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PEACEFUL DEMONSTRATION HELD IN FRENCH SQUARE

Winthrop Police Chief Terence Delehanty said that a demonstration held Saturday in Winthrop was "peaceful" and went on without any incidents.

The group, estimated to consist of 30 individuals with some holding signs and using bullhorns, was airing its concerns about a bill in the Mass. House of Representatives "relative to the issuance of driver's licenses to certain persons unable to provide proof of lawful presence."

According to Catherine Williams, spokeperson for Speaker of the House Robert A. DeLeo, the bill, House No. 3012, is going through the Joint Committee on Transportation process.

Delehanty said the Police Department advised Speaker DeLeo about Saturday's protest in the town.

The group began its march in Orient Heights, East Boston, and walked in to Winthrop, continuing along Main Street and Winthrop Street, passing Town Hall and proceeding in to French Square.

"There were no issues or

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TRASH DELAY

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday, Mon. 11/25, Tues. 11/26, and Weds. 11/27, regular schedule. Thursday pickups will be on Fri. 11/29; Friday pickups will be on Sat. 11/30 Capitol Waste

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Vikings and Patriots ready to tangle on Thanksgiving

By Cary Shuman

The Revere High Patriots and the Winthrop High Vikings will take to the field Thursday morning on Thanksgiving Day for the 91st renewal of their football rivalry.

The opening kick-off is set for 10 a.m. at Miller Field in Winthrop.

Beyond the usual bragging rights and the claim to the ownership for the next year of the Beachcomber Trophy, there is a lot at stake for both teams, both in terms of the current season and their place in their respective school's gridiron annals.

SERIES HISTORY

"Toss out the records," is a well-worn cliche for rivalry games, but it has proven to be a truism throughout the years for the Winthrop-Revere Turkey Day encounters.

The schools initiated their rivalry in 1913, but took "time-outs" from competition for two periods, from 1928-32 and 1947-58, when melees at the conclusion of the 1927 and 1945 contests caused school officials to sever relations.

Although Winthrop holds an overall lead in the series of 57-30-3, upsets and wild endings have been the rule rather than the exception for many of the holiday morning battles between the schools, especially in the past decade.

The long period of Winthrop Turkey Day domination, in which the Vikings claimed victories in 32 of the 35 games played between the years from 1975-

2009, clearly has come to an end.

Revere has captured the last three games in a row -- all of which have been tight, hard-fought battles (14-7, 17-14, and 18-6) -- to attain a winning skein achieved only twice before by previous Patriot teams (the other two streaks occurred in 1940-42 and 1972-74). Revere never has won four in a row and the 2019 Patriots are well-aware that they have a chance to write themselves into the record books.

Revere also has won 5-of-the-9 Thanksgiving Day contests in this decade. If they make it 6-of-10 tomorrow, it would mark the first time since the 1960s that the Patriots enjoyed a winning decade when Revere took 6-of-9 holiday contests from 1960-69. (There was no game



Vikings Football Captains Patrick Teixeira (#77) and Andre Ocampo (#78).

in 1963 out of respect for the national tragedy of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy the previous week.)

Long-time Winthrop and Revere fans will recall those epic battles in the 1960s that featured legendary football players on both sides, most notably the Del-Gaizo twins on the Patriot side and Tank Adamson and Ron Miles for the Vikings.

Needless to say, the 2019
Patriots are savoring the opportunity to create Revere
High football history -- and similarly, the Vikings are just as determined to halt the Patriot winning streak at three.

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Kate's Corner

Ordinary People, Extraordinary Stories

By Kate Anslinger

If you've had the pleasure of meeting resident, Deborah Levenson, than you've likely been exposed to a colorful conversation. The 80-year-old retired radiographer is mostly known for her rainbow-colored hair, a fitting look for her vibrant and friendly personality. While it's fairly common to see streaks of purple, pink, and even teal on the manes of youngsters' today, Levenson is a pioneer of the



Deb Levanson.

trend, and started coloring it a solid shade of purple back in 2013. It all started when she was prepping for a trip to California and she went to see her hairdresser. "My hairdresser had

always suggested I put a streak in my hair, and so I decided to be a diva and I went with my favorite color...purple," she said.

The little splotch of color that she started out with matched the various shades

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503 Socks

Eight-year-old, Emma Previte, is collecting sock donations to deliver to My Brother's Table.

STUDENT HIGHLIGHT:

Hubert uses sports to better himself mentally and physically

By Kate Anslinger

Billy Hubert has played football and track for his entire high school career, and he has been dedicated to both sports, not just because of the physical benefits, but the mental ones that he has learned to embrace

over time. "I play football because I want it to teach me how to be tough mentally and physically and I do track to get stronger and faster," said Hubert, who has been one of the winter track captains since he was a junior. In the interview below, the 18-year-old

shares his future goals and the love that he has for his family.

What are your college/

career goals?

I would like to study history in hopes of becoming a

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Emma Previte collecting socks for My Brother's Table

Story & Photo by Marianne Salza

When 8-year-old, Emma Previte, visited a soup kitchen with her brother, Nathan, and his CCD class, she was inspired to donate socks for those in need to stay warm throughout the winter. Since Nov. 11, Emma has accumulat-

ed 503 pairs of socks, and hopes to collect 1,000 total to deliver to My Brother's Table, in Lynn.

"We have everything we need, but homeless people don't have anything," explained Emma, as she cartwheeled barefoot through

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WINTHROP POLICE BLOTTER

Monday, Nov. 11

Male party walked into Police Dept. to report a past vandalism to the passenger side of his vehicle. He stated it was keyed.

Caller states she has her daughter's pitbull in her while she is in the hospital, but the dog is now aggressive. She needs the dog re moved.

Caller states a UPS truck has been in front of his home for about 3 hours. Officer reports truck is mov-

Report states 2 white males wearing all black walking around the building on Golden Drive that seem suspicious. Officer spoke to two parties but there is nothing showing.

Trailer parked with no plates for 2 days possibly abandoned. Officer was unable to find owner, he will let it be for now and check back later.

Caller called regarding a camper parked on the street. Was notified as long as the vehicle was not obstructing the street or driveways a visitor's pass would be sufficient. The party was informed of this and stated they would place the pass in the vehicle.

Motor vehicle struck a parked car and fled. Party's chasing after fleeing vehicle on foot. BMV SUV dark in color. 93 is heading back to vehicle that was struck with the parties on board that were at crash.

Tuesday, Nov. 12

Caller states there is loud banging like yard work in being done. 91 reports the parties were working on their shed, they are cleaning up and will be done for the night.

School administration reports an assault to a middle school student by another middle school student.

Male party walked into

the station to drop off a mayday distress signal pistol, which was placed in an evidence/property locker. 95 reports he spoke to Sasso construction on

Birch Rd., they had vehicles blocking the sidewalk, they were going to finish up work and move vehicles. Unit was flagged down by pedestrian stating the

operator of vehicle was driving erratically and the back window was possibly broken. Off duty officer is translating but operator it stating that he backed into a wall at Wood Island. Officers reported vehicle has some major damage to it. Report stated there was

a German shepard dog running around heading toward the boat yard. Dog did look well taken care of. Person could not see if the dog had a collar or not.

Well-being check of person who has not been

feeling well and her sister cannot reach her. Units have made contact with the party, she is fine.

Officer dropped of a gold band ring that was found at the school parking lot by Franklin Street. The ring will be secured in evidence

Wednesday, Nov. 13

Female party came into station to report she may have just been scammed into sending money to an unknown party. Police will report incident and contact told to contact all her financial institutions to close all accounts ASAP.

to hospital voluntarily after making call in regards to weapons. Individual was handcuffed for everyone's safety. Caller states her 65-year-

A 36-year-old male went

old uncle walked his nephew to the bus stop. Male party has early onset dementia. Calling party is out looking for him. 92 was giving her uncle a ride

Thursday, Nov. 14

Probation officer states his female client found a BB gun in her clothing. Does not want to be in possession of it asking for an officer to respond and retrieve it.

Friday, Nov. 15

Employee from liquor store states his vehicle was parked out front and another vehicle pulled up and multiple parties got out and damaged his vehicle then took off. Cp has video footage.

Call by a physician at hospital requesting a well-being check done on a former patient due to time sensitive medical information. Calling party states they are not positive the patient lives at same address. P arty was not home but units did speak to his mother who stated he has been homeless and stays in shelters.

Transporting female prisoner to East Boston District Court. Female dropped off without incident. Party came in to report

his son buys and sells items on eBay and discovered that there were 11 flip phones missing from his order. He was provided a Form he will complete and return. Small black car scratched

up. Reporting party states that her children's friends just visited her home and stated that a car drove near them slowly and stared at them. Information was given out to units.

Party walked in station and stated they had an altercation with neighbor. Unit spoke with party. Everything checked out, party made the comment out of

frustration and was advised against making the state-

Saturday, Nov. 16

Kymco scooter found in the trees and was towed by G/J towing.

Resident walk in to report an attempted scam discovered in her mail yesterday by her parents.

Verbal warning for party had completely blacked out license plate cover and was advised to remove it. There is a dog on a leash

on person's property the

RP stated the leash looks

long. He would like a unit

to check it out. RP called to state there is a dog on a long leash and will check it out. Unit responded to address that party stated had property damage due to hit and run. Minimal scuffmark on a light post, which may be able to be wiped off.

manent damage observed. Citation issued for texting while driving.

Pole working and no per-

RP stated the people upstairs are harassing her. She sated she can hear them through the floors. Units spoke to both parties and advised them to take up the noise issue the management

White Sebring convertible with drunk driver. Driver seen stumbling in the road then getting in the vehicle and began driving.

Dump truck idling for hours in the boat yard. Person states this is an ongoing issue. Truck has not been idling for along time truck was ice cold. Driver was advised and will be leaving

shortly. Person reported basement window pushed in and front door open. No items stolen. Wants to make

Doesn't appear to be a forced entry.

report.

Person came to station to inform the department about concerns related to a family member who is currently under medical care at a hospital. Team will be contacted to begin appropriate support and services.

Reporting party walked in with her husband to report a video caught on their Ring doorbell showing an unidentified male subject walk into the common area of the apartment and look at their mailbox. They wanted to report this in case the man returns. No crime was observed on the footage, parties were advised to call on any other further suspicious activity.

Patrol at Fort Banks Cemetery saw a coyote with something in its mouth.

Monday, Nov. 18

Vehicle parked in lot party has been sent on his way and given the rules on when to park there.

Winthrop Police Department offers tips to prevent holiday package theft

With the holiday shopping season officially here, Chief Terence M. Delehanty and the Winthrop Police Department wish to remind residents of several precautions they can take when ordering items online to help prevent their gifts from falling into the wrong hands.

'This time of year, residents need to be aware of package theft and take precautions to prevent falling victim to such a situation," Chief Delehanty said. "Fortunately, there are a number of actions people can take to protect themselves, and we encourage residents with questions or concerns to give us a call."

Tips to Prevent Holiday Package Theft:

To best ensure that your packages are not taken after they are delivered, Winthrop Police recommend the following tips:

- Request notifications on your deliveries, via phone or email, to monitor your packages in transit and upon delivery. FedEx and UPS offer services to assist customers during the holi-
- Always require a signature on your deliveries to ensure packages are never left unattended.

 Consider sending deliveries to an alternate location where someone will be able to receive them - whether that be a workplace, a neighbor or friend's house, or a FedEx or UPS location. Schedule your delivery

- for a specific date and time that you're expected to be home. Set up a vacation hold
- if you plan on traveling during the holidays so gifts won't be left on the door-• Be aware of "tailgat-
- ing," which refers to people who follow delivery vehicles and steal packages after they are dropped off.
- If you find your package has been stolen, immediately report it to Winthrop
- Never accept a surprise delivery where a payment is required, and never give out personal information when receiving a delivery that you purchased as it may be a scam.

Additionally, any suspicious people or vehicles in your neighborhood should immediately be reported to the Winthrop Police Department at 617-846-1212.

Holiday Additional Shopping Safety Tips: Chief Delehanty would also like to offer tips to holiday shoppers on how to avoid any incidents or theft while shopping in stores and online:

- As more people are on the road during the holiday season, be sure to drive carefully. Be patient when looking for a parking space. Don't speed up in a parking lot to catch an empty spot. Look for other cars or people when backing out of a parking space, and back out
- Keep shopping bags out of plain sight in your vehicle, preferably in your

slowly.

• Keep your purse close

to your body or your wallet in an inside coat pocket or front pants pocket.

- Save your receipts and monitor your credit card ac-
- When shopping online, stick to retailers you know or have shopped with be-
- Don't use public Wi-Fi to make purchases in order to prevent hackers from intercepting your informa-

The men and women of the Winthrop Police Department wish everyone a safe and healthy holiday season!

CHA Staff Honored by Metro Boston EMS Council Dr. Mularella arrived

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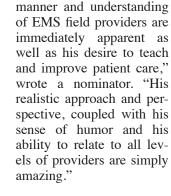
viously was an attending physician at Upstate Medical University (Syracuse, New York) and also served as a Naval Hospital Corpsman. "Dr. Mularella's easy

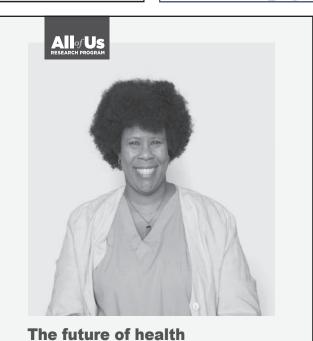
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1 tablespoon chopped garlic 1/2 teaspoon kosher salt 2 tablespoons butter

1 pound large shrimp, peeled and develned 1 teaspoon minced garlic 1 (6 ounce) bag baby spinach 1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice 1 teaspoon red pepper flakes 1/2 teaspoon kosher salt 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

STEP 1: Heat 1 tablespoon butter and olive oil together in a

large skillet over medium heat; cook and stir zucchini noodles (zoodles), onion, chopped garlic, and 1/2 teaspoon salt until zoodles are tender and onion is translucent, about 5 minutes. Transfer zoodle mixture to a bowl. **STEP 2:** Heat 2 tablespoons butter in the same skillet;

cook and stir shrimp and minced garlic until shrimp are just pink, 3 to 4 minutes. Add spinach, lemon juice, red pepper flakes, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and pepper; cook and stir until spinach begins to wilt, 3 to 4 minutes. Add zoodle mixture; cook and stir until heated through, 2 to 3 minutes. thoroughly moistened.

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Pictured is Dr. Joshua Mularella and Janine Hogan receiving awards from the Metropolitan Boston Emergency **Medical Services Council.**

Ms. Hogan has worked for new providers." at CHA since 2013 after The Metropolitan Boston spending time at Boston Medical Center. "Janine

shines in many areas, she

is always a very patient

and nurturing teacher, she

has an incredible bedside

manner and is the consummate professional," wrote

a nominator. "Many para-

medic students have found

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resource while doing their

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bridge Hospital. She's al-

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tips, succinct explanations

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Emergency Medical Services Council coordinates the delivery of emergency medical services to more than two million residents living in EMS Region IV. The 61 communities in the Region IV area are served by 70 licensed ambulance services and 25 acute care hospitals. The council also promotes public and professional education, encourages research and promotes inter-agency coordination and collaboration.

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Cranberries

Authentically American treat on the turkey table since 1621

By Seth Daniel

It's the only red thing on the table at Thanksgiving, but the superfruit that is authentically American has a lot more going for it than it's bright red color on Thanksgiving.

Cranberries are a great resource for New England, and are the largest cash crop in Massachusetts. Though Wisconsin grows the most cranberries in the country by number, the superfruit is vitally important to this state's agricultural industry. With cranberry sauce being such a vital part of the Thanksgiving table, that means the season is vitally important to the cranberry industry here – an industry that booms in the fall months mostly on the South Shore and towards Cape Cod.

Ocean Spray officials, who are based in Carver on the South Shore, said Thanksgiving accounts for 37 percent of annual cranberry sales - basically between September and No-

There are any number of things that the cranberry can provide for the Thanksgiving table. Obviously, the cranberry sauce is the most common, but Ocean Spray officials said other popular Thanksgiving uses are brussels sprouts with cranberries, cranberries in salads, cranberry cocktails, and cranberry sweet potato casserole.

recipe, they said: "Cranberry turkey chili leftovers."

Aside from the common or the bizarre, cranberries were known to have many



mid-November. many tend to think.

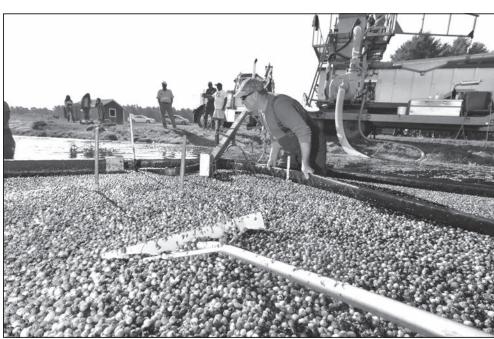
Like flower bulbs, they

other uses in the past particularly among Native Americans in New England.

"Cranberries are native to North America, including the Northeast, and are one of only three cultivated fruits that are indigenous to this continent," said an Ocean Spray spokesperson. "They are authentically American, and the superfruit has been used for many purposes throughout history. Native Americans used cranberries for food, medicine, dyes for clothes and blankets, to cure meat, and to draw poison from arrow wounds, as early as 1550. For this reason, legend has it that cranberries were included in the first Thanksgiving meal, which was in 1621.'

Another reason they are most popular on Thanksgiving is because of their harvest season, which falls from mid-September to Ocean Spray farmers harvest billions of cranberries during that period in bogs where they grow. The bogs are soft, marshy ground with acidic peat soil - and are most commonly found near wetlands. Cranberries grow on long, running vines, and don't grow underwater as

are a perennial crop and grow on vines that are hundreds of years old.



Cranberry farmers harvesting a fresh crop of the berries on the South Shore earlier this fall, just in time for Thanksgiving. The popular superfruit is one of only three cultivated fruits native to North America, and was used heavily by the Native Americans of the northeast. That is one reason that cranberries were believed to be on the first Thanksgiving table, and why they remain there to this day.

"When cranberries are ready for harvest, the bogs are flooded with water," said the Ocean Spray "Farmers spokesperson. then use water reels, nicknamed "eggbeaters," to churn the water and loosen the cranberries from the vine. Each berry has a tiny pocket of air that allows it to float to the surface of the water. From there, they're corralled together to be harvested and become delicious food and drinks for family tables worldwide."

Ocean Spray officials said cranberries weren't always called "cranberries." For Eastern Native Americans, they were called "sassamanesh." Cape Cod Pequots and South Jersey Leni-Lenape tribes called them "ibimi," or bitter berry. And the Algonquins of modern-day Wisconsin dubbed the superfruit "atoqua."

It was the German and Dutch settlers who started calling the cranberry a "crane berry" because of the flower's resemblance to the head and bill of a crane. Interestingly, that name stuck, and gave us the modern cranberry terminology.

More recently, cranberries have become not only an annual Thanksgiving staple, but also a popular staple of the health food gurus. Cranberries are actually very nutritional and are considered a superfruit in the same vein as the once-maligned pomegranate. They are rich in antioxidants. polyphenols, prebiotic fibers, vitamins, and minerals. Among the cranberry's many benefits include raising good cholesterol, improving blood pressure, maintaining cardiovascular health, and even protecting the body against inflammation that may lead to certain cancers. The strong antioxidant capacity of cranberries is also associated with the prevention of some diseas-

es and improved digestion. So, whether its sauce out of a can, or an hours-long boil of fresh berries, this Thanksgiving, make sure to break bread with a little red on the table.

School Committee approves flyer distribution

By Kate Anslinger

Cranberries being taken out of a bog during harvest this year.

After a hiatus of flyer distribution in the schools, the committee has agreed to allow the dissemination of flyers alerting students of activities and events in

In the past, the policy did not prohibit flyer distribution due to legal liabilities surrounding advertising. The new policy will ensure that students have equal and fair access to community groups that can be conveyed on flyers and distributed to students twice a

The school committee has outlined proper protocol for organizations to follow, limiting the types of

outside agencies that may use the schools for the distribution of literature and information.

The following organizations are allowed to share flyers within the district:

Non-profit organizations that provide services or support for children and families within Winthrop Community organiza-

tions that provide services or support for children and families within Winthrop

Public agencies and bodies that provide services or support for children and families within Winthrop

Organizations interested in dispersing flyers in the district, must give seven days' notice and will need to satisfy the following pro-

visions of M.G.L. Chapter 55, the new campaign finance law::

School buildings and facilities of any kind, and public employees while they are at work may not be used to promote or oppose a candidate for office or a political party or a vote on a ballot question, or aid or promote a political party.

All flyers must be approved by the Superintendent prior to distribution.

Outside agencies shall provide the school with sufficient copies of the literature to be distributed at their own expense. They must be collated and packed by class size. The distribution of notices and flyers shall occur two days per month, scheduled by the building principal under direction of the Superintendent.

Building principals may include flyers on their social media pages or include them in emails to parents provided they share all flyers in this manner.

Under the new policy, students will not be required to read or take home a notice or flyer by an outside agency. The School Committee designates each school facility as a limited public forum to which certain types of outside agencies may have access for the purpose of distributing literature and information regarding events and activities available to the students of Winthrop.

Socks //continued from page 1

her parlor. "I wanted to give them socks so they don't have cold and hurt feet."

Emma is a third-grade student at the Arthur T. Cummings Elementary School whose favorite subject is art. A multi-talented, spirited girl, Emma is enrolled in cheerleading, gymnastics, tap, acrobatics, ballet, jazz, and contemporary classes.

Contribute to Emma's sock donation by mailing or dropping off socks to her home at 87 Loring Road, Winthrop, MA 02151, or placing them in a marked School.

"The most in-demand item they need is socks," said Emma's mother, Jilane Previte. "Emma and I were discussing one day how fortunate we are, and that there are a lot of people without basic necessities."

Emma and Jilane will be delivering the sock donations to My Brother's Table, the largest soup kitchen on the North shore, on Dec.



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of purple that she wore regularly and still wears today. Over the years, the simple streak transformed into a prism of colors on her head, making everyone do a double-take.

When asked about her reasoning for the bold fashion statement, Levenson says, "I would've never done this when I was

younger, but at 80 years old, I can do anything and I like being unique. I never liked being different, and now I do, so I'll keep doing it."

On any given day of the week you can find Levenson chatting up fellow residents at local hotspots like the Winthrop Book Depot, Center Café and Prince falafel.

Now, at 80 and carefree. the lover of all things purple never strays away from being unique, while brightening up the day of everyone in her path.

"I like to talk to a lot of people, I chat with everybody," said Levenson, as she displays a purple and orange manicure, ready for Thanksgiving Day.



Let us guide you home for the Holidays.

Happy Thanksgiving from everyone at the Highland Group!





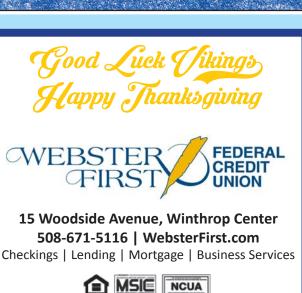
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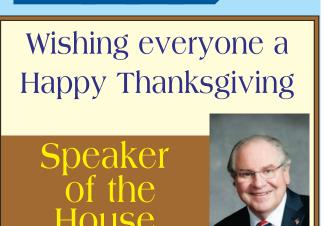
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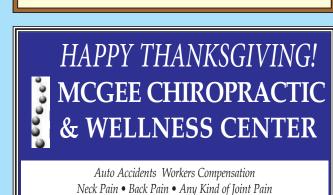






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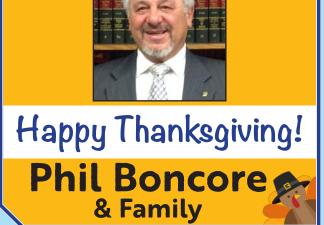
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REBEKAH LODGE #153 INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Margaret Winthrop Rebekah Lodge #153 is a 120-year-old social and fraternal organization affiliated with the International Order of Rebekahs and Odd Fellows. The Lodge held

an installation of officers on Oct. 28, and meets twice a month at the Odd Fellows Hall on Winthrop Street. The monthly meetings include a dinner for members, speakers, and other



Shown are first row of seated members from left to right, Jane Chevalier, Carolyn Nickerson, George and Gladys Pinksten, Vinnie and Mary Vitiello, Geri Gatchell, Barbara Butters. Second row standing from left to right - Fran Latanowich, Lew Dingee, Kerri Rowand, Diane Palmer, Cindy Schofield, Christine Loring, Louanne Bower, Sue Gray, Ruth Garcia, Bob Gatchell, Ed Butters.

events such as a Christmas party, strawberry festival, and game night. The Lodge donates to many local charities: police, fire, veterans organizations, the senior center, and the library, to mention a few. The Lodge also gives two scholarships to Winthrop High School graduating seniors. It also sends two Winthrop High juniors on a two-week all-expenses-paid trip visiting historical sites on the east coast between Washington, D.C., and Canada. This trip is sponsored by the International Order of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs. The trip has students from the U.S., Canada, Sweden, Denmark, Norway and Ice-

FKO BREAKS GROUND FOR WINTHROP LOCATION



Town Council President Ron Vecchia, Speaker of the House Bob DeLeo, Precinct 6 Council-Ior Linda Calla, FKO Executive Director Debbie Kneeland, and State Sen. Joseph Boncore at the For Kids Only Afterschool Program groundbreaking at the former Levesque family home on Jefferson Street.

State Fire Marshal offers Thanksgiving safety tips

"Firefighters are busier on Thanksgiving Day than any other day of the year because this holiday has the most home fires, and the majority are cooking fires," said State Fire Marshal Peter J. Ostroskey. "As your families gather to celebrate this holiday, keep everyone safe. Start by making sure you have working smoke and carbon monoxide (CO)

Cooking Safety Tips

alarms."

Cooking activities have been the cause of 87 percent of the 651 Thanksgiving Day fires in Massachusetts over the last five (5) years. State Fire Marshal Ostroskey offered these cooking safety tips that everyone can follow to prevent fires:

•Check to make sure your oven is empty before

turning it on. •Wear short or tight-fit-

ting sleeves when cooking. •Turn pot handles inward

over the stove.

•Remember to "stand by your pan" and stay in the kitchen when boiling, frying or broiling.

•Use a timer when baking or roasting and never leave the house with the oven running.

•The best way to respond to a stovetop fire is to "put a lid on it" and turn off the

•The best way to respond to an oven or broiler fire is to keep the oven doors closed and turn off the heat.

•If the fire is not quickly snuffed out, leave the house and call 9-1-1 from outside.

Thanksgiving 2018

"Last Thanksgiving, firefighters across the Commonwealth were busy responding to the 145 fires that caused several injuries and over \$500,000 of damages," said Ostroskey.

•At about noon last Thanksgiving, the Gardner Fire Department was called to a cooking fire in a 100-

unit apartment building. The fire started on the fifth floor. There were no injuries in large part because working smoke alarms alerted the occupants and a single sprinkler head activated and put out the fire before it could spread. Total damages from this fire were *estimated to be* \$225,000.

•At around 4:00 p.m. last Thanksgiving, the Woburn Fire Department was called to a cooking fire in a single-family home. The fire was confined to the electric oven and no one was injured. Damages were esti*mated to be* \$2,250.

Turkey Fryers

The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) discourages the use of outdoor gas-fueled turkey fryers that immerse the turkey in hot oil. There are no outdoor turkey fryers that have a listing from an independent testing laboratory such as UL or ETL. The NFPA

states that home use of "turkey fryers that use cooking oil, as currently designed, are not suitable for safe use by even a well-informed and careful consumer." This risk of an oil spill or the ignition of spilled oil is quite high. They recommend using new "oil-less" turkey fryers.

•On Nov. 23, 2017, at 3:09 p.m., the Tewksbury Fire Department was called to a cooking fire in a single-family home. Firefighters found a deep fryer and a 20-pound propane tank on fire in the driveway about ten feet from the garage. There was heat damage to the paint on the garage.

•On Nov. 23, 2017, at 4:48 p.m., the Salisbury Fire Department responded to a grease fire in a turkey fryer in the driveway of a single-family home. Before firefighters could arrive, the homeowner had shut the gas off and disconnected the 20-pound propane tank from the fryer, which extinguished the fire. A car parked nearby was damaged.

Gas Ovens: A Source of CO

Generally, the confined space of a closed gas oven used for cooking does not produce enough carbon monoxide (CO) to present any dangers, unless it is used for several hours consecutively like when roasting a turkey. If you have a kitchen exhaust fan, use it; if not, crack a window for fresh air when using the gas oven for an extended peri-

Burn Safety

•Keep children 3-feet away from the stove for safety to prevent burns.

•Run cool water on minor burns; call 9-1-1 for more serious burn injuries.

•Remember to stop, drop, cover and roll if clothing ignites.

Home Heating: #2 Cause of Fires on Thanksgiving Especially if you do not regularly use your fireplace. be sure to have the chimney inspected and cleaned by a professional before lighting the first fire of the season. Everyone who heats with wood should have the chimney cleaned and flue inspected at the start of the

heating season. •On Nov. 23, 2017, at 5:46 p.m., the Auburn Fire Department was called to a fire in a single-family home. The homeowner had placed ashes from the woodstove into a plastic bucket and left it on the living room carpet. The ashes melted through the bucket and started the rug and floor on fire. Smoke alarms were present and alerted the occupants and no one was injured. The home had no fire sprinklers and damages were estimat-

ed to be \$5,000.

FLY YOUR DRONE SAFELY * THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

KNOW THE RULES

BE RESPONSIBLE WITH YOUR DRONE

Flying around and above airports is prohibited without prior FAA approval. Violators will be subject to penalties.

Never fly near any aircraft, especially near airports.

Keep your drone in sight at all times and always lower than 400 feet.

REGISTER YOUR DRONE

You must register your drone with the Federal Aviation Administration at faadronezone.faa.gov

Mark the outside of your drone with the registration number and always carry proof of registration.









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OUR Opinions

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving is a uniquely American holiday, tracing its roots back almost 400 years to the Pilgrims, long before there was even a thought of a United States of America.

Thanksgiving is the ultimate family-centered holiday. It has no religious meaning, no national-celebration connotations, and no required gift-giving. It lacks the commercialism, religiosity, solemnity, and political overtones of all of our other national observances.

It, Äôs a day for schoolboy football, family gatherings, and not much else to do other than enjoy a great dinner with those whom we love and care about.

It is the only day on the calendar when we have no obligation other than to spend the day with those who mean the most to us. It asks nothing more from each of us (other than for the person who is doing all the cooking!) beyond just showing up and enjoying the company of our family and friends and then having a great meal.

Even in this time of divisiveness in our country, we all can agree that Thanksgiving makes us aware of what we have to be thankful for. Despite our present trials and tribulations, Americans are remarkably fortunate to be where we are. Thanksgiving is a national celebration that serves to remind us how blessed we are at a time when circumstances are so cruel for so many others in a world in which there are more refugees than at any time since the end of World War II.

Thanksgiving serves as a rare day for relaxation, reflection, and inevitably -- at least for some of us -- a post-dinner nap or early night of sleep. In a time when so many of us are connected 24/7 to some instrument of communication, it truly is a relief to have a day when we can just shut

We wish all of our readers a happy -- and restful --Thanksgiving.

ENJOY THE HOLIDAY SAFELY

We would be remiss if we did not remind our readers to enjoy the holiday weekend, but to do so safely.

And specifically, we really mean only one thing: Do not drink and drive, nor allow friends and family members to

The vast majority of Americans will have wonderful family get-togethers that will create memories that will last

However, for some, the stresses of the holiday season often express themselves in drinking too much, which in turn can lead to tragedies. Alcohol abuse by a family member by far is the biggest problem faced by many families, whether it is a son or daughter, mother or father, or brother

Intoxicated driving rates as one of the leading causes of accidental death in our society. More than 10,000 Americans die -- and tens of thousands more are seriously injured -- in auto accidents caused by impaired drivers every year.

All of us have a role not only in ensuring that we ourselves do not become one of those statistics, but also in preventing a friend or family member from becoming one.

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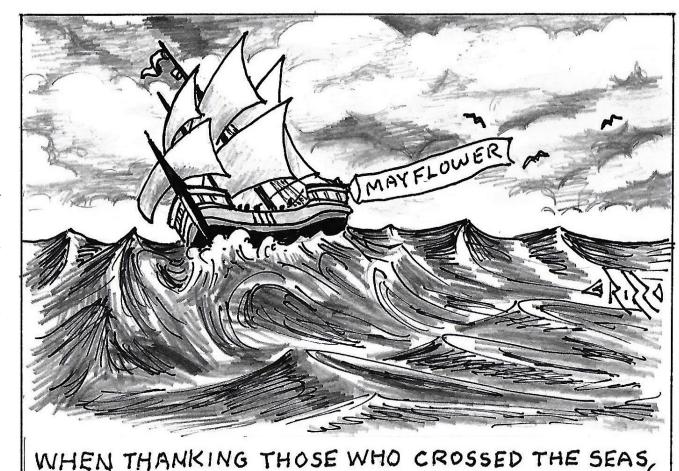
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GO EASY ON YOUR CALORIES

HAPPY THANKS GIVING DAY ... NOV. 28, 2019

LETTER to the Editor

ON THE CENTER **BUSINESS DISTRICT** Dear Editor,

My personal thanks and praise to Councilors Vecchia, DeMarco, Ferrino, Calla, and Letterie for voting "No" on putting the current Middle School property into the Center Business District (CBD). I thank Councilors Vecchia, DeMarco, Ferrino, Boncore, Letterie, Christopher and Calla for voting "Yes" to take the residences, homes, houses at 15-16 Freemont St., 1,2, and 5 Burrill Terrace, and 207 and 211 Winthrop St. out of the CBD. It was also wise to put the Madison Street address, currently a business, INTO the CBD.

By Dr. Glenn Mollette

glad, sad or bad. Take your pick and choose a direction.

wants to be sad and who

needs bad? I don't want ei-

ther one and neither do you.

There is enough in life that

confronts us every day that

has the propensity to get us

this holiday. I hear every

year from people who say,

"I'm going to eat whatever

I want during the holidays

and I'll change in January."

These are the people who

gain five to 10 pounds be-

tween Thanksgiving and

New Year's Day. There are

reports that some people

only gain a pound during

the holidays. You and I

know better. I know per-

Don't go crazy eating

down.

The holidays can be

I choose glad. Who

Personal thanks to Councilors DeMarco, Ferrino, Vecchia, Calla, and Letterie for voting to hold on the Middle School endeavors until residents', neighbors', and abutters' input is considered. What they want and what they can live with is essential in a needs assessment process. One thing I learned in

my community organization class is that, in any kind of program development, needs assessment is essential. (In the medical model, needs assessment would include physical exam, symptoms, lab results, etc. that would bear out a diagnosis.) If the "pulse" of the community isn't taken, bad things can happen. Misdiagnosis and maltreatment. Failing to conduct true community assessment can come to haunt everyone.

Generally, needs assessment, goals, strategies, implementation follow in that order. Finally, evaluation of the project is important to see if the project, program, "treatment" MET the assessed community needs. Frankly, I fear that if

the "Yes" vote prevailed it would have been Somerset Avenue all over again--tons of meetings, petitions, letters, flyers, and law suits. All taking more than just 9 months. I can attest to that. In addition, faith in local government would also be seriously jeopardized.

the Middle Putting

School back into the Modified CBD is a wise move. I was also glad to see a motion to get moving on what that property should look like and how it should be used. The Council wasn't just saying "No." It was saying "Yes" to further research, neighbor input, data collection and responsible development.

I feel, for the first time in a while, we can possibly move forward. I feel, perhaps, for the first time, the Townspeople have been listened to.

Thank you all for what you do each day. Best wishes to you and your families for a very happy and blessed Thanksgiving.

Donna Segreti Reilly

GUEST OP-ED

A Holiday Strategy

sonally that I have gained ten pounds during the holidays. My scale might be off a pound or two, but it does not lie. The sad staggering number tells me what I don't what to see and there have been times it has been bad and sad! Who needs to start January 2020 ten pounds heavier?!! You don't need it! Who does?

People literally go crazy eating during the holidays eating "pounds" of candy, cookies and eating the dining room table. You don't have to eat the kitchen just because you can. Make a determination now how you are going to conduct your eating this holiday. You can have a good plate of food and even splurge on a dessert without busting your waistline. You don't need three plates of food and four desserts. You'll

be glad if you approach the holidays with some discretion or you will be sad and feel bad in January if you eat your head off. Now, don't be mad at me because you have total freedom on what you put in your mouth.

Participate in Christmas. It's more fun if you participate in life. Visit some elderly people who can't get out much. Visit the nursing home. People are lonely in those places. Last Christmas Eve my wife and I went to the local nursing home and visited the residents. Not one room in that nursing home on Christmas Eve had any family or visitors. It was a very sad, lonely place. If you want to feel good, do good. Take some of your food and give it away before Christmas. Don't take people leftovers. Maybe there is a family or

two that you might help in some tangible way? Think about it and God will lead you with some good chari-

table ideas. This year remember who and what the seasons are about. Focus on Joy, Peace and good will toward all. Say good words to people. Be Kind. Wish the best for others. Help others if and when you can. Don't say bad things about people and give people second

chances. Make your holiday strategy today for a season of gladness.

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Billy Hubert //continued from Page 1

history teacher with a few colleges in mind that I hope to get accepted to so I can pursue this plan of mine.

Who is your role model? I have a very close family that have always been there for me, I can honestly say that every aunt, uncle and cousin I have, influenced me in every way.

Even though he is younger

than me, my brother Bobby

has shown me determination and how to overcome challenges. My parents are my greatest role models. My father has an incredible work ethic, my mom has a strong and kind heart. I would be very fortunate to inherit these qualities. My family loves me unconditionally and have taught me well and I love them unconditionally as well.



Billy Hubert.

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

ART 906 - WADSWORTH BUILDING AT METCALF SQUARE





During the fifty50 years of 1870 to 1920, Winthrop experienced its most rapid period of growth from a community of 500 residents in 100 buildings to 15,000 residents in 3,000 buildings. We developed from a few farms to a prospering resort area that also included homes for those desiring seaside residences from which they could easily commute to Boston on a daily basis. During this period there were approximately eight small business centers or villages that evolved to provide the surrounding residents with food stores, eating establishments, drug stores, barber shops and, in some cases, hardware and/or variety stores. Most of these centers were in close proximity to one of our nine Narrow Gauge Railway Stations. In today's article, "Then & Now" would like to show our readers a portion of one such area as it appeared in earlier times and how it looked about 2010. Picture #1, depicts the Wadsworth Building, built in

1898, as it appeared about 1935 judging by the cars shown. Picture #2 shows how the building looked in 2010 with Brown's Drug Store, Gio's Barber Shop, The Winthrop Pro Shop, The Meat Market and Windows Plus on the first floor. The original building had a small theater on an upper floor which in 2010 was being used by the Winthrop School of Performing Arts. An earlier view of Brown's Drug Store is shown in picture #3. In 2010 it appeared as depicted in picture #4. It still had a soda fountain with bar stools as many of us remember from our high school days in the 1940s thru the 1980s. Remember when ice cream soda and sundaes were 15 and 20 cents? As of this past year, Browns Drug Store closed and the space has been renovated for a future tenant. Have you been looking

for a unique Christmas gift to give a Winthrop resident or possibly someone who used to live here? The Winthrop Improvement & Historical Association has three suggestions, as noted below, which are now available and can be obtained from The Winthrop Book Depot, The Winthrop Market Place, Century 21 Seacoast, Elliot Whittier Insurance, Beacon Photography and Framing, Simon's Winthrop Bookstore or by contacting this writer. 1. A new "Winthrop

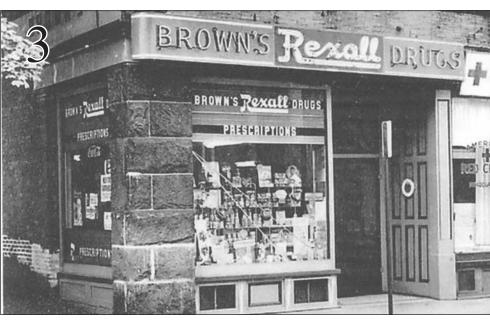
Postcards of Winthrop" book with ~ 550 old postcards printed therein. The "Winthrop Then & Now Historical

Then & Now Historical

Mapping" book with maps of our peninsula from 1624 to date.

"The Winthrop Narrow Gauge Railroad Student Activity Book "

4. Another recentl available suggestion is to have an old map of Winthrop printed to a specific size depicting a desired area which can be either printed on cardboard to rest on a shelf or be framed to hang over a mantle or on the wall. These are also available from the Beacon Photography Store at 185 Winthrop St.







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

10 years ago Nov. 25, 1999

The annual Thanksgiving Interfaith Service was held Sunday afternoon at the First Church of Winthrop, United Methodist.

Town Meeting members voted for the recommendations of the Advisory Committee with two exceptions at Thursday night's Special Town Meeting. Members approved the request by Fire Chief Larry Powers for a better Fire Chief vehicle than the Advisory Board had recommended and also approved \$12,000 for a new police cruiser to replace one that had been totaled. State Rep. Bob DeLeo had informed the members that the recently-approved state budget gave more local aid to cities and towns than ever before in state history.

"Toy Story 2," "The Bachelor," and "End of Days" are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

30 years ago Nov. 29, 1989

Long-time Police Chief David Rice announced his immediate retirement Monday in a move that has stunned the community. The selectmen immediately appointed Lieut. Angelo LaMonica as Acting Chief. Rice said his decision was based upon the continuous level of harassment he has been receiving from the selectmen. Rice joined the department in 1947 and has been chief for the past 19 years. He was three months short of the mandatory retirement age of 65.

Town officials must go back to the drawing board after the Attorney General's office rejected the town's new by-law addressing the issue of so called illegal apartments. The A.G. said the by law constitutes "spot zoning."

Police Sgt. Frank Scarpa received the state's highest award for bravery from Gov. Michael Dukakis recently for having saved the life of an unconscious construction worker by jumping into a gas-filled manhole and pulling the man to safety. Police are investigating

the most-recent anti-Semitic act of graffiti vandalism at a private home. "War of the Roses," "Na-

tional Lampoon's Christmas Vacation," and "Glory" are playing at the Revere Showcase Cinemas.

40 years ago Nov. 28, 1979 Four Winthrop police

officers were hurt during a melee on Shore Drive when they tried to break up a party. Three of the party-goers were arrested on charges of assault and battery on a police officer. Officers Fabiano, Trainor, Reczek, and Vitale all were treated at Winthrop Hospital for their injuries.

student prank. The local Jaycees will hold their big Jaycee Jamboree this Saturday at the

Elks from 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. mark of its goal. The jamboree will feature Wallace Beery stars in a spaghetti dinner, dancing, and a Gift O Rama.

Seduction of Joe Tynan" at the Kincade Theatre.

Alan Alda stars in "The

50 years ago Nov. 27, 1969 Sunday will be Israel

Bond Day in Winthrop and

it is hoped that every Jew-

ish family in town will buy

a bond to support Israel. The local Hadassah

chapter held a gala membership party at which 52 new members were welcomed.

Winthrop School Supt. Arthur Dalrymple recently presided at the Conference of New England Superintendents held in Boston.

Gregory Peck and Omar Sharif star in "McKenna's Gold" at the Winthrop Cin-

60 years ago Nov. 26, 1959 Some 100 residents at-

tended a public hearing held by the Planning Board to discuss the proposal to rezone Belle Isle Marsh for use as a light industrial complex. Planning Board Chairman Robert Blumenthal noted that some of the marsh already is zoned for industrial use and the new by-law would make the entire area light industrial for such potential developers as manufacturers using noiseless electric power or for research laboratories. The area encompasses about 76 acres, of which two-thirds is owned by the town. Although proponents noted that the town's tax base would be greatly enhanced, opponents noted the effect on fishing and duck hunting, which already has been affected greatly by Logan Airport expansion and the

Burt Lancaster and Kirk Douglas star in "The Devil's Disciple" at the Winthrop Theatre.

creation of the town dump.

70 years ago Nov. 24, 1949

Famed sportscaster Fred J. Hoey passed away at his home at 77 Triton Ave. this week. He was 64. Hoey was the broadcaster for all of the Boston Braves and Boston Red Sox games from 1925-36 and is recognized as one of the best announcers of all

Winthrop Housing Authority Chairman Edward R. Thomas said the authority will seek updated information from the 500 veterans whose applications have been on file for over a year for the 73 units of veterans housing currently under construction. With snow in the fore-

cast, Police Chief William Pumphret reminds all residents that the all-night parking ban is in effect. Lucille Ball and William

Holden star in "Miss Grant Takes Richmond" at the Winthrop and State The-

Nov. 25, 1939 Several residents were

80 years ago

shocked to see a Nazi flag hanging from the flag pole in front of the high school. Police Chief Henry Roberts immediately took down the flag and attributed it to a

The Red Cross's annual Roll Call enrollment has yet to reach the halfway

one of his best, two-fisted roles as a tugboat captain in "Thunder Afloat."

90 years ago Nov. 30, 1929 The annual Red Cross Roll Call has barely reached half of its quota. Local

Chairman Mrs. Carl Floyd

has decided to extend the

collection period past the

usual Thanksgiving deadline to ensure 100 percent success.

Gloria Swanson stars in her first talking and singing picture, "The Trespasser," at the new Seville Theatre in East Boston.

100 years ago Nov. 29, 1919

Statistics reveal that Winthrop had the least amount of loss due to fire in the Greater Boston area, with only \$3800 in losses in 1918, about 27 cents per capita. The next closest communities, Reading and Milton, were twice Winthrop's rate.

The Republican League, under the direction of Pres. Edgar J. Power, will begin to organize local Republicans for the 1920 Presidential election with an important meeting in Social Hall on Friday.

The Men's Bible Class of the Union Congregational Church will purchase the Ayer amusement building at the beach to be used as a Community Club. The club will be for the benefit of the entire Winthrop community. It will be non-sectarian and open especially for women and children.

Harry Whorf's new play to benefit the Red Cross, entitled The Greatest Miracle of All, was well received at the high school hall Tuesday evening.

110 years ago Nov. 27, 1909

The Suburban Gas and Electric Company has completed the installation of gas lighting service in several stations along the Winthrop branch of the Narrow Gauge railroad. The remaining stations are to be equipped with either gas or electric service soon.

The new seawall recently completed at Pt. Shirley is being credited with saving thousands of dollars of damage during the recent storm.

120 years ago Dec. 1, 1899

Winthropites are recalling the great storm of a year ago. Although most residents considered it to be a great catastrophe when waves washed out Crest Ave. and caused much other damage, it now is seen almost as a blessing in disguise in view of the ongoing construction of the granite seawall and a new iron bridge at the Highlands.

Nov. 29, 1889 Two terrible fires were

130 years ago

seen by local residents in Boston and Lynn this past week that destroyed major portions of those cities. The Winthrop Land Company has received

\$23,000 for some land it sold to the Winthrop Point Land Association. The land company turned a nice profit, selling it for 12 cents per sq. foot after buying it for five cents per sq. foot. Tomato catsup has con-

quered the world in the past decade with many companies competing to manufacture the best product Our mothers used to put it up for winter for an occasional condiment, but now it appears on every dinner table as widely as salt and pepper.

GIVING THANKS TOGETHER IN OUR CONNUNTY



Pictured L-R: Audrey Nagle, Massport's Manager of Charitable Giving Programs; Alaina Coppola, Massport's Director of Community Relations & Government Affairs; The Rev. Walter Connelly, Winthrop Community Food Pantry

Throughout the upcoming holiday season, families and friends throughout the Boston area will gather to give thanks for each other, and for the food we enjoy as part of our traditions.

Most of us are fortunate enough to enjoy full tables, but the Greater Boston Food Bank reports that hunger affects one in eleven of our neighbors in Eastern Massachusetts and 34% earn too much to qualify for emergency food assistance provided by the government.

This year, Massport is pleased to provide food donations to three programs in our community: Crossroads Family Center in East Boston; Winthrop Community Food Pantry; and South Boston Community Health Center Food Pantry. These three organizations serve hundreds of people each month, and often mean the difference between paying for heat and having enough food for the family to eat.

As we enter the holiday season, we are reminded that these programs and many others provide critical assistance year-round to the most vulnerable members of our community.

Winthrop Community Food Pantry 222 Bowdoin Street Winthrop, MA 02152

617-846-6884



Sports

ken hand), David DiCicco,

line, led by captains Pat

Teixiera and Andre Ocam-

po, has been a force all sea-

son, allowing the Vikings'

ground game to move the

chains against every oppo-

ture a fine kicker in Juan

Sanchez, who was 4-for-4

on PAT attempts in the big

win against Greater Low-

ell. If the occasion calls

for it, Juan gives Winthrop

a weapon in the field goal

A big plus for the Vi-

kings will be the return to

the lineup of Bryan Con-

ceicao, their top, all-around

player, who missed the past

two games after being in-

jured in the Hamilton-Wen-

ham game. Bryan is an out-

standing defender -- one of

the best in the NEC -- and

brings another added di-

mension to the WHS offen-

an edge in the comparative

record against the teams'

common opponents in the

NEC South (4-0 for Revere

vs. 2-2 for Winthrop), the

Vikings played a tougher

cross-over schedule with

NEC North rivals. Only

one of Revere's North

foes, Marblehead, reached

the state playoffs, where-

as all three of Winthrop's

North opponents, Beverly,

Swampscott, and Danvers,

Most notably, the Vi-

kings dropped a heartbreak-

ing, 14-13 decision to Dan-

vers, which went 7-0 in the

regular season and was the

top seed in the D-3 North

fully completed a two-point

conversion in that contest.

not only would they have

knocked off the undefeat-

ed Falcons, but they also

would have qualified for the

Had the Vikings success-

Sectional.

qualified for the playoffs.

Although Revere holds

sive attack.

The Vikings also fea-

The Winthrop offensive

Rockefeller, and Hubert.

WHS vs RHS //continued from page 1

THIS SEASON

Also at stake for the Revere side is the chance to attain 10 wins for the first time in Revere gridiron annals. If the Patriots are successful on Thanksgiving, they will have eclipsed the 9-1 record achieved by the 1973 Revere squad that played in the program's only Super Bowl appearance (a loss to Brockton).

In addition, a victory by Revere will give the Patriots an outright championship of the South Division of the Northeastern Conference, the first-ever such title for a Revere football squad. A loss will leave the Patriots sharing the NEC South crown with either Lynn English or Lynn Classical, who are meeting each other on the holiday.

For the Vikings, there is more at stake than merely playing the spoiler role. Winthrop has won its last two games in a row en route to compiling a 4-6 season record. A victory on the holiday not only will keep the Vikings' winning streak going, but will end the 2019 campaign on a positive note for a junior-laden team that will create momentum that will carry over into 2020.

GAME ANALYSIS

On paper, Revere rates as the clear favorite. The Patriots have featured a powerful and dynamic offense this season that has steamrollered their opponents to score an average of 35 points per game en route to compiling a 9-1 record.

Revere running back Joe Llanos has proven to be a once-in-a-generation football player who is all but certain to be named the Player of the Year in the NEC. He rushed for more than 1500 yards and scored 20 touchdowns on the season -- a feat all the more impressive considering that he rarely was used for large periods of time in many games because Revere had such large leads on their opponents.

Joe ran for 241 yards in Revere's victory over Wayland in the semifinal round of the Division 4 North state playoffs.

On defense he is a sure tackler in the open field and a game-changer in the defensive backfield, from where he has made an interception in almost every game -- including the Wayland contest -- and has run back two pick-sixes.

Llanos also is a threat on special teams, having returned two kickoffs for touchdowns this season.

Llanos has a strong supporting cast at the skill positions: X-back and senior captain Jonathan Murphy and a trio of speedy tailback/flankers in captain Lu-

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cas Barbosa, Bill Ginepra, and captain Zack Furlong.

Although Revere primarily is a run-oriented team, quarterback Calvin Boudreau presents a big threat to opponents in the passing game. Boudreau turned in an outstanding job as the Patriot signal-caller after missing most of 2018 because of an injury. Calvin completed about 60 percent of his passes in 2019 for more than 800 yards and nine TDs this season.

On defense, the Patriots were stout all season, particularly in forcing turnovers. Revere's defensive line, anchored by captain Mazer Ali, Augusto Goncalves, and Alaa Attoui, has been dominant throughout 2019. The RHS linebacking crew, led by senior captain Jaryd Benson and Jon Tran, also has been solid.

Revere additionally has been formidable in the special teams department. Llanos and Ginepra both have run back two kickoffs for touchdowns. When opponents kicked away from Llanos, Ginepra was there to gobble up the ball and speed to the other end of

Place-kicker Rayan Riazi is one of the best in the area. The junior has delivered some key field goals from more than 30 yards out this season, as he also did in 2018, that were game-deciders.

In short, Revere is a team that has speed, skill, and confidence that will prove to be a formidable foe for their Viking opponents.

However, Winthrop too, figures to provide fierce competition for their Patriot counterparts. The Vikings' answer to Llanos is workhorse Bobby Hubert, a junior who lines up either as a halfback or as a quarterback from which he poses a true double-threat to his opponents.

Hubert has racked up some impressive numbers on the season, including a 136 yard, two-touchdown rushing effort in Winthrop's incredible, come-frombehind, 36-35 victory last week over Greater Lowell -- which was the second-seeded team in the D-6 North Sectional -- in which the Vikings overcame a 35-14 deficit in the final six minutes by scoring three touchdowns and adding a two-point conversion for the game-winning points.

Sophomore Mikey Chaves has stepped up nicely since assuming the principal quarterbacking role mid-season and has been improving and gaining confidence with every game. Juniors Tyler Rockefeller and Chris Ferrara share the load with Hubert in the running department, while Chaves has an assortment of fine receivers in Cam

state playoffs themselves.

X-FACTORS Conway (who missed most of the season with a bro-

The coaching staffs and players on both sides have watched hours of film in anticipation of the big game. They have broken down their opponents' strengths and weaknesses and have game-planned their respective strategies. With the extra half-week of practice, both sides no doubt will devise a few extra plays that their rivals will not be able to anticipate.

For the most part, the "known knowns" are apparent to both sides.

But there always are the known-unknowns' often can determine the outcome of a football game beyond the Xs and Os.

In terms of the gameday conditions, the weatherman is forecasting a dry morning and temperatures in the mid-40s (a welcome contrast to the past three seasons that were played sub-freezing conditions), but there will be a brisk (more than 20 m.p.h.) northwest wind that is certain to limit the aerial attack of both teams and that could make the ball do funny things, especially in the kicking game and punts in particular.

In addition, turnovers, penalties, and lucky breaks (fans on both sides will recall Winthrop's winning touchdown in 2007 as time expired when the end line in the end zone had been washed away on Miller's muddy field) all can play a major role in the outcome -and they usually do.

Finally, don't discount the effect of the sheer emotion shared by all of the student-athletes, many of whom will be playing in their final high school football game before a large crowd of their friends and family members.

COACHES' COMMENTS

Both of the head coach-

es, Revere's Lou Cicatelli and Winthrop's Jon Cadigan, are alumni of their respective schools' football programs and both have a deep appreciation of the intense rivalry that makes the morning of Thanksgiving Day every year a momentous occasion for players and fans alike. "Even though we're

coming off a tough loss to Melrose (in the Division 4 North championship game), the team is sky-high and looking forward to this game," said Cicatelli, who played for Revere in the early 1980s and who has guided the resurgence of the RHS football program. "The Winthrop game is like our Super Bowl at this point and we have a chance to make history if we can

"Winthrop is a much better team than their record would indicate," Cicatelli added. "They had a tough loss against Danvers, one of the top teams in the state. They play very smart and they are well-coached. The Thanksgiving Day game always is a tough battle and we are expecting another one this year."

"We know we'll be facing a big challenge. Revere is 9-1 for a reason," said Cadigan, who graduated from WHS in 2001. "But we've been having an outstanding week of practice and the team is ready for the big game. We're excited to face them on Thanksgiving Day.

"It may be a cliche, but the team that executes better, and avoids penalties and turnovers, will win the game," Cadigan noted.

Revere in 2019 (9-1 record) Revere 38-Gloucester 8 Revere 24-Peabody 0 Revere 46-Classical 23 Revere 40-Saugus 13 Revere 32-English 30 Revere 32-Marblehead 27 Revere 49-Salem 0 **PLAYOFFS** Revere 42-Dracut 6

Revere 42-Wayland 35 Melrose 42-Revere 7

Winthrop in 2019 (4-6 record) Beverly 21-Winthrop 6 Winthrop 23-Saugus 6 Danvers 14-Winthrop 13 Classical 20-Winthrop 10 Winthrop 35-Salem 18 English 48-Winthrop 20 Ham-Wenham 35-Winthrop 7 Winthrop 34-Arlington Cath. 20

Winthrop 36-Gr. Lowell 35

Cicatelli named MA Coach of the Year

The post-season accolades for the Revere High football team already have begun with the announcement that veteran RHS head coach Lou Cicatelli has been named the Massachusetts Coach of the Year by the Mass. Referees Association.

"I'm deeply honored and humbled by this award," said Cicatelli, who has been at the helm of the Patriot football program for 17 years. "Any head coach is only as good as his staff and his players. My success is their success and this award reflects their hard work and effort."

Cicatelli has guided the Revere football program to its most successful string of seasons in more than two generations (since the glory days of the first half of the 1970s when Revere played in the second-ever high school Super Bowl), including four appearances in the state football playoffs and the first-ever victories in the post-season.

The 2019 campaign rates as the best since the the 1973 Super Bowl team and with a victory on Thanksgiving against archrival Winthrop, will mark the first-ever 10-win season in RHS football history.

Cicatelli was slated to receive his prestigious award this past Monday evening.

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The Lady Vikings travelled to Revere's Harry Della Russo Stadium last Saturday, Nov. 23, for their annual Powder Puff game against the Lady Pats.

Running back Sonedia Dalhquist (#15), scored the Vikings first touchdown putting them on the board. The Winthrop Lady Vikings matched Revere on defensive stops, keeping the game close. Quarterback and Captain Olivia Driscoll (#10) scored Winthrop's only other touchdown, but ultimately the Lady Vikings fell short to Revere 22-14.



Alex Gibbons (left) captures the flag.



Coaches John Cross and Rachel DelSolio with Olivia Driscoll, Nicoletta Mathews, Isadora Hipolito, Alex Vera, Sonedia Dalhquist, Maria Tracy, Jillian Johnson, Arlene Ordonez, Isabel Skomro, Hannah Capone, Alex Gibbons, Devon Barry, Sage D'Amelio, Karly Alioto, Charolette Hurley, Sophie Owen, Clare Nargi, Vita Begoli, Mary Lawlor, Alana Conti, Carly Zinko, Ashley MCGonagle, Synder Mignosa, Ryan Parker, Jillian Lerner, Izzy Ferullo, Sara Fuciilo, Zara Powell, Katherine Sllva, Heather Callahan, Colby Bosse, Demitria Vakourous, Juliette Millar, Cameron Connolley, Christina MacClean, Alana Grillo, Maddy McKay and Allison Cockrell.



Devon Barry captures a flag.



Hannah Capone holds up a recently captured flag.



Sonedia Dalhquist looks for an opening to make her way down the field.



Olivia Driscoll shows some excitement as she scores a touchdown for the Lady Vikings.



Quarterback Olivia Driscoll with a carry.



Captains Charolette Hurley and Olivia Driscoll.



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Carly Zinko, flanked by Winthrop and Revere players holds up her captured flag.



Vita Begoli rushes up the field as teammates provide cover.

Judith Silck

Registered Nurse, former member of Sisters of Charity and retired Director of Academic

Affairs at Lawrence Memorial Hospital

retiring.

erly. She was also the direc-

tor of Academic Affairs at

the Lawrence Memorial

Hospital in Medford before

of John "Jack" Silck and

the loving step mother of

Christine Wallace and her

husband, Joe Livingston of

Concord, N.H; cherished

grandmother of Sydney and

Gracie Wallace. She was

loved by her closest friend/

cousin Beverly Lembo and

her husband, Peter. Judy

also leaves many nieces,

nephews and their families

in Attleboro, Chelmsford,

Nashua, N.H. and Win-

celebrated in St. John the

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She was the devoted wife

Judith A. Silck of Buchanan St., Winthrop passed away at the Lighthouse Nursing Care Center in Revere on Nov. 17. She was 76 years old.

Born in Dorchester, the beloved daughter of the late Catherine (Waters) and James Fahey, she was eight years a Sister of Daughters of Charity in Emitsburg, Maryland and did charitable and nursing care to the sick in the mountains of Maryland. She also worked as a Catholic nun and registered nurse at the Soldier's Home in Washington D.C. She worked as a R.N. at the Faulkner Hospital in Jamaica Plain and taught nursing at the Malden Hospital School of Nursing and the Mass. State College in Bev-

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OBITUARIES

Daniel Ashton

Graphic designer, art editor and Winthrop realtor

Daniel Ashton of Winthrop passed away peacefully on Tuesday, Nov. 19 at the age of 68.

Born in New Bedford, he is survived by his wife, Ruth, his two sisters, Peg and Sally, his sister-in-law, Jane, cousins, nieces, nephews and an aunt.

Dan graduated from The Swain School of Design. New Bedford in 1972 with a major in Graphic Design and a minor in Photography. He was president of his class. He did graduate work at Arizona State University, Tempe, Ariz.

Dan worked many years as a graphic designer and art editor in higher education and the publishing industry. As a Realtor, he was the organizer of the Winthrop's Nicest Gardens Contest through Seacoast Real Estate and was active in the Chamber of Commerce. Using his design, cooking and home improvement experience, he designed kitchens for many Home Depot customers.

Dan enjoyed living by the ocean and had a wide range of interests, including reading, watercolor painting, antiquing, dogs, history, musical theater, and gardening. He will be missed for his positive outlook, sense of humor, cando attitude and generosity.

Family and friends are cordially invited to attend the visitation from the Caggiano-O'Maley-Frazier Funeral Home, 147 Winthrop St., Winthrop on Friday, Nov. 29 from 4 to 8 p.m. The Funeral will be conducted from the St. John's EPISCOPAL Church, corner of Bowdoin and Buchanan Streets, Winthrop on Saturday, Nov. 30 10



Catholic church St. John the Evangelist). Please go directly to church.

His family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made in his memory to The Swain School of Design Alumni Scholarship Fund at UMass Dartmouth. To do so, please go to select "Give Now," then select "Fund of Your Choice." Close the "Choose Your Cause" popup box. In the "Donation Instructions" box, type: "Swain School of Design Alumni Scholarship Fund."

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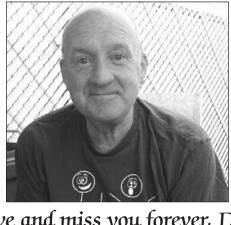
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28

The Senior Center will be closed.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29 The Senior Center will be closed.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30 10:30am – Zumba with Cindy

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2

9:30am - Exercise

11:00am-2:00pm - SHINE Counseling (Appointment Required) 12:00pm - Lunch

1:00pm - Bingo

6:15pm - Zumba Toning with Barbara

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3 9:30am - Tai Chi with Cindy

10:00-11:00am - Blood Pressures

10:00am - Arts & Crafts 10:00am – Bowling (at Winthrop Elks)

10:30am – Zumba with Cindy

10:30-11:30am - Exercise for Arthritis

12:00pm - Lunch 1:00pm- Art Class with Dawn

1:00pm – Chorus Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5

9:30am - Exercise Class

10:30am - Yoga with Kathleen (\$5)

10:30am – Tap Dancing with Tracy (at the Methodist Church) 12:00pm - Lunch

1:00-3:00pm - SHINE Counseling (Appointment Required) 1:15pm – Italian Class with Michael

2:00pm - Eats & Treats Café (\$2; sign up in advance)

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ter on Monday, Dec. 9 from 10am-2pm to assist residents in

signing up for fuel assistance. Appointments will be on a first come, first served basis. The Senior Center will be closed Monday, December 23 -

Friday, December 27 to complete floor replacement work due to damage from last winter's burst pipe.

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

Take the Senior Van to Encore Boston Harbor Casino: The Senior Van will provide round-trip transportation to Encore Boston Harbor Casino every Tuesday. The van will pick you up at your home at 8:30am. The van will depart Encore at approximately 2:30pm. Round-trip ride costs \$10 and can be scheduled by calling the Senior Center at 617-846-8538. *You must be a member of the Senior Center to schedule a ride to Encore. For information on becoming a member, please stop by the front desk of the Senior Center.

Technology & Learning with Betsy: The next learning sessions will be on Tuesday, December 10 and Januar 14 from 2:00-3:00pm. Bring your laptops, smart phones, or tablets, along with your questions. Learning this new technology can open a whole new world for you.

SHINE Counseling: Volunteer SHINE Counselors are here to help you with any health insurance questions you may have. They will be offering expanded hours during open enrollment (October 15-December 7). To make an appointment, please call the Senior Center (617-846-8538).

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 Monday, December 9 (10:00am-2:00pm): CAPIC Fuel As-

sistance. CAPIC will be at the Senior Center to assist people with signing up for fuel assistance. Appointments will be on a first come, first served basis.

Monday, December 9 (10:30-11:30am): Managing Memory. Join the Boston University Alzheimer's Disease Center to learn how individuals can distinguish changes in memory due to Alzheimer's versus normal aging, what medications, vitamins, diets and exercise regimes can help, and the best habits, strategies, and memory aids to use. There will also be a memory screen available.

Holiday Party. Join us for our annual Holiday Party luncheon, catered by Spinelli's and entertainment from Alan LaBella. Cost: \$20, checks only; make payable to "Friends of the WCOA".

Thursday, December 12 (12:00pm): Senior Center Annual

Wednesday, December 18 (12:00-2:00pm): ClearCaptionstm Bingo Binge. Join your local ClearCaptions Title IV Specialist, Nicole Kalukiewicz, for free bingo and lunch.

UPCOMING TRIPS All trips are payable by check only. Please make check payable to

"Friends of the WCOA" Thursday, November 21: Wrentham Outlets Shopping Trip. Cost: \$10 (members)/ \$15 (non-members). The Friends of

the Winthrop Council on Aging are pleased to be subsidizing this trip to the Wrentham Outlets. Bus will depart the Senior Center at 9am and will leave the Wrentham Outlets to return home at 3pm. Lunch will be on your own. Tuesday, November 26: Foxwoods Casino. Cost: \$29. Bus

departs Senior Center at 7am. Sunday, December 1-Monday, December 2: Holiday Fun in

the White Mountains. Wait List Only. Thursday, December 19: Ken's Holiday Light Tour. Cost: \$10. Enjoy the sights of holiday lights along the North Shore and a

meal at Kelly's Roast Beef in Saugus (dinner is on your own). Space is limited to 8 people. You must be a member of the Senior Center to sign up. Tuesday, January 21, 2020: Mohegan Sun Casino. Bus de-

parts Senior Center at 8am. Sign up beginning Monday, December 2nd.

Tuesday, February 25: Twin Rivers Casino. Bus departs Senior Center at 9:45am. Sign up beginning Monday, December

NEWS FROM AROUND THE REGION

COUNCIL APPROVES FUNDS FOR RENOVATIONS

CHELSEA - Efforts to make Chelsea a more play-friendly city for kids continues, as state funding looks to be on the way for the \$750,000 renovation of Voke Park.

The City applied for a PARC (Parkland Acquisitions and Renovations for Communities) Grant from the state to help pay for renovations at the park. That grant has tentatively been awarded, pending the execution of a state grant contract and program requirements, according to City Manager Thomas Ambrosino.

Under the PARC program, the state pays for 70 percent of the costs park improvements, up to a maximum state share of \$400,000.

But because the PARC grant is a reimbursable grant, the city must approve spending the funds up front.

"Based upon the City's estimates, the total cost of the Voke Park improvements will be \$750,000," stated Ambrosino in a letter to the City Council. "To date, the City Council has appropriated \$350,000 through the FY20 Capital Improvement program, leaving this balance of \$400,000, which we expect to be fully reimbursed by the Commonwealth."

At Monday night's meeting, the Council moved the request for the appropriation to a second reading at next week's meeting.

The proposed renovations of Voke Park include replacement of the playground's rubber surfacing, introduction of new playground equipment, installation of a new water feature and splash pad, installation of new site furniture, and lighting and reconstruction of all site utilities.

Additionally, the renovations will include new landscaping and renovation of the public walkway at the

"Once completed, the will better serve our city's youth and increase the quality of life for residents. a goal highlighted in the

City's 2017 Open Space and Recreation Plan," state Ambrosino.

The City Manager said the renovations will hopefully be completed by the end of June, 2021, although there will still be several opportunities for public input before the work begins, including several public meetings to gather resident input on design features and park amenities.

In the event that the park ultimately costs more than the estimate, which Ambrosino said is not uncommon, he said he may return to the City Council for a further appropriation.

Which is what Ambrosino did Monday night for a similar project at Eden Park, which secured a PARC Grant last year.

The city set aside

\$750,000 for that project, including \$250,000 in the FY19 Capital Improvement Plan and \$500,000 from stabilization funds which will be repaid through the reimbursable grant.

"Unfortunately, the total costs for this project are now expected to exceed \$750,000," Ambrosino stat-

With construction bids coming in higher than anticipated, and with design and administration costs, Ambrosino estimated the city would have to appropriate an additional \$90,000 for Eden Park. He requested the Council appropriate those funds from free cash.

That request was also moved to a second reading at next week's scheduled Council meeting.

The proposed renovations at Eden Park are similar to those planned at Voke Park, with replacement of the playground's rubber surfacing, introduction of new playground equipment, installation of a new water feature and splash pad, installation of new site furniture and lighting, and reconstruction of all site utilities.

ZABOT TO TAKE DISTRICT 3 SEAT

CHELSEA - When Naomodernized playground mi Zabot takes her seat as the new District 3 councilor in January, it will be the long-awaited continuation of advocacy for her family.

Zabot, who moved back to Chelsea in 2010 and lives in Spencer Lofts, said her family all came from Chelsea before moving to Maine. And even though her childhood was spent in Maine, she could not escape the frequent and fond stories of Chelsea - the place she has now made her

"My grandparents and parents were all born in Chelsea," she said. "My grandma is 100 now and she is still around and in great form. They moved out of Chelsea in the 1960s, but all we talked about was Chelsea. It's a really, really special place for me and even though I grew up in Maine, I came to Chelsea for the Jewish holidays and to visit in the summers.'

She said her family tells a story about how her grandfather fought the industrialization of the city, and when he lost that battle, that's when he decided to leave with the family.

"My grandmother tells me about how her father came from Russia and eventually bought a home on Bellingham," she said. "He did well for himself as a tailor but when they first started building industry in Chelsea, he knew it was the beginning of the end for the city. He was against it and spoke up against it. It's a good story to know that even then, such a thing was part of my family."

A special education teacher on the South Shore by day, Zabot credits her sister, Devra Zabot, with getting her involved in the community and deciding to run for the Council. Devra started the Tu Casa Comedy nights, and is involved in City government as well.

"I think she's the role model for me to get involved in Chelsea - even just going to Chel-Yea," she said. "Without that, I would have probably been a little shy. I learned from her and as I became more involved in the community, I began to see other people and realized there is a strong sense of community here."

Zabot said she was very active in knocking on doors and going through the neighborhood. She credits that with her victory over

'THE LARAMIE PROJECT'



Tammy Frias and George Fernandes took to the stage while masked students depicted the evening leading up to Matthew Shepard's murder during the Chelsea High production of 'The Laramie Project' last Friday, Nov. 15. The show, which was a heavy drama about the 1998 murder of a gay university student, played for three nights over the weekend.

incumbent Joe Perlatonda.

"There was one man and his door was in the back and I went back and knocked on it," she said. "He was so grateful that I took the time to meet him, to come to the back and knock on his door. He said he was going to vote for me just because I took the time."

Zabot said she has also been attending Council meetings, and other meetings like the Zoning Board. Obviously, she said development will be an issue on her radar.

"Around Spencer Avenue there is a lot of development and you have the Midas site, too," she said. "I want to really be present and keep watch on what is going on and making time and understanding it. I want to try to reflect the needs of the voices of the people... Growth is good and I think a lot of people are good with it. At the same time, there are a lot of people who are concerned about these things and that's important. I want to be sensitive to that...There are others out there also that don't know they have a voice."

In short, Zabot said she feels very honored to be chosen by the people of the district as their new representative.

"I want to express how fortunate I feel to live in Chelsea in a community where the residents chose me to represent them," she said. "It's a position that I take very seriously and is very close to my heart."

ALL SIX ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS TO BECOME K-6

EAST BOSTON -Last Boston Public week Schools (BPS) Superintendent Dr. Brenda Cassellius announced that all of East Boston's elementary schools will go from K-5 schools to K-6 schools beginning next school year.

The Samuel Adams Elementary, Manassah E. Bradley Elementary, Curtis Guild Elementary, Patrick J. Kennedy Elementary, Hugh R. O'Donnell Elementary and James Otis Elementary Schools will all be affected by the change. The Mario Umana Academy and Donald McKay

will not be affected by the change and will remain k-8 schools. Dr. Cassellius said the

change will come one year

earlier than previously

scheduled as part of an up-

date to the BuildBPS educational and facilities master plan for the district. In a letter to school leaders in Eastie Dr. Cassellius said the decision came after months of community

conversations with parents, teachers, community leaders and school staff. "This will allow us to serve more students, create educational pathways and invest more equitably in our classrooms as we

build high quality schools

in every neighborhood," she said. Dr. Cassellius said this grade expansion will help alleviate the number of middle school-age students who are currently attending school outside of Eastie due to a limited number of Grade 6 classroom seats in this area of the city. Twelve other BPS schools in various parts of the city are also scheduled to expand from K-5 to K-6 beginning in September 2020 as previously planned.

"Every decision we make must be rooted in community partnership and equity," said Dr. Cassellius. "These decisions reflect the many conversations I've had over the last six months with families, school staff and community members. These changes will provide families with more predictability from Kindergarten to high school graduation and better position our schools to serve our students."

One of the major goals of BuildBPS is to minimize the number of times students have to transition to different schools. BPS is adopting a preferred grade configuration model of K-6 and 7-12 in many district schools. The district previously announced it is phasing out the six remaining middle schools that serve only grades 6-8 amid declining enrollment, academic performance, and program sustainability. Dr. Cassellius will dis-

cuss the East Boston grade expansions with the Boston School Committee at an upcoming meeting. "The Boston School

Committee appreciates the

continued efforts of BPS to solicit community feedback for the BuildBPS plan to ensure all voices have an opportunity to be heard," said Boston School Committee Chairperson Michael Loconto. "We all want to make decisions that are in the best long-term interests of our students and families. The Committee looks forward to reviewing these BuildBPS updates, and to engage in further public discussion on this important initiative."

As part of the plan the Edwards Middle School in Charlestown will not enroll sixth-grade students next school year as the schools prepare for reconfigurations after the 2020-2021 school year. Because many students attending the Edwards Middle School reside in East Boston, the addition of sixth grade classrooms in East Boston will allow for those students to stay in their current schools.

KENNEDY CALLS FOR STATE TO RECONSIDER **SUBSTATION**

EAST BOSTON - For years, environmentalists, activists, residents and elected officials on both sides of the Chelsea Creek have been standing in solidarity in firm opposition against Eversource's plan to place a substation at the City Yards in East Boston along the Chelsea Creek.

For two years, local environmentalists on the Eastie and Chelsea sides of the Creek have launched a visual, media and talking campaign against Eversource's plans to place the substation at the City Yards in Eagle Square citing environmental and safety con-

Now candidate for the Massachusetts U.S. Senate seat, Congressman Joseph Kennedy III, is weighing in on the issue and giving a very visible voice to those fighting the substation.

"Our country's climate story is full of horrors swelling sea levels, toxic pollution, crushing heat, historic hurricanes, and fires leaving unimaginable wreckage in their wake," wrote Kennedy in an Op-Ed that appeared this week

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in Commonwealth Magazine. "But underneath these headlines is a chapter that too often gets glanced over: the exploitation and marginalization of American communities forced to bear the brunt of the crisis. This is a story about injustice. The same people and places shouldering generations of racism, disenfranchisement and oppression by our system find themselves carrying the burden of climate change and environmental

Kennedy said he feels there is no coincidence that, across the country, places bearing the environmental burden of the country are disproportionately and brown, immigrant, or poor. "It is no coincidence that our country takes advantage of them when it comes to our environment the same way it does when it comes to our education, transportation, housing and health care," he wrote.

degradation today."

Kennedy said he has seen this pattern continue across the country. In Houston for example Kennedy said low-income areas still struggle to become whole years after Hurricane Harvey as well as Puerto Rico. Detroit and New Orleans.

"We see it in Puerto Rico, where our country's neglect of some of its poorest citizens was on shameful display after Hurricane Maria," wrote Kennedy. "We see it in Detroit and New Orleans where communities already suffering from a concentration of aging infrastructure and toxic pollution, from a lack of access to clean air and water, are disadvantaged further by a lack of resources necessary to prepare for climate change impacts and community recovery. And we see it right here in Massachusetts, where – despite commendable leadership on climate resilience and clean energy development our Commonwealth has failed to address the profound burdens on local communities already waging a frontline fight against concentrated environmental hazards and the immediate impacts of climate change.

The proposed electrical substation in Eastie, Kennedy said, highlights this entrenched, generational inequity.

"For any Bostonian, the industrial landscape of East Boston and Chelsea is familiar," he wrote. "There are the imposing tanks of jet fuel, the jaw-dropping salt mounds, the noise pollution from Logan Airport and the air pollution from a congested Tobin Bridge. There are the statistics about higher childhood asthma rates, 'heat islands,' transportation inadequacy and concentrated toxicity - all telltale signs of a community overburdened. Despite this, Eversource has proposed building a new \$62 million electrical substation in the Eagle Hill area of East Boston, paid for by Massachusetts ratepayers, to connect high-voltage transmission lines from across the region." Kennedy said there are

myriad issues with this project. Like local environmentalists have argued for years Kennedy agrees the site along Chelsea Creek is flood-prone, with flooding projected to intensify in the decades to come due to climate change, creating a serious public safety risk. "It is in close proximity

to the jet fuel tanks, raising additional concerns about substation fires or explosions, like those seen in New York in the aftermath of Sandy," wrote Kennedy. "It is directly across the street from City Yards, a popular local playground, in the heart of a neighborhood already crushed by this kind of infrastructure. Not surprisingly but inexthe process." There has not been a

search for a new superinten-

cusably, the approval pro-

cess has lacked meaningful

community input, with little

hard to look at the facts and

conclude Eagle Hill is the

appropriate place to move

there is no question that the

state Department of Energy

and Environment should in-

struct the Energy Facilities

Siting Board – tasked with

approving the project – to

this case and consider the

questions of both environ-

mental justice and need in a

full and transparent manner,

with ample community in-

put, based on the latest data

available," wrote Kennedy.

"They should scrupulously

consider alternative sites

instead of plowing forward

with a project that will put

the health and safety of an

overburdened community

further at risk. They should

listen to powerful voices on

the ground like GreenRoots,

an organization with a 25-

year history of working on

environmental justice along

the Chelsea Creek, which

is leading a grassroots ef-

fort of advocates, activists

and local families to, once

again, fight for their own

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to unilaterally define our

energy infrastructure needs,

no matter the impact on

our people and our planet,"

wrote Kennedy. "The result

is deeply felt in communi-

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PUTS FORWARD 4

EVERETT - In a conten-

tious meeting of the School

Committee on Nov. 13,

the Superintendent Search

Committee reported out

four finalists – all from out-

side the district – and the

School Committee accept-

ed that report by a vote of

Lester MacLaughlin voted

for the incredible amount

of time and dedication you

put forward," said School

Abruzzese. "The Search

Committee got these candi-

dates from a pool of 22 ap-

plicants. The next step is for

the School Committee to

take charge of the process

by receiving the report and

planning for the next step in

Tom

Committee Chair

against it.

Only outgoing member

"I want to thank everyone

should seize it."

COMMITTEE

CANDIDATES

SEARCH

"We have allowed ener-

Kennedy added that for

backyard."

"They should re-open

Kennedy concluded that

forward."

press pause.

public outreach and inadedent in more than 30 years, quate translation services at and the search became necsiting board meetings." essary one year ago when allegations surfaced of al-While Eversource has maintained that the project leged sexual misconduct of is needed to meet electrical the former superintendent. demand Kennedy said this That led to criminal charges assertion is undermined by filed against him in a pending case, and also led to recent data that shows our region experiencing a conhis resignation and the formation of a Search Comtinual decrease in demand due to the success of energy mittee. Last summer, the efficiency projects. process began in looking "That means we risk for a new superintendent of leaving the local commuschools, and the Massachunity and ratepayers across setts Association of School Eastern New England hold-Committees (MASC) was ing the bag for a costly contracted to help with that. and potentially dangerous A total of 15 members were infrastructure project that chosen for the Search Commay not be necessary at mittee, and they spent more all," wrote Kennedy. "Even than 300 hours deliberating if you ignore that data and on the process and the largaccept the utility's assertion er candidate pool in order to that this is essential, it's get to the point of reporting

> Those candidates include: •Thomas Flannagan

Chief Academic Officer,

out candidates last week.

Providence Public Schools. He has been a teacher, special educator and administrator in Virginia and now in Providence. Prior to that he was Deputy Chief of the Division of Specialized Instruction of the Washington, D.C., public schools. He has met all the requirements for the job, and this week has finalized his superintendent's licensure in the state of Massachusetts. •Todd Stewart - Superintendent Fellow, Worcester

Public Schools. A former teacher and principal in the Worcester Public Schools, Stewart will receive his doctorate in educational leadership from Harvard in the Spring of 2020. He was recruited into the program based on his successful work with faculty. In his current position, he is working with the administrative team in Worcester Public Schools.

 Priya Tahiliani – Assistant Superintendent, Boston Public Schools. Currently working on her doctorate, Tahiliani has academic credentials from Harvard and Boston University. She currently oversees the Office of English Language Learners, having spent almost 20 years as an educator and administrator in Boston. She is bi-lingual and known for her excellent communication skills and her understanding of students at risk.

•Paul Toner - Senior Director of Policy and TeachPlus. Partnerships, Toner has a long record in the classroom and working with teachers and school leaders in the state. He took a somewhat non-traditional but highly relevant course to the superintendancy. He served as president of the Mass Teachers Association and earned for them a seat at the policy making table. Being president of the MTA involves considerable administrative management and oversight, exceptional ability to understand and communicate with diverse constituencies and direct work with teachers. He was educated at Boston University, and UMass Boston. He has a law degree from Suffolk University also. The School Committee

and MASC are now working on the next steps in the public process, which will likely include public interviews and meetings with teachers, staff, City Hall officials and other stakeholders. Each candidate is expected to likely do a oneday visit to the community to meet and begin to understand the schools.

However, beyond the

announcing of candidates, there was a great deal of controversy that followed. As the matter came to a vote, MacLaughlin said the process should be re-

set and had been stained by

Abruzzese

"I thought this would be an unbiased search for the superintendent and yet the unbiased alleged chair of the group made a statement in the paper that he would hire an Everett candidate only over his dead body,"

Abruzzese quickly retaliated, saying he never said that and the quote was made up by a local newsletter in town. "I never made that state-

ment," he said. "You're quoting from an article that wasn't true. It's a statement I never made. I'm not going to debate the issue. What are you questioning?" "I'm questioning

bias of the process," said

MacLaughlin. "I think the

process has been stained by

your comments." "That's interesting; let's go back in time," said Abruzzese. "Who is the person that nominated me for the chair?"

"I did," said MacLaugh-"This is out of order."

said Abruzzese. "I have no idea where this is coming from. You haven't even seen the report yet and you're questioning it?" "That's right," said Ma-

cLaughlin. That spilled into a vote, where the report was re-

ceived by a vote of 7-1,

with MacLaughlin against Member Marcony Almeida-Barros said he supported the report, and

was a member of the Search Committee as well. "As a member of this Search Committee, I am really encouraged to have been part of the Search Committee and am pleased with these four candidates," he said. "I am glad the en-

tire Search Committee de-

cided to move forward."

Said Member Frank Parker, also a member of Search Committee, "This I the result of not one individual making recommendations, but 15 people who took this serious and gave a lot of time...It is the work of 15 people and not one person.'

Member David Ela, who was not re-elected earlier this month, said it was his last and most important "My hope is things will

move for the better in the community," he said. "My time and days in this seat are coming to a close. If this is one of the final things I do as a School Committeeman, it is one of the best things I've done on the Committee.'

Mayor Carlo DeMaria, who appeared as an ex-officio member of the School Committee, said he was unhappy with the process. He said he would have liked to see internal candidates in the mix, and was unhappy that no internal candidates were interviewed. "As the mayor, when

people from Everett apply, we always give them the courtesy of having an interview if they are a candidate," he said. "I think you did a disservice. You have the Interim Superintendent who spent 40 years in the school system and you didn't give her an interview...I am a little bothered by that." It has been stated that Interim Supt. Janice Gauthier,

Asst. Superintendent Charlie Obremski and Academies Director Omar Easy had applied for the position. Gauthier responded emo-

tionally to end the meeting on Wednesday, which was very uncharacteristic of her time over the many years.

stepped up. I've got 49

years in this district and I

strict alcohol in the down-'The process was done stairs area. the right way; I have no •7-Eleven complaints about it," she said. "I do feel hurt because I stood up at a time when this City needed somebody was against regulations on to step up. I always have two fronts: 1) all alcohol

couldn't get an interview. I was born and brought up in Everett. I stood up all the time and I couldn't get an interview. That's it. I said my peace."

Said Abruzzese, "It's not who hasn't been interviewed, but who has been chosen.' Kim Auger, president of the Everett Teachers' Association and a member of

the Search Committee, said

they had no comment on the

internal candidate squabble. However, she said they will look forward to working with all four candidates. "We look forward to working with all four candidates and having our members be able to listen to their ideas and be part of the process," she said.

The School Committee will soon put out schedule for the next step in the pro-

COMMISSION REVIEWS PERMITS EVERETT - The City's

LICENSING

Licensing Commission met on Monday, Nov. 18, at City Hall to review the licenses of eight local dining and nightlife establishments. Present at the meeting

were Licensing Board President Phil Antonelli, Board Member Phil Arloro, Board Clerk Annette Debilio, Detective Mike Levy of the Everett Police Department, and Assistant City Solicitor Keith Slattery. On the agenda were

7-Eleven at 543 Ferry St.,

Braza Bar and Grill at 158

School St., Ferry Street

Grille at 108 Ferry St.,

Mama Santos Cafe Bar and Grill at 388 Main St., Montecristo Taquería y Pupusería at 389-391 Main St., The Silver Fox Function Facility at 530 Second St., Texas Roadhouse at 31 Mystic View Road, and Winners Sports Bar & Grill at 361 Ferry St.

ing before the Commission had been summoned for a variety of violations. •Winners Sports Bar & Grill and Karma Lounge

The businesses appear-

Boston The owner of Winners and his wife appeared be-

fore the board to address the concern that they were using the downstairs portion of their venue to host parties, an activity that is not permitted by their current license. The owner readily admitted to using the downstairs of the venue to host pre-planned events, including a debutante ball, a child's birthday party and even a wedding. He had been renting out the downstairs in an effort to reduce his substantial debt, for which he has already received an eviction notice. The board ultimately

agreed to allow the owner to rent out the downstairs for events under the condition that no alcohol be served or consumed there. The owner was in full agreement. He will have to come before the board again on Dec. 2, and cannot book any events until after that date. Winners had previously been the subject of numer-

ous complaints and had its license revoked in May. Antonelli described the board's relationship with the business over the past seven years as "torture." The owner said Winners was his "dream" and that he

would do whatever it takes to get back on the right track. Board members pressed some doubt about

how the owner plans to re-

cannot occupy floor space in

and 2) alcohol display cases and beer chests need to be physically blocked, locked or otherwise covered after 11 p.m., which is the time by which all retail locations must stop serving alcohol.

The owner was cooper-

ative and vowed to correct

the situation with help from

his corporate office. He will

different areas of the store,

reappear at the Feb. 18 Licensing Board meeting, and he has until that date to fully remedy the problem. •Braza Bar and Grill at 158 School St.

The owner of Braza Grill

appeared with his lawyer to answer to a violation involving misuse of his space. Braza Grill had advertised a live music show at its restaurant, something that violates its current license. The owner had received a statement telling him that a band could not play at that location, after which he moved the show to Silver Fox. The owner claimed he

didn't know the performance would include a band and thought it was a disc jockey. The Licensing Board reminded him that his current license also doesn't accommodate DJs. The establishment can only play recorded music over the sound system or via a jukebox.

Braza Grill is still reeling from an incident in 2015 when a young woman was shot and killed outside the venue during a live music concert where her boyfriend was performing. Since that date, the establishment has not been able to extend its hours on Friday and Saturday nights. No arrest was ever made in the case.

•Ferry Street Grille The owner of Ferry Street Grille was cited for not operating within the hours specified on his license. Specifically, his establishment was closed during hours when the license states it should be open and serving the public. The reason underutilization of hours is a problem is that if a business owner receives a license for specific hours but is not required to operate during those hours, he can simply sell the license to another business owner for thousands of dollars, making money off city licenses. This is not generally an issue when licenses in the city are plentiful, but when demand is high due to low supply, business owners may be willing to pay a premium to score a coveted

The owner will maintain his seven-day license, but will appear before the board again in December to ask to eliminate the nighttime hours.

•Mama Santos Cafe Bar

license.

and Grill / Montecristo Taqueria & Pupuseria The board addressed the

owners of Mama Santos and Montecristo regarding violations to their hours of operation. Both establishments were found to have served patrons outside of the business hours permitted by the license. The owners were reminded that this was not allowed and that not even cleaners should be present after hours. Both owners agreed to comply. The Silver Fox Function

The owner of the Silver Fox was reprimanded for

accommodating the live show that was moved from Braza Grill to its venue. He stated that it wouldn't happen again. Texas Roadhouse A representative from

Texas Roadhouse appeared before the board to disclose that its parent company was removing two corporate executives. Under state law, the restaurant needs to make the licensing board aware of the change. Other than the restructuring at the top, there will be no change needs to be in one area and to operations in Everett.

The board told the owner of the 7-Eleven that his display of alcohol in his store

Governor signs ban on driving while talking or texting on cell phone

In 90 days unless you have bluetooth or other hands free options inside you car you will face harsh fines for talking, texting or looking at text messages while driving.

On Monday Governor Charlie Baker signed legislation to improve road safety in the Commonwealth, which stipulates that no motor vehicle operator may use electronic devices while driving unless the technology is being used hands-free.

Punishment for violating the hands-free law includes a \$100 fine for a first offense, \$250 fine for a second offense and \$500 fine for a third or subsequent offense. A third or subsequent offense will count as a surchargeable incident. Operators who commit a second or subsequent offense are required to complete an educational program focused on distracted driving prevention.

"Our Administration is

committed to keeping the Commonwealth's network of roads safe, and this legislation will substantially reduce distracted driving and hold operators accountable when they are looking at an electronic device instead of looking at the road ahead," said Governor Baker. "We are especially grateful for the many advocates and families that passionately fought to bring this bill to fruition, are thankful for the Legislature's collaboration on this bill and look forward to continued efforts to improve road safety in

According to the new law operators of motor vehicles and bicycles cannot use an electronic device unless the device is being used in hands-free mode. Operators cannot read or view text or look at images or video, unless what is being viewed on the device is helping with navigation and the device is mounted in an appropriate location. They also cannot make phone

Massachusetts."

calls unless they are able to do so without holding the phone, utilizing technology such as Bluetooth.

The new law permits the use of electronic devices if they are being used in response to an emergency, necessary for first responders to do their jobs. It also permits use if operators are stationary and not in active lanes of travel.

"This legislation will protect pedestrians and drivers on our roads by keeping mobile devices out of the hands of those who operate vehicles," said House Speaker Robert DeLeo. "Additionally, this legislation establishes a new implicit bias training program for any jurisdiction deemed by an analysis of data to have engaged in racial or gender profiling."

The hands-free law takes effect ninety days after passage and has reporting requirements for law enforcement officers who make traffic stops. They must make note of data, includ-



Winthrop Sen. Joe Boncore, Chair of the Joint Committee on Transportation, thanks Gov. Charlie Baker Monday at the State House for signing a new law that will ban talking, texting or looking at cell phones while driving.

ing the age, race and gender of individuals issued a warning or citation. The Registry of Motor Vehicles will house the data and the Secretary of Public Safety's office will annually release the information to the public. The new law sets forth a process in the event there are suspicions a law enforcement entity may be engaging in racial profiling.

"This bill will improve the safety of our streets and promote transparency in law enforcement," said Senator Joe Boncore, Chair of the Joint Committee on Transportation. "Distracted driving is an epidemic, and this bill will save lives. Further, by updating our data collection laws, we will better understand and improve our communities' interactions with public safety officials."

Real Estate Transfers

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incidents with the group," said Delehanty. "They were respectful and exercised their First Amendment

Delehanty had extra police officers on duty during the protest, escorting the group along the march and protecting the safety of Winthrop motorists whose access was interrupted for a short time on various streets.

DOG LICENSES AVAILABLE JANUARY 2020

Dog licenses for the year 2020 will be available for purchase beginning January 2, 2020.

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2. Wait until the middle of January for the annual census to be mailed to your home, on the bottom will be a mail in slip, you can send in check and proof of rabies in the same envelope as the census and tag will be mailed to you. Staff cuts have eliminat-

ed the ability of processing of Dog Licenses. Late fees begin April 1, 2020 this

new policy will ensure that your order is quickly and efficiently processed in the staff hours available. Please contact our office with any questions. Please note the Town

Clerk's Office does not save Rabies information, nor do we have it if you used the Town sponsored rabies clinic. It is the responsibility of the pet owner to have medical information for your animals.

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BOARD-12-16-19

Notice is hereby given

Massachusetts General

5 of the Zoning Codes

that the Winthrop

Planning Board will

Law Chapter 40A Section

conduct a Public Hearing

on December 16, 2019,

at or after 7:00 p.m. in

on the Petition Seeking

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LEGALS

LEGAL NOTICE



Notice is hereby given in accordance with Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Chapter 17 of the Code of the Town of Winthrop that the Winthrop Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, December 5, 2019, at or after 7:00 p.m. in the Joseph Harvey Hearing Room, Town Hall, Winthrop, Massachusetts, 02152 upon the application of Kobert & Maureen Keeler 328 Pleasant St. seeking a Variance. The applicant seeks relief of a variance for a

property fence because the permit was denied in accordance to the Town of Winthrop Zoning By-Laws from Chapter 17.16.020 (E). 1. Traffic Visibility at Driveways. * Noncompliance of

this order will result in

penalties in accordance to the Mass. State Building Codes 780 CMR., Section 118.4 and Section 17.53.080 of the Town of Winthrop Bylaws. Copies of the aforementioned application and plans are on file and available for inspection at the Office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Monday through Thursday during the normal business hours. Darren Baird, Chairman Joanne M. DeMato, Clerk Winthrop Board of **Appeals**

December 5, 2019

LEGAL NOTICE

November 27, 2019

LEGAL NOTICE

Appeals



TOWN OF WINTHROP LEGAL NOTICE #033-2019 Notice is hereby given in accordance with Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Chapter 17 of the Code of the Town of Winthrop that the Winthrop Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, December 5 2019, at or after 7:00 p.m. in the Joseph Harvey Hearing Room, Town Hall, Winthrop, Massachusetts, 02152 upon the application of Stephen Babine, 191 Court Rd., seeking a Variance

The applicant seeks a permit to convert the current preexisting nonconforming 2 family structure to a 3-unit residential building. The permit was denied in accordance to the Town of Winthrop Zoning By-Laws Chapter 17.12.130 three family dwellings are not permitted in the RA district. To this date, the applicant has not submitted a registered plot plan showing the structures a parking plan showing off street parking for six vehicles. Therefore. I must assume that the

proposed dimensions and proposed project will not meet the required parking provisions and will require a parking variance. Relief of the following will be required. 1. A variance pursuant to Section 17.52.030 (use variance) for relief

from the provisions of 17.12.130, Table of Uses to establish a threefamily use in the RA zone which does not allow for dwelling units exceeding two units. 2. A variance pursuant to Section 17,20,060 Table of Required Off-Street Parking, determining

two parking spaces per dwelling unit. Copies of the aforementioned application and plans are on file and available for inspection at the Office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Monday through Thursday during the normal business hours. Darren Baird, Chairman Joanne M. DeMato, Clerk Winthrop Board of

November 27, 2019

November 21, 2019



LEGAL NOTICE #034-2019 Notice is hereby given in accordance with Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Chapter 17 of the Code of the Town of Winthrop that the Winthrop Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, December 5, 2019, at or after 7:00 p.m. in the Joseph Harvey Hearing Room, Town Hall, Winthrop, Massachusetts, 02152 upon the application of

MSF Development, 283

Shirley Street, seeking a

The applicant seeks a permit to construct a three-story structure containing three residential units on an existing lot of which resides in the Business A District. Whereas the project is located in the Business A District, and according to Section 17.12.130 Table of Use Regulations multifamily family structures are not permitted in the Business A District.

To construct a 3-unit Apartment Building a Use Variance amongst other variances will be required by the Town of Winthrop Board of Appeals. The permit has been denied for the following 1. Noncompliance of

proposed structure with respect to (multi family structures) are not permitted in a Business A District, (Section 17.12.130) Table of Use Regulations 2. Noncompliance of proposed structure with respect to minimum

lot area requirement of 7,500 sf within the **Business A District** (Section 17.16.030) 3. Noncompliance of proposed structure with respect to minimum front setback of 10 ft. (Section 17.16.030) 4. Noncompliance of proposed structure with respect to minimum left

and right-side setback of 10 ft (Section 17.16.030) 5. Noncompliance of proposed structure with respect to off street parking requirements of 2 parking spaces per dwelling unit. (Section 17.20.060) 6. Noncompliance of

proposed structure with respect to minimum lot frontage of 50 ft (Section 17.16.030) Copies of the aforementioned application and plans are on file and available for inspection at the Office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall,

during the normal business hours. Darren Baird, Chairman Joanne M. DeMato, Clerk Winthrop Board of Appeals November 21, 2019

Monday through Thursday



TOWN OF WINTHROP LEGAL NOTICE #032-2019

General Laws and Chapter 17 of the Code of the Town of Winthrop that the Winthrop Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on Thursday, December 5, 2019, at or after 7:00 p.m. in the Joseph Harvey Hearing Room, Town Hall, Winthrop, Massachusetts, 02152 upon the application of Nadiya Pavlychko, 28 Buckthorn Terrace, seeking a Variance. The applicant seeks a

accordance with Chapter

existing single-family structure to a two-family dwelling. The permit is to construct a two-story addition to a one story existing single-family structure, thus creating a three story, two family structure. The applicant is also proposing to construct a two-story addition to the front and right side of the existing structure. According to the proposed

permit to convert an

reasons.

1. Noncompliance of respect to minimum rear yard setback of 24ft or 1/5 lot depth 2. Noncompliance of J. 1.) Dimensional Regulations. 3. Noncompliance of proposed structure thirty-five (35) feet 4. Noncompliance of proposed structure

with respect to (section Regulations, restricting the front yard. Copies of the aforementioned application and plans are

on file and available for

inspection at the Office of

November 27, 2019



Notice is hereby given in

40A of the Massachusetts **LEGAL NOTICE**

Massachusetts By virtue and in

building plan, the front and side addition will have a roof deck that will service the third floor. The permit was denied in accordance to the Town of Winthrop Zoning By-Laws Chapter 17.16 Dimensional Regulations. The permit was denied due to the following

proposed structure with (section 17.16.020 J. 1.) Dimensional Regulations. proposed structure with respect to minimum rightside yard setback of 10 feet (section 17.16.020

with respect to (section 17.16.020 J) no existing building may be altered to exceed two and onehalf stories, not to exceed 17.16.020 (C.) 1. General vehicles from parking in

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the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Monday through Thursday during the normal business hours. Darren Baird, Chairman Joanne M. DeMato, Clerk Winthrop Board of

November 21, 2019 November 27, 2019

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S

SALE OF REAL ESTATE Premises: 600 Governers Park Drive, Unit 2. Governor's Park Condominium, Winthrop,

execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Michael J. Psomos and Loriann **Psomos to Cornerstone** Mortgage Corporation, said mortgage dated November 7, 2003, and recorded in the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds, in Book 33218 at Page 33 and now held by U.S. Bank National Association not in its individual capacity but solely as Trustee for the RMAC Trust, Series 2016-CTT by virtue of an assignment from Nationstar Mortgage LLC to U.S. Bank National Association, not in its individual capacity but solely as Trustee for the RMAC Trust, Series 2016-CTT dated June 29, 2018 and recorded in the Suffolk County

Registry of Deeds, in Book 60510 at Page 104, previously assigned by Cornerstone Mortgage **Corporation to Nationstar** Mortgage LLC by virtue of an assignment dated November 15, 2011 and recorded in the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds, in Book 48910 at Page 150 for breach of the conditions in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction on December 6, 2019, at 11:00 A.M. Local Time upon the premises directly in front of the building containing said unit, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: **EXHIBIT A** Unit No. 600-2 of The Governors Park Condominium created by Master Deed dated July 10. 1986 and recorded

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Deeds at Book 12658,

particularly described as

Unit Number Unit 600-2,

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known as Governor's Park

Condominium submitted

Massachusetts General

Laws, Chapter 183A, by

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Page 189 and more

follows:

at Book 12658, Page BENDETT & MCHUGH, PC 189, together with an 270 Farmington Avenue undivided percentage Farmington, CT 06032 interest in the common areas and facilities of said Condominium as set forth in said Mater Deed. Property address: Unit No. 2, 600 Governors Drive, Winthrop, Massachusetts 02152 The Unit conveyed subject to and with the benefit of the obligations,

County Registry of Deeds

restrictions, rights and liabilities contained in M.G.L. Ch. 183A, the Master Deed, the documents establishing the organization of unit owners and the Bylaws as amended of record, and any and all other matters of record. Each of the units in the condominium is intended for such use as set forth in the Master Deed. Meaning and intending

CITATION ON PETITION FOR to mortgage and hereby mortgaging the same FORMAL APPOINTMENT OF premises conveyed to Mortgagors by deed SUCCESSOR recorded herewith. PERSONAL The description of the REPRESENTATIVE property that appears Docket No. in the mortgage to SU95P2599 be foreclosed shall Estate of: control in the event of a Bonnie E. typographical error in this Hamann publication. Date of Death: For Mortgagors' Title see 07/06/1995 deed dated November 7. 2003, and recorded in Book 33218 at Page 031 with the Suffolk County () Salem, NH requesting that the Court enter a Registry of Deeds. Said Unit will be conveyed together with an undivided percentage interest in as Successor Personal the Common Elements Representative(s) of of said Condominium appurtenant to said Unit and together with all rights,

easements, covenants Petition. You have the right to and agreements as contained and referred obtain a copy of the to in the Declaration Petition or at the Court. of Condominium, as You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do TERMS OF SALE: Said so, you or your attorney premises will be sold must file a written and conveyed subject to appearance and objection all liens, encumbrances, at this Court before 10:00 unpaid taxes, tax titles, a.m. on 12/19/2019. This is NOT a hearing municipal liens and

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announced at the sale.

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11/14/19, 11/21/19,

THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT Suffolk Probate **And Family Court** 24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA 02114 (617)788-8300 To all interested persons: A Petition has been filed by: Myles V. Twomey of formal Decree and Order that Myles V. Twomey of Salem, NH be appointed said estate to serve With Corporate Surety on the bond and for such other relief as requested in the

Code of Ordinances Chapter 17.16.30 Table of Dimensional Regulations. **Under Minimum Yard** Set Back change Center Business Side from 10 feet to 25 feet and Rear from 15 feet to 25 feet with footnotes 10 and 12 remaining. Notice is hereby given in accordance with Massachusetts General Law Chapter 40A Section 5 of the Zoning Codes that the Winthrop Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing on December 16, 2019 at or after 7:00 p.m. in the Harvey Hearing Room on the Petition Seeking to "Amend the Winthrop Code of Ordinances Chapter 17.16.30 Table of Dimensional Regulations. **Under Center Business** Change maximum number of stories to 2. in accordance with

Notice is hereby given Massachusetts General Law Chapter 40A Section 5 of the Zoning Codes that the Winthrop Planning Board will conduct a Public Hearing on December 16, 2019, at or after 7:00 p.m. in the Harvey Hearing Room

on the Petition Seeking

to "Amend the Winthrop

Chapter 17.16.30 Table of

Code of Ordinances

Dimensional Regulations. Under Center Business change maximum density from none to 1 residential unit per 2000 sq. ft. All materials may be reviewed in the Town Clerks Office, Room 5 or Room B-3, Clerk of the Planning Board during Town Hall normal business hours. **Denise Quist** Clerk-Planning Board

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LEGAL NOTICE



PUBLIC HEARING DATE OF **DECEMBER 17, 2019** Notice is hereby given in accordance with chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and Chapter 17 of the Code of the Town of Winthrop that the Winthrop Town Council will conduct a Public Hearing on Tuesday December 17, 2019 at on or after 7:00 PM in the Harvey Hearing Room, Town Hall on the Adoption of the Winthrop Zoning Code Enforcement 17.53.00 § All Marijuana Licenses to be Prohibited in the Town of Winthrop Consistent with G.L. c. 94G, Section 3(a)(2), all types of adult use (recreational) "Marijuana Establishments" as defined in G.L. c. 94G,

§1 and 935 CMR 500.00, including marijuana cultivators, craft marijuana cooperatives, marijuana product manufacturers, marijuana retailers, independent testing laboratories, marijuana research facilities, marijuana transporters or any other type of licensed mariiuana-related businesses shall be prohibited within the Town of Winthrop. All documentation pertaining to the hearing can be viewed in the Town Clerks office Room 5 and / or the Council Clerk office Room B3 during normal business hours.

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Denise Quist

Council Clerk

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