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Bob Massie, who is seeking the Democratic nomination for governor this year, spoke before the Ward 17 Democratic committee during a caucus at the Sheet Metal Workers Union Hall in Lower Mills on Tuesday night. Two other Democrats seeking the nomination for governor - Setti Warren and Jay Gonzales - also spoke at the meeting, one of several held over the last several weeks as Democratic activists choose delegates for their June nominating convention.

Governor hopefuls make opening pitch to Dorchester Democrats

By Jennifer Smith **News Editor**

As ward committees gather across the neighborhood to elect delegates for June's state Democratic Convention in Worcester, the hyperlocal forums have been frequented by candidates seeking statewide offices and making pitches for the support of city Democrats.

Ward caucuses offer first glimpse at Baker challengers

hopefuls are looking to lock down their party's nomination and unseat Republican Governor Charlie Baker. Newton Mayor Setti Warren, former health insurance executive and state budget chief Jay Gonzalez,

Three Democratic and environmentalist and entrepreneur Bob Massie all were in attendance at Tuesday night's meeting of the Ward 17 Democrats in Lower Mills. Also on hand were Lt. Governor candidates Jimmy Tingle and Quentin Palfrey, touting support for progressive policies and hitting Baker's leadership.

"I got into this race because of the issue of economic inequality, which I believe is the defining issue of our time," said Warren. "Me and Charlie Baker have a very clear difference in how to deal with

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Lower Mills condo proposal prompts fierce debate among neighbors

57 condos, two stores would replace three houses on Washington St.

By Daniel Sheehan REPORTER STAFF

Tempers flared among the more than 50 residents who showed up to a public meeting on Monday night at Carney Hospital to discuss a proposed four-story condominium complex at 1120-1132 Washington Street in Lower Mills. The developer, City Point Center,



A rendering shows what the proposed new building at 1120-1132 Washington St. in Lower Mills might look like. Image courtesy Epsilon Associates, Inc.

housing 57 residential units with three houses, including the former two ground-level retail units on

LLC, intends to build a structure the site, which is currently home to

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Rep. Carvalho pulls out of state Senate race to seek Suffolk DA post

By Jennifer Smith News Editor

The race for the First Suffolk Senate district got a lot more streamlined on Monday, as state Rep. Evandro Carvalho announced he will no longer pursue the position left vacant by former state Sen. Linda Dorcena Forry, instead opting to seek the Suffolk County District Attorney's post.

District Attorney Dan Conley announced last week that he would not seek re-election, prompting a flurry of interest from politicians with legal backgrounds across the county. The Suffolk County role serves Boston, Chelsea, Revere, and Winthrop.

In a statement, Carvalho said he "felt



Evandro Carvalho compelled" to run for senate after Dorcena Forry left her post at the end of January, to continue serving the Dorchester and Roxbury communities he represents from a higher (Continued on page 12)

Elected officials keep close watch on UMass Bayside plans

By Jennifer Smith **News Editor**

UMass plans to sell or lease the 20 acre Bayside Exposition Center site— a transaction that could net a substantial sum needed to make costly repairs to the Dorchester campus. As the university and their representative begin soliciting offers, elected officials in Dorchester and South Boston are keeping close tabs on the effort.

UMass hired a commercial broker— New-



Walter Dew-Hollis, a senior at Tech Boston Academy, surpassed the 1,000 point mark and was named MVP as his team won the city championship. More, page 10. Patrick O'Connor photo

mark Knight Frank - to market the property early this year. The waterfront site, in close proximity to the JFK/ UMass station, offers the university a chance to leverage a booming real estate market.

"The process allows for any number of outcomes, from full sale to long-term lease to a joint development," UMass spokesman Jeff Cournoyer said in an email. He expects a sense of what the potential (Continued on page 13)



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

Friday (2nd) – Bualadh Boston 2018, an Irish Literary Festival, will take place Friday and Saturday at the Back Bay Harvard Club. All events will take place at the Harvard Club in the Back Bay. Tickets are free but those interested in attending are encouraged to book them online at eventbrite.com.

Saturday (3rd) – Dorchester Day Parade Committee's second annual Character Breakfast to raise funds for the June parade, 9:30 a.m. at First Parish Dorchester atop Meetinghouse Hill. Characters such as Poppy and Branch from Trolls, Batman, Minions, Mickey, Minnie, Moana, Peppa Pig, Cookie Monster and Elmo will be on the scene. A delicious breakfast will be served by Season's Catering and ice cream will be available from Chill on Park. \$20 per adult, \$10 per child 12 and under. Children under 2 are free.

Wednesday (7th) — Brigham and Women's Center for Community Wellness sponsors workshop on kidney health from 7-8 p.m. at Sportsmen's Tennis and Enrichment Center, 950 Blue Hill Ave., Dorchester. More online at sportsmenstennis.org.

Saturday (10th) – The Irish Balladeers perform in a family-friendly St. Patrick's Day celebration event at the JFK Library at 10:30 a.m. Visit jfklibrary. org to register.

Sunday (11th) – 12th annual Dorchester Chili Cook-off, a major fundraiser for the Dorchester Day Parade from 4 p.m.-7p.m. at the IBEW Local 103 Hall, 256 Freeport St., Dorchester.

• Mass Audubon's Birders Meeting, the largest conference of its kind in New England, returns to the UMass Boston campus on Dorchester Bay with hundreds of birding enthusiasts gathering to hear the latest avian news from experts. To register and learn more, visit massaudubon.org/birdersmeeting

• Bay Colony Brass presents Fire-Works! a concert of music for brass and organ at All Saints Church in Ashmont, 3 p.m. All Saints' Music Director Andrew Sheranian joins the ensemble and is featured as soloist on organ. 209 Ashmont St., Dorchester. More online at baycolonybrass.org.

Thursday (15th) – Dorchester Historical Society hosts Dorchester Trivia Night starting at 7:30 p.m. at Dorchester Brewing Company, 1250 Massachusetts Ave., Dorchester. Suggested donation: \$5. Come test your knowledge of all things Dorchester.

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Fire displaces 15 people on Navillus Terrace

A fire on Monday nightat 11 Navillus Terrace displaced 15 residents and caused an estimated \$150,000 in damage, according to the Boston Fire Department. Firefighters responded at 9:40 p.m. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

BFD photo



Lynch, Flaherty to take charge of breakfast

By Jennifer Smith Reporter Staff

The much-debated question of who would take over the St. Patrick's Day Breakfast, the South Boston tradition helmed for the past few years by former state Sen. Linda Dorcena Forry, now has a two-fold answer. US Congressman Stephen Lynch and City Councillor At-Large Michael Flaherty will share hosting duties this year.

Slated for Sunday, March 18, the breakfast will return to the Ironworkers Local 7 Union Hall, where Lynch, a formerironworker before taking on elected office, has previously hosted the festivities.

"The St. Patrick's Day Breakfast has become a neighborhood tradition, and with the unanticipated resignation of Senator Linda Dorcena Forry, Councilor Mike Flaherty and I have agreed to pinch hit and co-host this year's breakfast," Lynch said in a statement. "Senator Dorcena Forry did a terrific job as host, and I thank her for her work on behalf of the South Boston community."

Sen. Dorcena Forry—who is the wife of *Reporter*

publisher and editor Bill Forry— vacated her seat at the end of January to take a post at Suffolk Construction. Her departure stunned many political observers and left a special election to replace her and the question of breakfast hosting up in the air.

A political staple since the 1930s, the breakfast kicks off St. Patrick's Day festivities in South Boston and precedes the holiday parade through Southie. It is a veritable "who's who" of Massachusetts politics, drawing senators and governors alike to offer chuckle- and groaninducing takes on the topics of the day, in between the familiar Irish ballad.

Lynch served as the breakfast host from 1996 until 2001, when he left the state senate when he was elected to US House of Representatives. He has maintained a high-profile role as a guest and roaster at the breakfast throughout his tenure in Congress.

The senator for the First Suffolk District traditionally takes on hosting duties. Forry's office staff has been filling the gaps while interim hosts were being



Congressman Stephen F. Lynch (center) is shown during the 2016 St. Patrick's Day Breakfast in South Boston.

Don West photo

considered.

Dorcena Forry, daughter of Haitian-American immigrants, was the first woman of color to host the breakfast, starting in 2014 after winning a 2013 special election to succeed former Sen. Jack Hart.

"We're happy that the tradition of the breakfast is being upheld this year and will continue," said Patrick O'Brien, the legislative and policy director for the First Suffolk office. "We will continue to work with the hosts this year to ensure that a smooth transition of the breakfast in such a quick time takes place."

Dorcena Forry's former staff will coordinate with Lynch and Flaherty's offices to hand over any necessary materials on the breakfast.

Jennifer Smith is the news editor of the Dorchester Reporter. Courts & Fire

Police,

Seven arrested following reckless 'gang' ride on I-93

Seven people were arrested on Saturday afternoon during a chaotic scene on the expressway near South Bay Mall involving a large group of men riding motorcycles, scooters, dirt bikes, and ATVs. State Police $responding \, to \, numerous \,$ complaints about the group driving recklessly on the highway and nearby roads — sought to intercept the group near Exit 18.

As the various riders scrambled to ride or run away, a State Trooper fired his patrol rifle and injured one of the men-28 year-old Aderito Monteiro of Randolph— in the foot. Monteiro was arraigned Monday in Boston Municipal Court for a flurry of charges, including failure to stop for police, disorderly conduct, driving an uninsured all-terrain vehicle.

The other men arrested at the scene were Christopher Cabassa, 31, of Lawrence; William Suliveras, 29, of Methuen; Shane Fein, 21, of North Attleborough; Gustavo Arceno-Rosa, 22, of Saugus; Josue Hildago, 23, of Worcester; and Edgar Dossantos, 30, of Quincy. They were all charged with various infractions ranging from resisting arrest to reckless driv-

Anyone who has additional video or photos of Saturday's activity is asked to share it with the Suffolk County State Police Detective Unit by calling at 617-727-8817.

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From Derry to D.C."

Monday, March 12 6:00 p.m.



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Glover's Corner planners hold March 8 office hours — The Boston Planning and Development Agency sponsors PLAN: Glover's Corner neighborhood hours at Boys and Girls Clubs of Dorchester's Paul R. McLaughlin Youth Center, 1135 Dorchester Ave. on Thursday, March 8 from 4-7 p.m. Meet the BPDA team and ask questions about the process and Glover's Corner area data. More online at BostonPlans.org or call Cecilia Nardi at 617-918-4471 or Cecilia.Nardi@boston.gov.

Ward 14 Democrats to caucus on Saturday – Registered Democrats in Ward 14 will caucus this Saturday, March 3 afternoon to elect delegates to the state convention on June 1-2 at the DCU Center in Worcester. The Ward 14 meeting starts at 1 p.m. at the Anthony Perkins Community Center, 155 Talbot Ave., Dorchester.

Dot Day Parade Character Breakfast on March 3 –
Dorchester Day Parade Committee's second annual

Character Breakfast to raise funds for the June parade is set for Saturday, March 3 at 9:30 a.m. at First Parish Dorchester atop Meetinghouse Hill. \$20 per adult, \$10 per child 12 and under. Children under 2 are free.

First Suffolk Senate special election dates – The special election to choose a successor to former Sen. Linda Dorcena Forry will include an April 3 primary and a final election on May 1.

City sponsors teen job fair on March 10 – Boston teens ages 15 to 18 interested in a summer job through SuccessLink, the Mayor's Summer Jobs program, are encouraged to attend a Youth Job and Resource Fair on Saturday, March 10 at the Reggie Lewis Track & Athletic Center at Roxbury Community College. The hours are 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Chili Cook-Off set for March 10 – The 12th annual Dorchester Chili Cook-off, a major fundraiser for the

Dorchester Day Parade, is set for Sunday, March 11 from 4p.m.-7p.m. at the IBEW Local 103 Hall, 256 Freeport St., Dorchester.

St. Pat's brunch raises funds for food pantry – Dorchester's 11th annual St. Patrick's Day Brunch will be held on Saturday, March 17 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish Hall, 800 Columbia Rd., Dorchester. The 2018 Dorchester Hall of Fame Inductees will include Fire Commissioner Joseph E. Finn, Sr. Barbara Gorham, SCH, The Marr Family. Special Guests: Governor Charlie Baker and Mayor Martin Walsh. All proceeds to benefit Mary Ann Brett Food Pantry. \$100 per person.

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Gov. Baker: Red Line incident 'unacceptable'

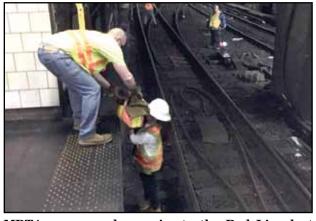
By Katie Lannan STATE HOUSE **News Service**

Calling last Wednesday's Red Line derailment "not acceptable," Gov. Charlie Baker said a next step for MBTA officials will be to determine exactly what occurred and make sure similar issues aren't present elsewhere in the subway system.

A portion of the Red Line was shut down on Feb. 21 after a train derailed as it approached Andrew Station, resulting in damage to about 300 feet of the third rail. The T said the train operator reported an indication of motor failure in the train's last car as it arrived at the station. Passengers fled the smoke-filled station, and were diverted throughout the day to shuttle buses and in some cases encouraged to make their trips via commuter rail.

Baker said 40 buses were used to shuttle Red Line riders, and that Boston police were "terrific" in opening up traffic lanes for those buses to use.

"I think the most important thing from our point of view is that nobody got hurt, and credit to the T folks, they had the system back up



MBTA crews made repairs to the Red Line last Wednesday at Andrew Square.

Courtesy/Twitter/Joe Pesaturo

and operating again by six o'clock last night, and this morning went relatively uneventfully,' Baker told reporters. "But they need to do some homework on why this happened and figure out if there is some issue that needs to be considered along the rest of the lines and the rest of the tracks to make sure that we don't have some terrible situation like this lurking somewhere else on the tracks."

"As I've said many times, most of the stuff on the tracks and the systems and the trains and the cars and all the rest on the T are 50 years old or more," Baker said. "For decades people neglected making the investments they should have been making in the core system. We're in-

vesting hundreds of millions of dollars in those core system upgrades, and a couple years from now, you're going to have basically new cars on the Red Line, new cars on the Orange Line, new signals and switches on both systems, new cars and a very different system than the one we have now, but in the meantime, I get the fact that what riders had to put up with vesterday was unacceptable."

Newton Democrat Setti Warren, a candidate for governor, called the derailment "further evidence that Gov. Baker is failing and his strategy of no new revenue and privatization is wrong."

"Gov. Baker's failure is causing declining ridership, forcing people into cars and compounding the traffic Walsh said service has gridlock spreading in all directions," Warren said in a statement. "The Baker administration claims they are making improvements that riders can't see (WHAT does that even mean?) and that we should be patient because it will take 20 years to fix the T. That seems right - it will take 20 years, if we leave him in charge."

Boston Mayor Martin

improved on the MBTA and "major investments" have been made in the Red Line, which he said has "probably been one of the highest performing lines of the system consistently over the past year."

A former state representative, Walsh said the state still needs to invest more in its transportation infrastructure.

"They need a dedicated this."

revenue source, and they've got to figure out a way of doing it, and it's not going to be done by fares, it's not going to be done by advertising," Walsh said. "I think the governor has done an awful lot of work on the T. This situation that happened yesterday, we really haven't heard something like this in quite a while, that we've had a big breakdown like

City funding awarded to Dorchester, Mattapan building projects

By JENNIFER SMITH **News Editor**

Affordable housing projects in Dorchester and Mattapan will receive more than \$15 million in funding from the city of Boston. The city's Department of Neighborhood Development and the Neighborhood Housing Trust Fund will help subsidize seven new rental housing initiatives across the city, according to Mayor Martin Walsh's office. Across these projects, 436 units of housing will be produced, 354 of which will be income restricted to low-, moderate- and middle-income households.

Funds for these projects include \$10.4 million of HOME, Community Development Block Grant, and Inclusionary Development funding, \$4.25 million in linkage funding, and \$1.2 million in a housing creation award.

The city did not specify the amount awarded to each individual project.

In Dorchester, Viet AID's plan for a new residential building at 191 -195 Bowdoin St. will receive city funding. The project will bring 41 affordable rental units and about 7,000 square feet of commercial space to Bowdoin Street.

A team of developers that is gearing up to build 135 units of mixed income rental housing in Mattapan Square, with 69 affordable rental units and 66 market rate units, will also receive city funds. The project— submitted by Preservation of Affordable Housing and Nuestra Comunidad CDC- will also include 10,000 square feet of commercial space on what is now a stateowned parking lot along River Street.

At 872 Morton Street, in Mattapan, the Caribbean Integration Community Development and Planning Office for Urban Affairs will create a 38-unit, mixed-income development, along with over 2,000 square feet of commercial space. The team is working with the Parks Department to design a serenity garden to be named after Stephen P. Odom.

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Governor hopefuls make opening pitch to Dot Dems

(Continued from page 1) economic inequality here in our Commonwealth. I believe we need to ask people who are doing really well in this economy, particularly folks who are making over \$1 million a year or more, to contribute more so we can invest in things that matter in this Commonwealth. Charlie Baker does not."

Warren expressed support for the Millionaires' Tax and overhauling areas of public education funding like Chapter 70, decried the state of public transit, and said Baker is failing to dedicate enough resources to the opioid crisis.

Gonzalez, who served as the state's secretary for Administration and Finance under Gov. Deval Patrick, framed the race in a national lens.

"With Trump taking us backward, every single day, it is more important than ever that we are leading right here in Massachusetts," Gonzales told the roomful of Dorchester party activists. "But we're not leading under Governor Baker. He's a status quo, wait-and-see governor, and it's not good enough. It's not good enough to simply accept the world the way it exists and try to manage it better."

His laundry list of pri-



Former Newton Mayor Setti Warren addressed Democrats who turned out for the Ward 17 caucus in Lower Mills on Tuesday night. Warren is one of three men seeking the Democratic nomination for governor this year.

Jennifer Smith photo

orities included a living wage, paid family leave, affordable housing, debt free college, high quality affordable child care, "a transportation system that people can actually depend on to get to work on time —crazy idea," and a improved health care system.

For Massie, a longtime environmental activist, society is "upside-down" and "we need a governor who will fight back."

People are struggling to find decent housing and medical care, secure jobs, and benefit from string educational opportunities, he said.

"I think governors should be able to look into the future and identify the problems that are coming at us, and we have a lot of them," Massie said. He identified renewable energy, investing in statewide transit, and the implications of newer technologies like self-driving cars on current workforces.

In their push to rally support and challenge a popular governor, the three gubernatorial candidates and their representatives have peppered ward meetings during the nomination caucuses in recent weeks.

"I think it's great when candidates come to Dorchester," said Ward 17 chair Joyce Linehan, "especially in a statewide race where, obviously for people in this room, it's important that the urban agenda is front and center, so it's nice to have all three of the gubernatorial candidates and both of the Lt. Governor [candidates] also show up."

Several candidates are familiar faces to the local ward committees, said Linehan, who serves as a senior advisor to Mayor Martin Walsh.

"It great to hear them and all but Jay have been here before, within the last few months," she said. "So I think they realize that Dorchester is a really good place for identifying volunteers and trying to organize grassroots activists."

Winston Richie, who heads up the Ward 15 committee based in the Bodwoin-Geneva area, said he has been pleased with the amount of engagement from the caucus-goers.

At the Ward 15 caucus last Saturday, Richie said representatives from all three gubernatorial candidates spoke. US Congressman Michael Capuano — who faces a serious challenge from Boston city councillor Ayanna Pressley this fall—was there to speak to the caucus-goers in person.

"I think the candidates are interested in reaching out to the wards," Richie said. With several races on the table, he said the Ward 15 members plan to gather to discuss any possible endorsements.

Richie said former state Sen. Linda Dorcena Forry's departure seemed to usher in a wave of races — the special election to replace her; Pressley challenging Capuano; Suffolk District Attorney Dan Conley's announcement that he will not seek re-election, which drew Fifth Suffolk Rep. Evandro Carvalho into the DA race and left his seat up for grabs in the fall as well.

"The turmoil is, I suppose, both good and bad," Richie said, "because it will spark more interest, and I think when people leave it's an opportunity for new people to get involved and that's all good. The downside is the uncertainty. When you don't know who your rep or senator or DA is, there's a cost to pay there, but I think overall the positives outweigh the negatives."

It is a competitive caucus season, Linehan noted, and "the energy is definitely a little bit more pronounced. I think people are still angry, still smarting, still all that stuff from the 2016 race, so everyone's kind of recommitting to our values."

The last Dorchester ward caucus of this season will be held in Ward 14 this Saturday, March 3. Registration for the meeting starts at noon and the caucus starts promptly at 1 p.m. at the Perkins Community Center, 155 Talbot Ave., Dorchester.

Congressman Stephen F. Lynch

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and shoulders. The proliferation of laptops,
tablets, smartphones, portable electronic
games and other mobile devices has only
added to the potential strain.

Some Common Conditions

Overuse, poor posture and less-than-ideal work stations may contribute to some of these conditions.

- Wrist and hand pain. The repetitive motions involved with typing and moving a mouse may result in tendonitis (inflamed tendons) or bursitis (inflammation of the sacs of cushioning fluid). There is some controversy over whether carpal tunnel syndrome is related to repetitive stress, but it may be possible. Carpal tunnel syndrome occurs when thickened, irritated tendons at the base of the hand press on a nerve. Symptoms may include tingling, numbness and sharp pains through the wrist and up the arm.
- De Quervain's tendinitis. Possibly caused by overuse (think constant text-messaging or game-playing), De Quervain's tendonitis occurs when tendons on the thumb side of the wrist become swollen or irritated. Pain at the base of the thumb can make it difficult to grasp objects.
- Back, shoulder and neck pain. Hours of hunching over a computer – especially if stressed or under a deadline – may result in sore and strained muscles.

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- If you plan to use a laptop for an extended period, you may want to consider plugging in an external keyboard so you can adjust the monitor to a more comfortable viewing position. The same applies to extended use of tablets
- Practice good posture. Don't hunch your shoulders or cradle a phone in your neck while working.
- Take regular breaks. Get up and stretch or walk – if only for a minute or two – at least once every hour, and preferably every half hour.
- Avoid constant texting. If you have a long message to deliver, consider using your phone to call rather than text.

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Lower Mills housing project prompts fierce debate

(Continued from page 1) Molloy's funeral parlor.

Attendees voiced a ${\bf range}\, of \, objections\, to\, the$ project, from concerns about parking and traffic to uncertainty about who is actually financing the proposal, which is currently in the middle of an Article 80 "large project" review from the Boston Planning and Development Agency (BPDA). In documents filed with the city last year, the proponents said that they intended to sell the units as condos, but still reserve the right to convert the project into a rental apartment complex instead.

The Boston Landmarks Commission is set to review the proposal at a public hearing on March 13 at 6 p.m. at Boston City Hall. The three existing structures on the project site along Washington Street were constructed between the mid 18th and mid 19th century, but none are currently listed on the city's historic register. The commission is required to consider their significance as part of the city's review process. At Monday's meeting, representatives for City Point, LLC — including their attorney and an architect—showed the public three "alternative" designs for their new building project if the existing buildings were kept in place.

The first would leave the three existing structures intact, while building on the land behind them— a design that would add two additional floors to the new building. The second alternative would see only the center of the three existing buildings— the funeral home- demolished. A driveway would take the place of this structure, connecting the complex to Washington Street. The third alternative would relocate 1126 Washington St. to the left side of the plot so that the condominium complex could be constructed around it.

Several residents at the meeting expressed opposition to the various alternatives, deeming none of them to be viable options. As the meeting segued into a Q&A about the original proposal, a number of people raised questions surrounding the size of the project and the impact it would have on parking and traffic in a neighborhood already dealing with heavy volume at peak



A development team plans to build a four-story mixed-use building along this stretch of Washington Street in Lower Mills, a 48,303-square foot site that includes the former Molloy funeral parlor (foreground).

**Reporter file photo*

periods

The original proposal would provide 63 residential parking spaces for the 57 units for a parking ratio of 1.1 per unit, a figure below the 1.5 standard required by existing zoning regulations. One resident said he was worried a dearth of parking spaces would see him lose his street parking spot on Washington Street.

The results of a traffic study presented by the development team did little to assuage these concerns. According to the study, the new development would add 22 new "vehicular trips" to each rush hour period, a figure that would have a negligible impact on traffic volume. The study also assessed nearby intersections and concluded that while some received a "D"

or "E" grade, none were considered to be failing by city standards.

As the meeting progressed, more and more residents aired frustrations about the housing proposal process, which has been in the works for about four years now.

"Are they really listening to us?" asked one resident, who said her house abuts the location. "You said they came and spoke to abutters, but no one came to me and spoke to me."

In an October 2016 meeting, the Lower Mills Civic Association voted 12-9 to support the project. Developers had gone back and forth with civic members on the site plans for about two years before the vote, with primary concerns involving parking, traffic, and density.

An Impact Advisory Group— a select group of neighbors appointed by the BPDA to meet with the proponents— will meet again in mid to late March, according to BPDA spokesperson Bonnie McGilpin. A second community-wide meeting will be scheduled after the IAG meets, she said.

"The IAG role will remain the same," Mc-Gilpin said in an e-mail. "To advise the BPDA in both identifying the impacts and determining the appropriate mitigation."

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CODMAN SQUARE BRANCH

Thurs., March 1, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Mon., March 5, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Tues., March 6, 10:30 a.m. – Quilt Making for Generations; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Wed., March 7, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Thurs., March 8, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Mon., March 12, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help.

FIELDS CORNER BRANCH

Thurs., March 1, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Fri., March 2, 9:30 a.m. – Lapsit Story Time; Tiny Tots Sign Language; 10:30 a.m. – Reading Readiness. Mon., March 5, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Tues., March 6, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help; 6:30 p.m. – Hatha Yoga. Wed., March 7, 10:30 a.m. – Preschool Films and Fun; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help; 4 p.m. – What is a Monument? A Youth Design Workshop. Thurs., March 8, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Fri., March 9, 9:30 a.m. – Lapsit Storytime; Tiny Tots Sign Language; 10:30 a.m. – Reading Readiness.

GROVE HALL BRANCH

Thurs., March 1, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Fri., March 2, 10:30 a.m. – Preschool Movies. Sat., March 3, 11 p.m. – Sankofa Group; 1 p.m. – Hollywood Goes to School. Mon., March 5, 3:30 p.m. – Drop in Homework Help; Karaoke Coding for Teens. Tues., March 6, 10:15 a.m. – ESL High-Beginner English; 10:30 a.m. – Preschool Story Time; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Wed., March 7, 11 a.m. – Toddler Story Time; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Thurs., March 8, :30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Fri., March 9, 10:30 a.m. – Preschool Movies.

LOWER MILLS BRANCH

Thurs., March 1, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Fri., March 2, 9:30 a.m. – Babytime. Mon., March 5, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help; 7 p.m. – Pajama Storytime. Tues., March 6, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Wed., March 7, 10:30 a.m. – Music & Movement; 3 p.m. – Teen Tech Club: Video Game Design with Empow; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Thurs., March 8, Tues., Feb. 27, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Wed., Feb. 28, 10:30 a.m. – Music & Movement; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Fri., March 9, 9:30 a.m. – Babytime.

MATTAPAN BRANCH

Thurs., March 1, 2:30 p.m. – 90s Nostalgia; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help; 6:30 p.m. – Yoga. Fri., March 2, 2:30 p.m. – Movie Friday. Sat., March 3, 2:30 p.m. – Creole for Beginners.

Mon., March 5, 10:30 a.m. – HISET/GED Preparation Class; 2:30 p.m. – Cartoon Afternoon; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Tues., March 6, 12 p.m. – Towering Tots; 2:30 p.m. – 90s Nostalgia; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help; Karaoke Coding for Teens. Wed., March 7, 10:30 a.m. – HISET/GED Preparation Class; 2:30 p.m. – Cartoon Afternoon; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Thurs. March 8, 2:30 p.m. – 90s Nostalgia; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help; 6:30 p.m. – Yoga. Fri., March 9, 2:30 p.m. – Movie Friday. Sat., March 10, 2 p.m. – Teen Resume Building; Writing About Family.

UPHAMS CORNER BRANCH

Thurs., March 1, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Mon., March 5, 10:30 p.a.m. – Baby and Toddler Singalong; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Tues., March 6, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Wed., March 7, 11:15 a.m. – Story Craft Program; 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help. Thurs., March 8, 3:30 p.m. – Drop-In Homework Help.

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Leonid Dabuzhsky,

Dot's Denise Burgess to take helm at Girl Scouts

Dorchester resident Denise Burgess has been named Chief Executive Officer of the Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts after a six-month nationwide search. Burgess, a Boston native, starts the job on March 13. She will replace Patricia Parcellin, who served as CEO for more than three years before her retirement in January.

Burgess is a former American diplomat, national news correspondent, and international communications consultant. She has served most recently as resident country director for The Carter Center in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

Previously, she served 16 years in the U.S. Department of State -Foreign Service.

During her service, Burgess staffed the front lines of the State Department's 24-hour, worldwide communications and crisis management center. She also directed critical first-response communications during the immediate aftermath of the African embassy bombing crisis in 1998.

"I am so excited to embark on this journey with Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts, particularly at this moment in the course of history. I believe America is facing a critical juncture in the development of our cultural norms, particularly those that relate to women and girls," says Burgess. "The Girl Scouts' mission is to encourage girls to develop the qualities necessary to become successful, well-balanced, healthy women, who contribute positively to our society. We must use our own courage, confidence, and character to make sure that the next generation of girls, and the next, and the next after that, are prepared to face the unique challenges they'll encounter in a world as

yet unknown to us."

A graduate of Princeton University and Syracuse University, Burgess appeared as a CNN correspondent from 2002 to 2005, managing the Middle East and Asia news desk during the Iraq invasion, then delivering live reports from Baghdad during the post-conflict phase. She was nominated for "Best Feature" by the National Association of Black Journalists.

Following her diplomatic and broadcast experiences, Burgess worked as a consultant on Afghan reconstruction issues at the Department of Defense. She also founded the consulting firm Burgess Belgrave, LLC, providing international strategic planning, communications, and marketing consultancy to the State Department's Educational and Cultural Affairs Bureau, NATO/ ISAF Afghanistan, and across a variety of private



Denise Burgess

sector companies.

"Denise's impressive professional experience, her character, and her personal commitment to the advancement of women and girls combine to make her the ideal leader for our council at this time in our history," said Tricia Tilford, Board Chair and President, Girl Scouts of Eastern Massachusetts. "Our board members immediately recognized Denise's potential to raise the council's visibility and help get the message out that Girl Scouts delivers the best leadership development experience for girls in the world—one that is designed with, by and for girls. She will serve as an ambassador in promoting Girl Scouts as a safe, inclusive space where girls can take the lead."

Leonid Dabuzhsky, MD

providing a customized, patient-specific surgery. Carney Hospital is alone in the region to offer the OMNIBotics roboticassisted total knee replacement procedure to its patients.

"I was drawn to Carney Hospital because of their patient-first approach with everything they do," said Dr. Dabuzhsky, who received his medical degree from Russian State Medical University and has been in practice for more than 30 years. "From the moment they step onto campus, the team here is committed to ensuring that not only does every patient receive highquality care, but that that care is delivered with compassion and respect. I could not be more proud than to align myself with Carney Hospital in their mission to serve the community.

Forde plans to challenge Murphy for Deeds job communities by helping Boston City Councillor



Katie Forde

Katie Forde, the runner-up in the 2016 race for Suffolk County Register of Deeds, is

Nine Dorchester resi-

dents have recently been

named to the Dean's List

at Boston University

for the Fall semester:

Harry V. Dam, Sophia

Dorsainvil-Johnson.

giving it another try this

The self-described progressive Democrat says the energy and activism created by the 2017 Women's March is leading to a "surge of female candidates up and down the ballot," and she'll be one of them.

"The work of the Register of Deeds affects every homeowner, and can transform and empower to create more homeownership. It must be led by someone with a vision for using the office as more than a retirement plan for ousted city councilors," Forde, who launches her campaign Wednesday at Doyle's in Jamaica Plain, wrote on her site.

Forde attracted endorsements from the Boston Globe and Boston Herald in 2016. Former candidates - Stephanie Everett, Jeffrey Michael Ross, Douglas Bennett, Paul Nutting, Jr., and Michael Mackan - who collectively pulled in nearly 14,500 votes.

Stephen Murphy won

that race with 11,030

votes, followed by Forde

at 9,203 and five other

- MICHAEL P. NORTON /SHNS

Abdulkerim Gamzatov, Ian P. Halliday, Duy Nguyen, Alicia Pham, Nora A. Quinn, Rebecca D. Roberts, and Franchesca Viresident of Mattapan, was also named to the Dean's List at BU.

Each school and college at Boston University has their own criterion aud. Jesse Bailey, a for the Dean's List, but students generally must attain a 3.5 grade point average (on a 4.0 scale), or be in the top 30 percent of their class, as well as a full course load as a full time student.

YESTERYEAR ARCHIVE

DORCHESTER HISTORICAL SOCIETY

At the Dorchester Historical Society, we are collecting photographs we have of Dorchester residents who served in WWI. We hope eventually to produce an online exhibit highlighting these men and their service to our country. Today's subject is Albert W. Little.

He was born on Aug. 19, 1898 on Lonsdale Street to Melvin Clarence Little, a broker, and Maud Emmeline Smith.

By 1910, the family was living on Fuller Street and Albert had an older sister, Mildred, and 3 younger brothers, Charles W., Richard M. and Frank B. Melvin was listed as a vinegar dealer and Albert worked with him.

In April 1917, Albert, then a salesman, enlisted in the National Guard at Boston and reported for duty on July 25, 1917. He was with 3 Co. CAC (18 Co. Boston CAC), and then Battery F, 55th Artillery, CAC until discharge. [The US Army Coast Artillery Corps (CAC)



Albert W. Little

was an administrative corps responsible for coastal, harbor, and anti-aircraft defense of the United States between 1901 and 1950. The CAC also operated heavy and railway artillery during World War I.] Albert served overseas from May 25, 1918, to Jan. 22, 1919, and was honorably discharged on Feb. 8, 1919.

In 1920, the family was still living in the rented home on Fuller Street, but in 1930 the Littles were recorded as owning a home on North Street, Weymouth. Albert was listed as a traveling salesman, Importers.

Ten years later, in 1940, Albert was living with his wife, Ruth P. (Leighton), and their 3 children, Donna, Cynthia, and Gerald on East St., Weymouth. He was a cloth salesman. By 1957, Albert was working for Harry Small Associates in textiles. Later, he was a partner with a company is now called Tarko & Little.

Albert died at age 73 on Dec. 22, 1971, of cancer while at the N.E. Rehabilitation Center in Woburn, MA. He was survived by his wife, children, and his mother, who died a year later at 97. Do you know more about Albert W. Little? We would love to hear from you!

You can reach us at dorchesterhistorical society.org. Check out the Society's online catalog at Dorchester.pastperfectononline.com; the archive of these historical posts can be viewed on the website.



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Editorial

Mixed messages hurt the BPD's mission

A video showing portions of a verbal confrontation between a white Boston Police officer and a black pedestrian on Charles Street in Fields Corner went viral this week and opened up a new front in a long-bubbling dispute over how police engage with people in our community, particularly young men or boys of color.

It's not possible to make hard-and-fast judgments based solely on the video, which was made by the young civilian, who posted the record of the encounter with the white officer from his perspective.

Both sides could have handled it better. Still, the behavior of the police officer was troubling and disappointing. An authority figure, armed and with the power of arrest, he seemed intent on provoking a negative response. He insinuated that the young man was somehow out of place walking on a public street near the Fields Corner business district, right next to the T station in the daytime. He insulted him.

We expect a lot of our officers, more than perhaps is reasonable given the demands of a tough job. Still, it was not a good look for the Boston Police.

The BPD is having a run of bad publicity and some if it is of their own making. They were widely panned for an ill-advised Black History Month tweet on Feb. 11 that saluted Red Auerbach. The BPD's media team first deleted the tweet and later apologized; the mayor and the police commissioner apologized more expansively.

But, whoever is at the controls of the BPD's most powerful information tool— the 522,000-follower strong Twitter account—persisted in sending mixed messages. They "liked" articles and videos that pushed back against the backlash to the Auerbach tweet. The BPD official Twitter handle started following the Twitter account of Turtle Boy Sports, a blog that traffics in anonymous social media commentary that is often vulgar and racially-charged.

On Feb. 12, Turtle Boy lauded the BPD's initial Auerbach tweet and ridiculed Mayor Marty Walsh—whom they call "Mayor Moron." The same blog then heralded the fact that the Boston Police Department's powerful Twitter account was following them—an affirmation, as they see it, of their position.

It's hard to quarrel with that assessment.

It's even harder when you consider that on Feb. 14 the BPD Twitter profile "liked" an inflammatory Turtle Boy blog post that ridiculed Sharon High School's administration for a Black History Month display that highlighted historical figures including former Black Panther Huey Newton. The post concluded with this language about the black community:

"...[T]he fact of the matter is that cops are the best thing that has ever happened to the black community. The second they step down policing efforts in places like Baltimore the black murder rate skyrockets. Once again, these are facts. Facts don't care about your feelings."

When I asked the BPD officer in charge of communications—Lt. Mike McCarthy—to explain why this happened, his answer was, frankly, insufficient.

"It is not known why a certain tweet was 'liked' by the BPD," McCarthy wrote. "We can look into the reasons."

McCarthy added: "The BPD does not agree with the 'like' on the post and in fact un-liked it once it was reviewed and ultimately un-followed the blog."

In point of fact, the BPD "like" was still up as of Wednesday morning. The BPD took it down following an inquiry from the *Reporter*. So, for two weeks, the official organ of the BPD was on the record supporting this for all to see.

It raises a serious question: Why is the official Boston Police twitter account "liking" a racially-charged rant that concludes "cops are the best thing that ever happened to the black community" in the first place. Why are they frequenting a site like that at all using the BPD account? We rely on these same men and women to disseminate critical information about public safety— and this is the nonsense that they are occupied with?

It's a troubling indicator of a "sorry, not sorry" attitude that does a disservice to the men and women who we ask to police our streets— and who do not engage in this sort of behavior. City government is sending out a very confusing set of messages about its posture towards communities of color. It's deeply problematic and requires a full-throated explanation from the Commissioner himself.

-Bill Forry

New lawsuit claims racial bias in

Trump's TPS order

By Michael P. Norton State House News Service

The Trump administration's decision to end temporary protected status for immigrants from El Salvador and Haiti is "impermissibly infected by racial discrimination" and should be struck down, plaintiffs argue in a federal lawsuit filed in Boston last Thursday against the president and two homeland security officials.

The plaintiffs, immigrants with TPS status represented by the Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights and Economic Justice and Centro Presente, are challenging the decision to terminate the protected status for Haitian immigrants on July 22, 2019 and for immigrants from El Salvador on Sept. 9, 2019, saying it violates the equal protection clause of the U.S. Constitution.

The temporary status is designed to protect foreign nationals living in the U.S. whose nations are experiencing a humanitarian or environmental crisis. The TPS designation for El Salvador was made in 2001 and for Haiti in 2010, due to natural disasters, and the Lawyers' Committee says recoveries have stalled in those nations due to "stagnant economies, extreme gang and gender-based violence, a cholera epidemic and ill-functioning infrastructures."

The 37-page complaint lays out the case that the administration's decision was unconstitutional.

"President Trump has long made clear his dislike and disregard for Latino and Black immigrants, including equating Latino immigrants with rapists, asserting that African immigrants who have seen America would never 'go back to their huts,' and saying a group of Haitian immigrants 'all have AIDS,' "the plaintiffs wrote in their court filing. In another part of the complaint, the plaintiff attorneys conclude, "The Trump Administration's decision to terminate TPS for Salvadorans and Haitians harkens back to some of the darkest and most discredited chapters in U.S. history."

While the complaint says conditions in El Salvador and Haiti "have only worsened over time," federal homeland security officials say the temporary protected status is no longer warranted based on current conditions in El Salvador and Haiti.

Iván Espinoza-Madrigal, the executive director of Lawyers' Committee executive, cited President Trump's comments equating Latino immigrants with rapists and referring to Haiti as a "shithole" country as evidence of his bias. "President Trump has made no secret of his racist views," said Espinoza-Madrigal.

The plaintiffs include:

-- Salvadoran immigrant Juan Carlos Vidal of Revere who has opened four restaurants and is the father of two U.S.-born children, ages 5 and 7;



Haitian activists and immigrants protest on Boston City Hall Plaza on Jan. 26.

Charles Krupa/AP photo

-- Chris Jean Baptise, 19, a Milton High School graduate from Haiti who is enrolled at Bunker Hill Community College;

-- Mercedes Mata, a Salvadoran immigrant and Leominster homeowner who works as a clerk in a Fitchburg municipal office and has a 21-year-old enrolled at Mount Wachusett Community College and a seven-year-old in first grade;

-- Carolina Mata, a Salvadoran immigrant whose 19-year-old is a Fitchburg State University freshman and 11-year-old is in the fifth grade.

"As we have seen repeatedly in recent months, federal judges have shown a willingness to block actions by the Trump Administration that run afoul of constitutional protections," Lawyers' Committee attorney Oren Nimni said in a statement.

There are 242,900 El Salvadoran immigrants in the U.S. with temporary protected status, according to the plaintiffs, and they have an estimated 192,700 U.S. citizen children. There are 93,500 immigrants from Haiti in the U.S. with TPS, with an estimated 27,000 U.S. citizen children.

On Nov. 20, 2017, former Acting Secretary of Homeland Security Elaine Duke determined disaster-related conditions in Haiti "no longer supported its designation for TPS" and announced the termination of the status after reviewing country conditions and consulting with U.S. government agencies. She delayed the effective date of the termination for 18 months, from Jan. 22, 2018, "to allow time for an orderly transition."

On Jan. 8, Homeland Security Secretary Kirstjen Nielsen announced the planned end of temporary protected status for immigrants from El Salvador, saying the conditions associated with a 2001 earthquake no longer exist and noting millions of dollars in international and emergency aid to help with recovery.

On Feb. 6, during a meeting with law enforcement officials to discuss the MS-13 gang, President Trump questioned the length of protected status.

Congress for many years has been unable to agree on solutions to immigration system challenges.

City weighs pros, cons of meter hikes

By Colin A. Young State House News Service

Raising the price of parking at a meter in Boston is an effective way to ease congestion and make finding a parking spot easier, but a city-run pilot program found that the results varied based on the pricing structure put into place.

In 2017, the city launched a pilot program in the Seaport and Back Bay neighborhoods to find out whether raising metered parking rates in some of the most congested areas would encourage drivers to use other modes of transportation or park in less-busy locations. After crunching the data of a year's worth of parking in a report released Wednesday, the city saw success in the Back Bay and something less in the Seaport.

In Back Bay, the city raised the price of all meters from the standard \$1.25 per hour to a flat rate of \$3.75 per hour for the entire year. This "zone-based static pricing model" led to an 11 percent overall increase in available metered spots, a 14 percent decrease in double parking and a 33 percent decline in loading zone parking, the city said. The average stay at a meter decreased from one hour and 22 minutes in 2016 to one hour and eight minutes in 2017.

"The 2017 performance parking pilot has shown it's possible to adjust meter prices and change our roads for the better, leading to less congestion, and more parking spaces for our residents and businesses, helping neighborhoods thrive," Mayor Martin Walsh said in a statement.

Boston Transportation Department Commissioner Gina Fiandaca said the pilot program showed that altering meter pricing can make better use of the city's "limited curb-space," make it easier for drivers to find a place to park and does more to protect bicyclists and pedestrians from double parked cars.

But in the Seaport, one of the city's fastest-growing areas that is plagued by transportation issues, the city found that its performance parking pilot "had little impact on the number of available spaces."

Rather than simply raise the price of parking in the Seaport, the city used a "block-based dynamic pricing model" in which the meters on each block were priced independently between \$1 and \$4. Every two months, based on the number of available spaces, the city would change the price of the meters by 50 cents per hour with the goal of having one to two spots open on each block at any given time.

That approach proved far less fruitful for the city, the report found, and the 35 blocks that were part of the pilot saw an average occupancy increase of 4.6 percent, even as the city repeatedly raised the price to park. Total parking meter transactions declined by 1 percent, the city said.

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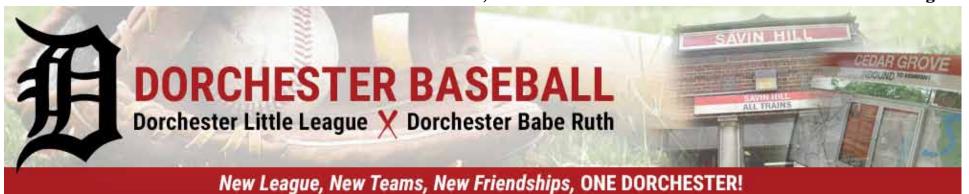
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Registration NOW OPEN to all players who have a permanent residence in or attend school in 02121, 02122, 02124 or 02125

Key Dates

Wednesday, February 28th Free T-shirt for players who are registered and paid in full by this date

Thursday, March 15th Registration DEADLINE; players not registered by this date will be placed on a Waiting List

Tuesday, April 3rd Teams will be formed and players will be contacted by coaches

Saturday, April, 21st OPENING DAY (details TBD)

How to Register

For players ages 4 – 12: For players ages 13 – 16: www.DorchesterLitteLeague.org www.DorchesterBabeRuth.org

Spring Training/Tryouts:

Attendance at these sessions is strongly encouraged, and for players age 8 and up, it is mandatory to attend **AT LEAST TWO** of the tryouts to be eligible for placement on a team

	L	ocation	
Date	Dorchester Boys and Girls Club		Marina Bay Sportsplex Tryouts**
Sunday, Feb. 25th	Age 4 Age 5-6 Age 7	10-11am 11-12:30 pm 12:30 – 2 pm	
Sunday, March 4th	Age 4 Age 5-6 Age 7	10-11 am 11-12:30 pm 12:30 – 2 pm	8-9:30 am Ages 8-12 Last Names A-L 9:30-11 am Ages 8-12 Last Names M-Z 11-1 pm Ages 13-16
Sunday, March 11th	Age 4 Age 5-6 Age 7	10-11 am 11-12:30 pm 12:30 – 2 pm	8-9:30 am Ages 8-12 Last Names M-Z 9:30-11 am Ages 8-12 Last Names A-L 11-1 pm Ages 13-16
Sunday, March 18th			8-9:30 am Ages 8-12 Last Names A-L 9:30-11 am Ages 8-12 Last Names M-Z 11-1 pm Ages 13-16
Sunday, March 25th			8-9:30 am Ages 8-12 Last Names M-Z 9:30-11 am Ages 8-12 Last Names A-L 11-1 pm Ages 13-16

**IMPORTANT: Players who register but do not attend the requisite number of tryouts (applies to ages 8-16) AND who have unpaid balances will NOT be placed on a roster.

Changes to Standards for Bats:

Little League & Babe Ruth Baseball have implemented new rules regarding what bats can be used for the 2018 season and beyond. As of January 1, 2018 the new USA Baseball Bat Standard will apply to all bats used at all Majors, Minors, and Babe Ruth levels. Bats that were approved for the 2017 season will no longer be acceptable for use during practices or games. Senior/Teen level (BBCOR bats) and Tee Ball bat rules are not changing.

The bat your player used last year will not be allowed in the 2018 season and beyond. All approved bats will have the USABat logo on it. For more information and an approved bat list visit USABat.com.

Please note: Players ARE NOT required to buy a bat. All Dorchester Baseball teams will be equipped with new bats this spring.

Send Questions, Concerns and Comments to:

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SENATE CANDIDATES TO SPEAK AT FIRST PARISH CHURCH

A coalition of Dorchester civic associations plan to host a "candidates night" for the three Senate candidates on Monday, March 19 from 6-8 p.m. at First Parish Church, 10 Parish St., Dorchester. The Dorchester Reporter is a co-sponsor of the event.

EVACUATION DAY OBSERVANCES ON MARCH 17

Evacuation Day is observed in South Boston and Roxbury beginning at 9 a.m. with the annual Evacuation Day Mass at St. Augustine's Chapel followed by a procession to Dorchester Heights, where General Washington placed artillery in 1776 to force the British out of Boston. The annual Historical Exercises begin at 10 a.m., featuring the Lexington Minutemen, the South Boston Excel Junior ROTC, the Allied War Veterans, and the Major General Henry Knox Lodge of Freemasons, Rep. Evandro Carvalho will host exercises at Fort Hill in Highland Park, Roxbury, begin at 11 a.m. with ceremonies by the Minutemen and local elected officials. Rep. Nick Collins will host lunch at the Shirley Eustis House, 33 Shirley Street, Roxbury, following the Fort Hill event. Shirley-Eustis House served as a Revolutionary War barracks during the Siege of Boston in 1775. For more information, please contact the Shirley-Eustis House at 617-442-2275 or email governorshirley@

GLOVER'S CORNER PLANNERS HOLD MARCH 8 OFFICE HOURS

The Boston Planning and Development Agency sponsors PLAN: Glover's Corner neighborhood hours at Boys and Girls Clubs of Dorchester's Paul R. McLaughlin Youth Center, 1135 Dorchester Ave. on Thursday, March 8 from 4-7 p.m. Meet the BPDA team and ask questions about the process and Glover's Corner area data. More online at BostonPlans.org or call Cecilia Nardi at 617-918-4471 or Cecilia.Nardi@ boston.gov.

WARD 14 DEMOCRATS TO CAUCUS

ON SATURDAY

Registered Democrats in Ward 14 will caucus this Saturday, March 3 to elect delegates to the state convention on June 1-2 at the DCU Center in Worcester. The Ward 14 meeting starts at 1 p.m. at



The Tech Boston Academy boys basketball team ended the regular season as City League champions with a 65-47 win over Brighton on Thursday, February 22. The Bears, led by coach Johnny Williams ended the season at 19-1. The boys are in Division 2/South and hope for a successful run in the state tournament play-offs getting underway this week. Inset: Walter Dew-Hollis, a senior on the Tech Boston team, surpassed the 1,000 points and was awarded the Most Valuable Player award after the game. Patrick O'Connor photo

the Anthony Perkins Community Center, 155 Talbot Pig, Cookie Monster and Elmo will be on the scene. Ave., Dorchester.

DOT DAY PARADE CHARACTER BREAKFAST ON MARCH 3

Dorchester Day Parade Committee's second annual Character Breakfast to raise funds for the June parade is set for Saturday, March 3 at 9:30 a.m. at First Parish Dorchester atop Meetinghouse Hill. Characters such as Poppy and Branch from Trolls, Batman, Minions, Mickey, Minnie, Moana, Peppa A delicious breakfast will be served by Season's Catering and ice cream will be available from Chill on Park. \$20 per adult, \$10 per child 12 and under. Children under 2 are free.

CHILI COOK-OFF KICKS OFF DOT DAY SEASON

12th annual Dorchester Chili Cook-off, a major fundraiser for the Dorchester Day Parade on Sunday, March 11 from 4p.m.-7p.m. at the IBEW Local 103 Hall, 256 Freeport St., Dorchester.

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Rep. Carvalho pulls out of state Senate race to seek Suffolk DA post

(Continued from page 1) Swift appointed him to office. But as a former prosecutor, he said the district attorney's office has a profound impact on communities of color.

"I am running for District Attorney because too many families in our community live in fear in the shadows of gun violence, because too many young people-Black and Latino men in particular-are robbed of their future because of mass incarceration, and because too many people with addiction and mental health illness are in prison without adequate treatment," he said. "I am committed to making the office more equitable, transparent, and accountable to the people, and to serving as a progressive leader who will be a voice for victims seeking justice and communities trying to heal."

Conley has been Boston's top prosecutor for 16 years, since 2002, when Acting Gov. Jane the position. He won election to the office later that year, and was re-elected without opposition three more times.

Boston Mayor Martin Walsh's chief legal counsel Eugene O'Flaherty is also considering a run for the DA post. Shannon McAuliffe, a defense attorney who ran a program for gang-involved youth, plans to mount a candidacy. Other potential candidates are Rachael Rollins, the former Chief Legal Counsel for Massport and a past president of the Mass Black Lawyers Association, and City Councillor At-Large Michael Flaherty, who said last week he was weighing a run.

Two candidates have pulled papers for the seat so far according to the Secretary of the Commonwealth's office: Dan Conley, before his retirement announcement, and McAuliffe (D).

Carvalho's announce-

ment came hours after Andrea Cabral, former Suffolk County Sheriff and Massachusetts Secretary of Public Safety, said on Twitter that she would not consider running for the district attorney position.

"Though I care deeply about the office, it's future direction and the important work prosecutors do every day, I am pursuing an exciting & different career opportunity," she wrote. "I am deeply touched (and even overwhelmed) by the outpouring of support and kind words from friends, strangers and friendly strangers; and grateful for the warm, wise counsel of those who helped me think it through.'

"Best of luck to all who enter the race!" she added.

The Fifth Suffolk representative's decision leaves state Rep. Nick Collins, of South Boston, as the lone Democrat and front-runner for the First Suffolk Senate

seat. In the April 3 primary, Collins will be alone on the ballot, along with a write-in space. For the Republican and Libertarian ballots in the primary, there will simply be a write-in space, according to the Secretary of the Commonwealth's office.

"Rep. Carvalho is a friend and I've enjoyed working with him as a colleague for the last several years as a member of the Boston delegation and particularly working together on the important issues of inclusion, access and opportunity for all," Collins said in a statement Monday. "His work in the State House and his experience in the Suffolk District Attorney's office make him a formidable candidate for DA. I look forward to continuing to work with him on the many issues facing our city and state and I wish him the best in all his future endeavors."

"This campaign is not about one person or candidate," Collins continued. "Ít's about make up the 1st Suffolk District. So our strategy doesn't change. I will continue campaigning in every neighborhood, every ward and every precinct, sharing my record on inclusion, access and opportunity for all."

Two other unenrolled, or independent, candidates are also seeking the post -- Former state Rep. Althea Garrison, who held the Fifth Suffolk post for one term in the early 1990s; and Donald Osgood, Sr., a city anti-violence worker and minister from Dorchester -- both of whom cleared the needed 300 certified signature mark. Unenrolled candidates will be on the final election ballot on May 1.

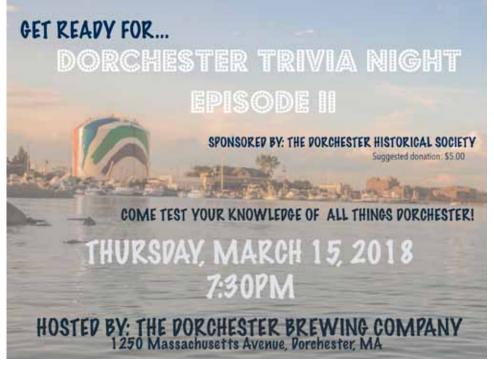
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State Rep. Dan Hunt threw his support to the 160,000 people that Collins in a release

Tuesday, calling him "a tremendous partner in government," and adding, "I know he will do an outstanding job our as our next state senator representing Dorchester, Mattapan, South Boston and Hyde Park. He is the leader we need to deal with major questions about responsible, communityoriented development, substance abuse, and economic opportunity."

After the special election concludes, candidates could still run in the normally scheduled November election for the First Suffolk seat. Three candidates have pulled papers as of Monday to run in the regular election: Duckens Petit-Maitre (D), Garrison (Unenrolled), and Jesus Rosa (Unenrolled).

Carvalho will not need to withdraw his name from the First Suffolk race, as he had not yet submitted his nomination papers to the state Elections Division. The deadline to do so is Tuesday, Feb. 27 at 5



Four pull papers to replace Carvalho in Fifth Suffolk

By Jennifer Smith **News Editor**

State Rep. Evandro Carvalho has decided not to seek re-election as he pursues the Suffolk County District Attorney post, leaving his Fifth Suffolk seat open and already the subject of early interest.

Three Democrats have already pulled papers for the Fifth Suffolk, according to the Secretary of the Commonwealth's office -- Brad Howze, Roy

Murrell -- as has an unenrolled candidate, Steven A. Wise.

Murrell was chief of staff for former state Sen. Linda Dorcena Forry.

"I am strongly considering stepping forward as a candidate for State Representative in the Fifth Suffolk district,' she said in a statement Tuesday.

'Since the news of Rep. Carvalho's decision to seek the office of Suffolk County District Attorney, I have received a significant number of phone calls and messages from neighbors, colleagues, civic leaders

Owens, and Ceferina and activists who have encouraged me to consider this opportunity to make an impact for my community in the state Legislature," she said. "I was born and raised in Upham's Corner— in the heart of the Fifth Suffolk - and I am committed to public service."

Carvalho has held the Fifth Suffolk seat since 2014, when he won a special election to replace former state Rep. Carlos Henriquez.

Candidates have until May 1 to collect and submit 150 signatures for certification to make the ballot. The state primary is Sept. 4.











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Elected officials keep close watch on UMass Bayside

(Continued from page 1) opportunities are for the site by late spring.

Last summer, the UMass Building Authority (UMBA) issued a "Request for Information" to developers in the region. Sixteen companies indicated an interest in buying or partnering with UMass to redevelop the site by the October deadline, though their responses remain sealed from public view.

City Councillor Frank Baker of Dorchester hopes the development there will be permeable, allowing access from the neighborhood to the waterfront, and account for existing neighborhood planning work.

"We really have to look at that one step at a time." he said. "Okav. what does that RFI look like, which is [a] very closed envelope. Hopefullywhentheygetdown to two or three [bidders] they'll call people and say, "they want to do this" or "they want to do this."

"There's an opportunity there for UMass to have their needs met, however that is, so I look forward to seeing exactly what UMass is planning," said Baker.

UMass officials have said the community will be involved in the

The RFI noted the existing Columbia Point Master Plan and prior planning charrettes as a jumping-off point. Most responses were consistent with the RFI's mixed-use oceanfront-gateway concept, a spokesman said.

Elected officials in South Boston and Dorchester have kept an eye on the proceedings, wary after a Robert Kraft-backed 20,000seat stadium proposal for the site in 2017 triggered pushback regarding a secretive discussion process that left the neighborhood out of the loop.

At a meeting in late January, elected officials asked UMass for fresh details on its plans after the Globe and then the Reporter broke news of the potential sale.

"If this was going to be a sale or a long-term lease, we wanted clarification on how they're promoting the tools that the university's empowered with to further their economic mission, and if they were going to use it to support the school," said state Rep. Nick Collins.

The type of sale has implications for community input. If it were to be a single-interaction sale, the developers

development process. would need to take their plans through the city's normal Article 80 process with the Boston Planning and Development Agency. This would ensure a seat at the table for nearby community members.

A long-term lease or partner development would reserve the university's right to exercise its zoning and tax exemptions and its bonding authority.

Legislation still working its way through committees on Beacon Hill, filed during the stadium discussions, would require that the university be subject to local zoning regulations if any of its property is to be developed for nonacademic purposes. It would also end UMass's exemption from the state's open bidding process, remove tax exemptions for publicprivate partnerships,

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and restrict the university from allowing private developers to use their bonding capac-

The university's building arm pushed back forcefully against the legislation in Sept. 2017, saying it "would serve as a detriment to the students and families of the University of Massachusetts."

The Expo Center site legislation ensures that "whether people are for or against a project, their voice is heard,' state Rep. Dan Hunt said after a Ward 13 caucus on Monday.

Any potential impact on the Bayside site from the legislation is uncertain, though university officials say the marketing process is not a reaction to the proposed bills.

"While the process could result in multiple outcomes, the univer-

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sity will be engaged throughout to ensure that it meets both our fiduciary responsibilities and our goals for the Boston campus,"

Cournoyer said. An open question revolves around the connection between development at the Bayside site and nearby infrastructure that has long frustrated locals, like the oft-jammed, perilous Kosciuszko Circle.

During stadium discussions, Mayor Martin Walsh and others expressed a hope that a major project could also be leveraged to improve the rotary and surrounding transit points.

Collins, whose district overlaps with the top of Columbia Point, said in early February that the state should not bank on the Bayside parcel to clean up its infrastructure messes.

"I don't believe the development at Bayside should be paying for the upgrade of Kosciuszko Circle, the upgrade at JFK station, and other things like that," said Collins, who is now a candidate for state Senate. "I think that's a problem that the state has to fix and it can't just be on the backs of the university and the Bayside site."



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SATURDAY, MARCH 24 | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

1520 Dorchester Avenue, Fields Corner Boston, Public Library Dorchester, MA 02118

EVENT DESCRIPTION:

Stop by at any of the times and locations mentioned above for the PLAN: Glover's Corner Neighborhood Hours to meet the PLAN: Glover's Corner team and ask questions about the process and Glover's Corner area data.

The PLAN initiative is an opportunity to think strategically about the future of Glover's Corner. In close partnership with the community, we will explore what and where to preserve, enhance, and grow.

We look forward to seeing you, whether you are new to the process or have been at any of our previous workshops.

For updates on the process, please visit: bit.ly/PlanGlovers.

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Scholarship applications must be received by Massport no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 27, 2018. For more information on the Lowell L. Richards III Memorial Scholarship, including an application checklist, please visit: www.massport.com/scholarships.

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Teresa Polhemus, Executive Director/Secretary

Neighborhood Notables

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CITY TO HOST SUMMER JOB AND RESOURCE FAIR

Boston teens ages 15-18 interested in a summer job through SuccessLink, the Mayor's Summer Jobs program, are encouraged to a Job and Resource Fair on Sat., March 10 from 10 a.m.- 2p.m. at the Reggie Lewis Track & Athletic Center at Roxbury Community College, 1350 Tremont St. The Job Fair will feature over 100 employers, game stations that will bring you up to speed on essential job skills, youth resource tables with important information and opportunities for teens, raffles, swag bags for the first 200 youth who RSVP, free food, music and more! For more info on SuccessLink, visit boston.gov.

ST. PAT'S BRUNCH RAISES FUNDS **FOR FOOD PANTRY**

Dorchester's 11th annual St. Patrick's Day Brunch will be held on Saturday, March 17 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish Hall, 800 Columbia Rd., Dorchester. The 2018 Dorchester Hall of Fame Inductees will include Fire Commissioner Joseph E. Finn, Sr. Barbara Gorham, SCH, The Marr Family. Special Guests: Governor Charlie Baker and Mayor Martin Walsh. All proceeds to benefit Mary

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AT BCYF ADMIN. OFFICE

Boston youth can now enroll in the MBTA Youth Pass Program at Boston Centers for Youth & Families (BCYF) Administrative Office, 1483 Tremont Street, in Mission Hill. The Youth Pass Program is a partnership between the City of Boston and the MBTA to provide reduced transportation fares to eligible youth ages 12-25. To learn more about the complete list of approved programs, eligibility criteria and how to apply for the Youth Pass, please call BCYF Division of Youth Engagement & Employment at 617-635-4202. More information about the Youth Pass program can also be found at boston.gov/mbta-youth-pass.

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DOT DAY 10K CASH DRAWING

Dorchester Day Parade Committee 10k Cash Drawing at Florian Hall, 55 Hallet St., Dorchester at 7 p.m. on Fri., April 6. Limited number of tickets (300) will be sold for \$100 each. Proceeds from the event support the June 3 Dot Day Parade. Contact Kelly Walsh at kellywalsh@dotdayparade.com or 888-734-2356 for tickets.

DOUBLE DUTCH CLINICS AT MADISON PARK

The Boston Parks and Recreation Department is hosting a series of free Double Dutch Clinics for ages 9-18 at the BCYF Madison Park Community Center, 55 Malcolm X Blvd., Roxbury in the gym at Building 4. These free clinics provide instruction in the fundamentals of jumping rope and rope turning. The sessions will be held from 2-4:30 p.m. on Sat., March 10 and 24, and April 7 and 14. Teams will compete in the Mayor's Cup Double Dutch Tournament on Sat., April 21 from 10-4 p.m. Doors will open at 9. No pre-registration is required for the clinics. Community centers and youth groups are encouraged to bring their youngsters to the clinics and are invited to schedule dates and times for regular participation in the program. For inf please call Larelle Bryson at 617-961-3092 or email larelle.bryson@boston.gov. FREE TAX CLINICS IN CODMAN SQUARE

Taxpayers who earned less than \$54,000 in 2017 can have their taxes prepared, and claim important tax credits such as the Earned Income Tax Credit, at free tax clinics held at the Wellness and Fitness Center, at 450 Washington St., running into April. Hours are Mondays and Tuesdays from 4-8 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. The free tax preparation is offered by the Codman Square Health Center in partnership with the Boston Tax Help Coalition.

WINTER FARMERS MARKET IN CODMAN SQUARE Every Saturday from until March 31 from 10-1 p.m. at The Great Hall in Codman Square, 6 Norfolk St., Dorchester, MA. Free admission. For updates and further information, check out their Facebook at dorchesterwinterfarmersmarket and Twitter @ dorchesterwfm.

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CITIZENSHIP CLASSES AT NOTRE DAME ED CENTER

New citizenship classes will be held on Mondays and Tuesdays starting this month at Notre Dame Education Center in South Boston. Call 617-268-1912. **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.

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

APPLE GROVE ASSOC.

The Apple Grove Association meets on the second Tuesday of every month from 6-8 p.m. at 1135 Morton St., Mattapan. The contact is Ms. Myrtle Huggins at 617-429-8531.

ASHMONT-ADAMS NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOC.

Meetings are typically held on the first Thursday of each month at the Plasterer's Hall, 7 Fredericka St., at 7 p.m. Contact Pat O'Neill at pattiashmont@

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Friday, March 2

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Saturday, March 3

• Dorchester Day Parade Committee's second annual Character Breakfast to raise funds for the June parade, 9:30 a.m. at First Parish Dorchester atop Meetinghouse Hill. Characters such as Poppy and Branch from Trolls, Batman, Minions, Mickey, Minnie, Moana, Peppa Pig, Cookie Monster and Elmo will be on the scene. A delicious breakfast will be served by Season's Catering and ice cream will be available from Chill on

Park. \$20 per adult, \$10 per child 12 and under. Children under 2 are free.

• Democrats in Ward 14 will meet to elect delegates to the state party convention at 1 p.m. at the Anthony Perkins Community Center Cafeteria, 155 Talbot Ave., Dorchester. Contact Darryl Smith at 617-903-7648 for more

Wednesday, March 7

• Brigham and Women's Center for Community Wellness sponsors workshop on kidney health from 7-8 p.m. at Sportsmen's Tennis and Enrichment Center, 950 Blue Hill Ave., Dorchester. More online at sportsmenstennis.org.

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• The Irish Balladeers perform in a familyfriendly St. Patrick's Day celebration event at the JFK Library at 10:30 a.m. Visit jfklibrary.org to register.

Sunday, March 11

• 12th annual Dorchester Chili Cook-off, a major fundraiser for the Dorchester Day Parade from 4p.m.-7p.m. at the IBEW Local 103 Hall, 256 Freeport St., Dorchester.

• Mass Audubon's Birders Meeting, the largest conference of its kind in New England, returns to the UMass Boston campus on Dorchester Bay with hundreds of birding enthusiasts gathering to hear the latest avian news from experts, learn more about specific species, and reconnect with like-minded nature lovers "Early Bird" registration (\$65 Mass Audubon member; \$70 nonmember) runs through Wednesday, February 28, then regular pricing (\$75 member; \$80 nonmember) will be in effect through today. To register and learn more, visit massaudubon.org/birdersmeeting

• Bay Colony Brass presents Fire-Works! a concert of music for brass and organ at All Saints Church in Ashmont, 3 p.m. All Saints' Music Director Andrew Sheranian joins the ensemble and is featured as soloist on organ, while Bay Colony Brass presents classics like Jupiter from Holst's The Planets, the Grand March from Aida, and Handel's Music for the Royal Fireworks. Also on the program is Kent Philip Baker's The Common Good, winner of Bay Colony's 1st annual call for scores, among other great pieces. 209 Ashmont St., Dorchester. More online

at baycolonybrass.org. Wednesday, March 14

JFK Library presents forum from 6-7:30 p.m. on "Nine Irish Lives: The Fighters, Thinkers and Artists Who Helped Build America." Register at jfklibrary.org.

Thursday, March 15

The Irish American Partnership will host their annual St. Patrick's Day Breakfast from 8-10 a.m. at the Boston Harbor Hotel. This year's breakfast will feature keynote speaker Irish Minister for Rural and Community Development Michael Ring, T.D., as well as guest speaker Dr. Maeve Liston, Coordina $tor\,of\,the\,Irish\,American$ Partnership's STEM Program. Reserve seats online at irishap.org.

Saturday, March 17

Dorchester's 11th annual St. Patrick's Day Brunch will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish Hall, 800 Columbia Rd., Dorchester. The 2018 Dorchester Hall of Fame Inductees will include Fire Commissioner Joseph E. Finn, Sr. Barbara Gorham, SCH, The Marr Family. Special Guests: Governor Charlie Baker and Mayor Martin Walsh, All proceeds to benefit Mary Ann Brett Food Pantry. \$100 per person.

LEGAL NOTICES

CITATION Docket No. SU10P1770GD COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT JAIDEN MICHAEL GILLIS

To all interested persons: A Petition has been filed by Angela M. Gillis, 16 Frost Ave., Apt. #2, Dorchester, MA 02122 requesting: Grant me permission to obtain a passport for Jaiden Michael Gillis

to go on vacation with minor child. 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 a written appearance and objection at this Cour before 10:00 a.m. on 03/29/2018.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return date, action may be taken without further notice to vou.

Witness, HON. BRIAN J. DUNN. Esquire, First Justice of this Court. Date: February 15, 2018 Felix D. Arroyo Register of Probate

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT
PROBATE & FAMILY COURT SUFFOLK DIVISION
24 NEW CHARDON STREET
BOSTON, MA 02114
Docket No. SU18D0076DR
DIVORCE SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION and MAILING WANDA ALTAGRACIA LUGO

MANUEL KENNY LUGO

To the Defendant:
The Plaintiff has filed a Complaint for Divorce requesting that the Court grant a divorce for Irretrievable Breakdown filed 01/10/2018. The Complaint is on file a he Court. An Automatic Restraining Order has been entered in this matte preventing you from taking any action which would negatively impact the cur-rent financial status of either party. SEE

Supplemental Probate Court Rule 411 You are hereby summoned and required to serve upon: Wanda Altagracia Lugo, 6 Abbot St., #1, Dorchester, MA 02124 your answer, if any, on or before 03/22/2018. If you fail to do so, the cour will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer, if any, in the office of the Register of this Court. Witness, HON. BRIANJ. DUNN, First

Justice of this Court. Date: January 19, 2018 Felix D. Arroyo Register of Probate Published: March 1, 2018



David W. Davis Memorial Internship



College juniors and seniors who reside in the City of Boston and are interested in applying for the David W. Davis Memorial Internship must have community service experience and must submit a 1,000-word essay. To be considered, all academic and residency criteria must also be met.

The David W. Davis Memorial Internship is a 13-week paid public service opportunity at Massport and is awarded annually to an exceptional junior or senior in college. Internship applications must be received by Massport no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 27, 2018. For more information about the David W. Davis Memorial Internship including an application checklist please visit: www.massport.com/internship.



IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

HYDE PARK

Hyde Park Municipal Building · 1179 River Street Tuesdays, 10 AM - 1 PM · MARCH 6 & 20, APRIL 3 & 17

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Come meet with Boston Water and Sewer Commission staff in your neighborhood and learn why it's important scoop the poop when taking your dog for a walk.

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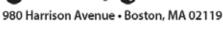
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FOR INFORMATION

















Brigham and Women's Center for Community Wellness (CCW) at Sportsmen's Tennis & Enrichment Center

HEAL² (Health Education, Awareness & Literacy = Healthy Engagement, Actions & Life) is a year-long CCW initiative featuring monthly workshops and interactive forums.

The CCW is a free health and wellness program created to empower all of us to take a more active role in managing our health. Come out and learn how small changes in diet, exercise and environment can impact our health, our family's and our community's. You can even put your new ideas into practice in our free fitness center and structured classes.

Sportsmen's Tennis and Enrichment Center, 950 Blue Hill Avenue, Dorchester, MA Visit our website www.sportsmenstennis.org

Contact Gayna with questions at GSealy@sportsmenstennis.org

Wednesday, March 7th, 7:00PM-8:00PM

Dr. Tina Meade discusses **Kidney Health**





*Light dinner provided.

Kids Menu

Sportsmen's— a great resource for kids, parents

By Maureen Forry-Sorrell REPORTER STAFF

This week's Kids Menu is brought to you by the good folks at Sportsmen's Tennis and Enrichment Center. If you and your family are looking for some terrific new — and often free-activities, we can vouch for STEC. Not only do they offer free drop-in tennis for both kids and their parents on Friday evenings and Sunday afternoons, but

they also offer afford- to visit soon. able yearly memberships that help underwrite programming for underserved members of our community. State of the art tennis courts, Zumba, personal training, a well equipped Fitness Center, and after school programs round out a fantastic community center.

Look them up on the web at sportsmenstennis.org and make a plan

Yay, sports: On March 1, Registration opens for Dorchester Youth Soccer. Go to dyssoccer. com. Get your kiddos signed up before March 18 so you can enjoy the changing seasons as vou cheer them on from the sidelines. And as for baseball, registration is now open for Dorchester Baseball. Ages 4-12 go to DorchesterLittleLeague. org, and for ages 13-16, go

to DorchesterBabeRuth.

org
Cead Mile Failte: If you're the parent of little ones and are up for a bit of a road trip, the Irish Cultural Centre in Canton has a fantastic program every Tuesday from 9-11 a.m. Each week, they'll offer a different activity for toddlers, such as arts & crafts, dance, singing and yoga-all while parents sit back and relax with a cup

of coffee and baked goods. The cost is a steal too: just \$5 for non-members (free if you're an ICCNE member). Reserve your spot at (781) 821-8291 or email mdooher@irishculture.org.

Sat., March 3 at 9:30 a.m.- the Dot Day Parade Committee will be hosting it's 2nd Annual Character Breakfast to raise funds for the June parade. Characters such as Poppy and Branch from Trolls, Batman, Minions, Mickey, Minnie, Moana, Peppa Pig, Cookie Monster and Elmo will be on the scene at Meetinghouse Church. A delicious breakfast will be served by Season's Catering and ice cream will be available from Chill on Park. \$20 per adult, \$10 per child 12 and under. Children under 2 are free.

Saturday, March 3, World Wildlife Day at Franklin Park Zoo. "Big Cats: Predators Under Threat." Learn what you can do to help protect and make a difference for the future of big cats. Ask

questions directly to zookeepers about some of the endangered animals that call Franklin Park Zoo home during zookeeper chats. Guest are also invited to discover more about big cat conservation at the education table and get creative at the craft table.

Monday, March 12, 11 a.m. – Black History Heroes, Soldiers and Spies presented at the Grove Hall BPL, 41 Geneva Ave. Buffalo Soldiers, including Colonel Charles Young, as they explore and settle the American West.

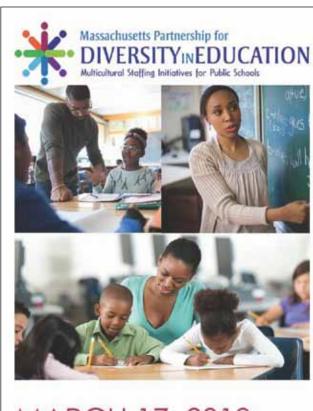
Saturday, March 17, 9 a.m-noon-St. Patrick's Day Celebrations at the Irish Cultural Centre in Canton. \$7 per person, includes refreshments and entertainment including music, dance, arts & crafts. 200 New Boston Rd, Canton. www. irishculture.org

Friday, March 23, 7 p.m. — Cold Night, Hot Stove presented by the All Dorchester Sports League. At First Parish Church, 10 Parish St.



The Boston Latin Academy boys hockey team are city league champions after their 5-0 win over O'Bryant on Wed, Feb. 21 at Matthews Arena at Northeastern. The Dragons ended the regular season at 10-10-4. The team hopes for a successful run in the state tournament games getting underway this week.

Patrick O'Connor photo



MARCH 17, 2018 **EDUCATOR** RECRUITMENT FAIR

Meet 15 Human Resources Representatives and School Administrators for information on positions in Elementary and Secondary Ed, Special Ed, Long and Short-Term Subs, Teaching Assistants, Administration, Internships, Etc. Check position availabilities on Member District Web Sites at http://www.mpde.org.

Member Districts:

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School 459 Broadway, Cambridge, MA 02138 Parking Available Snow Date – Saturday, March 24, 2018 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM Register for the Educator Fair on the MPDE website at:

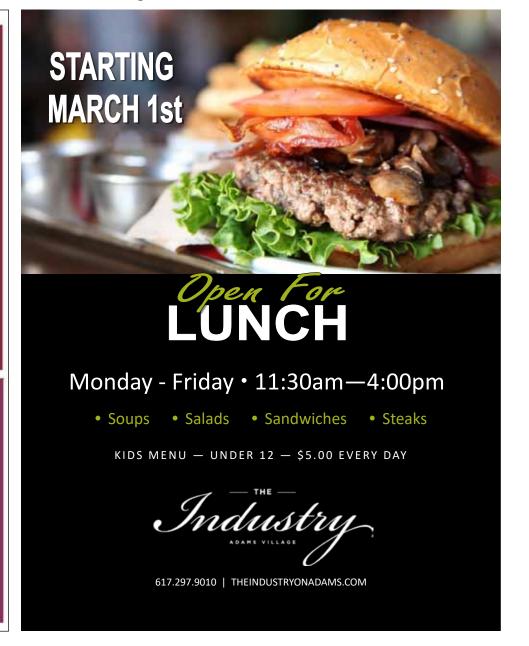
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BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF DORCHESTER

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College Tour: College Fellows went on a College Tour to the DC area to visit Howard University, Morgan State, Bowie State, University of DC and University of Maryland to check out the schools and to see the sights in the cities.

CONNECT THE DOT

Get Laughing: On Friday, April 6, Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester is hosting a Comedy Night at the Neighborhood Club of Quincy. We are putting together an evening of laughs with three hilarious comedians: Christine Hurley, Tony V. and Graig Murphy. Tickets are \$40 per person and include food and raffles. There will also be a cash bar. This is going to be a great opportunity to get out for a fun night with friends and family while supporting a good cause. All proceeds will benefit Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester. Doors will open at 7PM and the show will start at 9PM. Tickets are currently available online at bgcdcomedynight.eventbrite. com, and information can be found on our website at bgcdorchester.org. We have a limited amount of space in the venue and anticipate selling out, so consider purchasing your tickets as soon as possible!

FIND OUT WHAT'S INSIDE

Teen Program: The Boys & Girls Clubs of Dorchester Teen Program has a lot going on! Members of the Keystone Club have been taking part in cooking classes at Milk Street Kitchen every week, volunteering with the Challenger Sports program and have an upcoming service date with the Special Olympics in Worcester on March 10. We are also assisting teens applying for summer jobs through the Department of Youth Engagement & Employment. Many teens have also been taking part in College and Career Prep activities. A group of 11 members just returned from an overnight trip to Washington, DC to visit 5 colleges while our next sessions for the College Fellows program will be March 6 (Juniors/ Seniors) and March 20 (Freshman/ Sophomores). For more information contact Marcus Johnson at mjohnson@ bgcdorchester.org.



Winter Carnival: On Friday we held our annual Winter Carnival to celebrate the last day of Febraury Vacation. Thank you to Bank of America volunteers who came out to help run games and activities during the carnival with our members!

DID YOU KNOW

Summer Program Registration: Our Summer Fun program is taking place July 9 through August 10. Programs run from 8:30-5:30 every weekday throughout the 5 weeks, and the full cost of the program is \$400 for children ages 7-12 and \$450 for children 5-6. Children must be members to take part in the program, and we have new membership registration each month throughout the school year. Registration for the Summer Fun program will start on Saturday, March 10 from 9AM-1PM and continue on Monday, March 12 from 9AM-4PM and Tuesday, March 13 from 4-8PM. Registration fills up on a first-come, first-served basis, and there are a specific number of spots for each age group. If the program fills up, registration will end and the subsequent registration days will not be held, so plan to come early!

UPCOMING EVENTS

COLLEGE FELLOWS
Juniors & Seniors
March 6 at 6PM

MARCH ORIENTATION March 13 & 14 at 6PM

SUMMER REGISTRATION March 10 at 9AM-1PM March 12 at 9AM-4PM

COMEDY NIGHT FUNDRAISER April 6 at 7PM



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March 1, 2018 RECENT OBITUARIES

BERTONI, John Arthur unexpectedly in Naples, FL, at the age of 80. He was born in 1937 in Boston. He married Mary Louise Tolini, whom he grew up next door to in Dorchester in 1960. During his 40year career with AT&T, they had the opportunity to live abroad in Amsterdam and travel

the globe until they ultimately settled in Naples, FL. John was preceded in death by Mary Louise after nearly 50 years of marriage. He is survived by three children - Joanne B. Tsai, Judith A. Epstein and John S. Bertoni; five grandchildren – Sebastian Tsai, Benjamin and Nicolas Epstein and

Mary and Ava Bertoni; and four brothers - Rob-Joseph, Richard Arthur and their and families. Expressions of sympathy may be sent in John's name to Massachusetts General Hospital, online at giving. massgeneral.org or by check mailed to MGH Development Office, 125 Nashua Street, Suite 540, Boston, MA 02114.

BONO, James F. 88, of Milton. He is survived by his wife of 31 years. Grace (Kiley) Flynn-Bono, his son James F. Laurie, step son John Flynn and his wife Kathy, step daughter Paula Char and her husband Daniel, step daughter Deborah, his grandchildren: Flynn, Deanna Bono, Michael Char, Stephen Char, Christine Char, Michael Williams, and his great grandchildren: Emma and Grace Flynn. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews. Jim was predeceased by his first wife, Josephine Bono. He lived with his parents, the late Thomas and Margaret Bono in Dorchester and was raised with his

Bono, Jr., and his wife Ryan (Arcana) sister Margaret Oden

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in the Navy in World War II. He received an honorable discharge on 7/16/1948. He worked for several firms as a draftsman and retired from Sage Laboratories in 2001 after 41 years as a chief draftsman. He was a member of the Milton Hoosic Club and the Quincy Neighborhood Club. He was a board member of the Milton Friends of the Council on Aging and attended monthly luncheons of the "Originally From Dorchester" club up until recently. Donations in Jim's memory may be sent to The Milton Council on Aging, 10 Walnut St., Milton, MA 02186.

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Bono of Easton, and the

late William Bono of

Dorchester. Jim served

CAWLEY, John F. **"Jack"** of Medfield, formerly of Dorchester, suddenly. Husband Theodora "Thea" (Pitsiokos) Cawley for 23 years. Father of Catherine, Helen "Eleni." and James Cawley. Brother of Elaine Cawley Hill of Cumberland, RI, Peter Cawley and his wife Phyllis of Canton, and Mark Cawley and his wife Pat of Canton. Son-in-law of Catherine Pitsiokos of NY. Brother-in-law of Peter Pitsiokos and his wife Michelle of VA. Also survived by many loving nieces and nephews. Jack was principal of John F. Kennedy Middle School in Waltham for 14 years and formerly worked at Watertown Middle School and McKinley Preparatory High School in Boston. Donations may be made to the Edelman lab for cardiovascular research at MIT at https://giving.

mit.edu/givenow/start. FITZGERALD, Jeremiah J. "Jerry" of Easton, formerly of Easton, formerly of Dorchester and Cupertino, CA. Husband of the late Margaret Fitzgerald. (Mooney) Father of Kevin Fitzgerald of Quincy, Robert Fitzgerald of Capitola, CA., Karen Merriman of Franklin. Barbara Smith of Chelmsford, Julie Pappas and of Sharon, and the late Colleen M. Pinette; brother of Alice Estey of Harwichport and the late Margaret Savage, William Fitzgerald, and John Fitzgerald; also survived by several grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Donations in Jeremiah's memory may be sent to Lupus Foundation New England, 40 Speen Street, Framingham, MA. 01701.

HYDE, Lawrence H. world traveler, longtime resident of Harwichport, and more recently Westwood, died at age 93 in Wynnewood, PA. Larry was a graduate of Harvard College, an Ensign in the Navy and a graduate of the Harvard Business School. Over the course of his career in business, he

worked for Ford Motor Company, Philco, Harris Intertype, American Motors, and Jeep Corporation. While working for AM General, he was responsible for the development of the widely used Humvee military vehicle. Larry served as a trustee at the American University in Cairo for many years. Larry's deep commitment to the Jesuits and particularly to his alma mater, Boston College High School, led him to establish the Lawrence H. Hyde '42 Center for Global Education at BC High. Through exchange and service programs, the Center offers students the opportunity to expand their traditional boundaries and truly take steps toward becoming citizens of the world. A dedicated family man who loved family reunions, Larry was deeply immersed in his Catholic faith. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lois Abigail, in 1989 and his brothers, Robert and Thomas. Larry is survived by his children, Abbie, Terry (Joan), Steve (Lisa), his granddaughter lin, his sister Ann and 13 nieces and nephews. Memorial gifts may be made to the Lawrence H. Hyde '42 Center for Global Education, Boston College High School, 150 William T. Morrissey Blvd., Boston, MA 02125.

W. of Brookline, suddenly at the age of 80. Husband of Cheryl A. Baressi. Father of Gregory Hynes of Brighton, Elizabeth Hynes of Brookline, Jennifer Hynes and her husband Kenneth Gallagher of Naples, FL, Richard Hynes, Jr. and his wife Monica of Hingham, Cameron Nicole Darity and her husband Samuel Darity, Jr. of Ashville, NC. Son of the late former Mayor of Boston John. B. Hynes and Marion (Barry) Hynes. Brother of Barry Hynes of South Boston, Marie Gallagher of Falmouth. and the late John B. "Jack" Hynes and Nancy Downey. Also survived by seven grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews. Remembrances may be made in Richard's name to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN, 38105.

HYNES,

Richard

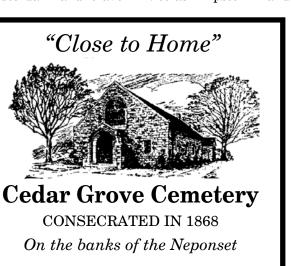
LYNCH, Patrick S. Of South Boston. Born in County Cork, Ireland. Son of the late Michael and Catherine (Harrington) Lynch. Brother of Joseph Lynch of Needham, John Lynch of London, Mary O'Mahony of London, and the late Michael Lynch of Ireland, Anne Joyce of Randolph and Brendan Lynch of Somerville. Member of Local #589.

McDONOUGH, **Marion A.** in Hingham, formerly of Dorchester. Daughter of the late Helen M. (Lydon) and Edward T. McDonough. Sister of Robert and his wife Dorothy Mc-Donough of Quincy, Paul A. and his wife Joyce McDonough of Hingham, James and his wife Patricia Mc-Donough of Cotuit, and the late Helen Lawler, Edna Petrakos, and Edward McDonough. Additionally, she leaves many nieces and nephews with loving memories of their aunt. Marion was born in 1931 and was a lifelong resident of Spring Garden Street in Dorchester. She was a graduate of the Jeremiah E. Burke High School in Dorchester and retired as an office manager for the IBEW on Freeport Street.

NASĤ, Peter J. Jr., age 42 of Milton passed away unexpectedly February 12th. Born in Dorchester, he was raised in Milton and graduated from Milton High School, and received his Bachelor's and Master's degrees from Providence College. He worked for many years for the family Construction Business, Nash Construction in Milton and worked at the family Bar, Nash's Pub in Dorchester. Peter enjoyed playing hockey and played on the Milton High Hockey team and was a dedicated family man. Son of Peter J. Nash, Sr. of Milton and the late Martha (Miller) Nash. Brother of Daniel J. Nash and his wife Amy of Dorchester. Uncle of Ronan Nash of Dorchester. Nephew of Michael Nash and his wide Noreen of Randolph, Jeremiah Nash and his wife Patsy of Newton, and Mary Jennings of Canada. Also survived by his father's partner, Dernella Diver of Dorchester. his close friend Adrienne Munroe of Dorchester and a large extended family. Donations may be made in his memory to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute, 450 Brookline Ave. Boston, MA 02215

NOLAN, Richard F. of West Roxbury. Son of the late James and Katherine Nolan. Cousin of Diane Clausen, Barbara St. Germain, and Robert E. Nolan. Also survived by several other family members. Donations and gifts may be made in Richard's memory to The Arnold Arboretum of Harvard University, 125 Arborway, Boston, MA 02130-3500.

TOPHAM, Richard G."Dick" 74, long time resident of Dorchester, in Hoosick Falls, NY. Son of the late Richard H. and Ethel M. (Hansen) Topham. Father of Melinda "Mindy" Denham and her husband Jason of Troy, NY. Grandfather of James and Sophie. Richard served in the United States Navy during the Vietnam War. He was active in the Boston AA community and enjoyed playing pedal steel gui-



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