. to r.) Commissioner Ed "Baron" Johnson, Vic Fidler, Sean O'Brien, Shaun MacDonnell and Joe Harney. Back row (l. to r.) Coach John Kelly, P. McDonough and Len Leonard. (photo by John Dillon) Train to be a
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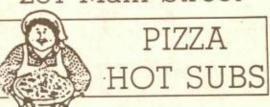
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# CHARLESTOWN TEEN CONNECTION

# Girls' Ball Hockey League

#### by John Lynch LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Game 1: Silver Box 10, N.B.B. 4

Silver Box clinched first place with its ninth straight win, a 10-4 victory over N.B.B.

Silver Box jumped out to a 5-2 lead after the first half. Kim Campbell scored the first goal, and Cheryl Collins and Shannon Lawler added two each. N.B.B. kept it close on goals by Pam Butler and Maureen Thompson.

In the second half, goals by Colleen Hanlon and Collins put Silver Box up 7-2, but Barbara McCabe and Ronnie Sue Deardon closed it to 7-4 with goals for N.B.B

Despite the defensive effort and hustle of N.B.B.'s Michelle Macomber and her teammates, Silver Box added three more goals by Campbell (her second), Collins (her fourth) and Tasha Lyman for the final score of 10-4.

Game 2: Charlestown Chiefs 6, Barbies 2

In a battle for third place, the Chiefs jumped out to a 3-0 lead and held on for a 6-2 win over the Barbies, who had won three of its last four games.

Patty Reilly opened the scoring, and Shannon McLaughlin added two goals for the 3-0 lead. Kelley O'Neil answered with a goal for the Barbies, but Melissa Doherty restored the Chiefs' three goal lead at 4-1. Lesley Borden scored with 1:00 left in the half to make it 4-2

The second half was a defensive struggle. Patty Riley scored her second goal and Shannon McLaughlin finished off her hat trick for the 6-2 victory for the Chiefs.

Game 3: Main Street 7, Parkies 0

Main Street, playing for the second straight week without its leading scorer Tina Lyons, ended the season on a winning note with a 7-0 shutout of the Parkies.

Nancy Kane had a hat trick, giving her five goals in the last two games. Jennifer Ahern and Shelly Sheehan each scored once and Amy King scored the last two goals of the game for Main Street.

FINAL STANDINGS

PL	ACE - TEAM	W	I	POINTS
1	Silver Box	9	1	FULNIS
	Main Street	8	2	16
3	Charlestown Chiefs	6	4	12
4	Barbies	5	5	10
5	Parkies	2	8	4
6	N.B.B.	0	10	0
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## PLAYOFF SCHEDULE

· Tonight's Games (January 12) ·

Game 1, 6:15 p.m. - Charlestown Chiefs vs. N.B.B. Game 2, 7:00 p.m. - Barbies vs. Parkies

· Next Week's Games (January 19) ·

Game 1 - Silver Box vs. (to be announced) Game 2 - Main Street vs. (to be announced)

· January 26 · Championship Series begins

(two games out of three) Games will also be played February 2 and, if necessary, February 9.

#### INJURY REPORT!!!

Main Street's Tina Lyons had foot surgery and is out for the season. Good luck on a full and speedy recovery!

Also, Silver Box's Kim Cambpell is on crutches due to a skiing mishap, but promises to be back for next week's playoff game. (Thank God for the bye!) Good luck, Kim!

# Library Presenting Workshop For Parents Of Preschool Children

The Adult Discussion Group of the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street, is featuring a workshop for parents of preschool children which will continue on Friday, January 13 at 10 a.m. The workshop is being led by Susan Com-

stock, Early Childhood Specialist, Family Service Association of Greater Bos-

The workshop is designed for parents of children ages 2 to 5 years and its purpose is to develop skills needed to become more ef-

fective in helping children to grow. This group is providing the opportunity to explore parental stress related to child rearing, effective time management for parents and value reinforcement in the family. Persons are welcome to attend as many of the sessions as they

Suggested reading in conjunction with the workshop includes What Every Baby

Knows by T. Berry Brazelton, M.D., Working and Caring by T. Berry Brazelton, M.D., Your Growing Child by Penelope Leach and Your Pre-Schooler: Ages Three And Four by Richard R. Rubin, M.D.

The workshop will continue on January 20 and 27 and February 3 and 10 with an evaluation on February

## In Memory Of

# BILL SIMENSEN

January 4, 1989

The last time we saw you, Well, you were doing so good, And this next time we miss you, We never thought that we could. You've passed through the distance, Not seeming to know. Now that you've left us. You're still with us although.

I just can't find the meaning Of us being without, And I've searched through this wisdom Comehow without doubt. The strange ways of God. That lead us about. Bill, I still love you, The same as before. But now it's the distance

That makes me feel more. I walked down this roadside Time and again. And I just don't know Why this road had to end. I stood by the flowers. And picked one for you. I know that you're resting,

From all you've been through.

Somehow it's so silent, But we whisper to you. We pray you are happy Even though it's all new. So I stand by the seashore. Trying out loud. You know that we're trying To be just as proud.

Someday in a lifetime, We will meet again, But for now, we'll just pray, Now until then. So lost in the wonders, Of beginning and end. We'll search for the endless Sometime, together again.

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# News From The Charlestown Boys And Girls Club 15 GREEN STREET



# AMERICAN RED CROSS SWIM LESSONS

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3:45 to 4:30 p.m. - Beginners

Sign up now with Eileen at the front desk or call 242-1775. The instructor will be Shelley Montgomery. There is no fee for current members.

# PARENT AND TOT RECREATIONAL SWIM

The Parent and Tot Recreational Swim begins on Saturday, January 14 and continues through February 4. This four-week session costs \$10 for the use of the pool. Bring your child that is between the ages of 6 months and 5 years and take a dip. This is not an instructional class! Swims are Saturday mornings from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

## ALUMNI BASKETBALL

There will be no alumni basketball this Sunday, January 15. Also, the Alumni Basketball League will be starting soon. More details in next week's Patriot.

#### ALUMNI REUNION

For those who might not have heard, there is a Charlestown Boys' Club Alumni Reunion this Saturday, January 14 from 7 p.m. to midnight. This will be held in the High Street Building and there will be a buffet and cash bar. Admission is \$10. Tickets can be purchased at the club in advance or at the door. A Girls' Club Reunion is planned for the spring.

## TEEN CENTER NEWS

The teens will be taking the first ski trip of the season next week on January 18. The trip to Blue Hill will be in the evening and anyone who is interested may sign up at the Teen Center.

A Girls' Bumper Pool Tournament will be starting next week. If interested, see John Ezekiel.

It's Super Bowl Time Again! The teens are getting ready for the Second Annual Super Bowl Party on January 22. More details in next week's Patriot.

# **Board of Appeal Hearings**

A public hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 17 by the Board of Appeal of the City of Boston in Room 801, City Hall, seeking variances from the terms of the Boston Zoning Code:

 Michael Mansfield, 9 Lawnwood Place, seeking variance of Articles 8(8-7-8) 14(14-2) 17(17-1). Change the legal occupancy from a one-family to a three-family dwelling.

A public hearing will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, January 19 by the Board of Appeal of the City of Boston in the Piemonte Room, Mayor's Office, City Hall, seeking variances from the terms of the Boston Zoning Code.

• Roberta Y. Stern, 70 Winthrop Street, seeking variance of Articles 14(14-2) 15(15-1) 17(17-1). Establish the legal occupancy as a two-family dwelling. There is no record of occupany in the Building Department.

# NOTICE OF DECISIONS

The petition of Ronald G. and Margaret Taylor, concerning the premises at 41 Baldwin Street, has been granted with provisos and was filed in the office of the Building Commissioner on December 23.

The petition of Richard and Jean Wright Martin, concerning the premises at 238-240 Bunker Hill Street was dismissed without prejudice and was filed in the office of the Building Commissioner on December 23.

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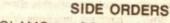


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## Welfare Information Office Update

by Denise Maher

Joyce Sampson, operations manager, and Robert Hill, director of the East Boston Welfare Office, met again with concerned residents on December 22 to finalize plans for a welfare information office in Charlestown.

Hill confirmed that space was available in the Welfare Department's Long Term Care Connection, located in The Schraffts Center at Sullivan Square. Right now he is able to provide a worker every other Wednesday from 8:45 to 5 p.m.

Both Hill and Sampson pointed out the personnel problems at the East Boston office, caused by the state's budget crisis. Currently, there is a hiring freeze, and no promotions are being authorized. The freeze severely limits the number of people available and the hours that a Charlestown office could operate.

The group thought that two half-days each week would be a better option. Hill did not agree and felt that schedule would be too disruptive for the East Boston office. The Charlestown office will be closely monitored in terms of its operation and effectiveness.

The information office will be limited in its func-

tions but should prove to be beneficial and save clients a trip to East Boston. Clients are asked to call their caseworkers before they go, so that the Charlestown staff members will be better prepared for a client's visit.

Verifications can be dropped off, but no rental or over-the-counter food vouchers will be available. Redeterminations will still have to be done in East Boston unless extenuating circumstances, such as illness, prevent the trip. Arrangements could then be made to begin the redetermination process at the Charlestown office.

Remember that the goal is to save clients a trip to East Boston, and this will only be achieved by arranging Charlestown service through the caseworkers.

The office's anticipated opening date is Wednesday, January 18. Keep your eyes open for the **Patriot** and for flyers that will be distributed, for more information.

If you would like to get involved with this effort, or have any questions or comments, please contact Michelle Pearlstein at the Bunker Hill Tenants Task Force, 242-3200; or Denise Maher at the Kennedy Center, 241-

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# Armed Services YMCA Of Boston Holds Meeting On Coast Guard Cutter

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THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT of the Armed Services YMCA of Boston recently held a luncheon meeting aboard the USCGC SANIBEL. Shown front row (l. to r.) John Bocchino, former state president, POWs; John Camplese, president, Pace Chapter, Air Force Association; Peter Colerico, president, Minuteman Chapter, Air Force Association; Lt. John McCann, commanding officer, SANI-BEL; Lt./Col. John R. Yates, USMC (Ret.), president, AS/ YMCA of Boston; Michael Ciccarelli, PR director of FAA and AS/YMCA Committee of Management member; B/Gen. John F. White, ANG (Ret.), chairman, PR and development, AS/YMCA; and James W. Conway of Charlestown, Past National Historian, The American Legion and AS/YM-CA Committee of Management member. Others in the photo include: Lt./Col. Harold Olson, deputy base commander,

Hanscom Air Force Base; Lt. Tom Doherty, executive officer, USS CONSTITUTION; Commissioner Tom Mattarazzo, City of Boston Veterans Services; Sarge Gianetti, commander, Flaherty Post, The American Legion; Doc Tynan, former state Representative and commander, South Boston VFW Post; Deputy Commissioner Tom Lyons, City of Boston Veterans Services; Robert Matson, national executive officer, veterans' affairs, Italian/American War Veterans; Dan DellElce, adjutant, Boston Chapter Military Order World Wars; Attorney William Manley, committee of management member; E. Beale Wilson, committee of management member; Kathy Simon, committee of management member; Marilynne Bellengi, director of development, AS/ YMCA; and Harry A. Psarris, CEO, AS/YMCA of Boston.

# BHCC Alumni Association To Host Events

Bunker Hill Community College Alumni Association is sponsoring a reception for the college's new president Dr. Piedad F. Robertson on Wednesday, January 25 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Art Gallery of the main lobby. All alumni and friends of the college are invited to this lighthearted occasion where

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they can meet the new president and reacquaint themselves with former classmates and instructors.

The reception coincides with an art exhibit created by the college's alumni. This exhibit will run January 17 through February 9 in the Art Gallery where the reception will be held. Oil, pastel, watercolor and

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photography are some of the mediums featured in this exhibit. Also on hand, for the sentimental alumnus, will be a display of alumni memorabilia such as yearbooks, posters and video tapes of the Similated Society (SIM SOC) classes.

Parking is available in the student parking lot or in the lot adjacent to the ground floor entrance with security check-in. Refreshments will be served during the reception.

The BHCC Alumni Association has found wide-

spread enthusiasm for its creation which began barely a year ago. Supporting college goals and creating an alumni network is two of its major goals . . . goals which are met through monthly meetings, a quarterly newsletter and events such as the ones previously mentioned.

Alumni members wishing more information on the Alumni Association or any of its events, may contact Alumni Coordinator Mary Todd at 241-8600, extension

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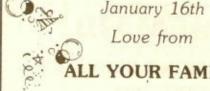
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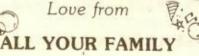
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# Not For Nothin' . . . But Have You Heard . .



- . In The News . . . the January 2nd edition of Time magazine sings praises of the architectural skills of Bill Rawn of William Rawn Associates of Boston, on his design of the 50 affordable housing units being built on Thirteenth Street in the Navy Yard. Time said, "Virtually miraculous, cheerful, dignified, altogether grand looking." Sounds like the article is also describing the "Townies" who will be moving in as well! . . . Names also in the print are Todd and Olivia English of the proposed Olive's restaurant on Main Street. This month's edition of Boston Magazine lists the couple as "Faces to Watch in 1989!" So, we'll
- Speaking of the Bricklayers . . . our warmest congratulations to Tom McIntyre who welcomed in the new year with a new granddaughter! Our best wishes to the McIntrye family!
- · Bola . . . at Saint Francis de Sales takes place this Sunday, January 15 at 7 p.m. in Bishop Lawton Hall. Over 100 prizes and a lot of fun. See you there!
- · Birthdays . . . belated wishes to Sherry Jackson who celebrated last week . . . This week's celebrities are Bobby Wallace, who we're told, will celebrate the 15th anniversary of his 39th birthday . . . Tom Cunha's big day is the 15th as is Helen Conway's! Have a great year, one and all!
- · Welcome . . . to Elizabeth Mainiero, daughter of Jill (O'Connor) and Robbie Mainiero of Russell Street, Charlestown, who was born January 8 at Brigham and Women's Hospital. Elizabeth's mom, Jill, is the bookkeeper at Bunker Hill Florist! Our warmest congratulations to all of you.
- · Save That Change . . . you might be needing it to travel over the Tobin Bridge! Massport reports that ridership over the bridge is down due to the ongoing CANA project, and although they claim they do not anticipate raising the fees to make up the difference in needed revenue to operate the overhead span - you know what that means, folks! Start collecting those coins now!
- · Say It Ain't So . . . word has it that Kathy Murray will have to stand during all future quilting sessions at the top of the hill! Your "friends" are telling quite a tale of what "really happened" during your last get together! As long as they don't make you stand in the corner, Kathy!
- Oh, Rats... Did you watch last Saturday's "Our Times" show on channel 7? One segment discussed the problem of rats, some "the size of squirrels and cats," seen in and around Boston. It is expected to become an even larger problem when the digging begins for the CANA tunnel on Chelsea Street. Mention was made at the last CANA meeting on having a representative from the Inspectional Services Department come out to the neighborhod to teach us the proper way of disposing trash! Might be a good idea, since the "Our Times" show stated that if the furry little devils can't find food, they won't stay around! Stay tuned.
- Fees Going Up . . . as of January 15 at the Registry of Motor Vehicles. Better check before you get there or bring a little extra money with you!
- To Keep You Warm . . . a bus shelter has been constructed at Thompson Square! Should help a little during these coooold winter morns.
- The Animal Rescue League . . . is looking for usable blankets, towels and rugs with rubber backs for their shelters. If you can help out, call them at
- · What's Going On Around Town . . . noticed the crossing guard every morning at her post on Main Street at 8 a.m. to cross the youngsters on their way to St. Francis de Sales. . traffic has been backing up at Thompson Square from City Square during the morning rush . . . quite a few requests to reopen Joiner Street during the rush hours to help commuters get through the area a little easier . . . no snow yet, but keep in mind not to park at fire hydrants or too close to the corner of your street so that plows can navigate the turns . . . reminder to youngsters who sled at the Monument to be extra careful not to take the Tremont Street side too fast - the fence comes up awfully fast,
- · Monday Is A Federal Holiday . . . honoring Martin Luther King Jr.
- Remembering 1974 . . . 15 years ago! This was a very eventful year, one that should be remembered for many reasons: The Champion Midget Hockey Team visited Niagara Falls . . . Frank Powers was Headmaster at Charlestown High School . . . Half gallon of milk sold for 67° (and you received a 20° return on the bottle) . . . Representative Anthony Scalli went on record opposing plans to build a Federal Prison in the Charlestown Navy Yard . Diane Maxwell won the National Readers Digest Key Scholarship . . . Stay tuned to future editions of the Patriot for more memories of 1974.

### Health Center Bus Schedule

The MGH-Bunker Hill Health Center shuttle bus leaves the Health Center at 73 High Street, Monday through Friday, every hour starting at 9 a.m. to take patients to the Massachusetts General Hospital. The last bus leaving for the hospital is at 2 p.m.

MGH now has business offices in Somerville and at the Navy Yard. The 10 a.m., Il a.m. and the 1 p.m. buses go to these offices and take approximately 35 minutes to reach the hospital. The 9 a.m., noon and the 2 p.m. buses route through the North End.

# **Local Input Improves** Artery Project



by Jane F. Garvey, Commissioner Massachusetts Department of Public Works

In mid-November the artery-tunnel project reached a major milestone. After months of careful study and meetings with local residents and business groups, agreement was reached on several key engineering elements which allow the project to move toward final

To all the concerned residents of Chinatown, the South End, East Boston, the North End, the North Station area, Charlestown and South Boston who enabled us to reach this important decision, I extend my deepest thanks. Your comments and suggestions have made this a better project than it was a year ago. I encourage you to continue your interest and involvement in this important project as we move closer to the start of construction.

Over the past year and a half the project has been refined and improved in response to comments received from community groups, business leaders, city and state officials, and other interested parties. Some of these improvements include:

- . In Chinatown, an improved design enhances development and landscaping opportunities in the neighborhood and closes the Beach Street exit from the Expressway to ease traffic woes on local streets.
- . In East Boston, the relocation of airport access ramps to allow for a seven-acre expansion of Stadium Park and improved access to the MBTA Airport
- . In the North End, the design of a multiuse building to provide 300-350 parking spaces for North End shoppers to replace spaces taken during construction. Project officials have a commitment not to engage in construction activity during the busiest market days.
- In the Charles River area, a modified design moves a portion of I-93 500 feet farther away from City Square in Charlestown, eliminates construction impacts to the Esplanade, and improves pedestrian access along Causeway Street and over the Charles River
- . In downtown Boston, the path of the northbound Central Artery has been moved out of the Fort Point Channel and will be built under Atlantic Avenue, significantly reducing environmental impacts to the
- . The use of barges instead of thousands of trucks to remove dredged and excavated materials for disposal at Spectacle Island and the Massachusetts Bay Foul Area, with the added benefit of eliminating an environmental hazard on the island by capping it.

Because it is important that local residents are informed about the artery-tunnel project, its goals, and its progress, we are instituting this regular column in neighborhood newspapers throughout the city. Future articles will include current information on such topics as project design and schedule, job and training opportunities, construction and traffic planning, and mass transit alternatives.

(Reader comments and suggestions can be sent to Commissioner Garvey, Public Information Office, Central Artery/Third Harbor Tunnel Project, One South Station, Boston, MA 02110.)

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# Openings Available For Union Apprenticeships

· Pipefitters Union

The Pipefitters Union Local 537 is accepting applications for Pipefitters and Air Conditioning-Refrigeration Apprenticeships through January 31 at the Pipefitters Training Center, 40 Enterprise Street, Dorchester.

Application hours will be Monday through Thursday from I to 3 p.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m. (closed January 16).

Applicants must be 18 years of age and have a copy of their high school diploma or GED. Information about tests, interviews and fees will be given when the application is filed.

· Sheet Metal Workers Union

The Sheet Metal Workers Local Union 17 is accepting applications for apprenticeships through January 31 at 1181 Adams Street, Dorchester.

Application hours will be Monday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Tuesdays from 4 to 6 p.m.

Applicants must be 18 years of age by May 31, 1989, have a copy of their high school diploma or GED and be in good physical condition. For more information call 298-0850.

· Engineers Union

The Hoisting and Portable Engineers Union Local 4 is accepting applications for Operating Engineers apprenticeships through January 31 at their office, One Engineers Way,

Application hours will be Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Applicants must be 18 years of age, physically capable for performing the work, reside within the jurisdiction of Local 4, be a U.S. citizen or meet the requirements of the Immigration and Reform and Control Act of 1986, have a high school education or equivalent and take an aptitude test. Apprenticeship standards will be provided upon request. For more information call 821-0306.

#### · Plumbers Union

The Plumbers Local 12 Apprenticeship Program is accepting applications for plumbing apprenticeships through January 31 at the Apprenticeship Program Training Center, 1240 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston.

Application hours will be Monday through Thursday from 1 to 3 p.m. and from 6 to 7 p.m. An application fee of \$30, non-refundable, must be paid at the time of application.

This is a five-year apprenticeship program requiring apprentices to work days at the trade and also attend classes two evenings per week. To attain the status of a licensed journeyman plumber, a licensing examination is required.

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For more information, call 288-1010 or 288-1011.

#### Painters Union

The Boston Area Painter Training Program Trust is accepting applications for apprenticeships through January 31 at 303 Freeport Street, Dorchester.

Application hours will be Monday through Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 3 p.m. (closed on the January 16 holiday). A non-refundable \$20 administration fee must be paid at the time of application (payable by personal check or money order, no cash will be accepted).

Applicants must be at least 17 years of age (a copy of your birth certificate may be required), have a high school diploma or GED certificate or have completed a recognized pre-apprenticeship training program and pass an aptitude test administered by the Department of Employment Security with a minimum qualifying score of H.

Each applicant who meets all basic requirements will be interviewed by the Joint Apprenticeship and Training Committee. The interviewers will consider reliability, interest, attitude, judgment and cooperativeness. Apprentices will be selected in order of their ranking resulting from rating and interviews.

For more information, call 288-4318.

#### · Iron Workers Union

The Joint Apprentice Committee of the Iron Workers Union Local 7 is accepting applications for their Apprentice Training Program on January 13 and January 16 through January 20, at 35 Travis Street, Allston.

Application hours will be Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 3 p.m. On January 16, applications will also be accepted from 4 to 6 p.m. A non-refundable \$20 administration fee must be paid at the time of application.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, have completed 10 years of school and be in good physical condition. For more information, call 254-7686.

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- Ceramics Monday to Thursday from noon to 4 p.m., contact Ann Griffin.
- Beano Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:30
- p.m., contact Marge Coghlan.
- Lunch Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 12:00 p.m., contact Dolly Rocco.
- Knit & Crochet Friday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., contact Jean Reilly.

# Saint Patrick's Day Party & Clambake

A Saint Patrick's Day Party and Clambake is being planned at the Beacon Motel, Lincoln, New Hampshire. The two day, one night trip will take place on Sunday, March 5 and Monday, March 6. The trip is priced at \$95 (includes three meals) and must be paid in full when you reserve your space. The reservation deadline is January 20. Please contact Sheila Walsh at 241-7513.



# Senior Citizen Lunch Program

The Kit Clark Senior House provides lunches for Senior Citizens, Monday through Friday, under the Title III Senior Nutrition Program at the Rutherford Avenue Senior Center, 114 Rutherford Avenue.

#### MENU

Friday, January 13 - Baked fish with lemon butter, Delmonico potatoes, Scandinavian blend vegetables, pumpernickel bread, plums.

Monday, January 16 - HOLIDAY - CLOSED

Tuesday, January 17 - Beef Burgundy, oven browned potatoes, summer blend vegetables, wheat bread, fresh fruit. Wednesday, January 18 - Scrambled hamburg, mash-

ed potatoes, peas, peaches, scali bread. Thursday, January 19 - Pork chow mein with vegetables, fried rice, french roll, pineapple.

#### AARP To Meet

Boston Chapter 88 of the American Association of Retired Persons will meet on Wednesday, January 18 at 1 p.m. at Saint Paul's Cathedral in Boston.

Affairs Diane Payne Watson, who will address the gathering on goals and services of the commission.

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# \* EVENTS OF THE WEEK \*

Friday, January 13

10:00 a.m. - Seniorobics, Senior Lounge 11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge

12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Monday, January 16

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Tuesday, January 17

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge

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

Wednesday, January 18

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Anchorage Apartments

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments

10:00 a.m. - Arts & Crafts, Senior Lounge 10:00 a.m. - Social Services Information/

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

12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Thursday, January 19

9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Senior Lounge and Constitution Co-op Apartments

10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge

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

1:00 p.m. - Ceramics, Senior Lounge

## \* EVENTS AT THE SENIOR LOUNGE \* Contact Fran or Phyllis at 241-8866

- Penny Sale Friday, January 27, from 9:30 a.m. to noon.
- Valentine Dinner/Sing-A-Long Tuesday, February 14 at 4 p.m. A Boiled Dinner will be served. Donation \$3.

For more information on senior activities, transportation or homemaker service, contact Judi Meaney, Director of Senior Services, at 241-8866.

# Public Forum On Alzheimer's Disease

The Boston Elderly Commission is sponsoring a public forum on Alzheimer's Disease designed to provide family members and caregivers, health and social service providers and others with an opportunity to share information related to this debilitating disease.

The forum will be held Wednesday, January 18 from 6 to 8 p.m. in Boston City Hall, Room 801. The

featured speaker will be David Sherman, R.Ph., FASCP, founder and president of Health Care Visions Inc., an educational and consulting firm specializing in geriatric psychopharmacology. Sherman's presentation will focus on drug and non-drug approaches for the Alzheimer's patient.

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# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



#### Thank You

We would like to thank all our relatives and friends for your love, support and expressions of sympathy.

We would also like to extend a special thank you to the staff of the Life Focus Center for the buffet and to Saint Catherine's Parish.

The Family of Michael J. Pratt

## Thank You

The senior residents of the Mary Colbert Apartments wish to thank William Galvin Jr. and the members of the Charlestown Economic Development Corporation for the Christmas party, lovely gifts and delicious food.

The residents wish everyone a happy and successful New Year.

Thank you again, The Mary Colbert Seniors

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They put out their garbage for collection two or more days too early for pickup. By the time the collection day has arrived, the dogs have gotten into their trash. So who has to clean up after these two-legged pigs? We do, the "Townies."

I hope that when "Mr. and Mrs. Rat" come into our neighborhood, they will move into the condos! I know that they will be very happy living there with these pigs because I'm sure that their homes look like what they leave on the sidewalks!

We love our town and don't want it spoiled by people who don't care. Tired Of Cleaning Up After Newcomers

# Post Offices Closed On Martin Luther King Holiday

Charlestown residents are advised that all post offices will be closed, and there will be no regular mail delivery on Monday, January 16, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

In keeping with postal policy, Special Delivery and Express Mail will be delivered on the holiday. Collection boxes will be picked up according to holiday

schedules; in Boston, there will be additional collections beginning at 4 p.m. to accommodate businesses open on the holiday.

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## Requests Neighborhood Council Discuss Main Street Beer And Wine License

Mr. Dennis McLaughlin, Chairman Charlestown Neighborhood Council Charlestown, MA 02129

Dear Mr. McLaughlin:

As you undoubtedly know, there is considerable controversy regarding the granting of a beer and wine license for Olives, a restaurant proposed to be located at 67 Main Street (the present site of Jamason's Cafe).

The applicants for this license appeared before the Licensing Board for the City of Boston on January 4. At that time, Chairwoman Andrea Gargiulo questioned why this matter had not been discussed at and a position taken by the Neighborhood Council.

The Deacon Larkin Condominium Association respectfully requests that the Neighborhood Council, through an appropriate committee, consider this issue as soon as possible and that the Licensing Board postpone its decision until the council acts.

Sincerely, The Deacon Larkin Condominium Association

# Goodbye And Thank You, Father Kennedy

Dear Charlestown,

As many of you who truly care for the neighborhood might know by now, we are soon saying goodbye to a good priest. Father Bob Kennedy of Saint Catherine's parish has accepted a call to become rector of Star of the Sea parish in East Boston.

I'm sure I am not alone in wanting to take some time to reflect on Father Kennedy's ministry and life among us in Charlestown. His quiet, unpretentious and kind character could easily go unnoticed, except that there are many who will always respond to a graced presence. Through Father Kennedy's ecumenical sharing, I have discovered one who is genuinely committed to food for the poor. He has connected people who want to help in this kind of ministry back to the soil itself through the Farm for the Needy (Abbott Family), a real gift wrapped in the ordinary chores especially for city people. In this vital ministry to the hungry of Charlestown, Father Kennedy went one step further. Two years ago, he and a few others, established a food pantry at Saint Catherine's that anyone in the neighborhood can draw from.

Now, what's moving to me about Bob Kennedy is not only the fact that he has rooted a ministry of gospel action here, but that he has been a true light to our world. Specifically what he has illuminated for me is something that Dorothy Day, founder of the Catholic Worker said, "Go help the poor? Go ahead, you won't help them as much as they'll help you."

Father Kennedy, on behalf of the Charlestown Ecumenical Council and all your friends, thank you for the witness and the penetrating social and theological vision.

Keep us in your prayers as we will keep you in ours.

Gratefully, Father Brian J.P. Murdoch, Rector Saint John's Episcopal Church

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# **Charlestown Police Line**

From the desk of Deputy Superintendent Ronald X. Conway Area A, Boston Police Department

Monday, January 2

Officer Toomey recovered a stolen automobile at 50 Decatur Street at 5 a.m.

A cab driver reported that at approximately 6 a.m. while at Old Ironside Way and Medford Street, a man about 20 years of age entered the cab. He placed a sharp object to the driver's neck and demanded the victim's wedding ring and his money. The driver was ordered to get out of the cab and the suspect drove the cab to McNulty Way where the vehicle was later recovered.

At approximately 6:30 a.m., a resident of Old Landing Way reported that someone had stolen his automobile. He later recovered it a short distance from his home.

At approximately 6 p.m., Officer Bollen issued criminal complaints to a Medford resident at Sullivan Square for operating with expired plates and license.

Officer Bollen recovered a stolen automobile on Brighton Street at 10:30 p.m.

Tuesday, January 3

A cab driver reported that at approximately 2:30 a.m.,

he picked up a cab fare at Old Ironside Way. When they arrived in the Thompson Square area, the suspect, a man about 20 years of age, put a knife to his neck, ordered him out and stole the vehicle. The cab was later recovered at McNulty Way.

Officer Mokler recovered a stolen automobile at 440 Rutherford Avenue at 5 p.m.

A resident of 162 Medford Street reported that someone climbed through the kitchen window during the day and stole a VCR and personal papers.

Wednesday, January 4

At approximately 2:30 a.m., Detectives Donahue and Langlois arrested a resident of Old Landing Way for the armed robbery of a cab driver which occurred on Tuesday, January 3.

An automobile that was parked on First Avenue was broken into during the day.

At approximately 3 p.m., there was a demonstration on 100 First Avenue at the offices of the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority by about 600 individuals who were protesting the decision by the authority to build a sludge dump in the town of Walpole.

At approximately 5:30 p.m., Officer Bollen arrested a Saugus resident at Sullivan Square for operating an unregistered and uninsured motor vehicle without a license.

At approximately 9:30 p.m., an employee of the City Square Shell gas station reported that a man wearing a ski mask approached him with a knife in his hand and demanded the receipts. The suspect then fled on foot.

Saturday, January 7

At approximately 2 a.m., Officer McGowan responded to the front of 14 Monument Square where he met a Saugus resident who reported that he had been assaulted by two individuals who pushed him to the ground and then fled the scene.

At approximately 5:30 a.m., a resident of 48 Corey Street reported that a fight had occurred between her and a boyfriend who pushed her through a window, causing lacerations to her hand. She was taken to Massachusetts General Hospital for treatment. The boyfriend was found driving a stolen motor vehicle in the South End and was placed

At approximately 2:30 p.m., Officer Klockman responded to 140 Main Street on the report of a disturbance. When the officer arrived, he observed a 47-year-old resident assaulting the manager of the 24-hour store. He was placed under arrest when he began to assault the officers when they entered the store.

An automobile that was parked on Eighth Street was broken into and an attempt was made to steal it.

Sunday, January 8

At approximately 8 p.m., Officer Bollen arrested an 18year-old resident at Thompson Square for operating a motor vehicle without a license.

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

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

# Travaglini Calls For Transfer Of Quinn Athletic Facility To Parks Department

Boston City Councillor Robert E. Travaglini has called for the transfer of the Quinn Athletic Facility in Charlestown from the Boston School Department to the Boston Parks and Recreation Department. Travaglini called for the transfer because of the deplorable condition of the athletic facility and the pressing need for usable recreation space in the Charlestown area.

Travaglini stated: "The Boston School Department has allowed the Quinn Athletic Facility to deteriorate to a condition that is neither acceptable nor tolerable. Along with the Ryan Playground area, there is a need to utilize every available facility to address the recreational needs of the children of our community as well as the various athletic programs which contribute to the development and training of our young athletes.

"I have started the process of transfer to ensure that we have adequate facilities to meet the needs of the Little League and softball programs in Charlestown. Unless we act quickly, Ryan Playground will be under construction for much of the summer, leaving Charlestown with Barry Field as the only facility available for the various baseball and softball leagues. This is not enough. My top priority is to ensure that the various baseball and softball programs remain uninterrupted this summer in Charlestown. By transferring the Quinn Facility to the Parks Department, I believe that we can accomplish this."

Construction at the Ryan Field area is due to begin during the spring, with rehabilitation of the playing field scheduled to begin Ju-

ly 1, at the end of the Little League season. Travaglini said that \$430,000 has been allocated for renovations to be completed by the Flemming Brothers contracting firm. Part of the renovations planned include reconstruction of the tot lot, refurbishing of the landscaping of the

entire park, as well as the construction of tennis courts, basketball courts and possibly a hockey rink.

Travaglini added that, through the Capital 4 program, reconstruction of the Ryan Fieldhouse is due to begin in the summer of

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