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John Havlicek makes a move past the legendary Julius Erving during a 1977 game at the old Boston Garden.

AP photo

Remembering No. 17

John Havlicek, an eight-time champion with the Boston Celtics in his 16 years with the team, died last Thursday (April 25) at age 79. Former Boston $Globe\ and\ Sports\ Illustrated\ column ist$ Leigh Montville, an author of bestsellers on Babe Ruth, Ted Williams, and $Dale\,Earnhardt, covered\,Mr.\,Havlicek$ during his glory years in the 1960s and 1970s.

By Leigh Montville

I talked to John Havlicek's mother once. She had come in from Bridgeport, Ohio, or wherever she then lived, for some playoff game in one of her son's basketball years with the Boston Celtics. It was the only time I ever saw her in the Boston Garden.

I remember that she said the family owned a grocery store and lived on the second floor when John was young. I remember she said she was amazed at how he was always running everywhere as a kid, running, running, always involved in games of some kind, always running. I remember she said when he stopped running for a break, he would come into the store, go to the big commercial refrigerator, take out a quarter-pound stick of butter, and eat it like a popsicle. He would do this all the time.

"A stick of butter?" I asked in a tone of disbelief. "A stick of butter," she replied in the same tone.

From that moment, I always thought-back of my mind-that maybe this was his secret. He had some extra lubrication, some kind of Pennzoil of the body, or something that made the parts work just a little bit better than everyone else's parts. How else to explain what he did? He could keep going and going and going. He never had to stop.

For 16 seasons (1962-1978) in a game played by the best athletes in any professional sport, he could wear down anyone and everyone. There might have been players who could jump better and shoot better and dribble better-though not a lot of them—but there was no one who had his endurance.

He was 6-foot-5, 203 pounds, a perfect basketball size. Tall enough to play forward. Fast enough to play (Continued on page 13)

A crowd forms for council races; finances offer first clues on bids

By Jennifer Smith News Editor

In just the first two weeks since municipal nomination paper applications became available, 55 hopefuls have officially signaled their intent to run for a seat on the city council.

All four City Council At-Large incumbents-Michael Flaherty, Althea Garrison, Annissa Essaibi-George, and Michelle Wu – are seeking re-election. This will be Garrison's first run at being elected directly to the seat, as she

placed fifth in 2017 and automatically replaced former councillor and now Congresswoman Ayanna Pressley in

The three longer-term at-large councillors have a financial advantage so far, according to the Massachusetts Office of Campaign and Political Finance (OCPF). Flaherty sits on the largest war chest as of April 16, with \$347,149, followed by Wu at \$302,565 and Essaibi-George at \$85,267.

Flaherty, of South Boston, was

to run unsuccessfully for mayor in 2009, then was re-elected to his atlarge seat in 2013. Wu, of Roslindale, was elected in 2013. She was the first Asian-American woman to be elected to the council and council president, receiving the most at-large votes in the 2017 election. Essaibi-George has been in office since 2015, following an unsuccessful earlier run for at-large.

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An eagerness to learn how best to grow food at home from experts like Nataka Crayton, operations manager at the Urban Farming Institute of Boston (at center in photo) was clearly evident on Saturday at a Fowler Clark Epstein Farm workshop. See Page 5.

New owner, new hope - and \$665k for eyesore property on Mt. Ida Rd.

By Jennifer Smith **News Editor**

A new chapter is unfolding for one of the neighborhood's most notorious eyesore properties. The dilapidated three-decker at 97 Mt. Ida Rd. has been sold to a Quincy builder after years of legal battles had left city officials and neighbors alike

throwing up their hands.

Malcolm Barber, who owns buildings and has worked on projects across Dorchester and South Boston, according to deed and permit records, purchased the Mt. Ida property for \$665,000 on April 24. He did not respond to a request for comment by press time.

The peeling, blighted structure, badly damaged over the years by fire and water, was first condemned back in 2003. Its former owner, James Dickey, fought the city's Inspectional Services Department in various



97 Mt. Ida Rd.

courts for years to prevent authorities from demolishing the house.

Areceiver, Stuart Schrier, appointed by Judge Marylou Muirhead of the Boston Division of the Massachusetts Housing Court, had crews working to clean up the property while the Supreme Judicial Court determined whether or not he could sell the property.

Neighborg like John and Jennifer Coyne, who moved into a three-decker two doors away just after 97 Mt. Ida was condemned, have been watching the repairs hopefully. "We are very happy," John Coyne said in an email. He added, "The fact that the city and state were able to finally get this done is amazing. I look forward to (Continued on page 4)

Shattuck site a hot topic for Park lovers

By YUKUN ZHANG REPORTER CORRESPONDENT

Trekking through the woods and paths in Franklin Park on a moist Sunday morning, about 50 people immersed themselves in the history of the landscape and discussed how the eventual relocation of the adjacent Lemuel Shattuck Hospital could alter the scene.

Fredrick Law Olmsted, the renowned 19th-century landscape architect, who designed both Central Park in New York City and the Emerald Necklace in Boston, envisioned urban parks as relaxation spaces and public resources for people from all social backgrounds, said Mark Swartz, a former National Park Service ranger who led the first half of the hour-long walk.

For members of the Franklin Park Coalition and the Emerald Necklace Conservancy, the removal of the Shattuck facility at the southwestern edge of the park along Morton Street will offer an opportunity to reincorporate the site into nature.

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A snapshot look at key upcoming events in and around the neighborhood for your weekly planner.

Thursday (2nd) - Codman Square Health Center hosts a workshop on Teen Substance Use risks, trends and resources in the community from 6-8 p.m. at the Black Box Theatre at 14 Epping St., Dorchester. Food and refreshments from Juice and Jazz Cafe. Register at teen substances.eventbrite.com.

Sunday (5th) - Polish Fest Boston at the Polish American Citizens Club, 82 Boston St., Dorchester from 12-6 p.m. includes live music, food, dancing and more.

Tuesday (7th) – Mayor Martin J. Walsh and the Boston Parks and Recreation Department host the 20th Annual Neighborhood Coffee Hour Series from 9:30-10:30 a.m. at Martin Playground, 95 Myrtlebank Ave., Dorchester.

Thursday (9th) – Dot Jazz Series' final show of the 2018-2019 season features a quartet led by longtime musical partners alto saxophonist Kurtis Rivers and guitarist Alain Pacowski. They will be joined by bassist Paul Dilley and drummer Miki Matsuki, the wonderful rhythm section from their years-long residency at Dorchester's Ramsay/Toy VFW Post. Venue is Peabody Hall at All Saints Church. Doors open at 7 p.m., music starts at 7:30. The \$15 ticket, at the door or at dotjazz.org, includes dessert and non-alcoholic beverages; wine available for purchase. Co-presented by Greater Ashmont Main Street and Mandorla Music.

Sunday (12th) - The Mother's Day Walk for Peace — a benefit event for the Louis D. Brown Peace Institute—from Fields Corner to City Hall on Mother's Day. It begins at 8 a.m. at Town Field, 1520 Dorchester Ave. Visit mothersdaywalk4peace. org for more info.

• The Bach Project at Ashmont Hill Chamber Music presents a 4 p.m. Mother's Day concert - "Music for Bach's Favorite Instruments" at Parish of All Saints, 209 Ashmont St., Dorchester. Tickets: adults (\$25). students (\$18) and EBT card holders (\$3). Children under 13 are free. More info at ahchambermusic.org.

Monday (13th) - Project D.E.E.P.'s Student and Volunteer Recognition Night is Mon., May 13 at 6 p.m. at Florian Hall, 55 Hallet St., Dorchester. See projectdeep.org for more info.

Sunday (19th) - Martin Richard Foundation Spring Service Day hosted at the Edward M. Kennedy Institute for the U.S. Senate on Columbia Point, with several satellite projects throughout Dorchester including Louis D. Brown Peace Institute, St. Ambrose, Codman Square Library. To sign up, go to: martinrichardfoundation2.volunteerlocal. com/volunteer/

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From left: Jamie Soule, IT Manager at UMass Boston; Joe Zinck, President of the Dorchester Vietnam Memorial Committee; City Councillor Frank Baker; Ed Pimental, Vice President, Dorchester Vietnam Memorial Committee.

Photo by Julie Ryan/Julie Ryan Photography Security camera added to Vietnam memorial site

Roughly six months after vandals targeted the Vietnam Veterans Memorial on Morrissey Boulevard, the site has been outfitted with a security camera to deter any future attempts at vandalism.

City Councillor Frank Baker, who represents much of Dorchester, said he had worked with memorial committee representatives, UMass Boston, and folks from Eversource and Sullivan & McLaughlin to get the camera installed. He noted that camera, a donation from Sullymac, will be connected to the UMass Boston security system.

"UMass agreed to monitor it for us, which is a big thing," said the councillor. "The funny thing is this is the first [memorial] to be vandalized; since then we've seen the South Boston one and others get vandalized after ours did... Hopefully nothing else happens, but you never know.'

The memorial, which abuts Savin Hill Cove, was constructed over 30 years ago under the leadership of a committee of veterans, including Joe Zinck, who now serves as president of the Dorchester Vietnam Memorial Committee. After it was vandalized last October, crowdfunding efforts raised more than \$20,000 to repair damage to the stonework and surrounding shrubbery.

-DANIEL SHEEHAN

ZBA okays apartment and studio building in **Ashmont**

The city's Zoning Board of Appeal voted on Tuesday to approve a5-story, 56-unit apartment building on what is now a vacant lot at 1970 Dorchester Ave., next to the Ashmont Red Line station. No one spoke against the proposal at the hearing.

Developer Tim Long's building will have 32 studios, 24 one-bedroom units, and 56 bike spaces, but just five parking spaces. Under an agreement with the BPDA, which approved the project earlier this month, residents of the building will not be allowed to have Dorchester residential parking permits.

The studios will range in size from 450 to 629 square feet; the onebedroom units between 625 and 755 square feet. The building will have ground-floor commercial space, a gym/ media room, and a roof

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Thursday meeting to vet Westville St. studios

A community meeting is set for today (Thurs., May 2) to review a plan to build an affordable studio apartment building on Westville Street in Fields Corner. The proponents say they would rent the units for between \$650 and \$850 a month - heat and hot water included.

In a filing with the BPDA, Vivian and Elisa Girard, owners of the home.stead cafe on Dorchester Avenue, said their proposed building at 141 Westville St. would fill a crying need in the city for inexpensive housing. They say they can build the units without any subsidies.

The units, between 260 and 280 square feet in size, are based on Boston's Compact Living Pilot, by which



Rendering courtesy Boehm Architecture

developers can apply to build units smaller than typically allowed in new construction in the city.

The building would have not parking spaces, but it would be served by three bus lines and is near the Fields Corner Red Line stop.

"Two years ago, along with a business partner, my wife Elisa and I opened home.stead café,

a bakery and café in Fields Corner," said Vivian Girard. "Even though all of our employees earn well above the hourly minimum wage, housing, and housing costs in particular, remains a serious concern for most of them. We strongly believe that everyone who works 40 hours a week should be able to afford quality housing

that's within a reasonable walking distance or a short public transit commute.

"The overarching goal of the 141 Westville project is to provide the best possible living option to single folks who can't afford or don't wish to spend more than \$650 to \$850 a month in housing expenses,' he said.

Thursday's meeting will be held at the Vietnamese American Community Center, 42 Charles St., from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. For more information, contact Tim Czerwienski at 617-918-5303 or tim. czerwienski@boston. $gov. \, The \, public \, comment \,$ period for this project is open through Wed., May 8.

– REPORTER STAFF

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May 2 meeting on Westville Street proposal – A participating houses. proposed 4 story residential building at 141 Westville Meeting on new Blue Hill Ave. building set for May Center, 42 Charles St. The proposed building consists of between 260 and 280-square-feet. For more information, by the development team led by Diarmaid McGregor, see bostonplans.org or contact Tim Czerwienski at 617-918-5303.

Ashmont Hill Yard Sale— Now in its 40th year, the yard sale will be held on Saturday, May 18, 9 a.m.—2 p.m., with more than 40 homes participating throughout Ashmont Hill, Find everything from potted plants to toys. of Boston's policy that requires market-rate housing furniture to books, computers to collectables, and more, developments with ten or more units to assist in the all at bargain prices. Walk through the neighborhood to creation of affordable units will be discussed at a public enjoy the Victorian architecture and lush gardens that meeting on Tues., May 7 at 6 p.m. at the Mildred Avenue distinguish this pocket of Dorchester. MBTA Red Line Community Center, 5 Mildred Ave., in Mattapan. For to Ashmont. By car, start at Alban or Ocean streets, off more information, contact Tim Davis at 617-918—4302 Welles Avenue. Maps of selling locations available at all or tim.davis@boston.gov.

St. will be discussed at a public meeting sponsored by 15 - A proposal to build a new, six-story mixed-used the BPDA on Thurs., May 2 at 6 p.m. The meeting will building at 1297-1305 Blue Hill Ave. in Mattapan will take place at the Vietnamese American Community be discussed at a public meeting on Wed., May 15 at 6 p.m. at the Mattapan BPL branch, 1350 Blue Hill Ave. 14 Compact Living studio apartments with a floor area The BPDA-sponsored meeting will feature a presentation who hopes to get support for the building, which would house 44 units and three ground-level retail spaces. More info: contact Aisling Kerr at 617-918-4212 or aisling. kerr@boston.gov.

BPDA hosts public meeting on IDP update - The city

Reporter history highlighted at DHS annual meeting-Ed Forry and Bill Forry are the featured speakers at the Dorchester Historical Society's Annual Meeting on Sunday, May 19, at 2 p.m. The father/son duo, Associate Publisher and Publisher/Editor, respectively, of the Dorchester Reporter, will tell the story of their familyowned newspaper, from its founding in 1983, through nearly four decades of challenges and successes, to its vital role in our community today. The Annual Meeting and all monthly DHS programs are open to the public and free of charge. The program will held at the new building of the Pipefitters Local Union 537 at 40 Enterprise St. (the side street next to the Dorchester Historical Society's headquarters). Park in their lot.617-918-4302 or tim. davis@boston.gov.

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DAs join lawsuit seeking to bar local courthouses arrests by ICE

By Simón Rios WBUR REPORTER

The district attorneys for two eastern Massachusetts counties have joined with nonprofit groups to sue the federal government to stop immigration agents from making arrests at courthouses in the state.

The suit alleges that for the last two years, Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) agents have patrolled courthouses in Massachusetts to pursue immigrants, something the plaintiffs characterize as "unprecedented in American history.

Middlesex District Attorney Marian Ryan said in a press conference on Monday that everyone has a right to appear in court, and with the threat of arrest on court property, immigrants are being denied that

But Ryan focused more on the impact of the specter of immigration arrests on her office's ability to prosecute crimes. "Our accomplishment of [keeping the public safe] usually lies in the prosecution of criminal cases [and] in order to do that effectively we must rely on the cooperation of witnesses[and]victims," Ryan said. When those people fear that coming



Suffolk County District Attorney Rachael Rollins, left, and Middlesex DA Marian Ryan announced their participation in a lawsuit aimed at stopping Photo courtesy CBS Boston News ICE arrests in courthouses on Monday.

to court will "disrupt and tear apart" their families, Ryan said that "makes our prosecution of cases more difficult, and in many, many cases, impossible."

Alongside Ryan at the news conference was Suffolk County District Attorney Rachael Rollins, a fellow Democrat, who said it's clear that the threat of ICE arrests is interfering with her prosecutions — even forcing authorities to abandon cases when those testifying refuse to appear in court.

"Since taking office [in January] I've watched serious criminal cases against individuals accused of violent, heinous than a year.

crimes grind to a halt, because of civil arrests by ICE," Rollins said. "Standing by silently as immigration officials ... strip our justice system of its ability to function simply is not an option."

The filing comes on the heels of another high-profile immigration case in the Boston area, that of a judge in Newton who allegedly helped an immigrant to evade ICE custody. The judge, and a now-retired court officer, were indicted last Thursday.

Ryan said this lawsuit is unrelated to the federal charges, adding that its filing has been in the works for more

Elected on a platform of criminal justice reform, Rollins has instructed her employees to inform her when they see ICE agents patrolling courthouses. Asked whether that could get her into trouble with federal authorities, Rollins said she doesn't believe so. "And very candidly, if I am, it would be my honor to be, because we need to stand up and be very, very bold about this behavior our president is engaging in right now," she said.

Ryan said offenders will also choose not to come to court for fear of being detained by ICE. "When we cannot hold anyone accountable for

their actions ... that is not justice," she said, "and not one person in this commonwealth is safer because of that practice."

Citing the litigation, ICE spokesman John Mohan declined to comment on the case specifically.

ICE's practice of arresting immigrants at courts has been happening for years, but in January 2018, the policy was enshrined by the agency in a directive, allowing its agents to operate in local, state, and federal courthouses.

The plaintiffs are asking the US District Court to issue an injunction against the practice, claiming it violates the "privilege against civil arrests for those attending court on officials business," according to the complaint.

But not everyone agrees on the merits of the case. Bristol County Sheriff Thomas Hodgson called it a "frivolous lawsuit" that seeks to make it more difficult to "apprehend criminal illegal aliens."

"Barring ICE from a courthouse is the same as barring the FBI or the DEA," Hodgson said in a statement. "And if anyone in that courtroom, whether they came to court voluntarily or not, has a warrant, or is suspected to be part of criminal activity, why shouldn't law enforcement be there to act?"

A similar case was heard on the state level in 2018, when a Supreme Judicial Court justice refused to block ICE's arrests, citing the failure of plaintiffs to produce individuals who were not going to court for fear of prosecution, and because the court heard just one side of the argument. DA Ryan said in that case the judge made it clear that it needed to be heard on the federal level.

It's not clear to what extent ICE's courthouse operations are affecting the justice system. Wendy Wayne, a director at the Committee for Public Counsel Services, which oversees public defenders in the state, said her group has been receiving "at a minimum several calls per week for the past two years, from defense attorneys about their client being arrested as they come into court."

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New owner, new hope - and \$665k for eyesore property

(Continued from page 1) seeing what will be there next. There are already people at the property working on it. But, the pessimist in me will wait until something new is there before I celebrate."

Barber's bid for the property got the go-ahead in March, but the deed could not be recorded until the SJC's April ruling that Schrier could go through with the sale. Dickey represented himself in court throughout the saga, which wound its way through Housing Court, Superior Court, and the SJC. At one point, Dickey petitioned the US Supreme Court to get involved, which it declined.

His most recent appeal was unsuccessful in part because he created

an LLC for the property and then insisted on representing it in court, despite state laws requiring corporations to be represented in court by a licensed attorney, which he is not.

The house's troubled legal history dates back to the early 2000s, but the story reached dire straits on Aug. 30, 2011, when an early afternoon

fire gutted the unoccupied house, causing an estimated \$300,000 in damages. It has been considered uninhabitable since then.

Demolition was scheduled in 2015, with the mayor's backing, but Dickey appealed to the State Building Code Appeals Board and received a temporary restraining order. That was the incor-

rect venue for the matter, a visibly frustrated Superior Court Judge Bonnie H. MacLeod determined at the time.

In the years following, Dickey and Inspectional Services continued to clash. He repeatedly filed suits claiming ISD and Housing Court judges were targeting him as part of a conspiracy to steal property from black homeowners in Dorchester. Courts rejected the claims, in part because Dickey is white.

Schiertook on receivership of a property where cat food left around the property was attracting rats, stagnant water was posing a mosquito risk, the main stairwell was structurally unsound, and the walls throughout were charred and torn

Davida Andelman, who lives nearby, said she has mixed feelings about the sale, though she is glad to see a resolution of sorts. "The major problem was perpetuated by James Dickey," Andelman said in an email. "The city, courts at all levels, tried to address the problem for an excessive amount time. Resolution only came when the court system said it had had enough."

But Schrier's mandate to take the highest bid, Adelman said, could have consequences down the line for the picturesque neighborhood overlook-ing Ronan Park. "There is no question this will create housing which will be unattainable for first time home buyers or those looking for an affordable rental," she said. "Unfortunately, the city, the non-profit housing community, nor private developers with a conscience were interested in being a part of the process of keeping 97 Mt. Ida affordable. This scenario needs to change if there is any hope of changing what is happening to this part of the community — gentrification and displacement."

"I think that the public in general has very unclear vision of what it takes to deal with these properties," Jennifer Coyne said. "I have no doubt that the city inspectors and the like have a huge pile on their desks of properties just like this one. They face nothing but an uphill battle in the court system.

"Recognizing that the courts and laws are in place to protect owners over neighbors is important to shed light on so residents understand the system," she said.

Adam Gaffin of Universal Hub contributed to this report.

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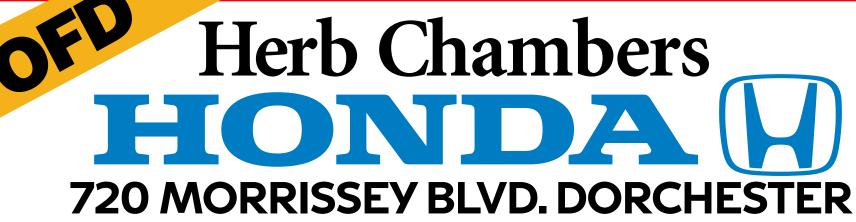
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Aspiring green thumbs get their hands dirty at Mattapan farm

REPORTER CORRESPONDENT

About 40 peoplemothers, children, seniors, recent college graduates-crammed into a meeting room in Fowler Clark Epstein Farm farmhouse on Norfolk Street last Saturday afternoon for a workshop on growing food at home with limited space, one of a number of initiatives sponsored by the Urban Farming Institute of Boston, which now operates the meticulously-restored landmark in Mattapan.

Some were seasoned growers, having sown and reaped in their backyards; some have grown something but have problems that need answering; and some were complete novices.

Nataka Crayton, operations manager at the institute, and Bobby Walker, a training manager, taught the ABCs of growing fruits, vegetables, and herbs in pots, buckets, wood containers, and raised garden beds. No space is too small; a window sill, a balcony or a porch can all be spaces for growing.

From testing soil to choosing plants that grow together, the lecture touched on all aspects of the growing art. Questions were raised, and experiences were eagerly shared.



Bobby Walker, a training manager for UFI, offered growing tips to participants in a workshop last Saturday at the Fowler Clark Epstein Farm in Mattapan. Yukun Zhang photos

At right, Donaqui Garcia brought her daughter and son to the Urban Farming Institute of Boston's workshop at the Fowler Clark Epstein Farm last Satur-

After a tour around the site, participants got their hands dirty, putting soil and compost in trays, seeding, potting chives, and shoveling woodchips and cardboards for a mushroom bed.

"My children eat a lot of fruits and vegetables, and as a single parent with no help at all, I can't really afford to always buy the healthier



options," said Donagui Garcia, who brought her daughter and son to the

workshop. Garcia said that pro-

is often not fresh, and she wants to save and grow duce in city food pantries at home the foods they

eat the most, including onions, peppers, tomatoes, corns and fruits. The workshop, she said, increased her knowledge by "about 60 percent," and she will bring her children back to keep learning at the farm.

Denise Lucien, a Mattapan senior who comes to the institute every Thursday for exercise and cooking classes, said the flowers she buys and plants in her backyard always die, and she's here to find out what she can do.

"Call me. I grow flowers and make flower arrangements... If you need flowers, let me know," said Sabrina Pilet-Jones, a part-time farmer at the institute said after hearing Lucien's problem.

"Apparently everybody who works here really wants to share everything that they know for free, which is awesome," said Gabby, a young Roxbury resident.

Norma Eason, a retired public school teacher who lives in Mattapan, said she came to learn about setting up raised beds to grow cucumbers, tomatoes, squashes, lettuces—"things that you can make a salad with." She added, "We really need to know where our foods come from, not just getting them from the supermarket."

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Moment of Paws

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You can prevent animal cruelty early on

By Mary Nee

For every one of its 120 years, the Animal Rescue League of Boston (ARL) has been combatting animal neglect, cruelty, and abuse. This coming

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week marks National Animal Cruelty/Human Violence Awareness Week, an important time on a number of fronts. Sadly, the unspeakable act of abuse is nothing new; however awareness has increased and there are a number of services and programs available to help those trapped in an often helpless situation.

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The connection between animal and human violence has been documented for

decades, and studies have shown that animal abuse is more prevalent in homes that also experience child abuse, elder abuse, and domestic violence.

In cases of domestic abuse, cherished pets may be threatened to keep the victim in an abusive household; victims of abuse may also fear leaving the situation because there is no safe place able to take in both the human and animal victims.

According to a Northeastern University/ MSPCA study, 70 percent of people who committed crimes against animals had also been involved in other violent crimes, and were also five times more likely to commit a violent act against another person. Children who witness violence in the home are also at an increased risk of displaying violence towards animals.

So how do we get to the root cause of abuse to stop it? An important first step is recognizing the signs. All of us recognize physical acts of abuse towards animals, but there are more subtle warnings that could indicate mistreatment, neglect or abuse.

Howling or barking for a sustained period of time, or hearing an animal cry in pain with a persistent, high-pitched vocal sound;

Singed, matted, or excessively dirty hair or fur;

Wounds, scars, fur loss, frequent limping (often on different legs), or signs of improper nutrition;

Animals kept caged or tied with little room to move for long periods of time;

Lack of protection from the weather or unsanitary living areas for animals;

Collars, leashes, or halters so tight they visibly dig into the animal's face or neck;

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MaryNee, a Dorchester resident, is the president of the Animal Rescue League of Boston. For more information on animal cruelty prevention please log onto arlboston.org. Pet questions? Email ARL at press@arlboston.org.

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TIMBo fundraiser aimed at helping women dealing with trauma fallout By Daniel Sheehan yoga elements to heal effects of addiction, She add Sheehan yoga elements to heal effects of addiction, She addiction

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The Boston Harbor Distillery in Neponset will host a fundraiser event on Friday (May 3) to benefit The TIMBo Collective, a non-profit dedicated to healing women who have experienced trauma.

Today Elaine, a facilitator for the organization, says that all proceeds from the event will benefit the operation and promotion of TIMBo (Trauma-responsive Innovations for Mind and Body), a therapeutic program designed specifically for women that incorporates mindful coping skills and basic trauma.

Since the program was developed by founder Sue Jones in 2009, it has become a globally recognized method shared in Haiti, Kenya, and Iran. In the Greater Boston area, TIMBo has helped thousands of women at the Pine Street Inn in the South End, at the Lynn Shelter Association, and at the Massachusetts **Correctional Institution** in Framingham, as well as at other homeless and domestic abuse shelters across the region.

While TIMBo often engages in public service work with shelters to combat the traumatic homelessness, and the opioid crisis, it also holds workshops for groups of individuals, such as teachers and first responders.

In 2013, paramedics and law enforcement personnel who responded to the Boston Marathon bombing completed a TIMBo program as a way to cope with symptoms of PTSD.

According to Elaine, the organization's work "has produced significant increases in scores of wellness measures, including lower rates of anxiety and depression and increases in self compassion and resilience."

She added that the scientific curriculum-based nature of the program makes it accessible and easy to replicate in group settings or individually

"Ideally, our goal is to train staff within these agencies so that it can be a self-sufficient program," she explained. 'We're teaching you the tools to do something on your own so that you don't need the group... and there's no pharma involved, no medication prescribed, which can often be costly.'

The roughly hourlong sessions include discussion sessions, breathing exercises, meditation, and some

basic yoga movements, with an emphasis on psycho-education meant to empower survivors to take action in addressing their own trauma and healing processes.

Friday's fundraiser will feature a brief speaking portion from a TIMBo participant and a facilitator. The event will include live music from R&B band East

who emerged from a field of more than a hundred

to tell their winning

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Now in its 10th year, The Big Mouth

Off is Boston's longest-

running storytelling

championship and is or-

ganized by Massmouth,

a Boston-based nonprofit

that promotes the art

of storytelling through

education, story slams

and curated events in-

cluding a national TV

show: "Stories from the

Professor Cox leads

Off champion.

Coast Soul, a food truck serving pasta and woodfired pizzas, craft beer and wine, raffle prizes, and a silent auction for a private breakfast with Mayor Martin Walsh. Tickets are available for purchase online at events.blackbirdrsvp. com/the-light-gets-in or at the door. For more information, contact info@yhtimbo.org.



Harold Cox

various monthly themes, ranging from "Judgment Day" to "Flying Solo." The winners advance to semifinals slams to compete for a spot in the Big Mouth Off.

This year's finalists include both seasoned and first-time tellers and represent diverse voices - a jazz singer, a college professor, and author, among others.

'The Big Mouth Off celebrates the truth that we all have amazing stories to share," said Cheryl Hamilton, Massmouth Director. "The tellers on May 9 will make our audiences laugh, cry, cheer, and gain the courage to tell their own stories. We are excited to feature the best of the best."

The Big Mouth Off begins at 8 p.m. Tick-ets cost \$27 and can be purchased through the Somerville Theatre website.

Surprise! Two city kids earn full college scholarships

Scholar Athletes joined with representatives from Curry College and Regis College on Monday to surprise two Boston High School seniors with full tuition 4-year college scholarships. Rosedina Blanc, who attends Madison Park Technical Vocational High School was awarded the Curry College scholarship, and Ann Merullo who attends Boston Latin Academy was awarded the scholarship to Regis College.

These young women have worked incredibly hard and are so deserving of this honor," said Daphne Griffin, Scholar Athletes Executive Director. "They both have earned this in their own right and we look forward to hearing about their

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future success."

Rosedina, who attends Madison Park, has been honored by Scholar Athletes as a "Most Valuable Scholar Athlete". She is active in her dance club, school council, and an active volunteer.

Ann, who attends Boston Latin Academy, is also a "Most Valuable Scholar Athlete" recipient. She is a cheerleader and is described by her Scholar Athletes advisor as ambitious, trustworthy, and a leader.

Scholar Athletes, the non-profit that facilitated the scholarships, has 24 high school Zones across Massachusetts staffed with full time program staff who work with student athletes on academics, college



Ann Merullo and Rosedina Blanc

planning, and health and wellness. Each vear Scholar Athletes nominates student Zone members to receive the scholarships from partner colleges and universities. Since its inception in 2009 the organization has facilitated more than

\$4.2 million in college scholarships for Zone members.

Zone members applied for the scholarships and were recommended by Scholar Athletes based on academic performance, Zone participation, and financial need.

Storytellers qualify for the Big Mouth Off

Stage."

by competing at one of Massmouth's popular story slams held from October to April at Club Passim and Trident Booksellers. Audience members can enter the contest by sharing a true, 5-minute story on

YESTERYEAR ARCHIVE **DORCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

Frank Trachtenberg was born Fischel Trachtenberg in Zaslav, Russia, to Yitzchak (Isaac) Trachtenberg and Dina Dubar/Doboroon some time in 1899 (records are unclear). His family was part of a massive wave of Eastern European Jewish immigration to the United States at the turn of the twentieth century. A manifest from the Laurentian shows that Dina Trachtenberg, nationality "Hebrew" and last residence Russia, arrived in Boston around June 17, 1906, with three children: Gitel, Moische, and 7-year-old Fischel. In America these children would become Gertrude, Morris, and Frank. They were met by a Penhus Trachtenberg, identified on the manifest as "son" and "brother." Sixteen years Frank's senior, Penhus (later Philip) had arrived in 1904, followed in 1905 by Abraham and Jacob. These eldest three brothers had already settled in Boston, and for the rest of their lives, the family would all call various neighborhoods in and around

Continuing our series about Dorchester residents

who served in World War I, the Reporter presents

Frank Trachtenberg by using excerpts from a

profile written by Julie Wolf for the Dorchester

The first address we have for Frank's family, traced through his mother (as Frank was still a child), is 73 Revere, where Dina, a widow (there's no evidence that her husband came to America) and



Frank Trachtenberg

the six children lived together as early as 1910 and at least through 1911. By 1914, the family (minus Philip) lived at 12 Lena Park in Dorchester, which remained their home for at least another year.

On Sept. 12, 1918, Frank registered for the draft, recording his age as 18, his birthday as Oct. 15, 1899, and his address as 12 Lorne Street in Dorchester with his "nearest relative Diana Trachtenberg." Described as tall and of medium build, with blue eyes and brown hair, Frank provided his occupation as "Student and Farming," stating that he was an employee of the Public Safety Committee at the Massachusetts State House in Boston. He enlisted a month later. As a private, he served at the Student Army Training Corps at Northeastern University in Boston and was honorably discharged on Dec. 9, 1918. Frank never served overseas.

He lived a busy life after that, becoming a US citizen in 1924, working at Edison Electric Illumination Company (EEI, later Boston Edison) as a "stockman" and, later, a supervisor, and, in 1938, marrying Gertrude Abrams. In the 1940 census they are recorded as living at 715 Washington Street in Brighton with Gertrude's 21-year-old daughter Miriam.

Frank died on October 13, 1966, and was buried in Sharon Memorial Park in Sharon. Gertrude outlived him by nearly 23 years.

The archive of these historical posts can be viewed on the blog at dorchesterhistoricalsociety.org. The Dorchester Historical Society's historic houses are open on the third Sunday of each month James Blake House, 735 Columbia Road (1661); Lemuel Clap House, 199 Boston Street (1712 and remodeled 1765); William Clap House, 195 Boston Street (1806).

Time to fix how we get there from here

People are increasingly fed up with the worsening conditions and congestion on city and state roadways and on mass transit. That's the bottom-line message of a poll commissioned by the Barr Foundation and conducted by the The MassINC Polling Group that was released last week. The timing is important as the Legislature considers the idea of raising new revenues, including the possibility of a higher tax on gas, to help the state pay for improvements.

The poll results underline the budding discontent over the status quo. Almost three-quarters of people working full time who responded to the poll say they are "stressed, angry, or frustrated" by delays on the roads or on public transportation. Of that number, 23 percent told MassInc pollsters that they may "consider moving out" of the area altogether due to the headaches they have experienced in recent months.

The same poll showed that a majority— 66 percent—think "urgent action" is needed to fix the problems they encounter. A full 80 percent polled either strongly support or somewhat support "new money" for policy proposals.

Only 35 percent think that's traffic can be eased in Greater Boston. And yet, they seem to want to at least make the attempt: 75 percent call improving "highways, roads, and bridges a "major priority" while 68 percent say "reducing traffic congestion" is most important.

What might this all mean for the always-fraught debate about how to fund transportation improvements? The Democrat-controlled Legislature has signaled that there may finally be an appetite among its ranks for raising taxes, for example, on gasoline— a hot-button topic that could pit more remote suburban lawmakers against close-in city dwellers who enjoy more public transit options.

In an interview last weekend, Gov. Charlie Baker told WCVB-TV reporters that the congestion is connected to the state's booming economy, with more employed people on the roads as a result.

The governor is certainly not wrong about that. We urgently need suburban communities to stop throwing up barriers to housing starts — and affordable ones— in their backyards. But we also need new revenue and more focus on designing and funding projects on existing roadways.

A local case in point: Morrissey Boulevard, which is owned and managed by the state's Department of Conservation and Recreation. On Baker's watch, the DCR undertook a much-needed project that seeks to modernize, elevate, and beautify this chronically clogged and frequently flooded artery into and out of Boston. The effort, which was expected to happen in three phases over a decade, began with robust planning meetings in 2016. But project meetings have fizzled out over the last year-and-a-half for reasons that are not yet entirely clear. It's reminiscent of an earlier effort under the old Metropolitan District Commission (MDC) that met for two years, issued a promising report on transforming the boulevard, and then went unfunded under two Republican governors— Bill Weld and Paul Cellucci. It was, essentially, scuttled because no one in state government could figure out how to pay for it.

Last weekend, when pressed on the potential for new taxes for transportation solutions, Gov. Baker said: "I don't believe that raising taxes is the answer to this problem at this point in time."

Respectfully, it's time to consider that the oldschool Republican and moderate Democrat approach to funding state transportation projects has finally been eclipsed by the urgency spelled out so clearly in last week's MassINC poll. Voters want to see some leadership on this front and they are willing to pay for improvements to a system that is clearly breaking down.

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T's electrification priorities appear to be stuck in traffic

By VEENA DHARMARAJ AND PAOLA MASSOLI

The Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority's (MBTA) recent Focus40 report outlining the 25-year investment plan to meet the transportation needs of the Greater Boston region makes no commitment to procuring electric buses beyond the testing of five electric buses on the Silver Line through 2023. This plan lacks a sense of urgency, especially when we need bold action to invest in a modern, clean, equitable, transportation system that is good for our economy and public health while getting us closer to our climate goals.

Zero-emission battery electric buses are a readily available solution that simultaneously addresses air quality and climate change concerns. At the end of 2017, the global number of electric buses in operation was estimated at 385,000. In the US, more than 1,200 electric buses are on order or have been delivered to 130 transit agencies and the numbers keep growing. Unfortunately, the MBTA, one of the largest transit agencies in the country, continues to invest in fossil fuel technology. In the last couple of years, the MBTA has procured over 350 diesel-hybrid and natural gas buses, and its recent decision to add another 194 diesel-hybrid buses to its fleet is disappointing at a time when deployment of electric buses is on the rise in the US and worldwide.

And this might not change anytime soon. Most of MBTA's current garage facilities are beyond their useful life and not equipped to handle the next generation of bus technologies. The T is working on a facilities plan to modernize and expand its storage and maintenance facilities to meet the future needs of a modern bus fleet. Unless it prioritizes and accelerates the modernization of at least a couple of garage facilities to begin with, a significant percentage of its fleet will remain tied to polluting fossil fuels for over a decade.

The MBTA has taken some initial steps to move to a zero-emission fleet. They are carrying out a feasibility study to establish a roadmap for a phased transition, with plans to run an electric bus pilot in North Cambridge. Meanwhile, New York City has announced plans to go 100 percent electric with its bus fleet and Los Angeles has ordered over 150 electric buses as part of its commitment to go all-electric by 2030. Seattle, Portland, Philadelphia, Chicago, Nashville and even smaller cities like Eugene, Oregon; Asheville, North Carolina, and Park

City, Utah already have electric buses in service.

Why is the MBTA still buying diesel-hybrid buses when electric buses save transit agencies money and are less expensive to fuel and maintain over their lifetime? While hybrid buses are cleaner than their fossil fuel counterparts, electric buses have no tailpipe emissions and offer the greatest opportunity to reduce toxic air pollution and improve public health. Electric bus technology has become mainstream. Declining battery costs are driving down upfront costs. Bus ranges are increasing. Availability of financing options as well as federal and state funds through the Volkswagen Settlement are further bringing costs down for transit agencies. The MBTA must operate electric buses now, rather than lock itself to 10 or 15 more years of business as usual.

The T should quickly move beyond testing electric buses and lead the way by committing to a phased deployment of zero-emission electric buses in the Greater Boston region, particularly in underserved communities that rely on public transport. The rollout of electric buses should be prioritized on routes serving environmental justice communities like Chelsea, Roxbury, and Dorchester that bear the greatest pollution burden because they are more likely to be located near busy roads and other sources of pollution. In addition, routes in low income neighborhoods often carry the highest volume of passengers most dependent on the T. Operating clean electric buses in these communities will improve their ride experience and reduce exposure to air pollution.

Finally, the MBTA should deploy battery electric buses on existing dedicated bus lanes. With no traffic congestion and predictable time schedules and charging needs, routes on dedicated lanes are the perfect candidates for rapid electrification.

These goals are achievable, and these actions can make a real difference for many people. The economic, environmental, and public health benefits associated with moving toward a zero-emission electric bus fleet will only continue to grow as the technology improves. We cannot wait any longer to scale up investments in electric buses.

Veena Dharmara is the Conservation and Development Program Manager in the Massachusetts Chapter of the Sierra Club. Paola Massoli is associated with the 350 Mass' Transportation Working Group.

Report: Mass has lowest incarceration rate in US

By Katie Lannan State House News Service

Massachusetts — which last year passed laws instituting reforms across the criminal justice system — has the lowest incarceration rate in the country, according to a new report.

After a 5.4 percent decline in its prison incarceration rate from the end of 2017 to the end of 2018, Massachusetts had a prison population of 8,692 people, or an incarceration rate of 126 people per 100,000, according to the Vera Institute of Justice's "People in Prison" report.

Louisiana had the highest rate, at 695 people per 100,000 residents, followed closely by Oklahoma, at 683.

Massachusetts also had the fifth largest decline in prison populations between 2017 and 2018, the report found. Missouri, at 7.1 percent, posted the largest drop.

Overall, the Vera Institute estimated there were 1,471,200 people in state and federal prisons across the country at the end of 2018, down 20,000 or 1.3 percent from 2017. Most of those — nearly 1.3 million — were incarcerated under state jurisdiction, with 179,900 in the federal prison system.

The report said the nationwide decrease "was driven by the large decrease in the number of people in federal prisons, as well as greater than 5 percent declines in incarceration rates in seven states," including Massachusetts.

Prison populations dropped in 39 states last year, the report said.

The incarceration rate in Massachusetts fell from 177 out of 100,000 in 2008 to 126 in 2018, according to the Vera Institute, which also tracked a 23.8 reduction in the state's prison population over the same time period.

The Bay State's incarceration rate has been among the lowest in the country for years, though justice reform advocates have said it is nonetheless well above the level it was at decades ago.

When Sen. William Brownsberger introduced criminal justice reform legislation on the Senate floor in October 2017, he said the rate is "four or five



MCI-Norfolk is the largest medium security level facility in Massachusetts. SHNS/File photo

times" what it was 40 years ago. In April 2018, Gov. Charlie Baker signed a version of that bill into law, saying it "probably has over 100 separate elements that represent a change in the way business is done here in Massachusetts."

The reforms – which address bail and diversion programs, along with repealing some mandatory minimum sentences – range "all the way from the beginning of policing all the way through corrections and all the way back into the runway associated with return to society," Baker said at the time.

That same day, Baker signed a separate law that allows inmates to reduce the time they spend in prison by participating in re-entry programming. That law was the product of a review by the Council on State Government Justice Center. State leaders had contacted the Justice Center in 2015, asking for an analysis that would help them "better understand how we can further reduce recidivism and enable successful re-entry, and whether we can further reduce our prison and jail populations through early release programs while ensuring appropriate punishment and preserving public safety."

In addition to its prisons, Massachusetts has a network of county jails and houses of correction that house people serving terms of 2.5 years or less. County sheriffs run the jails and houses of correction.

New hands take helm at Pastoral Centre

By Ed Forry

The Irish Pastoral Centre was founded in 1987 to help the transition to American life for a thenburgeoning wave of young Irish immigrants. A 501(C)(3) non-profit funded in part by grants from $the {\it Irish government}, the {\it IPC} is housed in part of the$ former convent in St. Brendan parish in Dorchester. The agency is searching for a new permanent home, and last month hired as its executive director Peggy Davis-Mullen. She is a former member of both the Boston School Committee and the Boston City Council. A South Boston native and an attorney, she's the mother of three sons and one grandchild $and\ now\ lives\ in\ Plymouth.\ The\ BIR\ interviewed\ her$ at the pastoral centre offices last month.

Q. You are known for a background in elective politics, but what are some other facets of your life?

A. I am a product of the Boston public schools, and my first year of high school was the first year of desegregation, a very difficult time. I was fortunate enough to go to Newman and finish my high school education. Then I went to BC and took a degree in psychology, and a master's in counseling psychology from the School of Education there. Then I ran for school committee.

Q. What was your occupation before being elected? A. I was the director of counseling case work in the West Broadway Multi Service Center (ABCD). Most of the kids that were referred to me were public school kids, children from single parent families like myself, children whose families were struggling with drugs and alcohol. I've worked with lots of young kids and have seen the inequities, I saw that there was a lot lacking for them. That's why I love the opportunity to come here because my roots are in social service, in counseling psych, working with young families. **Q.** What are your priorities in your new role?

A. To work to preserve and continue the great work that's done here, and to grow it. One of the things that drew me to the job is the work of Father Dan Finn. He is just a wonderful, amazing, kind, compassionate, spiritual man. And God has given me a great gift to be able to work with him, to strengthen what he's really carried on with this mission for many years. My mission is to support him and the work that he does.

He talks about a parish without borders and that's really important, that we're here to support the undocumented, those that are sort of in the shadows. That really speaks to what I am committed to. Those are the types of people that need our assistance.

Q. Does the IPC provide services for non-

A. It's a very quiet work that goes on here, whether it's program director Veronica Keys going out and dealing with the victims of violence, working with Father Dan going into prisons and talking to young men and women who have been picked up because of immigration issues or just bad decisions.

I know that he spent Good Friday visiting two young men that have roots in this area. And I know that that was a really important thing for him. These two were not immigrants, they just were young men who needed guidance on Easter weekend. But a lot of the work is very quiet and I'm just getting my feet wet. But I'm very fortunate to come to work with people like Veronica and program administrator Audrey Larkin who have been part of this organization for so long.

Q. I'm sure one of the big components of your new job is fund raising?

A. Well, it's sort of the chicken and the egg. You need to have a home first and then once you have some place to call home, you can expand programs. There are so many good things that are going on here now. Like our project prison outreach, like the work that Veronica does on the ground, like the work that Audrey does, making sure that when people come here, they're connected to other services that would be available them. But whether it's focusing more on some of the issues of substance abuse, and AA meetings or Gaelic, it's a place where people can feel safe.

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do. We need a home and we need to raise the funds to fix the home.

Q. What support comes from the Irish government? **A.** Oh, there absolutely is a relationship. The fact that the Irish government cares enough and is committed enough to follow its citizens abroad across the US, across the world really says something.

Q. Is the IPC looking for new office space?

A. That is a number one issue. I've been looking. This is a former convent, and we're in the chapel right now. I mean, you can see this is a pretty humble office. We just need space, so that Veronica can give the people she works with some dignity and privacy, and we want to expand some of the things we do, whether it's programs for children, mothers, and toddlers. Dan Finn and the Irish Pastoral Cente deserve to have a home. There's a lot happening between St. Ann's and St. Brendan's. Everybody knows that we're sort of here – but we don't feel like we really have any roots here. And it's really important for us.



Peggy Davis-Mullen at her new offices.

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Tuesday, May 7 • 8:15 a.m.

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Getting to the Point: The Path to Affordable **Housing in Massachusetts**

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Reporter's Neighborhood Notables

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TEEN SUBSTANCE USE WORKSHOP AT CODMAN

Codman Square Health Center hosts a workshop on Teen Substance Use risks, trends and resources in the community on Thurs., May 2 from 6-8 p.m. at the Black Box Theatre at 14 Epping St., Dorchester. Food and refreshments from Juice and Jazz Cafe. Register at teen substances.eventbrite.com.

MARTIN RICHARD FOUNDATION SPRING SERVICE DAY

The Martin Richard Foundation will bring families and communities together in service at our annual Spring Service Day on Sunday, May 19. The theme for this year's Spring Service Day is creating a better world for young people. For the first time, the Service Village portion of our Spring Service Day will be hosted at the Edward M. Kennedy Institute for the U.S. Senate on Columbia Point, with several satellite projects throughout Dorchester including Louis D. Brown Peace Institute, St. Ambrose, Codman Square Library. To sign up, go to: martinrichardfoundation 2. volunteerlocal.com/volunteer/

HAITIAN HERITAGE MONTH EVENT AT WHITTIER HEALTH CENTER

Come enjoy free Haitian food, live Haitian music, dancers and meet and speak to Haitian leaders at Whittier Health Center, 1290 Tremont St, Roxbur on Thur., May 2 from 4-7 p.m.

MAY 2 MEETING ON WESTVILLE STREET PROPOSAL

A proposed 4 story residential building at 141 Westville St. will be discussed at a public meeting sponsored by the BPDA on Thurs., May 2 at 6 p.m. The meeting will take place at the Vietnamese American Community Center, 42 Charles St. The proposed building consists of 14 Compact Living studio apartments with a floor area between 260 and 280-square-feet. For more information, see bostonplans.org or contact Tim Czerwienski at 617-918-5303.

BLOOD DRIVE AT CARNEY HOSPITAL

Carney Hospital will host a Blood Drive on Tuesday, May 14 from 1 to 5 p.m. in the hospital's Cushing Auditorium. Carney Hospital is located at 2100 Dorchester Ave., Dorchester. Please schedule your life saving donation today at redcrossblood. org and enter Carney as the Zip/Sponsor Code or call 1-800-RED-CROSS.



City adds 1,000 new Section 8 vouchers — The city of Boston will release 1,000 new rental housing vouchers for chronically homeless residents and families in Boston, Mayor Walsh announced last week at Project HOPE on Dudley Street. The vouchers are funded through the federal Housing Choice Voucher Program through the US Department of Housing and Urban Development, and will increase the BHA's portfolio of vouchers to 13,500. "The Section 8 voucher provided me with the ability to find a place for my children and I to call home. With this new stability, I have been able to maintain a decently paying job along with childcare for my children." said Paulina Morillo, a voucher holder from Dorchester, shown above with Mayor Walsh. "These vouchers will do the same for many families like mine."

John Wilcox/Mayor's Office photo

BPDA HOSTS PUBLIC MEETING ON IDP UPDATE

The city of Boston's policy that requires marketrate housing developments with tewn or more units to assist in the creation of affordable units will be discussed at a public meeting on Tues., May 7 at 6 p.m. at the Mildred Avenue Community Center, 5 Mildred Ave., in Mattapan. For more information, contact Tim Davis at 617-918—4302 or tim.davis@ boston.gov.

HAITIAN HOUSING & RESOURCE FAIR AT MILDRED AVE.

Connect with city housing agencies, local food pantries, mass health enrollment, information on immigration, shelters, various advocates at Mildred Ave Community Center on Sat., May 4 from 10 a.m.- 2 p.m. Mayor's Language Access Program

demonstration and more! Light breakfast and lunch will be served.

MEETING ON NEW BLUE HILL AVE. BUILDING SET FOR MAY 15

A proposal to build a new, six-story mixed-used building at 1297-1305 Blue Hill Ave. in Mattapan will be discussed at a public meeting on Wed., May 15 at 6 p.m. at the Mattapan BPL branch, 1350 Blue Hill Ave. The BPDA-sponsored meeting will feature a presentation by the development team led by Diarmaid McGregor, who hopes to get support for the building, which would house 44 units and three ground-level retail spaces. More info: contact Aisling Kerr at 617-918-4212 or aisling.kerr@boston.gov.

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Swing into Spring

SAT. MAY 4TH • Noon to 10pm

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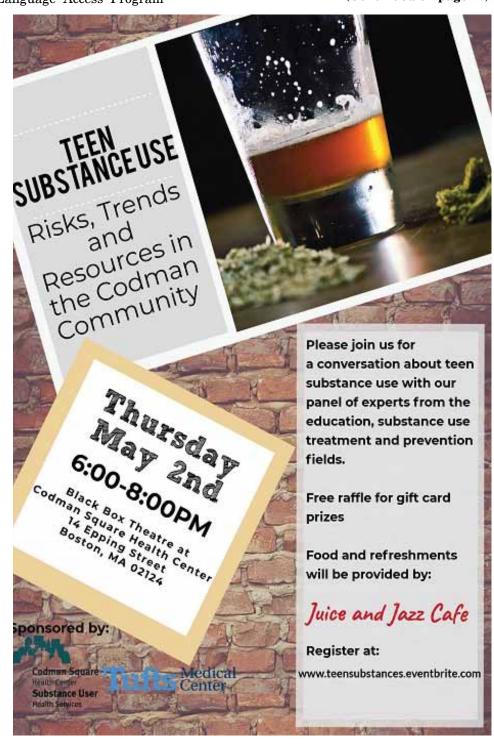
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Shattuck site a hot topic for Park lovers

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While Swartz lectured about Scarboro Pond, the golfcourse, and Olmsted's philosophy in landscape designs, JoAnn Robinson, landscape historian and chair of the Emerald Necklace Conservancy's Board of Overseers, briefed the gathering on the potential changes to the Shattuck Hospital on a hill overlooking the site during the second half of the walk.

Inpatient and outpatient services at the Shattuck will be relocated to a new location in the South End in 2022, with a few behavioral health programs remaining in place at the old site.

For the state-owned 13-acre hospital campus after the relocation, officials are proposing leasing out up to two acres to build 75 to 100 units of supportive housing for the chronically homeless. "The programmatic vision-which integrates services at the intersection of health care and housing-is a person-centered approach designed to promote health, reduce barriers to service and coordinate care across systems," an Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) spokesperson said.

"There is no continuity between the park itself and the land that is being used there," Robinson said. She believes the hospital site should be reintegrated into the park to restore its pre-Shattuck reality.

"This community is receiving tens of thousands of new units of housing and new residents, and we really need all the open space we can have to improve the community and the environment, said Karen Mauney-Brodek, president of the Conservancy. She said that Arborway Yard, an underused, state-owned parcel, makes a better site for supportive housing due to its neighborhood setting and access to public transit.

A few people on Sunday's walk agreed that they wanted to see more open space after the hospital relocates. "I think housing for the formerly homeless people should be integrated into the neighborhood so they can walk out of their house, go to the store, go to the T and not be isolated with barbed wires around their house," said Elizabeth Anker, a music teacher in Jamaica Plain, in referencing the protective wires around the hospital's perimeter.

Janna Cohen-Rosenthal, executive director of the Franklin Park Coalition, would like to see an innovative approach to transform the Shattuck campus to a space for recreation and amenities such as bathrooms and exercise equipment.

Sandy Bailey, vicepresident of the coalition, envisioned the future hospital site as a welcome center with tracks, maps, and a sign saying "Welcome to Franklin Park." The center will make the park "more park-like" and not "look like that," she said, eyeing the Shattuck building.

Last month, the city of Boston launched its own process of a master plan for Franklin Park. The EOHHS spokesperson said the planning processes for the Shattuck campus and Franklin Park are "distinct but inter-related," and that "the Commonwealth is in regular communication with the City of Boston to identify ways



Some 50 people participated in a walking tour of Franklin Park on Sunday. Yukun Zhang photo

to coordinate and support concurrent processes."

A final report with recommendations about the future use of the Shattuck campus is expected to be delivered in June and a plan is expected to be finalized in September. The next community meeting on Shattuck Campus planning is scheduled for June 25 at the Franklin Park golf course clubhouse.



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A crowd forms for council races; finances offer first clues on bids

(Continued from page 1) A familiar electoral

face back in office after more than 20 years, Garrison has sought elected office almost every year since her single term as a state representative for the Fifth Suffolk District in the early 1990s. She has an unusual financial log through OCPF, with no registered bank account or bank report since 2014, reporting zero dollars on hand. She has made the occasional outof-pocket expenditure on political cards or signs or mailings, and posted some \$98,453 in liabilities as of December 2018, meaning her campaign owes her that amount because she paid out of her own pocket for her varied runs, accepting campaign contributions when running for state, but not city office.

The four incumbents face a potential field of 18 challengers: Mary Frances Church, Domingos DaRosa, Michel Denis, Raymond R. Duran, Priscilla E. Flint-Blanks, William A King, Sal J. Giarrantani, David Halbert, Martin Keogh, Herb Alexander Lozano, Julia Mejia, Roy Owens Sr, George John Rigas,

Jeffrey Michael Ross, Alejandra Nicole St. Guillen, Taushawn Tinsley, Erin Murphy and Steven A. Wise.

At this stage, before nomination papers are filed, finances can be a guide to early viability. Ross has worked on campaigns, including those of Suzanne Bump, Ayanna Pressley and Felix Arroyo. He also ran unsuccessfully for atlarge councillor in 2013 and Suffolk Register of Deeds in 2016. He comes out at the top of the challenger pack with \$69,414 in his campaign account, mostly stemming from

a \$75,000 transfer from his personal account in March 2018 when he filed a change of purpose to run for city council.

Among the first time candidates, Alejandra St. Guillen, a former director of Boston's Office of Immigrant Advancement and former director of ¿Oiste?, leads the pack with more than \$44,754 in her account. Julia Mejia, of Dorchester, founder and director of the Collaborative Parent Leadership Network (CPLAN), has \$18,807 on hand. David Halbert, of Mattapan, the deputy director of community

affairs at the Middlesex County Sheriff's office, is sitting on \$15,678. No other candidate has cracked \$7,000 in an account.

Three sitting district councillors have already announced they are not running this year: District 5's Tim Mc-Carthy, who represents Mattapan, Hyde Park, and Roslindale; District 8's Josh Zakim, who represents Back Bay, Beacon Hill, the Fenway, Mission Hill and Bay Village; and District 9's Mark Ciommo, who represents Allston-Brighton.

Potential contenders for the District 5 race include Ricardo Arroyo, who was among the first to announce his intentions to run, doing so before McCarthy bowed out. Endorsed by State Rep. Russell Holmes, he sits on a campaign account of \$57,826.

Also in the race so far are Mimi Turchinetz, the activist city worker (\$7,902); Jean-Claude Sanon, running for the seat a third time (\$3,912); Maria Esdale Farrell, McCarthy's former legislative aide (\$1,347); the poet Yves Mary Jean (\$10); City Hall staffer Alkia Mimi Powell, Hyde Park school teacher Cecily Leticia Graham; CIty of Boston paralegal Justin Matthew Murad, Hyde Park resident Michael James Murphy, and Michelle von Vogler of Roslindale who announced her candidacy in a Facebook post that has since been deleted.

Six individuals have so far applied for nomination papers in District 8 and seven in District 9.

Incumbents Lydia Edwards in District 1, Ed Flynn in District 2, and Matt O'Malley in District 6 are without challenges so far.

Council President Andrea Campbell, who represents parts of Dorchester and Mattapan in District 4, may face a challenge from Jeff Durham, who has been active as a campaign manager for Jovan Lacet, who has unsuccessfully challenged Rep. Dan Cullinane in the last two state election cycles.

Two other sitting councillors may have a

contest on their hands. Councillor Frank Baker in District 3, which includes most of Dorchester and a portion of South Boston and the South End, has three potential opponents: Duran; Elciana Ogunjobi, who pulled papers for the First Suffolk special Senate election in 2018, and Pat Williams, of Fields Corner, who founded the event marketing company The Word Boston.

Baker, elected in 2011, sits on a campaign war chest of \$50,922.

District 7 Councillor Kim Janey, representing Roxbury and parts of the South End, Dorchester, and Fenway, is running her first re-election campaign. She holds \$33,487 in her account. Possible opponents are Owens, attorney Valerie Hope Rust, and Wise.

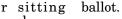
None of Baker's or Janey's potential opponents report any funds in their accounts if they exist or have filed with OCPF yet.

Three candidates are running for multiple council offices: Owens and Wise are seeking at-large and District 7 office, and Duran is seeking at-large and District 3 at this point.

Boston doesn't limit how many municipal offices a person can run for simultaneously, unlike the state. Candidates can run for a district, at-large, and for mayor all at once if the election cycle allowed it.

A re-filed bill limiting separate municipal runs to one per cycle made it through the council in February, with only Wu voting against it. It and an accompanying package of bills went to the mayor, who has signed a package of Home Rule petitions that included an early voting bill, the limited run bill, and a bill that would extend council terms to four years. The Legislature will now consider the package, though identical election bills have died there in the past.

Candidates have until May 13 to apply for nomination papers and have until May 21 to submit signatures for certification to make the



Important times, dates on city election calendar

May 13, 5 p.m. – Last day to apply for nomination papers.

May 21, 5 p.m. – Last day to file nomination

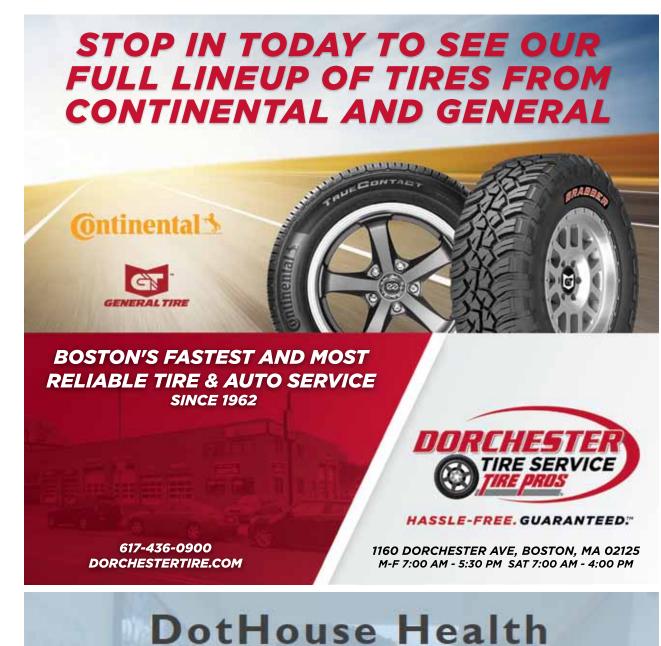
 $\textbf{June 25, 5 p.m.} - \text{Deadline for registrars to} \\ \text{certify signatures}$

 ${\color{red} \textbf{Tues.}}, {\color{red} \textbf{Sept. 24,7 a.m.}} \ to \ {\color{red} \textbf{8 p.m.}} - \text{Preliminary} \\ \text{municipal election}$

 $\mathbf{Wed.}$, $\mathbf{Oct.16}$, $\mathbf{8}$ $\mathbf{p.m.}$ – Last day to register to vote in November election

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Tues., Nov. 5, 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. – Municipal election day



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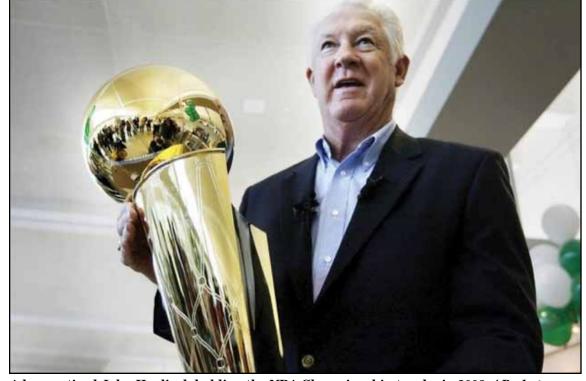
On and off the parquet floor, John Havelick was an All-Star

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guard. To play against him on defense was a basketball nightmare. He would take his man on long and treacherous trips through forests of arms and legs and well-set picks, all at high speed. Oops, he was free for a jump shot. He would spring free on fast breaks. Oops, a lay-up. Oops, another lay-up. And another. He would slide inside for rebounds. He would edge off his man, counting in his head as Hal Greer of the Philadelphia 76ers had to throw the ball in-bounds within five seconds in the seventh game of the NBA Eastern finals on April 15, 1965 and ... wait for it ... steal the ball. Havlicek steals the ball. (Look it up.)

He played for eight Celtics teams that won NBA championships, filling different roles in each of them. For the first four, all in a row, he was a legendary sixth man off the bench on teams dominated by Bill Russell's defense and offense from Bob Cousy and Tommy Heinsohn and Bill Sharman. The next two—everybody but Russell and Sam Jones gone—he was a starter and a scorer. For the last two, Russell and Sam gone, an entirely different roster with Dave Cowens at center, he was a veteran presence, a scorer, a star. He played so long he was part of two Celtics championship eras. He was named an All-Star in 13 of his seasons.

"I never thought I'd play this long," he once said. "I thought maybe eight years.



A long-retired John Havlicek holding the NBA Championship trophy in 2008. AP photo

That seemed to be the limit when I broke in."

He was as amazing to his teammates off the court as he was on the court. Great attention was paid to his fussiness, his profound sense of order. He would hang up all of his clothes in his locker, even his socks. Who hangs up socks?

He would arrange all his toiletries by height. Who arranges toiletries by height?

He would take care of the bill at all team dinners. No, he wouldn't pay the bill. He would go down the list, making sure each player would contribute for that extra glass of wine or that more expensive entrée.

Who cuts up the check like that in modern-day sports?

"Well, back then, nobody was making the big money," Mal Graham, a Celtic for two championship teams, says. "These were the cheapest guys you'd ever meet."

Havlicek maintained his sense of order even in his postgame interviews. While other players sometimes would talk to the cameras and notebooks more than the people behind them, Havlicek studied his inquisitors. He knew who asked what questions. He read the stories the next day. He put faces and bylines together.

"So-and-So gets it wrong

every time," he said once. "I try to repeat everything for him, just to make sure he understands. I spell it out. And then he gets it wrong again."

He was always a terrific interview subject. He took time, answered everything. (Even if he knew it might come out wrong the next day.) He liked to talk about college, Ohio State. Did we know that the Ohio State NCAA championship team of 1960 set a record that will never be broken? No, what was that? Every player on that team graduated from Ohio State. A couple had gotten masters

degrees, a couple doctorates. Every one a graduate.

"I had to work at it at Ohio State," Havlicek said. "Jerry Lucas (the All-America center) was my roommate. It would be finals week, and I'd be sitting there with all my notes, a line of No. 2 pencils all sharpened, all my books, doing an all-nighter. Jerry'd come in, turn on the radio and read for half an hour and go to bed. I'd be up all night. He'd get the A. I'd be fighting for that C."

I covered his last game on April 9, 1978. He had just turned 38 years old. It was a classic Havlicek production, everything planned with that fine sense of order, right down to the recorded rock music that was played during warm-ups instead of the usual organ stylings of John Kiley. His speech was perfect. The celebration was perfect. He scored 29 points. He wore a tuxedo to and from the game. The suit (and black socks and underwear) was hung in his locker.

I stayed around while he got dressed, stayed while he stalled and stalled, really not wanting to leave. All the other players had left. The coaches. The equipment men. The reporters. Everybody had left. He balanced a box at the door, let me out, and turned off the lights.

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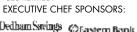
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Neighborhood Notables

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JAZZ QUARTET PERFORMS AT ALL SAINTS ON **MAY 9**

 $Dot \, Jazz \, Series' final \, show \, of \, the \, 2018 \hbox{-} 2019 \, season$ features a quartet led by longtime musical partners alto saxophonist Kurtis Rivers and guitarist Alain Pacowski. They will be joined by bassist Paul Dilley and drummer Miki Matsuki, the wonderful rhythm section from their years-long residency at Dorchester's Ramsay/Toy VFW Post. Venue is Peabody Hall at All Saints Church. Doors open at 7 p.m., music starts at 7:30. The \$15 ticket, at the door or at dotjazz.org, includes dessert and non-alcoholic beverages; wine available for purchase. Co-presented by Greater Ashmont Main Street and Mandorla Music.

ASHMONT HILL YARD SALE ON MAY 18

Ashmont Hill Yard Sale- now in its 40th yearreturns on Saturday, May 18, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., at locations throughout the neighborhood. Cost to participate is still \$20 per location, plus \$10 for each additional household. There are special "kids-only" rates, and family or friends are welcome to join you. Contact Joe Gildea at 617-288-6626 or cadmanjoe@ aol.com to sign up to sell. Sign-up and payment deadline is Saturday, May 11.

REPORTER HISTORY EXPLORED AT DHS ANNUAL **MEETING ON MAY 19**

Ed Forry and Bill Forry are the featured speakers at the Dorchester Historical Society's Annual Meeting on Sunday, May 19, at 2 p.m. The father/son duo, Associate Publisher and Publisher/Editor, respectively, of the Dorchester Reporter, will tell the story of their family-owned newspaper, from its founding in 1983, through nearly four decades of challenges and successes, to its vital role in our community today. The Annual Meeting and all monthly DHS programs – generally held at DHS headquarters, 195 Boston St. — are open to the public and free of charge. **BNBL SIGN-UPS NOW UNDERWAY**

Registration is now open for the 50th annual season of Boston's favorite summer basketball league, the Boston Neighborhood Basketball League (BNBL), kicking off on Monday, July 8. BNBL is the oldest municipal basketball league in the country serving young men and women in three divisions each for boys and girls: 13 and under; 15 and under; and

18 and under.BNBL is played at Boston Centers for Youth & Families (BCYF) community centers and selected city parks. The 2019 BNBL season ends with the championship games played in mid-August. To register online for BNBL go tohttps:// apm.activecommunities.com/cobparksandrecdepart/ Activity_Search. BNBL also offers a free Pee Wee Developmental Program for boys and girls ages 6 to 11 offered at various locations across the city in Dorchester, Mattapan, Roslindale, South Boston, West Roxbury, and Roxbury. This program teaches young players the basics of basketball in a fun and non-competitive setting. Registration for Pee Wee BNBL is done on-site at the Pee Wee locations. For more information, please email Charlie Conners at Charles.Conners@boston.gov or call 617-961-3093.

PROJECT D.E.E.P. STUDENT AND VOLUNTEER **RECOGNITION NIGHT**

Project D.E.E.P.'s Student and Volunteer Recognition Night is Mon., May 13 at 6 p.m. at Florian Hall, 55 Hallet St., Dorchester. projectdeep.org for more info. **WARD 18 DEMOCRATS CAUCUS ON MAY 11**

Registered Democrats in Boston's Ward 18 — which includes parts of Mattapan-will hold a caucus on Sat., May 11, at 10 a.m. at the Hyde Park Municipal Building, 1179 River St. to elect delegates and alternates to the 2019 Massachusetts Democratic State Convention. Pre-registered Democrats who will be 16 by May 11 will be allowed to participate and run as a delegate or alternate. Boston's Ward 18 can elect 53 delegates and 8 alternates to the Convention. Those interested in getting involved with Boston's Ward 18 Democratic Town Committee should contact Rob Consalvo, Ward Committee Chair, ward18boston@gmail.com.

FRANKLIN PARK KITE & BIKE FEST ON MAY 18

The annual Franklin Park Kite & Bike Festival will be held on Sat., May 18 from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Playstead in Franklin Park, 25 Pierpont Rd. The spring celebration will include kite-flying, games and activities led by Playworks and Appalachian Mountain Club's Outdoors RX, along with face-painting, music and performances. Bike with Kids Group Ride, a first annual ride starting in Dudley Square and ending at the Kite & Bike Festival, is also planned. To register for the rider visit roxburyway.com. The

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rain date is Sun., May 19 from 1-5 p.m. Sponsors are needed. Please visit franklinparkcoalition.org/ kitefest. Vendors and food trucks are welcome to apply for a spot. Contact janna@franklinparkcoalition.org. **DOT DAY 5K ON JUNE 2**

The annual Project D.E.E.P. and Blarney Stone Dot Day 5k will be held before the parade on Sunday, June 2 with registration at 11 a.m. from 1505 Dorchester Ave. Register at projectdeep.org.

BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY'S HOMEWORK HELP

Boston Public Library's free Homework Help program is underway offering free afterschool help and mentorship provided by high-achieving high school students. The program, offered Monday through Thursday from 3:30 -5:30 p.m. is open to students in grades K-8; no registration required. Boston Teacher's Union tutors are also available during select weekdays from 4-6 p.m. for students in grades K-12. Visit bpl. org/homework.

MOTHER'S WALK FOR PEACE ON MAY 12

The Mother's Day Walk for Peace — a benefit event for the Louis D. Brown Peace Institute—from Fields Corner to City Hall on Mother's Day. It begins at 8 a.m. at Town Field, 1520 Dorchester Ave. Visit mothersdaywalk4peace.org for more info.

DORCHESTER DAY CHIEF MARSHAL'S DINNER ON MAY 31

An evening to honor the 2019 Dorchester Day Parade chief marshal and mayor of Dorchester will be held on Friday, May 31 at 6 p.m. at Florian Hall, 55 Hallet St., Dorchester. To purchase tickets call 857-756-3675. Not available at the door.

MAYOR WALSH COFFEE HOUR SERIES

Mayor Martin J. Walsh and the Boston Parks and Recreation Department will host the 20th Annual Neighborhood Coffee Hour Series in local parks citywide from April 30 to June 19. All coffee hours will be held from 9:30-10:30 a.m., unless otherwise noted. For more information and updates on possible weather cancellations, please contact the Boston Parks and Recreation Department at 617-635-4505. Dates for the full schedule of Mayor Walsh's 2019 Neighborhood Coffee hours can be found on boston.gov/parks. Dates for the scheduled Dorchester and Mattapan Neighborhood Coffee hours are as follows: Tuesday. May 7 at Martin Playground 95 Myrtlebank Ave., Dorchester; Monday, May 20 at Walker Playground, 550 Norfolk St., Mattapan; Thurs., June 6 at Ronan Park 92 Mt. Ida Rd., Dorchester

CHASING THE MOON FILM SCREENED AT KENNEDY LIBRARY

 $The \, Kennedy \, Library \, and \, WGBH \, will \, partner \, for \, an \,$ exclusive preview and discussion of the new American Experience series, Chasing the Moon on Thurs., May 23 at 6 p.m. Executive producer Mark Samels, director Robert Stone, and panelists discuss the series and the Space race, from the early years to the lunar landing and its legacy. See jfklibrary.org for details.

GREATER ASHMONT MAIN STREET GARDEN GALA Greater Ashmont Main Streets will host its 20th anniversary Garden Gala on Sat., May 18 from 7-11 p.m. at Peabody Hall at the Parish of All Saints, 209 Ashmont St., Dorchester. More info: 617-825-3846 or email exec@greaterashmont.org.

POLICE DISTRICT C-11

Non-emergency line for seniors: 617-343-5649. The Party Line phone number, where you can report loud parties, is 617-343-5500, 24 hours/7 days per week.

POLICE DISTRICT B-3 NEWS

For info, call B-3's Community Service Office at 617-343-4711.

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Performance artist sees soccer as 'portal" to larger societal questions

By Daniel Sheehan REPORTER STAFF

Spoken-word artist, dancer, and playwright Marc Bamuthi Joseph has had an intimate relationship with soccer for as long as he can remember – and even longer.

Some of my first memories are of the game," Joseph told the Reporter in an interview. "Before I even had memory, or a more developed consciousness, I have these loosely formed memories of my dad listening to soccer on the radio.

This lifelong bond with the sport inspired Joseph, who was born in New York in the 1970s to Haitian parents, to create his latest production: /peh-LO-tah/, a "fútbol-framed freedom suite."

The show, which will run from Wed., May 1, through Sunday, May 5, at the Emerson Paramount Center, uses song, dance, and the spoken word to explore how the world's most popular sport intersects with freedom, immigration, and racism. Joseph describes his performance as "a love letter from black joy"; for him, joy and soccer are naturally and inextricably linked.

"A lot of those same early memories are framed in terms of what made me happy," he said. "The first time I had a sense of electricity in my body was after scoring a goal."

Joseph later realized that the same sport that brought him happiness as a boy did the same for countless other immigrant and first-generation American children who found freedom in the safe haven of a soccer pitch.

"Soccer was a means for my immigrant family to foster a sense of normality," said Joseph in a 2017 Ted Talk monologue wherein he



Playwright Marc Bamuthi Joseph, center, is shown with the cast of peh-LOtah/, which will be staged at the Emerson Paramount Center this week. Image courtesy ArtsEmerson

described the game as an "affirmational tool" that helped him ground himself in an identity that is both Haitian and American. Soccer runs deep in Haitian culture, and, as such, he said, it acts as a cornerstone for many Haitian-Americans beginning life in a new place.

from Haiti to the US, what were the stabilizing forces in their lives, what were places of joy, of entertainment? Church, soccer, and church-related activities were really the things that brought us together outside the workplace," he explained.

The show examines the crucial cultural role soccer plays in Haiti, as well as across the globe in places like Brazil and South Africa. Joseph's experiences at the World Cup tournament when it was hosted by those two nations in 2014 and 2010, respectively, inform his narrative. After seeing money pouring into South Africa in the lead-up to the competition, Joseph questioned how its effects would play out.

'As my parents moved

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE & FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT SUFFOLK DIVISION Docket No. SU18W0966WD SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION **LILA PIERRE LOUIS** Plantiff(s)

CALEB ANGERVIL Defendant(s)

To the above named Defendant(s):

Caleb Angervil A Complaint has been presented

to this Court by the Plaintiff, Lila Pierre Louis seeking a Complaint for Custody-Support-Parenting Time. You are required to serve upon Lila

Pierre Louis - or attorney for plaintiff(s) KEYBOARD() - whose address is 250 Columbia Rd., #2, Dorchester, MA 02121 your answer on or before 6th day of June, 2019.

If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Boston. Witness, BRIAN J. DUNN, ES-QUIRE, First Judge of said Court this

18th day of April, 2019. Felix D. Arroyo Register of Probate Published: May 2, 2019

MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT INFORMAL PROBATE
PUBLICATION NOTICE Docket No. SU19P0633EA SUFFOLK DIVISION **ESTATE OF** SIMMONS A. DYMOND

DATE OF DEATH: 01/07/2018 To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of Petitioner Charles C. Dymond of Malden MA. Charles C. Dymond of Malden, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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"In South Africa, I was noticing how a lot of the investment was furthering a kind of isolation, further solidifying the kind of marginalization and economic hierarchy that decades of apartheid had fostered," he said. "How is this thing that has brought me joy--how can this thing also be used as a tool to divide?"

The divisiveness of soccer has entered the spotlight in recent years, as black players across Europe have been continuously harassed and abused by racist haters despite a high-profile anti-racism campaigns by FIFA.

But for Joseph, soccer merely reflects the world around it. "The way race plays out in soccer is only a symptom of how white supremacy plays out across the world. I mean, there have been fans ejected and banned in Boston for saying things," he said, referring to incidents at Fenway Park and TD Garden when fans shouted racial slurs at black players. "This behavior is just symptomatic of a larger pathology we're experiencing around the world."

Racism has also played a role in how soccer is perceived in the US, where traditionally "American" sports like football and baseball have long taken precedence. But even that perception is no longer accurate, says Joseph.

"That's an outdated way of looking at it, in the same way people talk about the "Real America" in an attempt to erase the immigrant,' he said. "Commercially, soccer is on a really profound trajectory

where we can see the popularity of the sport is growing, not waning, and it's becoming even more popular as demographics of the country change."

Just as America has changed, so, too, has its relationship with soccer, he explained.

"Soccer is as American as the immigrant experience...if we embrace the porousness of our borders, and our role as part of a global network, we could embrace the pervasiveness of soccer as a driving force in the American cultural canon."

In addition to delving into the politics of soccer, /peh-LO-tah/ also celebrates the art inherent in the sport; for example, the way Brazilians dance to samba is often compared to their free-flowing play style. Joseph's own dance background and his New York upbringing ensured that hip-hop and dance would be be central to his show.

"I started dancing when I was 10, and so most of the way I think about movement patterns are through a choreographic lens...I see soccer players move on a field, and it just looks like dance to me."

For as much as soccer provides an escape to many, it is nevertheless shaped by the environments that surround it. Joseph is aware that his audiences, by engaging with the show, engage with much more.

"Soccer is just kind of a portal for these larger societal questions...which makes /peh-LO-tah/ noteworthy, and worthy of exploration and engagement because it kind of takes all these things, this crazy compendium of interests, beliefs, ideologies, and human behaviors, and uses soccer to discuss them all."

Tickets for /peh-LOtah / start at \$10 and are available for purchase online at artsemerson.



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THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT
Suffolk Probate & Family Court
24 New Chardon Street
Boston, MA 02114
(617) 788-8300
CITATION ON PETITION FOR
FORMAL ADJUDICATION
DOCKET NO. SUI1090640EA Docket No. SU19P0640EA ESTATE OF: JAMES FRANCIS SHEA **DATE OF DEATH: 09/17/2018**

A petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Mary C. Foley of Levittown, PA and Paul J. Shea of Dorchester, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition. The petitioner as requested in the Petition. The petitioner requests that: Mary C. Foley of Levittown, PA and Paul J. Shea of Dorchester, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve on the bond in an unsupervised administration. You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file inc. To do so, you or your attorney must file.

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Unsupervised Adminisration Under
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Probate Code (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed unde the MUPC in an unsupervised administration ine MOPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of the distribution of assets and expenses of

administration.
Witness, HON. BRIAN J. DUNN, First ustice of this Court. Date: April 17, 2019

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CITATION ON PETITION FOR
FORMAL ADJUDICATION
DOCKET NO. SUI19P0782FA Docket No. SU19P0782EA ESTATE OF: MARY J. LOUGHLIN DATE OF DEATH: 11/29/2018

A petition for Formal Probate of will with Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Sheila Mercer of Boston MA requesting that the Court enter a forma Decree and Order and for such other relie as requested in the Petition. The Petitioner equests that: Sheila Mercer of Boston. MA be appointed as Personal Representative of said estate to serve on the bond in ar unsupervised administration

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Justice of this Court. Date: April 19. 2019

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SUFFOLK PROBATE & FAMILY COURT
24 NEW CHARDON STREET
BOSTON, MA 02114
CITATION GIVING NOTICE
OF PETITION FOR
APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN
FOR INCAPACITATED PERSON
PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 1908, §5-304
Docket No. SU19P0887GD
IN THE MATTER OF:
FREDERICK GREEN
OF BOSTON, MA
RESPONDENT

Alleged Incapacitated Person med Respondent and all othe ov Boston Medical Center of Boston, MA in by Boston Medical Center of Boston, MAII the above captioned matter alleging that Frederick Green is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Boston Medical Center of Boston, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve

The petition asks the Court to determine The petition asks the Court to determine that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority.

You have the right to object to this proceeding if you wish to do so you or

proceeding. If you wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this court on or before 10:00 A.M. on the return date of 05/23/2019. This day is NO return date of 05/23/2019. This day is NOI a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you have to file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

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OF PETITION FOR
APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN
FOR INCAPACITATED PERSON
PURSUANT TO G.L. c. 1908, §5-304
Docket No. SU19P0234GD
IN THE MATTER OF:
MARIE A. MONUMA
OF DORCHESTER, MA
RESPONDENT RESPONDENT
Alleged Incapacitated Person
To the named Respondent and all othe

interested persons, a petition has been filed by Marie M. Dumoulin of Stoughton, MA in the above captioned matter alleging that Marie A. Monuma is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Marie M. Dumoulin of Stoughton, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve on the bond.

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A goal for Maytime: Get outside and enjoy

At last, May is here and we Kids Menu people are itching to get outdoors to enjoy our neighborhood. From neighborhood beautification to organized outdoor activities, we've got the details here.

(Note: Mothers' Day is May 12! Don't forget reservations for Mom's

lunch or dinner at any one of our wonderful neighborhood restaurants.)

If the Mothers Day Walk for Peace isn't on your calendar, it should be. This annual event has cemented its place in the heart of Dorchester as we band together to speak out against gun violence. A peaceful march organized by the Louis D. Brown Peace Institute, this is a wonderful way to celebrate moms and help everyone to work toward a more peaceful Dorchester.

Thurs., May 2, at 6 p.m. – The Teen Substance Use workshop at the Codman Square Health Center hosts a session on Teen Substance Use risks, trends, and resources in the community from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Black Box Theatre at 14 Epping St., Dorchester. Food and refreshments from Juice and Jazz Cafe. Register at teen substances. eventbrite.com.

Sat., May 4, 3 p.m. – Build Spring Fairy houses in the Adams Street Library Reading Garden using natural materials. Create clothespin fairies to take home. Recommended for ages 4 and up.

Also that day: JFK Library, at 10:30 a.m. Benkadi Drum and Dance group returns to perform new dances showcasing traditional West African rhythms and movements. With vivid costumes, interpretive dance, and audience participation, folktales come to life before your eyes. Register here: jfklibrary. org/events-and-awards/ celebrate/05-04-benkadi-drum-and-dance

Sun., May 5—The 2019 Polish Fest Boston, based in the Polish American

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40 T H A N N U A L ASHMONT HILL YARD SALE, Sat., May 18 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Start at Alban or Ocean St. off Welles Ave. Maps at each yard. Red Line T to Ashmont. Info: 617-288-6626 or cadmanjoe@ aol.com. Citizens Club of South Boston on Boston Street, is a celebration of the rich cultural traditions and contributions of Boston's Polish-American community. Guests will enjoy delicious food, lively music, enriching culture, and the warm hospitality of our Polish-American community and its neighbors. This vear's event will raise money for the Polish American Heritage and Community Foundation, a 501c3 charity, whose mission is to support the Polish and Polish-American community through funding of scholarships and through cultural, education, and community initiatives projects and events. Our goal this year is to raise \$10,000!

Tues., May 7, 9:30 a.m. - A stop on Mayor Walsh's 2019 Coffee Hour Series at Martin Playground. The Neighborhood Coffee Hours give residents the opportunity to speak directly with His Honor and staff from City departments about open space and other needs in their neighborhoods. Through discussions and a suggestion box at each site, residents have the chance to get involved on how the City of Boston can improve upon local parks, public areas, and city services.It's a feature of the Coffee Hour Series that Mayor Walsh looks forward to.

Sat., May 18, 11 a.m.

– The annual Franklin

Park Kite & Bike Festival will be held from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Playstead at 25 Pierpont Rd. in Franklin Park. The spring celebration will include kite-flying, games, and activities led by Playworks and Appalachian Mountain Club's Outdoors RX, along with face-painting, music and performances. A Bike with Kids Group Ride, a first annual ride starting in Dudley Square and ending at the Kite & Bike Festival, is also planned. To register, visit roxburyway.com. The rain date is Sun., May 19, from 1-5. Sponsors are needed. For further information, please visit franklinparkcoalition.org/kitefest. Vendors and food trucks are welcome to apply for a spot. Contact janna@ franklinparkcoalition. org for more information.

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DORCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

Sunday, May 19, 2019, at 2 p.m.

NOTE: the program will held at the new building of the **Pipefitters Local Union 537 at 40 Enterprise Street** (the side street next to the Dorchester Historical Society's headquarters). Park in their lot.

PROGRAM: Bill and Ed Forry will speak about publishing the Dorchester Reporter newspapers

After brief reports and the election of officers and directors, we will proceed to the program, where Bill and Ed Forry will speak about their experience publishing the Dorchester Reporter and the Mattapan Reporter newspapers. They will discuss the newspaper's origins, and relate some of the stories they have reported on that contribute to the history of the Dorchester community in the late 20th and early 21st centuries.

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Liberty Mutual Employees Volunteer at the Club: See details below.



BGCD Keystone members brought skills from Milk Street Cooking School's cooking and nutrition classes back to the Club this past week for an on-site workshop teaching younger members how to make nutritious smoothies.

CONNECT THE DOT:

BGCD Youth of the Year: Congratulations to the following members who were selected as the 2019 Youth of the Year finalists at BGCD: Jared Hill, Clare McCarthy, Nick Clements, Jocelyn Sammy, Wil Hingston, Kathleen Ryan, Sean Simmons, Audra Garvey and Viet Ta. From this group we would like to recognize Jared Hill (Boy of the Year), Jocelyn Sammy (Girl of the Year) and Nick Clements (Youth of the Year).

Nick Clements will be representing **BGCD** at the Massachusetts Youth of the Year event taking place in Worcester this coming weekend. Nick will be one of 42 candidates taking part in the competition hoping to be named Massachusetts Youth of the Year.

Congratulations again to each of our nine finalists on their accomplishments at the Club.

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Volunteer at the Club: BGCD was excited to host a group of volunteers from Liberty Mutual Insurance as part of their two-week Serve with Liberty campaign to support nonprofits in the community. The volunteers painted the Media Arts Center and the stands of the pool.

A big thank you to the volunteers for spending a day with us. Liberty Mutual Insurance is a long-time supporter of BGCD including our education and inclusion programming through their corporate grants program.

To learn more about how you or your organization can partner with Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester, please contact Mike Joyce at mjoyce@bgcdorchester.org.

DID YOU KNOW
26th Annual New England Women's **Leadership Awards to Take Place** May 9th: The New England Women's Leadership Awards (NEWLA) has been celebrating inspiring women for over 25 years. We have recognized over 100 remarkable women who meet the challenges they face with confidence, persistence and compassion. Our honorees are role models and mentors for our members - their stories inspire our young girls (and boys) to dream big, work hard and succeed.

This year we are thrilled to be honoring Kenell Broomstein, Yvonne Garcia and Noelle Lambert. We hope you join us on May 9th for this year's event!

For questions regarding sponsorship or the event please contact Patty Lamb at plamb@bgcdorchester.org or at 617-288-7120.

UPCOMING EVENTS

New England Women's Leadership Awards May 9th

Club Sailing Trips with Elevate Youth May 15th & 16th

Clubs for a Cause Fundraiser May 16th

MFA Installation & Music Showcase May 17th



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May 2, 2019 RECENT OBITUARIES

BARAKAT, Hamid T. of Dorchester, formerly of South Boston. Husband of Yoslin Barakat. Father of Miguel Barakat and his family of NC. Grandfather of Yoslin and Michelle. Brother of Karim and Bassam Barakat, both of Lebanon. Also survived by several nieces and ne phews. Contributionsin Hamid's memory may be made to St. George $\bar{Orthodox}$ Antiochian Church, 55 Emmondale Rd. West Roxburyor to the American Cancer Society, 125 S. Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02130.

DOYLE, Erika (Neumann), 74, in Westborough. She was the wife of John F. Doyle for 49 years. She was born in Breslau, Germany, and the daughter of

the late Kurt and Luise (Rautenberg) Neumann. She worked at the Federal Reserve Bank in Boston and through a work colleague, met her husband John in Boston. He survives her, as do their three children, Lauren Doyle, John and his wife Lisa Beth (Cronen) Doyle, Jim Doyle and his wife Theresa Champ, grandson, Henry Doyle, and stepgrandson, Jordan Champ. Erika was predeceased by her sister, Edith (Neumann) Campbell and spouse Bob Campbell. Surviving are her two sisters-inlaw, their spouses, cousins, and many nieces and nephews both here and abroad. Erika would appreciate donations be made to: Alzheimer's Association, PO Box

96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011, or Albert Schweitzer Animal Welfare Fund, 1959 N. Peace Haven Road, # 184, Winston-Salem, NC 27106-4850.

ESTES, Gail M. (Maturo) Of California, formerly of Dorchester, at the age of 77.

FLYNN, Stephen J. suddenly, in Lawrence, formerly of Dorchester and Quincy. Former husband of the late Joanne (Jones) Flynn. Son of the late Edward J. and Ann M. (Dole) Flynn. Brother of Paul J. Flynn of Stoughton, Robert J. Flynn of Dorchester, Kevin G. Flynn, Dianne M. Hayes of Quincy, and the late Michael E. Flynn and Christine M. Flynn. Survived by many nieces and nephews. Donations in Stephen's memory may be made to Bread and Roses Soup Kitchen, 58 Newbury St., Lawrence, MA 01840.

GALCZYNSKI, Stan**ley F.** age 96, of Dorchester. He was born in Poland and grew up during WWII. He worked for 37 years as a housekeeping supervisor at Santa Maria Hospital in Cambridge. Husband of the late Marianna (Rybicka) Galczynski. Father to Irene M. McPhee of Dor-

LEGAL NOTICE

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YORK, ss SPECIAL PROBATE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that after due diligence, the whereabouts of

James Elliott cannot be ascertained.

He is believed to have an interest in the estate of Michael J. Elliott.

a Petition for Appointment of Guardian

of Minor has been presented by Mela-nie Cote, 22 Timber Ridge Avenue #24, Sanford, Maine 04073 and that

a hearing has been scheduled on this petition to take place on May 31,

2019 at 10:30 a.m. The action or order sought in this Petition, including an

order against you requiring the payment of child support, attorney's fees,

and such other financial contributions

as the Court may deem proper, may be granted if no interested person

appears at the hearing to object. You may also file a written objection to the petition, but the filing of such

written objection will not substitute for appearance at the hearing unless the

Court so orders. If you file a written objection, you must send a copy to

the petitioner whose name, address

and telephone number is Melanie

Cote, 22 Timber Ridge Avenue #24, Sanford, Maine 04073, telephone number (207) 502-9666.

This notice complies with Probate Rule 4 of the Maine Rules of Probate Procedure and the Maine

Carol J. Lovejoy Register of Probate

Probate Code. Dated: April 12, 2019

James Elliott is hereby notified that

chetser, Stanley R. Galczynski of Dorchester, and John G. Galczynski of Ashland, Grandfather to Michael Olesch and his wife Lauren of Mansfield and Gary W. McPhee and his wife Katie of Middleboro. Great-grandfather to three. Brother to Marianna Sciera and the late Aniela Bartkowiak. Also several nieces and nephews in Poland.

HANNON, Mary M. (Folan), 77, of Cranston, RI, formerly of Dorchester. She was the wife of the late Lawrence Hannon, Sr. She was born in Carna, Ireland, and was the daughter of the late John and Mary (O'Donnell) Folan. She is survived by her children, Larry Hannon and Alfred Pannone of Cranston, James Hannon and Roger Prairie of West Roxbury, MA; Linda and Chris O'Connor and family of Braintree, and the late Kim and Christopher Hannon. She was also the grandmother of Adam, Josh, Ryan, Rory O'Connor. Memorial contributions may be made to: Alzheimer's Association, 245 Waterman St., Suite 306, Providence, RI 02906.

HEGARTY, Brendan Michael born in Carndonagh, County Donegal, Ireland of Norwell, formerly of Dorchester. Husband of Rose (McLaughlin). Father of Colleen Doyle and her husband David of Norwell, Brian Hegarty and his wife Shannon of Milton, Dennis Hegarty and his wife Shannon of Milton and Sean Hegarty of Norwell. Grandfather of Shane, Seamus and Sinead Doyle, Finn, Rowan and Reese Hegarty, Maeve, Grace and Gavin Hegarty. Brother of Kathleen McClintock of Quincy, Bernadette Hegarty and Mary Kelly of Ireland and the late John Hegarty of Dorchester and Philomena Harkin of Ireland. Also survived by many nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law and sisters-inlaw. Remembrances may be made to the American **Cancer Society**

LIGONDE, Ruddy PA of Dorchester, formerly of Malden. Son

Cheryl WhiteDear and Ruddy PA Ligonde. Grandson of Joyce White. Carolyn Nephew of Wilkinson, Nola WhiteDear, Nadege Belizaire, Magalye Belizaire, Sheilla St-Fleurose, Monfreda Pierre-Antoine, and Gina Pierre-Antoine. He was the cousin of Charlene Jordan. Donations in Ruddy's memory may be made to the New England Aquarium, 1 Central Wharf, Boston, MA 02110.

MACIASZCZYK, Zygmunt "Ziggy" in Dorchester. Son of the late Tadeusz and Jozefa (Dzwiga) Maciaszczyk. Brother of John Maciaszczyk and his wife Nancy Sencabaugh, and Richard Maciaszczyk and his wife Rita Austin, all of Dorchester. Uncle of Daniel and Adam Maciaszczyk, and Erika Mann. Survived by 5 grandnieces and nephews. Ziggy was a veteran of the U.S Army during the Vietnam War. He was also a retired machinist for the MBTA at the Everett maintenance yard for over 20 years. Donations in Ziggy's memory may be made to The Greater Boston Food Bank, 70 South Bay

Ave., Boston, MA 02118. MARTIN, Laura M. (Contestable), 94, of North Quincy, formerly of Dorchester. Laura was born in Quincy to Nicholas and Florence (Taylor) Contestable. She worked as a Manager of Central Supply at the Carney Hospital of 25 years. Wife of the late Richard Martin, Sr. Mother of Richard F. Martin, Jr. and his wife Diane of Marshfield, Michael T. Martin and his wife Dotty of Hanover, William Martin and his wife Mary of Quincy, Jane Daley and her husband Michael of Westwood and Patrick Martin and his wife Tammy of North Quincy and the late Nancy Martin-Landers and Robert P. Martin. Nana of 16 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. Sister of Claire Sullivan and the late Eleanor Tamborello and Paul Contestable. Donations in memory of Laura may be made to St. Jude's Research Hospital

McCORMICK, Josephine M. (Wyrostek) of Dorchester, 97. Wife of the late Thomas A. McCormick. Mother of Jeanne R. Foley of Pembroke, John A. and his wife Jeanne McCormick of South Weymouth, and the late Thomas A. Mc-Cormick Jr. Grandmother of Jason and his wife Melissa Foley, Katie and her husband Kevin Newell, and Alex McCormick. Great-grandmother

McDONOUGH, Winifred "Winnie" (Folan) of South Boston, formerly of Trabiane County, Galway, Ireland. Wife of the late Andrew Mc-Donough, mother of Patrick and Martin Mc-Donough, both of Boston, Peter and his wife Gail McDonough of New

Hampshire, and late Michael and John McDonough, sister of Maura Connolly of Weymouth, Patrick Folan of England, and the late Nora Casey and Larry and Martin Folan. Also survived by five grandchildren and five greatgrandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

SLEZAS, Romas V. at the age of 80. After receiving an M.S. degree in Film from BU and taking several brief jobs with local companies, he worked at WGBH as an editor on several National Educational Television series and occasionally as a cameraman on "The French Chef." In 1966, he and Holly Fisher founded Fisher-Slezas Films, an independent company which distinguished itself with award-winning films on environmental and social issues. During the 1970s, Slezas was associated with Blackside. a minority-owned film company, which produced the Emmy-awardwinning series "Eyes on the Prize" on the American Civil Rights movement. Slezas was born in Klaipeda, Lithuania. Hitler's invasion uprooted his family, and as a child he experienced many hardships before coming to the United States in 1949. He leaves his wife and creative colleague, Birute (Vaicjurgis); daughter, Danute (Donna) Burns; son, Andrius and his wife Egle; son, Saulius; grandchildren, Katie, Ed, Vicky, and Livvy Burns; grandchildren, Sofija, Amelija, Madison, and Zachary Slezas; cousins, Maryte Kavaliauskas Murphy of New York and Algis Slezas of Klaipeda; as well as other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Albinas, his mother, Anita Ona, his brother, Tautvydas, his son-in-law, Stephen Burns, and his first wife, Nijole (Makaitis). A taxdeductible contributions may be made to Camp Neringa, 147 Neringa, Rd., Brattleboro, 05301.

SULLIVAN, Kathleen M. (McGee) of Milton and Wareham. Wife of the late John J. Sullivan Jr. Mother of Kathleen M. Hurley and her husband Tom of Milton, Nancy M. Sullivan and her husband Mustapha Jay Jahour of Boston, Janet P. Colleary of Westboro, John J. Sullivan III and his wife Trish Kelley Sullivan of Duxbury, Daniel B. Sullivan and his wife Wendy of Scituate. Sister of James McGee of Indiana, Patricia Jackson of Randolph, Anne McGee of Bradford, Elizabeth Fino of Wilmington, and the late William McGee. Also survived by ten grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Donations may be made in memory of Kathleen to New Bridge on the Charles Long Term Care, 7000 Great Meadow Rd., Dedham, MA, 02026.



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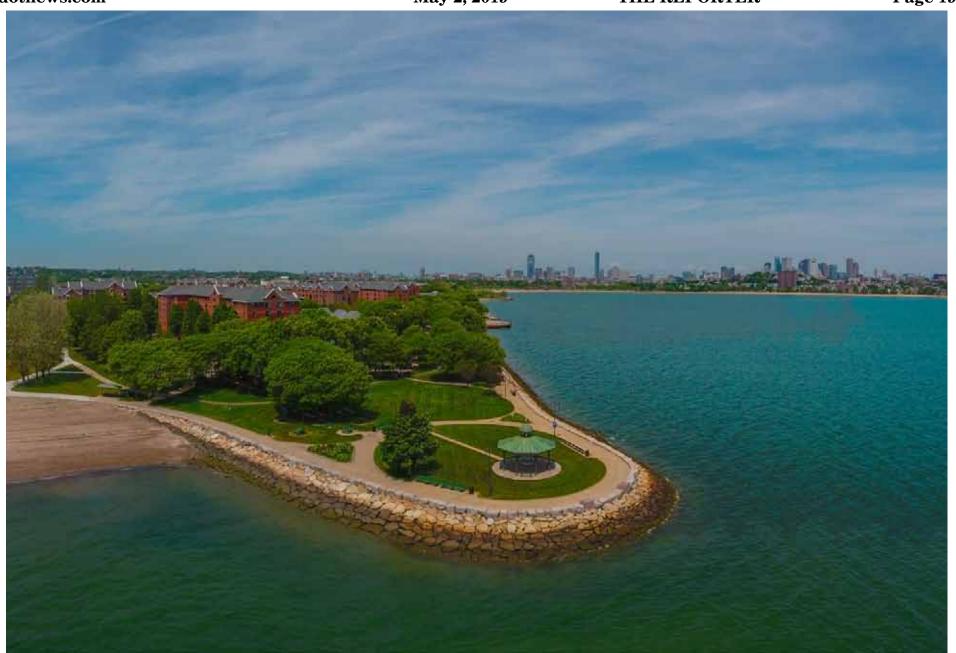
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