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MAY STREET SWEEPING STARTS MONDAY, MAY 20

May Sweeping is One Week Early Due to Memorial Day

The Town of Winthrop conducts Street Sweeping operations on the last full week of the month (last week with a Friday) from April through October between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the day of a street's trash collection. If there is a holiday on the week sweeping would normally occur, sweeping is done a week early.

Town ordinance prohibits parking in a manner that impedes the street sweeper. Violation of the street sweeping ordinance carries a \$40.00 fine, and your vehicle can be

The remaining 2019 street sweeping dates are:

June 24-28 (week of the 24th) July 22-26 (week of the 22nd) Aug. 26-30 (week of the 26th) Sep. 23-27 (week of the 23rd) Oct. 21-25 (week of the 21st)

For a map of the street sweeping days, and a copy of the calendar, visit https:// town.winthrop.ma.us/parking-clerk/pages/street-sweeping.

DEMOCRATS TO ELECT DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION

The Winthrop Democratic Town Committee will hold a caucus on Tuesday, June 4, at 7 p.m. at the Robert A. DeLeo

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Police Chief Terry Delehanty, Francesca Capone, Sgt. Mary Crisafi, and Stella Carson during the Winthrop Engages Resource Fair on May 15.

Winthrop Engages

Photos & Story by Marianne Salza

After reading a book about loving one's community, Mary Lou Osborne, assistant director of the Winthrop Public Library, had an idea to encourage residents to become

more involved in their neigh-

The May 15 Winthrop Engages (WE) resource fair at the Cummings School cafetorium provided information about the workings of the town government and how to join local committees, boards, and commissions.

"When you become involved and meet people, you start to love your community. I like including people and letting them know they matter. It's a positive way for people to explore the Winthrop com-

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School track to be named after legendary track and field coach, Pat McGee

In the spring of 1974, resident, Pat McGee started volunteering for the boys and girls spring track team after her children became active in the sport, and in 1981 was appointed as the boys' coach. What started out as a passion for the sport, became a lifelong career, and McGee built a positive reputation amongst high school athletes, until she retired in 2010.

The now 90-year-old Mc-Gee will get a chance to witness her hard work and passion Senior Center, 35 Harvard St., pay off, as the School Committee unanimously agreed to dedicate the new high school/



Pat McGee.

middle school track to her before the start of the 2019-2020 school year.

"I couldn't think of a more deserving person to do this for

than Pat McGee," said Valentino Capobianco, School Committee Chair. "When you think of the sport of high school track in Winthrop, you think of Pat McGee. This is a tribute to how active she has been in the town, not only in the school system, but as a community member with the Chamber of Commerce, the Winthrop Playmakers, and Holy Rosary - just how much she supports the community and the children of the town. She has been a leader in this town for years as a beloved coach, community activist, and a substitute teacher."

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Chief Flanagan prioritizes fitness, adds three more years to his career

By Kate Anslinger

Chief of the Fire Department, Paul Flanagan, has always considered physical fitness to be a priority. Prior to his 41 years on the department, Flanagan was co-captain of the Winthrop High School track team and took pride in his ability to run a half-mile in one minute and 58 seconds.

His speed and commitment to the sport earned him the title of sixth in the state during his senior year.

Today, at 64 years old, Flanagan runs an eight-anda-half-minute mile and is dedicated to working out at the gym four to five times a week, where he incorporates

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Council gets school budget presentation

By Sue Ellen Woodcock

The Town Council continued talking with department heads during Tuesday night's meeting, hearing from the officials from school department, town clerk, harbormaster, library, inspectional services and the Larson Rink regarding the upcoming FY20 budget.

So far \$64,641,265 is the budget that the town is looking at with \$21,155,036 slated for the school department so

But there is a difference between the town's budget for schools and what the school department requested.

Superintendent of Schools Lisa Howard said at the meeting that this is her 30th consecutive year as an educator and her department provides education for 1,999 students

in grades K-12.

This year, tackling a "needs based" budgeting model, Howard, her principals and staff built their budget from scratch based on what was truly needed to educate all those students. The needs based budgeting figure is \$23,027,028 - a differenceof \$1,871,992 from the town budget.

"The town has to decide how to fund its school," said Precinct 3 Councilor James Letterie.

The request from the school department is \$2.8 million higher than the FY18 budget of two years ago.

In the next few weeks the town council is going to have to decide which school figure it will go with.

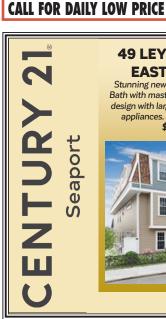
During this time they con-

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EBSB DONATES TO WINARC



East Boston Savings Bank donated \$500 to the Driscoll-Mahegan Track Meet a fun day held by WINARC in conjunction with the Winthrop Police Department. From left to right are Sgt. Mary Crisafi, Yvonne Cevnaro of WINARC, Felicia Puopolo, East Boston Savings Bank branch vice president (Bennington Street) and Patrolman Sean Delehanty. The Track Meet will take place, Saturday, June 8, 10-1 p.m. at Miller Field. The event will begin with a parade from Winthrop High School to Miller Field. This year marks the 25th year of working together and holds a special rememberance for Officer Michael Delehanty.



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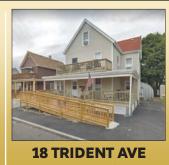
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WINTHROP POLICE BLOTTER

Monday, May 13

Suspicious activity on Beacon Circle. Investigation of suspicious party. Party lives in the area and he was just going for a walk.

Motor vehicle accident with person injury on Court Road. Roll-over and fire is en route. One car hit a parked vehicle. Female party transported to MGH.

Party came into headquarters to report that an unknown party had used her identity to open two separate credit card accounts at Best Buy and Macy's.

Caller on Main Street reports that a vehicle has not moved in months and only has one ticket on it. Party would like police to investigate this. No tickets on the vehicle. Party lives at that address and it is parked legally.

Motor vehicle stop at Read and Main streets. Citation issued for red light violation.

Motor vehicle stop at Winthrop Marketplace. Clear, verbal warning, subject was

Tuesday, May 14

Plumbing company called and asked for DPW to assist with a water main issue on Revere Street. DPW contacted. Off. 931 dispatched to assess the situation for any assistance. Officer reports he was not able to see any water issues. Water was at another address on Revere Street. /it is now off on the street side and all is okay.

Calling party on Coral Avenue states that her vehicle was vandalized. The rearview mirror was knocked off the vehicle. Mirror was bumped off and is able to be put back on.

Party on Trident Avenue cannot get into his driveway. A Lexus, white, is blocking it. Caller called back to state that the vehicle has since left.

Reporting party on Wilshire Street reports the tenant has been making her feel very uncomfortable. He has been taking photos of the property and possibly her. She wants this on record as there is an ongoing matter with the building department, as well regarding her tenant. We spoke to the other party involved who claims he is taking pictures but not of his landlord just the property for code reasons. Both parties were advised of this being a civil matter.

Wednesday, May 15

Caller at Fort Heath Apartments reports that there are two vehicles illegally parked on Pond Street, making it difficult for fire apparatus to make the turn and gain access to the building. Caller would like the police to check this out. When checked out, Pond Street was clear.

Party on Russell Street states that a man in his 60s, walked into their house and said "He's looking for his dog. Is this Banks Street?" He then walked out and closed the door. Residents were very confused and wondered why he entered their home and left afterwards. The party stated this incident occurred about 40 minutes ago. It appears that the subject went into the wrong residence.

Report that a father on Banks Street has Alzheimer's and is missing. Wearing a black shirt, jeans. 91 checked local businesses, and nothing showing. 94 on foot behind RPS Fitness attempting to locate the subject. Winthrop Shore Drive is clear. 91 searched Kennedy Drive. Nothing showing. K9 responded from Somerville. 91 checked the beach area and spoke to a few people who did not see anything. 92 checked Deer Island area, nothing showing. Pictures were left with Deer Island guards. Subject was located at corner of Read Street near the marsh. He was returned home with family.

Motor vehicle stop at Pleasant Street. Citation issued for stop sign violation.

Follow-up investigation on Elmwood Avenue. No one on the scene. Message left with an individual involved.

Follow-up investigation on Shore Drive. No one home. Message left on the phone.

S5 off on followup on Shirley Street. Apartment appears vacant. S5 called number he had for the party but was unsuccessful. Unit clear, unable to locate the subject.

Calling party on Main Street wishes to remain anonymous. States that there has been a beige Nissan Maxima parked out front for nine days without a sticker and has only been tagged once. WP998 reports this is an ongoing issue. The owner of this vehicle recently moved to Winthrop and was advised to get a resident sticker A.S.A.P.

A defendant on a RO would like to make arrangements for personal property pickup. S10 checked off on order for a one time only pickup. Plaintiff was contacted and will allow pickup in company of police tomorrow at 1 p.m. Defendant will come to the station for escort to the address.

Caller on Upland Road believes someone maliciously cut all four of her dogs paws. Units spoke to the reporting party and also checked out the dog. Believed that the dog may have long nails and bled from the paw. Does not appear to have been assaulted. Units

clear, services were rendered. Property check of Hannaford Park. One vehicle notified of park house and sent on their way.

Thursday, May 16

Off with motor vehicle at Larsen Rink. Licensed operator taking over operation of the vehicle. Attached party will be summoned.

Walk-in attempting to locate his missing vehicle. Vehicle was towed to G&J Towing from Harvard Street for 72hour violation. Party advised of bylaws and location of the vehicle.

Motor vehicle accident on Main Street. Two cars involved and it was minor.

Caller on Main Street reports a male party driving a white pickup with a painter union logo on it was driving around, throwing glass bottles out of his truck and driving erratically. Officer spoke with the party, and he said he just got home from work.

Party reports a large raccoon at the entrance of Deer Island. When checked, nothing showing. Checked out several places.

Caller on Undine Avenue reports that his wife is refusing to leave. Children on the scene. Officers advised party of their rights. Female party left, there should be no further issues.

911 call. Heard some arguing in the background. Officer spoke with parties and grandmother. Officer reports it was accidental and the party got nervous.

Motor vehicle stop at Veterans and Shirley Street. One male in custody for unlicensed operation of motor vehicle.

Report that in the gazebo someone wrote a racist slander. Writing done in crayons and can be washed off easily. DPW to be notified.

Female party came in to pickup a summons for a juvenile. The female party was given the summons in hand.

Friday, May 17

East Boston police called requesting a unit check the area of Upland Road for missing female party. Hispanic female, brown eyes, blonde hair. Last seen yesterday. Currently entered into NCIC as missing.

Motor vehicle stop at Shore Drive ad Sea Foam Avenue. Outstanding warrant on subject. 93 asked to confirm the warrant and it was confirmed Taunton District Court for failure to appear. Subject transported back to headquarters. No tow needed. Someone arrived to pick up the vehicle. Original traffic stop for speeding and subject was given a

warning. G&J Towing reports towing vehicle and trailer for tres-

pass from Atlantis Marina. Report that a vehicle is parked completely on the sidewalk at Winthrop Marketplace. 92 standing by to see if car is moved shortly. Parties

are loading items into the vehicle. A citation was issued.

Two male parties arguing in parking lot of Atlantis Marina. One male party stated he went to the public landing to launch his boat and it was closed. He was told by a town officer there that he could launch the boat from Atlantis Marina. Two men opened the gate for him and allowed him to launch his boat from there. They stated "Gary" is not here. When they arrived back from their fishing trip, their vehicle was towed and they were told that they were trespassing. It was a miscommunication between business and individuals. Parties are going to have to find a different method of getting their boat out of the water. Harbormaster stated they did not give permission to anyone to use the boat ramp. Harbormaster stated they give recommendations on which boat ramps to use and advise individuals to contact this boat ramps for use. 92 off at another boat ramp ensuring no further problems. 92 clear, parties using a public launch

Car tagged for obstructing handicap spot at Atlantis Ma-

DPW sates there is a silver Chevy that is leaking fuel oil into the catch basin on Fremont Street and would like the owner notified. Fire also notified. Strong odor of gasoline. Fire department on the scene. 92 attempted to make contact with the owner. Contact was made and vehicle moved off the street. Owner will contact a mechanic.

Caller reports there are two males fighting in the parking lot on Washington Avenue. Upon arrival, parties stated that male parties had separated. Units will go to one of their addresses. Spoke to the owner who stated that her son has possession of the vehicle along with another friend. Mother stated she would get in contact with her son. Units clear.

Caller states that her dog was bit and wants an officer to respond for a report. It was three pit bulls that also live on the street. Caller stated she was on her way to Angel Memorial and the dog that bit her dog came out of Myrtle Avenue. She was advised to call us back when she returns home. She called back and gave us the name of the dog owners and corrected address. She also notified us that her husband was bit as well.

Saturday, May 18

Caller on Fremont Street and Burrill Terrace states there is a woman yelling and hitting a van with a bat. It was a verbal disagreement between employee and employer. Both parties were advised of their

ARREST Report

6 Delcarmine St. Wakefield, on a warrant.

Friday, May 17 police arafter a motor vehicle stop on rested Robert Young, 53, of Shore Drive. He was charged

rights and separated.

Dog being quarantined on Myrtle Avenue. Nobody home at this time. Will check back later.

Follow-up quarantine on Myrtle Avenue. Party still not home. Will check back later.

Party on South Main Street states EMS could not get through if they needed to. No violation observed. Clear.

Caller is located from the high school on South Main Street. He stated he called a private ambulance for his father and it was unable to make it down the street due to the parking of cars on both sides of the street. 92 checked about 20 minutes ago and said it was fine. He confirmed that an ambulance can make access.

Report of a man in a wheelchair on Highland Avenue by the park. He asked the caller to call police. Party now has fuel for his scooter.

Another attempt to quarantine dog on Myrtle Avenue. Spoke to the party that unit was looking for. Drunk male in the area of the Pizza Center. Units report looking for a 16-yearold male on bicycle wearing a black shirt. Units will BOO in the area for the male party. Officers spoke to the parties that were causing the disturbance in the center. They were advised that if they continue there will be enforcement action taken. Peace was restored.

Report that a van was double parked on South Main Street. Unit reports there is an event at the high school causing a lot of cars in the area. The van is parked so that it is not obstructing traffic and any emergency apparatus can get through. 92 requests another officer due to the reporting party being verbally combative towards the officers. 92 reports with the assistance of 94 the reporting party understood the parking laws. Vehicle was cited for obstructing traffic. 94 will reach out to the DPW to address the signage issue on this street in regard to having parking only on one side. Report of two white males

driving motorcycles on the walkways at Deer Island. Caller attempted to get them to stop and they ended up driving by on the trails going over 30 mph. K9 responded. State Police also notified. While responding to Deer Island, 92 make contact with party operating a motorbike at Winthrop and Vine streets. Party was advised that he cannot operate the motorbike on the street. He stated he was

not the same party at Deer Island. 92 conducted a thorough search at Deer Island and nothing showing now in the area.

Caller at Veterans and Washington Avenue states there is a dirty bike and a Corvette racing in that vicinity. They are doing loops in that area. Units searched the area and nothing showing matching the description. Will continue to monitor the area.

Party on Hale Avenue stated that his neighbor vandalized his property markers. This is an ongoing issue. Neighbor is no longer on the scene. Officer spoke to the reporting party and a report to follow.

Report that a 21-year-old male is hitting people at the basketball courts. Units request medical. Male party taken to Whidden via Action. No assault took place.

Sunday, May 19

Motor vehicle stop at Veterans Road. Citation issued or failure to yield.

Caller on Winthrop Street states there is a white SUV parked in the middle of the road. It has been there for about an hour. Units drove by the vehicle earlier and it is legally parked.

Party on Highland Avenue states a gray Honda is blocking his driveway. Vehicle is completely blocking the driveway. Unit will attempt to raise the owner by using the siren. Vehicle will be cited. Parking citation issued. Vehicle will be given an hour or so before it is towed. The reporting party is okay with that.

911 abandoned call. Pinging meters from Faun Bar Avenue. Message was left to call us back. Spoke to the mother who stated it was her using her son's phone and accidentally hit 911.

Caller stated that there is a male party acting erratic at the AA meeting on Lincoln Street. Verbal argument between two males. Neither party wishes to pursue any charges. One male party being given a courtesy ride home.

Party on Hermon Street stated a male party was driving erratic and almost hit him while he had kids in the car. Vehicle is legally parked in front of the owner's residence.

Units off with homeless man in the alley way near 7-Eleven on Revere Street. Party checks out. Units are going forwards with this incident with a follow-up with a social worker.

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the town to hold a dedication Track in September.

Capobianco said he expects ceremony for the Pat McGee



Growing up in the depression, McGee didn't have an opportunity to partake in high school track herself, however that didn't stop her from developing a passion later in life. Her love of the sport came honestly as her father was a track and football athlete, and McGee grew up watching

meets, which led her to develop a natural love of sports. It wasn't until McGee was in her 50s, that she started running road races and partaking in senior sporting events for herself.

After years of coaching and dedicating her life to the sport, McGee's coaching career will

forever live on in the halls of Winthrop High School and on Miller Field.

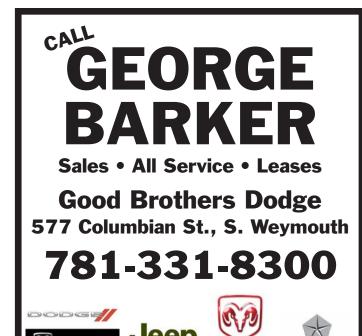
"My mother was somebody who bled Viking blue and gold," said Paul McGee, Pat's son and fellow athlete. cally and academically." She loves the town and has

always wanted to do anything she could to support it and help the kids in Winthrop. She loved what she did and never got tired of it, especially when it came to seeing students succeed athleti-

My Cory

Truly blessed to be in the room on that wonderful day you arrived. Just perfect health and so very special my grandson number 5 Living right next door to me things could not get any better So I am writing how much I love you and admire you in this little Nana letter What a beautiful head of curly brown hair That would make any girl jealous it just isn't fair You have grown into such a handsome talented amazing young man And in all three sports I am surely your #1 fan Athletics aside you need to know that your heart mind and spirit make your family proud I know I am bragging

but I must say that out loud high school behind you Salem State in full View Go forward my grandson and may God watch over you I love you Nana Minnie



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both core strength and cardio training.

The Town Council has voted, under Massachusetts General Laws, to extend the chief's career for three more years until June 30, 2023. He added that he'd like to see through to the building of a new public safety facility.

"Firefighters sometimes go from being at a complete standstill in the station, to getting a call that requires them to go a million miles an hour," said Flanagan. "It's important to be in shape, when you have to go from zero mental and physical stress to having to carry a patient out of a building and down three flights of stairs to an ambulance."

While his commitment to fitness comes naturally, Flanagan's determination to stay healthy became even more of a priority when he was diagnosed with Type 1 diabetes 33 years ago. He is able to manage the chronic condition, with the help of a continuous glucose



Chief Flanagan raises funds for the Winthrop Fireworks every year.

monitor (CGM), which uses a sensor to monitor his sugar levels every five minutes. Since then, he has made it his mission to put physical fitness first, to stay ahead in both his career and his health, and he is not shy about encouraging his fellow firefighters to join him. Flanagan will have a team of 14 firefighters run the 5K road race hosted by RPM Fitness



Chief Flanagan.

on June 2

"Those who work as safety officers are referred to as tactical athletes, and it's essential that they keep their endurance up and stay in shape if they want to be at the top of their game," said Flanagan, who believes that as chief, it is his responsibility to ensure his department is fit for the job.

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ducted a demographic review, a residency review, a review of charter school and vocational enrollments, contract service agreements, a capital improvement plan, a transportation review and a review of the use of substitutes.

Howard said there is a significant amount of salary funds built in to some grants the schools have.

[A total sum of] "\$822,000 is paid out from grants for payroll," Howard said. "If those grants go away we have no way to pay those teachers."

She noted that over 2,000 pages were included in the school budget and research. She stressed that importance of competing with other communities.

"It's time to right-size our budget," she said.

Also up in the air is the amount of state aid the schools will get through Chapter 70 funds.

With a lower budget, Howard said staff would be impacted and there would be larger classes.

From other departments:

In discussions about the Town Clerk's budget, Town Clerk Carla Vitale noted that her budget only saw a .2 percent increase and that she had held her position for the past 15 years and now has 70 election workers who help out with elections. She has also worked closely with high school students on voters' registration. Another area she is focusing on is the archival protection of town documents, including birth and death certificates. She said the total project would cost \$445,000 and so far only \$46,000 has been spent. She noted that the documents are saved digitally and in archival sleeves.

"We'll keep chipping away at it," she said.

In the Harbormaster's Department, Harbormaster Larry Powers said there were no significant changes in his department, but that going forward he would be looking at acquiring harbor management software and that the town has to look at dredging to be done in the harbor in the next three years.

Winthrop Librarian Di-

ane Wallace, said business is booming at the library, and they are offering programs daily. When she arrived a few years ago there was one summer program.

There are future capital improvement projects for the library including a new roof, windows and carpeting.

Sharon Sicurella of the Inspectional Services Department reported they had issued 437 building permits for the year. She said the department is working on rodent control, a problem property task force and they are looking to start a hoarding task force.

Bob DiMento of the Larson Rink reported that plans for a new locker room may be available this summer. He said the Suffolk University Men's Club Team and the Elite Hockey Tournament are using the rink. He expects that once new locker rooms are built other teams from around the area will be looking to play or practice in Winthrop.

The Town Council is expected to vote on the budget on June 4.

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St., to elect delegates and alternates to the 2019 Massachusetts Democratic Convention, where Democrats from across the state will gather at the MassMutual Center, 1277 Main St., Springfield, MA 01103 on Saturday, Sept. 14, 2019. The caucus is open to all registered Democrats in Winthrop. Delegates will be divided equally between men and women. Youth, minorities, and people with disabilities who are not elected as delegates or alternates may apply to be "add-on" delegates. The Robert A. DeLeo Senior Center building is handicapped accessible.

Details on the rules can be found at www.massdems.org. For general information on the Convention or the Democratic Party please contact 617-939-0800 or contact@massdems.org.

NOMINATIONS BEING ACCEPTED FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

AARP is now accepting nominations for its 2019 Massachusetts Andrus Award for Community Service, which honors 50+ Commonwealth residents who are sharing their experience, talent, and skills to enrich the lives of their community members.

"AARP Massachusetts is excited to shine a light on 50+ Bay Staters who are using what they've learned in life to make a difference in the lives around them," said Mike Festa, AARP Massachusetts State Director.

Nominations will be evaluated by the Massachusetts state office based on how the volunteer's work has improved the community, supported AARP's vision and mission, and inspired other volunteers. The award recipient will be announced in early fall.

AARP Massachusetts Andrus Award for Community Service nominees must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- Nominee must be 50 years or older.
- The achievements, accomplishments, or service on which the nomination is based must have been performed on a volunteer basis, without pay.
- The achievements, accomplishments, or service on which the nomination is based must reflect AARP's vision and purpose.
- The achievements, accomplishments, or service on which the nomination is based must be replicable and provide inspiration for others to volunteer..
- Couples or partners who perform service together are also eligible; however, teams

re not eligible.

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Please visit www.aarp.org/
andrus for further information
and a nomination form. The
application deadline is July

HOUSE PASSES DISTRACTED DRIVING LEGISLATION

15, 2019.

The Massachusetts House of Representatives passed legislation to ban drivers from using hand-held electronic devices in vehicles unless they are in hands-free mode.

"Distracted driving is a factor in too many dangerous and fatal motor vehicle accidents, and the House is proud to take this step to move this policy forward for Massachusetts – making our roads safer and protecting our drivers, passengers and pedestrians," said House Speaker Robert A. DeLeo (D-Winthrop). "I want to thank Chair Straus for his diligence and hard work, and Leader Wagner, Chair Michlewitz, members of the Black

and Latino Caucus, and my colleagues in the House who were instrumental to this process."

"Today the House took a big step towards making the roads of the Commonwealth safer for everyone by passing this legislation," said Rep. Aaron Michlewitz, Chair of the House Committee on Ways & Means (D-Boston). "Distracted driving is a serious issue, and I am proud that the House took this step in order to combat it."

The bill defines hands-free devices as those that engage in voice communication with and receiving audio without touching, holding or otherwise manually manipulating the device. Law enforcement officials have the ability to issue warnings to drivers until Dec. 31, 2019 before the law goes into effect on Jan. 1, 2020. The bill will also:

- Allow for drivers to use mapping or navigation devices if they are affixed to the windshield or integrated into the vehicle and only involve a tap or a swipe;
 - Exempt use of electronics

in the case of an emergency and for first responders if they are using the devices as part of their duties;

- Penalize drivers with fines \$100 for the first offence, \$250 for the second offence and \$500 for third and subsequent offences;
- Builds off and bolsters existing law by creating compliance measures, requiring the inclusion of race on the uniform citation, and extending this practice to all jurisdictions;
- Invests \$300,000 towards data collection and analysis by an outside entity;
- Requires jurisdictions if data suggests those jurisdictions may be engaging in racial profiling to collect data on all traffic stops for a one-year period; and
- Create a public awareness campaign informing and educating the dangers of using technological devices while driving and the obligations of drivers under this bill.

The bill will now go to the Senate.

Winthrop Memorial Day Services set for Monday

Memorial Day Services will be held at 10 a.m. in the Winthrop Cemetery with keynote speaker William DiMento; attorney William DiMento, who served his country in the U.S. Army from 1958 to 1961, will be the main speaker at the Memorial Day Exercises.

DiMento said he was honored to receive an invitation to speak at the ceremony.

"Winthrop is a special place when it comes to veterans," said DiMento. "I have strong feelings about veterans. I will speak about the meaning of Memorial Day from the perspective of a Winthrop native."

DiMento served as chairman of the Winthrop School

Committee from 1967 to 1971. He recalls presenting a Winthrop High School diploma to then-student Richard Honan, who went on to serve his country in Vietnam. Honan has been recognized for his efforts in sending packages of supplies to Winthrop men and women serving in the U.S. military overseas.

Other speakers include Speaker of the House Robert DeLeo, State Sen. Joe Boncore and Town Council President Ron Vecchia.

The Memorial Day Parade steps off from Walden Avenue and travels along Pauline Street at 2 p.m.

You can see the full schedule on Page 16.



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OUR Opinions

MEMORIAL DAY IS A DAY TO REFLECT UPON THOSE WHO GAVE THE LAST FULL MEASURE

The Memorial Day weekend is upon us, a three-day weekend that for most Americans marks the start of the summer season. Many will celebrate appropriately with barbecues and outdoor activities with family and friends.

However, amidst our festivities, we should not forget that Memorial Day is America's most solemn national holiday, marking our nation's tribute to those who made the Supreme Sacrifice for our country.

Memorial Day initially was observed on May 30 and was known as Decoration Day, in an era before the turn of the 20th century, when the Northern states paid tribute to the Union soldiers -- who gave their lives to preserve America as we know it -- by decorating their graves that were a part of the landscape of every Northern community whose sons died to preserve the Union and free the slaves.

That tradition continues to this day, with the graves of those who gave their lives for their country being decorated with American flags and flowers around the country, whether by veterans organizations or family members.

The new century soon brought with it wars, seemingly every generation, that would give new meaning to the words Supreme Sacrifice. Starting with the Spanish-American War in 1898, American blood was shed on foreign soil in WWI, WWII, Korea, Vietnam, the Gulf War, and then Iraq and Afghanistan, not to mention in other far-off places around the world that are known only to our government.

Although history has been less than kind in judging the wisdom of our policy-makers who involved us in many of these conflicts, what is beyond dispute is that in every war to which we have sent our young men and women, they have performed with courage and patriotism in the belief that they were serving the best interests of our nation.

For those of us who have been spared the horrors of war, it is difficult, if not impossible, to appreciate the sacrifices that have been made on our behalf by those who served -- and died -- while wearing the uniform.

It is these brave Americans, who gave "the last full measure," whom we honor on Memorial Day. Without their heroic efforts, we would not be writing this editorial -- nor would you be reading it.

So as we enjoy the long holiday weekend with friends and family, let each of us resolve to take a moment -- if not longer -- to thank those who gave their lives in order that we might be able to enjoy the freedoms that make America the greatest nation on earth.

Abraham Lincoln's words in his Gettysburg address ring as true today as they in 1864:

"Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent, a new nation, conceived in Liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal.

"Now we are engaged in a great civil war, testing whether that nation, or any nation so conceived and so dedicated, can long endure. We are met on a great battle-field of that war. We have come to dedicate a portion of that field, as a final resting place for those who here gave their lives that that nation might live. It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this.

"But, in a larger sense, we can not dedicate -- we can not consecrate -- we can not hallow -- this ground. The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here, have consecrated it, far above our poor power to add or detract. The world will little note, nor long remember what we say here, but it can never forget what they did here. It is for us the living, rather, to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us -- that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion -- that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain -- that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom -- and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

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MEMORIAL DAY MAY 27, 2019

LETTER to the Editor

CONFRONTING MENTAL HEALTH

Dear Editor:

In America today, approximately 45-47 million, or 1 out of five Americans, is suffering with a mental health issue; and approximately one in 25 adults is currently experiencing a serious mental illness that substantially interferes with one or more major life activities. Sadly, the rate of suicide is at a 30-year high.

While more individuals are accessing care, an astounding 9 million are struggling with unmet needs. These are our friends, colleagues, neighbors and perhaps our own family members. As CEO of the Arbour Hospital, my staff and I have the privilege of serving many members of our community who are experiencing some of the most challenging times of their lives - mental illnesses that are often invisible to the casual observer in ways that physical illnesses

are not.

May is Mental Health Awareness month, providing an important opportunity for reflection and col-lective action to address barriers, including the ongoing stigma and stereotypes preventing many individuals from getting the care they need.

A recent poll of 1,000 Americans conducted by Research Now provides some noteworthy insights regarding perception and barriers. High percentages of respondents view mental health as equal in importance to physical health with illnesses like depression and anxiety cited among the top concerns, along with cancer and heart disease. The same poll identified barriers to care and different perspectives regarding value for physical and mental health where historically the latter wasn't taken as seriously.

The good news is that there

only possible, they are experienced every day. Like chronic physical illness, mental illness can be diagnosed and effectively managed. Individuals who were once in despair can regain their mental health and go on to live their best lives. This is highly rewarding and

What can we do within our communities to recognize the signs of mental health issues and assist those in need of care and treatment?

one reason I chose to work in

this field.

• Listen and show understanding: If you suspect a loved one is struggling, offer to listen and encourage them to seek professional help.

• Share the Lifeline number (800-273-TALK) - a 24/7, free and confidential support line. Mili-tary veterans may in every com-munity across press '1' for dedicated support. Suicide affects all demois much hope – and today, graphics: different ages, races,

positive outcomes are not ethnicities, sexual orientation and occupations.

• In case of acute emergency, dial 911 or go to the nearest emergency room. Suicide is often preventable when people at risk receive the support that they need.

• Our schools should encourage students to pursue careers in mental health fields, whether through nursing, medical or vocational programs. This is a growing field; we need the next generation of talented professionals. Arbour educational partners include Northeastern University, Roxbury Community College and Tufts School of medicine.

• Each of us can play a positive role to improve the lives of the millions of Americans suffering from mental health challenges, not just during this month, but every month the country.

Eric Kennedy, CEO **Arbour Hospital**

FROM THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL

Tips to start the Summer Off Safely

"Memorial Day is the unofficial start of summer," said State Fire Marshal Peter J. Ostroskey. "Many people are anticipating activities with family and friends, and getting their yards and grills ready for gatherings. Take a few minutes for safety and have a wonderful Memorial Day weekend."

Grilling Safety

Between 2014 and 2018, Massachusetts fire departments responded to 474 fires involving grills, hibachis, and barbecues. These fires caused 19 civilian injuries, seven firefighter injuries, and \$3.8 million in property damage. Last year, a terrible house fire started in Duxbury when the grill was used right against the side of the house.

State Fire Marshal Ostroskey offered these safety tips for grilling safety:

- Always grill outdoors.
- Place grills 10-feet away from the house and deck railings. Make sure grills are not under eaves or overhanging branches.

- or charcoal grill on any porch or balcony.
- · Gas grills can be used on first floor decks or patios, only if there is an outdoor stairway to the ground, or it is at ground level.
- Grills cannot be used indoors or on fire escapes.
- Keep all matches, lighters and lighter fluid away from children.
- Keep children and pets three feet away from grills. Create a circle of safety. Children should never play near

On June 6, 2018, the Millbury Fire Department responded to a suppertime grill fire. The grill ignited nearby furniture on the porch. Damages were estimated at \$20,000. The home had no fire sprinklers.

On July 11, 2018, shortly after midnight, the Ayer Fire Department responded to an outside grill fire. The homeowner had left the grill on at around 9 p.m. to clean it but forgot to shut it off later. The heat from the grill ignited the

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• You should not use a gas nearby wood railings on the deck and caused \$26,000 in damage. The home had no fire sprinklers.

On Aug. 19, 2018, the Scituate Fire Department responded to a grill fire on the back deck of a single family home. Working smoke alarms alerted the residents. Damages were estimated at \$15,000. The home had no fire sprin-

Charcoal Grills

Propane is the most common grilling fuel, but many people use charcoal grills. Here are some charcoal grill safety tips:

• Only use charcoal starter fluid. Do not use gasoline or kerosene to start a fire in a

• Never add lighter fluid to burning briquettes or hot coals. Doing so may cause a flash fire and result in serious burn injuries.

• Charcoal briquettes give off carbon monoxide, a colorless, odorless gas that can be deadly. Always use charcoal grills in a well-ventilated area. Never use charcoal grills indoors.

• For proper disposal of grill ashes, allow the coals to burn out completely and then cool for 48 hours before disposal.

• If you must dispose of ashes before they are completely cooled, thoroughly soak them in water before putting them in a metal container.

Gasoline and Lawnmowers

State Fire Marshal Ostroskey said, "Is your teenager finally old enough to mow the lawn? Then be sure to discuss gasoline safety at the same time; talk about why it is important to let the engine cool before refueling." Gasoline vapors are highly flammable and refueling a hot motor can ignited them. Gasoline spilled onto clothing can give off vapors until completely dry and be ignited by any heat source. Gasoline vapors can travel a long distance to find an ignition source, which is why gasoline cannot be stored inside the house. In the past five years (2014-2018), 335 lawn mower fires caused one civilian death, four civilian injuries, two fire service injuries and an estimated dollar loss of \$1.6 million.

• Store gasoline outside only in approved containers.

• Keep gasoline away from all heat sources, such as smoking materials, pilot lights, campfires, and grills.

• Fill a cooled lawn mower. Never refill while it is hot.

• Keep hands and feet away from a mower while it is run-

On April 24, 2017, at 9:05 a.m., the East Bridgewater Fire Department was dispatched to a fatal fire in a single-family home. The vic-

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Winthrop Improvement and Historical Association By G. David Hubbard • Photos courtesy of Stephen F. Moran

ARTICLE 878 - WINTHROP'S INDIAN MEMORIES



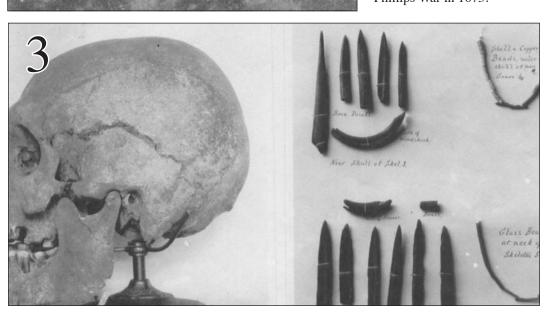


Before Europeans arrived on Massachusetts shores in the early 1600s, first as fishermen, trappers, explorers and finally in 1620 as colonists, this area was inhabited by Indians (Native Americans) who existed primarily as hunters. In 1600, it was estimated that there were over 200,000 Indians living in the Greater Boston area (inside of what is now Route 495) who were part of the loosely organized confederation called the Algonquian Nation and that they had a fighting force of 30,000 warriors. Captain John Smith visited New England in 1614/5 and wrote -"The country is the paradise of these parts, the sea coast as you pass shows all along large corn fields and great troops of well proportioned people. We found the people in these turned over to the Peabody parts friendly but in their fury Museum at Harvard Univerno less valiant." Other ships sity where it was determined from Spain and France visited the area during the next four years and introduced European diseases such as Small Pox to a population that had not developed any immunity to them. The local tribes were decimated and reduced to a few thousand members. Subsequent attacks by the Tarrantine Tribes from Maine, their traditional enemies, further diminished the local tribes to a total of less than 300 warriors capable of fighting. This is why the Pilgrims in 1620 and the Puritans

when they landed and established their villages. As to Winthrop, our peninsula had 2 or three small encampments where Indians, in the spring after they planted crops for the next year, came to fish, collect clams/lobsters and enjoy the beaches during the summers. In the fall they would return to their inland communities such as in Medford, Malden etc. where they would harvest their crops previously planted in the spring. In 1888, under Channing Howard our then Town Engineer, Indian graves were uncovered while grading for the construction of the railroad station at French Square. Harry Whorf, then a boy, helped to photograph the contents of these graves. These items were that the graves were over 300 years old. In 1922, Contractor Owen Flannery, while excavating on a lot of land opposite 121 Court Road for a home for Mr. Edgar Power, discovered five skeletons. Miss Winnie Tewksbury, when asked about these bones said, "I remember my father telling me that years ago, many Indians lived in this area. These items may also be seen at the Peabody Museum today. Later, another skeleton was found when the E.B. Newton School was built on

Iany of our old residents will remem-Many of our old residents will remember the rock which has been known as the "Indian Rock" situated on Mr. Geo. Turnbull's estate on Pleasant street, and will remember with pleasure the many happy hours spent in pounding the juice out of apples in the large hole in whi it is supposed the Indians ground 'their corn. Within the last few days this rock has been removed to the lawn of Mr. J. P Turnbull on the corner of Pauline and Pleasant streets, who will preserve this relic of "ye ancient days." The removal was a very difficult one, the stone weighing many tons, and took the united efforts of six horses and about the same number of men to get it in its new position.

in 1630 met with no resistance Pauline Street and evidence an Indian encampment was discovered when historical surveys were conducted prior to the recent building of the new Arthur Cummings elementary school. Shown here, in the first three pictures, are photos taken in 1888 when the first graves were opened. They depict skeletons lying in a shallow grave about 3 feet deep, a human skull and various pieces of bone, teeth, shells and beads also located in the grave. In April 1924, a 40-page brochure was issued by Harvard University through the Peabody Museum of American Archaeology and "Ethnology - -Volume XI, No 1" by Charles C Willoughby that documented and illustrated the skeletal remains and artifacts discovered in the 10 graves uncovered in Winthrop. This writer was honored to receive a copy as a gift from my daughter, Sandy Bradley, for a recent birthday. Pictures can bring back many interesting historical moments in a community's past, some based on fact and others related to rumors. The fourth photograph is of the plaque describing the history of a rock where Indians were reported to have ground their corn for bread, which was served with fish caught along our shores, reminding us of times before the English arrived in 1624. As noted on the plaque, the rock was moved initially (in 1854) to the corner of Pleasant and Pauline Streets where it resided until the early 1900s when it was again moved to the corner of Pleasant and Main Streets. It sat there until about 1946 to 1950 when the Public Housing construction began on the site. The rock was again subjected to yet another move but this time it split in two and the whereabouts of its remains are unknown. As those of us that walk around Deer Island have seen, there is an area on the harbor side that has been designated as the location for a future memorial to the Indians who died while held in concentration camps during King Phillips War in 1675.





THE MORE Things Change ...

Items selected from past issues of the Winthrop Sun, The Winthrop Review, The Winthrop Visitor, The Transcript and The Sun-Transcript

20 years ago May 20, 1999

A disclosure to the state's bond ratings agencies has revealed that the administration of Gov. A. Paul Cellucci intends to raise tolls from \$1 to \$2 on the Tobin Bridge and Sumner Tunnel and from \$2 to \$3 on the Ted Williams Tunnel in order to pay for the escalating costs of the Big Dig project.

School Committee members are warning that if Town Meeting reduces the School Dept. budget by \$500,000, as is being recommended by the Advisory Committee, seven teachers will be laid off and athletics will be eliminated.

A mock drunk-driving auto accident was staged at Winthrop High School.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is proceeding with its final studies for the dredging of Winthrop Channel from the dolphin (Winthrop Light) to Rice's Wharf.

Four Winthrop police officers, Sean Riley, Matthew Zichella, Ignacio Oyola, and James West recently graduated from the police academy.

Notting Hill, The Love Letter, and Star Wars: The Phantom Menace are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

40 years ago May 23, 1979

The selectmen and Police Chief David Rice have agreed to a resolution of the issues that have been the subject of a hearing before Hearing Officer Albert Shaw for the past few months. Rice agreed to accepting a censure for having failed to file weekly reports with the selectmen and the selectmen agreed to drop 11 other charges.

Three members of the Fire Dept. were promoted this week: David Higginbotham to the rank of captain; Robert E. Burditt Jr. to lieutenant; and William E. Hazlett to lieu-

Mel Brooks's Blazing Saddles is playing at the Kincade

50 years ago

May 22, 1969 For the first time in 11 years, the Mass. Senate, led by Revere Sen. Joseph J.C. Di-Carlo, has limited the expansion plans for Logan Airport by the Mass. Port Authority with the passage of a bill that forbids Massport from extending any runway at Logan except toward the water. Senate Pres. Maurice Donahue cast the deciding vote in favor of the bill. DiCarlo, in urging passage of the legislation, said it is time for Massport to consider building a second major airport rather than enlarging Logan.

Doris Day and Robert Morse star in Where Were You When the Lights Went Out? at the Winthrop Theatre.

60 years ago May 21, 1959

Arthur Sullivan, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, announced a new tax rate of \$65.20 for 1959, an increase of \$1 over 1958's rate. Sullivan said that the previously-anticipated decrease of 20¢ did not materialize because of an initial overestimate of the town's valuation by the board.

A bad-check scheme from

Walpole state prison also had a "branch" here in Winthrop, authorities who broke up the ring revealed this week. A bad check for \$60 had been passed at the Williams Package Store at 528 Shirley St.

More than 2,200 civilian toured Ft. Banks during the Armed Forces Open House last week.

Three Winthrop teachers, Miss Laura Burrill, Miss Beatrice Lord, and Mrs. Alice Miller, were feted at a retirement party by 150 of their colleagues at Anthony's Hawthorne in Lynn.

Debbie Reynolds and Tony Randall star in The Mating Game at the Winthrop The-

70 years ago May 19, 1949

A homeless local family of 10, with eight children ranging in age from 4 to 17, has been given a temporary home in the American Legion Dugout after they were evicted from their apartment last week. Winthrop welfare officials say they anticipate putting up the family in a rooming house in East Boston shortly. The family says that no landlord is willing to rent them an apartment with their family of 10.

In the meantime, the Navy has rejected the selectmen's request to use the empty barracks at Ft. Heath as temporary housing for evicted families in Winthrop.

A door-to-door fundraising campaign to establish a fourbed, "Winthrop Room" at the Children's Medial Center in Boston will get underway here on Sunday.

A bronze tablet bearing the names of 100 members of the Winthrop Community Hospital was unveiled at the hospital's Open House festivities this week.

Richard Widmark and Lionel Barrymore star in Down to the Sea in Ships at the Winthrop and State Theatres.

80 years ago May 20, 1939

The Rotary Club will sponsor a program for the town's youth at the junior high School auditorium Friday evening. Speakers will address the many problems facing youth today, such as how to get a job, how to get along in life, how to make the most of leisure time, and how to find the better and nobler things in life.

Town employees are sprucing up the grounds around the town in anticipation of Memorial Day.

Basil Rathbone stars as Sherlock Holmes in Hound of the Baskervilles at the Winthrop and State Theatres.

90 years ago May 25, 1929

The Winthrop Board of

Trade heard from Mr. Atherton Hunt, the senior counsel for the Charles River Basin Improvement Assoc., who told the members that the recent legislation to improve the basin will result in an assessment to the Town of Winthrop of \$2,305. However, Hunt noted that 45 percent of the cost of the improvements will be paid for with the \$1 million gift from Mrs. James J. Storrow, with the 37 cities and towns in the Metropolitan

District sharing the remainder. The project includes the construction of a park on the Boston side of the basin to maker the area more accessible for the 2 million residents of the area for boating, canoeing, and other recreational activi-

Town Meeting gave preliminary approval to the plan calling for the town to lease the site of the former Town Hall to the federal government for construction of a new Post Office building.

100 years ago May 24, 1919

The Winthrop War Works Committee is making plans to ensure that this will be the most glorious Fourth of July ever in our town.

Chief of Police Burrill applied for four arrest earrnts for youths who were joyriding last night in a stolen automobile. The four youths fled the scene after crashing into a pole and were chased by a witness, who eventually was beaten senseless by the youths. In court today, all four were found guilty of both counts of appropriating an automobile and assault & battery. They were placed on probation, ordered to pay restitution, and fined \$15 each.

The Sun editorializes that the recent pay raise voted by the legislature for themselves of \$500 to a new salary level of \$1,500 "is a pretty raw deal for the taxpayers and those who voted for the hike should be voted out of office."

110 years ago May 22, 1909

Two dog attacks recently have resulted in injuries to Winthrop residents. In one of the incidents, Mrs. Hughes held a vicious bulldog at bay as it tried to enter her house. She slammed the door, jamming the dog between the door and the door jam. In the other, a schoolboy on his way home was bitten on the leg.

The committee appointed by Town Meeting to study the issue of purchasing land on Main and Pleasant streets. for a public park, playground, and landing met in the Frost Public Library this week. The public was invited. Although many spoke up in favor of the idea of creating playgrounds throughout the town, some, especially neighbors such as the Tewksburys, argued that a playground in that area near their homes will attract an undesirable element from East Boston.

The work for the addition to the town cemetery has been completed.

120 years ago May 26, 1899

The selectmen of the town of Revere have rejected a request by the Revere and Winthrop St. Railway Co. for a location in that community.

It is rumored that two new positions have been created in the town, those being. Street Watering Inspector and Dog Watcher. The latter will relieve the police of one of their most arduous tasks, while the former appears to be a reflection on the poor performance of the street watering department.

TOWN OF WINTHROP MUNICIPAL MEETINGS

Thursday, May 23

Zoning Board of Appeals, 7 p.m., Harbey Hearing Room Town Hall

Monday, May 27

Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 28 Retirement Board, 5:30 p.m. Town Hall

Finance Commission, 6:30 p.m. Town Hall Winthrop Housing Authority, 7 p.m. Golden Drive

Thursday, May 30

Commission on Disabilities, 6:30 p.m. Senior Center

Winthrop Senior Center News May 23 - May 29, 2019

Hours: Mon-Thurs:8:30-4pm/Fri:8:30-2:30pm

Thursday, May 23

8:30am – Yoga with Kathleen (\$5) 10:00-11:00am - Options Counseling with Mystic Valley Elder Services (Appointment Required)

10:30am – Zumba with Barbara 12:00pm - Lunch 1:00pm - Bingo

Friday, May 24

9:30am - Exercise Class 10:00am - Ceramics with Gerry

10:30am - Line Dancing with Cindy

12:00pm - Lunch

1:00pm – The Senior Center will be closing at 1:00pm

Saturday, May 25

10:30am – Zumba with Cindy

Monday, May 27

The Senior Center will be closed in observance of Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 28

9:30am – Tai Chi with Cindy 10:00am - Arts & Crafts 10:00am – Bowling (at Winthrop Elks)

10:30am – Zumba with Cindy 12:00pm - Lunch

12:30pm – Winthrop Police/Senior Community Open Discussion 1:00-3:00pm – Free Hearing Screenings (Appointment Required)

1:00pm- Art Class with Dawn 1:00pm - Chorus Rehearsal 2:00pm - Technology Class with Betsy

Wednesday, May 29

9:30am - Exercise Class

10:00am - Legal Aid Appointments (Appointment Required)

10:30am – Yoga with Kathleen (\$5)

10:30am – Tap Dancing with Tracy (at the Methodist Church)

12:00pm - Lunch 1:00pm - GOLF Card Game

1:15pm – Italian Class with Michael

3:00-3:45pm - Play Chess with the WMS Chess Club

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Computer Lab: The Senior Center computer lab is open Monday-Thursday: 9am-3pm and Friday: 9am-2pm.

SHINE Counseling: Volunteer SHINE Counselors are here to help you with any health insurance questions you may have. If you would like to visit with one of our SHINE Counselors, please call the Senior Center (617-846-8538) to schedule an appointment.

Technology & Learning with Betsy: The next learning session with Betsy Duplin will be on Tuesday, May 28th from 2:00-3:00pm. Bring your laptops, smart phones, or tablets, along with your questions. Learning this new technology can open up a whole new world

We are looking for a Spanish teacher to teach a weekly, one hour class. A stipend of \$50/class is available. Please contact the Senior Center at 617-846-8538 if you are interested.

Do you have any unused jewelry hanging around the house? If so, would you consider donating it to the Senior Center? We put jewelry on sale, with all proceeds benefiting the Senior Center. Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

Wednesday, May 28 (12:30pm): Winthrop Police/Senior Community Open Discussion. Meet Student Resource Office, Detective Dawne Armistead and tour the Middle/High School.

Wednesday, May 29 (10:00am-12:00pm): Legal Aid Appointments. Attorney Amy Gelineau will offering free, 15-minute appointments to provide legal advice and guidance to Seniors. To make an appointment, please contact the Senior Center at 617-846-

Wednesday, June 5 (2:00pm): Eats & Treats Café. Sit back and watch as a nacho dip is prepared, and sample the finished product. \$2, sign up at the front desk. Limited to 10 people.

Tuesday, June 11 (12:00-2:30pm): Lunch & Bingo. Space is limited to 50 people, sign up at the Senior Center by June 4th. Lunch and prizes sponsored by ClearCaptions.

UPCOMING VAN AND FERRY TRIPS

All van and ferry trips cost \$10. Van trips are limited to 8 people and lunch is on your own.

Friday, June 7: Ogunquit, Maine. Wait list only.

Wednesday, July 17: Winthrop Ferry Harbor Cruise. Sign up beginning June 1. Friday, August 2: Portsmouth, NH. Sign up beginning July 1.

Friday, September 13: Winthrop Ferry Harbor Cruise. Sign up

Friday, October 4: Mt. Wachusett Foliage Tour. Sign up beginning September 1.

UPCOMING TRIPS

Flyers, with detailed information on each trip are available at the

Saturday, June 22, 2019: Boat Cruise, Train Ride and Lunch in Essex, CT. Cost: \$108 (includes lunch). Meal choice: Sautéed Chicken Breast or Sliced Sirloin. Sign up by May 20th.

Thursday, July 18, 2019: Granite State Chocolate and Wine Tour. Visit Sanborn Candies in Hampton Beach and enjoy a wine tasting at Flag Hill Winery, with lunch at Warren's Lobster House. Cost: \$92. Meal choice: Crab Crusted Salmon, Top Sirloin Steak, Ritzy Filet of Fresh Haddock or Seafood Casserole.

UPCOMING CASINO TRIPS

Casino Trips Cost: \$29; sign up at the Senior Center. Please make checks payable to "Friends of the WCOA". You must sign up by the Friday before the trip.

May 28 - Plainridge Park Casino (departs Senior Center at 9am). Sign up by Friday, May 24th.

OBITUARIES

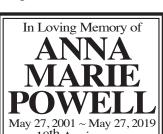
Kenneth Dalton Sr.

Member of Winthrop Elks and Life Member of the Pleasant Park Yacht Club

Kenneth P. Dalton, Sr. of Winthrop passed away unexpectedly on May 18. He was 78 years old.

Prior to his retirement, Kenneth worked for Massport as a facilities manager. He was a veteran of the Massachusetts Army National Guard, a member of the Winthrop Lodge of Elks #1078 and a life member of the Pleasant Park Yacht Club in Winthrop.

He was the beloved husband of the late Mary T. (Higgins) Dalton, devoted father of Kenneth P. Dalton Jr. and his wife, Lisa of Peabody, Kevin W. Dalton of Winthrop, Patrick J. Dalton and his fiancée, Kristen Nelson of Greenwich, CT and the late Colleen M. Grenham and her late husband, John; adored grandfather of Ryan Maloney, Cory Ostigui, Branden Dalton,





and a cure was not to be, So He put his arms around you, and whispered, "Come to me." With tearful eyes we watched you, and saw you pass away. Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hard working hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us. He only takes the best.

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Born in Boston, he was the cherished son of the late Walter and Margaret (Reddy) Dalton; dear brother and brother-in-law of the late Edward "Edza" Dalton and his late wife, Josephine, the late Warren Dalton and his late wife, Florence, the late William Dalton and his wife, Mal of Winthrop, the late Eleanor Silck and her late husband, Frederick, Virginia Adreani and her late husband, William of Winthrop and the late Richard Dalton and his wife, Joanne of Winthrop. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

His Funeral will be held from the Maurice W. Kirby Funeral Home, 210 Winthrop St., Winthrop, on Friday, May 24 at 9 a.m. followed by a Funeral Mass in St. John the Evangelist Church-Winthrop, at 10 a.m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment will follow in Winthrop Cemetery (Belle Isle Section). Visiting hours will be held in the funeral home today, Thursday, from 4 to 8 p.m. Donations in his name can be made to the American Diabetes Association 260 Cochituate Road #200, Framingham, MA 01701.

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the porch railing or stairs.

Smoking materials caused a spring 2018 Chelsea fire that started on a back porch and consumed three triple-deckers leaving a dozen people home-





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We Love You, We Miss You, and We Pray for You Each & Every Day Bud, Darlene, Bill, Sandra &

Memorial Mass Monday May 27th 9:00am

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tim, an 86-year old man was working on his lawn tractor when it caught fire and spread to his clothes and the deck. The building did not have any sprinklers and damages were estimated to be \$242,400.

On May 18, 2017, gasoline vapors ignited when a man attempted to refuel a commercial riding lawn mower in Framingham. The mower was damaged and he suffered second-degree burns to his left

Gasoline and Outdoor

"Never use gasoline to start a campfire or add it to any indoor or outdoor fire," said Ostroskey. "We have had so many injuries this year from people mishandling gasoline and other flammable liquids." In the past five years, Massachusetts hospitals have reported[1] treating 132 people with serious burn injuries from gasoline. On March 26, 2019, there were two terrible incidents in different communities when gasoline was added to outdoor fires causing terrible injuries.

In Ware, four young adults were injured at a birthday party when one of them added a flammable liquid to an outside burn barrel. Two were life-flighted to a Boston hospital; one was taken to a Worcester hospital, and one was treated at a local hospital.

In West Springfield, a man was seriously injured after pouring gasoline into a fire

Smoking Safety

Smoking was the leading cause of fire deaths in Massachusetts last year, and there have been many fires this spring from improperly discarded smoking materials on porches and in backyards. These fires can smolder undetected for a long time and when they erupt into flames, travel fast. If they start on the exterior of the building, these fires can get a strong hold before the interior smoke alarms start to warn anyone of the danger. If you smoke, put it out, all the way, every time. Extinguish smoking materials in a can with sand or water, not in the mulch, leaves, grass, in a potted plant or other container that can catch fire. Don't snub them out on

Beverly E. Turner



imes the rosebud's chosen that we feel He's picked too soon.

Family

St. John the Evangelist Church

A late March 2019 fire displaced 20 from a Douglas apartment building started by a cigarette tossed into dry

An April 3, 2019 fire destroyed a Peabody manufactured home. It was started by smoking materials discarded into dried leaves.

An April 27, 2019 fire in Newton killed a 62-year-old man and injured an elderly woman. The fire was started by smoking materials underneath the exterior deck.

Fireworks

Marshal Ostroskey reminds us that: "The possession and use of all fireworks by private citizens is illegal in Massachusetts." This includes sparklers, party poppers, snappers, firecrackers and cherry bombs, and more. "Leave fireworks to the professionals, and enjoy supervised displays," he said. "It is illegal to purchase fireworks in another state and transport them to Massachusetts," he added. Last summer, there were many fires, amputations and burn injuries from illegal fireworks in Massachusetts.

A 22-year-old man was seriously injured when roman candles were set off inside an Amherst apartment.

A 22-year-old was injured in Gloucester playing with

A 10-year-old boy was injured by illegal fireworks at a Marshfield beach on July 3, 2018. He was an innocent by-stander.

A man lost part of his hand when a firework he was holding exploded. The explosion occurred in a Mansfield MBTA parking lot.

The Tewksbury Fire Department provided emergency medical care to a man who lost a part of every finger on his right hand when a firework he was holding exploded.

man suffered injuries to his left hand when a "cherry bomb" exploded.

A 25-year-old Brockton

A 22-year-old Kingston man suffered injuries to his hands, face and stomach from

In the past decade (2009-2018), there have been 800 major fires and explosions involving illegal fireworks in Massachusetts[2]. These incidents resulted in 12 civilian injuries, 39 fire service injuries and an estimated dollar loss of \$2.5 million.

On June 25, 2018, people shooting fireworks in the street started a fire in a sixunit Lynn apartment building. One ricocheted to the second floor porch and ignited several items. The fire spread to the rest of the second floor and to the third floor. Thirty-four firefighters were injured at this fire.

Burn First Aid

• Stop, Drop, Cover and Roll to extinguish a clothing

• Cool a burn. For minor burns, run cool water over the burn immediately.

• Seek emergency medical help immediately for more serious burns. Call 9-1-1.

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munity," explained Os- tiative in memory of trustee, borne, who settled in Win- Jim Matarazzo, a Winthrop throp 35 years ago when she High School graduate, Class got married. "I fell in love of 1959. Matarazzo served with the community right as a dean and professor at Simmons College, where he Winthrop Engages began as taught at the School of Library and Information Science. The



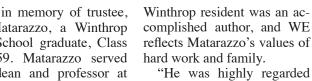
George Rainville learning about the U.S. Census Bureau, with Melody Adams, Partnership Specialist, New York Regional Census Center.



Winners of the Winthrop Engages poster contest from the Cummings School are from left to right, Cummings Principal Norah Grimes, Amberclaire Dowd, Alex Ros and Lily Kantrovitz.



Linda and Rob Vecchia, Town Council President.



"He was highly regarded in his field and invaluable for generations of future librarians," said Ron Bergman, chairman, Board of Trustees, Winthrop Public Library. "His guidance and knowledge were invaluable in making the board of the library the effective team they are today."

During the gathering, attendees registered to vote, and spoke with town leaders who inspired them to participate in programs, such as Veterans' Services, the Winthrop Cultural Council, and CASA (Community Action for Safe Alternatives).

"Oftentimes, people don't



Winthrop Public Library staff and trustees.

realize how important they are. One person can make a difference in many ways," said Library Director Diane Wallace, who photographed

residents posing with a puzzle piece-shaped frame. "This is a way to bring people together."

Winthrop Engages hopes

that newcomers, and lifelong residents who find themselves with time to volunteer, will use their particular skills to help serve the community.



Stephen Ruggiero, CASA, Michael Mahoney, WCAT, and Councilor Pete Christopher.



Fifth-grade volunteers: Elaina Freeman, Liam Natareno, and

Ron Bergman, Chairman, Board of Trustees, and Diane Wallace, **Library Director**



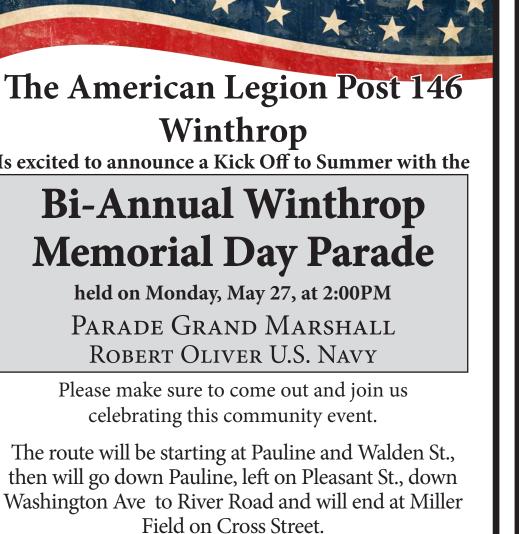
Mary Lou Osborne, Library Assistant Director, and Mary Kate Schulte, Children's/Young Adult Librarian

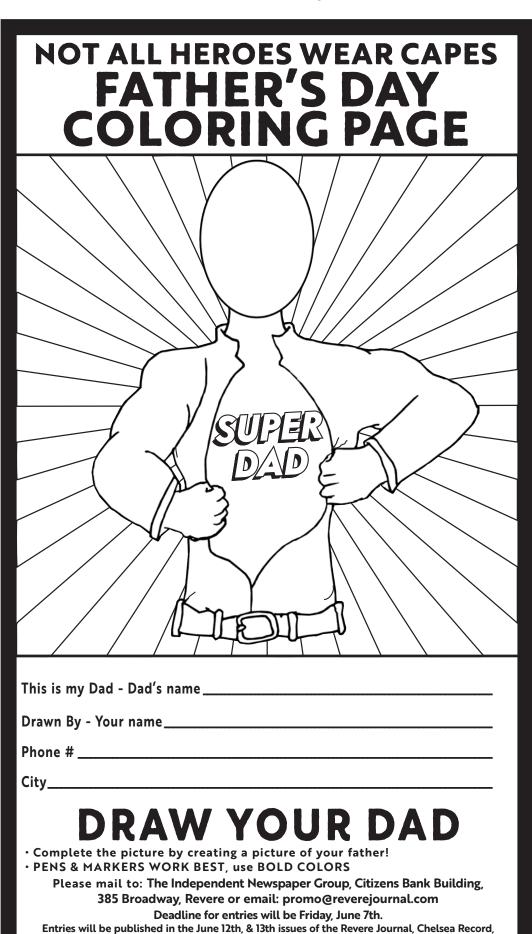


Town Manager Austin Faison encouraged residents to participate in the community through committees and









Everett Independent, East Boston Times, Winthrop Sun Transcript, and The Lynn Journal

TOP WHS STUDENTS AWARDED CITATIONS FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS

cent of their class were award-

Students in the top ten per- best of the best," said High most notable and prestigious School Principal Matt Cromed citations last Friday morning bie. "They study more, stress at the Cottage Park Yacht Club. more, and sacrifice more and "These students are the when they get accepted in the

schools in the world, the underclassmen who follow behind them will use their bios to stay motivated."



Jackson Tolliver (senior) gets pinned by Deana Criess



Seniors show off their awards.



Olivia Brandi-Miller (senior) with Lisa Brandi and Henry Bruisken.



Tina and Victoria Donahue (senior).



Liliana Napoli and Ruwan Aldweib, sophomores.



Camila Miranda-Llovera, surrounded by her family: Mauro Miranda, Lidia Llovera, Alejandro Miranda.



Grace Smotrich (senior), with parents, Heather and Mike Smotrich.



Sean, Olivia, and Cindy Driscoll.



A group of juniors show off their citations.



Caroline Zuffante (senior) with Jeralyn Zuffante.



Brandon Preble (senior), with Anita and Jason Preble.



Delyamira, Andrew (senior) and Rodrigo Angulo.



Shown above, A group of freshmen, alongside Principal Matt Crombie. To the right, Sophomores: Evan Smotrich and Mike Gillis.









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David A. Passafaro, President, **New England Baptist Hospital**

David Passafaro is president of New England Baptist Hospital (NEBH) Previously, he served as senior vice president of external affairs overseeing the offices of Community and Government Relations, Philanthropy, Rea Estate and Construction.

David has extensive government and political experience, serving as Chief of Staff for the Office of Mayor Thomas M. Menino, and President of Boston 2004 Inc., a single purpose nonprofit that represents the city in staging the Democratic National Convention. In the early 1980s, he served in Washington DC working for the US Senate and in the early 1990s as a lobbyist in Washington DC and Boston with the firm McDermott/O'Neil & Associates.

Prior to joining NEBH, David served as vice president for business development at Suffolk Construction Company where he was responsible for business development and client relationships for clients in the commercial, hospital, healthcare and higher education sectors in the Northeast. He also served as Vice President for Business Development at William A Berry & Son Construction and Managing Director for Real Estate at Cambridge Associates Holdings Company.

Previously, David served on several boards and commissions, including: Boston Medical Center, Board of Trustees, Finance Chairman; Chairman of Boston Medical Center Insurance Co., LTD and GMPCI, LTD, both captive insurance companies; Zoo New England Board of Directors; and City of Boston Ren

David holds a BA in Political Science from Marquette University, 1976, and a MA in International Affairs and Foreign Policy from Georgetown University, 1979.



Jennifer Blanco, Board Member, East Boston Neighborhood Health Center

For nearly two decades, Jennifer Blanco has provided at-risk youth and families with services and resources that foster stable family relationships and enhance children's physical, emotional, and cognitive well-being. Jennifer began her career at East Boston Head Start as a part-time summer

teaching assistant. In 2000, she took a position teaching preschool at a private school. Five years later, Jennifer returned to East Boston Head Start as a family advocate. Jennifer held the position of family advocate until 2010, after that, she became a Family Community Engagement Supervisor at Parker Hill and in 2011 transferred to the Jamaica Plain Head Start. In 2014 Jennifer returned back to the East Boston Head Start location where she currently works. Jennifer holds a master of science in family studies from Wheelock College She has served as Clerk of the EBNHC Board of Directors since 2001.



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Sports

WHS SPORTS ROUNDUP

BOYS TENNIS SHOOTS FOR SCHOOL RECORD FOR WINS

The Winthrop High boys tennis team will be aiming to set a new school record for victories in a season in the final two matches of the year this week.

The Vikings improved to 11-3, placing themselves in position to achieve a record -setting 13 victories, with a dramatic triumph in the second half of a doubleheader with Peabody/Danvers on Tuesday.

In order to play both matches, which had been necessitated by rainouts, the teams agreed to a pro sets format in which the first player to win eight games, by two, is the winner.

Winthrop dropped the first match, 3-2, and was tied in the second contest, 2-2. The Winthrop doubles tandems of Russell Nichols and Kevin Dorr at first doubles and Augie Cherico and Alessio Narco at second doubles both had won their matches.

With Peabody having won the first and second singles slots, the outcome of the match came down to the battle at third singles between Sam Yarrow, who ordinarily plays with Dorr at first doubles (and who was playing his first-ever singles match) and his Peabody/Danvers opponent.

With the score tied at 6-6, Sam and his counterpart battled furiously to get to 7-7 and then 8-8.

However, with sunset approaching at 7:30 p.m. -- after a 4 p.m. start -- Yarrow gutted out the next two games to win the set, 10-8, and give the match to Winthrop.

"Sam was amazing," said WHS head coach Marie Finn. "All of the players were watching the match, but he stood up to the pressure and

came through for us."

Finn and her crew were set to host Beverly today (Thursday) and Salem tomorrow. If they win both matches, they will conclude their 2019 regular season with a mark of 13-3, the best-ever in WHS boys tennis annals.

The Vikings then will await word of their seeding and first-round pairing in the upcoming MIAA state tennis tournament.

YOUNG WHS SAILING TEAM RECORDS VICTORIES

The young Winthrop High saying team earned its first victory of the season last Wednesday with a 3-0 triumph over Beverly on the Vikings' home course out of the Cottage Park Yacht Club.

The Winthrop sailors achieved individual race ranks of 1-2-4, 1-2-3, and 1-2-3. in the three races. Antea Schlichting (skipper) and Freddie Poor (crew) took first place in race 1; John Cataldo (skipper) and Ben Prew (crew) took first place in race 2; and Elizabeth Collins (skipper) and Shane Fitzpatrick (crew) took first place in race 3 to lead the Vikings to victory.

The next day the Winthrop crews made it two wins in a row with a 2-1 triumph over the Landmark School.

Winthrop recorded individual race ranks of 1-3-4 in the first race (win), 1-3-6 (loss) in the second race, and then 1-3-4 (win) in the third race to win the regatta.

John Cataldo (skipper) and Ben Prew (crew) took first place in the first and third races. Although the Vikings lost the second race, the tandem of Elizabeth Collin (skipper) and Shane Fitzpatrick (crew) took the first place spot.

"The team has made great improvements from the be-

ginning of the season to now," said WHS head coach Catherine Domina, whose squad stands in fourth place in the B North Division of the Massachusetts Bay League with a record of 3-3. "This is an improvement from the previous two years, when we had records of 2-4."

Domina and her crews took part in the Mass. Bay League championships on the Charles River this past weekend and will compete in the state championships that are scheduled for today (Thursday) and tomorrow.

WHS GIRLS LACROSSE TOPS GLOUCESTER, 17-8; CLINCHES TOURNEY BERTH

The Winthrop High girls lacrosse team punched its ticket for a Journey to the Tourney with a 17-8 triumph over Gloucester this past Friday on the turf at Miller Field.

The victory raises the Lady Vikings' record to 10-6, assuring them of the .500 record that is needed to clinch a spot in the MIAA post-season state tournament.

Maura Dorr netted her 100th career goal, which marks an amazing achievement for Maura, who is only a sophomore.

"This was a huge win for our program," said WHS head coach Ben Cimmino. "Our last three games with Gloucester were decided by less than two goals, so this was a big step forward for us."

In addition to Maura Dorr, Cimmino had words of praise for other members of his squad. "Jenna Dorr and Carolyn Kinsella played great at midfield and Gemma DiMento and the defense had their best game of the season," noted Cimmino.

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WHS LACROSSE VS. GLOUCESTER



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Sophomore Maura Dorr lines up the shot that became her 100th career goal during a girls' lacrosse game against Gloucester on Friday, May 17. The girls were 10-5 and finished second in the conference, with the playoffs a major possibility. See more photos on Page 13.



STUDENT HIGHLIGHT: Senior presented with M.A.S.S. Certificate of Academic Excellence

By Kate Anslinger

This year has been a big one for 18-year-old Chris Finn. In addition to being presented with the Massachusetts Association of School Superintendent's (MASS) Certificate of Academic Excellence, Finn was part of the Northeast Conference Championship winning hockey team, which is the first since 2015. As captain of both the tennis and hockey teams, and a passionate volunteer with WINARC, Finn has his hands full both inside and outside of school.

He filled us in on his plans for taking a year off before starting college, and a bit about why he loves the Life Skills class.

What are your future plans?

This upcoming year I have decided to take a year off of school and pursue my passion for playing hockey. I will be playing junior hockey for the Walpole Express in the Eastern Hockey League. After the season I will be applying to

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The Lady Vikings will host **WHS SOFTBALL** Northeast Regional today (Thursday) and will travel to Peabody tomorrow (Friday). Next Thursday's contest with Mystic Valley will be highlighted by Senior Night festivities.

HOLZBACH TAKES THIRD IN 400 **HURDLES AT NEC**

Winthrop star track performer Beatriz Holzbach was the top performer for the Winthrop High girls and boys outdoor track teams at the Northeastern Conference Meet that was held this past Saturday at Peabody High School.

Beatriz brought home a third-place medal in the 400 meter low hurdles with a clocking of 1:11.04.

Teammate Camilla Miranda-Llovera also performed well at the NEC Meet, finishing 11th among the large field in the two-mile run with a time of 13:39.32.

TEAM DEFEATS **SWAMPSCOTT**

The Winthrop High softball team put it all together to earn an 18-5 victory over Swampscott last Wednesday.

The Lady Vikings asserted control of the contest from the outset, scoring six runs in the opening inning. Winthrop continued to add to its advantage with three runs in the second, six in the third. and three in the fourth, which caused the game to be halted after five innings because of the mercy rule.

Winthrop lead-off hitter Summer Tallent was among the offensive stars for the Lady Vikings. Summer was on base throughout the game via a walk, a hit-batter, and an error and scored three runs.

Brooke Costin was a force at the plate, going two-for-two with a single, a double, two walks, three runs scored, and two RBI. Katie Gagnon delivered a two-run double and

Nelly Carter drove in a run with a two-bagger of her own.

Rachel Farley, Bella Perrotti, and Steph Strangie also joined in on the Lady Viking hit parade.

Sofia Vitale pitched all five innings, allowing four earned runs on four hits, striking out five opponents and walking

In a doubleheader with Gloucester on Saturday, WHS head coach Dave Duffey was pleased with his team's effort despite dropping both con-

"We played well in the first game at Gloucester, but we only had three hits," said Guffey of the 5-1 loss to the Lady Fishermen, the firstplace team in the South Division of the Northeastern Conference.

Winthrop's lone tally came in the sixth when Farley and Carter singled and Izzy Mahoney laid down a suicide squeeze that brought Farley racing home.

Vitale went all the way in the pitcher's circle, yielding eight hits and four earned

In the second game of the day, in which Gloucester prevailed 11-5, Strangie swung the big bat, going two-forfour, scoring a run, and driving in a run. Gagnon, Cali Peterson, and Perrotti all delivered singles that produced

"Stephanie Strangie pitched well," said Guffey. "We turned two double plays to keep it close. If we can play like this for the rest of the season, we can play with anyone and it will make for an exciting second half of the year."

Guffey and his crew took on Saugus this past Tuesday

nior Night against Weston yesterday (Wednesday). They will trek to Salem today (Thursday) and to Danvers tomorrow.

MACPHAIL WINS TWO-MILE RUN IN **BEVERLY MEET**

Cormac MacPahil earned first-place honors for the Winthrop High boys outdoor track and field team in their recent meet with Beverly last Thurs-

Cormac blazed around the WHS track in a clocking of 10:53.1 to capture the twomile run.

Although MacPhail was the only first-place finisher for the Vikings, a number of his teammates added three points to the WHS side of the scoresheet with second-place finishes:

Pat Haskell accounted for nine points with a trio of second-place performances: the triple jump with a final landing of 35'; the 100 dash in a sprint of 12.2; and the 400 dash in 58.2.

Chris Cappuccio captured second spot in the long jump with a leap of 17'-2" and grabbed third places in the 200 dash in 24.5 and the high jump with a leap of 5'-0".

Dillon Riley finished second in the javelin with a throw of 109'; Mark Amatucci grabbed second in the 400 hurdles in 66.9 and third in the long jump with a leap of 16'-8"; Pat Teixiera took second in the shot put with a throw of 34'; William Hubert added a third in the shot with his toss of 333'-5"; Michelangelo Marcoccio finished third in the 400 dash in 60.3; ad Nate Evangelista took third in the



WHS Seniors Sofie Lafratta and Kirsten Griffiths will be playing in their final tennis matches this week. After two years of playing doubles together and being named the NEC All Conference Doubles Team as sophomores, the duo took on the role of Captains as juniors and have been playing first and second singles the past two seasons. Both will be heading to nursing school in the fall. Sofie at Indiana University and Kirsten at Quinnipiac University.

and Sion grabbed second in the discus with his toss of 93'.

POTE TRIUMPHS IN TWO EVENTS VS. BEVERLY

Mary Kate Pote recorded two first-place victories for the Winthrop High girls outdoor track and field team in the Lady Vikings' meet last Thursday at Winthrop High School.

Mary Kate topped the field in the shot put with a throw of 31'-5" and outdistanced the competition in the discus with

Two Lady Vikings earned second-place honors in their events. Tess Ferrandi grabbed second in the triple jump with a final landing of 37' and Camila Miranda Llovera was runner-up in the mile run with a clocking of 6:22.

Four Winthrop girls added single points to the WHS scoresheet with third-place finishes: Clare Nargi in the 100 hurdles in 19.6; Madalin Deertan in the 400 hurdles in 90.7; Olivia Skomro in the 200 dash in 32.8; and Fiona MacPhail in the 400 dash in

javelin with his throw of 104'; a toss of 72'-11". 69.4. and were set to celebrate Se-

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BUFFALO CHICKEN SKILLET Ingredients:

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9 tablespoons canola oil,

3/4 cup Buffalo wing sauce

3/4 teaspoon salt 3/4 teaspoon ground black

pepper 3 pounds chicken breast tenders

1 1/2 cups panko bread

1 1/2 cups shredded mozzarella cheese

Directions: 1. Sprinkle salt and black pepper over chicken breast tenders. 2. Whisk eggs in a shallow bowl until smooth. Place panko in a

separate shallow bowl. 3. Dip both sides of each chicken breast in the eggs and then

4. Heat 3 tablespoons oil in a large skillet over medium heat. Cook 1/3 of the breaded tenderloins until crusts are golden and centers are no longer pink, about 4 minutes per side. Transfer to a large plate. Repeat with remaining oil and breaded tenderloins in 2 batches.

5. Return all chicken to the skillet. Pour wing sauce over chicken. Sprinkle cheese on top. Reduce heat to low, cover, and cook until cheese is melted, about 5 minutes.

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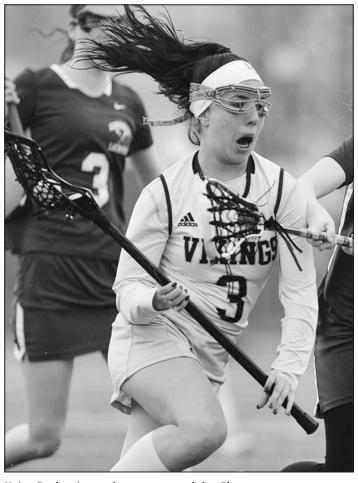
WINTHROP TAKES VICTORY, 16 - 8

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Sophomore Maura Dorr notched the 100th goal of her two-year career Friday, May 17, as she led the Lady Vikings to a 16-8 win over Gloucester at Miller Field. The win boosted Winthrop's record to 10-5. The post-season beckons for the Lady Vikings, who finished second in the Northeast Conference.



Emma Turner defends against a Gloucester attack.



 ${\it Kaiya\ Rodergiuez\ advances\ toward\ the\ Gloucester\ net.}$



Miya Grein makes a save.



Mia Martucci goes to the ground as she tries to gain control of the ball.



 $\label{thm:conditional} \textbf{Gabby Ford leads a pack of defenders from behind the net.}$



Emma Carleton gets past a Gloucester defender.



Carolyn Kinsella gets off a shot in close to the net.



Sonedia Dahlquist concentrates on a loose ball.



 $\label{lem:main_decomposition} \textbf{Maura Dorr, who notched her 100th career goal during the game, moves in on the Gloucester net.}$

Winthrop's Kayla Petrucelli performs in Boston Ballet's production of 'Cinderella'

Winthrop, is performing in Boston Ballet's production of Sir Frederick Ashton's Cinderella in the role of a Season Page. PETRUCCELLI has been a student at Boston Ballet School for six years. Cinderella runs May 10–June 8 at the Citizens Bank Opera

Kayla is a dedicated third grade student at a local Elementary School. When Kayla is not dancing she enjoys other activities including a martial arts program where she currently is a green belt, she is a background actress in an upcoming TV series and she loves spend time with her family and friends. Although she wears many hats, ballet remains her passion and is very excited and honored to be a part of this special pro-

Cinderella tells the iconic sto- trance is typical of Ashton's

Kayla Rose Petruccelli, of ry of a young woman overcoming hardship to find her courage and love's destiny. The production is "...chock full of inventive choreography, atmospheric sets, opulent costumes, and fabulous dancing..." (Karen Campbell, The Boston Globe) and returns after a successful Company premiere in 2014. The lavish sets and costumes are designed by Emmy Award-winning designer David Walker.

Ashton's version of this fairytale features a fairy godmother as well as four season fairies, introduced in Act I to prepare Cinderella for the ball. Each fairy showcases a style unique to the season as she presents a gift to Cinder-

In Act II, Cinderella arrives at the ball at the top of the grand staircase where she must descend on pointe. The Presented in three acts, large buildup before an enchoreography, and demonstrates Marius Petipa's influence on his style.

Cinderella premiered on December 23, 1948 with Sadler's Wells Ballet, later to become The Royal Ballet. Ashton originally staged the role of Cinderella for famed ballerina Margot Fonteyn, but the role was debuted by Moira Shearer because Fonteyn was injured. The roles of the stepsisters are comedic characters performed by men. Ashton himself famously danced this role with The Royal Ballet.

All children performing in Cinderella are students of Boston Ballet School and coached by an experienced staff including Boston Ballet Artistic Director Mikko Nissinen, Boston Ballet School Director Margaret Tracey, Children's Ballet Master Miranda Weese, and Boston Ballet School's world-renowned faculty. Students rehearse with



Kayla Rose Petrucelli.

Company dancers and have costume fittings with Boston Ballet's Costume Shop. They will experience the unique, backstage atmosphere at the

Citizens Bank Opera House through technical and dress rehearsals, as well as performances accompanied by Boston Ballet Orchestra conducted by newly-appointed Music Director Mischa Santora.

Participating in a fulllength ballet is an important performance opportunity for students, exposing them to aspects of ballet they do not experience in a regular class. The students learn about the hard work and enjoyment that composes a live ballet performance and have the unique opportunity to dance alongside Boston Ballet's 65 internationally-acclaimed professional dancers from around the world.

For a full synopsis and additional details, visit https:// www.bostonballet.org

All performances of Cinderella take place at the Citizens Bank Opera House (539

Washington Street, Boston, MA 02111):

Show schedule:

Friday, May 10 at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 26 at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11 at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, June 1 at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11 at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 1 at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 12 at 1:30 p.m.* Sunday, June 2 at 1:30 p.m. Friday, May 17 at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 6 at 7:30 pm Saturday, May 18 at 1:30 p.m. Friday, June 7 at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 18 at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 8 at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, May 23 at 7:30 p.m. *Indicates post-show talk

Tickets start at \$37. For more information, visit bostonballet.org or call 617.695.6955.

Cinderella is approximately two hours and 31 minutes with two intermissions.

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OKLAHOMA!

The corn is as high as an elephant's eye and the singing and dancing hits greater heights at Bill Hanney's North Shore Music Theatre, when "Oklahoma!" comes to town, June 4-16, 62 Dunham Road, Beverly. Showtimes: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, at 7:30 p.m; Friday, 8 p.m.; Saturday, 2,8 p.m., and Sunday, 2 p.m. only. 978-232-7200 ,nsmt.org.

KITCHEN EXPLORATIONS

The Brass Sisters, Marilynn and Sheila, share stories, recipes, histories, and a baking lesson Thursday, May 30, 6:30-9 p.m. in their presentation, "Malden, Revere and Winthrop, Then and Now, with PBS' The Food Flirts," at Fenway Community Center, 1282 Boylston St., Boston. Limited to 45 people. advance tickets, \$20; at the door, \$25.

IMOGEN HEAP

The award-winning recording artist and famous the innovator will reunite with Guy Sigsworth as electronic dup Frou Frou, Friday, May 24, 8 p.m, at Emerson Colonial Theatre, 106 Boylston St., Boston. \$39.50,\$49.50,\$59.50.888-616-0272.

ROMEO AND JULIET

Commonwealth Shakespeare Company's CSC 2 Series for Young Audiences presents the bard's play of legendary doomed romance, "Romeo and Juliet," May 23-31, for 20 area schools and a community performance at the Carling Sorenson Theater at Babson College, 231 Forest St., Wellesley.

BOSTON BALLET PERFORMANCE

Boston Ballet School presents the 10th annual Next Generation performances, showcasing dancers from Boston Ballet II and Boston Ballet School, with the Boston Philharmonic Youth Orchestra, Wednesday, May 22, 7 p.m., at Citizens Bank Opera House, 539 Washington Ave., Boston. Tickets start at \$29. bostonballet.org, 617-696-6955.

BOSTON BALLET

Returning from a successful tour in Europe, the Boston Ballet will debut at Boston Calling Music Festival, an excerpt of William Forsthye's "Playlist" and dancer Yury Yanowsky's Final," May 25,26, at Harvard Athletic Complex in Allston, May 22,at Citizens Bank Opera House.

CAMPFIRE FESTIVAL

Club Passim's annual campfire festival takes place throughout Memorial Day weekend, featuring 40 hours of live entertainment from more than 90 acts, 47 Palmer St., Cambridge, \$10-\$25. Club passim.org, 617-492-7679.

FEATHERS, FINS, WINGS AND THINGS

Ed Porzio's exhibit is on display May 22-June 16 at the Institution for Savings Art Gallery, Firehouse Center for the Arts,. Artist's reception is held Sunday, May 26, 3-5 p.m; Market Square, Newburyport.

LOVE AND OTHER FABLES

Theatre by the Sea presents the world premiere of musical comedy, May 29-June 16. 364 Carl's pond Road, Wakefield, RI. Previews, \$51, other performances, \$54,\$64,\$74,\$77. Group discounts for 10 or more, theaterbythesea.com, group discount for 10 or more.

This composer-cellist-one-woman orchestra performs Thursday, May 13, 8 p.m., at First Parish Unitarian, 1446 Mass. Ave., Cambridge. \$28. French composer-multi-instrumentalist Yann Tiersen takes center stage, May 25, 8 p.m., at Berklee Performance Center, 136 Mass. Ave., Boston.



Chris Finn.

Finn // CONTINUED FROM PAGE 9

schools in hopes of continuing both my academic and hockey career in college.

What is your favorite

My favorite class in school has to be Life Skills taught by Jon Cross. This class allows me to work with the special needs students and teach them various topics such as physical fitness, personal hygiene, cooking, and other everyday life skills. This class has allowed me to grow as a person more than I have from any other class I have taken while in school. I have also gained some of my best friends from this class.

Who is your role model?

My role model is definitely my father. My dad has taught me the value of a strong work ethic as he has one of the strongest. Working seven days a week, he still manages to find quality time to spend with family. He has made sure that whatever myself and my two sisters need, we have. If it wasn't for him, I wouldn't be where I am today or the man I am today. Whether it be paying tuition for sports or waking up early in the morning to drive me to games and practices, he never complains, and I definitely enjoy the quality time that we get to spend to-



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Sgt. Shawn McCarthy receives his new badge his wife Jen.



Councillor Linda Calla, who heads the Public Safety Committee, with Chief Terence Delehanty, Sgt. Tim Callinan, Lt. Stephen Rogers and Sgt. Shawn McCarthy.



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Sgt. Timothy Callinan given his new badge by his wife Leighann and sons, Michael, Leo and TJ.



Kimberlie Rogers pins her husband Stephen's new badge on him.



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NEWS FROM AROUND THE REGION

NEW GROUP LOOKS TO RAISE THE PROFILE OF **BICYCLING**

CHELSEA - With National Bicycle Month underway, a new group of cyclists and pedestrians in Chelsea are looking to create momentum and visibility on safety issues for those that aren't using vehicles.

The Chelsea Bike and Pedestrian Committee has formed over the winter and got things rolling with their first community bike ride on May 8. Now, they said they would continue those rides every Wednesday evening at 6 p.m.

Resident Asad Rahman, an avid cyclist who commutes to Boston daily from his Broadway home, has been involved in biking safety issues for a number of years and said he worked with City Planners to try to get more of a community built around bicycling and walking.

While he thought it might take some time, surprisingly the movement has grown quickly and they are already planning their first event and several events beyond that.

"More than ever, I think Chelsea is at a crossroads to put people and bicycles first instead of cars," he said. "We're a City with five or six street lights and several thousand people and cars go very, very fast. We hope we can shift the paradigm that people come first and cars come

second...Right now we have a passionate group of people in Chelsea, and we'll ride around town on May 8, for about a half-hour and then have a social time to continue building this community.'

With the help of the City and MassBike, the Committee is planning several events such as a Bike Repair workshops and a bike rodeo – this coming at future City events like Fiesta Verano and the Night Markets.

The group is on Facebook at BikeWalkChelsea, and anyone interested in joining them can show up at City Hall 6 p.m. on May 8.

The Vision for the Committee includes:

•To advance cycling and walking as leading modes of transportation in order to promote the health, wealth, and quality of life for Chelsea residents.

The Mission of the Committee is:

•To establish safe, interconnected, and enjoyable infrastructure in Chelsea for cycling and walking, through strategy with the Planning and Development department, resident education on practical use, and community engagement to build awareness and enthusiasm.

CHELSEA STADIUM **NEARING COMPLETION**

CHELSEA - The newly renovated Chelsea Stadium is only a few weeks from being completed and put into use, school officials said this week.

Facilities Director Joe Cooney said the rainy weather has slowed down the surfacing of the track, but that most everything else in the long-awaited Stadium project is completed.

"We're getting very close," he said. "When it's done, it's going to look dynamite."

The football field is completely done, he said, but the track has been tricky.

Already there has been a base coat of asphalt put down, but the rubberized surface on the track cannot be placed down in the rain – which pretty much means it has been delayed for quite some due to the deluge that has been seen lately.

He said there are two layers of rubberized surface, and that when it is done, it will be a very fast track for the runners.

The only other things outstanding are the conduits for the lights, permanent bathrooms, and bleacher improvements.

He said they have to complete the project by early May because graduation is taking place on the new field on June

MORASH, **COMMUNITY** ACTIVIST DIES

EAST BOSTON - Evelyn Morash, the outspoken community activist, wife and mother, died Sunday surrounded by her family.

Morash, an outspoken woman on matters of education who formed the group 'Parents and Teachers who Care' in the 1970s, raised her five children in a modest home at 62 Putnam St.

It was from the perch upon Eagle Hill that Morash became one of the most visible figures when it came to quality education for all children in Eastie, Boston and the state.

A contemporary of activists like Mary Ellen Welch and Anna DeFronzo, Morash emerged as yet another strong woman advocating for change at a time when women were expected to stay home, raise children and cook dinner.

A trailblazer, Morash was appointed to the state's Education Board by then Gov. Francis Sargent, where she advocated for vocational education for women.

"The present secretarial option is not enough," said Morash in 1973 East Boston Community News article. "As long as there is sexism in vocations we'll never beat it (sexism) down.'

As the founder of Parents and Teachers who Care, Morash elevated the group as the sole advisory committee for improving Eastie education. The group and Morash's activities and advocacy became well known among educational leaders in and out of Bos-

"You only have to talk with her or attend one of the Parents and Teachers Who Care meetings to realize how much

CHELSEA CHASE 5K

Fabian Mejia was first to cross the finish line in the Chelsea Chase 5K on Saturday, May 11, on Arlington Street. He was joined by numerous Chelsea folks in raising funds for The Jordan Boys & Girls Club and the Chelsea Police Relief Association. Meanwhile, Finn Feeney cheered before the big race on Satur-



she knows about East Boston and its schools," said one of the group's members back in the 1970s.

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Morash was known to impress most any teacher with

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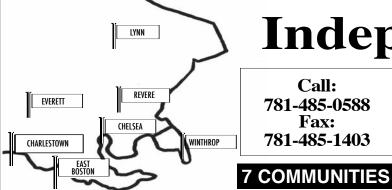
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and the Chief Municipal Official of the community in which the site is located will be notified of major milestones and events, pursuant to 310 CMR 40 1403and 2) Upon receipt of a petition from ten or more residents of the municipality in which the disposal site is located, or of a municipality potentially affected by a disposal site, a plan for involving the public in decisions regarding

response actions at the site will be prepared and implemented pursuant to 310 CMR 40.1405. To obtain more $information \ on \ this$ disposal site and the opportunities for public involvement during its remediation, please contact Lawrence Lessard, LSP, Lessard Environmental, Inc., 121 Loring Avenue, Suite 342, Salem, MA 01970.

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Real Estate Transfers

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICES



WINTHROP PLANNING BOARD -PUBLIC HEARING -JUNE 10, Notice is hereby given in accordance with Chapter 40A, of the Massachusetts General of Massachusetts that the

Winthrop Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing on Monday June 10, 2019 at on or after 7:00 p.m in the Harvey Hearing Room Town Hall on The Town of Winthrop Zoning Map(s)for recommendation to be made to the Town Council All documents pertaining to this hearing can be viewed in the Town Clerks Office, Room 5 or Planning Board Clerk Office, Room B3 during normal business hours.

5-23-19 5-30-19 Planning Board Clerk-Denise Quist Planning Board Chair-David Stasio 5/23/19

LEGAL NOTICE



OF JUNE 4, 2019 Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 2.9 (c) of the Code of the Town of Winthrop that the Winthrop Town Council will conduct a Public Hearing on Tuesday, June 4, 2019 at on or after 7:00 pm in the Harvey Hearing Item #1- Town Council Vote to Transfer \$530,000 from the **General Stabilization** Fund to Police Personnel Item #2-Town **Council Appropriate** \$5,523,334 for the purpose of financing the engineering/design/ construction /Winthrop Center District Project All documents, legally accessible, pertaining to this hearing(s) can be viewed in the Town Clerks Office, Room 5 and or the Council Clerk Office, Room B3 during normal business hours at the Winthrop Town Hall.

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Denise Quist

Council Clerk

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her knowledge of schools, education, its shortcomings and what could be done to improve learning for all.

Over the years the purpose of the group was to bridge the communication gap between parents and school officials.

"It was necessary that community voices be heard in the schools," she said in 1970. "The community had to be involved in more than baking cakes. Its purpose was to set up the needed communication between parents, teachers and school officials."

Morash was appointed to the planning board for the construction of the new Barnes School along Eastie's waterfront in the early 1980s. Under Morash's leadership the school, now known as the Mario Umana Academy, would serve a dual purpose in the community for decades. Morash fought to have the new facility not only serve students, but also the community at large. At the time the school was a state of the art facility with a pool, science labs and other amenities and focused on science and math. However, Morash ensured that those amenities would reach the residents of Eastie through the Harborside Community Center. For years the center offered classes, events, recreation and summer camps for families and children across the neighborhood.

This partnership between the School Department, City and community continues today with the East Boston YMCA running several programs at the school after hours.

Morash also served a board member of the East Boston Neighborhood Health Center during its expansion in the 1980s.

Morash also spent nearly a decade involved with the Girls Scouts here. As the Girls Scouts District Chairwoman the Eastie Girls Scouts Troop thrived under her leadership and empowered hundreds of local girls. In the 1970s several Eastie girls were selected to attend the National Girl Scout Jamboree for the first time in Eastie's history.

Morash was the wife of the late Arthur Morash. She was the mother of Stephen Morash and his wife, Donna, of South Dartmouth, Paul Morash, Eric Morash and his companion.

Kristin Pisco, all of East Boston, the late Donna M. Rauseo and her surviving husband, John Rauseo, of East Boston, and the late Patricia Morash Paglia.

She was the grandmother of Emily, Amanda and Leah Morash, Rocco Rauseo, Nicole Pappasso and Robert Paglia and great-grandmother of Jake and Gianna Pappasso.

Morash was the sister of the late Angelina Dorso, Irene Picariello and William Caucci. She is also survived by nieces and nephews.

NAUTICAL LECTURE AT LIBRARY

EAST BOSTON - The 'Queen Mary' was the second of several historic painting titled "A History of Shipping" by Frederick Leonard King to be restored. The painting by King depicting the Queen Mary was overhauled at Oliver Brothers Restoration with a grant by the East Boston Foundation (EBF) and later returned the Bremen Street Library during an unveiling

On Thursday, May 23, at 6 p.m. the Friends of the East Boston Branch Library (FOL) are sponsoring a presentation by local historian, Roberta Marchi about East Boston, the Cunard Line and our library's Queen Mary painting.

The talk will be followed by The Great Liners, Part 13, and "The Queen Mary" which features rare movie footage of the ship. The group received special permission from producers Des Cox and Snowbow Productions to show their film on May 23.

The Cunard Line has a presence in Eastie back in the 1800s with the Cunard Pier located near the former Maverick House hotel.

To welcome the restored Queen Mary back, the FOL invited the Gloucester Hornpipe and Clog Society to entertain the crowd with maritime songs. An original song celebrating the Queen Mary's return was also written in her

Along with the grant from the EBF, funding for the painting's gold rope frame has been funded by the Boston Public Library.

FOL kicked off a fundrais-

ing effort two years ago with the goal of raising \$50,000 to begin restoring the rest of the group of historic paintings.

In April 2012, the FOL reached a compromise with Boston Public Library (BPL) administrators on how to display the group of paintings by King in the new library on Bremen Street. Several painting are no on display in the library's quiet room.

Oliver Brothers. Fine Art Restoration advised FOL members that the paintings need cleaning, backings, repainting, and frames.

The paintings were originally at the Jeffries Point Branch on Webster Street. When the Jeffries Point branch was closed the murals were put up at the Meridian Street branch. However, some rumors floated around East Boston that BPL administrators were of the opinion that the paintings would not fit the decor of the new state-of-theart modern library currently that was built on Bremen Street and were quietly trying to block the community's efforts to hang the paintings at the new branch.

There were originally 30 paintings in the series but During BPL's move from Webster Street to Meridian Street something happened that changed how this series is viewed forever.

In 2011 FOL received a grant from the East Boston Foundation to identify, appraise, recommend conservation, and photograph the series of King paintings.

Two paintings in particular, the 'Flying Cloud' and the 'Sovereign of the Seas,' depict ships built by famed shipbuilder and Eastie resident Donald McKay at his shipyard on Border Street.

The group of paintings, titled was a Works Progress Administration (WPA) project under the Federal Arts Project (FAP) dating from 1935. The FAP was the visual arts arm of the Great Depression-era New Deal WPA Federal One program in the United States. It operated from August 29, 1935 until June 30, 1943. FAP's primary goals were to employ out-of-work artists and to provide art for non-federal government buildings

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Town Council: President Ronald Vecchia, Linda J. Calla, Phillip R. Boncore, ESQ., Michael Lucerto, James Letterie, Heather Engman, Richard Ferrino, Nicholas Loconte, Peter Christopher

Sunday, May 26, 2019

Marine Service, Pleasant Park Yacht Club 9:00AM: 10:00AM: Memorial Church Service, St. John Episcopal Church Memorial Dedications – Ralph E. Sirianni - corner Winthrop 11:30AM St. and Wadsworth St., James T. Porter - Corner of Ocean View and Bowdoin St.

Monday, May 27, 2019

Wioliday, Way 2/, 2017				
9:45AM: Assemble Winthrop Cemetery				
10:00AM: Town of Winthrop Memorial Service – Winthrop Cemetery				
Master of Ceremonies				
Winthrop Lodge of Elks, 1078				
"It's a grand old Flag" Winthrop Middle School Orchesti				
Pledge of Allegiance				
National Anthem Tina Marie Tal-				
Invocation				
Governor's Proclamation				

Greetings from the Commonwealth The Hon. Robert A. DeLeo Speaker of the House

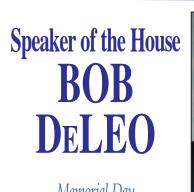
Greetings from the Commonwealth State Senator Joseph Boncore Logan's Order......Town Councilor Linda Calla Principal Speaker...... William Dimento - US Army Veteran America the Beautiful...... Tina Marie Talvi Symbolic Decoration of GravesWinthrop Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Girl Salute to Deceased Veterans of Past Wars and Conflicts..... Elks Lodge of Elks - Emblem Club

Honor Volley...... American Legion Post 146 Taps Freddie Poor- Winthrop Middle School National AnthemWinthrop Middle School Orchestra

God Bless America Tina Marie Talvi

The Winthrop Memorial Day Committee

William Brown, Chairman, Richard Honan, Richard Gay, Bob Dion, Rose Mazzuchelli, Richard Duval, David Kennedy, Alfred Bell We would like to thank the Town Council, the Department of Public Works, The Missile Men, the Winthrop Cemetery Department and the Winthrop Memorial Day Committee — American Legion Post 146



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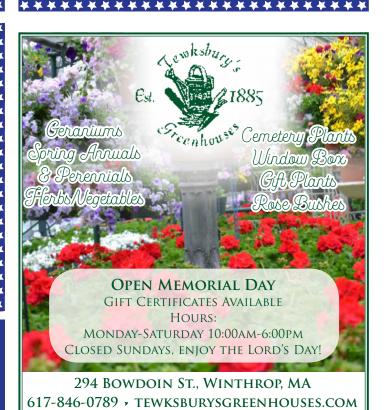
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Never Forget Our Fallen Heroes

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COMMITTEE

THE WINTHROP SUN TRANSCRIPT SOLEMNLY REMEMBERS OUR TROOPS ON THIS MEMORIAL DAY



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like schools, hospitals, libraries, etc.

DEMARIA PRESENTS \$208 MILLION FISCAL BUDGET

EVERETT - On Monday, May 13, in a joint meeting of the City Council and School Committee, the DeMaria Administration presented its City Budget for fiscal year 2020, where it spoke in glowing terms about the City's financial stability and its prospects for future growth.

The proposed FY 2020 budget comes in at just over \$208 million, reflecting a 4 percent increase over the previous year's budget. The public schools received the highest increase with \$89 million, a 7 percent increase over last year. Fixed costs, which include debt, pensions and health insurance, saw a 5 percent increase over last year. Meanwhile, City departments were allocated almost \$80,000 less than last year's budget.

Nine City Councilors as well as several School Committee members were present for the unveiling of the City's budget.

In a letter addressed to the Council and Everett Resi- as an "economic engine" ca-

dents, Mayor Carlo DeMaria expressed pride in the City's financial situation, citing strong economic growth, successful partnerships, and the increase in investments in the city.

Mayor DeMaria highlighted improvements to facilities and infrastructure, including the renovation of parks and green spaces. He also underscored the millions of dollars in grant funding the City received to support advancements in public health and technology.

The mayor referred to the Encore Boston Harbor Resort

pable of generating wealth for the City, some of which has already been received in the form of pre-opening payments in previous years.

He added that the casino has transformed the "formerly blighted" Monsanto site, has injected new life into Lower Broadway and has created "thousands of jobs" for the local community.

The mayor claimed that Encore is also committed to investing in the public health of the City, as well as realizing a free shuttle connecting downtown Everett with the silver line in Chelsea.

Mayor DeMaria shared that

Boston Globe Magazine rated Everett as one of the top 10 places to live in the Commonwealth, and number one on the North Shore. He cited rising home values, as well as tax relief to residents. The mayor also announced the creation of an affordable housing manager position in the new budget to ensure that residents of Everett can continue to afford to live in their homes.

"I know we will see even more of the growth and the progress that we saw in this past year," said Mayor De-Maria. "This year will be when the fortunes of the city

A slideshow presentation by CFO Eric Demas accompanied the release of the budget, highlighting broadly what is contained therein.

According to his presentation, "the FY 2020 budget is balanced, with over \$40 million of excess capacity available."

For the third consecutive year, Everett has been the recipient of a high stability rating by Standard & Poor's. This designation, which is based on management, budgetary performance, budgetary flexibility, liquidity and debts, can help the City apply for improvement grants.