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ST. MARY'S BIBLE SCHOOL, under the direction of Mary Wilkins, celebrated Thanksgiving with a full-course turkey dinner and stories appropriate to the holiday. Wilkins, dressed in her Pilgrim costume, welcomes the friendly Indians to the feast. Shown (l. to r.) Paul Collins, Wilkins, Jeff and Jake Keady.

(photo by Kathy Giordano)

The Alarm Has Sounded — Scheme Z Is Coming!

by Kathy Giordano

The battle cry has been sounded. Combatants are armed and ammunition has been stockpiled. Battle lines have been drawn and the alarm has been sounded — "Scheme Z is coming!"


The combatants, 350 Charlestownians vs. the Massachusetts Department of Public Works (MDPW), gathered on Nov. 15 at the present-day equivalent of a 17th century town hall, the Knights of Columbus. The boisterous crowd of residents informed the state that the proposed Central Artery interchange plan for this neighborhood is unacceptable. The state informed the residents that Scheme Z is the best plan for connecting the Central Artery to Routes 1 and I-93. There lie the battle lines.

Representatives of both sides of the issue have armed themselves with experts and documentation. A stockpile of blueprints and engineering studies have been gathered to fight each opponent's point of view.

The first major skirmish of the Battle of Scheme Z saw no fatalities but wounds were inflicted by piercing words from Undersecretary of Transportation Matt Coogan toward townsfolk. He was chastized by Rose D'Ambrosio of Union Street to "stop telling us how good you are to us," to which he replied, "I'll tell you what I like."

The town wasn't in the mood to believe what it was being told. It was evident to them that a proposed highway connection that would stand 11 stories high, 700 feet wide and hold 18 lanes of traffic didn't fit into their

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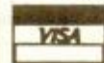
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**Come Home To Sweeney's
For Thanksgiving**

by **Jeanne Davis**

Bob and Carol Sweeney are inviting all their old and new friends to their family-style Thanksgiving Dinner on Thursday, Nov. 22 at Sweeney's Bunker Hill Seafood, 106 Bunker Hill St.

Last year's dinner was a great success, even during the snowstorm. They provided joy and togetherness for local folks who had no family with whom to share Thanksgiving Dinner.

This year, not only will the Sweeneys and their

friendly volunteers be serving dinner from noon to 3 p.m. at the restaurant, they have arranged to have meals delivered to shut-ins unable to make the trip down to the restaurant.

If you know of anyone who is a shut-in and will be spending a lonely Thanksgiving at home, please call Sweeney's at 241-5955 to make arrangements to have a little Thanksgiving delivered to them courtesy of Sweeney's.

Children's Book Fair

A Children's Book Fair will be held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Nov. 28, 29 and 30 at the Chil-

dren's Place in the Navy Yard, 100 First Ave.

For more information, call 241-5700.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This Week At A Glance

- Thursday, Nov. 22**
• **HAPPY THANKSGIVING**
- Friday, Nov. 23**
• 3:45 p.m. — Rollerskating for all Charlestown youngsters and teens sponsored by St. Catherine's Parish, buses leave from St. Catherine's Church, Hayes Square
- Monday, Nov. 26**
• 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 10, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
• 7 to 8:30 p.m. — Charlestown Recycling Meeting, Charlestown Community School, 255 Medford St.
• 7 p.m. — Townie Santa Committee meeting, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.
• 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Mitigation Committee meeting, Charlestown High School auditorium, 240 Medford St.
- Tuesday, Nov. 27**
• 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
• 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Organization Selection Committee meeting, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
- Wednesday, Nov. 28**
• 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Children's Book Fair, Children's Place in the Navy Yard, 100 First Ave.
• 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
• 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine St.

Upcoming Events

- Thursday, Nov. 29**
• 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Children's Book Fair, Children's Place in the Navy Yard, 100 First Ave.
• 11:30 a.m. — Harvest Pickin's Lunch, Rutherford Avenue Lunch site, 114 Rutherford Ave.
- Friday, Nov. 30**
• 10 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group meeting and Preschool Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
• 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Children's Book Fair, Children's Place in the Navy Yard, 100 First Ave.
• 7 p.m. — Lip-Synch Contest, St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street
• 7:30 p.m. — Navy Yard DAV Chapter 17 meeting, VIP Room, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
• 8 p.m. — Charlestown Preservation Society Chamber Music Concert, St. John's Church, 27 Devens St.
- Saturday, Dec. 1**
• 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. — Christmas Fair, Luncheon and Dinner, First Church in Charlestown, Green Street
- Sunday, Dec. 2**
• 2 and 7 p.m. — Annual Christmas Concert, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
• 4 p.m. — Convivium Musicum and Choir of St. Michael's Episcopal Church of Marblehead Concert, St. John's Episcopal Church, 27 Devens St.
- Monday, Dec. 3**
• 10:30 a.m. — Parent and Toddler Story Time for children ages 2 and 3, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
• 3:30 p.m. — Creative Dramatics for children 6 to 12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
• 7:30 p.m. — Regular meeting and election of officers of the Daughters of Isabella No. 1, K. of C. upstairs hall, 75 West School St.
- Tuesday, Dec. 4**
• 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
• noon — Brown Bag Bookies discuss **A Brief History of Time** by Stephen Hawking, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St.
• 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Wednesday, Dec. 5**
• 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. — Boston City Councillor Robert Travaglini Office Hours, One Thompson Square, First Floor Conference Area
• 6 to 7 p.m. — Rep. Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
• 6 to 7:30 p.m. — Pre-Alateen and Alateen Meetings, St. Catherine's Hall, below the rectory, 49 Vine St.

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- Thursday, Dec. 6**
• 2:30 p.m. — Spoon Decorating Party, Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill St.
- Saturday, Dec. 8**
• 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. — Christmas Bazaar, St. Catherine's School Hall, Tufts Street
- Sunday, Dec. 9**
• 1 p.m. — Christmas Concert at St. Mary's Church, 55 Warren St., followed by the annual Christmas Walk
- Tuesday, Dec. 11**
• 7 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Public Safety/Boston Police Community Relations meeting, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance)
- Thursday, Dec. 13**
• noon to 4 p.m. — Christmas Party for Charlestown Seniors sponsored by Charlestown Community Schools, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School St.
- Saturday, Dec. 16**
• 4 p.m. Mass — Bake Sale to benefit the school, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- Sunday, Dec. 17**
• 9 and 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. Mass — Bake Sale to benefit the school, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill St.
- Friday, Dec. 21**
• 10 a.m. — Advent Prayer Service, St. Francis de Sales School, 325 Bunker Hill St.
- Sunday, Dec. 23**
• 11 a.m. — Distribution of Townie Santa Christmas Packages, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St.

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quiet Charlestown residential lifestyle. A massive overpass that would cover land space equal to the size of the Boston Common and would cast shadows over one-quarter of the total one-mile area of Charlestown was just cause, in the eyes of residents, to take a stand and fight.

The citizenry was joined by Rep. Sal DiMasi, former City Councillor Frederick Langone, Boston Transportation Commissioner Richard Diminico and Charlestown Neighborhood Council Chairman Dennis McLaughlin, all testifying against the proposal.

Representatives from the offices of Congressman Joseph Kennedy, Rep. Richard Voke, Mayor Raymond Flynn, City Councillor Robert Travaglini, the Boston Redevelopment Authority, the New England Aquarium and the Economic Development and Industrial Corporation, were in attendance listening to the concerns and issues raised at the forum.

The North Area Task Force (NATF), a group of residents active in the development plans for the Central Artery/North Area (CANA) project for over 10 years, and the newly formed Citizens for a Livable Charlestown (CLC) were present, as were 14 members of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council.

MDPW, Central Artery/Third Harbor Tunnel and CANA project personnel sat with state consultants from Childs, Bertman Tsekares and Casendino (CBT). Intermingled between the elected, the appointed and the hired were the residents of Charlestown who displayed patience and perseverance on their taut, determined faces.

The parley was moderated by CBT architect Anthony Casendino, who performed admirably. Assisting Coogan was Central Artery Director William Twomey.

Visuals in the form of maps and graphs were utilized by the MDPW. The much-traveled model of Scheme Z was displayed to give the attendees an overall view of the proposed project that encompasses land between Rutherford Avenue, the Cambridge city line, the Gilmore Bridge and North Station.

The CLC counteracted the MDPW presentation with continually changing visual projections on the

wall, displaying facts and figures as well as architectural renditions of the planned highway as seen from the community.

Coogan stated that the MDPW listened to Charlestown residents when they first discussed the plans in the 1970s and told the state "the engineers are wrong," and asked them to "find a better way to connect the roadway." He stated: "The outcome was putting the loop ramps 500 feet away

from the community. The citizens came up with the current idea to put the loops over Boston Sand and Gravel." He said that after developing a whole series of solutions, Scheme Z was the best plan to connect the projects.

Residents wanted to know why there is the big rush to have Scheme Z approved by the Federal Highway Administration. DiMasi requested that the state "give more time to allow the

community an opportunity to have input." He stated: "Even if the outcome is more costly, once its up, it's there forever."

Why not have the entire highway connection placed underground? What about the affects of air and noise pollution on the neighborhood? What about the increase of vehicle traffic on Charlestown streets? Have you conducted a study that would include the impacts that would be felt in the community by the total construction and development projects as well as the pollution that currently exists from Boston Edison, Boston Sand and Gravel, the MBTA garages and other industrial companies in and around Charlestown?

A late decision by the state to remove the Traverse Street ramp from the connection would cause the increase of thousands of vehicles traveling onto the North Washington Street bridge and ultimately onto Charlestown streets. McLaughlin stated: "I found the prior Z Scheme an injury to the community. The modified scheme adds insult to that injury by taking out that ramp."

Tom King, CLC spokesman, added that hazardous

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Neighborhood Council Meetings

MITIGATION COMMITTEE

Chairman Bill Galvin has announced that the Mitigation Committee will meet at 7 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 26 at the Charlestown High School auditorium, 240 Medford St. The meeting will include a discussion of Massport's purchase of the Somerville Lumber property located on Medford Street and Massport's leasing of the property to Bay State Express with potential community benefits.

ORGANIZATIONAL SELECTION COMMITTEE

Chairman Bob Wallace has announced that the committee will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 27 at 7 p.m. at the Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance). The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will be selecting seven organizations to send representatives to serve on the council. Organizations that wish to be considered for membership on the the council, should send a letter of interest to Wallace at 11 Mt. Vernon St., Charlestown.

MONTHLY MEETING

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 4 at 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

Chairman Mel Stillman has announced that the Public Safety Committee and the Boston Police Community Relations team will meet with residents on Tuesday, Dec. 11 at 7 p.m. at the Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square (use Monument Avenue entrance).

The meetings are open to the public, and all are welcome to attend.

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THE REAL ESTATE WEEKLY



By
Carolyn Sideman
and
Joseph Gannon III,
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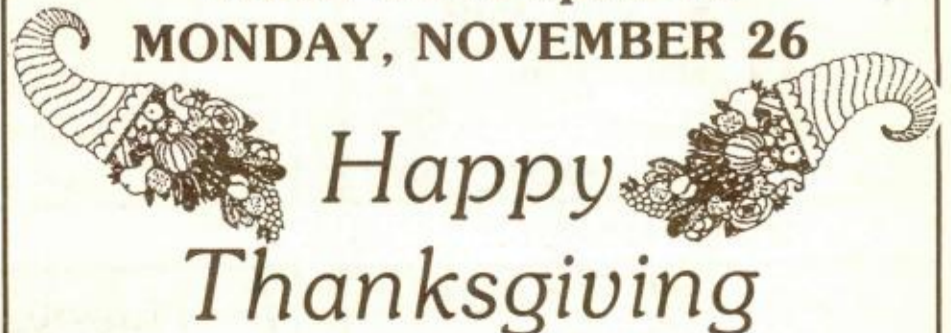
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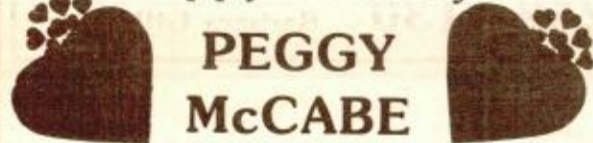
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News From The Charlestown Boys & Girls Club



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• CLUB HOURS — FRIDAY, NOV. 23

On Friday, Nov. 23, the clubhouse will be open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the Green Street side of the club. The Teen Center and gymnasium will open from noon to 7 p.m.

• DECATHLON — SATURDAY, NOV. 24

On Saturday, Nov. 24, there will be a Decathlon for all club members 13 to 18 sponsored by the Keystone Club. Sign-up begins at noon that day and the activities start at 1 p.m. The competition will be for two-member teams, and the cost per team is \$6. The events will include volleyball, soccer, pie-eating, obstacle course, wheelbarrow race, egg race, ping pong and more. Everyone had a great time last year, especially with the pie-eating contest and, in fact, the club received a national award from Boys Clubs of America for program excellence as a result. We hope as many as possible will come join in the fun.

• SANTA'S KITCHEN

Congratulations to all the club members who participated in the spoon decorating for Project Bread. Over 350 wooden spoons were decorated by club members this past week and each spoon will now hang on a tree outside of downtown Filene's. Each spoon can be purchased for \$10, and this money will then be distributed by Project Bread to area soup kitchens and food pantries for the holidays. We are very proud of all our members who gave some time and energy to others more needy than themselves. I'd say the holiday spirit has arrived at the club.

• FAMILY DAY — SATURDAY, DEC. 1

Saturday, Dec. 1 is Family Day at the Charlestown Boys & Girls Club and we'd like to invite the families of all our club members to stop by and participate in some of the activities. In the hustle and bustle of the holiday season, it can be easy to forget that sometimes the greatest gift we can give our children is our time. So we invite all the moms, dads, aunts and uncles to take a little time on Saturday, Dec. 1 to stop by the club with your whole family, including those under 6, and play! From noon until 3 p.m. there will be the opportunity for basketball, arts & crafts, miniature golf, a splash party and treasure hunt in the pool, ping pong, floor hockey, ceramics and computers. We also hear that Howie Bunkley's Chef's Club is planning something special for everyone who stops by. We hope as many families as possible can join us for some fun this day.

• CHRISTMAS TREE SALES

The Boys & Girls Club will again be selling Christmas trees in order to raise money for our programs. We hope that everyone who supported us by purchasing a tree or wreath in previous years will do so again this year. Please note that we will open our stand on Saturday, Dec. 8. Weekend hours will be 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and weekday hours will be 4 to 8 p.m. Thank you for your help.

Happy Thanksgiving
To My Two Girls
Jenna & Sandy

Luv you, miss you . . . **Daddy**

Hope and Tamrae



Happy Sweet 16th
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Happy Birthday

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November 22nd

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**Francis
Your Boyfriend**

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• **A Charlestown First . . .** Charlestown, Boston's oldest village, has been the scene of many firsts . . . In 1632, the first Thanksgiving Day of the Massachusetts Bay Colony was observed at the famous Charlestown Oak on Town Hill.

• **All Charlestown Residents . . .** are invited to an Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service on Wednesday, Nov. 21 at 7:30 p.m. at the First Church in Charlestown on Green Street . . . and by the way, the First Church was organized on Town Hill in 1632.

• **Something For The Youngsters . . .** on Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday, Nov. 21, while parents prepare for the holiday dinner, the Kids Connection Thanksgiving Dance for boys and girls 12 and under will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill St. Admission is \$2 and all proceeds will be donated to Townie Santa.

• **Thanksgiving Day . . .** will find the Bunker Hill Monument and the National Historical Park buildings, the USS Constitution Museum and the **USS Cassin Young** in the Charlestown Navy Yard closed for the day to allow personnel to celebrate Thanksgiving with their families. However, if you feel like taking a walk after Thanksgiving dinner, the **USS Constitution** will be welcoming visitors and the Yard will be open to walk through.

• **Speaking Of The Navy Yard . . .** the **HMCS Nipigon**, a Canadian frigate, will arrive at Pier 1 in the Charlestown Navy Yard on Friday, Nov. 23 and will depart on Monday, Nov. 26.

• **Post 26 Says "Thanks" . . .** The officers and members of Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion wish to thank the residents and merchants who donated items to be included in the 15 packages sent to our servicemen in Saudi Arabia. Thanks also to the volunteers who packed the boxes and readied them for mailing . . . you all were great!

• **Birthday Wishes . . .** go out this week to Li'l Dodie Boyle who will celebrate her second birthday on Nov. 25 . . . Barrister Bill Galvin will mark his big day on Nov. 25 . . . Tamar Robinson of Lori-Ann Donut fame will no doubt enjoy her birthday on Nov. 27 . . . and last, but certainly never least, **The Charlestown Patriot's** own Jeanne Davis will celebrate the first anniversary of her 39th birthday on Nov. 27 . . . The very best to you all on your special day.

• **Anniversary Wishes . . .** are extended to Bill and Dodie Boyle who will be celebrating their 24th wedding anniversary on Nov. 27. Hope it's a grand year!

• **Greetings From The South . . .** Tom Cunha paid a visit to his dad, Joe, in St. Petersburg, Fla. last week. Tom said he had a great visit and it was good to see his dad. Joe sends Thanksgiving greetings to all his friends here in Charlestown.

• **New Arrival . . .** Mr. and Mrs. James Doherty of Bunker Hill Street are the proud grandparents of a new granddaughter, Molly, born on Nov. 6 — Election Day! We understand the grandparents will get a peek at the new little one this coming weekend.

• **Can You Help? . . .** The Christmas Walk Committee is in need of two portable electric generators for the annual walk on Sunday, Dec. 9. If anyone has one they would be willing to loan, please call Carol at 242-7393.

• **A Cheery Card . . .** would be appreciated by Mary Hickey who is a patient at Brigham and Women's Hospital. Mary and her husband Brian are residents of Belmont Street. We send you our best wishes, Mary.

• **Seeking To Open Sundays . . .** Store 24 at One First Ave. in the Charlestown Navy Yard has petitioned the city of Boston Licensing Board for permission to open for the sale of alcohol on the Sundays before Christmas and New Year, Dec. 23 and 30. A public hearing will be held on Monday, Nov. 26 at 10 a.m. in Boston City Hall, Room 809a, on the application. The public is welcome to attend and testify.

• **Grinch Report . . .** There are only 33 days left 'til Christmas . . . Ladies and Gents — let me tell ya — the Grinch is alive and well and living in the Charlestown Navy Yard! Since we last spoke, not one living soul has come forward. With the exception of a donation by Blossoms Cafe — there has not been a nickel — **NOTHING!** . . . Last year, Constellation Wharf residents Hugh and Judith Chapin donated the cost of the tree and The Raymond Group, through the ever-generous and kind deeds of Linda Smith, covered the tab to have the tree transported from the North. It took until a blustery, cold Dec. 21st to see the tree stand on First Avenue, but it happened . . . These elves won't let up. The Navy Yard community deserves this symbol of peace and love and we'll keep trying to see that this newest of Charlestown's neighborhoods gets the best we can beg, borrow or connive . . . Stay tuned! . . . Peggy Griffin, take note!

Best wishes to you and yours for
A HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Recycling Committee Prepares For Next Meeting

by Pete Jones

Members of the Charlestown Recycling Committee have been working to prepare for its next meeting scheduled for Monday, Nov. 26 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Charlestown Community School, 255 Medford St.

These preparations have included producing and distributing an informational flyer on the committee and its goals, researching recycling issues, gathering additional information on recycling programs in Boston and responding to calls from several residents who



are interested in joining the committee.

The Charlestown Recycling Committee is an organization for Charlestown residents who want to make a difference in the community through recycling. The organization's aims are to spread the word to encourage all to recycle, to share information about existing recycling programs and how people can participate; to explore, design and help

implement new, innovative ways to make recycling easier and more accessible to Charlestown residents.

The committee's meetings are always open to all. If you would like more information about recycling in Charlestown and the committee, please call Pete Jones at 241-0425 or Kathy Callahan at 242-3512.

Jonathan Tucker is one of 200 young dancers from the Metropolitan Boston area and adjoining states to perform in Boston Ballet's annual holiday favorite "The Nutcracker" at The Wang Center for the Performing Arts, Nov. 23 through Dec. 30.

Traditionally, children have been a vital part of



JONATHAN TUCKER

celebrating the holiday season with the magic of "The Nutcracker." Featuring the familiar Tchaikovsky score, fairytale scenery by Helen Senn and Herbert Pond and stunning costumes by British designer David Walker, "The Nut-

cracker" is yuletide entertainment for the whole family.

Performing in a full-length ballet exposes children to aspects of ballet life they don't experience in a regular ballet class. The children learn about the hard work, rigors and enjoyment that goes into every facet of a live ballet performance.

Tucker is performing in "The Nutcracker" as a green kilt boy in the party scene. The son of Professor Paul and Maggie Moss Tucker of Monument Square, he attends the Park School. Tucker will be in all performances from Nov. 23 through Dec. 6 and in the Dec. 15 matinee.

'Moments In Charlestown' Programs To Be Presented Friday

"Moments In Charlestown" will feature two programs on cable channels A3 and A8 on Friday, Nov. 23.

At 6 p.m., the program

will be "What The Constitution Means To Me," and at 6:30 p.m. the Charlestown District Court Basketball Awards will be featured.

Volunteers Pack Christmas Boxes For Service Men In The Persian Gulf



VOLUNTEERS gathered at One Thompson Square on Nov. 13 to pack 15 boxes destined for Charlestown men serving in the Armed Forces in the Persian Gulf area. Residents and businesses donated some food, books and toiletry items to be included, and Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion funded the remaining items and paid for the postage to mail the boxes overseas. Shown (l. to r.) Debbie Morin, Helen Carpenter, Erin Murphy, Kay Whelan, Alice Hurley (hidden from view), Commander of Bunker Hill Post Jim Conway, Junior Vice Commander Arthur Hurley, Kathleen Giordano, Gloria Conway, Jeanne Davis, Patricia Johnson, Judy Evers, Eileen Ward, Helena Reilly (hidden from view), Francis Kirk, Stephanie Ward and Peter Looney.

Blossoms Cafe Participates In Restaurant Night

In order to strengthen their charitable giving programs, six Greater Boston restaurants held a United Way Restaurant Night on Nov. 15 by contributing a portion of their proceeds for all meals served.

Citing the area's growing number of hardship cases, Tom Kershaw, president of the Hampshire House, said, "We see this new program as an opportunity to make more of a community im-

pact because it consolidates some of our diverse charitable contributions."

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The Alarm Has Sounded —

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and flammable cargoes would also be traveling on residential streets and on the loop ramps.

NATF Co-Chairman Ken Stone stated: "We had 10 years of discussions with the state on the CANA project. We can have the same impact on Scheme Z, but we must stay on top of them."

Dimino said that the state's decision to remove the Traverse Street ramp from the highway system results in 500 vehicles traveling over the North Washington Street bridge during peak hours and into City Square. He said: "Because the state proposes to eliminate a left turn, all traffic will go up Rutherford Avenue and lead into Somerville," adding "or traffic will take a right hand turn onto local streets and back into City Square." He continued: "We took two years to design a system to keep traffic off Charlestown streets and we now ask the state to reconsider its decision to remove this vital ramp."

Answers coming from state officials to these and many other questions were

unsatisfactory to the residents who started to leave the meeting in disgust. Along with this discouragement was the added dismay of the community when they felt they were being mistreated. As one resident loudly requested: "Treat us with some respect."

When the meeting came to its conclusion, very few of the attendees were left in the hall. The MDPW stated that they would be back, and the community informed them that "we have just begun to fight."

The past has met the present. This David vs. Goliath story was played out in 1775. At that time a small group of Charlestownians fought hard and courageously against the mightiest army in the world. That battle was lost — but the ultimate victory was won. This first encounter was neither won nor lost.

The naivete of a sleeping community has been awakened to a concerned and better informed force to be reckoned with. The Battle of Scheme Z will surely be enlisting recruits on both sides in the weeks to come. Will Charlestown be the

victor or the vanquished? Only time will tell.

Mayor Says Elimination Of Traverse Street Ramp Not Acceptable

Nov. 17, 1990

Frederick P. Salvucci, secretary
Executive Office of
Transportation and Construction
10 Park Plaza
Boston, MA 02116

Dear Secretary Salvucci:

This morning I met with several representatives from Charlestown to discuss their concerns relative to the environmental and traffic impacts of the state's proposed design of the Central Artery project, specifically Scheme Z and the Traverse Street ramp. These concerns were also presented to your staff at the public meeting in Charlestown on Thursday [Nov. 15].

It is my understanding that in the Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) filed yesterday [Nov. 16], the state eliminated the Traverse Street ramp from Scheme Z. Elimination of this ramp, which was done unilaterally and without notice, is a significant change that came at the very end of a long design process and, therefore, little time was afforded to review its impact.

Our preliminary analysis indicates that over 2,100 vehicles would use the Travers Street ramp in the PM peak hour, traveling to I-93 and Route 1. Without this ramp, the only alternatives for northbound traffic are ramps located at Leverett Circle and City Square. As a result, traffic that would otherwise use this ramp will be diverted to a number of sensitive locations where congestion problems currently exist or are anticipated. This will significantly increase congestion and degrade air quality in sections of Charlestown and the North End, and will severely hinder emergency access to Charlestown.

After hearing the concerns of Charlestown residents, both this morning and at the meeting on Thursday, it is the city's position that restoration of the Traverse Street ramp to the project's design is crucial to alleviate the negative impact on air quality, public safety and the overall quality of life for Charlestown residents.

While I recognize the state's concern relative to the potential negative impact to 4(F) property [parklands] in the Charles River Basin, I do not agree that the local connection is of lesser importance. I believe that the state needs to work to identify a satisfactory alternative. Merely eliminating this important ramp to the detriment of the residents of Charlestown and the North End is not acceptable.

I am committed to continuing to work with you to find that alternative. I am confident that our mutual goals can be achieved.

Sincerely,
Raymond L. Flynn
Mayor of Boston

C.Y.O. NEWS by Father Ron Coyne

• **Rollerskating Party** — St. Catherine's will be sponsoring a Rollerskating Party for all Charlestown children and teen-agers at Rollerworld in Saugus on Friday, Nov. 23, the day after Thanksgiving. Buses will leave St. Catherine's Church at 3:45 p.m. and return around 7 p.m. The cost is \$5 per person which includes transportation, skate rental and admission. Rollerblades are not allowed. Tickets are now on sale at St. Catherine's Rectory, 49 Vine St., or at St. Catherine's School. All boys and girls from Charlestown are welcome. Parents, feel free to join us.

• **Lip-Synch Contest** — On Friday night, Nov. 30 at 7 p.m., St. Catherine's will sponsor its first Lip-Synch Contest at the school hall on Tufts Street. There will be a grammar school division for grades one through eight, and a high school division for grades nine through 12. The acts will be judged in three categories: Lip Synch, originality and appearance.

The performance will be open to all at a cost of \$2 for adults and \$1 for children grades 1 through 8. We ask that children under 12 be accompanied by a responsible adult. Refreshments will be sold.

• **CYO Day Ski Trip** — The first ski trip of the winter sponsored by St. Catherine's CYO for all high school teen-agers of Charlestown will be held on Saturday, Dec. 15, leaving at 6 a.m. and returning at 8 p.m. We can take 35 youths on this trip, which costs only \$30 per person and includes transportation; an all-day lift ticket; skis, boots and poles; and a lesson.

Send A Little Christmas To Townies In Saudi Arabia

Christmas is quickly approaching and for our Townie service members stationed in Saudi Arabia it will be a sad and lonely time. Wouldn't it be nice to give them a little touch of home over the holiday season? Why not take a minute from your busy schedule and drop a card or letter to our local boys in the Middle East?

The Charlestown Patriot has compiled the following list of the names and addresses of our fellow Townies who will be spending this Christmas far from home in the Saudi desert.

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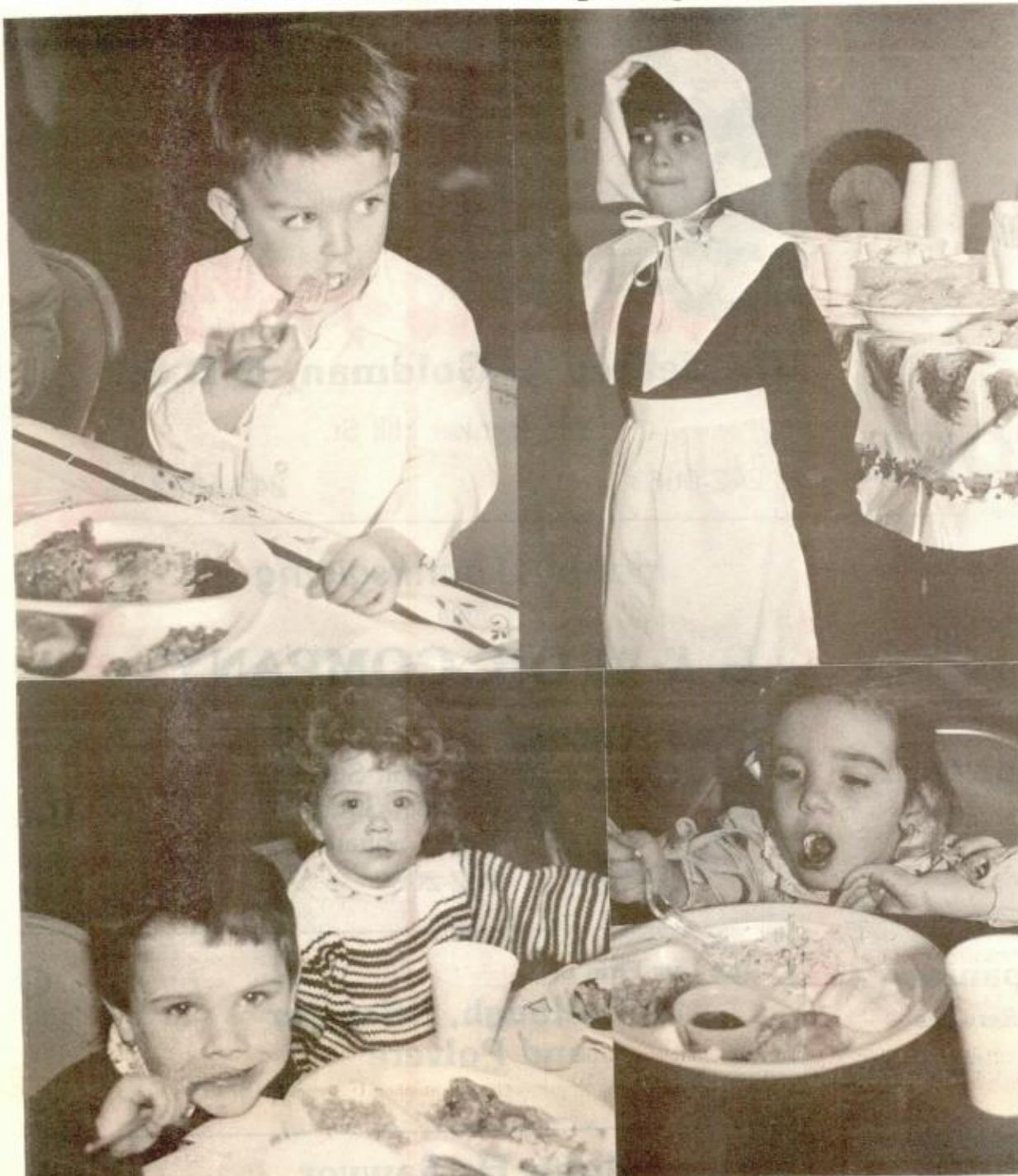
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St. Mary's Bible School Celebrates Thanksgiving Day



CHILDREN in St. Mary's Bible School celebrated Thanksgiving last week with a turkey dinner for all the students, many of whom were dressed in Pilgrim or Indian costumes. Shown top row (l. to r.) Ryan Collins and Eileen Paquette. Bottom row (l. to r.) Corey and Casey Cedorchuk and Justine Yandle. (photos by Kathy Giordano)

Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main St., on Tuesday, Nov. 27 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be "Olympic Champ" in which Disney characters demonstrate Olympic events; jumping turkeys teach children how to count in "One Turkey, Two Turkey;" and a young girl named Tiffany persuades three robbers to give up their lives of crime in "Three Robbers."

"Doctor Seuss On The Loose," a combination of three famous Seuss stories, "Green Eggs and Ham," "The Sneetches" and "The Zax," will be shown only at

3:30 p.m.

The suggested readings in conjunction with these

films are **Green Eggs and Ham** by Dr. Seuss, **A Robber! A Robber!** by Franz

Brandenburg and **Teddy Bears 1-10** by Suzanne Gretz.

Working And Motherhood Topic Of Adult Discussion Group

The Adult Discussion Group of the Charlestown Branch Library will meet on Friday, Nov. 30 at 10 a.m. at the library, 179 Main St.

Combining work and motherhood will be the topic of discussion with speakers Maureen S. Marx, Charlestown Branch Librarian, and Marcia Katz, who is a member of the faculty of the M.B.A program at Simmons College.

Both Marx and Katz are

successfully combining motherhood and careers. This is a chance to learn by sharing stories, secrets of the trade and resources with experienced mothers.

Suggested reading in conjunction with the discussion is **Home-Along Kids** by Bryan E. Robinson, Bobbie H. Rowland and Mick Coleman; **Minding the Kids** by Ruth S. Elliott with Jim Savage; and **Second Shift** by Arlie Russell Hochschild.

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A Boy And

by Charlie McGonagle
(A story based on the following facts has appeared in this space before, but, as more than a decade has drifted by since its last telling, I would like to take the time to tell it again. Though facts can sometimes be altered by time, the tale is as true as I remember it.)

Last week I won a turkey. Forty years ago this week I won a turkey. Any similarity between these two events ends right there, for my turkey of forty years ago was as different to my turkey of last week as day is to night.

Several days ago my name was drawn from a cardboard box at the local Knights of Columbus and for this I was awarded a Thanksgiving bird. Plain and simple. Game, set and match. That once honorable beast will grace the holiday table at my parent's home on Elm Street as did my conquest of four decades ago, but things are sure to be much different this time around. This time, I think we may enjoy the fruits of my victory.

It was in the fall of 1950, perhaps 1951, when the Boys Club was about to begin its annual Turkey Shoot. The pressed wood

target, which pictured a huge turkey with varying numeric values encircled strategically across its body, was taken from the store-room where it had been placed one year before. For five cents, members were given the opportunity of tossing three darts at the target. The total value of the darts the shooters were able to amass from the three throws was placed beside the shooter's name. The name and the score were then posted on the games' room bulletin board. When another shooter's score exceeded the one posted, his name would replace the previous leader's.

Much to the chagrin of my entire family, my name stayed atop the leader's board throughout the entire contest, and *Vini, Vidi, Vici!* I came, I saw and I conquered.

"Wonderful," you might say! A free Thanksgiving turkey when things around the old homestead weren't exactly prosperous would be a welcomed prize, would it not? Wrong! Wrong! Wrong!

The fact the turkey was LIVE, feathers, gobble and all, bothered me not in the least, but to my parents I

was not exactly a conquering hero.

To understand their reasoning, a bit of background information is necessary to enlighten the reader as to the reasons for the feelings of my family. (It would be erroneous on my part to include my entire family on the negative side of this issue, for I had two younger brothers who were just as excited about a LIVE turkey as I was.) The anti-turkey segment was actually a triumvirate consisting of my mother, my father and my older (GET THAT THING OUT OF HERE!) sister.

About two weeks before the actual Turkey Shoot winners were announced, the birds were brought to the club in a huge wooden cage and placed upon the games room stage for all to see. Although set there strictly for reasons of observation, it was not long before more intricate amuse-

ment was sought by those of us who frequented the club. By the time the turkeys (and there were two) had been on display for three days, they were in earnest search of the Sigmund Freud of the turkey world, for they had become totally neurotic, suffering from numerous panic attacks and exhibiting symptoms of compulsive behavior. Not being a part of their regular diet, old cigarette butts, chewed pieces of Double Bubble Gum and half-eaten B.B. Bats have been known to do that to turkeys.

The special night finally

arrived, and before a vast audience of members and their parents, I was handed my turkey. His legs were bound in twine, but nothing stopped his wings from slapping me near silly as I descended the stage to the jubilant cheers of my friends. Why wasn't Dad smiling? Was that a tear in Uncle Tom's eye? It couldn't



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be. Grown men don't cry. I was elated. I walked on air. For one whose total exposure to wild life prior to that evening was alley cats and stray puppy dogs, the thought of a LIVE TURKEY exhilarated me.

But my glee was not to last, for tonight, in Uncle Tom's old pre-war Plymouth, we would drive to the slaughter house in Chelsea to have the beast prepared for Thanksgiving dinner. From the very moment I first took the lead in the Turkey Shoot Contest, I had started to prepare myself for this eventuality, but

by now he had become my friend. For days I had protected him from the uncaring hordes of members who were bent on feeding him anything they could scrape from the bottom of their shoes. I had sacrificed my own body while diving in front of flying objects hurled in his direction. We had become friends. He had come to trust me, and now I was on the very verge of betrayal.

Ah, but what the hell, we did need a turkey for Thanksgiving dinner!

As we drove toward the slaughter house, I found

myself torn between friendship and hunger. Friendship seemed to be prevailing, and when we arrived to find the building closed for the evening, I was happy to know that my buddy, my pal, had been granted a temporary stay of execution.

Dad was never one for vulgarity, but I did hear him say to Tom that night, "What the ##&**X do we do now?"

One thing was for certain, we couldn't just let him go. No siree! The safety of a turkey on an urban street a couple days before Thanksgiving could not be guaranteed. There was no other choice. We had to take him home.

I had never seen that look on my mother's face before, and I am sure I have not seen it since.

"It's still alive!", she said as she fought valiantly, but unsuccessfully to lock the four of us out.

"We'll just leave him in the cellar for the night," Dad pleaded in my defense, "and we'll take care of the necessary matters first thing in the morning."

I had heard Ma threaten to leave once or twice before, but this was the first time I actually saw her begin to pack her bags.

With a great deal of reluctance, though, she finally agreed to house the turkey in the old coal bin in the cellar.

"Just make sure his feet are tied," she said.

"And you," she shouted in my direction, "are responsible for cleaning up after him in the morning."

The turkey was placed in his appropriate place in the cellar and off to bed we went WITHOUT EVEN A THOUGHT OF MRS. MARTIN'S CAT. Mrs. Martin lived on the first floor and kept her cat in the cellar.

Sometime during the wee hours of the morning, horrifying screams emanated from the cellar threatening to shatter windows and shiver the very timbers of the three decker. It was turkey versus cat, with the cat having a decided edge over the tied up tom. It was when we

arrived back at the cellar in an attempt to break up the melee that I first saw the look on his face. He was angry, the cat was angry, and the noise was deafening, but his look was unmistakable.

"I want to die," it said, "I just want to die."

The next day, after his head and feathers had been removed, it was quite apparent that the previous two weeks, coupled with the experience of the previous night, had taken its toll on my once-plump turkey. There couldn't have been much more than seven or eight pounds of him left, mostly bones, but he would, nonetheless, grace our Thanksgiving table.

I ate. My two younger brothers ate as though they were on a mission, but Ma, Dad and my older sister experienced their one and only vegetarian Thanksgiving.

"If it was walking around here yesterday," the triumvirate silently and secretly agreed, "we are not eating it today."

When I bring the newly won turkey to my parent's home this year, I am sure memories will be stirred, but appetites should not be diminished.

St. John's Episcopal Church Holds 151st Annual Fair



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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



My Thanks

Dear Gloria,

I wish to thank Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion, Jim Conway and Arthur Hurley for sending a package to my grandson Daniel Guarante in Saudi Arabia.

Mary Borden

CALL FOR HELP! STOP SCHEME Z

Last Thursday night's meeting with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works opened many eyes as to the magnitude of the monster highway interchange known as Scheme Z. Reaching 11-stories in height and consisting of nearly eight miles of ramps over Charlestown, this structure is sure to impact the life of every Charlestown resident.

Now is the time to act if we hope to change this project. You must help by calling or writing every one of our elected officials to let them know how you feel.

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Tom King

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Applications are now being accepted for ABCD's Fuel Assistance Program for the 1990-91 heating season. Low income residents of Charlestown are urged to apply for fuel assistance at The Kennedy Center, 27 Winthrop St., Charlestown,

on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 a.m. to noon, and on Wednesdays from 1 to 4 p.m.

The start of the program was delayed this year due to the state's ongoing fiscal problems. With limited funds now allocated and prospects of federal funding soon, ABCD will provide fuel assistance to low income eligible applicants within available resources.

The maximum amount of assistance will be \$525, subject to the availability of funds. The program is scheduled to end on March 31.

If you think you are eligible for fuel assistance, you must bring four weeks of income documentation, your current heating bill and one month's current paid rent receipt to your local intake office.

For further information, call The Kennedy Center at 241-8866.

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THANKSGIVING . . .

At this special time of year, we here at St. Catherine's School wish all our friends, supporters, parents and neighbors all the Blessings of Thanksgiving.

In our prayer, we thank God for our alumnus Joe Houlihan for all he is doing for us in Saudi Arabia.

FAST . . .

On Nov. 15, students gathered in St. Catherine's Church for a Prayer Service coordinated by Sister Dorothy and students of grade eight. Students gave up snacks and viewed a film which clearly illustrated the needs of the hungry. There was a period of thanking God for His goodness and riches to us. Through sacrificial offerings, a donation will be made to a needy organization from St. Catherine's School.

MATH-A-THON . . .

T-shirts were awarded for participation in the Math-A-Thon sponsored by the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. Students receiving shirts were: Paul Daniels, Christine Keane, Rosetta Cannizzaro, Kevin Daniels, Anna Ogueke, Laurie Farrell, Timothy Brennan, Linda Rizzo, Joseph Wilkins, Paul Keane, Erin Carroll, Michelle Marino, Anuli Ogueke, Dat Tran, Gregory Masse and Tammy Biggins.

We thank all who sponsored our students in this endeavor.

LITURGY . . .

On Wednesday, Nov. 21 at 10 a.m., students will participate in a special Thanksgiving Liturgy. All students have special parts in this celebration. We here at SCS extend a welcome to parents, grandparents, neighbors and friends to join with us on Wednesday. Students will be dismissed following the Liturgy.

NEIGHBORS . . .

We thank Mary MacInnes and her friends for saving Foodmaster receipts and Pepsi Cola caps for us. Every little bit helps!

CONGRATULATIONS . . .

Rosetta Cannizzaro, a grade-six student, was notified that she is one of the finalists in the Steppingstone Scholars Program. We are proud of Rosetta and her academic and extracurricular accomplishments.

HOMETOWN SUPPORT . . .

Students of grade two received letters from Jack McGona-



THANKFUL faculty and students welcome the arrival each Monday of school volunteer Ann Swan who has faithfully given of her time and talents to St. Catherine's School for many years. (photo by Kathy Giordano)

gle who is stationed in Saudi Arabia. This certainly makes us realize how small the world is and how important it is to support those who have been deployed in the defense of our country. We remember Jack, Joe and other Townies who are over there.

ALUMNI . . .

Did you graduate from SCS? If so, please come by sometime to see us, tell us what is happening and share ideas!

The Faculty, Staff and Students of St. Catherine's School Wish all a Happy Thanksgiving!

Sister Catherine Loughran, principal

Don Bosco Purchases Offset Duplicator



A \$12,000 DONATION from the Massachusetts Charitable Mechanic Association of Quincy allowed Don Bosco Technical High School to purchase a new A.B. Dick Offset Duplicator. The new press will add to the versatility in the teaching of graphic arts students. Shown looking over the new duplicator are (l. to r.) James Frati, chairman of the Graphic Arts Department; Jose M. Rosales of Cambridge; Jason M. MacDonald of 106 Old Ironside Way, Charlestown; Todd M. Fisher of 17 Corey St., Charlestown; Patrick G. Skehill of Roslindale; and Father Sid Figlia, S.D.B., director of the school.

Don Bosco Students Complete Dental Program

First-year students at Tufts Dental School have completed a program with 94 freshmen at Don Bosco Technical High School. The dental students advised the Tech students on nutrition and preventative dentistry. The program, which has been in operation for seven years, was coordinated by

Bernadette Fitzgerald, the Don Bosco school nurse.

The participants included Charlestown residents William J. Getchell of 47 Dunstable St., Mark J. Collins of 14 Belmont St., Mark A. Mansfield of 290A Main St., Robert W. Marcella of 12 Wall St. and Matthew P. Mehigan of 7 Hancock St.

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St. Clement's Christmas Concert

The combined choirs of St. Clement's Church will present their first annual concert of Christmas Music on Sunday evening, Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. at the church on Warner Street in Somerville.

The Adult Choir and Children's Choir of 40 voi-

ces will sing traditional carols and music of the season in the sanctuary, accompanied by keyboard and instruments. Everyone is welcome to attend and enjoy the music of Christmas.

Donations will be appreciated.

Named To Honor Roll

Joseph P. DeRoeve of Charlestown, a junior at Malden Catholic High

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SENIOR UPDATE

Golden Age Senior Center

382 Main St., Charlestown 241-7513
(Open Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.)
Main Office - 255 Medford St. - 242-2770

ACTIVITIES

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

SENIOR HOLIDAY CRUISE

A Senior Holiday Cruise on the *Spirit of Boston* will take place on Tuesday, Dec. 4. The price of the cruise is \$15 which includes the 2½-hour cruise, Broadway Review, full luncheon and transportation. For more information, contact Sheila Walsh at 241-7513.

BUS TO STOP & SHOP

A bus to Stop & Shop picks up at the Golden Age Center Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m.

HOUSING, EDUCATION AND INFORMATION SERVICE

This service is available to seniors every Wednesday from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Golden Age Center. Applications and help completing them is available.

For more information, contact Beverly Gibbons at 241-7513 or 242-2770.



KIT CLARK SENIOR LUNCH PROGRAM

at the Rutherford Avenue Senior Center, 114 Rutherford Ave., and at the Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill St.

Nov. 23 - 29

- Friday** — Corn chowder, fish cakes, coleslaw, pumpernickel bread, fresh fruit
- Monday** — Swedish meatballs, boiled potatoes, carrots, snowflake roll, cookies
- Tuesday** — Veal parmigiana, ziti, corn, scali bread, fresh fruit
- Wednesday** — Hamburg stroganoff, noodles, broccoli and cauliflower, rye bread, cake
- Thursday** — Barbecued chicken, mashed potatoes, wheat bread, pineapple, cranberry sauce
Milk served with all meals

Charlestown Community Schools Annual Christmas Party For Seniors

A Christmas Party for Charlestown Seniors sponsored by the council and staff of Charlestown Community Schools will be held on Thursday, Dec. 13 from noon to 4 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 75 West School St., Charlestown. Senior citizens who would like to attend are asked to please submit names at the following sites:

Golden Age Center

382 Main St. — 241-7513
Contact Person: Sheila Walsh

Senior Lounge

55 Bunker Hill St. — 241-8866

Contact persons: Phyllis Bryant or Bobbi DiCarlo
Tickets will be available on Nov. 29.

Kennedy Center To Sponsor Santa's Kitchen Spoon-Decorating Party

The Kennedy Center will host an "Intergenerational" spoon-decorating party at the Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill St., on Thursday, Dec. 6 from 2:30 to 5 p.m.

Santa's Kitchen is Project Bread's unique holiday benefit that helps feed the hungry of Massachusetts. Project Bread receives donations for the decorated spoons which it in turn distributes to pantries, soup kitchens and social service agencies to help people during the holiday season. The spoons can be used as Christmas tree ornaments, gift box decorations or even given as gifts.

Charlestown residents of all ages are invited to this party. There should be plenty of spoons on hand but you may want to bring your own, especially if it's a wooden spoon. Donations of materials such as glitter,

ribbon, felt, glue, pipe cleaners, etc. would be greatly appreciated. This would be a great way to recycle your old arts and crafts materials that you didn't want to throw away!

Project Bread has helped those in need in Charlestown through the years. This is one way we can all give something back. Plan to attend, decorate a spoon, have some refreshments and start the holiday season off right by giving!

For more information or to donate materials, contact Denise Monks at 241-8866.

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SENIOR LOUNGE: 55 Bunker Hill St.
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★ EVENTS OF THE WEEK ★

Friday, Nov. 23

CLOSED

Monday, Nov. 26

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

Tuesday, Nov. 27

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

Wednesday, Nov. 28

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

Thursday, Nov. 29

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

★ SENIOR ACTIVITIES ★

• **Sunshine Club** — If you have the name of someone who is ill, or has lost a loved one, or just someone who needs cheering up, please call Pauline Correia at 241-7024 and she will send out an appropriate card. Also, if you could volunteer some of your time to help Pauline, it would be greatly appreciated.

• **Floral Arrangement by Kerrigan's** - Tuesday, Dec. 11, at the Senior Lounge. The cost is \$5. Sign up now. Contact Bobbie or Phyllis at 241-7024.

★ TRIPS ★

Contact Phyllis or Bobbi at 241-8866

• **Newport/LaSalette Shrine Trip** — Tuesday, Dec. 4, leaving the Senior Lounge at 9 a.m. The \$39 cost includes a buffet lunch at the Sheraton Islander Hotel in Newport, a tour of one of Newport's mansions and shopping at Brickmarket Wharf. The group will then proceed to Attleboro to view the Christmas lights at LaSalette Shrine.

For more information on Senior Activities or Homemaker Services or Transportation contact Judi Meaney, director of Senior Services, at 241-8866.

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The John F. Kennedy Center will hold a Star Share fund-raising program on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 4, 5 and 6 at all Star Markets and participating independent Star stores.

By shopping at Star on one of these days, 5 percent of the total purchases, excluding tax, will be donated by Star Market to the Kennedy Center. The center will use the money generated by its Star Share to benefit Senior Lounge activities.

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1. Star Share participants can make purchases at any STAR MARKET on the days shown above.
2. Identification cards are not to be distributed in front of any STAR MARKET.

3. Your non-profit organization earns a 5% cash return (or 5% return in the form of gift certificates) based on the total amount you spend (excluding tax) at STAR MARKET during your groups designated Star Share days.

PLEASE PRESENT TO CASHIER PRIOR TO CHECK-OUT

**Fourth Annual
Charlestown
Christmas Walk**



Sunday, Dec. 9

The Christmas Walk will be held on Sunday, Dec. 9 starting with a concert at St. Mary's Church at 1 p.m. All are welcome to join in to make this a wonderful day!

**★ HOUSE AND DOOR ★
DECORATING CONTEST**

The merchants and residents of Charlestown are invited to join in an old-fashioned house and door decorating contest. Prizes donated by local merchants will be awarded at the tree-lighting ceremony in Thompson Square on Sunday, Dec. 9, the night of the Christmas Walk.

To take part, residence and business decorations must be in place by Wednesday, Dec. 5. On the evenings of Dec. 5 through 8 between 6 and 9 p.m., please have your lights on so that the judges may view your decorations.

Prizes will be awarded to homes and businesses decorated traditionally in keeping with the old-fashioned theme of the walk. The use of white lights, pine boughs, holly berries, sea shells and the like are encouraged. Exceptional creativity will also be noted.

If you have questions on the contest, please call Jamie at 242-0472.

★ SHIP DECORATING CONTEST ★

Charlestown ship owners are invited to join in an old-fashioned ship decorating contest. First, second and third prizes will be donated by local merchants and will be awarded at the Christmas Walk on Dec. 9.

To take part, your ship decorations must be in place by Wednesday, Dec. 5. On the evenings of Dec. 5 through 8, please have your lights on so the judges may view your decorations.

If you have any questions on the contest, please call Jamie at 242-0472.

ADOPT-A-POLE AND

★ HELP LIGHT UP CHRISTMAS ★

Last year the Christmas Walk brought joy to everyone who attended. This year, we hope to make it even better with your help. You can take part in the Christmas Walk by "adopting" one of the many charming gas-lit posts along the walk route.

When you adopt a pole, it is decorated by one of our committee members with a ribbon, pine bough, bow and a card with the name of the donor. If you choose, you may adopt a pole in someone's name or as a gift.

Minimum donations are \$15, however, the more you contribute, the more events and festivities can be added to the walk.

All donations are tax deductible. Proceeds will go toward establishing a two-year scholarship for a Charlestown resident at Bunker Hill Community College.

Please fill out the form below and include it with a check payable to the Charlestown Christmas Walk Inc. and mail it to:

**The Charlestown Christmas Walk
92 Main St.
Charlestown, Mass. 02129**

Please do not send cash.

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Donation: \$ _____
minimum of \$15 per post

Name or names to be put on card

All donations must be received by Sat., Dec. 1



With Thanksgiving upon us, Townie Santa can't be far behind. Plans are being made to bring a little holiday cheer into the lives and homes of Charlestown's elderly, needy shut-ins with the delivery of Christmas packages on Sunday, Dec. 23. The packages will contain useful items such as canned goods and toiletries, along with a hot turkey dinner and some surprises.

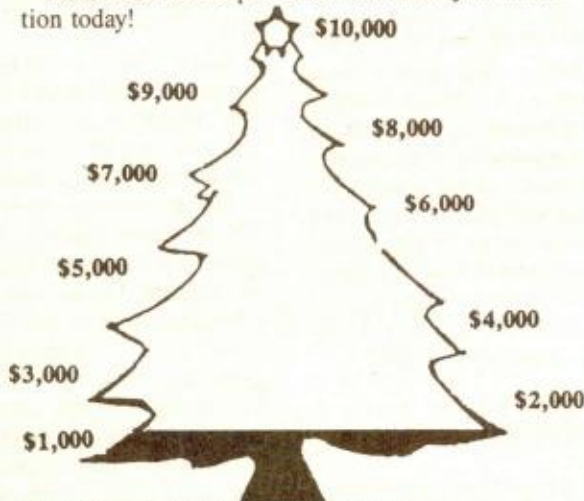
★ COMMITTEE MEETING ★

The Townie Santa Committee will meet on Monday, Nov. 26 at 7 p.m. at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens St. All are welcome.

★ WATCH THE CHRISTMAS TREE GROW ★

Contributions for Townie Santa have started to arrive, but much more is needed. The committee is asking for your assistance in making the Christmas tree grow! All donations will be publicly acknowledged.

Please use the coupon below and mail your donation today!



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Charlestown residents are reminded that all post offices will be closed and there will be no regular mail delivery or collections on Thursday, Nov. 22 in observance of the Thanksgiving Day Holiday.

In keeping with postal policy, Express Mail and Special Delivery will be delivered on the holiday. For postal information during non-business hours, customers may call the Postal Answer Line at 451-9922.

For the convenience of postal customers, 24-hour service, seven days a week, is available at the Self-Service Postal Center in the lobby of the Boston General Mail Facility, 25 Dorchester Ave., Boston.

Customers are also reminded that holiday greetings and packages going to destinations overseas should be mailed by the end of this month to ensure delivery for Christmas.

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HENRY ORPEN

*Today our thoughts all go back
To just five years ago,
When all our smiles were turned to tears,
By a sad and bitter blow.
We often sit and think of you,
And talk of how you died.
And think you could not say good-by,
Before you closed your eyes.
Your memory is as fresh today,
As the hour you passed away.*

Lovingly remembered by
Wife and Children

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TOWNIE SPORTS LINE

Junior Bowling League Update

by Judie Dunphy

The battle for first place in the Charlestown Junior Bowling League has become a real dog fight during the seven weeks of league competition. Mama Maria's captured the crown for first place this past Saturday, but who knows what will happen next week. Stay tuned.



JANELLE ORTIZ, of the Sean's Elevator team, really showed her stuff this week, bowling her all-time high string of 97.

Team	Pts.
Mama Maria's	44
Jenny's Pizza	37
Charlestown Patriot	36
Erins	30
Kennedy Center	27
B & B Oil	27
Bunker Hill Florist	26
Sean's Elevator	26
Mr. Gourmet	24
Bunker Hill Real Est.	23
Sweeney's	21
Kerrigan's	16

did a terrific job.

First place honors in the 70s Club were shared by Kerry Ortiz of Bunker Hill Florist and Jason Flint of Mr. Gourmet, both with a 77. Greg Masse of the Charlestown Patriot and Paul Hennessey of Erins each bowled a 76. Masse managed to include a spare in his stats. Seventy-five was the magic number for Kelly Gilgunn of Mama Maria's. Michael Travis of the Charlestown Patriot, Philip O'Neil of Bunker Hill Florist and Tammy Biggins of Sean's Elevator, who each bowled a 74. Nicole Marino, bowling for Bunker Hill Real Estate, had a 73. Three bowlers each scored a 71: Michelle Marino of the Charlestown Patriot, Janell Justice of Bunker Hill Florist and Bart Rasher of Mr. Gourmet gave it their all. Danielle Justice, bowling for Mama Maria's, scored a 70 to round off the list.

bringing her three-string average in at 73. Topping the 80s Club for the week was Stephen Burke bowling for Jenny's Pizza, who chalked up an 88. Coming in second was Vinnie Sassone of Erins with 82, followed by Leah Blackstone of Erins with 81 and Sean Reilly of Sean's Elevator with 80. The kids

Janelle Ortiz of the Sean's Elevator team was a real firecracker this week. She bowled her highest string of the season with a super 97,

Everett Wins Basketball Tourney

The Everett Rats won the second annual Basketball Tournament conducted at Don Bosco Technical High School in Boston. They defeated St. Peter's Parish of Dorchester to gain the win. A team of Newton eighth

graders won the consolation game besting a combined team from St. Peter's and Gate of Heaven parishes in South Boston.

The tourney was open to all seventh and eighth grade

students from both parochial and public schools.

A total of 135 students competed on the 15 teams entered which included a team from St. Catherine's in Charlestown.

Chiropractic Patients Run New York Marathon

by Manuel Roman

The Santoro brothers, Steve and David, recently returned from New York City, both finishing that city's Marathon in laudable times. On the warm morning of Nov. 4, over 20,000 people lined up to start the grueling 26-mile race.

The men's winner, Douglas Wakiihuri from Kenya, finished the race in 2:12. The women's winner, Wanda Panfil of Poland, finished in 2:30. The heat conditions were detrimental to the participants, making the race that much more difficult.

Steve, a 34-year-old programmer/analyst with Fidelity Investments, finished the race in 3:52. This was his fourth marathon finish.

David, 27, has been a runner since he was 13. Currently working at Tucker Anthony, David, who is also a member of the National Guard, finished the marathon in 2:56. David ran throughout high school and college. He is at present a pre-chiropractic student at the University of Massachusetts in Boston and plans to attend Palmer College of Chiropractic in Davenport, Iowa.

The Santoros have been training for the last few months and, as part of their plan for health and performance, they have been receiving chiropractic care at North End Chiropractic on Hanover Street in Boston. Dr. Kevin J. Loughlan, their chiropractor, says that



DR. KEVIN J. LOUGHLIN (center) of North End Chiropractic on Hanover Street congratulates the Santoro brothers on their finishes in the New York Marathon. Steve Santoro (left), 34, finished in 3:52, while David Santoro (right) 27, finished the race in 2:56.

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Steve Santoro, a runner

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This type of endorsement has become commonplace among athletes due to the good results achieved through chiropractic.

The Santoros believe in a healthy lifestyle that includes regular exercise, proper nutrition, rest and chiropractic; preventive care that without the use of surgery or medication helps the natural ability of the body to heal itself.

Dr. Loughlan congratulates Steve and David for their great accomplishments and also for setting an example for a healthy lifestyle.

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POLICE LINE

From the desk of
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Area A, Boston Police Department

Tuesday, Nov. 13

At 1:50 a.m., a resident of 25 Starr King Court awoke to the sound of a smoke detector, and found that a small fire had been started in the hallway by lighting a newspaper. A suspect was seen running from the building. The Arson Squad was called to investigate the incident.

At 3:30 a.m., Officers Nolan and O'Connor stopped a 23-year-old resident on Old Landing Way. The suspect became violent, assaulted the officers and was placed under arrest.

At 7 p.m., three teen-age youths threw a rock at a window of an apartment at 10 Tufts St. and fled on foot.

Three tires were slashed on an automobile parked at 113 Bunker Hill St.

At 8 p.m., Officers Hasson and MacPherson responded to 66 O'Brien Court on the report of a house break. They observed a trail of blood leading from the apartment that had been broken into. They followed the trail which lead to another apartment. There they found the suspect hiding and placed him under arrest for burglary.

Wednesday, Nov. 14

At 3 p.m., Officer Bollen stopped a vehicle at Sullivan Square and placed the operator, a 26-year-old Everett resident, under arrest for operating an uninsured vehicle with a suspended license.

At 5 p.m., Officers Hasson and MacPherson stopped a vehicle on Alford Street and placed the operator, a 23-year-old Revere resident, under arrest for operating an uninsured vehicle with a suspended license.

At 10 p.m., Officers Hasson and MacPherson stopped a vehicle on Old Ironside Way and placed the operator, a 28-year-old resident, under arrest for operating without a license.

Thursday, Nov. 15

An automobile parked at the Bunker Hill Mall was broken into during the evening.

Friday, Nov. 16

An apartment at 12 Summer St. was broken into during the evening, and an Apple computer and a television set were stolen.

Saturday, Nov. 17

At 2 a.m., Officers Fleming and Woodson responded to 267 Main St. on the report of a fight outside where several

youths had dispersed. One of the individuals, a 17-year-old resident, was observed drinking alcohol and was placed under arrest.

At 6:30 p.m., Officers Fleming and Woodson responded to 113 Bunker Hill St. on the report that two teen-age males had thrown a brick at an apartment window. The suspects were identified in front of 81 Bunker Hill St. and placed under arrest for malicious destruction of property.

The window of an automobile parked at Lexington and Bunker Hill streets was broken. The vehicle belongs to a resident of 113 Bunker Hill St.

Sunday, Nov. 18

At 1:30 a.m., several individuals were entering an apartment at 83 Main St. when two men approached them from behind and attempted to enter. A small fight ensued and the men fled.

At 5:30 p.m., about 15 teen-age youths walked on top of automobiles parked on Monument Avenue causing damage

to the roofs and hoods of the vehicles.

A stolen automobile was recovered on Tibbetts Town Way.

A boat docked at Pier 8 was broken into sometime during the week, and a Loran radar was stolen.

During the evening, the rear window of an automobile parked at 74 Medford St. and the windshield of an automobile parked at 98 Walford Way were broken.

NOTE: A message received by this office from DD was appreciated. We would like to receive more information.

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

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