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HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL



Neighborhood Council To Elect Officers At January 5th Meeting

The Charlestown Neighborhood Council will hold their monthly meeting on

Tuesday, January 5 at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Col-
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SALES AND RENTALS

Boston and Charlestown

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by Kathy Giordano

Now that the ashes have settled and a suspect has been arrested, the monumental task of rebuilding the Charlestown Headstart Program has begun.

The building housing the program, at 23 Moulton Street in Hayes Square, was left in shambles after the three alarm fire of December 17th. Seven classrooms, a mini-gym and all the school's supplies were lost and the damage to the building is so extensive that it will take an inestimable amount of money to realize the reopening of this much needed program.

Christmas seemed pretty bleak for the students left without a classroom, until the people of The Raymond Group in the Charlestown Navy Yard opened their hearts, their building and their purse strings and gave a Christmas party in Building 149 in the Navy Yard — a party that the children will not soon forget.

Headstart Program Needs Your Help



SANTA CLAUS had youngsters of the Charlestown Headstart Program totally enchanted at the Christmas Party sponsored by The Raymond Group in Building 149 in the Charlestown Navy Yard.
(photo by Kathy Giordano)

Neil St. John Raymond, the school, gave notice to his people that "we would not let the children of Char-

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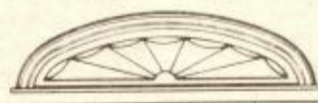
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Longwood Opera To Perform "Tosca" At Saint John's Church

On Sunday afternoon, January 10th at 3:00 p.m., Longwood Opera will present its fully-staged production of Puccini's "Tosca" at Saint John's Church, 27 Devens Street, Charlestown.

Featuring the best of young, professional Boston-area singers, this production will be sung in English with keyboard accompaniment.

Directed by John Balme and J. Scott Brumit, Longwood Opera is now in its second season. A repertory company that aims to make opera accessible, in form and in choice of performance location to the general community, Longwood has already toured Eastern Massachusetts this season with theatre-in-the-round productions of "La Bohème" and "Hansel and Gretel." "In-the-round" stagings are a feature of Longwood Opera productions that allow the audience to form a ring around the performers and thus experience the opera in a more intimate way.

Tickets are priced at \$10 for adults, \$8 for senior citizens and \$5 for students/children and may be purchased at the door or reserved in advance by calling Longwood Opera at 232-8258.

Charlestown Community Calendar

This Week At A Glance

- Thursday, December 31**
• 7:00 p.m. — New Year's Eve Party, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Friday, January 1**
• **HAPPY NEW YEAR**
- Monday, January 4**
• 7:30 p.m. — Daughters of Isabella No. 1 Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Tuesday, January 5**
• 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
• 7:00 p.m. — Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Wednesday, January 6**
• 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square
• 7:30 p.m. — Bunker Hill Post 26, The American Legion Meeting, First Floor, One Thompson Square

Upcoming Events

- Thursday, January 7**
• 12:15 p.m. — Informational Program on Food Stamps, Senior Lounge, 55 Bunker Hill Street
• 4:00 p.m. — "Creative Library Drama" for children ages 8-12, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
• 6:30 p.m. — Planning and Zoning Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council Meeting, BRA Office, Building 34, First Avenue, Charlestown Navy Yard
- Friday, January 8**
• 10:00 a.m. — Adult Discussion Group and Pre-School Story Hour, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
- Sunday, January 10**
• 3:00 p.m. — Performance of Puccini's "Tosca" by the Longwood Opera, St. John's Church, 27 Devens Street
- Tuesday, January 12**
• 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. — Children's Films, Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street
• 7:00 p.m. — Police/Community Meeting with guest speaker on drugs and drug abuse, Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street
- Wednesday, January 13**
• 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. — Representative Richard A. Voke Office Hours, Bunker Hill Museum, 43 Monument Square
• 7:30 p.m. — Court St. Jude 1123, CDA Meeting, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street

Travaglini To Be Honored At "Rendon Report" Awards Ceremony

On Tuesday, January 5th, the Editorial Board of the "Rendon Report" will be hosting the Sixth Annual Golden Donkey Awards Ceremony at the Parker House in Boston.

Since 1983, the "Rendon Report" has recognized and honored those people who have excelled in the art of Massachusetts politics. This year, Boston City Councillor Robert E. Travaglini has been nominated by the Governing Board of the "Rendon Report" to participate in the 1987 awards ceremony. Councillor Travaglini was selected for this honor based on his outstanding political efforts in his recent re-election campaign.

When informed of his nomination, Councillor Travaglini stated, "Needless to say, my family and I are extremely surprised and pleased to hear the news. The nomination is an honor in that it recognizes outstanding political organizational ability and performance. Winning would be

the ultimate recognition for me and for every individual who campaigned so diligently and effectively on my behalf. I am proud of the many friends who continuously give me their support, and I share this honor equally with them."

Discussion Group

David Flanagan, Community Liaison for the MDPW/CANA Project, will be the guest speaker at the Adult Discussion Group meeting on Friday, January 8th. Flanagan will outline the project and discuss the advances in construction. He will also be available to answer questions.

The meeting will be at 10:00 a.m. at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street.

Plan Ahead

- Thursday, January 14**
• 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. — Congressman Joseph P. Kennedy Office Hours, Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street
- Sunday, January 17**
• 7:00 p.m. — Parish Bola, Bishop Lawton Hall, St. Francis de Sales Church, 313 Bunker Hill Street
- Friday, January 22**
• 8:00 p.m. — Winter Dance with Noel Henry, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street
- Tuesday, February 9**
• 7:00 p.m. — Public Hearing on the proposed use of the Revere Sugar site for equipment transfer by Massachusetts Water Resources Authority, Charlestown High School Auditorium, 254 Medford Street
- Saturday, March 5**
• 7:00 p.m. — Gladys' Corned Beef Dinner, K. of C. Hall, 75 West School Street

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LATE SHOW - 12:15 AM

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The Bucket Brigade Begins On Monday

Enjoy a bucket or barrel of Kentucky Fried Chicken and help the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club — join the "Bucket Brigade."

In a unique fundraising venture sponsored by Scott Food Services, operators of the Kentucky Fried Chicken franchise in the Bunker Hill Mall, a fundraising program has been established during the month of January, and the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club will benefit.

According to Sandy Hall Chase, manager of Kentucky Fried Chicken in Charlestown, special peel-off stickers will be placed on the bottom of each barrel or bucket of chicken sold from Monday, January 4 through Sunday, January 31 at the Bunker Hill Mall store.

The Boys and Girls Club will receive \$1.00 from Kentucky Fried Chicken for each sticker the Club turns in following the month-long promotion.

Residents are asked to join the "Bucket Brigade" and send or drop off the

sticker to Gerry Steimel, director, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club, 15 Green Street, Charlestown, MA 02129 or drop them off at the Patriot Office at One Thompson Square.

Steimel commended

Kentucky Fried Chicken for taking an interest in the youth programs of the town with this fundraising venture. He said, "This 'Bucket Brigade' will be great. The additional funding realized from this promotion

will be used to fund special events at the Club."

Dan Hohenberg, field marketing manager for Scott's for the Northeast Region, noted that other organizations in Charlestown that would like to be-

come involved in a "Bucket Brigade" fundraising program, should contact him at 431-1103.

So, save those stickers from the buckets and bar-

rels of Kentucky Fried Chicken, turn them in to the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club and join the "Bucket Brigade" to help the youth of Charlestown.



PREPARATIONS are underway at the Kentucky Fried Chicken store in the Bunker Hill Mall for the "Bucket Brigade," a fundraising venture to benefit the Charlestown Boys and Girls Club. The return of special stickers on buckets and barrels of chicken, starting on Monday, January 4th, will realized a \$1.00 each for the local clubhouse. Shown (l. to r.) Gary McGill, district manager for Charlestown, Scott Food Service; Gerry Steimel, director, Charlestown Boys and Girls Club; Sandy Hall Chase, manager, Kentucky Fried Chicken, Charlestown; and Paul Lavallee, assistant manager, Kentucky Fried Chicken, Charlestown.

Children's Films

The Film Program for Children will be presented at the Charlestown Branch Library, 179 Main Street on Tuesday, January 5 at 10:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

The features will be

"Making Haiku," in which children read poems they've written in this concise Japanese style and in "Blowhard," J.B. and his dragons develop an unusual source of energy for the town of Blowhard.

Journeying between planets, the little prince meets up with a rose and a wise fox in "The Little Prince," shown only at 3:30 p.m.

The suggested readings in conjunction with these

films are: **Haiku for You** by Maeve O'Reilly Finley; **The Little Prince** by Antoine de Saint Exupery; and **Where Are You Going With That Energy** by Roy Doty.



REAL ESTATE WEEKLY

By Joseph P. Gannon III
Century 21 Silva Realty Associates

HOME WARRANTIES

You've just found a new home that you love, and you're planning to place your current one on the market. Then you start to think of all of the things that could break down or go wrong. Your shower pan might begin to leak the afternoon of your first open house, drenching your Realtor and some prospective buyers, or your trusty old dishwasher might bite the dust the morning that your buyers have their structural inspection. One way to reduce the worries for you and your buyers is to purchase a home warranty plan.

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Last year, after completing a community garden and tot-lot in Dorchester, 100 per cent of the landscape trainees were offered

Job Training Will Transform Another Vacant Lot

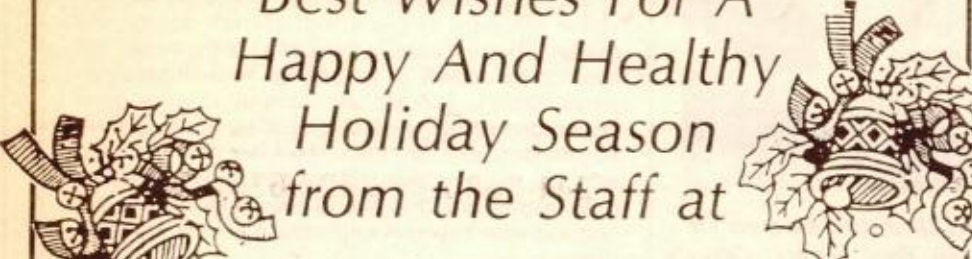


FORMER STUDENT Linda McMillan from Charlestown during Boston Urban Gardeners Landscaping Skills Job Training Program.

jobs in the booming landscape industry. Over the past five years, trainees in the program have built community gardens, mini-parks and tot-lots in Boston's neighborhoods, to the enjoyment of residents and the delight of neighborhood children.

The 1988 job training program begins in January and runs through April. Interested low-income or unemployed Boston residents over the age of 18 who want a career in landscaping should apply to the free program by calling Boston Urban Gardeners at 423-7497.

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Life Behind The Wall



by Ronan FitzPatrick

Under snow covered surfaces, the two bikers cautiously navigated Pier Eight, enjoying the recent seasonal storm. As the day continued, the method of transportation warranted a sleigh. Within their view were the Christmas displays of the Carlson and Conti families. Once again, Bob Conti and his family have brought the season to fruition with their lighting arrangements. Experiencing a first Christmas, the Carlsons created a joyous setting in their corner unit. Both residents have brought a brighter happening to the area for all to share.

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Planning proceeds progress and to that end, Boston Redevelopment Authority project director Jim English has his management techniques in place. Once alerted to the unpleasant collection of abandoned vehicles at Yard end, his office made the necessary contacts to correct the situation. Working in harmony makes for a better environment. To Jim and his staff, we thank you.

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I hope Kerrigan's Flower Shop was the supplier of the countless Christmas wreaths that decorate the buildings and windows. As the oldest established local florist, following in the fine family tradition of the former Brassil organization, his work is renowned. Support your local merchants, talent abounds in the community.

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At last count from the woods up north, production of fine wood in the Yard has surpassed last year. Many a busy resident is retrieving logs to supplement their heating needs. A new record has been established by Constitution Commissary. Joe Flaherty informs that demand has far exceeded his supply. His weekly run to procure his supply is carried out by his daughters. Next year, Joe will look for a suitable storage location, thus avoiding the numerous trips undertaken this year. I am sure his daughters will be delighted with this new approach. More time on the ski-slopes will be their reward.

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Continuing in the biographical sketches of Charlestown residents who gave their life in Vietnam, this is the second in a series.

EDWARD LEE JOHNSON

Edward Lee Johnson, son of Florence and the late Lee Johnson, was born on February 16, 1946. After attending the Clarence R. Edwards and Boston Technical High School, he joined the United States Marine Corps on November 1, 1965 and was assigned to the Navy Military Provincial Hospital Assistance Program Team N2 Compound.

While manning a machine gun at Hoi An, Quang Nam Province, under intense enemy mortar, rocket and small arms fire, Edward lost his life in the service of his Country on August 27, 1967.

A Bronze Star medal with Combat V was awarded posthumously to his parents on May 18, 1968. The Edward Lee Johnson Memorial Chapel at Hoi An Compound, 50 miles from DaNang, was dedicated on March 3, 1968.

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As the **Pacific Hunter** approached its location on the waterfront, was it too late to have its cargo ready for Christmas purchases? In this age of high technology, the job will be carried out with success due to the efforts of the various dock unions working the piers.

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On another another water venture from the south west of Florida, assistance was accorded my wife and I by another Charlestown connection. We recently returned from a business and vacation trip to Marco Island, where the parents of Charlestown resident and Boston Police Officer Paul Varley made our trip superlative. Under warm skies with white sandy beaches on this gulf coast jewel, Herb and Dot Varley extended the courtesy of their knowledge of the Island and its surrounding attractions. What a pleasure to have a caring couple to act as our tour guides. It was a home away from home feeling that will always be cherished. A pelican informs me that Paul is anxious to visit soon. His parents have made reservations at John's Raw Bar, another Boston tradition on Marco. If time permits, Paul, a small order of grouper to go would be appreciated.

Instead of carolling I was beach towelng; but returning in time to wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

nounce the birth of their son, Jeffrey James, on December 18 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Brighton.

The new arrival weighed ten pounds, ten ounces and measured 22½ inches in length.

The baby was welcomed home by his brother, Jake, age three.

The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Godding of Charlestown and Mr. and Mrs. John Keady of Brighton.

Mrs. Keady is the former Jean Godding of Charlestown.

Post Offices Closed On New Year's Day

Charlestown residents are reminded that all post offices will be closed and there will be no regular mail delivery on New Year's Day, Friday, January 1.

Postal operations will be in effect during the holiday weekend as follows:

Thursday, December 31st: Regular mail delivery will be provided. No mailbox collections will take place after 2:00 p.m., except Express Mail collections.

Friday, January 1st: All post offices will be closed. There will be delivery of Express Mail and Special

Delivery only. Collection boxes in front of post offices will be picked up beginning at 12 noon.

Saturday, January 2nd: Regular mail delivery will be provided. The following post offices, normally open, will be closed — **Charlestown**, Kendall Square, Uphams Corner, Charles Street, Hanover Street, Cathedral, Roxbury Crossing and North Cambridge.

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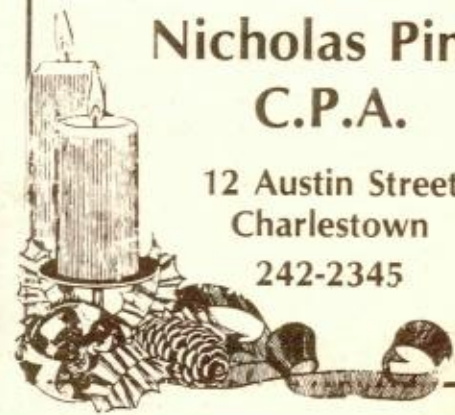
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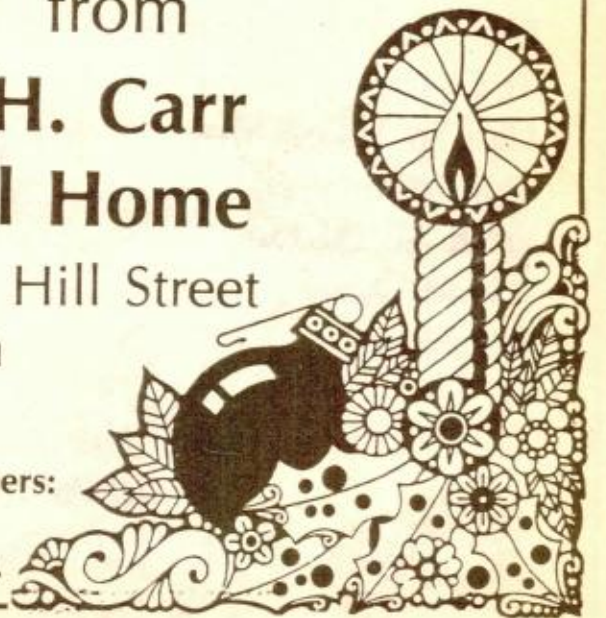
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Sixth Annual "Mayor Of Charlestown" Election To Get Underway

The Sixth Annual "Mayor of Charlestown" Election, sponsored by the Charlestown-To-Charlestown Committee, will commence on Monday, January 4th.

Any person interested in being a candidate for "Mayor" is invited to obtain ballots, along with the election rules, on January 4th at 7:00 p.m. at the Mary Colbert Apartments, 20 Devens Street.

gerald at 288-2100 (business), or John F. Reveliotis at 725-8230 (business), for more information.

If ever you had a fantasy of playing power politics and buying an election, now is your chance.


It should be noted that a candidate must be a resident of Charlestown.

So if you are interested in entering the race, come down to the Colbert Apartments on Monday or contact Chairman Peter Looney at 242-4032 (residence), incumbent "Mayor" Jim Fitz-

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A New Year's Wish

by Charlie McGonagle

May the stairways that you climbed last year
Be whittled down to few,
May the haze upon your window pane
Be dried to clear your view.

May the storms upon your ocean
Become serenity,
May the clouds that kept the light away
Set your sunshine free.

May the rocky road you've traveled most
Be paved to smooth your ride
May the curator of peaceful times
Be your constant guide.



May the blizzard which has downed your tree
Be softly fallen snow,
May the sound that was so strange to you
Be one that now you know.

May your stories of sad endings
Now weave a finer quilt,
May your tunes of melancholy strains
Adopt a happy lilt.


May the mountains that have blocked your way
Become but rolling hills,
May the weeds that filled your garden
Be chased by daffodils.

May the tears you've shed for those who've passed
Evaporate with time,
May the memories they shaped for you
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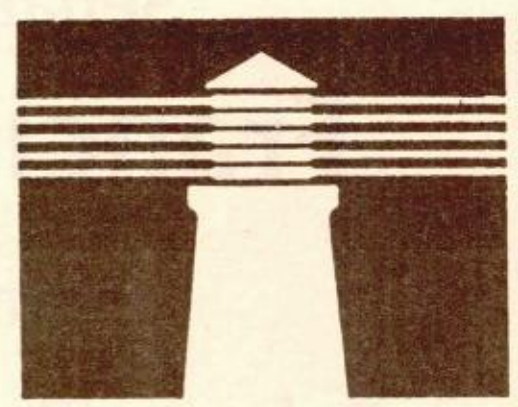
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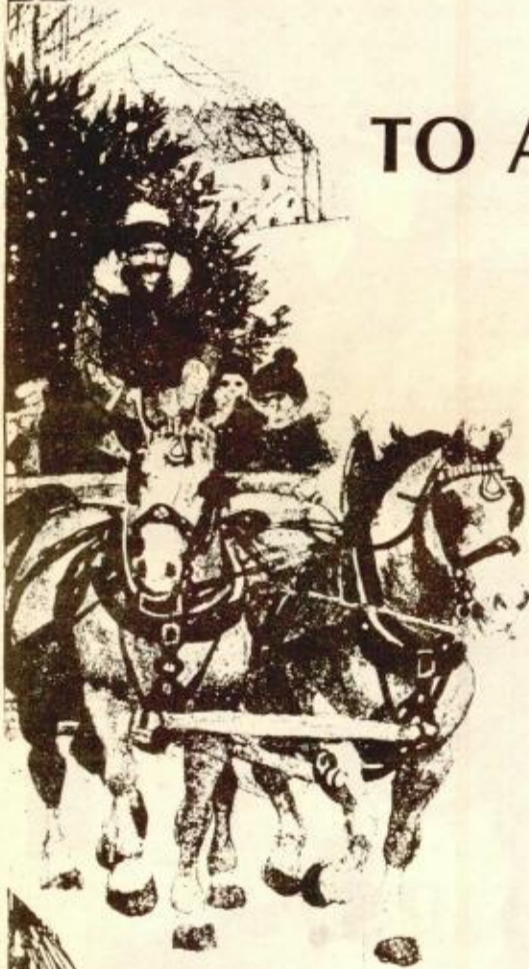
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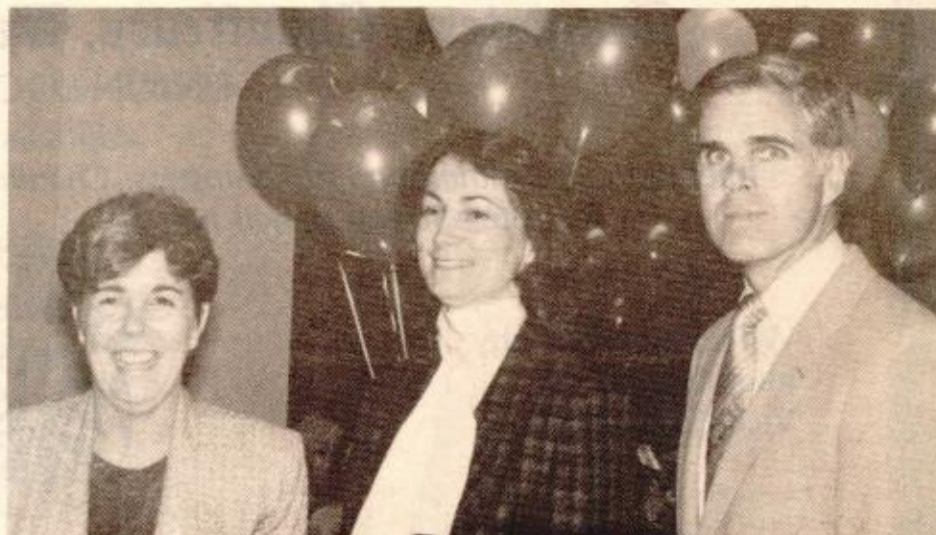
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The Raymond Group Hosts Christmas Party For Headstart Children At Building 149

photos by Kathy Giordano



CHARLESTOWN HEADSTART PROGRAM in the Charlestown Navy Yard. Shown (l. to r.) Anne Gill; Linda Smith, director of Governmental Affairs for The Raymond Group; and The Raymond Group President David Francis.



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Headstart Program Needs Your Help

(continued from page one)

Charlestown be disappointed at Christmas." President David Francis opened the building for the Christmas party and food and toys for

over 300 children and adults were ordered. Balloons were donated by Gorham Fire Equipment and tables and chairs were donated by Gourmet Caterers.

To the delight of the youngsters, Santa Claus arrived atop Boston Fire Department's Ladder 9 to begin the festivities.

The Raymond Group must be commended for their generosity. To these children, many of whom have been emotionally scarred by the fire, it was the boost desperately needed to return the sparkle to their eyes, that which is the essence and true spirit of this special holiday. One community leader attending the party was overheard remarking that, although many children enrolled in the Headstart Program will fully enjoy Christmas, "there are others in this room who will receive nothing more than what is given to them here today!"

For the past twenty years, the Headstart Program alone has been able to reach these children, the ones who seem to fall between the cracks, and offer them a safe, secure classroom to go to each day with caring teachers who give them not only the fundamental foundation on their climb up the educational ladder, but also a sense of self worth that will stay with them all through their life.

Of the over 160 youngsters between three and ten years of age enrolled in the school, 108 are left without a classroom because of the lack of adequate facilities. Although many offers have come in to facilitate the lost classrooms, none have been found licensable space. The school must have space in a certified facility.

Many donations of toys and supplies have been offered, but due to the safety restrictions imposed on these items and the desire to retain the quality of education previously provided by the program, this equipment will have to be purchased by a qualified administrator to meet the requirements for certification.

tion. "Everyday the school is closed, it's costing us money. At this time, because of the broken windows, heat alone is costing us \$100 a day," stated Kate McDonough, director of the Kennedy Center.

Donations of money are desperately needed. Each donor will be listed in the Patriot, no matter whether the donation be large or small. Please send what you can to the Charlestown Headstart Fire Fund today. The address and coupon can be found elsewhere on this page.

CHARLESTOWN HEADSTART FIRE FUND

The Old Kent School on Moulton Street was destroyed by fire on Thursday, December 17th. This facility has been the home of Headstart which provides an educational pre-school program and day care for nearly 170 Charlestown children. The fire damage was estimated to be in excess of \$100,000. The building, which is owned by the City, is not insured and only a portion of the contents were covered by insurance. Monies must be raised to reopen this vital facility for the community's children.

A Fire Fund has been established and donations are being sought from the residents, merchants and organizations of this community. The Fire Fund Committee has set an ambitious goal — to raise \$100,000 by February 29th — and the help of all is needed. Donations in any amount are welcome — no contribution is too large or too small. All donations will be publicly acknowledged.

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The display case measures three feet by three feet, and the domed lid varies in height from two to 12 inches. The case is locked.

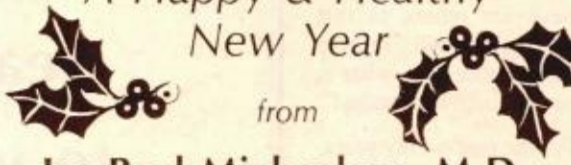
Interested persons may contact Theresa Nesbit or Catherine Simpson at the Library at 242-1248 for more information.

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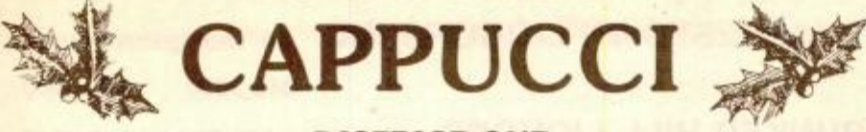
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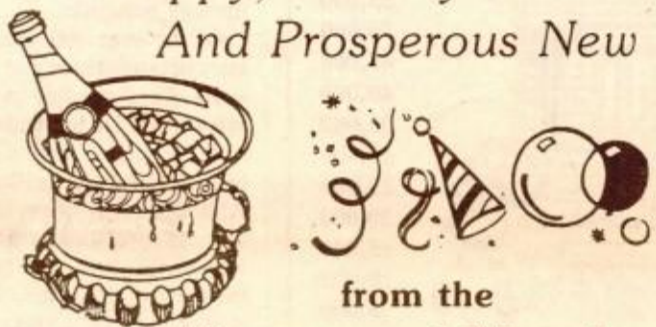
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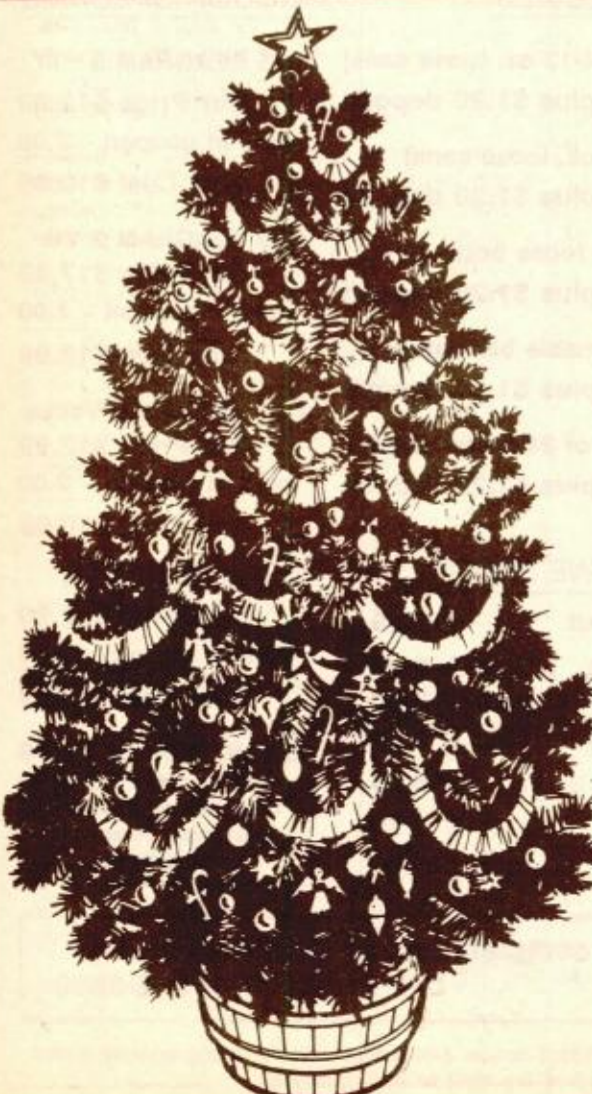
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Huskies Dent Crusader Armor, But Lose 10-8 Terriers Tremble But Edge Eagles 3-2

by Bernie "Scoop" Kelly

The Matt O'Neil Senior Hockey League wishes a "Happy New Year" to one and all.

The Huskies, led by their new Captain Eddie "Biff" Considine, biffed and baffed, zig-zagged, knee-jerked and semi-plummeted the Crusaders, who appeared confused and perplexed, led by their moonlighting linesman referee, Captain Eddie "Mugsy" Kelly, who played with a kink in his neck looking over his shoulder hearing the elephants, or was it horses' hoof-beats very loud and about to run him down. His first thoughts were "Ice the Puck" and his second thoughts were "Where's my back-up defenseman," and finally, "Well, there's always old faithful, Mike "GiGi, Gumper II" Giordano." Well, the Crusaders' "Gumper II" or "Old Faithful" had all he could do to win this one as the Huskies refused to lay down until tying the game 8 to 8 with 1:28 on the clock, only to lose with 0:56 remaining when the Huskies' goalie, Randy "Pandy" Vera got caught heading for the bench to allow a sixth Huskie skater on the ice. "Dusty Dan" Hegarty broke up a power play and sent the puck up ice as Randy "Pandy" tried desperately to get back to the Huskie net. Alas, the winning goal slid over the crease.

CRUSADERS . . . 10, HUSKIES . . . 8

The Crusaders scored at 13:39 when "Darby" Dan Considine sent a quick pass to the Captain, Ed "Mugsy" Kelly, who saw the streaking Co-Captain, Mikey "Connecticut Yankee" Anthony breaking toward the crease and Mikey put it into the upper corner for a 1-0 Crusader lead.

The Huskies were just starting to gel, when at 8:17, the Frenchman, Mike Gautreau, beat the defense to score a 1-1 tie.

It appeared the Crusaders were floundering about, when the Huskies struck again. At 2:29, "Frenchy" Mike Gautreau took a neat pass from Billy "K.O." Kirk, scoring for a 2-1 lead.

Suddenly the newest Crusader, Paul "Ensign" Chaisson, took a near perfect pass on a give and go from the "Galway Gunner," Chris "Rocket" Connolly, at 1:57 as the "Ensign" made it a 2-2 tie game.

With just 0:26 on the clock, the Crusader Captain, Ed "Mugsy" Kelly, hit the Co-Captain, Mikey "The Yank" Anthony for a tip-in and a 3-2 lead.

Then at 14:31, the "Deputy Sheriff," Scottie "Awesome" Geezil, was sent in along on a give and go from Mike "The Yank" Anthony that the "Sheriff" slammed shut by Randy "Not Handy" Vera for a 4-2 Crusader lead.

The Crusaders were cocky as ever as the Mexican Gringo, Dan "Hombre" Awbrey, crossed the Huskie border, hotly pursued, at 13:23, and deposited a peso puck under less handy Randy's pads for a 5-2 lead.

The Armor Rusting, Clinkety Clank Crusaders were still showing their stuff when, at 9:42, the "Ensign," Paul Chaisson, took a perfect pass from Chris "Cool Hand" Carr that the "Ensign" slapped past the vociferous, not quite handy "Randy," for a 6-2 Crusader lead.

At 4:38, the Huskie Captain, Ed "Biff" Considine started the play from behind his net and hit Dennis "Cagey" Callahan at center ice. "Cagey" sent it on to the Frenchman, Mike Gautreau, who put it in the upper corner over the sprawling, galling, crawling Mikey "Gumper II" Giordano for a 6-3 Crusader edge.

Then, Huskie winger Wes "Tip" Taylor picked up an errant puck at 4:23 and sent a rocket wrist shot past the daydreaming "Gumper II" for a Huskie score, closing the gap to 6-4, Crusaders.

Within 25 seconds after face-off, the Crusaders' Mexican Gringo, Dan "Hombre" Awbrey got his second goal of the game at 4:07, when "Dusty Dan" Hegarty took the face-off and hit the streaking Norwich University Cadet, "Jocko" Martin, who forced the Huskie goalie to commit himself, allowing "Jocko" to pass off to the "Gringo," Dan "Hombre" Awbrey, who stuffed it into the unprotected net for a 7-4 Crusader edge.

The Huskies' only Dutchman, Paul Christenson, with 0:23 on the clock, was sent in alone as the Captain, Ed "Biff" Considine, sent a lead pass to Dennis "The Kid" Dowd who sent a neat pass to the Dutchman who tucked it under the sprawling airborne "Gumper II," that closed the gap to 7-5, Crusaders.

Within a minute, the "Dutchman" struck again, when at 14:16, Paul Christenson scored unassisted for a 7-6 Crusader lead.

The Crusaders, playing like "Bush Leaguers," got lucky once again when, at 10:57, defenseman Kevin "Lucky" Millerick hit the "Cadet," Jack "Jocko" Martin, as he cross-

ed the blue line that "Jocko" put into the net strings over the hyperventilating "Randy," not dandy, Vera who must have been daydreaming of a victory of the Crusaders as the scoreboard registered another Crusader goal, making it 8-6, Crusaders.

In less than a minute, the Huskies were fighting back when the "Frenchman," Mike Gautreau, hit the left winger, Dennis "WooWoo" White, who put a wrist shot by the "Gumper II," to make it 8-7.

After great defensive plays by both teams, the Huskies got extremely lucky at 1:28, when Wes "Tip" Taylor hit the Captain, "Biff" Considine as he broke through center ice for a neat tip-in over the vociferous Mikey "Gumper II" Giordano to tie it at 8-8.

Doom and gloom engulfed the Crusader bench, as fits of uncontrollable winning could be heard as far away as Sully's Pub, across the way from the Rink, as some Crusader players could not hide nor hold their emotions as they burst out crying, "Oh, please God, not the Huskies, please don't let them beat us, not the Huskies," whipping their eyes frantically as fear showed across their faces.

Panic forced the Crusader Captain and Co-Captain to make some last minute changes in the line-up to prevent the Huskies from winning it in the last minute. The Crusader leaders decided to go with their fastest players, so with 0:56 on the clock at face-off, "Dusty Dan" Hegarty broke up a power rush by the Huskies, just as the Huskies were pulling their goalie to get an extra player on ice. "Dusty Dan" saw the goalie trying to back to the net, sent a perfect shot up ice and into the open net, ahead of the desperate Huskie

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Boston High School Basketball Games To Be Covered by BNN-TV Sports

For the fourth consecutive season, BNN-TV Sports will cover Boston High School Boys and Girls Basketball games.

The BNN-TV Game of the Week will begin on Monday, January 18 at 7:00

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alone and stuffed it under "Bubba" for a 1-1 tie game!
Then at 2:46, Pat "Hawkeye" Considine sent a neat pass to the streaking Chris "Showboat" Thornton who beat the border guard, "Rambo Joe," and tip-toed in on the star-gazing or napping "Knobby," not knowing his net strings nudged, as the Terriers took a 2-1 lead!

The third period found the Eagles tying the game, when at 12:40, the "Duffer" Paul Duffy, displayed his talents, when he took a loose puck at center ice, dyked the defense, and tucked the puck under the bellowing, balking "Bubba" who barely bent his back, bringing the Eagles to a 2-2 tie!

The Terriers did not ease the pressure, when at 5:25, Terrier defenseman Lance "Legs" LeFreniere took a gamble and kept the puck in the Eagle zone, sending a neat pass to the Huskie Co-Captain, "Comet" Harrington, who sent a wrist shot past the near comatose Eagle goalie, "Knobby." He never knew his net-tending needed nurturing as the Terriers took a 3-2 lead!

The highlight of the entire game came with 0:04, seconds on the clock to end the game, when the Eagles literally stormed the Terrier goalie, "Bubba," in a final desperate attempt to tie the game with every available Terrier on the ice, actually throwing his body in front of their net to prevent the Eagles from scoring. A nervous Terrier "Hawk," who was standing in the Terrier's goalie crease, reached up and grabbed the puck in mid-air (palming it) and threw the puck into the corner. This act of desperation did not escape the keen eye of Head Referee Steve "The Claw" Sullivan who blew the whistle and weeded out the "Hawkeye," who claimed the puck stuck to his glove and he just shook it loose as any good Terrier would do. Sorry, "Hawkeye," that's a No, No, said Steve "The Claw" Sullivan, as he conferred with linesman Ed "Mugsy" Kelly who agreed the "Hawkeye" was standing in the crease, warranting the "Penalty Shot!" After a bitter display by the Terriers, roaring that the refs "beat their wives" among other remarks, forced Head Referee Stevie "Claw" Sullivan to thumb him to the penalty box and/or a one game suspension should the "Hawkeye" continue his boisterous protest. The "Hawk" chose the lesser of two evils and quietly went to the Penalty Box to serve his punishment! Meanwhile, Referee Sullivan informed the Eagle Captain Joe Doherty to select a player who was on the ice at the time of the infraction to take the "Penalty Shot." The Eagle leadership selected the Eagle Captain, who was eligible to comply, hoping to tie the game!

The players had to go to their benches, as linesman Ed "Mugsy" Kelly placed the puck at center ice! The crowd was tense. The Eagle players were crossing their fingers and cringing across from the timekeeper, Ken Guitarr. The Terriers were screaming for "Bubba" to block the entire net with his body, which "Bubba" assured them he would.

Finally, the Eagle Captain Joe Doherty started his move toward the highly nervous "Bubba," who looked like he'd seen a ghost as his eyes were wet and glassy, his mouth wide open, half crying, half gagging for fresh air, his face, bright red, twitching and sweating profusely as the Eagle Captain Joe was now almost upon him. The Captain made a few fakes, then aimed for the top corner just as "Bubba" committed himself and shot his glove hand toward the upper corner, striking and sending the puck upward toward the glass behind the net saving the Terrier victory and sending the Eagles to the showers and back to the drafting board down at Sully's Cafe, where they lick their wounds and then retire to their nests like all good Eagles do!

"For Boston, for Boston," etc.!!!

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goalie, Randy "No Luck" Vera, making the score 9-8, Crusaders.

After a frantic face-off, with a chance to tie the game, the "Rocket," Chris "G.G." Connolly, always alert, picked up a loose puck near center ice and sent a soft wrist shot down ice into the Huskies' waiting, empty net for a 10-8 Crusader victory as time ran out.

Boy, will the Crusaders tread lightly whenever the Huskies cross their paths again. Maybe by then, Commish Johnson will have "muzzles" on them — it's a law!

SCORING BY PERIOD

TEAM	PERIOD	1	2	3	FINAL
CRUSADERS		3	4	3	10
HUSKIES		2	3	3	8

GOALIES

Mike Giordano - Crusaders	32
Randy "Vip" Vera - Huskies	40

★ GAME STARS ★

Mike "Frenchy" Gautreau — All Star
Mikey "The Yank" Anthony — Awesome
Randy "Vip" Vera — Vera Good

TERRIERS . . . 3, EAGLES . . . 2

The second game between the Terriers and Eagles was a barn-burner, that is, both defensively and emotionally from beginning to end!

The screaming Eagles, led by Captain Joe Doherty and Co-Captain Warren Fitz, used every trick in the book to deceive the terrible Terriers. I guess those older veterans, Captain Joe "Gung-Ho" Wilkins and Co-Captain "Comet" Harrington, have some old scores to settle from last season, when the screaming Eagles were having things their way. Boy, have the tables turned this year, meaning of course, the Eagles are back on the "endangered species list" again, right Terriers?

Just to prove my point, when's the last time you saw an Eagle, screaming or otherwise??? See what I mean, they are almost extinct, a thing of the past!

I think there's a law that says you can't harm an "Eagle." Commish Johnson ought to read it to the Terriers!

Head Referee Stevie "The Claw" Sullivan brought both teams to center ice and little did anyone think that this game would be a stand-off for the team goalies!

The first period was loaded with great saves from the Terriers' "Bubba" and the Eagles' "Knobby" as they both compiled a high percentage of saves during the fervor and excitement that exploded right till the end. It could have swung either way if only a stick or skate hadn't got in the way!

At 8:27, Terrier Co-Captain D.J. "Comet" Harrington found an errant puck at center ice, broke over the blue line where he was pursued by the U.S.M.C. Border Guard, Joe "Rambo" Gauthier, who forced the "Comet" to send the puck back to the point where the feisty defenseman, Pat "Hawkeye" Considine, was perched just inside the blue line, sending a slap-shot airborne into the "Eagles' Nest," over the burly, blustered, wobbly, belly-busting "Knobby" who barely began to bend as the puck burst the net strings to put the Terriers on the board for a 1-0 lead!

The Eagles scored at 8:21, when one of their top scorers, Paul "Duffer" Duffy, took a perfect pass from Billy "Buster" McDonald, as he crossed the blue line and went in

SCORING BY PERIOD

TEAM	PERIOD	1	2	3	FINAL
TERRIERS		1	1	1	3
EAGLES		0	1	1	2

GOALIES

Seano Feeney - Terriers	31
Knobby McIntosh - Eagles	26

SAVES

★ GAME STARS ★

Seano "Bubba" Feeney — Great Stops
Pat "Hawkeye" Considine — Point Man
Paul "Duffer" Duffy — Flying Eagle

SENIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS

TEAM	W	L	TIE	*POINT STANDINGS
Crusaders	6	0	0	12 points
Terriers	3	3	0	6 points
Eagles	2	4	0	4 points
Huskies	1	5	0	2 points

*Point Standing - 2 points for win - 1 point for tie

★ SENIOR LEAGUE TOP SCORERS ★

Name	Team	Goals	Assists	Points
1) Paul Duffy - Eagles		9	3	12
2) Eddie Considine - Huskies		6	6	12
3) Mike Gautreau - Huskies		9	2	11
4) Chris Thornton - Terriers		8	2	10
5) Dan Considine - Crusaders		7	3	10
6) Mike Anthony - Crusaders		6	4	10
7) Warren Fitzpatrick - Eagles		5	5	10
8) Eddie Kelly - Crusaders		2	8	10
9) D.J. Harrington - Terriers		6	3	9
10) Matt Mahoney - Crusaders		6	2	8

* Several players are tied with 7 points

NOTES FROM THE COMMISSIONER'S DESK

League Commissioner Eddie "Baron" Johnson announced this week that the Matt O'Neil Senior League is planning their Third Annual Matt O'Neil "Man-ly Cup" Championship Banquet for sometime in the spring, around April 16th at the K. of C. Hall. This banquet will include the presentation of awards to the outstanding individuals who withstood the "Thrill of Victory" and the "Agony of Defeat" in their quest for the Matt O'Neil "Man-ly Cup."

Commissioner Johnson also hopes to honor those other exceptional individuals who performed outstanding hockey feats worthy of Matt's "Man-ly Cup" tradition.

Honorary Chairlady for this year's Championship Banquet will be Peggy "Sis" O'Neil, who will oversee the Banquet Committee for the sale of tickets, decorations, etc.

Also, an attempt will be made to obtain a mystery guest speaker who will inform us on how to crush a Crusader, hush a Huskie, terrify a Terrier, or muffle a screaming Eagle . . . in simple, easy to understand hockey jargon — just "trade him!"

Commish Johnson will have more information on the Banquet at a later date.

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Voke Honored By Hotels And Motels Association

State Representative Richard A. Voke was honored recently by the Massachusetts Hotels and Motels Association at their annual meeting in Boston. In presenting the award to Representative Voke, Roger Saunders who represents MH-MA praised Voke for his tireless efforts on behalf of fiscal responsibility within the Commonwealth. "It was through the hard work of Representative Richard

Voke and his determination to protect economic growth in Massachusetts that helped to establish tourism as the second largest industry in Massachusetts," stated Saunders.

Representative Voke, who is Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, pointed out that Massachusetts is outpacing the nation in tourism growth. "Between 1984 and 1986, Massachusetts exper-



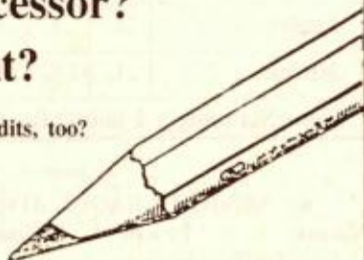
PRESENTS AWARD: Roger Saunders (right) presents an award to Representative Richard A. Voke (left) in recognition of Voke's tireless efforts on behalf of fiscal responsibility and economic growth in Massachusetts.

enced a 28 per cent growth rate in tourism as opposed to a 21 per cent growth rate across the country," stated Voke. The State Representative also alluded to the tremendous increase in jobs in the service industry, stating that in 1986, more than

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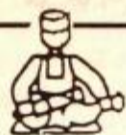
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The Real Meaning Of Christmas

To the Editor,

Every Christmas season for the last six years, increasing numbers of Charlestown residents have taken part in the annual "Townie Santa" program. A handful of "Townies" back in 1982 decided that something should be done for the elderly and shut-ins who can sometimes feel so alone during the so-called holiday season and it was decided to adopt a "Townie Santa" project by which small gifts, canned food and a hot meal would be given to many, many older "Townies" who were truly in need of both corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

The true spirit of Santa Claus is Saint Nicholas who distributed gifts to needy children and is not just Christmas lights and store sales. You won't find the real meaning of Christmas running around a mall, but you can find it in communities like Charlestown and in ideas like "Townie Santa."

Charlestown over the years has been given the reputation of being a tough, working-class town, but there is a flip-side to the Charlestown story and it can be seen every year with "Townie Santa" volunteers delivering the Christmas goodies, and with the smiles on the faces of those on the receiving end.

The good works of the people of Charlestown go unnoticed, but in a season when Christ is being too often replaced by Christmas sales, it is nice to know that the real meaning of the Birth of Christ continues in the spirit of "Townie Santa" and in the hearts of all those touched by this project.

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As 1988 approaches, let's pause and remember the special occasions, people and events that marked 1987 as a memorable year for us all here in Charlestown!

- Saint Catherine's Parish celebrated their 100th Anniversary with a gala Dinner-Dance and a Mass by Bernard Cardinal Law;
- CANA project began with seven years of roadway construction to follow;
- Demolition of the 70 year old YMCA in City Square almost completed to make way for the new roads;
- Lieutenant Colonel William McCabe sworn in as new Commissioner of Public Safety for the State;
- Courageous Sailing Center opened, with a summer of fun and jobs for local youth;
- Charlestown Democratic Caucus elected delegates to the State Caucus;
- JobStart opened at 76 Monument Street;
- James "Honey Fitz" Fitzgerald elected "Mayor of Charlestown;"
- Ordination of Reverend Brian Murdoch at Saint John's Church;
- Reconstruction of Main and Warren Streets almost completed;
- Susan Lyons winner of Charlestown Rose Contest;
- The Town Team travelled to Ireland for a successful tour and winning games;
- The first Charlestown Neighborhood Council Election held;
- The First Annual Charlestown Christmas Walk, enjoyed by young and old alike, sure to become a Charlestown tradition;
- Affordable Housing on the way to becoming a reality in the Charlestown Navy Yard;
- New Director of Boys and Girls Club, Jerry Steimel, appointed;
- Harry McDonough took over Pier Four;
- "Townie Santa" visited over 140 elderly;
- Sunny weather and pleasant sea breezes complimented Navy Yard activities for Harborpark Day;
- Charlestown Kiwanis Club installed first women members;
- Sludge Plant will not be placed in Charlestown, but community "wins" equipment transfer site;
- Bernie "Scoop" Kelly gave play-by-play for Matt O'Neil Senior Hockey League;
- Charlestown Community Gardens got O.K. to stay on Sullivan Square site;
- Saint Mary's Bible School — entertainment and education for the parish little ones;
- Saint Francis de Sales Walk-a-thon great success;
- Hectic and interesting City Council Race;
- Boring Mayoral Race;
- "Townie" Mike Powers in close School Committee Race;
- Massport purchased Revere Sugar;
- Jack "Sugar" Whelan sworn in as Associate Commissioner of the MDC;
- Charlestown Teen Connection, programs and fun for local teens;
- Elderly Saint Patrick's Day Dinner at The Schrafft Center;
- Breakfast With Santa (otherwise known as Tony V) at the Charlestown Working Theater;
- Charlie McGonagle's memorable columns;
- Charlestown Little League;
- Police Community Relations Meetings — police were there when the residents weren't;
- Return of Charlestown Pop Warner;
- C.E.D.C. elections and approval to develop Main Street housing;
- John Curtin's Retirement (from cab driving, not Little League);
- Fire Boat stationed at Pier Four;
- Judy Evers' dedication to Charlestown;
- Elderly Thanksgiving Dinner;
- Charlestown Branch Library's Programs for all;
- Girls-R-Us;
- Charlestown Community Schools;
- Summer Day Camp;
- Elderly Christmas Dinner;
- July 4th in the Navy Yard;
- Christmas Tree Lighting aboard USS Constitution;
- Celebration of the 200th Anniversary of the United States Constitution;
- Headstart Fire Fund.

Let us give thanks for living in a community that cares for the overall well being of each and every resident. Let us join together, both long time resident and newcomer, to make 1988 a better year for the entire Charlestown community.

★★★ HAPPY NEW YEAR!!! ★★★

Registration Opens For Spring Term At Boston Business School

Charlestown residents interested in a career as an executive secretary, accountant or word processor may want to mark Wednesday, January 27 on their calendars — the official kick-off for spring registration at the Boston Business School.

Individuals interested in enrolling in the public institution for the spring semester or learning more about the variety of programs at the school can visit from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., according to Dean McGrann. Classes are scheduled to begin on February 1st.

The 74-year-old school is possibly the only public higher educational institution in Massachusetts designed exclusively to train men and women for careers as executive secretaries, accountants, and word processors, according to McGrann.

The school offers courses in word processing, computer programming, accounting, typewriting, shorthand, machine transcription, and in the liberal arts. College credits are given in all courses and graduates receive either A.S. Degrees

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The school was part of

the Boston Public School System for some 70 years but became an affiliate of Roxbury Community College four years ago.

Further information may be obtained by calling the Boston Business School at 787-5600 or writing to the school at 989 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston, MA 02215.

Charlestown Neighborhood Council

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umbus Hall, 75 West School Street.

Among the items on the agenda will be the election of officers. Members are advised that if they cannot be present at the meeting

and are willing to accept nomination for an office, they must submit a letter indicating same to Chairman John Tobin prior to the meeting.

The public is welcome to attend.

Planning And Zoning Committee Meeting

The Planning and Zoning Committee of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council will meet on Thursday evening, January 7 at 6:30 p.m. at the Boston Redevel-

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In an effort to inform the residents of Charlestown about the program and to

simplify the application process, the Kennedy Center is sponsoring an informational discussion about the Food Stamp Program on Thursday, January 7 at 12:15 p.m. at the J.F.K. Senior Lounge, located at 55 Bunker Hill Street.

A representative from the Food Stamp Hotline will also be available to answer

questions and act as a resource person. This program will be repeated at various times throughout the Winter at different locations. Keep reading **The Patriot** for future dates and places.

Denise Maher
Community Advocate
Kennedy Center

Christmas Party At The Senior Lounge



** Attention Charlestown Elders **

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Friday, January 1
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Monday, January 4
9:00 a.m. - Sunshine Club, Senior Lounge
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Tuesday, January 5
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. - Soup and Sandwich,
Senior Lounge
1:00 p.m. - Pokeno, Senior Lounge

Wednesday, January 6
9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Anchorage
Apartments
10:00 a.m. - Social Services and Social Security
Information, Senior Lounge
10:00 a.m. - Arts and Crafts, Senior Lounge
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Mary Colbert Apartments
11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. - Soup and Sandwich,
Senior Lounge
12:45 p.m. - Bingo, Senior Lounge

Thursday, January 7
9:30 a.m. - Stop & Shop Bus, Senior Lounge
and Constitution Co-op
10:00 a.m. - Crochet, Senior Lounge
11:45 a.m. - Kit Clark Lunch, Senior Lounge
12:15 a.m. - Food Stamp Information,
Senior Lounge

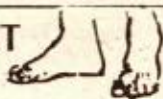
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- **Don and Nikki's House Party** — Tuesday, January 12 at 10:30 a.m. Donation \$20.00.
- **Pokeno** — Tuesday, January 19 at 1:00 p.m.

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Robbins will be at the World of Wheels on Friday, January 8 from 7 to 10 p.m.; Saturday, January 9 from 1 to 4 and 7 to 10 p.m.; and Sunday, January 10 from 1 to 4 p.m.

Other stars at the show will be William Shatner, "Star Trek's" Captain Kirk, on Sunday, January 10 from 1 to 4 p.m.; MTV VJ Adam Curry on Friday, January 8 from 7 to 10 p.m.; Dian Parkinson of TV's "The Price Is Right," on Friday, January 8 from 8 to 10 p.m.; Saturday, January 9 from 1 to 4 and 7 to 10 p.m., and Sunday, January 10 from 1 to 4 p.m.; and Big Daddy Don Garlits, the world's most famous AA fuel drag racer, on Friday, January 8 from 7 to 10 p.m.

In addition to the stars, feature vehicles at the motor-sports expo will include the legendary Jade Idol, built in '59; three August Busch-sponsored NASCAR race cars, including Budweiser's #11 Junior Johnson's Chevrolet; the Heavy Chevy Monster Truck, a pick-up mounted on tank treads; and an exhibit of

famous vintage Ferraris, together worth more than \$2 million.

Show hours are 5 to 11 p.m. on Friday, January 8; 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturday, January 9; and 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday, January 10. General admission is \$7 for adults; \$2 for children six through 12; and free for children under six.

Career Advisory Night At Wentworth

A Career Advisory Night will be held for persons interested in learning about part-time evening and weekend degree programs for careers in engineering and engineering technology on Thursday evening, January 7 from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. at Wentworth Institute

of Technology, 550 Huntington Avenue, Boston. The session is open to the public free of charge and there is no obligation.

For further information, call Wentworth's College of Continuing Education at 442-9010, extension 317.

Board of Appeal Hearings

A public hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 5, 1988 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:

- Stanley Zola, seeking with reference to the premises at 14 Monument Square, Variance — Articles 14(14-2) 17(17-1) 23(23-1). Change legal occupancy from Lodging House for 21 Lodgers to 13 Apartments.

A public hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 12, 1988, seeking variances from the terms of the Boston Zoning Code:

- Lois Ernst, seeking with reference to the premises at 17 Chestnut Street, Variance — Articles 14(14-1) 15(15-1) 17(17-1) 20(20-1) 23(23-1). Extend existing dormer, erect new wing over existing wing, construct deck on new wing, extend bulkhead and establish legal occupancy as a three-family dwelling. There is no record of occupancy in the Building Department.

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Monday, December 21

Sometime over the weekend, person(s) unknown fired a gun shot through the window of Tuttle's Cleaners at 69 Main Street.

A 28 year old South Boston woman was arrested for setting multiple fires at the J.F.K. Headstart Program School at 23A Moulton Street.

Tuesday, December 22

Several units were broken into at 47 Harvard Street. Over \$1,000 in jewelry was taken from one apartment.

The front window of Tuttle's Cleaners at 245 Main Street was broken by person(s) unknown.

At approximately 2:10 a.m., Officer Cardoso arrested a 28 year old Everett man for driving under the influence of alcohol. The arrest was made at Sullivan Square.

Thursday, December 24

At approximately 1:15 a.m., Officers Bollen, Williams, Molina and O'Malley arrested a 21 year old Alton, New Hampshire man for driving under the influence and for unlawful carrying of a firearm, when they discovered a loaded handgun in the car. The handgun was reported stolen from California.

A 1986 GMC van was broken into at 569 Main Street and \$1,100 in tools were taken.

The cash register and a pin ball machine were stolen from J.J. McCarthy's at 260 Main Street. It is unknown if any alcohol was taken.

A 1987 Dodge, belonging to a New York man, was vandalized at 12 Lexington Street.

At approximately 10:14 a.m., two white males, both wearing dark ski masks, drove into the parking lot at 66 Spice Street in a blue 1985 Toyota Camry, which was reported stolen in District 6, South Boston. The suspects produced a shot gun and robbed the parking lot attendant. The suspects then fled on Spice Street and drove to Owens Park Parking Lot at 66 Cambridge Street, where they robbed the attendant of \$240. The suspects then drove back to the scene of the original armed robbery on Spice Street and shot the attendant in the back. The motor vehicle they used was recovered 45 minutes later in the parking lot of the Bunker Hill Community College. This case is under investigation.

A 1978 Chevrolet was burned at 65 Polk Street by two persons. A person was seen drinking a cocktail at the car at approximately 11:00 p.m. The person was described as 6'1"

with light brown hair, wearing a green Celtic jacket. The second suspect was described as shorter with brown hair, wearing a blue and white jacket.

Friday, December 25

A 1986 VW was broken into in front of 62 Tibbetts Town Way and a stereo was stolen.

At approximately 12:55 a.m., Officers Byrne, Ahern and Rautenberg arrested two Charlestown men for slashing tires and breaking windows of the residents of Russell Street.

Person(s) unknown broke into an apartment at 425 Bunker Hill Street and stole various Christmas presents. It is unknown how entry was gained.

Saturday, December 26

At approximately 9:00 a.m., a white male described as 25 to 30 years of age, 5'6" tall, 160 pounds, brown hair, wearing a grey knit hat, blue face mask and a three-quarter length grey tweed coat, entered the Bunker Hill Liquor store at 200 Bunker Hill Street, produced a black handgun and demanded money. The suspect fled with approximately \$100.

At approximately 3:50 p.m., a white male, 25 years of age, 5'6" tall, wearing a blue ski mask, entered the Newtowne Market on Medford Street, produced a black handgun and demanded money. He fled with approximately \$150.

At approximately 10:20 p.m., while a Charlestown woman was walking home from Medford Street, a white male described as 18 years of age, 5'10", 150 pounds, wearing a dungaree jacket with suede shoulders, and jeans, followed behind her. When she was in the area of McNulty Court, he grabbed her pocketbook and fled on foot.

Sunday, December 27

At approximately 10:20 p.m., Officers McGill and Lydon arrested a male suspect from Chelsea at Bunker Hill and Lexington Streets for violating the auto laws.

A 1987 BMW parked at 76 High Street had its rear right window broken.

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

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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.

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HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!

Police / Community Meeting

The monthly Police/Community meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 12th at 7:00 p.m. at the Kent Community School, 50 Bunker Hill Street. All are welcome to attend.

There will be a guest speaker from the Police Department's new program where Officers teach in the school system about drugs and their affects. These Officers are currently instructing on the fifth and sixth grade level in the Kent School.

If you have any questions about drugs or about the School program to Educate on Drug Abuse, it is important that you attend this meeting. There will also be visual demonstrations of the drugs so that you will be able to recognize them in their street form. Any interested parent or child should attend.

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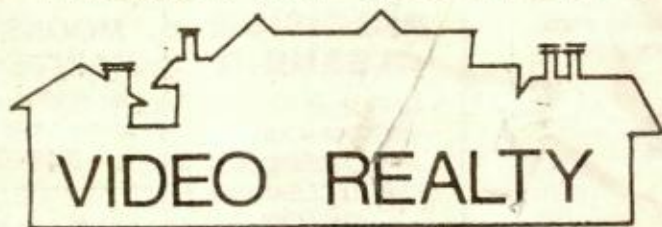
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